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Wearables devices



Products from Samsung, Pebble, Google, Qualcomm, Nike and Fitbit

JS in embedded controllers







48 KB RAM

Why?

- We are interested in small footprint JavaScript engine
 - For wearables and WoT (web of things) devices
 - E.g. smartwatches, fitness-oriented wearables, and others
 - compliant with ECMA-262 full specification?
 - compliant with only subset profile of ECMA-262?
 - Possibly created as an open-source project
 - reference engine implementation
 - applications using this engine
- We are here to ask your opinion about our approach
 - a (multi-level) subset profile of ECMAScript,
 - Multi-level: to cater to devices of various memory footprints (100kb ... 512 Mb)
 - is it reasonable?
 - can be covered in this group?
 - ...
 - and other more valuable approach you have?

What?

- How to define a subset profile?
 - background research for identifying the subset
 - criteria for subset definition
 - cost of implementation
 - frequency of use
 - etc ...
 - definition of compatibility with ECMA-262
- How to balance between size and performance?
 - is there any common requirement?
- Handling footprint is possible, but how to handle (bound) runtime resource usage by the application?
- Any other issues?