

WebAssembly - Last

Application of WASM to WebApp

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Memory / Table

	Memory	Table
Similarity	Array-like structure Accessible and mutable from both JS and WASM	
Difference	Resizable ArrayBuffer Holds raw bytes of memory	Given size and element type Stores function references

Application of WASM

```
var start = performance.now();  
  
vidplay();  
  
var end = performance.now();  
  
console.log(end - start);
```

```
function vidplay()  
{  
    var video = document.getElementById("video13");  
  
    video.play();  
}
```

Application of WASM

05:41:27.393	0.2149999999999986
05:41:27.394	0.03999999999999915
05:41:27.395	0.02499999999999858
05:41:27.395	0.030000000000001137
05:41:27.395	0.02499999999999858
05:41:27.396	0.019999999999999574
05:41:27.396	0.029999999999997584
05:41:27.396	0.029999999999997584
05:41:27.397	0.030000000000001137
05:41:27.397	0.05999999999999872

05:41:58.035	0.21000000000000085
05:41:58.036	0.035000000000003695
05:41:58.036	0.01999999999999602
05:41:58.036	0.025000000000005684
05:41:58.037	0.015000000000000568
05:41:58.037	0.015000000000000568
05:41:58.037	0.015000000000000568
05:41:58.037	0.01999999999999602
05:41:58.037	0.01999999999999602
05:41:58.038	0.015000000000000568
05:41:58.038	0.05000000000000426

05:42:17.601	0.23999999999999844
05:42:17.601	0.030000000000001137
05:42:17.602	0.019999999999999574
05:42:17.602	0.02500000000000213
05:42:17.602	0.019999999999999574
05:42:17.602	0.020000000000003126
05:42:17.603	0.019999999999999574
05:42:17.603	0.019999999999999574
05:42:17.603	0.015000000000000568
05:42:17.604	0.05499999999999716

05:42:33.296	0.22499999999999787
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05:42:33.298	0.030000000000001137
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05:42:33.299	0.015000000000000568
05:42:33.300	0.02499999999999858
05:42:33.300	0.015000000000000568
05:42:33.300	0.05000000000000426

05:42:56.179	0.22500000000000142
05:42:56.181	0.09499999999999886
05:42:56.182	0.03999999999999915
05:42:56.183	0.05499999999999716
05:42:56.183	0.035000000000003695
05:42:56.184	0.03499999999999659
05:42:56.185	0.07499999999999574
05:42:56.186	0.07499999999999574
05:42:56.186	0.035000000000003695
05:42:56.188	0.07999999999999983

05:43:10.499	0.2450000000000001
05:43:10.500	0.03999999999999915
05:43:10.501	0.019999999999999574
05:43:10.501	0.02499999999999858
05:43:10.501	0.015000000000000568
05:43:10.501	0.019999999999999574
05:43:10.502	0.015000000000000568
05:43:10.502	0.02500000000000213
05:43:10.502	0.014999999999997016
05:43:10.503	0.05499999999999716

Application of WASM

```
function fetchAndInstantiate(fileurl, importObject)
{
    return fetch(fileurl).then(response =>
        response.arrayBuffer()).then(bytes =>
        WebAssembly.instantiate(bytes, importObject)).then(results =>
        results.instance);
}

function fetchAndCompile(fileurl)
{
    return fetch(fileurl).then(response =>
        response.arrayBuffer()).then(bytes =>
        WebAssembly.compile(bytes));
}
```

Application of WASM

```
var instance = Promise.resolve(module).then(  
  result => WebAssembly.instantiate(result,  
    importObject));
```

```
var start = performance.now();  
  
Promise.resolve(instance).then(result =>  
  result.exports.exported_func());  
  
var end = performance.now();  
  
console.log(end - start);
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Application of WASM

05:34:50.359	0.02499999999999858
05:34:50.360	0.030000000000001137
05:34:50.361	0.015000000000000568
05:34:50.361	0.015000000000000568
05:34:50.361	0.015000000000000568
05:34:50.362	0.00999999999999801
05:34:50.362	0.010000000000005116
05:34:50.362	0.015000000000000568
05:34:50.363	0.00999999999999801
05:34:50.363	0.05000000000000426

05:36:27.553	0.030000000000001137
05:36:27.555	0.03999999999999915
05:36:27.555	0.015000000000000568
05:36:27.555	0.014999999999997016
05:36:27.556	0.015000000000000568
05:36:27.556	0.015000000000000568
05:36:27.557	0.015000000000000568
05:36:27.557	0.01999999999999574
05:36:27.557	0.015000000000000568
05:36:27.558	0.07000000000000028

05:36:52.123	0.030000000000001137
05:36:52.123	0.035000000000003695
05:36:52.124	0.020000000000003126
05:36:52.124	0.02499999999999858
05:36:52.124	0.025000000000005684
05:36:52.125	0.01999999999999602
05:36:52.125	0.020000000000003126
05:36:52.125	0.02499999999999858
05:36:52.126	0.020000000000003126
05:36:52.126	0.08500000000000085

05:37:14.669	0.02499999999999858
05:37:14.670	0.02499999999999858
05:37:14.670	0.015000000000000568
05:37:14.670	0.020000000000003126
05:37:14.671	0.015000000000000568
05:37:14.671	0.014999999999993463
05:37:14.671	0.015000000000000568
05:37:14.672	0.00999999999999801
05:37:14.672	0.015000000000000568
05:37:14.672	0.030000000000001137

05:37:38.185	0.01999999999999574
05:37:38.186	0.029999999999997584
05:37:38.187	0.015000000000000568
05:37:38.187	0.014999999999997016
05:37:38.187	0.010000000000001563
05:37:38.188	0.014999999999997016
05:37:38.188	0.015000000000000568
05:37:38.188	0.010000000000001563
05:37:38.189	0.010000000000001563
05:37:38.189	0.04499999999999815

05:37:56.105	0.02499999999999858
05:37:56.106	0.03500000000000014
05:37:56.107	0.010000000000001563
05:37:56.107	0.015000000000000568
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05:37:56.108	0.015000000000000568
05:37:56.108	0.010000000000001563
05:37:56.108	0.010000000000001563
05:37:56.109	0.045000000000001705

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Application of WASM - Conclusion

- Can manage suitable JS func with appropriate WASM code together
 - Expected to “stick” JS code with other languages supports WASM
- Shows equal or slightly better performance compared to pure JS
 - Can choose when to load / instantiate codes
 - Caching compiled modules via IndexedDB
- Too complicated for general project
 - Promise, WAST(S-expression)
 - Necessity of compiler’s development / IDE

What have I learnt

- How to use Promise object
- Compilation pipeline of C/C++ to WASM
- How WASM works in web browser
- Complexity of raw s-expression

Todo

- Find a role in the project
- Concentrate on real implementation of web page / server app