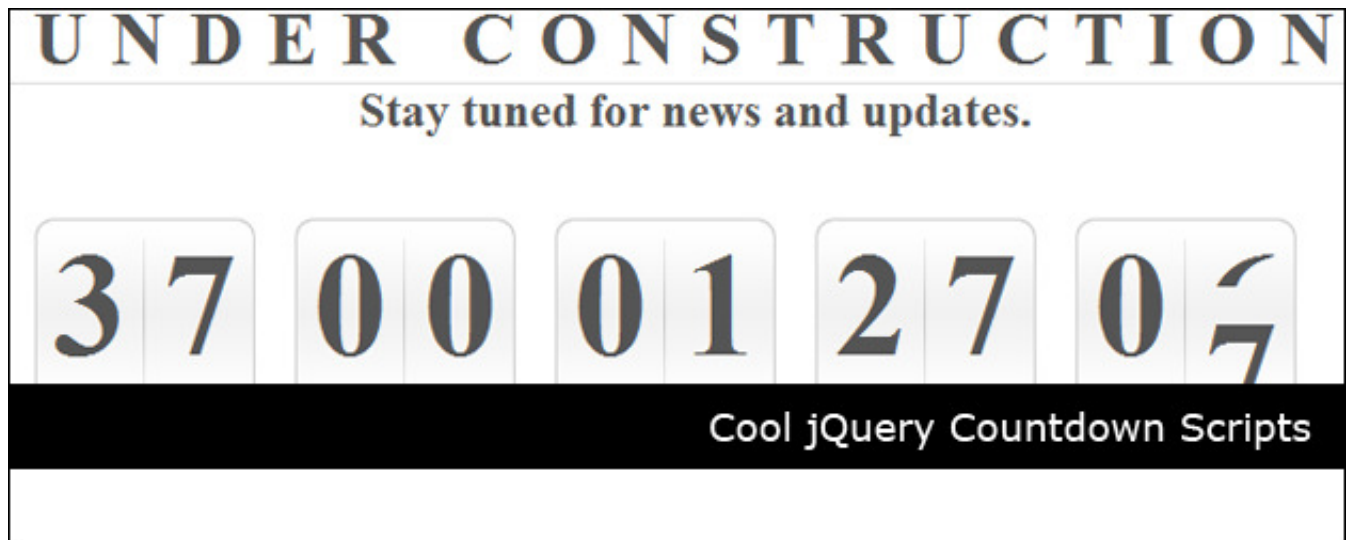tripwiremagazine.com

9 Cool jQuery Countdown Scripts

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I'm sure you have notices the countdown features on sites like RapidShare and MegaUpload that allow you to download files but make you wait a specified number of seconds before giving you the download link. You have probably also seen site that are not online yet using a countdown to tell visitors when to come back in a very dynamic manner. They can also be used to countdown to a release date of a game, a movie or to a party. Countdown script simply have a lot of useful use cases and the good new is that there are some really good jQuery scripts you can use for your site. In this article you will find all the useful jQuery countdown scripts available right now for free download.

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This is a jQuery plugin that sets a div or span to show a countdown to a given time. There are tons of options available and everything is supported by good examples and code snippets.

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Show it all:	1	4	1	4	23	56	55
	Year	Months	Week	Days	Hours	Minutes	Seconds

Hide code
```
$('#showAll').countdown({until: longWayOff, format: 'YOWDHMS'});
```

By month:	16	11	23	57
	Months	Days	Hours	Minutes

Show code

By week:	71	2	23	57
	Weeks	Days	Hours	Minutes

Show code

Demo

Really cool countdown script. There is a full package for download with script, images, css etc.

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years   days   hours   mins   secs

This is an Easy to use animated countdown JavaScript. It is **jQuery** compatible and easily **skinable**
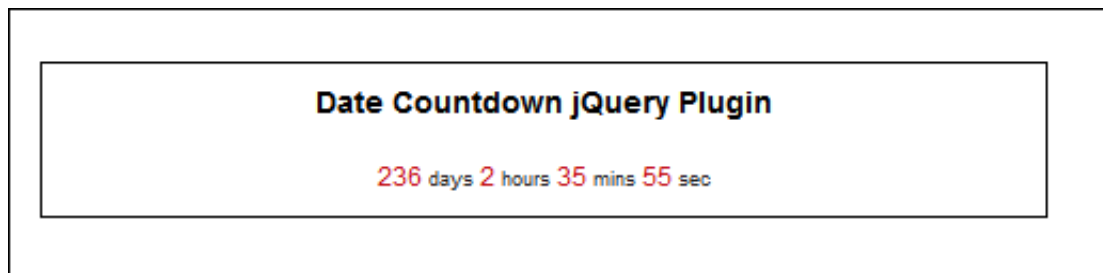
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HOURS **01** MINUTES **24** SECONDS **33**

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Demo:

A simple jQuery Plugin that countdowns how long it is from a date. Very easy to use and a good download package with everything needed to get started.

This script allows you to create a rapidshare.com like countdown and to animate the CSS font-size of each second and present a reward at the end.
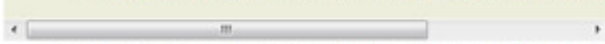

This is a really simple script, but it is a countdown script...

```
$(function(){
  var count = 10;
  countdown = setInterval(function(){
    $("p.countdown").html(count + " seconds remaining!");
    if (count == 0) {
      window.location = 'http://google.com';
    }
    count--;
  }, 1000);
});
```

Easy to use countdown script. Unfortunately no demo or example.

Write a simple countdown (countdown) plug-in, usage is very simple:

```
$ ('Div.countdown'). Countdown ([seconds: 3, callbac]
```

The above example, the plug inserted in the div.countdown 3 seconds of the countdown until the date and call 0 helloWorld () this function.

This plugin has two options:

- seconds - number of seconds from the start the countdown;
- callback - an optional, the countdown at the end of the implementation of the callback function.

The current version is 0.2, download the following address:

- jquery.countdown.js , 2KB
- jquery.countdown.min.js , 1KB

This plug-in items on the jQuery Plugins site , feel good to vote for:).

Update records:

0.2. Added stop () method, you can stop an ongoing countdown.

Display and configure a jQuery countdown clock on your sidebar, allowing you to style the result via custom CSS styles. Generates a countdown widget using jQuery. No Flash required, just a JavaScript enabled webbrowser. More advanced users can even use CSS to customize the appearance of the timer.

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