

onchange Event

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Example

Call a function when a user changes the selected option of a <select> element:

```
<select onchange="myFunction()">
```

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Description

The onchange event occurs when the value of an HTML element is changed.

Tip: This event is similar to the <u>oninput</u> event. The difference is that the oninput event occurs immediately after the value of an element has changed, while onchange occurs when the element loses focus, after the content has been changed. The other difference is that the onchange event also works on <select> elements.



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Syntax

```
In HTML:
```

```
<element onchange="myScript">
```

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In JavaScript:

```
object.onchange = function(){myScript};
```

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In JavaScript, using the addEventListener() method:

```
object.addEventListener("change", myScript);
```

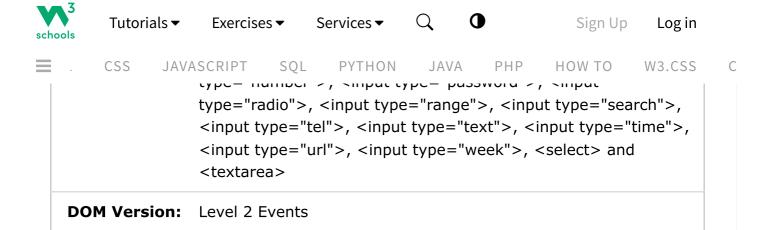
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Technical Details

Bubbles: Yes

Cancelable: No

Event type: Event



More Examples

Example

Call a function when a user changes the content of an input field:

```
<input type="text" onchange="myFunction()">
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```

Browser Support

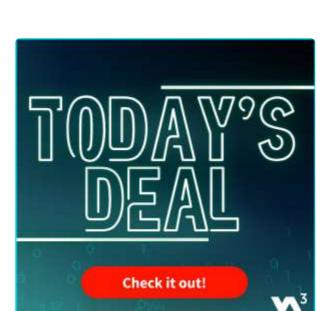
onchange is a DOM Level 2 (2001) feature.

It is fully supported in all browsers:





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