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Javascript OBJECTS



JAVASCRIPT OBJECTS



- In JavaScript, an object is a collection of properties, where each property is defined as a key-value pair. Objects allow us to store, organize, and manipulate data efficiently.
- Objects can contain values, including numbers, strings, arrays, functions, and even other objects.



OBJECT PROPERTIES



- A real life car has **properties** like weight and color:
- car.name = Fiat, car.model = 500, car.weight = 850kg, car.color = white.
- Car objects have the same properties, but the values differ from car to car.
- Objects are variables too. But objects can contain many values.
- const car = {type:"Fiat", model:"500", color:"white"};



OBJECT METHODS



- •It is a common practice to declare objects with the const keyword.
- •A real life car has **methods** like start and stop:
- •car.start(), car.drive(), car.brake(), car.stop().
- •Car objects have the same **methods**, but the methods are performed **at different times**.



Using Object Literal



The easiest way to create an object is by using curly braces {} and defining properties inside. javascript let person = { name: "Alice", age: 25, c ountry: "India" }; console.log(person.name); // Output: Alice





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let student = new Object();
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Using the new Object() Constructor



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Create an Object
 const person = {};

// Add Properties
person.firstName = "John";
person.lastName = "Doe";
person.age = 50;
person.eyeColor = "blue";



Using the new Object() Constructor



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<script> // Create an empty Object const person = {}; // Add Properties person.firstName = "John"; person.lastName = "Doe"; person.age = 50; person.eyeColor = "blue"; // Display Data from Object document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = person.firstName + " is " + person.age + " years old."; </script>







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JAVASCRIPT DEBUGGERS



DEBUGGFRS



Debugging is an essential part of JavaScript development to find and fix errors in the code. A **debugger** is a tool that helps developers inspect and troubleshoot JavaScript code by pausing execution, stepping through the code, and checking variable values.





Using console.log()

- •The simplest way to debug is by printing values to the console. javascript
- let num = 10; console.log("The value of num is:", num);
- •However, console.log() becomes inefficient for large applications



Using the debugger Keyword



The debugger keyword stops JavaScript execution at a specific point, allowing developers to inspect variables. let x = 5;let y = 10;debugger; // Execution pauses here if DevTools is openlet sum = x + y;console.log(sum);The debugger works only if Developer Tools (DevTools) is open in the browser.



Using the debugger Keyword



C. Browser Developer Tools (DevTools Debugger)

Most modern browsers like Google Chrome, Firefox, Edge, and Safari provide built-in Developer Tools for debugging.

Steps to Use DevTools Debugger in Chrome:

- Open the Chrome Developer Tools by pressing F12 or Ctrl + Shift + I (Windows/Linux) or Cmd + Option + I (Mac).
- 2. Go to the "Sources" tab.
- Locate the JavaScript file and add breakpoints by clicking on the line number.
- 4. Refresh the page, and execution will pause at the breakpoint.
- Use Step Over (F10), Step Into (F11) and Resume (F8) to navigate the code execution.







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JavaScript FUNCTIONS



JAVA SCRIPT FUNCTIONS



- Functions in JavaScript are reusable blocks of code designed to perform specific tasks.
- They allow you to organize, reuse, and modularize code.
- It can take inputs, perform actions, and return outputs.



Function Syntax and Working



- Below are the rules for creating a function in JavaScript:
- Begin with the keyword function followed by,
- A user-defined function name (In the above example, the name is **sum**)
- A list of parameters enclosed within parentheses and separated by commas (In the above example, parameters are **x** and **y**)
- A list of statements composing the body of the function enclosed within curly braces {} (In the above example, the statement is "return x + y").







• Parameters are input passed to a function. In the above example, sum() takes two parameters, x and y.

Calling Functions

• After defining a function, the next step is to call them to make use of the function. We can call a function by using the function name separated by the value of parameters enclosed between the parenthesis.







```
// Function Definition
function welcomeMsg(name) {
   return ("Hello " + name + " welcome to GeeksforGeeks");
}
```

let nameVal = "User";

// calling the function
console.log(welcomeMsg(nameVal));



WHY FUNCTIONS



Why Functions?

- Functions can be used multiple times, reducing redundancy.
- Break down complex problems into manageable pieces.
- Manage complexity by hiding implementation details.
- Can call themselves to solve problems recursively.



Function Expression



It is similar to a function declaration without the function name. Function expressions can be stored in a variable assignment.

Syntax:

```
let geeksforGeeks= function(paramA, paramB) {
    // Set of statements
}
const mul = function (x, y) {
    return x * y;
};
console.log(mul(4, 5));
```



ARROW FUNCTIONS



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• <u>Arrow functions</u> are a concise syntax for writing functions Syntax:

let function_name = (argument1, argument2,..) => expression

const a = ["Hydrogen", "Helium", "Lithium", "Beryllium"];

const a2 = a.map(function (s) {
 return s.length;
});



ARROW FUNCTIONS



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console.log("Normal way ", a2);

const a3 = a.map((s) => s.length);

console.log("Using Arrow Function ", a3);



Callback Functions



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A callback function is passed as an argument to another function and is executed after the completion of that function. function num(n, callback) { return callback(n); const double = (n) => n * 2;console.log(num(5, double));



Anonymous Functions



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<u>Anonymous functions</u> are functions without a name. They are often used as arguments to other functions

- setTimeout(function () {
- console.log("Anonymous function executed!");
 }, 1000);



Nested Functions



Functions defined within other functions are called nested functions. They have access to the variables of their parent function.

```
function outerFun(a) {
```

```
function innerFun(b) {
```

```
return a + b;
```

```
}
```

```
return innerFun;
```

```
}
const addTen = outerFun(10);
console.log(addTen(5));
```







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Javascript BASICS



JAVASCRIPT



- JavaScript is a **programming language** used to create dynamic content for websites.
- It is a lightweight, cross-platform
- It is a single-threaded programming language
- JavaScript is an **interpreted** language



JAVA SCRIPT



- JavaScript on the client side is directly executed in the user's browser.
- Almost all browsers have JavaScript Interpreter and do not need to install any software.
- JavaScript is also used on the Server side (on <u>Web Servers</u>) to access databases, file handling and security features to send responses, to browsers.



JAVASCRIPT



- The <u>Document Object Model (DOM)</u> provides interfaces for interacting with elements on web pages
- The <u>Browser Object Model (BOM)</u> provides the browser API for interacting with the web browser.
- JavaScript allows you to add interactivity to a web page. Typically, you use JavaScript with HTML and CSS to enhance a web page's functionality, such as <u>validating forms</u>, creating interactive maps, and displaying animated charts.



JAVASCRIPT



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- When a web page is loaded, i.e., after HTML and CSS have been downloaded,
- The JavaScript engine in the web browser executes the JavaScript code.
- The JavaScript code then modifies the HTML and CSS to update the user interface dynamically.
- The JavaScript engine is a component of web browsers responsible for interpreting and executing JavaScript code.



JAVASCRIPT



- It includes a parser to analyze the code, a compiler to convert it into machine code, and an interpreter to run the compiled code.
- Initially, JavaScript engines were implemented as interpreters.
- However, modern JavaScript engines are commonly implemented as just-in-time compilers that compile JavaScript code to bytecode for improved performance.







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CLIENT vs SERVER JAVA SCRIPT





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- When JavaScript is used on a web page, it is executed in web browsers, serving as a client-side language.
- JavaScript can run on both web browsers and servers. A popular JavaScript server-side environment is <u>Node.js</u>. Unlike client-side JavaScript, server-side JavaScript executes on the server and allows you to access databases, file systems, etc.







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BASIC EXAMPLE



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Javascript example is easy to code.

JavaScript provides 3 places to put the JavaScript code:

- within body tag,
- within head tag and
- external JavaScript file.



BASIC EXAMPLE



- The **script** tag specifies that we are using JavaScript.
- The **text/javascript** is the content type that provides information to the browser about the data.
- The **document.write()** function is used to display dynamic content through JavaScript. We will learn about document object in detail later.



BASIC EXAMPLE



- •<script type="text/javascript">
- document.write("JavaScript is a simple language for javatpoint learners");
- </script>





- •<html>
- •<head>
- <script type="text/javascript">
- •function msg(){
- alert("Hello Javatpoint");
- }
- •</script>
- •</head>





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External JavaScript file



- We can create external JavaScript file and embed it in many html page.
- It provides code re usability because single JavaScript file can be used in several html pages.
- An external JavaScript file must be saved by .js extension. It increases the speed of the webpage.



External JavaScript file



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- message.js
- •function msg(){
- alert("Hello Javatpoint");

• }



External JavaScript file



- <html>
- <head>
- <script type="text/javascript" src="message.js"></script></script></script></script></script></script>
- </head>
- <body>
- Welcome to JavaScript
- <form>
- <input type="button" value="click" onclick="msg()"/>
- <**/**form>
- </body>
- </html>







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JS VARIABLE



- A JavaScript variable is simply a name of storage location.
- The actual value of a variable can be changed at any time.
- Name must start with a letter (a to z or A to Z), underscore(_), or dollar(\$) sign.
- After first letter we can use digits (0 to 9), for example value1.
- JavaScript variables are case sensitive, for example x and X are different variables.



JS VARIABLE



- Using Case in Variables: In JavaScript variables are case-sensitive. For Example: "total" and "TOTAL" have different meanings in JavaScript.
- If you are using a variable name that consists of only a word, it is make sure that easier way to use lowercase letters.
- If you are using a variable name with two words such as "total count". It's better to capitalize the first letter of the word. For example. "Total_Count", etc.



JS VARIABLE



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- Allowed special characters: An important rule to remember is that variable name must start with a letter (a to z or A to Z), underscore(_), or dollar(\$) sign. For example: "_totalpay", Total_Count etc.
- After the first letter, we can use digits (0 to 9), for example: "value1".
- Avoiding Reserved Words: When naming variables in JavaScript avoid the use of the reserved word. For example: "if", "case" etc.



Declaring Variables



- To declare text as a variable, you can use the "var" or "let" keyword. The Following syntax is used for declaring a variable in JavaScript:
- Syntax:
- var variable_name;
- In the above syntax, "var" is a keyword and "variable_name" is a name given to a variable.
- For Example:
- var total_amount;



ASSIGNING VALUES



- For assigning a value to a variable, you can use the JavaScript assignment operator (=).
- Syntax:
- var variable_name = value;
- In the above syntax, "var" is a keyword, "variable_name" is a name given to a variable and value is used to assign a value to a variable.
- For Example:
- var total_amount = 500;



ASSIGNING VALUES

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- <script>
- var x = 10;
- var y = 20;
- var z=x+y;
- document.write(z);
- </script>
- •



TYPES OF VARIABLE



- A JavaScript local variable is declared inside block or function. It is accessible within the function or block only. For example:
- <script>
- function abc(){
- var x=10;//local variable
- }
- </script>
- Or,
- <script>
- If(10<13){
- var y=20;//JavaScript local variable
-]
- </script>



TYPES OF VARIABLE



- JavaScript global variable
- A JavaScript global variable is accessible from any function. A variable i.e. declared outside the function or declared with window object is known as global variable. For example:
- <script>
- var data=200;//gloabal variable
- function a(){
- document.writeln(data);
- •
- function b(){
- document.writeln(data);
- •
- a();//calling JavaScript function
- b();
- </script>







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JS DATATYPES



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- JavaScript provides different data types to hold different types of values. There are two types of data types in JavaScript.
- Primitive data type
- Non-primitive (reference) data type
- JavaScript is a dynamic type language, means you don't need to specify type of the variable because it is dynamically used by JavaScript engine.



JS DATATYPES



- •You need to use **var** here to specify the data type. It can hold any type of values such as numbers, strings etc. For example:
- •var a=40;//holding number
- •var b="Rahul";//holding string



JavaScript primitive data types





Data Type	Description
String	represents sequence of characters e.g. "hello"
Number	represents numeric values e.g. 100
Boolean	represents boolean value either false or true
Undefined	represents undefined value
Null	represents null i.e. no value at all



JavaScript nonprimitive data types





Data Type	Description
Object	represents instance through which we can access members
Array	represents group of similar values
RegExp	represents regular expression



ID SELECTOR



- Write a JavaScript function to calculate the sum of two numbers. ...
- Write a JavaScript program to find the maximum number in an array. ...
- Write a JavaScript function to check if a given string is a palindrome (reads the same forwards and backwards).
- <u>Top 50 JavaScript coding Interview Questions and Answers | Keka</u>