

Caffeine: A JS Profiler

Times and Traces an Object's Method calls

Simple Sample Code

```
HackerSchooler = {  
  type: function() {...};  
  think: function() {...}  
  code: function()  
    while(!finished) {  
      this.think()  
      this.type()  
    };  
};  
  
hs = new HackerSchool()  
hs.code()
```

Timing

How long does each function take to run?

```
HackerSchooler = {  
  type: function() {  
    start = new Date.getTime()  
    ...  
    end = new Date.getTime()  
    "this".runs.push(end-start)  
  };  
  ...  
};
```

==> a list of each function's runtimes

Stack

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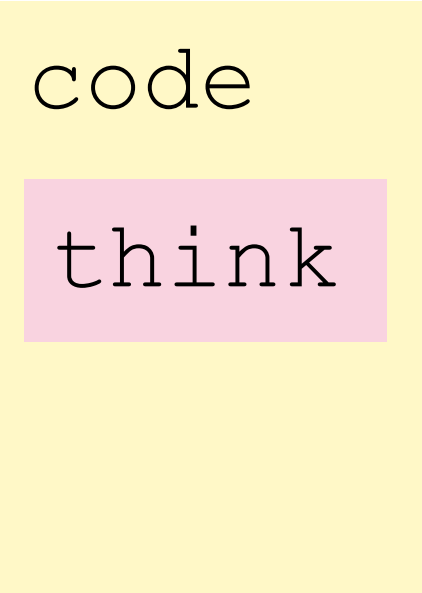
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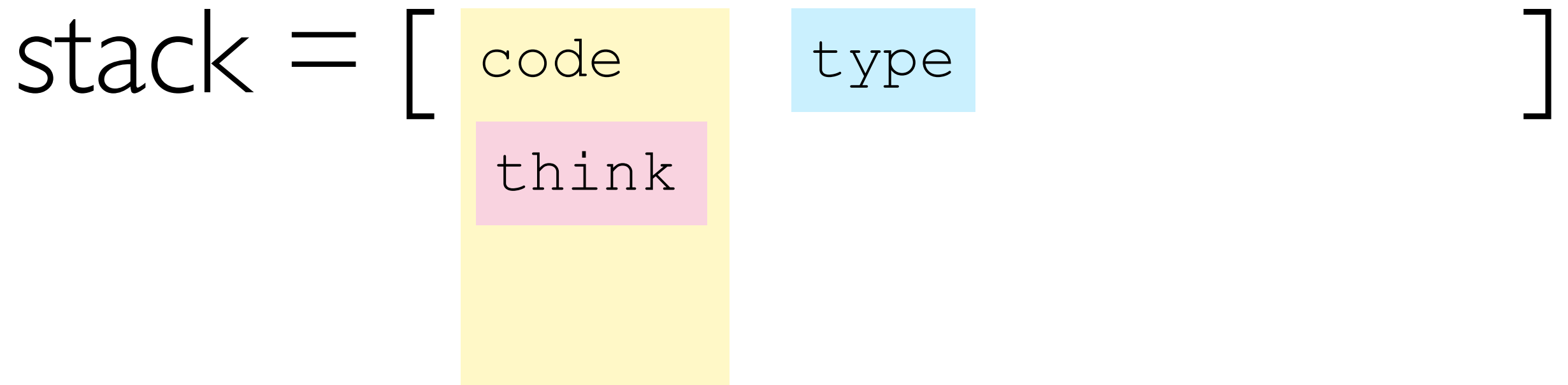
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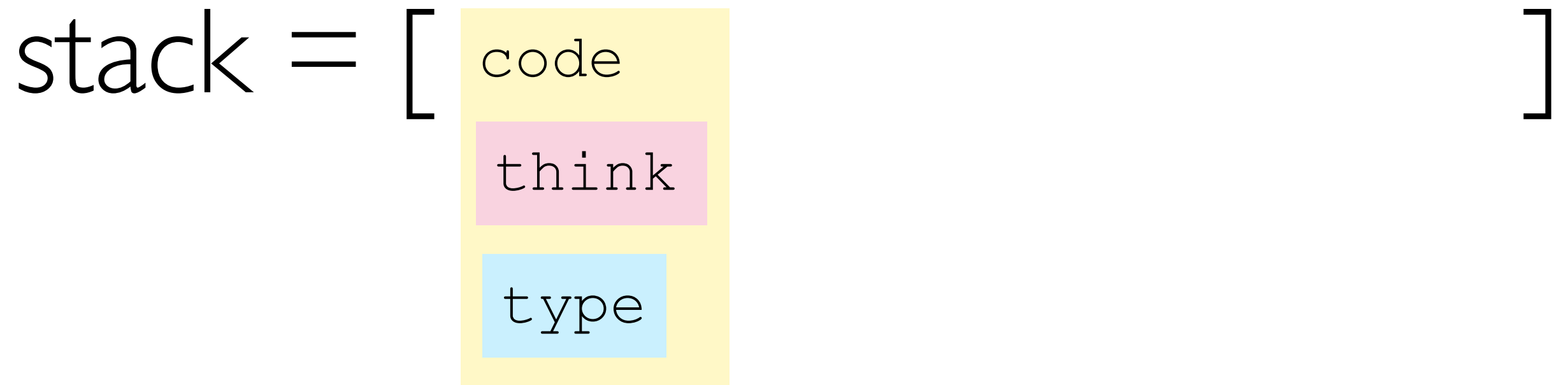


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Stack Tree

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code

think

type

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==> a list of “trees” representing the flow of each top-level method