

INTRODUCTION

CRASH COURSE

ES6

INTRODUCTION

SOMETIMES CALLED

ES.NEXT

INTRODUCTION

SOMETIMES CALLED

ES.HARMONY

INTRODUCTION

SOMETIMES CALLED

ES7

INTRODUCTION

SOMETIMES CALLED

ES8

INTRODUCTION

SOMETIMES CALLED

MANY OTHERS

INTRODUCTION

I'M STICKING WITH

ES6

INTRODUCTION

ES STANDS FOR

ECMA SCRIPT

TODAY

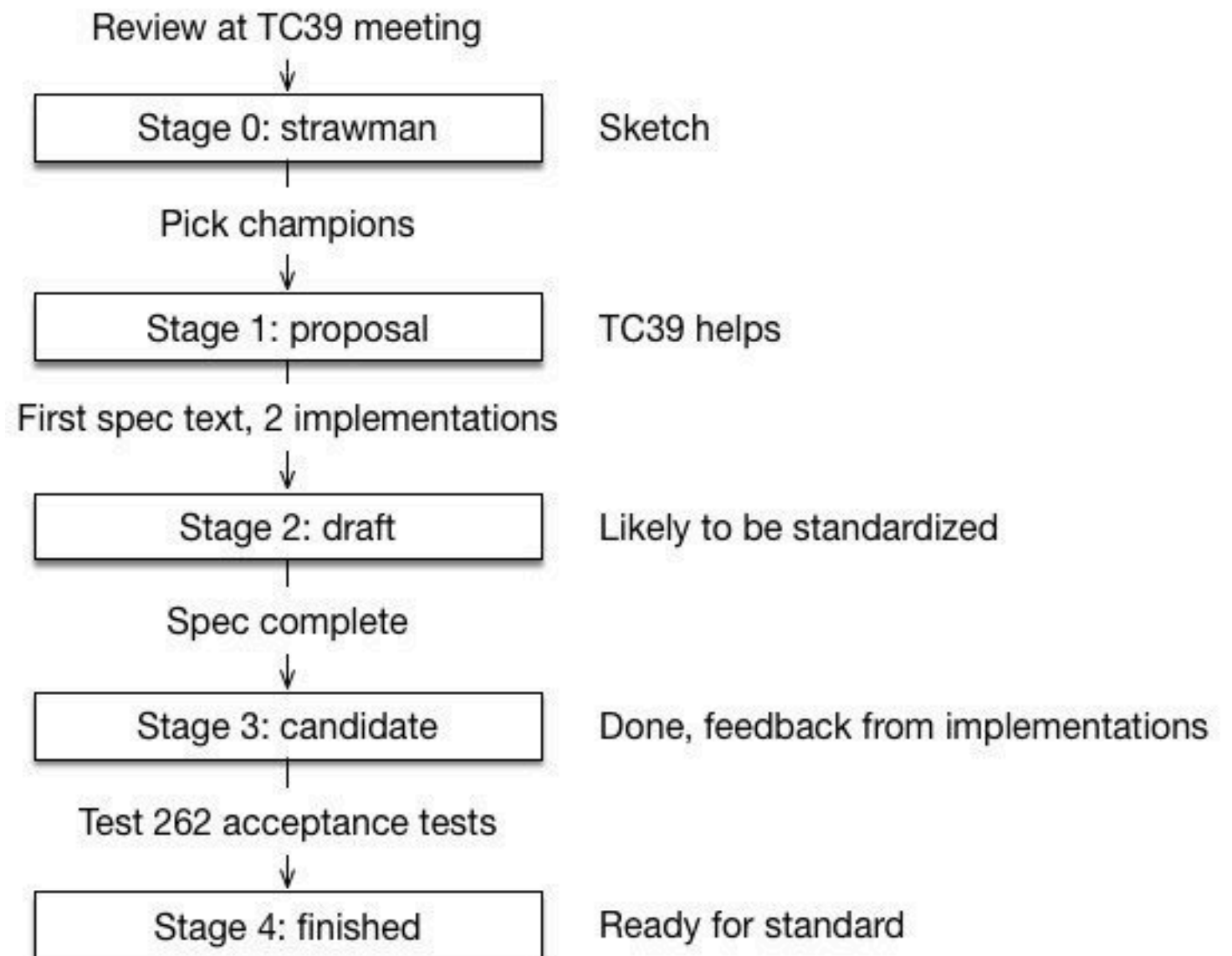
- ▶ About ES6
- ▶ ES Modules
- ▶ Variables
- ▶ Destructuring
- ▶ Function expressions
- ▶ Promises

INTRODUCTION

ABOUT

ES6

TC39 PROCESS





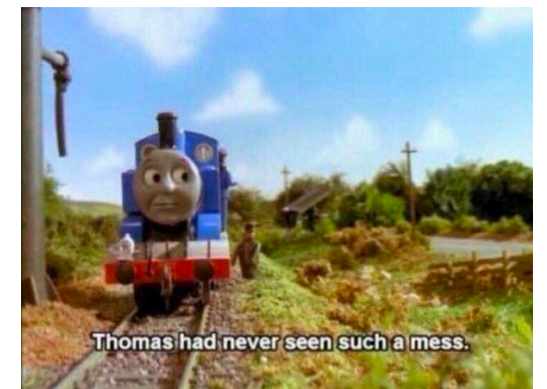
moz://a



Microsoft



When a backend developer tries out
Javascript and its ecosystem



[HTTPS://EN.WIKIPEDIA.ORG/WIKI/LIST OF ECMAScript ENGINES](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_EcmaScript_engines)

INTRODUCTION - COMPATIBILITY

			Compilers/polyfills											
		98%	56%	71%	71%	72%	50%	69%	17%	5%	11%	96%	96%	
Feature name	▼	Current browser	Traceur	Babel 6 + core-js 2	Babel 7 + core-js 2	Babel 7 + core-js 3	Closure 2019.03	TypeScript + core-js 3	es6-shim	Kong 4.14 ^[1]	IE 11	Edge 17	Edge 18	Firefox
Optimisation														
● proper tail calls (tail call optimisation)	▼	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2
<i>direct recursion</i>	⊖	No	Flag ^[5]	No	No	No	No	No ^[6]	No	No	No	No	No	No
<i>mutual recursion</i>	⊖	No	Flag ^[5]	No	No	No	No	No ^[6]	No	No	No	No	No	No
Syntax														
● default function parameters 🔄	▼	7/7	4/7	4/7	4/7	4/7	5/7	5/7	0/7	0/7	0/7	7/7	7/7	7/7
<i>basic functionality</i>	⊖	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<i>explicit undefined defers to the default</i>	⊖	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<i>defaults can refer to previous params</i>	⊖	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<i>arguments object interaction</i>	⊖	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<i>temporal dead zone</i>	⊖	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<i>separate scope</i>	⊖	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<i>new Function() support</i>	⊖	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No ^[6]	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
● rest parameters 🔄	▼	5/5	4/5	3/5	3/5	3/5	2/5	4/5	0/5	0/5	0/5	5/5	5/5	5/5
<i>basic functionality</i>	⊖	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<i>function 'length' property</i>	⊖	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<i>arguments object interaction</i>	⊖	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<i>can't be used in setters</i>	⊖	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes

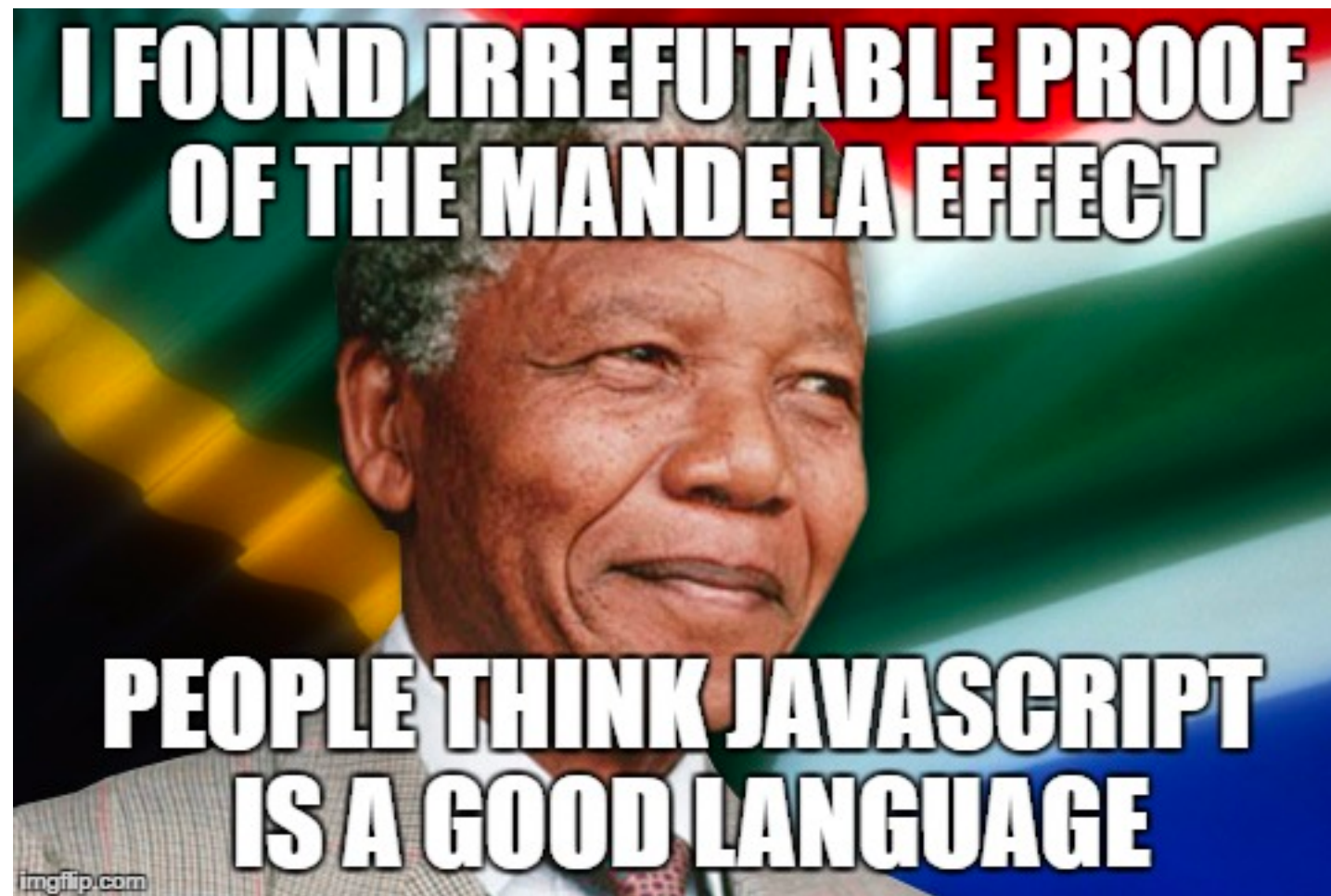


- ▶ Transpiles (compiles) ES6 to ES5
- ▶ Makes sure new language features run in older runtime environments

[HTTPS://BABELJS.IO/](https://babeljs.io/)

RECAP

- ▶ Can't make up it's mind on the name
- ▶ Design by committee is a slow process
- ▶ Many runtime environments with different implementation levels of standards
- ▶ Compatibility issues between those runtime environments
- ▶ Transpilers required



REPEAT AFTER ME

JS IS A GOOD LANGUAGE

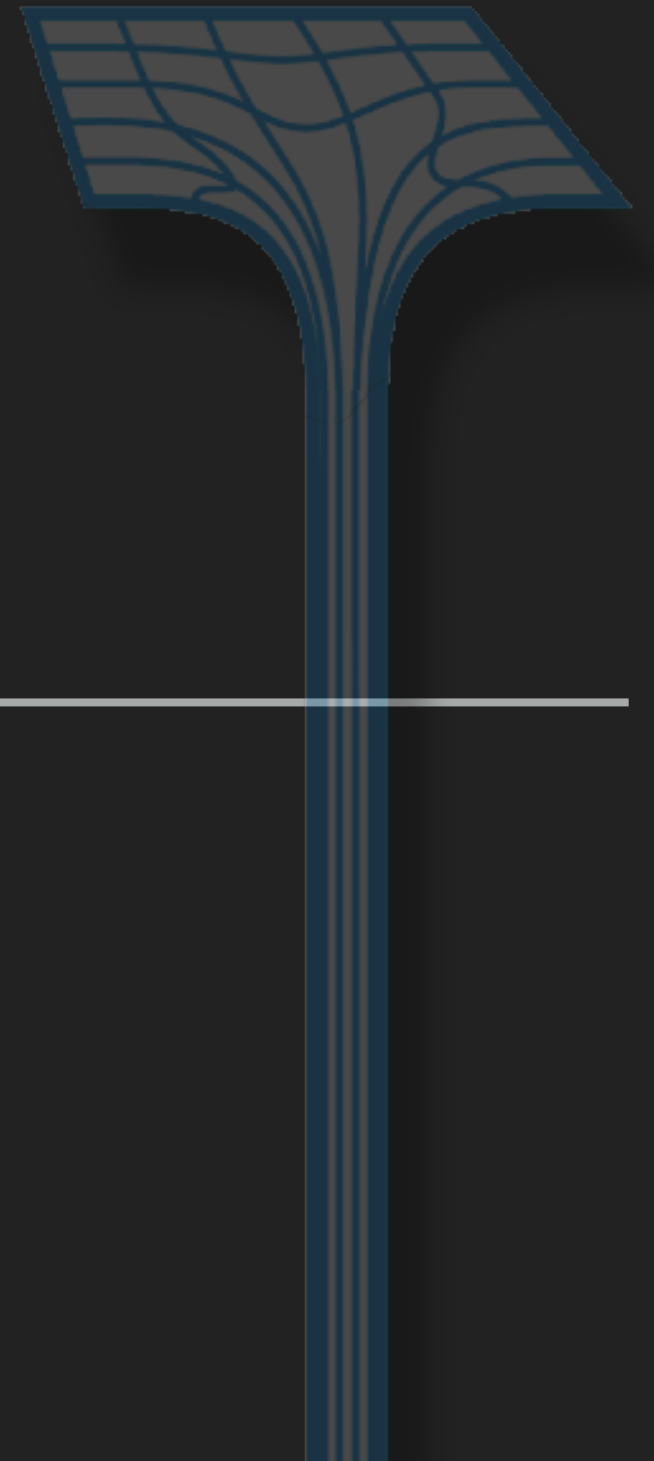
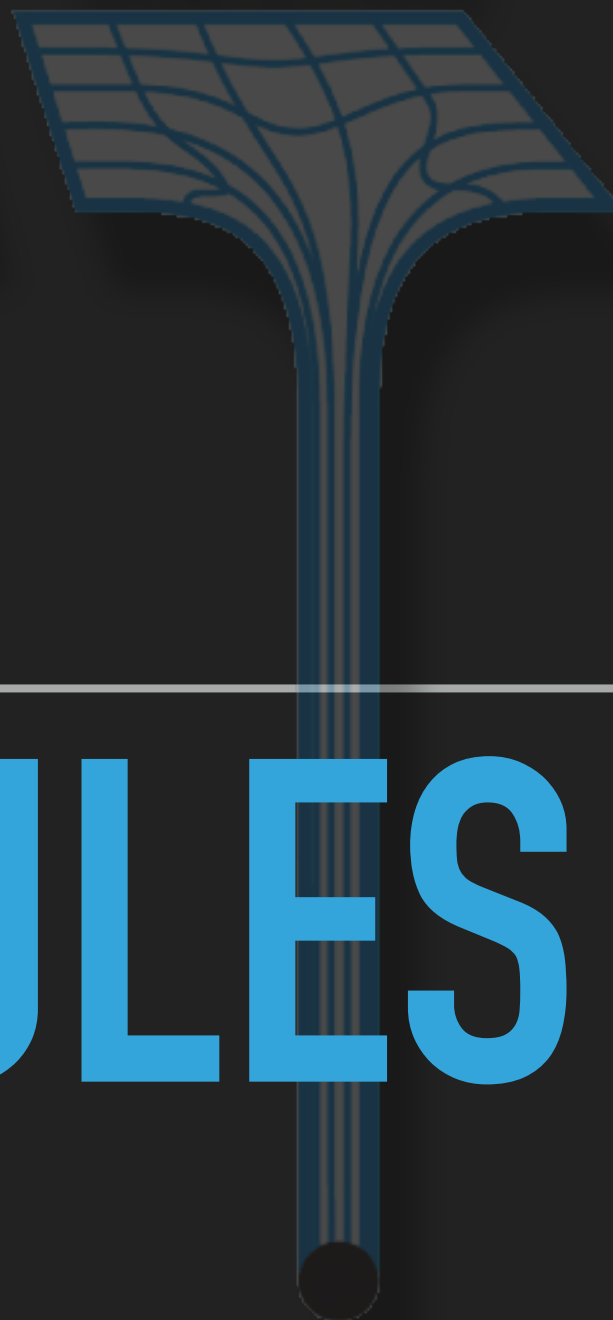
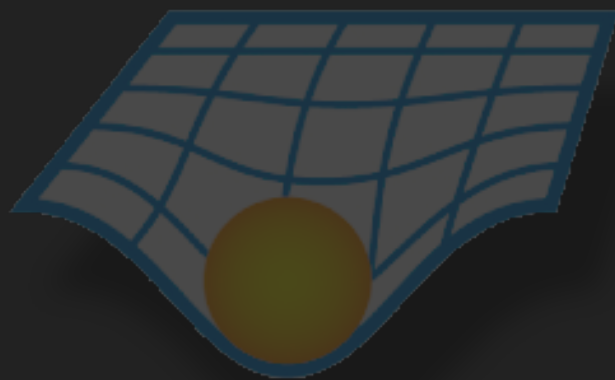
ES MODULES

Our Sun

Neutron
star

Super massive
blackhole

node_modules



CRASH COURSE

ES MODULES

DEFAULT EXPORT / IMPORT

```
// subtract.js
export default function(x, y) {
  return x - y;
}
```

```
// main.js
import subtract from 'subtract';

console.log(subtract(10, 5)); // 5
```

```
// main2.js
import minus from 'subtract';

console.log(minus(10, 5)); // 5
```

NAMED EXPORT / IMPORT

```
// mathLib.js
export function square(x) {
  return x * x;
}

export function sum(x, y) {
  return x + y;
}
```

```
// main.js
import { square, sum } from 'mathLib';

console.log(square(9)); // 81
console.log(sum(15, 1)); //16
```

NAMESPACE IMPORT

```
// mathLib.js
export function square(x) {
  return x * x;
}

export function sum(x, y) {
  return x + y;
}
```

```
// main.js
import * as math from 'mathLib';

console.log(math.square(9)); // 81
console.log(math.sum(15, 1)); //16
```

MIXING DEFAULT AND NAMED EXPORTS

```
export default class Math () {  
  static function square(x) {  
    return x * x;  
  }  
  
  static function sum(x, y) {  
    return x + y;  
  }  
  
  static function subtract(x, y) {  
    return x - y;  
  }  
}
```

```
export default Math;  
export {  
  Math.square as square,  
  Math.sum as sum,  
  Math.subtract as subtract  
};
```

MIXING DEFAULT AND NAMED EXPORTS

```
// main.js
import mathematics, { square, sum } from 'mathLib';

console.log(mathematics.square(9)); // 81
console.log(mathematics.sum(15, 1)); //16

console.log(square(9)); // 81
console.log(sum(15, 1)); //16
```

ALIASING IMPORTS

```
export function a() { return 'a' };
```

```
import { a as b } from 'a';  
b(); //a
```

ALIASING IMPORTS

```
import { MyModule as MyOtherModule } from 'module';  
import { MyOtherModule as MyModule } from 'module';
```



Yours is without a doubt the worst code I've ever run



But it runs

SYNTAX OVERVIEW

```
import something from 'module-name';
import * as name from 'module-name';
import { export } from 'module-name';
import { export as alias } from 'module-name';
import { export1 , export2 } from 'module-name';
import { foo , bar } from 'module-name/path/to/specific/un-exported/file';
import { export1 , export2 as alias2 , [...] } from 'module-name';
import defaultExport, { export [ , [...] ] } from 'module-name';
import defaultExport, * as name from 'module-name';
import 'module-name';
```

VARIABLES- INTRODUCTION

CRASH COURSE

VARIABLES

HOISTING

A mechanism where variable declarations are moved to the top of their scope

```
console.log(hoistedVariable);  
  
var hoistedVariable = "I'm hoisted";
```

What is the output of console.log()?

1. Uncaught ReferenceError: hoistedVariable is not defined
2. I'm hoisted
3. Undefined

THREE WAYS OF DECLARING A VARIABLE

```
var myVar;  
let myOtherVar;  
const myConst = [];
```

VARIABLES - DECLARATION

VAR

```
var i = 36;

function aFunction() {
  var i = 22;

  for (var i = 0; i < 10; i++) {
    console.log(i); // 0, 1, 2, 3, ...
  }
  // `i` get overwritten in the for loop
  console.log(i); // 10
}
aFunction();

console.log(i); // 36
```

VARIABLE DECLARATION

LET

```
const aFunction = () => {  
  let i = 22;  
  
  for (let i = 0; i < 10; i++) {  
    console.log(i); // 0, 1, 2, 3, ...  
  }  
  console.log(i); // 22  
}  
aFunction();
```

VARIABLE DECLARATION

CONST

```
const myObj = {};  
const myObj = []; // SyntaxError: Identifier 'myObj' has already been  
declared
```

VARIABLE DECLARATION

CONST

```
const myObj = {}:  
myObj.someProperty = '123';  
  
console.log(myObj.someProperty); // 123
```


VARIABLE DECLARATION

CONST

```
const myObj = Object.freeze({});  
myObj.someProperty = '123'; // TypeError
```

POP QUIZ

```
function aFunction() {  
  someVar = 'some value';  
}  
aFunction();  
  
console.log(someVar);
```

What is the output of console.log()?

1. Uncaught ReferenceError: someVar is not defined
2. "some value"
3. Undefined

DESTRUCTURING

CRASH COURSE

DESTRUCTURING

DESTRUCTURING AN ARRAY

```
const name = ['John', 'Doe'];  
let [firstname, lastname] = name;  
  
console.log(name[0], name[1]); // John Doe  
console.log(firstname, lastName); // John Doe
```

DESTRUCTURING AN OBJECT

```
const myObject = {  
  aKey: 'a value',  
  aFunction: function() { return 'return value'; }  
}
```

```
const { aKey, aFunction } = myObject;  
console.log(aKey); // 'a value'  
console.log(aFunction()); // 'return value'
```

NESTED DESTRUCTURING

```
const student = {  
  name: 'John the Programmer',  
  age: 19,  
  testScores: {  
    php: 89,  
    javascript: 55,  
  }  
};  
  
const { name, testScores: { javascript, php } } = student;  
console.log(javascript, php); // 89 55
```

REST PROPERTIES

```
const student = {  
  name: 'John the Programmer',  
  age: 19,  
  testScores: {  
    php: 89,  
    javascript: 55,  
  }  
};
```

```
const { name, ...theRest } = student;  
console.log(theRest); // {age: 19, testScores: {php: 89, javascript: 55 }}
```

SPREAD PROPERTIES

```
const student = {  
  name: 'John the Programmer',  
  age: 19,  
  testScores: {  
    php: 89,  
    javascript: 55,  
  },  
};
```

```
const updatedStudent = {  
  ...student,  
  testScores: {  
    ...student.testScores ,  
    lolcode: 100,  
  },  
};  
  
console.log(updatedStudent);
```


SPREAD PROPERTIES

```
{  
  "name": "John the Programmer",  
  "age": 19,  
  "testScores": {  
    "php": 89,  
    "javascript": 55,  
    "lolcode": 100  
  }  
}
```

SPREAD PROPERTIES

```
function sum(x, y, z) {  
  return x + y + z;  
}  
const numbers = [1,2,3];
```

```
const [x, y, z] = numbers;  
sum(x, y, z); // 6  
sum(...numbers); // 6
```

```
console.log(numbers); // [1, 2, 3]  
console.log(...numbers); // "1 2 3"  
console.log(x, y, z); // "1 2 3"
```

SHALLOW COPY

```
const arr1 = ['a', 'b', 'c'];  
const arr2 = [...arr1, 'apple'];  
const arr3 = [...arr1, ...arr2];  
  
console.log(arr1); // ['a', 'b', 'c']  
console.log(arr2); // ['a', 'b', 'c', 'apple']  
console.log(arr3); // ['a', 'b', 'c', 'a', 'b', 'c', 'apple']
```

SHALLOW COPY ONLY WORKS ONE LEVEL DEEP

```
const arr = [
  {
    somekey: 'some value',
    nestedObject: {
      nestedKey: 'nested value'
    }
  },
  'pear'
];

const otherArr = [...arr];
otherArr[0].nestedObject.nestedKey = 'different value';

console.log(arr[0].nestedObject.nestedKey); // 'different value'
```

POP QUIZ

```
const avengers = {  
  operation: 'Assemble',  
  members: [  
    { ironMan: 'Tony Stark' },  
    { captainAmerica: 'Steve Rogers' },  
    { blackWidow: 'Natasha Romanoff' }  
  ]};  
  
const { operation, members:[, batman] } = avengers;  
  
console.log(batman);
```

What is the output of console.log()?

```
{ captainAmerica: 'Steve Rogers' }
```

FUNCTIONAL IMPROVEMENTS

CRASH COURSE

FUNCTION EXPRESSIONS

BASIC SYNTAX

```
(param1, param2) => { statements };
```

- ▶ Can't be used as constructor methods
- ▶ Don't have their own `this`, `super`, `arguments`, or `new.target`
- ▶ `this` is lexical scope, picked up from their surrounding
- ▶ Best suited class methods or anonymous callbacks

FUNCTION EXPRESSIONS

THIS

```
var Bear = {  
  name: 'Winnie the Pooh',  
  
  foods: ['honey', 'strawberries'],  
  
  sayName: function() {  
    console.log(this.name); // Winnie the Pooh  
  },  
  
  eat: function() {  
    this.foods.forEach(function(food) {  
      console.log(this.name + ' eats ' + food);  
    })  
  }  
}
```

```
Bear.sayName(); // Winnie the Pooh  
Bear.eat() // eats honey, eats strawberries
```


FUNCTION EXPRESSIONS

THIS

```
var Bear = {
  name: 'Winnie the Pooh',

  foods: ['honey', 'strawberries'],

  sayName: function() {
    console.log(this.name); // Winnie the Pooh
  },

  eat: function() {
    this.foods.forEach((food) => {
      console.log(this.name + ' eats ' + food);
    })
  }
}

Bear.sayName(); // Winnie the Pooh
Bear.eat() // Winnie the Pooh eats honey, Winnie the Pooh eats strawberries
```

REST PARAMETERS

```
function multiply(multiplier, ...theArgs) {  
  return theArgs.map(element => multiplier * element);  
}  
  
console.log(multiply(2, 16, 100)); // 32, 200
```

```
function sum(...nums) {  
  return nums.reduce((total, num) => total + num);  
}  
  
console.log(sum(1, 2, 3, 4)); // 10
```

SYNTAX VARIANTS

```
// ES5 function expression
var powerof2 = function(x) {
  return x * x;
}
```

```
// Remove function keyword, add arrow
var powerof2 = (x) => {
  return x * x;
}
```

```
// Return is implied in this case, remove return keyword and brackets
var powerof2 = (x) => x * x;
```

```
// Only one parameter, parens not required
var powerof2 = x => x * x;
```

I PROMISE

CRASH COURSE

PROMISES

WHAT IS A PROMISE

A Promise is an object representing the eventual completion or failure of an asynchronous operation.

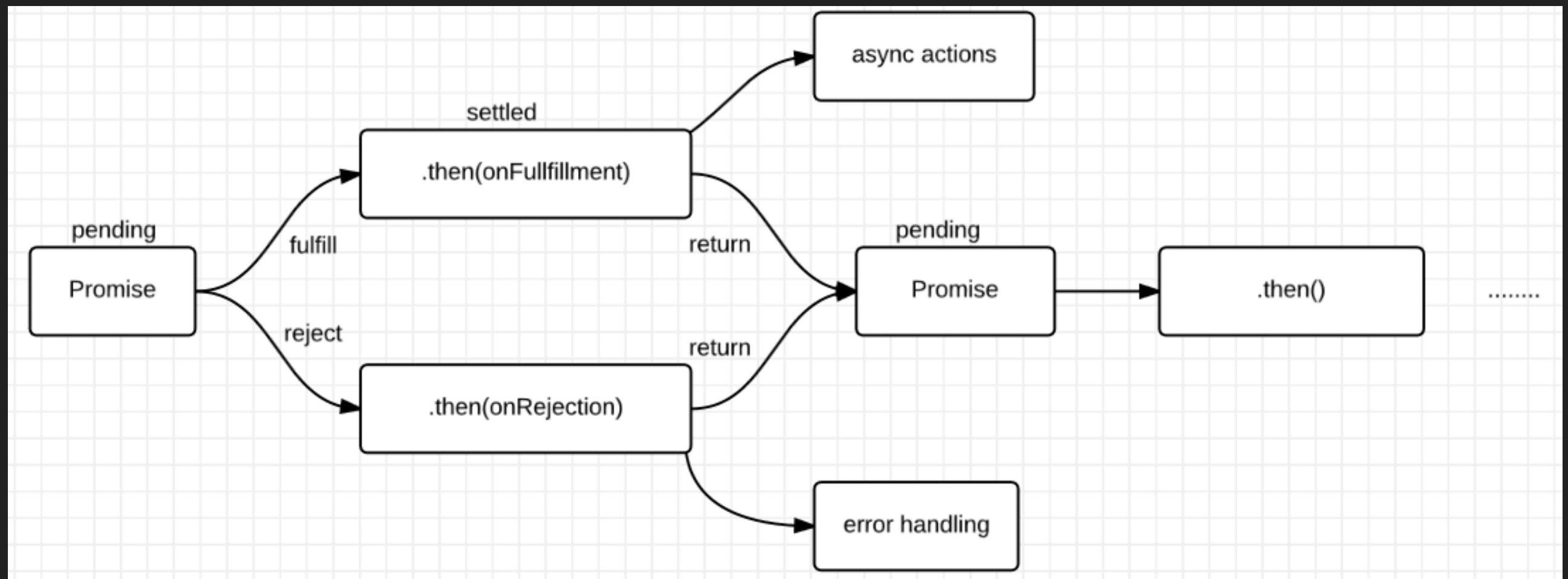
WHY DO WE NEED THEM?

Imagine you are a kid and want a new phone



PROMISES

STATES



MOM, CAN I HAVE A NEW PHONE?

```
const isMomHappy = !! (Math.random() >= 0.5);

// Promise
const willIGetNewPhone = new Promise((resolve, reject) => (
  isMomHappy
    ? resolve({
      brand: 'Samsung',
      color: 'black',
    })
    : reject(Error('Mom isn\'t happy'))));

// call promise
const askMom = () => {
  willIGetNewPhone
    .then(fulfilled => console.log(fulfilled))
    .catch(error => console.log(error.message));
};

askMom();
```


MOM, CAN I HAVE A NEW PHONE?

```
const isMomHappy = !(Math.random() >= 0.5);

// Promise
const willIGetNewPhone = new Promise((resolve, reject) => {
  isMomHappy
    ? resolve({
      brand: 'Samsung',
      color: 'black',
    })
    : reject(new Error('Mom isn\'t happy')));

// call promise
const askMom = () => {
  willIGetNewPhone
    .then(fulfilled => console.log(fulfilled))
    .catch(error => console.log(error.message));
};

askMom();
```

EXAMPLE: MAKE A HTTP REQUEST

```
let isLoading = true;

fetch('https://url.tld')
  .then(response => response.json())
  .then(jsonData => JSON.stringify(jsonData))
  .catch(error => console.log(error))
  .finally(() => { isLoading = false; });
```

INTRODUCTION

QUESTIONS?

ES6