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1 // Example of nested function
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3 function circumference(radius) {
4     function double(number) {          // nested function declaration
5         return 2 * number;
6     }
7
8     return 3.14 * double(radius); // call the nested function
9 }
10
11 console.log(circumference(5));
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13 // Global scope, no functions thus one single scope
14 var name = 'Julian';
15 console.log(name);
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17 for (var i = 0; i < 3; i += 1) {
18     console.log(name);
19 }
20
21 console.log(name);
22
23 // Function scope, adding a function
24 // When invoking the greet() function, it can access the name variable since code within a
25 // function inherits
26 // access to all variables in all surrounding scopes
27 var name = 'Julian';
28
29 function greet() {
30     console.log(name);
31 }
32
33 greet();
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35 // Nested functions work the same way
36 var name = 'Julian';
37
38 function greet() {
39     function say() {
40         console.log(name);
41     }
42
43     say();
44 }
45
46 // Creating a closure: when a function retains access to the var scope currently in effect
47 // Closure retains access to everything in scope when closure is created, retains references
48 // for as long as
49 // the closure exists, so function can access references when we invoke the function
50 // when variable value changes after creating a closure that includes the variable, closure
51 // sees new value
52 var count = 1;
53
54 function logCount() { // create a closure
55     console.log(count);
56 }
57
58 logCount();           // logs: 1
59
60 count += 1;           // reassign count
61 logCount();           // closure sees new value for count; logs: 2
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63 // JavaScript uses Lexical Scoping to resolve variables;
64 // it uses the structure of the source code to determine the variable's scope.
65 // That is, the source code defines the scope. At any point in a JavaScript program,

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63 // there is a hierarchy of scopes from the local scope of the code up to the program's
64 // global scope.
65 // When JavaScript tries to find a variable, it searches this hierarchy from the bottom to
66 // the top.
67 // It stops and returns the first variable it finds with a matching name.
68 // This means that variables in a lower scope can shadow, or hide, a variable with the same
69 // name in a higher scope.
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71 // Most mainstream programming languages use lexical scoping rules (also called "static
72 // scoping").
73 // Some languages use "dynamic scoping" instead, or make dynamic scoping a choice.
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75 // Adding variables to current scope
76 // 1. using var keyword
77 function lunch() {
78     var food = 'taco';
79 }
80 // 2. using arguments passed to function
81 function eat(food) {
82     console.log('I am eating ' + food);
83 }
84 // 3. function declaration itself creates a variable with the same name as the function
85 function drink() {
86     console.log('I am drinking a glass of water');
87 }
88
89 // variable scoping rules apply to assignment and referencing equally
90 var country = 'Spain';
91 function update() {
92     country = 'Liechtenstein';
93     // checks current scope and each higher scope, looking for var
94     // with name country. JS sets first country var it finds to
95     // 'Liechtenstein'
96 }
97
98 console.log(country);
99 update();
100 console.log(country);
101
102 // if JS can't find matching var, it creates new global var
103 function assign() {
104     var country1 = 'Kiechtenstein';
105     country2 = 'Spain';
106 }
107
108 assign();
109 console.log(country2); // Spain
110 console.log(country1); // gets ReferenceError
111
112 // example to demo the effect of updating a function
113 // why does the last log print out what's in the function?
114 var country = 'Spain'
115 function update() {
116     country = 'Not Spain';
117 }
118
119 console.log(country); // Spain
120 update();
121 console.log(country); // Not Spain
122
123 // when no variable country existed before the function
124 function update() {
125     country = 'Not Spain';
126 }
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124 update();
125 console.log(country); // Not Spain
126
127 // variable shadowing
128 // q: what's the difference between having a var and not
129 // having a var declared within a function?
130 // in this case none, name = 'Logan' would produce the same
131 // because within the greet() function, only access inner name
132 var name = 'Julian';
133 function greet() {
134     var name = 'Logan';
135     console.log(name);
136 }
137 greet();
138
139 // if function definition has parameter with same name as var
140 // from an outer scope? parameter shadows outer variable
141 // so the local parameters shadows the outer var
142 var name = 'Julian';
143 function greet(name) {
144     console.log(name);
145 }
146
147 greet('Sam');
148
149 // Some scoping rules:
150 // 1. every function declaration creates a new var scope
151 // 2. all vars in the same or surrounding scopes are available to code
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