

JAVASCRIPT REVIEW

1. What is *missing* from the code below to write the text below to the page using Javascript

one

two

```
document.write("one");
document.write(<strong>two</strong>");
```

2. In the Javascript DOM, DOM stands for _____

REVIEW: WHICH CODE HAS A **SYNTAX ERROR**:

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REVIEW: FIGURE IT OUT

What is the value of x at the end?

```
y = 5; x= 7;
switch(y)
{
   case 1: x= x*2; break;
   case 5: x -= y;
   case 10: x++; break;
   default: x = 17;
}
```



What is displayed?

function process(x, z)

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ARROW FUNCTIONS

- Use the arrow as a shortcut to define and then call a function
- Assume you want a simple function as follows:

```
function hello() { return "Hey there!"; }
```

- Call the function using: hello()
- Using an arrow function:

```
hello = () => {return "Hello World!"};
```

Simplfy further to:

```
hello = () => "Hello World!";
```

- Call the function using: hello()
- Add parameters:

```
hello = (num) => "Two times " + num + " is " + 2 * num;
```



EXAMPLE: USE AN ARROW FUNCTION AS A PARAMETER

```
add = (a,b) => a+b;
sub = (a,b) => a-b;
function operate (a, b, op)
{
    return op(a,b);
}
alert(operate (4,7, add)); //what is displayed?
```



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CONCEPT: ANONYMOUS FUNCTIONS

- You don't need to name a function when you are only using it once this is considered an anonymous function
- Anonymous functions make sense when using a function as a
 - Parameter
 - Call back
 - Array method
- Arrow functions are frequently used when an anonymous function would be appropriate



CALLBACK FUNCTIONS

- A function can be called automatically when something else has completed.
- Example: setTimeout

```
setTimeout(function() {alert("a second just passed!")}, 1000))
```

Or

setTimeout(()=>alert("one second") , 1000)



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JAVASCRIPT OBJECT LIBRARY (DOM)

Document Object Model

- Properties
 - Characteristics, State
- Methods
 - Things the object can do
 These will require parenthesis because they area function
- Events
 - The object can respond to events

- Use "new" to instance an object (sometimes there are shortcuts without new)
- new will call a constructor for the object
- Use the dot notation to call a method or access a property using an object arr = new Array() count = arr.length



THE MATH OBJECT: HELPFUL METHODS

- Math.random()
 - Returns a number between 0 and 1. Multiply it to get a larger range
 - Example- random number from 0 to 5

```
n = Math.random() * 5;
```

- Example- random number from 1 to 20
 - n = Math.random() * 19 + 1;
- Math.ceil() Math.floor()
- Math.max () Math.min()



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THE STRING OBJECT

- Easily instanced using assignment to a quoted string.
- Helpful properties:
 - length
- Helpful methods:
 - charAt
 - indexOf / lastIndexOf
 - substr / substring
 - toLowerCase / toUpperCase
 - split

Example: display characters of a string with an asterisk (*) between them

```
s = "I am a string";
for (n=0; n<s.length;n++)
document.write (s.charAt(n) + " * " );</pre>
```



STRING

METHODS

length number of characters in a string

charAt() returns the character at the specified index

concat() joins two or more strings, and returns a copy of the

joined strings

indexOf()

returns the position of the first occurrence of a specified

string

lastIndexOf() returns the position of the last occurrence of a string
 slice() extracts a part of a string and returns a new string

split() splits a string into an array of substrings

• substr() gets a substring defined by a start position and a number of

characters

substring() gets a substring defined by a start and end index

toLowerCase() returns the string in lower casetoUpperCase() returns the string in uppercase



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DATE

Given: d = new Date();

d.getDate()
 d.getDay()
 d.getFullYear()
 d.getFullYear()
 d.getHours()
 d.getHours()
 d.getMinutes()
 d.getMonth()
 d.getSeconds()
 Returns day of the week (0-6)
 Returns the year (four digits)
 Returns the hour (0-23)
 Returns the minutes (0-59)
 Returns the month (0-11)
 d.getSeconds()

Try it: display the current date as "June 12, 2025" using the date methods



ARRAYS IN JAVASCRIPT

- Arrays are implemented with the Array object.
- An array is a group or collection of items that are referenced using a group name and an index
- The first index is 0
- Array elements can be differing types!
- The size of the array is dynamic!
- Create an Array:
 - Use the Array object
 things = new Array(1,2,3);
 - Use literal notation []
 things = [1,2,3];





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A CONCEPTUAL VIEW ...

 \blacksquare numbers = [1,2,3,4,5];

1
2
3
4
5

Create an empty array with 5 elements

var numbers = new Array(5);

- document.write (numbers[2]);
 - Displays the 3rd element in the array in this case "3"



AN ARRAY IS AN OBJECT

- Helpful property:
 - length
- Helpful methods:
 - indexOf
 - join
 - push/pop
 - forEach
 - sort



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USING THE ARRAY OBJECT

```
// arr is empty

    Create an empty array

                                   var arr = [];
• Add elements to the end
                                   arr.push(1,2,3);
                                                              // arr = 123
• Change the 3<sup>rd</sup> element
                                   arr[2]=5;
                                                              // arr = 1 2 5

    Add an element at the end

                                   arr[3]=4;
                                                              // arr = 1 2 5 4
                                   arr = arr.sort()
                                                              // arr = 1 2 4 5
Sort an array
                                   alert(arr.join(' * ');
                                                              //displayed: 1 * 2 * 4 * 5 *
Join to a string
```



LOOPS AND ARRAYS

- A loop counter can be used to iterate through an array.
 - To display the array
 - To do something to every element
 - To give a value to every element

```
//add 3 to each item
numbers = [2,4,6,8,10];
for (i=0; i<numbers.length;i++)
   numbers[i] += 3;</pre>
```



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EXAMPLE: SEARCH AN ARRAY

```
arr = ["jim", "bill", "sam", "natalie", "sally", "fran"];
match = "sam";
for (i=0; i<arr.length; i++)
{
   if (arr[i] == match)
        break; //stop when you find it
}
if (i<arr.length)
   document.write("match found at position: " + i);
else
   document.write("no match");</pre>
```



A FEW MIND-BLOWING ARRAY CONCEPTS!

Cool things we can do with arrays!

- split/join
- forEach
- map
- associative arrays

There's lots more - look up Javascript ES6 if you are curious!





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SPLIT AND JOIN

- Split breaks up a string into an array.
 - s.split(delimeter)
- Join combines an array into a string.
 - arr.join(str)
- Example:



ITERATION USING FOREACH

Several array methods such as for Each, map, and reduce are immutable- they do NOT change the original array. This forms the basis for functional programming.

```
//add all of the items
numbers = [2,4,6,8,10];
sum=0;
for (i=0; i<numbers.length;i++)
   sum+= numbers[i];</pre>
```

```
//add all of the items
numbers = [2,4,6,8,10];
sum=0;
numbers.forEach (function(item) {
    sum+= item;
});
```



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EXAMPLE REVISITED

s = "I am a string";

Display characters of a string with an asterisk (*) between them

```
for (n=0; n<s.length;n++)
  document.write (s.charAt(n) + " * " )
// better!
s.split('').join('*')</pre>
```



ITERATION USING MAP

Map produces a new array from an existing array.

Items in the new array are calculated by applying the given function to the corresponding item from the original array.

//add all of the items

```
//add 3 to each item
numbers = [2,4,6,8,10];
numbers = numbers.map
  (function(item) {
    item + 3;
})
```



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USING ARROW FUNCTIONS WITH FOREACH OR MAP

```
numbers = [2,4,6,8,10];
sum=0;
numbers.forEach ((item)=> {sum+= item;})

//add 3 to each item
numbers = [2,4,6,8,10];
numbers.map (item=> item + 3); //why is { } not needed?
```



SEARCH AN ARRAY USING FOREACH

```
// Display the index of the array element that matches

arr = ["jim", "bill", "sam", "natalie", "sally", "fran"];
match = "sam";

index=-1;
arr.foreach((item, i) =>{if (index==-1 && item == match) index = i;})

document.write( index==-1 ? "no match" : "match found at position: " + index)
```

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SEARCH AN ARRAY USING REDUCE

```
// Display the index of the array element that matches
arr = ["jim", "bill", "sam", "natalie", "sally", "fran"];
match = "sam";

index = arr.reduce((idx, item, i)=> item == match? i : idx, -1)

document.write( index==-1 ? "no match" : "match found at position: " + index)
```



ASSOCIATIVE ARRAYS

- An associative array associates a string value with each array element
- le: the index is a string.
- This creates a set of key-value pairs

```
flowers = [];
flowers["daisy"] = 12
flowers["rose"] = 15
flowers["carnation"] = 8
document.write(flowers["rose"]) //displays 15

// Iterate through the keys
for (flower in flowers) //daisy $12 ~ rose $15 ~ carnation $8 ~ document.write(flower + " $" + flowers[flower] + " ~ ")
```



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OBJECTS IN JAVASCRIPT

• You can also create an associative array using object notation



CLASSES IN JAVASCRIPT

- A class can be used to instance several objects
- Classes can have properties and methods
- Classes can be created using a function which also serves as the constructor
- The keyword "this" refers to the current object

```
function Rectangle(len, wid)
{
     this.length = len;
     this.width = wid;
}
```

- Instance the class using new:
 - r = new Rectangle(3,4);
- Access the data members using dot notation
 - area = r.length * r.width;





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ADDING METHODS

- The real utility of an object is when it has methods
- A method is a function that uses the keyword "this" to refer to members of the object.

```
function area()
{
     return this.length * this.width;
}
```

 Attach the method to the class by assigning it in the object constructor

```
function Rectangle(len, wid)
{
    this.length= len;
    this.width= wid;
    this.area= area;
}
```

Call the method using the dot notation

```
r = new Rectangle(3,4);
rectArea = r.area();
```



METHODS CREATED WITHIN THE CLASS DEFINITION

```
function Rectangle(len, wid)
{
   this.length = len;
   this.width = wid;
   this.area = function()
   {
      return this.length * this.width;
   }
   this.perimeter= ()=>this.length*2+this.width*2;
}
```



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EVENT DRIVEN PROGRAMMING

- · Linear programming is sequential
 - One instruction cannot execute until the last has completed
 - Every instruction in the sequence will execute
- Event Programming happens on triggers
 - If the event doesn't happen, the code will not run
 - Event examples are a key click, page loaded, window resized
 - An Event Handler is executed in response to an event

Common events:

Button click
Text box change
Select box change
Enter or exit a form
element (focus/blur)
Page loaded or unloaded



HOW TO ASSIGN AN EVENT HANDLER: THREE OPTIONS

- 1. Within the HTML code:
 - <input type ="button" value="Press This!" name="btn1" onclick="doSomething()">
- 2. *** Using the Javascript event property

- 3. Add an event listener
 - btn1.addEventListener("click", doSomething);
 - More than one event handler can be associated with an event this way.



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WHEN TO ASSIGN AN EVENT HANDLER

- Event handlers cannot be assigned until an element is fully loaded
 - Prior to that the page elements may not exist
- Best practice
 - window.onload=init;
 - window.onload= function()
 {
 // do event associations here
 }



EXAMPLE: ONLOAD EVENT



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READING/CHANGING PAGE CONTENT

- Change the text
 - innerHTML vs innerText
 - Example: obj.innerHTML = "hello!
"
 - Both access the contents of an element (innerHTML can include HTML)
- Read the class(es)
 - c = obj.className
- Change a class
 - Changing the class/classes of an element is a powerful way to affect the look of the element
 - obj.classList.add('n')
 - obj.classList.remove('n')

- Change or access an attribute
 - obj.getAttribute, obj.setAttribute
 - Change an HTML attribute i.e., change the src of an will change the file of the image that is displayed
- Change CSS property value pairs for an element
 - obj.style.text-align = "center"



REFERENCING AN ITEM ON THE PAGE

- HTML elements on a page can be represented as a JavaScript object so that they can be read and/or modified.
- There are two options for accessing these objects
 - Use the hierarchy as defined by the JavaScript DOM
 - Use methods of the document object



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ACCESSING AN OBJECT USING THE DOM

```
• For example, given:
```

Access text1:

document.form1.text1

Access the contents of text1:

document.form1.text1.value



ACCESSING AN OBJECT PROGRAMMATICALLY

JS Code	What it returns
document.getElementById(n)	an object corresponding to the element with id = n
document.getElementsByName(n)	an array of objects corresponding to the element with name = $\ensuremath{\text{n}}$
document.getElementsByClassName(n)	an array of objects corresponding to the element that has a class = n
document.querySelector(n)	The first object on the page that matches the selector pattern = n
document.querySelectorAll(n)	An array of objects that match the selector pattern = n

Example, access the value for:<input type='text' id='txt1' name='mytext'>

val = document.getElementById('txt1').value;
fields = document.getElementsByName('mytext'); val = fields[0].value;



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PROPERTIES OF FORM ELEMENTS

- Text, password, hidden
 - value
 - readOnly
 - size, maxLength
 - disabled
 - select()
- Radio/ Checkbox
 - checked
 - value

- Select
 - selectedIndex
 - length
 - options
 - text
 - value
 - selected



FORM TECHNIQUES READING FROM A TEXT BOX

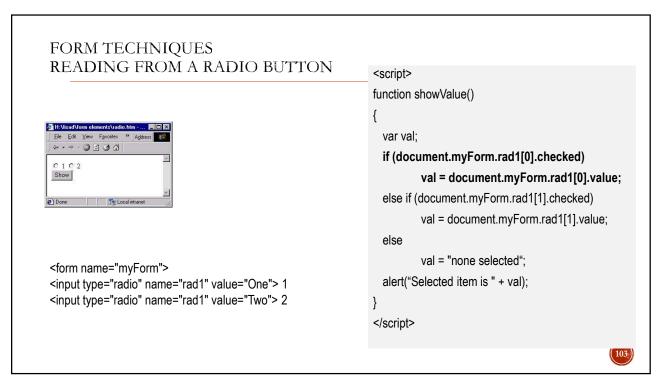
```
Note: This also works for a Password or hidden field

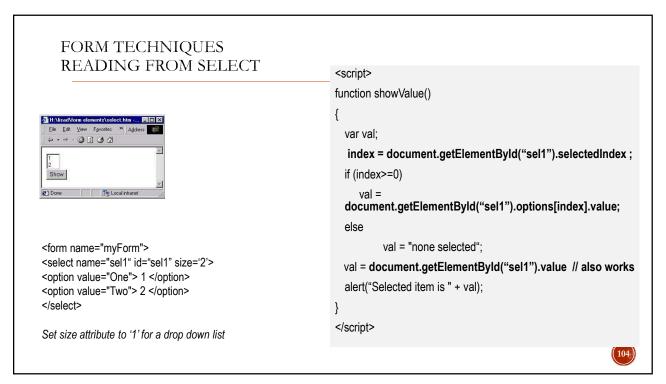
<form name="form1">
<input type="text" name="txt1" id="txt1">
<input type="password" name="pw1" id="pw1">
<input type="hidden" value="hidden value" name="h1" id="h1">
</form>
```

```
<script>
function showValue()
{
  val = document.getElementById("txt1").value;
  val = document.form1.txt1.value;
  alert(val);
}
</script>
```



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VALIDATING FORMS: ERROR MESSAGES

- Despite best efforts for fault-free design, there will still be room for user error
- Users must always be informed when they make an error
- Without good error feedback
 - The errors will persist
 - User will go elsewhere

Characteristics of good error messages

- 1. Clear statement of the problem
- 2. Avoid humorous error messages
- 3. Explain how to recover
- 4. Position the error near the problem
- 5. Make the message obvious (ex-color in red)



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SOME OPTIONS FOR DISPLAYING ERRORS

- Display first error found in a pop-up message
- Note all errors in a pop-up message
- Display errors only after submit
- Display errors after defocus from each field (onchange or onblur)
- Display errors on screen adjacent to field
- Display indicator (i.e., *) next to field and then list all errors below the form.



POSSIBLE VALIDATION ISSUES- TEXT BOX

- Required field not present
- Does it match a pattern (i.e., email or social security)?
- Does it have a minimum or maximum length?
- Is it a number?
- Is it a number within a range?
- Does it match another field (ex: confirming a password or email)



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VALIDATION ISSUES- CHECKBOX & RADIO BUTTON

- Is the checkbox checked?
- Are a certain number of checkboxes checked?
- Is any radio button selected?
- Is any other than the first radio button selected?
- Is the "other" button selected- if so, may need to also inspect a text box



VALIDATION ISSUES- SELECT

- Is any option selected?
- Is any other than the first option selected?
- Is a particular option selected?
- For multiple option- are a minimum or maximum number of options selected?



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FORM VALIDATION - HOW TO

- Add an onsubmit event handler to the <form> tag onsubmit="return validate()"
- The validation function returns "true" to indicate that the form action should occur, false otherwise.
- Do not use a *click* event on the submit button



EXAMPLE: FORM VALIDATION



The event can also be assigned using window.onload



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FORM VALIDATION: CHECK FOR REQUIRED ITEM



COOKIES

- Cookies are data crumbs
- Stored as name/value pairs
- document.cookie = "name=abc";
- d.setTime(d.getTime() + (7*24*60*60*1000)); //one week expireTime = "expires="+ d.toUTCString();
- document.cookie = "name=abc; expires=" + expireTime;
- document.cookie reads the cookie value



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REGULAR EXPRESSIONS

- Regular expressions:
 - /pattern/modifier
 - match ()
 - Example:

str = "The rain in SPAIN stays mainly in the plain";
res = str.match(/ain/g);

- Or use str.search (returns an index)
- Example

```
regex.test(string) email = new RegExp('^[A-Z0-9._%+-]+@[A-Z0-9.-]+\\.[A-Z]{2,4}$'); if (email.test(VAL)) alert('valid email');
```



REGULAR EXPRESSION EXAMPLES BEGINS OR ENDS WITH

^The"	matches any string that starts with "The".
"of despair\$"	matches a string that ends in with "of despair".
"^abc\$"	a string that starts and ends with "abc" - effectively an exact match comparison.
"notice"	a string that has the text "notice" in it.





JQUERY

- Add-on library written in Javascript
- Go to www.jquery.com/ to download or use CDN (https://code.jquery.com/)
- Reference the library as an external Javascript source file
- JQuery
 - Uses \$() notation
 - Object oriented
 - Alternate way to
 - Attach events
 - Update content
 - Special F/X



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EXAMPLE

```
Javascript only

x = document.getElementById("a1").value;
message = "The answer is " + x * 2;
document.getElementById("result").innerHTML = message;

Javascript with jQuery

x =$("#a1").val();
message = "The answer is " + x * 2;
$("#result").html(message);
```

SELECTING PAGE ELEMENTS

(SAME SELECTORS AS CSS)

- id \$('#name')Tag \$('tag') \$('tag:even')
- Class name \$('.className')Tag with class \$('span.error')
- $\begin{array}{lll} \bullet & \text{Child of tag} & \text{$\S(`ul>li')$} & \text{only $ within $$} \\ \bullet & \text{Child of id} & \text{$\S(`\#navbar a')$} & \text{only links within navbar} \\ \bullet & \text{Adjacent tags} & \text{$\S(`h2 + p')$} & \text{only $$ after $< h2>$} \\ \end{array}$
- Attributes \$('p[align]')
 - \$('p[align=center]') match attr value \$('a[href^=http://]') starts with http:// \$('a[href.=.pdf]') ends with .pdf
 - \$('a[href*=sitex]') sitex is anywhere in the href string

also ('tag:odd')



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CHANGING PAGE CONTENT

- .html
 - •\$('#err_name').html ("Must provide your name");
- append .prepend
- .after .before
- .attr
 - \$('#slides img').attr('src', 'slide2.jpg');
- .removeAttr



CHANGING STYLES

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VISIBILITY & ANIMATION

- hide
 - \$(selector).hide(speed,callback)
- .show
 - •\$(selector).show(speed,callback)
- .fadeIn
- fadeOut
- fadeTo
 - \$(selector).fadeTo(speed,opacity,c allback)

- .slideDown
- .slideUp
- slideToggle (down if hidden, up if displayed)



ATTACHING EVENT HANDLERS

- The event is set by using a method.
- Assign event handlers using the selector notation along with the event method
 - \$('#menu1').mouseover(func);
 - \$('#menu1').bind('mouseover', 'func');
 - \$('#menu1').mouseover(function() { });
- Example:

```
$('#menu1').mouseover(function() {
    $('#submenu').show();
});
```

Frequently Used Events

click dblclickmouseenter mouseleave

keypress keyupfocus blurhover togglesubmit load

resize

\$(document).ready(function(){})
replaces window.onload

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EXAMPLE

Problem: Detect when a button is pressed and display a message on the page

The HTML

```
<body>
<div id="button1">Press Me</div>
<div id="message1">&nbsp;</div>
</body>
```



EXAMPLE, CONTINUED

```
* The CSS:

#button1 {
    font-family: Arial, Helvetica, sans-serif; font-size: 36px;
    font-weight: bold; text-align: center; line-height: 220px;
    color: #f7f7f7; width: 210px; height: 220px; margin-bottom: 20px;
    background-color: #2A00FF;
    }

#button1:hover { opacity: .5; }

#message1 {font-size: 20px;}

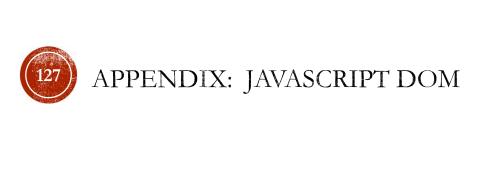
#message1.showme {
    background-color: #ECEA34; padding: 6px 8px; display:inline-block;
}
```

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EXAMPLE, CONTINUED

• The jQuery code:

```
<script language="javascript">
$(document).ready (
    function ()
    {
        $("#button1").click(function(e) {
            $("#message1").html("That tickles!");
            $("#message1").addClass("showme");
        });
    }
</script>
```



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window location status document images forms Textbox (includes hidden, password, textarea) DOM PAGE **ELEMENTS** Radio button/ Checkbox Select element options Button anchors Tables rows cells Style

WINDOW

- document
- location
 - href
 - reload()
- navigator
 - appName
 - appVersion
 - cookieEnabled
- Status
- moveTo()
- open()



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DOCUMENT

- cookie
- title
- write()
- getElementByID()
- getElementsByName()
- getElementsByTagName()



IMAGE

- src
- height, width
- lowsrc
- border

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FORM

- elements
 - name
 - value
 - type
 - focus()
- length
- action
- method
- submit(), reset()

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