

* Use of 'this' Keyword *

→ Overview

*1. In an object, this refers to the object.

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*2. Alone, this refers to the global object.

*3. In a function, this refers to the global object.

*4. In a function, in strict mode, this is undefined.

*5. In an event, this refers to the element that received the event.

*6. Methods like call(), apply(), and bind() can refer this to any object.

*3.

```
> function callme() {  
    console.log(this);  
}  
callme();
```

output

```
▷ Window { ... }  
↳ undefined
```

*2

> this

⇒ output ⇒ ▷ Window { ... }

*4.

"use strict";

Defines that Javascript code should be executed in "strict mode".

The purpose of "use strict" is to indicate that the code should be executed in "strict mode".

It is not a statement, but a literal expression.

With strict mode, you can not, for eg., use undeclared variable

We can't call function before defining it in strict mode. This is because of "Hoisting"

eg: <script>

"use script";

x = 3.14; // this will cause an error (x is not defined)

</script>

*1.

const obj = {

name: "Aman",

greet: function () {

console.log(this);

};

};

obj.greet();

→ { name: 'Aman', greet: f }

So, this refers to object obj.

Note :- If greet method is defined using the "Method Shorthand" syntax. Then again, this refers to object itself

Note :- If we define function using fat Arrow function then this refers to window object