

Advanced Browser Manipulation



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Overview



Control browser size and position

Switch between tabs

Handle simple alert popups

Handle confirmation popups

Manipulate cookies

Save screenshots

Execute arbitrary JavaScript on the page

Advanced interactions with actions

Other advanced techniques



Building Advanced Interactions with Actions

```
using OpenQA.Selenium.Interactions;

using (IWebDriver driver = new ChromeDriver())
{
    driver.Navigate().GoToUrl(HomeUrl);

    IWebElement applyLink = driver.FindElement(By.Id("Apply"));

    Actions actions = new Actions(driver);

    actions.MoveToElement(applyLink);

    actions.Click();

    actions.Perform();

    // etc.
}
```



Building Advanced Interactions with Actions

`Click()`

`ClickAndHold()`

`ContextClick()`

`DoubleClick()`

`KeyDown()`

`KeyUp()`

`MoveByOffset()`

`SendKeys()`

`Etc.`



Building Advanced Interactions with Actions

https://selenium.dev/selenium/docs/api/dotnet/html/T_OpenQA_Selenium_Interactions_Actions.htm

<http://bit.ly/psseleniumactions>



Other Advanced Techniques

```
driver.Manage().Timeouts().PageLoad = TimeSpan.FromSeconds(10);
```

```
// ChromeDriver default: 5 minutes
```

```
// WebDriverTimeoutException
```

```
driver.Manage().Timeouts().AsynchronousJavaScript =  
TimeSpan.FromSeconds(10);
```

```
// ChromeDriver default: 30 seconds
```

```
// Only affects ExecuteAsyncScript(...)
```

```
string htmlSource = driver.PageSource;
```



Other Advanced Techniques

```
ChromeOptions options = new ChromeOptions();
```

```
options.AcceptInsecureCertificates = true;
```

```
options.BinaryLocation = @"C:\my custom chrome exe location";
```

```
options.AddExtension("path to .crx file");
```

```
Proxy proxy = new Proxy();
```

```
proxy.Kind = ProxyKind.Manual;
```

```
options.Proxy = proxy;
```



Other Advanced Techniques

```
// Chrome command line options
options.AddArgument("--incognito");
options.AddArgument("--disable-gpu");
options.AddArgument("--start-maximized");
// https://chromedriver.chromium.org/capabilities

IWebDriver driver = new ChromeDriver(options);
```



Summary



```
driver.Manage().Window.Maximize();  
driver.SwitchTo().Window(contactTab);  
driver.SwitchTo().Alert();  
alertBox.Dismiss();  
driver.Manage().Cookies.AddCookie(...);  
screenShotDriver.GetScreenshot();  
IJavaScriptExecutor  
new Actions(driver);  
new ChromeOptions();
```



Next:

Creating Easy to Maintain
Selenium Test Code

