

Application development in JavaScript

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Intervals

```
var ival = setInterval(function()..., timeInMs);  
clearInterval(ival);  
var itim = setTimeout(function()..., timeInMs);  
clearTimeout(itim);
```

Arrays I.

```
var a = [1,2,3];  
var a = Array(1,2,3);  
var a = Array(3);
```

```
a.forEach(function(e){console.log(e);});  
var l = a.length;  
for(var i=0;i<l;i++) {console.log(a[i]);}
```

```
var a = [1,2,3,4,5];  
a[6] = 7;  
console.log(Object.keys(a));  
console.log(a.length);  
console.log(a);  
a.length = 15;  
console.log(a);
```

Arrays II.

```
var a = [1,2,3,4,5];  
var b = a;  
a.pop();  
console.log(b);  
  
var b = a.slice();
```

Arrays III.

- ▶ array modifying operations
 - ▶ `.push(element/s), .pop(), .unshift(element), .shift()`
 - ▶ `.splice(position, count)`
 - ▶ `.reverse(), .sort((e1,e2) => e1-e2);`
- ▶ operations returning new array
 - ▶ `.concat(array2...)`
 - ▶ `.filter(function(element){return element>7});`
 - ▶ `['H','e','l','l','o'].join("");`
 - ▶ `[1,2,3,4,5].map(function(element){return element+1});`
 - ▶ `.slice([start[, end]]);`

Objects I.

```
var a = {};
```

```
var a = new Object();
```

```
var a = new Object({"key": "value"});
```

```
var a = Object.create(protoObject);
```

```
var a = {"key": "value"};
```

Objects II.

```
var User = function({name, password, email, score, level})  
  this.name = name ? name : null;  
  this.password = password ? password : null;  
  this.email = email ? email : null;  
  this.level = level ? level : null;  
  this.score = score ? score : null;  
};  
  
var us = new User({name: "Jose", password: "12345"});  
User.prototype.hashName = function() {  
  const crypto = require("crypto");  
  return crypto.createHash('md5').update(this.name)  
    .digest('hex');  
};  
for (var key in us) { console.log(key); }  
Object.keys(us);
```


Strings and RegExes

```
var wrong = "I'm the badger. ... I'm the one who knocks."  
var fixed = wrong.replace('badger','danger');  
var intense = fixed.replaceAll("I'm", "I am");  
var intense = fixed.replace(/I'm/g,'I am');
```

```
var bool = RegExp.test(str);  
var arr = RegExp.exec(str); // capture groups  
var arr = str.split(delimiter);  
var index = str.search(RegExp);  
var arr = str.match(RegExp);  
var arr = str.matchAll(RegExp); // capture groups
```

⁰https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Guide/Regular_Expressions



Figure: Douglas Crockford

JSON

- ▶ JavaScript Object Notation
- ▶ 2001, standardized in 2013
- ▶ $JSON \subset JavaScript\ objects$
- ▶ boolean, number, string, [], { }, null
- ▶ MIME type application/json

¹<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-C-JoyNuQJs>

HTTP requests

```
jQuery $.ajax() ($.get(), $.post())  
fetch()  
XMLHttpRequest
```

node.js

- ▶ an asynchronous event-driven JavaScript runtime
- ▶ <https://nodejs.org/en/download/>
- ▶ node file.js
- ▶ modules / packages

¹<https://nodejs.org/en/about/>

Simple HTTP server

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

const hostname = '127.0.0.1';
const port = 3000;

const server = http.createServer((req, res) => {
  res.statusCode = 200;
  res.setHeader('Content-Type', 'text/plain');
  res.end('Hello World');
});

server.listen(port, hostname, () => {
  console.log('Server running at http://'+hostname+':'+port);
});
```

¹<https://nodejs.org/en/about/>

npm

- ▶ npm init
 - ▶ package.json
- ▶ npm search <string>
- ▶ npm install <package_name>
 - ▶ npm install express
 - ▶ npm install -g <package_name>

Node module

```
//a. library.js
```

```
//b. main.js
```

```
0a. let i = 0;
```

```
0a. const f = function() console.log('i: '+(++i));
```

```
1a. module.exports = f;
```

```
1b. const f = require('./library.js');
```

```
2a. exports.f = f;
```

```
2b. const f = require('./library.js').f;
```

```
3a. export default f;
```

```
3b. import f from './library.js';
```

```
3c. // change to .mjs or change type to module in package.json
```


Callback

```
var processResult = function(result) {  
    console.log(result);  
};  
  
var bigCompute = function() {  
    var r = 4;  
    // this is something taking very long  
    setTimeout(function(){  
        console.log('result processed')  
        processResult(r);  
    }, 5000);  
    console.log('bigCompute finished');  
}  
bigCompute();
```

Callback hell

```
doSomething(function(result)
  doSomethingElse(result, function(newResult)
    doThirdThing(newResult, function(finalResult)
      console.log('Got the final result: ' + finalResult);
      , failureCallback);
    , failureCallback);
  , failureCallback);
```

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¹https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Guide/Using_promises

Promises

- ▶ `new Promise((resolve,reject)=>{});`
- ▶ pending, resolved, rejected
- ▶ `.then()`, `.catch()`

Promise

```
var bigCompute = new Promise((resolve,reject)=>{
  var r = 4;
  // this is something taking very long
  setTimeout(function(){
    console.log('result processed')
    if(r===4) resolve(r);
    else reject('boom');
  }, 5000);
  console.log('bigCompute finished');
});

bigCompute.then((result)=>{
  console.log(result);
}).catch((err)=>{
  console.error(err);
});
```

Promise

```
var nBigCompute = function(p) {  
  return new Promise((resolve,reject) => {  
    setTimeout(function(){  
      console.log('result processed');  
      if(p!==4) resolve(p);  
      else reject('boooom');  
    }, 5000);  
  });  
};  
  
nBigCompute(3).then((r)=>{  
  console.log(r);  
}).catch((e)=>{  
  console.error(e);  
});
```

Promise chaining

```
doSomething()  
  .then((result)=>{  
    return doSomethingElse(result);  
  })  
  .then((newResult) => {  
    return doThirdThing(newResult);  
  })  
  .then((finalResult) => {  
    console.log('Got the final result: ' + finalResult);  
  })  
  .catch(failureCallback);
```

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²https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Guide/Using_promises

async and await

- ▶ async function ...
- ▶ await someFunctionResult()
- ▶ await only in async function

async and await

```
async function doTheComputeS() {  
    var q = await nBigCompute(1);  
    console.log(r);  
    var r = await nBigCompute(r+1);  
    console.log(q);  
}
```


"parallelism"

```
async function doTheComputeP() {  
    var [q,r] = await Promise.all([  
        nBigCompute(1),  
        nBigCompute(2)  
    ]);  
    console.log(q,r);  
}
```