

Issues I encountered

- 1) One bug I had was not being able to switch between different sub-categories in the product detail page. After clicking one of the sub-categories (e.g. big size), the category kept being selected. After referring to stack overflow and youtube videos, I came up with the solution that using 'flag' to tie the sub-categories to selectors and disabled the selected style of the unselected category while enabling the style of the selected one.
- 2) Another critical issue I encountered was not being able to remove items from the cart. After referring to series of youtube videos, I solved the problem by using ".remove" when the item number <= 0.
- 3) I also had difficulty adding unit "USD" after the total money in the cart page. I tried editing the html file first to add the string "USD", but it didn't work. Finally, I identified the reason was that I set the function of counting total money in js file, and js has a higher priority than html. The only way to add the unit "USD" was to edit the function in my js file.

Programming Concepts I learned

- 1) Flag: used as a signal to let the program know that a certain condition has met. In this example, I used flag = "big"/"small" to represent the selection of different sub-categories.

```
selectors[0].onclick = function () {  
    flag = "big"  
    DetailImage.src="Detailbig.png"  
    for (var j=0;j<selectors.length;j++){  
        selectors[j].style.borderColor=''  
        selectors[j].style.color=''  
        selectors[j].style.fontWeight=''  
    }  
    this.style.borderColor='#923D00'  
    this.style.fontWeight='bold'  
}
```

- 2) `localStorage.setItem` & `localStorage.getItem`: these two methods allow you to store and retrieve values in the `localStorage` object. I used these concepts to count and store the value of product numbers.

```
cars[0].onclick = function () {  
  if (flag == "big") {  
    if(bigs) {  
      localStorage.setItem('Bigs', bigs + 1)  
      bigs = parseInt(localStorage.getItem('Bigs'));  
      span.innerHTML=bigs+smalls  
    }  
    else {  
      localStorage.setItem('Bigs', 1);  
      bigs = parseInt(localStorage.getItem('Bigs'));  
      span.innerHTML=bigs+smalls  
    }  
  }  
}
```

- 3) `parseInt`: converting its first argument to a string, parses that string, then returns an integer or NaN
- 4) `addEventListener`: the `addEventListener()` listen for an event and can execute a callback function when a button is clicked, as the example below shows.

```
for (let i=0; i<selectors.length; i++){  
  selectors[i].addEventListener('click', () => {  
    selectPrice(products[i]);  
  })  
}
```

- 5) `document.querySelector`: a method that returns the first HTML element that matches the specified selectors.

```
function selectPrice(){  
  let productNumbers = localStorage.getItem('cartNumbers');  
  productNumbers = parseInt(productNumbers);  
  
  carts.forEach(add => {  
    add.addEventListener('click', () => {  
  
      if(productNumbers) {  
        localStorage.setItem('cartNumbers', productNumbers + 1);  
        document.querySelector('#cart span').textContent = productNumbers + 1;  
      } else {  
        localStorage.setItem('cartNumbers', 1);  
        document.querySelector('#cart span').textContent = 1;  
      }  
    });  
  });  
}
```