

Experiment 9

Aim: To implement Service worker events like fetch, sync and push for E-commerce PWA.

Theory:

1. Network-First Strategy:

- In the network-first strategy, the application attempts to fetch resources from the network (server) first.
- If the network request fails or the resource is not available, the application falls back to using a cached version of the resource.
- This strategy ensures that the application always fetches the latest version of resources from the server whenever possible but gracefully handles offline scenarios by using cached resources.

2. Cache-First Strategy:

- In the cache-first strategy, the application attempts to retrieve resources from the cache first before making a network request.
- If the resource is found in the cache, it is returned immediately without making a network request.
- This strategy is suitable for scenarios where resources are relatively static and can be safely cached for extended periods, reducing the need for frequent network requests.

3. Fetch Event:

- The `fetch` event is fired whenever the browser makes a network request for a resource, such as an HTML page, CSS file, JavaScript file, image, or API endpoint.
- Developers can intercept fetch requests using service workers to implement custom caching strategies, handle network errors, or modify responses before they are delivered to the browser.

4. Push Event:

- The `push` event is fired when a push notification is received by the service worker from a push service.
- Push notifications allow web applications to deliver real-time updates and alerts to users, even when the browser is not actively in use.
- When a push event is received, the service worker can process the notification data and display a notification to the user, providing timely information or updates.

5. Sync Event:

- The `sync` event is triggered when the browser regains connectivity after being offline and is able to synchronize data with the server.
- Sync events are useful for implementing background synchronization tasks, such as sending queued requests or updating local data with server changes, when the browser is back online.
- Service workers can listen for sync events and perform synchronization tasks in the background, even when the web application is not actively being used.

Code:

Push event:

```
self.addEventListener('push', function (event) {
    if (event && event.data) {
        var data = event.data.json();
        if (data.method == "pushMessage") {
            console.log("Push notification sent");
            event.waitUntil(
                self.registration.showNotification("My watch", {
                    body: data.message
                })
            );
        }
    }
});
```

Event Listener for Background Sync Registration:

```
document.querySelector("button").addEventListener("click", async (
) => {
    var swRegistration = await
navigator.serviceWorker.register("sw.js");
    swRegistration.sync.register("helloSync").then(function() {
        console.log("helloSync success[main.js]");
    })
})
```

Event Listener for sw.js:

```
self.addEventListener('sync', event => {
    if (event.tag === 'helloSync') {
        console.log("helloSync[sw.js]");
    }
});
```

Fetch:

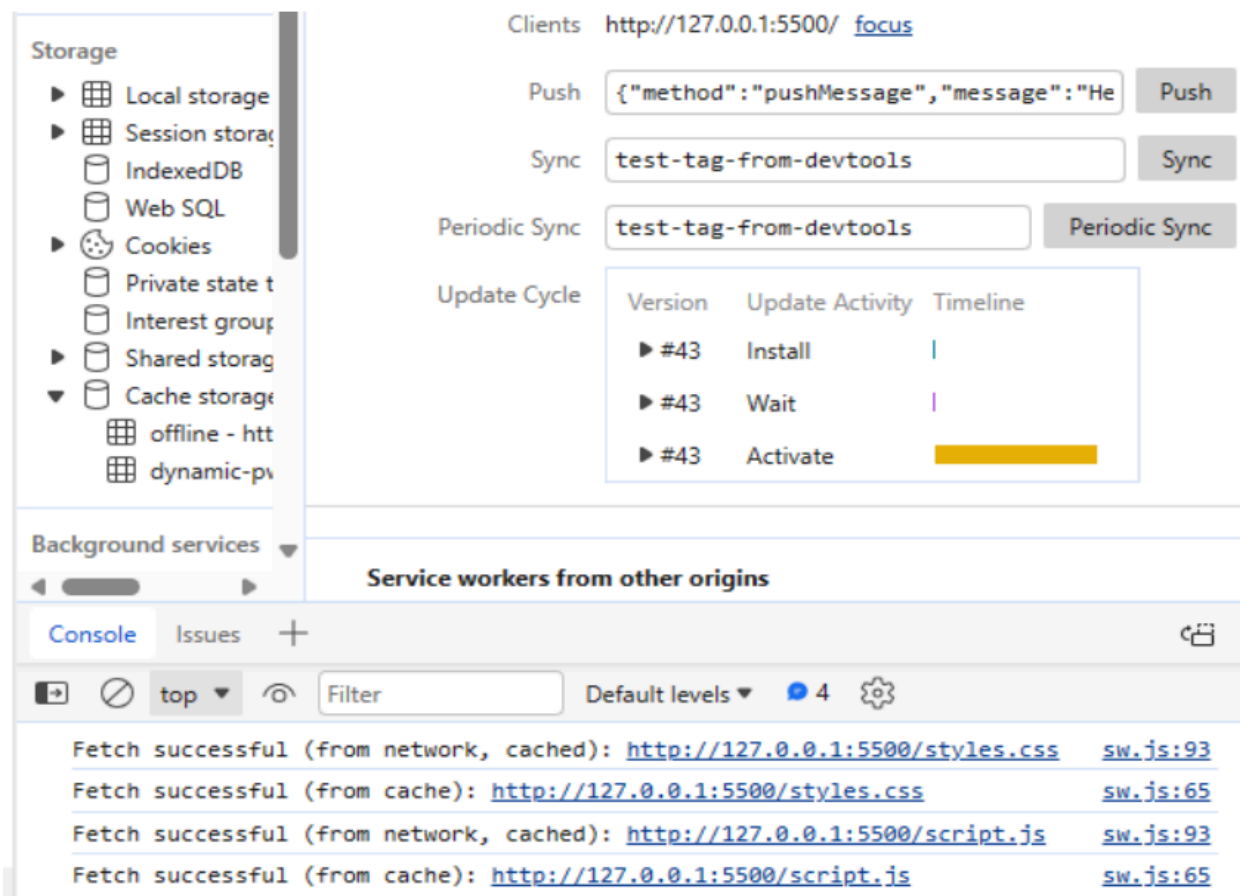
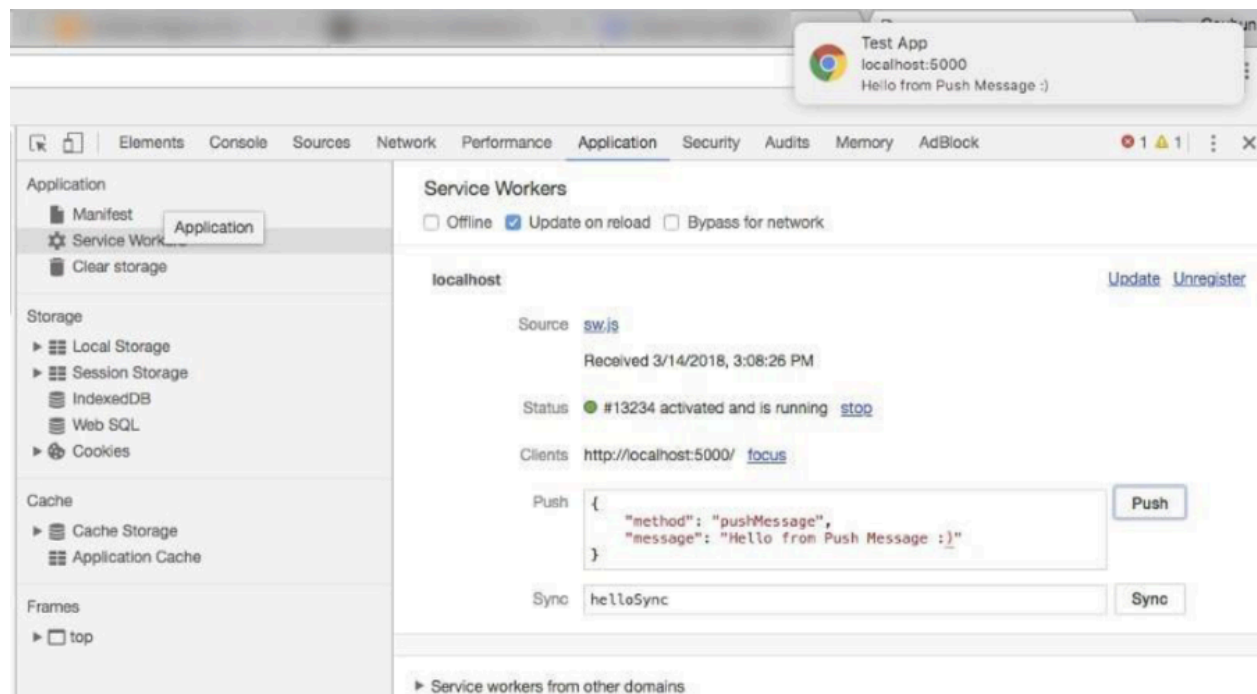
```
self.addEventListener('fetch', event => {
  event.respondWith(
    caches.match(event.request)
      .then(response => {
        if (response) {
          return response;
        }
        return fetch(event.request);
      })
  );
});
```

Network First:

```
async function networkFirst(req) {
  const cache = await caches.open("pwa-dynamic");
  try{
    const res = await fetch(req);
    cache.put(req, res.clone());
    return res;
  }
  catch(error) {
    const cachedResponse = await cache.match(req);
    return cachedResponse || await
caches.match("./noconnection.json")
  }
}
```

Cache First:

```
async function cacheFirst(req) {
  return await caches.match(req) || fetch(req);
}
```



The screenshot displays the Chrome DevTools interface, specifically the Service Worker panel. The top section shows the console with the following messages:

```
Service worker registration successful: http://127.0.0.1:5500/  
helloSync success [script.js]  
helloSync [sw.js]
```

The left sidebar shows the 'Service worker' section expanded, with 'Storage' and 'Background services' visible. The 'Storage' section includes 'Local storage', 'Session storage', 'IndexedDB', 'Web SQL', 'Cookies', 'Private state t', 'Interest group', 'Shared storage', and 'Cache storage'. The 'Background services' section includes 'Back/forward'.

The main panel shows the status of the service worker:

- Received 18/3/2024, 10:05:01 am
- Status: #41 activated and is running [stop](#)
- Push: `{"method": "pushMessage", "message": "He` [Push](#)
- Sync: `test-tag-from-devtools` [Sync](#)
- Periodic Sync: `test-tag-from-devtools` [Periodic Sync](#)
- Update Cycle:

Version	Update Activity	Timeline
#41	Install	
#41	Wait	
#41	Activate	<div></div>

The bottom section shows 'Service workers from other origins' with a link to [See all registrations](#).

The bottom console shows the message: `Service worker registration successful: http://127.0.0.1:5500/` [script.js:93](#)

Conclusion : We have understood and successfully implemented events like fetch , push and sync for our ecommerce PWA.