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## JSHandle.evaluate() method

This method passes this handle as the first argument to `pageFunction` . If `pageFunction` returns a Promise, then `handle.evaluate` would wait for the promise to resolve and return its value.

### Signature:

```
evaluate<T extends EvaluateFn<HandleObjectType>>(pageFunction: T | string, ...args:
SerializableOrJSHandle[]): Promise<UnwrapPromiseLike<EvaluateFnReturnType<T>>>;
```

### Parameters

Parameter	Type	Description
pageFunction	T   string	
args	<a href="#">SerializableOrJSHandle</a> []	

### Returns:

Promise<[UnwrapPromiseLike](#)<[EvaluateFnReturnType](#)<T>>>

### Example

```
const tweetHandle = await page.$('.tweet .retweets');
expect(await tweetHandle.evaluate(node => node.innerText)).toBe('10');
```