



LET'S TALK ABOUT THE

*History*

of JavaScript

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**JS**



# This is Netscape Navigator

A web browser which used to dominate the world in 90s with the market share of around 90%.

This is where the story of JavaScript starts form.



# Static Websites

Websites used to be static then. And browsers could not do even a single calculation at that time.

In order to do even a simple math browsers had to talk to servers.



# Netscape in 1995



# Making the language of web

So the founder of Netscape decided to develop a programming language for his Netscape.



Founder of Netscape

**Marc Andreessen**

Let me know in the comments. Which was the first browser for public use and who developed it.



# Making the language of web

In September 1995 Andreessen hired one guy called Brendan Eich to develop that language.

Creator of JavaScript

**Brendan Eich**



# Development of JavaScript

Brendan starts the development and the rest is history. He developed the whole new language in just 10 freaking days.

And that language was called "**Mocha**". Then it was changed to "**LiveScript**" and then finally...

# JavaScript

This is how the language of  
internet is born

**JavaScript**

Any application that can be written in  
JavaScript, will eventually be written  
in JavaScript.

**Atwood's Law**



Founder of Stackoverflow

**Jeff Atwood**

