



ES 6



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New ES6 syntax



- let – declare block-scoped variables using the let keyword.
- let vs. var – understand the differences between let and var.
- const – define constants using the const keyword.
- Default function parameters – learn how to set the default value for parameters of a function.
- Spread operator – learn how to use the spread operator effectively.
- Object literal syntax extensions – provide a new way to define object literal.
- for...of – learn how to use the for...of loop to iterate over elements of an iterable object.

let Keyword



- The let keyword is similar to the var keyword, except that these variables are blocked-scope.
 - `let variable_name;`
- In JavaScript, blocks are denoted by curly braces {}, for example, the if else, for, do while, while, try catch and so on.

```
let x = 10;  
if (x == 10) {  
  let x = 20;  
  console.log(x); // 20: reference x inside the block  
}  
console.log(x); // 10: reference at the begining of the script
```

```
for (let i = 0; i < 5; i++) {  
  setTimeout(() => console.log(i), 1000);  
}
```

const Keyword



- The const keyword creates a read-only reference to a value.
 - `const` CONSTANT_NAME = value;
- const keyword declares blocked-scope variables.
- It can't be reassigned.
- variables created by the const keyword are “immutable”.

```
const RATE = 0.1;  
RATE = 0.2; // TypeError  
-----  
const RED; // SyntaxError  
-----  
const person = { age: 20 };  
person.age = 30; // OK  
person = { age: 40 }; // TypeError  
  
const person = Object.freeze({age: 20});  
person.age = 30; // TypeError
```

Default Parameters



- Parameters are what you specify in the function declaration whereas the arguments are what you pass into the function.
- if you don't pass the arguments into the function, its parameters will have the default values of undefined.

```
function say(message) {  
  console.log(message);  
}  
  
say(); // undefined
```

```
function say(message) {  
  message = typeof message !== 'undefined' ? message : 'Hi';  
  console.log(message);  
}  
  
say(); // 'Hi'
```

- ES6 provides you with an easier way to set the default values for the function parameters use the assignment operator (=) and the default value after the parameter name to set a default value for that parameter.

```
function say(message='Hi') {  
  console.log(message);  
}  
  
say(); // 'Hi'  
say(undefined); // 'Hi'  
say('Hello'); // 'Hello'
```



Rest parameters

- A rest parameter allows you to represent an indefinite number of arguments as an array.
- The last parameter (args) is prefixed with the three-dots (...). It's called a rest parameter (...args).

```
function fn(a,b,...args) {  
  //...  
}
```

```
function fun(...input){  
  let sum = 0;  
  for(let i of input){  
    sum+=i;  
  }  
  return sum;  
}  
console.log(fun(1,2)); //3  
console.log(fun(1,2,3)); //6  
console.log(fun(1,2,3,4,5)); //15
```

JavaScript spread operator



- ES6 provides a new operator called spread operator that consists of three dots (...).
- The spread operator allows you to spread out elements of an iterable object such as an array, map, or set.

```
const odd = [1,3,5];  
const combined = [2,4,6, ...odd];  
console.log(combined); // [ 2, 4, 6, 1, 3, 5 ]
```

- The spread operator (...) unpacks the elements of an iterable object.
- The rest parameter (...) packs the elements into an array.

JavaScript for...of loop



- for...of that iterates over an iterable object such as
 - Built-in Array, String, Map, Set, ...
 - Array-like objects such as arguments or NodeList
 - User-defined objects that implement the iterator protocol.

```
const ratings = [  
  {user: 'John',score: 3},  
  {user: 'Jane',score: 4},  
  {user: 'David',score: 5},  
  {user: 'Peter',score: 2},  
];  
  
let sum = 0;  
for (const {score} of ratings) {  
  sum += score;  
}  
  
console.log(`Total scores: ${sum}`); // 14
```

```
let str = 'abc';  
for (let c of str) {  
  console.log(c);  
}
```

ES6 Modules



- An ES6 module is a JavaScript file that executes in strict mode only. It means that any variables or functions declared in the module won't be added automatically to the global scope.
- To export a variable, a function, or a class, you place the export keyword

```
// cal.js
export let a = 10, b = 20, result = 0;

export function sum() {
  result = a + b;
  return result;
}

export function multiply() {
  result = a * b;
  return result;
}
```

```
import {a, b, result, sum, multiply} from './cal.js';
sum();
console.log(result); // 30

multiply();
console.log(result); // 200
```

- To import everything from a module as a single object
- `import { a } from './cal.js';`

ES6 class



- ES6 introduced a new syntax for declaring a class as shown in this example.
- JavaScript automatically calls the constructor() method when you instantiate an object of the class.

```
class Person {  
  constructor(name) {  
    this.name = name;  
  }  
  getName() {  
    return this.name;  
  }  
}
```

```
let john = new Person("John Doe");  
let name = john.getName();  
console.log(name); // "John Doe"
```

```
let Person = class {  
  constructor(name) {  
    this.name = name;  
  }  
  getName() {  
    return this.name;  
  }  
}
```

JavaScript static methods



- static methods are bound to a class, not the instances of that class. Therefore, static methods are useful for defining helper or utility methods.
- In ES6, you define static methods using the static keyword.

```
class Person {  
  constructor(name) {  
    this.name = name;  
  }  
  getName() {  
    return this.name;  
  }  
  static createAnonymous(gender) {  
    let name = gender == "male" ? "John Doe" : "Jane Doe";  
    return new Person(name);  
  }  
}  
let anonymous = Person.createAnonymous("male");
```

JavaScript static properties



- Like a static method, a static property is shared by all instances of a class. To define static property, you use the static keyword followed by the property name.
- To access a static property in a class constructor or instance method, you use the following syntax:
 - `className.staticPropertyName;`
 - `this.constructor.staticPropertyName;`

```
class Item {  
  constructor(name, quantity) {  
    this.name = name;  
    this.quantity = quantity;  
    this.constructor.count++;  
  }  
  static count = 0;  
  static getCount() {  
    return Item.count;  
  }  
}  
  
let pen = new Item('Pen', 5);  
let notebook = new Item('notebook', 10);  
  
console.log(Item.getCount()); // 2
```

JavaScript static properties



- Classes we can implement inheritance to make child inherits all methods of Parent Class. This can be done using the extends and super keywords.
- We use the extends keyword to implement the inheritance in ES6. The class to be extended is called a base class or parent class.
- The super() method in the constructor is used to access all parent's properties and methods that are used by the derived class.



```
<html>
<body>
  <h2>JavaScript Class Inheritance</h2>
  <p id="demo"></p>
  <script>
    class Mall {
      constructor(shopname) {
        this.shopname = shopname;
      }
      shopispresent() {
        return this.shopname + ' is present in the ';
      }
    }
    class Shop extends Mall {
      constructor(name, mallname) {
        super(name);
        this.mallname = mallname;
      }
      showshop() {
        return this.shopispresent() + this.mallname;
      }
    }
    let newMall = new Shop("Domino", "Select City Walk Mall");
    document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = newMall.showshop();
  </script>
</body>
</html>
```

JavaScript Class Inheritance

Domino is present in the Select City Walk Mall

Arrow function



- JavaScript Promise are easy to manage when dealing with multiple asynchronous operations where callbacks can create callback hell leading to unmanageable code.
- The promise constructor takes only one argument which is a callback function
- The callback function takes two arguments, resolve and reject
- Perform operations inside the callback function and if everything went well then call resolve.
- If desired operations do not go well then call reject.

```
var promise = new Promise(function(resolve,
  reject){
  //do something
});
```

```
let p = new Promise((resolve, reject) => {
  setTimeout(() => {
    resolve(10);
  }, 3 * 100);
});

p.then((result) => {
  console.log(result);
  return result * 2;
}).then((result) => {
  console.log(result);
  return result * 3;
});
```


Map object



- Before ES6, we often used an object to emulate a map by mapping a key to a value of any type. But using an object as a map has some side effects:
 - An object always has a default key like the prototype.
 - A key of an object must be a string or a symbol, you cannot use an object as a key.
 - An object does not have a property that represents the size of the map.
- `let map = new Map([iterable]);`

```
let john = {name: 'John Doe'},  
    lily = {name: 'Lily Bush'},  
    peter = {name: 'Peter Drucker'};
```

- Add elements to a Map
- `userRoles.set(john, 'admin');`

Map object methods



- `clear()` – removes all elements from the map object.
- `delete(key)` – removes an element specified by the key. It returns `true` if the element is in the map, or `false` if it does not.
- `entries()` – returns a new `Iterator` object that contains an array of `[key, value]` for each element in the map object. The order of objects in the map is the same as the insertion order.
- `forEach(callback[, thisArg])` – invokes a callback for each key-value pair in the map in the insertion order. The optional `thisArg` parameter sets the `this` value for each callback.
- `get(key)` – returns the value associated with the key. If the key does not exist, it returns `undefined`.
- `has(key)` – returns `true` if a value associated with the key exists or `false` otherwise.
- `keys()` – returns a new `Iterator` that contains the keys for elements in insertion order.
- `set(key, value)` – sets the value for the key in the map object. It returns the map object itself therefore you can chain this method with other methods.
- `values()` returns a new iterator object that contains values for each element in insertion order.

Set object



- ES6 provides a new type named Set that stores a collection of unique values of any type. To create a new empty Set, you use the following syntax:
- `let setObject = new Set();`

Set object methods



- `add(value)` – appends a new element with a specified value to the set. It returns the Set object, therefore, you can chain this method with another Set method.
- `clear()` – removes all elements from the Set object.
- `delete(value)` – deletes an element specified by the value.
- `entries()`– returns a new Iterator that contains an array of `[value, value]` .
- `forEach(callback [, thisArg])` – invokes a callback on each element of the Set with the `this` value sets to `thisArg` in each call.
- `has(value)` – returns true if an element with a given value is in the set, or false if it is not.
- `keys()` – is the same as `values()` function.
- `[@@iterator]` – returns a new Iterator object that contains values of all elements stored in the insertion order.