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# JS & DOM Reference JavaScript getUTCMonth() Method

# <u>JavaScript Date Object</u>

## Definition and Usage

The getMonth() method returns the month (from 0 to 11) for the specified date, according to universal time.

Note: January is 0, February is 1, and so on.

Note: This method is always used in conjunction with a Date object.

#### Syntax

Date.getUTCMonth()

# **Browser Support**



The getUTCMonth() method is supported in all major browsers.

### Tips and Notes

Tip: The Universal Coordinated Time (UTC) is the time set by the World Time Standard.

#### Examples

#### Example 1

Return the month, according to universal time:

```
<script type="text/javascript">
var d = new Date();
document.write(d.getUTCMonth());
</script>
```

The output of the code above will be:

0

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#### Example 2

Return the name of the month (not just a number):

```
<script type="text/javascript">
var d=new Date()
var month=new Array(12);
month[0]="January";
month[1]="February";
month[2]="March";
month[3]="April";
month[4]="May";
month[5]="June";
month[6]="July";
month[7]="August";
month[8]="September";
month[9]="October";
month[10]="November";
month[11]="December";
document.write("The current UTC month is " + month[d.getUTCMonth()]);
</script>
```

The output of the code above will be:

The month is January

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