

Javascript, HTML and CSS Information Sheet

Here is a list of the Javascript constructs that were covered in lectures & labs:

<code>alert('Put message here')</code>	displays a Javascript message box with an OK button
<code>name.value=string expression</code>	means "or", and name is the name of a form element, such as a text area, e.g. <code>box1.value="Sam"</code>
<code>string1 + string2</code>	concatenates strings, e.g. <code>"Hi, " + box1.value = "Hi, Sam"</code>
<code>\n</code>	in the middle of a string means "start a new line"
<code>if(condition action1 ; else action2)</code>	if condition is true, do action1, otherwise do action2. E.g. <code>if(layer2.style.visibility=='hidden')</code> <code>layer2.style.visibility='visible' ; else</code> <code>layer2.style.visibility='hidden'</code>

Here is a partial list of HTML `<form>` elements covered in lectures, with examples of use:

button	<code><input type="button" name="btn1" value="Press me"></code>
radio button	<code><input type="radio" name="rad1" value=3></code>
check box	<code><input type="checkbox" name="chk1" value="A"></code>
text box	<code><input type="text" name="txt1" value="default text" size=20></code>
reset	<code><input type="reset" name="clear" value="Clear all input"></code>
select	<code><select><option value="1">Happy</option></code> <code> <option value="2">Sad</option></select></code>
select	<code><select size="2"><option value="1">Happy</option></code> <code> <option value="2">Sad</option></select></code>
textarea	<code><textarea name="area1" cols=15 rows=7>Default text</textarea></code>

The syntax for a simple CSS in-line style definition is:

<code>text</code>
where you would replace <code>attribute</code> by a CSS attribute name, <code>value</code> by the desired value for that attribute, and <code>text</code> by the text to be formatted - e.g.
<code>big</code> to produce big .

Some CSS attributes, with example values, are:

<code>font-family: Helvetica, sans-serif ;</code>	<code>list-style-type: circle ;</code>
<code>font-style: italic ;</code>	<code>line-height: 1.5 ;</code>
<code>font-variant: small-caps ;</code>	<code>text-decoration: underline ;</code>
<code>font-weight: bold ;</code>	<code>text-align: center ;</code>
<code>font-size: 18pt ;</code>	<code>text-indent: 15px;</code>
<code>color: blue ;</code>	<code>background-color: yellow ;</code>
<code>visibility: hidden visible ;</code>	

HTML element syntax (some, like `<a>`, `<p>`, `
`, `<h1>..<h6>`, you should memorize)

<code><table border=<i>n</i> align="center" bgcolor=yellow></code>	<code><tr></code> table row
<code><th></code> table heading	<code><td rowspan=<i>m</i> colspan=<i>n</i> align="center"></code> table cell
<code><div id="name" class="mnemonic"></code> in body	<code>div.class { property list ...}</code> in <code><style></code> element in head
<code>x<sup>2</sup> = x², x<sub>2</sub> = x₂, <hr>= horizontal rule, </code> for image	
common character codes: <code>&lt;</code> = <code><</code> , <code>&gt;</code> = <code>></code> , <code>&amp;</code> = <code>&</code> , <code>&nbsp;</code> = nonbreaking space, <code>&rarr;</code> = <code>→</code>	