Lab Exercise – JavaScript

1. Internal JavaScript

• In HTML, JavaScript code is inserted between <script> and </script> tags.

Example:

2. External JavaScript

- Scripts can also be placed in external files.
- JavaScript files have the file extension .js.
- Put the name of the script file in the src (source) attribute of a <script> tag.
 Example: <script src="myScript.js"></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></script></scr

Example:

External File: myScript.js

```
function myFunction() {
  document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = "Paragraph changed.";
}
```

HTML File:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>

<h2>External JavaScript</h2>
A Paragraph.
<button type="button" onclick="myFunction()">Try it</button>
This example links to "myScript.js".
(myFunction is stored in "myScript.js")
<script src="myScript.js"></script>
</body>
</html>
```

3. Change HTML Content

- One of many JavaScript HTML methods is getElementById().
- The example below "finds" an HTML element (with id="demo") and changes the element content (innerHTML) to "Hello JavaScript".

4. Change HTML Attribute Values

• In this example JavaScript changes the value of the src (source) attribute of an tag.

Example:

5. Change HTML Styles (CSS)

6. Hide HTML Elements

Hiding HTML elements can be done by changing the display style to "none"

Example:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>

<h2>What Can JavaScript Do?</h2>
JavaScript can hide HTML elements.
<button type="button"
onclick="document.getElementById('demo').style.display='none'">Click Me!</button>
</body>
</html>
```

7. Show HTML Elements

• Showing hidden HTML elements can also be done by changing the display style to "block"

Example:

8. JavaScript Output

JavaScript can "display" data in different ways:

- Writing into an HTML element, using innerHTML or innerText.
- Writing into the HTML output using document.write().
- Writing into an alert box, using window.alert().
- Writing into the browser console, using console.log().

a) Using innerHTML

- To access an HTML element, you can use the document.getElementByld(id) method.
- Use the id attribute to identify the HTML element.
- Then use the innerHTML property to change the HTML content of the HTML element:

```
Example: <!DOCTYPE
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```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>
<h1>My Web Page</h1>

<script>
document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = "<h2>Hello World</h2>";
</body>
</html>
```

b) Using document.write()

- For testing purposes, it is convenient to use document.write():
- Using document.write() after an HTML document is loaded, will delete all existing HTML
- The document.write() method should only be used for testing.

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>

<h2>My First Web Page</h2>
My first paragraph.
Never call document.write after the document has finished loading. It will overwrite the whole document.
<script>
document.write(5 + 6);
</body>
</body>
</html>
```

9. JavaScript Variables

- Variables are Containers for Storing Data
- JavaScript Variables can be declared in 4 ways:
 - Automatically
 - Using var
 - Using let
 - o Using const

a) Automatically

In this example, x, y, and z are undeclared variables. They are automatically declared when first used:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
      <body>
         <h1>JavaScript Variables</h1>
         In this example, x, y, and z are undeclared.
         They are automatically declared when first used.
         <script>
         x = 5;
         y = 6;
         z = x + y;
         document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML =
         "The value of z is: " + z;
         </script>
      </body>
</html>
```

b) Using var

```
Example:
```

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
      <body>
         <h1>JavaScript Variables</h1>
         In this example, x, y, and z are variables.
         <script>
         var x = 5;
         var y = 6;
         var z = x + y;
         document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML =
         "The value of z is: " + z;
         </script>
      </body>
</html>
```

c) Using let

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
      <body>
         <h1>JavaScript Variables</h1>
         In this example, x, y, and z are variables.
         <script>
         let x = 5;
         let y = 6;
         let z = x + y;
         document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML =
         "The value of z is: " + z;
         </script>
      </body>
</html>
```

d) Using Const

Example:

e) Mixed Example

- In this example, the two variables price1 and price2 are declared with the const keyword.
- These are constant values and cannot be changed.
- The variable total is declared with the let keyword.
- The value total can be changed.

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>

<h1>JavaScript Variables</h1>
In this example, price1, price2, and total are variables.
id="demo">
<script>
const price1 = 5;
const price2 = 6;
let total = price1 + price2;
document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML =
"The total is: " + total;
</script>

</body>
</html>
```

10. JavaScript Operators

Javascript operators are used to perform different types of mathematical and logical computations.

Examples:

- The Assignment Operator = assigns values
- The Addition Operator + adds values
- The Multiplication Operator * multiplies values
- The Comparison Operator > compares values

a) Assignment Operator

The **Assignment Operator** (=) assigns a value to a variable:

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Example:
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```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
       <body>
          <h1>JavaScript Operators</h1>
          <h2>The Assignment (=) Operator</h2>
          <script>
          // Assign the value 5 to x
          let x = 5;
          // Assign the value 2 to y
          let y = 2;
          // Assign the value x + y to z
          let z = x + y;
          // Display z
          document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = "The sum of x + y is: " +
          Z;
          </script>
       </body>
</html
```

11. JavaScript Comments

a) Single line comment

- Single line comments start with //.
- Any text between // and the end of the line will be ignored by JavaScript (will not be executed).

Example:

b) Multiple lines comment

- Multi-line comments start with /* and end with */.
- Any text between /* and */ will be ignored by JavaScript.

Example:

</html>

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>

<h1 id="myH"></h1>

<script>
/*

The code below will change
the heading with id = "myH"
and the paragraph with id = "myP"

*/

document.getElementById("myH").innerHTML = "JavaScript Comments";
document.getElementById("myP").innerHTML = "My first paragraph.";
</script>

</body>
```

12. JavaScript Functions

A JavaScript function is

- a block of code designed to perform a particular task.
- executed when "something" invokes it (calls it).
- defined with the function keyword, followed by a name, followed by parentheses ().
 - Function names can contain letters, digits, underscores, and dollar signs (same rules as variables).
 - The parentheses may include parameter names separated by commas: (parameter1, parameter2, ...)
 - The code to be executed, by the function, is placed inside curly brackets: {}

13. Conditional Statements

a) The if Statement

b) The else Statement

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
      <body>
         <h2>JavaScript if .. else</h2>
         A time-based greeting:
         <script>
         const hour = new Date().getHours();
         let greeting;
         if (hour < 18) {
             greeting = "Good day";
         } else {
             greeting = "Good evening";
         document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = greeting;
         </script>
      </body>
</html>
```

c) Switch Statement

</html>

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Example:
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
      <body>
         <h2>JavaScript switch</h2>
         <script>
         let day;
         switch (new Date().getDay()) {
             case 0:
                    day = "Sunday";
                    break;
             case 1:
                    day = "Monday";
                    break;
             case 2:
                    day = "Tuesday";
                    break;
             case 3:
                    day = "Wednesday";
                    break;
              case 4:
                    day = "Thursday";
                    break;
             case 5:
                    day = "Friday";
                    break;
             case 6:
                    day = "Saturday";
         document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = "Today is " + day;
         </script>
      </body>
```

14. JavaScript Loops

a) For Loop

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Example:
   <!DOCTYPE html>
   <html>
          <body>
             <h2>JavaScript For Loop</h2>
             <script>
             let text = "";
             for (let i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
                text += "The number is " + i + "<br>";
             document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = text;
             </script>
          </body>
   </html>
b) While Loop
   Example:
   <!DOCTYPE html>
   <html>
          <body>
             <h2>JavaScript While Loop</h2>
             <script>
             let text = "";
             let i = 0;
             while (i < 10) {
                 text += "<br/>br>The number is " + i;
                 j++;
             document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = text;
             </script>
          </body>
   </html>
```