



COMS 465:
Computer-Mediated Communication



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Review

❖ Software

- Application Software
- System Software

❖ Programming

- Programming Languages
- 5 Generations
- Examples “Hello World”



```
C
C Hello, world.
C
    Program Hello

    implicit none
    logical DONE

    DO while (.NOT. DONE)
        write(*,10)
    END DO
    10 format('Hello, world.')
    END
```

Review

❖ Software – Operating System

1) Boot the Computer

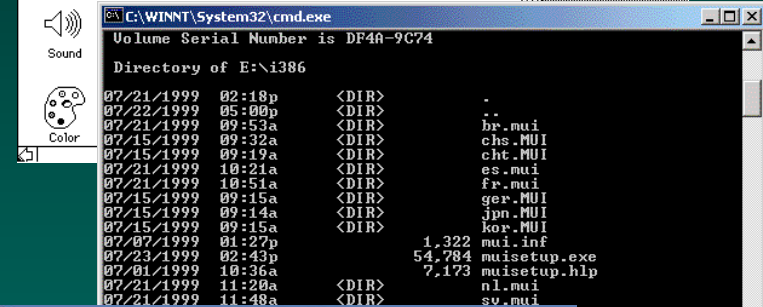
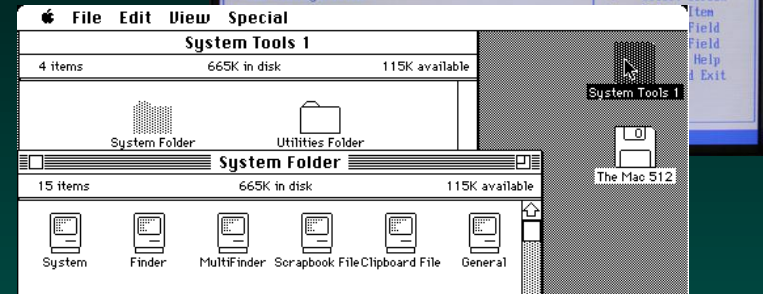
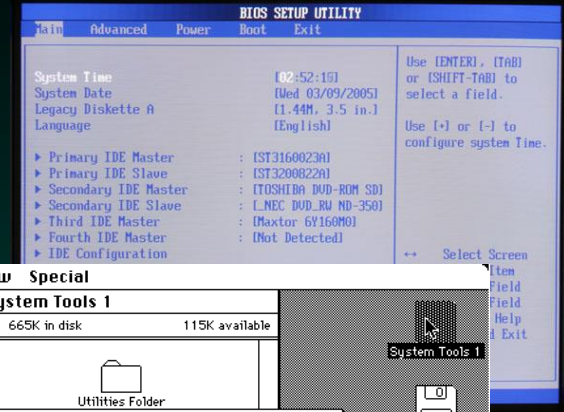
- BIOS
- POST
- Load OS
- System Configuration
- System Utilities
- Authentication

2) Manage Programs

3) Manage Memory

4) Deal with I/O Devices

5) User Interface



Review

❖ Programming – 5 Generations

- ◆ Machine Language
- ◆ Assembly Language
- ◆ High-Level Language
- ◆ Non-Procedural Language
- ◆ Natural Language

```
0011001
1100110
1001010
```

```
mov ax, 1234h
mov bx, ax
```

```
program Hello;
begin
  Write('Hello world');
end.
```

```
SELECT employee-name
FROM employee-salary-table
WHERE salary > 9.00
AND position = 'Fry Chef'
```

Review

If you've never programmed a computer, you should. There's nothing like it in the whole world. When you program a computer, it does exactly what you tell it to do.

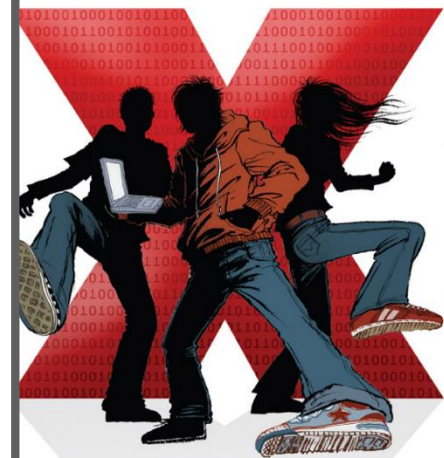
A computer is the most complicated machine you'll ever use. It's made of billions of microminiaturized transistors that can be configured to run any program you can imagine. But when you sit down at the keyboard and write a line of code, those transistors do what you tell them to.

Computers can control you or they can lighten your work. If you want to be in charge of your machines, you have to learn to write code. (p. 119)

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NEIL GAIMAN,
author of **SANDMAN** and **AMERICAN GODS**

LITTLE BROTHER



CORY DOCTOROW

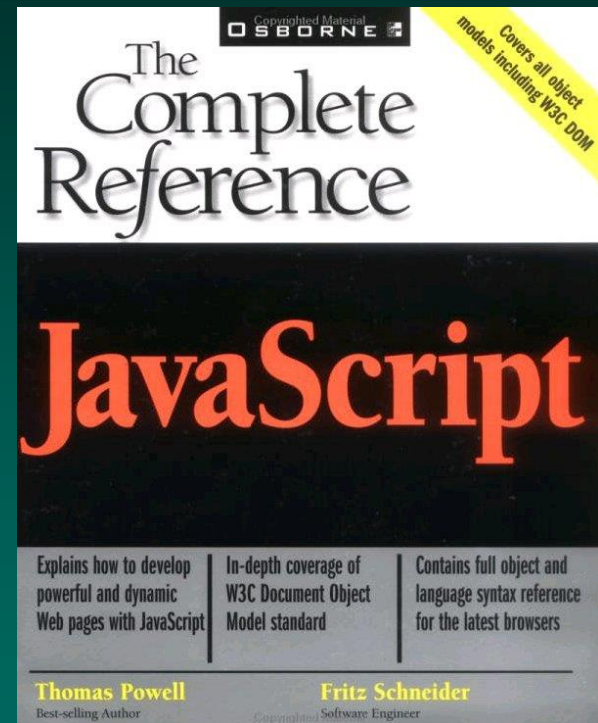
"A rousing tale of techno-geek rebellion."

SCOTT WESTERFELD,
author of **UGLIES**, **PRETTIES**, and **SPECIALS**

Review

❖ Writing Code

- Hands-on experience with programming
- JavaScript
 - ◆ Brief introduction
 - ◆ Exercises



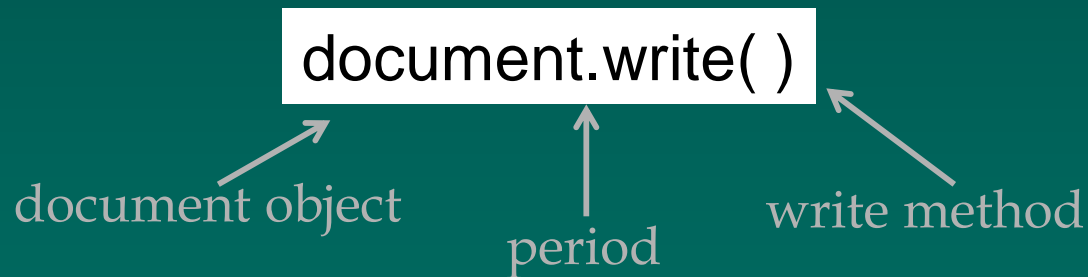
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❖ JavaScript

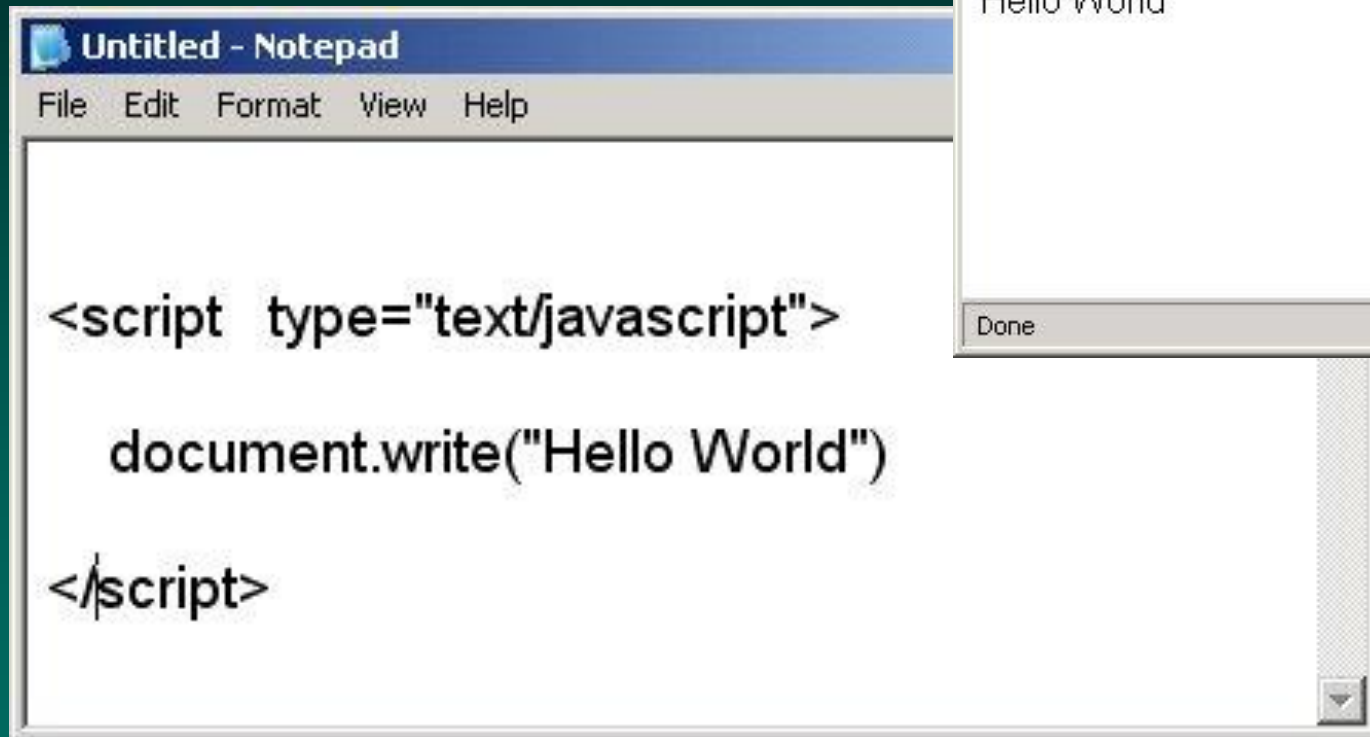
- Object Oriented Programming – OOP

- ♦ Objects and Methods are put together using “dot syntax” – the grammar of JavaScript

- ♦ Example:



Review



A screenshot of a Notepad window titled "Untitled - Notepad". The menu bar includes File, Edit, Format, View, and Help. The text area contains the following JavaScript code:

```
<script type="text/javascript">  
    document.write("Hello World")  
</script>
```



program1

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program2 - Notepad

```
File Edit Format View Help
```

```
<script type="text/javascript">
```

```
    prompt("What is your name?")
```

```
</script>
```

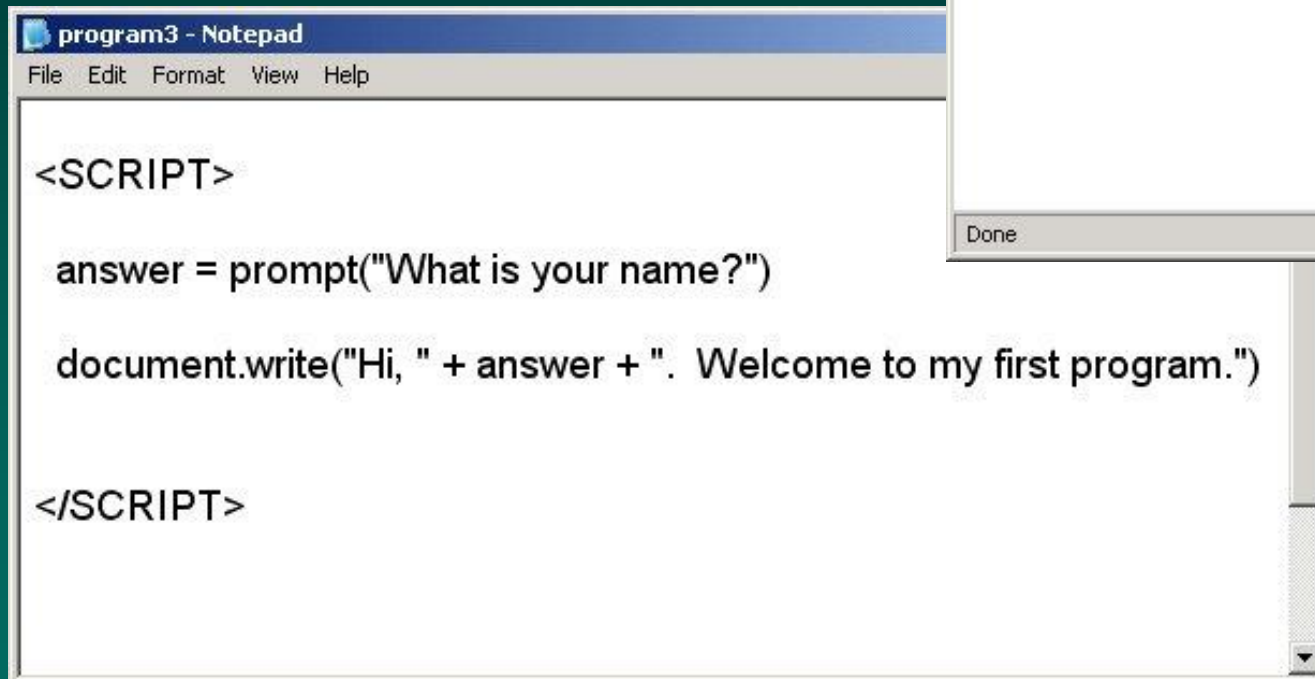
```
Thank you for your information.
```

```
It will be used recklessly.
```



program2

Review



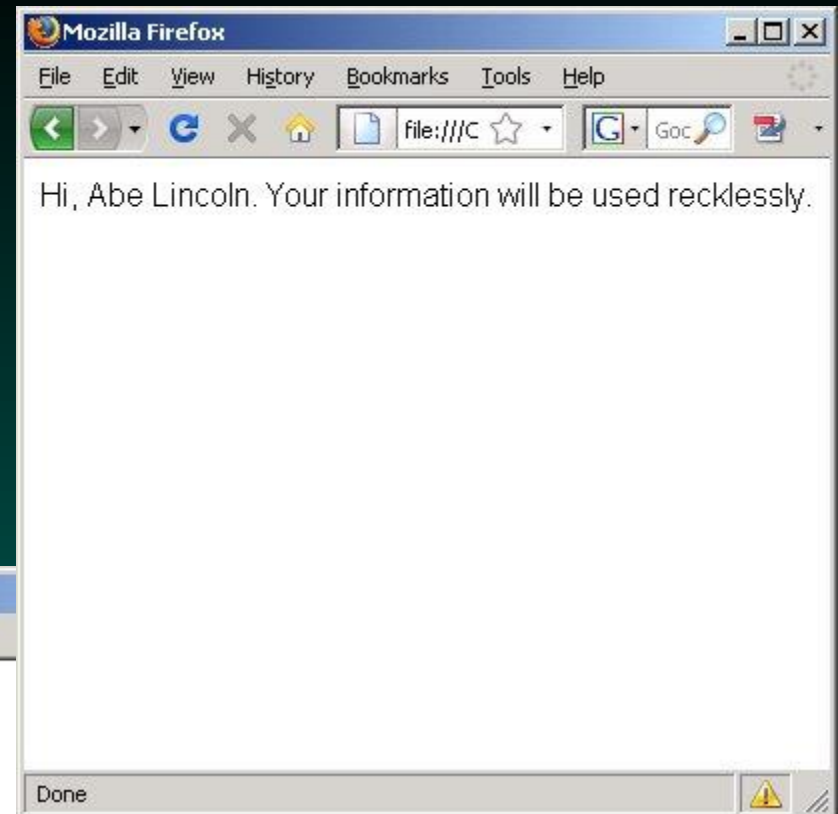
```
<SCRIPT>

answer = prompt("What is your name?")

document.write("Hi, " + answer + ". Welcome to my first program.")

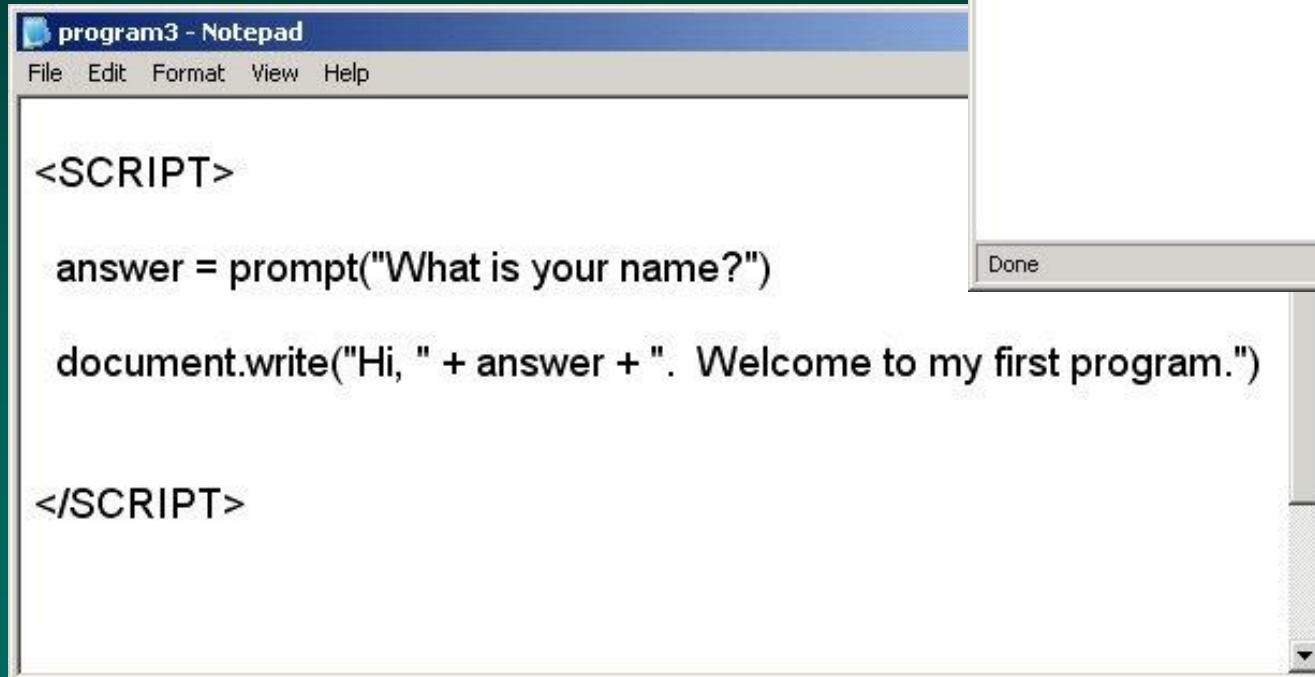
</SCRIPT>
```

program3



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Potential Problem

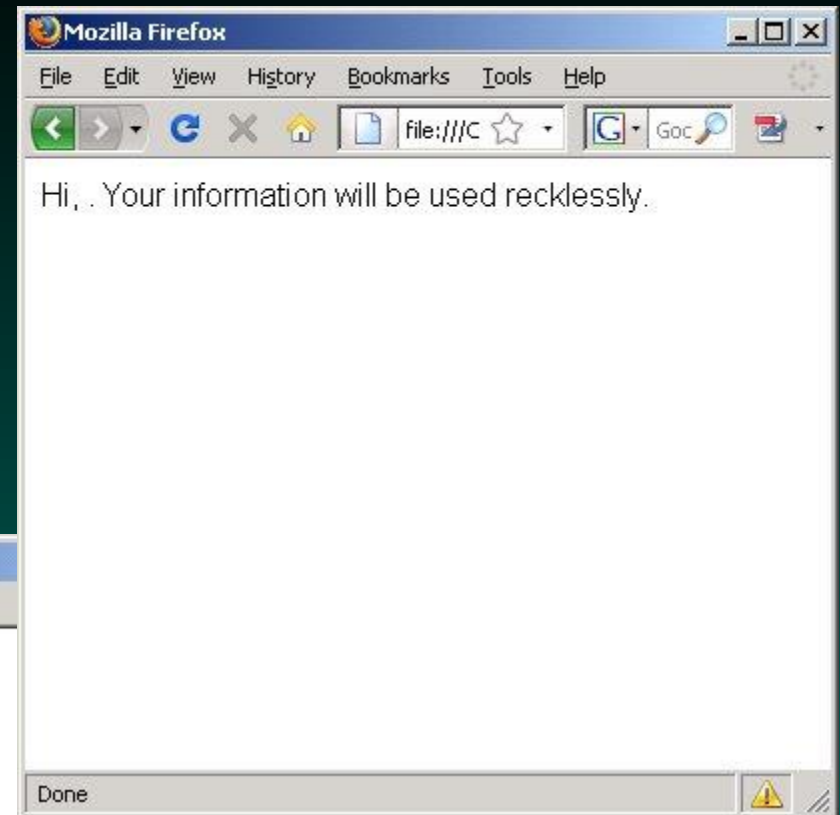


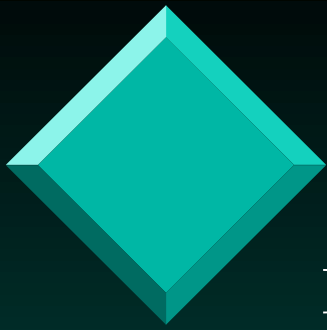
```
<SCRIPT>

answer = prompt("What is your name?")

document.write("Hi, " + answer + ". Welcome to my first program.")

</SCRIPT>
```





Fix = conditional statement

program4 - Notepad

File Edit Format View Help

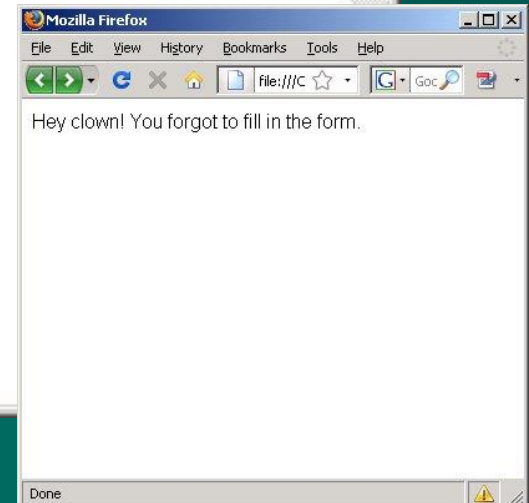
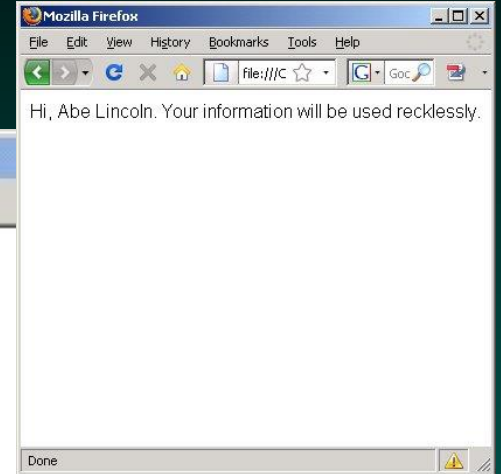
```
<script type="text/javascript">
```

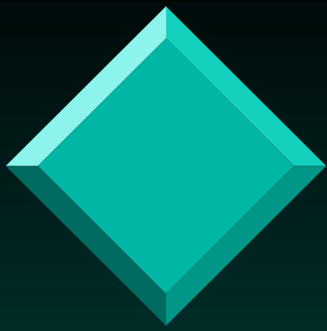
```
    answer = prompt("What is your name?")
```

```
    if (answer) {  
        document.write("Hi, " + answer + ". Your information will be used recklessly.")  
    }
```

```
    else {  
        document.write("Hey clown! You forgot to fill in the form.")  
    }
```

```
</script>
```





Create a variable named answer. Set the value of this variable to the response provided by the user in the dialogue box. Create the dialogue box by using the prompt method.

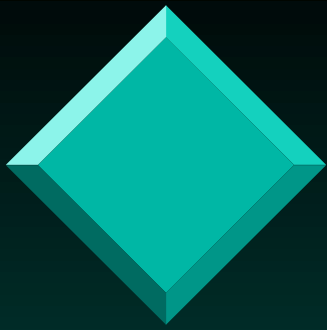
```
program4 - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help

<script type="text/javascript">
    answer = prompt("What is your name?")

    if (answer) {
        document.write("Hi, " + answer + ". Your information will be used recklessly.")
    }

    else {
        document.write("Hey clown! You forgot to fill in the form.")
    }

</script>
```



Include a conditional statement.

If there is a value provided for the variable answer (e.g. the user has entered a name), then use the write method of the document object to display a text string that includes the user name.

program4 - Notepad

File Edit Format View Help

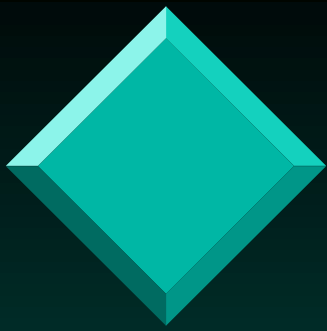
```
<script type="text/javascript">
```

```
    answer = prompt("What is your name?")
```

```
    if (answer) {  
        document.write("Hi, " + answer + ". Your information will be used recklessly.")  
    }
```

```
    else {  
        document.write("Hey clown! You forgot to fill in the form.")  
    }
```

```
</script>
```



```
program4 - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help

<script type="text/javascript">

  answer = p
  if (answer)
    document

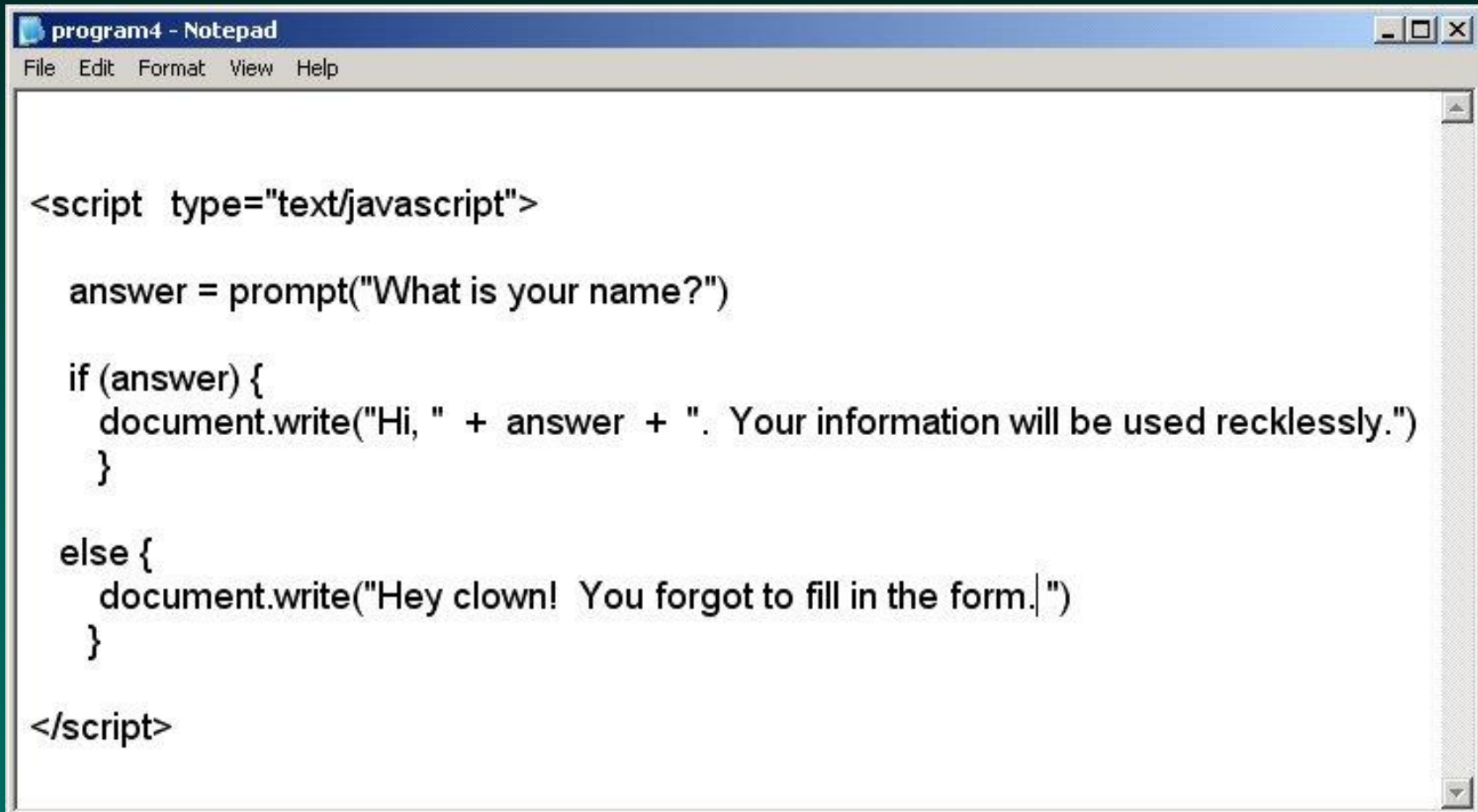
  else {
    document.write("Hey clown! You forgot to fill in the form.")
  }

</script>
```

If answer does not have a value (e.g. the user has **not** entered a name), then use the write method of the document object to display an error message.



Save as program4.html



```
<script type="text/javascript">

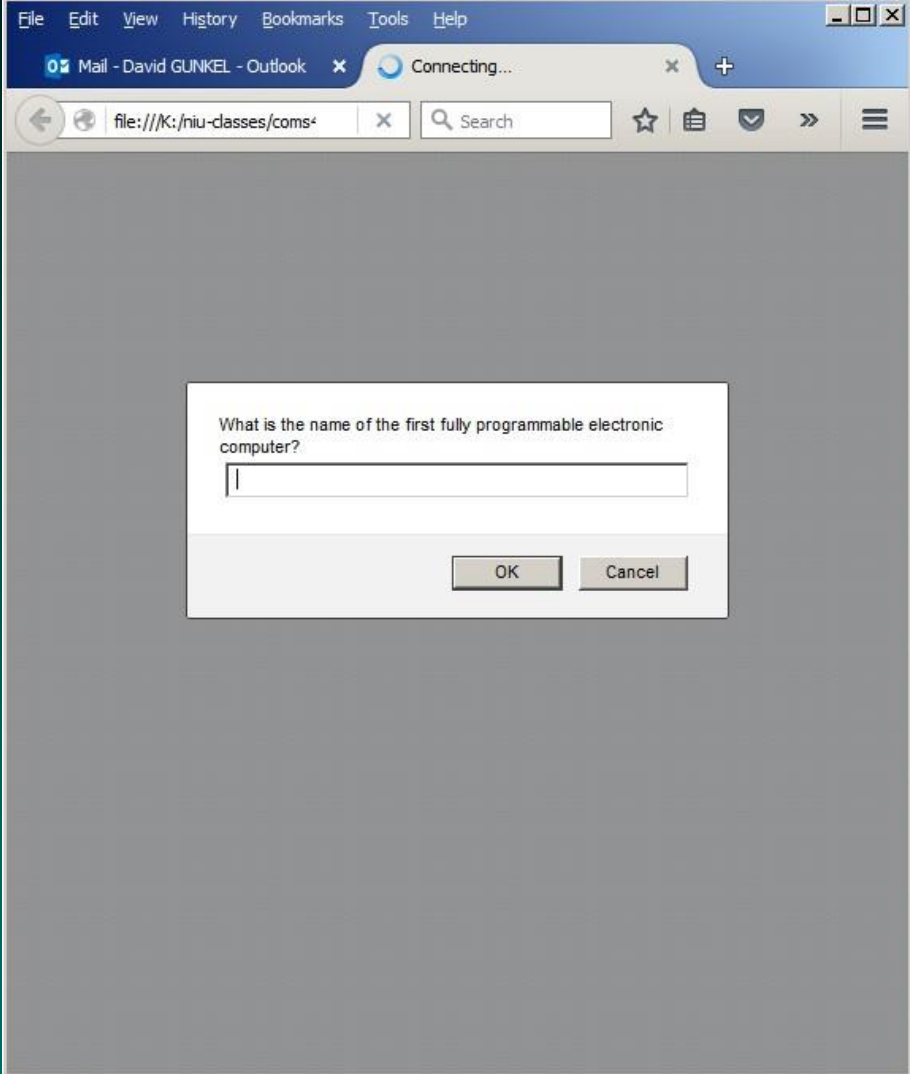
    answer = prompt("What is your name?")

    if (answer) {
        document.write("Hi, " + answer + ". Your information will be used recklessly.")
    }

    else {
        document.write("Hey clown! You forgot to fill in the form.")
    }

</script>
```

Trivia Quiz



A screenshot of a web browser window. The address bar shows a file path: `file:///K:/niu-classes/coms4`. The browser has multiple tabs, including "Mail - David GUNKEL - Outlook" and "Connecting...". A modal dialog box is centered on the screen with the text: "What is the name of the first fully programmable electronic computer?". Below the text is a text input field. At the bottom of the dialog are "OK" and "Cancel" buttons.

File Edit View History Bookmarks Tools Help

Mail - David GUNKEL - Outlook Connecting...

file:///K:/niu-classes/coms4 Search

What is the name of the first fully programmable electronic computer?

OK Cancel

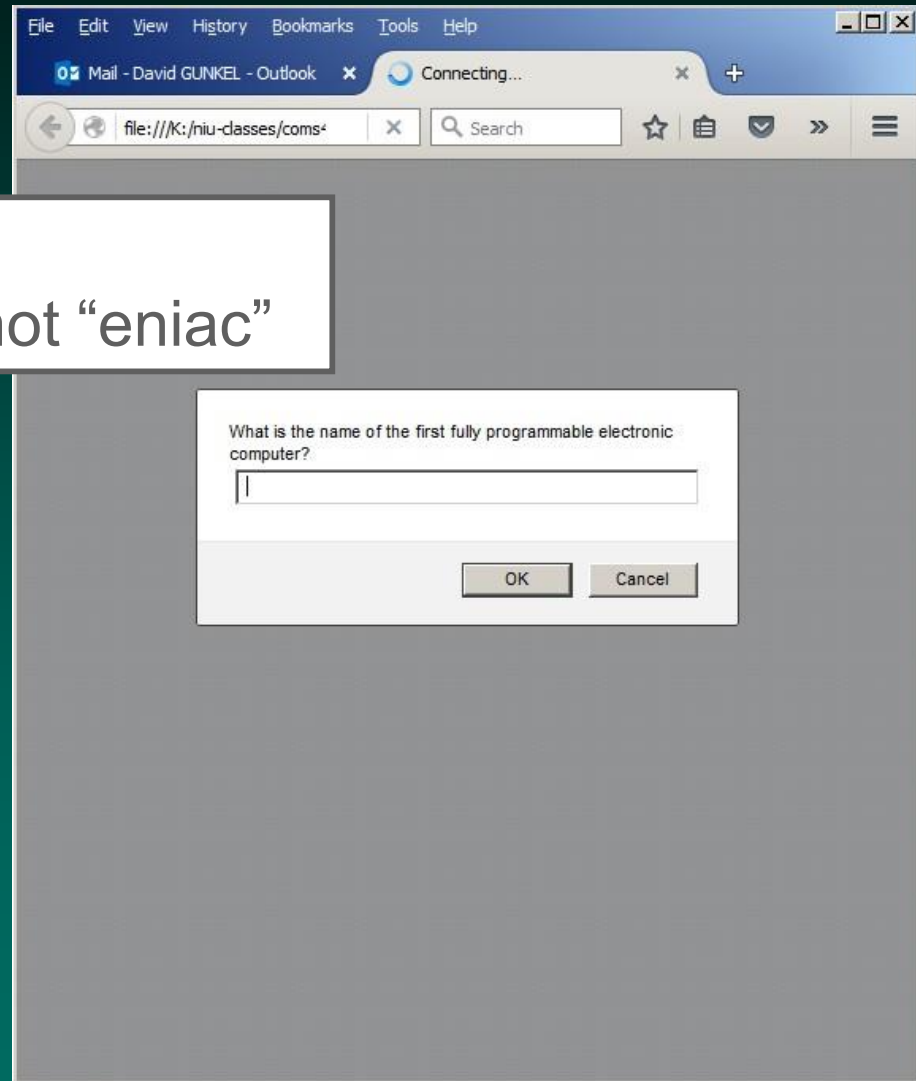
program5.html

```
1  <script type="text/javascript">
2
3      var score = 0;
4      var answer1 = "ENIAC";
5      var question1 = prompt("What is the name of the
6      first fully programmable electronic computer?");
7      if (answer1 == question1)
8      {
9          score++;
10     }
11 document.write("Your score is " + score + ":");
12     if (score > 0)
13     {
14         document.write("<br>Good job...you win!");
15     }
16     else
17     {
18         document.write("<br>You are an idiot!");
19     }
20 </script>
```



Potential Problem

“ENIAC” works but not “eniac”



```

1  <script type="text/javascript">
2
3      var score = 0;
4      var answer1 = "ENIAC";
5      var question1 = prompt("What is the name of the
6      first fully programmable electronic computer?");
7      if (answer1 == question1)
8      {
9          score++;
10     }
11     document.write("Your score is " + score + ":");
12     if (score > 0)
13     {
14         document.write(
15     }
16     else
17     {
18         document.write("<br>You are an idiot!");
19     }
20 </script>

```

How would you modify this code to work with both ENIAC and eniac?

```

1  <script type="text/javascript">
2
3      var score = 0;
4      var answer1 = "ENIAC";
5      var question1 = prompt("What is the name of the
6      first fully programmable electronic computer?");
7      if (answer1 == question1)
8      {
9          score++;
10     }
11     document.write("Score: " + score + "<br>");
12     if (score == 5)
13     {
14         document.write("You are a genius!");
15     }
16     else
17     {
18         document.write("<br>You are an idiot!");
19     }
20 </script>

```

Change the "test" line:

Test whether the value assigned to the variable question1 matches either ENIAC or eniac


```
1  <script type="text/javascript">
2
3      var score = 0;
4      var answer1a = "ENIAC";
5      var answer1b = "eniac";
6      var question1 = prompt("What
7      programmable electronic computer?");
8      if (answer1a == question1 || answer1b == question1)
9      {
10         score++;
11     }
12     document.write("Your score is " + score + ":");
13     if (score > 0)
14     {
15         document.write("<br>Good job...you win!");
16     }
17     else
18     {
19         document.write("<br>You are an idiot!");
20     }
21 </script>
22
23
24
```

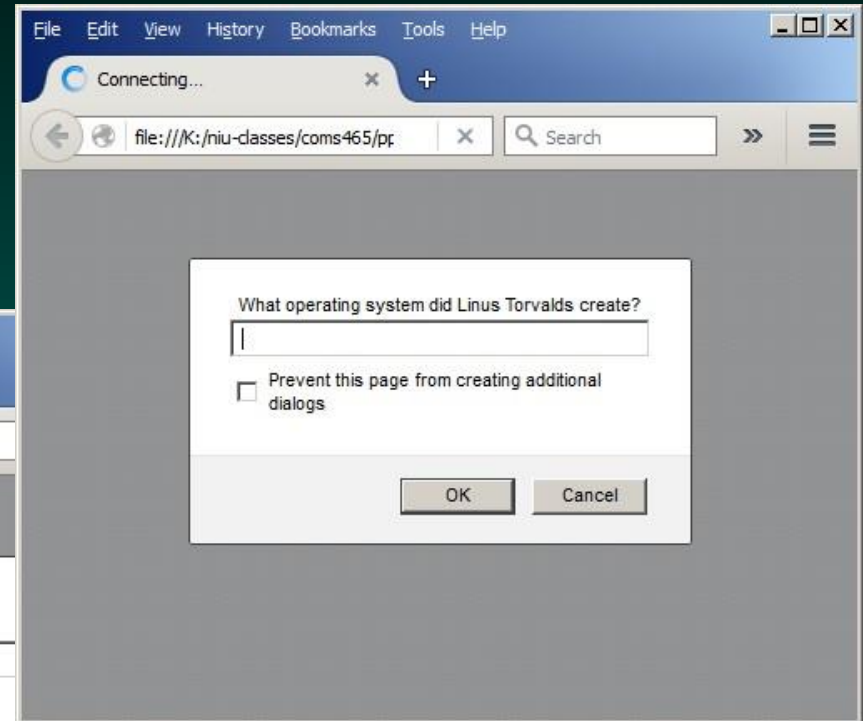
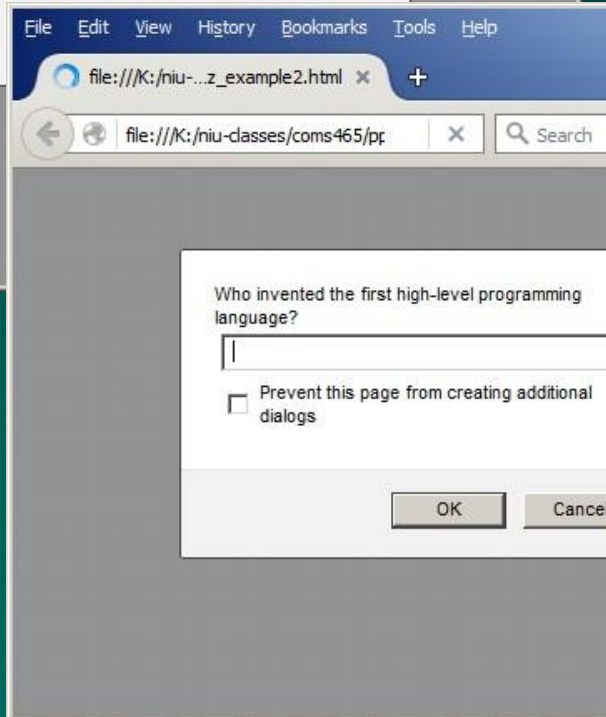
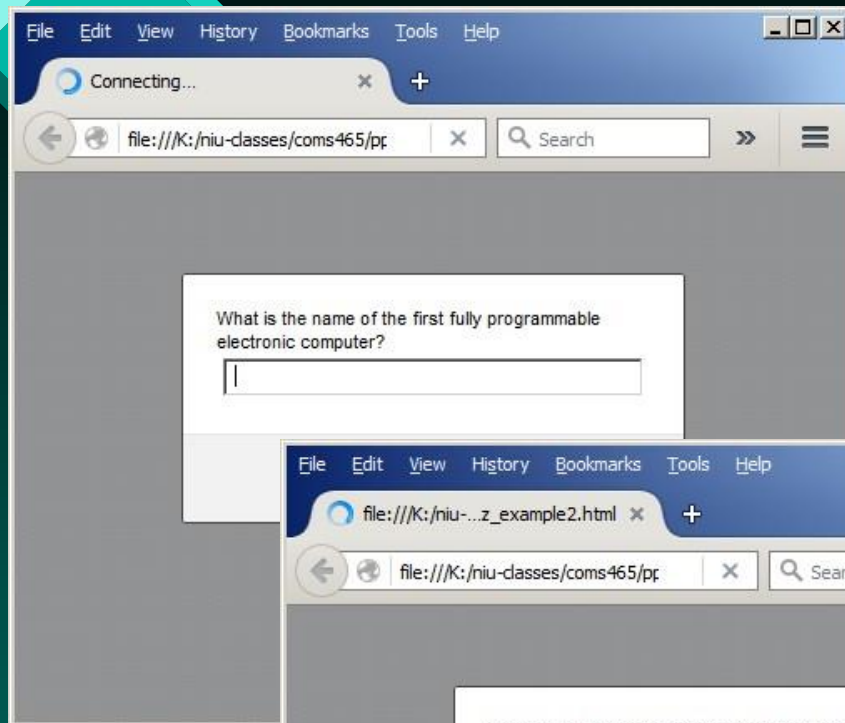
Declare two variables
answer1a = "ENIAC";
answer1b = "eniac";

```
1  <script type="text/javascript">
2
3      var score = 0;
4      var answer1a = "ENIAC";
5      var answer1b = "eniac";
6      var question1 = prompt("What is the name of the first fully
7      programmable electronic computer?");
8      if (answer1a == question1 || answer1b == question1)
9      {
10          score+
11      }
12      document.write
13      if (score >
14      {
15          document
16      }
17      else
18      {
19          document.write("<br>You are an idiot!");
20      }
21  </script>
22
23
24
```

Modify the conditional statement by checking two conditions separated by the logical operator OR, which is written: || (shift of the backslash key)


```
1  <script type="text/javascript">
2
3      var score = 0;
4      var answer1a = "ENIAC";
5      var answer1b = "eniac";
6      var question1 = prompt("What is the name of the first fully
7      programmable electronic computer?");
8      if (answer1a == question1 || answer1b == question1)
9      {
10          score++;
11      }
12      document.write("Your score is " + score + ":");
13      if (score > 0)
14      {
15          document.write("<br>Good job...you win!");
16      }
17      else
18      {
19          document.write("<br>You are an idiot!");
20      }
21  </script>
22
23
24
```

Next Step – 3 Questions



```
1  <script type="text/javascript">
2
3      var score = 0;
4      var answer1 = "ENIAC";
5      var question1 = prompt("What is the name of the first fully programmable electronic computer?");
6      if (answer1 == question1)
7      {
8          score++;
9      }
10     var answer2 = "Grace Hopper";
11     var question2 = prompt("Who invented the first high-level programming language?");
12     if (answer2 == question2)
13     {
14         score++;
15     }
16     var answer3 = "Linux";
17     var question3 = prompt("What operating system did Linus Torvalds create?");
18     if (answer3 == question3)
19     {
20         score++;
21     }
22     document.write("Your score is " + score + ":");
23     if (score > 2)
24     {
25         document.write("<br>Good job...you win!");
26     }
27     else if (score > 1)
28     {
29         document.write("<br>Not bad...but you could do better.");
30     }
31     else
32     {
33         document.write("<br>You are an idiot!");
34     }
35
36 </script>
37
```

Review

Power User

Technology = Magic
The tool is in control



Critical User

Technology = Tool
We control our tools



Preview

❖ Computer Networks

- LaBerta, ch. 8 - Wired and Wireless Communications
- LaBerta, ch. 7 - Networks: Communicating and Sharing Resources
- LaBerta, Spotlight 5: Cloud Computing

