

## function loopholes

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```
var f12 = function foo2() {
```

```
}
```

```
X foo2(); // foo2 is not defined
f12(); //
```

typeof f12  
"function"

typeof foo2  
↓  
"undefined"

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```
var f1 = function foo() {
  console.log("Hello");
```

```
}
```

```
f1 || f foo() {
  console.log("Hello");
```

```
}
```

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```
var f2 = function() {
  console.log("Hello");
```

```
}
```

```
f2 || f() {
  console.log("Hello");
```

```
}
```

function name not required  
but we can write

typeof f2  
↓  
"function"

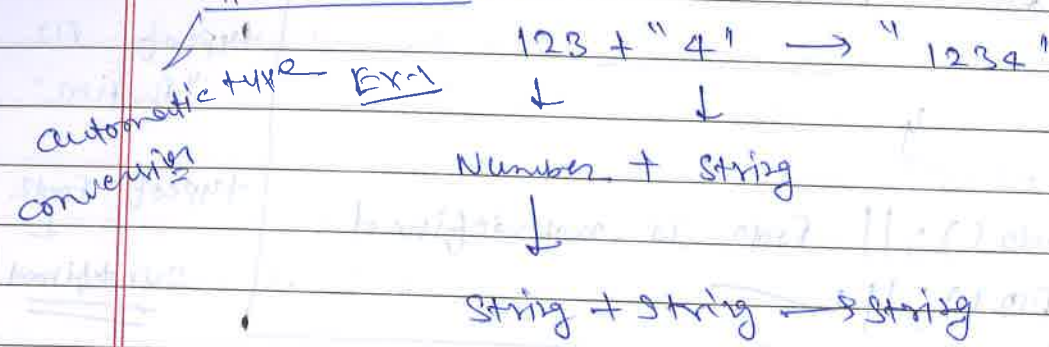
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```
function ff() { }
```

```
typeof ff || => "function"
```

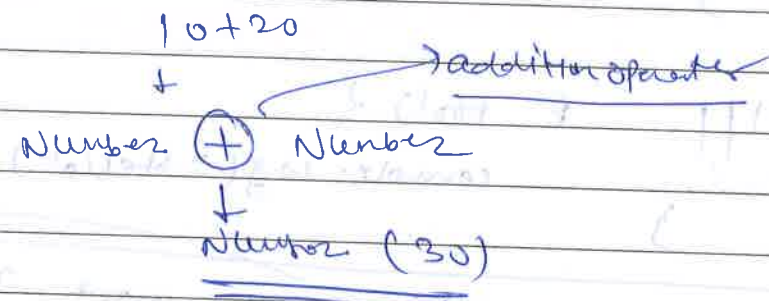


→ Type coercion →



Ex-2

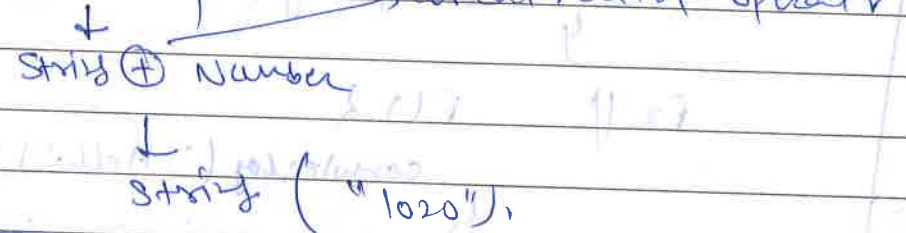
```
var x = 10;
var y = 20;
var z = x + y;
```



var x = "10";

var y = "20";

var z = x + y;



Ex-3

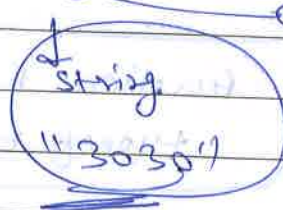
var x = 10;

var y = 20;

var z = "30";

var result = x + y + z;

30 (+) "30"



Number + Number

10 (+) 20

↓

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addition

→ JavaScript comes from the 'C' family of programming language. (like for loop, if-else, switch basic things are same)

→ What is Javascript :-

- JavaScript often shortened as JS
- is a lightweight, interpreted, object oriented language with first-class functions.
- and is best known as the scripting language for web pages but it's used in many non-browser environment as well.

\* Lightweight :- Small memory footprint, easy to implement\* Interpreted :- NO compilation, instructions executed directly.

→ NO compilation means like in java or other languages first code will be compiled and a intermediate file will be generated (like bytecode in java or binary object file in C++ etc) but in case of JS is no intermediate file is generated directly instructions are executed one by one.

\* Object-oriented :- modeled around object.

\* First-class functions :- functions can be used as values

→ function can be a value, you can pass functions as parameter to method call.

\* Scripting language :- is a basically a language where instructions or statements are written for a runtime environment.



~~you~~ you have commands that you can run on runtime environment

Ex. • ShellScript for Linux } and here RT environment  
• PowerShell for windows } is Operating System (OS).

\* ~~If you bundled up some commands~~

\* If you take some commands and bundled-up into a file and execute this file, ~~and~~ this becomes script.

\* When you write Javascript you are basically writing instructions for a runtime environment ~~and~~ ~~to~~

→ There could be multiple different runtime environment but the most common or most popular is web-browser.

→ When you have a web browser and making a call to server and server respond with some HTML ~~page~~ page travels over Http is basically a stream of text/string.

\* Then browser converts this HTML into Dom (Tree of objects).

\* HTML is a static language. If you have just HTML and browser loaded, you get a particular Dom tree and browser builds the tree and renders the view based on this Dom.

\* If you loads the HTML again & again you will get the same Dom & view.

\* However HTML comes with javascript and javascript is a dynamic language.

Once you receive HTML with javascript then browser does the same thing it will create the Dom tree but then executes the Javascript now in Javascript you have the opportunity to use the Dom tree nodes and then modify, you can change the Dom tree, you can get new nodes added to the Dom, you can remove nodes from the Dom you can do all kind of modifications.

• And then browser renders that modified Dom tree as view.

• So Javascript is a way for us to execute dynamic functionality on browser.

→ Why learn JS:-

• Client side web development

• Native Javascript ✓

• jQuery ✓

• AngularJS, React, Ember

• Server side development

• NodeJS ✓

• Express ✓

• Browser extensions/plugins/Add-ons ✓

• Desktop Applications ✓

• Mobile Applications ✓

• IoT - Applications ✓

• Gaming ✓



→ History of JavaScript:-

- Created by Brendan Eich at Netscape.
- Created to complement java (Java for server-side and JS for client-side)
- JavaScript as it is out of box is a very forgiving language.
- Standardized as ECMAScript.

→ Setting-up our development environment:-

- We need an editor (like notepad, notepad++, VS code....) and a browser.
- In browser itself we can write JS in console and Scratchpad.
  - in console we can execute one by one instruction but in scratchpad we can run bunch of statements together.

→ Variable Declaration:-

```
var value = 42;
```

or

```
var value;  
value = 42;
```

→ JS doesn't have concept of typed variable.

→ There is no pre-declaration of type required in order to create a variable.

→ Primitive Types:-

- Number
- String
- Boolean
- undefined
- null

one more primitive type added in ECMAScript-6

- Symbol

→ Number primitive type:-

- Numbers in JavaScript are "double-precision 64 bit format IEEE 754 values".

(No Integers!)

- So this is all floating point double-precision 64-bit Number.
- Language like Java we have int, float, double we have whole lot of types depending upon precision of the number you want to hold.
- But in JavaScript we don't have that option.
- Every no. we declare even if we declare a number with 1 it is not an integer one, it's a double-precision 64-bit value containing the value one.

→ String:- Sequence of unicode characters (16-bit)

- (No character type! A character is just a string of length 1).

→ The internal format for string is always UTF-16, it is not tied to the page encoding.→ String can be enclosed within either single quotes, double quotes and backticks. Backticks allow us to embed any expression into the string.



→ Boolean :- True or False. (only two values)

var a = 10;  
var b = 20;  
var c = a + b;  
var d = "Hello";  
var e = true;

console.log(a);

\_\_\_\_\_ b \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ c \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ d \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ e \_\_\_\_\_

a = "Hello Javascript";

console.log(a);

This behaviour is called  
as loose typing or  
weak typing.

no type

and

no strong

typing

and

no type

information

associated

with

variables

→ Undefined type :-

Declaration and Definition :-

asking compiler to create  
a variable and give it  
a name

var value;

assign some value

value = 42;

value is "undefined"

→ once we declare a variable and not provide  
any definition then javascript assign a value  
to it that is "undefined" and type of  
undefined.

→ undefined type has only value undefined.

→ null type :- has only value null.

var a;  
console.log(a); → undefined

a = null;  
console.log(a); → null

→ undefined and null difference :- Both are no values.  
→ They indicate absence of the  
value.

→ Types Summary :-

- No need to declare variable type.
- The same variable can be assigned values of different  
type.
- No scoping information in variable declaration.
- variable and values can be interrogated.



⇒ The type of operator:-

In order to identify what the type of variable is we can say `typeof` and give it value and this operator will give you type of that variable.

Ex `var a = 10;`  
`console.log(typeof a);` // number

`a = "Hello";`  
`console.log(typeof a);` // String

`a = true;`  
`console.log(typeof a);` // boolean

`a = null;`  
`console.log(typeof a);` // object \*

↓ (It shows wrong)

actually it should <sup>Show</sup> null because `typeof null` is null only but it is a bug in JavaScript and developers of JS accepted it but now they cannot change it b/c it could cause already projects.

⇒ Type coercion and === operator:-

→ automatic type conversion by the interpreter is known as coercion.

• Ex Concatenation with String values

`123 + "4" = "1234"`  
Number String = String

• Execution in JavaScript starts from left.

JavaScript automatically converts 123 into String.

→ Ex-1 `var a = 10;`  
`var b = 10;`  
`if (a == b)`

`console.log("values are equal");`

O/p:- values are equal

Ex-2 `var a = 10;` → Number  
`var b = "10";` → String  
`if (a == b)`

`console.log("values are equal");`

O/p:- values are equal

~~10 == 10~~ "10" == "10"

'==' operation is forgiving it assumes that you by mistake used some other type so it converts a (number) to string and then matches with b and gets true and executes if block.

So this is a overcome by '===' which is introduced by JavaScript designers.

Ex `var a = 10;`  
`var b = "10";`  
`if (a === b)`

`console.log("True");`

else `console.log("false");`

O/p:- false



checks values & type

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So in case of comparison we should use '===' it will be safe with types.

⇒ Type coercion summary:

Every value in Javascript has a corresponding boolean value.

variable	boolean value.
var a = 10;	true
var a = -10;	true
* var a = 0;	false ✓
* var a = "hello";	true ✓
* var a = "";	false ✓
* var a = undefined;	false ✓
* var a = null;	false ✓
* var a = -0;	false ✓

• non zero number will be true, empty string will be false, null, undefined and false will be false.

- JavaScript is "flexible" with typing
- [values of all types have an associated boolean value]
- Always use === for precise checks (both value and type).

- ✓ === → check both type and value
- ✓ != → check only value
- ✓ == → check only value
- ✓ !== → check both value and type

44	(And)	>
11	(OR)	<
!	(Not)	==
?:		

in JS we have classes object

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⇒ Object:- • JS is an OOP language.  
• But it's not class based. It's not a class based OOP language. we can create object without classes.

- JS objects are essentially free form. They are not bound to a particular class.
- we can create objects in many ways but easiest way is ~~to create~~ by creating object inline.

```
var myobj = {}; // Empty object
console.log(myobj); // object {}
```

```
myobj.prop = "Hello";
console.log(myobj); // object {prop: "Hello"}
```

```
myobj.prop2 = 123;
console.log(myobj); // object {prop: "Hello", prop2: 123}
```

```
console.log(myobj.prop2); // 123
```

⇒ Objects are used to store keyed collections of various data and more complex entities. In primitive types their values contain only a single thing (be it a string or <sup>number or</sup> ~~number~~ or...)

⇒ we can also use multiword property name, but with " quotes  
let user = { "likes birds": true };

⇒ Computed properties:-  
let fruit = prompt("which fruit to buy", "apple");  
let bag = { [fruit]: 5 };  
alert(bag.fruit); // 5



⇒ Object Literal:-

```
var myObj = {
  "prop1" : "Hello",
  "prop2" : 123,
  "prop3" : true
};
```

```
console.log(myObj); // Object {prop1: "Hello", prop2: 123, prop3: true}
console.log(myObj.prop1); // 123
```

```
console.log("Accessing property that doesn't exist gives:" +
  myObj.prop4);
```

\* O/p:- Accessing property that doesn't exist gives undefined.

⇒ Javascript Objects Characteristics:-

- Free form - not bound to a class
- Object literal notation to create objects.
- Object properties can be accessed directly.
- New properties can be added on objects directly.
- Objects can have methods.

⇒ The dot and bracket notations:-

- There are two ways to access the property from an object.

```
var myObj = {
  "prop" : "Hello",
  "prop1" : 123,
  "prop2" : true
};
```

```
console.log(myObj.prop1); // 123
console.log(myObj["prop1"]); // 123
```

⇒ Difference b/w . and [] notation:-

→ '[ ]' notation is useful when in certain scenario '.' notation doesn't work.

→ Use [ ] notation when:

- property name is a reserved word / invalid identifier.
- property name starts with a number.

```
var myObj = {
  "prop" : "Hello",
  "prop1" : 123,
  "1" : "one"
};
```

Cannot access with  
'.' operator

✗ console.log(myObj.1); | Exception: SyntaxError: missing ) after argument list

✓ console.log(myObj[1]); // one

✓ console.log(myObj["1"]); // one

(iii) property name is dynamic

Ex:- ~~myObj~~ var propName = "prop1";

✗ console.log(myObj.propertyName); // will not work

⇒ In this case we need to use [ ] notation

✗ console.log(myObj.propertyName);

✓ console.log(myObj[propName]); // 123



but in case of '[]' notation it has no idea ~~into~~ the property it needs to pull-up ~~to~~ run time only knows. [so '[]' notation is faster than '{}']

(iv) Dot and [] notation can be interchanged

(24) => Nested objects:-

```
var myObj = {
  "prop": "Hello",
  "prop1": 123,
  "objProp": {
    "innerProp": "Inner property"
  }
};
```

```
console.log(myObj.objProp); // Object { innerProp: "Inner property" }
```

```
console.log(myObj.objProp.innerProp); // Inner property
```

Adding into nested object

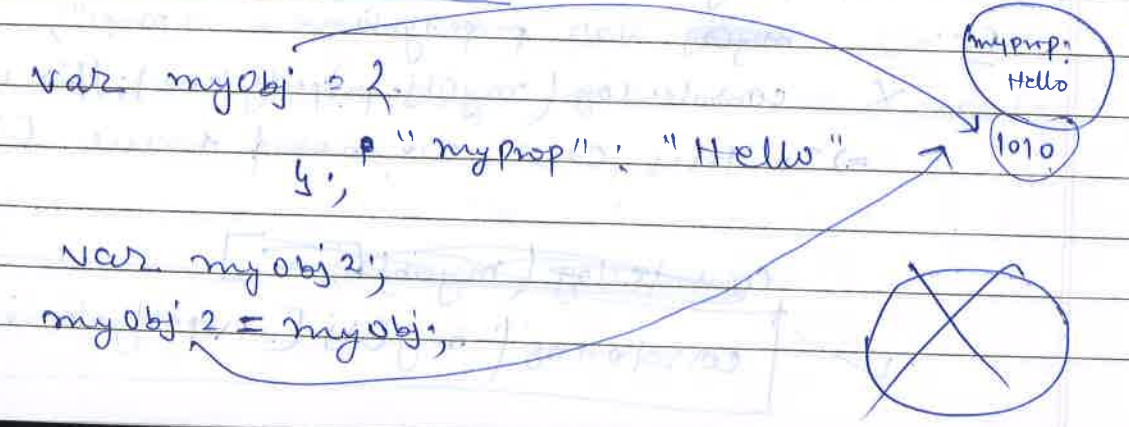
```
myObj.objProp.newInner = "new inner value";
console.log(myObj.objProp.innerProp);
```

Object { prop: "Hello", prop1: 123, objProp: Object { innerProp: "new inner value" } }

-> Accessing nested object value

```
console.log(myObj.objProp.newInner); // new inner value
console.log(myObj.objProp["newInner"]); // new inner value
```

=> Revisiting === for objects:-



```
console.log(myObj2.myProp); // Hello
```

check memory location pointing by obj1 and obj2

```
if (myObj === myObj2) => ( '===' ) will work same as '=='
```

```
console.log("variables are equal"); //
```

=> Revisiting undefined vs null for object:-

```
var person = {
  "fName": "Koushik",
  "lastName": "Kothagal"
};
person.age // undefined
```

```
var person = {
  'fName': 'Shushan',
  'middleName': null,
  'lName': 'Kumar'
};
person.middleName // null
```

=> Deleting properties with the delete operator:-

<pre>var person = {   'fName': 'Shushan',   'mName': null,   'lastName': 'Kumar' }; person.age // undefined</pre>	<pre>var person1 = {   'fName': 'Shushan',   'mName': null,   'lName': 'Kumar',   age: undefined }; person1.age // undefined</pre>
---	--



here age property removed from object  
if we print object we didn't will not  
see this age property inside object.

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```
delete person.age;
person.age // undefined
```

## ⇒ Introduction Arrays:-

```
var myArrays = [100, 200, 300];
```

Adding to array →

```
myArrays[3] = "Java Brains";
```

```
myArrays[0]; // 100
myArrays[1]; // 200
myArrays[2]; // 300
myArrays[3]; //
```

Undefined

```
console.log(myArrays);
```

```
[100, 200, 300, "Java Brains"]
```

## ⇒ The Secret behind JavaScript Arrays:-

- \* Any JavaScript array secretly is a JavaScript object.  
It just has some special properties, but internally it just an object.
- When we call myArrays.length then actually we are calling object.property.

```
myArrays.length // 4
```

```
myArrays[4] 400 = 600
```

```
myArrays.length // 5
```

```
var myArray2 = myArrays;
```

```
myArray2[3] // "Java Brains"
```

```
myArrays // Array (5) [100, 200, 300, "Java Brains", 600]
```

↓

0: 100

1: 200

2: 300

3: Java Brains

4: 600

length: 5

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myArrays[0] // 100 ⇒ Here JS converting this no → String

Implicit conversion / type coercion

myArrays["0"] // 100

```
myArrays[400] = "baz";
```

```
myArrays
```

0: 100

1: 200

2: 300

3: "Java Brains"

4: 600

400: "baz"

length: 401

last index + 1

• Arrays are also free form

```
myArrays["foo"] = "abc"
```

```
myArrays
```

0: 100

1: 200

2: 300

3: "Java Brains"

4: 600

400: "baz"

foo: "abc"

length: 401

Still 401 So length counts on the basis of last number index + 1

400 + 1

⇒ 401

neglect to count in length



⇒ Wrapper objects:-

Is String a primitive?

var greeting = "Hello World";

greeting.length ⇒ 11

typeof greeting // "string" → and it is a primitive type  
then how can we access .length?

\* The Reason is:- Javascript has equivalent object for each of the primitive data type.

- String primitive has an equivalent String object.
- When we say greeting.length what Javascript does is that it gets that String and converts it to the equivalent object. When it converted to the object the length property will be available. Then it calls length property of that object not primitive.
- If this (~~length~~ greeting.length) is called after (greeting.length) is still be same string, because when String object was created it is not assigned to greeting that was temporary object only we used length property and then object was ~~created~~ destroyed.
- So the object gets created for a fraction of a second just to make greeting.length work.

we have four type wrapper object:-

String	Boolean
Number	Symbol

- String has a primitive as well as object
- Number is a primitive as well as Number object
- Boolean boolean
- Symbol symbol

⇒ Functions:-

Here sayHello pointing to this function

Ex.1 function sayHello() {

console.log('Hello');

sayHello(); // function call → o/p → Hello

f<sup>n</sup> declaration.

Here actually we are creating a kind of an object

for this function and then giving

that object a name called foo

Ex.2 function sayHello(name) {

console.log('Hello' + name);

sayHello("Shubham"); // Hello Shubham ✓

Ex.3 function sayHello(name, last name)

console.log('Hello' + name + 'last name');

sayHello("Shubham", "Kumar"); // Hello Shubham Kumar

⇒ Flexible argument counts:-

Calling ⇒ sayHello("Shubham"); // Hello Shubham Undefined

sayHello("Shubham", "Kumar", 1995); // Hello Shubham Kumar  
+ Ignored

\* Overloaded function are not possible in javascript.



⇒ Return value of function:-

```
function sayHello(name) {
  return 'Hello' + name;
}
```

```
var returnValue = sayHello('Shubham');
returnValue // Hello Shubham
```

\* function sayHello(name) {  
return;  
}  
 var returnValue = sayHello('Shubham');  
 returnValue // undefined  
 If we not return anything then also returnValue will be undefined.

⇒ Function Expression:-

→ function in JS are first class values  
 → functions are values in JS just as much as string is a value, similarly functions is also a value.

```
var f = function foo() {
  console.log("Hello");
};
```

f() // Hello; — function foo executed.

```
f // f foo() {
  console.log("Hello");
} → variable executed.
```

f = 1;

f(); // Exception TypeError: f is not a function

function

⇒ Anonymous Expressions:-

```
{ var f = function() {
  console.log("Hello");
};
f(); // "Hello"; }
```

```
{ f = 1;
  f(); // Exception TypeError: f is not a function }
```

⇒ Function as argument:-

```
var f = function() {
  console.log("Hello");
};
```

(i)

```
var executor = function(fn) {
  console.log(fn);
}
executor(f); // function f() {
               console.log("Hello"); }
```

(ii)

```
var executor = function(fn) {
  fn();
}
executor(f); // Hello
```

(iii)

```
var executor = function(fn) {
  console.log(typeof fn);
}
executor(f); // function
```



Ex(iv)

```
var f = function (name) {
  console.log("Hello " + name);
};

var executor = function (fn, name) {
  fn(name);
}

executor(f, "Shubham"); // Hello Shubham
```

⇒ Function on objects:-

- Anything you can assign to a variable also you can assign to a object property.
- In javascript objects with properties which could potentially be functions.

Ex.

```
var myObj = {
  "testprop": true,
};

myObj.myMethod = function () {
  console.log("Functions in object");
};

myObj.myMethod(); // Functions in object
```

- Here myMethod is just as another property.

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⇒ Understanding of this keyword:-

```
var person = {
  "firstName": 'Shubham',
  "lastName": 'Kumar',
  "getFullName": function () {
    return person.firstName + " " + person.lastName;
  }
};
```

```
var fullName = person.getFullName();
console.log(fullName); // Shubham Kumar
```

- It looks that its working but there is a risk involved in this. This code is fragile.

This piece of code will be executed after person.getFullName() is executed.

✱

```
var person2 = person;
var person2 = person;
person = {};
person2.getFullName(); // "Undefined Undefined"
```

- we should not have dependency on person variable, because it may change in our further code. Actually we don't want to get person.firstName or person.lastName, we want to get this object's firstName and lastName <sup>in which</sup> ~~for which~~ method is declared.

→ For this work we have 'this' keyword who denotes ~~current~~ the object where function is declared or denote self or current object.



```
var person = {
  'fname': 'Shubham',
  'lname': 'Kumar',
  'getFullName': function() {
    return this.firstName + " " + this.lastName;
  }
};
```

```
var person2 = person;
person2 = 24;
console.log(person2.getFullName()); // Shubham Kumar
```

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```
var person = {
  "fname": "Shubham",
  "lname": "Kumar",
  "address": {
    "street": "123 JS Street",
    "city": "JS",
    "state": "CA"
  },
  "is from state": function (state) {
```

```
    if (this.address.state === state) {
      return true;
    } else {
      return false;
    }
  }
};
```

```
console.log(person.is from state("CA")); // true
```

on object not an array  
it is arguments → this is implicit or hidden argument  
this is also available for free as argument.  
It is equal like in Java  
Var arg or params in C#

### Default Function Arguments:-

```
var add = function(a, b) {
  console.log(arguments);
  return a + b;
};
```

```
console.log(add(10, 30));
```

Arguments: 2-4  
0: 10  
1: 30  
callee: add  
length: 2  
proto: object

```
console.log(add(10, 30, 2, 3, 4, 5));
```

→ output: Arguments {0: 10, 1: 30, 2: 2, 3: 3, 4: 4, 5: 5}

```
var add = function(a, b) {
  var var i, sum = 0;
  for(i = 0; i < arguments.length; i++) {
    sum += arguments[i];
  }
  return sum;
};
```

new not required if we are using arguments.

```
console.log(add(10, 30, 2, 3, 4, 5)); // 54
```

Note:- The arguments value is not an array, although it looks like an array.  
• It's actually an object. It's basically using [] operator to look up the values.  
• If you try some of the other ~~that~~ operations that would work on array it wouldn't work on arguments value.

arguments → is not an array it is an object