

JAVASCRIPT DATE - UTC METHOD

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Description

This method takes a date and returns the number of milliseconds since midnight of January 1, 1970 according to universal time.

Syntax

Its syntax is as follows –

```
Date.year, month, day, [hours, [minutes, [seconds, [ms]]]]
```

Note – Parameters in the bracket are always optional.

Parameter Details

- **year** – A four digit number representing the year.
- **month** – An integer between 0 and 11 representing the month.
- **day** – An integer between 1 and 31 representing the date.
- **hours** – An integer between 0 and 23 representing the hour.
- **minutes** – An integer between 0 and 59 representing the minutes.
- **seconds** – An integer between 0 and 59 representing the seconds.
- **ms** – An integer between 0 and 999 representing the milliseconds.

Return Value

Number of milliseconds since midnight of January 1, 1970.

Example

Try the following example.

```
<html>

  <head>
    <title>JavaScript UTC Method</title>
  </head>

  <body>

    <script type="text/javascript">
      var msec = Date.UTC(2008,9,6);
      document.write( "Number of milliseconds from 1970: " + msec );
    </script>

  </body>
</html>
```

Output

```
Number of milliseconds from 1970: 1223251200000
```