

Objects and Functions

How to initialize a new object with an object literal

```
const invoice = {};
```

How to initialize a new object with properties and methods

```
const invoice = {  
    taxRate: 0.0875,           // property  
    getTotal(subtotal) {      // method  
        const salesTax = subtotal * this.taxRate;  
                                // this = the object  
        return subtotal + salesTax;  
    }  
};
```

How to use dot notation to refer to an object's properties and methods

```
console.log(invoice.taxRate);           // displays 0.0875  
const total = invoice.getTotal(100);    // total is 108.75
```

How to nest objects

```
const invoice = {  
  terms: {  
    dueDays: 30,  
    description: "Net due 30 days"  
  }  
};
```

How to use dot notation to refer to nested objects

```
console.log(invoice.terms.dueDays) ;  
// displays 30  
  
console.log(invoice.terms.description) ;  
// displays 'Net due 30 days'
```

Two ways to code a method

Using traditional syntax

```
const invoice = {  
  getTotal: function(subtotal, taxRate) {  
    return subtotal + (subtotal * taxRate);  
  }  
};
```

Using concise method syntax

```
const invoice = {  
  getTotal(subtotal, taxRate) {  
    return subtotal + (subtotal * taxRate);  
  }  
};
```

How to add properties and methods to an object

```
// create an object
const invoice = {};

// add a property
invoice.taxRate = 0.0875;

// add a method
invoice.getSalesTax(subtotal) {
    return (subtotal * this.taxRate);
};
```

How to modify the value of a property

```
invoice.taxRate = 0.095;
```

How to remove a property from an object

```
delete invoice.taxRate;
console.log(invoice.taxRate);    // displays undefined
```

How to use a class to define an object type

The Invoice class

```
class Invoice {  
    constructor() {  
        this.subtotal = null;  
        this.taxRate = null;  
    }  
    getTotal() {  
        const salesTax = this.subtotal * this.taxRate  
        return this.subtotal + salesTax;  
    }  
}
```

How to create and use an Invoice object

```
const invoice = new Invoice();  
invoice.subtotal = 100;  
invoice.taxRate = 0.0875;  
total = invoice.getTotal();           // total is 108.75
```

Code that attempts to create an Invoice object without the *new* keyword

```
const invoice = Invoice();  
                // throws a TypeError exception
```


How to add parameters to the constructor for the Invoice type

```
class Invoice {  
    constructor(subtotal, taxRate) {  
        this.subtotal = subtotal;  
        this.taxRate = taxRate;  
    }  
    getTotal() { /* same as before */ }  
}
```

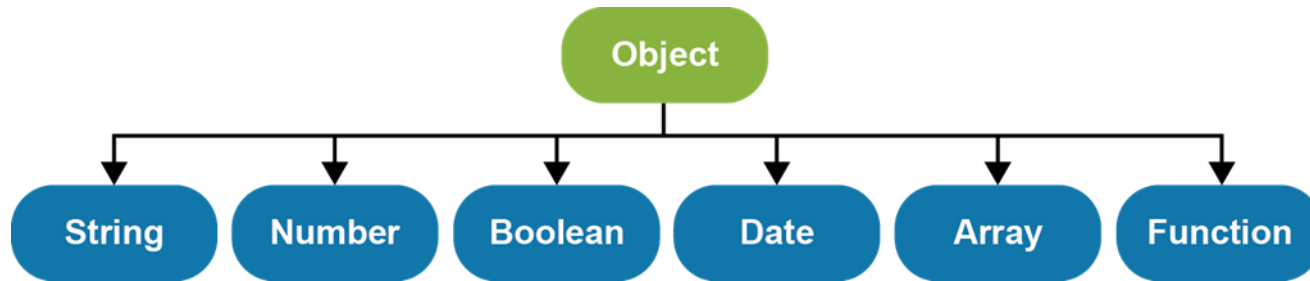
How to pass arguments to the constructor

```
const invoice = new Invoice(100, 0.0875);  
total = invoice.getTotal(); // total is 108.75
```

How to create two Invoice objects that hold different data

```
const invoice1 = new Invoice(100, 0.0875);  
const invoice2 = new Invoice(1000, 0.07);  
  
const total1 = invoice1.getTotal(); // total1 is 108.75  
const total2 = invoice2.getTotal(); // total2 is 1070
```

The JavaScript object hierarchy



The Person class

```
class Person {  
    constructor(fname, lname) {  
        this.firstName = fname;  
        this.lastName = lname;  
    }  
    getfullName() {  
        return this.firstName + this.lastName;  
    }  
}
```

How to create and use a Person object

```
// create Person object  
const p = new Person("Grace", "Hopper");  
  
console.log(p.fullName);           // displays "Grace Hopper"
```

An Employee class that inherits the Person class

```
class Employee extends Person {  
    constructor(fname, lname, hireDate) {  
        super(fname, lname);  
        this.hireDate = hireDate;  
    }  
}
```

How to create and use an Employee object

```
const emp = new Employee(  
    "Bjarne", "Stroustrup", new Date("1/1/1979"));  
console.log(emp.fullName);  
// displays "Bjarne Stroustrup"  
console.log(emp.hireDate.toDateString());  
// displays "Mon Jan 01 1979"
```

How to use brackets to refer to properties and methods of an object

```
const invoice = {  
    taxRate: 0.0875,                // property  
    getTotal(subtotal) {           // method  
        return subtotal + subtotal * this.taxRate;  
    }  
};  
  
console.log(invoice.taxRate);       // displays 0.0875  
console.log(invoice["taxRate"]);    // displays 0.0875  
  
const total1 = invoice.getTotal(100); // total1 is 108.75  
const total2 = invoice["getTotal"](100); // total2 is 108.75  
  
// collides with getTotal()  
invoice.getTotal = function(subtotal) {  
    return subtotal + subtotal * 0.10;  
};  
  
const total3 = invoice.getTotal(100); // total3 is 110.00  
console.log(total3);
```

How to destructure an object in the parameter list of a function

```
const displayGreeting = ({firstName, lastName}) => {  
    console.log("Hello, " + firstName + " " + lastName);  
};
```

Code that calls the function

```
displayGreeting(person);  
// displays "Hello, Grace Hopper"  
  
displayGreeting();  
// TypeError: Cannot destructure property
```

First-class functions

- Functions can be assigned to variables

```
let myfunc = function(a, x) {  
  return a * b;  
};
```

- Functions can be passed as parameters

```
function apply(a, b, f) {  
  return f(a, b);  
}  
let x = apply(2, 3, myfunc); // 6
```

- Functions can be return values

```
function getAlert(str) {  
  return function() { alert(str); }  
}  
let whatsUpAlert = getAlert("What's up!");  
whatsUpAlert(); // "What's up!"
```

Javascript functions

- Function *parameters* are the names listed in the function definition.
- Function *arguments* are the real values passed to (and received by) the function.
- JavaScript function definitions do not specify data types for parameters.
- JavaScript functions do not perform type checking on the passed arguments.
- JavaScript functions do not check the number of arguments received.
- If a function is called with missing arguments (less than declared), the missing values are set to: *undefined*

arguments Object

JavaScript functions have a built-in object called the **arguments** object. The **arguments** object contains an array of the arguments used when the function is called (invoked).

```
function findMax() {  
    let i;  
    var max = -Infinity;  
    for (i = 0; i < arguments.length; i++){  
        if (arguments[i] > max) {  
            max = arguments[i];  
        }  
    }  
    return max;  
}
```

```
let x = findMax(1, 123, 500, 115, 44, 88); // 500  
var x = findMax(5, 32, 24); // 32
```

Arrow functions (ES6)

- Arrow functions are function shorthand using `=>` syntax.
- Syntactically similar to Java 8, lambda expressions
- Two factors influenced the introduction of arrow functions:
 - Shorter functions
 - Non-binding of `this` (covered later)

Arrow Functions

Arrow functions can be a shorthand for an anonymous function.

```
(arguments) => { return statement } // general syntax  
argument => { return statement } // one parameter  
argument => statement // implicit return  
() => statement // no input
```

```
function multiply (num1, num2) {  
    return num1 * num2; }  
var output = multiply(5, 5);
```

```
var multiply = (num1, num2) => num1 * num2;  
var output = multiply(5, 5);
```

Default Parameters (ES6)

```
function log(x=10, y=5) {  
    console.log( x + ", " + y );  
}
```

```
log(); // 10, 5
```

```
log(5); // 5, 5
```

```
log(5, 10); // 5, 10
```

Rest Operator (ES6)

- A **Rest** syntax allows us to represent variable number of arguments as an Array.
 - Its like `varargs` in Java and has same syntax.
 - Rest parameters should be the last parameter in a function.

```
function sum(x,y, ...more){  
    var total = x + y;  
    if(more.length > 0){  
        for (let i=0; i<more.length; i++) {  
            total += more[i];  
        }  
    }  
    console.log(total);  
}
```

```
sum(4,4); // 8
```

```
sum(4,4,4); // 12
```

Private Fields and Methods in Objects

Class fields are public by default, but private class members can be created by using a hash # prefix.

```
class ClassWithPrivateField {  
    #privateField;  
}
```

```
class ClassWithPrivateMethod {  
    #privateMethod() { return 'hello world'; }  
}
```

```
class ClassWithPrivateStaticField {  
    static #PRIVATE_STATIC_FIELD;  
}
```

```
class ClassWithPrivateStaticMethod {  
    static #privateStaticMethod() { return 'hello world'; }  
}
```

Private Instance Fields

```
class ClassWithPrivateField {  
    #privateField;  
  
    constructor() {  
        this.#privateField = 42;  
        this.#undeclaredField = 444; // Syntax error  
    }  
}  
  
const instance = new ClassWithPrivateField();  
instance.#privateField === 42;    // Syntax error
```

Private Static Fields

```
class ClassWithPrivateStaticField {  
    static #PRIVATE_STATIC_FIELD;  
  
    static publicStaticMethod() {  
        ClassWithPrivateStaticField.#PRIVATE_STATIC_FIELD = 42;  
        return ClassWithPrivateStaticField.#PRIVATE_STATIC_FIELD;  
    }  
}  
  
console.log(  
    ClassWithPrivateStaticField.publicStaticMethod() === 42); // true
```


Private Instance Methods

```
class ClassWithPrivateMethod {  
  #privateMethod() {  
    return 'hello world';  
  }  
  
  getPrivateMessage() {  
    return this.#privateMethod();  
  }  
}
```

```
const instance = new ClassWithPrivateMethod();  
console.log(instance.getPrivateMessage());  
// hello world
```

Module pattern

```
(function(params) {  
    statements;  
})(params);
```

- declares and immediately calls an anonymous function
 - parens around function are a special syntax that means this is a function expression that will be immediately invoked
 - “immediately invoked function”
 - used to create a new **scope** and **closure** around it
 - can help to avoid declaring global variables/functions
 - used by JavaScript libraries to keep global namespace clean

Module example

```
// old: 3 globals
```

```
let count = 0;
function incr(n) {
  count += n;
}
function reset() {
  count = 0;
}
incr(4); incr(2);
document.write(count);
```

```
// new: 0 globals!
```

```
(function() {
  let count = 0;
  function incr(n) {
    count += n;
  }
  function reset() {
    count = 0;
  }
  incr(4); incr(2);
  document.write(count);
})(); //run it
```

- declare-and-call protects your code and avoids globals
- avoids common problem with namespace/name collisions