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Prototype Model

- all methods are inside the "proto" property

example :-

- const num = [1, 2, 3, 4];

+ console.log(num);



▼ (4) [1, 2, 3, 4]

0:1

1:2

2:3

3:4

length : 5

► -proto- : Array()

► concat : f concat()

► constructor : f Array()

► copyWithin : f copyWithin()

properties

methods

- Prototypes

Every object in Javascript has a prototype.

Prototypes contain all the methods for that object type.

example :-

Date prototype

getDay()

getMonth()

etc...

Array Prototype

soetc)

filter()

etc....

Use prototype
login(), logout()

new Use
- Usename
- email
- -proto-

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Use properties will store directly on object when we create them things like usename and email. but the Use object will also have a use prototype and we want to be able to all of our methods available to every Use on use prototype. so that the proto property of each use that we create points to use prototype which has accessed to all of the methods e.g. here we have login() and logout().

so this approach is storing the methods on a prototype instead of every individual object that we create. And it has two main benefits. first of all, it is more efficient since we are storing them in one single place once and not many different locations on every single instance that we create and second, it will help us with prototypal inheritance.

```

+ function User(username, email) {
    this.username = username;
    this.email = email;
    this.login = function() {
        console.log(`\$1this.username\$ has logged in`);
    };
}

```

```
const userOne = new User('mario', 'mario@gmail.com');
```

```
console.log(userOne);
```

```
+User {username: "mario", email: "mario@gmail.com",
```

```
  login: function() {
```

```
    console.log(`\$1${this.username}\$ has logged in`)
```

```
  } }
```

```
►login : f()
```

```
▼-proto-
```

```
►constructor: function User(username, email)
```

```
►-proto-: Object
```

Here we can see that login() function/method is not actually stored inside "-proto-" instead it stored directly on the object and that's because we have defined that directly in the constructor.

so it would be better, if we could define it so that we store inside proto property

and to do that we have to stored the method on the prototype.

when we define methods in a class, javascript automatically took those methods and added them inside "-proto-" property.

so that's what we need to do when we are not using class, we need to figure out a way, take our methods and store them inside "-proto-" property.

[if in short, we took our example then login() method we want to have in "-proto-" property]

- just directly moving to our main example, consider below example first

- console.log(Date.prototype);



- { constructor: f, toDateString: f, toLocaleString: f ... }
- constructor : f Date()
- getDate : f getDate()
- getFullYear : f getFullYear()

and so on

```

- function User(username, email) {
    this.username = username;
    this.email = email;
    this.login = function() {
        console.log(`\$ ${this.username} logged in`);
    };
}

const useOne = new User('mario', 'mario@gmail.com');
console.log(User.prototype);

```

- ↓
- constructor : f
 - constructor : f User(username, email)
 - -proto- : object

```

- function User(username, email) {
    this.username = username;
    this.email = email;
}

User.prototype.login = function() {
    console.log(`\$ ${this.username} logged in`);
};

User.prototype.logout = function() {
    console.log(`\$ ${this.username} logged out`);
};

const useOne = new User('hello', 'hello@gmail.com');
console.log(useOne);

```



▼ User { username: "hello", mail: "hello1@gmail.com",
 pmail: "hello1@gmail.com",
 usename: "hello"
 ► -proto-:
 ► login: f()
 ► constructor: f User(username, email)
 ► -proto-: object

Here we can see now, we have added `login()` method
 to "proto" property.

Our `login()` method for all users is now been stored
 in one single place (on `User` prototype) and if
 we want to use it still we can use it.

below `console.log(userOne);` write below

`userOne.login();`

hello logged in

[Note that we have deleted `login()` from `constructor` -
 because now we no longer want to store them
 directly instead we want to store that in
 "proto" property]

We can also do method chaining.
 Currently if we do that (we will get error)
 i.e.

UserOne.login().logout();

- ⊗ ► Uncaught TypeError : cannot read
 property 'logout' of undefined

and this why because we have not return "this"

```
- function User(username, email) {
    this.username = username;
    this.email = email;
}
```

```
User.prototype.login = function() {
    console.log(`\$ ${this.username} has logged in`);
    return this;
};
```

```
User.prototype.logout = function() {
    console.log(`\$ ${this.username} has logged out`);
    return this;
};
```

```
const userOne = new User('hello', 'hello@gmail.com');
UserOne.login().logout();
```



hello has logged in
 hello has logged out

So remember this is exactly the same happening under the hood when we use class syntax.

before the class keyword came about in javascript, this is how we do using constructor functions and prototype model.

Prototypal inheritance

- // constructor functions

```
function User(username, email){
```

```
    this.username = username;
```

```
    this.email = email;
```

```
}
```

```
User.prototype.login = function(){
```

```
    console.log(`\$this.username` has logged in`);
```

```
    return this;
```

```
}
```

```
User.prototype.logout = function(){
```

```
    console.log(`\$this.username` has logged out`);
```

```
    return this;
```

```
}
```

```
function Admin(username, email, title){
```

```
User.call(this,username, email);
```

```
this.title = title;
```

```
}
```



```
Admin.prototype = Object.create(User.prototype); —⊗⊗
```

```
Admin.prototype.deleteUser = function(){
```

```
// delete a user
```

```
}
```

[added new method]
 to "Admin"

```
const userOne = new User('hello','hello@gmail.com');
```

```
const userTwo = new User('no','no@gmail.com');
```

```
const userThree = new Admin('man','man@gmail.com','0/0');
```

```
console.log(userThree);
```



▼ Admin {
 username : "man", email : "man@gmail.com",
 title : "ola"}
 }

email : "man@gmail.com"
 title : "ola"

username : "man"

▼ -proto- : UseE

► deleteUseE : f()

▼ -proto- :

► login : f()

► logout : f()

► constructor : f(UseE(username, email))

► -proto- : object

(first proto)
 (first level)

(inside 2nd proto)
 (two level deep)

Now here in this example we have not used "class"
 instead we have used constructor function.

Here "UseE" has two properties "username" and "email". "UseE" has two methods "login()" and "logout". while "Admin" has three properties "username", "email" and "title". "Admin" also has three methods called "login", "logout" and "deleteUseE". we cannot use "deleteUseE" in "UseE".

in "class" when we were inheriting properties,
 at that time, we have use the super() function
 and that function call the constructor of the parent
 class.

Now here in this example we can't use that.

so we have used - * i.e. we
 have used "call()" method
 and in call() method the first argument is

the context of what "this" keyword will be equal to inside the User constructor function.

So for inheriting the properties of "User" into "Admin" we have used — (*) this line.

Similarly how for inheriting methods/functions we have used — (*) this line
 when we were inheriting methods/functions in "class"
 i.e. in class inheritance example, we were not doing anything, it was by default inheriting.

⇒ A lot of the time you won't be using this type of working instead you will use javascript classes, but (for) understanding purpose it is really very important.