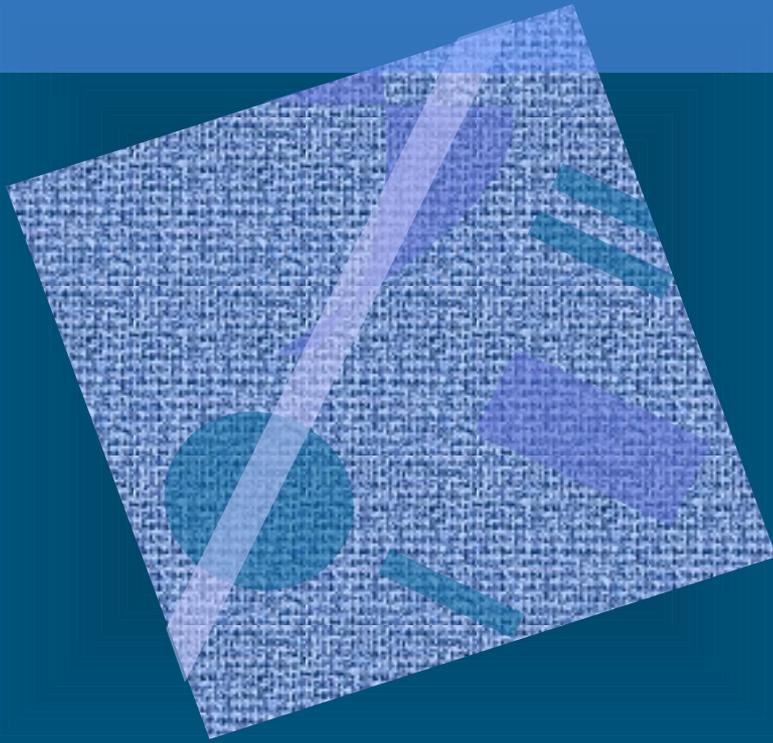


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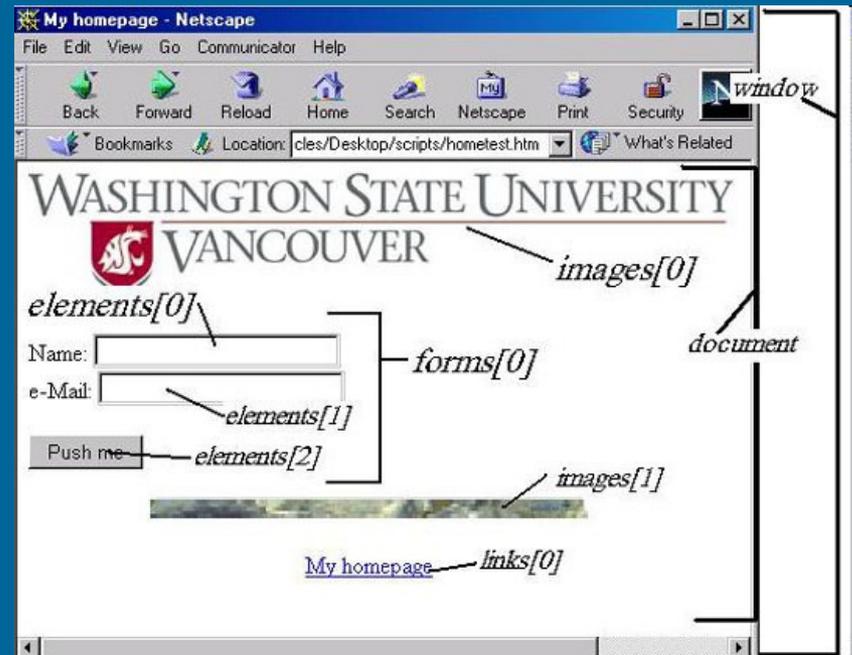


Agenda

- Review
- Ch. 7: HTML Forms
- Ch. 9: String Manipulation

Review

- Object Oriented Programming
- JavaScript Native Objects
- Browser Objects



Review

- OOP Terminology
 - *Object*
 - *Properties*
 - *Methods*



object = car

property = black

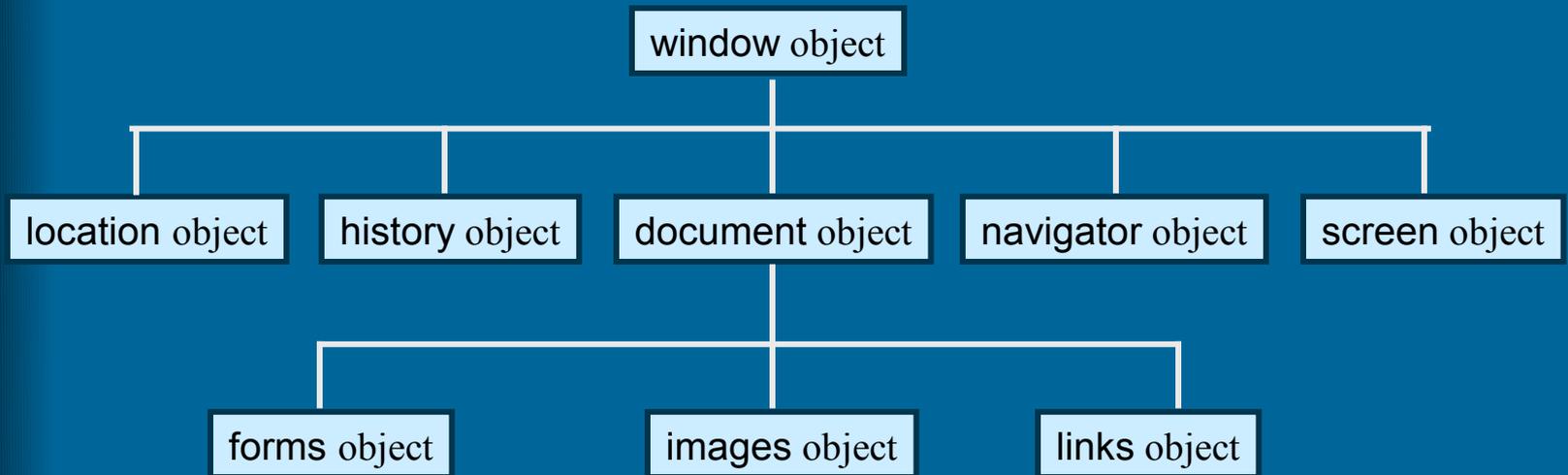
methods = drive, reverse, turn, break

JavaScript Native Objects

Objects	Properties	Methods
String	length	charAt() charCodeAt() fromCharCode() indexOf() lastIndexOf() substr() substring() toLowerCase() toUpperCase()
Math		abs() ceil() floor() round() random() pow() toFixed()
Array	length	concat() slice() sort() reverse() join()
Date		getDate() getDay() getMonth() getFullYear() toDatestring() setDate() setMonth() setFullYear() getHours() getMinutes() getSeconds() getMilliseconds() toTimeString() setHours() setMinutes() setSeconds()

Review

- Browser Objects – BOM



Common elements of the JavaScript BOM

Objects are arranged in an hierarchical order

Browser Objects

Object	Properties	Methods
window	defaultStatus	alert()
history		back() forward() go(<i>n</i>)
location	href	replace()
navigator		
screen	height width colorDepth	
document	forms[] images[] links[]	

Review

- Examples

```
random_quote - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help

<html>
<head>
<title>Random Quotation Generator</title>
</head>

<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

<script type="text/javascript">

    var quoteNumber;

    var quote = new Array("Pabst", "C
    "Meister B

    var arrayLength = quote.length -

    quoteNumber = Math.round(Math.ra

    document.write("<h1>" + quote[q

</script>

</body>
</html>
```

```
the_date - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help

<html>
<head>
<title>What's the Date</title>
</head>

<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

<script type="text/javascript">

    var months = new Array("January"
        "May", "Jun
        "October"

    var dateNow = new Date();
    var yearNow = dateNow.getFullYear();
    var monthNow = months[dateNow.get

    var dayNow = dateNow.getDate();
    var daySuffix;

    switch (dayNow)
    {
        case 1:
        case 21:
        case 31:
            daySuffix = "st";
            break;

        case 2:
        case 22:
            daySuffix = "nd";
            break;

        case 3:
        case 23:
            daySuffix = "rd";
            break;

        default:
            daySuffix = "th";
            break;
    }

    document.write("<h2>Today is the " + dayNow + daySuffix +
        " of " + monthNow + " " + yearNow + "</h2>");

</script>
</body>
</html>
```

```
random_image - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help

<html>
<head>
<title>Random Banner Image</title>

<script type="text/javascript">

    function selectImage()
    {
        var bannerImg = new Array("banner1.jpg", "banner2.jpg", "banner3.jpg");

        var arrayLength = bannerImg.length;

        randomNumber = Math.round(Math.random() * arrayLength);

        document.banner.src = bannerImg[randomNumber];
    }

</script>

</head>

<body bgcolor="#ffffff" onLoad="selectImage()">

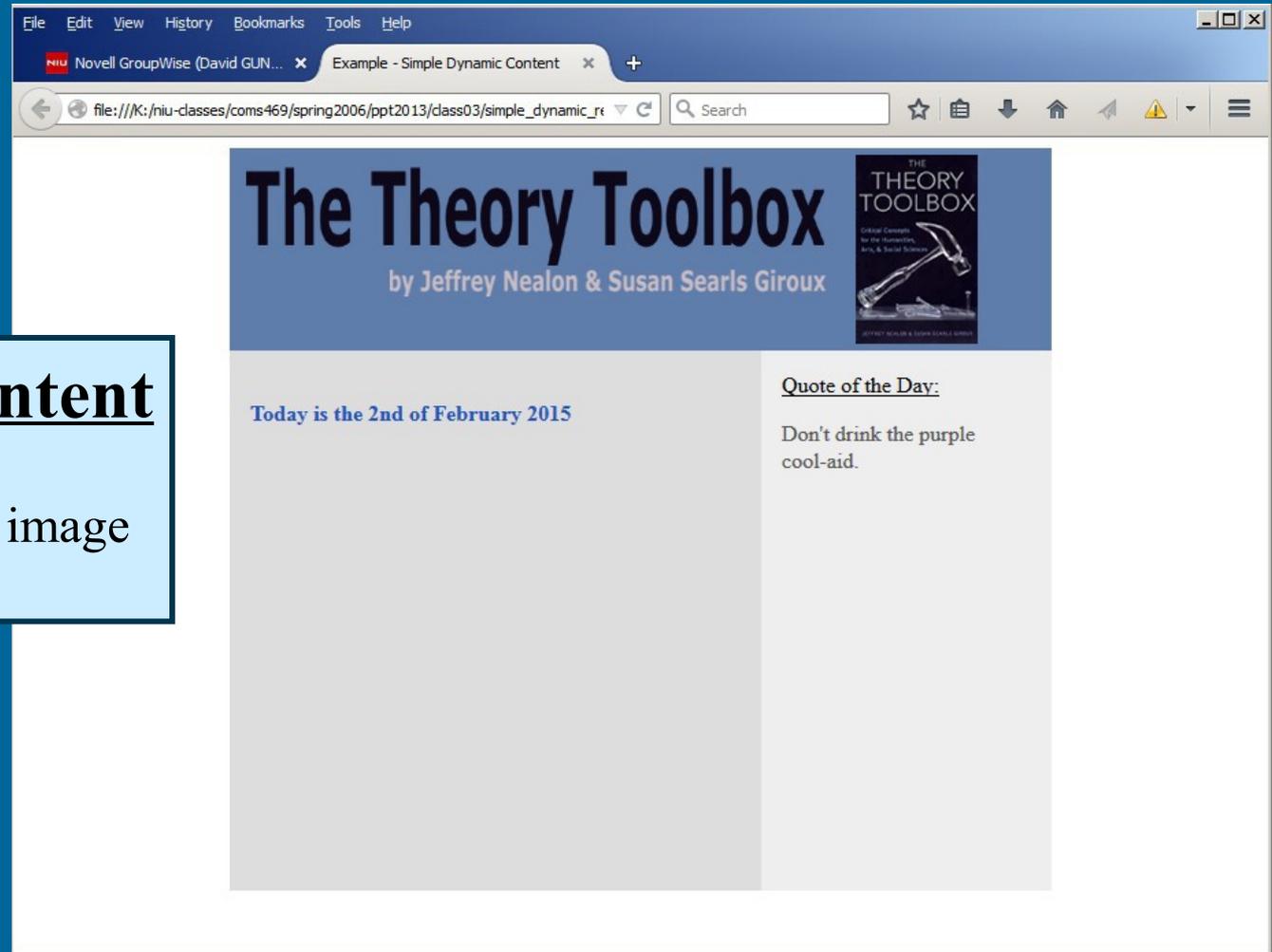
</body>
</html>
```

Dynamic Content

Random quote

Random banner image

Current date



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the following elements:

- Browser Interface:** Includes a menu bar (File, Edit, View, History, Bookmarks, Tools, Help), a tab titled "Example - Simple Dynamic Content", and a search bar.
- Page Header:** Features the title "The Theory Toolbox" in large black font, the authors "by Jeffrey Nealon & Susan Searls Giroux", and a book cover image for "THE THEORY TOOLBOX: Critical Concepts for the Humanities, Arts, & Social Sciences".
- Main Content Area:** Contains a date "Today is the 2nd of February 2015" and a "Quote of the Day" section with the text "Don't drink the purple cool-aid."

selectImage function for the randomly selected banner image

Variables and switch statement to define the various elements that comprise the date

```
1 <html>
2 <head>
3   <title>Example - Simple Dynamic Content</title>
4   <script type="text/javascript">
5     function selectImage()
6     {
7       var bannerImg = new Array("banner1.jpg", "banner2.jpg", "banner3.jpg");
8       var arrayLength = bannerImg.length;
9       randomNumber = Math.round(Math.random() * arrayLength);
10      document.banner.src = bannerImg[randomNumber];
11    }
12
13    var months = new Array("January", "February", "March", "April", "May", "June", "July",
14      "August", "September", "October", "November", "December");
15
16    var dateNow = new Date();
17    var yearNow = dateNow.getFullYear();
18    var monthNow = months[dateNow.getMonth()];
19    var dayNow = dateNow.getDate();
20    var daySuffix;
21
22    switch (dayNow)
23    {
24      case 1:
25      case 21:
26      case 31:
27        daySuffix = "st";
28        break;
29
30      case 2:
31      case 22:
32        daySuffix = "nd";
33        break;
34
35      case 3:
36      case 23:
37        daySuffix = "rd";
38        break;
39
40      default:
41        daySuffix = "th";
42        break;
43    }
44  </script>
45 </head>
```

```

45
46 <body bgcolor="#ffffff" onLoad="selectImage()">
47 <p align="center">
48
49 <table width="600" cellspacing="0" cellpadding="0" border="0">
50
51 <tr>
52 <td colspan="2" align="center"> 
53 </td>
54 </tr>
55
56 <tr height="400">
57 <td width="400" bgcolor="#dddddd" style="padding:15px" valign="top">
58
59 <script type="text/javascript">
60
61     document.write("<h4 style='color:#2255bb'>Today is the " + dayNow + daySuffix +
62         " of " + monthNow + " " + yearNow + "</h4>");
63 </script>
64 </td>
65
66 <td width="200" bgcolor="#e0e0e0" style="padding:15px" valign="top">
67
68 <p style="color:#000000"><u>Quote of the Day:</u>
69
70 <script type="text/javascript">
71
72     var quoteNumber;
73     var quote = new Array("Never trust a hippie.", "Don't drink the purple cool-aid.",
74         "Prophets of doom are always correct", "Keep off the grass");
75
76     var arrayLength = quote.length - 1;
77     quoteNumber = Math.round(Math.random() * arrayLength);
78     document.write("<p style='color:#555555'>" + quote[quoteNumber] + "</p>");
79 </script></p>
80
81 </td>
82 </tr>
83 </table>
84 </body>
85 </html>

```

onLoad to call selectImage function

Use a table to provide page formatting

Display the date by using a document.write()

Generate and display the random quotation

HTML Forms

- Introduction
- Review of HTML Forms
- JavaScript objects, properties and methods for working with HTML forms
- Examples/Exercises

HTML Forms

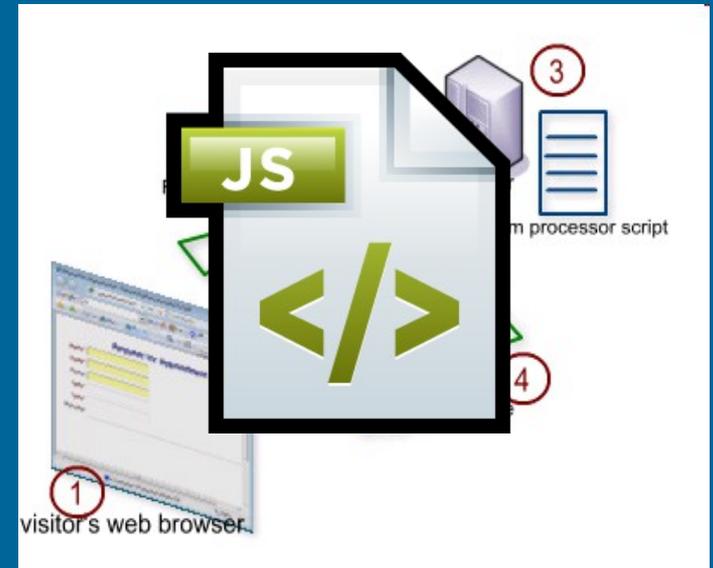
- Introduction

- Online Forms

- *Front End* = HTML form to collect user data
 - *Back End* = PHP or ASP to process form data

- JavaScript

- In between Front & Back ends
 - Function
 - Verify/Validate form entry data
 - Client-side processing of form data (i.e. trivia quiz)



HTML Forms

- Introduction
 - Example

Name	<input type="text"/>
Address	<input type="text"/>
City	<input type="text"/>
State	<input type="text"/>
Phone	<input type="text"/>

HTML Forms

- Introduction
 - Example

Name	<input type="text" value="Tom Verlaine"/>
Address	<input type="text"/>
City	<input type="text"/>
State	<input type="text" value="New York"/>
Phone	<input type="text" value="298-4571"/>

HTML Forms

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 - Example

Name	<input type="text" value="Tom Verlaine"/>
Address	<input type="text"/>
City	<input type="text"/>
State	<input type="text" value="New York"/>
Phone	<input type="text" value="298-4571"/>

- Use JavaScript to verify that the user entered data into each field (no empty fields)
- Use JavaScript to check the validity of the data before the form is sent.
- Prompt the user to fix any mistakes or problems.
- Avoid having to deal with “bad” data. Make the user enter the right kind of data.

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<html>
  <head>
    <title>Example Form</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <form method="post" action="page3-1.php">
      <h2>Fill in the Form</h2>
      <p><b>Name</b><br><input type="text" name="user_name"></p>
      <p><b>Password</b><br><input type="password" name="password"></p>
      <p><b>Species:</b><br><input type="radio" name="species" value="human"> Human<br><input type="radio" name="species" value="canine"> Canine<br><input type="radio" name="species" value="penguin"> Penguin</p>
      <p><b>Organs for Sale</b><br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="brain"> Brain<br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="liver"> Liver<br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="lungs"> Lungs</p>
      <p><b>Hobbies</b><br><select name="hobbies">
        <option value="tree-house astrology">Tree-House Astrology</option>
        <option value="backyard surgery">Backyard Surgery</option>
        <option value="rodent cloning">Rodent Cloning</option>
      </select>
      <p><b>Essay</b><br><input type="text" name="meaning_life" rows="6" cols="40" wrap="physical" value="What I did on my summer vacation..."></p>
      <input type="hidden" name="my_email" value="email@niu.edu">
      <p><input type="submit" value="Send"> <input type="reset"></p>
    </form>
  </body>
</html>
```

The form is defined by the form container tag. This tag takes two attributes: method and action. For now we will not be concerned with the action; this is where serverside scripting (i.e. php) comes in and we will deal with it later in the semester.

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      </p>
      <p><b>Species</b>
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      </p>
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      </p>
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  </body>
</html>
```

Entry fields are created by using the `<input>` tag. This tag takes the attributes `type`, `name`, and `size`. In this case, the `type` is `text`, which provides a single line for text entry. The `name` is `"user_name"` and the `size`, which specifies the size of the field in characters, is `40`.

type=password looks like the text entry field but characters entered in this input box are not visible on the monitor. They are, however, communicated to the server.

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    <form method="post" action="page3-1.php">
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      <p><b>Name</b></p>
      <br><input type="text" name="user_name" size="40">
      </p>
      <p><b>Password</b></p>
      <br><input type="password" name="password" size="10"></p>
      <p><b>Species:</b></p>
      <br><input type="radio" name="species" value="human"> Human
      <br><input type="radio" name="species" value="canine"> Canine
      <br><input type="radio" name="species" value="penguin"> Penguin</p>
      <p><b>Organs for Sale</b></p>
      <br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="brain"> Brain
      <br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="liver"> Liver
      <br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="lungs"> Lungs</p>
      <p><b>Hobbies</b></p>
      <br><select name="hobbies">
        <option value="tree-house astrology">Tree-House Astrology</option>
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      <br><textarea name="meaning_life" rows="6" cols="40" wrap="physical">
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    <form method="post" action="...">
      <h2>Fill in the Form</h2>
      <p><b>Name</b><br><input type="text" name="name" value="Name" /></p>
      <p><b>Password</b><br><input type="password" name="password" size="10" /></p>
      <p><b>Species:</b><br>
        <input type="radio" name="species" value="human" /> Human
        <input type="radio" name="species" value="canine" /> Canine
        <input type="radio" name="species" value="penguin" /> Penguin</p>
      <p><b>Organs for Sale</b><br>
        <input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="brain" /> Brain
        <input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="liver" /> Liver
        <input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="lungs" /> Lungs</p>
      <p><b>Hobbies</b><br>
        <select name="hobbies">
          <option value="tree-house astrology">Tree-House Astrology</option>
          <option value="backyard surgery">Backyard Surgery</option>
          <option value="rodent cloning">Rodent Cloning</option>
        </select>
      <p><b>Essay</b><br>
        <textarea name="meaning_life" rows="6" cols="40" wrap="physical">
          What I did on my summer vacation...
        </textarea></p>
      <input type="hidden" name="my_email" value="email@niu.edu" />
      <p><input type="submit" value="Send" /> <input type="reset" /></p>
    </form>
  </body>
</html>
```

type=radio displays information in a radio-button format. In this case, the user may select one of three options. This input type also includes a value attribute. In most case, the value of the value attribute is the same as the text that follows the input tag.

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<html>
  <head>
    <title>Example Form</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <form>
      <h2>Fill in the Form</h2>
      <p>Name<br><input type="text" value="" /></p>
      <p>Password<br><input type="password" value="" /></p>
      <p>Species:<br><input type="radio" name="species" value="human" /> Human<br><input type="radio" name="species" value="canine" /> Canine<br><input type="radio" name="species" value="penguin" /> Penguin</p>
      <p><b>Organs for Sale</b><br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="brain" /> Brain<br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="liver" /> Liver<br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="lungs" /> Lungs</p>
      <p><b>Hobbies</b><br><select name="hobbies">
        <option value="tree-house astrology">Tree-House Astrology</option>
        <option value="backyard surgery">Backyard Surgery</option>
        <option value="rodent cloning">Rodent Cloning</option>
      </select>
      <p><b>Essay</b><br><textarea name="meaning_life" rows="6" cols="40" wrap="physical">
        What I did on my summer vacation...
      </textarea></p>
      <input type="hidden" name="my_email" value="email@niu.edu" />
      <p><input type="submit" value="Send" /> <input type="reset" /></p>
    </form>
  </body>
</html>
```

`type=checkbox` displays information in a check-box format. In this case, the user may select any number of three options. Like the radio button, this input type also includes a `value` attribute. In most case, the value of the `value` attribute is the same as the text that follows the input tag. In this case, the name is followed by square brackets. This will compile the values selected on the form as *elements* of an *array* with the name `for_sale`.

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<html>
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  <body>
    <form method="post" action="page3-1.php">
      <h2>Fill in the Form</h2>
      <p><b>Name</b></p>
      <p><b>Password</b></p>
      <p><b>Species:</b></p>
      <p><input type="radio" name="species" value="Human"> Human</p>
      <p><input type="radio" name="species" value="Canine"> Canine</p>
      <p><input type="radio" name="species" value="Penguin"> Penguin</p>
      <p><b>Organs for Sale</b></p>
      <p><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="Brain"> Brain</p>
      <p><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="Liver"> Liver</p>
      <p><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="Lungs"> Lungs</p>
      <p><b>Hobbies</b></p>
      <p><select name="hobbies">
        <option value="tree-house astrology">Tree-House Astrology</option>
        <option value="backyard surgery">Backyard Surgery</option>
        <option value="rodent cloning">Rodent Cloning</option>
      </select>
      <p><b>Essay</b></p>
      <p><textarea name="meaning_life" rows="6" cols="40" wrap="physical">
        What I did on my summer vacation...
      </textarea></p>
      <p><input type="hidden" name="my_email" value="email@niu.edu">
      <p><input type="submit" value="Send"> <input type="reset"></p>
    </form>
  </body>
</html>
```

The `select` container provides a pull-down menu of options. It takes a `name` attribute. Between the opening and closing `select` tags, you situate any number of `option` tags. The `option` tags take a `value` attribute, which is usually set to something similar to the text that follows. The value of the `value` attribute is what is sent to the sever. The text that follows the `option` tag is the name that is seen by the user in the pull-down menu.

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  </head>
  <body>
    <form method="post" action="page3-1.php">
      <h2>Fill in the Form</h2>
      <p><b>Name</b>
        <br><input type="text" name="user_name" size="40">
      </p>
```

The `textarea` container provides for a text entry field that is larger than the single line that is produced by the `type=text` input field. Like all form entry options, it takes a `name` attribute. It also requires `rows` and `cols` attributes, which specify the size of the text area in rows of text and columns of characters. Finally, it controls word wrap with the `wrap` attribute. This attribute takes one of three values:

- off Word wrap is disabled
- virtual Lines appear to be wrapped, but line wrapping is not sent to the server
- physical Word wrapping is enabled

```
</select>
<p><b>Essay</b>
<br><textarea name="meaning_life" rows="6" cols="40" wrap="physical">
  What I did on my summer vacation...
</textarea></p>
<input type="hidden" name="my_email" value="email@niu.edu">
<p><input type="submit" value="Send"> <input type="reset"></p>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

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  </head>
  <body>
    <form method="post" action="page3-1.php">
      <h2>Fill in the Form</h2>
      <p><b>Name</b></p>
      <br><input type="text" name="user_name" size="40">
      </p>
      <p><b>Password</b></p>
      <br><input type="password" name="password" size="10"></p>
      <p><b>Species:</b></p>
      <br><input type="radio" name="species" value="human"> Human
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      <br><input type="radio" name="species" value="penguin"> Penguin</p>
      <p><b>Organs for Sale</b></p>
      <br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="brain"> Brain
      <br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="liver"> Liver
      <br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="lungs"> Lungs</p>
      <p><b>Hobbies</b></p>
      <br><select name="hobbies">
        <option value="tree-house"> Tree-House
        <option value="astrology"> Astrology
        <option value="reading"> Reading
      </select>
      <p><b>Essay</b></p>
      <br><textarea name="essay">
        What I did on my summer vacation...
      </textarea></p>
      <input type="hidden" name="my_email" value="email@niu.edu">
      <p><input type="submit" value="Send"> <input type="reset"></p>
    </form>
  </body>
</html>
```

The hidden input type allows for the inclusion of data that is not seen or able to be manipulate by the user. It is most often used to set the email address to which the form is to be sent. It takes both name and value attributes.

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      <p><b>Name</b></p>
      <br><input type="text" name="user_name" size="40">
      </p>
      <p><b>Password</b></p>
      <br><input type="password" name="password" size="10"></p>
      <p><b>Species:</b></p>
      <br><input type="radio" name="species" value="human"> Human
      <br><input type="radio" name="species" value="canine"> Canine
      <br><input type="radio" name="species" value="penguin"> Penguin</p>
      <p><b>Organs for Sale</b></p>
      <br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="brain"> Brain
      <br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="liver"> Liver
      <br><input type="checkbox" name="for_sale[]" value="lungs"> Lungs</p>
      <p><b>Hobbies</b></p>
      <br><select name="hobbies">
        <option value="tree">Tree-House
        <option value="back">Backyard
        <option value="rode">Rodeo
      </select>
      <p><b>Essay</b></p>
      <br><textarea name="essay">
        What I did on my summer
      </textarea></p>
      <input type="hidden" name="my_email" value="email@niu.edu">
      <p><input type="submit" value="Send"> <input type="reset"></p>
    </form>
  </body>
</html>
```

The submit and reset input types create the *local action buttons*. The name of these buttons will be "submit" and "reset," unless you code a value attribute that provides an alternative.

Firefox

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Fill in the Form

Name

Password

Species:

- Human
- Canine
- Penguin

Organs for Sale

- Brain
- Liver
- Lungs

Hobbies

Essay

Form

Objects

Properties

Methods()

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Hobbies

Tree-House Astrology ▾

Essay

What I did on my summer vacation...

Form object

2 means of access

- 1) By name - `document.myForm`
- 2) By the `forms[]` property of the document object - `document.forms[0]`

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Fill in the Form

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Password

Species:

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Hobbies

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Essay

What I did on my summer vacation...

Form Elements

2 means of access

- 1) By elements[] property of the Form object
- 2) By the name of the form object

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Fill in the Form

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Password

Species:

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```
document.form[0].element[0]
```

```
document.myForm.userName
```

```
document.form[0].element[2]
```

```
document.myForm.species
```

Firefox

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Fill in the Form

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Password

Species:

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Common Properties

name
value

Common Methods

submit()
focus()
blur()
reset()
select()

Common Event Handlers

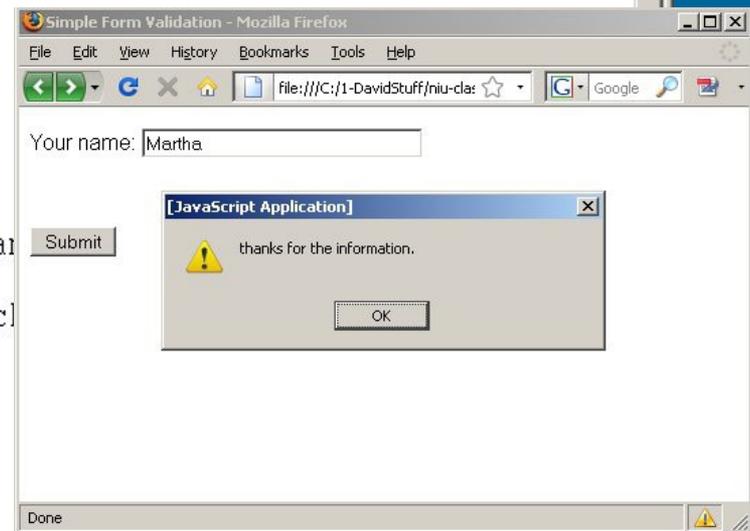
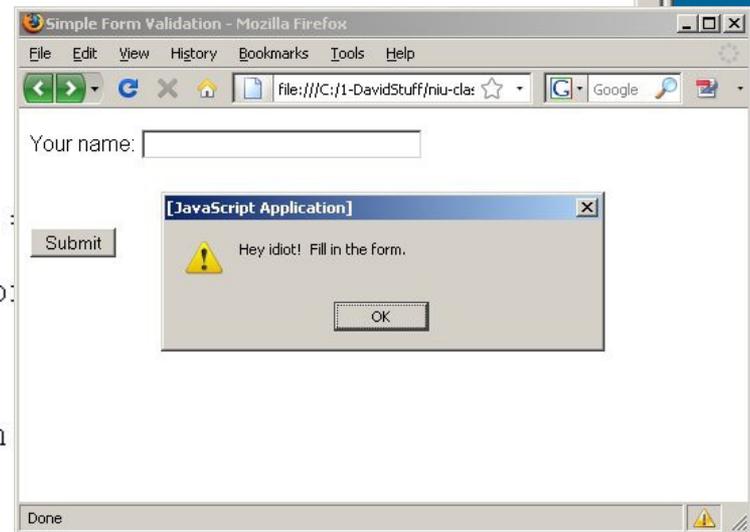
onclick
onsubmit
onfocus
onblur

```
validation1 - Notepad
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<html>
<head>
  <title>Simple Form Validation</title>

  <script type="text/javascript">
    function formValidation()
    {
      if (document.forms[0].userName.value :
        {
          alert("Hey idiot!  Fill in the fo:
        }
      else
      {
        alert("thanks for the information
      }
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
  <form>
    <p>Your name: <input type="text" size="30" na
    <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClic

  </form>
</body>
</html>
```



```
validation1 - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help

<html>
<head>
  <title>Simple Form Validation</title>

  <script type="text/javascript">

    function formValidation()
    {
      if (document.forms[0].userName.value == "")
      {
        alert("Hey idiot!  Fill in the form.");
      }
      else
      {
        alert("thanks for the information.");
      }
    }
  </script>

</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

  <form>
    <p>Your name:
    <p><input type="text" value="" name="userName">

  </form>

</body>
</html>
```

Define a function called `formValidation()`. If the value of the `userName` element of the `forms` array property of the `document` object is empty, then use an `alert()` to warn the user. Otherwise use a different `alert()` message.

```
validation1 - Notepad
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<html>
<head>
  <title>Simple Form Validation</title>

  <script type="text/javascript">

    function formValidation()
    {
      if (document.forms[0].userName.value == "")
      {
        alert("Hey idiot!  Fill in the form.");
      }
      else
      {
        alert("thank");
      }
    }
  </script>

</head>

<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

  <form>

    <p>Your name: <input type="text" size="30" name="userName"></p><br>

    <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>

  </form>

</body>
</html>
```

Create an HTML form. Name the first input option `userName`. Include a button and use the `onClick` event handler to call the validation function.

```
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<head>
  <title>Simple Form Validation</title>

  <script type="text/javascript">

    function formValidation()
    {
      if (document.forms[0].userName.value == "")
      {
        alert("Hey idiot!  Fill in the form.");
      }
      else
      {
        alert("thanks for the information.");
      }
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

  <form>

    <p>Your name: <input type="text" size="30" name="userName"></p><br>

    <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>

  </form>

</body>
</html>
```

validation1.html

This approach will work for all form elements that return a string value: **<textarea>** and **<select>**

```
validation2 - Notepad
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<html>
<head>
<title>More Complex Form Validation</title>

<script type="text/javascript">

function formValidation()
{
  if (document.forms[0].userName.value == "")
  {
    alert("Hey idiot! Fill in the form.");
  }
  else
  {
    var beerChoice = -1;
    for (loopCounter=0; loopCounter < document.forms[0].beer.length;
        {
          if (document.forms[0].beer[loopCounter].checked == true)
          {
            beerChoice = loopCounter;
            break;
          }
        }
    if (beerChoice == -1)
    {
      alert("You must select a beer.");
    }
    alert("Your name is " + document.forms[0].userName.value +
          ". Your beer is " + document.forms[0].beer[beerChoice].val
    }
  }
}
</script>

</head>

<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

<form>

<h1>Beverage Selector</h1>
<hr>
<p>Your name: <input type="text" size="30" name="userName"></p>

<p>Your beer:
<br><input type="radio" value="Pabst" name="beer">Pabst
<br><input type="radio" value="Blatz" name="beer">Blatz
<br><input type="radio" value="Schlitz" name="beer">Schlitz
<br><input type="radio" value="Old Style" name="beer">Old Style</p>

<p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>

</form>

</body>
</html>
```

More Complex Form Validation - Mozilla Firefox

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Navigation icons: back, forward, home, search, print, etc.

Beverage Selector

Your name:

Your beer:

- Pabst
- Blatz
- Schlitz
- Old Style

Done 

```
validation2 - Notepad
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<html>
<head>
<title>More Complex Form Validation</title>

<script type="text/javascript">

function formValidation()
{
  if (document.forms[0].userName.value == "")
  {
    alert("Hey idiot! Fill in the form.");
  }
  else
  {
    var beerChoice = -1;
    for (loopCounter=0; loopCounter<4; loopCounter++)
    {
      if (document.forms[0].beer[loopCounter].checked)
      {
        beerChoice = loopCounter;
        break;
      }
    }
    if (beerChoice == -1)
    {
      alert("You must select a beer.");
    }
    alert("Your name is " + document.forms[0].userName.value + ". Your beer is " + document.forms[0].beer[beerChoice].value);
  }
}
</script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

<form>

<h1>Beverage Selector</h1>
<hr>
<p>Your name: <input type="text" size="30" name="userName"></p>

<p>Your beer:
<br><input type="radio" value="Pabst" name="beer">Pabst
<br><input type="radio" value="Blatz" name="beer">Blatz
<br><input type="radio" value="Schlitz" name="beer">Schlitz
<br><input type="radio" value="Old Style" name="beer">Old Style</p>

<p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>
</form>

</body>
</html>
```

HTML form with three input options.

- 1) type=text, named userName.
- 2) Four type=radio, named beer.
- 3) type=button, set the value of the onClick event handler to the name of the form validation function.

```
<form>

<h1>Beverage Selector</h1>
<hr>
<p>Your name: <input type="text" size="30" name="userName"></p>

<p>Your beer:
<br><input type="radio" value="Pabst" name="beer">Pabst
<br><input type="radio" value="Blatz" name="beer">Blatz
<br><input type="radio" value="Schlitz" name="beer">Schlitz
<br><input type="radio" value="Old Style" name="beer">Old Style</p>

<p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>
</form>

</body>
</html>
```

```
validation2 - Notepad
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<html>
<head>
<title>More Complex Form Validation</title>

<script type="text/javascript">

function formValidation()
{
  if (document.forms[0].userName.value == "")
  {
    alert("Hey idiot! Fill in the form.");
  }
}

else
{
  var beerChoice = -1;
  for (loopCounter=0; loopCounter < document.forms[0].beer.length; loopCounter++)
  {
    if (document.forms[0].beer[loopCounter].checked == true)
    {
      beerChoice = loopCounter;
      break;
    }
  }
  if (beerChoice == -1)
  {
    alert("You must select a beer.");
  }
  alert("Your name is " + document.forms[0].userName.value + ". Your beer is " + document.forms[0].beer[beerChoice].value);
}
}
</script>

</head>

<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

<form>

<h1>Beverage Selector</h1>
<hr>
<p>Your name: <input type="text" size="30" name="userName"></p>

<p>Your beer:
<br><input type="radio" value="Pabst" name="beer">Pabst
<br><input type="radio" value="Blatz" name="beer">Blatz
<br><input type="radio" value="Schlitz" name="beer">Schlitz
<br><input type="radio" value="Old Style" name="beer">Old Style</p>

<p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>

</form>

</body>
</html>
```

Define the form validation function. The first if statement is the same as the previous example and tests whether the value of the `userName` element is empty. If it is, use an `alert` to warn the user.

```
validation2 - Notepad
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<html>
<head>
<title>More Complex Form Validation</title>

<script type="text/javascript">

function formValidation()
{
  if (document.forms[0].userName.value == "")
  {
    alert("Hey idiot! Fill in the form.");
  }
  else
  {
    var beerChoice = -1;
    for (loopCounter=0; loopCounter < document.forms[0].beer.length; loopCounter++)
    {
      if (document.forms[0].beer[loopCounter].checked == true)
      {
        beerChoice = loopCounter;
        break;
      }
    }
    if (beerChoice == -1)
    {
      alert("You must select a beer.");
    }
    alert("Your name is " + document.forms[0].userName.value +
      ". Your beer is " + document.forms[0].beer[beerChoice].value);
  }
}
</script>

</head>

<body bgcolor="white">
<form>

<h1>Beverage</h1>
<hr>
<p>Your name is <input type="text" value="" />

<p>Your beverage is <input type="radio" value="Beer" /> Beer
<br><input type="radio" value="Soda" /> Soda
<br><input type="radio" value="Milk" /> Milk
<br><input type="radio" value="Other" /> Other

<p><input type="submit" value="Submit" />

</form>

</body>
</html>
```

Check the radio buttons with an **else** statement. Because the radio button element does not return a string value, it cannot be checked using the method employed for a **type=text** input. The value returned by a radio button is held in an array, which takes the name provided in the HTML form. We check radio buttons by using a loop to see which one is clicked/checked.

```
validation2 - Notepad
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<html>
<head>
<title>More Complex Form Validation</title>

<script type="text/javascript">

function formValidation()
{
  if (document.forms[0].userName.value == "")
  {
    alert("Hey idiot! Fill in the form.");
  }
  else
  {
    var beerChoice = -1;
    for (loopCounter=0; loopCounter < document.forms[0].beer.length; loopCounter++)
    {
      if (document.forms[0].beer[loopCounter].checked == true)
      {
        beerChoice = loopCounter;
        break;
      }
    }
    if (beerChoice == -1)
    {
      alert("You must select a beer.");
    }
    alert("Your name is " + document.forms[0].userName.value +

  }
}
</script>
</head>
<body bgcolor=

<form>
<h1>Beverage
<hr>
<p>Your name

<p>Your beer
<br><input
<br><input
<br><input
<br><input

<p><input type="text" value="" />
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

Begin by assigning the beerChoice variable the value -1. Then create a loop. Set the loopCounter to 0, and as long as the loopCounter remains less than the number of radio button elements in the form, increment the counter by one. For each step in the loop, check whether the radio button is clicked by using the checked property of the form object. beer[loopcounter] designates the different array elements (radio buttons) returned by the form. If the radio button is clicked, then set the value of the beerChoice variable to the loopCounter and end the loop.

<html>

<head>

<title>

<script>

function

formValidation

function

formValidation

function

formValidation

After all this, if the `beerChoice` variable still has the value of -1, then none of the radio buttons are clicked. In this case, use an **alert** to warn the user.

If all form elements check out (data has been entered), then use an **alert** to inform the user of the results. In the case of the `userName`, the value is available as a string. In the case of the radio buttons, the value is not available as a string and needs to be accessed by specifying the proper `beer` array element by using the value of the `beerChoice` variable.

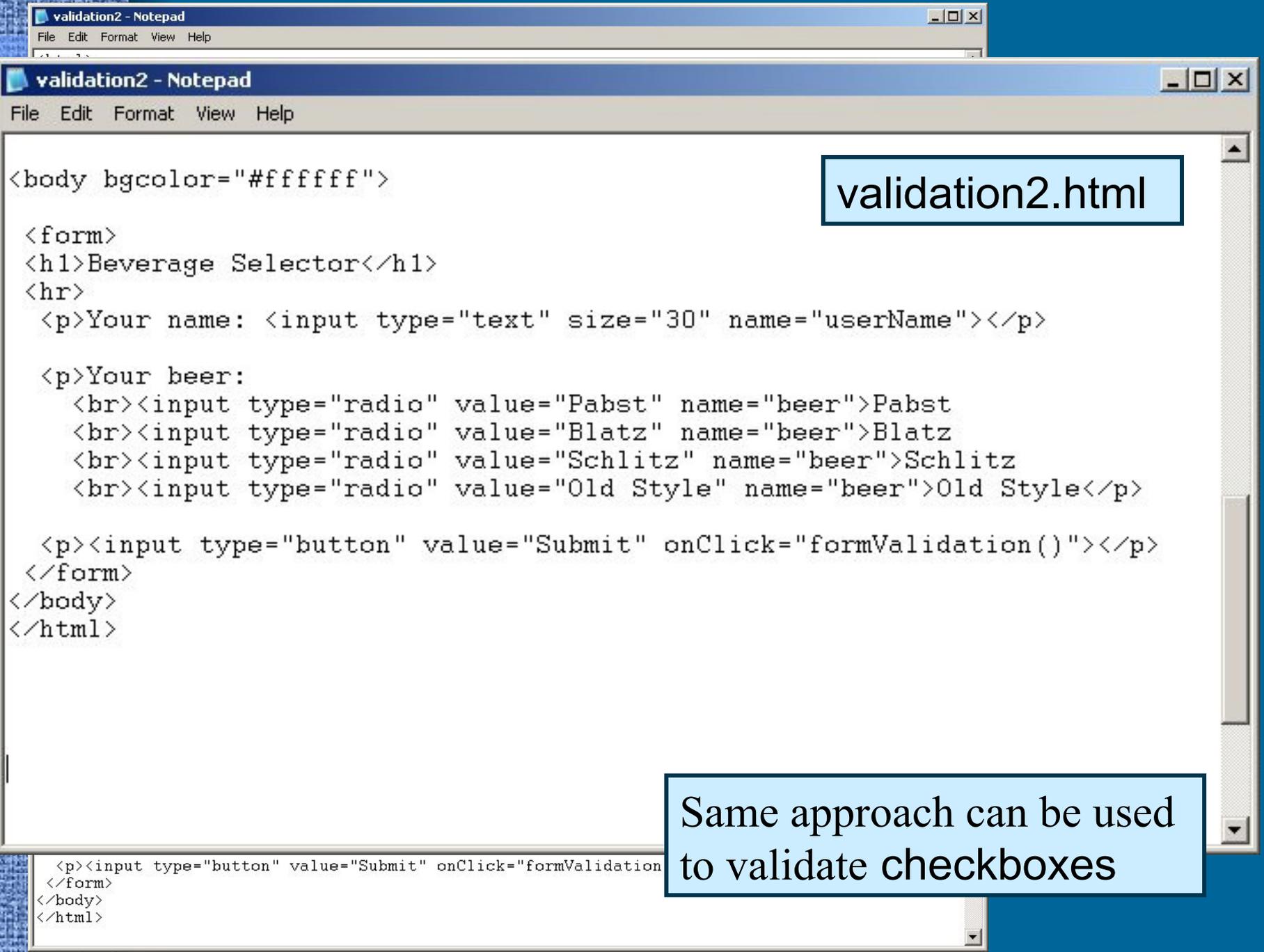
```
        break;
    }
}
if (beerChoice == -1)
{
    alert("You must select a beer.");
}
alert("Your name is " + document.forms[0].userName.value +
      ". Your beer is " + document.forms[0].beer[beerChoice].value);
}
</script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
<form>
<h1>Beverage Selector</h1>
<hr>
<p>Your name: <input type="text" size="30" name="userName"></p>
<p>Your beer:
<br><input type="radio" value="Pabst" name="beer">Pabst
<br><input type="radio" value="Blatz" name="beer">Blatz
<br><input type="radio" value="Schlitz" name="beer">Schlitz
<br><input type="radio" value="Old Style" name="beer">Old Style</p>
<p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>More Complex Form Validation</title>

  <script type="text/javascript">

    function formValidation()
    {
      if (document.forms[0].userName.value == "")
      {
        alert("Hey idiot!  Fill in the form.");
      }
      else
      {
        var beerChoice = -1;
        for (loopCounter=0; loopCounter < document.forms[0].beer.length; loopCounter++)
        {
          if (document.forms[0].beer[loopCounter].checked == true)
          {
            beerChoice = loopCounter;
            break;
          }
        }
        if (beerChoice == -1)
        {
          alert("You must select a beer.");
        }
        alert("Your name is " + document.forms[0].userName.value +
              ". Your beer is " + document.forms[0].beer[beerChoice].value);
      }
    }
  </script>
</head>
```

validation2.html



validation2.html

Same approach can be used to validate checkboxes

```
<p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation"
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

String Manipulation

- String Methods
- Regular Expressions
- Form Validation revisited

String Manipulation

- String Methods
 - split()
 - match()
 - replace()
 - search()

String Manipulation

- `split()`
 - Purpose:
 - divides a single string into an array of substrings
 - Divides along the character(s) specified as the method's parameter
 - Example

```
var myString = "A,B,C";  
var myTextArray = myString.split(,);
```

Result: A B C

String Manipulation

- `replace()`
 - Purpose
 - Searches a string for occurrences of a substring and replaces the substring with another substring
 - Example

```
var myString = "The rain in Spain stays mainly in the plain";  
var myNewString = myString.replace("plain", "yard");
```

Result: The rain in Spain stays mainly in the yard

String Manipulation

- `search()`
 - Purpose
 - Search a string for a particular substring.
 - If the substring is found, the script returns the substring's character position (a number); If it is not found, the script returns -1
 - Example

```
var myString = "The rain in Spain stays mainly in the plain";  
var myNewString = myString.search("rain");
```

Result: 4

String Manipulation

- `match()`
 - Purpose
 - Similar to `search()`; searches a string for a particular substring – looks for a match
 - Returns an array where each element of the array contains the text of each match that was found
 - Example

```
var myString = "go dog go. it's not too far";  
var myArray = myString.match("go");
```

– *Result:* `myArray("go", "go")`

```
nixon_question - Notepad
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<html>
<head>
  <title>Famous Political Scandals</title>

  <script type="text/javascript">

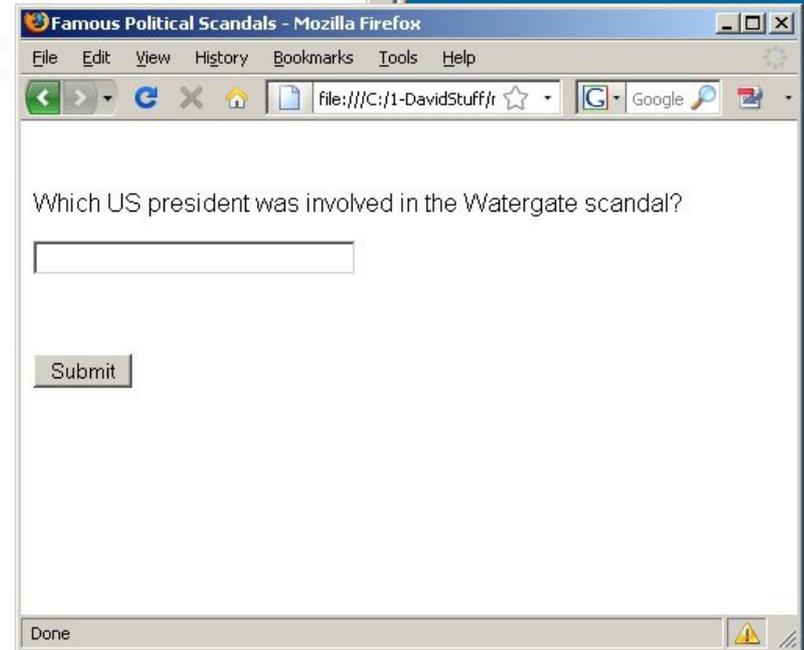
    function formValidation()
    {
      var answer = document.forms[0].userResponse.value;
      var correct = answer.search("Nixon");

      if (correct == -1)
      {
        alert("Hey idiot, you got it wrong!");
      }
      else
      {
        alert("Big surprise, you got it right!");
      }
    }

  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

  <form>
  <br>
  <p>Which US president was involved in the Watergate scandal?</p>
  <p><input type="text" size="30" name="userResponse"></p>
  <br>
  <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>

  </form>
</body>
</html>
```



```
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<head>
  <title>Famous Political Scandals</title>

  <script type="text/javascript">

    function formValidation()
    {
      var answer = document.forms[0].userResponse.value;
      var correct = answer.search("Nixon");

      if (correct == -1)
      {
        alert("Hey idiot, you got it wrong!");
      }
      else
      {
        alert("Big surprise, you got it right!");
      }
    }

  </script>

</head>

<body bgcolor="

  <form>
  <br>
  <p>Which US p
  <p> <input ty
  <br>
  <p><input typ

  </form>

</body>
</html>
```

Define a function called `formValidation()`.

Begin by declaring two variables. Assign to the variable `answer` the value of the text input box on the form. Assign to the variable `correct` the result of applying the `search()` method to the `answer` where the parameter is "Nixon".

Use a conditional statement to run a test on the results. If the outcome of the `search()` is `-1`, meaning that a match was not found, then use the `alert()` method to provide a message. If the outcome is anything other than `-1`, then use an `alert()` to provide an alternative message.

```
nixon_question - Notepad
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<html>
<head>
  <title>Famous Political Scandals</title>

  <script type="text/javascript">

    function formValidation()
    {
      var answer = document.forms[0].userResponse.value;
      var correct = answer.search("Nixon");

      if (correct == -1)
      {
        alert("Hey idiot, you got it wrong!");
      }
      else
      {
        alert("Big surprise, you got it right!");
      }
    }

  </script>

</head>

<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

  <form>
  <br>
  <p>Which US president was involved in the Watergate scandal?</p>
  <p><input type="text" size="30" name="userResponse"></p>
  <br>
  <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>

  </form>

</body>
</html>
```

A form with one type=text input, which is named userResponse. Use an onClick event handler with the type=button input to call the function defined above.

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>Famous Political Scandals</title>

  <script type="text/javascript">

    function formValidation()
    {
      var answer = document.forms[0].userResponse.value;
      var correct = answer.search("Nixon");

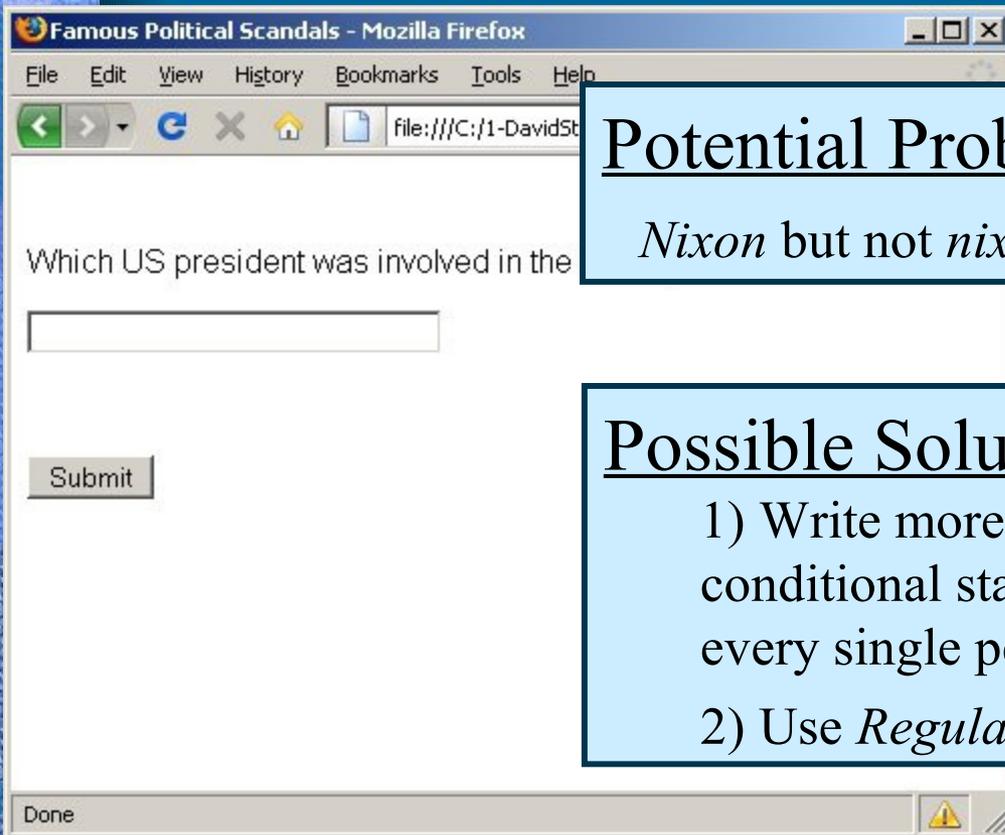
      if (correct == -1)
      {
        alert("Hey idiot, you got it wrong!");
      }
      else
      {
        alert("Big surprise, you got it right!");
      }
    }

  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

  <form>
  <br>
  <p>Which US president was involved in the Watergate scandal?</p>
  <p><input type="text" size="30" name="userResponse"></p>
  <br>
  <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>

  </form>
</body>
</html>
```

nixon_question.html



Potential Problems

Nixon but not *nixon*

Possible Solutions

- 1) Write more elaborate conditional statements to test for every single permutation
- 2) Use *Regular Expressions*

Regular Expressions

- Introduction
 - Regular expressions are a means of defining a pattern of characters. This pattern can be used to split, search, match, or replace characters in a string
 - JavaScript's regular expression syntax borrows heavily from Perl and is related to that used by VBScript and other scripting languages.

Regular Expressions

- Writing Regular Expressions
 - RegExp – JavaScript native object for defining regular expressions
 - Two method of constructing a regular expression in JavaScript

```
var myRegExp = / .... /;
```

```
var myRegExp = new RegExp(" .... ");
```

Regular Expressions

- Working with Regular Expressions
 - String methods
 - split() replace()
 - search() match()
 - Methods of the **RegExp** object
 - compile() – compiles a regular expression
 - exec() – searches a string for a pattern and returns all the matches stored in an array
 - test() – compares a string to a pattern and returns true or false based on the results

```
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<title>Famous Political Scandals</title>

<script type="text/javascript">

function formValidation()
{
  var answer = document.forms[0].userResponse.value;
  var myRegExp = /Nixon/;
  var correct = answer.search(myRegExp);

  if (correct == -1)
  {
    alert("Hey idiot, you got it wrong!");
  }
  else
  {
    alert("Big surprise, yo
  }
}

</script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">

<form>
<br>
<p>Which US president was involved in the Watergate scandal?</p>
<p> <input type="text" size="30" name="userResponse"></p>
<br>
<p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>

</form>

</body>
</html>
```

The nixon_question example with a regular expression. Add the variable myRegExp and assign it the regular expression value /Nixon/. Change the parameter of the search() method to the variable myRegExp

Regular Expressions

Attribute Character	Description
g	Global match. Looks for all matches of the pattern rather than stopping after the first match is found
i	Pattern is case insensitive. Match all instances irrespective of the case of the characters.
m	Multi-line flag. Specifies that the special characters ^ and \$ can match the beginning and end of the lines as well as the beginning and end of the string.

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</form>

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```

Add the attribute character **i** to the definition of the regular expression to designate that the pattern should be *case insensitive*. Now both *Nixon* and *nixon* will be matched by the `search()` method.

Regular Expressions

- Regular Expression Special Characters
 - Define more complex patterns
 - Three types
 - Text, Numbers & Punctuation Characters
 - Repetition Characters
 - Position Characters

Text, Numbers and Punctuation

Character Class	Character It Matches	Example
<code>\d</code>	Any digit from 0 to 9	<code>\d\d</code> matches 72 but not aa or 7a
<code>\D</code>	Any character that is not a digit	<code>\D\D\D</code> matches abc but not 123
<code>\w</code>	Any word character; that is A-Z, a-z, 0-9	<code>\w\w\w\w</code> matches Stan and Z9a3 but not &%#@
<code>\W</code>	Any non-word character	<code>\W</code> matches @ but not 3
<code>\s</code>	Any whitespace character including tab, newline, return, and formfeed	<code>\s</code> matches <i>tab</i>
<code>\S</code>	Any non-whitespace character	<code>\S</code> matches A but not <i>space</i>
<code>.</code>	Any single character other than the newline character <code>\n</code>	<code>.</code> matches a or 4 or @
<code>[...]</code>	Any one of the characters between the brackets	<code>[a-z]</code> matches any character in the range a to z.
<code>[^...]</code>	Any one character, but not one of those inside the brackets	<code>[^a-z]</code> matches any character that is not in the range a-z

Repetition Characters

Special Character	Meaning	Example
{ <i>n</i> }	Match <i>n</i> of the previous item	$x\{2\}$ matches xx
{ <i>n</i> , }	Matches <i>n</i> or more of the previous item	$x\{2, \}$ matches $xx, xxx, xxxx, \text{etc.}$
{ <i>n</i> , <i>m</i> }	Matches at least <i>n</i> and at most <i>m</i> of the previous item	$x\{2,4\}$ matches $xx, xxx, xxxx$ But not x or $xxxxx$
?	Matches the previous item zero or one time	$x?$ matches nothing or x
+	Matches the previous item one or more times	$x+$ matches $x, xx, xxx, xxxx, \text{etc.}$
*	Matches the previous item zero or more times	x^* matches nothing or $x, xx, xxx, xxxx, \text{etc.}$

Position Characters

Position Character	Description
<code>^</code>	The pattern must be at the start of the string, or if it is a multi-line string, then at the beginning of the line.
<code>\$</code>	The pattern must be at the end of the string, or if it is a multi-line string, then at the end of the line.
<code>\b</code>	Matches a word boundary, which is essentially the point between a word character and a non-word character.
<code>\B</code>	Matches a position that is not a word boundary.

```

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<title>Famous Political Scandals</title>

<script type="text/javascript">

function formValidation()
{
var answer = document.forms[0].userResponse.value;
var myRegExp = /(Richard|R\.)?(Milhous|M\.)?Nixon/i;
var correct = answer.search(myRegExp);

```

Element	Purpose
(Richard R\.)?	The string might contain the name Richard or the initial R. Or it might not. Because the period is a special character it needs to be escaped with the backslash. The final question mark indicates that Richard or R. might be in the answer or might not.
(Milhous M\.)?	The string might contain the name Milhous or the initial M. Or it might not.
Nixon	The string must contain the name Nixon
i	The expression is case insensitive. Consequently any form of Nixon, nixon, Richard Nixon, or r. m. nixon will match.

```

</script>
</head>
<body>
<form>
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<p>
<br>
<p><:
</form>
</body>
</html>

```

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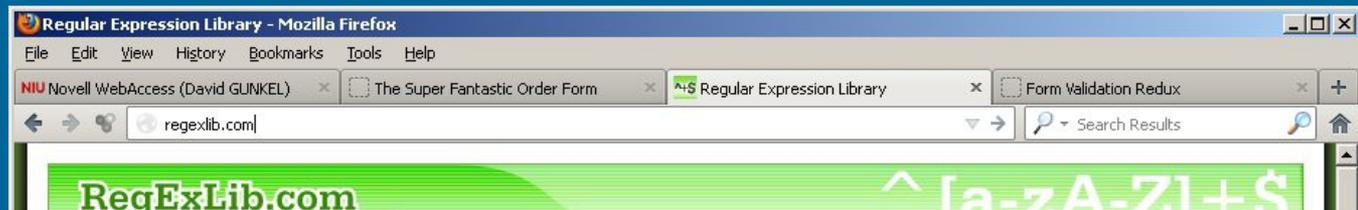
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    <br>
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    <p><input type="text" size="30" name="userResponse"></p>
    <br>
    <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>

  </form>
</body>
</html>
```



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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Title	Pattern Title	Details	Test
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Expression	<code>^(2-9)\d(2)-\d(3)-\d(4)\$</code>		
Description	This expression matches a hyphen separated US phone number, of the form ANN-NNN-NNNN, where A is between 2 and 9 and N is between 0 and 9.		
Matches	800-555-5555 333-444-5555 212-666-1234		
Non-Matches	000-000-0000 123-456-7890 2126661234		
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- Evaluates your regular expression while you are typing;
- 4 distinct match modes:
 - Find a sequence of characters;
 - Match a complete text;
 - Split text (see `java.lang.String.split(String regex)`);
 - Replace;
- Support for pattern flags (e.g. `Pattern.CASE_INSENSITIVE`, `Pattern.DOTALL`, ...);
- Generation of java source string literals based on the regexp. (escape slash, e.g. `"\xxy"` becomes `"\\xxy"`)
- Synchronized selection of regular expression and text: Just select part of the regexp to see which part of the text is matched by this part.

Spin up a
Wordpress site
in seconds.

Once you get it,
you'll get it.

<http://RegExLib.com>

Form Validation

Form Validation Redux - Mozilla Firefox

File Edit View History Bookmarks Tools Help

file:///C:/1-DavidStuff/niu-classes/com

Form Validation Redux

Your Name:

Phone Number:

Submit

Done

Validate form data. Use regular expressions to test for valid name and phone number. Ensure that the form is filled out and that the correct information is provided.

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>Form Validation Redux</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function formValidation()
    {
      var answerName = document.forms[0].userName.value;
      var nameRegExp = /^[^ \d]//;
      var correctName = answerName.search(nameRegExp);

      var answerPhone = document.forms[0].userPhone.value;
      var phoneRegExp = /^[2-9]\d{2}-\d{3}-\d{4}$/;
      var correctPhone = phoneRegExp.exec(answerPhone)

      if (correctName == -1)
      {
        alert("Error--Please enter a valid name.");
        return false;
      }
      if (!correctPhone)
      {
        alert("Error--Please enter a valid phone number.");
        return false;
      }
      else
      {
        alert("All information is correct. Thank you.");
      }
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
  <form>
    <p>Your Name: <input type="text" size="30" name="userName"></p>
    <p>Phone Number: <input type="text" size="30" name="userPhone"></p>
    <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>
  </form>
</body>
</html>
```

Define a function called `formValidation()`, which performs two regular expression matches. The first checks for a valid name, the second checks for a valid phone number.

```
validation_redux3.html
<html>
<head>
  <title>Form Validation Redux</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function formValidation()
      var answerName = document.forms[0].userName.value;
      var nameRegExp = /^[^ \d]/;
      var correctName = answerName.search(nameRegExp);

      var answerPhone = document.forms[0].userPhone.value;
      var phoneRegExp = /^[^ 0-9]/;
      var correctPhone = answerPhone.search(phoneRegExp);

      if (correctName > 0)
      {
        alert("Name is correct");
        return true;
      }
      if (!correctPhone)
      {
        alert("Phone number is incorrect");
        return false;
      }
      else
      {
        alert("Name is incorrect");
      }
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffff">
  <form>
    <p>Your Name: <input type="text" value="" /></p>
    <p>Phone Number: <input type="text" value="" /></p>
    <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>
  </form>
</body>
</html>
```

Declare a variable **answerName** and assign to it the value of the information entered into the **userName** field on the form.

Declare another variable called **nameRegExp** and assign to it a regular expression. This expression begins and ends with a slash. Between the two slashes are some regular expression characters: **[^ \d]** This says that there can be no empty space or any digit between 0 and 9.

Use the **search** method to check for the occurrence of any of the regular expression characters in the **answerName**. If a match is found, the script will return a positive number. If not, the script will return -1. This value is then assigned to the **correctName** variable.

```
validation_redux3.html
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  <title>Form Validation Redux</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function formValidation()
    {
      var answerName = document.forms[0].userName.value;
      var nameRegExp = /^[^ \d]/;
      var correctName = answerName.search(nameRegExp);

      var answerPhone = document.forms[0].userPhone.value;
      var phoneRegExp = /^[2-9]\d{2}-\d{3}-\d{4}$/;
      var correctPhone = phoneRegExp.exec(answerPhone)

      if (correctName == -1)
      {
        alert("Error--Please
          return false;
      }
      if (!correctPhone)
      {
        alert("Error--Please
          return false;
      }
      else
      {
        alert("All informati
      }
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
  <form>
    <p>Your Name: <input type="">
    <p>Phone Number: <input type="">
    <p><input type="button" val
  </form>
</body>
</html>
```

Do something similar for userPhone.

Obtain the regular expression from RegExLib.com
Cut and paste the regular expression and add a slash character at the beginning and end of the expression.

Instead of using the `search()` method (which is a method of the `String` object), we now use the `exec()` method of the `RegExp` object. Unlike `search()`, which returns a number indicating the position of the matched characters, `exec` returns the actual matched values.

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>Form Validation Redux</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function form
    {
      var answer
      var nameR
      var corre

      var answer
      var phone
      var correctPhone = phoneRegExp.exec(answerPhone)

      if (correctName == -1)
      {
        alert("Error--Please enter a valid name.");
        return false;
      }
      if (!correctPhone)
      {
        alert("Error--Please enter a valid phone number.");
        return false;
      }
      else
      {
        alert("All information is correct. Thank you.");
      }
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
  <form>
    <p>Your Name: <input type="text" size="30" name="userName"></p>
    <p>Phone Number: <input type="text" size="30" name="userPhone"></p>
    <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>
  </form>
</body>
</html>
```

Conditional statements.
If the value of the correctName variable is -1 (meaning that no match was found), then use an alert to provide the user with an error message.

```
if (correctName == -1)
{
  alert("Error--Please enter a valid name.");
  return false;
}
if (!correctPhone)
{
  alert("Error--Please enter a valid phone number.");
  return false;
}
else
{
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}
}
```

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      }
      else
      {
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      }
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
  <form>
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    <p>Phone Number: <input type="text" size="30" name="userPhone"></p>
    <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>
  </form>
</body>
</html>
```

If there is no correctPhone, then provide an alert for the phone number. If neither condition is met (meaning that the two input fields are valid), then execute the else part of the statement and provide an alert.

```
    if (correctName == -1)
    {
      alert("Error--Please enter a valid name.");
      return false;
    }
    if (!correctPhone)
    {
      alert("Error--Please enter a valid phone number.");
      return false;
    }
    else
    {
      alert("All information is correct. Thank you.");
    }
  }
```

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      {
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        return false;
      }
      if (!correctPhone)
      {
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        return false;
      }
      else
      {
        alert("All information is correct.");
      }
    }
  </script>
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    <p>Phone Number: <input type="text" size="30" name="userPhone"></p>
    <p><input type="button" value="Submit" onClick="formValidation()"></p>
  </form>
</body>
</html>
```

In the <body> include a <form> with two type=text input fields named userName and userPhone.

Use an onClick event handler to call the function formValidation() when the submit button is clicked.

form_validation.html

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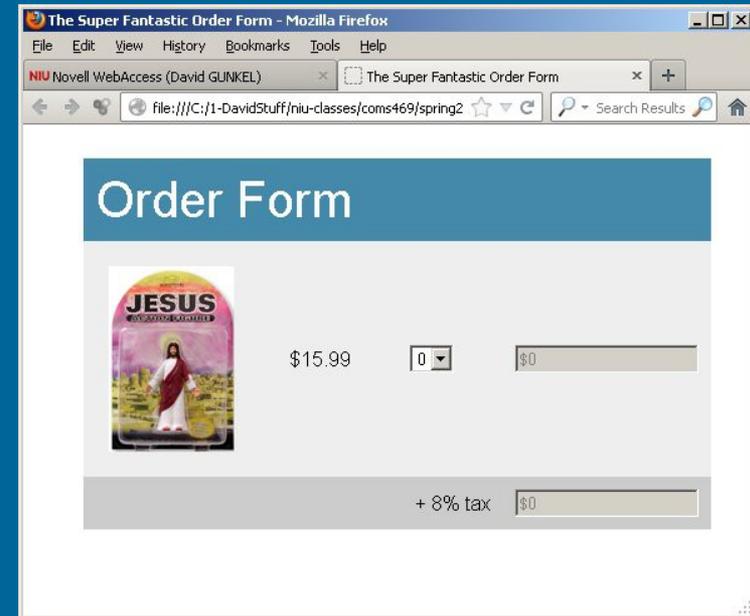
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  </form>
</body>
</html>
```

Form Processing

- Two kinds of form processing
 1. Server side processing
 - Complex processing that requires access to a database or other information resource
 - CGI, PHP, PERL, ASP
 2. Client side processing
 - Processing takes place on the user's machine
 - Less powerful than server side processing
 - Applications
 - Calculate totals on an order form prior to submission
 - User administered quiz or self-test

Forms

- Example
 - Basic Order Form
 - Client side processing of form data
 - Calculate subtotal
 - Calculate tax
 - Calculate grand total



The screenshot shows a Mozilla Firefox browser window titled "The Super Fantastic Order Form - Mozilla Firefox". The address bar displays a local file path: "file:///C:/1-DavidStuff/niu-classes/coms469/spring2". The page content includes a header "Order Form" and a product listing for "JESUS" with a price of "\$15.99". There are input fields for quantity (set to "0") and subtotal ("\$0"). A tax calculation section shows "+ 8% tax" and a tax amount of "\$0".

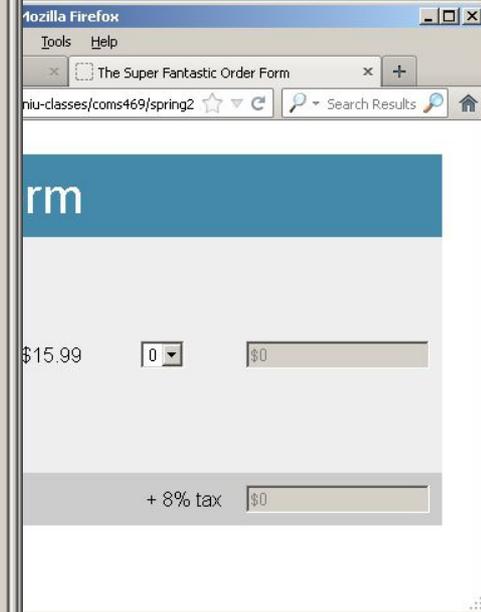
```

<html>
<head>
  <title>The Super Fantastic Order Form</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function addTotal()
    {
      var jesusPrice;
      var jesusTotal;
      var grandTotal;
      var tax = 0.08;

      jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus.value * document.forms[0].jesusPrice.value;
      document.forms[0].inputbox1.value = "$" + jesusTotal;

      grandTotal = (jesusTotal * tax) + jesusTotal;
      document.forms[0].inputbox2.value = "$" + grandTotal.toFixed(2);
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
<form name="myForm" action="something.php">
  <table border="0" cellspacing="0" cellpadding="10" width="500">
    <tr bgcolor="#4488aa">
      <td colspan="4" style="font-size:40px; color:#ffffff">Order Form</td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#e0e0e0">
      <td></td>
      <td>$15.99<input type="hidden" value="15.99" name="jesusPrice"></td>
      <td>
        <select name="jesus" onClick="addTotal()">
          <option value="0" selected>0</option>
          <option value="1">1</option>
          <option value="2">2</option>
          <option value="3">3</option>
          <option value="4">4</option>
          <option value="5">5</option>
        </select></td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled></td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#c0c0c0">
      <td colspan="3" align="right"> + 8% tax </td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled></td></tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>

```



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      document.forms[0].inputbox1.value = "$" + jesusTotal;

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          <option value="2">2</option>
          <option value="3">3</option>
          <option value="4">4</option>
          <option value="5">5</option>
        </select></td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled></td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#c0c0c0">
      <td colspan="3" align="right"> + 8% tax </td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled></td></tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

Define a function called addTotal()

Declare three variables:

jesusPrice

jesusTotal

grandTotal.

Declare a fourth variable tax and assign it the value of 0.08 or 8%.

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>The Super Fantastic Order Form</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function addTotal()
    {
      var jesusPrice;
      var jesusTotal;
      var grandTotal;
      var tax = 0.08;

      jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus.value * document.forms[0].jesusPrice.value;
      document.forms[0].inputbox1.value = "$" + jesusTotal;

      grandTotal = (jesusTotal * tax) + jesusTotal;
      document.forms[0].inputbox2.value = "$" + grandTotal;
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
<form name="myForm" action="something.php">
  <table border="0" cellspacing="0" cellpadding="10" width="100%">
    <tr bgcolor="#4488aa">
      <td colspan="4" style="font-size:40px; color:#ffff00; text-align:center">
        THE SUPER FANTASTIC ORDER FORM
      </td>
    <tr bgcolor="#e0e0e0">
      <td></td>
      <td>$15.99<input type="hidden" value="15.99" name="jesusPrice" /></td>
    <tr>
      <td>
        <select name="jesus" onClick="addTotal()">
          <option value="0" selected>0</option>
          <option value="1">1</option>
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          <option value="3">3</option>
          <option value="4">4</option>
          <option value="5">5</option>
        </select></td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled></td></tr>
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      <td colspan="3" align="right"> + 8% tax </td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled></td></tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

Calculate jesusTotal by extracting the value the user enters into the form input field that has the name jesus. Multiply this by the value of the jesusPrice, which is also returned by the form. Assign this result to the form element named inputbox1.

```
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      var grandTotal;
      var tax = 0.08;

      jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus.value * document.forms[0].jesusPrice.value;
      document.forms[0].inputbox1.value = "$" + jesusTotal;

      grandTotal = (jesusTotal * tax) + jesusTotal;
      document.forms[0].inputbox2.value = "$" + grandTotal.toFixed(2);
    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
<form name="myForm" action="something">
  <table border="0" cellspacing="0">
    <tr bgcolor="#4488aa">
      <td colspan="4" style="font-size: 24px; text-align: center; color: white;>
        Jesus Price
      </td>
    </tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#e0e0e0">
      <td>
      <td>$15.99<input type="hidden" value="15.99">
      <td>
        <select name="jesus" onChange="addTotal()" style="width: 100px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;">
          <option value="0" selected="selected">0
          <option value="1">1
          <option value="2">2
          <option value="3">3
          <option value="4">4
          <option value="5">5
        </select>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" value="" style="width: 100px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;"/>
    </tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#cccccc">
      <td colspan="3" align="right">+ 8% tax
      <td>
        <input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled="" style="width: 100px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;"/>
    </tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

Calculate the grandTotal by multiplying the jesusTotal and the tax (to obtain 8% of the jesusTotal) and then adding this quotient to the jesusTotal.

Display this data by adding a dollar sign to the grandTotal, applying the toFixed(2) method to the figure (in order to limit the number of figures after the decimal point), and assigning this result to the value of inputbox2 on the form.

```

<html>
<head>
  <title>The Super Fantastic Order Form</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function addTotal()
    {
      var jesusPrice;
      var jesusTotal;
      var grandTotal;
      var tax = 0.08;

      jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus.value * document.forms[0].inputbox1.value;
      document.forms[0].inputbox1.value = "$" + jesusTotal;

      grandTotal = (jesusTotal * tax) + jesusTotal;
      document.forms[0].inputbox2.value = "$" + grandTotal;
    }
  </script>
</head>

```

Include a form in the `<body>` of the document. Name the form `myForm` and set its action to some fictional php script. Use a `<table>` to format the form. The table will have 4 table rows `<tr>` with 4 columns, marked by 4 `<td>` tags within each `<tr>` container.

```

<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
<form name="myForm" action="something.php">
  <table border="0" cellspacing="0" cellpadding="10" width="500">
    <tr bgcolor="#4488aa">
      <td colspan="4" style="font-size:40px; color:#ffffff">Order Form</td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#e0e0e0">
      <td></td>
      <td>$15.99<input type="hidden" value="15.99" name="jesusPrice"></td>
      <td>
        <select name="jesus" onClick="addTotal()">
          <option value="0" selected>0</option>
          <option value="1">1</option>
          <option value="2">2</option>
          <option value="3">3</option>
          <option value="4">4</option>
          <option value="5">5</option>
        </select></td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled></td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#c0c0c0">
      <td colspan="3" align="right"> + 8% tax </td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled></td></tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>

```

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>The Super Fantastic Order Form</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function addTotal()
    {
      var jesusPrice;
      var jesusTotal;
      var grandTotal;
      var tax = 0.08;

      jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus.value * do
      document.forms[0].inputbox1.value = "$" + jesus

      grandTotal = (jesusTotal * tax) + jesusTotal;
      document.forms[0].inputbox2.value = "$" + grand

    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
<form name="myForm" action="something.php">
  <table border="0" cellpadding="0" cellspacing="10" width="500">
    <tr bgcolor="#4488aa">
      <td colspan="4" style="font-size:40px; color:#ffffff">Order Form</td></tr>
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      <td></td>
      <td>$15.99<input type="hidden" value="15.99" name="jesusPrice"></td>
      <td>
        <select name="jesus" onClick="addTotal()">
          <option value="0" selected>0</option>
          <option value="1">1</option>
          <option value="2">2</option>
          <option value="3">3</option>
          <option value="4">4</option>
          <option value="5">5</option>
        </select></td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled></td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#c0c0c0">
      <td colspan="3" align="right"> + 8% tax </td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled></td></tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

First table row has one column <td>
It uses the colspan="4" attribute to span all
4 columns of the table and the style
attribute to format and present the label
"Order Form."

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>The Super Fantastic Order Form</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function addTotal()
    {
      var jesusPrice;
      var jesusTotal;
      var grandTotal;
      var tax = 0.08;

      jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus.value
      document.forms[0].inputbox1.value = "$" +

      grandTotal = (jesusTotal * tax) + jesusTot
      document.forms[0].inputbox2.value = "$" +

    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
<form name="myForm" action="something.php">
  <table border="0" cellspacing="0" cellpadding="1">
    <tr bgcolor="#4488aa">
      <td colspan="4" style="font-size:40px; color:#ffffff">Order Form</td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#e0e0e0">
      <td></td>
      <td>$15.99<input type="hidden" value="15.99" name="jesusPrice"></td>
      <td>
        <select name="jesus" onClick="addTotal()">
          <option value="0" selected>0</option>
          <option value="1">1</option>
          <option value="2">2</option>
          <option value="3">3</option>
          <option value="4">4</option>
          <option value="5">5</option>
        </select></td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled></td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#c0c0c0">
      <td colspan="3" align="right"> + 8% tax </td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled></td></tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

Second table row uses 4 <td> tags.

First <td> Includes the image of the product.

Second <td> uses a type=hidden input field to store the value of jesusPrice. This value will be accessed and used by the function you defined above.

```
<html>
<head>
  <title>The Super Fantastic Order Form</title>
  <script type="text/javascript">
    function addTotal()
    {
      var jesusPrice;
      var jesusTotal;
      var grandTotal;
      var tax = 0.08;

      jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus
      document.forms[0].inputbox1.value =

      grandTotal = (jesusTotal * tax) + j
      document.forms[0].inputbox2.value =

    }
  </script>
</head>
<body bgcolor="#ffffff">
<form name="myForm" action="something.php">
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    <tr bgcolor="#4488aa">
      <td colspan="4" style="font-size:40px">
    </td>
    <tr bgcolor="#e0e0e0">
      <td></td>
      <td>$15.99<input type="hidden" value="15.99" name="jesusPrice" ></td>
      <td>
        <select name="jesus" onClick="addTotal()" >
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          <option value="4">4</option>
          <option value="5">5</option>
        </select></td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled></td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#cccccc">
      <td colspan="3" align="right"> + 8% tax </td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled></td></tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

Third <td> uses a select input box to allow the user to specify a number. Include the onClick event handler, which will call the function, when the user activates the select input.

Fourth <td> includes a type=text input field with the attribute disabled to display the result assigned to the jesusTotal.

```
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    function addTotal()
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      var jesusPrice;
      var jesusTotal;
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      jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus.value * document.forms[0].jesusPrice.value;
      document.forms[0].inputbox1.value = "$" + jesusTotal;

      grandTotal = (jesusTotal * tax) + jesusTotal;
      document.forms[0].inputbox2.value = "$" + grandTotal.toFixed(2);
    }
  </script>
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```

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      </td>
    </tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#e0e0e0">
      <td>
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      <td>
        <select name="jesus" onChange="addTotal()" style="width: 100%;>
          <option value="0" selected="selected">0
          <option value="1">1
          <option value="2">2
          <option value="3">3
          <option value="4">4
          <option value="5">5
        </select>
      </td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled />
    </tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#cccccc">
      <td colspan="3" align="right"> + 8% tax
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled />
    </tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

The fourth table row has two <td> tags.

The first <td> uses the colspan="3" and indicates the tax rate of 8%.

The second <td> includes a type=text input that is disabled. This input field (which is named inputbox2) displays the value of the grandTotal that is calculated by the function.

```
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      jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus.value * document.forms[0].jesusPrice.value;
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          <option value="4">4</option>
          <option value="5">5</option>
        </select></td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled></td></tr>
    <tr bgcolor="#c0c0c0">
      <td colspan="3" align="right"> + 8% tax </td>
      <td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled></td></tr>
  </table>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

Image available at:

<http://gunkelweb.com/coms469/exercises/forms.html>

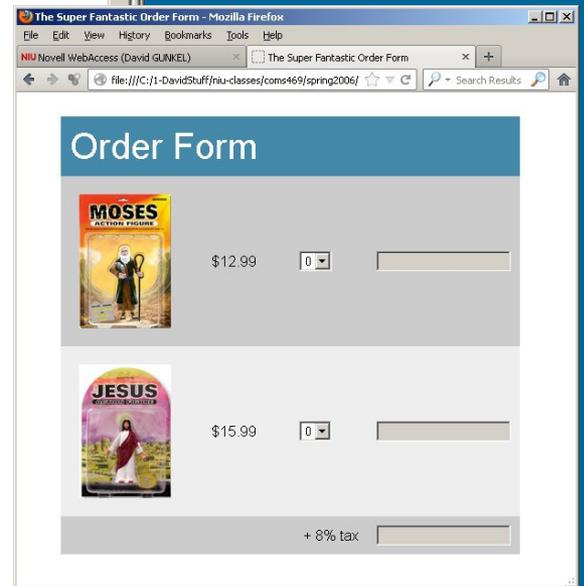
```

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<title>The Super Fantastic Order Form</title>
<script type="text/javascript">
function addTotal()
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var jesusPrice;
var jesusTotal;
var grandTotal;
var tax = 0.08;

jesusTotal = document.forms[0].jesus.value * document.forms[0].jesusPrice.value;
document.forms[0].inputbox1.value = "$" + jesusTotal;

grandTotal = (jesusTotal * tax) + jesusTotal;
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<option value="4">4</option>
<option value="5">5</option>
</select></td>
<td><input type="text" name="inputbox1" disabled></td></tr>
<tr bgcolor="#c0c0c0">
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<td><input type="text" name="inputbox2" disabled></td></tr>
</table>
</form>
</body>
</html>

```



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Similar Applications – Worksheets

The Super Fantastic Order Form - Mozilla Firefox

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Employee Benefits Worksheet

Information

Status: Full Time Part Time

Annual Salary: \$

Start Date:

Health Insurance Plans

Provider	Cost	Number of Dependents	Cost
Acme Health Alliance	\$99.42/month	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text"/>
Humana HMO/PPT	\$125.12/month	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text"/>
Cheap-Ass Health Plan	\$25.89/month	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text"/>

Life Insurance Plans

Provider	Coverage Options	Cost
Standard Old Life, Inc.	<input type="text" value="1x annual salary"/>	<input type="text"/>

Total

Done

Home Work Exercise

Firefox

Test Yourself

Web Design Quiz

1. What does CSS stand for?

- Colorful Style Symbols
- Cascading Style Sheets
- Computer Style Symbols

2. What does DHTML stand for?

- Dramatic HTML
- Design HTML
- Dynamic HTML

3. Who invented the World Wide Web?

Score =

Use validation on the radio buttons to check for correct answers.

Use a regular expression with the third question to accommodate a number of possible right answers.

Calculate the score and display okay or error images, when the user clicks the Get score button.

You will need 3 images blank.jpg, okay.jpg & error.jpg

Images available at:

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