

Functions



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```
var hireEmployee = function (name) {  
};  
console.log(typeof hireEmployee);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

function

```
var hireEmployee = function (name) {  
    throw ('Error');  
};  
hireEmployee('JJ');
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Uncaught Error -
hireEmployee

```
var hireEmployee = function (name) {  
    throw ('Error');  
};  
var action = hireEmployee;  
action('JJ');
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Uncaught Error -
hireEmployee

```
var hireEmployee = function myHireEmployeeFn(name) {  
    throw ('Error');  
};  
var action = hireEmployee;  
action('JJ');
```

Q

What shows in the console?

A

Uncaught Error -
myHireEmployeeFn

Constructor Functions

```
console.log(typeof Object);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

function

```
var Employee = function (name) {  
    this.name = name;  
};  
var newEmployee = new Employee('JJ');  
console.log(typeof newEmployee);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

object

```
var Employee = function (name) {  
    this.name = name;  
};  
var newEmployee = new Employee('JJ');  
console.log(newEmployee.name);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

JJ

```
var Employee = function (name, boss) {  
  this.name = name;  
  this.boss = boss;  
};  
var newEmployee = new Employee('JJ', 'JD Hogg');  
console.log(newEmployee.boss);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

JD Hogg

```
var Employee = function (name) {  
    this.name = name;  
};  
var e1 = new Employee('JJ');  
var e2 = new Employee('JV');  
console.log(e1 === e2);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

false

```
var Employee = function (name) {  
    this.name = name;  
};  
var e1 = new Employee('JJ');  
var e2 = new Employee('JV');  
console.log(e1.__proto__ === e2.__proto__);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

true

```
var Employee = function (name) {  
  this.name = name;  
  this.giveRaise = function () {  
  };  
};  
var e1 = new Employee('JJ');  
var e2 = new Employee('JV');  
console.log(e1.giveRaise === e2.giveRaise);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

false

```
var Employee = function (name) {  
  this.name = name;  
  this.giveRaise = function () {  
  };  
};  
console.log(typeof Employee.prototype);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

object


```
var Employee = function (name) {  
  this.name = name;  
  this.giveRaise = function () {  
  };  
};  
console.log(Employee.prototype === Object.prototype);
```

Q

What shows in the console?

A

false

```
var Employee = function (name) {  
    this.name = name;  
};  
Employee.prototype.giveRaise = function () {  
};  
var e1 = new Employee('JJ');  
var e2 = new Employee('JV');  
console.log(e1.giveRaise === e2.giveRaise);
```

Q

What shows in the console?

A

true

```
var Employee = function (name) {  
    this.name = name;  
    this.salary = 50000;  
};  
Employee.prototype.giveRaise = function (raise) {  
    this.salary += raise;  
};  
var e1 = new Employee('JJ');  
var e2 = new Employee('JV');  
e1.giveRaise(100000);  
console.log(e1.salary);  
console.log(e2.salary);
```

Q

What shows in the console?

A

150000

50000

The "this" Keyword

```
console.log(typeof this);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

object

```
console.log(this === window);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

true

```
var name = 'Jeff';  
console.log(this.name);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Jeff

```
var updateSalary = function () {  
    console.log(this === window);  
};  
updateSalary();
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

true


```
var employee = {  
  name: 'Jeff',  
  updateSalary: function () {  
    console.log(this);  
  }  
};  
employee.updateSalary();
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Object {name: "Jeff"}

```
var employee = {  
  name: 'Jeff',  
  updateSalary: function () {  
    var fn = function () {  
      console.log(this);  
    };  
    fn();  
  }  
};  
employee.updateSalary();
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Window {...}

```
var employee = {  
  name: 'Jeff',  
  updateSalary: function () {  
    var fn = function () {  
      console.log(this === window);  
    };  
    fn();  
  }  
};  
employee.updateSalary();
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

true

```
var Address = function (line1) {  
  this.line1 = line1;  
  console.log(this);  
};  
var addr = new Address('123 State St.');
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

```
Address {line1: "123 State St."}
```

```
var Address = function (line1) {  
    this.line1 = line1;  
};  
Address.prototype.updateZipCode = function () {  
    console.log(this);  
};  
  
var addr = new Address('123 State St.');
```

addr.updateZipCode();

Q

What shows in the console?

A

Address {line1: "123 State
St."}

Calling Functions

Using `call()` and `apply()`

```
var updateZipCode = function () {  
    console.log(this);  
};  
updateZipCode();
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

```
Window { ... }
```

```
var updateZipCode = function () {  
    console.log(this);  
};  
updateZipCode.call({});
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Object {}


```
var updateZipCode = function () {  
    console.log(this);  
};  
updateZipCode.call({ zip: '11787' });
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Object {zip: "11787"}

```
var updateZipCode = function () {  
    console.log(this);  
};  
var zipCode = {  
    zip: '11787'  
};  
updateZipCode.call(zipCode);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Object {zip: "11787"}

```
var updateZipCode = function (newZip, country) {  
  console.log(newZip + ' ' + country);  
};  
var zipCode = {  
  zip: '11787'  
};  
updateZipCode.call(zipCode, '11888', 'us');
```

Q

What shows in the console?

A

11888 us

```
var updateZipCode = function (newZip, country) {  
  console.log(newZip + ' ' + country);  
};  
var zipCode = {  
  zip: '11787'  
};  
updateZipCode.apply(zipCode, ['11888', 'us']);
```

Q

What shows in the console?

A

11888 us

```
var updateZipCode = function (newZip, country) {  
    console.log(newZip + ' ' + country);  
};  
var zipCode = {  
    zip: '11787'  
};  
updateZipCode.apply(zipCode, '11888', 'us');
```

Q

What shows in the console?

A

Uncaught TypeError: Function.prototype.apply: Arguments list has wrong type

Closures

```
var salaryUpdater = function (salary) {  
  var currentSalary = salary;  
  var generator = function () {  
    currentSalary *= 2;  
    return currentSalary;  
  };  
  return generator;  
};
```

```
var updateFn = salaryUpdater(50000);
```

```
console.log(updateFn());
```

Q

What shows in the console?

A

100000

```
var salaryUpdater = function (salary) {  
  var currentSalary = salary;  
  var generator = function () {  
    currentSalary += 10000;  
    return currentSalary;  
  };  
  return generator;  
};
```

```
var updateFn = salaryUpdater(50000);  
updateFn();  
console.log(updateFn());
```

Q

What shows in the console?

A

70000

IIFEs

Immediately Invoked Function Expressions

```
(function () {  
    console.log('Executed!');  
})();
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Executed!

```
(function () {  
    console.log('Executed!');  
})();
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Executed!

```
(function () {  
    var employeeName = 'Jill';  
})();
```

```
console.log(employeeName);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Uncaught ReferenceError
: employeeName is not
defined

```
var app = {};  
(function (ns) {  
    ns.name = 'None';  
})(app);  
  
console.log(app.name);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

None

```
var app = {};  
var jQuery = {};  
  
(function (ns, $) {  
    ns.name = 'None';  
    console.log($ === jQuery);  
})(app, jQuery);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

true

```
var app = {};  
var jQuery = {};  
  
(function (ns, $, undefined) {  
    ns.name = 'None';  
    console.log(undefined);  
})(app, jQuery);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

undefined

```
+function () {  
    var employeeName = 'Jill';  
    console.log('Executed!');  
}();  
  
console.log(employeeName);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Executed!

Uncaught ReferenceError
: employeeName is not
defined

Recursion

```
var orgChart = {
  name: 'Michael', subordinates: [
    {
      name: 'Andy', subordinates: [
        {
          name: 'Dwight', subordinates: []
        },
        {
          name: 'Kevin', subordinates: []
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
};

var fn = function (topEmployee) {
  console.log(topEmployee.name);
  for (var i = 0; i < topEmployee.subordinates.length; i++)
    fn(topEmployee.subordinates[i]);
};

fn(orgChart);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Michael

Andy

Dwight

Kevin

```
var orgChart = {
  name: 'Michael', subordinates: [
    {
      name: 'Andy', subordinates: [
        {
          name: 'Dwight', subordinates: []
        },
        {
          name: 'Kevin', subordinates: []
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
};

var fn = function (topEmployee) {
  console.log(topEmployee.name);
  for (var i = 0; i < topEmployee.subordinates.length; i++)
    fn(topEmployee.subordinates[i]);
};

var fn2 = fn;
fn = null;
fn2(orgChart);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Michael

Uncaught TypeError: fn
is not a function

```
var orgChart = {
  name: 'Michael', subordinates: [
    {
      name: 'Andy', subordinates: [
        {
          name: 'Dwight', subordinates: []
        },
        {
          name: 'Kevin', subordinates: []
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
};

var fn = function showAllEmployees (topEmployee) {
  console.log(topEmployee.name);
  for (var i = 0; i < topEmployee.subordinates.length; i++)
    showAllEmployees(topEmployee.subordinates[i]);
};

var fn2 = fn;
fn = null;
fn2(orgChart);
```

Question

What shows in the console?

Answer

Michael

Andy

Dwight

Kevin

Summary



JavaScript

- Function Expressions
- The "this" Keyword
- Calling Functions Using Call and Apply
- Closures
- IIFE's
- Recursion