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JavaScript - II

Objectives

- Explain functions
- Explain parameterized functions
- Explain return statement
- Describe objects
- Explain different browser objects
- Describe DOM and its objects
- Identify the use of Promise.any
- Explain Private class methods
- Explain JSON

Functions 1-3

- A function is an independent reusable block of code that performs certain operations.
- It is always created under script element.
- A function is declared using function keyword.
- The keyword is followed by the name of the function and parameters enclosed within the parenthesis.
- A function needs to be invoked.
 - To invoke a function, specify the function name followed by parenthesis outside the function block.

Functions 2-3

```
No Parameters

function add()

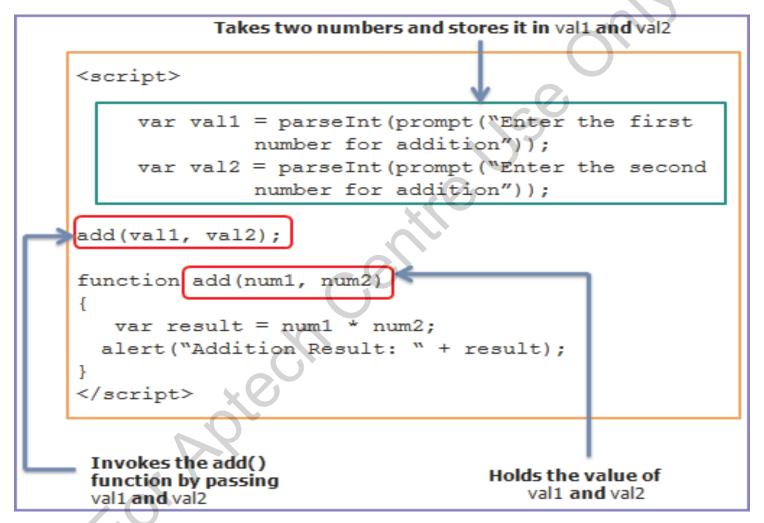
{
    var num1 = parseInt(prompt("Enter the first number for addition"));
    var num2 = parseInt(prompt("Enter the second number for addition"));
    var result = num1 + num2;
    alert ("Addition Result :" + result);
}

Body of the Function
```

Declaration and Definition of a Function

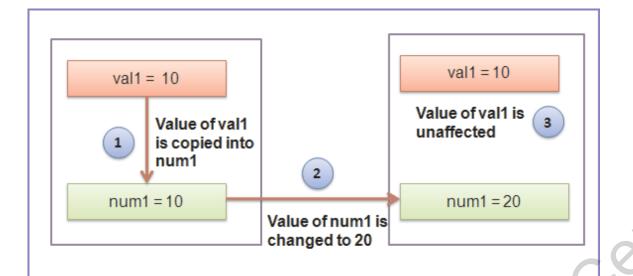
Invoking of Function

Functions 3-3

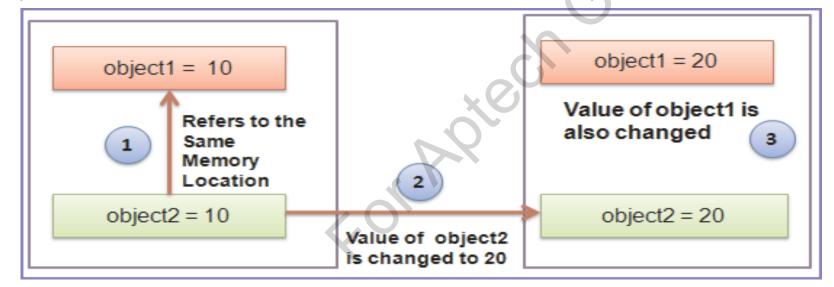


Parameterized Functions

Ways of Passing Arguments 1-2



Pass By Value Method

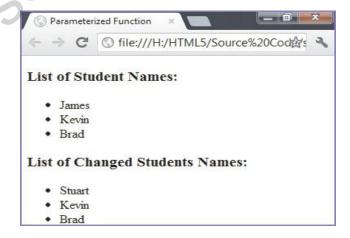


Pass By Reference Method

Ways of Passing Arguments 2-2

```
<script>
var names = new Array('James', 'Kevin', 'Brad');
function change names(names) {
names[0] = 'Stuart';
function display names() {
document.writeln('<h3> List of Student
Names:</h3>');
document.write('');
for(var i=0; i <names.length; i++) {</pre>
document.write('' + names[i]+ '');
document.write('');
change names (names);
document.write('<h3> List of Changed Students Names:</h3>');
document.write('');
for(var i=0; i<names.length; i++) {</pre>
document.write('' + names[i]+ '');
document.write('');
display names (names);
</script>
```

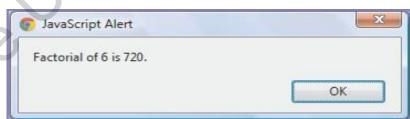
Passing an Array Object to Function



return Statement

JavaScript sends result to the calling function by using return statement.

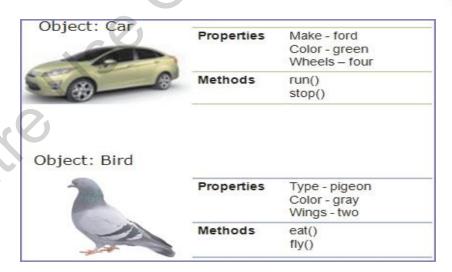
```
<script>
functionfactorial(num) {
      if(num==0)
             return 0;
      elseif(num==1)
             return 1;
     else
        var result = num;
        while (num>1)
              result = result * (num-1);
               num--;
             return result;
varnum=prompt('Enternumber:','');
var result = factorial (num);
alert('Factorial of ' +num+' is ' + result +
</script>
```



Factorial of Number

Objects

- Objects are entities with properties and methods.
 - Properties specify the characteristics or attributes of an object.
 - Methods identify the behavior of an object.
- > Objects can be built-in or custom.



Creating Custom Objects

- The object object is the parent object.
 - All JavaScript objects are derived from this object.
- An object can be created using the built-in Object object or by defining a template.

Syntax using the built-in Object object:

```
var object_name = new Object();

Syntax using the template:
  function object_type(list of parameters)
  {
     // Body specifying properties and methods
}
```

Example:

```
<script>
//create an object using direct method
var doctor_details=new Object();
//create an object using new keyword
studOne = new student_info ('James', '23', 'New Jersey');
</script>
```

Creating Properties for Custom Objects 1-2

```
<script>
var student_details=new Object();
student_details.first_name= 'John';
student_details.last_name= 'Fernando';
student_details.age= '15';
alert ('Student\'s name: '+student_details.first_name+''+ student_details.last_name);
</script>
```



student_details Object

Creating Properties for Custom Objects 2-2

```
<script>
// To define the object type
  function employee_info(name, age, experience)
{
    this.name = name;
    this.age= age;
    this.experience= experience;
}
// Creates an object using new keyword
    empMary = new employee_info('Mary', '34', '5 years');
    alert ("Name: "+ empMary.name + '\n' + "Age: "+empMary.age+ '\n' + "Experience: "+empMary.experience);
</script>
```



employee_info Object

Creating Methods for Custom Objects

```
<script>
  var square =new Object();

  square.length=parseInt("5");

  square.cal_area=function()
  {
    var area = (parseInt(square.length)*parseInt("4"));
    return area;
  }
  alert("Area: "+square.cal_area());

</script>
```



Output of the Area of Square

Built-in Objects

The built-in objects are static objects.

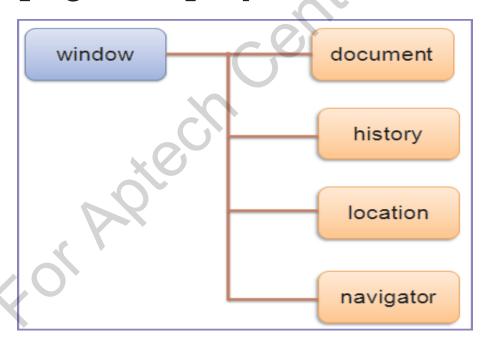
• They help extend the functionality in the script.

• Some of these objects are: String, Math, and Date.

Browser Objects

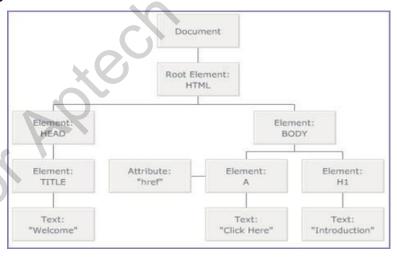
 Browser objects help manipulate various aspects of a Web browser.

• They exist on all pages displayed in the browser.

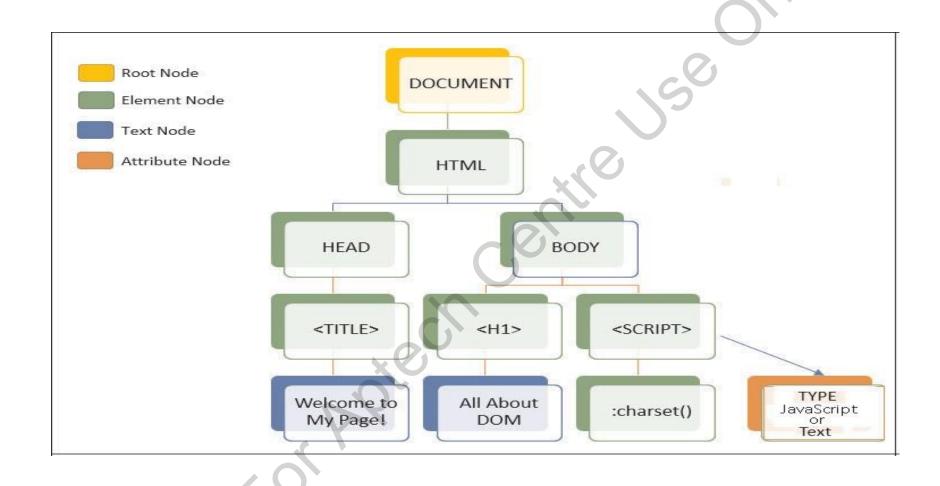


Document Object Model (DOM)

- DOM is a cross-platform and language-independent interface.
- It considers an XML or HTML document as a tree structure.
 - Each node is an object representing a part of the document.
- DOM represents a document with a logical tree.
 - Each branch of the tree ends in a node.
 - Each node contains objects.



DOM and JavaScript



New Features in JavaScript DOM

- Arrow functions help create functions in a simple manner.
- Arrow functions are useful to work with functions that require another function as an argument.

```
document.addEventListener("DOMContentLoaded" ,
    () => { console.log("loaded");
})
```

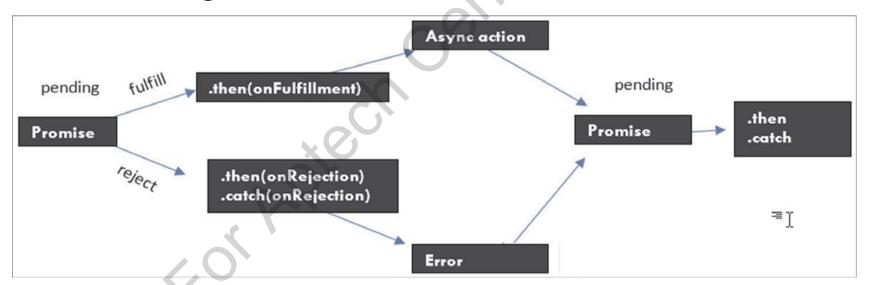
New Features in JavaScript DOM

• The for of loop statement creates a loop that repeats over iterable objects, such as arrays, maps, strings, and more.

```
const webFrameworks = ["React" , "Angular" , "Rails" ,
  "Node.js"];
let text = "";
for (let x of webFrameworks) {
   text += x;
}
console.log(text);
```

JavaScript Promises

- Promises are a new feature in JavaScript.
- Promise represents eventual success or failure of an asynchronous operation.
- Promises can handle multiple asynchronous operations and provide better error handling.



Private Class Features

- A private method means only those objects belonging to the same class can access it.
- To declare a private class field, prefix the name of the class field with # (hash) tag.
- Private fields can be accessed on the class constructor from within the class declaration.

```
// Create new class class
MyClass {
   // Declare private class field
   #myPrivateField = 'This is a personal account.'
}
```

JavaScript Object Notation (JSON) 1-2

```
"page":1,
"results":[
     "first air date": "2005-03-26",
     "genre ids":[ 28,
        12,
        18,
        878
     ], "id":57243,
     "original name": "Doctor Who",
              "origin country":[
        "GB"
     "name": "Doctor Who"
     "first air date": "2007-09-24",
     "genre ids": [ 18,
     ], "id":1418,
     "original name": "The Big Bang Theory", "origin country": [
    "name": "The Big Bang Theory"
```

JavaScript Object Notation (JSON) 2-2

JSON Serialization and Deserialization

Serialization - an object is converted into a string so that it can be recreated

Descrialization - a string is converted into an object

Summary

- A function is reusable piece of code which performs calculations on parameters and other variables.
- The return statement passes the resultant output to the calling function after the execution of the called function.
- Objects are entities with properties and methods and resemble to real life objects.
- There are two ways to create a custom object namely, by directly instantiating the object or by creating a constructor function.
- JavaScript provides various built-in objects, such as String, Math, and Date.
- JavaScript also provides browser objects, such as window, history, location, and navigator.
- DOM is a standard technique for dynamically accessing and manipulating HTML elements.
- The DOM provides a document object which is used within JavaScript to access all HTML elements presented on the page.