

jeforthVM -- the javascript eforth VM

<https://github.com/samsuanchen/multitaskjavascripteforth/>

jeForthVM.js is a javascript source code running as a **multi task jeforth VM** with initially three jeforth words '**root**', '**code**', and '**dbg**' on web client or server html pages. This VM could be involved by `<script src= "./jeForthVM.js"> </script>`. Please check demos: **jefvm0.html**, **jefvm1.htm1**, or **movingEffect.htm**. A node.js (or node-webkit) server program could involve this VM, via `require("./jeForthVM.js")`. Please check demos: **jefvm0.bat**, **jefvm1.bat**, or **jefvm2run.bat**.

The word 'root'

This is a primitive root **vocabulary** having three jeforth word words '**root**', '**code**', and '**dbg**' initially. Please check topic 06 **vocTest** (using UP/DOWN key to select topic) in **jefvm1.htm1** to see how a **new vocabulary/word** could be defined, and how an **appropriate vocabulary/word** among vocabularies could be selected and be used properly.

The word 'code'

This jeforth word could be used to define a **new jeforth words** by assigning a java script anonymous function to the new word. In **jefvm1.htm1**, a lot of new jeforth words defined as demos in topics **default**, **basic01**, **vocTest**, and **multiTask**. Also, this jeforth word could be used to define **new js functions** in order to be called by jeforth words. Please check topic 05 **jsFunctionTest** in **jefvm1.html**.

The word 'dbg'

This jeforth word is used to easy trace or debug a defined jeforth word. Setting breakpoint in **jeForthVM.js** at **BP0**, of its corresponding javascript function, could halt the VM if **dbg** alone (having no any following word) is being executed. Otherwise, for example, **dbg xyz**, the following word **xyz** will be put into debugged list so that setting breakpoint **BP1** in **jeForthVM.js** could halt the VM if any word in the list is being executed.

jefvm0.html

This is a web client html page used as a simple demonstration showing how to involve this javascript eforth VM via `<script src= "./jeForthVM.js"> </script>`.

jefvm0.bat

Double click this batch command file will start a node-webkit web server (local host) html page showing how to involve this javascript eforth VM via `require("./jeForthVM.js")`.

jefvm1.html

This is a web client html page with local storage used as a demonstration showing how to involve, test, and debug **jeForthVM.js**.

jefvm1.bat

Double click this batch command file will start a node-webkit web server (local host) html page with local storage used as a demonstration showing how to involve, test, and debug **jeForthVM.js**.

01. topics

showing all the topics

02. default

showing how to define new jeforth words

03. basic01

showing how to define a few basic jeforth words

04. basic02

showing how to test the basic jeforth words just defined

05. jsFunctionTest

showing how to define a java script function to be used in jeforth words

06. vocTest

showing how to define and use jeforth words in vocabularies

07. multiTask

showing how to define jeforth words for multi tasking

08. multiTask1

showing how to start multi tasks

jefvm2run.bat

Double click this batch command file will start a process running 'node jefvm2.js' with file system I/O as yet another demonstration showing how to involve and test jeForthVM.js.

multiTaskJavascriptEforthOutput.html

showing multi tasking demonstration log output.

specialEffect.htm

another web client html page multi tasking demonstration of special effect moving objects.