

# **One Day Workshop in Web Development**

# Objectives

- Understand the basic principles of HTML, CSS and JAVASCRIPT
- Learn the basic functions of the **Atom text editor** to create HTML, CSS, and JAVASCRIPT files
- Create a simple website with HTML, CSS, and JAVASCRIPT
- Master the basic operation of **Github Desktop** — a version control program to upload your works to the Github website

# **Software Tools for the Workshop**

- **Atom Text Editor** (can be downloaded from <https://atom.io>)
- **Github Desktop**  
(can be downloaded from <https://desktop.github.com>)




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**1.30.0**

[Release notes](#)

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# The new native

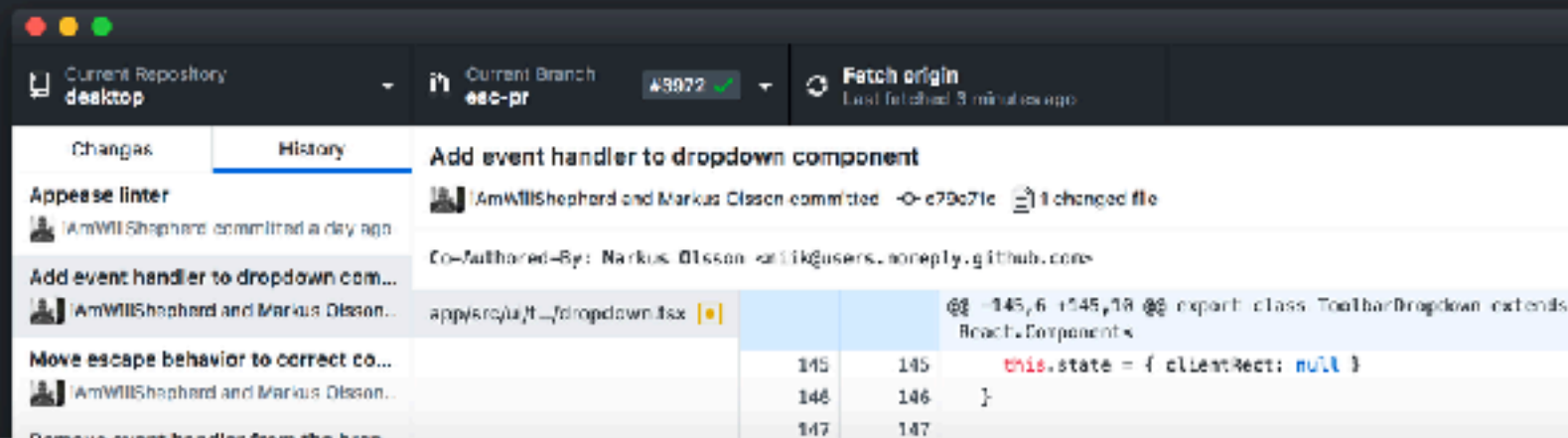
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**Let's Begin**



- Sign-up for a **Github** account (the free account)
- Install **Github Desktop** and create a new repository (You can treat the repository as a folder) by creating a new folder associated with it.
- Install **Atom text editor** and open the **Github repository** (i.e. folder) with it.
- You can start creating HTML, CSS, and JAVASCRIPT files with **Atom** and maintain your the **remote** Github and **local** repository for code development and version control.

**Let's Begin**

NOUN

HTML

ADJECTIVE

CSS

VERB

JS

**What does HTML stand for?**

**(H)yper (T)ext (M)arkup (L)anguage**

**(M)arkup is a collection of “tags”.**

NOUN

HTML

<html>, <head>, <title>, <meta>, <style>, <script>, <body>, <header>, <footer>, <nav>, <main>, <section>, <aside>, <p>, <br>, <a>, <ol>, <ul>, <li>, <table>, <div>, <form>

Elements  
has  
attributes

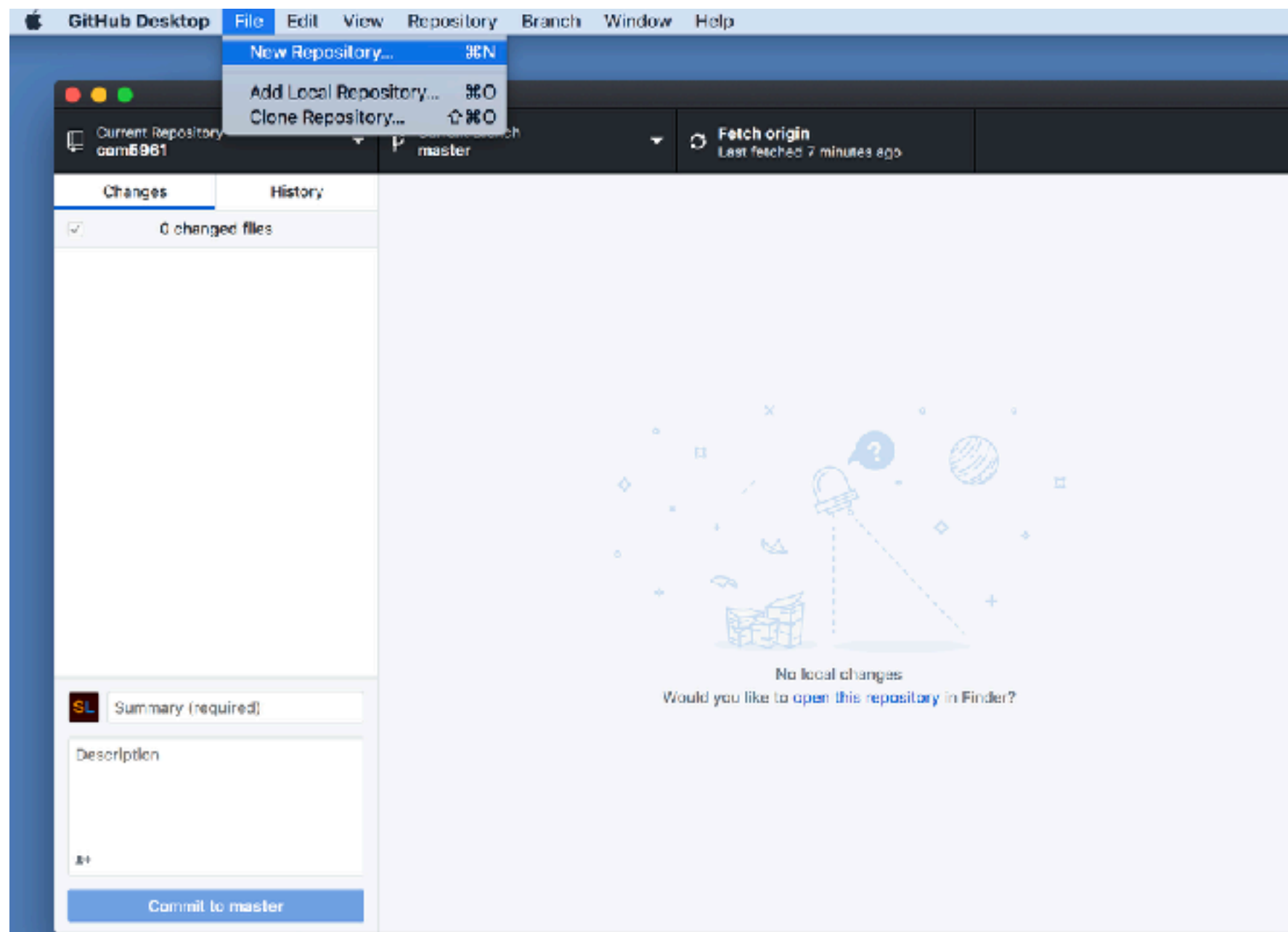
(e.g. color, background-color, position, font-family, font-size, font-style, display, width, margin, border, padding)

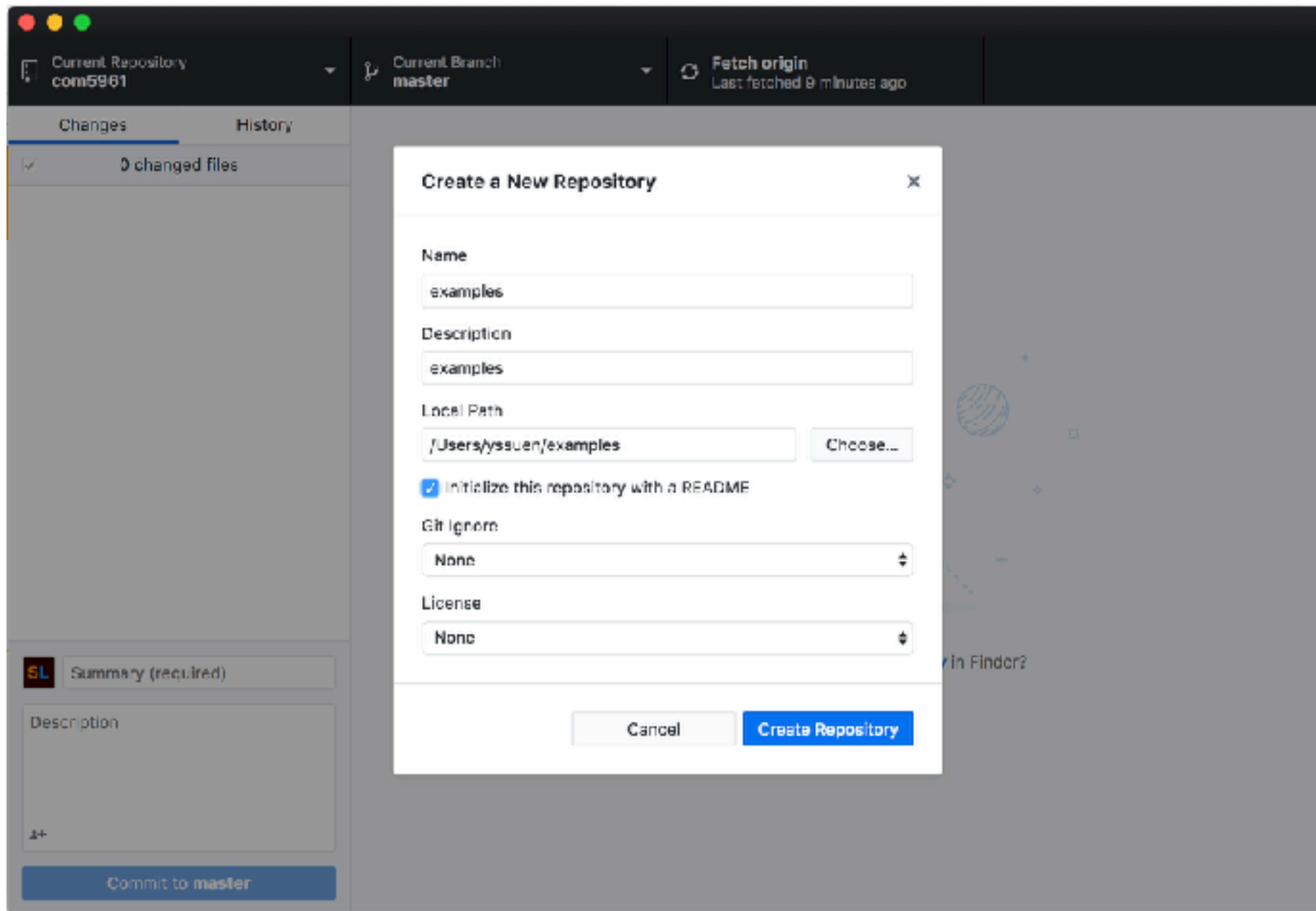
**First hands-on exercise:**

**<https://www.wikihow.com/Create-a-Simple-Web-Page-with-HTML> (Step 1 to Step 13)**

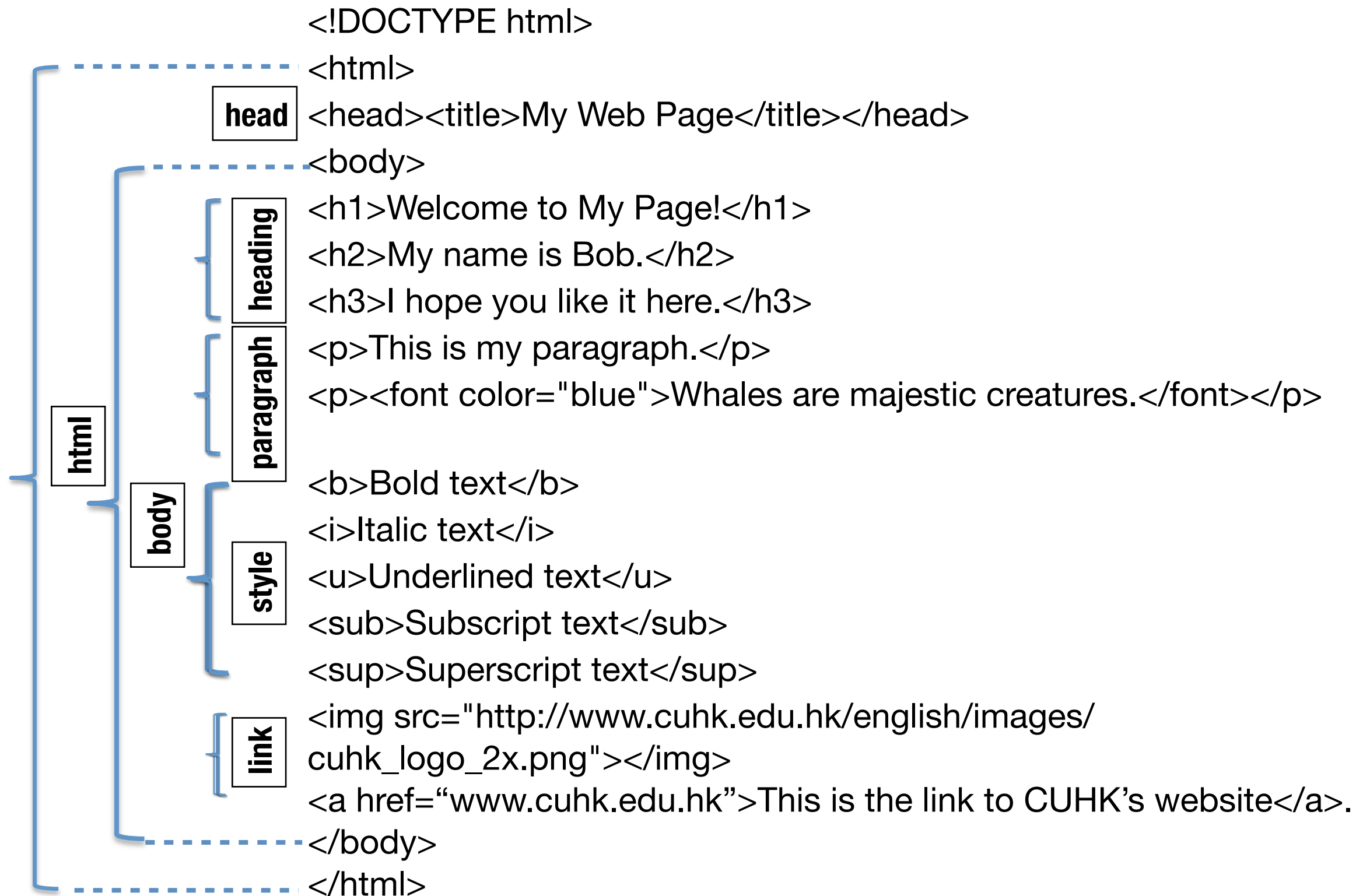
**Congratulation. You created your 1st html document (example1.html). Now it's time to upload it to your remote Github account space.**







## Code View



# Browser View

**Welcome to My Page!**

**My name is Bob.**

**I hope you like it here.**

This is my paragraph.

Whales are majestic creatures.

**Bold text** *Italic text* Underlined text Subscript text<sup>Superscript text</sup>



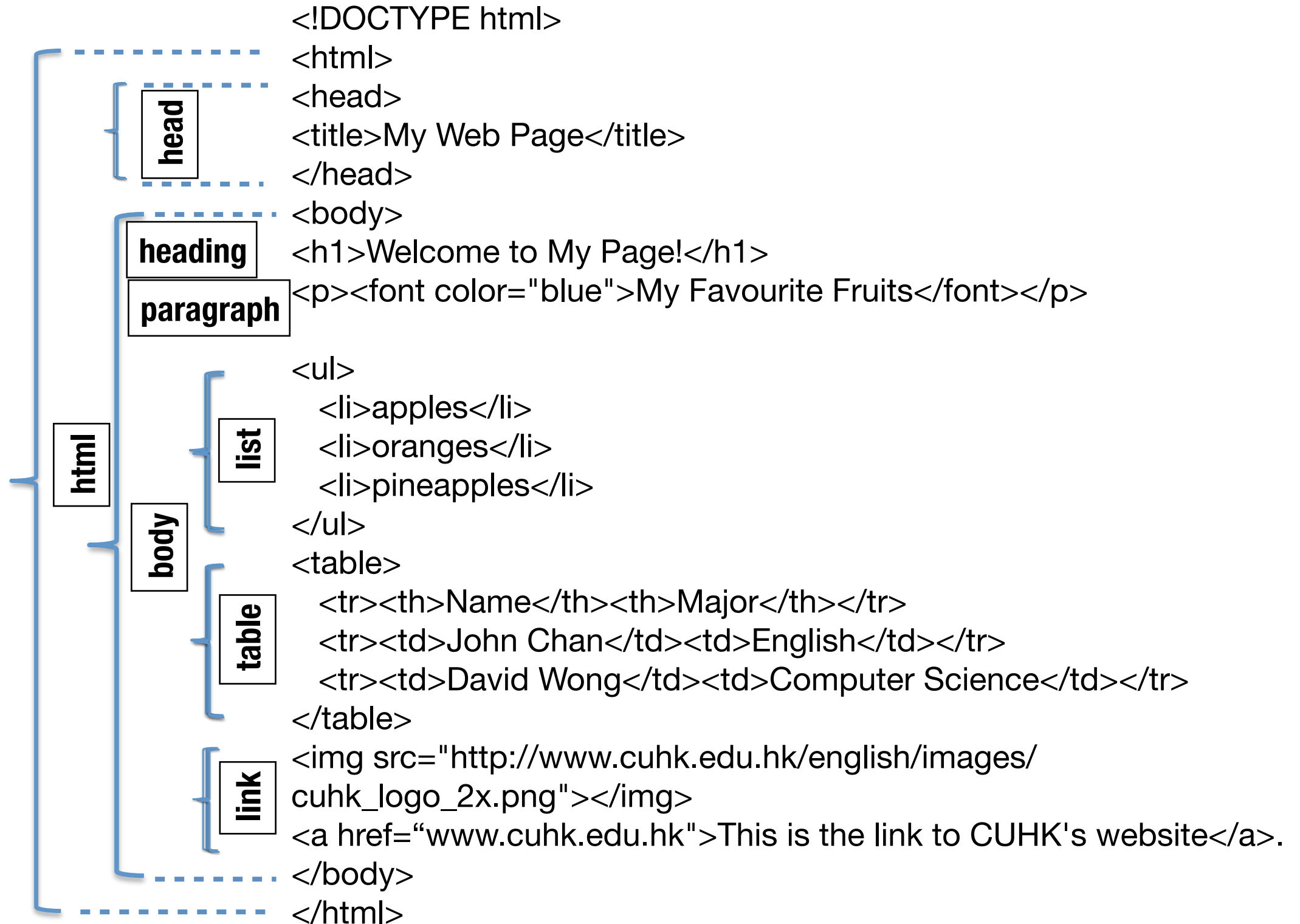
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[This is the link to CUHK's website.](#)

**Second hands-on exercise:**

**<https://coder-coder.com/how-to-make-simple-website-html/> (Add the list and table codes into example2.html)**

## Code View



```
<meta charset="UTF-8">
```

## Browser View

# Welcome to My Page!

### My Favourite Fruits

- apples
- oranges
- pineapples

Name	Major
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John Chan	English
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David Wong	Computer Science
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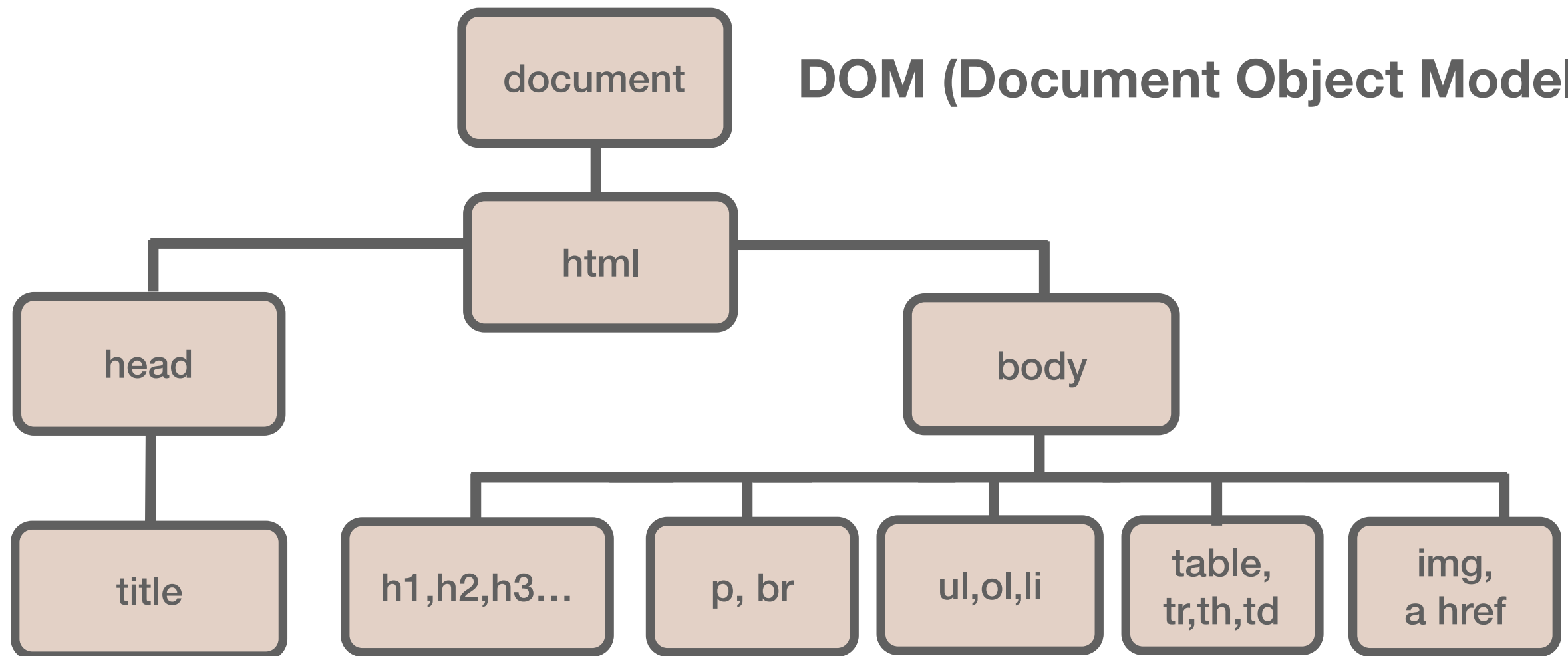
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## DOM (Document Object Model)



# The Grammar of HTML Elements

- Starts with a start tag (e.g. <p>)
- End with an end tag (e.g. </p>)
- Elements content is everything between the start and end tags
- Some elements have empty content and no end tag (e.g. <br>)
- Most elements have attributes

**What does CSS stand for?**

**(C)ascading (S)tyle (S)heet**

## **CSS Demonstration:**

**[https://www.w3schools.com/css/css\\_intro.asp](https://www.w3schools.com/css/css_intro.asp)**

## Browser View

**Welcome to My Page!**

**My name is Bob.**

I hope you like it here.

This is my paragraph.

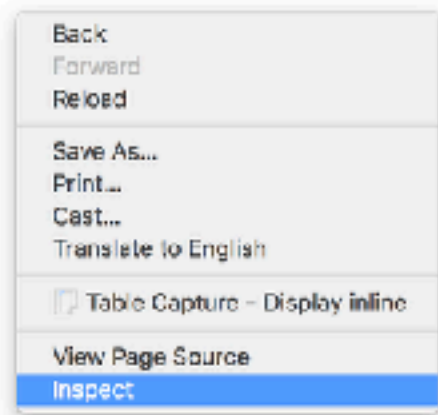
Whales are majestic creatures.



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**Bold text** *Italic text* Underlined text Subscript text <sup>Superscript text</sup>

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Use right mouse click to trigger pop-up window

# Browser View

Welcome to My Page!

My name is Bob.

I hope you like it here.

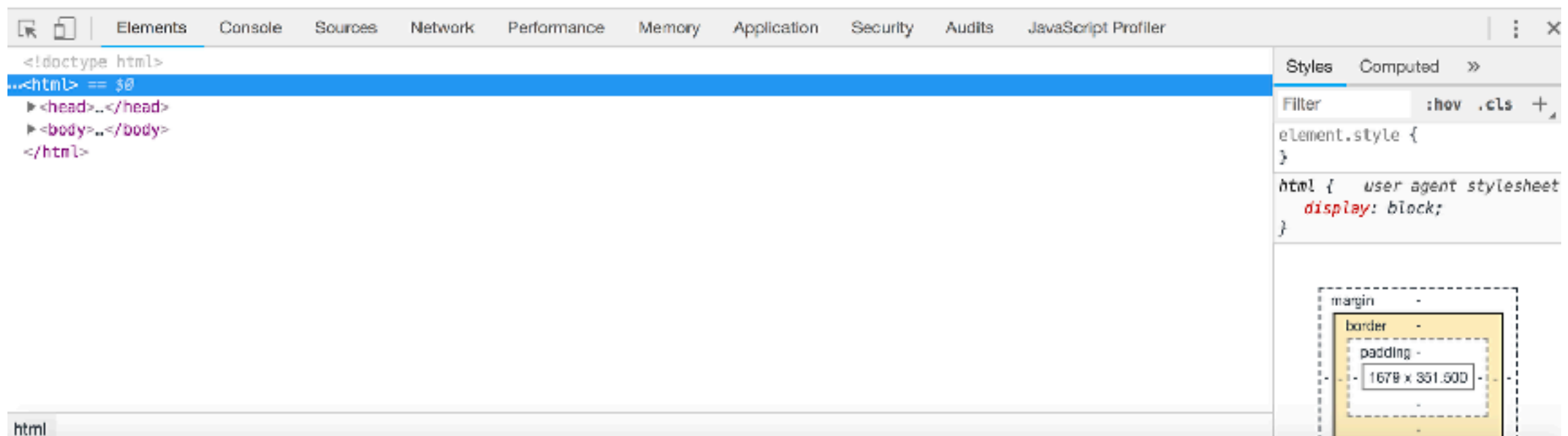
This is my paragraph.

Whales are majestic creatures.



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A screenshot of a web browser's developer tools interface. The 'Elements' panel on the left shows the HTML structure of the page, with the root <html> element selected. The 'Styles' panel on the right shows the default user agent styles for the html element, including 'display: block;'. A box model diagram is also visible at the bottom right of the styles panel, showing margin, border, and padding dimensions.

Elements Console Sources Network Performance Memory Application Security Audits JavaScript Profiler

```
<!doctype html>
<html> == $0
  <head>...</head>
  <body>...</body>
</html>
```

Styles Computed »

Filter :hov .cls +

```
element.style {
}

html { user agent stylesheet
  display: block;
}
```

margin -  
border -  
padding -  
1678 x 351.500

html

# Browser View

Welcome to My Page!

**My name is Bob.**

I hope you like it here.

This is my paragraph.

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ElementsConsoleSourcesNetworkPerformanceMemoryApplicationSecurityAuditsJavaScript Profiler

```
<!doctype html>
<html>
  <head>
    <title>My Web Page</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <h1 style="
      background-color: #CA4D4C;
      color: #fefdff;
    ">Welcome to My Page!</h1>
    <h2 style="border-style: solid;border-width: 1px;">My name is Bob.</h2> -- $0
    <h3>I hope you like it here.</h3>
    <p>This is my paragraph.</p>
    <p>...</p>
    <b>Bold text</b>
    <i>Italic text</i>
  </body>
</html>
```

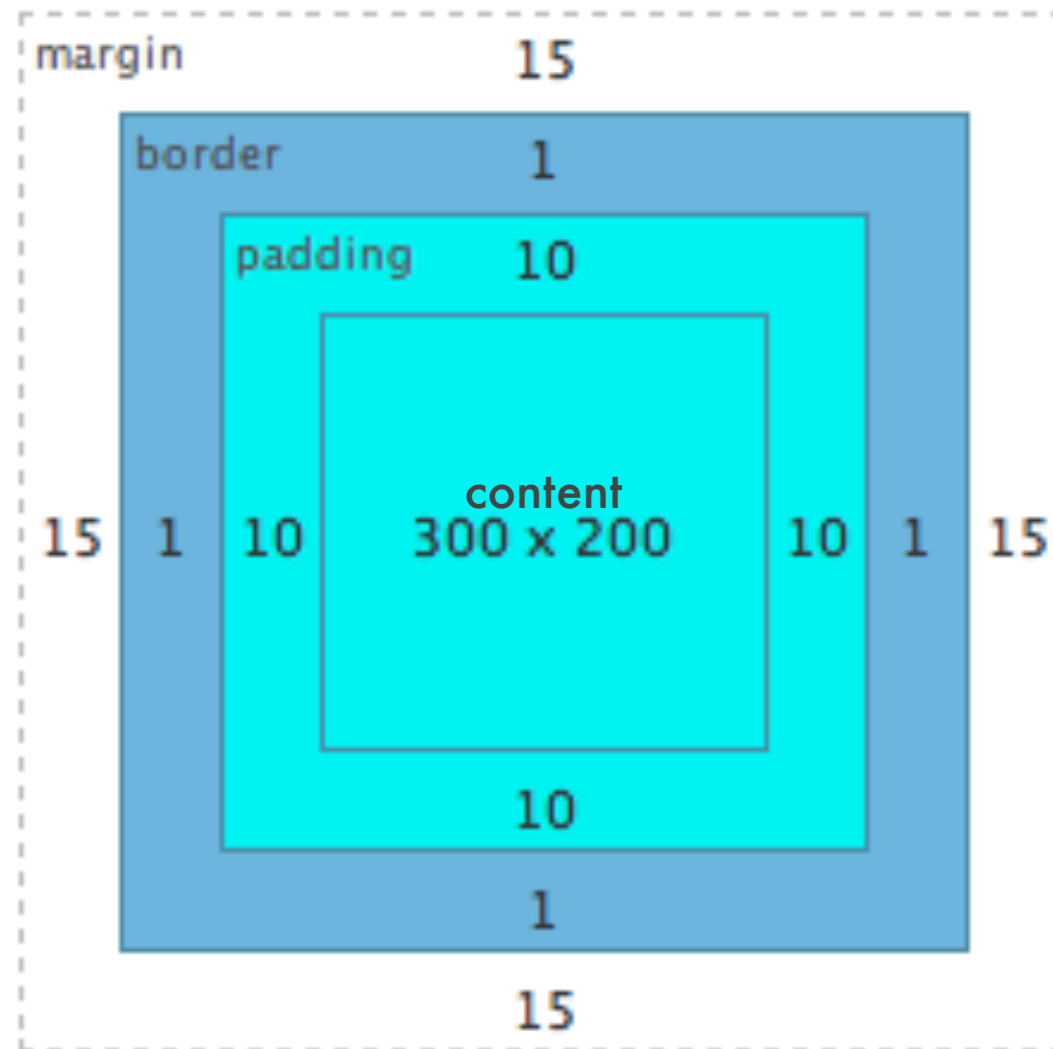
StylesComputed>>

Filter: :hov .cls +

element.style {
 border-style: solid;
 border-width: 1px;
}
h2 { user agent stylesheet
 display: block;
 font-size: 1.5em;
 -webkit-margin-before: 0.83em;
 -webkit-margin-after: 0.83em;
 -webkit-margin-start: 0px;
 -webkit-margin-end: 0px;
 font-weight: bold;
}

htmlbodyh2

# The Box Model

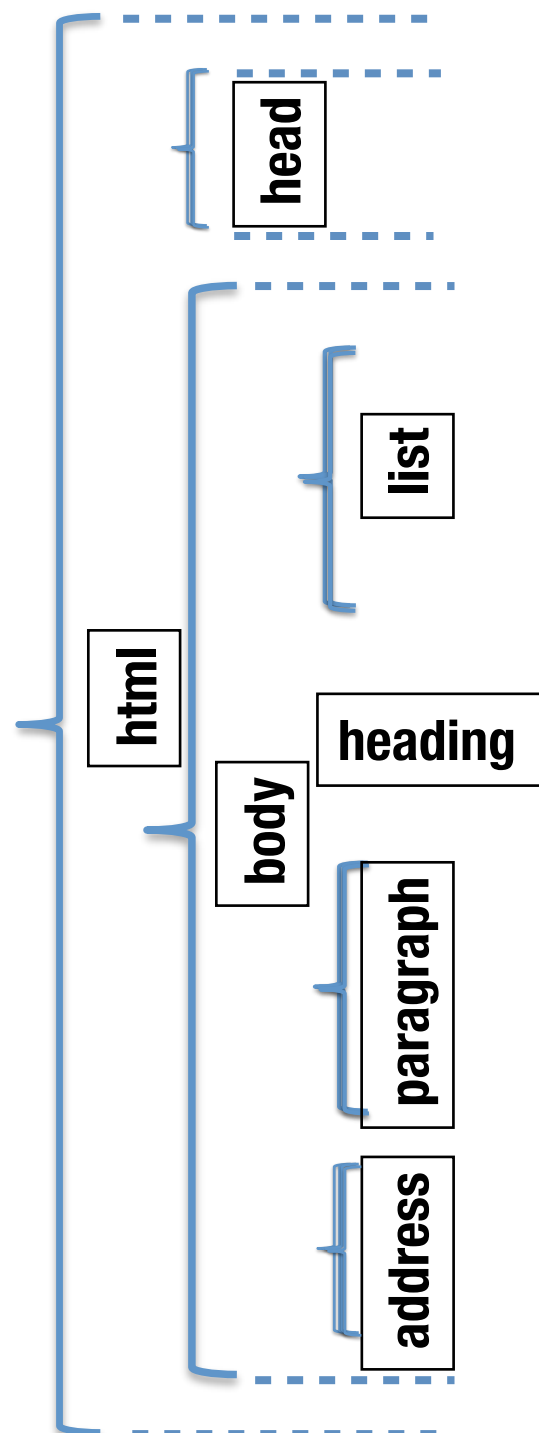




**Third hands-on exercise:**

**[https://www.w3.org/Style/Examples/011/  
firstcss.en.html](https://www.w3.org/Style/Examples/011/firstcss.en.html)**

## Code View



```
<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 4.01//EN">
<html>
<head>
  <title>My first styled page</title>
</head>

<body>

  <!-- Site navigation menu -->
  <ul class="navbar">
    <li><a href="index.html">Home page</a>
    <li><a href="musings.html">Musings</a>
    <li><a href="town.html">My town</a>
    <li><a href="links.html">Links</a>
  </ul>

  <!-- Main content -->
  <h1>My first styled page</h1>

  <p>Welcome to my styled page!

  <p>It lacks images, but at least it has style.
  And it has links, even if they don't go
  anywhere&hellip;

  <p>There should be more here, but I don't know
  what yet.

  <!-- Sign and date the page, it's only polite! -->
  <address>Made 5 April 2004<br>
    by myself.</address>

</body>
</html>
```

## Browser View

- [Home page](#)
- [Musings](#)
- [My town](#)
- [Links](#)

## My first styled page

Welcome to my styled page!

It lacks images, but at least it has style. And it has links, even if they don't go anywhere...

There should be more here, but I don't know what yet.

*Made 5 April 2004  
by myself.*

# Browser View

- [Home page](#)
- [Musings](#)
- [My town](#)
- [Links](#)

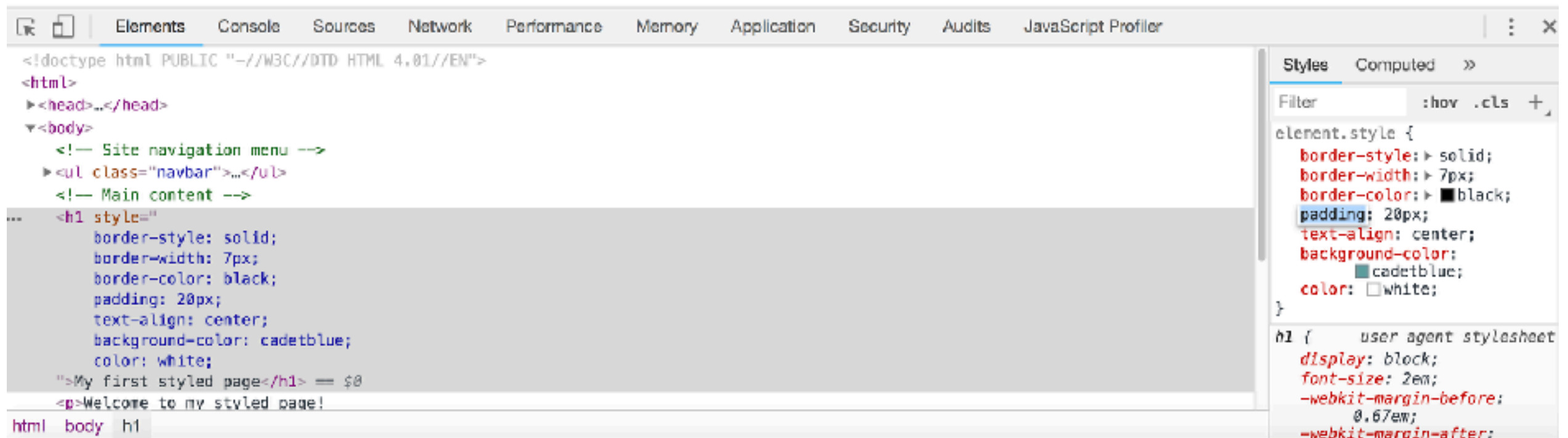
## My first styled page

Welcome to my styled page!

It lacks images, but at least it has style. And it has links, even if they don't go anywhere...

There should be more here, but I don't know what yet.

Made 5 April 2004  
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```

<body>
<!-- Site navigation menu -->
<ul class="navbar">
  <li><a href="index.html">Home page</a>
  <li><a href="musings.html">Musings</a>
  <li><a href="town.html">My town</a>
  <li><a href="links.html">Links</a>
</ul>
<!-- Main content -->
<h1 style="
  border-style: solid;
  border-width: 7px;
  border-color: black;
  padding: 20px;
  text-align: center;
  background-color: cadetblue;
  color: white;
">My first styled page</h1>
<p>Welcome to my styled page!
<p>It lacks images, but at least it has style.
And it has links, even if they don't go
anywhere&hellip;
<p>There should be more here, but I don't know
what yet.
<!-- Sign and date the page, it's only polite! -->
<address>Made 5 April 2004<br>
  by myself.</address>
</body>
</html>

```

## In-line style definition

# Browser View

- [Home page](#)
- [Musings](#)
- [My town](#)
- [Links](#)

## My first styled page

Welcome to my styled page!

It lacks images, but at least it has style. And it has links, even if they don't go anywhere...

There should be more here, but I don't know what yet.

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The screenshot displays a web browser's developer tools interface. The top navigation bar includes tabs for Elements, Console, Sources, Network, Performance, Memory, Application, Security, Audits, and JavaScript Profiler. The 'Elements' tab is active, showing the document's DOM tree. The HTML structure is as follows:

```
<!doctype html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 4.01//EN">
<html>
  <head>...</head>
  <body>
    <!-- Site navigation menu -->
    <ul class="navbar">...</ul>
    <!-- Main content -->
    ... <h1>My first styled page</h1> == $0
    <p>Welcome to my styled page!
    </p>
    <p>...</p>
    <p>...</p>
    <address>...</address>
  </body>
</html>
```

The 'h1' element is selected, and the 'Styles' pane on the right shows the applied styles:

- element.style {**
- h1 {** (from `example3.html:6`)
  - `border-style: solid;`
  - `border-width: 7px;`
  - `border-color: black;`
  - `padding: 20px;`
  - `text-align: center;`
  - `background-color: cadetblue;`
  - `color: white;`
- h1 {** (from `user agent stylesheet`)
  - `display: block;`
  - `font-size: 2em;`

The breadcrumb at the bottom indicates the path: `html > body > h1`.

```
<head><title>Example 3</title>
<style type="text/css">
border-style: solid;
border-width: 7px;
border-color: black;
padding: 20px;
text-align: center;
background-color: cadetblue;
color: white;
</style>
</head>
<body>
<!-- Site navigation menu -->
<ul class="navbar">
  <li><a href="index.html">Home page</a>
  <li><a href="musings.html">Musings</a>
  <li><a href="town.html">My town</a>
  <li><a href="links.html">Links</a>
</ul>
<!-- Main content -->
<h1>My first styled page</h1>
<p>Welcome to my styled page!
<p>It lacks images, but at least it has style.
And it has links, even if they don't go anywhere&hellip;
<p>There should be more here, but I don't know what yet.
<!-- Sign and date the page, it's only polite! -->
<address>Made 5 April 2004<br>by myself.</address>
</body>
</html>
```

## Internal style-sheet definition

# Browser View

- [Home page](#)
- [Musings](#)
- [My to-do](#)
- [Links](#)

## My first styled page

Welcome to my styled page!

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The screenshot displays a web browser's developer tools interface. The top navigation bar includes tabs for Elements, Console, Sources, Network, Performance, Memory, Application, Security, Audits, and JavaScript Profiler. The 'Elements' tab is active, showing the DOM tree. The HTML structure is as follows:

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>My first styled page</title>
  <link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="style.css">
</head>
<body>
  <!-- Site navigation menu -->
  <ul class="navbar">...</ul>
  <!-- Main content -->
  ... <h1>My first styled page</h1> == $0
  <p>Welcome to my styled page!
  </p>
  <p>...</p>
  <p>...</p>
  <address>...</address>
</body>
```

The `<link>` tag in the head is circled with a dashed line. The `<h1>` tag is selected, and its styles are shown in the right-hand pane. The styles are categorized into 'element.style' and 'h1' styles from 'style.css' and the 'user agent stylesheet'.

Style	Value
element.style {	
h1 {	style.css:1
border-style	solid;
border-width	7px;
border-color	black;
padding	20px;
text-align	center;
background-color	cadetblue;
color	white;
h1 {	user agent stylesheet
display	block;
font-size	2em;



```
<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 4.01//EN">
<html>
<head>
  <title>My first styled page</title>
  <link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="style.css">
</head>
<body>
<!-- Site navigation menu -->
<ul class="navbar">
  <li><a href="index.html">Home page</a>
  <li><a href="musings.html">Musings</a>
  <li><a href="town.html">My town</a>
  <li><a href="links.html">Links</a>
</ul>
<!-- Main content -->
<h1>My first styled page</h1>
<p>Welcome to my styled page!
<p>It lacks images, but at least it has style.
And it has links, even if they don't go
anywhere&hellip;
<p>There should be more here, but I don't know what yet.
<!-- Sign and date the page, it's only polite! -->
<address>Made 5 April 2004<br> by myself.</address>
</body>
</html>
```

**External style definition**

## 3 Ways of Style Definition + Cascading Rule

- Inline style definition (Highest priority)
- Internal style definition (Middle priority)
- External style definition (Lowest priority)
- Style defined last has priority over style defined earlier

ADJECTIVE

CSS

Base  
Selector

body

Declaration

Declaration

{ color:purple; font-size:12px; }

Property

Value

Property

Value

**Now Your Turn to Try**

**Third hands-on exercise:**

**[https://www.w3.org/Style/Examples/011/  
firstcss.en.html](https://www.w3.org/Style/Examples/011/firstcss.en.html) (Step 1 to 5)**

```
<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 4.01//EN">
```

```
<html>
```

```
<head>
```

```
  <title>My first styled page</title>
```

```
</head>
```

```
<body>
```

```
<!-- Site navigation menu -->
```

```
<ul class="navbar">
```

```
  <li><a href="index.html">Home page</a>
```

```
  <li><a href="musings.html">Musings</a>
```

```
  <li><a href="town.html">My town</a>
```

```
  <li><a href="links.html">Links</a>
```

```
</ul>
```

```
<!-- Main content -->
```

```
<h1>My first styled page</h1>
```

```
<p>Welcome to my styled page!
```

```
<p>It lacks images, but at least it has style. And it has links, even if they don't go  
anywhere&hellip;
```

```
<p>There should be more here, but I don't know what yet.
```

```
<!-- Sign and date the page, it's only polite! -->
```

```
<address>Made 5 April 2004<br>
```

```
  by myself.</address>
```

```
</body>
```

```
</html>
```

**Code View - Step 1**

```
<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 4.01//EN">
<html>
<head>
  <title>My first styled page</title>
  <style type="text/css">
    body {
      color: purple;
      background-color: #d8da3d }
  </style>
</head>
<body>
<!-- Site navigation menu -->
<ul class="navbar">
  <li><a href="index.html">Home page</a>
  <li><a href="musings.html">Musings</a>
  <li><a href="town.html">My town</a>
  <li><a href="links.html">Links</a>
</ul>

<!-- Main content -->
  :
  :
</body>
</html>
```

**Code View - Step 2 (Add colours)**

```
<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 4.01//EN">
<html>
<head>
  <title>My first styled page</title>
  <style type="text/css">
    body {
      color: purple;
      background-color: #d8da3d }
  h1 {
    font-family: Helvetica, Geneva, Arial,
      SunSans-Regular, sans-serif }
  </style>
</head>
<body>
<!-- Site navigation menu -->
<ul class="navbar">
  <li><a href="index.html">Home page</a>
  <li><a href="musings.html">Musings</a>
  <li><a href="town.html">My town</a>
  <li><a href="links.html">Links</a>
</ul>
<!-- Main content -->
  :
  :
</body>
</html>
```

## Code View - Step 3 (Add fonts)



```
<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 4.01//EN">
<html>
<head>
  <title>My first styled page</title>
  <style type="text/css">
    body {
      color: purple;
      background-color: #d8da3d }
    ul.navbar {
      position: absolute;
      top: 2em;
      left: 1em;
      width: 9em }
    h1 {
      font-family: Helvetica, Geneva, Arial,
        SunSans-Regular, sans-serif }
  </style>
</head>
<body>
<!-- Site navigation menu -->
<ul class="navbar">
  <li><a href="index.html">Home page</a>
  <li><a href="musings.html">Musings</a>
  <li><a href="town.html">My town</a>
  <li><a href="links.html">Links</a>
</ul>
<!-- Main content -->
```

## Code View - Step 4 (Add navbar)

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>My first styled page</title>
  <style type="text/css">
    :
ul.navbar {
  position: absolute;
  top: 2em;
  left: 1em;
  width: 9em }
h1 {
  font-family: Helvetica, Geneva, Arial,
    SunSans-Regular, sans-serif }
ul.navbar li {
  background: white;
  margin: 0.5em 0;
  padding: 0.3em;
  border-right: 1em solid black }
ul.navbar a {
  text-decoration: none }
a:link {
  color: blue }
a:visited {
  color: purple }
</style>
  :
```

## Code View - Step 5 (Styling the navbar)

ADJECTIVE

CSS

Custom (e.g. class or id)  
Selector

Declaration

Declaration

.box

class

#nav

id

{ color:blue; font-size:12px; }

Property

Value

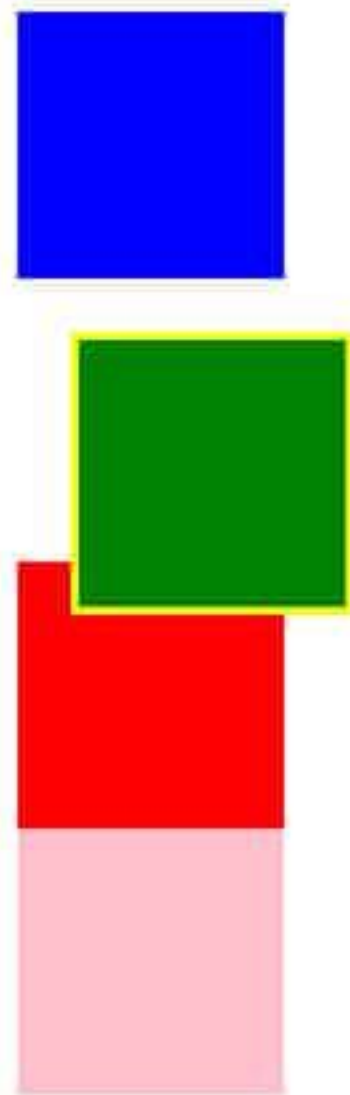
Property

Value

**Put the Internal Style Definition into an External File**

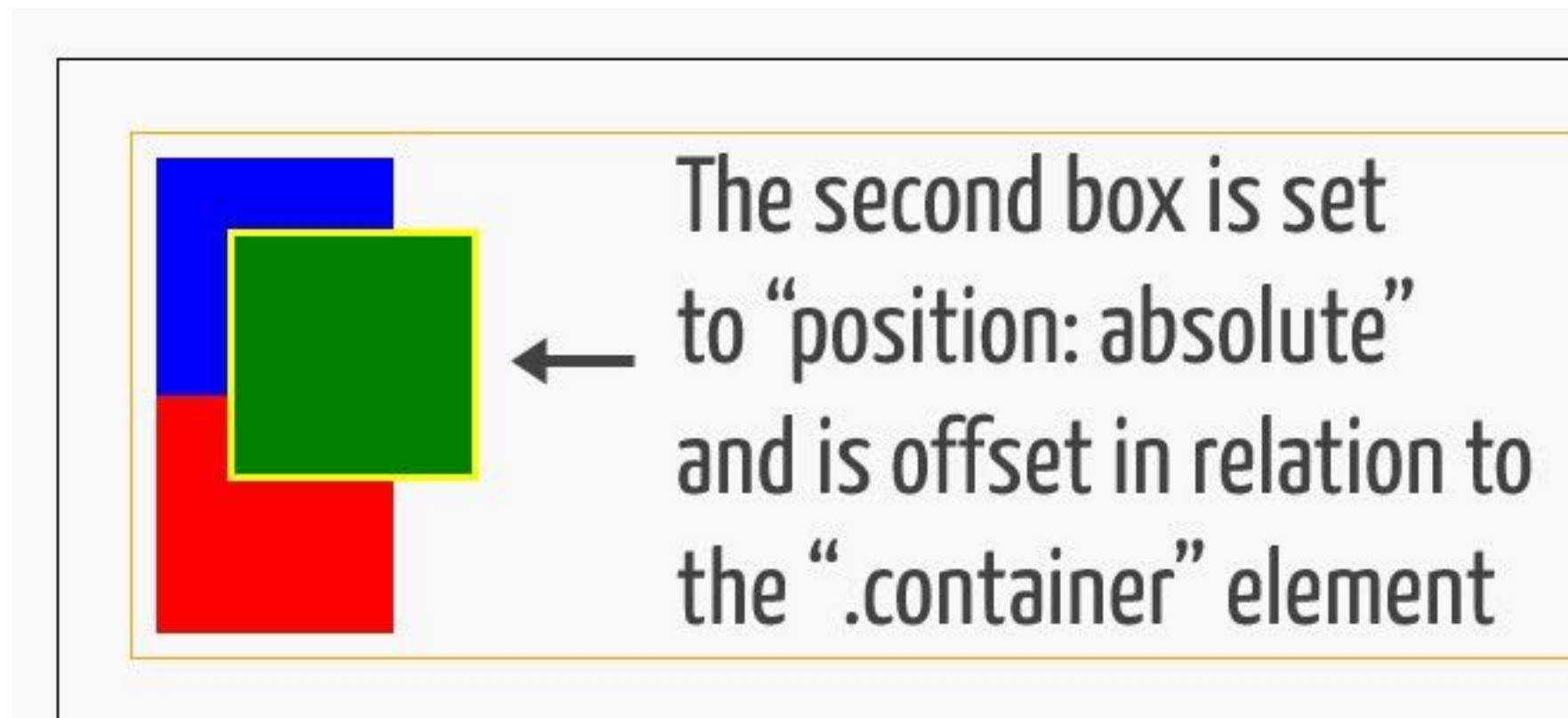
## **4 Ways of Positioning Display Box**

- Static - default position of a box following the normal document flow (not affected by top, left, right, bottom pos.)
- Fixed - it always stay on the same location as defined by the positions (top and left or bottom or right) even the page is scrolled. Unlike absolute, its parent is the viewport.
- Relative - relative when used with top and left position pair or bottom and right position pair will allow the object box to be moved to a new location relative to its current position (not container).
- Absolute - take the positioning out of the document flow and place it at a location (top and left position) as defined in relationship to its containing (or parent) element (context). The container/parent should be set to relative.



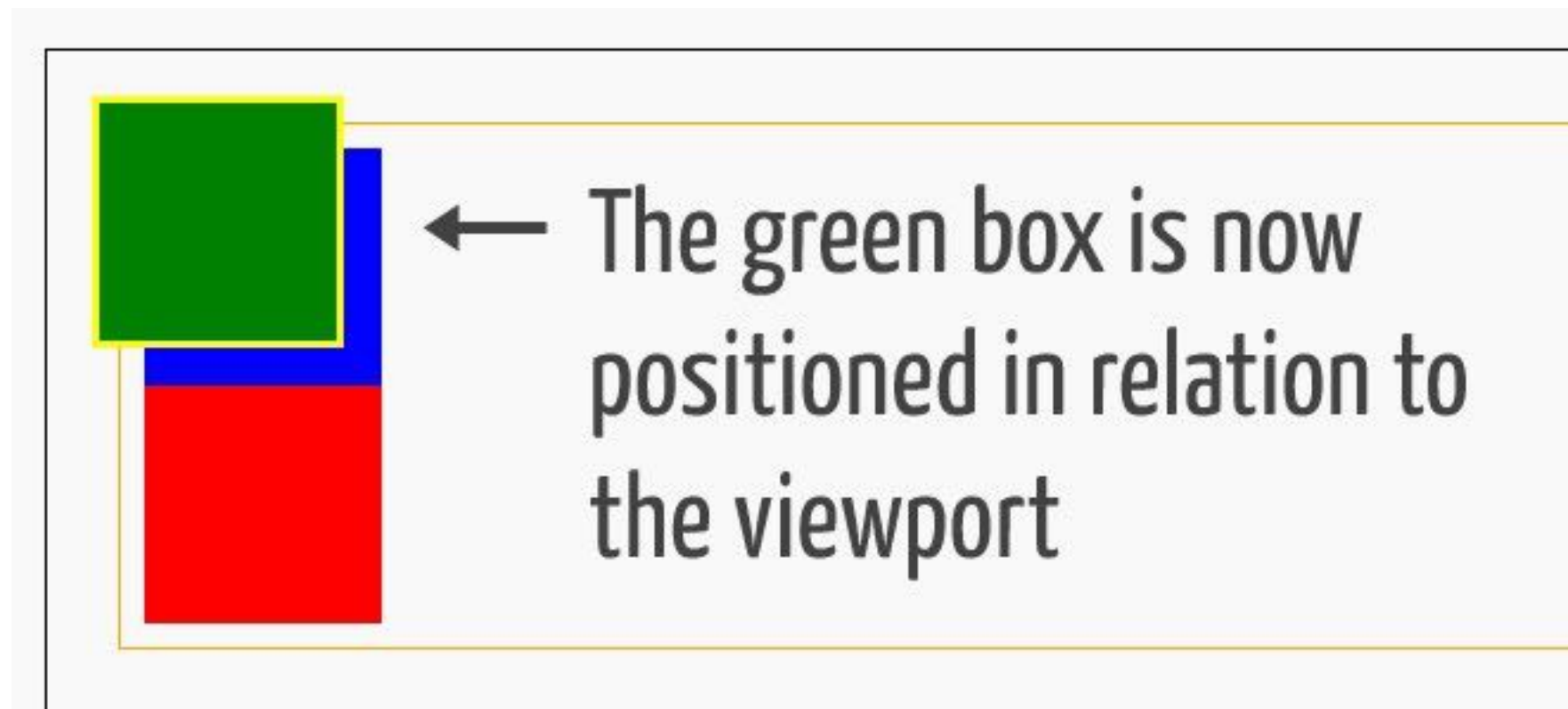
The second box is  
set to “position: relative”  
and is offset using  
top and left values.

Source: CSS Positioning: A Comprehensive Look  
(<http://blog.teamtreehouse.com/css-positioning>)



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(<http://blog.teamtreehouse.com/css-positioning>)

Box 1

Box 2

Box 3

**A Simple Example**

# The Grammar of CSS

- Styles define how to display HTML elements
- Each style description is made up of a Selector and Declaration
- Selector defines which HTML element should be used for display and the declaration defines how
- Each declaration contains properties and values
- There are base and custom selectors (ID and CLASS are custom selectors)
- Style definition can be placed inline, in the head section or in an external file (e.g. style.css)

VERB

JS

JavaScript = act on a HTML tag, CSS property or respond to an event triggered by user action

# **Understanding Computational Thinking as Foundation to JavaScript Programming**

**What is “Computational Thinking”?**

# Bitesize

Home > KS3 > Computer Science > Computational thinking

## Introduction to computational thinking

Before computers can be used to solve a problem, the problem itself and the ways in which it could be resolved must be understood. Computational thinking techniques help with these tasks.



Revise



Test

< 1 2 >

### What is computational thinking?

Computers can be used to help us solve problems. However, before a problem can be tackled, the problem itself and the ways in which it could be solved need to be understood.

Computational thinking allows us to do this.

### More Guides

Introduction to computational thinking

Decomposition



Pattern recognition



Abstraction



Algorithms



Evaluating solutions



Decomposition

Pattern

Abstraction

Algorithm

Automation &  
Testing





Decomposition

Break a problem down into smaller parts.



Pattern

Discover similarities between things.

## Abstraction

Ignore irrelevant details to focus on essential features to come up with one solution or classification that works for multiple situations.

## Algorithm

Specify a sequence of steps that someone or computer can follow to complete a task.

## Automation & Testing

Codify and test the algorithm for automated execution by the computer.

# **How Google used computational thinking to develop Google Earth**



**First warm up problem for computational thinking.**

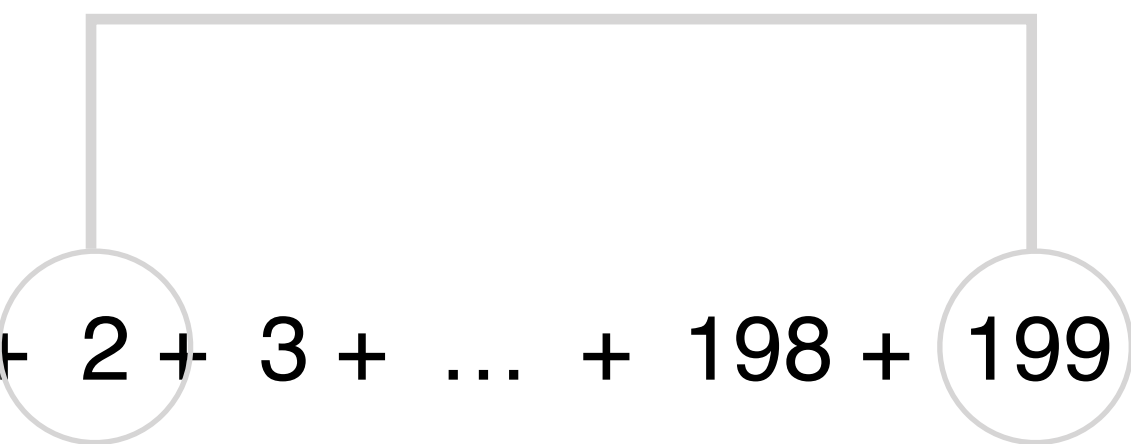


Summing up all the integers from 1 to 200  
in your head in 30 seconds.

$$1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 198 + 199 + 200$$

## Decomposition

$$1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 198 + 199 + 200$$

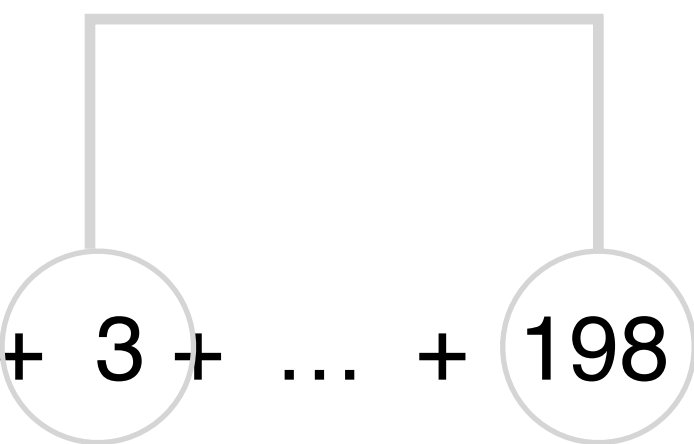


The diagram illustrates the pairing of terms in an arithmetic series. A horizontal line with vertical end-caps connects the number 2 and the number 199, which are each enclosed in a circle. This visualizes the concept that the sum of the first and last terms of a sequence is equal to the sum of the second and second-to-last terms, and so on.

$$1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 198 + 199 + 200$$

Pattern

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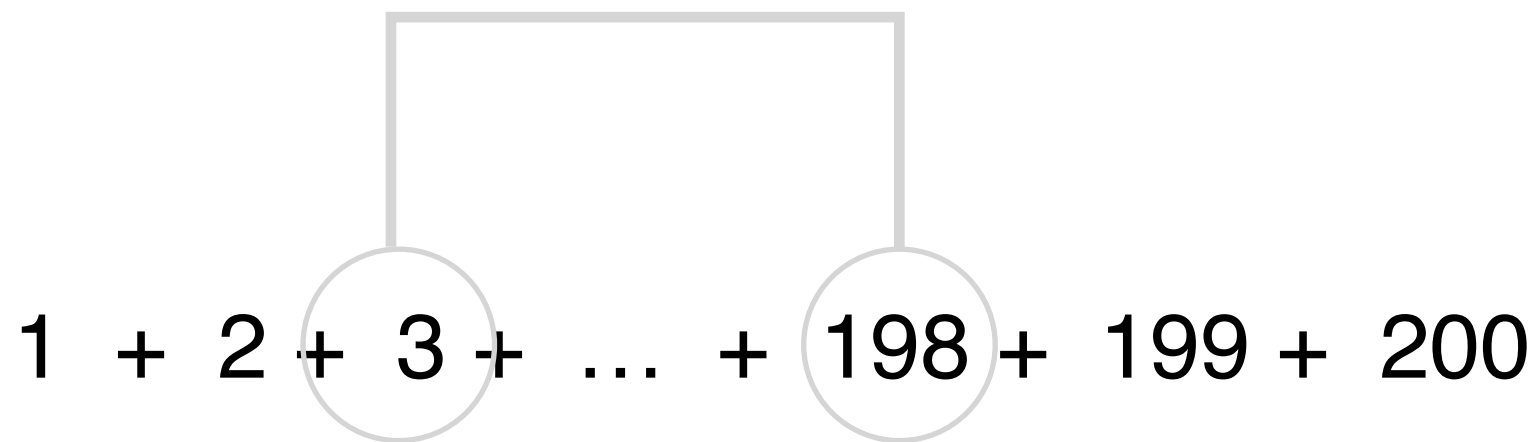
A diagram illustrating a summation sequence. The sequence is  $1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 198 + 199 + 200$ . The terms 3 and 198 are circled, and a horizontal line with vertical end caps connects them, indicating a pairing or abstraction of these terms.

$$1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 198 + 199 + 200$$

$$\frac{200 \times (201)}{2}$$

Abstraction

- Can we do it easily with 2,000?
- How about 20,000?
- What stays the same? What is different?

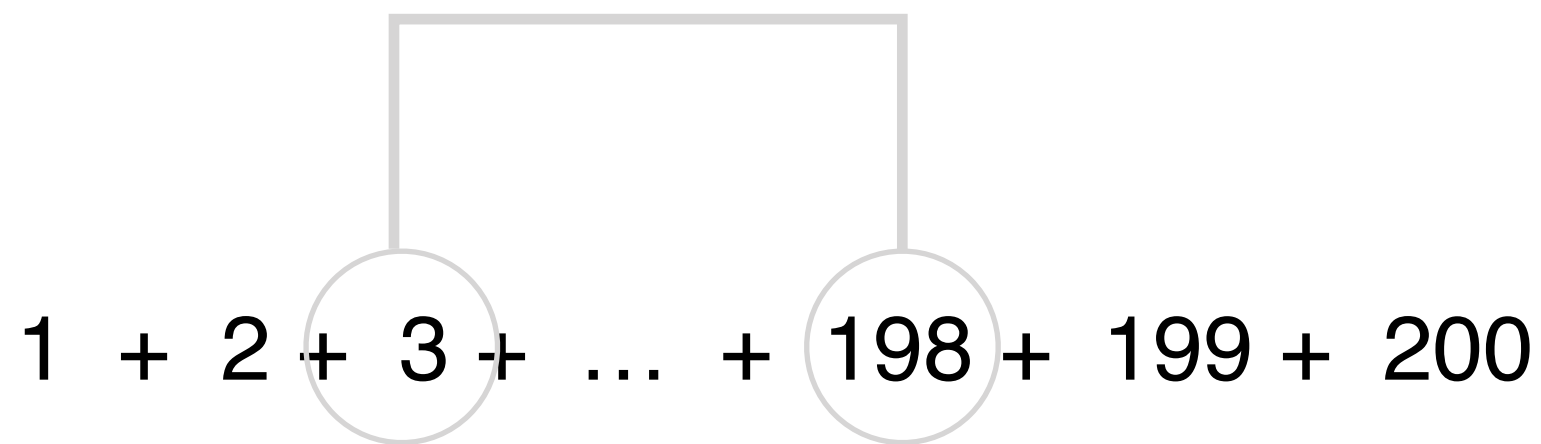


$$\frac{200 \times (201)}{2}$$

Abstraction

- Work through the problem we ultimately get ? = ("blank"/2) \* ("blank"+1)

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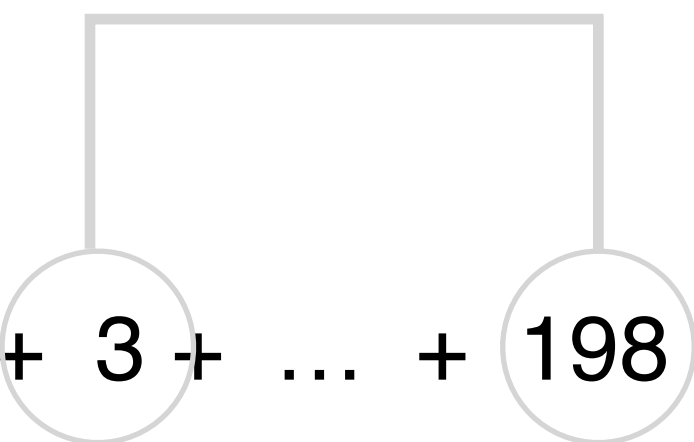
Abstraction

$$\frac{X \times (X+1)}{2}$$

Algorithm



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1 + 2 + 3 + ... + 198 + 199 + 200

The diagram shows the arithmetic series 1 + 2 + 3 + ... + 198 + 199 + 200. The terms 3 and 198 are circled, and a line connects them, forming a loop that suggests pairing the first and last terms of the series.

$$\frac{200 \times (201)}{2}$$

Abstraction

$$\frac{X \times (X+1)}{2}$$

Algorithm

Algorithm = function

variable

$$Y = f(X) \quad 20,100 = \frac{X}{2} \times (X+1)$$

Table 1

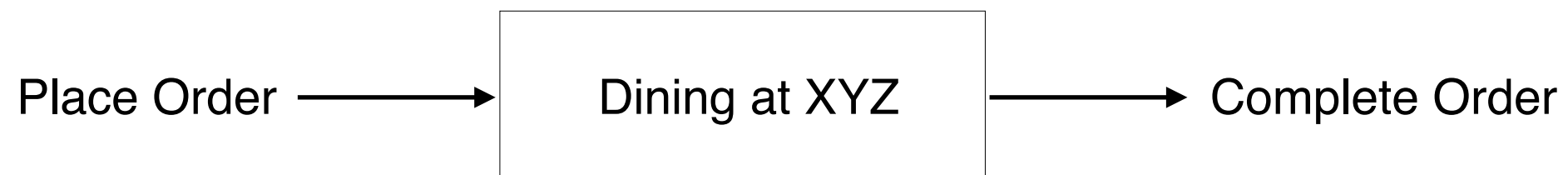
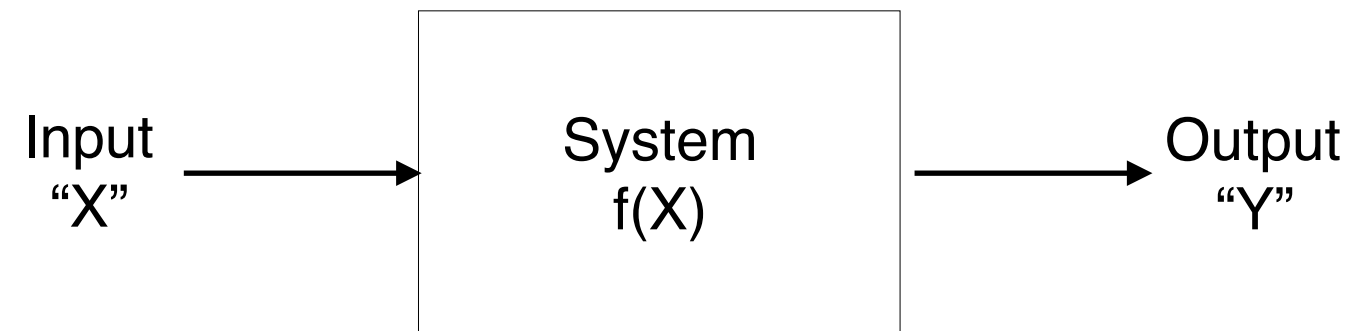
	X	200	
	X+1	201	
	X/2	100	
	(X+1)x(X/2)	20,100	

Automate & Test in a Spreadsheet

**Computational thinking is about  
system and data.**

**What is JavaScript? How does it fit into computational thinking?**

$$Y = f(X)$$



Example: Cell manipulation in Excel with some cells controlling inputs while others outputs.

**JavaScript provides us with the capabilities to build system and transform data.**

# **Data Types in JavaScript**

## Declaring a variable and its data type:

- **String** - e.g. **var str\_var = "This is a string.";**
- **Numeric** - e.g. **var num\_var = 3.2;**
- **Boolean** - e.g. **var bol\_var = true;**



## Basic Input/Output Commands

- Entering a variable - e.g. **var x = prompt("Enter x value");**
- Displaying a variable - e.g. **alert("x = " + x\_var);**

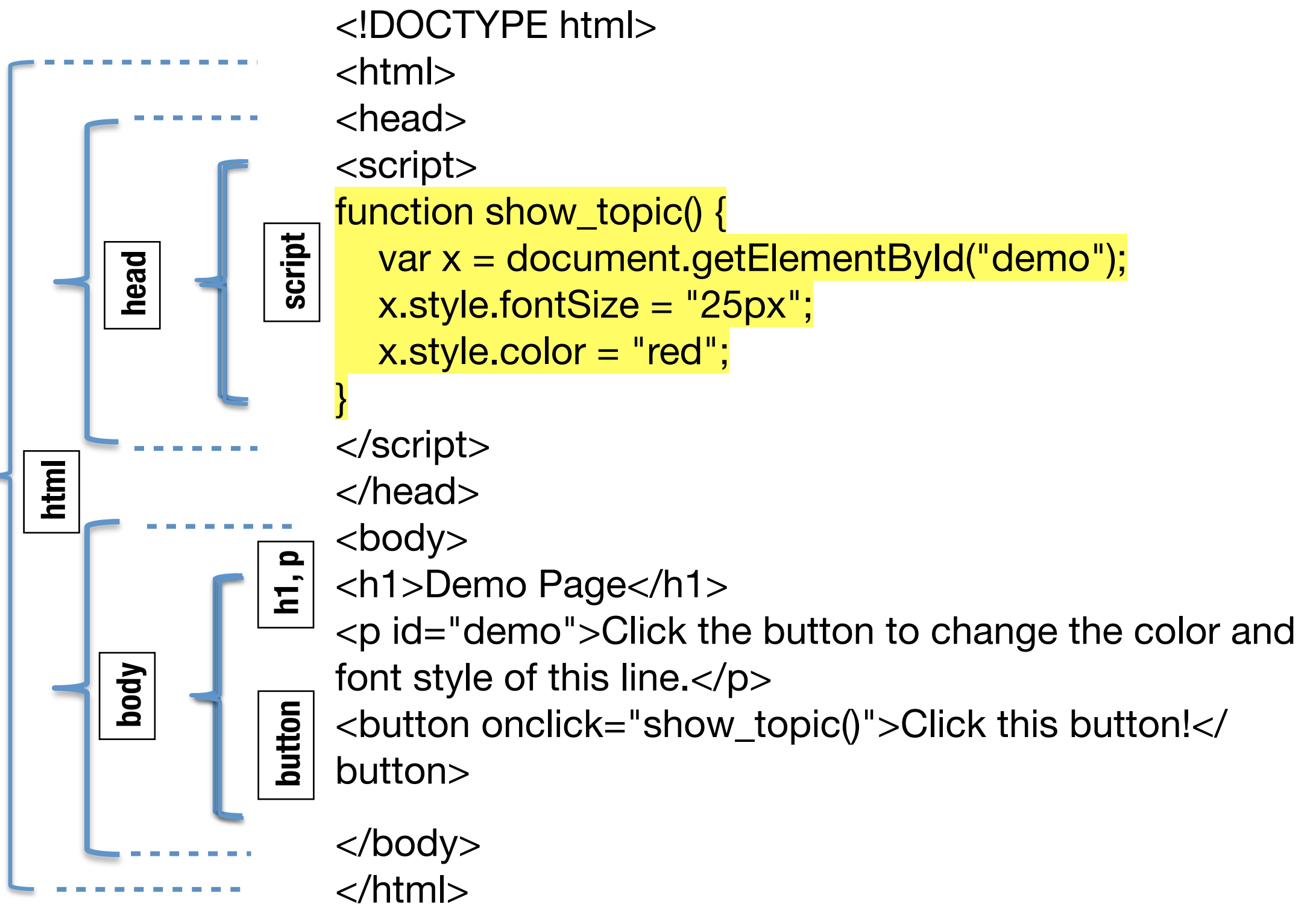
# **JavaScript Functions that Transform Input into Output**

## Basic Structure of a JavaScript Function

optional parameters  
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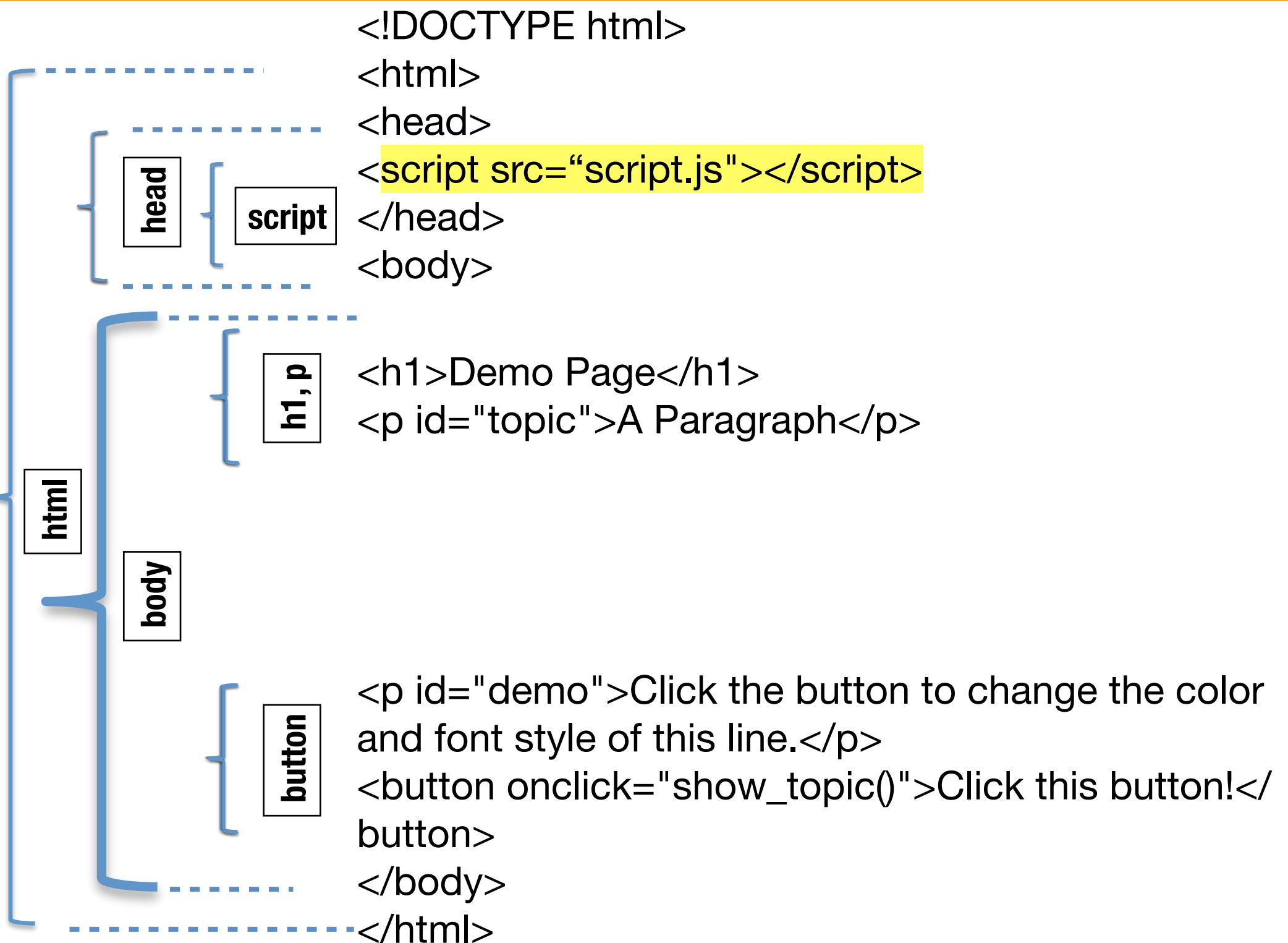
```
<head>  
<script>  
function function_name(parameter1, parameter 2...) {  
    Embed data type variables, input/output commands  
    and logical and mathematical operators in the function to  
    compute and return values.  
}  
</script>  
</head>
```

## Code View



**Similar to CSS, JS can be placed in  
an External File**

## Code View



# **JavaScript Operations and Commands that Can Enrich the Transformation Process**

## Basic Logical and Mathematical Operations

- `==` equal (comparing string and boolean)
- `!=` not equal (comparing string and boolean)
- `=` equal (comparing numerical values)
- `>=` greater than or equal to (comparing numerical values)
- `<=` smaller or equal to (comparing numerical values)
- `+, -, *, /, %, &&, ||, !` (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, modular, and, or, not)



# Basic Structure of a JavaScript Function

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
```

```
<html>
```

```
<head><script>
```

```
function addition(a, b) {
```

```
    a = parseInt(a); b = parseInt(b);
```

```
    c = a + b;
```

```
    return c;
```

```
}
```

```
function get_values() {
```

```
    var a = prompt("Enter first number:");
```

```
    var b = prompt("Enter second number:");
```

```
    var z = addition(a,b); alert("The answer is:" + z);
```

```
}
```

```
</script></head>
```

```
<body>
```

```
<button onclick="get_values();" >Click here</button>
```

```
</body>
```

```
</html>
```

## Basic Logical and Mathematical Operations

**if (condition) {action} else {action}**

**Examples:**

- `if (boolean_var == true) {alert("That is correct");} else {alert("That is incorrect");}`
- `if (string_var != "David") {alert("Not Peter");}`
- `if (num_var >= 8) {alert("The number is greater than or equal to eight.");} else {alert("The number is smaller than eight.");}`

## Input/Output Commands without Pop-up

- Entering a variable values through HTML form - e.g.

```
<script>
```

```
function guessInteger() {  
    guess = document. forms['guessForm']['guessValue'].value;  
    if (guess == '') {  
        document.getElementById('demo').innerHTML = "Empty!";  
        return;  
    } else {  
        guess_int = parseInt(guess);  
        if (guess_int) == 20)  
            {document.getElementById('demo').innerHTML = "Right!";} else  
            {document.getElementById('demo').innerHTML = "Wrong!";}   
        return;  
    }  
</script>  
<body>  
<form name='guessForm'>  
    <input name = "guessValue" class="inputField">  
</form>  
<button class='button' onclick='guessInteger()'>Guess an Integer</button>  
<div id='demo'></div>  
</body>
```

## More Advanced JS Data Structures: Array and Object

- **Array** - a list of elements e.g.  
`var fruits = ["apple", "grape", "pear"];)`
- **Object** - a collection of properties represented in name:values pairs e.g.  
`var student {  
 student_id: 1155115511;  
 student_fname: "Bernard";  
 student_lname: "Suen";  
 student_major: "EPIN";  
}`

# Loop

**Loop is an iterative programming construct suitable for handling JavaScript array and object.**

```
for (initialization; condition; increment) {  
    JavaScript statements  
}
```

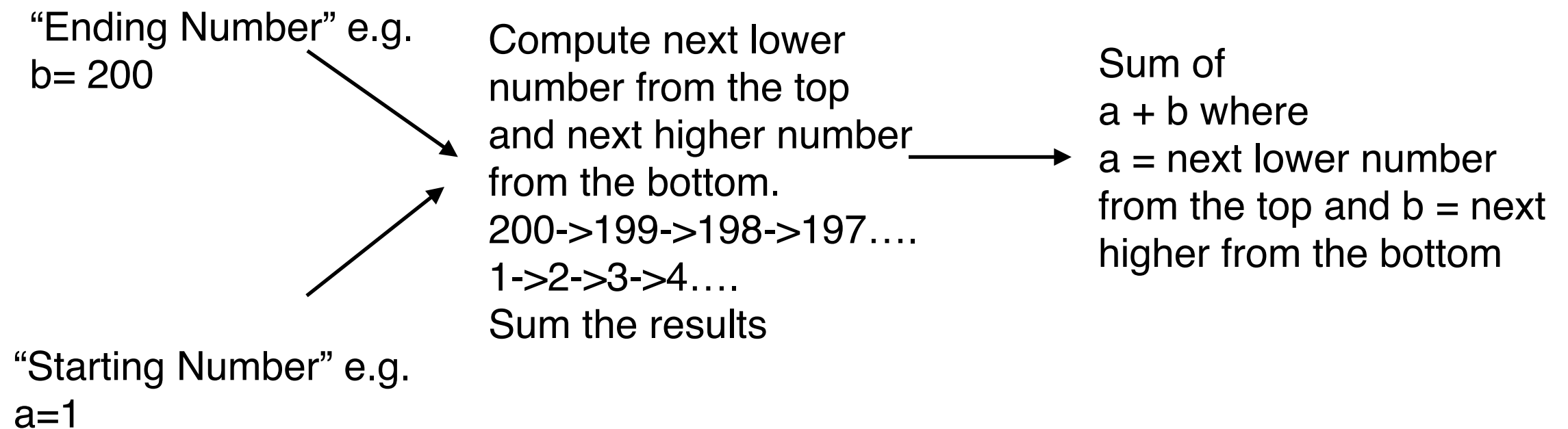
Try the following steps:

- 1) `var fruits = [];`
- 2) `for (i=1; i< 10 ;i++) {  
 fruits[i] =  
 prompt("Enter  
fruit:");  
}`
- 3) `alert("fruits contain"  
+ fruits);`

**Can you write a web application using HTML/CSS/JavaScript to compute the addition of a consecutive sequence of integers (e.g.  $1+2+3+...+200$ )?**

**Extra points will be given to those students whose web application can handle both odd and even numbers and input and output without pop-up prompt and alert.**

$$Y = f(a,b)$$



“You may need a loop to complete this function.”

# Functions in JavaScript Programming

- You can look at a function as a mini-system.
- A function is designed to transform input into output.
- You can execute a function within another function.
- A program can be viewed as a collections of functions decomposed into hierarchy of functions to get things done.
- Good programmer looks for patterns in job to be done and abstract common parameters, algorithms, and outcomes to be placed inside a function for code reuse.



# The Grammar of JavaScript

- JavaScript is a programming language that can be used to write functions placed inside html or an external file.
- JavaScript can be placed between the <script> and </script> tags inside the <head> section or link to an external file through the script src link.
- JavaScript codes can be understood as a collection of functions that respond to events triggered by internal browser activities and external user interactions.
- JavaScript can be used to manipulate HTML elements and CSS styles.

## **Problem Set #2**

Write a JavaScript program to create a puzzle (feel free to design a math or word puzzle as you wish). Ask the player to input values through HTML form and display the result inside a box (with an ID selector) positioned inside the browser.

**Thank You!**