

# NAMASTE NODE JS

## SEASON-1

### EPISODE-01

#### ↳ Intro to Node.js

#### Node.js

↳ It is a cross platform, open source Javascript runtime environment built on Chrome's V8 Engine

- Node.js was built by Ryan Dahl in 2009.
- Node.js is maintained by the OpenJS Foundation.
- Node.js executes JS code outside the web browser

→ JS is a language at the core of the web and browsers, but with Node.js, we could run it everywhere. That's why node.js is often associated with the phrase "Run Javascript Everywhere"

#### Success Because

↳ Event Driven architecture  
Async I/O / Non Blocking I/O

#### History

- 2009, First developed using Firefox's Spider Monkey JS Engine but in 2 Days switched to Chrome's V8 Engine & Never Looked Back
- 2010, NPM was developed to support Node.js by Isaac
- 2011, Node.js given a windows support (Earlier only for MacOS, Linux)
- 2012, Ryan left the Node.js project & it took over by Isaac
- 2014, Fedor Indutny forked Node.js and called it io.js, Lead to controversy within the company Soylent. A few devs began maintaining the io.js branch
- 2015, Node.js & Io.js merged, forming the node.js foundation
- 2019, JS foundation + Node.js foundation → Open JS foundation.



## EPISODE - 02

### ↳ JS on Server

Server → It simply means a remote computer that provides data, resources to other computers (client) which are always on & available with stable internet connections.

V8 Engine → It is written on c++ and can be embedded with any c++ application

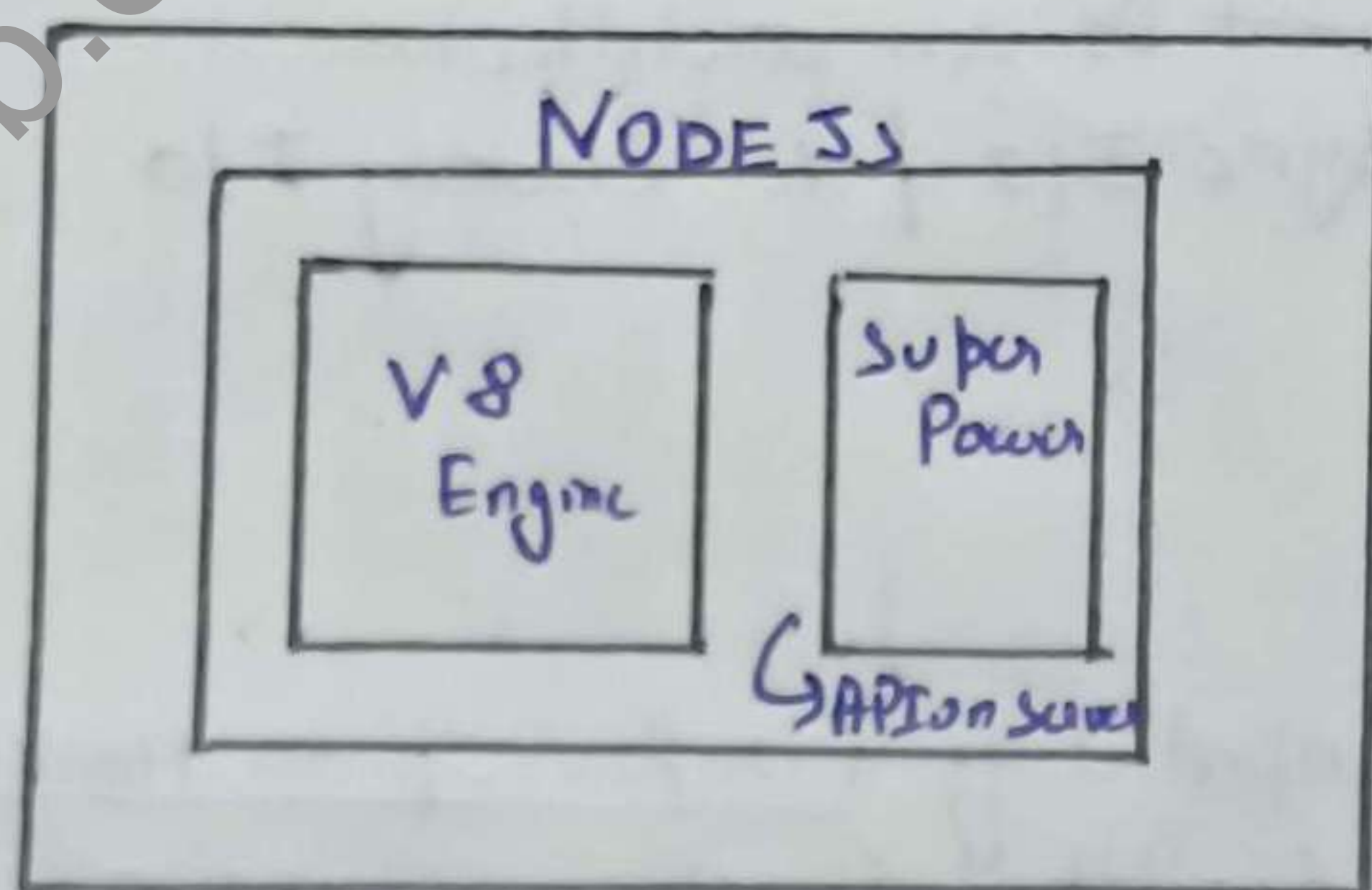
- It is mostly used in chrome & NodeJS.
- It follows ECMA script standards & runs on various systems

↳ Standards for scripting Language

Guidelines of writing JS, Jscript, Action script etc

- It takes JS code & converts it into a machine code that computer can execute

Note → NodeJS is a c++ Application with V8 Engine embedded into it

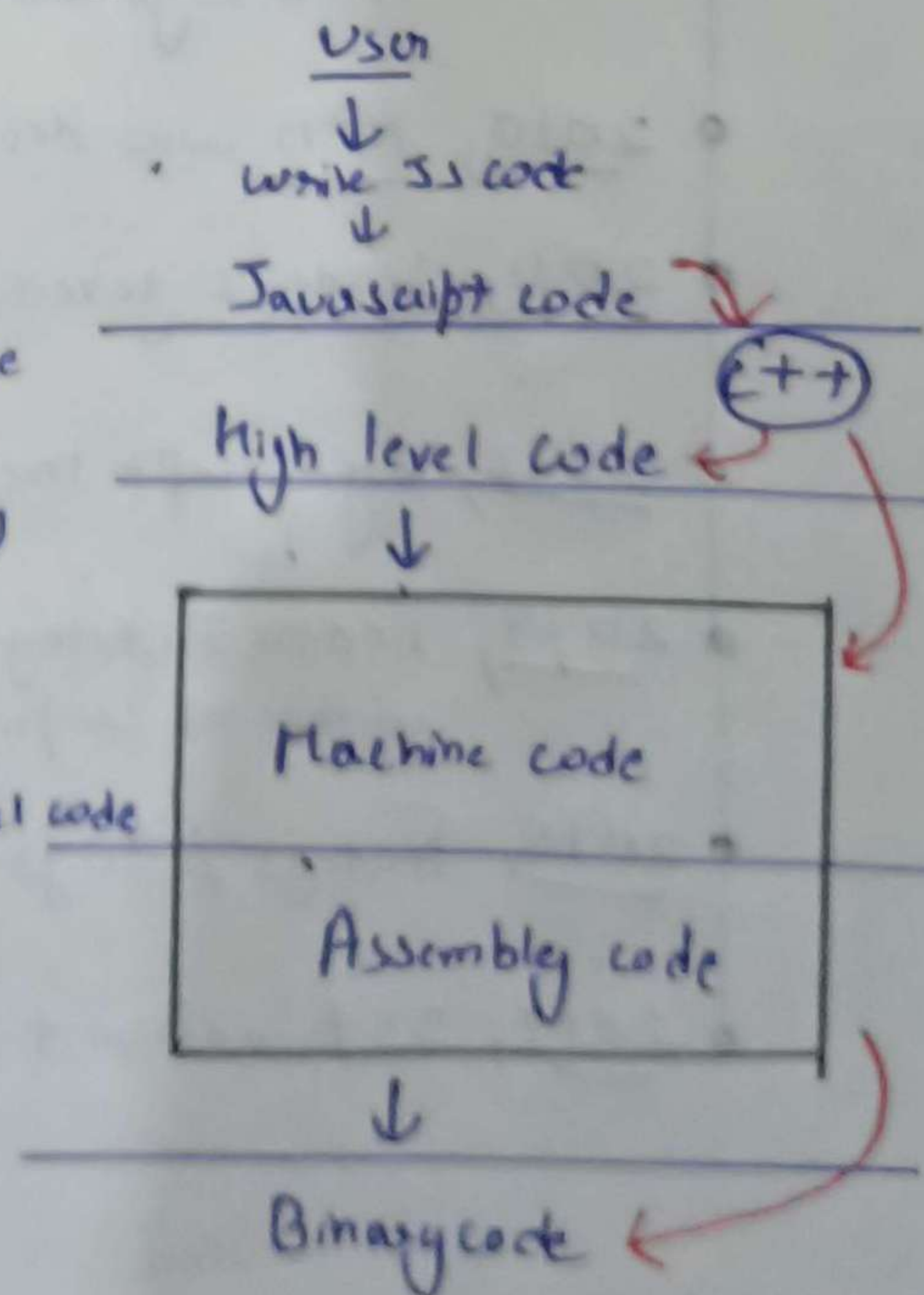


Server

Why V8 Engine is a c++ code?

Whenever we write a JS code. The JS code is processed by c++ program/ JS Engine (which converts JS code (high level) to low level) and converted to machine code and this is being understood by computer in the form of Binary

Low level code





## EPISODE - 03

↳ Let's write code

### 1) Install Node.js

- Go to the website of Node.js and download the latest version of node.js
- Verify → `node -v`  
`npm -v`

### \* Node REPL (Read, Evaluate, Print, Loop)

- Node REPL is an interactive environment where we can write and execute JS code directly into the terminal
- It is the easiest way of writing program

### \* Global obj in Node → global, it is one of the super powers that Node.js gives us and it is not a part of V8 Engine

→ `setInterval`, `setTimeout`, `clearInterval` → Part of global obj not JS

→ 'this' keyword does not point to global obj rather it is an empty obj  
(code in `global`)

## EPISODE - 04

↳ `Module.export` & `Require`

- In Node.js each file is called 'modules'
- In every Node.js project there is only one entry point (a file where the program starts). if we have multiple files then we have to import those files into the entry point file using `require(path)`
- We couldn't simply import and use variables & fn from one module to another. By modules protects their var & fn from leaking by default
- To access var & fn we have to export them.

### \* Types of Export & Import

Common JS module  
(CJS)

- 1) Import: `require()`
- 2) Export: `module.exports`
- 3) Default used in Node.js
- 4) Synchronous & non-stick mode

### ES module (EJS)

Import: import & fn name from "path"  
Export: Export fn name/var  
Default used in React, Angular etc  
option for assign, stick mode is Default



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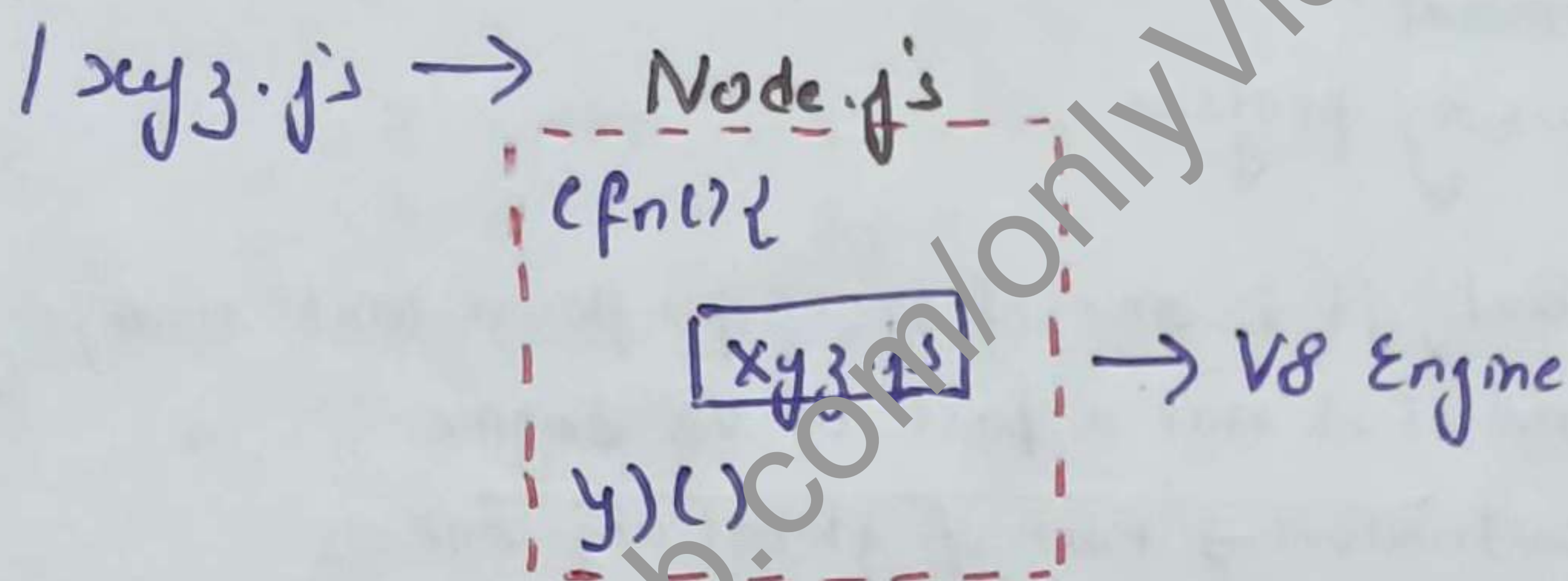
↳ Diving into the node.js github repo

IFE (Immediately Invoked Function Expression)

- ↳ Modules are wrapped in IIFE, called when require() statement runs
- ↳ Used to create private scope

```
(function (module, require, ...) {  
  // module
```

```
})(
```



## 5 step Mechanism of Require

- Resolving the module → Check whether the file path is
  - / local path
  - / .json
  - / node! module
- Loading the module → File content is loaded according to file type
- Wrapping Inside an IIFE (compile) → module code wrapped inside an IIFE, helps encapsulate the module scope. Keeps var & fn private.
- Evaluation → module.exports is set to exports available to other file
- Caching → Node caches the required modules only once & made it available in my file whenever it required it without above steps



## EPISODE-06

↳ libuv & async IO

Javascript is a synchronous single Threaded

↳ one after  
other

↳ can run on single  
Thread or single process

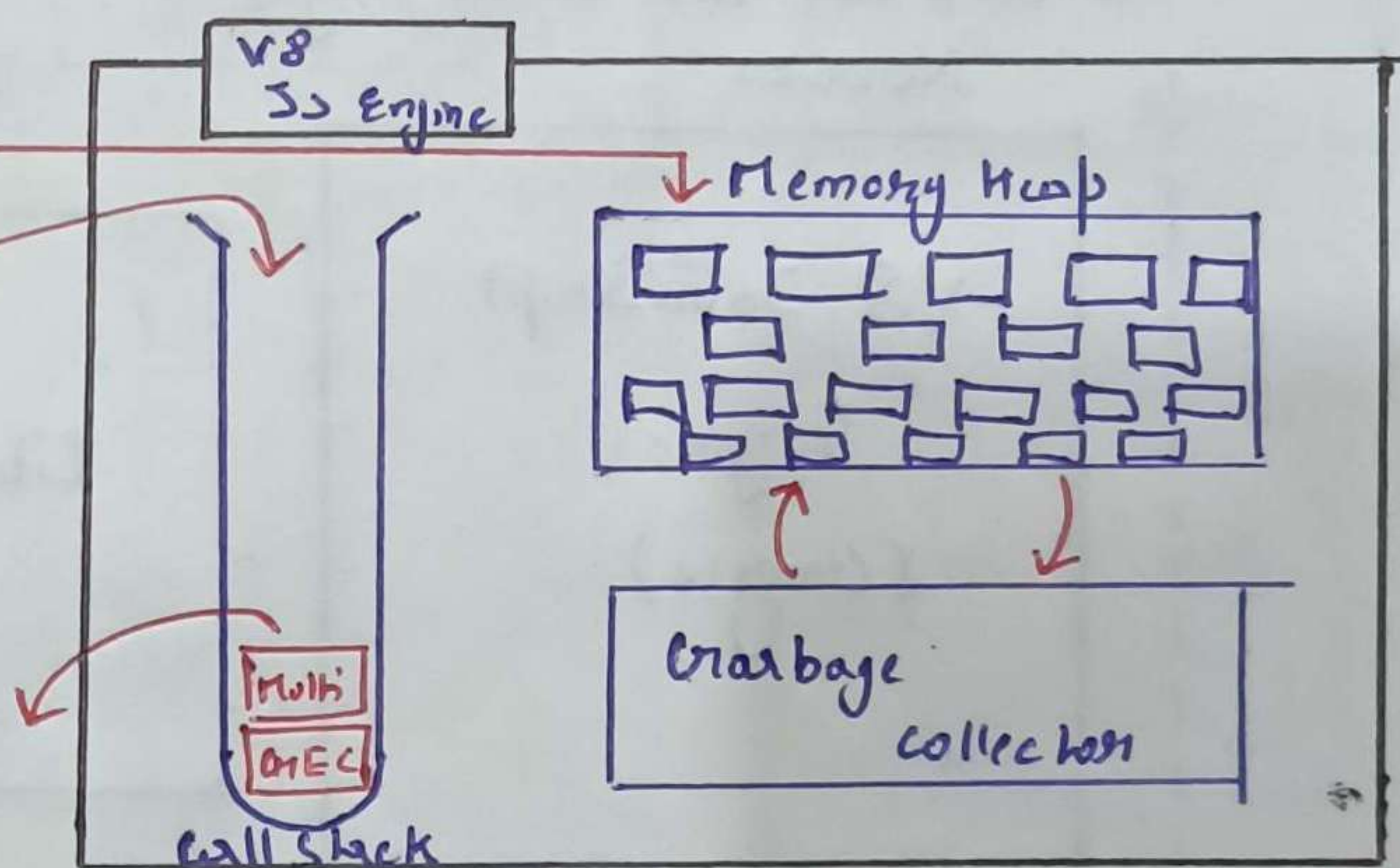
NODE Async JS

### \* Synchronous

Js code execute line by line by default which means one task has to wait for the previous task to get completed only after that the next task will get executed. It is Blocking

### \* Execution of synchronous code

```
var a = 1078698;  
var b = 20986;  
function mul(x, y) {  
  const result = x * y;  
  return result;  
}  
var c = mul(a, b);
```

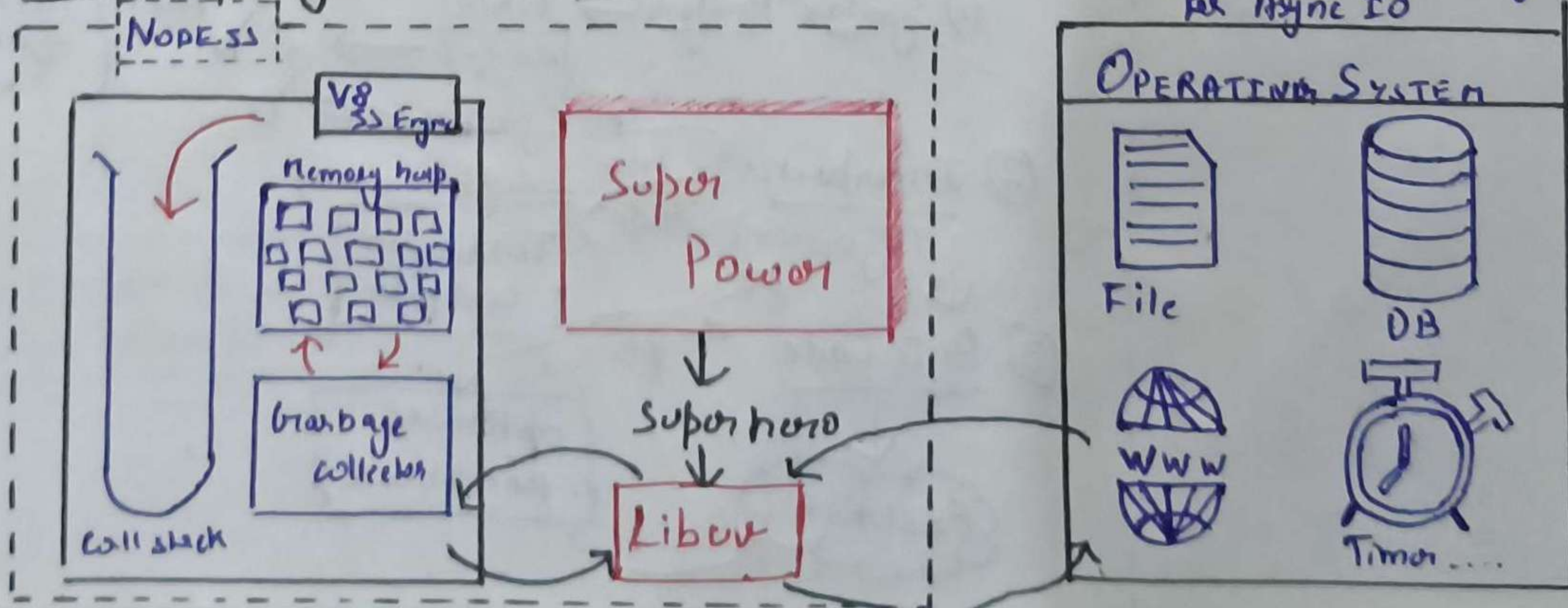


GEC → Global Execution context

### \* Asynchronous

one task does not have to wait for other task to get completed/execute. Each task performs separately. Though Js is synchronous & single threaded in default. Thus async operation is possible by various ways like callback, promises, async/await, event loop, setTimeout, setInterval & so on. It is non-Blocking

### \* Execution of Asynchronous code



Libuv = multiplatform C library for Async IO



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↳ Sync, async, setTimeoutZero - Code

### \* Synchronous (Blocking IO)

V8 Engine → Node.js c++ binding → OS Task → data returned →

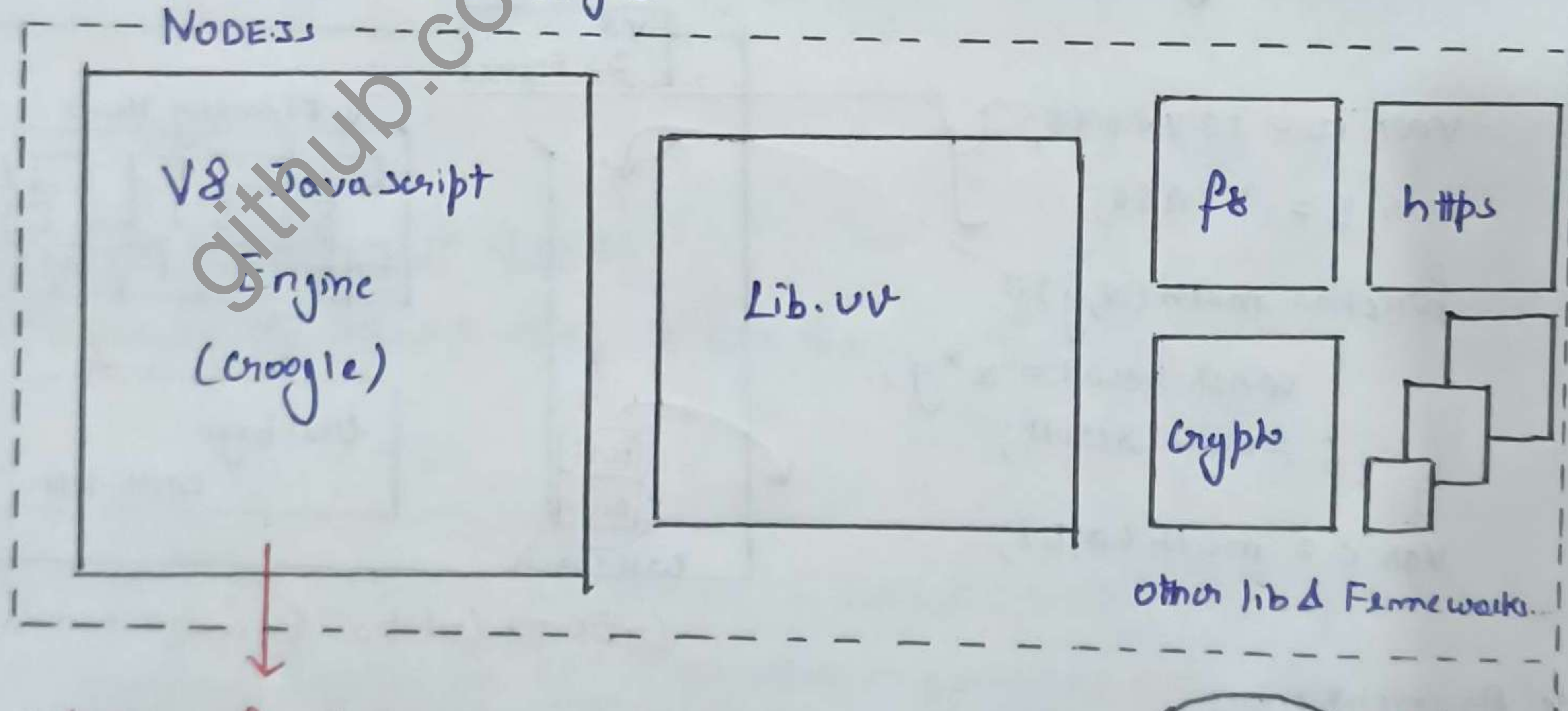
C++ bindings → V8 Engine

### \* Asynchronous (Non-Blocking IO)

V8 Engine → libuv (Thread Pool) → OS Task → Data returned → libuv → V8 Engine (call back execution)

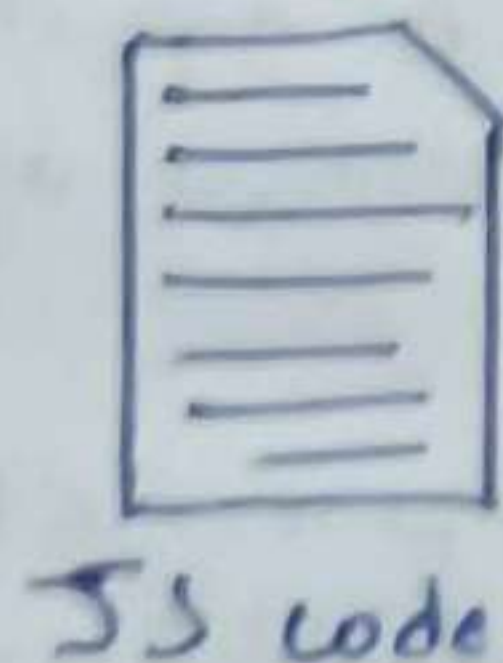
## EPISODE - 08

↳ Deep dive into V8 JS Engine



### Working of V8 Engine

### V8 Engine



JS code

#### ① Parsing

i) Lexical Analysis (Tokenization) →

Code + Token

ii) Syntax Analysis →

Tokens



AST (Abstract Syntax Tree)

#### ② Interpreter (Ignition)

Hot code

Turbofan Compiler

#### ③ Byte Code

Execution

Optimised machine code

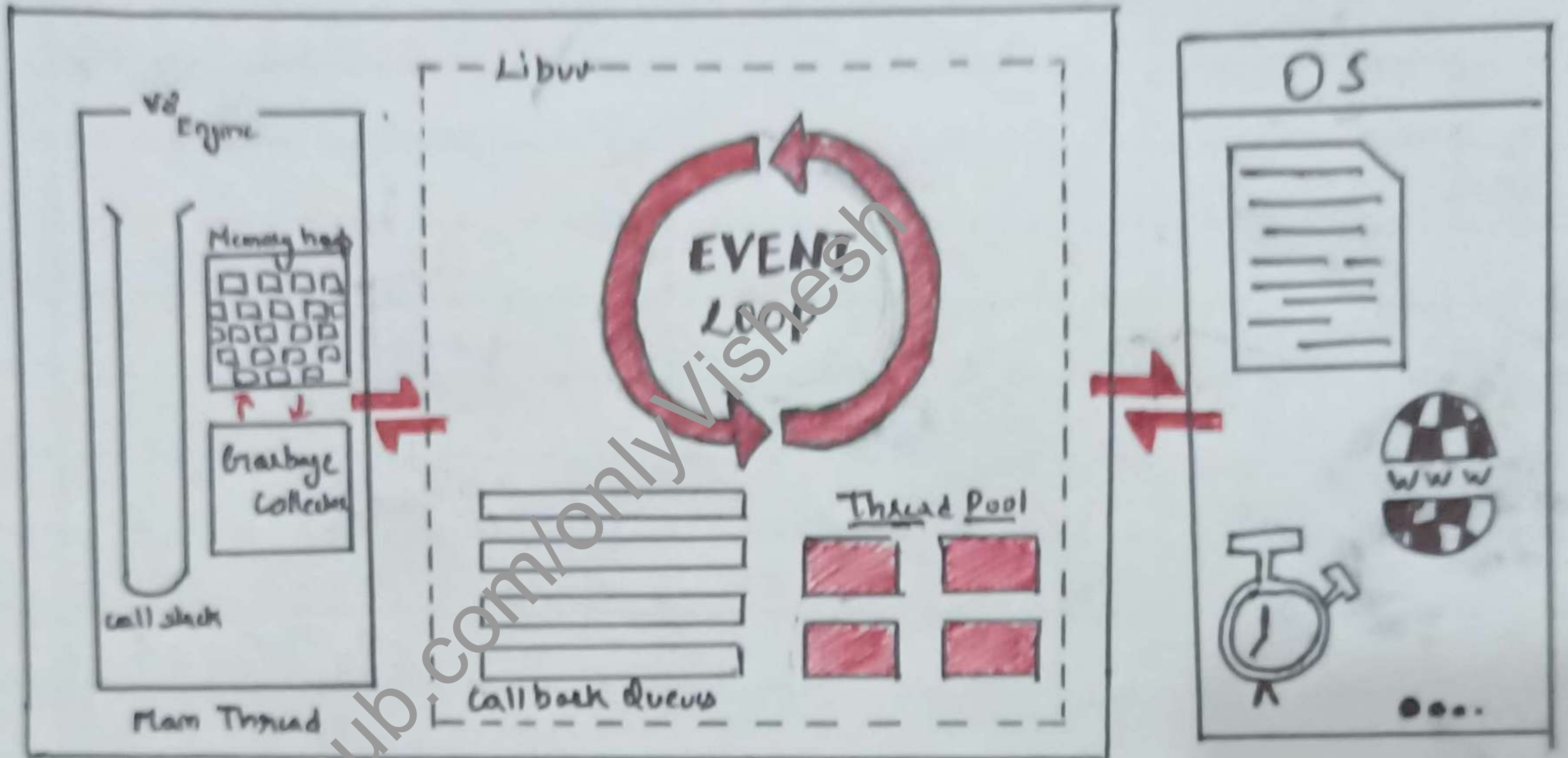
Garbage collector

- OS in OS
- oil Pan
- scavenger in compact

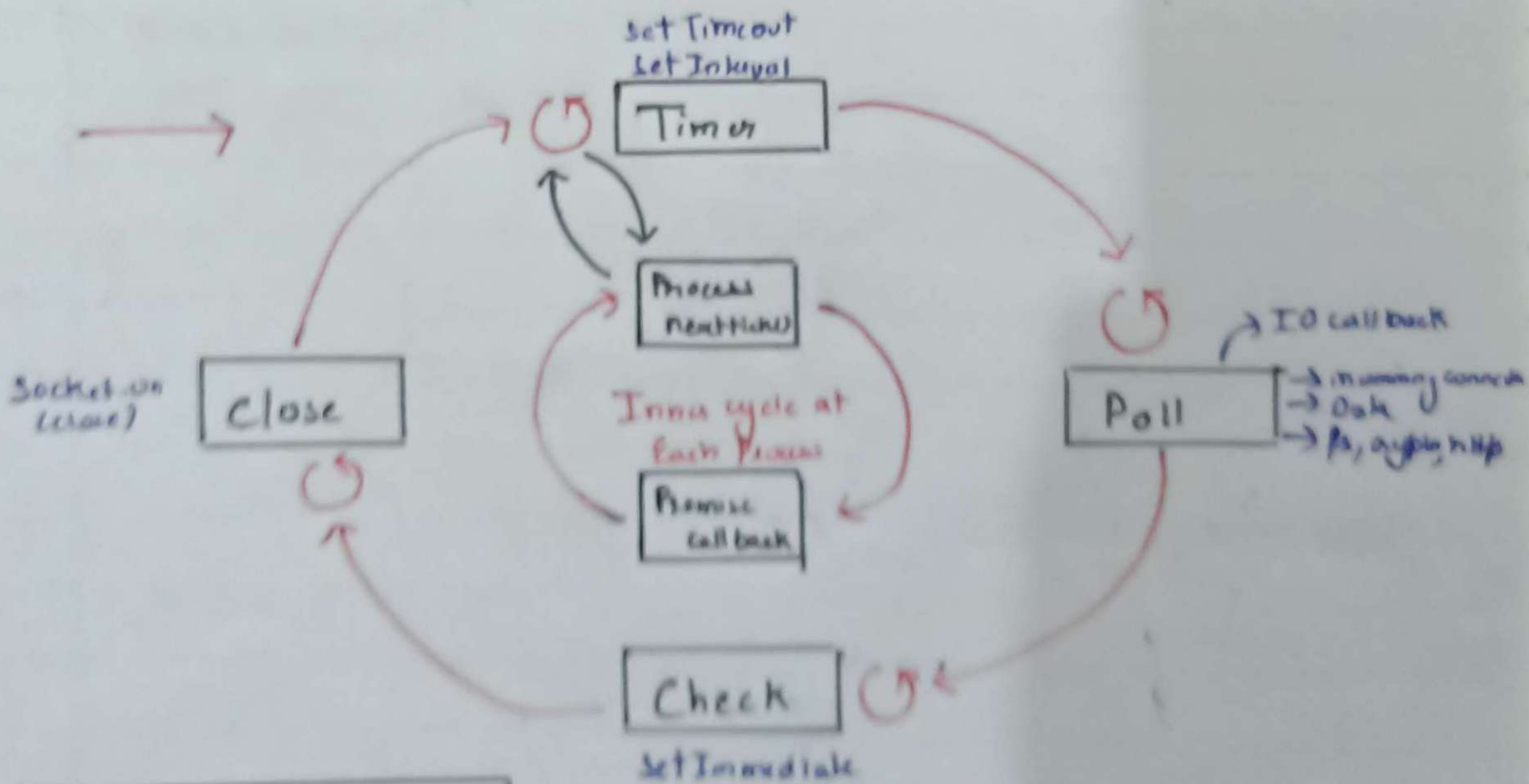


# EPISODE - 09

↳ Libuv & Event loop



## \* Event Loop



Rest EPISODE consist of code  
Refer github for more