jQuery Mobile

Lesson o6: Using the Content Formatting Tools



Lesson Objectives

In this lesson, you will learn:

- Using layout grids
- Using collapsible content blocks
- Using collapsible sets
- Using themes





Using Columns and grids

- Grid Layout:
 - Are useful for displaying any content that must be presented side-by-side
 - Have no margins, no padding, no borders, and no background
 - Are 100 percent wide and can have multiple rows and columns
- jQuery Mobile allows to build CSS-based columns through a block style class convention called ui-grid.
- Four preset configurations layouts can be used:
 - two-column (using the ui-grid-a class)
 - three-column (using the ui-grid-b class)
 - four-column (using the ui-grid-c class)
 - five-column (using the ui-grid-d class)
- Within the grid container, child elements are assigned ui-block-a/b/c/d/e
 - This makes each "block" element float side-by-side, forming the grid.



Using Columns and grids: Examples

To create a Two-column layout:

```
This is block A This is block B
```

```
<div class="ui-grid-a">
        <div class="ui-block-a">This is block A</div>
        <div class="ui-block-b">This is block B</div>
</div>
```

Creating a simple grid with one row and two columns, each containing a button





Using Columns and grids: Examples

To create a Three-column layout, multiple rows:

```
<div class="ui-grid-b">
   <!-- First Row with 3 Columns -->
        <div class="ui-block-a">This is block A</div>
        <div class="ui-block-b">This is block B</div>
        <div class="ui-block-c">This is block C</div>

<!-- Second Row with 3 Columns -->
        <div class="ui-block-a">This is block A</div>
        <div class="ui-block-a">This is block B</div>
        <div class="ui-block-b">This is block B</div>
        <div class="ui-block-c">This is block C</div>
        </div>
</div>
```

This is block A	This is block B	This is block C
This is block A	This is block B	This is block C



Collapsible blocks

To create a collapsible block of content, create a contain role="collapsible" attribute.

```
Collapsible block
```

```
<div data-role="collapsible">
                                                                 Collapsible block
     <h1>Collapsible block</h1>
     Content A in the collapsible block.
                                                               Content A in the collapsible
                                                               block.
     Content B in the collapsible block.
                                                               Content B in the collapsible
</div>
                                                               block.
```

Adding the data-collapsed="true" attribute to the container determines if collapsible block can be expanded or not.

```
<div data-role="collapsible" data-collapsed="true">
```



Nested Collapsible blocks

Collapsible blocks can also be nested

```
Nested Collapsible blocks:
<div data-role="collapsible">
    <h1>Collapsible block</h1>
     Content in the collapsible block.
     <div data-role="collapsible">
        <h1>Nested Collapsible block</h1>
         Content in the Nested collapsible block.
      </div>
                                          Nested Collapsible blocks:
 </div>
                                              Collapsible block
                                           Content in the collapsible block.
                                              Nested Collapsible bl...
                                            Content in the Nested
                                            collapsible block.
```



Collapsible sets (Accordions)

- Collapsible sets start with the same markup as collapsible blocks.
 - Add a parent wrapper with a data-role="collapsible-set" attribute around a number of collapsibles
 - The framework styles these to look like a visually grouped widget like an accordion so only one section can be open at a time.
 - By default, all the sections will be collapsed

```
<div data-role="collapsible-set">
  <div data-role="collapsible" >
    <h3>Section 1</h3>
    Collapsible set content for section 1.
  </div>
  <div data-role="collapsible">
    <h3>Section 2</h3>
    Collapsible set content for section 2.
  </div>
</div>
```



Collapsible set content for section 2.



Theming system

- Theme control is built directly into jQuery Mobile.
- Swatches are controlled with the data-theme attribute.

Sample Page

I'm a sample page!





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List basics

A listview is coded as a simple unordered list containing linked list items with a data-role="listview" attribute.

```
    <a href="acura.html">Acura</a>
    <a href="audi.html">Audi</a>
    <a href="bmw.html">BMW</a>
```



```
      <a href="index.html">The Godfather</a>
      <a href="index.html">Casablanca</a>
      <a href="index.html">Schindler's List </a>
```

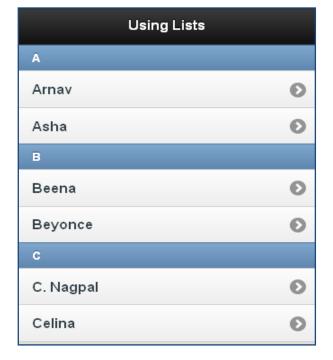




List View Dividers

To divide lists by section headers, apply the data-role="list-divider" to any list item you identify as a divider

```
data-role="list-divider">A
<a href="#">Arnav</a>
<a href="#">Asha</a>
data-role="list-divider">B
<a href="#">Beena</a>
<a href="#">Beyonce</a>
```

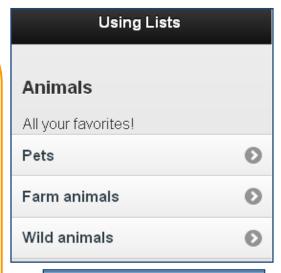




Nested Lists

List view widget supports nesting of lists. Nested lists can be created by nesting child ul or ol inside list items.

```
<h3>Animals</h3>
All your favorites !
Pets
   <l
     <a href="index.html">Canary</a>
     <a href="index.html">Cat</a>
     <a href="index.html">Dog</a>
   Farm animals
     <l
```







Split Button Lists

- Split button lists allow users to perform more than one action on the same list item.
 - A split button is used to offer two independently clickable items; the main content of the list, and an icon to the right of the list displaying an icon that triggers some functionality.
 - To create a split list item, simply add a second link to the list item; jQuery Mobile adds a vertical line to separate the two buttons.

```
data-role="listview">
<
  <a href="#">Gearboxes</a>
  <a href="purchase.html">Buy </a>
<
  <a href="#">Mechanical seals</a>
  <a href="purchase.html">Buy </a>
```

Split Button Lists		
Gearboxes	(
Mechanical seals	()	
Oil rings	②	



Thumbnails & icons

To add thumbnails to the left of a list item, simply add an image inside a list item as the first child element.

```
Using Icons
   <a href="#"><img src='us.png' class='ui-li-icon'/></a>
       United States </a>
                                                     ListView with Icons
   <a href="#"><img src='gb.png' class='ui-li-icon'/>
                                                    United States
                                                                       O
       Great Britain </a>
   <a href="#"><img src='de.png' class='ui-li-icon'/>
                                                      Great Britain
      Germany </a>
                                                      Germany
   <a href="#"><img src='gf.png' class='ui-li-icon'/>
       France</a>
                                                    France
```



Summary

In this lesson, you learnt:

- Overview of list views
- Basic list views
- Advanced list views

