

### 38. Handling or Performing Mouse Operations

- The `ActionChains` class handles **mouse actions** using its methods.
- Each of the methods is executed by calling `.perform()` at the end of the action chain to trigger the actions.

#### Mouse Actions in Selenium

- **click()** → Performs a single mouse click at the current mouse position.
  - ◆ **Syntax:** `actions.click(WebElement).perform()`
- **click\_and\_hold()** → Clicks (without releasing) at the current mouse location or on the specified element.
  - ◆ **Syntax:** `actions.click_and_hold(WebElement).perform()`
- **move\_to\_element()** → Moves the mouse pointer to the middle of the specified element.
  - ◆ **Syntax:** `actions.move_to_element(WebElement target).perform()`
- **double\_click()** → Performs a double-click at the current mouse location or on a specified element.
  - ◆ **Syntax:** `actions.double_click(WebElement).perform()`
- **context\_click()** → Performs a right-click on the current mouse location or a specified element.
  - ◆ **Syntax:** `actions.context_click(WebElement).perform()`
- **drag\_and\_drop()** → Clicks and holds an element, then moves it to a target location, and releases it.
  - ◆ **Syntax:** `actions.drag_and_drop(WebElement source, WebElement target).perform()`
- **drag\_and\_drop\_by\_offset()** → Clicks and holds an element, moves it by an offset (x, y) from its original position, and releases it.
  - ◆ **Syntax:** `actions.drag_and_drop_by_offset(WebElement source, xOffset, yOffset).perform()`

#### [MouseHoverDemo.py](#)

```
from selenium import webdriver
from selenium.webdriver import ActionChains
from selenium.webdriver.common.by import By
options = webdriver.ChromeOptions()
options.add_experimental_option("detach", True)
options.add_argument("--start-argument")
driver = webdriver.Chrome(options=options)
driver.get("https://www.ebay.com/")
driver.implicitly_wait(10)
```

#### Locate the elements

```
ele = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, '//a[text()="Electronics"]//parent::li')
lnk_app = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, '//a[text()="Apple"]')
```

#### mouse hover

```
act = ActionChains(driver)
act.move_to_element(ele).move_to_element(lnk_app).click().perform()
driver.quit()
```

#### [DoubleClickDemo.py](#)

```
from selenium import webdriver
from selenium.webdriver import ActionChains
```

```

from selenium.webdriver.common.by import By
options = webdriver.ChromeOptions()
options.add_experimental_option("detach", True)
options.add_argument("--start-maximized")
driver = webdriver.Chrome(options=options)
driver.get("https://testautomationpractice.blogspot.com/")

Locate elements

box1 = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//input[@id='field1']")
box2 = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//input[@id='field2']")
copy_button = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//button[normalize-space()='Copy Text']")

Interact with elements

box1.clear()
box1.send_keys("Welcome")

Perform double click

action = ActionChains(driver)
action.double_click(copy_button).perform()

Verify the copied text

text = box2.get_attribute("value")
if text == "Welcome":
    print("Double click is successful & Text is copied")
else:
    print("Text is not matched..")
driver.quit()

```

#### [RightClickDemo.py](#)

```

import time
from selenium import webdriver
from selenium.webdriver import ActionChains
from selenium.webdriver.common.by import By
opt = webdriver.ChromeOptions()
opt.add_experimental_option("detach", True)
opt.add_argument("--start-maximized")
driver = webdriver.Chrome(options = opt)
driver.implicitly_wait(10)
driver.get("http://swisnl.github.io/jQuery-contextMenu/demo.html")

Locate the button

button = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//span[normalize-space()='right click me']")

Perform right-click on the button

action = ActionChains(driver)
action.context_click(button).perform()

Click on the 'Copy' option in the context menu

driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//span[normalize-space()='Copy']").click()

```

### Wait for the alert to appear

```
time.sleep(5)
```

### Switch to the alert box and accept it

```
alert = driver.switch_to.alert
```

```
alert.accept()
```

```
driver.quit()
```

### [DragAndDropDemo.py](#)

```
from selenium import webdriver
```

```
from selenium.webdriver import ActionChains
```

```
from selenium.webdriver.common.by import By
```

```
opt = webdriver.ChromeOptions()
```

```
opt.add_experimental_option("detach", True)
```

```
opt.add_argument("--start-maximized")
```

```
driver = webdriver.Chrome(options = opt)
```

```
driver.implicitly_wait(10)
```

```
driver.get("https://testautomationpractice.blogspot.com/")
```

### Locate the source and target elements

```
source_element = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//div[@id='draggable']")
```

```
target_element = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//div[@id='droppable']")
```

### Perform the drag and drop

```
action = ActionChains(driver)
```

```
action.drag_and_drop(source_element, target_element).perform()
```

### Alternatively, you can use click\_and\_hold and move\_to\_element

```
action.click_and_hold(source_element).move_to_element(target_element).release().perform()
```

```
driver.quit()
```

### [SliderDemo.py](#)

```
from selenium import webdriver
```

```
from selenium.webdriver import ActionChains
```

```
from selenium.webdriver.common.by import By
```

```
opt = webdriver.ChromeOptions()
```

```
opt.add_experimental_option("detach", True)
```

```
opt.add_argument("--start-maximized")
```

```
driver = webdriver.Chrome(options = opt)
```

```
driver.implicitly_wait(10)
```

```
driver.get("https://testautomationpractice.blogspot.com/")
```

### Locate the min and max slider elements

```
min_slider = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//div[@id='HTML7']/span[1]")
```

```
max_slider = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//div[@id='HTML7']/span[2]")
```

### Locate slider elements

```
min_slider = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//div[@id='slider-range']/span[1]")
```

```
max_slider = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//div[@id='slider-range']/span[2]")
```

### Before moving

```
print("Before Moving.....")
print(f"Before moving Min slider Location: {min_slider.location['x']}")
print(f"Before moving Max slider Location: {max_slider.location['x']}")
```

### Initialize ActionChains

```
action = ActionChains(driver)
```

### Drag and Drop by offset

```
actions.drag_and_drop_by_offset(min_slider,20,0).perform()
actions.drag_and_drop_by_offset(max_slider,-33,0).perform()
```

### After moving

```
print("After Moving.....")
print(f"After moving Min slider Location: {min_slider.location['x']}")
print(f"After moving Max slider Location: {max_slider.location['x']}")
driver.quit()
```

### Capture Element Location and Size Methods

- **location** ⇒ element.location
  - ◆ Retrieves the x and y coordinates of the element as a dictionary.
- **location['x']** ⇒ element.location['x']
  - ◆ Retrieves the x-coordinate (horizontal position) of the top-left corner of the web element.
- **location['y']** ⇒ element.location['y']
  - ◆ Retrieves the y-coordinate (vertical position) of the top-left corner of the web element.
- **size** ⇒ element.size
  - ◆ Retrieves the width and height of the web element as a dictionary.
- **size['height']** ⇒ element.size['height']
  - ◆ Retrieves the height of the web element.
- **size['width']** ⇒ element.size['width']
  - ◆ Retrieves the width of the web element.

### [SizeAndLocationOfWebElement.py](#)

```
from selenium import webdriver
from selenium.webdriver.common.by import By
opt = webdriver.ChromeOptions()
opt.add_experimental_option("detach",True)
opt.add_argument("--start-maximized")
driver = webdriver.Chrome(options = opt)
driver.implicitly_wait(10)
driver.get("http://www.automationpractice.pl/index.php")
```

### Locate the logo element

```
logo = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "//img[@alt='My Shop']")
```

### Get the location (X, Y)

```
location = logo.location
print(f"Location (Point): {location}")
```

```
print(f"X axis: {location['x']}")
```

```
print(f"Y axis: {location['y']}")
```

#### Get the size (width, height)

```
size = logo.size
```

```
print(f"Size (Dimension): {size}")
```

```
print(f"Height: {size['height']}")
```

```
print(f"Width: {size['width']}")
```

#### Another way to capture height and width of the element

```
height = logo.get_attribute("height")
```

```
width = logo.get_attribute("width")
```

```
print(f"Height (from attribute): {height}")
```

```
print(f"Width (from attribute): {width}")
```

```
driver.quit()
```

#### Note

- We can handle **send\_keys()** and **click actions** using Actions class methods.
- Passing text to input box
  - ◆ Ex: `act.send_keys_to_element(WebElement, "value").perform()`
- Clicking on button/radio button/checkbox/link
  - ◆ Ex: `act.click(WebElement).perform()`

#### [ClickAndSendKeysFromActionsClassDemo.py](#)

```
from selenium import webdriver
```

```
from selenium.webdriver.common.by import By
```

```
from selenium.webdriver import ActionChains
```

```
opt = webdriver.ChromeOptions()
```

```
opt.add_experimental_option("detach", True)
```

```
opt.add_argument("--start-maximized")
```

```
driver = webdriver.Chrome(options = opt)
```

```
driver.implicitly_wait(10)
```

```
driver.get("https://testautomationpractice.blogspot.com/")
```

#### Actions object

```
act = ActionChains(driver)
```

#### 1. Inputbox ⇒ using send\_keys\_to\_element() method from Actions class

```
name = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "///input[@id='name']")
```

```
act.send_keys_to_element(name, "John Kenedy").perform() # Correct approach
```

```
act.click(name).send_keys("T-shirts").perform() # Correct approach
```

```
act.move_to_element(name).click().send_keys("T-Shirts").perform() # Correct approach
```

#### 2. Button ⇒ using click() method from Actions class

```
button = driver.find_element(By.XPATH, "///button[@id='alertBtn']")
```

```
act.move_to_element(button).click().perform() # Correct approach
```

```
act.click(button).perform() # Correct approach
```

```
driver.quit()
```