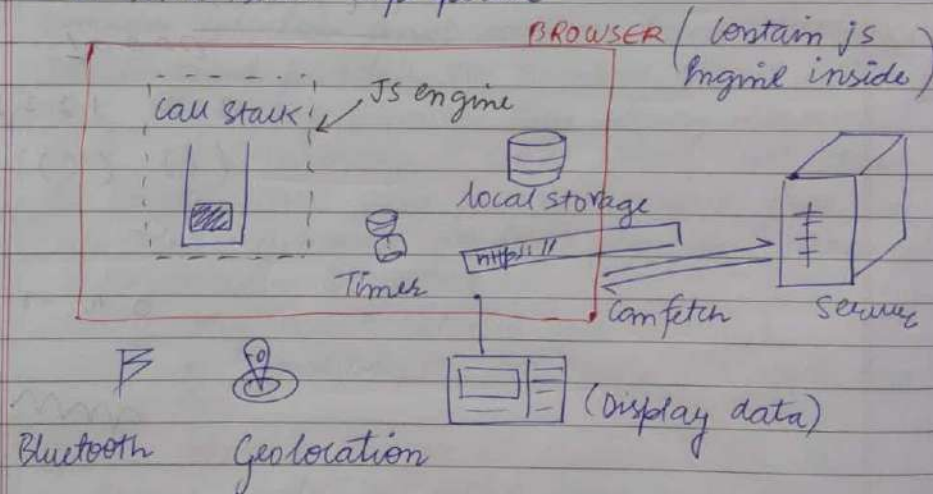


## # Event loop, callback queue, microtask queue. Blocking of browser.

- 10% developer understand js event loop.
- JavaScript engine executes our code by using call stacks.
- As soon as call stack receive a function, it quickly execute it, without any delay.

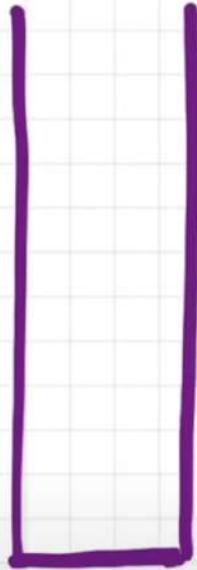
How to wait for sometime, like 5 seconds.  
JS can't do that.

Need some extra superpower.



- We need access to these functionalities.
- Need some way to access these things.
- \* Can access these functionalities using web API's.

Call Stack



Web APIs

Window

\* setTimeout()

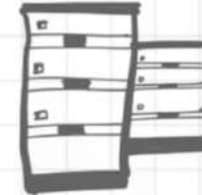
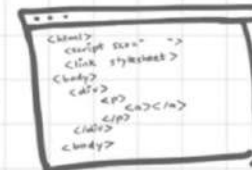
\* DOM APIs

\* fetch()

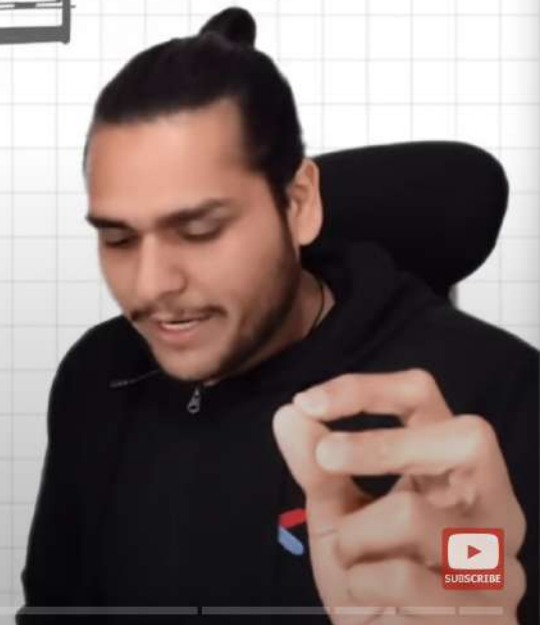
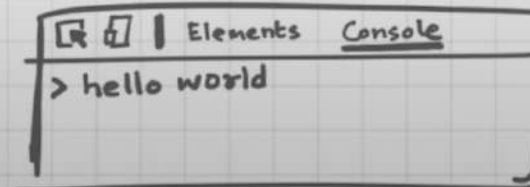
\* localStorage

\* console

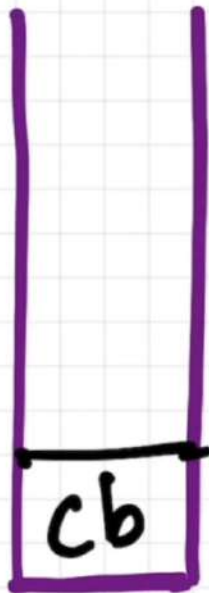
\* location



↑ http://www



## Call Stack

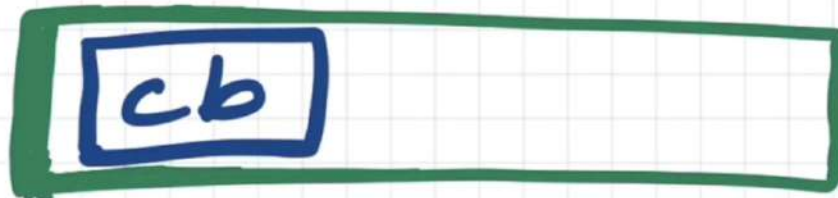


```
console.log("Start");  
  
setTimeout(function cb() {  
  console.log("Callback");  
}, 5000);  
  
console.log("End");
```



Start  
End  
Callback

## Callback Queue



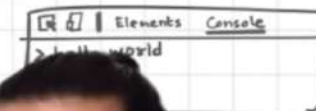
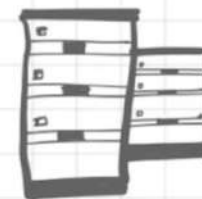
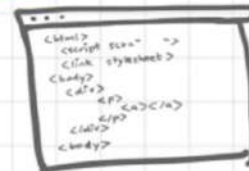
## Web APIs

Window

- \* setTimeout()
- \* DOM APIs
- \* fetch()
- \* console

cb

5000ms





- SetTimeout is not a part of JS.  
(document, (dom), fetch, local storage, console) (not a part of JS)
- These are web API's (part of browser)
- Use them to access browser's functionality.  
(Can access dom tree by dom API's)
- All web API's are attached to global object.

## Call Stack

```
console.log("Start");  
  
document.getElementById("btn")  
  .addEventListener("click", function cb() {  
    console.log("Callback");  
  });  
  
console.log("End");
```

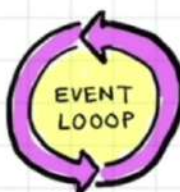
## Web APIs

Window

- \* setTimeout()
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click

cb()



Start  
End  
Call back

## Callback Queue

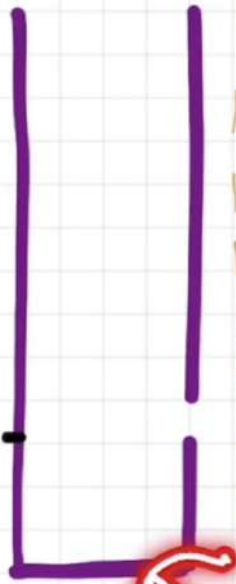


after the timer expires, the callback func  
is pushed to the callback queue.

The work of the event loop is to check,  
if any time our call stack is empty &  
callback queue have some remaining func,  
if yes, then it simply push that callback  
to call stack.



## Call Stack



```
console.log("Start");

setTimeout(function cbT() {
  console.log("CB SetTimeout");
}, 5000);

fetch("https://api.netflix.com")
.then(function cbF() {
  console.log("CB Netflix");
});

// 10000 million
console.log("End");
```

## Web APIs

Window

\* setTimeout()

\* DOM APIs

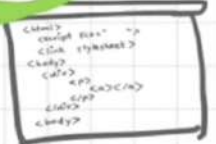
\* fetch()

\* console

50ms

cbF

cbT



Start  
End



## Microtask Queue

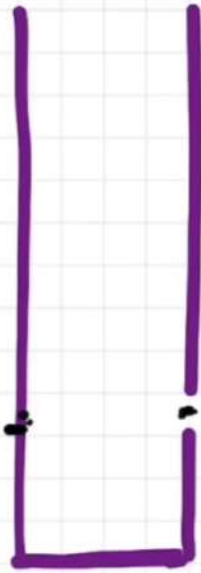
cbF

## Callback Queue

cbT



## Call Stack



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}, 5000);

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  console.log("CB Netflix");
});

// 10000 ms delay
console.log("End");
```

## Web APIs

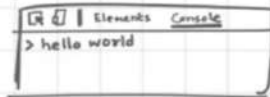
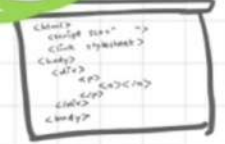
Window

- \* setTimeout()
- \* DOM APIs
- \* fetch()
- \* console

SOMs

cbF

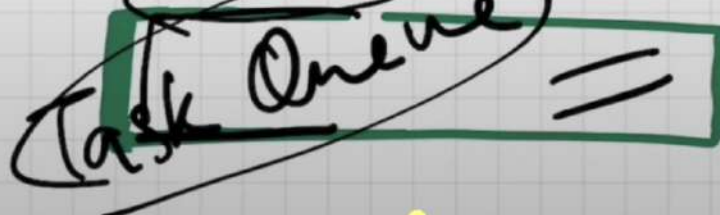
cbT



## Microtask Queue



callback Queue



Promises  
MutationObserver



Start  
End  
CB Netflix  
CB set~

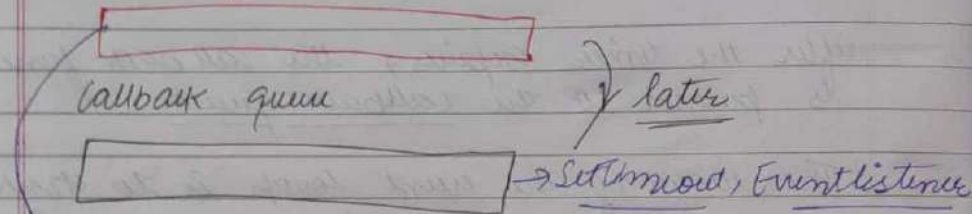




Fetch will go and request an api call and it will return a promise, & we have to pass a call back function which will be executed when the promise is resolved.

Even if the call back is ready, it will wait in callback queue until the call stack got empty.

microtask queue (HIGHER PRIORITY)



- 1 → In case of promises, call back is sent to microtask queue.
- 2 → Mutation Observer keeps on checking if there is some mutation in dom tree or not. If yes, it can execute some callback function.  
read about both (HW)

callback queue / task queue.

- ★ There could be condition of starving if a microtask create another microtask. Then the callback queue will never get a chance to execute.  
Read more (HW)