

# Non-extensible Applies to Private stage 2.7 status update

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# Recap: Override Mistake

—> structs change shape

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  constructor(key) { return key; }  
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  #value;  
  
  constructor(key, value) {  
    super(key);  
    this.#value = value;  
  }  
}
```

```
// struct instances born sealed  
new Tagger(struct, 'a'); // adds #value to struct anyway
```

# Recap: Mitigate Override Mistake

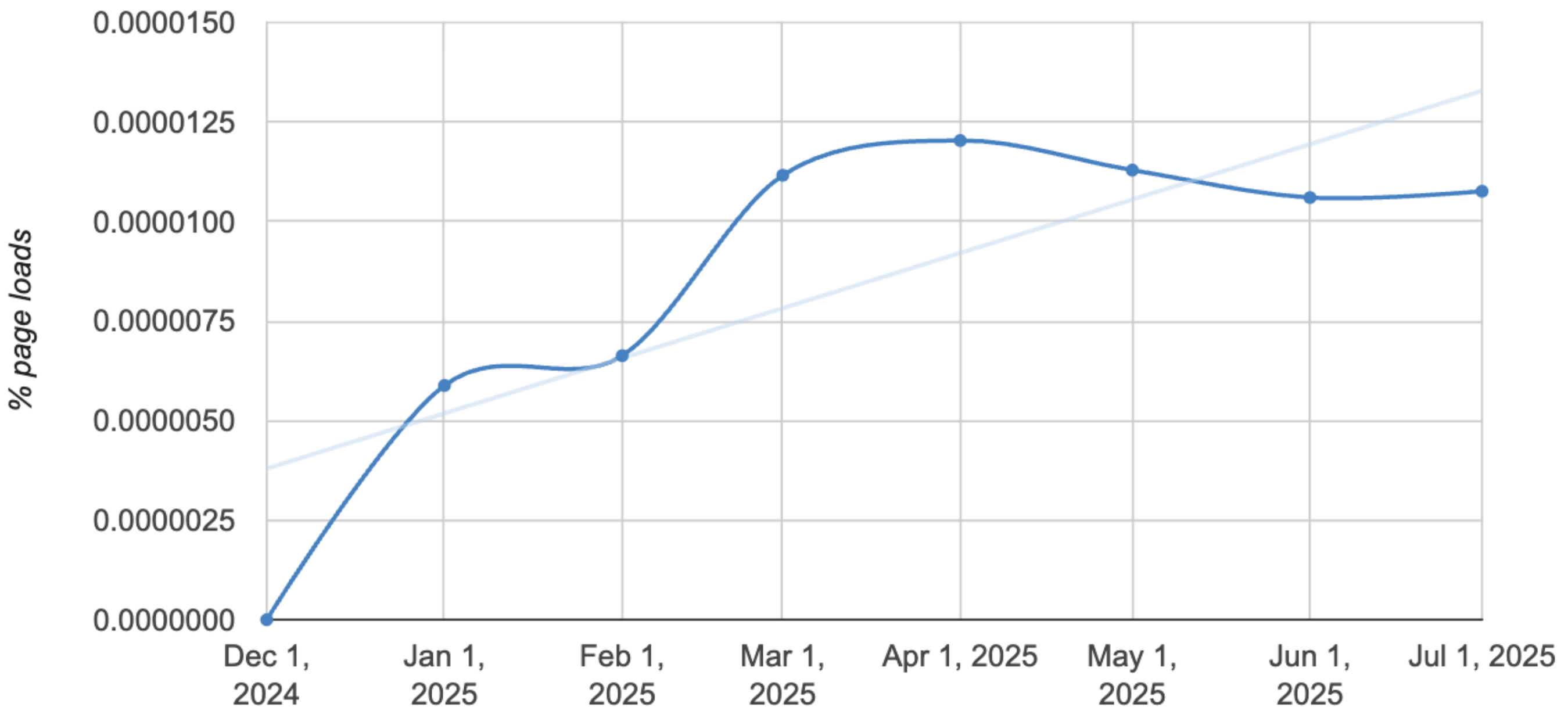
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## Percentage of page loads over time

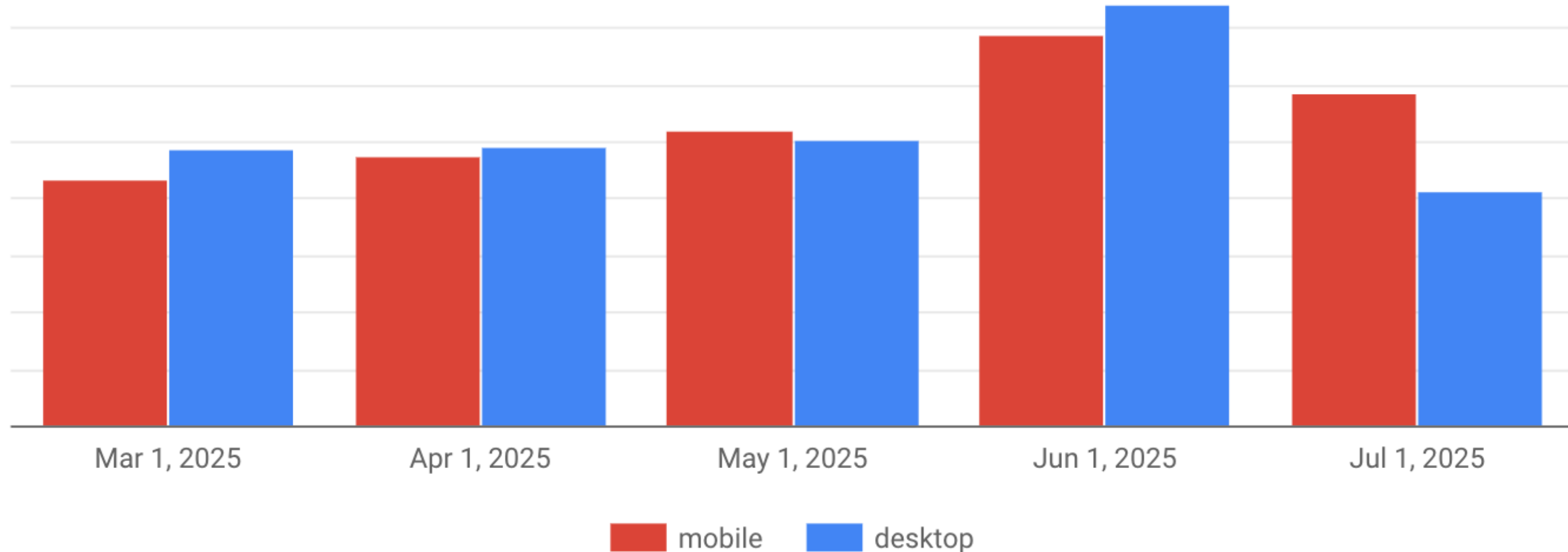
The chart below shows the percentage of page loads (in Chrome) that use this feature at least once. Data is across all channels and platforms. Newly added use counters that are not on Chrome stable yet only have data from the Chrome channels they're on.



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## Adoption of the feature on top sites

The chart below shows the adoption of the feature by the top URLs on the internet. Data from [HTTP Archive](#).



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**Note:** The jump around July and December 2018 are because the corpus of URLs crawled by HTTP Archive increased. These jumps have no correlation with the jump in the top graph. See the [announcement](#) for more details.

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## Web compat analysis #1

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Chrome [use counter data](#) show there are indeed in-the-wild usage of extending non-extensible objects with private fields.

The percentage of page load is very low at time of this writing (0.000011%), and are found to be concentrated in two pieces of software.

### disy Cadenza

Most breakages come from Cadenza, which seems to be a closed-source German GIS software. The pattern used is freezing a class with nothing but static fields using the RHS of a private field initializer. The minified version looks like the following.

```
class _ {  
  static F00 = ...;  
  static BAR = ...;  
  static #t = void (Object.keys(_).forEach((t) => {  
    _[t].type = t;  
  }), Object.freeze(_));  
}
```



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Yes, downleveling that moves class static blocks to after class definition must also move class static field definitions, because evaluation of static fields and static blocks is interleaved in source order. So I guess it would warrant use of private-field records attached to classes and instances:

▶ Input

▼ Transpiled

```
// TRANPILED FROM: export class C {...}
export const C = (() => {
  const __PRIVATE_FIELDS__ = new WeakMap();
  const __DEFINE_PRIVATE_FIELD__ = (obj, name, value) => {
    // Support for proposal-nonextensible-applies-to-private requires each private field
    // definition to verify extensibility of the object.
    if (!isExtensible(obj)) throw TypeError("object is not extensible");
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