

Lecture 10 Activity: Callbacks and Timers in JS

Pre-Check Q4: This problem uses `setTimeout` with callbacks. For the following program, write the order of statements output after the program is executed.

Program	Output (4 lines)
<pre>(function() { console.log("Foo 1"); window.addEventListener("load", init); function init() { setTimeout(testFunction, 1000); console.log("Foo 2"); } function testFunction() { console.log("Foo 3"); } console.log("Foo 4"); })();</pre>	

Review:

```
let timerId = null; // stores ID of our interval timer
```

```
function init() {  
  id("toggle-btn").addEventListener("click", toggleMessageInterval);  
}
```

// 1. What does this function do?

```
function toggleMessageInterval() {  
  if (timerId === null) {  
    timerId = setInterval(sayHello, 1000);  
  } else {  
    clearInterval(timerId);  
    timerId = null; // 2. Why is this line important?  
    // 3. What happens if we swap the two lines above?  
  }  
}
```

```
function sayHello() {  
  id("output-text").textContent += "Hello...";  
}
```

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Extra practice (at home): This one is a bit tricky, but is really good to practice tracing event flow with asynchronous functions like `setTimeout` and `setInterval`. Consider the following JS program:

```
(function () {  
  let t1 = null;  
  let t2 = null;  
  let doggoCount = 0;  
  
  window.addEventListener("load", init);  
  
  function init() {  
    t1 = setInterval(doggo, 300);  
    t2 = setTimeout(dubs, 800);  
  }  
  
  function doggo() {  
    doggoCount += 1;  
    console.log(doggoCount + " doggo");  
  }  
  
  function dubs() {  
    console.log("DUBS!");  
    t1 = null;  
    clearInterval(t1);  
    t2 = setTimeout(dubs, 800);  
  }  
  
})();
```

Circle which of the following options would be correct as the first 8 lines of console output when the page is loaded (fewer than 8 lines indicate no more console output is possible until the program is restarted).

a	b	c	d	e
1 doggo 2 doggo DUBS! 3 doggo 4 doggo DUBS! 5 doggo 6 doggo	1 doggo 2 doggo 3 doggo DUBS!	1 doggo 2 doggo DUBS! 1 doggo 2 doggo DUBS! 1 doggo 2 doggo	1 doggo 2 doggo DUBS! 3 doggo 4 doggo 5 doggo DUBS! 6 doggo	1 doggo 2 doggo DUBS! DUBS! DUBS! DUBS! DUBS! DUBS!