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Thread: [Displaying view HTML/Javascript](#)

rafflan1891 - January 25, 2018, 2:19 pm

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Charger - January 25, 2018, 2:25 pm

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Nachfolger - January 25, 2018, 2:31 pm

As Charger mentioned, the javascript is probably running before the page is fully loaded. Use a timeout if possible, I didn't read your entire script so I'm not sure if it's gonna effect a ladder of things or not.

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rafflan1891 - January 25, 2018, 10:16 pm

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Alright but I have my javascript in the end of my html, so how could that be a problem? As you see here, the script tag is at the end of the body: <https://pastebin.com/211qvJvT>

In my other html page(which is the homepage), I also have it in the end of the body:
<https://pastebin.com/7PVHHQFJ>

Cød3ing - January 26, 2018, 1:27 am

Do not use a setTimeout, it's a synchronous method and it's bad practice to define a constant variable for unpredictable behavior like page load times.

JS is executed after the page has loaded, there's a lot of DOM APIs available for you to use in order to hook onto the event handler for the browsers DOM.

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rafflan1891 - January 26, 2018, 3:30 am

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Okay I tried changing my listeners from click to load, but now I get: "favicon.ico Failed to load resource: the server responded with a status of 404 (File not found)" in the Console in my browser, and I don't quite understand this error. Haven't done anything with favicon.ico

Uose - January 26, 2018, 9:02 am

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rafflan1891 - January 26, 2018, 9:52 am

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I tried that, now I don't get that error message but nothing happens when I log in. PM:ed you and asked if I could zip my folder and then it is easier to show you if you can open the homepage by yourself and try register locally.