

Python Server: `python -m SimpleHTTPServer`, then open <http://localhost:8000/>

JavaScript

- Interactive window: `confirm("<string>")`
- Input window: `prompt("<string>")`
- Comment: `//` and Commenting multiple lines: `/* multiple lines */`
- Length: `"<string>".length`
- Print out: `console.log()`
- If: `if(<condition>) {Code to run when if condition is true} else if () { Code to run when else if condition is true } else {Code to run when else condition is true}`
- Substring: `"<string>".substring(start, end)`
- Saving values by defining a variable: `var varName = data`
- Function: `var functionName = function (<input>) {code to do something; return result};`
- The variables defined outside a function are accessible once they have been declared – global variables (scope is global)
- Random number between 0 and 1: `Math.random()`
- For loop: `for (var i = 1; i < n; i = i + 1) {code to iterate}`
- Increment by 1: `i++` and increment by n: `i += n`
- Decrement by n: `i -= n`
- Arrays: `var arrayName = [data, data, data, ..., data]`
- Method to append element to an array: `arrayName.push(<value>)`
- Rounding: `Math.floor()`
- While loops: `while(condition) {code to iterate}`
- Is NAN: `isNaN(<string or value>)`
- JavaScript with try to match the expression between the `switch()` parentheses to each `case`. It will run the code below each case if it finds a match, and execute `default` code if no match is found.

```
switch (/*Some expression*/) {  
  case 'option1':  
    // Do something  
    break;  
  case 'option2':  
    // Do something else  
    break;  
  case 'option3':  
    // Do a third thing  
    break;  
  default:  
    // Do yet another thing  
}
```

- Logical operators: AND - `&&` OR - `||` NOT - `!`
- Convert to upper case letters: `.toUpperCase()`
- Convert to lower case letters: `.toLowerCase()`
- `for (var x in y) {}`
- Object using *literal notation*: `var objectName= {propertyName: value, }`
- Accessing property of an Object using 'dot notation': `objectName.propertyName`
- Accessing property of an Object using 'bracket notation': `objectName["propertyName"]`
- Object using *constructor notation*: `var objectName = new Object()` then assign properties like `objectName.propertyName = value`

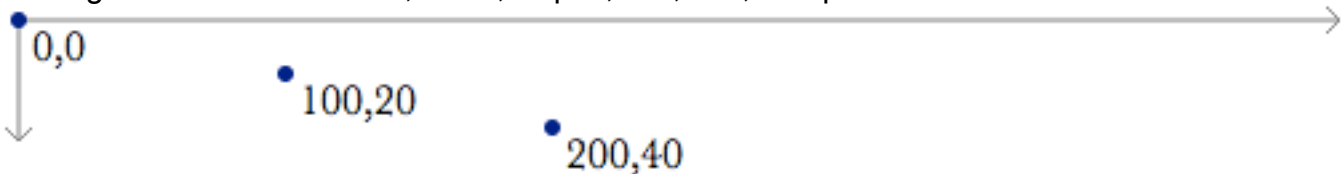
- Variables associated with an object – properties and function associated with an object – method: **objectName.methodName = function (<input>) {code to do something; return result};**
- Methods can be used to make calculations based on object properties.
- Calling method: **objectName.methodName(<input>)**
- Constructor: **function functionName (x) {this.x = x;} and var temp = new functionName(<value>)**
- **typeof** varName
- objName.hasOwnProperty()
- **objectName.prototype.methodName(<input>)**

Some Commands for JavaScript Console

- Clear console: **clear()** or **command + k**
- Return DOM document contain within it is HTML of the page: **document**
- Browser window: **window**
- Selecting elements of webpage by their class, id, or tag, while working with D3, type: **document.getFUNCTION(“ ”)**
- Query Selector allows to CSS selector syntax to grab DOM elements: **document.querySelector (. Or #)**
- Selecting element with D3: **d3.select(id or class or tag)** and remember: # is ID and . is CLASS
- Manipulating CSS style of selection using D3 transformation function: **d3.select(id or class or tag).style(‘option’, value)**
- Selecting all elements with D3: **d3.selectAll()**
- Make variable and then type variableName. for auto completion
- Get method documentation – type method without (): d3.select
- If there are two classes **a** and **b**, then selection is like: d3.select(‘tag.a.b’)
- Selection with ID **a**: d3.select(‘tag#a’)
- Changing any attribute defining HTML tag using attribute method: **.attr()**
- Removing an element: **d3.select().remove()**
- **selection.html()**
- Converting data values to pixel values: **d3.scale()**
- Data Values: .domain(min, max); Pixel Values that we want to map Data Values to: .range(min, max) i.e. Converting Data Values to Pixel Values using a function (linear, log, etc.). Function that maps domain into the range. Webpage Coordinate: Top left 0: Value increases from left to right and top to down. var x = d3.scale.log().domain([min, max]).range([pxMin, pxMax]) is a function
- Appending circle to an element: element.append(‘circle’).attr()
- Circle: cx, cy, fill, r,
- Debugging: **debugger;**
- To inspect a table on Chrome console: **console.table(data)**
- To take a slice of an array: data.slice(start, end)
- Return the min and max value in the given array: **d3.extent(array, accessor)**
- Dealing with time: **d3.time**
- Formatting time: **d3.time.format** then **parse**
- Converting string to a number using **Unary Plus** or **+**: **+ “7” = 7** (for negative integer use **-**)
- Longitude: x; Latitude: y
- Converting Lat/Long data to pixel values: **d3.mercator**
- Grouping data: **d3.nest()** -> **.key** and **.rollup**

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- **d3.select("element")** – Selects “element: from DOM using CSS selector syntax
- **d3.select("element").append("newElement")** – Creates “newElement” and appends to the end of our selection i.e. before `</element>` tag
- **.text("someString")** or **.text(someFunction())** for setting text content
- D3 employs *chain syntax*
- API Reference on functions/methods: <https://github.com/mbostock/d3/wiki/API-Reference>
- Data binding – attaching or associating input data to specific elements in the DOM. Two things are needed: (1) Data; (2) Selection of DOM elements
- **.data(data)** – Counts and parses data values
- **.enter()** – This method looks at the DOM, and then at the data handed to it. If there are more data values than corresponding DOM element, **enter()** creates new placeholder element. Then **.append("element")** takes placeholder element and inserts “element” into the DOM
- After you call **data()** and use *chaining methods* you can create an anonymous function that accepts **d** as input. e.g. `function(d){return d;};`
- Writing your own function: **function(input_value) { // Calculate something
return output_value; }**
- **.style("property", "value")** or **.style("property", someFunction())** – For setting CSS properties on selection
- **.attr()** – For setting HTML attributes
- **.classed("className", true)** – Remove or apply classes from elements
- **for (var i = 1; i < n; i = i + 1) {code to iterate} -** For loop syntax
- **arrayName.push(<value>)** - Method to append new value to the end of an array
- svg visual elements: rect, circle, ellipse, line, text, and path



- Styling svg elements: **fill** – Color value for inside; **stroke** – Color value for border; **stroke-width** – Numeric value for border width; **opacity** – Numeric value (0.0 transparent to 1.0 opaque); text: **font-family; font-size**
- **svg.attr("width", num value).attr("height", num value)** – Setting up svg
- **function(d, i){calculate something with position i};**
- Object using *literal notation*: **var objectName= {propertyName: value, }**
- Accessing property of an Object using ‘dot notation’: **objectName.propertyName**
- Accessing property of an Object using ‘bracket notation’: **objectName["propertyName"]**
- Object + Arrays: **var objArray = [{property: value}, {property: value}, {property: value}]** and accessing value: **objArray[index].property**
- JSON: **var jsonData = {"property-1": "value-1", "property-2": "value-2"}** and GeoJSON – Long/Lat
- When **d** is an array of values (not just single value, like 3.14), use bracket notation to access its values: **d[0]**
- **Scales are functions** that map from an input domain to an output range. Call the scale function, pass it a data value, it returns a scaled output value. Remember in JavaScript **variables** can store **functions**

- A scale's input **domain** is the range of possible input data values (min and max values). A scales output **range** is the range of possible values in pixel units.
- Creating scale: **var scale = d3.scale.typeOfScale().domain([min, max]).range([pxMin, pxMax])**
- Maximum value in data: **d3.max(data, function(d){return d})**
- Remember need to scale "x" and "y" values in attributes of visual elements and texts
- Scales: **linear, sqrt, pow, log, quantize, quantile, ordinal**
- **d3.scale.linear()** has some methods: **nice(), rangeRound(), clamp()**
- Scale can be used on "fill" also for gradient colors
- **Axes are functions** that generate visual elements of the axis (*lines, labels, ticks*): **d3.svg.axis()**
- **Axis need information about scale to operate**
- **AXIS Need TO do**
- **d3.csv("data.csv", Callback Function function({}))** – Loading a csv
- In case of an error: Use **console.log(d)** before **return d**

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- **D3.js** – JavaScript library for manipulating documents based on data.
- API Reference for d3: <https://github.com/mhstock/d3/wiki/API-Reference>
- Inside Head element: `<script src = 'http://d3js.org/d3.v3.min.js'></script>`
- **d3** – Refers to an object
- **console.log(object)** – To inspect the object in console
- **SVG** – Scalable vector graphics
- **.style("property", "value")** – Method to change stylistic properties of elements
- **.attr("attribute", "value")** – Method to change attributes of elements (SVG)
- To create SVG, start by creating a **container** or **canvas** for visualization. Done by appending **svg** element to page body. Specify **width** and **height** attributes. Then shapes can be appended to canvas.
- In SVG to color an element use **"fill"** attribute
- **Circle position attributes:** "cx", "cy", "r"
- **Rectangle position attributes:** "width", "height"
- **Line position attributes:** "x1", "y1", "x2", "y2". Other attributes: "stroke" and "stroke-width"
- **.data(dataVariable)** – This method binds data to DOM elements
- **.enter()** – Contains placeholder for data elements for which there are no corresponding DOM elements
- **.scale()** – Takes input data (domain) and transforms it into a range that will fit on canvas. Scales: **linear, sqrt, pow, log, quantize, quantile, ordinal**.
- **.domain([min dataValue, max dataValue])**
- **.range([0, canvas dimension])**. For color **.range([color-1, color-2])** is used
- **Group** – Grouping SVG elements together to transform them as whole. **.append("g")** to canvas. Then use **transform** attribute to move group up or down or left or right with value **translate(x pixels, y pixels)**
- **Axes are functions** that generate visual elements of the axis (*lines, labels, ticks*): **d3.svg.axis()**. **Axis need information about scale to operate**
- **.call(axis)** – Calling a variable

- **Enter, Update, Exit** – (1) DOM Elements < Data Elements – Resulting selection: **enter** (2) DOM Elements > Data Elements – Resulting selection: **exit** (3) DOM Elements = Data Elements – Resulting selection: **update**
- Transitions – Animations. **.transition()**
- **.duration(milliseconds)** – Transition time
- **.delay(milliseconds)** – Transition only after delay of specified milliseconds
- **.each('end', function(){ })** – Event listener
- Loading external data: JSON – **d3.json('dataFileName', function(data){code...})**. CSV – **d3.csv('dataFileName', function(data){code...})**.
- Paths – Component of SVG. Paths can be used to create any shape
- Arc – Part of circle.