

A close-up photograph of two hands, one slightly larger than the other, gently holding each other. The hands are positioned in the center of the frame, with fingers interlaced. The background is a soft, out-of-focus green, suggesting a grassy field. The lighting is natural and soft, highlighting the texture of the skin.

**PROMISE IS A BIG WORD. IT
EITHER MAKES SOMETHING OR
IT BREAKS EVERYTHING**

A *promise* represents the eventual result of an asynchronous operation. The primary way of interacting with a promise is through its *then* method, which registers callbacks to receive either a promise's eventual value or the reason why the promise cannot be fulfilled.

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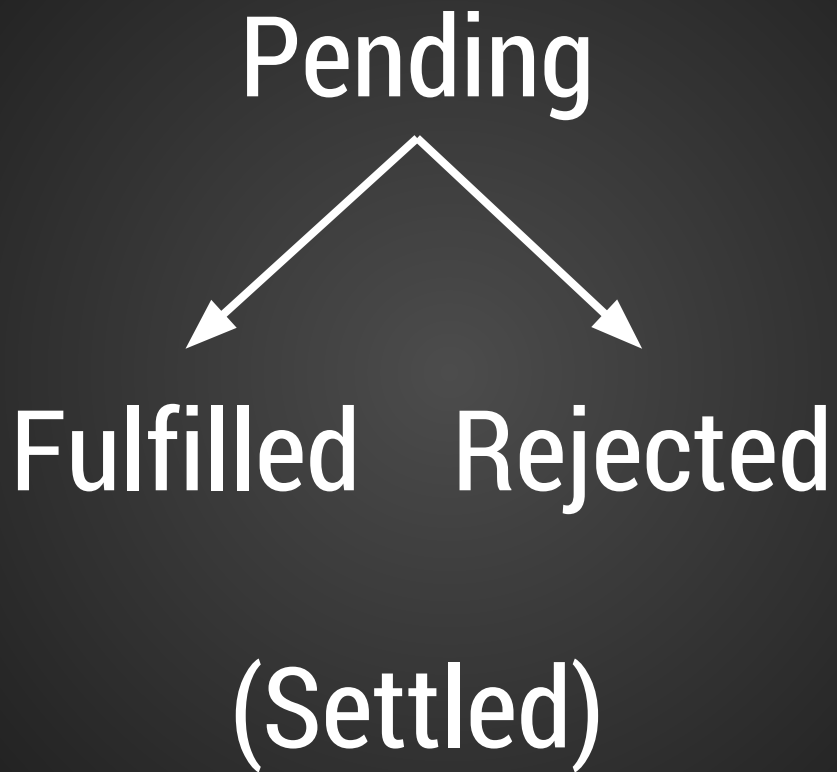
Promises/A+

Q / when / WinJS / RSVP.js

~~jQuery Deferreds / Promise~~

<http://promisesaplus.com/>

State



```
var img1 = document.querySelector('.img-1');
```

```
img1.addEventListener('load', function() {  
    // woo yey image loaded  
});
```

```
img1.addEventListener('error', function() {  
    // argh everything's broken  
});
```

Ett promise lyckas eller misslyckas **en gång**.

Ett promise kan **inte byta** från att vara lyckat till misslyckat eller vice versa.

Om ett promise har lyckats eller misslyckats och du lägger till callbacks senare anropas rätt callback.

```
var myPromise = new Promise(function(resolve, reject) {  
    // do a thing, possibly async, then...  
  
    if (/* everything turned out fine */) {  
        resolve("Stuff worked!");  
    }  
    else {  
        reject(Error("It broke"));  
    }  
});
```


Then

Catch

Resolve

Reject

All

Race

Then

```
myPromise.then(function(myString) {  
    // myString = "Stuff worked!"  
}, function(err) {  
    // Err = Error("It broke")  
});
```

“Thenables”

```
var jsPromise = Promise.resolve($.ajax('/whatever.json'));
```

```
function(response, statusText, xhrObj) { }
```

Catch

```
myPromise.then(null, function(err) {  
    // Err = Error("It broke")  
});
```

```
myPromise.catch(function(err) {  
    // Err = Error("It broke")  
});
```

Resolve / Reject

```
Promise.resolve("Lyckades!");
```

```
Promise.reject("Misslyckades!");
```

Resolve / Reject

```
var promise = new Promise(function (resolve, reject) {  
  resolve(JSON.parse("detta är inte JSON!"));  
});
```

```
promise.then(function () {  
  console.log("OK!");  
}, function () {  
  console.log("Error!");  
});
```

```
// Error!
```

All

```
var p1 = new Promise(function(resolve, reject) {  
    setTimeout(resolve, 500, "one");  
});
```

```
var p2 = new Promise(function(resolve, reject) {  
    setTimeout(resolve, 100, "two");  
});
```

```
Promise.all([p1, p2]).then(function(value) {  
    // value === ["one", "two"]  
});
```

Race

```
var p1 = new Promise(function(resolve, reject) {  
    setTimeout(resolve, 500, "one");  
});
```

```
var p2 = new Promise(function(resolve, reject) {  
    setTimeout(resolve, 100, "two");  
});
```

```
Promise.race([p1, p2]).then(function(value) {  
    // value === "two"  
});
```


Chaining

```
Promise.resolve(5).then(function (num) {  
    return num * 2;  
}).then(function (num) {  
    return Promise.resolve(num + 5);  
}).then(function (num) {  
    // num === 15  
});
```

KOM IHÃNG RETURN!

```
var p = Promise.resolve(asyncThing());
```

```
for (var i = 0; i < 10; i++) {  
    p = p.then(/* gör något med resultat */);  
}
```

```
p.then(/* gör tillslut något */);
```

```

asyncThing1().then(function() {
  return asyncThing2();
})

.then(function() {
  return asyncThing3();
})

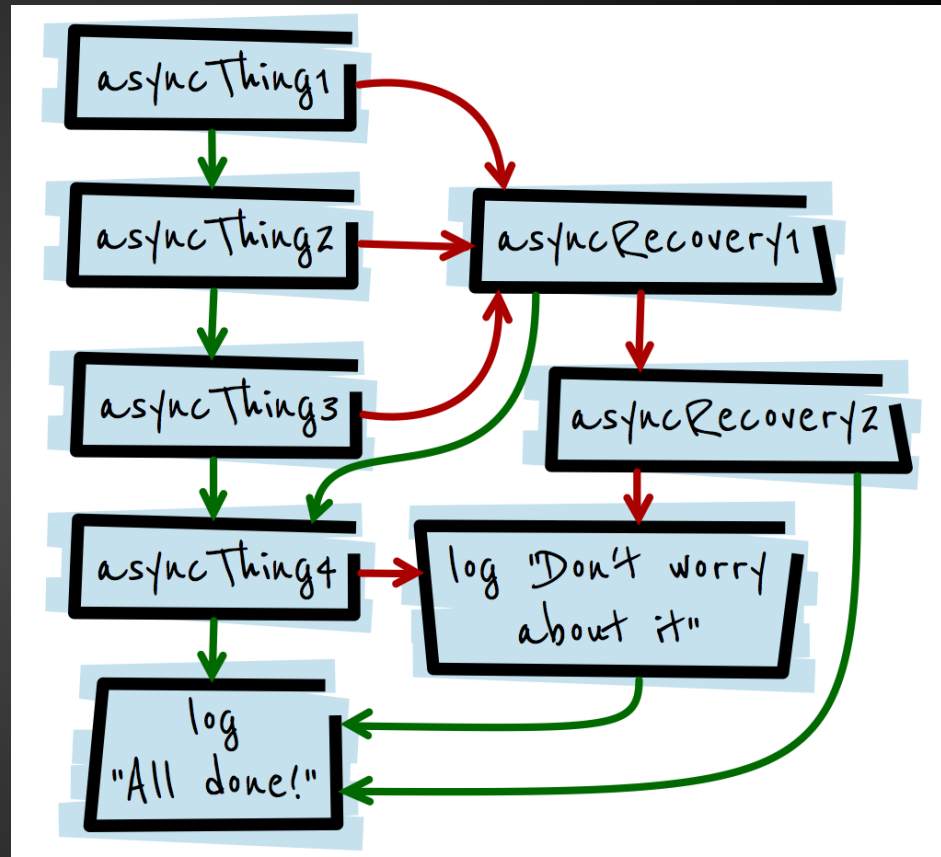
.catch(function(err) {
  return asyncRecovery1();
})

.then(function() {
  return asyncThing4();
}, function(err) {
  return asyncRecovery2();
})

.catch(function(err) {
  console.log("Don't worry about it");
})

.then(function() {
  console.log("All done!");
});

```



<https://github.com/jayway/javascript-promises-lab>