Do you have any Ajax loading image ideas for use with jQuery?

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I have a page being loaded with jQuery. The initial load includes 100 records with 6 icons per record. Needless to say, it takes a few seconds to load and I want to give the user a "loading" prompt/animation.



Any ideas?



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<u>http://www.ajaxload.info/</u> is a great resource for generating animated GIFs for this sort of thing. 11



Once you've got your animation, render it as part of the page; fire the jQuery load mechanism on the animation's onload() event (so you're certain the animation has loaded first), and use a callback at the end of your loading sequence to disable/hide the animated GIF.



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that's the one, thanks a ton, that ajaxload.info is an extra 1 bonus. Thanks again – Gene R Oct 9, 2008 at 19:46



Matt Berseth has a nice jQuery-based way of doing this.





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Another ressource for loading images:

http://www.loadinfo.net/



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You could display a div with an animated GIF image as a loading prompt. That's the way I've done it in the past.

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Any time I've needed something like this I replace the element that will be loaded with a simple, centered, animated gif of some sort that says "Loading, please wait" or a similar message. If it's only going to be a few seconds a progress indicator is probably overkill, but a simple animation gives most people the assurance that, yes, your site is still working.

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You may want to set up a global ajax event to show/hide the loading icon. Have a look at:

http://docs.jquery.com/Ajax_Events



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Sugendran

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You can do a animation in CCS3, for example if you want a pulse:

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The html markup:



```
<div class="pulse"></div>
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The css:

```
.pulse {
    width: 32px;
    height: 32px;
    margin: 25% auto;
    background-color: #303030;
    -webkit-border-radius: 16px;
    -moz-border-radius: 16px;
    -ms-border-radius: 16px;
    -o-border-radius: 16px;
    border-radius: 16px;
    -webkit-animation: scaleout 1.0s infinite ease-in-
    animation: scaleout 1.0s infinite ease-in-out;
}
@-webkit-keyframes scaleout{
    0%{
        -webkit-transform:scale(0)
    }
    100%{
        -webkit-transform:scale(1);
        opacity:0
```

```
}
@-moz-keyframes scaleout{
    0%{
        -moz-transform:scale(0)
    }
    100%{
        -moz-transform:scale(1);
        opacity:0
    }
}
@-ms-keyframes scaleout{
    0%{
        -ms-transform:scale(0)
    }
    100%{
        -ms-transform:scale(1);
        opacity:0
    }
}
@-o-keyframes scaleout{
    0%{
        -o-transform:scale(0)
    }
    100%{
        -o-transform:scale(1);
        opacity:0
    }
@keyframes scaleout{
    0%{
        transform:scale(0);
        -webkit-transform:scale(0)
    }
    100%{
        transform:scale(1);
        -webkit-transform:scale(1);
        opacity:0
    }
}
```

Or you can create a div with inside image or background image, you have here a few ideas for animation, it have a downloadable set free, enjoy.

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