## Web tables:

http://makeseleniumeasy.com/2017/07/14/how-to-handle-a-web-table-in-selenium-webdriver/

In this post we will learn:

- 1. What is a web table?
- 2. Types of web tables.
- 2. Creating a demo web table using html.
- 3. Print all headers of a web table.
- 4. Retrieve and print number of rows in a web table.
- 5. Retrieve number of columns for each row.
- 6. Retrieve columns based on some conditions.
- 7. Retrieve last row of table.
- 8. Retrieve cell value using row and column number.
- 9. Retrieve column index based on column name.
- 10. Print all data from table.

## What is web table?

A table is made of rows and columns. When we create a table for a web page, that is called as a web table. In HTML, table is created using tag. Web table is a HTML structure for creating rows and columns on a Web page.

## Types of web tables:

We can categorized web tables in two parts:

- 1. **Static web table:** Number of rows and columns will be definite. Eg. Table of months, Table of days etc.
- 2. **Dynamic table:** Number of rows and columns will be dynamic. It will be keep on increasing or decreasing based on data. For Eg: Sales table, Student table.

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public class HandlingWebTable {
     public static void main(String[] args) {
          System.out.println("Execution Starts");
          // Setting chrome driver property and opening chrome browser
          System.setProperty("webdriver.chrome.driver", "./exefiles/chromedriver.exe");
          WebDriver driver= new ChromeDriver();
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System.out.println("Browser opened.");

driver.get("C:/Users/Amod Mahajan/Desktop/HTMLTable.html");

// Printing table header of a web table assuming first row as header

System.out.println("Printing all header of table assuming first row as header: ");

// loading URL

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List allHeadersOfTable=
driver.findElements(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr[1]/th"));
            System.out.println("Headers in table are below:");
            System.out.println("Total headers found: "+allHeadersOfTable.size());
            for(WebElement header:allHeadersOfTable)
                   System.out.println(header.getText());
            }
      ======");
            // Printing table header of a web table assuming no information about header row
            System.out.println("Printing all header of table without information of row header ");
            List allHeadersOfTable1=
driver.findElements(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr/th"));
            System.out.println("Headers in table are below:");
            System.out.println("Total headers found: "+allHeadersOfTable1.size());
            for(WebElement header:allHeadersOfTable1)
            {
                   System.out.println(header.getText());
            }
      ======");
            // Finding number of rows in a web table. We need to exclude header to get actual
number of data rows
            System.out.println("Retrieving total number of data rows:");
            List allRows= driver.findElements(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr"));
            System.out.println("Total data rows found in table:"+ (allRows.size()-1));
      ======"):
            // Find number of columns in each row
            System.out.println("Retrieving total number of columns for each row:");
            for(int i=2;i<=allRows.size();i++)
                   List
allColumnsInRow=driver.findElements(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr["+i+"]/td"));
                   System.out.println("Number of columns in "+(i-1)+" data row
is:"+allColumnsInRow.size());
            }
      ======");
            //Print each rows and columns from web table
            System.out.println("Printing all column value: ");
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for(int i=2;i<=allRows.size();i++)
            {
allColumnsInRow=driver.findElements(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr["+i+"]/td"));
                   for(int j=0;j<allColumnsInRow.size();j++)
                         System.out.print(allColumnsInRow.get(j).getText()+" ");
                   System.out.println();
            }
      ======");
            // List books name and price whose author is mukesh
            System.out.println("Way 1: Books written by Mukesh are below:");
            for(int i=2;i<=allRows.size();i++)
                   WebElement
authorColumn=driver.findElement(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr["+i+"]/td[2]"));
                   if(authorColumn.getText().toLowerCase().equalsIgnoreCase("Mukesh"))
                         WebElement
bookNameColumns=driver.findElement(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr["+i+"]/td[1]"))
                         System.out.println(bookNameColumns.getText());
                   }
            }
      ======");
            // Another shortcut way
            System.out.println("Way 2: Books written by Mukesh are below:");
allColumnsInRow=driver.findElements(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr/td[text()='Muk
esh']/../td[1]"));
            for(WebElement e: allColumnsInRow)
                   System.out.println(e.getText());
            // Print book name whose price is greater than and equal to 1000
      =======");
            System.out.println("Books with price greater than and equal to 1000 are below:");
            for(int i=2;i<=allRows.size();i++) { WebElement
priceColumn=driver.findElement(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr["+i+"]/td[4]"));
if(Integer.parseInt(priceColumn.getText())>=1000)
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{
                       WebElement
bookName=driver.findElement(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr["+i+"]/td[1]"));
                       System.out.println(bookName.getText());
                 }
           }
     ======");
           // How to print data from last row
           System.out.println("Directly printing column values of last row of table: ");
           List columnOfLastRow=
driver.findElements(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr[last()]/td"));
           for(WebElement e:columnOfLastRow)
                 System.out.println(e.getText());
           }
     ======");
           // find sum of cost of all books listed
           List costColumns=
driver.findElements(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr/td[4]"));
           int sum_price=0;
           for(WebElement e:costColumns)
           {
                 sum price= sum price+Integer.parseInt(e.getText());
           System.out.println("total price: "+sum price);
     =======");
           // Retrive cell value by providing row and column number
           WebElement colValue=
driver.findElement(By.xpath("//table[@name='BookTable']/tbody/tr[2]/td[3]"));
           System.out.println("Cell Value : "+colValue.getText());
     =======");
           System.out.println("Cell value using custom method:
"+HandlingWebTable.getColValue(2, 3, driver));
           // Printing column index based on column name
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## **Reading Dynamic tables:**

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import java.util.List;
import java.util.concurrent.TimeUnit;

import org.openqa.selenium.By;
import org.openqa.selenium.WebDriver;
import org.openqa.selenium.WebElement;
import org.openqa.selenium.firefox.FirefoxDriver;

public class dynamic_table {
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public static void main(String[] args) throws
InterruptedException {
  WebDriver driver = new FirefoxDriver();
  driver.manage().window().maximize();
  driver.manage().timeouts().implicitlyWait(5,
TimeUnit.SECONDS);
  String baseUrl =
"file:///D:/Technology/Selenium%20cases/dynamic table.html";
  driver.get (baseUrl);
 //To locate table.
  WebElement mytable =
driver.findElement(By.xpath("html/body/table/tbody"));
  //To locate rows of table.
 List < WebElement > rows table =
mytable.findElements(By.tagName("tr"));
  //To calculate no of rows In table.
  int rows count = rows table.size();
  //Loop will execute for all the rows of the table
  for (int row = 0; row < rows count; row++) {</pre>
  //To locate columns(cells) of that specific row.
  List < WebElement > Columns row =
rows table.get(row).findElements(By.tagName("td"));
   //To calculate no of columns(cells) In that specific row.
   int columns count = Columns row.size();
   System.out.println("Number of cells In Row " + row + " are "
+ columns count);
   //Loop will execute till the last cell of that specific row.
   for (int column = 0; column < columns count; column++) {</pre>
   //To retrieve text from the cells.
    String celltext = Columns row.get(column).getText();
    System.out.println("Cell Value Of row number " + row + " and
column number " + column + " Is " + celltext);
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}
}
}
```