**Manipulating Elements: Part 4**

**Manipulating Attributes**

jQuery's attribute manipulation capabilities are extensive. Basic changes are simple, but the $.fn.attr method also allows for more complex manipulations.

**Example 3.33. Manipulating a single attribute**

$('#myDiv a:first').attr('href', 'newDestination.html');

**Example 3.34. Manipulating multiple attributes**

$('#myDiv a:first').attr({

href : 'newDestination.html',

rel : 'super-special'

});

**Example 3.35. Using a function to determine an attribute's new value**

$('#myDiv a:first').attr({

rel : 'super-special',

href : function() {

return '/new/' + $(this).attr('href');

}

});

$('#myDiv a:first').attr('href', function() {

return '/new/' + $(this).attr('href');

});