

# Topic: **callback hell and promises**

## Callback hell

Callback hell, also known as "**Pyramid of Doom**," is a term used in JavaScript programming to describe a situation where multiple nested callbacks make the code difficult to read, understand, and maintain. This usually happens when dealing with asynchronous operations, such as making API requests or reading files.

### Syntax:

```
step1(function() {  
  step2(function() {  
    step3(function() {  
      console.log("All steps completed");  
    });  
  });  
});
```

### Example:1

```
function first(callback) {  
  console.log("first");  
  callback();  
}  
  
function second(callback) {  
  console.log("second");  
  callback();  
}  
  
function third(callback) {  
  console.log("third");  
  callback();  
}  
  
function fourth(callback) {  
  console.log("fourth");  
}  
  
first(() => {  
  second(() => {  
    third(() => {  
      fourth();  
    });  
  });  
});
```

### Example:2

```
function add(val, callback) {  
  callback(val + 10);  
}  
  
function sub(val, callback) {  
  callback(val - 5);  
}  
  
function mul(val, callback) {
```

```

    callback(val * 2);
  }

  function div(val, callback) {
    callback(val / 5);
  }

  add(10, (address) => {
    sub(address, (subres) => {
      mul(subres, (mulres) => {
        div(mulres, (finalres) => {
          console.log(finalres);
        });
      });
    });
  });
});

```

### Example:3

```

function wakeUp(callback) {
  setTimeout(() => {
    console.log("1. Woke up");
    callback();
  }, 1000);
}

function eatBreakfast(callback) {
  setTimeout(() => {
    console.log("2. Ate breakfast");
    callback();
  }, 1000);
}

function study(callback) {
  setTimeout(() => {
    console.log("3. Studied");
    callback();
  }, 1000);
}

function goToSleep(callback) {
  setTimeout(() => {
    console.log("4. Went to sleep");
    callback();
  }, 1000);
}

// The callback hell part starts here
wakeUp(() => {
  eatBreakfast(() => {
    study(() => {
      goToSleep(() => {
        console.log("Finished all tasks!");
      });
    });
  });
});

```

To mitigate callback hell, several approaches have been developed:

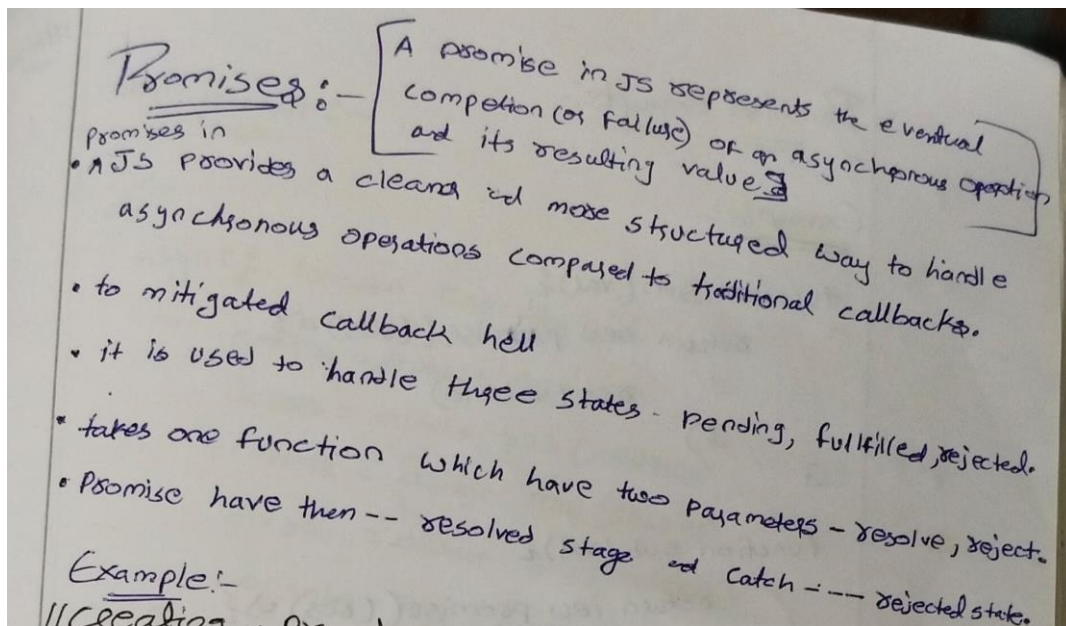
Named functions

Promises

Async/await

## Promises

Promises in JavaScript provide a cleaner and more structured way to handle asynchronous operations compared to traditional callbacks. It has three states: pending, fulfilled, or rejected.



**Creating a Promise(producing)** : You create a new Promise object using the Promise constructor. This constructor takes a function as an argument, which in turn takes two parameters: resolve and reject. Inside this function, you perform your asynchronous operation, and when it's completed, you call resolve with the result or reject with an error if it fails.

```
//promises creation
var promises=new Promise(function (resolve,reject){
var a=100;
if(a==10){
resolve("a is 10")
}
else{
reject("a is not 10")
}
});
```

**Consuming a Promise:** You consume a promise using the then method, which takes two optional parameters: a callback function to handle the resolved value, and a callback function to handle any errors.

```
//print the response
promises.then((val)=>{
console.log(val)
}).catch((err)=>{
console.log(err)
})
```

Promises also forming chain method which inturns make code readability difficult in order to avoid this

```

let add = (val) =>
  new Promise((resolve, reject) => {
    resolve(val + 10);
  });

let sub = (val) =>
  new Promise((resolve, reject) => {
    resolve(val - 10);
  });

let mul = (val) =>
  new Promise((resolve, reject) => {
    resolve(val * 5);
  });

let div = (val) =>
  new Promise((resolve, reject) => {
    resolve(val / 2);
  });

add(10)
  .then((addres) => sub(addres))
  .then((subres) => mul(subres))
  .then((mulres) => div(mulres))
  .then((divres) => console.log(divres))
  .catch((error) => console.error(error));

```

## Promises aysnchronous

```

let promise1= new Promise((resolve,reject)=>{
  console.log("promise 1");
  setTimeout(resolve, 2000, "promise 1 success")
})

let promise2= new Promise((resolve,reject)=>{
  console.log("promise 2");
  setTimeout(resolve, 1500, "promise 2 success")
})

let promise3= new Promise((resolve,reject)=>{
  console.log("promise 3");
  setTimeout(resolve, 1800, "promise 3 success")
})

let promise4= new Promise((resolve,reject)=>{
  console.log("promise 4");
  setTimeout(resolve, 500, "promise 4 success")
})

promise1.then((resolve)=>{console.log(resolve)})
promise2.then((resolve)=>{console.log(resolve)})
promise3.then((resolve)=>{console.log(resolve)})
promise4.then((resolve)=>{console.log(resolve)})

```

//convert synchronous to aynchronous

```

promise1
  .then((result) => {
    console.log(result);
    return promise2;
  })
  .then((result) => {
    console.log(result);
    return promise3;
  })

```

```

.then((result) => {
  console.log(result);
  return promise4;
})
.then((result) => {
  console.log(result);
});

```

## Async/Await

Async/await is a modern feature in JavaScript that simplifies working with asynchronous code, especially when dealing with Promises. It allows you to write asynchronous code in a synchronous-like manner, making it easier to read, write, and maintain.

1. **Async Functions:** An async function is a function that operates asynchronously via the event loop. You declare an async function by prefixing the function declaration with the **async** keyword.

```

async function myAsyncFunction() {
  // Asynchronous code here
}

```

2. **Await Keyword:** The await keyword is used inside an async function to pause the execution of the function until a Promise is settled (resolved or rejected). It allows you to write code that looks synchronous but behaves asynchronously.

```

async function myAsyncFunction() {
  const result = await somePromise;
  // Code here executes after somePromise is resolved
}

```

Example

```

//promise is created
function apromise() {
  return new Promise(function (res, rej) {
    var a = 20;
    if (a % 2 == 0) {
      res("num is even");
    } else {
      rej("num is odd");
    }
  });
}

//resolving the promise value using async/await
async function asyncfun() {
  var v = await apromise();
  console.log(v);
}
asyncfun();

```

//callback hell

```

async function executor(){
  var addres=await add(10);
  var subres=await sub(addres);
}

```

```

    var mulres=await mul(subres);
    var divres=await div(mulres);
    console.log(divres);
  }
  executor()

```

//asynchronous

```

async function executor() {
  let result1 = await promise1;
  console.log(result1);

  let result2 = await promise2;
  console.log(result2);

  let result3 = await promise3;
  console.log(result3);

  let result4 = await promise4;
  console.log(result4);
}
executor();

```

```

44      })
45    })
46    var promise3=new Promise((res,rej)=>{
47      setTimeout(() => {
48        res("learning js")
49      }, 2000);
50    })
51
52
53    Promise.all([promise1, promise2,promise3]))
54    .then((res)=>{
55      console.log(res)
56    })
57

```

// promise.all --> print all

```

43      }, 500);
44    })
45
46    var promise3=new Promise((res,rej)=>{
47      setTimeout(() => {
48        res("learning js")
49      }, 500);
50    })
51
52
53    Promise.race([promise1, promise2,promise3]))
54    .then((res)=>{
55      console.log(res)
56    })
57
58

```

//race – it declares the winner