

Enhancing JavaScript Skills using JSFiddle

Estimated Time: 60 minutes

Introduction:

This lab is designed to provide you with practical exercises to enhance your JavaScript programming skills using JS Fiddle. The focus is on solving real-world logical problems, encouraging you to think and write efficient code and execute them in JS Fiddle to see the Output. By the end of this lab, you will have improved your ability to implement solutions for varied scenarios and gained confidence in your coding abilities.

Objective:

- Develop problem-solving skills using JavaScript
 - Practice writing and debugging logical programs
 - Understand how to implement real-world solutions using loops, functions, and conditional logic
 - Strengthen coding practices on platforms like JSFiddle
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Exercise 1: Calculate total sales amount

Problem:

You are working for an online store. Your task is to write a JavaScript code snippet that calculates the total sales amount for a given set of sales transactions.

Input details:

- An array of objects representing sales transactions. Each object has the following properties:
 - `item`: Name of the product (string)
 - `quantity`: Number of units sold (integer)
 - `price`: Price per unit (float)

Output details:

- A single number representing the total sales amount

Steps to implement:

1. Define an array of sales transactions with at least 3 sample objects
2. Write a function `calculateTotalSales` that takes this array as input
3. Use a loop to iterate through the array and calculate the total sales amount
4. Print the total sales amount to the console

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- [Click here to see the solution code](#)

Write the program on JSFiddle:

- Go to [JSFiddle](#)
- Write the code in the JavaScript section
- Execute the program by clicking the Run button and check the results in the console section

The output of the code should appear as shown in the screenshot below.

The screenshot shows a JSFiddle editor with three panels: HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. The JavaScript panel is active, showing the following code:

```
1  const sales = [
2    { item: "Laptop", quantity: 2, price: 800 },
3    { item: "Monitor", quantity: 1, price: 150 },
4    { item: "Mouse", quantity: 4, price: 25 }
5  ];
6
7  function calculateTotalSales(sales) {
8    let total = 0;
9    for (let i = 0; i < sales.length; i++) {
10     total += sales[i].quantity * sales[i].price;
11   }
12   return total;
13 }
14
15 console.log("Total Sales Amount:", calculateTotalSales(sales));
```

The console output shows:

```
>_ Console 1 0 0 0
JSFiddle Console (beta). Turn on/off
"Running fiddle"
"Total Sales Amount:", 1850
>_
```

Exercise 2: Generate an order receipt

Problem:

Write a JavaScript program that generates a receipt for a customer's order. The receipt should include each item's name, quantity, price, and total cost.

Input details:

- An array of objects representing ordered items. Each object has:
 - item: Name of the product (string)
 - quantity: Quantity ordered (integer)
 - price: Price per unit (float)

Output details:

- A detailed receipt showing each item's details and the grand total

Steps to implement:

1. Define an array of ordered items with at least 3 sample entries
2. Write a function generateReceipt that takes this array as input
3. Use a loop to iterate through the items and calculate the total for each item and the grand total
4. Print the receipt in a formatted string

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The screenshot shows a JSFiddle editor with three sections: HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. The JavaScript section contains the following code:

```
1 const orders = [
2   { item: "Espresso", quantity: 2, price: 3.5 },
3   { item: "Latte", quantity: 3, price: 4.0 },
4   { item: "Cappuccino", quantity: 1, price: 4.5 }
5 ];
6
7 function generateReceipt(orders) {
8   let grandTotal = 0;
9   console.log("Receipt:");
10  console.log("-----");
11  for (let i = 0; i < orders.length; i++) {
12    const itemTotal = orders[i].quantity * orders[i].price;
13    grandTotal += itemTotal;
14    console.log(`${orders[i].item} - Quantity: ${orders[i].quantity}, Price: $${orders[i].price}, Total: $${itemTotal}`);
15  }
16  console.log("-----");
17  console.log(`Grand Total: $${grandTotal}`);
18 }
19
20 generateReceipt(orders);
```

The console output shows the following receipt details:

```
>_ Console 7 0 0 0 0
"Receipt:"
"-----"
"Espresso - Quantity: 2, Price: $3.5, Total: $7.0"
"Latte - Quantity: 3, Price: $4.0, Total: $12.0"
"Cappuccino - Quantity: 1, Price: $4.5, Total: $4.5"
"-----"
"Grand Total: $23.5"
```

Exercise 3: Validate passwords

Problem:

Write a JavaScript program to validate a list of passwords. A password is valid if:

- It contains only alphanumeric characters (letters and numbers)
- It must be at least 8 characters long, but no more than 20 characters

Input details:

- An array of passwords (strings)

Output details:

- A message indicating whether each password is valid or invalid

Steps to implement:

1. Define an array of sample passwords
2. Write a function `validatePasswords` that takes this array as input
3. Use a loop to iterate through the passwords and check each against the validation criteria
4. Log whether each password is valid or invalid

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The screenshot shows a JSFiddle interface with the title "Untitled fiddle". It has three tabs: "HTML", "CSS", and "JavaScript". The "JavaScript" tab is active, showing the following code:

```
1 const passwords = ["Password123", "short", "ValidPass123", "too_long_password_example", "12345"];
2
3 function validatePasswords (passwords) {
4     const regex = /^[a-zA-Z0-9]{8,20}$/;
5     for (let i = 0; i < passwords.length; i++) {
6         if (regex.test(passwords[i])) {
7             console.log(`${passwords[i]} is valid.`);
8         } else {
9             console.log(`${passwords[i]} is invalid.`);
10        }
11    }
12 }
13
14 validatePasswords(passwords);
```

On the right side, there is a "Console" section showing the output of the code:

```
>_ Console 5 0 0 0 0
"Running fiddle"
"Password123 is valid."
"short is invalid."
"ValidPass123 is valid."
"too_long_password_example is invalid."
"12345 is invalid."
>_
```

Exercise 4: Track product stock levels

Problem:

You are working for an online retail company. Your task is to write a JavaScript program that tracks the stock levels of various products in the inventory. The program should check if a product is in stock and log an appropriate message.

Input details:

- An array of objects representing products. Each object contains:
 - product: Name of the product (string)
 - stock: Number of units available in stock (integer)

Output details:

- A message for each product indicating whether the product is in stock or out of stock.

Steps to implement:

1. Define an array of product objects with at least 3 sample products
2. Write a function `checkStockLevels` that takes this array as input
3. Use a loop to iterate through the array and check the stock level for each product
4. Print a message indicating if the product is "In Stock" or "Out of Stock"

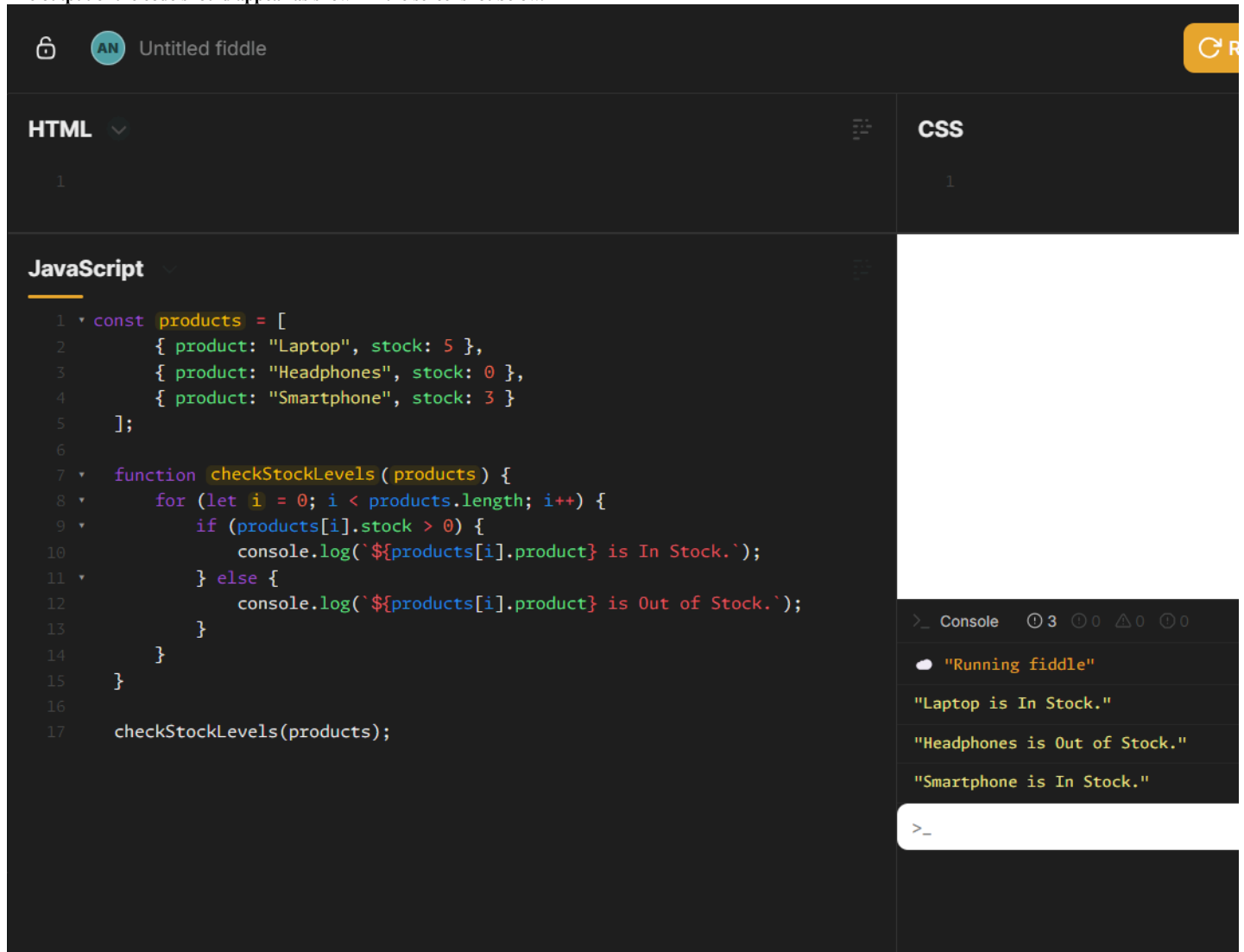
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The screenshot shows a web development fiddle interface with three panels: HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. The JavaScript panel is active, displaying the following code:

```
1 const products = [  
2   { product: "Laptop", stock: 5 },  
3   { product: "Headphones", stock: 0 },  
4   { product: "Smartphone", stock: 3 }  
5 ];  
6  
7 function checkStockLevels(products) {  
8   for (let i = 0; i < products.length; i++) {  
9     if (products[i].stock > 0) {  
10      console.log(`${products[i].product} is In Stock.`);  
11    } else {  
12      console.log(`${products[i].product} is Out of Stock.`);  
13    }  
14  }  
15 }  
16  
17 checkStockLevels(products);
```

The console output shows the following messages:

```
>_ Console 3  
"Running fiddle"  
"Laptop is In Stock."  
"Headphones is Out of Stock."  
"Smartphone is In Stock."  
>_
```

Conclusion:

Through these exercises, you have practiced solving intermediate-level problems using JavaScript. Each task focused on different aspects of logical thinking, from validation to string manipulation. Continue practicing similar challenges to further enhance your programming skills and confidence.

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