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## PuppeteerNode class

Extends the main Puppeteer class with Node specific behaviour for fetching and downloading browsers.

If you're using Puppeteer in a Node environment, this is the class you'll get when you run `require('puppeteer')` (or the equivalent ES `import`).

Signature:

```
export declare class PuppeteerNode extends Puppeteer
```

Extends: Puppeteer

## Remarks

The most common method to use is `launch`, which is used to launch and connect to a new browser instance.

See the main Puppeteer class for methods common to all environments, such as `Puppeteer.connect()`.

The constructor for this class is marked as internal. Third-party code should not call the constructor directly or create subclasses that extend the `PuppeteerNode` class.

## Example

The following is a typical example of using Puppeteer to drive automation:

```
const puppeteer = require('puppeteer');

(async () => {
  const browser = await puppeteer.launch();
  const page = await browser.newPage();
  await page.goto('https://www.google.com');
  // other actions...
  await browser.close();
})();
```

Once you have created a `page` you have access to a large API to interact with the page, navigate, or find certain elements in that page. The ‘page’ documentation lists all the available methods.

## Properties

Property	Modifiers	Type	Description
product		string	The name of the browser that is under automation ("chrome" or "firefox")

## Methods

Method	Modifiers	Description
connect(options)		This method attaches Puppeteer to an existing browser instance.
createBrowserFetcher(options)		
defaultArgs(options)		
executablePath(channel)		
launch(options)		Launches puppeteer and launches a browser instance with given arguments and options when specified.