# Javascript

CC Lab Week 1

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https://github.com/peterobbin/CClab2016

Javascript

Arduino
Unity
openFrameworks

NOT related to Java (although some similarities exist)

Lightweight, interpreted programming language.

Object-oriented, prototype-based

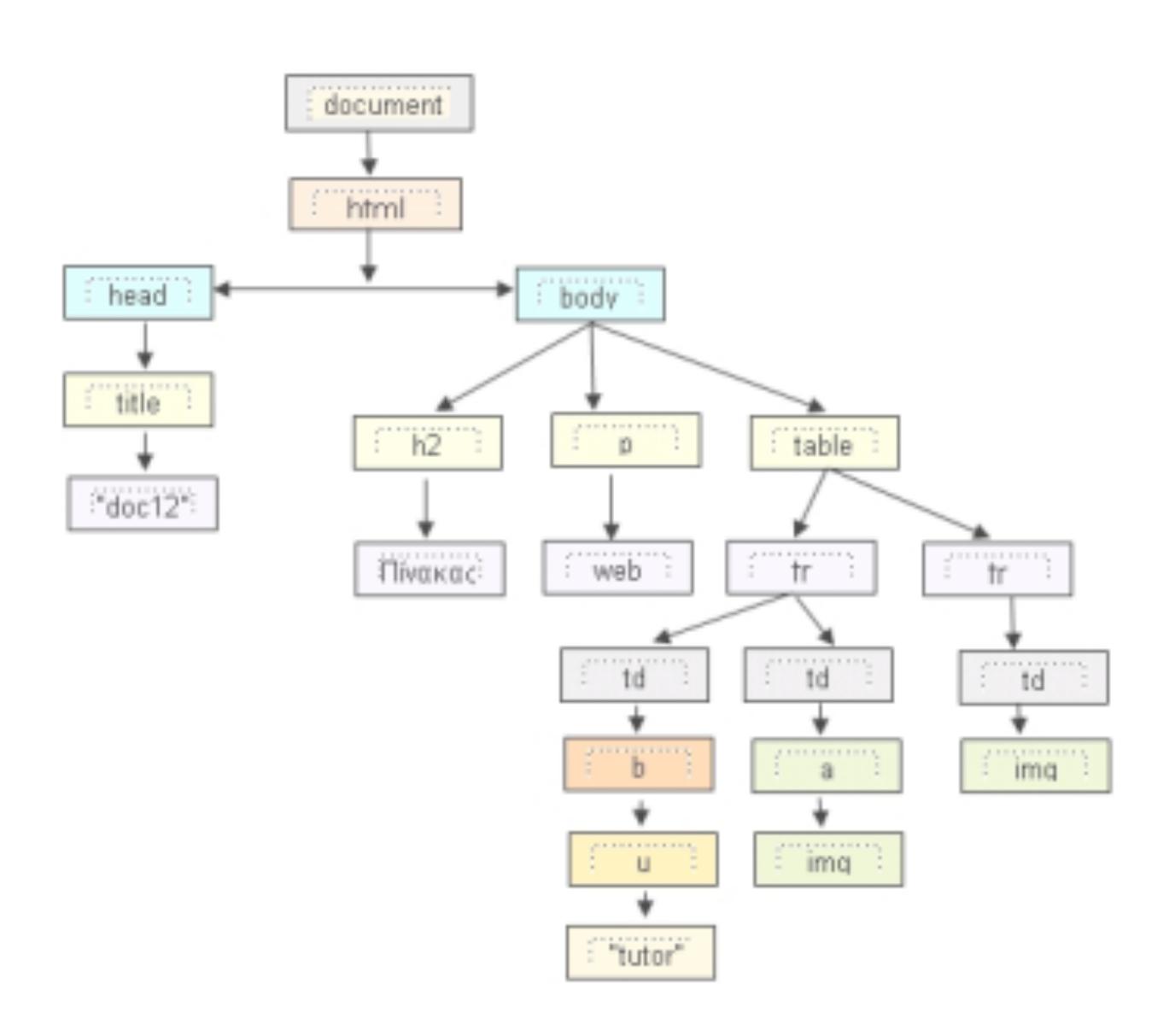
Most well-known as scripting language for web pages

JS is built into web browsers

Useful for its ability to access and programmatically manipulate the elements in HTML/CSS, adding interactivity to web pages

DOM: Document Object Model

The DOM provides a way to represent, store, and manipulate the web page elements as objects (represented as a tree or node structure). JavaScript can call these objects and programmatically alter anything that is written in the HTML document.



#### Variable

Variables are containers for storing data values. Variables can be booleans, numbers, strings, arrays\*, objects.

```
//all variables in JS are declared with var
var num = 3;
var _name = "hello";
var excited2BeHere = true;
var count = [0,1,2,3];
```

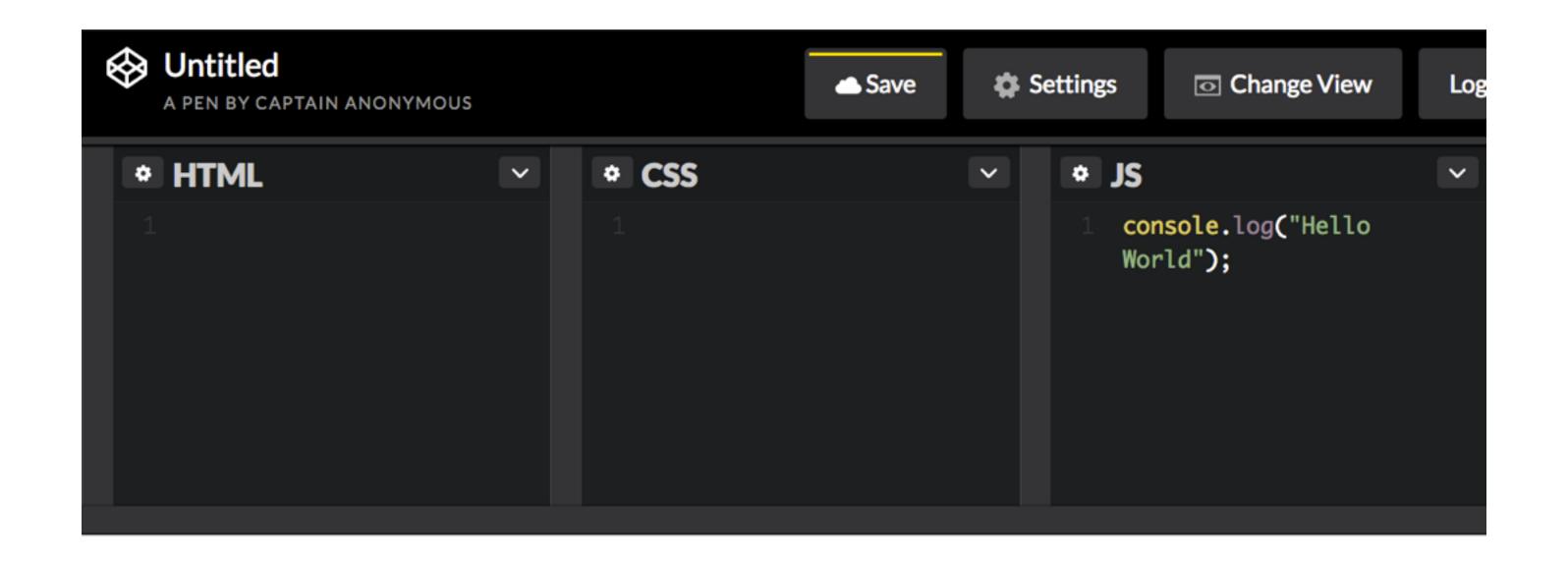
```
console.log(Anything);
```

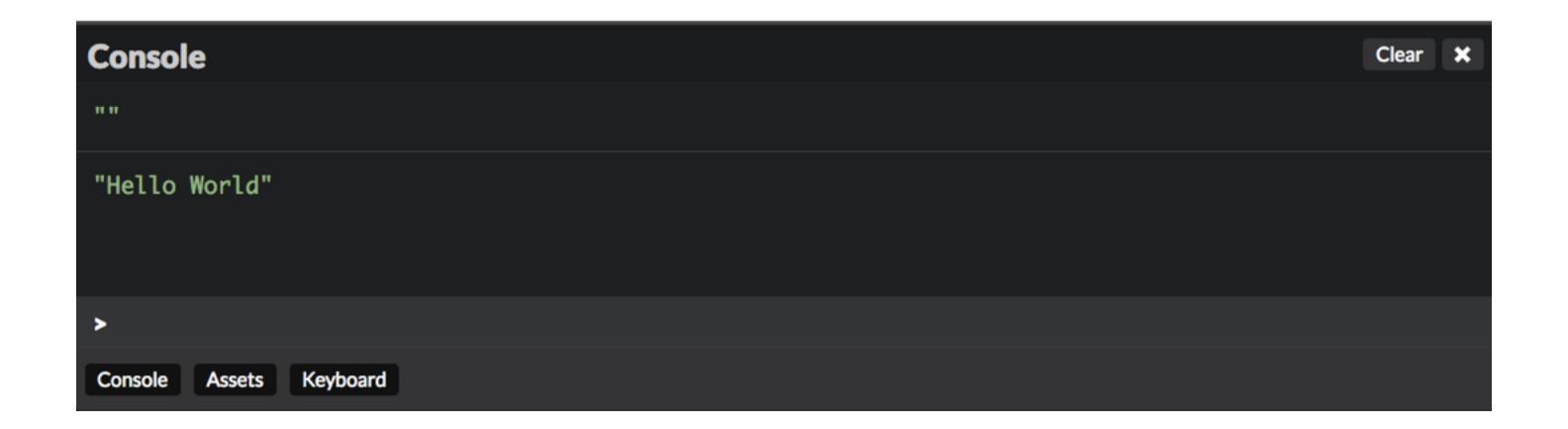
```
console.log("good morning");
```

console.log(14);

console.log(newNumber);

Using <u>codepen.io</u>





https://codepen.io/

## practice using variable

- create two variable (number or string)
- use console.log() to display them in console

#### Function

A function is a set of statements that performs a task.

```
// to define a function, you need a function name, parameters
inside the parentheses ( ), and statements inside the curly brackets
{ }
```

```
function adding Numbers (num1, num2){
  return num1 + num2;
// for the function to execute, it needs to be called somewhere else
in the code.
addingNumbers(1,2);
```

## practice using function

- create two variables
- create a function that take two parameters
- do some math inside it
- don't forget to return a number
- feed in the variables to the function and console.log() it!

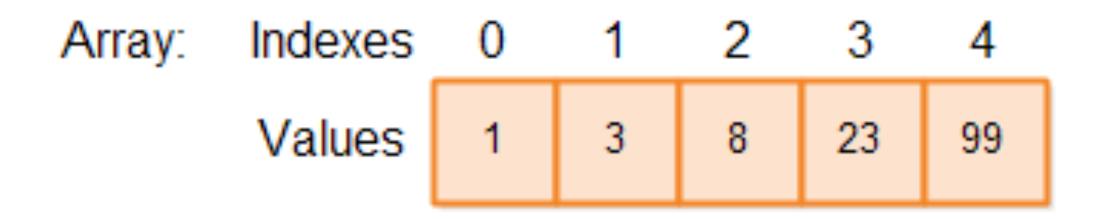
#### Arrays

JavaScript arrays are used to store multiple values in a single variable.

http://www.w3schools.com/js/js\_arrays.asp

```
//Arrays store multiple values in one variable (like objects!)
var animals = ["rabbit", "cat", "hamster"];
//Arrays in JS can contain varied data types
var things/Like = ["cookies", 2, "bunny"];
//Arrays can even contain objects and other arrays!
var student = {firstName: "Sven", lastName: "Travis", height: 900};
var myArray = [student, "42"];
```

# Array Index



## Arrays Properties

```
var animals = ["rabbit", "cat", "hamster"];
animals.length;
```

## Arrays Methods

animals.push();

## practice using array

- create an array with two variable
- console.log() the second member in the array
- add a variable to the end of the array
- console.log() the size of the array

#### For Loop

```
for (var i = 0; i < array.length; i ++){
}</pre>
```

# practice using for loop and array

- create an array
- console.log() from index begin to index end
- try console.log() backward!

## Objects

Objects can contain many values

Written with curly braces { }, with object properties written in name:value pairs and separated by commas

```
//literal notation
var student = {
     firstName: "Sven",
     lastName: "Travis",
     height: 900
```

```
//constructor notation

var student = new Object();

student.firstName = "Sven";

student.lastName = "Travis";
```

```
var firstname1 = sven["firstName"];
var firstname2 = sven["lastName"];
```

var firstname1 = sven.firstName;

var firstname2 = sven.lastName;

## practice using object

- create two new object of your name choice (one using literal notation, one using constructor notation)
- add two properties to each of the objects (number, string)
- use a function to do some math to the function properties
- console.log() the returned number!~

#### Sublime

https://www.sublimetext.com/3

# Package Control

https://packagecontrol.io/

# Linking Javascript File

<script type="text/javascript" src = "[relative file location]"></script>

#### Add Event Listener

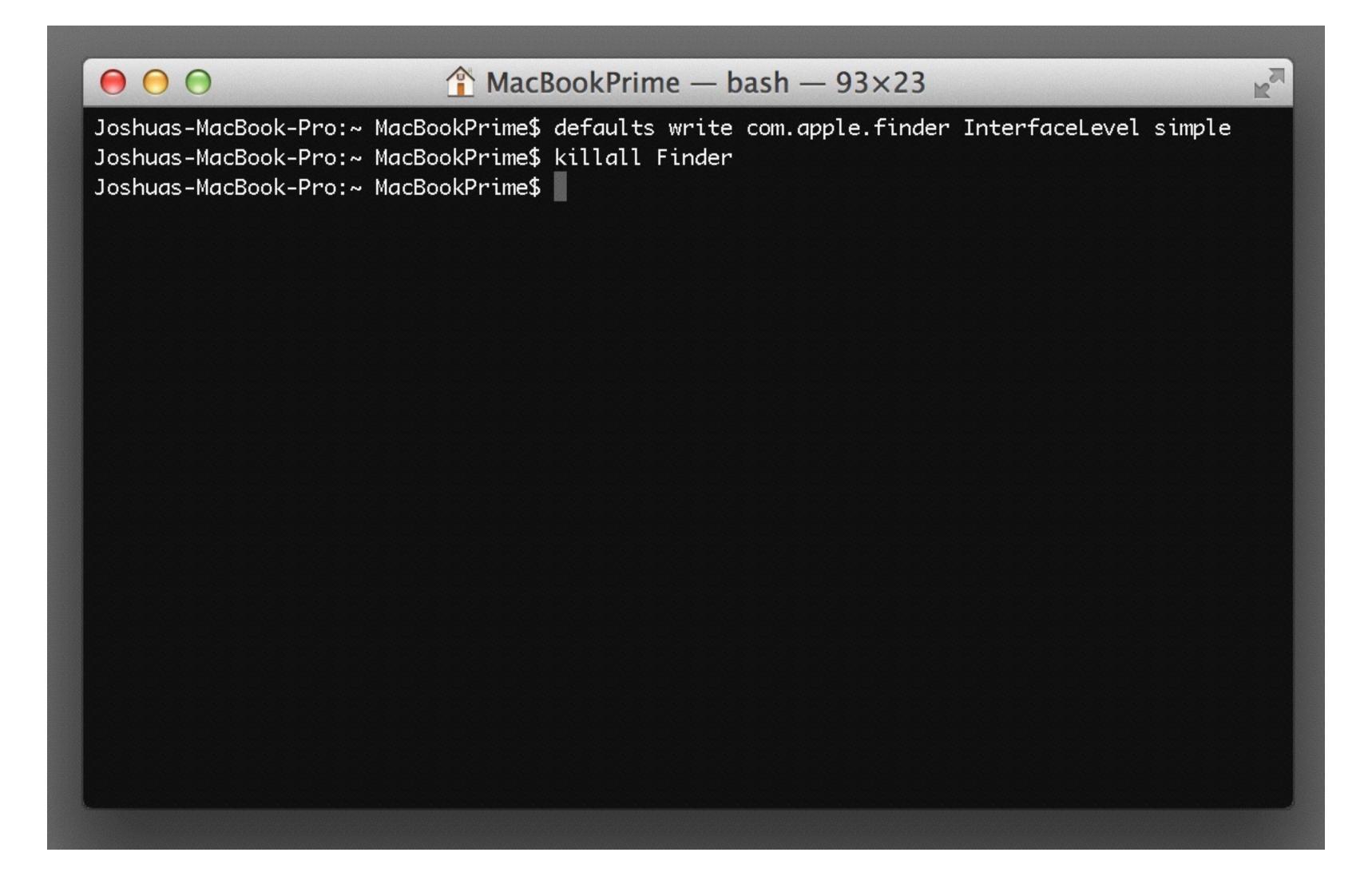
```
document.addEventListener("DOMContentLoaded", function(){
});
```

http://javascript.info/tutorial/onload-ondomcontentloaded

#### HTML + CSS + JS Practice

animating a simple html file

#### Terminal



# + Space or Ctrl + Space type "terminal"

```
MINGW32:~/git
Welcome to Git (version 1.8.3-preview20130601)
Run 'git help git' to display the help index.
Run 'git help <command>' to display help for specific commands.
 git clone https://github.com/msysgit/git.git
 loning into 'git'.
remote: Counting objects: 177468, done.
remote: Compressing objects: 100% (52057/52057), done.
remote: Total 177468 (delta 133396), reused 166093 (delta 123576)
Receiving objects: 100% (177468/177468), 42.16 MiB | 1.84 MiB/s, done.
Resolving deltas: 100% (133396/133396), done.
Checking out files: 100% (2576/2576), done.
Bacon@BACON ∼
$ cd git
 Bacon@BACON ~/git (master)
 git status
 On branch master
nothing to commit, working directory clean
 acon@BACON ~/git (master)
```

Git for windows: <a href="https://git-for-windows.github.io/index.html">https://git-for-windows.github.io/index.html</a>
Babun: <a href="https://babun.github.io/">https://babun.github.io/</a>

```
list folder content
        ls
 change directory
 cd [folder name]
  home directory
       cd ~
   go upstream
       cd..
open current folder
      open.
```

https://github.com/0nn0/terminal-mac-cheatsheet

```
list folder content
         ls
 change directory
 cd [folderName]
  home directory
       cd ~
   go upstream
       cd ...
open current folder
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```

touch [fileName.extension]
create new folder
mkdir [folderName]
remove folder
rm -r newTest

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## practice using terminal

- create a new folder on your Desktop
- create a new file inside new folder
- remove that file
- remove folder

#### What is Git?

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Git\_(software) https://www.git-tower.com/blog/git-cheat-sheet/

Git is a free and open source distributed version control system designed to handle everything from small to very large projects with speed and efficiency.

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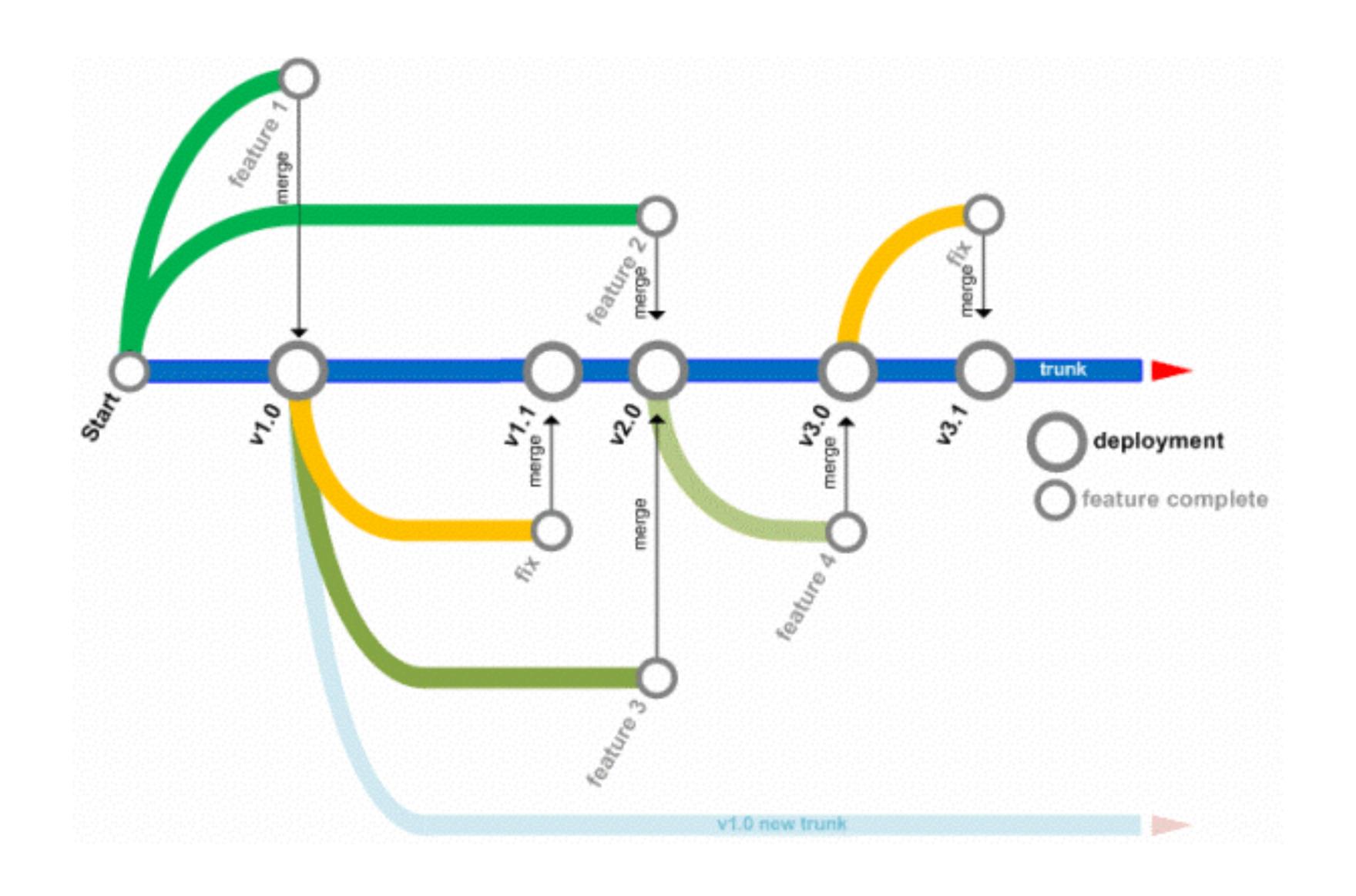


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GitHub is a web-based Git repository hosting service.

#### Homework

Create your simple html file, then use JS to animate it.