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# JS & DOM Reference JavaScript toLocaleDateString() Method

# JavaScript Date Object

### Definition and Usage

The toLocaleDateString() method returns the date portion of a Date object as a string, using locale conventions.

### Syntax

Date.toLocaleDateString()

# **Browser Support**









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

#### Example

#### Example

Return the date portion of a Date object as a string, using locale conventions:

```
<script type="text/javascript">
var d=new Date();
document.write("Original form: ");
document.write(d + "<br />");
document.write("Formatted form: ");
document.write(d.toLocaleDateString());
</script>
```

The output of the code above will be:

Original form: Thu Jan 05 2012 04:20:13 GMT+0200 (Egypt Standard Time) Formatted form: Thursday, January 05, 2012

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