

JS4: Mad Metrics

Resources

jQuery Documentation

Skills

- event handling
- element offset
- math/data manipulation
- timers

Background

As the founder of a new startup, you are obsessed with metrics and want to measure every time your user blinks and correlate it with your conversion rate. Since the product owner thinks that prompting the user to access their web cam for this purpose might not be the best idea you are stuck just gathering metrics of their browsing experience through simple activity on the page such as scrolls and clicks. You are to write a script that you can add to any web page which provides advanced metrics on the user's behavior.

Requirements

Write a script that reports on several different aspects of the user's browsing behavior. You should be able to add this script to any web page. Since the metrics depend on scrolling, create a long, one-page landing page prototype to test this on.



Add a button with position: fixed that the user can click to view the metrics collected so far. Metrics collection should be paused when this happens, and resumed afterwards. You can display the results in a manner of your choice (alert, lightbox, etc).

Information Collected

- What percentage of the page was viewed
- Total Distance Scrolled
- Time before clicking Sign Up
- Time spent on page
- Time spent on each section of the page

Bonus I: Visual Report

Display the results of the metrics collection in a compelling visual format (graphs! and charts!)

Bonus II: Heatmap

Display a heatmap that represents how much time the user spent looking at different parts of the site.