JavaScript Array Reference

« Previous

Next Reference »

Array Object

The Array object is used to store multiple values in a single variable:

```
var cars = ["Saab", "Volvo", "BMW"];
```

Array indexes are zero-based: The first element in the array is 0, the second is 1, and so on.

For a tutorial about Arrays, read our <u>JavaScript Array Tutorial</u>.

Array Properties

Property	Description
constructor	Returns the function that created the Array object's prototype
<u>length</u>	Sets or returns the number of elements in an array
prototype	Allows you to add properties and methods to an Array object

Array Methods

Method	Description
concat()	Joins two or more arrays, and returns a copy of the joined arrays
indexOf()	Search the array for an element and returns its position
join()	Joins all elements of an array into a string
lastIndexOf()	Search the array for an element, starting at the end, and returns its position
pop()	Removes the last element of an array, and returns that element
push()	Adds new elements to the end of an array, and returns the new length
reverse()	Reverses the order of the elements in an array
shift()	Removes the first element of an array, and returns that element
slice()	Selects a part of an array, and returns the new array
sort()	Sorts the elements of an array
splice()	Adds/Removes elements from an array
toString()	Converts an array to a string, and returns the result
unshift()	Adds new elements to the beginning of an array, and returns the new length
valueOf()	Returns the primitive value of an array

« Previous Next Reference »