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jQuery

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jQuery Library

- Download a copy of the library from the jQuery Web site

<http://code.jquery.com/jquery-1.7.2.js>

or use the CSE336 version (non-compressed)

<http://www.cs.stonybrook.edu/~cse336/jquery-1.7.2.js>

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jQuery Reading & References

■ Tutorials

<http://www.tutorialspoint.com/jquery/>
docs.jquery.com/Tutorials:Getting_Started_with_jQuery
jqfundamentals.com/

Be careful, the jquery.com site has
some articles that are not correct

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References

■ Quick Reference Guide

www.tutorialspoint.com/jquery/jquery-quick-guide.htm

■ API

<http://api.jquery.com/>

■ jQuery events

<http://api.jquery.com/category/events/>

■ jQuery selectors

[docs.jquery.com/DOM/Traversing/Selectors#](http://docs.jquery.com/DOM/Traversing/Selectors#Using_CSS_and_XPath_Together)
[Using_CSS_and_XPath_Together](http://docs.jquery.com/DOM/Traversing/Selectors#Using_CSS_and_XPath_Together)

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Learning Goals

- Understand jQuery library as a way to
 - simplify the JavaScript event model
 - Standardize among different JavaScript implementations
- Understand jQuery syntax and semantics
- Understand how to use jQuery to manipulate the DOM tree
- Understand how to use jQuery to make an Ajax request to a server

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jQuery

- Did you notice that
 - the combination of DOM and JavaScript is not elegant?
 - Different browser JS implementations cause problems
- With the emergence of Ajax, the importance of client side scripting is greatly increased
- Solution - jQuery
 - Cross-browser JavaScript library
 - Dual-licensed (MIT/GNU)
 - Extendable through plug-ins

jQuery name is misleading - it has little to do with queries

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Hello jQuery World


```
<head>
<script type="text/javascript" src="jquery-1.7.2.js"></script>
<script type="text/javascript">
$(document).ready(function() {
  $("a").click(function() {
    alert("Hello world!");
  });
});
</script>
</head>
<body>
<a href="#">Link</a>
</body>
</html>
```

The jQuery ready function provides a handler to execute when the page has loaded

Ready function parameter is typically an anonymous function

Link

\$ (a valid JavaScript identifier) represents the jQuery function
(\$()) constructs a new jQuery object



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A Closer Look

```
<head>
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<script type="text/javascript">
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  function() {
    $("a").click(function() {
      alert("Hello world!");
    });
  });
</script>
</head>
<body>
<a href="#">Link</a>
</body>
</html>
```

\$("#a"), a jQuery selector, constructs a new jQuery object, consisting of all anchor elements in the page

The click() function is a method of the jQuery object. It binds a click event to all selected elements

The click function replaces the use of the JavaScript onclick event handler (and we do not need onclick for every anchor tag)

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jQuery Selectors ...

- Selecting elements in jQuery uses a combination of XPath and CSS selectors
 - `$('*')` - selects all elements in the document.
 - `$("p > *")` - selects all child elements of a paragraph element.
 - `$("#specialID")` - selects the element with `id="specialID"`.
 - `$(".specialClass")` - selects all the elements that have the class of *specialClass*.

Note similarity
to XPath

Note similarity
to CSS

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jQuery Selectors ...

- `$("p a.specialClass")`: This selector matches links with a class of *specialClass* declared within `<p>` elements
- `$("ul li:first")` - Selects only the first `` element of the ``
- `$("#container p")`: Selects all elements matched by `<p>` that are descendants of an element that has an id of *container*.
- `$("li > ul")`: Selects all elements matched by `` that are children of an element matched by ``
- `$("strong + em")` - Selects all elements matched by `` that immediately follow a sibling element matched by ``.
- `$("p ~ ul")`: Selects all elements matched by `` that follow a sibling element matched by `<p>`

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jQuery Selectors

- `$("code, em, strong")` - Selects all elements matched by `<code>` or `` or ``.
- `$("p strong, .myclass")` - Selects all elements matched by `` that are descendants of an element matched by `<p>` as well as all elements that have a class of `myclass`.
- `$(":empty")` - Selects all elements that have no children.
- `$("p:empty")` - Selects all elements matched by `<p>` that have no children.

*Many more selectors in the
jQuery Quick Guide*

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jQuery Selector Example

■ Example:

```
$(document).ready(function() {  
  $("#orderedlist").addClass("red");  
  $("#orderedlist > li").addClass("blue");  
});
```

```
...  
<ol id="orderedlist">  
  <li>First element</li>  
  <li>Second element</li>  
  <li>Third element</li>  
</ol>  
<ol id="orderedlist2">  
  <li>First element, second list</li>  
  <li>Second element, second list</li>  
  <li>Third element, second list</li>  
  <li>Li with child ul  
    <ul>  
      <li>Child One</li>  
      <li>child two</li>  
    </ul>  
  </li>  
</ol>
```

1 First element
2 Second element
3 Third element

1. First element, second list
2. Second element, second list
3. Third element, second list

Above JS adds class="red"
to the ol element
and adds class="blue" to
each of the li elements

Screen.css

```
.red { background-color: red; }  
.blue { color: blue; }  
.green { color: green; }
```

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Selector Examples

- Hide all Paragraph elements that contain a class attribute:
`$("#p[@class]").hide();`
Good for concealing an error message on a page - and making it visible when an error is detected
- Show the first paragraph on the page:
`$("#p:eq(0)").show();`
- Hide all divs that are currently showing:
`$("#div:visible").hide();`
- Get all list items that are children of an unordered list:
`$("#ul/li") /* valid too: $("#ul > li") */`

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Selector Examples

- Get all Paragraphs, with a class of 'foo', that have a link in them:
`$("#p.foo[a]");`
Like an Xpath predicate operator
- Get list item that contains link with "Register" text inside:
`$("#li[a:contains('Register')]");`
- Get the input field's value with the name of 'bar':
`$("#input[@name=bar]").val();`
- All checked radio buttons:
`$("#input[@type=radio][@checked]")`

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Event Handlers Bound to Events

- You bind an event handler to a JavaScript event for a collection of elements *Check jQuery events*
- For every onxxx event, there is a jQuery equivalent

Collection of elements

JS event

Event handler

JavaScript Event	jQuery
blur	blur()
change	change()
click	click()
focus	focus()
	hover() - 2 handlers
load	load()
submit	submit()
Etc.	

```
$("a").click(function() { alert("Hello world!"); });
```

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Binding Events to Functions

```
$("a").click(function() { alert("Hello world!"); });
```

- The example above uses a event helper method.
- Full syntax:

```
$("a").bind('click', function);
```

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Extra jQuery Events

- Many jQuery events go beyond the JavaScript events
 - ready
 - hover
- Other functions
 - find - further search the descendants of the already selected item
 - each - iterate over every element
 - append - append text to an element

```
$(document).ready(function() {  
    $("#orderedlist").find("li").each(function(i) {  
        $(this).append( " BAM! " + i );  
    });  
});
```

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Equivalent of XPath Predicates

- filter() - reduces the set to those that match the expression
- not() - removes all elements that match the expression

```
$(document).ready(function() {  
    $("li").not(":has(ul)")  
    .css("border", "1px solid black"); });
```

selects all li elements that have a ul element as a child and removes all elements from the selection. Therefore all li elements get a border, except the one that has a child ul

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CSS Getter and Setter Methods

- Supports nearly all of CSS selectors
- `css()`
 - Getter - `css(propertyName)`
 - Setter - `css(propertyName, propertyValue)`
- Gets or sets a CSS property value from the first matched element
- Accounts for JavaScript function name differences among browsers

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css() Example

www.cs.stonybrook.edu/~cse336/CSS-Example.html



Notice the color of the text

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... css() Example

```
<style>
div { width:60px; height:60px; margin:5px; float:left; }
</style>
<script src="http://www.cs.stonybrook.edu/~cse336/jquery-
1.7.2.js"></script>
</head>
<body>
<span id="result">&nbsp;</span>
<div style="background-color:blue;"></div>
<div style="background-color:rgb(15,99,30);"></div>
<div style="background-color:#123456;"></div>
<div style="background-color:#f11;"></div>
<script>
$("div").click(function () {
    var color = $(this).css("background-color");
    $("#result").html("That div is <span style='color:" +
    color + ";>" + color + "</span>.");
});
</script>
```

div element that was clicked

Element with an id of "result"

Acts like innerhtml

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Are We on Track?

- For your Oracle project, select all h3 tags that have a class attribute.
- Set the background color of the h3 to red
- Hints:
 - Be sure to reference the jQuery library (you can access jquery-1.7.2.js from the class Web site)

OracleForm-Strict.htm is available on CSE336 site

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Were We on Track?

```
<script type="text/javascript"
src="http://www.cs.stonybrook.edu/~cse336/jquery-1.7.2.js">
</script>
<script type="text/javascript">
$(document).ready(function() {
    $("h3[class]").css("background", "#ff0000" );
});
</script>
```

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html()

- The `html()` method gets the `html` contents (`innerHTML`) of the first matched element
- Example

Click on the square below:



Click on the square below:

This is Blue Square!!



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html() Example

```
<script type="text/javascript"
  src="http://www.cs.stonybrook.edu/~cse336/jquery-1.7.2.js">
</script>
<script type="text/javascript" language="javascript">
$(document).ready(function() { $("div").click(
  function () { var content = $(this).html();
    $("#result").text( content ); }); });
</script>
<style> #division{ margin:10px;padding:12px; border:2px solid
#666; width:60px; }
</style>
</head>
<body> <p>Click on the square below:</p>
<span id="result"></span>
<div id="division" style="background-color:blue;color:yellow;">
This is Blue Square!! </div> </body>
```

A typical approach to displaying error messages is to insert the text into a div or span element

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Text Method

- The text method gets and/or sets the combined text contents of all matched elements
 - text() - gets the content of matched elements
 - text(content) - sets the content of matched elements
- Method works for both on XML and XHTML documents.

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DOM Attributes

- We can access DOM attributes
 - className, tagName, id, href, title, rel, src
- attr method can be used to
 - fetch the value of an attribute from the first element in the matched set - `attr(attributeName)`
 - set attribute values onto all matched elements
`attr(attributeName, attributeValue)`

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DOM Element Replacement

- You can replace a complete DOM element with the specified HTML or DOM elements
- Replace with HTML or simple text

`selector.replaceWith(content)`

```
<script type="text/javascript" language="javascript">
  $(document).ready(function() {
    $("#div").click(function () {
      $(this).replaceWith("<h1>jQuery is Great</h1>");
    });
  });
</script>
```

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Determine Number of Matches

- To determine the number of matched elements
 - length property (preferred approach)
 - size() method

```
alert( "Size: " + $("li").size() );  
alert( "Size: " + $("li").length );
```

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Other DOM Attributes

<code>removeAttr(name)</code>	Remove an attribute from each of the matched elements.
<code>hasClass(class)</code>	Returns true if the specified class is present on at least one of the set of matched elements.
<code>removeClass(class)</code>	Removes all or the specified class(es) from the set of matched elements.
<code>toggleClass(class)</code>	Adds the specified class if it is not present, removes the specified class if it is present.
<code>val()</code>	Get the input value of the first matched element.
<code>val(val)</code>	Set the value attribute of every matched element if it is called on <input> but if it is called on <select> with the passed <option> value then passed option would be selected, if it is called on check box or radio box then all the matching check box and radiobox would be checked.

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Are We on Track?

- Using a `h3` element in your project html, count the number of table elements.

There Are 49 Tables In The Oracle HTML

ORACLE MyProfile Create Use

Please provide the following information to creat

Your Oracle.com account gives you access to a PartnerNetwork. If you are registering for one of

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Were We on Track?

```
...
$(document).ready(function() {
    var tc = $("table").length;
    $("#tableCount").html(tc);
});
</script>
</head>
<body id="d1">
<h3>There are <span id="tableCount"> </span> tables in the Oracle
HTML</h3>
```

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jQuery - AJAX

- jQuery allows easy, browser-consistent use of Ajax
- jQuery load method

```
$('#result').load('ajax/test.html');
```

- Fetches data from a server
- Sets the html contents of the matched element to the return data

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Example

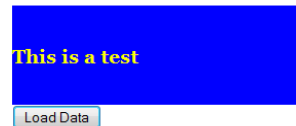
- Insert test.html into page

```
<br /><h3>This is a test</h3><br />
```

Click on the button to load test.html file:



Click on the button to load test.html file:



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Example

```
<script type="text/javascript" language="javascript">
  $(document).ready(function() {
    $("#driver").click(function(event){
      $("#stage").load("test.html");
    });
  });
</script>
</head>
<body>
<p id="p1">Click on the button to load test.html file:</p>
<div id="stage" style="background-color:blue;"> STAGE
</div>
<input type="button" id="driver" value="Load Data" />
</body>
```

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Same Origin Policy

- The same origin policy is an important security concept for browser-side programming languages, such as JavaScript
- The policy
 - permits scripts running on pages originating from the same site to access each other's methods and properties with no specific restrictions
 - prevents access to most methods and properties across pages on different sites

Reference: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Same_origin_policy

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Same Origin Example

URL to load is in the same directory as this html

```

<body>
<b>Successful Response (should be blank):</b>
<div id="success"></div>
<b>Error Response:</b>
<div id="error"></div>
<script>
$("#success").load("test.html", function(response,
status, xhr) {
  if (status == "error") {
    var msg = "Sorry but there was an error: ";
    $("#error").html(msg + "Status:" + xhr.status +
      " " + "StatusText:" + xhr.statusText);
  }
});
</script>
</body>

```

Callback function invoked after response is inserted

XMLHttpRequest object

Inserted html

Successful Response (should be blank):

This is a test

Error Response:

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Same Origin Example

```

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<div id="error"></div>
<script>
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  "http://www.cs.stonybrook.edu/~cse336/test.html",
  function(response, status, xhr) {
    if (status == "error") {
      var msg = "Sorry but there was an error: ";
      $("#error").html(msg + "Status:" + xhr.status +
        " " + "StatusText:" + xhr.statusText);
    }
  });
</script>
</body>

```

Successful Response (should be blank):

Error Response:

Sorry but there was an error: Status:0 StatusText:error

Insert not allowed because inserted html on different site

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Sending an Ajax Request

- To request data from the server
 - Compose a query string
 - Append the query string to the URL
 - Send the Ajax request

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Example

Enter text and click the button

Enter text and click the button

The parameter value is: test

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Example - Code

■ AjaxExample.jsp

```
<script type="text/javascript" language="javascript">
  $(document).ready(function() {
    $("#driver").click(function(event){
      var queryString=$("#i").attr("value");
      var url="JqueryAjaxExample?input=" + queryString;
      $("#p").load(url);
    });
  });
</script>
</head>
<body>
  <p id="p1">Enter text and click the button</p>
  <input id="i" type="text" />
  <input type="button" id="driver" value="Load Data" />
  <br />
  <div id="p"></div>
</body>
```

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