

ThinkJS 2.0 Documentation

The Basics

Introduction

ThinkJS is the first Node.js MVC framework that supporting use full ES6/7 features to develop Node.js application. By using `async/await` in ES7 or `*yield` in ES6, ThinkJS totally resolved the hard problem of asynchronous callbacks nesting hell. It absorbs the design and ideas of lots of other frameworks around the world, and makes develop Node.js projects faster and efficient than ever before.

Using ES6/7 features to build projects is very efficient, that must be the trend. The latest version of Node.js has supported the features of ES6 more friendly, though not all features. At this time, [Babel](#) can help us to compile ES6 code to ES5 code.

Features

Using ES6/7 features

Babel compile our code to ES5 so we don't need worry about the browser compatibility. So we can resolve the asynchronous callbacks problem by using `async/await` or `*yield` features.

```
//user controller, home/controller/user.js
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  //login action
  async loginAction(self){
    //if it's a get request, then display them
    if(this.isGet()){
      return this.display();
    }
    //here you can use post() method to get all request data which has checked in logic
    let data = this.post();
    let md5 = think.md5('think_' + data.pwd);
    //take username and encrypted password to match data in database
    let result = await this.model('user').where({name: data.name, pwd: md5}).find();
    //if no result found, it means username or password error
    if(think.isEmpty(result)){
      return this.fail('login fail');
    }
    //write user info into session after receiving user information
    await this.session('userInfo', result);
    return this.success();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

We've used ES6 features like `class`, `export`, `let` and ES7 features like `async/await` in this example. Database queries and `Session` writing were all asynchronous actions, but here we are writing sync code to handle them with `async/await`. Last, it can run in Node.js environment stably after `Babel` compiling.

Supports variant project structures and environments

When using ThinkJS, you can apply single module mode, general mode or multiple modules mode, and to develop projects with its complexity range from very low to very high.

By default, there are three kinds of project environments: `development`, `testing` and `production`, you can use different configuration in different environment to support different requests. You can also custom and extend them in your projects.

Supports abundant database type

ThinkJS supports `MySQL`, `MongoDB` and `SQLite`. It encapsulates many APIs of the database operations, without having to manually stitching SQL statements. You can automatically prevent SQL injection and other vulnerabilities. It also supports transaction and association and other advanced features.

Automatic updating

ThinkJS has a mechanism that could automatically update codes after source files being modified without resort to restart Node.js server and other third party modules.

Automatic REST API creation

You can use `thinkjs` command to create REST API automatically without writing any extra code. Meanwhile, you can also easily add filter or auth check if you want.

Supports multiple WebSocket libraries

ThinkJS supports some common WebSocket libraries like `socket.io` and `sockjs`, and packages them to provide the consistent APIs to developers.

Plentiful test cases

ThinkJS includes 1500+ test cases with the code coverage at 95%. Every change has its test case to insure the framework functions well.

Supports CLI to run cron job

`Action` in ThinkJS can both response to user request and the CLI invoke. With this feature, we can excute cron job more easily.

Hooks and Middlewares

ThinkJS supports Hooks and Middlewares, they make the requests handling much more flexible.

Detailed log

ThinkJS builds-in the detailed log function, it makes us read log and track problems easily.

HTTP request log

```
[2015-10-12 14:10:03] [HTTP] GET /favicon.ico 200 5ms
[2015-10-12 14:10:11] [HTTP] GET /zh-CN/doc.html 200 11ms
[2015-10-12 14:10:11] [HTTP] GET /static/css/reset.css 200 3ms
```

Socket connection log

```
[2015-10-12 14:13:54] [SOCKET] Connect mysql with mysql://root:root@127.0.0.1:3306
```

Error log

```
[2015-10-12 14:15:32] [Error] Error: ER_ACCESS_DENIED_ERROR: Access denied for user 'root3'@'localhost' (using password: YES)
[2015-10-12 14:16:12] [Error] Error: Address already in use, port:8360. http://www.thinkjs.org/doc/error.html#EADDRINUSE
```

Configurable routers

The routers ThinkJS supported include regex router, rule router and static router, and router can be set based on modules. That's very helpful for us to make URLs more simple and reserve their high performance at the same time.

Supports international and custom themes

ThinkJS provides us very simple methods to implement i18n and custom themes.

Comparing with other frameworks

Express/Koa

Express and koa are simple frameworks, they all only provide the very basic functions. So for developing complex projects, one must introduces the third party plugins. Though small cores often mean big flexibility, the introducing of other plugins would increases the project's complexity. Besides, no one can ensure all the third party plugins are safety and efficient.

Koa solved asynchronous callbacks problem by using `*/yield` feature. But the newer `async/await` feature will replace `*/yield` at last. ThinkJS supports both features well.

On the other hand, ThinkJS choosed to provide the full set of solutions. But not only that, in ThinkJS, every function has been strictly tested for performance optimazition and prevent mermory leaks. And the important thing is that we can use all ES6/7 feature in the project directly.

Sails

Sails is another Node.js framework that also provides complete solution. It's convinient because of the encapsulation of databases, REST APIs and security features.

But Sails still uses callbacks in asynchronous code. That's too hard to develop, and can't use ES6/7 fetaure naturally in the projects.

Disadvantages

Even though ThinkJS has many advantages, it has also a few disadvantages too, for example:

- ThinkJS is a relatively new framework, the community is not strong enough.
- ThinkJS is short of large scale applications.

ES6/7 reference documentation

You can read more about ES6/7 features here:

- [learn-es2015](#)
- [ECMAScript 6 Guide](#)
- [ECMAScript 6 Features](#)
- [ECMAScript 6 compatibility table](#)
- [ECMAScript 7 Features](#)
- [ECMAScript 7 compatibility table](#)

Create project

Install Node.js

ThinkJS is a Node.js MVC framework, it requires Node.js before you run it. You can install by go to <https://nodejs.org> to download latest installation and other method.

After installation, you can type `node -v` in terminal. If it outputs version number, it installs success.

ThinkJS needs `>=0.12.0` Node.js version, if your version lower than it, you need update your Node.js, or you can't start service. we recognize to update your Node.js version to `4.2.1`.

Install ThinkJS

Install ThinkJS by following command:

```
npm install thinkjs@2 -g --verbose
```

Bash

After installation, run `thinjs --version` or `thinjs -v` to watch version.c

Tips: If you installed ThinkJS 1.x before, you need remove it by `npm uninstall -g thinkjs-cmd` first of all.

Create project

After ThinkJS installation, you can create project by following command:

```
thinkjs new project_path; #project_path is the path you want store your project
```

Bash

if you want to use ES6 feature to develop, you can create ES6 mode project by following command:

```
thinkjs new project_path --es6; #project_path is the path you want store your project
```

Bash

If terminal returns output like following, it means you create project success:

```
create : demo/
create : demo/package.json
create : demo/.thinkjsrc
create : demo/nginx.conf
create : demo/README.md
create : demo/www/
create : demo/www/index.js
create : demo/app
create : demo/app/common/runtime
create : demo/app/common/config
create : demo/app/common/config/config.js
create : demo/app/common/config/view.js
create : demo/app/common/config/db.js
...
create : demo/app/home/logic
create : demo/app/home/logic/index.js
create : demo/app/home/view
create : demo/app/home/view/index_index.html

enter path:
$ cd demo/

install dependencies:
$ npm install

run the app:
$ npm start
```

You can go to [extension function -> ThinkJS command](#) to know more about command of create project.

Install dependencies

After project creation, go to project directory and run `npm install` to install dependencies.

```
npm install
```

Bash

Compile project

if you use `--es6` in the creation command, your code must be compiled before running. Run `npm run watch-compile` command and then they will be automatic compiled after modified.

This command will run on terminal permanently, don't fish this command! You can task a new tab to do other things.

Start project

Run `npm start`, if terminal returns output like following, it means the service run success.

```
[2015-09-21 20:21:09] [THINK] Server running at http://127.0.0.1:8360/
[2015-09-21 20:21:09] [THINK] ThinkJS Version: 2.0.0
[2015-09-21 20:21:09] [THINK] Cluster Status: closed
[2015-09-21 20:21:09] [THINK] WebSocket Status: closed
[2015-09-21 20:21:09] [THINK] File Auto Reload: true
[2015-09-21 20:21:09] [THINK] App Enviroment: development
```

Access project

Open your browser and go to `http://127.0.0.1:8360`, then you can see it. If you are in remote machine, you need visit by remote machine's IP and the sanme 8360 port.

Project Structure

You get following document structure after creating project by using thinkjs:

```

|-- nginx.conf
|-- package.json
|-- src
|   |-- common
|   |   |-- bootstrap
|   |   |   |-- generate_icon.js
|   |   |   |-- middleware.js
|   |   |-- config
|   |   |   |-- config.js
|   |   |   |-- env
|   |   |   |   |-- development.js
|   |   |   |   |-- production.js
|   |   |   |-- hook.js
|   |   |   |-- locale
|   |   |   |   |-- en.js
|   |   |   |   |-- zh-CN.js
|   |   |   |-- route.js
|   |   |-- controller
|   |   |   |-- error.js
|   |   |-- runtime
|   |-- home
|   |   |-- config
|   |   |-- controller
|   |   |   |-- base.js
|   |   |   |-- index.js
|   |   |-- logic
|   |   |   |-- doc.js
|   |   |-- model
|-- view
|   |-- zh-CN
|   |   |-- common
|   |   |   |-- error_400.html
|   |   |   |-- error_403.html
|   |   |   |-- error_404.html
|   |   |   |-- error_500.html
|   |   |   |-- error_503.html
|   |   |-- home
|   |   |   |-- doc_index.html
|   |   |   |-- doc_search.html
|   |   |   |-- inc
|   |   |   |   |-- footer.html
|   |   |   |   |-- header.html
|   |   |   |-- index_changelog.html
|   |   |   |-- index_demo.html
|   |   |   |-- index_index.html
|-- www
|   |-- favicon.ico
|   |-- index.js
|   |-- production.js
|   |-- static
|   |   |-- css
|   |   |-- img
|   |   |-- js

```

tips: There has little difference using unequal mode when you create project.

nginx.conf

nginx's configuration file, we recommend get proxy by nginx.

src

It's source folder, after using `--es6` can you see it. We need run `npm run watch-compile` to compile file to folder `app/`.

src/common

Common module folder with common logic module.

src/common/bootstrap

File in this folder will autoload, it's project boot's index folder. You can put some global method or middleware into it.

Global function

JavaScript

```
// src/common/bootstrap/fn.js
global.formatDate = obj => {
  ...
}
```

You can run this method anywhere after defined here.

Middleware

JavaScript

```
// src/common/bootstrap/middleware.js
think.middleware('replace_image', http => {
  ...
});
```

You can inject this middleware into configure file `hook.js` .

tips: bootstrap just stay in common module.

src/common/config

here you can set some common config file. router configure, hook configure and locale setting.

JavaScript

```
'use strict';
/**
 * config
 */
export default {
  //key: value
};
```

src/common/controller

Controller folder to put all controller file. In this case `error.js` is designed as handle different error behavior. It's also support custom by project.

src/common/runtime

Temp folder to store cache file and temp file upload folder.

src/home

`home` module is default module for your project. Now you can define your default module in `src/common/config/config.js` .

src/home/logic

It's logic handle method file. Every handle would run logic check before some handle button. It contains: parameters check, request data check, login check, auth check and so on. use this can decrease project's complexity.

JavaScript

```
'use strict';
/**
 * logic
 * @param {} []
 * @return {} []
 */
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  /**
   * index action logic
   * @return {} []
   */
  indexAction(){

  }
}
```

src/home/controller

Controller folder. every `url` has there own `action` in their `controller` .

JavaScript

```
'use strict';

import Base from './base.js';

export default class extends Base {
  /**
   * index action
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  indexAction(){
    //auto render template file index_index.html
    return this.display();
  }
}
```

src/home/model

Model to handle database.

view

view folder to store template file. You should have sub folder while you will add support to internationalization and multiple theme.

www

Project's root which we have access, nginx's configure root will set here.

www/index.js

Project's root file in development, can modified in project. `www/production.js` is root file in production environment.

following like this:

JavaScript

```
var thinkjs = require('thinkjs');
var path = require('path');

var rootPath = path.dirname(__dirname);

var instance = new thinkjs({
  APP_PATH: rootPath + '/app',
  ROOT_PATH: rootPath,
  RESOURCE_PATH: __dirname,
  env: 'development'
});

instance.run();
```

www/static

Save some static file.

Specification

Lowercase file path

You always deploy project in Linux system, although it's developed in Windows or Mac OSX.

It's case insensitive in Windows and Mac, but Linux is sensitive. so it's very easy to take problem in online.

To avoid this happened, it's a good advise to have all file paths defined with lowercase words. By the way, ThinkJS will scan your project files after service start successfully. If you have an uppercase name it will return a warning such as:

```
[2015-10-13 10:36:59] [WARNING] filepath `admin/controller/apiBase.js` has uppercases.
```

Indent with 2 space

It often has complicated logic such as if-else or async actions to add your code's indent in Node.js. It's advisable to take 2 spaces as your indentation to prevent indentation from being too long.

Use ES6 grammar

ES6 has lots of new feature that can make our code simple and effective. It has support parts of ES6 feature in latest Node.js. You can use Babel compile your program to support all features.

Do not use constructor method

If you use `class` to instance class in ES6, you can use `constructor` method to make something auto run when it's instantiated. For example:

```
export default class think.base {
  constructor(){
    ...
  }
}
```

JavaScript

That means no `class` no `constructor`. ThinkJS take `init` method replace to `constructor`. It take a promise that all it will be run no matter in `class` or dynamic create class.

```
export default class think.base {
  /**
   * Initial method, called when class instantiated
   * @return {} []
   */
  init(){
    ...
  }
}
```

JavaScript

tips: all ThinkJS class will extend the base class `think.base`.

Compile by Babel

Most but not all ES6 features was supported in latest Node.js, and there also has optimization in some feature. We advise you that compile your project with Babel. Babel can take almost all ES6+ features and higher performance after compiled to you.

Replace */yield with async/await

`*/yield` is ES6 feature to resolve async callback action, and ES7 replace it with `async/await`.

Compare with `async/await`, there has 4 defects in `*/yield`:

1. `*/yield` will return a generator after called and will use third module such as `co` to run it.
2. `*/yield` can't use with `Arrow Function` together.
3. when `*/yield` need call another `*/yield`, we need use `yield *` command
4. It has large optimization space to V8 engineer, so we would commited our code to Babel. With Babel, you can use ES7 `async/await` features replace to `*/yield`, and then compiled program.

Upgrade Guide

You can't update your `1.x` version project to `2.x` directly because the new version is subversive that was rebuild from structure to feature.

Difference with old version 1.x

Project structure

2.0 version makes up of module which is difference with 1.x version. If you want to use old version project structure in 2.0 version, you would specific `--mode=normal` like following:

```
thinkjs new demo --mode=normal
```

Bash

Filename sensitive

The old version's filename type was camelcasing, such as `Controller/indexController.js`. 2.0 version was based on the community rule of Node.js that all filename path is lowercase and remove file type, such as `controller/index.js`. This new change make filename simple and easy to use in all platform os.

Debug mode

You need start `debug` mode in development and stop it in production with 1.x version. It can make mermory leaks easily because most people often forget do it in production.

The `debug` mode was deprecated in 2.x version. The new version supports `development` , `testing` and `production` three mode. Every mode has their own folder, you can start your project with different environment by using different folder.

C method

There has `c` method to get your configure in 1.x version. But in new version it's deprecated, you need read your configure in different position by different method.

you can use `config` method to get configuration where has `http` object such as Controller, Middleware, in other place you should use `think.config` method.

D and M method

There has `D` and `M` method to instance your model in 1.x version. But in new version they are deprecated, you need instance your model in different position by different method.

You can use `model` method to instance in Controller, Model, Moddleware and so on, in other place you should use `think.model` method.

Controll and Model method

There has `Controller` method to create controller and `Model` to create model in 1.x version. But in new version they are deprecated and we support various way to instance class.

You can use `class extends think.model.base` to instance a model with ES6 grammer, with old grammer you should use `think.model` method. Instance controller is same as model.

Other global method

1.x version supports some common global method such as `md5` , `mkdir` . All that was moved to `think` object in 2.x version, you can use like `think.md5` , `think.mkdir` .

Auto run directory common/

2.x version change the folder's name from `common/` to `bootstrap/` which will auto run in program. And it's moved into `common` module like `src/common/bootstrap` .

Behavior and Driver

2.0 version change Behavior, Driver to middleware and adapter.

Deploy online

We apply a simple bash file named `ctrl.sh` to manage your Node.js service. But we removed it and advise you take pm2 replace it. We apply a default pm2's config file named `pm2.json` that you can run `pm2 start pm2.json` to start service.

Common question

Why develop to ES6/7 grammer

It supports large of new feature to bring great convenience and efficiency while developing in ES6/7. For example, we use ES6 `*/yield` and ES7 `async/await` feature to resolve async callback hell problem. And use arrow function to resolve `this` scope problem. Or use `class` grammer to resolve class inherit problem.

Althought Node.js hasn't support all those feature, we can use them in Node.js stable environment in advance with the help of Babel. It's so good that enjoy convenience and efficiency because of new features.

Why npm run watch-commpile can't stop process

Program which created with `--es6` command must be compiled before you run it. ThinkJS has `npm run watch-compile` command to real-time compile. This command will start a daemon and won't close itself after end. If you want run other command, you may open new tab or window.

Do we need restart service when we modified in development

It must restart to effective after modified because of Node.js mechanism by default. It's so inconvenience to us. New ThinkJS supports auto update file mechanism to effect modified without restart.

Auto update will consume performance, so this feature turns on only in `development` . Online we advise that use `pm2` module to manage project.

How to change view folder structure

View file path is `view/[module]/[controller]_[action].html` by default. In this path controller and action was join by `_` . If you want change joiner to `/` , you can change configuration file `src/common/config/view.js` like this:

```
export default {
  file_depr: '/', //change joiner to /
}
```

Advance

Module

ThinkJS could support a variety of program models when creating a project, the project which is created by default is divided by module, and add the `common` and `home` 2 modules automatically. Each module has a separate configuration, controller, view, model and other document.

Dividing project using modularized program makes project structure much clearer. Such as: a blog system can be divided into front and back modules in general .

Module list

Go into `src/` directory, you can see a list of modules:

```
drwxr-xr-x  5 welefen  staff  170 Aug 18 15:55 common/
drwxr-xr-x  6 welefen  staff  204 Sep  8 19:14 home/
```

Common module

`Common` module is a common module, stored some common features in this module, such as: general configuration, runtime directory, startup files, error handling controllers.

NOTE : The controller under the module does not respond to the user's request.

Default module

Default module is `home` module. It will automatically correspond to the `home` when parsing the user's request could not find the module.

`Default_module` can be configured to modify the default module, modify the configuration file `src/common/config/config.js` :

```
//The default module's name is changed to blog
export default {
  default_module: 'blog'
}
```

Add module

Add module can be completed directly by `thinkjs` command.

In the current project directory, execute `thinkjs module xxx` , you can create a module named `xxx` .

If the module's name already exists, you can not create it.

Disable module

ThinkJS will automatically find and identify module under the project and that all modules are available.

If you want to disable some module, you can modify the configuration file `src/common/config/config.js` , add the following configuration:

```
export default {
  deny_module_list: ['xxx'] //Disable xxx module
}
```

Controller

The controller is a collection of operations, which responds to users' the same type of request.

The definition of controller

Creating a file `src/home/controller/article.js` , means that there's a controller called `article` in the `home` module, and the file is similar to the following:

```
'use strict';

import Base from './base.js';

export default class extends Base {
  /**
   * index action
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  indexAction(){
    //auto render template file index_index.html
    return this.display();
  }
}
```

If you do not use ES6 syntax, then the file is similar to the following:

```
'use strict';

var Base = require('./base.js');

module.exports = think.controller(Base, {
  /**
   * index action
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  indexAction: function(self){
    //auto render template file index_index.html
    return self.display();
  }
});
```

NOTE: The `Base` word above represents the definition of a base class, other classes inherit the base class, so that you can do some general thing in the base class.

Use generator function

You can easily use the Generator Function to handle asynchronous nesting problems in the `controller`.

The way of ES6

```
'use strict';

import Base from './base.js';

export default class extends Base {
  /**
   * index action
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  * indexAction(){
    let model = this.model('user');
    let data = yield model.select();
    return this.success(data);
  }
}
```

The way of creating a class

```
'use strict';

var Base = require('./base.js');

module.exports = think.controller(Base, {
  /**
   * index action
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  indexAction: function *(){
    var model = this.model('user');
    var data = yield model.select();
    return this.success(data);
  }
});
```

Use async/await

With the Babel compilation, you can also `use async/await` in the ES7 in the controller.

The way of ES6

```
'use strict';

import Base from './base.js';

export default class extends Base {
  /**
   * index action
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  async indexAction(){
    let model = this.model('user');
    let data = await model.select();
    return this.success(data);
  }
}
```

The way of dynamic creation

```
'use strict';

var Base = require('./base.js');

module.exports = think.controller(Base, {
  /**
   * index action
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  indexAction: async function(){
    var model = this.model('user');
    var data = await model.select();
    return this.success(data);
  }
});
```

init method

The class in ES6 has a constructor method, but the class dynamically created does not, in order to perform the initialization unified approach, the method is unifiedly defined as `init`.

This method is automatically called when the class is instantiated, without manually call.

The way of ES6 **

```
“js
'use strict';

import Base from './base.js';

export default class extends Base {
```

```

init(http){
super.init(http); //call super-class's init method
...
}
}
}

```

The way of dynamic creation

```

'use strict';

var Base = require('./base.js');

module.exports = think.controller(Base, {
  init: function(http){
    this.super('init', http); //call super-class's `init` method
    ...
  }
});

```

JavaScript

when using the init method, you need to call the init method in the super-class and make the `http` parameters passed in.

Pre-Operation `__before`

ThinkJS support pre-operation, the method called `__before`, it will be automatically called before a specific Action calls. If the pre-operation prevents subsequent code continuing to execute, it does not call specific Action, so you can end request in advance.

The way of ES6**

```

`js
'use strict';

import Base from './base.js';

export default class extends Base {
  /**
   * Pre-Operation
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  __before(){
    ...
  }
}

```

Action

A action represents an operation to be performed. Such as: if url is `/home/article/detail`, parsed modules is `/home`, controller for the `article`, Action for the `detail`, so the Action to be executed is the `detailAction` method in the file `src/home/controller/article`.

```

'use strict';

import Base from './base.js';

export default class extends Base {
  /**
   * obtain detailed information
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  detailAction(self){
    ...
  }
}

```

JavaScript

If Action value parsed contains `_`, it will automatically do the conversion, the specific strategies of conversion, see [Routing -> case](#).

Post-Operation `__after`

ThinkJS support post-operation called `__after`, it will be executed after a specific Action calls. If a specific Action prevents subsequent code continuing to execute, the post-

operation is not invoked.

No-operation `__call`

When the controller which is parsed by url exists, but the Action does not exist, it will attempt to call the `__call` magic method of the controller. The method which does not exist can be unifiedly treated.

```
'use strict';

import Base from './base.js';

export default class extends Base {
  /**
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  __call(){
    ...
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Error handling

When the url does not exist or the present user has no permission and there are other unusual request, it will be called error handling. ThinkJS itself built a detailed error handling mechanism, see specific [extensions -> error](#).

Data validation

Before using the user-submitted data in the controller, it need to verify the legitimacy of data. In order to reduce the logic complexity of the controller, ThinkJS provides a layer of Logic designed to handle data validation and permission validation and other related operations.

For more information, please see [Extended Functions -> Data validation](#).

Variable assignment and template rendering

The controller can do variable assignment and template rendering through `assign` and `display` method, specific information can be found [here](#).

Model instantiation

In the controller, you can quickly get an instance of a model by `this.model` method.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let model = this.model('user'); //instantiate mode `user`
    ...
  }
}
```

JavaScript

More usage of `model` method can be found [API -> think.http.base](#).

http object

When the controller is instantiated, the `http` will be passed in. The `http` is a object that ThinkJS repack for the `req` and `res`, rather than built in Node.js.

If you want to get the object from Action, it can be obtained by `this.http`.

```
'use strict';

import Base from './base.js';

export default class extends Base {
  indexAction(){
    let http = this.http;
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Things about the properties and methods of `http` object can be found at [API -> http](#).

REST API

Sometimes, the project has to provide some `REST` interfaces for third party to use, these interfaces are nothing less than the CRUD operations.

If writing these operations by hand is very trouble, ThinkJS provides a REST Controller, that will automatically contains generic CRUD operations. If these actions do not satisfy demand, but also can be customized. Specifically, [see here](#).

this the scoping issue

There often are many asynchronous operation in Node.js, and the common approach is to use a callback function or `Promise`. These treatments will increase a level of scope, making it impossible to use `this` directly in the callback function, the simple approach is to define a variable at the top, this will be assigned to this variable, and then use this variable in the callback function. Such as:

```
module.exports = think.controller({
  indexAction: function(){
    var self = this; //这里将 this 赋值给变量 self, 然后在后面的回调函数里都使用 self
    this.model('user').find().then(function(data){
      return self.model('article').where({user_id: data.id}).select();
    }).then(function(data){
      self.success(data);
    })
  }
})
```

JavaScript

If user must manually write `var self = this` in each Action, it's certainly very trouble. To solve this problem, ThinkJS provides a parameter directly in Action, which is equivalent to `var self = this`, as follows:

```
module.exports = think.controller({
  //参数 self 等同于 var self = this
  indexAction: function(self){
    this.model('user').find().then(function(data){
      return self.model('article').where({user_id: data.id}).select();
    }).then(function(data){
      self.success(data);
    })
  }
})
```

JavaScript

Of course, a better solution is recommended to use the Generator Function and Arrow Function of ES6, so you can solve the problem of `this` scope thoroughly.

Use Generator Function

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    let data = yield this.model('user').find();
    let result = yield this.model('article').where({user_id: data.id}).select();
    this.success(result);
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Use Arrow Function

```
module.exports = think.controller({
  indexAction: function(){
    this.model('user').find().then(data => {
      return this.model('article').where({user_id: data.id}).select();
    }).then(data => {
      this.success(data);
    })
  }
})
```

JavaScript

Output JSON

Projects often provide some interfaces, which generally output data in JSON format, and there will be a flag to indicate that the current interface is normal or not. If an exception occurs, the corresponding error message needs to be output together with the interface. The controller provides the `this.success` and `this.fail` such methods to output interface data.

Output normal JSON

The normal interface data can be output through `this.success` method, such as:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let data = {name: "thinkjs"};
    this.success(data);
  }
}
```

The output is `{errno: 0, errmsg: "", data: {"name": "thinkjs"}}`, the client can determine whether there is an exception with the current interface through `errno` is 0 or not.

Output JSON contained the error message

Interface data contained error messages may output by the `this.fail` method, such as:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.fail(1000, 'connect error'); //指定错误号和错误信息
  }
}
```

The output is `{errno: 1000, errmsg: "connect error"}`, the client determines `errno` is greater than zero, then know there are exceptions with the current interface, and to get specific error information through `errmsg`.

Configure error number and error message

If every place which need to output error data must specify error number and error message, it is bound to be very trouble, the better way is configure the error code and error information in same place, then as long as specify error number when outputting, error information based on the error number will automatically read.

Error message supports internationalization, so the configuration is in the file `src/common/config/locale/[lang].js`. Such as:

JavaScript

```
export default {
  10001: 'get data error'
}
```

By the above configuration, it will automatically read the corresponding error message when performing `this.fail (10001)`.

Friendly error number

Although it can output the correct error number and error message when performing the `this.fail (10001)` in the program, but we can not intuitively see what the error message of error number corresponding is.

Then you can configure the key to uppercase string, the value is the error number and error message. Such as:

JavaScript

```
export default {
  GET_DATA_ERROR: [1234, 'get data error'] //key 必须为大写字符或者下划线才有效
}
```

When running `this.file ('GETDATA ERROR')`, it will automatically take the corresponding error number and error messages.

Format configuration

The key of the default error number is `errno`, error information is `errmsg`. If the demand is not satisfied, then you can modify the configuration file `src/common/config/error.js`.

JavaScript

```
export default {
  key: 'errno', //error number
  msg: 'errmsg', //error message
}
```

Output the JSON that does not contain the error message

If you don't want the output data in JSON contained `errno` and `errmsg`, you can output JSON by `this.json` method. Such as:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.json({name: 'thinkjs'});
  }
}
```


Common functions

Get GET parameters

You can obtain GET parameters through the `get` method, such as:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let name = this.get('name');
    let allParams = this.get(); //获取所有 GET 参数
  }
}
```

JavaScript

If the parameter does not exist, then the value is an empty string.

Get POST parameters

You can obtain POST parameters through the `post` method, such as:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let name = this.post('name');
    let allParams = this.post(); //获取所有 POST 参数
  }
}
```

JavaScript

If the parameter does not exist, then the value is an empty string.

Get upload file

You can obtain the file by `file` methods, such as:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let file = this.file('image');
    let allFiles = this.file(); //获取所有上传的文件
  }
}
```

JavaScript

The return value is an object that contains the following attributes:

```
{
  fieldName: 'file', //表单字段名称
  originalFilename: filename, //原始的文件名
  path: filepath, //文件保存的临时路径，使用时需要将其移动到项目里的目录，否则请求结束时会被删除
  size: 1000 //文件大小
}
```

JavaScript

If the file does not exist, then the value is an empty object `{}` .

JSONP format data output

You can output data in JSON format by `this.jsonp` method, the name of the callback request parameter defaults to `callback` . If you need to modify the name of the request parameter , it can be accomplished by modifying the configuration `callback_name` .

More methods

- `isGet()` Is it currently a GET request or not
- `isPost()` Is it currently a POST request or not
- `isAjax()` Is it a AJAX request or not
- `ip()` Get requesting user's ip
- `redirect(url)` Jump to a url
- `write(data)` Output data, automatically call JSON.stringify
- `end(data)` End the current HTTP request
- `json(data)` Output the JSON data, automatically send JSON related the content-type
- `jsonp(data)` Output the json data, the request parameter name defaults to the `callback`
- `success(data)` Output normal JSON data, data format for `{errno: 0, errmsg: "", data: data}`
- `fail(errno, errmsg, data)` Output error JSON data, data format for `{errno: errno_value, errmsg: string, data: data}`
- `download(file)` download file

- `assign(name, value)` Set the template variables
- `display()` Output a template
- `fetch()` Apply colours to a drawing template and access to content
- `cookie(name, value)` Get or set the cookie
- `session(name, value)` Get or set the session
- `header(name, value)` Get or set the header
- `action(name, data)` Call other Controller method, across modules
- `model(name, options)` Obtain a model instance

A complete list of methods please see [API -> Controller](#).

View

View is template, the default root directory is `view/`.

View files

The default rule of view file is `module/controller_operation.html`.

If the module that URL `home/article/detail` parsed is `home`, the controller is `article`, the operation is `detail`, then the corresponding view file is `home/article_detail.html`.

View configuration

View default configuration is as follows, you can modify it in the configuration file `src/common/config/view.js`:

```
export default {
  type: 'ejs', //模版引擎
  content_type: 'text/html', //输出模版时发送的 Content-Type
  file_ext: '.html', //文件的扩展名
  file_depr: '_', //控制器和操作之间的连接符
  root_path: think.ROOT_PATH + '/view', //视图文件的根目录
  prerender: undefined, //模板渲染前自定义处理逻辑
  adapter: { //模版引擎需要的配置项
    ejs: {}, //使用 ejs 模板引擎时额外配置
    nunjucks: {} //使用 nunjucks 模板引擎时额外配置
  }
};
```

JavaScript

Note: Since `2.0.6` version, it removes `options` configuration item, and uses `adapter` to replace.

The default root directory of view is `view/`. If you want each module to own a separate view directory, configuration `root_path` need to be modified to be empty.

Modify connector

The connector between the default controller and operation is `_`, the file name is similar to `index_index.html`, if you want the controller to be as a layer directory, such as: `index/index.html`, you can modify the connector to be `/`.

```
export default {
  file_depr: '/'
}
```

JavaScript

Modify the template engine configuration

If you want to modify some configuration of the template engine, you can modify the corresponding field of configuration. Such as:

```
export default {
  options: {
    delimiter: '&' //将定界符修改为 <& 和 &>
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Template engine

The default template engines which ThinkJS support are `ejs`, `jade`, `swig` and `nunjucks`, the default template engine is `ejs`, you can modify it to be other template engines based on need.

ejs

Delimiter

The default delimiters of ejs are `<%` and `%>` . If you want to change them, you can modify the `options` field of the configure , such as:

```
export default {
  options: {
    delimiter: '&' //将定界符修改为 <& 和 &>
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Variable output

- Escape output `<%= data.name %>`
- Not escape output `<%- data.name %>`
- Note `<%# data.name %>`

conditional

```
<%if(data.name === '1'){%>
  <p>...</p>
<%}else if(data.name === '2'){%>
  <p>...</p>
<%}else{%>
  <p>...</p>
<%}%>
```

loop

```
<%list.forEach(function(item)){%>
  <li><%=item.name%></li>
<%}%>
```

filter

The new version of `ejs` no longer support the filter function, and if you need some filter function, you can define some global function in `src/common/bootstrap/` , you can use these functions directly in the template.

Reference file

ejs does not support template inheritance. But it can make a public template be independent into an file and then be introduced by `include` .

```
<%include inc/header.html%>
```

Note : Variable that used by ejs template needs to be assigned in the controller, otherwise it will produce an error.

More ejs document please see [here](#).

nunjucks

Nunjucks is a template engine, similar to the jinja2, whose function is unusually powerful, it suggests you using the template engine in complex projects .

delimiter

Block-level delimiters are `{{` and `}}` , variable delimiters are `{{` and `}}` , comment delimiters are `<#` and `#>` . Such as:

```
{{ username }}

{% block header %}
This is the default content
{% endblock %}
```

Markup

Variable output

You can use `{{username}}` to output variables, the default output variables will automatically be escaped, if don't want to be escaped, you can use `{{username | safe}}` to deal with.

Template inheritance

The parent template:

Markup

```
{% block header %}
This is the default content
{% endblock %}

<section class="left">
  {% block left %}{% endblock %}
</section>

<section class="right">
  {% block right %}
  This is more content
  {% endblock %}
</section>
```

The child templates:

Markup

```
{% extends "parent.html" %}

{% block left %}
This is the left side!
{% endblock %}

{% block right %}
This is the right side!
{% endblock %}
```

conditional

Markup

```
{% if hungry %}
  I am hungry
{% elif tired %}
  I am tired
{% else %}
  I am good!
{% endif %}
```

loop

Markup

```
<h1>Posts</h1>
<ul>
  {% for item in items %}
    <li>{{ item.title }}</li>
  {% else %}
    <li>This would display if the 'item' collection were empty</li>
  {% endfor %}
</ul>
```

The specific use document please see [here](#).

jade

jade template using way please see [here](#).

swig

swig template using way please see [here](#).

Add filters, and other functions

Swig , **nunjucks** and many other template engines support adding filters, and other functions, it can be completed by finding the corresponding adapter in the template configuration file `src/common/config/view.js` and adding `prerender` configuration. Such as:

JavaScript

```
export default {
  prerender: function(nunjucks, env){
    //添加一个过滤器，这样可以在模板里使用了
    env.addFilter('filter_foo', function(){

    })
  }
}
```

Note : this function is new in version **2.0.5** .

Extend the template engine

Template engine is implemented by Adapter. If the project needs to use other template engines, it can be extended through Adapter, please see [here](#).

Variable assignment

The controller can do variable assignment by the **assign** method.

Assignment of single variable

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.assign('title', 'ThinkJS 官网');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Assignment of multiple variables

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.assign({
      title: 'ThinkJS 官网',
      author: 'thinkjs'
    });
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Get the assignment

You can get assigned values by **assign** after variable assignment. Such as:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.assign('title', 'ThinkJS 官网');
    let title = this.assign('title');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Template render

You can render the template by the **display** method. If you don't pass a specific template file path, it will automatically search. Such as:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.display();// render home/index_index.html
  }
}
```

JavaScript

You could also specify a specific template files for rendering, about the **display** method using in detail please see [here](#).

Get content rendered

If sometimes don't want to support the output template, but get content rendered, so it could be obtained by the **fetch** method.

The way of ES6

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    let content = yield this.fetch();
    ...
  }
}
```

JavaScript

The way of dynamic creation

```
module.exports = think.controller({
  indexAction: function(){
    this.fetch().then(function(content){
      ...
    })
  }
})
```

More details about the `fetch` method using way please see [here](#).

Internationalization

After starting the internationalization, the view path will has an extra layer of internationalization of directory. Such as: specific view path becomes into the `view/zh-CN/home/index_index.html`, and `zh-CN` is language.

About how to use internationalization, please see [extensions -> internationalization](#).

Multiple themes

After setting the multiple theme, view path will be much more than a layer theme directory. Such as: specific view path becomes into the `view/default/home/index_index.html`, the `default` is the theme name.

You can set the current theme by `http.theme` method, setting the theme is usually done by middleware.

More information on middleware please see [extensions - middleware](#).

The default template variables

In order to get some common variables easily in the template, framework automatically registered `http`, `controller`, `config` and other variables in the template, and these variables can be used directly in the template.

The following code example is based on `ejs` template engine, you need to modify it according to the corresponding syntax under the other template engines.

http

In the template, the properties and methods under `http` object can be used directly.

controller

In the template, the properties and methods under `controller` object can be used directly.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.navType = 'home';
  }
}
```

Add property `navType` to the current controller in the Action, then the template can be used directly by the `controller.navType`.

```
<%if(controller.navType === 'home')%>
  <li className="action">home</li>
<%else%>
  <li>home</li>
<%}%>
```

config

It can be directly corresponding configuration in the template through the `config` object, such as:

```
<%if(config.name === 'text'){%>

<%}%>
```

The internationalization way _

In the template, you can obtain the value of the corresponding localization by `_` directly, these values are defined in the `src/common/config/locales/[lang].js`.

```
<%= _('title')%>
```

More information on internationalization please see [here](#).

configuration

ThinkJS provides a flexible configuration, it can use different configuration in different modules and project environments, and these configurations were effective when service is started.

Note: Do not set the private value of an http request to the configuration, it will be bathed by the setting values of the next http.

The project module

The projects that created default by ThinkJS are divided according to the module, you can define different configuration under each module. Define some general configuration under `common` modules, other modules will inherit the configuration under the `common` configuration. Such as: the final configuration of home module is the result of the `common` and `home` module configuration under combined.

Project environment

ThinkJS default support three kind of project environments, it can be configured according to the different environment, in order to meet the needs of the different situations of configuration.

- `development` development
- `testing` testing
- `production` production

It can also be extended to other environment in project, which kind of environment to use at present can be set in the [entrance file](#), and set the `env` value.

Define the configuration file

config/config.js

For some basic configuration, such as:

```
export default {
  port: 8360,
  host: '',
  encoding: 'utf-8',
  ...
}
```

JavaScript

config/[name].js

For a specific independent function configuration, such as: `db.js` is the database configuration, `redis` is redis configuration.

```
// db.js
export default {
  type: 'mysql',
  host: '127.0.0.1',
  port: '',
  name: '',
  user: '',
  ...
};
```

JavaScript

config/env/[mode].js

Differentiation configuration in different project environment, such as: `env/development.js`, `env/testing.js`, `env/production.js`.

```
// config/env/development.js
export default {
  port: 7777,
  db: { //开发模式下数据库配置
    type: 'mysql',
    host: '127.0.0.1',
    port: '',
    ...
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Note : Difference configuration of different project environment generally is not a lot, so defined in a file. At this time, if you want to modify an independent function configuration,

you need to add key corresponding to independent function. Such as: You need to add the the name of the `db` corresponding to the database when modify the database configuration of the above code.

config/locale/[lang].js

International language pack configuration, such as: `locale/en.js` , `locale/zh-CN.js` .

Configuration format uses the form of `key: value` , and the `key` is case-insensitive.

Load the configuration file

Framework supports multiple levels of the configuration file, it reads in the following order:

Framework of the default configuration - > framework configuration under project mode - > project common configuration - > common configuration under project mode

Read configuration

Obtain through the config

Places such as the Controller, Logic, Middleware can be achieved by `this.config` . Such as:

```
let db = this.config('db'); //读取数据库的所有配置
let host = this.config('db.host'); //读取数据库的 host 配置,等同于 db.host
```

JavaScript

Obtain through config method on http object

http objects also have the config method used to obtain the relevant configuration, such as:

```
let db = http.config('db');
```

JavaScript

Read configuration from other parts

Other places can read the relevant configuration through `think.config` :

```
let db = think.config('db'); //读取通用模块下的数据库配置
let db1 = think.config('db', undefined, 'home'); //获取 home 模块下数据库配置
```

JavaScript

Note : Before parsing route, we can not get the general module configuration through the `config` method or `config` method on http object, so the configuration which is used before route parsing needs to be defined in the general module.

The default configuration

env

Project configuration mode, the `config/env/development.js` .

```
export default {
  auto_reload: true,
  log_request: true,
  gc: {
    on: false
  },
  error: {
    detail: true
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Th `config/env/testing.js` and `config/env/produciton.js` have no default configuration.

locale

International language pack configuration, the default configuration is as follows:

```
// config/locale/en.js
export default {
  CONTROLLER_NOT_FOUND: 'controller `%s` not found. url is `%s`.',
  CONTROLLER_INVALID: 'controller `%s` is not valid. url is `%s`',
}
```

JavaScript


```
ACTION_NOT_FOUND: 'action `%s` not found. url is `%s`',
ACTION_INVALID: 'action `%s` is not valid. url is `%s`',
WORKER_DIED: 'worker `%d` died, it will auto restart.',
MIDDLEWARE_NOT_FOUND: 'middleware `%s` not found',
ADAPTER_NOT_FOUND: 'adapter `%s` not found',
GCTYPE_MUST_SET: 'instance must have gcType property',
CONFIG_NOT_FUNCTION: 'config `%s` is not a function',
CONFIG_NOT_VALID: 'config `%s` is not valid',
PATH_EMPTY: '`%s` path muse be set',
PATH_NOT_EXIST: '`%s` is not exist',
TEMPLATE_NOT_EXIST: 'can\'t find template file `%s`',
PARAMS_EMPTY: 'params `%s` value can\'t empty',
PARAMS_NOT_VALID: 'params `{name}` value not valid',
FIELD_KEY_NOT_VALID: 'field `%s` in where condition is not valid',
DATA_EMPTY: 'data can not be empty',
MISS_WHERE_CONDITION: 'miss where condition',
INVALID_WHERE_CONDITION_KEY: 'where condition key is not valid',
WHERE_CONDITION_INVALID: 'where condition `%s`:%s` is not valid',
TABLE_NO_COLUMNS: 'table `%s` has no columns',
NOT_SUPPORT_TRANSACTION: 'table engine is not support transaction',
DATA_MUST_BE_ARRAY: 'data is not an array list',
PARAMS_TYPE_INVALID: 'params `{name}` type invalid',
DISALLOW_PORT: 'proxy on, cannot visit with port',
SERVICE_UNAVAILABLE: 'Service Unavailable',

validate_required: '{name} can not be blank',
validate_contains: '{name} need contains {args}',
validate_equals: '{name} need match {args}',
validate_different: '{name} nedd not match {args}',
validate_after: '{name} need a date that\'s after the {args} (defaults to now)',
validate_alpha: '{name} need contains only letters (a-zA-Z)',
validate_alphaDash: '{name} need contains only letters and dashes(a-zA-Z_)',
validate_alphaNumeric: '{name} need contains only letters and numeric(a-zA-Z0-9)',
validate_alphaNumericDash: '{name} need contains only letters, numeric and dash(a-zA-Z0-9_)',
validate_ascii: '{name} need contains ASCII chars only',
validate_base64: '{name} need a valid base64 encoded',
validate_before: '{name} need a date that\'s before the {args} (defaults to now)',
validate_byteLength: '{name} need length (in bytes) falls in {args}',
validate_creditcard: '{name} need a valid credit card',
validate_currency: '{name} need a valid currency amount',
validate_date: '{name} need a date',
validate_decimal: '{name} need a decimal number',
validate_divisibleBy: '{name} need a number that\'s divisible by {args}',
validate_email: '{name} need an email',
validate_fqdn: '{name} need a fully qualified domain name',
validate_float: '{name} need a float in {args}',
validate_fullWidth: '{name} need contains any full-width chars',
validate_halfWidth: '{name} need contains any half-width chars',
validate_hexColor: '{name} need a hexadecimal color',
validate_hex: '{name} need a hexadecimal number',
validate_ip: '{name} need an IP (version 4 or 6)',
validate_ip4: '{name} need an IP (version 4)',
validate_ip6: '{name} need an IP (version 6)',
validate_isbn: '{name} need an ISBN (version 10 or 13)',
validate_isin: '{name} need an ISIN (stock/security identifier)',
validate_iso8601: '{name} need a valid ISO 8601 date',
validate_in: '{name} need in an array of {args}',
validate_notIn: '{name} need not in an array of {args}',
validate_int: '{name} need an integer',
validate_min: '{name} need an integer greater than {args}',
validate_max: '{name} need an integer less than {args}',
validate_length: '{name} need length falls in {args}',
validate_minLength: '{name} need length is max than {args}',
validate_maxLength: '{name} need length is min than {args}',
validate_lowercase: '{name} need is lowercase',
validate_mobile: '{name} need is a mobile phone number',
validate_mongoId: '{name} need is a valid hex-encoded representation of a MongoDB ObjectId',
validate_multibyte: '{name} need contains one or more multibyte chars',
validate_url: '{name} need an URL',
validate_uppercase: '{name} need uppercase',
validate_variableWidth: '{name} need contains a mixture of full and half-width chars',
validate_order: '{name} need a valid sql order string',
validate_field: '{name} need a valid sql field string',
validate_image: '{name} need a valid image file',
validate_startWith: '{name} need start with {args}',
validate_endWidth: '{name} need end with {args}',
validate_string: '{name} need a string',
```

```
validate_array: '{name} need an array',
validate_boolean: '{name} need a boolean',
validate_object: '{name} need an object'
}
```

config

The basic configuration, `config/config.js` .

```
export default {
  port: 8360, //服务监听的端口
  host: '', //服务监听的 host
  encoding: 'utf-8', //项目编码
  pathname_prefix: '', //pathname 去除的前缀,路由解析中使用
  pathname_suffix: '.html', //pathname 去除的后缀,路由解析中使用
  proxy_on: false, //是否使用 nginx 等 web server 进行代理
  hook_on: true, //是否开启 hook
  cluster_on: false, //是否开启 cluster

  service_on: true, //Service available
  timeout: 120, //120 seconds
  auto_reload: false, //自动重新加载修改的文件,development 模式下使用

  resource_on: true, // 是否处理静态资源请求, proxy_on 开启下可以关闭该配置
  resource_reg: /^(static\/|[^\/]+\.(?!js|html)\w+)$/ , //静态资源的正则

  route_on: true, //是否开启自定义路由

  log_pid: false, //是否记录服务的 pid
  log_request: false, //是否打印请求的日志

  create_server: undefined, //自定义启动服务
  output_content: undefined, //自定义输出内容处理方式,可以进行 gzip 处理等
  deny_module_list: [], //禁用的模块列表
  default_module: 'home', //默认模块
  default_controller: 'index', //默认的控制器
  default_action: 'index', //默认的动作
  callback_name: 'callback', //jsonp 请求的 callback 名称
  json_content_type: 'application/json', //json 输出时设置的 Content-Type
  subdomain: {} //子域名部署配置
}
```

JavaScript

cache

Cache configuration, `config/cache.js` .

```
export default {
  type: 'file', //缓存方式
  prefix: 'thinkjs_', //缓存名称前缀
  timeout: 6 * 3600, //6 hours
  path: runtimePrefix + '/cache', //文件缓存模式下缓存内容存放的目录
  path_depth: 2, //子目录深度
  file_ext: '.json' //缓存文件的扩展名
};
```

JavaScript

cookie

cookie configuration, `config/cookie.js` .

```
export default {
  domain: '', // cookie domain
  path: '/', // cookie path
  httponly: false, //是否 httponly
  secure: false, //是否在 https 下使用
  timeout: 0 //cookie 有效时间
};
```

JavaScript

db

database configuration, `config/db.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: 'mysql', //数据库类型
  host: '127.0.0.1', //数据库 host
  port: '', //端口
  name: '', //数据库名称
  user: '', //账号
  pwd: '', //密码
  prefix: 'think_', //数据表前缀
  encoding: 'utf8', //数据库编码
  nums_per_page: 10, //一页默认条数
  log_sql: true, //是否记录 sql 语句
  log_connect: true, // 是否记录连接数据库的信息
  cache: { // 查询数据缓存配置
    on: true,
    type: '',
    timeout: 3600
  }
};
```

error

The error information configuration, `config/error.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  key: 'errno', //error number
  msg: 'errmsg', //error message
  value: 1000 //default errno
};
```

gc

The cache, the Session, and garbage disposal configuration, `config/gc.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  on: true, //是否开启垃圾回收处理
  interval: 3600, // 处理时间间隔,默认为一个小时
  filter: function(){ //如果返回 true,则进行垃圾回收处理
    let hour = (new Date()).getHours();
    if(hour === 4){
      return true;
    }
  }
};
```

hook

hook configuration, `config/hook.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  request_begin: [],
  payload_parse: ['parse_form_payload', 'parse_single_file_payload', 'parse_json_payload', 'parse_querystring_payload'],
  payload_validate: ['validate_payload'],
  resource: ['check_resource', 'output_resource'],
  route_parse: ['rewrite_pathname', 'subdomain_deploy', 'route'],
  logic_before: ['check_csrf'],
  logic_after: [],
  controller_before: [],
  controller_after: [],
  view_before: [],
  view_template: ['locate_template'],
  view_parse: ['parse_template'],
  view_after: [],
  response_end: []
};
```

post

the post request configuration, `config/post.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  json_content_type: ['application/json'],
  max_file_size: 1024 * 1024 * 1024, //1G
  max_fields: 100,
  max_fields_size: 2 * 1024 * 1024, //2M,
  ajax_filename_header: 'x-filename',
  file_upload_path: runtimePrefix + '/upload',
  file_auto_remove: true
};
```

redis

redis configuration, `config/redis.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  host: '127.0.0.1',
  port: 6379,
  password: '',
  timeout: 0,
  log_connect: true
};
```

memcache

memcache configuration, `config/memcache.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  host: '127.0.0.1', //memcache host
  port: 11211,
  username: '', //
  password: '',
  timeout: 0, //缓存失效时间
  log_connect: true
};
```

session

session configuration, `config/session.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  name: 'thinkjs',
  type: 'file',
  path: runtimePrefix + '/session',
  secret: '',
  auth_key: 'think_auth_list',
  timeout: 24 * 3600,
  cookie: { // cookie options
    length: 32
  }
};
```

view

view configuration, `config/view.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  content_type: 'text/html',
  file_ext: '.html',
  file_depr: '_',
  root_path: '',
  type: 'ejs',
  options: {}
};
```

websocket

websocket configuration, `config/websocket.js` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  on: false, //是否开启 websocket
  type: 'think', //websocket 使用的库
  allow_origin: '',
  sub_protocol: '',
  adapter: undefined,
  path: '', //url path for websocket
  messages: {
    // open: 'home/websocket/open',
  }
};
```

The extension configuration

Project can be extended the configuration according to the need, extending configuration only need to set up the correspond ding files in `src/common/config/` , such as:

JavaScript

```
// src/common/config/foo.js
export default {
  name: 'bar'
}
```

So you can obtain the corresponding configuration through `think.config('foo')` .

Route

When a user visit a URL, eventually performing which module which controller which operation is decided by route after parsing.

ThinkJS provides a flexible route mechanism, in addition to the default resolution, it also support a variety forms of custom route, let the URL more simple and friendly.

URL resolves to the pathname

When a user accesses to the service, the server first of all, will get a full URL, such as: visit this page and the URL is `http://www.thinkjs.org/zh-CN/doc/2.0/route.html` .

The pathname resolved by URL is `/zh-CN/doc/2.0/route.html` .

pathname filter

Sometimes in order to seo or some other reasons, the URL will be a few more things. For example, the current page is a dynamic page, but URL eventually adds `.html` , it's more friendly to search engines. But these is useless in the subsequent route resolution, it needs to be removed.

ThinkJS offer the following configuration, it can remove the prefix and postfix content of `pathname` :

JavaScript

```
export default {
  pathname_prefix: '',
  pathname_suffix: '.html',
}
```

Above configuration can be modified in the `src/common/config/config.js` .

The pathname will automatically remove `/` around when filtering, the logic is not affected by the configuration above. After filtering the pathname, the clean pathname you get is `zh-CN/doc/2.0/route` .

Note : If you visit the URL, which is `http://www.thinkjs.org/` , then finally the clean pathname you get is an empty string.

Subdomain deployment

When the project is complex, we may want to deploy different function under the different domain, but the code is still in a project. Such as: When the domain name `admin.example.com` deploys background management functions, we hope that it can map to the `admin` module.

ThinkJS provides the following configuration that it can undertake subdomain deployment, the configuration can be set in the `config/config.js` :

JavaScript

```
export default {
  subdomain: {
    admin: 'admin', //表示将 admin.example.com 映射到 admin 模块下
    ...
  }
}
```

If the pathname is `group/detail` after filtering , hit the subdomain admin.example.com, the pathname become to the `admin/group/detail` .

Routing identification

Routing resolves

Routing identification identify the filtered pathname default according to the

`module/controller/action/parameter1/parameter value of 1/parameter2/parameter value of 2` . Such as: the pathname is `admin/group/detail` , so the results of identification is:

- module for `admin`
- controller for `group`
- action for `detail` ,the corresponding method is called `detailAction`

If the project doesn't have `admin` or the module is disabled, then the results of identification is:

- module for the default module `home`
- controller for `admin`
- action for `group` , the corresponding method is called `groupAction`
- Parameters for `{detail: ''}`

Transformation of case

After route identification, `module` 、 `controller` 、 and the `Action` value will automatically convert to lowercase. If there are `_` in the Action value, it will do some transformation, such as: in the case that the value of Controller is `index` after identification, the Action value is `user_add` , then the corresponding Action method called `userAddAction` , but the template name is still `index_user_add.html` .

The default Route

Once there is no corresponding value when parsing the pathname, then using the corresponding default value. And module default value is `home` , controller default value is `index` , action default value is `index` .

These values can be modified through the following configuration, the configuration file `src/common/config/config.js` :

```
export default {
  default_module: 'home',
  default_controller: 'index',
  default_action: 'index',
}
```

JavaScript

Custom route

Although the default route looks clear, it's also simple to parse, but looks not enough concise.

Sometimes we need more compact route, now we need to use a custom route to parse. Such as: the detail page of the article, the default route might be:

`article/detail/id/10` , but the URL we want is `article/10` this more concise way.

Open the configuration

Open the custom route, we need to open the configuration as the following in `src/common/config/config.js` .

```
export default {
  route_on: true
}
```

JavaScript

Route rules

After opening the custom route, then we can define the exact route through route rules, route configuration file is: `src/common/config/route.js` , the format is as follows:

```
export default [
  ["规则1", "需要识别成的pathname"],
  ["规则2", {
    get: "get请求下需要识别成的pathname",
    post: "post请求下需要识别成的pathname"
  }]
];
```

JavaScript

Note : Each rule of custom route is an array.(The reason why we do not use object is that regular cannot be used as the object's key directly under the regular route.)

Identify ways

The match rule of custom route is : matching one by one from the front to rear, if hit this rule, it will not match back.

ThinkJS supports three types of custom route, they are : regular route, rules route and static route.

Regular route

Regular route is a way that uses regular expressions to define the route, relying on the powerful regular expression, it can define very flexible route rules.

```
export default [
  [/^article\/(\d+)$/, "home/article/detail?id=:1"]
];
```

JavaScript

The above regular will match pathname like `article/10`, the new pathname identified is `home/article/detail`, and it will assign the value captured to the parameter `id`, then can obtain the value through `this.get` method in the controller.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  detailAction(){
    let id = this.get('id');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

If regular route contains multiple child groups, then can obtain the corresponding values by `:1`, `:2`, `:3`

```
export default [
  [/^article\/(\d+)$/, {
    get: "home/article/detail?id=:1",
    delete: "home/article/delete?id=:1",
    post: "home/article/save?id=:1"
  }]
];
```

JavaScript

Rules route

Rules route is a way of string matching, but supports some dynamic values. Such as:

```
export default [
  ['group/:year/:month', "home/group/list"]
]
```

JavaScript

If the URL we visit is `http://www.example.com/group/2015/10`, then it will hit the rule, the pathname we get is `home/group/list`, at the same time, it will add two parameters `year` and `month`, these two parameters can be gotten through `this.get` method in the controller.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  listAction(){
    let year = this.get('year');
    let month = this.get('month');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Static route

Static route is a way of pure string exactly match, its writing and identification are very simple, of course the function is relatively weaker.

```
export default [
  ["list", "home/article/list"]
]
```

JavaScript

If the URL we visit is `http://www.example.com/list`, then the pathname replaced is the `home/article/list`.

To optimize the route performance

Above has said that the custom route is an array, each item of the array is a specific route rule, and it matches one by one from the front to rear when matching. If the route table is large, there may be a performance issue.

In order to avoid performance issues, ThinkJS provides a more efficient way of custom route, configuring route according to the module. Using this way, the route configuration format is slightly different from the above.

`common/config/route.js`

After using this way, the route configuration in the general module configures specific route rules no longer, but configures which rules hit which module. Such as:

```
export default {
  admin: {
    reg: /^admin/ //命中 admin 模块的正则
  },
  home: { //默认走 home 模块
  }
}
```

JavaScript

admin/config/route.js

The admin module configures specific route rules under admin.

```
export default [
  [/^admin\/(?:!api).*$/, 'admin/index'],
  [/^admin\/api\/(?:w+)?(?:\:\/(?:[\\d,]*))?$/, 'admin/:1?id=:2&resource=:1'],
];
```

JavaScript

Assuming that the URL visit is `http://www.example.com/admin/api`, then the pathname parsed is `admin/api`, it will hit the `admin` module when matching the rules in the `common`, and then match the route rules one by one under the `admin` module. In this way, it can greatly reduce the number of route rules need to match, providing matching efficiency.

Model

Model Introduction

During project development, you always need to manipulate data table, such as CRUD operations. In order to facilitate database manipulation, model is encapsulated. A model maps to a table in database.

Currently support databases: `MySQL`, `MongoDB`, `SQLite`.

Create Model

You can use command `thinkjs model [name]` in project directory to create model:

```
thinkjs model user;
```

Bash

This will create file `src/common/model/user.js`.

Model file will be placed in `common` module by default, if you want to use other modules, you need to specify module name when creating:

```
thinkjs model home/user
```

Bash

Config Model

Here is the model configuration, you can modify it in `src/common/config/db.js`:

```
export default {
  type: "mysql", //database type
  host: "127.0.0.1", //database host
  port: "", //database port, default is 3306
  name: "", //database name
  user: "", //account
  pwd: "", //password
  prefix: "think_", //database prefix. Blank means no prefix
  encoding: "utf8", //database encoding
  nums_per_page: 10, //number per page
  log_sql: true, //whether log sql commands executed
  log_connect: true, //whether log database connect information
  cache: { //database query cache configuration
    on: true,
    type: "",
    timeout: 3600
  }
};
```

JavaScript

You can use different configuration in different module, just config `src/[module]/config/db.js` .

Define Data Table

By default, model name maps to table name. If your table's prefix is `think_` , table `think_user` and `user_group` will map to `think_user_group` .

You can modify these two properties:

- `tablePrefix` table prefix
- `tableName` table name without prefix

ES6 Way

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.tablePrefix = ""; //set the prefix to blank
    this.tableName = "user2"; //set the data table name to user2
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Dynamic Class creation

```
module.exports = think.model({
  tablePrefix: "", //use property to set prefix and table name
  tableName: "user2",
  init: function(){
    this.super("init", arguments);
  }
})
```

JavaScript

Model Instantiation

Model instantiation is different in different use cases. If current class has `model` method, it will be used directly to instantiate:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
  }
}
```

JavaScript

You can also use `think.model` to instantiate:

```
let getModelInstance = function(){
  let model = think.model("user", think.config("db"), "home");
}
```

JavaScript

You need to pass in configuration when using `think.model` .

Chaining Invoke

Model provides many chaining invoke methods(like jQuery does) which can facilitate data manipulation. Chaining invoke is implemented by returning `this` :

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  /**
   * get list data
   */
  * getList(){
    let data = yield this.field("title, content").where({
      id: [">", 100]
    }).order("id DESC").select();
    ...
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Model supports chaining these methods:

- `where` , define query or update conditions
- `table` , define table name

- `alias` , define alias of current table
- `data` , assign value before creating or updating data
- `field` , define field for querying, support exclude
- `order` , sort results
- `limit` , limit results number
- `page` , results pagination, will be translated to limit when generate sql commands
- `group` , querying group support
- `having` , querying having support
- `join` , querying join support
- `union` , querying union support
- `distinct` , querying distinct support
- `cache` , query cache

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Create Data

Create a row

Use `add` method to create a new row, return value is the id of inserted data:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * addAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    let insertId = yield model.add({name: "xxx", pwd: "yyy"});
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Create many rows

Use `addMany` create many rows:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * addAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    let insertId = yield model.addMany([
      {name: "xxx", pwd: "yyy"},
      {name: "xxx1", pwd: "yyy1"}
    ]);
  }
}
```

JavaScript

thenAdd

We often need to prevent a field from duplication when designing database. So it's common to query whether data exists before inserting and just insert if it doesn't exist.

Model provides `thenAdd` to support this manipulation:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * addAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    //first param is the data need to add, second param is the condition, if there is no result when query use second param, the data will be added
    let result = yield model.thenAdd({name: "xxx", pwd: "yyy"}, {name: "xxx"});
    // result returns {id: 1000, type: "add"} or {id: 1000, type: "exist"}
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Update Data

Use `update` method to update data, return value is the influenced value:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * updateAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    let affectedRows = yield model.where({name: "thinkjs"}).update({email: "admin@thinkjs.org"});
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Query Data

Model provides many ways to query data, you can: query one line data, query many lines data, read the field value, read max value, read results count and so on.

Query One Line Data

Use `find` to query one line data, return value is the object:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * listAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    let data = yield model.where({name: "thinkjs"}).find();
    //data returns {name: "thinkjs", email: "admin@thinkjs.org", ...}
  }
}
```

JavaScript

If there doesn't exist the data you need, return value is blank object `{}`. You can use `think.isEmpty` to check whether it is blank.

Query Many Lines Data

Use `select` query many lines data, return value is results:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * listAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    let data = yield model.limit(2).select();
    //data returns [{name: "thinkjs", email: "admin@thinkjs.org"}, ...]
  }
}
```

JavaScript

If there doesn't exist the data you need, return value is blank array `[]`. You can use `think.isEmpty` to check whether it is blank.

Result Pagination

It's common to show paginated data in page. You need to query the total counts first, then calculate the number of pagination. Model provides `countSelect` method to facilitate this operation, it can query total counts automatically.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * listAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    let data = yield model.page(this.get("page"), 10).countSelect();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Return value's format:

```
{
  numsPerPage: 10, //number per page
  currentPage: 1, //current page
  count: 100, //total counts
  totalPages: 10, //total page number
  data: [{ //data of current page
    name: "thinkjs",
    email: "admin@thinkjs.org"
  }, ...]
}
```

JavaScript

If current page number exceeds page range, you can fix it through parameters. `true` means fix to first page, `false` means fix to last page: `countSelect(true)`, `countSelect(false)`.

If total count cannot be queried, you can pass it as a parameter like `countSelect(1000)`, means total count is 1000.

Delete Data

Use `delete` method to remove data, return the count of influenced row:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * deleteAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    let affectedRows = yield model.where({id: [">", 100]}).delete();
  }
}
```

Query Cache

Considering performance, querying data from cache is common. Doing it manually is difficult, so model provides `cache` method to set query cache:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //set cache key and expire time
    return this.cache("get_list", 3600).where({id: {">": 100}}).select();
  }
}
```

These codes will cache query results. If cache matches, results will be returned directly from cache. Otherwise, database will be used. The key of cache is `get_list`, will expire after one hour.

Key is optional, model will generate a cache key from sql command:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //only set cache time
    return this.cache(3600).where({id: {">": 100}}).select();
  }
}
```

Cache Configuration

Config cache in model configuration's `cache` field:

JavaScript

```
export default {
  cache: {
    on: true,
    type: "",
    timeout: 3600
  }
}
```

- `on` controls the whole database cache configurations, `cache` will be disabled if it is off
- `type` type of cache, default is memory, supported types can be found at [Adapter -> Cache](#)
- `timeout` default expire time

More operations in model can be found at [API -> model](#).

This doc stays at https://github.com/75team/www.thinkjs.org/tree/master/view/zh-CN/doc/2.0/model_intro.md.

Transaction

Model supports transaction operation while the database you use supports that.

`InnoDB` and `BDB` engine of `Mysql` support transaction, if you need to use transaction in Mysql, must set the engine to InnoDB or BDB.

`SQLite` supports transaction.

Use Transaction

Model provides `startTrans`, `commit` and `rollback` to operate transaction.

- `startTrans` start a transaction
- `commit` is used to commit transaction after your operations
- `rollback` will roll back if operation has exception

ES6 Way

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    try{
      yield model.startTrans();
      let userId = yield model.add({name: "xxx"});
      let insertId = yield this.model("user_group").add({user_id: userId, group_id: 1000});
      yield model.commit();
    }catch(e){
      yield model.rollback();
    }
  }
}
```

Dynamic Class Creation Way

```
module.exports = think.controller({
  indexAction: function(self){
    var model = this.model("user");
    return model.startTrans().then(function(){
      return model.add({name: "xxx"});
    }).then(function(userId){
      return self.model("user_group").add({user_id: userId, group_id: 1000});
    }).then(function(){
      return self.commit();
    }).catch(function(err){
      return self.rollback();
    });
  }
});
```

Transaction method

`startTrans` , `commit` and `rollback` need to be used when you use transaction. In order to simple this operation, model provides `transaction` method.

ES6 Way

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(self){
    let model = this.model("user");
    let insertId = yield model.transaction( function * (){
      let userId = yield model.add({name: "xxx"});
      return yield self.model("user_group").add({user_id: userId, group_id: 1000});
    })
  }
}
```

Note: Arrow function cannot used with `*/yield` , so we use `function *` . If you want to use arrow function, you can use async, like `async () => {}` .

Dynamic Class Creation Way

```
module.exports = think.controller({
  indexAction: function(self){
    var model = this.model("user");
    return model.transaction(function(){
      return model.add({name: "xxx"}).then(function(userId){
        return self.model("user_group").add({user_id: userId, group_id: 1000});
      });
    }).then(function(insertId){

    }).catch(function(err){

    })
  }
});
```

Transaction accepts a callback function which contains real operation logic and need to return.

This doc stays at https://github.com/75team/www.thinkjs.org/tree/master/view/zh-CN/doc/2.0/model_transaction.md.

Relational Model

Table in database often related to other tables and need to be operated with related tables. For example, an article can have category, tag, comment and author.

ThinkJS supports relational model which can simple these operations.

Supported Type

Relational model supports four usual relationship:

- `think.model.HAS_ONE` one to one model
- `think.model.BELONG_TO` one to one belong to
- `think.model.HAS_MANY` one to many
- `think.model.MANY_TO_MANY` many to many

Create Relational Model

Use `thinkjs model [name] --relation` to create relational model:

```
thinkjs model home/post --relation
```

JavaScript

This will create model file `src/home/model/post.js` .

Set Relationship

Use `relation` property to set relationship:

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    //use relation property to set relationship, can set many relationships
    this.relation = {
      cate: {},
      comment: {}
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

You can also use ES7 syntax to define `relation` property:

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {

  //define relation property directly
  relation = {
    cate: {},
    comment: {}
  }

  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Data Format of Single Relational Model

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      cate: {
        type: think.model.MANY_TO_MANY, //relation type
        model: "", //model name
        name: "profile", //data name
        key: "id",
        fKey: "user_id", //foreign key
        field: "id,name",
        where: "name=xx",
        order: "",
        limit: "",
        rModel: "",
        rfKey: ""
      },
    }
  }
}
```

Each fields means:

- **type** type of relation
- **model** model name of relation table, default is key, here is **cate**
- **name** data field name, default is key, here is **cate**
- **key** related key of current model
- **fKey** related key of related table
- **field** field used to query related table, fKey must be included if you set this field
- **where** where condition used to query related table
- **order** order used to query related table
- **limit** limit used to query related table
- **page** page used to query related table
- **rModel** related model name in many to many type
- **rfKey** key in related table in many to many type

If you just want to set related type without other fields, you can use this simple way:

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      cate: think.model.MANY_TO_MANY
    }
  }
}
```

HAS_ONE

One to one relation, means current table has one additional table.

Suppose current model name is **user** and related table model name is **info**, then **key** field in config default is **id**, **fKey** default is **user_id**.

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      info: think.model.HAS_ONE
    }
  }
}
```

Execute querying operation will get below data:

JavaScript

```
[
  {
    id: 1,
    name: "111",
    info: { //关联表里的数据信息
      user_id: 1,
      desc: "info"
    }
  }, ...]
```

BELONG_TO

One to one relation, means belong to one table, reverse of HAS_ONE.

Suppose current model name is `info`, related table model name is `user`, then `key` field in config default is `user_id` and `fKey` default is `id`.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      user: think.model.BELONG_TO
    }
  }
}
```

Execute quering operation will get below data:

JavaScript

```
[
  {
    id: 1,
    user_id: 1,
    desc: "info",
    user: {
      name: "thinkjs"
    }
  }, ...
]
```

HAS_MANY

One to many relation.

Suppose current model name is `post`, related table model name is `comment`, then `key` field in config default is `id` and `fKey` default is `post_id`.

JavaScript

```
"use strict";
/**
 * relation model
 */
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);

    this.relation = {
      comment: {
        type: think.model.HAS_MANY
      }
    }
  }
}
```

Execute quering operation will get below data:

JavaScript

```
[{
  id: 1,
  title: "first post",
  content: "content",
  comment: [{
    id: 1,
    post_id: 1,
    name: "welefen",
    content: "first comment"
  }, ...]
}, ...]
```

If data in related table needs pagination, use `page` parameter:

JavaScript

```
"use strict";
/**
 * relation model
 */
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);

    this.relation = {
      comment: {
        type: think.model.HAS_MANY
      }
    }
  }
  getList(page){
    return this.setRelation("comment", {page: page}).select();
  }
}
```

Besides using `setRelation`, you can also pass in a function, this function will be executed during parameter merge.

MANYTOMANY

Many to many relation.

Suppose current model name is `post`, related table model name is `cate`, then we need a relationship table. `rModel` field in config default is `post_cate` and `rfKey` default is `cate_id`.

JavaScript

```
"use strict";
/**
 * relation model
 */
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);

    this.relation = {
      cate: {
        type: think.model.MANY_TO_MANY,
        rModel: "post_cate",
        rfKey: "cate_id"
      }
    }
  }
}
```

Querying results will be:

JavaScript

```
[{
  id: 1,
  title: "first post",
  cate: [{
    id: 1,
    name: "cate1",
    post_id: 1
  }, ...]
}, ...]
```

Dead Cycle

Suppose we have two tables, one set the other as HASONE and the other set this as BELONGTO, this will cause cycle querying during querying and result to dead cycle.

You can set `relation` field in config to close related querying and prevent dead cycle:

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      user: {
        type: think.model.BELONG_TO,
        relation: false //close related querying when query user
      }
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

You can also only close current model's relationship:

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      user: {
        type: think.model.BELONG_TO,
        relation: "info" //close info model's relationship whey query user
      }
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Close Relationship Temporarily

After set relationship, operations like query will query related table automatically. If you don't want to query related table, just use `setRelation` method to close relationship temporarily.

Close All

Use `setRelation(false)` to close all relationship query.

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      comment: think.model.HAS_MANY,
      cate: think.model.MANY_TO_MANY
    }
  },
  getList(){
    return this.setRelation(false).select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Open Part

Use `setRelation('comment')` to query data from `comment`, other table won't be queied.

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      comment: think.model.HAS_MANY,
      cate: think.model.MANY_TO_MANY
    }
  },
  getList2(){
    return this.setRelation("comment").select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Close Part

Use `setRelation('comment', false)` to close `comment` quering.

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      comment: think.model.HAS_MANY,
      cate: think.model.MANY_TO_MANY
    }
  },
  getList2(){
    return this.setRelation("comment", false).select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Reopen All

Use `setRelation(true)` to reopen all related quering.

```
export default class extends think.model.relation {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    this.relation = {
      comment: think.model.HAS_MANY,
      cate: think.model.MANY_TO_MANY
    }
  },
  getList2(){
    return this.setRelation(true).select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

mongo Relational Model

This relational model doesn't work for mongo model, mongo relational model stays here <https://docs.mongodb.org/manual/tutorial/model-embedded-one-to-one-relationships-between-documents/>.

This doc stays at https://github.com/75team/www.thinkjs.org/tree/master/view/zh-CN/doc/2.0/model_relation.md.

Mysql

ThinkJS support Mysql well, the underline library is <https://www.npmjs.com/package/mysql>.

Connection Pool

Mysql default has only one connection, if you want to use many connections, you can use connection pool. Modify `src/common/config/db.js` , such as:

```
export default {
  connectionLimit: 10 //create 10 connections
}
```

JavaScript

socketPath

Default host and port will used to connect Mysql, if you want to use unix domain socket, see the below configuration:

```
export default {
  socketPath: "/tmp/mysql.socket"
}
```

JavaScript

SSL options

Use below configuration to set SSL connection:

JavaScript

```
export default {
  ssl: {
    ca: fs.readFileSync(__dirname + "/mysql-ca.crt")
  }
}
```

Database Support Emoji

The encoding of database usually is `utf8` , but it doesn't support emoji. If you want database to support emoji, need to set database encoding to `utf8mb4` .

Besides, you have to modify `encoding` in `src/common/config/db.js` to `utf8mb4` :

JavaScript

```
export default {
  encoding: "utf8mb4"
}
```

Error: Handshake inactivity timeout

In some Node.js version(like 4.2.0), connect Mysql will throw this error:

JavaScript

```
Error: Handshake inactivity timeout
at Handshake.sequence.on.on.on.on.on.self._connection._startTLS.err.code (/home/***/node_modules/mysql/lib/protocol/Protocol.js:154:17)
at Handshake.emit (events.js:92:17)
at Handshake._onTimeout (/home/***/node_modules/mysql/lib/protocol/sequences/Sequence.js:116:8)
at Timer.listOnTimeout [as ontimeout] (timers.js:112:15)
-----
at Protocol._enqueue (/home/***/node_modules/mysql/lib/protocol/Protocol.js:135:48)
at Protocol.handshake (/home/***/node_modules/mysql/lib/protocol/Protocol.js:52:41)
at PoolConnection.connect (/home/***/node_modules/mysql/lib/Connection.js:119:18)
at Pool.getConnection (/home/***/node_modules/mysql/lib/Pool.js:45:23)
at Object.exports.register (/home/***/node_modules/hapi-plugin-mysql/lib/index.js:40:27)
at /home/***/node_modules/hapi/lib/plugin.js:242:14
at iterate (/home/***/node_modules/hapi/node_modules/items/lib/index.js:35:13)
at done (/home/***/node_modules/hapi/node_modules/items/lib/index.js:27:25)
at Object.exports.register (/home/***/node_modules/lout/lib/index.js:95:5)
at /home/***/node_modules/hapi/lib/plugin.js:242:14
```

To solve this, just update Node.js to the latest version.

This doc stays at https://github.com/75team/www.thinkjs.org/tree/master/view/zh-CN/doc/2.0/model_mysql.md.

MongoDB

ThinkJS supports MongoDB database, underline model is [mongodb](#).

Config

Change `type` in model configuration to `mongo` to use MongoDB database:

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: "mongo"
}
```

In order to add additional params when connecting MongoDB service, add them to `options` :

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: "mongo",
  options: {
    authSource: "admin"
  }
}
```

Below will change connection URL to `mongodb://127.0.0.1:27017/?authSource=admin` .

More additional options stay at <http://mongodb.github.io/node-mongodb-native/2.0/reference/connecting/connection-settings/>.

Create Model

Use command `thinkjs model [name] --mongo` to create model:

```
thinkjs model user --mongo
```

JavaScript

After executing, `src/common/model/user.js` will be created. If you want to place it on other module, add the specific module name:

```
thinkjs model home/user --mongo
```

JavaScript

This will create model file on `home` module, file name is `src/home/model/user.js`.

Model Inherit

Model has to inherit `think.model.mongo` class. If current class doesn't inherit to it, you have to modify it:

ES6 Way

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {  
  
}
```

JavaScript

Dynamic Create

```
module.exports = think.model("mongo", {  
  
})
```

JavaScript

CURD Operation

CURD operation is same as Mysql, just read [Model -> Introduction](#).

Create Index

mongo model can config index, model will create index automatically before CURD operation. Configurations are placed in `indexes` property:

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {  
  init(...args){  
    super.init(...args);  
    //config index  
    this.indexes = {  
  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

Single Index

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {  
  init(...args){  
    super.init(...args);  
    //config index  
    this.indexes = {  
      name: 1  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

Unique Index

Use `$unique` to set unique index:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    //config index
    this.indexes = {
      name: {$unique: 1}
    }
  }
}
```

Multiple Fields Index

You can combine multiple fields to create index:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    //config index
    this.indexes = {
      email: 1
      test: {
        name: 1,
        title: 1,
        $unique: 1
      }
    }
  }
}
```

Get Index

Use `getIndexes` to get created indexes:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  async indexAction(){
    let model = this.model("user");
    let indexes = await model.getIndexes();
  }
}
```

aggregate

Use `aggregate` method to do aggregation:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  match(){
    return this.aggregate([
      {$match: {status: "A"}},
      {$group: {_id: "$cust_id", total: {$sum: "$amount"}}}
    ]);
  }
}
```

Details stay at <https://docs.mongodb.org/manual/core/aggregation-introduction/>.

MapReduce

Use `mapReduce` method to do MapReduce operation:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  execMapReduce(){
    let map = () => {
      emit(this.cust_id, this.amount);
    }
    let reduce = (key, values) => {
      return Array.sum(values);
    }
    return this.mapReduce(map, reduce, {
      query: {status: "A"},
      out: "order_totals"
    })
  }
}
```

Details stay at <https://docs.mongodb.org/manual/core/aggregation-introduction/#map-reduce>.

This doc stays at https://github.com/75team/www.thinkjs.org/tree/master/view/zh-CN/doc/2.0/model_mongodb.md.

SQLite

ThinkJS supports SQLite database, underline uses [sqlite3](#) module.

Config

Change `type` property to `sqlite` to use SQLite. Modify `src/common/config/db.js` :

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: "sqlite"
}
```

Store Type

SQLite supports store data in memory and file, you need to config `path` .

Memory

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: "sqlite",
  path: true, //use memory to store data
}
```

File

Use file need to set the path of SQLite data, default is `src/common/runtime/sqlite` .

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: "sqlite",
  path: "/path/to/store/sqlite" //use file to store data
}
```

The path of data file is `path` + `/[name].sqlite` , default database `demo` 's file path is `src/common/runtime/sqlite/demo.sqlite` .

CURD Operation

CURD operation is same as Mysql, just read [Model -> Introduction](#).

This doc stays at https://github.com/75team/www.thinkjs.org/tree/master/view/zh-CN/doc/2.0/model_sqlite.md.

Adapter

Adapter

Adapters are sorts of implementations which implements a same kind of function. In ThinkJS , the framework provides these adapters by default. Such as Cache, Session, WebSocket, Db, Store, Template, Socket and so on.

Create An Adapter

You can create an adapter with console command like this:

```
thinkjs adapter template/dot
```

Bash

It creates a Template Adapter named `dot` in `src/common/adapter/template/dot.js`. The code probably likes the following:

```
export default class extends think.adapter.template {
  /**
   * init
   * @return {[}]
   */
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
  }
}
```

JavaScript

The framework creates a `Base` class if the type you created doesn't exist, then other classes inherit from the `Base` class.

Introduce an Adapter

You can introduce an Adapter by using `think.adapter`. For example:

```
let Template = think.adapter("template", "dot"); // introduce Template Adapter named dot
let instance = new Template(...args); // introduce an Adapter and instantiate it.
```

JavaScript

Use third part Adapter

The framework searches Adapters from `src/common/adapter` and system path automatically, when it loads Adapters. You should regist third part Adapters if you need, otherwise the framework can't find them.

You can regist third part Adapters by using `think.adapter`, For example:

```
let DotTemplate = require('think-template-dot');
think.adapter('template', 'dot', DotTemplate);
```

JavaScript

Then, the Adaptor files in `src/common/bootstrap/` can be loaded automatically when the service started.

Cache

It is very helpful to use caches proper correctly in projects. So, ThinkJS provide a variety of caching methods,includes: Memory cache, file cache, Memcache and redis.

Cache types

The framework defaults to support the following cache typies:

- `memory` Cache stored in Memory
- `file` Cache stored in file system
- `memcache` Cache stored in memcache
- `redis` Cache stored in redis

If you use Memcache or redis, you need set configuration information.

See also [configuration of memcache](#) [configuration of redis](#)

How to configurate cache

The default cache configuration likes following. You can edit `src/common/config/cache.js` to change the configuration.

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: "file", // the cache type
  timeout: 6 * 3600, // when the cache will expired , default is 6 hours.
  adapter: { // configurations of different type adaptor
    file: {
      path: think.getPath(undefined, think.dirname.runtime) + '/cache', // the path cache files put in
      path_depth: 2, // max depth generated by cache files
      file_ext: '.json' // cache files extend name
    },
    redis: {
      prefix: 'thinkjs_'
    },
    memcache: {
      prefix: 'thinkjs_'
    }
  }
};
```

Note : The framework supports adaptor configuration from the version **2.0.6** .

In memcache or redis cache type, the **prefix** field is used. In this case, ThinkJS uses key + prefix as the storage key to prevent the conflict with other projects. If you don't want to set prefix, you can set it to empty string, like:

JavaScript

```
export default {
  prefix: "" // it set the prefix of cache key to empty.
}
```

How to use cache

You can add, delete, update and search the cache by using method **think.cache** , see also [API->think](#) for more details.

You can use method **this.cache** to operate cache, if your class is inherited from **think.http.base** , see also [API->think.http.base](#) for more details.

How to extend cache

You can create a cache class named **foo** by using following command:

Bash

```
thinkjs adapter cache/foo
```

After the completion of the excuting, ThinkJS will create the file **src/common/adaptor/cache/foo.js** . Then you need implement these following methods to extend cache class:

```

export default class extends think.cache.base {
  /**
   * init
   * @param {Object} options []
   * @return {} []
   */
  init(options){
    //set gc type & start gc
    this.gcType = 'cache_foo';
    think.gc(this);
  }
  /**
   * get cache
   * @param {String} name []
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  get(name){

  }
  /**
   * set cache
   * @param {String} name []
   * @param {Mixed} value []
   * @param {Number} timeout []
   * @return {Promise}
   */
  set(name, value, timeout){

  }
  /**
   * delete cache
   * @param {String} name []
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  delete(name){

  }
  /**
   * gc function
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  gc(){

  }
}

```

To know the implemation of cache in ThinkJS, please see also (<https://github.com/75team/thinkjs/tree/master/src/adapters/cache>)

How to use third party cache Adapter

To know how to use third party cache Adapter, please see also [Adapter -> intro](#)

Session

Session is always needed to user login. ThinkJS default to support a variety of session adapter, Such as `file` , `db` , `redis` and so on.

Supported session types

`memory` session stored in Memory

`file` session stored in file system

`db` session stored in database

`redis` session stored in redis

db Session

You need create a table in your database except MongoDB, if you want to use db session. You can use the following SQL statement to create:

SQL

```
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS `think_session`;
CREATE TABLE `think_session` (
  `id` int(11) unsigned NOT NULL AUTO_INCREMENT,
  `cookie` varchar(255) NOT NULL DEFAULT '',
  `data` text,
  `expire` bigint(11) NOT NULL,
  PRIMARY KEY (`id`),
  UNIQUE KEY `cookie` (`cookie`),
  KEY `expire` (`expire`)
) ENGINE=InnoDB DEFAULT CHARSET=utf8;
```

The prefix `think_` is the same as the database settings.

redis Session

The redis session needs to configure redis, see [configuration](#) for more details.

How to configure session

Session configuration is as follows, you can edit it in the file `src/common/config/session.js` :

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: 'file',
  name: 'thinkjs', // cookie name
  secret: '', // if the session cookie needs encrypt.
  timeout: 24 * 3600, // session expire time, defaults to one day
  cookie: { // cookie options
    length: 32
  },
  adapter: {
    file: {
      path: think.getPath('common', 'runtime') + '/session'
    }
  }
};
```

Note : The framework supports adaptor configuration from the version `2.0.6` .

This [configuration](#) is about Cookie.

How to read/write session

Controller or Logic can read/write session like :

Read Session

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    //get session
    let value = yield this.session('userInfo');
  }
}
```

Set Session

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    //set session
    yield this.session('userInfo', data);
  }
}
```

Clear Session

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    //clear session of current user
    yield this.session();
  }
}
```

`http.session` method of http object can read and write Session. See also [API -> http](#) for more details.

How to extend session

You can create a Session Adapter by using the command:

```
`thinkjs adapter session/foo`
```

this command will create file `src/common/adapter/session/foo.js`, then you need impement these methods:

```
export default class extends think.adapter.session {  
  /**  
   * init  
   * @param {Object} options []  
   * @return {} []  
   */  
  init(options){  
  
  }  
  /**  
   * get Session  
   * @param {String} name []  
   * @return {Promise} []  
   */  
  get(name){  
  
  }  
  /**  
   * set Session  
   * @param {String} name []  
   * @param {Mixed} value []  
   */  
  set(name, value){  
  
  }  
  /**  
   * delete Session  
   * @param {String} name []  
   * @return {Promise} []  
   */  
  delete(name){  
  
  }  
  /**  
   * update Session  
   * @return {Promise} []  
   */  
  flush(){  
  
  }  
  /**  
   * clear expired Session  
   * @return {Promise} []  
   */  
  gc(){  
  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

To know the implement of Session in ThinkJS, please see also <https://github.com/75team/thinkjs/tree/master/src/adapter/session>.

3 How to use third party session Adapter

To know how to use third party session Adapter, please see also [Adapter -> intro](#)

WebSocket

WebSocket is usually used to implement various functions such as chatroom. ThinkJS supports a lot of WebSocket libraries, for instance, `socket.io`, `sockjs` etc. More over, in order to make these engines become interface conformance, ThinkJS decorates them simply.

Open WebSocket

WebSocket is closed by default. You can edit `src/common/config/websocket.js` to open it like this:

```
export default {
  on: false, // whether open WebSocket
  type: 'socket.io', // the WebSocket library name, defaults to socket.io
  allow_origin: '', // origin allowed
  adapter: undefined, // store adapter for socket, used in socket.io
  path: '', // url path for websocket
  messages: {
    // open: 'home/websocket/open',
  }
};
```

JavaScript

change the `on` field to `true`, and restart Node.js.

Event reflect to Action

WebSocket ThinkJS obey to the `socket.io` mechanism. The server and client communicate each other through events. So the server need make a reflection from event to action in order to response correctly. The configuration is specified in `messages` field as following:

```
export default {
  messages: {
    open: 'home/socketio/open', // works on Websocket connected.
    close: 'home/socketio/close', // works on Websocket closed.
    adduser: 'home/socketio/adduser', // works when adduser.
  }
}
```

JavaScript

The event name `open`, `close` are immutable, representing a connection or disconnection. Others can be custom, you can add according to your need.

Work In Action

Then, you can work in action like following code after finished above configuration.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  /**
   * works on Websocket connected
   * @param {} self []
   * @return {} []
   */
  openAction(self){
    var socket = self.http.socket;
    this.broadcast('new message', {
      username: socket.username,
      message: self.http.data
    });
  }
}
```

JavaScript

emit

You can emit event to the current socket in Action through `this.emit`, like:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  /**
   * works on Websocket connected
   * @param {} self []
   * @return {} []
   */
  openAction(self){
    var socket = self.http.socket;
    this.emit('new message', 'connected');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

broadcast

You can broadcast event to all sockets in Action through method `this.broadcast`, like:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  chatAction(self){
    var socket = self.http.socket;
    // broadcast to all sockets excepting the current.
    this.broadcast('new message', {msg: 'message', username: 'xxx'});
  }
}
```

Note : the broadcast method broadcast to all sockets except current. You can set the third parameter to `true` to include current one.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  chatAction(self){
    var socket = self.http.socket;
    // broadcast to all sockets including the current.
    this.broadcast('new message', {msg: 'message', username: 'xxx'}, true);
  }
}
```

Socket Object

You can get socket object in Action through `this.http.socket` .

Event Data

You can get the event data in Action through `this.http.data` .

socket.io

The `socket.io` library encapsulates socket both front end and back end, is very convenient to use.

io Object

You can get the `io` object in Action through `this.http.io` .It is an instance of `socket.io`

To know methods in io object, please see also [http://socket.io/docs/server-api/#server\(\)](http://socket.io/docs/server-api/#server()) .

Set Path

The socket.io process path is `/socket.io` by default. You can edit the folloing configuration if you need change.

JavaScript

```
export default {
  path: '/other_path'
}
```

Note : After the server has modified the path, the client also should make the corresponding modification

Set Adapter

When using multi node to deploy WebSocket, multiple nodes can communicate with Redis. You can set up adapter to achieve.

JavaScript

```
import redis from 'socket.io-redis';

export default {
  adapter: function(){
    return redis({ host: 'localhost', port: 6379 });
  }
}
```

See also <http://socket.io/docs/using-multiple-nodes/> for more detail.

socket.io client

In Browser end, you should introduce socket.io client. The download path is: <http://socket.io/download/>.

JavaScript

```
var socket = io('http://localhost:8360');
// emit event
socket.emit('name', 'data');
// listen event
socket.on('name', function(data){

})
```

This CDN url is available: <http://s4.qhimg.com/static/535dde855bc726e2/socket.io-1.2.0.js>.

Check User Login

Websocket get cookie when connected. So, you can check if the user is logged in the `open` Action. For example:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * openAction(){
    let userInfo = yield this.session('userInfo');
    if(think.isEmpty(userInfo)){

    }
  }
}
```

Code Sample: Chat

See also <https://github.com/75team/thinkjs2-demos/tree/master/websocket-socket.io> for more detailed chat code.

SockJS

Configure

You should edit the `type` field in the configuration to `sockjs`, like:

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: 'sockjs'
}
```

Sockjs Object

You can get sockjs object through `this.http.sockjs` in Action. The object is an instance of SocketJS.

Set path

The SocketJS process path is `/sockjs` by default. You can edit the folloing configuration if you need change.

JavaScript

```
export default {
  path: '/websocket'
}
```

SockJS client

In Browser end, you should introduce SockJS client. The download path is: <https://github.com/sockjs/sockjs-client>.

SockJS client does not do too much encapsulation, so you need encapsulate it by yourself, change it to the event way, in order to follow the server side. The encapsulate method is as follows:

JavaScript

```

SockJS.prototype.emit = function(event, data){
  this.send(JSON.stringify({event: event, data: data}));
}
SockJS.prototype.events = {};
SockJS.prototype.on = function(event, callback){
  if(!(event in this.events)){
    this.events[event] = [];
  }
  this.events[event].push(callback);
}
SockJS.prototype.onmessage = function(e) {
  var data = JSON.parse(e.data);
  var callbacks = this.events[data.event] || [];
  callbacks.forEach(function(callback){
    callback && callback(data.data);
  })
};
SockJS.prototype.onopen = function() {
  this.onmessage(JSON.stringify({data: {event: 'open'}}));
};
SockJS.prototype.onclose = function() {
  this.onmessage(JSON.stringify({data: {event: 'close'}}));
};

```

After do above, we can receive and emit message, for example:

JavaScript

```

var socket = new SockJS('/sockjs'); // this path must be same with configuration.Defaults to /sockjs
// listen event
socket.on('add user', function(data){

});
// emit event
socket.emit('new message', 'xxx');

```

Check User Login

For the safety reason, the SockJS doesn't supply cookie. So you can't check if the user is logged through cookie. You can output a token in your page, then send the token when connected to check. See also <https://github.com/sockjs/sockjs-node#authorisation> for more details.

Code Sample: Chat

See also <https://github.com/75team/thinkjs2-demos/tree/master/websocket-sockjs> for more detailed chat code

Nginx Reverse Proxy Setting

From the **1.3.13** version, Nginx supports reverse proxy WebSocket request, if used in the project, you need to add the following configuration in the nginx configuration file:

nginx

```

proxy_set_header Upgrade $http_upgrade;
proxy_set_header Connection "upgrade";

```

Note : when using **thinkjs** command to create project, ThinkJS creates nginx configuration file , including these two configuration fields. You can use it directly.

Please visit <http://nginx.org/en/docs/http/websocket.html> to read the reverse proxy WebSocket request document.

Template

Adapter Template used to support a variety of types of template engines, such as: **ejs** , **swig** , etc.

Supported Template Engines

- base**
- ejs** ejs template engine
- jade** jade template engine
- swig** a template engine supports template inheritance
- nunjucks** a powerful template engine like jinja2

Template Engine Configuration

To configure template engine, you can edit **src/common/config/view.js** . Content may like following:

JavaScript

```
export default {
  type: 'ejs',
  options: { // Additional configuration of the specific template engine

  }
};
```

Use Template Engines

The template engine can be loaded automatically, no need to load it manually. You can load your template using following code, when you want to load it by yourself indeed:

JavaScript

```
let EjsTemplate = think.adapter('template', 'ejs');
let instance = new EjsTemplate(...args);
```

Extend template engine type

You can create an Template class named `foo` using the following command:

JavaScript

```
thinkjs adapter template/foo
```

The command creates file `src/common/adapter/template/foo.js`. Then, you should implement the following methods:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.adapter.template {
  /**
   * get compiled content
   * @params {String} templateFile the template files directory
   * @params {Object} tVar variables in template
   * @params {Object} config the configuration of template engine
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  run(templateFile, tVar, config){

  }
}
```

To know the implement of Template in ThinkJS, please see also <https://github.com/75team/thinkjs/tree/master/src/adapter/template>.

Use Third Part Template Adapter

To know how to use third part template adaptor, please see also [Adapter -> intro](#).

More fetures

Thinkjs Command

After installing thinkjs module globally, there should be the thinkjs command in your system. Run the command `thinkjs -h` in your terminal to get more detailed introduction.

Usage: thinkjs [command] <options ...>

Commands:

new <projectPath>	create project
module <moduleName>	add module
controller <controllerName>	add controller
service <serviceName>	add service
model <modelName>	add model
middleware <middlewareName>	add middleware
adapter <adapterName>	add adapter

Options:

-h, --help	output usage information
-V, --version	output the version number
-e, --es6	use es6 for project, used in `new` command
-r, --rest	create rest controller, used in `controller` command
-M, --mongo	create mongo model, used in `model` command
-R, --relation	create relation model, used in `model` command
-m, --mode <mode>	project mode type(mini, normal, module), default is module, used in `new` command

Create Project

You can create a project by the command `thinkjs new <projectPath>` . eg.

```
thinkjs new thinkjs_demo;
```

Bash

ES6 Mode

If you want to create an ES6 mode project, `--es6` option is required. Thus, codes in the generated files are all ES6 syntax. eg.

```
thinkjs new thinkjs_demo --es6
```

Bash

Set Project Mode

The default created project is divided by modules. If the project is small and you don't want to have it divided by modules, you can specify `--mode` option when creating project. eg.

```
thinkjs new thinkjs_demo --mode=mini
```

Bash

The following is the supported module list:

- `mini` single-module project, for a very simple project.
- `normal` general project, which modules are divided according to the function.
- `module` divided by modules, for large projects or the project strictly divided by modules.

Note : After the project created, a hidden file named `.thinkjsrc` will be created in the project directory, which identifies some configuration of the current project. And this hidden file will affect subsequent creating files, so you need to put it into the version repository.

Add Module

The module `common` and `home` will be automatically created when creating project. If you need to create other module, you can execute the command `thinkjs module [name]` in the project directory. eg.

```
thinkjs module admin
```

Bash

After execution, there will create the directory `src/admin` and the corresponding files in it.

Add Middleware

You can add middleware by the command `thinkjs middleware [name]` in the project directory. eg.

```
thinkjs middleware test;
```

Bash

After execution, there will create the file `src/common/middleware/test.js` .

Add Model

You can add model by the command `thinkjs model [name]` in the project directory. eg.

```
thinkjs model user;
```

Bash

After execution, there will create the file `src/common/model/user.js` .

This file is in the `common` module by default. If you want to create it in other module, just specify the module. eg.

```
thinkjs model home/user;
```

Bash

Thus, it will create the file `src/home/model/user.js` , which is in the `home` module.

Add Mongo Model

By default, the added model is relational database model. If you want to create Mongo Model, specify `--mongo` option. eg.

```
thinkjs model home/user --mongo
```

Bash

Add Relation Model

Specify `--relation` option to create Relation Model. eg.

```
thinkjs model home/user --relation
```

Bash

Add Controller

You can add controller by the command `thinkjs controller [name]` in the project directory. eg.

```
thinkjs controller user;
```

Bash

After execution, there will create the file `src/common/controller/user.js` , and the file `src/common/logic/user.js` will be also created at the same.

These created files are in the `common` module by default. If you want to create them in other module, specify the module. eg.

```
thinkjs controller home/user;
```

Bash

Thus, it will create the file `src/home/controller/user.js` , which is in the `home` module.

Add Rest Controller

If you want to provide Rest API, specify `--rest` option. eg.

```
thinkjs controller home/user --rest;
```

Bash

Add service

You can add service by the command `thinkjs service [name]` in the project directory. eg.

```
thinkjs service github; #create the service that calls github interface
```

Bash

After execution, there will create the file `src/common/service/github.js` .

This created file is in the `common` module by default. If you want to create it in other module, specify the module. eg.

```
thinkjs service home/github;
```

Bash

Thus, it will create the file `src/home/service/github.js` , which is in the `home` module.

Add adapter

You can add adapter by the command `thinkjs adapter [type]/[name]` in the project directory. eg.

```
thinkjs adapter template/dot
```

Bash

After execution, there will create the file `src/common/adapter/template/dot.js`, which means a template type adapter named dot.

Add Plugin

Two kinds of plugins ThinkJS supported are middleware and adapter. You can initialize a plugin by the command `thinkjs plugin <pluginName>`, and then to develop.

```
thinkjs plugin think-template-dot
```

Bash

Suggested that the name of plugin could start with `think-`, so that it's convenient to search for other users after the plugin release to npm repository.

Static Resource Access

We generally need to reference static resources in a template when developing project.

When using the command `thinkjs` to create a project, it will automatically create the directory `www/static`, where specially stores JS, CSS, images and other static resources.

Access Static Resource

After putting the static resources in the directory `www/static`, you can reference them in a template by the following approaches.

Reference JS file in template

```
<script src="/static/js/foo.js"></script>
```

Markup

Reference CSS file in template

```
<link href="/static/css/foo.css" rel="stylesheet" />
```

Markup

Reference Image file in template

```

```

Markup

Static Resource Access Configuration

Judging whether the request is a static resource request, we use regular expression. The default configuration is as follows.

```
export default {
  resource_on: true, //enable static resource resolution function
  resource_reg: /^(static\/|[\^\/]+\.(?!js|html)\w+)$/ , //regular for judging static resource request
}
```

JavaScript

You can modify the configuration file `src/common/config/config.js` according to your project requirements.

Close Online Static Resource Access

After the project online, it generally uses nginx or other WEB server as a agent. At this time, you can let nginx to directly handle the static resource request. Thus, you could close the static resource resconfiguration access to improve performance.

Set the option `resource_on` in the configuration file `src/common/config/env/production.js` to close it. eg.

```
export default {
  resource_on: false
}
```

JavaScript

Middleware

When handling user requests, it needs to take a lot of processes, such as parsing params, determining whether a static resource access, route parse, page staticize judgment, executing operation, searching template, rendering template and so on. The project may also increase some other processes according to the requirements, like determining whether the IP in the blacklist, CSRF detection and so on.

ThinkJS uses middleware to handle these logics, each logic is an independent middleware. Many hooks are buried in the request process, each hook executes a series of

middleware serially. And finally, one request logic process is completed.

Hook List

The framework contains the following hooks.

- `request_begin` request start
- `payload_parse` parse the data submitted
- `payload_validate` verify the data submitted
- `resource` static resource request process
- `route_parse` route parse
- `logic_before` before logic process
- `logic_after` after logic process
- `controller_before` before controller process
- `controller_after` after controller process
- `view_before` before view process
- `view_template` view process
- `view_parse` view parse
- `view_filter` view content filter
- `view_after` after view process
- `response_end` response end

Each hook calls one or more middleware to complete processing. The included middlewares are the following.

```
export default {
  request_begin: [],
  payload_parse: ['parse_form_payload', 'parse_single_file_payload', 'parse_json_payload', 'parse_querystring_payload'],
  payload_validate: ['validate_payload'],
  resource: ['check_resource', 'output_resource'],
  route_parse: ['rewrite_pathname', 'subdomain_deploy', 'route'],
  logic_before: ['check_csrf'],
  logic_after: [],
  controller_before: [],
  controller_after: [],
  view_before: [],
  view_template: ['locate_template'],
  view_parse: ['parse_template'],
  view_filter: [],
  view_after: [],
  response_end: []
};
```

JavaScript

Config Hook

The middlewares executed default by hook usually can not meet the needs of the project. By this time, you can modify the middleware executed responsingly by hook. The config file of hook is `src/common/config/hook.js`.

```
export default {
  payload_parse: ['parse_xml'], // parse xml
}
```

JavaScript

The above config will override the default config. If you want to add them in the original config, you can use the following ways.

Append in Front

```
export default {
  payload_parse: ['prepend', 'parse_xml'], //append parse xml in front
}
```

JavaScript

Append in End

```
export default {
  payload_parse: ['append', 'parse_xml'], //append parse xml in end
}
```

JavaScript

Note : It is recommended to use the way of append to config middleware, the name of system middleware may be modified in subsequent versions.

Execute Hook

Use the method `think.hook` to execute the corresponding hook. eg.

```
await think.hook('payload_parse', http, data); //return a Promise
```

JavaScript

Use `this.hook` to execute hook directly in the class containing `http` object. eg.

```
await this.hook('payload_parse', data);
```

JavaScript

Create Middleware

ThinkJS supports two modes of middleware, they are class mode and function mode. You can determine which mode to use depending on the complexity of middleware.

Class Mode

If middleware needs to execute complex logic, you need to define it as class mode. Use the command `thinkjs` to create middleware, execute the following command in the project directory.

```
thinkjs middleware xxx
```

Bash

After execution, you will see the corresponding file `src/common/middleware/xxx.js`.

ES6 Mode

```
'use strict';
/**
 * middleware
 */
export default class extends think.middleware.base {
  /**
   * run
   * @return {} []
   */
  run(){

  }
}
```

JavaScript

Dynamic Creation Class Mode

```
'use strict';

/**
 * middleware
 */
module.exports = think.middleware({
  /**
   * run
   * @return {} []
   */
  run: function(){

  }
})
```

JavaScript

Middleware will pass `http` into it, you can use `this.http` to get. The logic codes are executed in the method `run`. If they contain asynchronous operation, you need to return a `Promise` or use `*/yield`.

Function Mode

If middleware needs to execute easy logic, you could define it as function mode. This middleware is not recommended to be created as a separate file, but to put together instead.

You could create the file `src/common/bootstrap/middleware.js`, which will be loaded automatically when service starts. And you can add one or more function mode middleware in this file. eg.

JavaScript

```
think.middleware('parse_xml', http => {
  if (!http.payload) {
    return;
  }
  ...
});
```

Function mode middleware will pass `http` object as a param. If the middleware has asynchronous operation, it need to return a `Promise` or use Generator Function.

The following is the implementation of parsing json payload in framework.

JavaScript

```
think.middleware('parse_json_payload', http => {
  let types = http.config('post.json_content_type');
  if (types.indexOf(http.type()) === -1) {
    return;
  }
  return http.getPayload().then(payload => {
    try{
      http._post = JSON.parse(payload);
    }catch(e){}
  });
});
```

Set Value after Parsed

Some middleware may parse the corresponding datas, and want to reassign `http` object. Such as parse the xml data passed, but hope to use the method `http.get` to get later.

- `http._get` store the value of GET params, `http.get(xxx)` to get data from this object
- `http._post` store the value of POST params, `http.post(xxx)` to get data from this object
- `http._file` store the value of uploaded file, `http.file(xxx)` to get data from this object

JavaScript

```
think.middleware('parse_xml', http => {
  if (!http.payload) {
    return;
  }
  return parseXML(http.payload).then(data => {
    http._post = data; //assign the parsed data to http._post, use http.post to get value later
  });
});
```

See [API->http](#) for more information about `http`.

Prevent the Subsequent Execution

When executing the certain conditions, some middleware may want to prevent the subsequent logic to execute. such as IP blacklist judgement, if hit the blacklist, then directly refuse the current request and no longer execute the subsequent logic.

ThinkJS provides the method `think.prevent` for preventing to execute the subsequent logic. This method returns a specific type of Reject Promise.

JavaScript

```
think.middleware('parse_xml', http => {
  if (!http.payload) {
    return;
  }
  var ip = http.ip();
  var blackIPs = ['123.456.789.100', ...];
  if(blackIPs.indexOf(ip) > -1){
    http.end();// directly end the current request
    return think.prevent(); // prevent the subsequent codes to execute
  }
});
```

In order to prevent the subsequent logic to execute, beside using the method `think.prevent`, you can also use `think.defer().promise` to return a Pending Promise.

If you don't want to end the current request directly, but return an error page instead, ThinkJS provides the method `think.statusAction`. See [Extend Function -> Error Handle](#) for detailed usage.

Use Third-party Middleware

In the project, you can use third-party middleware by the method `think.middleware`. The corresponding code is in `src/common/bootstrap/middleware.js`. eg.

```
var parseXML = require('think-parsexml');

think.middleware('parseXML', parseXML);
```

Then just put `parseXML` config into hook.

It is recommended to release the common middlewares of project to npm repository. And the name of middleware is suggested to use `think-xxx`.

Third-party Middleware List

See [plugin -> middleware](#) for the third-party middleware list.

Service

Sometimes, project needs to call some third-party services like Github related interface. If codes in the controller directly call these interfaces, on the one hand it will lead to code complexity, on the other hand it could not do more code reuse.

For these cases, you can encapsulate service for controller to call.

Create Service

Use the command `thinkjs service [name]` to create service. See [Extend functions -> ThinkJS Command -> Add Service](#) for more detailed usage.

The default generated service is a class. But some services only need to provide some static methods, at that time you could just change class to object.

Load Service

Use the command `think.service` to load service. eg.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let GithubService = think.service('github');
    let instance = new GithubService();
  }
}
```

If you want to load service across-module, use the following approaches.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let GithubService = think.service('github', 'admin'); //load github service in admin
    let instance = new GithubService();
  }
}
```

Note : If the project is not very complex, it's suggested that put service in the module `common`. Thus, they are both convenient to load.

Cookie

Get Cookie

In controller or logic, you can get cookie by the method `this.cookie`. eg.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let cookie = this.cookie('theme'); //get the cookie 'theme'
  }
}
```

Http object also provides the method `cookie` to get cookie. eg.

```
let cookie = http.cookie('theme');
```

Cookie Config

The cookie default config is as follows.

JavaScript

```
export default {
  domain: '',
  path: '/',
  httponly: false, //whether http only
  secure: false,
  timeout: 0 //valid time, 0-browser process, unit is second
};
```

The default cookie is invalid along with the closing of browser process, and you can modify it in the config file `src/common/config/cookie.js` . eg.

JavaScript

```
export default {
  timeout: 7 * 24 * 3600 //set cookie valid time to 7 days
};
```

Set Cookie

In controller or logic, you can set cookie by the method `this.cookie` . eg.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.cookie('theme', 'default'); //set cookie theme to default
  }
}
```

Http object also provides the method `cookie` to set cookie. eg.

JavaScript

```
http.cookie('theme', 'default');
```

If you want to change some params when setting cookie, you can use these three params like the followings.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.cookie('theme', 'default', {
      timeout: 7 * 24 * 3600 //set cookie valid time to 7 days
    });
  }
}
```

Error Handle

The system will encounter all kinds of errors when handling user requests. Such as: system internal error, url not exist, permission denied, service unavailable and so on. In these cases, it needs to show the corresponding error page for users.

Error Page

When using the command `thinkjs` to create project, it will automatically add the error handle logic file and the corresponding error page.

The error logic file is located in `src/common/controller/error.js` , and its content is roughly as follows.

```

'use strict';
/**
 * error controller
 */
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  /**
   * display error page
   * @param {Number} status []
   * @return {Promise}      []
   */
  displayErrorPage(status){
    let module = 'common';
    if(think.mode !== think.mode_module){
      module = this.config('default_module');
    }
    let file = `${module}/error/${status}.html`;
    let options = this.config('tpl');
    options = think.extend({}, options, {type: 'ejs'});
    return this.display(file, options);
  }
  /**
   * Bad Request
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  _400Action(){
    return this.displayErrorPage(400);
  }
  /**
   * Forbidden
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  _403Action(){
    return this.displayErrorPage(403);
  }
  /**
   * Not Found
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  _404Action(){
    return this.displayErrorPage(404);
  }
  /**
   * Internal Server Error
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  _500Action(){
    return this.displayErrorPage(500);
  }
  /**
   * Service Unavailable
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  _503Action(){
    return this.displayErrorPage(503);
  }
}

```

The path of the corresponding error template page is `view/common/error_{Number}.html` .

Error Type

System default supported error types are `400` , `403` , `404` , `500` and `503` .

400

Error request, like maliciously construct some illegal data access, url accessed is illegal and so on.

403

The current access has no permission.

404

The requested url is not found.

500

System internal happened error, which leads to the current request is unavailable.

503

Service is unavailable until it is recovered.

Extend Error Type

You can extend error type in your project depending on the practical requirement. such as adding the specific `600` error, and you can do as the following steps.

1. add `_600Action`

Add the following codes into `src/common/controller/error.js` file in the appropriate place.

```
_600Action(){  
  return this.displayErrorPage(600);  
}
```

JavaScript

2. Add Error Page

Add the file `view/common/error_600.html`, and write the corresponding error information into it.

3. Show Error Page

After added the error, you need to call it correspondingly in order to show it for users. It can be achieved by `think.statusAction` method. eg.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    if(someError){  
      return think.statusAction(600, this.http); //show 600 error, need to pass http object  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

Modify Error Page Style

In order to modify the error page style, you just need to modify the corresponding template file. Eg. edit the template file `view/common/error_404.html` to modify `404` error page style.

Error Message

EPERM

Operation not permitted

An attempt was made to perform an operation that requires appropriate privileges.

ENOENT

No such file or directory

Commonly raised by fs operations; a component of the specified pathname does not exist – no entity (file or directory) could be found by the given path.

EACCES

Permission denied

An attempt was made to access a file in a way forbidden by its file access permissions.

EEXIST

File exists

An existing file was the target of an operation that required that the target not exist.

ENOTDIR

Not a directory

A component of the given pathname existed, but was not a directory as expected. Commonly raised by `fs.readdir`.

EISDIR

Is a directory #####

An operation expected a file, but the given pathname was a directory.

EMFILE

Too many open files in system #####

Maximum number of file descriptors allowable on the system has been reached, and requests for another descriptor cannot be fulfilled until at least one has been closed.

Commonly encountered when opening many files at once in parallel, especially on systems (in particular, OS X) where there is a low file descriptor limit for processes. To remedy a low limit, run `ulimit -n 2048` in the same sh that will run the Node.js process.

EPIPE

Broken pipe

A write on a pipe, socket, or FIFO for which there is no process to read the data. Commonly encountered at the net and http layers, indicative that the remote side of the stream being written to has been closed.

EADDRINUSE

Address already in use

An attempt to bind a server (net, http, or https) to a local address failed due to another server on the local system already occupying that address.

ECONNRESET

Connection reset by peer #####

A connection was forcibly closed by a peer. This normally results from a loss of the connection on the remote socket due to a timeout or reboot. Commonly encountered via the http and net modules.

ECONNREFUSED

Connection refused #####

No connection could be made because the target machine actively refused it. This usually results from trying to connect to a service that is inactive on the foreign host.

ENOTEMPTY

Directory not empty

A directory with entries was the target of an operation that requires an empty directory – usually `fs.unlink`.

ETIMEDOUT

Operation timed out

A connect or send request failed because the connected party did not properly respond after a period of time. Usually encountered by http or net – often a sign that a connected socket was not `.end()`d appropriately.

Data Validation

When handling user requests in Action, you often need to get the submitted datas firstly, and then validate them. Only passing the data validation can do the subsequent operation. After the param validation, sometimes, you also need to judge permission. After all of these are correct, it is time to do the real logic process. If these codes are all placed in one Action, it will must make the codes of Action very complex and redundant.

In order to solve this problem, ThinkJS add a layer of `Logic` before Controller. The Action in Logic and the Action in Controller are one-to-one correspondence. System will call the Action in Logic automatically before calling the Action in Controller.

Logic Layer

The directory of Logic is `src/[module]/logic` . When using command `thinkjs controller [name]` to create Controller, there will automatically create the corresponding Logic. The codes of the Logic are roughly like the followings.

```
'use strict';
/**
 * logic
 * @param {} []
 * @return {} []
 */
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  /**
   * index action logic
   * @return {} []
   */
  indexAction(){

  }
}
```

JavaScript

The Action in Logic and the Action in Controller are one-to-one correspondence. The Action in Logic also supports `__before` and `__after` and other magic methods.

Data Validation Config

The config of data validation is as follows.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      doc: "string|default:index",
      version: "string|in:1.2,2.0|default:2.0"
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Config Format

The config format is `field name -> config` , each field config supports multiple validation types. The multiple validation types are separated by `|` , the validation type and param are separated by `:` , param and param are separated by `,` .

Param Format

Params could follow the end of validation type. Besides supporting the simply params separated by comma, it also supports the complex param in JSON format. eg.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      field1: "array|default:[1,2]", // param is array
      field2: 'object|default:{\'name\':"thinkjs\'}' //param is object
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Supported Data Type

The supported data types include `boolean` , `string` , `int` , `float` , `array` , `object` . And the default type is `string` .

Default Value

Use `default:value` to define the default value of field. If the value of current field is empty, it will be overridden by the default one. What you get subsequently will be the default value.

The Way to Get Data

By default, get the field value according to the current request type. If the type of current request is GET, use `this.get('version')` to get the value of `version` field. If the type of current request is POST, use `this.post` to get the field value.

But sometimes in the POST type, you may want to get the params from uploaded file or URL. By this time, you need to specify the way to get data. The supported ways to get data are `get` , `post` and `file` .

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  /**
   * save data, POST request
   * @return {} []
   */
  saveAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: "required",
      image: "object|file|required",
      version: "string|get|in:1.2,2.0|default:2.0"
    }
  }
}
```

The above demo specifies to use `post` method to get the value of the field `name`, use `file` method to get the value of the field `image`, use `get` method to get the value of the field `version`.

Error Message

The above config only specifies the certain validation rules but not the error message when validation failure. Error messages support internationalization, you need to define it in the config file `src/common/config/locale/[lang].js`. eg.

JavaScript

```
// src/common/config/locale/en.js
export default {
  validate_required: '{name} can not be blank',
  validate_contains: '{name} need contains {args}',
}
```

The key is `validate_` + `validation type name`. The value supports two params: `{name}` and `{args}`, which respectively indicate the field name and the passed param.

If you want to define the detailed message of a certain error type for a specific field, you could add a field name to the end. eg.

JavaScript

```
// src/common/config/locale/en.js
export default {
  validate_required: '{name} can not be blank',
  validate_required_email: 'email can not be blank', //specify the error message of required for email field
}
```

Data Validation Method

After configuring the validation rules, you can use the method `this.validate` to validate. eg.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      doc: "string|default:index",
      version: "string|in:1.2,2.0|default:2.0"
    }
    let flag = this.validate(rules);
    if(!flag){
      return this.fail('validate error', this.errors());
    }
  }
}
```

If the return value is `false`, you could use method `this.errors` to get the detailed error message. After getting the error message, you could use method `this.fail` to output it in JSON format, or use method `this.display` to output a page.

In template, you can get the error message by `errors` field. The following is the way to show error message (taking ejs template as an example).

Markup

```
<%for(var field in errors){%>
  <%=field%>:<%=errors[field]%>
<%}%>
```

Validate Automatically

In generally, there will output a JSON message after validation failure. If `this.validate` needs to be called manually everytime to validate in Action of Logic, it must be inconvenient. You can validate automatically by assigning validation rules to `this.rules`. eg.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.rules = {
      doc: "string|default:index",
      version: "string|in:1.2,2.0|default:2.0"
    }
  }
}
```

After assigning validation rules to `this.rules`, the validation will be automatically done after Action execution. If there are errors, it will directly output error messages in JSON format. Automatical validation uses the magic method `__after` to complete.

Supported Validation Type

required

Required item.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'required' //the value of name is required
    }
  }
}
```

requiredIf

When the value of the other certain item is one of the specified values, this item is required. eg.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'requiredIf:email,admin@example.com,admin1@example.com'
    }
  }
}
```

When the value of `email` is one of `admin@example.com` and `admin1@example.com`, the value of `name` is required.

requiredNotIf

When the value of the other certain item is not one of the specified values, this item is required. eg.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'requiredNotIf:email,admin@example.com,admin1@example.com'
    }
  }
}
```

When the value of `email` is not one of `admin@example.com` or `admin1@example.com`, the value of `name` is required.

requiredWith

When one of the values of some other certain items does exist, this item is required. eg.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'requiredWith:email,title'
    }
  }
}
```

When one of the values of `email` and `title` does exist, the value of `name` is required.

requiredWithAll

When all of the values of some other certain items do exist, this item is required. eg.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'requiredWithAll:email,title'
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

When all of the values of `email` and `title` do exist, the value of `name` is required.

requiredWithout

When one of the values of some other certain items does not exist, this item is required. eg.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'requiredWithout:email,title'
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

When one of the values of `email` and `title` does not exist, the value of `name` is required.

requiredWithoutAll

When all of the values of some other certain items do not exist, this item is required. eg.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'requiredWithoutAll:email,title'
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

When all of the values of `email` and `title` do not exist, the value of `name` is required.

contains

The value needs to contain the certain value.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'contains:thinkjs' //need to contain string 'thinkjs'.
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

equals

Be equal to the value of the other item.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'equals:firstname'
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

The value of `name` needs to be equal to the value of `firstname`.

different

Be different to the value of the other item.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      name: 'different:firstname'
    }
  }
}
```

The value of `name` can't to be equal to the value of `firstname`.

before

The value needs to be before a certain date. By default, it needs to be before the current date.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      start_time: 'before', //need to be before the current date
      start_time1: 'before:2015/10/12 10:10:10' //need to be before 2015/10/12 10:10:10
    }
  }
}
```

after

The value needs to be after a certain date. By default, it needs to be after the current date.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      end_time: 'after', //need to be after the current date
      end_time1: 'after:2015/10/10' //need to be after 2015/10/10
    }
  }
}
```

alpha

The value must only consist of [a-zA-Z].

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      en_name: 'alpha'
    }
  }
}
```

The value of `en_name` must only consist of [a-zA-Z].

alphaDash

The value must only consist of [a-zA-Z_].

alphaNumeric

The value must only consist of [a-zA-Z0-9].

alphaNumericDash

The value must only consist of [a-zA-Z0-9_].

ascii

The value must only consist of ascii.

base64

The value must only consist of base64.

byteLength

The length of bytes needs to be in a certain range.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    let rules = {  
      name: 'byteLength:10' // the length of bytes can not less than 10  
      name1: 'byteLength:10,100' //the length of bytes must be in the range of 10 to 100  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

creditcard

The value needs to be a credit card number.

currency

The value needs to be a currency.

date

The value needs to be a date.

decimal

The value needs to be a decimal.

divisibleBy

The value needs to be divisible by a number.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    let rules = {  
      count: 'divisibleBy:3' //could to be divisible by 3  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

email

The value needs to be email format.

fqdn

The value needs to be a qualified domain name.

float

The value needs to be a float.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    let rules = {  
      money: 'float' //need to be a float  
      money1: 'float:3.2' //need to be a float, and the minimum is 3.2  
      money2: 'float:3.2,10.5' //need to be a float, and the minimum is 3.2, the maximum is 10.5  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

fullWidth

The value needs contain full width char.

halfWidth

The value needs contain half width char.

hexColor

The value needs to be a hex color value.

hex

The value needs to be hex.

ip

The value needs to be ip format.

ip4

The value needs to be ip4 format.

ip6

The value needs to be ip6 format.

isbn

The value needs to be a book serial number.

isin

The value needs to be ISIN (International Securities Identification Numbers).

iso8601

The value needs to be iso8601 date format.

in

The value needs to be in some certain values.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      version: 'in:1.2,2.0' //need to be one of 1.2, 2.0
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

noin

The value needs to be not in some certain values.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      version: 'noin:1.2,2.0' //need to be not in 1.2, 2.0
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

int

The value needs to be int.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {
  indexAction(){
    let rules = {
      value: 'int' //int
      value1: 'int:1' //can not less than 1
      value2: 'int:10,100' //need to be in the range of 10 to 100
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

min

The value can not less than the certain value.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    let rules = {  
      value: 'min:10' //can not less than 10  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

max

The value can not great than the certain value.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    let rules = {  
      value: 'max:10' //can not great than 10  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

length

The length needs to be in the certain range.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    let rules = {  
      name: 'length:10' //the length can not less than 10  
      name1: 'length:10,100' //the length need to be in the range of 10 to 100  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

minLength

The length can not to be less than the min-length.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    let rules = {  
      name: 'minLength:10' //the length can not to be less than 10  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

maxLength

The length can not to be great than the max-length.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    let rules = {  
      name: 'maxLength:10' //the length can not to be great than 10  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

lowercase

The value needs to be all lowercase.

uppercase

The value needs to be all uppercase.

mobile

The value needs to be a mobile phone.

```
export default class extends think.logic.base {  
  indexAction(){  
    let rules = {  
      mobile: 'mobile:zh-CN' //must be a chinese mobile phone  
    }  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

mongoid

The value is the ObjectID of MongoDB.

multibyte

Include multibyte char.

url

The value is url.

order

Database query order, like name DESC.

field

Database query field, like name,title.

image

Whether the file uploaded is a pic

startsWith

The value starts with some certain chars.

endsWith

The value ends with some certain chars.

string

The value is string.

array

The value is array.

boolean

The value is boolean.

object

The value is object.

Extend Validation Type

If the default supported validation types can not meet the demand, you can use the method `think.validate` to extend the validation types. eg.

```
// src/common/bootstrap/validate.js  
think.validate('validate_name', (value, ...args) => {  
  //need to return true or false  
  //true-validate success, false-validate fail  
})
```

JavaScript

The above registers a validation type named `validate_name` , thus, you can directly use this validation type in Logic.

Param Parse

If you want to parse `args` , you can register a function. eg. the name of the above validation type is `validate_name` , then the corresponding name of parse param is `_validate_name` , that is `_` + `validation type` .

```
think.validate('_validate_name', (args, data) => {
  let arg0 = args[0];
  args[0] = data[arg0].value; //parse the first param field name to the corresponding param value
  return args;
})
```

JavaScript

Internationalization

Get Language

Use the method `http.lang` to get the language of current user from cookie or header. eg.

```
let lang = http.lang();
```

JavaScript

If you want to support getting the user selected language from cookie, you need to set the language name in the cookie. You can modify it in the config file

`src/common/config/locale.js` . eg.

```
export default {
  cookie_name: 'think_locale', // the cookie name to store language
  default: 'en' // default language
};
```

JavaScript

Use the method `this.lang` to get the corresponding language directly in Controller.

Parse the Language from URL

In some cases, the language is parsed from the URL. eg. the url of current page is `https://www.thinkjs.org/zh-CN/doc/2.0/i18n.html` , which contains the language `zh-CN` .

In this case, you need to use middleware to parse the language in your project. eg.

```
think.middleware('get_lang', http => {
  let supportLangs = think.config('locale.support');
  let lang = http.pathname.split('/')[0]; // get the language from URL

  if(supportLangs.indexOf(lang) > -1){
    http.pathname = http.pathname.substr(lang.length + 1);
  }else{
    lang = http.lang(); // get the language from cookie or header
    if(supportLangs.indexOf(lang) === -1){
      lang = http.config('locale.default'); //default supported language
    }
  }
  http.lang(lang, true); //set the language, and allow to add language directory into the template path
});
```

JavaScript

After parsing the language from URL, you could use method `http.lang` to set the language. And later, you can directly use `http.lang` to get the language in Controller.

After defining middleware `get_lang` , add it into the corresponding hook. eg.

```
export default {
  route_parse: ['prepend', 'get_lang'], //add get_lang prepend into route_parse hook
}
```

JavaScript

Language Variable Config

Support international projects need to config the different variable values in different languages. The config file is located in `src/common/config/locale/[lang].js` , format is as follows.

JavaScript

```
// src/common/config/locale/zh-CN.js
export default {
  'title-home': 'ThinkJS Official Website - A Node.js MVC Framework Support All Of ES6/7 Features',
  'title-changelog': 'Update logs - ThinkJS Official Website',
}
```

JavaScript

```
// src/common/config/locale/en.js
export default {
  'title-home': 'ThinkJS - A Node.js MVC Framework Support All Of ES6/7 Features',
  'title-changelog': 'Changelog - ThinkJS'
}
```

Get the Language Variable

After config the language variable, we can get the value of current language by `http.locale` method. eg.

JavaScript

```
let homeTitle = http.locale('title-home');
```

If in Controller, we can get it directly by `this.locale` method. eg.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let homeTitle = this.locale('title-home');
  }
}
```

Use the Language Variable in Template

In template, use the function `__` to get the value of corresponding language. The following is `ejs` template as an example.

Markup

```
<%- __('title-home') %>
```

Set the Template Language Path

In some projects, we need to customize different templates depending on the different language. By this time, it is appropriate that adding a layer of language directory to the template path. eg. `view/zh-CN/home/index_index.html`, adds a layer of language directory `zh-CN` to the path.

Use the method `http.lang` to set language and add a layer of language directory in the template path. eg.

JavaScript

```
http.lang(lang, true); // true indicates that you can add a layer of language directory in the template path
```

In Controller, use the method `this.lang` to set. eg.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let lang = getFromUrl();
    this.lang(lang, true);
    ...
  }
}
```

Path Const

System provides many consts for project, and you can use them to access corresponding files conveniently.

think.ROOT_PATH

The root of project.

think.RESOURCE_PATH

The root of static resources, path is `think.ROOT_PATH` + `/www/`.

think.APP_PATH

The directory of APP code, path is `think.ROOT_PATH` + `/app/` .

think.THINK_PATH

The root directory of ThinkJS framework.

think.THINKLIBPATH

ThinkJS framework `lib` directory.

think.getPath(module, type)

For the model,controller,view directory and so on, because each module has these directories, so we can't give a fixed path value. You can get path value of module by

`think.getPath` .

```
let path1 = think.getPath('common', 'model'); //get the directory of common module
let path2 = think.getPath('home', 'controller'); //get the directory of home module
```

JavaScript

User-defined Path Const

Besides the system properties and methods to get path, you can also define extra path const in project.

Define in Entrance File

The entrance file of project is `src/index.js` or `src/production.js` , you can define path const in it. eg.

```
var thinkjs = require('thinkjs');
var path = require('path');

var rootPath = path.dirname(__dirname);

var instance = new thinkjs({
  APP_PATH: rootPath + '/app',
  ROOT_PATH: rootPath,
  RESOURCE_PATH: __dirname,
  UPLOAD_PATH: __dirname + '/upload', // define the directory of file uploading
  env: 'development'
});

instance.run();
```

JavaScript

Define in Startup File

The files defined in `src/common/bootstrap` will be loaded automatically, so you can also define path const in this file. eg.

```
// src/common/bootstrap/common.js
think.UPLOAD_PATH = think.RESOURCE_PATH + '/upload'; // define the directory of file uploading
```

JavaScript

REST API

In project, we often need to provide an API for third party to call. A common API design specification is using REST API, which uses HTTP request type to identify resource operation.

- `GET` `/ticket` # get ticket list
- `GET` `/ticket/12` # view the specified ticket
- `POST` `/ticket` # new a ticket
- `PUT` `/ticket/12` # update ticket 12
- `DELETE` `/ticket/12` # delete ticket 12

ThinkJS provides a very convenient way to create REST API. After created, it can response REST API process without writing any code, and it can also response additional demand by customization.

Create REST API

Use `thinkjs controller [name] --rest` to create REST API. eg.

```
thinkjs controller home/ticket --rest
```

JavaScript

The above command means that a Rest Controller named `ticket` is created in `home` module. And this Controller is used to handle the request of resource `ticket`.

Process REST API Request

After Rest Controller created, you can complete REST API process without writing any code. Resource name and data table name is one-to-one. eg. resource name is `ticket`, then the data table name is `data table prefix` + `ticket`.

Request Type

REST API gets the current request type from HTTP METHOD by default. eg. the current request type is `DELETE`, which means to delete the resource.

If some clients do not support sending `DELETE` request, you can set the property `_method` to receive request type. eg.

```
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
  init(http){
    super.init(http);
    this._method = '_method'; //specify to get request type from _method in GET params
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Field Filter

By default, all fields of resource are all returned when accessing it. Sometimes we need to hide part of fields, and we can complete such operations in magic method `__before`.

```
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
  __before(){
    this.modelInstance.fieldReverse('password,score'); //hide password and score fields
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Authority Management

Some REST API requires authentication. Only after passing the validation can it obtain the corresponding information. The validation can be carried out in the magic method

`__before`.

```
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
  * __before(){
    let auth = yield this.checkAuth();
    if(!auth){
      return this.fail('no permissions'); // return directly when no permission
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

More Customization

See [API->controller.rest](#) for more customization ways.

Crontab

When running online, the project could often to be timed to execute a function. By this time, you need to use crontab to handle. ThinkJS supports command line calls, combined with the system crontab function it can well support crontab.

Command Line Execution

Besides supporting URL access, ThinkJS also supports command line. The usage is as follows.

```
node www/production.js home/index/index
```

Bash

The above command means to execute indexAction of `index` Controller in `home` module.

With Params

If you need to add some params, just put the corresponceing params in the end. like the following.

```
node www/production.js home/index/index?name=thinkjs
```

Bash

In Action, you can use method `this.get` to get param `name` .

Modify Request Method

In command line execution, the default request type is GET. If you want to modify it to other type, you can use the following way.

```
node www/production.js url=home/index/index&method=post
```

Bash

Thus, the request type is changed to post. But in this way, the value of params in url can not include & char (can use / to specify params, as above).

Besides modifying request type, you can also modify the following params.

- `host` modify the request host, default value is 127.0.0.1
- `ip` modify request ip, default value is 127.0.0.1

Modify Header

Sometimes, if you want to modify more headers, you can pass a complete json. eg.

```
node www/production.js {"url":"/index/index","ip":"127.0.0.1","method":"POST","headers":{"xxx":"yyyy"}}
```

Bash

Forbid URL Access

By default, you can access Action that is executed in command line by URL. If forbid URL to access to the Action, you can use `think.cli` to judge. eg.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // forbid URL access to the Action
    if(!think.cli){
      this.fail('only invoked in cli mode');
    }
    ...
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Executable Script

You can create a simple executable script to call command line to execute. eg.

```
cd project_path;
node www/production.js home/index/index;
```

Bash

Create the directory `crontab` in the project, and put the above executable script as a file in this directory.

Timed Execution

Using system crontab can do timed execution. Use command `crontab -e` to edit crontab. eg.

```
0 */1 * * * /bin/sh project_path/crontab/a.sh # execute once per 1 hour
```

Bash

Use node-crontab Module to Execute Crontab

Besides combining crontab with command line, you can also use `node-crontab` module to execute crontab. eg.

```
import crontab from 'node-crontab';
// execute once per 1 hour
let jobId = crontab.scheduleJob('0 */1 * * *', () => {
});
```

JavaScript

Put the above code file in directory `src/common/bootstrap`, thus it can be executed automatically when server startup.

Online Deploy

Use pm2 to Manage Service

pm2 is a module to professionally manage Node.js service, it is highly recommended to use it online. It needs to be installed globally. eg. `sudo npm install -g pm2`. After installation is complete, there will be pm2 commands in command line.

When creating project, the config file `pm2.json` will be created in the project directory. And its content is roughly as follows.

```
{
  "apps": [{
    "name": "demo",
    "script": "www/production.js",
    "cwd": "/Users/welefen/Develop/git/thinkjs/demo",
    "max_memory_restart": "1G",
    "autorestart": true,
    "node_args": [],
    "args": [],
    "env": {

    }
  }]
}
```

JavaScript

Modify the `cwd` config value into the practical project path, then use the following command to start/restart the service in the project directory.

```
pm2 startOrGracefulReload pm2.json
```

Bash

See <http://pm2.keymetrics.io/docs/usage/application-declaration/> for the detailed config of pm2.

Use Nginx as a Reverse Proxy

It will create a nginx config file named `nginx.conf` in the project directory when creating project, which content is roughly as follows.

```
server {
    listen 80;
    server_name localhost;
    root /Users/welefen/Develop/git/thinkjs/demo/www;
    set $node_port 8360;

    index index.js index.html index.htm;
    if ( -f $request_filename/index.html ){
        rewrite (.*) $1/index.html break;
    }
    if ( !-f $request_filename ){
        rewrite (.*) /index.js;
    }
    location = /index.js {
        proxy_http_version 1.1;
        proxy_set_header Connection "";
        proxy_set_header X-Real-IP $remote_addr;
        proxy_set_header X-Forwarded-For $proxy_add_x_forwarded_for;
        proxy_set_header Host $http_host;
        proxy_set_header X-NginX-Proxy true;
        proxy_set_header Upgrade $http_upgrade;
        proxy_set_header Connection "upgrade";
        proxy_pass http://127.0.0.1:$node_port$request_uri;
        proxy_redirect off;
    }
    location = /production.js {
        deny all;
    }

    location = /testing.js {
        deny all;
    }
    location ~ /static/ {
        etag on;
        expires max;
    }
}
```

nginx

Modify the localhost in `server_name localhost` into the corresponding domain name. Modify the 8360 in `set $node_port 8360` into as the same as the listening one in the project.

After the modification is complete, copy the config file to the config file directory of nginx, then reload the config by the command `nginx -s reload`. So you can access by the domain name.

It is recommended to open the config `proxy_on` online, so that you can forbid to access directly by IP + port. Modify the config file `src/common/config/env/production.js`, eg.

```
export default {  
  proxy_on: true  
}
```

JavaScript

The Config of Closing the Static Resource Process

In order to develop conveniently, ThinkJS supports to process the static resource request. But when code is deployed online, it uses nginx to process the static resource request. By this time, you can close the function of process static resource request to improve performance.

Add the following configuration in the config file `src/common/config/env/production.js`.

```
export default {  
  resource_on: false  
}
```

JavaScript

Use Cluster

Online enable cluster function to make the good use of advantage of multicore CPU to improve performance and concurrent processing capability.

Add the following configuration in the config file `src/common/config/env/production.js`.

```
export default {  
  cluster_on: true  
}
```

JavaScript

Recommend Modules

Network Request

- superagent
- request

Log

- log4js

Date Process

- moment

Code Transform

- iconv-lite

Image Process

- gm

Framework

- thinkjs
- express
- koa
- sails

Debug

- node-inspector

Unit Test

- mocha
- istanbul
- muk

Service Management

- pm2

Mail

- nodemailer

Timed Task

- node-crontab

API

think

`think` is a global object contains lots of useful methods and functions which can use without `require` in anywhere of your application.

Method

think.startTime

The start time of service, it's a unix timestamp.

think.env

The current environment of application, support three value below by default, you can set it when application start:

- `development` The development environment, application will automatically update itself with modified files.
- `testing` The testing environment.
- `production` The production environment, when application deploy online.

think.dirname

The name of project directory, you can set it when application start, the default value is:

```
think.dirname = {
  config: 'config', // The config file directory
  controller: 'controller', // Directory of controller
  model: 'model', // Directory of model
  adapter: 'adapter', // Directory of adapter
  logic: 'logic', // Directory of logic
  service: 'service', // Directory of service
  view: 'view', // Directory of view
  middleware: 'middleware', // Directory of middleware
  runtime: 'runtime', // Directory of runtime
  common: 'common', // Directory of common functions
  bootstrap: 'bootstrap', // the start directory of application
  locale: 'locale' // Directory of locale
}
```

JavaScript

think.port

The port of application runs, which can assign before application start, if assigned to some value, application will ignore the port value in the config file.

think.cli

Whether application is run under command mode, false by default. if it is command mode, this variable return command arguments. You can use this way to start command mode:

```
node www/index.js /home/index/test
```

think.lang

The current language of system, it read from the environment, which maybe empty in windows system.

think.mode

The current mode of application, framework support three mode in project:

- `think.mode_mini` single module mode, all of project is one module.
- `think.mode_normal` multiple modules mode, directory of project is separated to Controller, View, Logic and some other modules.
- `think.mode_module` multiple modules mode, but more stringent separate project with modules than normal mode.

think.version

The current version of ThinkJS.

think.module

The list of modules of project, if current mode is `mode_mini`, this variable return a empty array.

think.THINK_PATH

The path of ThinkJS code.

think.THINKLIBPATH

The path where `lib/` of ThinkJS is.

think.ROOT_PATH

The root path of project, which is defined in `www/index.js`

think.APP_PATH

The path of app directory, which is defined in `www/index.js`

think.RESOURCE_PATH

The path of static resource directory, which is defined in `www/index.js`

Function

think.Class(methods, clean)

This function will automatically create a class, which inherit from `think.base` by default. you can use `class` to create class in ES6 if project is using ES6.

```
// inherit from think.base
var Cls1 = think.Class({
  getName: function(){

  }
})
```

JavaScript

didnot inherit think.base

```
var Cls2 = think.Class({
  getName: function(){

  }
}, true);
```

JavaScript

Inherit from an other class

```
// inherit from Cls2
var Cls3 = think.Class(Cls2, {
  init: function(name){
    this.name = name;
  },
  getName: function(){

  }
})
```

JavaScript

Instance a class

```
// instance a class which will call `init` function automatically
var instance = new Cls3('thinkjs');
```

think.extend(target, source1, source2, ...)

- **target** {Object} directory object
- **source1** {Mixed} source object
- **return** {Object} directory object

It will copy methods or functions from source1, source2 and some other object to **target** object, it looks like **\$.extend** in **jQuery** .

Deep copy by default, you can assign the first arugment to **false** if you want shallow copy.

```
think.extend({}, {name: 'foo'}, {value: 'bar'});
// returns
{name: 'foo', value: 'bar'}
```

think.isBoolean(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is Boolean type or not.

```
think.isBoolean(true); //true
think.isBoolean(false); //true
think.isBoolean('string'); //false
```

think.isNumber(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is Number type or not.

```
think.isNumber(1); //true
think.isNumber(1.21); //true
```

think.isObject(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is object type or not.

```
think.isObject({}); //true
think.isObject({name: "welefen"}); //true
think.isObject(new Buffer('welefen')); //false
```

think.isString(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is string type or not.

```
think.isString("xxx"); // true
think.isString(new String("xxx")); //true
```

think.isFunction(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is function type or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isFunction(function({})); //true
think.isFunction(new Function("")); //true
```

think.isDate(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is date type or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isDate(new Date()); //true
```

think.isRegExp(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is regular expression or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isRegExp(/\w+/); //true
think.isRegExp(new RegExp("/\\w+/")); //true
```

think.isError(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check whether this object is error type or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isError(new Error("xxx")); //true
```

think.isEmpty(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is empty or not.

JavaScript

```
// check is empty or not
think.isEmpty({}); //true
think.isEmpty([]); //true
think.isEmpty(""); //true
think.isEmpty(0); //true
think.isEmpty(null); //true
think.isEmpty(undefined); //true
think.isEmpty(false); //true
```

think.isArray(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is array or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isArray([]); //true
think.isArray([1, 2]); //true
think.isArray(new Array(10)); //true
```

think.isIP4(obj)

- **obj** {Mixed} object which need to check
- **return** {Boolean}

Check this object is IP4 or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isIP4("10.0.0.1"); //true
think.isIP4("192.168.1.1"); //true
```

think.isIP6(obj)

- `obj` {Mixed} object which need to check
- `return` {Boolean}

Check this object is IP6 or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isIP6("2031:0000:130f:0000:0000:09c0:876a:130b"); //true
think.isIP6("2031:0000:130f::09c0:876a:130b"); //true
```

think.isIP(obj)

- `obj` {Mixed} object which need to check
- `return` {Boolean}

Check this object is IP or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isIP("10.0.0.1"); //true
think.isIP("192.168.1.1"); //true
think.isIP("2031:0000:130f:0000:0000:09c0:876a:130b"); //true ip6
```

think.isFile(file)

- `file` {Mixed} object which need to check
- `return` {Boolean}

Check this object is IP or not, if file didn't exist, return false.

JavaScript

```
think.isFile("/home/welefen/a.txt"); //true
think.isFile("/home/welefen/dirname"); //false
```

think.isDir(dir)

- `dir` {Mixed} the path to check
- `return` {Boolean}

Check this path is directory or not. if not, return false.

JavaScript

```
think.isDir("/home/welefen/dirname"); //true
```

think.isBuffer(obj)

- `obj` {Mixed} object which need to check
- `return` {Boolean}

Check this object is buffer object or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isBuffer(new Buffer(20)); //true
```

think.isNumberString(obj)

- `obj` {Mixed} object which need to check
- `return` {Boolean}

Check this object is string type of number or not.

JavaScript

```
think.isNumberString(1); //true
think.isNumberString("1"); //true
think.isNumberString("1.23"); //true
```

think.isPromise(obj)

- `obj` {Mixed} object which need to check

- `return` {Boolean}

Check this object is promise object or not.

```
think.isPromise(new Promise(function({})); //true
think.isPromise(getPromise()); //true
```

JavaScript

think.isHttp(obj)

- `obj` {Mixed} object which need to check
- `return` {Boolean}

Check this object is http object or not.

```
think.isHttp(http); // true
```

JavaScript

think.isWritable(path)

- `path` {String} the path of directory or file
- `return` {Boolean}

Check this file or directory can write or not. if not, return false.

think.isPrevent(obj)

- `obj` {Mixed} object which need to check
- `return` {Boolean}

Check this object is prevent type of promise or not, through `think.prevent()` will generate this type of promise.

think.mkdir(p, mode)

- `p` {String} the name of directory
- `mode` {Number} the permission of directory , 0777 by default.

Function will create directory recursively, if directory is exist. this function will modify the permission of the directory.

```
// if /home/welefen/a/b/ didn't exist
think.mkdir("/home/welefen/a/b");
think.mkdir("home/welefe/a/b/c/d/e"); // create directory recursively
```

JavaScript

think.rmdir(p, reserve)

- `p` {String} the path of directory to delete.
- `reserve` {Boolean} whether to keep this directory or not, if value is true, this function will only delete subdirectory.
- `return` {Promise}

Function will delete directory recursively, if directory is not exist, this function will return directly. or this function will return a promise object, then you can use its `then` to operate.

```
function rmTmp(){
  think.rmdir('/foo/bar').then(function(){
    // some operation
  })
}
```

JavaScript

if use `Generator Function` , you can use `yield` :

```
function * rmTmp(){
  yield think.rmdir('/foo/bar');
  // some operation
}
```

JavaScript

think.chmod(p, mode)

- `p` {String} the path of directory
- `mode` {Number} the permission of directory , 0777 by default.

Change the permission of directory, if directory didn't exist, function will return null directly.

```
think.chmod("/home/welefen/a", 0777);
```

think.md5(str)

- `str` {String} the string which need to generate md5.
- `return` {String} md5 value

Generate md5 value.

```
think.md5('thinkjs');
// returns
7821eb623e0b1138a47db6a88c3f56bc
```

think.defer()

- `return` {Object} Deferred object

Create a `Deferred` object, which is a shortcut of `Promise`. Sometimes have to use this function with some operation like `setTimeout`, `event`, though this is not a recommend way.

```
// the way using Deferred
var fn = function(){
  var deferred = think.defer();
  process.nextTick(function(){
    if(xxx){
      deferred.resolve(data);
    }else{
      deferred.reject(err);
    }
  })
  return deferred.promise;
}
```

The way using `Deferred` is much cleaner than the way using `new Promise`.

```
// the way using new Promise
var fn = function(){
  return new Promise(function(resolve, reject){
    process.nextTick(function(){
      if(xxx){
        resolve(data);
      }else{
        reject(err);
      }
    })
  })
}
```

Notice: asynchronous callback operations DONT use the `Deferred` way, instead of encapsulate `callback` to `Promise` with using `think.promisify`.

think.promisify(fn, receiver)

- `fn` {Function} function which to be promisify
- `receiver` {Object} where is `this` point to.

Encapsulate asynchronous functions to Promise quickly, the last argument of asynchronous functions must be a callback, which has an error handler of first argument.

JavaScript

```
var fs = require('fs');

// function which to get file content
var getContent = function(filePath){
  // encapsulate readFile to Promise
  var readFilePromise = think.promisify(fs.readFile, fs);
  // read file content
  return readFilePromise(filePath, 'utf8');
}

// get file content
getContent('/foo/bar/file.txt').then(function(content){
  console.log(content);
}).catch(function(err){
  console.error(err.stack);
})
```

think.reject(err)

- `err` {Error} Error object
- `return` {Promise} reject promise

Return a reject promise, and the difference between this and `Promise.reject` is this function will print error message automatically, which can avoid calling `catch` function to print error message by hand.

JavaScript

```
// use Promise.reject
var fn = function(){
  return Promise.reject(new Error('xxx'));
}
//but need to print error message with `catch` by hand.
fn().catch(function(err){
  console.error(err.stack);
})
```

JavaScript

```
// use think.reject
var fn = function(){
  return think.reject(new Error("xxx"));
}
// will print formatted error message automatically.
fn();
```

think.co

The alias of modules is [co](#)

think.lookClass(name, type, module, base)

- `name` {String} class name
- `type` {String} type (controller | model | logic ...)
- `module` {String} module name
- `base` {String} find base class if cannot find module

Find class with type or name of class. if cannot find module, program will find module in common module, if still cannot find module, program will the baseclass.

JavaScript

```
// find user controller in home module
// if cannot find, will find in common module
// if still cannot find, will find in base controller
think.lookClass("user", "controller", "home");

// find user controller in admin module
think.lookClass("admin/user", "controller");
```

think.getPath(module, type, prefix)

- `module` {String} module name
- `type` {String} type, like controller, model, logic
- `prefix` {String} prefix

Get the path of module based on current project mode.

```
let path = think.getPath('home', 'controller');
```

JavaScript

If root path of current project is `/foo/bar`, then the return path is:

- project mode is `think.mode_mini` then the path is `/foo/bar/app/controller`
- project mode is `think.mode_normal` then the path is `/foo/bar/app/controller/home`
- project mode is `think.mode_module` then the path is `/foo/bar/app/home/controller`

think.require(name, flag)

- `name` {String}
- `flag` {Boolean}

think.safeRequire(file)

- `file` {String} the file to load

To load a file safely, if file didn't exist, function will return null, and print error message at the same time.

think.prevent()

return a special `reject promise`, this promise can stop follow-up work, and not report error.

think.log(msg, type, showTime)

- `msg` {String | Error} message
- `type` {String} type
- `showTime` {Number | Boolean} whether show time or not.

Print logs, which contains time, type and some other information.

```
think.log('WebSocket Status: closed', 'THINK');
//writes '[2015-09-23 17:43:00] [THINK] WebSocket Status: closed'
```

JavaScript

Print error message

```
think.log(new Error('error'), 'ERROR');
//writes '[2015-09-23 17:50:17] [Error] Error: error'
```

JavaScript

Print execute time

```
think.log('/static/module/jquery/1.9.1/jquery.js', 'HTTP', startTime);
//writes '[2015-09-23 17:52:13] [HTTP] /static/module/jquery/1.9.1/jquery.js 10ms'
```

JavaScript

Don't show log time

```
think.log('/static/module/jquery/1.9.1/jquery.js', 'HTTP', null);
//writes '[HTTP] /static/module/jquery/1.9.1/jquery.js'
```

JavaScript

Log by custom

```
think.log(function(colors){
  return colors.yellow('[WARNING]') + ' test';
});
//writes '[WARNING] test'
```

JavaScript

By the way, `colors` is a [module](#) named `colors` in npm modules.

think.config(name, value, data)

- `name` {String} config name
- `value` {Mixed} config value
- `data` {Object} config object

Read or setup config, it could be the global config object.

JavaScript

```
// get the config
let value = think.config('name');
// get config in admin module
let value = think.config('name', undefined, 'admin');

// write into config
think.config('name', 'value');
```

think.getModuleConfig(module)

- **module** {String} module name
- **return** {Object}

Get all config of module, which contains config of module, comon module and the framework default config.

JavaScript

```
// get all config of admin module
let configs = think.getModuleConfig('admin');
```

think.hook()

Register, get and execute hook, what can be appended or modified if need.

Get event's middleware list

JavaScript

```
think.hook('view_template');
//returns
['locate_template']
```

Setup hook

JavaScript

```
// replace ex-hook
think.hook('view_template', ['locate_template1']);

// insert before old one
think.hook('view_template', ['locate_template1'], 'prepend');

// insert after old one
think.hook('view_template', ['locate_template1'], 'append');
```

Delete hook

JavaScript

```
think.hook('view_template', null);
```

Execute hook

JavaScript

```
let result = think.hook('view_template', http, data);
//result is a promise
```

think.middleware()

Register, create, get and execute middleware.

Create middleware

JavaScript

```
// analyzing XML example
var ParseXML = think.middleware({
  run: function(){
    var http = this.http;
    var payload = http.payload; // payload is the upload post data
    var data = xmlParse.parse(payload); // use a xml parser, this xmlParse here is an example
    http._post = data; // assign parsed data to http._post, then can get data from http._post('xxx')
  }
});
```

Using ES6 to create middleware

JavaScript

```
let Cls1 = class extends think.middleware.base {
  run(){
    let http = this.http;
  }
}
```

Register middleware

middleware can be sample function, or complex class.

JavaScript

```
// register a functional middleware
think.middleware('parse_xml', http => {

})
```

JavaScript

```
// redister a class middleware
// it will call run automatically
let Cls = think.middleware({
  run: function(){
    let http = this.http;
  }
});
think.middleware('parse_xml', Cls);
```

Get middleware

JavaScript

```
let middleware = think.middleware('parse_xml');
```

Execute middleware

JavaScript

```
let result = think.middleware('parse_xml', http);
//result is a promise
```

think.adapter()

Create, register, get and execute adapter.

Create adapter

JavaScript

```
// create an adapter
var Cls = think.adapter({

});

// create a session adapter, which instance of session base class
var Cls = think.adapter('session', 'base', {

})
```

JavaScript

```
// create a session adapter in ES6
let Cls = class extends think.adapter.session {

}
```

Register adapter

JavaScript

```
// register some type of session adapter
think.adapter('session', 'xxx', Cls);
```

Get adapter

JavaScript

```
// get file type of session adapter
let Cls = think.adapter('session', 'file');
```

Execute adapter

```
let Adapter = think.adapter('session', 'file');
let instance = new Adapter(options);
```

think.gc(instance)

- `instance` {Object} instance of object

Register a instance object to garbage collection queue, the instance object must have `gcType` method and `gc` function.

Something like cache or session which have expiration time, when after expire need to clean up. framework offered some handlers to clean expired file.

```
let CIs = class extends think.adapter.cache {
  init(options){
    super.init(options);
    this.gcType = 'xFileCache';
    think.gc(this);
  }
  gc(){
    // find expired content to clean.
  }
}
```

think.http(req, res)

- `req` {Object} request object
- `res` {Object} response object
- `return` {Promise}

Base on request and response packed into http object, by the way, req and res could be other object by custom.

```
// based on an url object packed into a http object, which is useful to command mode calling.
think.http('/index/test').then(http => {

});
```

think.uuid(length)

- `length` {Number} the length of generate string, 32 by default

Generate a random string.

think.session(http)

- `http` {Object} http object

Generate a session, and write it to http object, if exist, return directly.

think.controller()

Create and execute a controller

Create controller

```
// create controller, instance of think.controller.base
let CIs = think.controller({

})
// create controller, instance of think.controller.rest
let CIs = think.controller('rest', {

})
```

```
// create a controller by using ES6
let CIs1 = class extends think.controller.base {

}
```

Instance of controller

JavaScript

```
// instance of user controller belong to home module
let instance = think.controller('user', http, 'home');
```

think.logic()

Create and execute logic

Create logic

JavaScript

```
// create logic, which instance of think.logic.base
let Cls = think.logic({

})
```

JavaScript

```
// create logic by using ES6
let Cls1 = class extends think.logic.base {

}
```

Instance of logic

JavaScript

```
// instance of user logic which is belong to home
let instance = think.logic('user', http, 'home');
```

think.model()

Create or get model.

Create model

JavaScript

```
// Create a model
let model = think.model({
  getList: function(){

  }
});

// in ES6 , instance of think.model.base class directly
let model = class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){

  }
}

// create a model which instance of mongo model
let model = think.model('mongo', {
  getList: function(){

  }
});
// in ES6, instance of think.model.mongo class directly
let model = class extends think.model.mongo {
  getList(){

  }
}
```

get the instance of model

JavaScript

```
let configs = {
  host: '127.0.0.1',
  name: 'user'
}
// get user model which is belong to home module.
let instance = think.model('user', configs, 'home');
```

think.service()

Create or get service.

Create service

```
// Create a service class
let service = think.service({

})

// in ES6 , instance of think.service.base class directly
let service = class extends think.service.base {

}
```

JavaScript

service base class based on [think.base](#), so can use functions in think.base.

if don't want to write service to class, so it's not necessary to create by using this way.

get service

```
// get post service which belong to home module, passed a `{}`
// if got service is a class, it will be instancing automatically
think.service('post', {}, 'home');
```

JavaScript

think.cache(name, value, options)

- **name** {String} cache key
- **value** {Mixed} cache value
- **options** {Object} cache options
- **return** {Promise} return a Promise

Get, setup or delete cache, if value assigned to **undefined** means read cache, if value assigned to **null** means delete cache.

if value assigned to **Function** means read cache but when cannot got a result, this function will be calling, then return the function return value which has been setup to cache.

```
// get cache
think.cache('name').then(data => {});

// setup the type of cache, read cache from redis for example
think.cache('name', undefined, {type: 'redis'});

// if cache userList is not exist, then query the database, assign return value to cache
think.cache('userList', () => {
  return think.model('user').select();
});

// setup cache
think.cache('name', 'value');

// delete cache
think.cache('name', null);
```

JavaScript

think.locale(key, ...data)

- **key** {String} the key which need to get
- **data** {Array} arguments

Get the corresponding value based on language, the current language can get from **think.lang**, which can setup when system start.

```
think.locale('CONTROLLER_NOT_FOUND', 'test', '/index/test');
//returns
'controller `test` not found. url is `/index/test`.'
```

JavaScript

think.validate()

Register, get or execute validation.

register validate function

JavaScript

```
// register the validate type is not_number
think.validate('not_number', value => {
  return !(/^d+$/).test(value);
})
```

get validate function

JavaScript

```
let fn = think.validate('not_number');
```

validate data

JavaScript

```
let result = think.validate({
  name: {
    value: 'name',
    required: true,
    not_number: true
  },
  pwd: {
    value: 'xxx',
    required: true,
    minLength: 6
  }
});
// if result is isEmpty, it means result is expected.
if(think.isEmpty(result)){
}
```

think.await(key, callback)

- **key** {String}
- **callback** {Function}

Execute await, to avoid a long-running operation has been called many times,
执行等待，避免一个耗时的操作多次被执行。callback 需要返回一个 promise。

如：用户访问时，要请求一个远程的接口数据。如果不处理，每个用户请求都会触发这个远程接口的访问，导致有很大的资源浪费。可以让这些用户公用一个远程接口的请求。

JavaScript

```
import superagent from 'superagent';

export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    let result = yield think.await('get_xxx_data', () => {
      let req = superagent.post('xxxx');
      let fn = think.promisify(req.end, req);
      return fn();
    });
    this.success(result);
  }
}
```

think.npm(pkg)

- **pkg** {String} module name

Load module, if module not exist, module will been install automatically.

JavaScript

```
// if mysql module exist, project will install it with npm.
let mysql = think.npm('mysql');
```

JavaScript

```
// load a specify version of mysql
let mysql = think.npm('mysql@2.0.0')
```

think.error(err, addon)

- **err** {Error | Promise | String} error information
- **addon** {Error | String} addon error meesage.

Formatting error message, make some system error message completely.

```
let error = think.error(new Error('xxx'));
```

JavaScript

Catch promise error message

```
let promise = Project.reject(new Error('xxx'));
promise = think.error(promise)
```

JavaScript

Add catch for promise automatically, to catch error message.

think.statusAction(status, http, log)

- **status** {Number} status number
- **http** {Object} contained http object
- **log** {Boolean} whether log error message or not

When system is abnormal like system error, page not found, permission denied, then render the right page.

while creating project, it will generate file `src/common/controller/error.js` in common module, which is specially use for handle error state.

Default support types of error are: `400`, `403`, `404`, `500`, `503`.

According to the project's need, it can be modified like error page or extension.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    if(xxxx){
      let error = new Error('not found');
      // assign error information to http object, to render with template
      this.http.error = error;
      return think.statusAction(404, this.http);
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Class

think.base

think.base: More information read [here](#)

think.http.base

think.http.base: More information read [here](#)

think.base

think.base is base class, all classes will instance it, it support some base functions.

Instance of base class with ES6:

```
export default class extends think.base {
  /**
   * init method
   * @return {} []
   */
  init(){

  }
}
```

JavaScript

Notice : while using ES6, class donot write **constructor**, put some initial operations in function **init**, this function will been called automatically when class instancing, such like **constructor**.

Use normal way to instance base class:

```
module.exports = think.Class(think.base, {
  /**
   * init method
   * @return {} []
   */
  init: function(){

  }
})
```

init(...args)

- `args` {Array}

Initial function, which can do some assign and some other operations.

```
class a extends think.base {
  init(name, value){
    this.name = name;
    this.value = value;
  }
}
```

Notice : the different to `1.x` version, the `init` function of `2.x` did not return a `Promise`, some common operations are in `__before` magic functions.

__before()

pre-magic function, you can put some common behavior here, such like: in controller, check use is login or not.

```
export default class think.controller.base {
  /**
   * pre-magic function
   * @return {Promise} []
   */
  * __before(){
    let userInfo = yield this.session('userInfo');
    // if not login yet, it will jump to login page.
    if(think.isEmpty(userInfo)){
      return this.redirect('/login');
    }
    this.assign('userInfo', userInfo)
  }
}
```

__after()

Post magic function, it will execute after function executed.

filename()

- `return` {String} return the current class file's name.

Get the current class file's name, not contains detail of file path or file's extension.

```
js
// suppose current class file path is /home/xxx/project/app/controller/user.js
class a extends think.base {
  test(){
    var filename = this.filename();
    //returns 'user'
  }
}
```

invoke(method, ...data)

- `method` {String} the function name to been invoked
- `data` {Array} arguments
- `return` {Promise}

To invoke a function, automatically invoke `__before` and `__after` .no matter function return `Promise` or not, this function will return `Promise` .

This function support `*/yield` and `async/await` .

```
//use async/await
class Cls extends think.base {
  async getValue(){
    let value = await this.getValue();
    return value;
  }
}
let instance = new Cls();
instance.invoke('getValue').then(data => {

});
```

JavaScript

```
//use */yield
class Cls extends think.base {
  * getValue(){
    let value = yield this.getValue();
    return value;
  }
}
let instance = new Cls();
instance.invoke('getValue').then(data => {

});
```

JavaScript

think.http.base

`think.http.base` instance of [think.base](#), this class contains http object handler base class.some class such like middleware class, controller class, view class all instance of this class.

Using ES6 to instnace of this class

```
export default class extends think.http.base {
  /**
   * initial function, will automatically invoked while instacing, didn't need constructor.
   * @return {}
   */
  init(){
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Using normal way to instance this class

```
module.exports = think.Class(think.http.base, {
  init: function(){
  }
});
```

JavaScript

Method

http

Packaged http object, contained methods and function to be seen in [API -> http](#).

Function

config(name, value)

- `name` {String} config file
- `value` {Mixed} config value

Read or setup config, it is read config when value assigned to `undefined` , otherwise it is setup config.

This function can not only read system default config, but also read project config.

Notice : Don't setup with request user's information, it will be covered by other user.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // get config value
    let value = this.config('name');
  }
}
```

action(controller, action)

- **controller** {Object | String} controller instance
- **action** {String} action name
- **return** {Promise}

Invoke action in controller, return a Promise, invoke **__before** and **__after** automatically.

If controller is a string, it will automatically find this controller.

JavaScript

```
// invoke action of current module's controller
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // invoke default function in user controller
    let value = yield this.action('user', 'detail');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

```
// invoke action in cross module's controller
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // invoke detail function of user controller in admin module
    let value = yield this.action('admin/user', 'detail');
  }
}
```

cache(name, value, options)

- **name** {String} cache name
- **value** {Mixed | Function} cache value
- **options** {Object} cache options, more information in cache config.

Read or set cache, it is read cache when assign **value** to **undefined**, otherwise, it is setup cache. default type is **file**.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // get cache
    let value = yield this.cache('name');
  }
}
```

When **value** is function, it means read cache, if cache's value didn't exist, it will invoke this function, and assign the returning value to cache and return the value. It is very useful to avoid a trouble which judge the cache is exist when developing project and then to read cache and set cache in other place.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // setup cache, when cache didn't exist, it invoke function automatically, and set cache at the same time
    let value = yield this.cache('name', () => {
      return this.model('user').select();
    });
  }
}
```

Setup cache and modify the type:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // setup cache, cache type is redis
    yield this.cache('name', 'value', {
      type: 'redis'
    });
  }
}
```

hook(event, data)

- **event** {String} event name
- **data** {Mixed} argument
- **return** {Promise}

Execute hook event, a hook has some middleware, it will execute those middleware orderly.

Hook event can be assigned in `src/common/config/hook.js`, also it can be registered with `think.hook`.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    let result = yield this.hook('parse_data');
  }
}
```

model(name, options)

- **name** {String} model name
- **options** {Object} options, more detail seen in database config
- **return** {Object} model instance

Get the instance of model, which is instance of current module by default, it also can get instance of other module.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // get instance of user model in current module
    let model = this.model('user');
    // get instance of article model in admin module
    let model1 = this.model('admin/article');
    // get instance of test model in current module, and it is sqlite database
    let model2 = this.model('test', {
      type: 'sqlite' // setup type of database to sqlite, more detail to see in database config
    })
  }
}
```

controller(name)

- **name** {String} controller name
- **return** {Object} controller instance

Get the instance of Controller, if cannot find Controller, it will report errors.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // get instance of user controller in current module
    let controller = this.controller('user');
    // get instance of user controller in admin module
    let controller1 = this.controller('admin/user');
  }
}
```

service(name)

- **name** {String} service name
- **return** {Class}

Get the service, it maybe return a class, or an object, so it will not instance automatically.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // get the service
    let service = this.service('user');
    // get instance of service
    let instance = new service(...args);
    // get user service in admin module
    let service1 = this.service('admin/user');
  }
}
```

http

This http object is not the one in Node.js, it is a new object which packaged with request object and response object.

JavaScript

```
var http = require('http');

http.createServer(function (request, response) {
  response.writeHead(200, {'Content-Type': 'text/plain'});
  response.end('Hello World\n');
}).listen(8124);
```

As the code above, when Node.js create service, it will pass request and response to callback. for convenience to invoke, ThinkJS will package this two object to http object, and offer some useful functions.

http object will be passed between middleware, logic, controller and view.

Notiace : http object is an instance of EventEmitter, so it can be added event listener and executed.

Method

http.req

System native request object.

http.res

System native response object.

http.startTime

A start time of request, it is a **unix** timestamp.

http.url

Url of current request.

http.version

Http version of current request.

http.method

Type of current request.

http.headers

Header informations of current request.

http.pathname

Pathname of current request, router depended on it's value and will change it in some operations. so the return value of action maybe different from the initial value.

http.query

Query data of current request.

http.host

Host of current request, contain host port.

http.hostname

Host of current request, not contain host port.

http.payload

Payload data of current request, it has data only if the request is submit type.

http._payloadParsed

Means this payload of current request has parsed or not.

http._get

Store GET arguments.

http._post

Store POST arguments.

http._file

Store upload file data.

http._cookie

Store cookie data.

http.module

The module name of current request parsed.

http.controller

The controller name of current request parsed.

http.action

The action name of current request parsed.

Function

http.config(name)

- **name** {String} config name
- **return** {Mixed} return config value

Get the argument of current request config.

http.referrer()

- **return** {String} referrer of request

Return the referrer of current request.

http.userAgent()

- **return** {String} userAgent of request

Return the userAgent of current request.

http.isGet()

- **return** {Boolean}

Return current request is GET request or not.

http.isPost()

- **return** {Boolean}

Return current request is POST request or not.

http.isAjax(method)

- **method** {String} type of request
- **return** {Boolean}

Return current request is Ajax request or not.

```
http.isAjax(); // judge request is ajax request or not
http.isAjax('GET'); // judge request is ajax request and is GET type or not
```

JavaScript

http.isJsonp(name)

- **name** {String} callback parameter name, default is callback
- **return** {Boolean}

Return current request is jsonp request or not.

```
//url is /index/test?callback=testxxx
http.isJsonp(); //true
http.isJsonp('cb'); //false
```

JavaScript

http.get(name, value)

- **name** {String} parameter name
- **value** {Mixed} parameter value

Get or set GET parameter, it can be used to set GET argument for somewhere can get it.

```
// url is /index/test?name=thinkjs
http.get('name'); // returns 'thinkjs'
http.get('name', 'other value');
http.get('name'); // returns 'other value'
```

JavaScript

http.post(name, value)

- **name** {String} parameter name
- **value** {Mixed} parameter value

Get or set POST parameter, it can be used to set POST argument for somewhere can get it.

```
http.post('email'); // get the submitted email
```

JavaScript

http.param(name)

- **name** {String} parameter name
- **return** {Mixed}

Get parameter value, firstly to get from POST, if return null, it will get the value from URL parameter.

http.file(name)

- **name** {String} field name
- **return** {Object}

Get the uploaded file.

```
http.file('image');
//returns
{
  fieldName: 'image', // the filed name in form
  originalFilename: filename, // origin file name
  path: filepath, // the temp path of store files
  size: size // file size
}
```

JavaScript

http.header(name, value)

- **name** {String} header name

- `value` {String} header value

Get or set header information.

```
http.header('accept'); // get accept
http.header('X-NAME', 'thinkjs'); // set header
```

JavaScript

http.expires(time)

- `time` {Number} expire time, unit is second.

Strange cache, set `Cache-Control` and `Expires` header information.

```
http.header(86400); // set expire time is one day.
```

JavaScript

http.status(status)

set status code, if header has sent, it cannot set status code.

```
http.status(400); // set status code to 400
```

JavaScript

http.ip()

Get user's ip, it will be incorrect if user used proxy.

http.lang(lang, asViewPath)

- `lang` {String} the setup of language.
- `asViewPath` {Boolean} whether add a directory layer for language template.

Get or set global language, it support more directory layer for language template.

Get language

```
let lang = http.lang();
```

JavaScript

The order to get language is `http._lang` -> `get from cookie` -> `get from header`, if need to parse language from url, you can set `http._lang` with `http.lang(lang)` after get url.

set language

```
let lang = getFromUrl();
http.lang(lang, true); // set language, and set a directory layer for language template.
```

JavaScript

http.theme(theme)

Get or set theme, after setting, it will generate a lay for theme.

http.cookie(name, value)

- `name` {String} cookie name
- `value` {String} cookie value

Read or set cookie.

```
http.cookie('think_test'); // get cookie named think_test
http.cookie('name', 'value'); // get cookie, invalid if header has sent.
```

JavaScript

http.session(name, value)

- `name` {String} session name
- `value` {Mixed} session value
- `return` {Promise}

Read, set and clean session.

Read Session

```
let value = yield http.session('userInfo');
```

JavaScript

set Session

```
yield http.session('userInfo', data);
```

JavaScript

clean Session

```
yield http.session();
```

JavaScript

http.redirect(url, status)

- `url` {String} the url will jump
- `status` {Number} status code, 301 or 302, default is 302.

Jump page.

```
http.redirect('/login'); // jump to login page.
```

JavaScript

http.type(contentType, encoding)

- `contentType` {String} contentType which need to modify
- `encoding` {String} encode to set

Read or set Content-Type.

```
http.type(); // get Content-Type
http.type('text/html'); // get Content-Type, it will add charset automatically
http.type('audio/mpeg', false); // set Content-Type, not add charset
```

JavaScript

http.write(content, encoding)

- `content` {Mixed} the content to write
- `encoding` {String} charset

Write content, end request only invoke http.end.

http.end(content, encoding)

- `content` {Mixed} the content to write
- `encoding` {String} charset

Write content and stop current request.

http.success(data, message)

- `data` {Mixed} the content to write
- `message` {String} added message

Response a format normal data , always after operate success.

```
http.success({name: 'thinkjs'});
//writes
{
  errno: 0,
  errmsg: '',
  data: {
    name: 'thinkjs'
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Client can based on `error` is `0` or not to judge current request is success.

http.fail(errno, errmsg, data)

- `errno` {Number} error number
- `errmsg` {String} error message

- `data` {Mixed} extra data

Output an unusual formatted data, normally after operate failed.

Notice : field name `errno` and `errmsg` can be modified in config.

```
http.fail(100, 'fail')
//writes
{
  errno: 100,
  errmsg: 'fail',
  data: ''
}
```

JavaScript

In this way, client will get detail error number and error message, then show message according to the need.

Notice : field name `errno` and `errmsg` can be modified in config.

http.json(data)

- `data` {Object}

Output data in json way, it will set Content-Type to `application/json`, its config is `json_content_type`.

controller

`think.controller.base` instance of [think.http.base](#) class, controllers in project need to instance of this class.

Instance this class with ES6

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){

  }
}
```

JavaScript

Normal way to instance this class

```
module.exports = think.controller({
  indexAction(){

  }
})
```

JavaScript

Method

controller.http

Passed [http](#) object.

Function

controller.ip()

- `return` {String}

Get user ip of current request, it is equal to `http.ip`.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let ip = this.ip();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

controller.method()

- `return` {String}

Get type of current request, and convert to lowercase.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let method = this.method(); //get or post ...
  }
}
```

controller.isMethod(method)

- `method` {String} method
- `return` {Boolean}

Judge type of current request is named types.

controller.isGet()

- `return` {Boolean}

Judge is GET request or not.

controller.isPost()

- `return` {Boolean}

Judge is POST request.

controller.isAjax(method)

- `method` {String}
- `return` {Boolean}

Judge is Ajax request, if named method, then as same as the type of request.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // is ajax and request type is POST
    let isAjax = this.isAjax('post');
  }
}
```

controller.isWebSocket()

- `return` {Boolean}

Whether is websocket request or not.

controller.isCli()

- `return` {Boolean}

Whether is run in command mode or not.

controller.isJsonp(callback)

- `callback` {String} callback name
- `return` {Boolean}

Whether is jsonp request.

controller.get(name)

- `name` {String} parameter name

Get parameter of GET.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // get a parameter
    let value = this.get('xxx');
    // get all parameter
    let values = this.get();
  }
}
```

controller.post(name)

- `name` {String} parameter name

Get parameter of POST data.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // get a value of parameter
    let value = this.post('xxx');
    // get all parameter of POST
    let values = this.post();
  }
}
```

controller.param(name)

- `name` {String} parameter name

Get parameter value, first to read from POST, if return null, then get from GET.

controller.file(name)

- `name` {String} field name of upload file

Get uploaded file, return value is a object, contains these method below:

JavaScript

```
{
  fieldName: 'file', // field name
  originalFilename: filename, // original file name
  path: filepath, // path of temp store file, need to move this path when using, or exists until request ends.
  size: 1000 // file size
}
```

If file not exist, this returning is an empty object `{}` .

controller.header(name, value)

- `name` {String} header name
- `value` {String} header value

Get or set header.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let accept = this.header('accept'); // get header
    this.header('X-NAME', 'thinks'); // set header
  }
}
```

controller.expires(time)

- `time` {Number} expires time, the unit is seconds

Strong cache, set `Cache-Control` and `Expires` header information.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.expires(86400); // set expire time to one day.
  }
}
```


controller.userAgent()

Get userAgent。

controller.referrer(onlyHost)

- `referrer` {Boolean} whether only need host

Get referrer。

controller.cookie(name, value, options)

- `name` {String} cookie name
- `value` {String} cookie value
- `options` {Object}

Get or set cookie。

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // get value of cookie
    let value = this.cookie('think_name');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // get value of cookie
    this.cookie('think_name', value, {
      timeout: 3600 * 24 * 7 // expires time is one week
    });
  }
}
```

JavaScript

controller.session(name, value)

- `name` {String} session name
- `value` {Mixed} session value
- `return` {Promise}

Read, set and clean session。

Read Session

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // read session
    let value = yield this.session('userInfo');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

set Session

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    //set session
    yield this.session('userInfo', data);
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Clean Session

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    //清除当前用户的 session
    yield this.session();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

controller.lang(lang, asViewPath)

- `lang` {String} the setup of language
- `asViewPath` {Boolean} whether add a directory layer for language template.

Read or set language.

controller.locale(key)

- `key` {String}

Based on language to get the language version.

controller.redirect(url, statusCode)

- `url` {String} the url to jump
- `statusCode` {Number} status code, default is 302

Page jump.

controller.assign(name, value)

- `name` {String | Object} variable name
- `value` {Mixed} variable value

Assign variable into template.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    // single assign
    this.assign('title', 'thinkjs');
    // multi-assign
    this.assign({
      name: 'xxx',
      desc: 'yyy'
    })
  }
}
```

JavaScript

controller.fetch(templateFile)

- `templateFile` {String} template file path
- `return` {Promise}

Get the parsed template content.

Get directly

```
// suppose the file path is /foo/bar/app/home/controller/index.js
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // home/index_index.html
    let content = yield this.fetch();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Change action

```
// suppose file path is /foo/bar/app/home/controller/index.js
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // home/index_detail.html
    let content = yield this.fetch('detail');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Change controller and action

JavaScript

```
// suppose file path is /foo/bar/app/home/controller/index.js
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // home/user_detail.html
    let content = yield this.fetch('user/detail');
  }
}
```

Change module, controller 和 action

JavaScript

```
// suppose file path is /foo/bar/app/home/controller/index.js
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // admin/user_detail.html
    let content = yield this.fetch('admin/user/detail');
  }
}
```

Change file extension

JavaScript

```
// suppose file path is /foo/bar/app/home/controller/index.js
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // home/index_detail.xml
    let content = yield this.fetch('detail.xml');
  }
}
```

Get absolute file path

JavaScript

```
// suppose file path is /foo/bar/app/home/controller/index.js
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  * indexAction(){
    // /home/xxx/aaa/bbb/c.html
    let content = yield this.fetch('/home/xxx/aaa/bbb/c.html');
  }
}
```

controller.display(templateFile)

- `templateFile` {String} template file path

Output template content to browser side. strategy of finding template is the same as `controller.fetch` .

controller.jsonp(data)

- `data` {Mixed} content to output

Using the way of jsonp to output content, after getting callback's name and security filter then output.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    this.jsonp({name: 'thinkjs'});
    //writes
    'callback_fn_name({name: "thinkjs"})'
  }
}
```

controller.json(data)

- `data` {Mixed} the output content

Json way to output.

controller.status(status)

- `status` {Number} status code, default is 404

Set status code.

controller.deny(status)

- `status` {String} status code, default is 403

Deny current request.

controller.write(data, encoding)

- `data` {mixed} the output content
- `encoding` {String} charset

Output content.

controller.end(data, encoding)

- `data` {mixed} the output content
- `encoding` {String} charset

After output content, end current request.

controller.type(type, charset)

- `type` {String} Content-Type
- `charset` {Boolean} wheher append charset or not

Set Content-Type.

controller.download(filePath, contentType, fileName)

- `filePath` {String} specified path of download file
- `content-Type` {String} Content-Type
- `fileName` {String} error file name

Download file.

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let filePath = think.RESOUC_PATH + '/a.txt';
    // auto identify Content-Type, save file to a.txt
    this.download(filePath);
  }
}
```

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let filePath = think.RESOUC_PATH + '/a.log';
    // auto identify Content-Type, save file to b.txt
    this.download(filePath, 'b.txt');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  indexAction(){
    let filePath = think.RESOUC_PATH + '/a.log';
    // specify Content-Type to text/html, save file to b.txt
    this.download(filePath, 'text/html', 'b.txt');
  }
}
```

JavaScript

controller.success(data, message)

- `data` {Mixed} the output data
- `message` {String} appended message

Output an normal formatted data, often after operate success.

JavaScript

```
http.success({name: 'thinkjs'});
//writes
{
  errno: 0,
  errmsg: '',
  data: {
    name: 'thinkjs'
  }
}
```

Client can based on `error` is `0` or not to judge current request is success.

controller.fail(errno, errmsg, data)

- `errno` {Number} error number
- `errmsg` {String} error message
- `data` {Mixed} extra data

Output an unusual formatted data, normally after operate failed.

Notice : field name `errno` and `errmsg` can been modified in config.

JavaScript

```
http.fail(100, 'fail')
//writes
{
  errno: 100,
  errmsg: 'fail',
  data: ''
}
```

In this way, client will get detail error number and error message, then show message according to the need.

Notice : filed name `errno` and `errmsg` can been modified in config.

controller.sendTime(name)

- `name` {String} header key

The execute time of send request, send with header.

rest controller

`think.controller.rest` instance of [think.controller.base](#), used for handle Rest api.

Instance of this class with ES6

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
}
```

Using normal way to instance this class

JavaScript

```
module.exports = think.controller('rest', {
})
```

Method

controller._isRest

Identify this controller is Rest api. if in `init` function, it assigned to `false`, and this controller is not a Rest interface no more.

controller._method

The way to get method, by default read from http method, but some client don't support send some request type like DELETE, PUT, so it can set to get from GET parameter.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
  init(http){
    super.init(http);
    // set _method, means get _method field value from GET parameters
    // if is null, it will get from http method
    this._method = '_method';
  }
}
```

controller.resource

The Resource name of current Rest

controller.id

Resource ID

controller.modelInstance

The instance model of resource.

Function

controller.__before()

It can do some operate like filter field, pagination, access control in magic function `__before` .

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.rest{
  __before(){
    // filter password field
    this.modelInstance.field('password', true);
  }
}
```

controller.getAction()

Get resource data, if id exist, then get one, or get the list.

JavaScript

```
// function implementation, it can been modified if need.
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
  * getAction(){
    let data;
    if (this.id) {
      let pk = yield this.modelInstance.getPk();
      data = yield this.modelInstance.where({[pk]: this.id}).find();
      return this.success(data);
    }
    data = yield this.modelInstance.select();
    return this.success(data);
  }
}
```

controller.postAction()

Add data.

JavaScript

```
// function implementation, it can been modified if need.
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
  * postAction(){
    let pk = yield this.modelInstance.getPk();
    let data = this.post();
    delete data[pk];
    if(think.isEmpty(data)){
      return this.fail('data is empty');
    }
    let insertId = yield this.modelInstance.add(data);
    return this.success({id: insertId});
  }
}
```

controller.deleteAction()

Delete data.

```
// function implementaion, it can been modified if need.
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
  * deleteAction(){
    if (!this.id) {
      return this.fail('params error');
    }
    let pk = yield this.modelInstance.getPk();
    let rows = yield this.modelInstance.where({[[pk]: this.id}).delete();
    return this.success({affectedRows: rows});
  }
}
```

JavaScript

controller.putAction()

Update data.

```
// function implementaion, it can been modified if need.
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
  * putAction(){
    if (!this.id) {
      return this.fail('params error');
    }
    let pk = yield this.modelInstance.getPk();
    let data = this.post();
    delete data[pk];
    if (think.isEmpty(data)) {
      return this.fail('data is empty');
    }
    let rows = yield this.modelInstance.where({[[pk]: this.id}).update(data);
    return this.success({affectedRows: rows});
  }
}
```

JavaScript

controller.__call()

Invoked when cannot find function

```
export default class extends think.controller.rest {
  __call(){
    return this.fail(think.locale('ACTION_INVALID', this.http.action, this.http.url));
  }
}
```

JavaScript

model

`think.model.base` instance of [think.base](#) class.

instance of this class with ES6

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){

  }
}
```

JavaScript

Using normal way to instance of this class

```
module.exports = think.model({
  getList: function(){

  }
})
```

JavaScript

Method

model.pk

The primary key of database, default is `id` .

model.name

Model name, default is current file name.

Suppose current file path is `for/bar/app/home/model/user.js`, then the model name is `user` .

model.tablePrefix

The Prefix of table in database, default is `think_` .

model.tableName

The name of data table, not contains prefix name, default equals to model name.

model.fields

The fields of data table, auto analyse the data table.

model.indexes

The indexes of data table, auto analyse the data table.

model.readonlyFields

The readonly fields list, when data updated, these fields will not been updated.

model.config

Config, specify when instantcing.

model._db

Handler of connect database.

model._data

Data of operation.

model._options

Options of operation.

Function

model.model(name, options, module)

- `name` {String} model name
- `options` {Object} confing options
- `module` {String} module name
- `return` {Object}

Get instance of model, it can read cross module.

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  * getList(){
    // get instance of user model
    let instance = this.model('user');
    let list = yield instance.select();
    let ids = list.map(item => {
      return item.id;
    });
    let data = yield this.where({id: ['IN', ids]}).select();
    return data;
  }
}
```

JavaScript

model.getTablePrefix()

- `return` {string}

Get the prefix of table.

model.getConfigKey()

- `return` {String}

Get config key, use it when cache db handler.

model.db()

- `return` {Object}

Based on current config to get instance of db, if exist, return directly.

model.getModelName()

- `return` {String} model name

Return directly if configured, or parse current file name.

model.getTableName()

- `return` {String} get table name, contains prefix

Get table name, contains prefix.

model.cache(key, timeout)

- `key` {String} cache key
- `timeout` {Number} cache expire time, the unit is seconds.
- `return` {this}

Set cache config.

Set key and time of cache

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    return this.cache('getList', 1000).where({id: {'>': 100}}).select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Only set cache time, cache key auto generate

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    return this.cache(1000).where({id: {'>': 100}}).select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Set more cache information

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    return this.cache({
      key: 'getList',
      timeout: 1000,
      type: 'file' // use file cache
    }).where({id: {'>': 100}}).select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

model.limit(offset, length)

- `offset` {Number} set the start position of query
- `length` {Number} set the length of query
- `return` {this}

Set the limit of query result.

Set length of data

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    // query twenty data
    return this.limit(20).where({id: {'>': 100}}).select();
  }
}
```

Limit data start position and length

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    // start from position 100, query twenty data
    return this.limit(100, 20).where({id: {'>': 100}}).select();
  }
}
```

model.page(page, listRows)

- `page` {Number} current page, start with one
- `listRows` {Number} number of per page
- `return` {this}

Set query pagination data, convert to `limit` data automatically.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    // query the second page data, ten data of per page.
    return this.page(2, 10).where({id: {'>': 100}}).select();
  }
}
```

model.where(where)

- `where` {String | Object} where condition
- `return` {this}

Set where query condition, it can set logic with method `__logic`, default is `AND`. Mulpty query with method `__complex`.

Noatice : 1. example below don't suit for mengo model.in mongo, setting where condition to seen in model.mongo. 2.where condition need to been validated in Logic, or maybe cause some bug.

Normal condition

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  where1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user`
    return this.where().select();
  }
  where2(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` = 10 )
    return this.where({id: 10}).select();
  }
  where3(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( id = 10 OR id < 2 )
    return this.where('id = 10 OR id < 2').select();
  }
  where4(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` != 10 )
    return this.where({id: ['!=', 10]}).select();
  }
}
```

null condition

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  where1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` where ( title IS NULL );
    return this.where({title: null}).select();
  }
  where2(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` where ( title IS NOT NULL );
    return this.where({title: ['!=', null]}).select();
  }
}
```

EXP condition

ThinkJS will transfer field and value by default for security bugs. sometimes, if not want to transfer in some special case, you can use EXP way, like:

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  where1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `name` ='name' )
    return this.where({name: ['EXP', "=\"name\""]}).select();
  }
}
```

LIKE condition

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  where1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `title` NOT LIKE 'welefen' )
    return this.where({title: ['NOTLIKE', 'welefen']}).select();
  }
  where2(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `title` LIKE '%welefen%' )
    return this.where({title: ['like', '%welefen%']}).select();
  }
  //like mult-value
  where3(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( (`title` LIKE 'welefen' OR `title` LIKE 'suredy' )
    return this.where({title: ['like', ['welefen', 'suredy']] }).select();
  }
  // muti-field or relation like one value
  where4(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( (`title` LIKE '%welefen%') OR (`content` LIKE '%welefen%' )
    return this.where({'title|content': ['like', '%welefen%']} ).select();
  }
  // muti-filed and relation like one value
  where5(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( (`title` LIKE '%welefen%') AND (`content` LIKE '%welefen%' )
    return this.where({'title&content': ['like', '%welefen%']} ).select();
  }
}
```

IN condition

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  where1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` IN ('10','20' )
    return this.where({id: ['IN', '10,20']} ).select();
  }
  where2(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` IN (10,20) )
    return this.where({id: ['IN', [10, 20]] }).select();
  }
  where3(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` NOT IN (10,20) )
    return this.where({id: ['NOTIN', [10, 20]] }).select();
  }
}
```

BETWEEN query

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  where1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` BETWEEN 1 AND 2 )
    return this.where({id: ['BETWEEN', 1, 2]}).select();
  }
  where2(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` BETWEEN '1' AND '2' )
    return this.where({id: ['between', '1,2']}).select();
  }
}
```

multi-field query

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  where1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` = 10 ) AND ( `title` = 'www' )
    return this.where({id: 10, title: "www"}).select();
  }
  // modify logic to OR
  where2(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` = 10 ) OR ( `title` = 'www' )
    return this.where({id: 10, title: "www", _logic: 'OR'}).select();
  }
  // modify logic to XOR
  where2(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` = 10 ) XOR ( `title` = 'www' )
    return this.where({id: 10, title: "www", _logic: 'XOR'}).select();
  }
}
```

multi-condition query

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  where1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` > 10 AND `id` < 20 )
    return this.where({id: {'>': 10, '<': 20}}).select();
  }
  // modify logic to OR
  where2(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `id` < 10 OR `id` > 20 )
    return this.where({id: {'<': 10, '>': 20, _logic: 'OR'}}).select()
  }
}
```

complex query

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  where1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` WHERE ( `title` = 'test' ) AND ( ( `id` IN (1,2,3) ) OR ( `content` = 'www' ) )
    return this.where({
      title: 'test',
      _complex: {id: ['IN', [1, 2, 3]],
        content: 'www',
        _logic: 'or'
      }
    }).select()
  }
}
```

model.field(field)

- **field** {String | Array} set query field, can be string or array
- **return** {this}

Set query field.

String way

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  async indexAction(){
    let model = this.model('user');
    // set string need to queyr, in string way, use comma to split
    let data = await model.field('name,title').select();
  }
}
```

Invoke SQL function

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  // invoke sql function in field
  async listAction(){
    let model = this.model('user');
    let data = await model.field('id, INSTR(\'30,35,31,\',id + \',\') as d').select();
  }
}
```

array way

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  async indexAction(){
    let model = this.model('user');
    // set query string in array way
    let data = await model.field(['name', 'title']).select();
  }
}
```

model.fieldReverse(field)

- **field** {String | Array} reverse field, means query except this field
- **return** {this}

Set reverse field, it will filter this filed when querying, it support string way and array way.

model.table(table, hasPrefix)

- **table** {String} table way
- **hasPrefix** {Boolean} whether tabel has prefix or not, if table value contains space, then don't add prefix.
- **return** {this}

Set table name, which can named a SQL statement.

Set current table name

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    return this.table('test', true).select();
  }
}
```

SQL statement as table name

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  async getList(){
    let sql = await this.model('group').group('name').buildSql();
    let data = await this.table(sql).select();
    return data;
  }
}
```

model.union(union, all)

- **union** {String | Object} union query SQL or table name
- **all** {Boolean} Whether is UNION ALL way or not
- **return** {this}

Union query.

SQL union query联合查询

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {  
  getList(){  
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` UNION (SELECT * FROM think_pic2)  
    return this.union('SELECT * FROM think_pic2').select();  
  }  
}
```

union query table name

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {  
  getList(){  
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` UNION ALL (SELECT * FROM `think_pic2`)  
    return this.union({table: 'think_pic2'}, true).select();  
  }  
}
```

model.join(join)

- `join` {String | Object | Array} combine statement, default is `LEFT JOIN`
- `return` {this}

Combine query, support string, array, object and so on.

String

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {  
  getList(){  
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` LEFT JOIN think_cate ON think_group.cate_id=think_cate.id  
    return this.join('think_cate ON think_group.cate_id=think_cate.id').select();  
  }  
}
```

Array

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {  
  getList(){  
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` LEFT JOIN think_cate ON think_group.cate_id=think_cate.id RIGHT JOIN think_tag ON think_group.tag_id=think_tag.id  
    return this.join([  
      'think_cate ON think_group.cate_id=think_cate.id',  
      'RIGHT JOIN think_tag ON think_group.tag_id=think_tag.id'  
    ]).select();  
  }  
}
```

Object: single table

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {  
  getList(){  
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` INNER JOIN `think_cate` AS c ON think_user.`cate_id`=c.`id`  
    return this.join({  
      table: 'cate',  
      join: 'inner', //join way, contains left, right, inner three ways  
      as: 'c', // table alias name  
      on: ['cate_id', 'id'] //ON condition  
    }).select();  
  }  
}
```

Object: multi-JOIN

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //SELECT * FROM think_user AS a LEFT JOIN `think_cate` AS c ON a.`cate_id`=c.`id` LEFT JOIN `think_group_tag` AS d ON a.`id`=d.`group_id`
    return this.alias('a').join({
      table: 'cate',
      join: 'left',
      as: 'c',
      on: ['cate_id', 'id']
    }).join({
      table: 'group_tag',
      join: 'left',
      as: 'd',
      on: ['id', 'group_id']
    }).select()
  }
}
```

Object: muti-table

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` LEFT JOIN `think_cate` ON think_user.`id`=think_cate.`id` LEFT JOIN `think_group_tag` ON think_user.`id`=think_group_tag.`group_id`
    return this.join({
      cate: {
        on: ['id', 'id']
      },
      group_tag: {
        on: ['id', 'group_id']
      }
    }).select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //SELECT * FROM think_user AS a LEFT JOIN `think_cate` AS c ON a.`id`=c.`id` LEFT JOIN `think_group_tag` AS d ON a.`id`=d.`group_id`
    return this.alias('a').join({
      cate: {
        join: 'left', // has left,right,inner three values
        as: 'c',
        on: ['id', 'id']
      },
      group_tag: {
        join: 'left',
        as: 'd',
        on: ['id', 'group_id']
      }
    }).select()
  }
}
```

Object: ON condition has muti-field

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` LEFT JOIN `think_cate` ON think_user.`id`=think_cate.`id` LEFT JOIN `think_group_tag` ON think_user.`id`=think_group_tag.`group_id` L
    return this.join({
      cate: {on: 'id, id'},
      group_tag: {on: ['id', 'group_id']},
      tag: {
        on: { // multi-field's ON
          id: 'id',
          title: 'name'
        }
      }
    }).select()
  }
}
```

Object: table value is SQL statement

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  async getList(){
    let sql = await this.model('group').buildSql();
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` LEFT JOIN ( SELECT * FROM `think_group` ) ON think_user.`gid`=( SELECT * FROM `think_group` ).`id`
    return this.join({
      table: sql,
      on: ['gid', 'id']
    }).select();
  }
}
```

model.order(order)

- `order` {String | Array | Object} sort order
- `return` {this}

Set sort order.

String

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` ORDER BY id DESC, name ASC
    return this.order('id DESC, name ASC').select();
  }
  getList1(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` ORDER BY count(num) DESC
    return this.order('count(num) DESC').select();
  }
}
```

Array

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` ORDER BY id DESC,name ASC
    return this.order(['id DESC', 'name ASC']).select();
  }
}
```

Object

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` ORDER BY `id` DESC,`name` ASC
    return this.order({
      id: 'DESC',
      name: 'ASC'
    }).select();
  }
}
```

model.alias(tableAlias)

- `tableAlias` {String} table alias name
- `return` {this}

Set tabel alias name.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getList(){
    //SELECT * FROM think_user AS a;
    return this.alias('a').select();
  }
}
```

model.having(having)

- `having` {String} query string with having
- `return` {this}

Set having query.

```
export default class extends think.model.base {  
  getList(){  
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` HAVING view_nums > 1000 AND view_nums < 2000  
    return this.having('view_nums > 1000 AND view_nums < 2000').select();  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

model.group(group)

- `group` {String} group query field
- `return` {this}

Set group query.

```
export default class extends think.model.base {  
  getList(){  
    //SELECT * FROM `think_user` GROUP BY `name`  
    return this.group('name').select();  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

model.distinct(distinct)

- `distinct` {String} distinct field
- `return` {this}

Distinct field

```
export default class extends think.model.base {  
  getList(){  
    //SELECT DISTINCT `name` FROM `think_user`  
    return this.distinct('name').select();  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

model.explain(explain)

- `explain` {Boolean} Whether add explain execution or not
- `return` {this}

Whether add explain execution before SQL for performance of SQL or not.

model.optionsFilter(options)

Options for filter.

model.dataFilter(data)

- `data` {Object | Array} data to operate

Filter data.

model.beforeAdd(data)

- `data` {Object} data will add

Add before operate.

model.afterAdd(data)

- `data` {Object} data will add

Add after data.

model.afterDelete(data)

Delete after operation.

model.beforeUpdate(data)

- `data` {Object} data will add

Update before operation.

model.afterUpdate(data)

- `data` {Object} data will add

Update after operation.

model.afterFind(data)

- `data` {Object} single data to query
- `return` {Object | Promise}

After `find` query operation.

model.afterSelect(data)

- `data` [Array] data to query
- `return` {Array | Promise}

After `select` query operation.

model.data(data)

- `data` {Object}

The data which to added and updated.

model.options(options)

- `options` {Object}

Config operate options, like:

```
export default class extends think.model.base {  
  getList(){  
    return this.options({  
      where: 'id = 1',  
      limit: [10, 1]  
    }).select();  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

model.close()

About database connection, normally donot invoke directly.

model.getTableFields(table)

- `table` {String} table name
- `return` {Promise}

Get table filed information, read from database directly.

model.getLastSql()

- `return` {String}

Get the last SQL statement.

model.buildSql()

- `return` {Promise}

Make current query condition to generate a SQL statement.

model.parseOptions(oriOpts, extraOptions)

- `oriOpts` {Object}

- `extraOptions` {Object}
- `return` {Promise}

Options which are based on some conditions to parse current operation.

model.getPk()

- `return` {Promise}

Return value of `pk` , returning is a Promise.

model.parseType(field, value)

- `field` {String} the field name of data table
- `value` {Mixed}
- `return` {Mixed}

Based on filed type of data table to pase value.

model.parseData(data)

- `data` {Object} data to pase
- `return` {Object}

Invoke `paseType` to parse data.

model.add(data, options, replace)

- `data` {Object} data to add
- `options` {Object} operate options
- `replace` {Boolean} whether is replace or not
- `return` {Promise} return inserted ID

add one data.

model.thenAdd(data, where)

- `data` {Object} data to add
- `where` {Object} where condition
- `return` {Promise}

When where condition didn't passed any data then to add data.

model.addMany(dataList, options, replace)

- `dataList` {Array} data list to add
- `options` {Object} operate options
- `replace` {Boolean} is replace or not
- `return` {Promise} return the inserted ID

Add many data in one time.

model.delete(options)

- `options` {Object} operate options
- `return` {Promise} return affected row

Delete data.

model.update(data, options)

- `data` {Object} data to update
- `options` {Object} operate options
- `return` {Promise} return affected rows

Updata data.

updateMany(dataList, options)

- `dataList` {Array} data to update
- `options` {Object} operate options
- `return` {Promise}

Update multi-data, dataList must contains value of primay key, it will set to update condition automatically.

model.increment(field, step)

- `field` {String} field name
- `step` {Number} add value, default is 1
- `return` {Promise}

Increase value of field.

model.decrement(field, step)

- `field` {String} field name
- `step` {Number} decrease value, default is 1
- `return` {Promise}

Decrease value of field.

model.find(options)

- `options` {Object} operate options
- `return` {Promise} return one data

Query one data, type of data is object, if there is not result, return `{}` .

model.select(options)

- `options` {Object} operate options
- `return` {Promise} return multi-data

Query one data, type of data is array, if there is not result, return `[]` .

model.countSelect(options, pageFlag)

- `options` {Object} operate options
- `pageFlag` {Boolean} if page number is illegal, true means changed to first page, false means changed to last page, default is no change.
- `return` {Promise}

Page query, normally need to use with `page` , like:

```
export default class extends think.controller.base {
  async listAction(){
    let model = this.model('user');
    let data = await model.page(this.get('page')).countSelect();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

returned data structure like this below:

```
{
  numsPerPage: 10, //每页显示的条数
  currentPage: 1, //当前页
  count: 100, //总条数
  totalPages: 10, //总页数
  data: [{ //当前页下的数据列表
    name: "thinkjs",
    email: "admin@thinkjs.org"
  }, ...]
}
```

JavaScript

model.getField(field, one)

- `field` {String} field name, split with comma
- `one` {Boolean | Number} the number of result
- `return` {Promise}

Get value of specify field.

model.count(field)

- `field` {String} field name

- `return` {Promise} return the number of fields

Get the number of fields.

model.sum(field)

- `field` {String} field name
- `return` {Promise}

Get the sum of field value

model.min(field)

- `field` {String} field name
- `return` {Promise}

Get the minimum of field

model.max(field)

- `field` {String} field name
- `return` {Promise}

Get the maximum of field

model.avg(field)

- `field` {String} field name
- `return` {Promise}

Get the avg of field

model.query(...args)

- `return` {Promise}

Specify SQL statement to query.

model.execute(...args)

- `return` {Promise}

Execute SQL statement.

model.parseSql(sql, ...args)

- `sql` {String} to parsed SQL statement
- `return` {String}

Paser SQL statement, invoke `util.format` to parse SQL statement, and parse `__TABLENAME__` of SQL statement to tabel name.

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  getSql(){
    let sql = 'SELECT * FROM __GROUP__ WHERE id=%d';
    sql = this.parseSql(sql, 10);
    //sql is SELECT * FROM think_group WHERE id=10
  }
}
```

JavaScript

model.startTrans()

- `return` {Promise}

Start transaction.

model.commit()

- `return` {Promise}

Commit transaction.

model.rollback()

- `return` {Promise}

rollback transaction.

model.transaction(fn)

- `fn` {Function} to executed function
- `return` {Promise}

Use transaction to execute passed function, which must return Promise.

```
export default class extends think.model.base {
  updateData(data){
    return this.transaction(async () => {
      let insertId = await this.add(data);
      let result = await this.model('user_cate').add({user_id: insertId, cate_id: 100});
      return result;
    })
  }
}
```

JavaScript

MongoDB

`think.model.mongo` instance of [think.model.base](#).

Instance of this class with ES6

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  getList(){
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Instance of this class with normal way

```
module.exports = think.model('mongo', {
  getList: function(){
  }
})
```

JavaScript

Method

model.indexes

Set indexes of field, before operate data it will set index automatically.

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    // set indexes
    this.indexes = {

    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Single field index

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    // set index
    this.indexes = {
      name: 1
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Unique index

With `$unique` to set unique index, like:

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    // set index
    this.indexes = {
      name: { $unique: 1 }
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

Multi-field index

Multi-field index, like:

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  init(...args){
    super.init(...args);
    // set index
    this.indexes = {
      email: 1
      test: {
        name: 1,
        title: 1,
        $unique: 1
      }
    }
  }
}
```

JavaScript

model.pk

Primary key name, default is `_id`, get it with `this.getPk`.

Function

model.where(where)

Where condition in mongo model is different from relational database.

equal condition

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  where1(){
    return this.where({ type: "snacks" }).select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

AND condition

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  where1(){
    return this.where({ type: 'food', price: { $lt: 9.95 } }).select();
  }
}
```

JavaScript

OR condition

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  where1(){
    return this.where({
      $or: [ { qty: { $gt: 100 } }, { price: { $lt: 9.95 } } ]
    }).select();
  }
  where2(){
    return this.where({
      type: 'food',
      $or: [ { qty: { $gt: 100 } }, { price: { $lt: 9.95 } } ]
    }).select();
  }
}
```

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JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  where1(){
    return this.where( {
      producer:
        {
          company: 'ABC123',
          address: '123 Street'
        }
    }).select();
  }
  where2(){
    return this.where({ 'producer.company': 'ABC123' }).select();
  }
}
```

IN condition

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  where1(){
    return this.where({ type: { $in: [ 'food', 'snacks' ] } }).select();
  }
}
```

More details in <https://docs.mongodb.org/manual/reference/operator/query/#query-selectors>.

model.collection()

- `return` {Promise}

Get handler which operate current table.

JavaScript

```
export default class extends think.model.mongo {
  async getIndexes(){
    let collection = await this.collection();
    return collection.indexes();
  }
}
```

model.aggregate(options)

Aggregate query, more details in <https://docs.mongodb.org/manual/core/aggregation-introduction/>.

model.mapReduce(map, reduce, out)

mapReduce operate, more details in <https://docs.mongodb.org/manual/core/map-reduce/>.

model.createIndex(indexes, options)

- `indexes` {Object} index options
- `options` {Object}

Create indexes.

model.getIndexes()

- `return` {Promise}

Get indexes.

middleware

`think.middleware.base` instance of [think.http.base](#).

ES6 way

```
export default class extends think.middleware.base {  
  run(){  
  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript

Create class dynamically

```
module.exports = think.middleware({  
  run: function(){  
  
  }  
})
```

JavaScript

Function

middleare.run()

- `return` {Promise}

middleware exported entrance, invoke this function when calling middleware.