





- Document Object Model
- Handling Events
- Built-in classes and objects



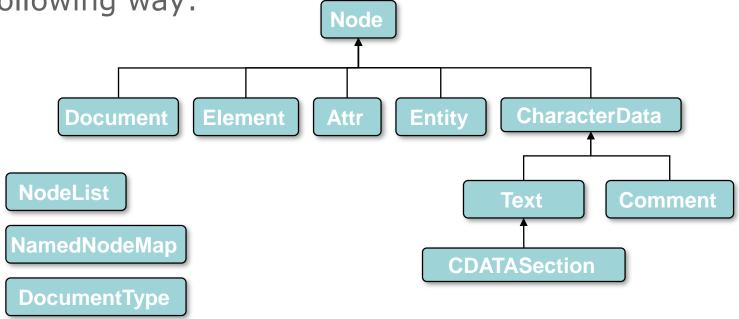


DOM

 DOM is a standard (by W3C) for accessing documents such as HTML and XML.

It defines the different objects in the document in

the following way:







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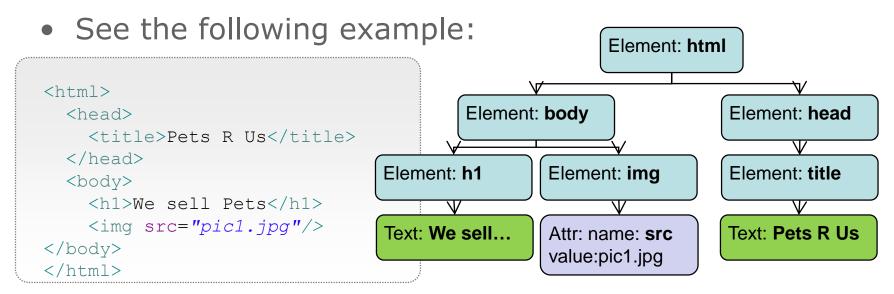
DOM

- The entire document is a document node.
- HTML tags are element nodes.
- The text in the element is a text node.
- Every attribute is an attribute node.
 Comments are comment nodes.
 Document Element Attr Entity CharacterData
 NodeList Text Comment
 NamedNodeMap CDATASection
 DocumentType



Example

The DOM is a tree representation of our HTML document.







DOM Node's Properties

- Every node in the DOM tree supports the following attributes:
- e.parentNode the parent node of e.
- e.childNodes the child nodes of e.
- e.attributes the attributes nodes of e.
- e.innerHTML the inner text value of e.



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DOM Node's Properties

- More attributes:
- e.nodeName read-only, the name of e.
- For element the tag name.
- For attribute the attribute name.
- For text #text.
- e.nodeValue the value of e.
- For element undefined.
- For attribute the attribute value.
- For text the text itself.
- e.nodeType
- The most useful types:
 1 element, 2 attribute, 3 text.





DOM Node's Methods

- Every node in the DOM tree supports the following methods:
- e.getElementById(id) get the element with a specified id under e.
- e.getElementsByTagName(name) get all elements of a specified tag under e.
- e.appendChild(node) adds a child node.
- e.removeChild(node) removes a child node.





Moving in the Tree

- Accessing elements by the tree structure:
 - Note that the "\n"s are represented in the tree.

```
<ht.ml>
<head>
<title>Pets R Us</title>
<script type="text/javascript">
function initSelf() {
   alert(document.documentElement.childNodes[1].childNodes[1]
        .firstChild.nodeValue);
   alert(document.documentElement.childNodes[1].childNodes[3]
        .attributes[0].nodeValue);
                                                                  ж
                                 [JavaScript Application]
</script>
</head>
                                       We sell Pets
<body onload="initSelf()">
                                               [JavaScript Application]
   <h1>We sell Pets</h1>
                                                    pic1.jpg
   <imq src="pic1.jpg"/>
</body>
</html>
                                                                OK:
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```

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HTML DOM

- The HTML DOM defines a standard set of objects for HTML, and a way to access and manipulate HTML elements.
- Here is a partial list of the objects:
 - Document used to access all elements in a page
 - Anchor Represents an <a> element
 - Image Represents an element
 - Table Represents a element
 - TableData Represents a element
 - TableRow Represents a
 element





HTML DOM

- More objects:
 - Form Represents a <form> element
 - Input text Represents a textbox
 - Input button Represents a button
 - Textarea Represents a <textarea> element
 - Frame Represents a <frame> element





innerHTML

- Using the innerHTML attribute you may alter the content of an element.
 - This means that you create new elements on the fly.





The Document

 Represents the entire document, here are some useful methods and attributes:

```
var txt = document.getElementById("myTxt");
txt.innerHTML = "<b>Halo</b>"

var divs = document.getElementsByTagName("div");
var images = document.images;
var forms = document.forms;
alert(divs.length);
```





Switching the Element's Class

One useful technique to create a responsive GUI is

<style>
.nav {

border: 1px gray solid;

width: 100px;

to handle the mouse events:





Hiding/Showing Elements

 A common situation is when you need to hide and show a section of your document

```
function showStuff(id) {
   document.getElementById(id).style.display = 'block';
}

function hideStuff(id) {
   document.getElementById(id).style.display = 'none';
}
```





The Text Object

Represents a textbox:

```
var txt = document.getElementById("txt");
txt.value = "Muki";
txt.maxLength = 10;
txt.readOnly = true;
txt.focus();
txt.select();

<input id="txt" />
```





The Image Object

Represents an Image:

```
setInterval("switchImage()", 2000);
var IMG1 = "pic1.jpg";
var IMG2 = "pic2.jpg";
var qSelectedImg = IMG1;
function switchImage() {
   if (gSelectedImg == IMG1) gSelectedImg = IMG2;
   else gSelectedImg = IMG1;
   document.getElementById("myImg").src = gSelectedImg;
<imq id="myImg" src="pic1.jpg" />
```





The Select Object

Represents a combo box.

```
function echoCountry() {
   countries = document.getElementById("country");
   alert(countries.selectedIndex);
<select id="country" onchange="echoCountry()">
   <option>Guatemala
   <option>Mexico</option>
                               Mexico
   <option>Beliz</option>
</select>
                                     [JavaScript Application]
                                                     OK.
```





Everything is in the DOM

- We saw several examples for objects representing elements in the page.
- Remember that everything is in the DOM, so its very easy to access and manipulate any section of your page.





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Events

- Javascript is usually used to react to events.
- Here are some examples:
 - The Page finished loading.
 - Mouse click.
 - The user selected something (e.g. option in a list box).
 - Keystroke in a textbox.
 - Mouse hovering over an element.
- Have a look at the following HTML code:





Events

- The following JS functions handle the events.
 - It is safe to refer to elements only after the document has loaded, so we used the *onload* event to focus on an element.
 - We see here the document object, we will examine it more closely later:

```
function initSelf() {
   var txtUserName = document.getElementById("userName");
   txtUserName.focus();
{

function echoInput() {
   var txtUserName = document.getElementById("userName");
   var divEchoArea = document.getElementById("echoArea");

   divEchoArea.innerHTML = txtUserName.value;
}
```



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More Events

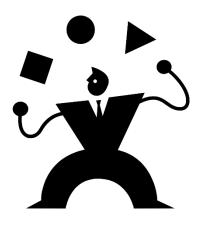
| Event | Occurs | Usage |
|-------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| onunload | The user left the page | Unload resources |
| | (e.g., via a link) | |
| onFocus | The field got focus | |
| onBlur | The field lost focus | |
| onChange | The field was change | Form element validation |
| onSubmit | The submit button was clicked | Entire form validation |
| onMouseOver | The mouse entered the | Give the user an |
| | area of the element | indication that he's on a |
| | | hot spot |
| onMouseOut | The mouse has left the | Change the mouse |
| | area of the element | cursor to regular arrow |





Events

- There are many different events you can code.
- We will see more events examples in the following slides.







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Built-in Classes and Objects

- Javascript supplies some built-in classes for your use:
 - String, Date, Array, Math, etc.
- Javascript comes with several pre-initialized objects to interact with the environment:
 - window, document, location, etc.
- Lets examine some of them closely.





The Date Object

- Javascript supplies a strong Date object, inspired by the Java Date Object.
- Lets see some of its power.







The Date Object

The following code shows a clock:

```
function initSelf() {
  var today = new Date();
  var h= today.getHours();
  var m= today.getMinutes();
  var s= today.getSeconds();
  // add leading zeros
  m = formatTime(m);
  s = formatTime(s);
   document.getElementById('showTime').innerHTML = h+":"+m+":"+s;
  window.setTimeout('initSelf()',400);
function formatTime(n) {
   if (n<10) n = "0" + n;
  return n;
                                                                 14:18:25
```





Manipulating Dates

- The following code checks whether my birthday already occurred in the current year.
 - Note that the month starts from 0, so 8 is September.

```
var now = new Date();
var myBirthday = new Date();

myBirthday.setFullYear(now.getFullYear(), 8, 24);
inOneWeek.setDate(now.getDate()+5);

if (now > myBirthday) {
   alert('After Birthday');
} else if (inOneWeek > myBirthday ) {
   alert('Get Ready, birthday in 5 days');
} else {
   alert('Before Birthday');
}
```





Math

- Use the Math static methods to do mathematical calculations:
 - max receives an array of numbers.
 - random returns a real number between 0-1.

```
document.write("PI: " + Math.PI + "<br/>document.write("Random: " + Math.random() + "<br/>document.write(Math.pow(2, 10) + "<br/>document.write(Math.max(7, 9, 2) + "<br/>document.write(Math.round(7.51) + "<br/>);
```





The Window

- Represents the browser window, used for:
 - Getting access to the URL (Location), the previous browsed pages (History), etc.
 - Setting timeouts and intervals.
 - Opening popup windows.
 - window is the default object, it can be used without specifying its name.

```
var popup = window.open('','','width=100,height=80')
popup.document.write("a Popup")
popup.focus()
```





Using the Navigator

Get information about the user's browser and OS:

```
var n = navigator;
document.write("");
document.write("UA" + n.userAgent + "");
document.write("Platform" + n.platform + "");
document.write("CodeName" + n.appCodeName + "");
document.write("Name" + n.appName + "");
document.write("Version" + n.appVersion + "");
document.write("Version" + n.appVersion + "");
document.write("Cookies?" + n.cookieEnabled+ "");
document.write("");
```

UA Mozilla/5.0 (Windows; U; Windows NT 6.0; en-US; rv:1.9.0.8) Gecko/2009032609 Firefox/3.0.8 (.NET CLR 3.5.30729)

Platform Win32 CodeName Mozilla Name Netscape

Version 5.0 (Windows; en-US)

CookieEnabled true

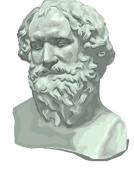




History

 Using the history object it is possible to simulate a click on the next/previous buttons.

```
<input type="button" value="Go Back" onclick="window.history.go(-1)" />
```







Location

• The Location object holds information about the current URL:

```
alert(location.hostname);
```





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Summary

- Javascript is the leading scripting language for the web.
- Use Javascript to:
 - Code HTML events,
 - Create a dynamic and responsive GUI,
 - Dynamically manipulate your HTML elements.
- HTML documents are available as DOM, defining a standard way to access and modify elements.

