

fetch

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Isomorphic polyfill for the WHATWG `fetch()` API.

In modern browsers, the native `fetch()` API can be used without a polyfill. In other words, this package has almost no footprint in modern browsers. This package calls `setMinimumBrowserVersions` to enforce minimum modern browser versions. However, `fetch()` has been supported natively by most browsers for long enough that these minimum versions are unlikely to make any difference in the `isModern` test, compared to more recent features like `async` functions.

In legacy browsers, the `whatwg-fetch` polyfill is used. Thanks to Meteor's modern/legacy system, this polyfill adds no weight to the modern JS bundle.

In Node, the `node-fetch` polyfill is used. Note: unlike the client polyfills, the Node polyfill does not define the `fetch` function globally. However, any application or package that depends on the Meteor `fetch` package can refer to `fetch` as if it was a global function (or `import { fetch } from "meteor/fetch"`).