

## calculateAge

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/**  
 * Calculates the age in years at the given point in time  
 * out of a given birthday (as double)  
 *  
 * @param calendar_birthday  
 * @param calendar_ageAtThisDate  
 * @return  
 */  
function calculateAge (calendar_birthday, calendar_ageAtThisDate) {  
    /* ===== */  
    // IMPORTS  
    importPackage(java.util);  
  
    // prepare the data  
    var yearOfBirth = calendar_birthday.get(Calendar.YEAR);  
    var dayOfBirth = calendar_birthday.get(Calendar.DAY_OF_YEAR);  
    var yearOfMeasuring = calendar_ageAtThisDate.get(Calendar.YEAR);  
    var dayOfMeasuring = calendar_ageAtThisDate.get(Calendar.DAY_OF_YEAR);  
    var maxDaysOfYear = calendar_ageAtThisDate.getActualMaximum(  
        Calendar.DAY_OF_YEAR);  
  
    // calculate the age  
    var age = yearOfMeasuring - yearOfBirth;  
    if (dayOfBirth < dayOfMeasuring) {  
        /* The patient's birthday of this year was BEFORE the measuring.  
         * => Calculate the year as floating number  
         */  
        age += (dayOfMeasuring - dayOfBirth) / maxDaysOfYear;  
    } else if (dayOfBirth > dayOfMeasuring) {  
        /* The patient's birthday of this year was AFTER the measuring.  
         * => Calculate the year as floating number  
         */  
        age--;  
        age += (dayOfMeasuring + maxDaysOfYear - dayOfBirth) / maxDaysOfYear;  
    }  
  
    return age;  
    /* ===== */  
}
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