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# Introduction

This Ecma Standard defines the ECMAScript 2020 Language. It is the eleventh edition of the ECMAScript Language Specification. Since publication of the first edition in 1997, ECMAScript has grown to be one of the world's most widely used general-purpose programming languages. It is best known as the language embedded in web browsers but has also been widely adopted for server and embedded applications.

ECMAScript is based on several originating technologies, the most well-known being JavaScript (Netscape) and JScript (Microsoft). The language was invented by Brendan Eich at Netscape and first appeared in that company's Navigator 2.0 browser. It has appeared in all subsequent browsers from Netscape and in all browsers from Microsoft starting with Internet Explorer 3.0.

The development of the ECMAScript Language Specification started in November 1996. The first edition of this Ecma Standard was adopted by the Ecma General Assembly of June 1997.

That Ecma Standard was submitted to ISO/IEC JTC 1 for adoption under the fast-track procedure, and approved as international standard ISO/IEC 16262, in April 1998. The Ecma General Assembly of June 1998 approved the second edition of ECMA-262 to keep it fully aligned with ISO/IEC 16262. Changes between the first and the second edition are editorial in nature.

The third edition of the Standard introduced powerful regular expressions, better string handling, new control statements, try/catch exception handling, tighter definition of errors, formatting for numeric output and minor changes in anticipation of future language growth. The third edition of the ECMAScript standard was adopted by the Ecma General Assembly of December 1999 and published as ISO/IEC 16262:2002 in June 2002.

After publication of the third edition, ECMAScript achieved massive adoption in conjunction with the World Wide Web where it has become the programming language that is supported by essentially all web browsers. Significant work was done to develop a fourth edition of ECMAScript. However, that work was not completed and not published as the fourth edition of ECMAScript but some of it was incorporated into the development of the sixth edition.

The fifth edition of ECMAScript (published as ECMA-262 5<sup>th</sup> edition) codified de facto interpretations of the language specification that have become common among browser implementations and added support for new features that had emerged since the publication of the third edition. Such features include accessor properties, reflective creation and inspection of objects, program control of property attributes, additional array manipulation functions, support for the JSON object encoding format, and a strict mode that provides enhanced error checking and program security. The fifth edition was adopted by the Ecma General Assembly of December 2009.

The fifth edition was submitted to ISO/IEC JTC 1 for adoption under the fast-track procedure, and approved as international standard ISO/IEC 16262:2011. Edition 5.1 of the ECMAScript Standard incorporated minor corrections and is the same text as ISO/IEC 16262:2011. The 5.1 Edition was adopted by the Ecma General Assembly of June 2011.

Focused development of the sixth edition started in 2009, as the fifth edition was being prepared for publication. However, this was preceded by significant experimentation and language enhancement design efforts dating to the publication of the third edition in 1999. In a very real sense, the completion of the sixth edition is the culmination of a fifteen year effort. The goals for this edition included providing better support for large applications, library creation, and for use of ECMAScript as a compilation target for other languages. Some of its major enhancements included modules, class declarations, lexical block scoping, iterators and generators, promises for asynchronous programming, destructuring patterns, and proper tail calls. The ECMAScript library of built-ins was expanded to support additional data abstractions including maps, sets, and arrays of binary numeric values as well as additional support for Unicode supplemental characters in strings and regular expressions. The built-ins were also made extensible via subclassing.

The sixth edition provides the foundation for regular, incremental language and library enhancements. The sixth edition was adopted by the General Assembly of June 2015.

ECMAScript 2016 was the first ECMAScript edition released under Ecma TC39's new yearly release cadence and open development process. A plain-text source document was built from the ECMAScript 2015 source document to serve as the base for further development entirely on GitHub. Over the year of this standard's development, hundreds of pull requests and issues were filed representing thousands of bug fixes, editorial fixes and other improvements. Additionally, numerous software tools were developed to aid in this effort including Ecmarkup, Ecmarkdown, and Grammarkdown. ES2016 also included support for a new exponentiation operator and adds a new method to **Array.prototype** called **includes**.

ECMAScript 2017 introduced Async Functions, Shared Memory, and Atomics along with smaller language and library enhancements, bug fixes, and editorial updates. Async functions improve the asynchronous programming experience by providing syntax for promise-returning functions. Shared Memory and Atomics introduce a new memory model that allows multi-agent programs to communicate using atomic operations that ensure a well-defined execution order even on parallel CPUs. It also included new static methods on Object: **Object.values**, **Object.entries**, and **Object.getOwnPropertyDescriptors**.

ECMAScript 2018 introduced support for asynchronous iteration via the AsyncIterator protocol and async generators. It also included four new regular expression features: the **dotAll** flag, named capture groups, Unicode property escapes, and look-behind assertions. Lastly it included object rest and spread properties.

ECMAScript 2019 introduced a few new built-in functions: **flat** and **flatMap** on **Array.prototype** for flattening arrays, **Object.fromEntries** for directly turning the return value of **Object.entries** into a new Object, and **trimStart** and **trimEnd** on **String.prototype** as better-named alternatives to the widely implemented but non-standard **String.prototype.trimLeft** and **trimRight** built-ins. In addition, it included a few minor updates to syntax and semantics. Updated syntax included optional catch binding parameters and allowing U+2028 (LINE SEPARATOR) and U+2029 (PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR) in string literals to align with JSON. Other updates included requiring that **Array.prototype.sort** be a stable sort, requiring that **JSON.stringify** return well-formed UTF-8 regardless of input, and clarifying

**Function.prototype.toString** by requiring that it either return the corresponding original source text or a standard placeholder.

This specification, the 11<sup>th</sup> edition, introduces the **matchAll** method for Strings, to produce an iterator for all match objects generated by a global regular expression; **import()**, a syntax to asynchronously import Modules with a dynamic specifier; **BigInt**, a new number primitive for working with arbitrary precision integers;

**Promise.allSettled**, a new Promise combinator that does not short-circuit; **globalThis**, a universal way to access the global **this** value; dedicated **export \* as ns from 'module'** syntax for use within modules; increased standardization of **for-in** enumeration order; **import.meta**, a host-populated object available in Modules that may contain contextual information about the Module; as well as adding two new syntax features to improve working with "nullish" values (**null** or **undefined**): nullish coalescing, a value selection operator; and optional chaining, a property access and function invocation operator that short-circuits if the value to access/invoke is nullish.

Dozens of individuals representing many organizations have made very significant contributions within Ecma TC39 to the development of this edition and to the prior editions. In addition, a vibrant community has emerged supporting TC39's ECMAScript efforts. This community has reviewed numerous drafts, filed thousands of bug reports, performed implementation experiments, contributed test suites, and educated the world-wide developer community about ECMAScript. Unfortunately, it is impossible to identify and acknowledge every person and organization who

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# 1 Scope

This Standard defines the ECMAScript 2020 general-purpose programming language.

# 2 Conformance

A conforming implementation of ECMAScript must provide and support all the types, values, objects, properties, functions, and program syntax and semantics described in this specification.

A conforming implementation of ECMAScript must interpret source text input in conformance with the latest version of the Unicode Standard and ISO/IEC 10646.

A conforming implementation of ECMAScript that provides an application programming interface (API) that supports programs that need to adapt to the linguistic and cultural conventions used by different human languages and countries must implement the interface defined by the most recent edition of ECMA-402 that is compatible with this specification.

A conforming implementation of ECMAScript may provide additional types, values, objects, properties, and functions beyond those described in this specification. In particular, a conforming implementation of ECMAScript may provide properties not described in this specification, and values for those properties, for objects that are described in this specification.

A conforming implementation of ECMAScript may support program and regular expression syntax not described in this specification. In particular, a conforming implementation of ECMAScript may support program syntax that makes use of any "future reserved words" noted in subclause 11.6.2 of this specification.

A conforming implementation of ECMAScript must not implement any extension that is listed as a Forbidden Extension in subclause 16.1.

# 3 Normative References

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO/IEC 10646 Information Technology — Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (UCS) plus Amendment 1:2005, Amendment 2:2006, Amendment 3:2008, and Amendment 4:2008, plus additional amendments and corrigenda, or successor

ECMA-402, ECMAScript 2015 Internationalization API Specification. https://ecma-international.org/publications/standards/Ecma-402.htm

ECMA-404, *The JSON Data Interchange Format*. https://ecma-international.org/publications/standards/Ecma-404.htm

# 4 Overview

This section contains a non-normative overview of the ECMAScript language.

ECMAScript is an object-oriented programming language for performing computations and manipulating computational objects within a host environment. ECMAScript as defined here is not intended to be computationally self-sufficient; indeed, there are no provisions in this specification for input of external data or output of computed results. Instead, it is expected that the computational environment of an ECMAScript program will provide not only the objects and other facilities described in this specification but also certain environment-specific objects, whose description and behaviour are beyond the scope of this specification except to indicate that they may provide certain properties that can be accessed and certain functions that can be called from an ECMAScript program.

ECMAScript was originally designed to be used as a scripting language, but has become widely used as a general-purpose programming language. A *scripting language* is a programming language that is used to manipulate, customize, and automate the facilities of an existing system. In such systems, useful functionality is already available through a user interface, and the scripting language is a mechanism for exposing that functionality to program control. In this way, the existing system is said to provide a host environment of objects and facilities, which completes the capabilities of the scripting language. A scripting language is intended for use by both professional and non-professional programmers.

ECMAScript was originally designed to be a *Web scripting language*, providing a mechanism to enliven Web pages in browsers and to perform server computation as part of a Web-based client-server architecture. ECMAScript is now used to provide core scripting capabilities for a variety of host environments. Therefore the core language is specified in this document apart from any particular host environment.

ECMAScript usage has moved beyond simple scripting and it is now used for the full spectrum of programming tasks in many different environments and scales. As the usage of ECMAScript has expanded, so have the features and facilities it provides. ECMAScript is now a fully featured general-purpose programming language.

Some of the facilities of ECMAScript are similar to those used in other programming languages; in particular C,  $Java^{TM}$ , Self, and Scheme as described in:

ISO/IEC 9899:1996, Programming Languages — C.

Gosling, James, Bill Joy and Guy Steele. *The Java*<sup>™</sup> *Language Specification*. Addison Wesley Publishing Co., 1996.

Ungar, David, and Smith, Randall B. Self: The Power of Simplicity. *OOPSLA '87 Conference Proceedings*, pp. 227-241, Orlando, FL, October 1987.

IEEE Standard for the Scheme Programming Language. IEEE Std 1178-1990.

# 4.1 Web Scripting

A web browser provides an ECMAScript host environment for client-side computation including, for instance, objects that represent windows, menus, pop-ups, dialog boxes, text areas, anchors, frames, history, cookies, and input/output. Further, the host environment provides a means to attach scripting code to events such as change of focus, page and image loading, unloading, error and abort, selection, form submission, and mouse actions. Scripting code appears within the HTML and the displayed page is a combination of user interface elements and fixed and computed text and images. The scripting code is reactive to user interaction, and there is no need for a main program.

A web server provides a different host environment for server-side computation including objects representing requests, clients, and files; and mechanisms to lock and share data. By using browser-side and server-side scripting together, it is possible to distribute computation between the client and server while providing a customized user interface for a Web-based application.

Each Web browser and server that supports ECMAScript supplies its own host environment, completing the ECMAScript execution environment.

# **4.2 ECMAScript Overview**

The following is an informal overview of ECMAScript—not all parts of the language are described. This overview is not part of the standard proper.

ECMAScript is object-based: basic language and host facilities are provided by objects, and an ECMAScript program is a cluster of communicating objects. In ECMAScript, an *object* is a collection of zero or more *properties* each with *attributes* that determine how each property can be used—for example, when the Writable attribute for a property is set to **false**, any attempt by executed ECMAScript code to assign a different value to the property fails. Properties are containers that hold other objects, *primitive values*, or *functions*. A primitive value is a member of one of the following built-in types: **Undefined**, **Null**, **Boolean**, **Number**, **BigInt**, **String**, and **Symbol**; an object is a member of the built-in type **Object**; and a function is a callable object. A function that is associated with an object via a property is called a *method*.

ECMAScript defines a collection of built-in objects that round out the definition of ECMAScript entities. These built-in objects include the global object; objects that are fundamental to the runtime semantics of the language including <code>Object</code>, <code>Function</code>, <code>Boolean</code>, <code>Symbol</code>, and various <code>Error</code> objects; objects that represent and manipulate numeric values including <code>Math</code>, <code>Number</code>, and <code>Date</code>; the text processing objects <code>String</code> and <code>RegExp</code>; objects that are indexed collections of values including <code>Array</code> and nine different kinds of Typed Arrays whose elements all have a specific numeric data representation; keyed collections including <code>Map</code> and <code>Set</code> objects; objects supporting structured data including the <code>JSON</code> object, <code>ArrayBuffer</code>, <code>SharedArrayBuffer</code>, and <code>DataView</code>; objects supporting control abstractions including generator functions and <code>Promise</code> objects; and reflection objects including <code>Proxy</code> and <code>Reflect</code>.

ECMAScript also defines a set of built-in *operators*. ECMAScript operators include various unary operations, multiplicative operators, additive operators, bitwise shift operators, relational operators, equality operators, binary bitwise operators, binary logical operators, assignment operators, and the comma operator.

Large ECMAScript programs are supported by *modules* which allow a program to be divided into multiple sequences of statements and declarations. Each module explicitly identifies declarations it uses that need to be provided by other modules and which of its declarations are available for use by other modules.

ECMAScript syntax intentionally resembles Java syntax. ECMAScript syntax is relaxed to enable it to serve as an easy-to-use scripting language. For example, a variable is not required to have its type declared nor are types associated with properties, and defined functions are not required to have their declarations appear textually before calls to them.

## 4.2.1 Objects

Even though ECMAScript includes syntax for class definitions, ECMAScript objects are not fundamentally class-based such as those in C++, Smalltalk, or Java. Instead objects may be created in various ways including via a literal notation or via *constructors* which create objects and then execute code that initializes all or part of them by assigning initial values to their properties. Each constructor is a function that has a property named "prototype" that is used to implement *prototype-based inheritance* and *shared properties*. Objects are created by using constructors in **new** expressions; for example, **new Date(2009, 11)** creates a new Date object. Invoking a constructor without using **new** has consequences that depend on the constructor. For example, **Date()** produces a string representation of the current date and time rather than an object.

Every object created by a constructor has an implicit reference (called the object's *prototype*) to the value of its constructor's "prototype" property. Furthermore, a prototype may have a non-null implicit reference to its prototype, and so on; this is called the *prototype chain*. When a reference is made to a property in an object, that reference is to the property of that name in the first object in the prototype chain that contains a property of that name. In other words, first the object mentioned directly is examined for such a property; if that object contains the named property, that is the property to which the reference refers; if that object does not contain the named property, the prototype for that object is examined next; and so on.

implicit prototype link **CF** prototype CF, P1 explicit prototype property CFP1 P2 Cf<sub>4</sub> Cf₁ Cf<sub>2</sub> Cf<sub>3</sub> Cf<sub>5</sub> q1 q1 q1 q1 q1 **q**2 **q**2 **q**2 q2 **q**2

Figure 1: Object/Prototype Relationships

In a class-based object-oriented language, in general, state is carried by instances, methods are carried by classes, and inheritance is only of structure and behaviour. In ECMAScript, the state and methods are carried by objects, while

structure, behaviour, and state are all inherited.

All objects that do not directly contain a particular property that their prototype contains share that property and its value. Figure 1 illustrates this:

CF is a constructor (and also an object). Five objects have been created by using **new** expressions:  $cf_1$ ,  $cf_2$ ,  $cf_3$ ,  $cf_4$ , and  $cf_5$ . Each of these objects contains properties named "q1" and "q2". The dashed lines represent the implicit prototype relationship; so, for example,  $cf_3$ 's prototype is  $CF_p$ . The constructor, CF, has two properties itself, named "P1" and "P2", which are not visible to  $CF_p$ ,  $cf_1$ ,  $cf_2$ ,  $cf_3$ ,  $cf_4$ , or  $cf_5$ . The property named "CFP1" in  $CF_p$  is shared by  $cf_1$ ,  $cf_2$ ,  $cf_3$ ,  $cf_4$ , and  $cf_5$  (but not by  $cf_5$ ), as are any properties found in  $cf_p$ 's implicit prototype chain that are not named "q1", "q2", or "CFP1". Notice that there is no implicit prototype link between  $cf_5$  and  $cf_5$ .

Unlike most class-based object languages, properties can be added to objects dynamically by assigning values to them. That is, constructors are not required to name or assign values to all or any of the constructed object's properties. In the above diagram, one could add a new shared property for  $cf_1$ ,  $cf_2$ ,  $cf_3$ ,  $cf_4$ , and  $cf_5$  by assigning a new value to the property in  $CF_p$ .

Although ECMAScript objects are not inherently class-based, it is often convenient to define class-like abstractions based upon a common pattern of constructor functions, prototype objects, and methods. The ECMAScript built-in objects themselves follow such a class-like pattern. Beginning with ECMAScript 2015, the ECMAScript language includes syntactic class definitions that permit programmers to concisely define objects that conform to the same class-like abstraction pattern used by the built-in objects.

## 4.2.2 The Strict Variant of ECMAScript

The ECMAScript Language recognizes the possibility that some users of the language may wish to restrict their usage of some features available in the language. They might do so in the interests of security, to avoid what they consider to be error-prone features, to get enhanced error checking, or for other reasons of their choosing. In support of this possibility, ECMAScript defines a strict variant of the language. The strict variant of the language excludes some specific syntactic and semantic features of the regular ECMAScript language and modifies the detailed semantics of some features. The strict variant also specifies additional error conditions that must be reported by throwing error exceptions in situations that are not specified as errors by the non-strict form of the language.

The strict variant of ECMAScript is commonly referred to as the *strict mode* of the language. Strict mode selection and use of the strict mode syntax and semantics of ECMAScript is explicitly made at the level of individual ECMAScript source text units. Because strict mode is selected at the level of a syntactic source text unit, strict mode only imposes restrictions that have local effect within such a source text unit. Strict mode does not restrict or modify any aspect of the ECMAScript semantics that must operate consistently across multiple source text units. A complete ECMAScript program may be composed of both strict mode and non-strict mode ECMAScript source text units. In this case, strict mode only applies when actually executing code that is defined within a strict mode source text unit.

In order to conform to this specification, an ECMAScript implementation must implement both the full unrestricted ECMAScript language and the strict variant of the ECMAScript language as defined by this specification. In addition, an implementation must support the combination of unrestricted and strict mode source text units into a single composite program.

## 4.3 Terms and Definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

### 4.3.1 type

set of data values as defined in clause 6 of this specification

### 4.3.2 primitive value

member of one of the types Undefined, Null, Boolean, Number, BigInt, Symbol, or String as defined in clause 6

**NOTE** 

A primitive value is a datum that is represented directly at the lowest level of the language implementation.

## **4.3.3** object

member of the type Object

**NOTE** 

An object is a collection of properties and has a single prototype object. The prototype may be the null value.

#### 4.3.4 constructor

function object that creates and initializes objects

**NOTE** 

The value of a constructor's **"prototype"** property is a prototype object that is used to implement inheritance and shared properties.

## 4.3.5 prototype

object that provides shared properties for other objects

NOTE

When a constructor creates an object, that object implicitly references the constructor's "prototype" property for the purpose of resolving property references. The constructor's "prototype" property can be referenced by the program expression constructor.prototype, and properties added to an object's prototype are shared, through inheritance, by all objects sharing the prototype. Alternatively, a new object may be created with an explicitly specified prototype by using the **Object.create** built-in function.

# 4.3.6 ordinary object

object that has the default behaviour for the essential internal methods that must be supported by all objects

# 4.3.7 exotic object

object that does not have the default behaviour for one or more of the essential internal methods

**NOTE** 

Any object that is not an ordinary object is an exotic object.

## 4.3.8 standard object

object whose semantics are defined by this specification

## 4.3.9 built-in object

object specified and supplied by an ECMAScript implementation

NOTE

Standard built-in objects are defined in this specification. An ECMAScript implementation may specify and supply additional kinds of built-in objects. A *built-in constructor* is a built-in object that is also a constructor.

### 4.3.10 undefined value

primitive value used when a variable has not been assigned a value

## 4.3.11 Undefined type

type whose sole value is the undefined value

#### 4.3.12 null value

primitive value that represents the intentional absence of any object value

# 4.3.13 Null type

type whose sole value is the null value

#### 4.3.14 Boolean value

member of the Boolean type

**NOTE** 

There are only two Boolean values, **true** and **false**.

# 4.3.15 Boolean type

type consisting of the primitive values true and false

# 4.3.16 Boolean object

member of the Object type that is an instance of the standard built-in **Boolean** constructor

NOTE

A Boolean object is created by using the **Boolean** constructor in a **new** expression, supplying a Boolean value as an argument. The resulting object has an internal slot whose value is the Boolean value. A Boolean object can be coerced to a Boolean value.

### 4.3.17 String value

primitive value that is a finite ordered sequence of zero or more 16-bit unsigned integer values

**NOTE** 

A String value is a member of the String type. Each integer value in the sequence usually represents a single 16-bit unit of UTF-16 text. However, ECMAScript does not place any restrictions or requirements on the values except that they must be 16-bit unsigned integers.

## 4.3.18 String type

set of all possible String values

## 4.3.19 String object

member of the Object type that is an instance of the standard built-in **String** constructor

NOTE

A String object is created by using the **String** constructor in a **new** expression, supplying a String value as an argument. The resulting object has an internal slot whose value is the String value. A String object can be coerced to a String value by calling the **String** constructor as a function (21.1.1.1).

### 4.3.20 Number value

primitive value corresponding to a double-precision 64-bit binary format IEEE 754-2019 value

**NOTE** 

A Number value is a member of the Number type and is a direct representation of a number.

# 4.3.21 Number type

set of all possible Number values including the special "Not-a-Number" (NaN) value, positive infinity, and negative infinity

# 4.3.22 Number object

member of the Object type that is an instance of the standard built-in **Number** constructor

NOTE

A Number object is created by using the **Number** constructor in a **new** expression, supplying a Number value as an argument. The resulting object has an internal slot whose value is the Number value. A Number object can be coerced to a Number value by calling the **Number** constructor as a function (20.1.1.1).

## **4.3.23** Infinity

Number value that is the positive infinite Number value

#### 4.3.24 NaN

Number value that is an IEEE 754-2019 "Not-a-Number" value

### 4.3.25 BigInt value

primitive value corresponding to an arbitrary-precision integer value

### 4.3.26 BigInt type

set of all possible BigInt values

## 4.3.27 BigInt object

member of the Object type that is an instance of the standard built-in **BigInt** constructor

## 4.3.28 Symbol value

primitive value that represents a unique, non-String Object property key

# 4.3.29 Symbol type

set of all possible Symbol values

# 4.3.30 Symbol object

member of the Object type that is an instance of the standard built-in **Symbol** constructor

#### 4.3.31 function

member of the Object type that may be invoked as a subroutine

NOTE

In addition to its properties, a function contains executable code and state that determine how it behaves when invoked. A function's code may or may not be written in ECMAScript.

#### 4.3.32 built-in function

built-in object that is a function

**NOTE** 

Examples of built-in functions include **parseInt** and **Math.exp**. An implementation may provide implementation-dependent built-in functions that are not described in this specification.

### 4.3.33 property

part of an object that associates a key (either a String value or a Symbol value) and a value

NOTE

Depending upon the form of the property the value may be represented either directly as a data value (a primitive value, an object, or a function object) or indirectly by a pair of accessor functions.

#### 4.3.34 method

function that is the value of a property

**NOTE** 

When a function is called as a method of an object, the object is passed to the function as its **this** value.

### 4.3.35 built-in method

method that is a built-in function

**NOTE** 

Standard built-in methods are defined in this specification, and an ECMAScript implementation may specify and provide other additional built-in methods.

#### 4.3.36 attribute

internal value that defines some characteristic of a property

## 4.3.37 own property

property that is directly contained by its object

# 4.3.38 inherited property

property of an object that is not an own property but is a property (either own or inherited) of the object's prototype

# 4.4 Organization of This Specification

The remainder of this specification is organized as follows:

Clause 5 defines the notational conventions used throughout the specification.

Clauses 6-9 define the execution environment within which ECMAScript programs operate.

Clauses 10-16 define the actual ECMAScript programming language including its syntactic encoding and the execution semantics of all language features.

Clauses 17-26 define the ECMAScript standard library. They include the definitions of all of the standard objects that are available for use by ECMAScript programs as they execute.

Clause 27 describes the memory consistency model of accesses on SharedArrayBuffer-backed memory and methods of the Atomics object.

# 5 Notational Conventions

# 5.1 Syntactic and Lexical Grammars

#### **5.1.1 Context-Free Grammars**

A *context-free grammar* consists of a number of *productions*. Each production has an abstract symbol called a *nonterminal* as its *left-hand side*, and a sequence of zero or more nonterminal and *terminal* symbols as its *right-hand side*. For each grammar, the terminal symbols are drawn from a specified alphabet.

A *chain production* is a production that has exactly one nonterminal symbol on its right-hand side along with zero or more terminal symbols.

Starting from a sentence consisting of a single distinguished nonterminal, called the *goal symbol*, a given context-free grammar specifies a *language*, namely, the (perhaps infinite) set of possible sequences of terminal symbols that can result from repeatedly replacing any nonterminal in the sequence with a right-hand side of a production for which the nonterminal is the left-hand side.

# 5.1.2 The Lexical and RegExp Grammars

A *lexical grammar* for ECMAScript is given in clause 11. This grammar has as its terminal symbols Unicode code points that conform to the rules for *SourceCharacter* defined in 10.1. It defines a set of productions, starting from the goal symbol *InputElementDiv*, *InputElementTemplateTail*, or *InputElementRegExp*, or *InputElementRegExpOrTemplateTail*, that describe how sequences of such code points are translated into a sequence of input elements.

Input elements other than white space and comments form the terminal symbols for the syntactic grammar for ECMAScript and are called ECMAScript *tokens*. These tokens are the reserved words, identifiers, literals, and punctuators of the ECMAScript language. Moreover, line terminators, although not considered to be tokens, also become part of the stream of input elements and guide the process of automatic semicolon insertion (11.9). Simple white space and single-line comments are discarded and do not appear in the stream of input elements for the syntactic grammar. A *MultiLineComment* (that is, a comment of the form /\*...\*/ regardless of whether it spans more than one line) is likewise simply discarded if it contains no line terminator; but if a *MultiLineComment* contains one or

more line terminators, then it is replaced by a single line terminator, which becomes part of the stream of input elements for the syntactic grammar.

A *RegExp grammar* for ECMAScript is given in 21.2.1. This grammar also has as its terminal symbols the code points as defined by *SourceCharacter*. It defines a set of productions, starting from the goal symbol *Pattern*, that describe how sequences of code points are translated into regular expression patterns.

Productions of the lexical and RegExp grammars are distinguished by having two colons "::" as separating punctuation. The lexical and RegExp grammars share some productions.

### 5.1.3 The Numeric String Grammar

Another grammar is used for translating Strings into numeric values. This grammar is similar to the part of the lexical grammar having to do with numeric literals and has as its terminal symbols *SourceCharacter*. This grammar appears in 7.1.4.1.

Productions of the numeric string grammar are distinguished by having three colons ":::" as punctuation.

### 5.1.4 The Syntactic Grammar

The *syntactic grammar* for ECMAScript is given in clauses 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15. This grammar has ECMAScript tokens defined by the lexical grammar as its terminal symbols (5.1.2). It defines a set of productions, starting from two alternative goal symbols *Script* and *Module*, that describe how sequences of tokens form syntactically correct independent components of ECMAScript programs.

When a stream of code points is to be parsed as an ECMAScript *Script* or *Module*, it is first converted to a stream of input elements by repeated application of the lexical grammar; this stream of input elements is then parsed by a single application of the syntactic grammar. The input stream is syntactically in error if the tokens in the stream of input elements cannot be parsed as a single instance of the goal nonterminal (*Script* or *Module*), with no tokens left over.

When a parse is successful, it constructs a *parse tree*, a rooted tree structure in which each node is a *Parse Node*. Each Parse Node is an *instance* of a symbol in the grammar; it represents a span of the source text that can be derived from that symbol. The root node of the parse tree, representing the whole of the source text, is an instance of the parse's goal symbol. When a Parse Node is an instance of a nonterminal, it is also an instance of some production that has that nonterminal as its left-hand side. Moreover, it has zero or more *children*, one for each symbol on the production's right-hand side: each child is a Parse Node that is an instance of the corresponding symbol.

New Parse Nodes are instantiated for each invocation of the parser and never reused between parses even of identical source text. Parse Nodes are considered *the same Parse Node* if and only if they represent the same span of source text, are instances of the same grammar symbol, and resulted from the same parser invocation.

NOTE 1

Parsing the same String multiple times will lead to different Parse Nodes. For example, consider:

```
let str = "1 + 1;";
eval(str);
eval(str);
```

Each call to **eval** converts the value of **str** into an ECMAScript source text and performs an independent parse that creates its own separate tree of Parse Nodes. The trees are distinct even though each parse operates upon a source text that was derived from the same String value.

NOTE 2

Parse Nodes are specification artefacts, and implementations are not required to use an analogous data structure.

Productions of the syntactic grammar are distinguished by having just one colon ":" as punctuation.

The syntactic grammar as presented in clauses 12, 13, 14 and 15 is not a complete account of which token sequences are accepted as a correct ECMAScript *Script* or *Module*. Certain additional token sequences are also accepted, namely, those that would be described by the grammar if only semicolons were added to the sequence in certain places (such as before line terminator characters). Furthermore, certain token sequences that are described by the grammar are not considered acceptable if a line terminator character appears in certain "awkward" places.

In certain cases, in order to avoid ambiguities, the syntactic grammar uses generalized productions that permit token sequences that do not form a valid ECMAScript Script or Module. For example, this technique is used for object literals and object destructuring patterns. In such cases a more restrictive  $supplemental\ grammar$  is provided that further restricts the acceptable token sequences. Typically, an early error rule will then define an error condition if "P is not  $covering\ an\ N$ ", where P is a Parse Node (an instance of the generalized production) and N is a nonterminal from the supplemental grammar. Here, the sequence of tokens originally matched by P is parsed again using N as the goal symbol. (If N takes grammatical parameters, then they are set to the same values used when P was originally parsed.) An error occurs if the sequence of tokens cannot be parsed as a single instance of N, with no tokens left over. Subsequently, algorithms access the result of the parse using a phrase of the form "the N that is covered by P". This will always be a Parse Node (an instance of N, unique for a given P), since any parsing failure would have been detected by an early error rule.

#### 5.1.5 Grammar Notation

Nonterminal symbols are shown in *italic* type. The definition of a nonterminal (also called a "production") is introduced by the name of the nonterminal being defined followed by one or more colons. (The number of colons indicates to which grammar the production belongs.) One or more alternative right-hand sides for the nonterminal then follow on succeeding lines. For example, the syntactic definition:

```
While Statement:
while (Expression ) Statement
```

states that the nonterminal *WhileStatement* represents the token **while**, followed by a left parenthesis token, followed by an *Expression*, followed by a right parenthesis token, followed by a *Statement*. The occurrences of *Expression* and *Statement* are themselves nonterminals. As another example, the syntactic definition:

```
ArgumentList:
AssignmentExpression
ArgumentList, AssignmentExpression
```

states that an *ArgumentList* may represent either a single *AssignmentExpression* or an *ArgumentList*, followed by a comma, followed by an *AssignmentExpression*. This definition of *ArgumentList* is recursive, that is, it is defined in terms of itself. The result is that an *ArgumentList* may contain any positive number of arguments, separated by commas, where each argument expression is an *AssignmentExpression*. Such recursive definitions of nonterminals are common.

The subscripted suffix "opt", which may appear after a terminal or nonterminal, indicates an optional symbol. The alternative containing the optional symbol actually specifies two right-hand sides, one that omits the optional element and one that includes it. This means that:

```
Variable Declaration:
              BindingIdentifier Initializer opt
is a convenient abbreviation for:
      VariableDeclaration:
              BindingIdentifier
              BindingIdentifier Initializer
and that:
     IterationStatement:
              for (LexicalDeclaration Expression opt ; Expression opt ) Statement
is a convenient abbreviation for:
     IterationStatement:
              for (LexicalDeclaration; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement
              for (LexicalDeclaration Expression; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement
which in turn is an abbreviation for:
     IterationStatement:
              for ( LexicalDeclaration ; ) Statement
               for (Lexical Declaration; Expression) Statement
              for (LexicalDeclaration Expression;) Statement
              for (LexicalDeclaration Expression; Expression) Statement
```

so, in this example, the nonterminal *IterationStatement* actually has four alternative right-hand sides.

A production may be parameterized by a subscripted annotation of the form "[parameters]", which may appear as a suffix to the nonterminal symbol defined by the production. "parameters" may be either a single name or a comma separated list of names. A parameterized production is shorthand for a set of productions defining all combinations of the parameter names, preceded by an underscore, appended to the parameterized nonterminal symbol. This means that:

```
ReturnStatement
              ExpressionStatement
is a convenient abbreviation for:
     StatementList:
              ReturnStatement
              ExpressionStatement
     StatementList_Return:
              ReturnStatement
              ExpressionStatement
and that:
     StatementList<sub>[Return, In]</sub>:
              ReturnStatement
              ExpressionStatement
is an abbreviation for:
     StatementList:
              ReturnStatement
              ExpressionStatement
     StatementList_Return:
              ReturnStatement
              ExpressionStatement
     StatementList_In:
              ReturnStatement
              ExpressionStatement
     StatementList_Return_In:
              ReturnStatement
              ExpressionStatement
Multiple parameters produce a combinatory number of productions, not all of which are necessarily referenced in a
complete grammar.
References to nonterminals on the right-hand side of a production can also be parameterized. For example:
     StatementList:
              ReturnStatement
              ExpressionStatement[+In]
```

ReturnStatement

ExpressionStatement\_In

is equivalent to saying:

StatementList:

 $StatementList_{[Return]}$ :

```
and:
```

```
StatementList:

ReturnStatement

ExpressionStatement

[-In]
```

#### is equivalent to:

```
StatementList:
```

ReturnStatement ExpressionStatement

A nonterminal reference may have both a parameter list and an "opt" suffix. For example:

```
VariableDeclaration :
BindingIdentifier Initializer<sub>[+In] opt</sub>
```

#### is an abbreviation for:

```
VariableDeclaration:
BindingIdentifier
BindingIdentifier Initializer_In
```

Prefixing a parameter name with "?" on a right-hand side nonterminal reference makes that parameter value dependent upon the occurrence of the parameter name on the reference to the current production's left-hand side symbol. For example:

```
VariableDeclaration [In]:
BindingIdentifier Initializer [2In]
```

#### is an abbreviation for:

```
VariableDeclaration:
BindingIdentifier Initializer
```

VariableDeclaration\_In:

BindingIdentifier Initializer\_In

If a right-hand side alternative is prefixed with "[+parameter]" that alternative is only available if the named parameter was used in referencing the production's nonterminal symbol. If a right-hand side alternative is prefixed with "[~parameter]" that alternative is only available if the named parameter was *not* used in referencing the production's nonterminal symbol. This means that:

```
StatementList<sub>[Return]</sub>:

[+Return] ReturnStatement

ExpressionStatement
```

#### is an abbreviation for:

```
StatementList:
ExpressionStatement
StatementList Return:
```

ReturnStatement ExpressionStatement

#### and that:

```
StatementList<sub>[Return]</sub>:

[-Return] ReturnStatement

ExpressionStatement
```

#### is an abbreviation for:

```
StatementList:

ReturnStatement
ExpressionStatement

StatementList_Return:
ExpressionStatement
```

When the words "**one of**" follow the colon(s) in a grammar definition, they signify that each of the terminal symbols on the following line or lines is an alternative definition. For example, the lexical grammar for ECMAScript contains the production:

```
NonZeroDigit :: one of
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
```

which is merely a convenient abbreviation for:

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If the phrase "[empty]" appears as the right-hand side of a production, it indicates that the production's right-hand side contains no terminals or nonterminals.

If the phrase "[lookahead  $\notin$  set]" appears in the right-hand side of a production, it indicates that the production may not be used if the immediately following input token sequence is a member of the given set. The set can be written as a comma separated list of one or two element terminal sequences enclosed in curly brackets. For convenience, the set can also be written as a nonterminal, in which case it represents the set of all terminals to which that nonterminal could expand. If the set consists of a single terminal the phrase "[lookahead  $\neq$  terminal]" may be used.

For example, given the definitions:

```
DecimalDigit :: one of
```

```
DecimalDigits ::

DecimalDigit

DecimalDigits DecimalDigit
```

the definition:

```
LookaheadExample ::

n [lookahead ∉ { 1 , 3 , 5 , 7 , 9 }] DecimalDigits

DecimalDigit [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]
```

matches either the letter **n** followed by one or more decimal digits the first of which is even, or a decimal digit not followed by another decimal digit.

Similarly, if the phrase "[lookahead  $\in$  set]" appears in the right-hand side of a production, it indicates that the production may only be used if the immediately following input token sequence is a member of the given set. If the set consists of a single terminal the phrase "[lookahead = terminal]" may be used.

If the phrase "[no *LineTerminator* here]" appears in the right-hand side of a production of the syntactic grammar, it indicates that the production is *a restricted production*: it may not be used if a *LineTerminator* occurs in the input stream at the indicated position. For example, the production:

```
ThrowStatement:
throw [no LineTerminator here] Expression;
```

indicates that the production may not be used if a *LineTerminator* occurs in the script between the **throw** token and the *Expression*.

Unless the presence of a *LineTerminator* is forbidden by a restricted production, any number of occurrences of *LineTerminator* may appear between any two consecutive tokens in the stream of input elements without affecting the syntactic acceptability of the script.

When an alternative in a production of the lexical grammar or the numeric string grammar appears to be a multi-code point token, it represents the sequence of code points that would make up such a token.

The right-hand side of a production may specify that certain expansions are not permitted by using the phrase "but not" and then indicating the expansions to be excluded. For example, the production:

```
Identifier :: IdentifierName but not ReservedWord
```

means that the nonterminal *Identifier* may be replaced by any sequence of code points that could replace *IdentifierName* provided that the same sequence of code points could not replace *ReservedWord*.

Finally, a few nonterminal symbols are described by a descriptive phrase in sans-serif type in cases where it would be impractical to list all the alternatives:

```
SourceCharacter :: any Unicode code point
```

# 5.2 Algorithm Conventions

The specification often uses a numbered list to specify steps in an algorithm. These algorithms are used to precisely specify the required semantics of ECMAScript language constructs. The algorithms are not intended to imply the use of any specific implementation technique. In practice, there may be more efficient algorithms available to implement a given feature.

Algorithms may be explicitly parameterized, in which case the names and usage of the parameters must be provided as part of the algorithm's definition.

Algorithm steps may be subdivided into sequential substeps. Substeps are indented and may themselves be further divided into indented substeps. Outline numbering conventions are used to identify substeps with the first level of substeps labelled with lower case alphabetic characters and the second level of substeps labelled with lower case roman numerals. If more than three levels are required these rules repeat with the fourth level using numeric labels. For example:

- 1. Top-level step
  - a. Substep.
  - b. Substep.
    - i. Subsubstep.
      - 1. Subsubsubstep
        - a. Subsubsubstep
          - i. Subsubsubsubstep

A step or substep may be written as an "if" predicate that conditions its substeps. In this case, the substeps are only applied if the predicate is true. If a step or substep begins with the word "else", it is a predicate that is the negation of the preceding "if" predicate step at the same level.

A step may specify the iterative application of its substeps.

A step that begins with "Assert:" asserts an invariant condition of its algorithm. Such assertions are used to make explicit algorithmic invariants that would otherwise be implicit. Such assertions add no additional semantic requirements and hence need not be checked by an implementation. They are used simply to clarify algorithms.

Algorithm steps may declare named aliases for any value using the form "Let *x* be *someValue*". These aliases are reference-like in that both *x* and *someValue* refer to the same underlying data and modifications to either are visible to both. Algorithm steps that want to avoid this reference-like behaviour should explicitly make a copy of the right-hand side: "Let *x* be a copy of *someValue*" creates a shallow copy of *someValue*.

Once declared, an alias may be referenced in any subsequent steps and must not be referenced from steps prior to the alias's declaration. Aliases may be modified using the form "Set *x* to *someOtherValue*".

# 5.2.1 Abstract Operations

In order to facilitate their use in multiple parts of this specification, some algorithms, called *abstract operations*, are named and written in parameterized functional form so that they may be referenced by name from within other algorithms. Abstract operations are typically referenced using a functional application style such as OperationName(*arg1*, *arg2*). Some abstract operations are treated as polymorphically dispatched methods of class-like specification abstractions. Such method-like abstract operations are typically referenced using a method application style such as *someValue*.OperationName(*arg1*, *arg2*).

# 5.2.2 Syntax-Directed Operations

A *syntax-directed operation* is a named operation whose definition consists of algorithms, each of which is associated with one or more productions from one of the ECMAScript grammars. A production that has multiple alternative definitions will typically have a distinct algorithm for each alternative. When an algorithm is associated with a grammar production, it may reference the terminal and nonterminal symbols of the production alternative as if they were parameters of the algorithm. When used in this manner, nonterminal symbols refer to the actual alternative definition that is matched when parsing the source text. The *source text matched by* a grammar production is the portion of the source text that starts at the beginning of the first terminal that participated in the match and ends at the end of the last terminal that participated in the match.

When an algorithm is associated with a production alternative, the alternative is typically shown without any "[]" grammar annotations. Such annotations should only affect the syntactic recognition of the alternative and have no effect on the associated semantics for the alternative.

Syntax-directed operations are invoked with a parse node and, optionally, other parameters by using the conventions on steps 1, 3, and 4 in the following algorithm:

- 1. Let *status* be SyntaxDirectedOperation of *SomeNonTerminal*.
- 2. Let *someParseNode* be the parse of some source text.
- 3. Perform SyntaxDirectedOperation of someParseNode.
- 4. Perform SyntaxDirectedOperation of someParseNode passing "value" as the argument.

Unless explicitly specified otherwise, all chain productions have an implicit definition for every operation that might be applied to that production's left-hand side nonterminal. The implicit definition simply reapplies the same operation with the same parameters, if any, to the chain production's sole right-hand side nonterminal and then returns the result. For example, assume that some algorithm has a step of the form: "Return the result of evaluating <code>Block"</code> and that there is a production:

```
Block: { StatementList }
```

but the Evaluation operation does not associate an algorithm with that production. In that case, the Evaluation operation implicitly includes an association of the form:

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```
Block : { StatementList }
```

1. Return the result of evaluating *StatementList*.

#### **5.2.3** Runtime Semantics

Algorithms which specify semantics that must be called at runtime are called *runtime semantics*. Runtime semantics are defined by abstract operations or syntax-directed operations. Such algorithms always return a completion record.

### 5.2.3.1 Implicit Completion Values

The algorithms of this specification often implicitly return Completion Records whose [[Type]] is normal. Unless it is otherwise obvious from the context, an algorithm statement that returns a value that is not a Completion Record, such as:

1. Return "Infinity".

means the same thing as:

1. Return NormalCompletion("Infinity").

However, if the value expression of a "return" statement is a Completion Record construction literal, the resulting Completion Record is returned. If the value expression is a call to an abstract operation, the "return" statement simply returns the Completion Record produced by the abstract operation.

The abstract operation Completion(completionRecord) is used to emphasize that a previously computed Completion Record is being returned. The Completion abstract operation takes a single argument, completionRecord, and performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *completionRecord* is a Completion Record.
- 2. Return completionRecord as the Completion Record of this abstract operation.

A "return" statement without a value in an algorithm step means the same thing as:

Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

Any reference to a Completion Record value that is in a context that does not explicitly require a complete Completion Record value is equivalent to an explicit reference to the [[Value]] field of the Completion Record value unless the Completion Record is an abrupt completion.

#### 5.2.3.2 Throw an Exception

Algorithms steps that say to throw an exception, such as

Throw a TypeError exception.

mean the same things as:

Return ThrowCompletion(a newly created TypeError object).

#### 5.2.3.3 ReturnIfAbrupt

Algorithms steps that say or are otherwise equivalent to:

1. ReturnIfAbrupt(argument).

mean the same thing as:

- 1. If *argument* is an abrupt completion, return *argument*.
- 2. Else if argument is a Completion Record, set argument to argument.[[Value]].

Algorithms steps that say or are otherwise equivalent to:

ReturnIfAbrupt(AbstractOperation()).

mean the same thing as:

- 1. Let *hygienicTemp* be AbstractOperation().
- 2. If *hygienicTemp* is an abrupt completion, return *hygienicTemp*.
- 3. Else if hygienicTemp is a Completion Record, set hygienicTemp to hygienicTemp.[[Value]].

Where *hygienicTemp* is ephemeral and visible only in the steps pertaining to ReturnIfAbrupt.

Algorithms steps that say or are otherwise equivalent to:

1. Let result be AbstractOperation(ReturnIfAbrupt(argument)).

mean the same thing as:

- 1. If argument is an abrupt completion, return argument.
- 2. If argument is a Completion Record, set argument to argument.[[Value]].
- 3. Let result be AbstractOperation(argument).

#### 5.2.3.4 ReturnIfAbrupt Shorthands

Invocations of abstract operations and syntax-directed operations that are prefixed by **?** indicate that ReturnIfAbrupt should be applied to the resulting Completion Record. For example, the step:

1. ? OperationName().

is equivalent to the following step:

1. ReturnIfAbrupt(OperationName()).

Similarly, for method application style, the step:

1. ? someValue.OperationName().

is equivalent to:

ReturnIfAbrupt(someValue.OperationName()).

Similarly, prefix ! is used to indicate that the following invocation of an abstract or syntax-directed operation will never return an abrupt completion and that the resulting Completion Record's [[Value]] field should be used in place of the return value of the operation. For example, the step:

1. Let val be! OperationName().

is equivalent to the following steps:

- 1. Let val be OperationName().
- 2. Assert: *val* is never an abrupt completion.
- 3. If val is a Completion Record, set val to val.[[Value]].

Syntax-directed operations for runtime semantics make use of this shorthand by placing ! or ? before the invocation of the operation:

1. Perform! SyntaxDirectedOperation of NonTerminal.

#### 5.2.4 Static Semantics

Context-free grammars are not sufficiently powerful to express all the rules that define whether a stream of input elements form a valid ECMAScript *Script* or *Module* that may be evaluated. In some situations additional rules are needed that may be expressed using either ECMAScript algorithm conventions or prose requirements. Such rules are

always associated with a production of a grammar and are called the *static semantics* of the production.

Static Semantic Rules have names and typically are defined using an algorithm. Named Static Semantic Rules are associated with grammar productions and a production that has multiple alternative definitions will typically have for each alternative a distinct algorithm for each applicable named static semantic rule.

Unless otherwise specified every grammar production alternative in this specification implicitly has a definition for a static semantic rule named Contains which takes an argument named *symbol* whose value is a terminal or nonterminal of the grammar that includes the associated production. The default definition of Contains is:

- 1. For each child node child of this Parse Node, do
  - a. If *child* is an instance of *symbol*, return **true**.
  - b. If child is an instance of a nonterminal, then
    - i. Let contained be the result of child Contains symbol.
    - ii. If *contained* is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

The above definition is explicitly over-ridden for specific productions.

A special kind of static semantic rule is an *Early Error Rule*. Early error rules define early error conditions (see clause 16) that are associated with specific grammar productions. Evaluation of most early error rules are not explicitly invoked within the algorithms of this specification. A conforming implementation must, prior to the first evaluation of a *Script* or *Module*, validate all of the early error rules of the productions used to parse that *Script* or *Module*. If any of the early error rules are violated the *Script* or *Module* is invalid and cannot be evaluated.

#### 5.2.5 Mathematical Operations

This specification makes reference to two kinds of numeric values:

- *Number*: IEEE 754-2019 double-precision floating point values, used as the default numeric type.
- *Mathematical value*: Arbitrary real numbers, used for specific situations.

In the language of this specification, numerical values and operations (including addition, subtraction, negation, multiplication, division, and comparison) are distinguished among different numeric kinds using subscripts. The subscript  $_{\mathbb{F}}$  refers to Numbers, and the subscript  $_{\mathbb{R}}$  refers to mathematical values. A subscript is used following each numeric value and operation.

For brevity, the  $_{\mathbb{F}}$  subscript can be omitted on Number values—a numeric value with no subscript is interpreted to be a Number. An operation with no subscript is interpreted to be a Number operation, unless one of the parameters has a particular subscript, in which case the operation adopts that subscript. For example,  $1_{\mathbb{R}} + 2_{\mathbb{R}} = 3_{\mathbb{R}}$  is a statement about mathematical values, and 1 + 2 = 3 is a statement about Numbers.

In general, when this specification refers to a numerical value, such as in the phrase, "the length of y" or "the integer represented by the four hexadecimal digits ...", without explicitly specifying a numeric kind, the phrase refers to a Number. Phrases which refer to a mathematical value are explicitly annotated as such; for example, "the mathematical value of the number of code points in ...".

It is not defined to mix Numbers and mathematical values in either arithmetic or comparison operations, and any such undefined operation would be an editorial error in this specification text.

The Number value 0, alternatively written  $0_{\mathbb{F}}$ , is defined as the double-precision floating point positive zero value. In

certain contexts, it may also be written as +0 for clarity.

This specification denotes most numeric values in base 10; it also uses numeric values of the form 0x followed by digits 0-9 or A-F as base-16 values.

In certain contexts, an operation is specified which is generic between Numbers and mathematical values. In these cases, the subscript can be a variable; t is often used for this purpose, for example  $5_t \times 10_t = 50_t$  for any t ranging over  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $\mathbb{F}$ , since the values involved are within the range where the semantics coincide.

Conversions between mathematical values and numbers are never implicit, and always explicit in this document. A conversion from a mathematical value to a Number is denoted as "the Number value for x", and is defined in 6.1.6.1. A conversion from a Number to a mathematical value is denoted as "the *mathematical value* of x", or  $\mathbb{R}(x)$ . Note that the mathematical value of non-finite values is not defined, and the mathematical value of +0 and -0 is the mathematical value  $0_{\mathbb{R}}$ .

When the term *integer* is used in this specification, it refers to a Number value whose mathematical value is in the set of integers, unless otherwise stated: when the term *mathematical integer* is used in this specification, it refers to a mathematical value which is in the set of integers. As shorthand,  $integer_t$  can be used to refer to either of the two, as determined by t.

The mathematical function  $abs_t(x)$  produces the absolute value of x, which is -tx if  $x <_t 0_t$  and otherwise is x itself.

The mathematical function  $\min_t(x1, x2, ..., xN)$  produces the mathematically smallest of x1 through xN. The mathematical function  $\max_t(x1, x2, ..., xN)$  produces the mathematically largest of x1 through xN. The domain and range of these mathematical functions include  $+\infty$  and  $-\infty$ .

The notation "x modulo $_t$  y" (y must be finite and nonzero) computes a value k of the same sign as y (or zero) such that  $abs_t(k) <_t abs_t(y)$  and  $x -_t k = q \times_t y$  for some integer  $t \in A$ .

The mathematical function floor<sub>t</sub>(x) produces the largest integer<sub>t</sub> (closest to positive infinity) that is not larger than x.

NOTE  $floor_t(x) = x -_t (x modulo_t 1_t).$ 

#### 5.2.6 Value Notation

In this specification, ECMAScript language values are displayed in **bold**. Examples include **null**, **true**, or **"hello"**. These are distinguished from longer ECMAScript code sequences such as **Function.prototype.apply** or **let** n = 42;

Values which are internal to the specification and not directly observable from ECMAScript code are indicated with a sans-serif typeface. For instance, a Completion Record's [[Type]] field takes on values like normal, return, or throw.

# 6 ECMAScript Data Types and Values

Algorithms within this specification manipulate values each of which has an associated type. The possible value types are exactly those defined in this clause. Types are further subclassified into ECMAScript language types and specification types.

Within this specification, the notation "Type(x)" is used as shorthand for "the *type* of x" where "type" refers to the ECMAScript language and specification types defined in this clause. When the term "empty" is used as if it was naming a value, it is equivalent to saying "no value of any type".

# 6.1 ECMAScript Language Types

An *ECMAScript language type* corresponds to values that are directly manipulated by an ECMAScript programmer using the ECMAScript language. The ECMAScript language types are Undefined, Null, Boolean, String, Symbol, Number, BigInt, and Object. An *ECMAScript language value* is a value that is characterized by an ECMAScript language type.

#### 6.1.1 The Undefined Type

The Undefined type has exactly one value, called **undefined**. Any variable that has not been assigned a value has the value **undefined**.

#### 6.1.2 The Null Type

The Null type has exactly one value, called **null**.

### 6.1.3 The Boolean Type

The Boolean type represents a logical entity having two values, called **true** and **false**.

### 6.1.4 The String Type

The String type is the set of all ordered sequences of zero or more 16-bit unsigned integer values ("elements") up to a maximum length of  $2^{53}$  - 1 elements. The String type is generally used to represent textual data in a running ECMAScript program, in which case each element in the String is treated as a UTF-16 code unit value. Each element is regarded as occupying a position within the sequence. These positions are indexed with nonnegative integers. The first element (if any) is at index 0, the next element (if any) at index 1, and so on. The length of a String is the number of elements (i.e., 16-bit values) within it. The empty String has length zero and therefore contains no elements.

ECMAScript operations that do not interpret String contents apply no further semantics. Operations that do interpret String values treat each element as a single UTF-16 code unit. However, ECMAScript does not restrict the value of or relationships between these code units, so operations that further interpret String contents as sequences of Unicode code points encoded in UTF-16 must account for ill-formed subsequences. Such operations apply special treatment to every code unit with a numeric value in the inclusive range 0xD800 to 0xDBFF (defined by the Unicode Standard as a *leading surrogate*, or more formally as a *high-surrogate code unit*) and every code unit with a numeric value in the inclusive range 0xDC00 to 0xDFFF (defined as a *trailing surrogate*, or more formally as a *low-surrogate code unit*) using the following rules:

- A code unit that is not a leading surrogate and not a trailing surrogate is interpreted as a code point with the same value.
- A sequence of two code units, where the first code unit c1 is a leading surrogate and the second code unit c2 a trailing surrogate, is a *surrogate pair* and is interpreted as a code point with the value (c1 0xD800) × 0x400 + (c2 0xDC00) + 0x10000. (See 10.1.3)

• A code unit that is a leading surrogate or trailing surrogate, but is not part of a surrogate pair, is interpreted as a code point with the same value.

The function **String.prototype.normalize** (see 21.1.3.13) can be used to explicitly normalize a String value. **String.prototype.localeCompare** (see 21.1.3.10) internally normalizes String values, but no other operations implicitly normalize the strings upon which they operate. Only operations that are explicitly specified to be language or locale sensitive produce language-sensitive results.

NOTE

The rationale behind this design was to keep the implementation of Strings as simple and high-performing as possible. If ECMAScript source text is in Normalized Form C, string literals are guaranteed to also be normalized, as long as they do not contain any Unicode escape sequences.

In this specification, the phrase "the *string-concatenation* of *A*, *B*, ..." (where each argument is a String value, a code unit, or a sequence of code units) denotes the String value whose sequence of code units is the concatenation of the code units (in order) of each of the arguments (in order).

### 6.1.5 The Symbol Type

The Symbol type is the set of all non-String values that may be used as the key of an Object property (6.1.7).

Each possible Symbol value is unique and immutable.

Each Symbol value immutably holds an associated value called [[Description]] that is either **undefined** or a String value.

#### 6.1.5.1 Well-Known Symbols

Well-known symbols are built-in Symbol values that are explicitly referenced by algorithms of this specification. They are typically used as the keys of properties whose values serve as extension points of a specification algorithm. Unless otherwise specified, well-known symbols values are shared by all realms (8.2).

Within this specification a well-known symbol is referred to by using a notation of the form @@name, where "name" is one of the values listed in Table 1.

**Specification Name** [[Description]] Value and Purpose @@asyncIterator "Symbol.asyncIterator" A method that returns the default AsyncIterator for an object. Called by the semantics of the **for-await-of** statement. @@hasInstance "Symbol.hasInstance" A method that determines if a constructor object recognizes an object as one of the constructor's instances. Called by the semantics of the **instanceof** operator. @@isConcatSpreadable "Symbol.isConcatSpreadable" A Boolean valued property that if true indicates that an object should be flattened to its array elements by Array.prototype.concat. @@iterator A method that returns the default Iterator for an object. "Symbol.iterator"

Table 1: Well-known Symbols

		Called by the semantics of the for-of statement.	
@@match	"Symbol.match"	A regular expression method that matches the regular expression against a string. Called by the <b>String.prototype.match</b> method.	
@@matchAll	"Symbol.matchAll"	A regular expression method that returns an iterator, that yields matches of the regular expression against a string. Called by the <b>String.prototype.matchAll</b> method.	
@@replace	"Symbol.replace"	A regular expression method that replaces matched substrings of a string. Called by the <b>String.prototype.replace</b> method.	
@@search	"Symbol.search"	A regular expression method that returns the index within a string that matches the regular expression.  Called by the <b>String.prototype.search</b> method.	
@@species	"Symbol.species"	A function valued property that is the constructor function that is used to create derived objects.	
@@split	"Symbol.split"	A regular expression method that splits a string at the indices that match the regular expression. Called by the <b>String.prototype.split</b> method.	
@@toPrimitive	"Symbol.toPrimitive"	A method that converts an object to a corresponding primitive value. Called by the ToPrimitive abstract operation.	
@@toStringTag	"Symbol.toStringTag"	A String valued property that is used in the creation of the default string description of an object. Accessed by the built-in method  Object.prototype.toString.	
@@unscopables	"Symbol.unscopables"	An object valued property whose own and inherited property names are property names that are excluded from the <b>with</b> environment bindings of the associated object.	

## 6.1.6 Numeric Types

ECMAScript has two built-in numeric types: Number and BigInt. In this specification, every numeric type T contains a multiplicative identity value denoted T::unit. The specification types also have the following abstract operations, likewise denoted T::op for a given operation with specification name op. All argument types are T. The "Result" column shows the return type, along with an indication if it is possible for some invocations of the operation to return an abrupt completion.

**Table 2: Numeric Type Operations** 

Invocation Synopsis	Example	Invoked by the Evaluation semantics of	Result

	source		
T::unaryMinus(x)	- <b>x</b>	Unary - Operator	T
T::bitwiseNOT(x)	~X	Bitwise NOT Operator (~)	T
T::exponentiate(x, y)	x ** y	Exponentiation Operator and Math.pow ( base, exponent )	T, may throw RangeError
T::multiply(x, y)	x * y	Multiplicative Operators	T
T::divide(x, y)	x / y	Multiplicative Operators	T, may throw RangeError
T::remainder(x, y)	х % у	Multiplicative Operators	T, may throw RangeError
T::add(x, y)	x ++ ++ x x + y	Postfix Increment Operator, Prefix Increment Operator, and The Addition Operator (+)	T
T::subtract(x, y)	x x x - y	Postfix Decrement Operator, Prefix Decrement Operator, and The Subtraction Operator ( - )	T
T::leftShift(x, y)	x << y	The Left Shift Operator ( << )	T
T::signedRightShift(x, y)	x >> y	The Signed Right Shift Operator (>>)	T
T::unsignedRightShift(x, y)	x >>> y	The Unsigned Right Shift Operator ( >>> )	T, may throw <b>TypeError</b>
T::lessThan(x, y)	x < y x > y x <= y x >= y	Relational Operators, via Abstract Relational Comparison	Boolean or undefined (for unordered inputs)
T::equal(x, y)	x == y x != y x === y x !== y	Equality Operators, via Strict Equality Comparison	Boolean
T::sameValue(x, y)		Object internal methods, via SameValue ( $x$ , $y$ ), to test exact value equality	Boolean
T::sameValueZero(x, y)		Array, Map, and Set methods, via SameValueZero ( <i>x</i> , <i>y</i> ), to test value equality ignoring differences among members of the zero cohort (e.g., <b>-0</b> and <b>+0</b> )	Boolean
T::bitwiseAND(x, y)	x & y	Binary Bitwise Operators	T
T::bitwiseXOR(x, y)	x ^ y	Binary Bitwise Operators	T
T::bitwiseOR(x, y)	хІу	Binary Bitwise Operators	T

T::toString(x)	String(x)	Many expressions and built-in functions, via ToString	String
		(argument)	

The *T*::unit value and *T*::*op* operations are not a part of the ECMAScript language; they are defined here solely to aid the specification of the semantics of the ECMAScript language. Other abstract operations are defined throughout this specification.

Because the numeric types are in general not convertible without loss of precision or truncation, the ECMAScript language provides no implicit conversion among these types. Programmers must explicitly call **Number** and **BigInt** functions to convert among types when calling a function which requires another type.

**NOTE** 

The first and subsequent editions of ECMAScript have provided, for certain operators, implicit numeric conversions that could lose precision or truncate. These legacy implicit conversions are maintained for backward compatibility, but not provided for BigInt in order to minimize opportunity for programmer error, and to leave open the option of generalized *value types* in a future edition.

#### 6.1.6.1 The Number Type

The Number type has exactly  $18437736874454810627_{\mathbb{R}}$  (that is,  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{64_{\mathbb{R}}}$  -  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{53_{\mathbb{R}}}$  +  $3_{\mathbb{R}}$ ) values, representing the double-precision 64-bit format IEEE 754-2019 values as specified in the IEEE Standard for Binary Floating-Point Arithmetic, except that the  $9007199254740990_{\mathbb{R}}$  (that is,  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{53_{\mathbb{R}}}$  -  $2_{\mathbb{R}}$ ) distinct "Not-a-Number" values of the IEEE Standard are represented in ECMAScript as a single special NaN value. (Note that the NaN value is produced by the program expression NaN.) In some implementations, external code might be able to detect a difference between various Not-a-Number values, but such behaviour is implementation-dependent; to ECMAScript code, all NaN values are indistinguishable from each other.

NOTE

The bit pattern that might be observed in an ArrayBuffer (see 24.1) or a SharedArrayBuffer (see 24.2) after a Number value has been stored into it is not necessarily the same as the internal representation of that Number value used by the ECMAScript implementation.

There are two other special values, called **positive Infinity** and **negative Infinity**. For brevity, these values are also referred to for expository purposes by the symbols  $+\infty$  and  $-\infty$ , respectively. (Note that these two infinite Number values are produced by the program expressions **+Infinity** (or simply **Infinity**) and **-Infinity**.)

The other  $18437736874454810624_{\mathbb{R}}$  (that is,  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{64_{\mathbb{R}}}$  -  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{53_{\mathbb{R}}}$ ) values are called the finite numbers. Half of these are positive numbers and half are negative numbers; for every finite positive Number value there is a corresponding negative value having the same magnitude.

Note that there is both a **positive zero** and a **negative zero**. For brevity, these values are also referred to for expository purposes by the symbols **+0** and **-0**, respectively. (Note that these two different zero Number values are produced by the program expressions **+0** (or simply **0**) and **-0**.)

The  $18437736874454810622_{\mathbb{R}}$  (that is,  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{64_{\mathbb{R}}}$  -  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{53_{\mathbb{R}}}$  -  $2_{\mathbb{R}}$ ) finite nonzero values are of two kinds:

 $18428729675200069632_{\mathbb{R}}$  (that is,  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{64_{\mathbb{R}}}$  -  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{54_{\mathbb{R}}}$ ) of them are normalized, having the form

$$s \times m \times 2^e$$

where s is  $+1_{\mathbb{R}}$  or  $-1_{\mathbb{R}}$ , m is a positive mathematical integer less than  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{53_{\mathbb{R}}}$  but not less than  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{52_{\mathbb{R}}}$ , and e is a mathematical integer ranging from  $-1074_{\mathbb{R}}$  to  $971_{\mathbb{R}}$ , inclusive.

The remaining  $9007199254740990_{\mathbb{R}}$  (that is,  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{53}$  -  $2_{\mathbb{R}}$ ) values are denormalized, having the form

$$s \times m \times 2^e$$

where s is  $+1_{\mathbb{R}}$  or  $-1_{\mathbb{R}}$ , m is a positive mathematical integer less than  $2_{\mathbb{R}}^{52_{\mathbb{R}}}$ , and e is  $-1074_{\mathbb{R}}$ .

Note that all the positive and negative mathematical integers whose magnitude is no greater than  $2^{53}$  are representable in the Number type (indeed, the mathematical integer 0 has two representations, +0 and -0).

A finite number has an *odd significand* if it is nonzero and the mathematical integer *m* used to express it (in one of the two forms shown above) is odd. Otherwise, it has an *even significand*.

In this specification, the phrase "the *Number value* for x" where x represents an exact real mathematical quantity (which might even be an irrational number such as  $\pi$ ) means a Number value chosen in the following manner. Consider the set of all finite values of the Number type, with **-0** removed and with two additional values added to it that are not representable in the Number type, namely  $2_R^{1024_R}$  (which is  $+1_R \times 2_R^{53_R} \times 2_R^{971_R}$ ) and  $-2_R^{1024_R}$  (which is  $-1_R \times 2_R^{53_R} \times 2_R^{971_R}$ ). Choose the member of this set that is closest in value to x. If two values of the set are equally close, then the one with an even significand is chosen; for this purpose, the two extra values  $2_R^{1024_R}$  and  $-2_R^{1024_R}$  are considered to have even significands. Finally, if  $2_R^{1024_R}$  was chosen, replace it with  $+\infty$ ; if  $-2_R^{1024_R}$  was chosen, replace it with  $-\infty$ ; if +0 was chosen, replace it with -0 if and only if x is less than zero; any other chosen value is used unchanged. The result is the Number value for x. (This procedure corresponds exactly to the behaviour of the IEEE 754-2019 roundTiesToEven mode.)

Some ECMAScript operators deal only with integers in specific ranges such as  $-2^{31}$  through  $2^{31}$  - 1, inclusive, or in the range 0 through  $2^{16}$  - 1, inclusive. These operators accept any value of the Number type but first convert each such value to an integer value in the expected range. See the descriptions of the numeric conversion operations in 7.1.

The Number::unit value is 1.

#### **6.1.6.1.1** Number::unaryMinus ( *x* )

- 1. If *x* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 2. Return the result of negating *x*; that is, compute a Number with the same magnitude but opposite sign.

#### 6.1.6.1.2 Number::bitwiseNOT (x)

- 1. Let oldValue be ! ToInt32(x).
- 2. Return the result of applying bitwise complement to *oldValue*. The result is a signed 32-bit integer.

#### 6.1.6.1.3 Number::exponentiate (base, exponent)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation of the result of raising base to the power exponent.

- If *exponent* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If exponent is +0, the result is 1, even if base is **NaN**.
- If *exponent* is **-0**, the result is 1, even if *base* is **NaN**.
- If base is NaN and exponent is nonzero, the result is NaN.
- If abs(base) > 1 and exponent is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If abs(base) > 1 and exponent is  $-\infty$ , the result is +0.
- If abs(base) is 1 and exponent is  $+\infty$ , the result is **NaN**.
- If abs(base) is 1 and exponent is -∞, the result is NaN.
- If abs(base) < 1 and exponent is  $+\infty$ , the result is +0.
- If abs(base) < 1 and exponent is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If base is  $+\infty$  and exponent > 0, the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If base is  $+\infty$  and exponent < 0, the result is +0.
- If base is  $-\infty$  and exponent > 0 and exponent is an odd integer, the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If base is  $-\infty$  and exponent > 0 and exponent is not an odd integer, the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If base is  $-\infty$  and exponent < 0 and exponent is an odd integer, the result is -0.
- If base is  $-\infty$  and exponent < 0 and exponent is not an odd integer, the result is +0.
- If base is +0 and exponent > 0, the result is +0.
- If base is +0 and exponent < 0, the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If base is -0 and exponent > 0 and exponent is an odd integer, the result is -0.
- If base is **-0** and exponent > 0 and exponent is not an odd integer, the result is **+0**.
- If base is **-0** and exponent < 0 and exponent is an odd integer, the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If base is -0 and exponent < 0 and exponent is not an odd integer, the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If base < 0 and base is finite and exponent is finite and exponent is not an integer, the result is **NaN**.

**NOTE** 

The result of *base* \*\* *exponent* when *base* is **1** or **-1** and *exponent* is **+Infinity** or **-Infinity** differs from IEEE 754-2019. The first edition of ECMAScript specified a result of **NaN** for this operation, whereas later versions of IEEE 754-2019 specified **1**. The historical ECMAScript behaviour is preserved for compatibility reasons.

#### 6.1.6.1.4 Number::multiply (x, y)

The \* *MultiplicativeOperator* performs multiplication, producing the product of *x* and *y*. Multiplication is commutative. Multiplication is not always associative in ECMAScript, because of finite precision.

The result of a floating-point multiplication is governed by the rules of IEEE 754-2019 binary double-precision arithmetic:

- If either operand is NaN, the result is NaN.
- The sign of the result is positive if both operands have the same sign, negative if the operands have different signs.
- Multiplication of an infinity by a zero results in NaN.
- Multiplication of an infinity by an infinity results in an infinity. The sign is determined by the rule already stated above.
- Multiplication of an infinity by a finite nonzero value results in a signed infinity. The sign is determined by the rule already stated above.
- In the remaining cases, where neither an infinity nor NaN is involved, the product is computed and rounded to
  the nearest representable value using IEEE 754-2019 roundTiesToEven mode. If the magnitude is too large to
  represent, the result is then an infinity of appropriate sign. If the magnitude is too small to represent, the result

is then a zero of appropriate sign. The ECMAScript language requires support of gradual underflow as defined by IEEE 754-2019.

#### 6.1.6.1.5 Number::divide (x, y)

The  $\slash$  MultiplicativeOperator performs division, producing the quotient of x and y. x is the dividend and y is the divisor. ECMAScript does not perform integer division. The operands and result of all division operations are double-precision floating-point numbers. The result of division is determined by the specification of IEEE 754-2019 arithmetic:

- If either operand is NaN, the result is NaN.
- The sign of the result is positive if both operands have the same sign, negative if the operands have different signs.
- Division of an infinity by an infinity results in NaN.
- Division of an infinity by a zero results in an infinity. The sign is determined by the rule already stated above.
- Division of an infinity by a nonzero finite value results in a signed infinity. The sign is determined by the rule already stated above.
- Division of a finite value by an infinity results in zero. The sign is determined by the rule already stated above.
- Division of a zero by a zero results in **NaN**; division of zero by any other finite value results in zero, with the sign determined by the rule already stated above.
- Division of a nonzero finite value by a zero results in a signed infinity. The sign is determined by the rule already stated above.
- In the remaining cases, where neither an infinity, nor a zero, nor **NaN** is involved, the quotient is computed and rounded to the nearest representable value using IEEE 754-2019 roundTiesToEven mode. If the magnitude is too large to represent, the operation overflows; the result is then an infinity of appropriate sign. If the magnitude is too small to represent, the operation underflows and the result is a zero of the appropriate sign. The ECMAScript language requires support of gradual underflow as defined by IEEE 754-2019.

#### 6.1.6.1.6 Number::remainder ( *n*, *d* )

The **%** *MultiplicativeOperator* yields the remainder of its operands from an implied division; n is the dividend and d is the divisor.

**NOTE** 

In C and C++, the remainder operator accepts only integral operands; in ECMAScript, it also accepts floating-point operands.

The result of a floating-point remainder operation as computed by the **%** operator is not the same as the "remainder" operation defined by IEEE 754-2019. The IEEE 754-2019 "remainder" operation computes the remainder from a rounding division, not a truncating division, and so its behaviour is not analogous to that of the usual integer remainder operator. Instead the ECMAScript language defines **%** on floating-point operations to behave in a manner analogous to that of the Java integer remainder operator; this may be compared with the C library function fmod.

The result of an ECMAScript floating-point remainder operation is determined by the rules of IEEE arithmetic:

- If either operand is NaN, the result is NaN.
- The sign of the result equals the sign of the dividend.
- If the dividend is an infinity, or the divisor is a zero, or both, the result is NaN.
- If the dividend is finite and the divisor is an infinity, the result equals the dividend.
- If the dividend is a zero and the divisor is nonzero and finite, the result is the same as the dividend.
- In the remaining cases, where neither an infinity, nor a zero, nor NaN is involved, the floating-point remainder

r from a dividend n and a divisor d is defined by the mathematical relation  $r = n - (d \times q)$  where q is an integer that is negative only if n/d is negative and positive only if n/d is positive, and whose magnitude is as large as possible without exceeding the magnitude of the true mathematical quotient of n and d. r is computed and rounded to the nearest representable value using IEEE 754-2019 roundTiesToEven mode.

#### 6.1.6.1.7 Number::add (x, y)

The + operator performs addition when applied to x and y, producing the sum of the operands.

Addition is a commutative operation, but not always associative.

The result of an addition is determined using the rules of IEEE 754-2019 binary double-precision arithmetic:

- If either operand is NaN, the result is NaN.
- The sum of two infinities of opposite sign is NaN.
- The sum of two infinities of the same sign is the infinity of that sign.
- The sum of an infinity and a finite value is equal to the infinite operand.
- The sum of two negative zeroes is -0. The sum of two positive zeroes, or of two zeroes of opposite sign, is +0.
- The sum of a zero and a nonzero finite value is equal to the nonzero operand.
- The sum of two nonzero finite values of the same magnitude and opposite sign is +0.
- In the remaining cases, where neither an infinity, nor a zero, nor NaN is involved, and the operands have the same sign or have different magnitudes, the sum is computed and rounded to the nearest representable value using IEEE 754-2019 roundTiesToEven mode. If the magnitude is too large to represent, the operation overflows and the result is then an infinity of appropriate sign. The ECMAScript language requires support of gradual underflow as defined by IEEE 754-2019.

#### 6.1.6.1.8 Number::subtract (x, y)

The – operator performs subtraction when applied to two operands of numeric type, producing the difference of its operands; x is the minuend and y is the subtrahend. It is always the case that  $\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}$  produces the same result as  $\mathbf{x} + (-\mathbf{y})$ .

The result of – operator is then x + (-y).

#### 6.1.6.1.9 Number::leftShift (x, y)

- 1. Let lnum be! ToInt32(x).
- 2. Let rnum be! ToUint32(y).
- 3. Let *shiftCount* be the result of masking out all but the least significant 5 bits of *rnum*, that is, compute *rnum* & 0x1F.
- 4. Return the result of left shifting *lnum* by *shiftCount* bits. The result is a signed 32-bit integer.

#### 6.1.6.1.10 Number::signedRightShift (x, y)

- 1. Let lnum be ! ToInt32(x).
- 2. Let rnum be! ToUint32(y).
- 3. Let *shiftCount* be the result of masking out all but the least significant 5 bits of *rnum*, that is, compute *rnum* & 0x1F.
- 4. Return the result of performing a sign-extending right shift of *lnum* by *shiftCount* bits. The most significant bit is propagated. The result is a signed 32-bit integer.

#### 6.1.6.1.11 Number::unsignedRightShift (x, y)

- 1. Let lnum be ! ToUint32(x).
- 2. Let *rnum* be ! ToUint32(*y*).
- 3. Let *shiftCount* be the result of masking out all but the least significant 5 bits of *rnum*, that is, compute *rnum* & 0x1F.
- 4. Return the result of performing a zero-filling right shift of *lnum* by *shiftCount* bits. Vacated bits are filled with zero. The result is an unsigned 32-bit integer.

#### 6.1.6.1.12 Number::lessThan (x, y)

- 1. If *x* is **NaN**, return **undefined**.
- 2. If *y* is **NaN**, return **undefined**.
- 3. If *x* and *y* are the same Number value, return **false**.
- 4. If *x* is **+0** and *y* is **-0**, return **false**.
- 5. If x is **-0** and y is **+0**, return **false**.
- 6. If *x* is  $+\infty$ , return **false**.
- 7. If y is  $+\infty$ , return **true**.
- 8. If y is  $-\infty$ , return **false**.
- 9. If x is  $-\infty$ , return **true**.
- 10. If the mathematical value of *x* is less than the mathematical value of *y*—note that these mathematical values are both finite and not both zero—return **true**. Otherwise, return **false**.

#### 6.1.6.1.13 Number::equal (x, y)

- 1. If *x* is **NaN**, return **false**.
- 2. If *y* is **NaN**, return **false**.
- 3. If *x* is the same Number value as *y*, return **true**.
- 4. If x is +0 and y is -0, return true.
- 5. If x is **-0** and y is **+0**, return **true**.
- 6. Return **false**.

#### 6.1.6.1.14 Number::sameValue ( *x*, *y* )

- 1. If *x* is **NaN** and *y* is **NaN**, return **true**.
- 2. If x is +0 and y is -0, return false.
- 3. If x is **-0** and y is **+0**, return **false**.
- 4. If *x* is the same Number value as *y*, return **true**.
- 5. Return false.

#### 6.1.6.1.15 Number::sameValueZero (x, y)

- 1. If x is NaN and y is NaN, return true.
- 2. If x is +0 and y is -0, return true.
- 3. If x is **-0** and y is **+0**, return **true**.
- 4. If *x* is the same Number value as *y*, return **true**.
- 5. Return false.

#### 6.1.6.1.16 NumberBitwiseOp (op, x, y)

- 1. Let lnum be! ToInt32(x).
- 2. Let *rnum* be ! ToInt32(*y*).
- 3. Return the result of applying the bitwise operator *op* to *lnum* and *rnum*. The result is a signed 32-bit integer.

#### 6.1.6.1.17 Number::bitwiseAND (x, y)

1. Return NumberBitwiseOp( $\mathbf{\&}$ , x, y).

#### 6.1.6.1.18 Number::bitwiseXOR (x, y)

1. Return NumberBitwiseOp( $^{\land}$ , x, y).

#### 6.1.6.1.19 Number::bitwiseOR (x, y)

1. Return NumberBitwiseOp( $\mathbf{I}$ , x, y).

#### 6.1.6.1.20 Number::toString (x)

The abstract operation Number::toString converts a Number x to String format as follows:

- 1. If *x* is **NaN**, return the String "**NaN**".
- 2. If *x* is **+0** or **-0**, return the String **''0''**.
- 3. If x is less than zero, return the string-concatenation of "-" and ! Number::toString(-x).
- 4. If *x* is +∞, return the String "**Infinity**".
- 5. Otherwise, let n, k, and s be integers such that  $k \ge 1$ ,  $10^{k-1} \le s < 10^k$ , the Number value for  $\mathbb{R}(s) \times 10_\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{R}(n) \mathbb{R}(k)}$  is x, and k is as small as possible. Note that k is the number of digits in the decimal representation of s, that s is not divisible by  $10_\mathbb{R}$ , and that the least significant digit of s is not necessarily uniquely determined by these criteria.
- 6. If  $k \le n \le 21$ , return the string-concatenation of:
  - the code units of the *k* digits of the decimal representation of *s* (in order, with no leading zeroes)
  - *n k* occurrences of the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO)
- 7. If  $0 < n \le 21$ , return the string-concatenation of:
  - the code units of the most significant *n* digits of the decimal representation of *s*
  - the code unit 0x002E (FULL STOP)
  - the code units of the remaining k n digits of the decimal representation of s
- 8. If  $-6 < n \le 0$ , return the string-concatenation of:
  - the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO)
  - the code unit 0x002E (FULL STOP)
  - -n occurrences of the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO)
  - the code units of the *k* digits of the decimal representation of *s*
- 9. Otherwise, if k = 1, return the string-concatenation of:
  - the code unit of the single digit of s
  - the code unit 0x0065 (LATIN SMALL LETTER E)
  - the code unit 0x002B (PLUS SIGN) or the code unit 0x002D (HYPHEN-MINUS) according to whether n 1 is positive or negative
  - the code units of the decimal representation of the integer abs(n-1) (with no leading zeroes)
- 10. Return the string-concatenation of:
  - the code units of the most significant digit of the decimal representation of s
  - the code unit 0x002E (FULL STOP)
  - the code units of the remaining k 1 digits of the decimal representation of s

- the code unit 0x0065 (LATIN SMALL LETTER E)
- the code unit 0x002B (PLUS SIGN) or the code unit 0x002D (HYPHEN-MINUS) according to whether n 1 is positive or negative
- the code units of the decimal representation of the integer abs(n-1) (with no leading zeroes)

# NOTE 1 The following observations may be useful as guidelines for implementations, but are not part of the normative requirements of this Standard:

- If x is any Number value other than -0, then ToNumber(ToString(x)) is exactly the same Number value as x.
- The least significant digit of s is not always uniquely determined by the requirements listed in step 5.

# NOTE 2 For implementations that provide more accurate conversions than required by the rules above, it is recommended that the following alternative version of step 5 be used as a guideline:

5. Otherwise, let n, k, and s be integers such that  $k \ge 1$ ,  $10^{k-1} \le s < 10^k$ , the Number value for  $\mathbb{R}(s) \times 10_\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{R}(n) - \mathbb{R}(k)}$  is x, and k is as small as possible. If there are multiple possibilities for s, choose the value of s for which  $\mathbb{R}(s) \times 10_\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{R}(n) - \mathbb{R}(k)}$  is closest in value to  $\mathbb{R}(x)$ . If there are two such possible values of s, choose the one that is even. Note that k is the number of digits in the decimal representation of s and that s is not divisible by  $10_\mathbb{R}$ .

# NOTE 3 Implementers of ECMAScript may find useful the paper and code written by David M. Gay for binary-to-decimal conversion of floating-point numbers:

Gay, David M. Correctly Rounded Binary-Decimal and Decimal-Binary Conversions. Numerical Analysis, Manuscript 90-10. AT&T Bell Laboratories (Murray Hill, New Jersey). November 30, 1990. Available as

http://ampl.com/REFS/abstracts.html#rounding. Associated code available as http://netlib.sandia.gov/fp/dtoa.c and as

http://netlib.sandia.gov/fp/g\_fmt.c and may also be found at the various **netlib** mirror sites.

#### 6.1.6.2 The BigInt Type

The BigInt type represents a mathematical integer value. The value may be any size and is not limited to a particular bit-width. Generally, where not otherwise noted, operations are designed to return exact mathematically-based answers. For binary operations, BigInts act as two's complement binary strings, with negative numbers treated as having bits set infinitely to the left.

The BigInt::unit value is **1n**.

#### 6.1.6.2.1 **BigInt::unaryMinus** (*x*)

- 1. If *x* is **0n**, return **0n**.
- 2. Return the BigInt value that represents the mathematical value of negating x.

#### 6.1.6.2.2 BigInt::bitwiseNOT (x)

The abstract operation BigInt::bitwiseNOT with an argument x of type BigInt returns the one's complement of x; that is, -x - 1.

#### 6.1.6.2.3 BigInt::exponentiate (base, exponent)

- 1. If *exponent* < **0n**, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 2. If base is **0n** and exponent is **0n**, return **1n**.
- 3. Return the BigInt value that represents the mathematical value of base raised to the power exponent.

#### 6.1.6.2.4 BigInt::multiply (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::multiply with two arguments x and y of type BigInt returns the BigInt value that represents the result of multiplying x and y.

**NOTE** 

Even if the result has a much larger bit width than the input, the exact mathematical answer is given.

#### 6.1.6.2.5 **BigInt::divide** ( *x*, *y* )

- 1. If y is **0n**, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 2. Let *quotient* be the mathematical value of *x* divided by *y*.
- 3. Return the BigInt value that represents *quotient* rounded towards 0 to the next integral value.

#### 6.1.6.2.6 BigInt::remainder ( *n*, *d* )

- 1. If *d* is **0n**, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 2. If *n* is **0n**, return **0n**.
- 3. Let r be the BigInt defined by the mathematical relation  $r = n (d \times q)$  where q is a BigInt that is negative only if n/d is negative and positive only if n/d is positive, and whose magnitude is as large as possible without exceeding the magnitude of the true mathematical quotient of n and d.
- 4. Return *r*.

**NOTE** 

The sign of the result equals the sign of the dividend.

#### 6.1.6.2.7 BigInt::add (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::add with two arguments x and y of type BigInt returns the BigInt value that represents the sum of x and y.

#### 6.1.6.2.8 BigInt::subtract (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::subtract with two arguments x and y of type BigInt returns the BigInt value that represents the difference x minus y.

#### 6.1.6.2.9 BigInt::leftShift (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::leftShift with two arguments *x* and *y* of type BigInt performs the following steps:

- 1. If  $y < \mathbf{0n}$ , then
  - a. Return the BigInt value that represents  $x \div 2^{-y}$ , rounding down to the nearest integer, including for negative numbers.
- 2. Return the BigInt value that represents  $x \times 2^{y}$ .

**NOTE** 

Semantics here should be equivalent to a bitwise shift, treating the BigInt as an infinite length string of binary two's complement digits.

#### 6.1.6.2.10 BigInt::signedRightShift (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::signedRightShift with arguments x and y of type BigInt performs the following steps:

1. Return BigInt::leftShift(*x*, -*y*).

#### 6.1.6.2.11 BigInt::unsignedRightShift (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::unsignedRightShift with two arguments x and y of type BigInt performs the following steps:

1. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

#### 6.1.6.2.12 BigInt::lessThan (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::lessThan with two arguments x and y of type BigInt returns **true** if x is less than y and **false** otherwise.

#### 6.1.6.2.13 BigInt::equal (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::equal with two arguments x and y of type BigInt returns **true** if x and y have the same mathematical integer value and **false** otherwise.

#### 6.1.6.2.14 BigInt::sameValue (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::sameValue with two arguments x and y of type BigInt performs the following steps:

1. Return BigInt::equal(x, y).

#### 6.1.6.2.15 BigInt::sameValueZero (x, y)

The abstract operation BigInt::sameValueZero with two arguments x and y of type BigInt performs the following steps:

1. Return BigInt::equal(x, y).

#### 6.1.6.2.16 BinaryAnd (x, y)

- 1. Assert: *x* is 0 or 1.
- 2. Assert: *y* is 0 or 1.
- 3. If *x* is 1 and *y* is 1, return 1.
- 4. Else, return 0.

# 6.1.6.2.17 BinaryOr (x, y)1. Assert: *x* is 0 or 1. 2. Assert: *y* is 0 or 1. 3. If x is 1 or y is 1, return 1. 4. Else, return 0. 6.1.6.2.18 BinaryXor (x, y)1. Assert: *x* is 0 or 1. 2. Assert: *y* is 0 or 1. 3. If x is 1 and y is 0, return 1. 4. Else if x is 0 and y is 1, return 1. 5. Else, return 0. 6.1.6.2.19 BigIntBitwiseOp (op, x, y) 1. Assert: *op* is "&", "|", or "^". 2. Let result be 0n. 3. Let *shift* be 0. 4. Repeat, until (x = 0 or x = -1) and (y = 0 or y = -1), a. Let xDigit be x modulo 2. b. Let *yDigit* be *y* modulo 2. c. If op is "&", set result to result + $2^{shift} \times BinaryAnd(xDigit, yDigit)$ . d. Else if op is "I", set result to result + $2^{shift}$ × BinaryOr(xDigit, yDigit). e. Else, i. Assert: op is "^". ii. Set result to result + $2^{shift}$ × BinaryXor(xDigit, yDigit). f. Set shift to shift + 1. g. Set x to (x - xDigit) / 2. h. Set y to (y - yDigit) / 2. 5. If *op* is **"%"**, let *tmp* be BinaryAnd(*x* modulo 2, *y* modulo 2). 6. Else if *op* is "I", let *tmp* be BinaryOr(*x* modulo 2, *y* modulo 2). 7. Else, a. Assert: op is "^". b. Let *tmp* be BinaryXor(*x* modulo 2, *y* modulo 2). 8. If $tmp \neq 0$ , then a. Set result to result - 2<sup>shift</sup>. b. NOTE: This extends the sign. 9. Return result. 6.1.6.2.20 BigInt::bitwiseAND (x, y) 1. Return BigIntBitwiseOp("&", *x*, *y*).

# 6.1.6.2.21 BigInt::bitwiseXOR ( *x*, *y* )

1. Return BigIntBitwiseOp(" $^{"}$ ", x, y).

#### 6.1.6.2.22 BigInt::bitwiseOR (x, y)

1. Return BigIntBitwiseOp(""", x, y).

#### 6.1.6.2.23 BigInt::toString (x)

The abstract operation BigInt::toString converts a BigInt *x* to String format as follows:

- 1. If x is less than zero, return the string-concatenation of the String "-" and ! BigInt::toString(-x).
- 2. Return the String value consisting of the code units of the digits of the decimal representation of x.

#### 6.1.7 The Object Type

An Object is logically a collection of properties. Each property is either a data property, or an accessor property:

- A data property associates a key value with an ECMAScript language value and a set of Boolean attributes.
- An accessor property associates a key value with one or two accessor functions, and a set of Boolean attributes.
   The accessor functions are used to store or retrieve an ECMAScript language value that is associated with the property.

Properties are identified using key values. A property key value is either an ECMAScript String value or a Symbol value. All String and Symbol values, including the empty String, are valid as property keys. A *property name* is a property key that is a String value.

An *integer index* is a String-valued property key that is a canonical numeric String (see 7.1.21) and whose numeric value is either +0 or a positive integer  $\leq 2^{53}$  - 1. An *array index* is an integer index whose numeric value i is in the range  $+0 < i < 2^{32}$  - 1.

Property keys are used to access properties and their values. There are two kinds of access for properties: *get* and *set*, corresponding to value retrieval and assignment, respectively. The properties accessible via get and set access includes both *own properties* that are a direct part of an object and *inherited properties* which are provided by another associated object via a property inheritance relationship. Inherited properties may be either own or inherited properties of the associated object. Each own property of an object must each have a key value that is distinct from the key values of the other own properties of that object.

All objects are logically collections of properties, but there are multiple forms of objects that differ in their semantics for accessing and manipulating their properties. Please see 6.1.7.2 for definitions of the multiple forms of objects.

#### **6.1.7.1 Property Attributes**

Attributes are used in this specification to define and explain the state of Object properties. A data property associates a key value with the attributes listed in Table 3.

**Table 3: Attributes of a Data Property** 

Attribute Name	Value Domain	Description
[[Value]]	Any ECMAScript language type	The value retrieved by a get access of the property.
[[Writable]]	Boolean	If <b>false</b> , attempts by ECMAScript code to change the property's [[Value]] attribute using [[Set]] will not succeed.
[[Enumerable]]	Boolean	If <b>true</b> , the property will be enumerated by a for-in enumeration (see 13.7.5). Otherwise, the property is said to be non-enumerable.
[[Configurable]]	Boolean	If <b>false</b> , attempts to delete the property, change the property to be an accessor property, or change its attributes (other than [[Value]], or changing [[Writable]] to <b>false</b> ) will fail.

An accessor property associates a key value with the attributes listed in Table 4.

**Table 4: Attributes of an Accessor Property** 

Attribute Name	Value Domain	Description
[[Get]]	Object   Undefined	If the value is an Object it must be a function object. The function's [[Call]] internal method (Table 7) is called with an empty arguments list to retrieve the property value each time a get access of the property is performed.
[[Set]]	Object   Undefined	If the value is an Object it must be a function object. The function's [[Call]] internal method (Table 7) is called with an arguments list containing the assigned value as its sole argument each time a set access of the property is performed. The effect of a property's [[Set]] internal method may, but is not required to, have an effect on the value returned by subsequent calls to the property's [[Get]] internal method.
[[Enumerable]]	Boolean	If <b>true</b> , the property is to be enumerated by a for-in enumeration (see 13.7.5). Otherwise, the property is said to be non-enumerable.
[[Configurable]]	Boolean	If <b>false</b> , attempts to delete the property, change the property to be a <b>data</b> property, or change its attributes will fail.

If the initial values of a property's attributes are not explicitly specified by this specification, the default value defined in Table 5 is used.

**Table 5: Default Attribute Values** 

Attribute Name	Default Value
[[Value]]	undefined
[[Get]]	undefined
[[Set]]	undefined
[[Writable]]	false
[[Enumerable]]	false
[[Configurable]]	false

#### 6.1.7.2 Object Internal Methods and Internal Slots

The actual semantics of objects, in ECMAScript, are specified via algorithms called *internal methods*. Each object in an ECMAScript engine is associated with a set of internal methods that defines its runtime behaviour. These internal methods are not part of the ECMAScript language. They are defined by this specification purely for expository purposes. However, each object within an implementation of ECMAScript must behave as specified by the internal methods associated with it. The exact manner in which this is accomplished is determined by the implementation.

Internal method names are polymorphic. This means that different object values may perform different algorithms when a common internal method name is invoked upon them. That actual object upon which an internal method is invoked is the "target" of the invocation. If, at runtime, the implementation of an algorithm attempts to use an internal method of an object that the object does not support, a **TypeError** exception is thrown.

Internal slots correspond to internal state that is associated with objects and used by various ECMAScript specification algorithms. Internal slots are not object properties and they are not inherited. Depending upon the specific internal slot specification, such state may consist of values of any ECMAScript language type or of specific ECMAScript specification type values. Unless explicitly specified otherwise, internal slots are allocated as part of the process of creating an object and may not be dynamically added to an object. Unless specified otherwise, the initial value of an internal slot is the value **undefined**. Various algorithms within this specification create objects that have internal slots. However, the ECMAScript language provides no direct way to associate internal slots with an object.

Internal methods and internal slots are identified within this specification using names enclosed in double square brackets [[ ]].

Table 6 summarizes the *essential internal methods* used by this specification that are applicable to all objects created or manipulated by ECMAScript code. Every object must have algorithms for all of the essential internal methods. However, all objects do not necessarily use the same algorithms for those methods.

An *ordinary object* is an object that satisfies all of the following criteria:

- For the internal methods listed in Table 6, the object use those defined in 9.1.
- If the object has a [[Call]] internal method, it uses the one defined in 9.2.1.
- If the object has a [[Construct]] internal method, it uses the one defined in 9.2.2.

An *exotic object* is an object that is not an ordinary object.

This specification recognizes different kinds of exotic objects by those objects' internal methods. An object that is behaviourally equivalent to a particular kind of exotic object (such as an Array exotic object or a bound function exotic object), but does not have the same collection of internal methods specified for that kind, is not recognized as that kind of exotic object.

The "Signature" column of Table 6 and other similar tables describes the invocation pattern for each internal method. The invocation pattern always includes a parenthesized list of descriptive parameter names. If a parameter name is the same as an ECMAScript type name then the name describes the required type of the parameter value. If an internal method explicitly returns a value, its parameter list is followed by the symbol "→" and the type name of the returned value. The type names used in signatures refer to the types defined in clause 6 augmented by the following additional names. "any" means the value may be any ECMAScript language type.

In addition to its parameters, an internal method always has access to the object that is the target of the method invocation.

An internal method implicitly returns a Completion Record, either a normal completion that wraps a value of the return type shown in its invocation pattern, or a throw completion.

**Table 6: Essential Internal Methods** 

Internal Method	Signature	Description
[[GetPrototypeOf]]	() → Object   Null	Determine the object that provides inherited properties for this object. A <b>null</b> value indicates that there are no inherited properties.
[[SetPrototypeOf]]	(Object∣Null) → Boolean	Associate this object with another object that provides inherited properties. Passing <b>null</b> indicates that there are no inherited properties. Returns <b>true</b> indicating that the operation was completed successfully or <b>false</b> indicating that the operation was not successful.
[[IsExtensible]]	() → Boolean	Determine whether it is permitted to add additional properties to this object.
[[PreventExtensions]]	() → Boolean	Control whether new properties may be added to this object. Returns <b>true</b> if the operation was successful or <b>false</b> if the operation was unsuccessful.
[[GetOwnProperty]]	(propertyKey) → Undefined   Property Descriptor	Return a Property Descriptor for the own property of this object whose key is <i>propertyKey</i> , or <b>undefined</b> if no such property exists.
[[DefineOwnProperty]]	(propertyKey, PropertyDescriptor) → Boolean	Create or alter the own property, whose key is <i>propertyKey</i> , to have the state described by <i>PropertyDescriptor</i> . Return <b>true</b> if that property was successfully created/updated or <b>false</b> if the property could not be created or updated.
[[HasProperty]]	(propertyKey) → Boolean	Return a Boolean value indicating whether this object already has either an own or inherited property whose key is <i>propertyKey</i> .
[[Get]]	(propertyKey, Receiver) → any	Return the value of the property whose key is <i>propertyKey</i> from this object. If any ECMAScript code must be executed to retrieve the property value, <i>Receiver</i> is used as the <b>this</b> value when evaluating the code.
[[Set]]	(propertyKey, value, Receiver) → Boolean	Set the value of the property whose key is <i>propertyKey</i> to <i>value</i> . If any ECMAScript code must be executed to set the property value, <i>Receiver</i> is used as the <b>this</b> value when evaluating the code. Returns <b>true</b> if the property value was set or <b>false</b> if it could not be set.
[[Delete]]	(propertyKey) → Boolean	Remove the own property whose key is <i>propertyKey</i> from this object. Return <b>false</b> if the property was not deleted and is still present. Return <b>true</b> if the property was deleted or is not present.
[[OwnPropertyKeys]]	() → List of propertyKey	Return a List whose elements are all of the own property keys for the object.

Table 7 summarizes additional essential internal methods that are supported by objects that may be called as functions. A *function object* is an object that supports the [[Call]] internal method. A *constructor* is an object that

supports the [[Construct]] internal method. Every object that supports [[Construct]] must support [[Call]]; that is, every constructor must be a function object. Therefore, a constructor may also be referred to as a *constructor function* or *constructor function object*.

**Table 7: Additional Essential Internal Methods of Function Objects** 

Internal Method	Signature	Description
[[Call]]	(any, a List of any) → any	Executes code associated with this object. Invoked via a function call expression. The arguments to the internal method are a <b>this</b> value and a list containing the arguments passed to the function by a call expression. Objects that implement this internal method are <i>callable</i> .
[[Construct]]	(a List of any, Object) → Object	Creates an object. Invoked via the <b>new</b> operator or a <b>super</b> call. The first argument to the internal method is a list containing the arguments of the constructor invocation or the <b>super</b> call. The second argument is the object to which the <b>new</b> operator was initially applied. Objects that implement this internal method are called <i>constructors</i> . A function object is not necessarily a constructor and such non-constructor function objects do not have a [[Construct]] internal method.

The semantics of the essential internal methods for ordinary objects and standard exotic objects are specified in clause 9. If any specified use of an internal method of an exotic object is not supported by an implementation, that usage must throw a **TypeError** exception when attempted.

#### 6.1.7.3 Invariants of the Essential Internal Methods

The Internal Methods of Objects of an ECMAScript engine must conform to the list of invariants specified below. Ordinary ECMAScript Objects as well as all standard exotic objects in this specification maintain these invariants. ECMAScript Proxy objects maintain these invariants by means of runtime checks on the result of traps invoked on the [[ProxyHandler]] object.

Any implementation provided exotic objects must also maintain these invariants for those objects. Violation of these invariants may cause ECMAScript code to have unpredictable behaviour and create security issues. However, violation of these invariants must never compromise the memory safety of an implementation.

An implementation must not allow these invariants to be circumvented in any manner such as by providing alternative interfaces that implement the functionality of the essential internal methods without enforcing their invariants.

#### **Definitions:**

- The *target* of an internal method is the object upon which the internal method is called.
- A target is *non-extensible* if it has been observed to return **false** from its [[IsExtensible]] internal method, or **true** from its [[PreventExtensions]] internal method.
- A non-existent property is a property that does not exist as an own property on a non-extensible target.
- All references to *SameValue* are according to the definition of the *SameValue* algorithm.

#### **Return value:**

The value returned by any internal method must be a Completion Record with either:

- [[Type]] = normal, [[Target]] = empty, and [[Value]] = a value of the "normal return type" shown below for that internal method, or
- [[Type]] = throw, [[Target]] = empty, and [[Value]] = any ECMAScript language value.

NOTE 1 An internal method must not return a completion with [[Type]] = continue, break, or return.

#### [[GetPrototypeOf]]()

- The normal return type is either Object or Null.
- If target is non-extensible, and [[GetPrototypeOf]] returns a value *V*, then any future calls to [[GetPrototypeOf]] should return the SameValue as *V*.

NOTE 2

An object's prototype chain should have finite length (that is, starting from any object, recursively applying the [[GetPrototypeOf]] internal method to its result should eventually lead to the value **null**). However, this requirement is not enforceable as an object level invariant if the prototype chain includes any exotic objects that do not use the ordinary object definition of [[GetPrototypeOf]]. Such a circular prototype chain may result in infinite loops when accessing object properties.

#### [[SetPrototypeOf]] (V)

- The normal return type is Boolean.
- If target is non-extensible, [[SetPrototypeOf]] must return **false**, unless *V* is the SameValue as the target's observed [[GetPrototypeOf]] value.

#### [[IsExtensible]]()

- The normal return type is Boolean.
- If [[IsExtensible]] returns **false**, all future calls to [[IsExtensible]] on the target must return **false**.

#### [[PreventExtensions]]()

- The normal return type is Boolean.
- If [[PreventExtensions]] returns **true**, all future calls to [[IsExtensible]] on the target must return **false** and the target is now considered non-extensible.

#### [[GetOwnProperty]] (P)

- The normal return type is either Property Descriptor or Undefined.
- If the Type of the return value is Property Descriptor, the return value must be a complete property descriptor.
- If *P* is described as a non-configurable, non-writable own data property, all future calls to [[GetOwnProperty]] (*P*) must return Property Descritor whose [[Value]] is SameValue as *P*'s [[Value]] attribute.
- If *P*'s attributes other than [[Writable]] may change over time or if the property might be deleted, then *P*'s [[Configurable]] attribute must be **true**.
- If the [[Writable]] attribute may change from **false** to **true**, then the [[Configurable]] attribute must be **true**.
- If the target is non-extensible and *P* is non-existent, then all future calls to [[GetOwnProperty]] (*P*) on the target must describe *P* as non-existent (i.e. [[GetOwnProperty]] (*P*) must return **undefined**).

NOTE 3

As a consequence of the third invariant, if a property is described as a data property and it may return different values over time, then either or both of the [[Writable]] and [[Configurable]] attributes must be **true** even if no mechanism to change the value is exposed via the other essential internal methods.

#### [[DefineOwnProperty]] ( P, Desc )

- The normal return type is Boolean.
- [[DefineOwnProperty]] must return **false** if *P* has previously been observed as a non-configurable own property of the target, unless either:
  - 1. *P* is a writable data property. A non-configurable writable data property can be changed into a non-configurable non-writable data property.
  - 2. All attributes of *Desc* are the SameValue as *P*'s attributes.
- [[DefineOwnProperty]] (*P*, *Desc*) must return **false** if target is non-extensible and *P* is a non-existent own property. That is, a non-extensible target object cannot be extended with new properties.

#### [[HasProperty]] (P)

- The normal return type is Boolean.
- If *P* was previously observed as a non-configurable own data or accessor property of the target, [[HasProperty]] must return **true**.

#### [[Get]] (P, Receiver)

- The normal return type is any ECMAScript language type.
- If *P* was previously observed as a non-configurable, non-writable own data property of the target with value *V*, then [[Get]] must return the SameValue as *V*.
- If *P* was previously observed as a non-configurable own accessor property of the target whose [[Get]] attribute is **undefined**, the [[Get]] operation must return **undefined**.

#### [[Set]] ( *P*, *V*, *Receiver* )

- The normal return type is Boolean.
- If *P* was previously observed as a non-configurable, non-writable own data property of the target, then [[Set]] must return **false** unless *V* is the SameValue as *P*'s [[Value]] attribute.
- If *P* was previously observed as a non-configurable own accessor property of the target whose [[Set]] attribute is **undefined**, the [[Set]] operation must return **false**.

#### [[Delete]](P)

- The normal return type is Boolean.
- If *P* was previously observed as a non-configurable own data or accessor property of the target, [[Delete]] must return **false**.

#### [[OwnPropertyKeys]]()

- The normal return type is List.
- The returned List must not contain any duplicate entries.
- The Type of each element of the returned List is either String or Symbol.
- The returned List must contain at least the keys of all non-configurable own properties that have previously been observed.

• If the object is non-extensible, the returned List must contain only the keys of all own properties of the object that are observable using [[GetOwnProperty]].

#### [[Call]]()

• The normal return type is any ECMAScript language type.

#### [[Construct]]()

• The normal return type is Object.

#### 6.1.7.4 Well-Known Intrinsic Objects

Well-known intrinsics are built-in objects that are explicitly referenced by the algorithms of this specification and which usually have realm-specific identities. Unless otherwise specified each intrinsic object actually corresponds to a set of similar objects, one per realm.

Within this specification a reference such as %name% means the intrinsic object, associated with the current realm, corresponding to the name. A reference such as %name.a.b% means, as if the "b" property of the "a" property of the intrinsic object %name% was accessed prior to any ECMAScript code being evaluated. Determination of the current realm and its intrinsics is described in 8.3. The well-known intrinsics are listed in Table 8.

**Table 8: Well-Known Intrinsic Objects** 

Intrinsic Name	Global Name	ECMAScript Language Association
%Array%	Array	The <b>Array</b> constructor (22.1.1)
%ArrayBuffer%	ArrayBuffer	The <b>ArrayBuffer</b> constructor (24.1.2)
%ArrayBufferPrototype%	ArrayBuffer.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %ArrayBuffer%; i.e., %ArrayBuffer.prototype%
%ArrayIteratorPrototype%		The prototype of Array iterator objects (22.1.5); i.e.,  %ArrayIterator.prototype%
%ArrayPrototype%	Array.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Array% (22.1.3); i.e. %Array.prototype%
%ArrayProto_entries%	Array.prototype.entries	The initial value of the <b>"entries"</b> data property of %Array.prototype% (22.1.3.4); i.e., %Array.prototype.entries%
%ArrayProto_forEach%	Array.prototype.forEach	The initial value of the <b>"forEach"</b> data property of %Array.prototype% (22.1.3.12); i.e., %Array.prototype.forEach%

%ArrayProto_keys%	Array.prototype.keys	The initial value of the <b>"keys"</b> data property of %Array.prototype% (22.1.3.16); i.e., %Array.prototype.keys%
%ArrayProto_values%	Array.prototype.values	The initial value of the <b>"values"</b> data property of %Array.prototype% (22.1.3.32); i.e., %Array.prototype.values%
%AsyncFromSyncIteratorPrototype%		The prototype of async-from-sync iterator objects (25.1.4)
%AsyncFunction%		The constructor of async function objects (25.7.1)
%AsyncFunctionPrototype%		The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %AsyncFunction%; i.e., %AsyncFunction.prototype%
%AsyncGenerator%		The initial value of the "prototype" property of  %AsyncGeneratorFunction%; i.e.,  %AsyncGeneratorFunction.prototype
%AsyncGeneratorFunction%		The constructor of async iterator objects (25.3.1)
%AsyncGeneratorPrototype%		The initial value of the "prototype" property of %AsyncGenerator%; i.e., %AsyncGenerator.prototype%
%AsyncIteratorPrototype%		An object that all standard built-in async iterator objects indirectly inherit from
%Atomics%	Atomics	The <b>Atomics</b> object (24.4)
%BigInt%	BigInt	The <b>BigInt</b> constructor (20.2.1)
%BigInt64Array%	BigInt64Array	The <b>BigInt64Array</b> constructor (22.2)
%BigUint64Array%	BigUint64Array	The <b>BigUint64Array</b> constructor (22.2)
%Boolean%	Boolean	The <b>Boolean</b> constructor (19.3.1)
%BooleanPrototype%	Boolean.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Boolean% (19.3.3); i.e., %Boolean.prototype%
%DataView%	DataView	The <b>DataView</b> constructor (24.3.2)

%DataViewPrototype%	DataView.prototype	The initial value of the <b>"prototype"</b> data property of %DataView%; i.e., %DataView.prototype%
%Date%	Date	The <b>Date</b> constructor (20.4.2)
%DatePrototype%	Date.prototype	The initial value of the <b>"prototype"</b> data property of %Date%.; i.e., %Date.prototype%
%decodeURI%	decodeURI	The <b>decodeURI</b> function (18.2.6.2)
%decodeURIComponent%	decodeURIComponent	The decodeURIComponent function (18.2.6.3)
%encodeURI%	encodeURI	The <b>encodeURI</b> function (18.2.6.4)
%encodeURIComponent%	encodeURIComponent	The <b>encodeURIComponent</b> function (18.2.6.5)
%Error%	Error	The <b>Error</b> constructor (19.5.1)
%ErrorPrototype%	Error.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Error%; i.e., %Error.prototype%
%eval%	eval	The <b>eval</b> function (18.2.1)
%EvalError%	EvalError	The <b>EvalError</b> constructor (19.5.5.
%EvalErrorPrototype%	EvalError.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %EvalError%; i.e., %EvalError.prototype%
%Float32Array%	Float32Array	The <b>Float32Array</b> constructor (22.2)
%Float32ArrayPrototype%	Float32Array.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Float32Array%; i.e. %Float32Array.prototype%
%Float64Array%	Float64Array	The <b>Float64Array</b> constructor (22.2)
%Float64ArrayPrototype%	Float64Array.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Float64Array%; i.e. %Float64Array.prototype%
%ForInIteratorPrototype%		The prototype of For-In iterator object (13.7.5.16)
%Function%	Function	The <b>Function</b> constructor (19.2.1)
%FunctionPrototype%	Function.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype"

	data property of %Function%; i.e., %Function.prototype%
	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %GeneratorFunction%
	The constructor of generator objects (25.2.1)
	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Generator%; i.e., %Generator.prototype%
Int8Array	The <b>Int8Array</b> constructor (22.2)
Int8Array.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Int8Array%; i.e., %Int8Array.prototype%
Int16Array	The <b>Int16Array</b> constructor (22.2)
Int16Array.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Int16Array%; i.e., %Int16Array.prototype%
Int32Array	The <b>Int32Array</b> constructor (22.2)
Int32Array.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Int32Array%; i.e., %Int32Array.prototype%
isFinite	The <b>isFinite</b> function (18.2.2)
isNaN	The <b>isNaN</b> function (18.2.3)
	An object that all standard built-in iterator objects indirectly inherit from
JSON	The <b>JSON</b> object (24.5)
JSON.parse	The initial value of the "parse" data property of %JSON%; i.e., %JSON.parse%
JSON.stringify	The initial value of the "stringify" data property of %JSON%; i.e., %JSON.stringify%
Мар	The <b>Map</b> constructor (23.1.1)
	Int8Array.prototype  Int16Array Int16Array.prototype  Int32Array Int32Array.prototype  isFinite isNaN  JSON JSON.parse  JSON.stringify

%MapPrototype%	Map.prototype	The initial value of the <b>"prototype"</b> data property of %Map%; i.e., %Map.prototype%
%Math%	Math	The <b>Math</b> object (20.3)
%Number%	Number	The <b>Number</b> constructor (20.1.1)
%NumberPrototype%	Number.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Number%; i.e., %Number.prototype%
%Object%	<b>Object</b>	The <b>Object</b> constructor (19.1.1)
%ObjectPrototype%	Object.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Object% (19.1.3); i.e %Object.prototype%
%ObjProto_toString%	Object.prototype.toString	The initial value of the <b>"toString"</b> data property of %Object.prototype% (19.1.3.6); i.e., %Object.prototype.toString%
%ObjProto_valueOf%	Object.prototype.valueOf	The initial value of the <b>"valueOf"</b> data property of %Object.prototype% (19.1.3.7); i.e., %Object.prototype.valueOf%
%parseFloat%	parseFloat	The <b>parseFloat</b> function (18.2.4)
%parseInt%	parseInt	The <b>parseInt</b> function (18.2.5)
%Promise%	Promise	The <b>Promise</b> constructor (25.6.3)
%PromisePrototype%	Promise.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Promise%; i.e., %Promise.prototype%
%PromiseProto_then%	Promise.prototype.then	The initial value of the <b>"then"</b> data property of %Promise.prototype% (25.6.5.4); i.e., %Promise.prototype.then%
%Promise_all%	Promise.all	The initial value of the <b>"all"</b> data property of %Promise% (25.6.4.1); i.e., %Promise.all%
%Promise_reject%	Promise.reject	The initial value of the <b>"reject"</b> data property of %Promise% (25.6.4.5); i.e., %Promise.reject%
%Promise_resolve%	Promise.resolve	The initial value of the <b>"resolve"</b> data property of %Promise% (25.6.4.6); i.e.,

		%Promise.resolve%
%Proxy%	Proxy	The <b>Proxy</b> constructor (26.2.1)
%RangeError%	RangeError	The <b>RangeError</b> constructor (19.5.5.2)
%RangeErrorPrototype%	RangeError.prototype	The initial value of the <b>"prototype"</b> data property of %RangeError%; i.e., %RangeError.prototype%
%ReferenceError%	ReferenceError	The <b>ReferenceError</b> constructor (19.5.5.3)
%ReferenceErrorPrototype%	ReferenceError.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %ReferenceError%; i.e., %ReferenceError.prototype%
%Reflect%	Reflect	The <b>Reflect</b> object (26.1)
%RegExp%	RegExp	The <b>RegExp</b> constructor (21.2.3)
%RegExpPrototype%	RegExp.prototype	The initial value of the <b>"prototype"</b> data property of %RegExp%; i.e., %RegExp.prototype%
%RegExpStringIteratorPrototype%		The prototype of RegExp String Iterator objects (21.2.7)
%Set%	Set	The <b>Set</b> constructor (23.2.1)
%SetIteratorPrototype%		The prototype of Set iterator objects (23.2.5)
%SetPrototype%	Set.prototype	The initial value of the <b>"prototype"</b> data property of %Set%; i.e., %Set.prototype%
%SharedArrayBuffer%	SharedArrayBuffer	The <b>SharedArrayBuffer</b> constructor (24.2.2)
%SharedArrayBufferPrototype%	SharedArrayBuffer.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of  %SharedArrayBuffer%; i.e.,  %SharedArrayBuffer.prototype%
%String%	String	The <b>String</b> constructor (21.1.1)
%StringIteratorPrototype%		The prototype of String iterator objects (21.1.5)
%StringPrototype%	String.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %String%; i.e., %String.prototype%
	•	•

%Symbol%	Symbol	The <b>Symbol</b> constructor (19.4.1)
%SymbolPrototype%	Symbol.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Symbol% (19.4.3); i.e., %Symbol.prototype%
%SyntaxError%	SyntaxError	The <b>SyntaxError</b> constructor (19.5.5.4)
%SyntaxErrorPrototype%	SyntaxError.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %SyntaxError%; i.e., %SyntaxError.prototype%
%ThrowTypeError%		A function object that unconditionally throws a new instance of %TypeError
%TypedArray%		The super class of all typed Array constructors (22.2.1)
%TypedArrayPrototype%		The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %TypedArray%; i.e., %TypedArray.prototype%
%TypeError%	TypeError	The <b>TypeError</b> constructor (19.5.5.
%TypeErrorPrototype%	TypeError.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %TypeError%; i.e., %TypeError.prototype%
%Uint8Array%	Uint8Array	The <b>Uint8Array</b> constructor (22.2)
%Uint8ArrayPrototype%	Uint8Array.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Uint8Array%; i.e., %Uint8Array.prototype%
%Uint8ClampedArray%	Uint8ClampedArray	The <b>Uint8ClampedArray</b> constructor (22.2)
%Uint8ClampedArrayPrototype%	Uint8ClampedArray.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Uint8ClampedArray%; i.e., %Uint8ClampedArray.prototype%
%Uint16Array%	Uint16Array	The <b>Uint16Array</b> constructor (22.2
%Uint16ArrayPrototype%	Uint16Array.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Uint16Array%; i.e., %Uint16Array.prototype%
%Uint32Array%	Uint32Array	The <b>Uint32Array</b> constructor (22.2
%Uint32ArrayPrototype%	Uint32Array.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %Uint32Array%; i.e.,

		%Uint32Array.prototype%
%URIError%	URIError	The <b>URIError</b> constructor (19.5.5.6)
%URIErrorPrototype%	URIError.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %URIError%; i.e., %URIError.prototype%
%WeakMap%	WeakMap	The <b>WeakMap</b> constructor (23.3.1)
%WeakMapPrototype%	WeakMap.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %WeakMap%; i.e., %WeakMap.prototype%
%WeakSet%	WeakSet	The <b>WeakSet</b> constructor (23.4.1)
%WeakSetPrototype%	WeakSet.prototype	The initial value of the "prototype" data property of %WeakSet%; i.e., %WeakSet.prototype%

# **6.2 ECMAScript Specification Types**

A specification type corresponds to meta-values that are used within algorithms to describe the semantics of ECMAScript language constructs and ECMAScript language types. The specification types include Reference, List, Completion, Property Descriptor, Lexical Environment, Environment Record, Abstract Closure, and Data Block. Specification type values are specification artefacts that do not necessarily correspond to any specific entity within an ECMAScript implementation. Specification type values may be used to describe intermediate results of ECMAScript expression evaluation but such values cannot be stored as properties of objects or values of ECMAScript language variables.

# **6.2.1** The List and Record Specification Types

The *List* type is used to explain the evaluation of argument lists (see 12.3.8) in **new** expressions, in function calls, and in other algorithms where a simple ordered list of values is needed. Values of the List type are simply ordered sequences of list elements containing the individual values. These sequences may be of any length. The elements of a list may be randomly accessed using 0-origin indices. For notational convenience an array-like syntax can be used to access List elements. For example, *arguments*[2] is shorthand for saying the 3<sup>rd</sup> element of the List *arguments*.

For notational convenience within this specification, a literal syntax can be used to express a new List value. For example, « 1, 2 » defines a List value that has two elements each of which is initialized to a specific value. A new empty List can be expressed as « ».

The *Record* type is used to describe data aggregations within the algorithms of this specification. A Record type value consists of one or more named fields. The value of each field is either an ECMAScript value or an abstract value represented by a name associated with the Record type. Field names are always enclosed in double brackets, for example [[Value]].

For notational convenience within this specification, an object literal-like syntax can be used to express a Record value. For example, { [[Field1]]: 42, [[Field2]]: false, [[Field3]]: empty } defines a Record value that has three fields, each of

which is initialized to a specific value. Field name order is not significant. Any fields that are not explicitly listed are considered to be absent.

In specification text and algorithms, dot notation may be used to refer to a specific field of a Record value. For example, if R is the record shown in the previous paragraph then R.[[Field2]] is shorthand for "the field of R named [[Field2]]".

Schema for commonly used Record field combinations may be named, and that name may be used as a prefix to a literal Record value to identify the specific kind of aggregations that is being described. For example: PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: 42, [[Writable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

#### 6.2.2 The Set and Relation Specification Types

The *Set* type is used to explain a collection of unordered elements for use in the memory model. Values of the Set type are simple collections of elements, where no element appears more than once. Elements may be added to and removed from Sets. Sets may be unioned, intersected, or subtracted from each other.

The *Relation* type is used to explain constraints on Sets. Values of the Relation type are Sets of ordered pairs of values from its value domain. For example, a Relation on events is a set of ordered pairs of events. For a Relation R and two values R and R in the value domain of R, R is shorthand for saying the ordered pair R is a member of R. A Relation is least with respect to some conditions when it is the smallest Relation that satisfies those conditions.

A *strict partial order* is a Relation value *R* that satisfies the following.

- For all *a*, *b*, and *c* in *R*'s domain:
  - It is not the case that a R a, and
  - If *a R b* and *b R c*, then *a R c*.

NOTE 1 The two properties above are called, in order, irreflexivity and transitivity.

A *strict total order* is a Relation value *R* that satisfies the following.

- For all *a*, *b*, and *c* in *R*'s domain:
  - *a* is identical to *b* or *a R b* or *b R a*, and
  - It is not the case that a R a, and
  - If *a R b* and *b R c*, then *a R c*.

NOTE 2 The three properties above are called, in order, totality, irreflexivity, and transitivity.

# **6.2.3** The Completion Record Specification Type

The Completion type is a Record used to explain the runtime propagation of values and control flow such as the behaviour of statements (**break**, **continue**, **return** and **throw**) that perform nonlocal transfers of control.

Values of the Completion type are Record values whose fields are defined as by Table 9. Such values are referred to as *Completion Records*.

**Table 9: Completion Record Fields** 

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[Type]]	One of normal, break, continue, return, or throw	The type of completion that occurred.
[[Value]]	any ECMAScript language value or empty	The value that was produced.
[[Target]]	any ECMAScript string or empty	The target label for directed control transfers.

The term "abrupt completion" refers to any completion with a [[Type]] value other than normal.

#### 6.2.3.1 Await

Algorithm steps that say

1. Let *completion* be Await(*value*).

mean the same thing as:

- 1. Let *asyncContext* be the running execution context.
- 2. Let *promise* be ? PromiseResolve(%Promise%, value).
- 3. Let *stepsFulfilled* be the algorithm steps defined in Await Fulfilled Functions.
- 4. Let onFulfilled be! CreateBuiltinFunction(stepsFulfilled, « [[AsyncContext]] »).
- 5. Set onFulfilled.[[AsyncContext]] to asyncContext.
- 6. Let stepsRejected be the algorithm steps defined in Await Rejected Functions.
- 7. Let onRejected be! CreateBuiltinFunction(stepsRejected, « [[AsyncContext]] »).
- 8. Set onRejected.[[AsyncContext]] to asyncContext.
- 9. Perform! PerformPromiseThen(promise, onFulfilled, onRejected).
- 10. Remove *asyncContext* from the execution context stack and restore the execution context that is at the top of the execution context stack as the running execution context.
- 11. Set the code evaluation state of *asyncContext* such that when evaluation is resumed with a Completion *completion*, the following steps of the algorithm that invoked Await will be performed, with *completion* available.
- 12. Return.
- 13. NOTE: This returns to the evaluation of the operation that had most previously resumed evaluation of *asyncContext*.

where all variables in the above steps, with the exception of *completion*, are ephemeral and visible only in the steps pertaining to Await.

NOTE

Await can be combined with the ? and ! prefixes, so that for example

1. Let result be? Await(value).

means the same thing as:

- 1. Let result be Await(value).
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(result).

#### 6.2.3.1.1 Await Fulfilled Functions

An Await fulfilled function is an anonymous built-in function that is used as part of the Await specification device to deliver the promise fulfillment value to the caller as a normal completion. Each Await fulfilled function has an [[AsyncContext]] internal slot.

When an Await fulfilled function is called with argument *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Let *asyncContext* be *F*.[[AsyncContext]].
- 3. Let *prevContext* be the running execution context.
- 4. Suspend prevContext.
- 5. Push asyncContext onto the execution context stack; asyncContext is now the running execution context.
- 6. Resume the suspended evaluation of *asyncContext* using NormalCompletion(*value*) as the result of the operation that suspended it.
- 7. Assert: When we reach this step, *asyncContext* has already been removed from the execution context stack and *prevContext* is the currently running execution context.
- 8. Return undefined.

The **"length"** property of an Await fulfilled function is 1.

#### 6.2.3.1.2 Await Rejected Functions

An Await rejected function is an anonymous built-in function that is used as part of the Await specification device to deliver the promise rejection reason to the caller as an abrupt throw completion. Each Await rejected function has an [[AsyncContext]] internal slot.

When an Await rejected function is called with argument reason, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- Let asyncContext be F.[[AsyncContext]].
- 3. Let *prevContext* be the running execution context.
- 4. Suspend prevContext.
- 5. Push asyncContext onto the execution context stack; asyncContext is now the running execution context.
- 6. Resume the suspended evaluation of *asyncContext* using ThrowCompletion(*reason*) as the result of the operation that suspended it.
- 7. Assert: When we reach this step, *asyncContext* has already been removed from the execution context stack and *prevContext* is the currently running execution context.
- 8. Return undefined.

The **"length"** property of an Await rejected function is 1.

### 6.2.3.2 NormalCompletion

The abstract operation NormalCompletion with a single *argument*, such as:

Return NormalCompletion(argument).

Is a shorthand that is defined as follows:

1. Return Completion { [[Type]]: normal, [[Value]]: argument, [[Target]]: empty }.

#### 6.2.3.3 ThrowCompletion

The abstract operation ThrowCompletion with a single argument, such as:

1. Return ThrowCompletion(argument).

Is a shorthand that is defined as follows:

1. Return Completion { [[Type]]: throw, [[Value]]: argument, [[Target]]: empty }.

### 6.2.3.4 UpdateEmpty (completionRecord, value)

The abstract operation UpdateEmpty with arguments completionRecord and value performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: If completionRecord.[[Type]] is either return or throw, then completionRecord.[[Value]] is not empty.
- 2. If *completionRecord*.[[Value]] is not **empty**, return Completion(completionRecord).
- 3. Return Completion { [[Type]]: completionRecord.[[Type]], [[Value]]: value, [[Target]]: completionRecord.[[Target]] }.

## **6.2.4** The Reference Specification Type

NOTE

The Reference type is used to explain the behaviour of such operators as **delete**, **typeof**, the assignment operators, the **super** keyword and other language features. For example, the left-hand operand of an assignment is expected to produce a reference.

A *Reference* is a resolved name or property binding. A Reference consists of three components, the base value component, the referenced name component, and the Boolean-valued strict reference flag. The base value component is either **undefined**, an Object, a Boolean, a String, a Symbol, a Number, a BigInt, or an **Environment Record**. A base value component of **undefined** indicates that the Reference could not be resolved to a binding. The referenced name component is a String or Symbol value.

A *Super Reference* is a Reference that is used to represent a name binding that was expressed using the super keyword. A *Super Reference* has an additional this Value component, and its base value component will never be an Environment Record.

The following abstract operations are used in this specification to operate on references:

#### 6.2.4.1 GetBase (V)

- 1. Assert: Type(V) is Reference.
- 2. Return the base value component of *V*.

#### 6.2.4.2 GetReferencedName (V)

- 1. Assert: Type(V) is Reference.
- 2. Return the referenced name component of *V*.

#### 6.2.4.3 IsStrictReference (V)

1. Assert: Type(V) is Reference.

2. Return the strict reference flag of *V*.

#### 6.2.4.4 HasPrimitiveBase (V)

- 1. Assert: Type(V) is Reference.
- 2. If Type(*V*'s base value component) is Boolean, String, Symbol, BigInt, or Number, return **true**; otherwise return **false**.

### **6.2.4.5** IsPropertyReference (V)

- 1. Assert: Type(V) is Reference.
- 2. If either the base value component of *V* is an Object or HasPrimitiveBase(*V*) is **true**, return **true**; otherwise return **false**.

#### 6.2.4.6 IsUnresolvableReference (V)

- 1. Assert: Type(V) is Reference.
- 2. If the base value component of *V* is **undefined**, return **true**; otherwise return **false**.

### 6.2.4.7 IsSuperReference (V)

- 1. Assert: Type(*V*) is Reference.
- 2. If *V* has a this Value component, return **true**; otherwise return **false**.

#### 6.2.4.8 GetValue (V)

- 1. ReturnIfAbrupt(*V*).
- 2. If  $\mathsf{Type}(V)$  is not Reference, return V.
- 3. Let *base* be GetBase(V).
- 4. If IsUnresolvableReference(*V*) is **true**, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
- 5. If IsPropertyReference(*V*) is **true**, then
  - a. If HasPrimitiveBase(V) is **true**, then
    - i. Assert: In this case, base will never be **undefined** or **null**.
    - ii. Set base to ! ToObject(base).
  - b. Return ? base.[[Get]](GetReferencedName(V), GetThisValue(V)).
- 6. Else,
  - a. Assert: base is an Environment Record.
  - b. Return? base.GetBindingValue(GetReferencedName(V), IsStrictReference(V)) (see 8.1.1).

**NOTE** 

The object that may be created in step 5.a.ii is not accessible outside of the above abstract operation and the ordinary object [[Get]] internal method. An implementation might choose to avoid the actual creation of the object.

#### 6.2.4.9 **PutValue** (*V*, *W*)

- 1. ReturnIfAbrupt(V).
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(W).
- 3. If Type(V) is not Reference, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.

- 4. Let base be GetBase(V).
- 5. If IsUnresolvableReference(*V*) is **true**, then
  - a. If IsStrictReference(*V*) is **true**, then
    - i. Throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
  - b. Let globalObj be GetGlobalObject().
  - c. Return ? Set(globalObj, GetReferencedName(V), W, false).
- 6. Else if IsPropertyReference(*V*) is **true**, then
  - a. If HasPrimitiveBase(V) is **true**, then
    - i. Assert: In this case, base will never be **undefined** or **null**.
    - ii. Set base to! ToObject(base).
  - b. Let *succeeded* be ? *base*.[[Set]](GetReferencedName(V), W, GetThisValue(V)).
  - c. If *succeeded* is **false** and IsStrictReference(*V*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - d. Return.
- 7. Else,
  - a. Assert: base is an Environment Record.
  - b. Return? base.SetMutableBinding(GetReferencedName(V), W, IsStrictReference(V)) (see 8.1.1).

NOTE

The object that may be created in step 6.a.ii is not accessible outside of the above algorithm and the ordinary object [[Set]] internal method. An implementation might choose to avoid the actual creation of that object.

#### 6.2.4.10 GetThisValue (V)

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyReference(*V*) is **true**.
- 2. If IsSuperReference(V) is **true**, then
  - a. Return the value of the this Value component of the reference *V*.
- 3. Return GetBase(V).

#### 6.2.4.11 InitializeReferencedBinding (V, W)

- 1. ReturnIfAbrupt(V).
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(W).
- 3. Assert: Type(V) is Reference.
- 4. Assert: IsUnresolvableReference(*V*) is **false**.
- 5. Let *base* be GetBase(*V*).
- 6. Assert: base is an Environment Record.
- 7. Return *base*.InitializeBinding(GetReferencedName(V), W).

## 6.2.5 The Property Descriptor Specification Type

The *Property Descriptor* type is used to explain the manipulation and reification of Object property attributes. Values of the Property Descriptor type are Records. Each field's name is an attribute name and its value is a corresponding attribute value as specified in 6.1.7.1. In addition, any field may be present or absent. The schema name used within this specification to tag literal descriptions of Property Descriptor records is "PropertyDescriptor".

Property Descriptor values may be further classified as data Property Descriptors and accessor Property Descriptors based upon the existence or use of certain fields. A data Property Descriptor is one that includes any fields named

either [[Value]] or [[Writable]]. An accessor Property Descriptor is one that includes any fields named either [[Get]] or [[Set]]. Any Property Descriptor may have fields named [[Enumerable]] and [[Configurable]]. A Property Descriptor value may not be both a data Property Descriptor and an accessor Property Descriptor; however, it may be neither. A generic Property Descriptor is a Property Descriptor value that is neither a data Property Descriptor nor an accessor Property Descriptor. A fully populated Property Descriptor is one that is either an accessor Property Descriptor or a data Property Descriptor and that has all of the fields that correspond to the property attributes defined in either Table 3 or Table 4.

The following abstract operations are used in this specification to operate upon Property Descriptor values:

#### 6.2.5.1 IsAccessorDescriptor ( Desc )

When the abstract operation IsAccessorDescriptor is called with Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If *Desc* is **undefined**, return **false**.
- 2. If both Desc.[[Get]] and Desc.[[Set]] are absent, return false.
- 3. Return true.

### 6.2.5.2 IsDataDescriptor (Desc)

When the abstract operation IsDataDescriptor is called with Property Descriptor Desc, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If *Desc* is **undefined**, return **false**.
- 2. If both Desc.[[Value]] and Desc.[[Writable]] are absent, return false.
- 3. Return true.

#### 6.2.5.3 IsGenericDescriptor (Desc)

When the abstract operation IsGenericDescriptor is called with Property Descriptor Desc, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If *Desc* is **undefined**, return **false**.
- 2. If IsAccessorDescriptor(Desc) and IsDataDescriptor(Desc) are both false, return true.
- 3. Return false.

#### 6.2.5.4 FromPropertyDescriptor (*Desc*)

When the abstract operation FromPropertyDescriptor is called with Property Descriptor Desc, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If *Desc* is **undefined**, return **undefined**.
- 2. Let *obj* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 3. Assert: *obj* is an extensible ordinary object with no own properties.
- 4. If Desc has a [[Value]] field, then
  - a. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "value", Desc.[[Value]]).
- 5. If Desc has a [[Writable]] field, then
  - a. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "writable", Desc.[[Writable]]).
- 6. If Desc has a [[Get]] field, then
  - a. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "get", Desc.[[Get]]).

- 7. If *Desc* has a [[Set]] field, then
  - a. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "set", Desc.[[Set]]).
- 8. If Desc has an [[Enumerable]] field, then
  - a. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "enumerable", Desc.[[Enumerable]]).
- 9. If Desc has a [[Configurable]] field, then
  - a. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "configurable", Desc.[[Configurable]]).
- 10. Return obj.

### 6.2.5.5 ToPropertyDescriptor (Obj)

When the abstract operation ToPropertyDescriptor is called with object *Obj*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(*Obj*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *desc* be a new Property Descriptor that initially has no fields.
- 3. Let hasEnumerable be ? HasProperty(Obj, "enumerable").
- 4. If hasEnumerable is true, then
  - a. Let enumerable be ! ToBoolean(? Get(Obj, "enumerable")).
  - b. Set *desc*.[[Enumerable]] to *enumerable*.
- 5. Let hasConfigurable be? HasProperty(Obj, "configurable").
- 6. If hasConfigurable is true, then
  - a. Let configurable be ! ToBoolean(? Get(Obj, "configurable")).
  - b. Set desc.[[Configurable]] to configurable.
- 7. Let *hasValue* be ? HasProperty(*Obj*, **''value''**).
- 8. If has Value is **true**, then
  - a. Let value be ? Get(Obj, "value").
  - b. Set desc.[[Value]] to value.
- 9. Let hasWritable be ? HasProperty(Obj, "writable").
- 10. If hasWritable is **true**, then
  - a. Let writable be ! ToBoolean(? Get(Obj, "writable")).
  - b. Set *desc*.[[Writable]] to writable.
- 11. Let *hasGet* be ? HasProperty(*Obj*, "get").
- 12. If *hasGet* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *getter* be ? Get(Obj, "get").
  - b. If IsCallable(getter) is **false** and getter is not **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - c. Set desc.[[Get]] to getter.
- 13. Let *hasSet* be ? HasProperty(*Obj*, "set").
- 14. If *hasSet* is **true**, then
  - a. Let setter be ? Get(Obj, "set").
  - b. If IsCallable(setter) is false and setter is not undefined, throw a TypeError exception.
  - c. Set desc.[[Set]] to setter.
- 15. If *desc*.[[Get]] is present or *desc*.[[Set]] is present, then
  - a. If *desc*.[[Value]] is present or *desc*.[[Writable]] is present, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 16. Return desc.

## 6.2.5.6 CompletePropertyDescriptor ( Desc )

When the abstract operation CompletePropertyDescriptor is called with Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: *Desc* is a Property Descriptor.
- 2. Let *like* be the Record { [[Value]]: undefined, [[Writable]]: false, [[Get]]: undefined, [[Set]]: undefined, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.
- 3. If IsGenericDescriptor(Desc) is **true** or IsDataDescriptor(Desc) is **true**, then
  - a. If Desc does not have a [[Value]] field, set Desc.[[Value]] to like.[[Value]].
  - b. If Desc does not have a [[Writable]] field, set Desc.[[Writable]] to like.[[Writable]].
- 4. Else,
  - a. If Desc does not have a [[Get]] field, set Desc.[[Get]] to like.[[Get]].
  - b. If Desc does not have a [[Set]] field, set Desc.[[Set]] to like.[[Set]].
- 5. If Desc does not have an [[Enumerable]] field, set Desc.[[Enumerable]] to like.[[Enumerable]].
- 6. If Desc does not have a [[Configurable]] field, set Desc.[[Configurable]] to like.[[Configurable]].
- 7. Return Desc.

### 6.2.6 The Lexical Environment and Environment Record Specification Types

The Lexical Environment and Environment Record types are used to explain the behaviour of name resolution in nested functions and blocks. These types and the operations upon them are defined in 8.1.

### 6.2.7 The Abstract Closure Specification Type

The *abstract closure* specification type is used to refer to algorithm steps together with a collection of values. Abstract closures are meta-values and are invoked using function application style such as *closure*(*arg1*, *arg2*). Like abstract operations, invocations perform the algorithm steps described by the abstract closure.

In algorithm steps that create an abstract closure, values are captured with the verb "capture" followed by a list of aliases. When an abstract closure is created, it captures the value that is associated with each alias at that time. In steps that specify the algorithm to be performed when an abstract closure is called, each captured value is referred to by the alias that was used to capture the value.

If an abstract closure returns a Completion Record, that Completion Record's [[Type]] must be either normal or throw.

Abstract closures are created inline as part of other algorithms, shown in the following example.

- 1. Let addend be 41.
- 2. Let *closure* be a new abstract closure with parameters (*x*) that captures *addend* and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Return x + addend.
- 3. Let val be closure(1).
- 4. Assert: val is 42.

### 6.2.8 Data Blocks

The *Data Block* specification type is used to describe a distinct and mutable sequence of byte-sized (8 bit) numeric values. A Data Block value is created with a fixed number of bytes that each have the initial value 0.

For notational convenience within this specification, an array-like syntax can be used to access the individual bytes of a Data Block value. This notation presents a Data Block value as a 0-origined integer-indexed sequence of bytes. For example, if db is a 5 byte Data Block value then db[2] can be used to access its  $3^{rd}$  byte.

A data block that resides in memory that can be referenced from multiple agents concurrently is designated a *Shared Data Block*. A Shared Data Block has an identity (for the purposes of equality testing Shared Data Block values) that is *address-free*: it is tied not to the virtual addresses the block is mapped to in any process, but to the set of locations in memory that the block represents. Two data blocks are equal only if the sets of the locations they contain are equal; otherwise, they are not equal and the intersection of the sets of locations they contain is empty. Finally, Shared Data Blocks can be distinguished from Data Blocks.

The semantics of Shared Data Blocks is defined using Shared Data Block events by the memory model. Abstract operations below introduce Shared Data Block events and act as the interface between evaluation semantics and the event semantics of the memory model. The events form a candidate execution, on which the memory model acts as a filter. Please consult the memory model for full semantics.

Shared Data Block events are modeled by Records, defined in the memory model.

The following abstract operations are used in this specification to operate upon Data Block values:

## 6.2.8.1 CreateByteDataBlock (size)

When the abstract operation CreateByteDataBlock is called with integer argument *size*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert:  $size \ge 0$ .
- 2. Let *db* be a new Data Block value consisting of *size* bytes. If it is impossible to create such a Data Block, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 3. Set all of the bytes of *db* to 0.
- 4. Return db.

### 6.2.8.2 CreateSharedByteDataBlock (size)

When the abstract operation CreateSharedByteDataBlock is called with integer argument *size*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert:  $size \ge 0$ .
- 2. Let *db* be a new Shared Data Block value consisting of *size* bytes. If it is impossible to create such a Shared Data Block, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 3. Let *execution* be the [[CandidateExecution]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
- 4. Let *eventList* be the [[EventList]] field of the element in *execution*.[[EventsRecords]] whose [[AgentSignifier]] is AgentSignifier().
- 5. Let zero be « 0 ».
- 6. For each index *i* of *db*, do
  - a. Append WriteSharedMemory { [[Order]]: Init, [[NoTear]]: true, [[Block]]: db, [[ByteIndex]]: i, [[ElementSize]]: 1, [[Payload]]: zero } to eventList.
- 7. Return db.

#### 6.2.8.3 CopyDataBlockBytes (toBlock, toIndex, fromBlock, fromIndex, count)

When the abstract operation CopyDataBlockBytes is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: fromBlock and toBlock are distinct Data Block or Shared Data Block values.
- 2. Assert: fromIndex, toIndex, and count are integer values  $\geq 0$ .
- 3. Let *fromSize* be the number of bytes in *fromBlock*.

- 4. Assert:  $fromIndex + count \le fromSize$ .
- 5. Let *toSize* be the number of bytes in *toBlock*.
- 6. Assert: toIndex + count ≤ toSize.
- 7. Repeat, while count > 0
  - a. If fromBlock is a Shared Data Block, then
    - i. Let execution be the [[CandidateExecution]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
    - ii. Let *eventList* be the [[EventList]] field of the element in *execution*.[[EventsRecords]] whose [[AgentSignifier]] is AgentSignifier().
    - iii. Let bytes be a List of length 1 that contains a nondeterministically chosen byte value.
    - iv. NOTE: In implementations, *bytes* is the result of a non-atomic read instruction on the underlying hardware. The nondeterminism is a semantic prescription of the memory model to describe observable behaviour of hardware with weak consistency.
    - v. Let *readEvent* be ReadSharedMemory { [[Order]]: Unordered, [[NoTear]]: true, [[Block]]: *fromBlock*, [[ByteIndex]]: *fromIndex*, [[ElementSize]]: 1 }.
    - vi. Append readEvent to eventList.
    - vii. Append Chosen Value Record { [[Event]]: readEvent, [[ChosenValue]]: bytes } to execution. [[ChosenValues]].
    - viii. If toBlock is a Shared Data Block, then
      - 1. Append WriteSharedMemory { [[Order]]: Unordered, [[NoTear]]: true, [[Block]]: toBlock, [[ByteIndex]]: toIndex, [[ElementSize]]: 1, [[Payload]]: bytes } to eventList.
    - ix. Else,
      - 1. Set toBlock[toIndex] to bytes[0].
  - b. Else,
    - i. Assert: *toBlock* is not a Shared Data Block.
    - ii. Set toBlock[toIndex] to fromBlock[fromIndex].
  - c. Set toIndex to toIndex + 1.
  - d. Set fromIndex to fromIndex + 1.
  - e. Set count to count 1.
- Return NormalCompletion(empty).

# 7 Abstract Operations

These operations are not a part of the ECMAScript language; they are defined here to solely to aid the specification of the semantics of the ECMAScript language. Other, more specialized abstract operations are defined throughout this specification.

## 7.1 Type Conversion

The ECMAScript language implicitly performs automatic type conversion as needed. To clarify the semantics of certain constructs it is useful to define a set of conversion abstract operations. The conversion abstract operations are polymorphic; they can accept a value of any ECMAScript language type. But no other specification types are used with these operations.

The BigInt type has no implicit conversions in the ECMAScript language; programmers must call BigInt explicitly to convert values from other types.

## 7.1.1 ToPrimitive (input [, PreferredType])

The abstract operation ToPrimitive takes an *input* argument and an optional argument *PreferredType*. The abstract operation ToPrimitive converts its *input* argument to a non-Object type. If an object is capable of converting to more than one primitive type, it may use the optional hint *PreferredType* to favour that type. Conversion occurs according to the following algorithm:

- 1. Assert: *input* is an ECMAScript language value.
- 2. If Type(*input*) is Object, then
  - a. If *PreferredType* is not present, let *hint* be **'default'**.
  - b. Else if *PreferredType* is hint String, let *hint* be "string".
  - c. Else,
    - i. Assert: PreferredType is hint Number.
    - ii. Let hint be "number".
  - d. Let *exoticToPrim* be ? GetMethod(*input*, @@toPrimitive).
  - e. If *exoticToPrim* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. Let result be ? Call(exoticToPrim, input, « hint »).
    - ii. If Type(result) is not Object, return result.
    - iii. Throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - f. If hint is "default", set hint to "number".
  - g. Return? OrdinaryToPrimitive(input, hint).
- 3. Return input.

NOTE

When ToPrimitive is called with no hint, then it generally behaves as if the hint were Number. However, objects may over-ride this behaviour by defining a @@toPrimitive method. Of the objects defined in this specification only Date objects (see 20.4.4.45) and Symbol objects (see 19.4.3.5) over-ride the default ToPrimitive behaviour. Date objects treat no hint as if the hint were String.

### 7.1.1.1 OrdinaryToPrimitive (O, hint)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryToPrimitive is called with arguments *O* and *hint*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Assert: Type(hint) is String and its value is either "string" or "number".
- 3. If *hint* is **"string"**, then
  - a. Let methodNames be « "toString", "valueOf" ».
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let methodNames be « "valueOf", "toString" ».
- 5. For each name in methodNames in List order, do
  - a. Let method be ? Get(O, name).
  - b. If IsCallable(*method*) is **true**, then
    - i. Let result be? Call(method, O).
    - ii. If Type(result) is not Object, return result.
- 6. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

## 7.1.2 ToBoolean (argument)

The abstract operation ToBoolean converts *argument* to a value of type Boolean according to Table 10:

**Table 10: ToBoolean Conversions** 

Argument Type	Result
Undefined	Return false.
Null	Return false.
Boolean	Return argument.
Number	If argument is +0, -0, or NaN, return false; otherwise return true.
String	If <i>argument</i> is the empty String (its length is zero), return <b>false</b> ; otherwise return <b>true</b> .
Symbol	Return <b>true</b> .
BigInt	If argument is <b>0n</b> , return <b>false</b> ; otherwise return <b>true</b> .
Object	Return true.

## 7.1.3 ToNumeric (value)

The abstract operation ToNumeric returns *value* converted to a numeric value of type Number or BigInt. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let *primValue* be ? ToPrimitive(*value*, hint Number).
- 2. If Type(primValue) is BigInt, return primValue.
- 3. Return? ToNumber(primValue).

## 7.1.4 ToNumber (argument)

The abstract operation ToNumber converts *argument* to a value of type Number according to Table 11:

**Table 11: ToNumber Conversions** 

Argument Type	Result
Undefined	Return <b>NaN</b> .
Null	Return +0.
Boolean	If argument is <b>true</b> , return 1. If argument is <b>false</b> , return <b>+0</b> .
Number	Return argument (no conversion).
String	See grammar and conversion algorithm below.
Symbol	Throw a <b>TypeError</b> exception.
BigInt	Throw a <b>TypeError</b> exception.
Object	Apply the following steps:  1. Let primValue be ? ToPrimitive(argument, hint Number).  2. Return ? ToNumber(primValue).

### 7.1.4.1 ToNumber Applied to the String Type

ToNumber applied to Strings applies the following grammar to the input String interpreted as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points (6.1.4). If the grammar cannot interpret the String as an expansion of *StringNumericLiteral*, then the result of ToNumber is **NaN**.

NOTE 1

The terminal symbols of this grammar are all composed of characters in the Unicode Basic Multilingual Plane (BMP). Therefore, the result of ToNumber will be NaN if the string contains any leading surrogate or trailing surrogate code units, whether paired or unpaired.

#### **Syntax**

```
StringNumericLiteral :::

StrWhiteSpaceopt
StrWhiteSpaceopt
StrWhiteSpace :::

StrWhiteSpace :::

StrWhiteSpaceChar StrWhiteSpaceopt

StrWhiteSpaceChar :::

WhiteSpace
LineTerminator

StrNumericLiteral :::

StrDecimalLiteral
NonDecimalIntegerLiteral
```

#### StrDecimalLiteral :::

*StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral* 

- + StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral
- StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral

### StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral :::

#### Infinity

DecimalDigits . DecimalDigits opt ExponentPart opt

. DecimalDigits ExponentPartont

DecimalDigits ExponentPartont

All grammar symbols not explicitly defined above have the definitions used in the Lexical Grammar for numeric literals (11.8.3)

NOTE 2 Some differences should be noted between the syntax of a *StringNumericLiteral* and a *NumericLiteral*:

- A *StringNumericLiteral* may include leading and/or trailing white space and/or line terminators
- A *StringNumericLiteral* that is decimal may have any number of leading **0** digits.
- A *StringNumericLiteral* that is decimal may include a + or to indicate its sign.
- A *StringNumericLiteral* that is empty or contains only white space is converted to +0.
- **Infinity** and **-Infinity** are recognized as a *StringNumericLiteral* but not as a *NumericLiteral*.
- A StringNumericLiteral cannot include a BigIntLiteralSuffix.

#### 7.1.4.1.1 Runtime Semantics: MV

The conversion of a String to a Number value is similar overall to the determination of the Number value for a numeric literal (see 11.8.3), but some of the details are different, so the process for converting a String numeric literal to a value of Number type is given here. This value is determined in two steps: first, a mathematical value (MV) is derived from the String numeric literal; second, this mathematical value is rounded as described below. The MV on any grammar symbol, not provided below, is the MV for that symbol defined in 11.8.3.1.

- The MV of *StringNumericLiteral* ::: [empty] is  $0_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of StringNumericLiteral ::: StrWhiteSpace is  $0_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of *StringNumericLiteral* ::: *StrWhiteSpace*<sub>opt</sub> *StrNumericLiteral StrWhiteSpace*<sub>opt</sub> is the MV of *StrNumericLiteral*, no matter whether white space is present or not.
- The MV of StrNumericLiteral ::: StrDecimalLiteral is the MV of StrDecimalLiteral.
- The MV of StrNumericLiteral ::: NonDecimalIntegerLiteral is the MV of NonDecimalIntegerLiteral.
- The MV of StrDecimalLiteral ::: StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral is the MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral.
- The MV of StrDecimalLiteral ::: + StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral is the MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral.
- The MV of StrDecimalLiteral ::: StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral is the negative of the MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral. (Note that if the MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral is 0, the negative of this MV is also 0. The rounding rule described below handles the conversion of this signless mathematical zero to a floating-point +0 or -0 as appropriate.)
- The MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral ::: Infinity is  $10_{\mathbb{R}}^{10000_{\mathbb{R}}}$  (a value so large that it will round to  $+\infty$ ).

- The MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral ::: DecimalDigits . is the MV of DecimalDigits.
- The MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral ::: DecimalDigits . DecimalDigits is the MV of the first <math>DecimalDigits plus (the MV of the second DecimalDigits times  $10_{\mathbb{R}}^{-\mathbb{R}^n}$ ), where n is the mathematical value of the number of code points in the second DecimalDigits.
- The MV of  $StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral ::: DecimalDigits . ExponentPart is the MV of DecimalDigits times <math>10_{\mathbb{R}}^{e}$ , where e is the MV of ExponentPart.
- The MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral ::: DecimalDigits . DecimalDigits ExponentPart is (the MV of the first <math>DecimalDigits plus (the MV of the second DecimalDigits times  $10_{\mathbb{R}}^{-\mathbb{R}^n}$ )) times  $10_{\mathbb{R}}^e$ , where n is the mathematical value of the number of code points in the second DecimalDigits and e is the MV of ExponentPart.
- The MV of  $StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral ::: . DecimalDigits is the MV of DecimalDigits times <math>10_{\mathbb{R}}^{\mathbb{R}^n}$ , where n is the mathematical value of the number of code points in DecimalDigits.
- The MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral ::: . DecimalDigits ExponentPart is the MV of <math>DecimalDigits times  $10_{\mathbb{R}}^{e}$   $^{n}$ , where n is the mathematical value of the number of code points in DecimalDigits and e is the MV of ExponentPart.
- The MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral ::: DecimalDigits is the MV of DecimalDigits.
- The MV of StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral ::: DecimalDigits ExponentPart is the MV of DecimalDigits times  $10_{\mathbb{R}}^{e}$ , where e is the MV of ExponentPart.

Once the exact MV for a String numeric literal has been determined, it is then rounded to a value of the Number type. If the MV is 0, then the rounded value is +0 unless the first non white space code point in the String numeric literal is –, in which case the rounded value is -0. Otherwise, the rounded value must be the Number value for the MV (in the sense defined in 6.1.6.1), unless the literal includes a *StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral* and the literal has more than 20 significant digits, in which case the Number value may be either the Number value for the MV of a literal produced by replacing each significant digit after the 20th with a 0 digit or the Number value for the MV of a literal produced by replacing each significant digit after the 20th with a 0 digit and then incrementing the literal at the 20th digit position. A digit is significant if it is not part of an *ExponentPart* and

- it is not **0**; or
- there is a nonzero digit to its left and there is a nonzero digit, not in the *ExponentPart*, to its right.

## 7.1.5 ToInteger ( argument )

The abstract operation ToInteger converts *argument* to an integral Number value. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let number be? ToNumber(argument).
- 2. If *number* is **NaN**, **+0**, or **-0**, return **+0**.
- 3. If number is  $+\infty$  or  $-\infty$ , return number.
- 4. Let *integer* be the Number value that is the same sign as *number* and whose magnitude is floor(abs(*number*)).
- 5. If *integer* is -0, return +0.
- 6. Return integer.

### 7.1.6 ToInt32 ( *argument* )

The abstract operation ToInt32 converts *argument* to one of  $2^{32}$  integer values in the range  $-2^{31}$  through  $2^{31}$  - 1, inclusive. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let *number* be ? ToNumber(*argument*).
- 2. If number is NaN, +0, -0,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return +0.
- 3. Let *int* be the Number value that is the same sign as *number* and whose magnitude is floor(abs(*number*)).
- 4. Let int32bit be  $int modulo 2^{32}$ .
- 5. If  $int32bit \ge 2^{31}$ , return  $int32bit 2^{32}$ ; otherwise return int32bit.

#### **NOTE**

Given the above definition of ToInt32:

- The ToInt32 abstract operation is idempotent: if applied to a result that it produced, the second application leaves that value unchanged.
- ToInt32(ToUint32(x)) is equal to ToInt32(x) for all values of x. (It is to preserve this latter property that +∞ and -∞ are mapped to +0.)
- ToInt32 maps **-0** to **+0**.

## 7.1.7 **ToUint32** ( *argument* )

The abstract operation ToUint32 converts *argument* to one of  $2^{32}$  integer values in the range 0 through  $2^{32}$  - 1, inclusive. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let number be? ToNumber(argument).
- 2. If number is NaN, +0, -0,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return +0.
- 3. Let *int* be the Number value that is the same sign as *number* and whose magnitude is floor(abs(*number*)).
- 4. Let int32bit be  $int modulo 2^{32}$ .
- 5. Return int32bit.

#### **NOTE**

Given the above definition of ToUint32:

- Step 5 is the only difference between ToUint32 and ToInt32.
- The ToUint32 abstract operation is idempotent: if applied to a result that it produced, the second application leaves that value unchanged.
- ToUint32(ToInt32(x)) is equal to ToUint32(x) for all values of x. (It is to preserve this latter property that  $+\infty$  and  $-\infty$  are mapped to +0.)
- ToUint32 maps **-0** to **+0**.

## 7.1.8 **ToInt16** ( *argument* )

The abstract operation ToInt16 converts *argument* to one of  $2^{16}$  integer values in the range -32768 through 32767, inclusive. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let number be ? ToNumber(argument).
- 2. If number is NaN, +0, -0,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return +0.
- 3. Let *int* be the Number value that is the same sign as *number* and whose magnitude is floor(abs(*number*)).
- 4. Let int16bit be  $int modulo 2^{16}$ .
- 5. If  $int16bit \ge 2^{15}$ , return  $int16bit 2^{16}$ ; otherwise return int16bit.

## 7.1.9 ToUint16 (argument)

The abstract operation ToUint16 converts *argument* to one of  $2^{16}$  integer values in the range 0 through  $2^{16}$  - 1, inclusive. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let number be ? ToNumber(argument).
- 2. If *number* is NaN, +0, -0,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return +0.
- 3. Let *int* be the Number value that is the same sign as *number* and whose magnitude is floor(abs(*number*)).
- 4. Let int16bit be  $int modulo 2^{16}$ .
- 5. Return int16bit.

#### NOTE

Given the above definition of ToUint16:

- The substitution of  $2^{16}$  for  $2^{32}$  in step 4 is the only difference between ToUint32 and ToUint16.
- ToUint16 maps -0 to +0.

### 7.1.10 ToInt8 (argument)

The abstract operation ToInt8 converts *argument* to one of  $2^8$  integer values in the range -128 through 127, inclusive. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let number be? ToNumber(argument).
- 2. If number is NaN, +0, -0,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return +0.
- 3. Let *int* be the Number value that is the same sign as *number* and whose magnitude is floor(abs(*number*)).
- 4. Let int8bit be  $int modulo 2^8$ .
- 5. If  $int8bit \ge 2^7$ , return  $int8bit 2^8$ ; otherwise return int8bit.

## **7.1.11 ToUint8 (** *argument* )

The abstract operation ToUint8 converts *argument* to one of  $2^8$  integer values in the range 0 through 255, inclusive. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let number be? ToNumber(argument).
- 2. If number is NaN, +0, -0,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return +0.
- 3. Let *int* be the Number value that is the same sign as *number* and whose magnitude is floor(abs(*number*)).
- 4. Let int8bit be  $int modulo 2^8$ .
- 5. Return int8bit.

## 7.1.12 ToUint8Clamp (argument)

The abstract operation ToUint8Clamp converts *argument* to one of 2<sup>8</sup> integer values in the range 0 through 255, inclusive. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let *number* be ? ToNumber(*argument*).
- 2. If number is NaN, return +0.

- 3. If  $number \le 0$ , return +0.
- 4. If  $number \ge 255$ , return 255.
- 5. Let *f* be floor(*number*).
- 6. If f + 0.5 < number, return f + 1.
- 7. If number < f + 0.5, return *f*.
- 8. If f is odd, return f + 1.
- 9. Return f.

NOTE

Unlike the other ECMAScript integer conversion abstract operation, ToUint8Clamp rounds rather than truncates non-integer values and does not convert +∞ to 0. ToUint8Clamp does "round half to even" tie-breaking. This differs from **Math.round** which does "round half up" tie-breaking.

### 7.1.13 ToBigInt (argument)

The abstract operation ToBigInt converts its argument *argument* to a BigInt value, or throws if an implicit conversion from Number would be required.

- 1. Let prim be? ToPrimitive(argument, hint Number).
- 2. Return the value that *prim* corresponds to in Table 12.

**Argument Type** Result Undefined Throw a **TypeError** exception. Null Throw a **TypeError** exception. Boolean Return **1n** if *prim* is **true** and **0n** if *prim* is **false**. **BigInt** Return prim. Number Throw a **TypeError** exception. String 1. Let *n* be ! StringToBigInt(*prim*). 2. If *n* is **NaN**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception. 3. Return *n*. Symbol Throw a **TypeError** exception.

**Table 12: BigInt Conversions** 

## 7.1.14 StringToBigInt (argument)

Apply the algorithm in 7.1.4.1 with the following changes:

- Replace the *StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral* production with *DecimalDigits* to not allow **Infinity**, decimal points, or exponents.
- If the MV is NaN, return NaN, otherwise return the BigInt which exactly corresponds to the MV, rather than rounding to a Number.

## 7.1.15 ToBigInt64 (argument)

The abstract operation ToBigInt64 converts *argument* to one of  $2^{64}$  integer values in the range  $-2^{63}$  through  $2^{63}$ -1, inclusive. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let *n* be ? ToBigInt(argument).
- 2. Let int64bit be  $n \mod 2^{64}$ .
- 3. If  $int64bit \ge 2^{63}$ , return  $int64bit 2^{64}$ ; otherwise return int64bit.

## 7.1.16 ToBigUint64 (argument)

The abstract operation ToBigUint64 converts *argument* to one of  $2^{64}$  integer values in the range 0 through  $2^{64}$ -1, inclusive. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Let *n* be ? ToBigInt(argument).
- 2. Let int64bit be n modulo  $2^{64}$ .
- 3. Return int64bit.

## 7.1.17 ToString (argument)

The abstract operation ToString converts *argument* to a value of type String according to Table 13:

**Table 13: ToString Conversions** 

Argument Type	Result
Undefined	Return "undefined".
Null	Return " <b>null</b> ".
Boolean	If argument is <b>true</b> , return <b>"true"</b> .  If argument is <b>false</b> , return <b>"false"</b> .
Number	Return! Number::toString(argument).
String	Return argument.
Symbol	Throw a <b>TypeError</b> exception.
BigInt	Return! BigInt::toString(argument).
Object	Apply the following steps:  1. Let primValue be ? ToPrimitive(argument, hint String). 2. Return ? ToString(primValue).

## 7.1.18 ToObject (argument)

The abstract operation ToObject converts argument to a value of type Object according to Table 14:

**Table 14: ToObject Conversions** 

Argument Type	Result
Undefined	Throw a <b>TypeError</b> exception.
Null	Throw a <b>TypeError</b> exception.
Boolean	Return a new Boolean object whose [[BooleanData]] internal slot is set to <i>argument</i> . See 19.3 for a description of Boolean objects.
Number	Return a new Number object whose [[NumberData]] internal slot is set to <i>argument</i> . See 20.1 for a description of Number objects.
String	Return a new String object whose [[StringData]] internal slot is set to <i>argument</i> . See 21.1 for a description of String objects.
Symbol	Return a new Symbol object whose [[SymbolData]] internal slot is set to <i>argument</i> . See 19.4 for a description of Symbol objects.
BigInt	Return a new BigInt object whose [[BigIntData]] internal slot is set to <i>argument</i> . See 20.2 for a description of BigInt objects.
Object	Return argument.

## 7.1.19 ToPropertyKey (argument)

The abstract operation ToPropertyKey converts *argument* to a value that can be used as a property key by performing the following steps:

- 1. Let *key* be ? ToPrimitive(*argument*, hint String).
- 2. If Type(key) is Symbol, then
  - a. Return key.
- 3. Return! ToString(key).

## 7.1.20 ToLength (argument)

The abstract operation ToLength converts *argument* to an integer suitable for use as the length of an array-like object. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *len* be ? ToInteger(*argument*).
- 2. If  $len \leq +0$ , return +0.
- 3. Return  $min(len, 2^{53} 1)$ .

## 7.1.21 CanonicalNumericIndexString (argument)

The abstract operation CanonicalNumericIndexString returns *argument* converted to a Number value if it is a String representation of a Number that would be produced by ToString, or the string "-0". Otherwise, it returns **undefined**.

This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. Assert: Type(argument) is String.
- 2. If argument is "-0", return -0.
- 3. Let *n* be ! ToNumber(argument).
- 4. If SameValue(! ToString(n), argument) is false, return undefined.
- 5. Return *n*.

A *canonical numeric string* is any String value for which the CanonicalNumericIndexString abstract operation does not return **undefined**.

### 7.1.22 ToIndex (value)

The abstract operation ToIndex returns *value* argument converted to a non-negative integer if it is a valid integer index value. This abstract operation functions as follows:

- 1. If value is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let index be 0.
- 2. Else.
  - a. Let integerIndex be? ToInteger(value).
  - b. If *integerIndex* < 0, throw a **RangeError** exception.
  - c. Let *index* be ! ToLength(*integerIndex*).
  - d. If ! Same Value (integer Index, index) is false, throw a Range Error exception.
- 3. Return index.

## 7.2 Testing and Comparison Operations

## 7.2.1 RequireObjectCoercible (argument)

The abstract operation RequireObjectCoercible throws an error if *argument* is a value that cannot be converted to an Object using ToObject. It is defined by Table 15:

Table 15: RequireObjectCoercible Results

Argument Type	Result
Undefined	Throw a <b>TypeError</b> exception.
Null	Throw a <b>TypeError</b> exception.
Boolean	Return argument.
Number	Return argument.
String	Return argument.
Symbol	Return argument.
BigInt	Return argument.
Object	Return argument.

## 7.2.2 IsArray (argument)

The abstract operation IsArray takes one argument *argument*, and performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(argument) is not Object, return false.
- 2. If argument is an Array exotic object, return true.
- 3. If argument is a Proxy exotic object, then
  - a. If argument.[[ProxyHandler]] is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. Let target be argument.[[ProxyTarget]].
  - c. Return ? IsArray(target).
- 4. Return false.

### 7.2.3 IsCallable (argument)

The abstract operation IsCallable determines if *argument*, which must be an ECMAScript language value, is a callable function with a [[Call]] internal method.

- 1. If Type(argument) is not Object, return false.
- 2. If argument has a [[Call]] internal method, return true.
- Return false.

## 7.2.4 IsConstructor (argument)

The abstract operation IsConstructor determines if *argument*, which must be an ECMAScript language value, is a function object with a [[Construct]] internal method.

- 1. If Type(argument) is not Object, return false.
- 2. If *argument* has a [[Construct]] internal method, return **true**.
- 3. Return false.

### **7.2.5** IsExtensible ( *O* )

The abstract operation IsExtensible is used to determine whether additional properties can be added to the object that is *O*. A Boolean value is returned. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Return? O.[[IsExtensible]]().

## 7.2.6 IsInteger (argument)

The abstract operation IsInteger determines if argument is a finite integer Number value.

- 1. If Type(argument) is not Number, return **false**.
- 2. If argument is NaN,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return false.
- 3. If  $floor(abs(argument)) \neq abs(argument)$ , return false.
- 4. Return true.

### 7.2.7 IsNonNegativeInteger ( argument )

The abstract operation IsNonNegativeInteger determines if argument is non-negative integer Number value.

- 1. If ! IsInteger(argument) is **true** and argument  $\geq 0$ , return **true**.
- 2. Otherwise, return false.

### 7.2.8 IsPropertyKey (argument)

The abstract operation IsPropertyKey determines if *argument*, which must be an ECMAScript language value, is a value that may be used as a property key.

- 1. If Type(argument) is String, return true.
- 2. If Type(argument) is Symbol, return **true**.
- 3. Return false.

### 7.2.9 IsRegExp (argument)

The abstract operation IsRegExp with argument *argument* performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(argument) is not Object, return false.
- 2. Let *matcher* be ? Get(*argument*, @@match).
- 3. If *matcher* is not **undefined**, return! ToBoolean(*matcher*).
- 4. If argument has a [[RegExpMatcher]] internal slot, return true.
- 5. Return false.

## 7.2.10 IsStringPrefix (p, q)

The abstract operation IsStringPrefix determines if String p is a prefix of String q.

- 1. Assert: Type(p) is String.
- 2. Assert: Type(q) is String.
- 3. If *q* can be the string-concatenation of *p* and some other String *r*, return **true**. Otherwise, return **false**.

**NOTE** 

Any String is a prefix of itself, because *r* may be the empty String.

## **7.2.11** SameValue (x, y)

The internal comparison abstract operation SameValue(x, y), where x and y are ECMAScript language values, produces **true** or **false**. Such a comparison is performed as follows:

- 1. If Type(x) is different from Type(y), return **false**.
- 2. If Type(x) is Number or BigInt, then
  - a. Return ! Type(x)::sameValue(x, y).
- 3. Return ! SameValueNonNumeric(x, y).

**NOTE** 

This algorithm differs from the Strict Equality Comparison Algorithm in its treatment of signed zeroes and NaNs.

## 7.2.12 SameValueZero (x, y)

The internal comparison abstract operation SameValueZero(x, y), where x and y are ECMAScript language values, produces **true** or **false**. Such a comparison is performed as follows:

- 1. If Type(x) is different from Type(y), return **false**.
- 2. If Type(x) is Number or BigInt, then
  - a. Return ! Type(x)::sameValueZero(x, y).
- 3. Return ! SameValueNonNumeric(x, y).

NOTE

SameValueZero differs from SameValue only in its treatment of +0 and -0.

## 7.2.13 SameValueNonNumeric (x, y)

The internal comparison abstract operation SameValueNonNumeric(x, y), where neither x nor y are numeric type values, produces **true** or **false**. Such a comparison is performed as follows:

- 1. Assert: Type(x) is not Number or BigInt.
- 2. Assert: Type(x) is the same as Type(y).
- 3. If Type(x) is Undefined, return true.
- 4. If Type(x) is Null, return **true**.
- 5. If Type(x) is String, then
  - a. If *x* and *y* are exactly the same sequence of code units (same length and same code units at corresponding indices), return **true**; otherwise, return **false**.
- 6. If Type(x) is Boolean, then
  - a. If *x* and *y* are both **true** or both **false**, return **true**; otherwise, return **false**.
- 7. If Type(x) is Symbol, then
  - a. If *x* and *y* are both the same Symbol value, return **true**; otherwise, return **false**.
- 8. If *x* and *y* are the same Object value, return **true**. Otherwise, return **false**.

## 7.2.14 Abstract Relational Comparison

The comparison x < y, where x and y are values, produces **true**, **false**, or **undefined** (which indicates that at least one operand is **NaN**). In addition to x and y the algorithm takes a Boolean flag named LeftFirst as a parameter. The flag is used to control the order in which operations with potentially visible side-effects are performed upon x and y. It is necessary because ECMAScript specifies left to right evaluation of expressions. The default value of LeftFirst is **true** and indicates that the x parameter corresponds to an expression that occurs to the left of the y parameter's corresponding expression. If LeftFirst is **false**, the reverse is the case and operations must be performed upon y before x. Such a comparison is performed as follows:

- 1. If the *LeftFirst* flag is **true**, then
  - a. Let px be ? ToPrimitive(x, hint Number).
  - b. Let *py* be ? ToPrimitive(*y*, hint Number).
- 2. Else,
  - a. NOTE: The order of evaluation needs to be reversed to preserve left to right evaluation.
  - b. Let *py* be ? ToPrimitive(*y*, hint Number).
  - c. Let px be ? ToPrimitive(x, hint Number).
- 3. If Type(px) is String and Type(py) is String, then

- a. If IsStringPrefix(py, px) is **true**, return **false**.
- b. If IsStringPrefix(px, py) is **true**, return **true**.
- c. Let k be the smallest nonnegative integer such that the code unit at index k within px is different from the code unit at index k within py. (There must be such a k, for neither String is a prefix of the other.)
- d. Let m be the integer that is the numeric value of the code unit at index k within px.
- e. Let *n* be the integer that is the numeric value of the code unit at index *k* within *py*.
- f. If m < n, return **true**. Otherwise, return **false**.
- 4. Else,
  - a. If Type(px) is BigInt and Type(py) is String, then
    - i. Let *ny* be ! StringToBigInt(*py*).
    - ii. If *ny* is **NaN**, return **undefined**.
    - iii. Return BigInt::lessThan(px, ny).
  - b. If Type(px) is String and Type(py) is BigInt, then
    - i. Let nx be ! StringToBigInt(px).
    - ii. If *nx* is **NaN**, return **undefined**.
    - iii. Return BigInt::lessThan(*nx*, *py*).
  - c. NOTE: Because px and py are primitive values, evaluation order is not important.
  - d. Let nx be ? ToNumeric(px).
  - e. Let *ny* be ? ToNumeric(*py*).
  - f. If Type(nx) is the same as Type(ny), return Type(nx)::lessThan(nx, ny).
  - g. Assert: Type(nx) is BigInt and Type(ny) is Number, or Type(nx) is Number and Type(ny) is BigInt.
  - h. If *nx* or *ny* is **NaN**, return **undefined**.
  - i. If nx is  $-\infty$  or ny is  $+\infty$ , return **true**.
  - j. If nx is  $+\infty$  or ny is  $-\infty$ , return **false**.
  - k. If the mathematical value of *nx* is less than the mathematical value of *ny*, return **true**; otherwise return **false**.

NOTE 1

Step 3 differs from step 7 in the algorithm for the addition operator + (12.8.3) by using the logical-and operation instead of the logical-or operation.

NOTE 2

The comparison of Strings uses a simple lexicographic ordering on sequences of code unit values. There is no attempt to use the more complex, semantically oriented definitions of character or string equality and collating order defined in the Unicode specification. Therefore String values that are canonically equal according to the Unicode standard could test as unequal. In effect this algorithm assumes that both Strings are already in normalized form. Also, note that for strings containing supplementary characters, lexicographic ordering on sequences of UTF-16 code unit values differs from that on sequences of code point values.

## 7.2.15 Abstract Equality Comparison

The comparison x == y, where x and y are values, produces **true** or **false**. Such a comparison is performed as follows:

- 1. If Type(x) is the same as Type(y), then
  - a. Return the result of performing Strict Equality Comparison x === y.
- 2. If *x* is **null** and *y* is **undefined**, return **true**.
- 3. If *x* is **undefined** and *y* is **null**, return **true**.

- 4. If Type(x) is Number and Type(y) is String, return the result of the comparison x == ! ToNumber(y).
- 5. If Type(x) is String and Type(y) is Number, return the result of the comparison! ToNumber(x) == y.
- 6. If Type(x) is BigInt and Type(y) is String, then
  - a. Let *n* be ! StringToBigInt(*y*).
  - b. If *n* is **NaN**, return **false**.
  - c. Return the result of the comparison x == n.
- 7. If Type(x) is String and Type(y) is BigInt, return the result of the comparison y == x.
- 8. If Type(x) is Boolean, return the result of the comparison! ToNumber(x) == y.
- 9. If Type(y) is Boolean, return the result of the comparison x == ! ToNumber(y).
- 10. If Type(x) is either String, Number, BigInt, or Symbol and Type(y) is Object, return the result of the comparison x == ToPrimitive(y).
- 11. If Type(x) is Object and Type(y) is either String, Number, BigInt, or Symbol, return the result of the comparison ToPrimitive(x) == y.
- 12. If Type(x) is BigInt and Type(y) is Number, or if Type(x) is Number and Type(y) is BigInt, then
  - a. If *x* or *y* are any of NaN,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return false.
  - b. If the mathematical value of *x* is equal to the mathematical value of *y*, return **true**; otherwise return **false**.
- 13. Return false.

## 7.2.16 Strict Equality Comparison

The comparison x === y, where x and y are values, produces **true** or **false**. Such a comparison is performed as follows:

- 1. If Type(x) is different from Type(y), return **false**.
- 2. If Type(x) is Number or BigInt, then
  - a. Return! Type(x)::equal(x, y).
- 3. Return ! SameValueNonNumeric(x, y).

**NOTE** 

This algorithm differs from the SameValue Algorithm in its treatment of signed zeroes and NaNs.

## 7.3 Operations on Objects

## 7.3.1 MakeBasicObject (internalSlotsList)

The abstract operation MakeBasicObject is the source of all ECMAScript objects that are created algorithmically, including both ordinary objects and exotic objects. It factors out common steps used in creating all objects, and centralizes object creation.

- 1. Assert: *internalSlotsList* is a List of internal slot names.
- 2. Let *obj* be a newly created object with an internal slot for each name in *internalSlotsList*.
- 3. Set *obj*'s essential internal methods to the default ordinary object definitions specified in 9.1.
- 4. Assert: If the caller will not be overriding both *obj*'s [[GetPrototypeOf]] and [[SetPrototypeOf]] essential internal methods, then *internalSlotsList* contains [[Prototype]].
- 5. Assert: If the caller will not be overriding all of *obj*'s [[SetPrototypeOf]], [[IsExtensible]], and [[PreventExtensions]] essential internal methods, then *internalSlotsList* contains [[Extensible]].
- 6. If *internalSlotsList* contains [[Extensible]], then set *obj*.[[Extensible]] to **true**.

7. Return obj.

NOTE

Within this specification, exotic objects are created in abstract operations such as ArrayCreate and BoundFunctionCreate by first calling MakeBasicObject to obtain a basic, foundational object, and then overriding some or all of that object's internal methods. In order to encapsulate exotic object creation, the object's essential internal methods are never modified outside those operations.

### 7.3.2 Get (O, P)

The abstract operation Get is used to retrieve the value of a specific property of an object. The operation is called with arguments O and P where O is the object and P is the property key. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(*O*) is Object.
- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. Return ? *O*.[[Get]](*P*, *O*).

### 7.3.3 GetV(V, P)

The abstract operation GetV is used to retrieve the value of a specific property of an ECMAScript language value. If the value is not an object, the property lookup is performed using a wrapper object appropriate for the type of the value. The operation is called with arguments V and P where V is the value and P is the property key. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let O be ? ToObject(V).
- 3. Return ? *O*.[[Get]](*P*, *V*).

### 7.3.4 Set (*O*, *P*, *V*, *Throw*)

The abstract operation Set is used to set the value of a specific property of an object. The operation is called with arguments O, P, V, and Throw where O is the object, P is the property key, V is the new value for the property and Throw is a Boolean flag. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. Assert: Type(*Throw*) is Boolean.
- 4. Let *success* be ? O.[[Set]](*P*, *V*, *O*).
- 5. If *success* is **false** and *Throw* is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Return success.

## 7.3.5 CreateDataProperty (O, P, V)

The abstract operation CreateDataProperty is used to create a new own property of an object. The operation is called with arguments O, P, and V where O is the object, P is the property key, and V is the value for the property. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.

- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. Let *newDesc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *V*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **true**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- 4. Return ? O.[[DefineOwnProperty]](P, newDesc).

NOTE

This abstract operation creates a property whose attributes are set to the same defaults used for properties created by the ECMAScript language assignment operator. Normally, the property will not already exist. If it does exist and is not configurable or if O is not extensible, [[DefineOwnProperty]] will return **false**.

## 7.3.6 CreateMethodProperty (O, P, V)

The abstract operation CreateMethodProperty is used to create a new own property of an object. The operation is called with arguments O, P, and V where O is the object, P is the property key, and V is the value for the property. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. Let *newDesc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *V*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- 4. Return? O.[[DefineOwnProperty]](P, newDesc).

NOTE

This abstract operation creates a property whose attributes are set to the same defaults used for built-in methods and methods defined using class declaration syntax. Normally, the property will not already exist. If it does exist and is not configurable or if O is not extensible, [[DefineOwnProperty]] will return **false**.

## 7.3.7 CreateDataPropertyOrThrow (O, P, V)

The abstract operation CreateDataPropertyOrThrow is used to create a new own property of an object. It throws a **TypeError** exception if the requested property update cannot be performed. The operation is called with arguments O, P, and V where O is the object, P is the property key, and V is the value for the property. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. Let *success* be ? CreateDataProperty(O, P, V).
- 4. If *success* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Return success.

NOTE

This abstract operation creates a property whose attributes are set to the same defaults used for properties created by the ECMAScript language assignment operator. Normally, the property will not already exist. If it does exist and is not configurable or if *O* is not extensible, [[DefineOwnProperty]] will return **false** causing this operation to throw a **TypeError** exception.

### 7.3.8 DefinePropertyOrThrow (O, P, desc)

The abstract operation DefinePropertyOrThrow is used to call the [[DefineOwnProperty]] internal method of an object in a manner that will throw a **TypeError** exception if the requested property update cannot be performed. The operation is called with arguments *O*, *P*, and *desc* where *O* is the object, *P* is the property key, and *desc* is the Property Descriptor for the property. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. Let *success* be ? O.[[DefineOwnProperty]](*P*, *desc*).
- 4. If *success* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Return success.

## 7.3.9 DeletePropertyOrThrow (O, P)

The abstract operation DeletePropertyOrThrow is used to remove a specific own property of an object. It throws an exception if the property is not configurable. The operation is called with arguments O and P where O is the object and P is the property key. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. Let success be ? O.[[Delete]](P).
- 4. If *success* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Return success.

## 7.3.10 GetMethod (V, P)

The abstract operation GetMethod is used to get the value of a specific property of an ECMAScript language value when the value of the property is expected to be a function. The operation is called with arguments V and P where V is the ECMAScript language value, P is the property key. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let func be ? GetV(V, P).
- 3. If *func* is either **undefined** or **null**, return **undefined**.
- 4. If IsCallable(func) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Return func.

## 7.3.11 HasProperty (O, P)

The abstract operation HasProperty is used to determine whether an object has a property with the specified property key. The property may be either an own or inherited. A Boolean value is returned. The operation is called with arguments O and P where O is the object and P is the property key. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. Return ? O.[[HasProperty]](*P*).

## 7.3.12 HasOwnProperty (O, P)

The abstract operation HasOwnProperty is used to determine whether an object has an own property with the specified property key. A Boolean value is returned. The operation is called with arguments O and P where O is the object and P is the property key. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. Let *desc* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
- 4. If *desc* is **undefined**, return **false**.
- 5. Return true.

### 7.3.13 Call (*F*, *V* [ , *argumentsList* ])

The abstract operation Call is used to call the [[Call]] internal method of a function object. The operation is called with arguments F, V, and optionally argumentsList where F is the function object, V is an ECMAScript language value that is the **this** value of the [[Call]], and argumentsList is the value passed to the corresponding argument of the internal method. If argumentsList is not present, a new empty List is used as its value. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If argumentsList is not present, set argumentsList to a new empty List.
- 2. If IsCallable(*F*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Return ? F.[[Call]](V, argumentsList).

## 7.3.14 Construct (F[, argumentsList[, newTarget]])

The abstract operation Construct is used to call the [[Construct]] internal method of a function object. The operation is called with arguments F, and optionally argumentsList, and newTarget where F is the function object. argumentsList and newTarget are the values to be passed as the corresponding arguments of the internal method. If argumentsList is not present, a new empty List is used as its value. If newTarget is not present, F is used as its value. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If *newTarget* is not present, set *newTarget* to *F*.
- 2. If argumentsList is not present, set argumentsList to a new empty List.
- 3. Assert: IsConstructor(*F*) is **true**.
- 4. Assert: IsConstructor(newTarget) is true.
- 5. Return ? F.[[Construct]](argumentsList, newTarget).

NOTE

If newTarget is not present, this operation is equivalent to: **new F(...argumentsList)** 

## 7.3.15 SetIntegrityLevel (O, level)

The abstract operation SetIntegrityLevel is used to fix the set of own properties of an object. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Assert: *level* is either sealed or frozen.
- 3. Let *status* be ? O.[[PreventExtensions]]().

- 4. If *status* is **false**, return **false**.
- 5. Let *keys* be ? O.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 6. If *level* is **sealed**, then
  - a. For each element *k* of *keys*, do
    - i. Perform? DefinePropertyOrThrow(O, k, PropertyDescriptor { [[Configurable]]: false }).
- 7. Else,
  - a. Assert: level is frozen.
  - b. For each element *k* of *keys*, do
    - i. Let *currentDesc* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](*k*).
    - ii. If *currentDesc* is not **undefined**, then
      - 1. If IsAccessorDescriptor(currentDesc) is **true**, then
        - a. Let *desc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Configurable]]: **false** }.
      - 2. Else,
        - a. Let *desc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Configurable]]: **false**, [[Writable]]: **false** }.
      - 3. Perform ? DefinePropertyOrThrow(O, k, desc).
- 8. Return true.

### 7.3.16 TestIntegrityLevel (O, level)

The abstract operation TestIntegrityLevel is used to determine if the set of own properties of an object are fixed. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(*O*) is Object.
- 2. Assert: level is either sealed or frozen.
- 3. Let extensible be ? IsExtensible(O).
- 4. If extensible is **true**, return **false**.
- 5. NOTE: If the object is extensible, none of its properties are examined.
- 6. Let *keys* be ? O.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 7. For each element *k* of *keys*, do
  - a. Let *currentDesc* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](*k*).
  - b. If *currentDesc* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. If *currentDesc*.[[Configurable]] is **true**, return **false**.
    - ii. If level is frozen and IsDataDescriptor(currentDesc) is true, then
      - 1. If *currentDesc*.[[Writable]] is **true**, return **false**.
- 8. Return true.

## 7.3.17 CreateArrayFromList (elements)

The abstract operation CreateArrayFromList is used to create an Array object whose elements are provided by a List. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: elements is a List whose elements are all ECMAScript language values.
- 2. Let array be! ArrayCreate(0).
- 3. Let *n* be 0.
- 4. For each element *e* of *elements*, do
  - a. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(array,! ToString(n), e).
  - b. Set n to n + 1.
- Return array.

## 7.3.18 LengthOfArrayLike (obj)

The abstract operation LengthOfArrayLike returns the value of the "length" property of an array-like object.

- 1. Assert: Type(obj) is Object.
- 2. Return ? ToLength(? Get(obj, "length")).

An *array-like object* is any object for which this operation returns an integer rather than an abrupt completion.

NOTE 1 Typically, an array-like object would also have some properties with integer index names. However, that is not a requirement of this definition.

NOTE 2 Array objects and String objects are examples of array-like objects.

### 7.3.19 CreateListFromArrayLike ( obj [ , elementTypes ] )

The abstract operation CreateListFromArrayLike is used to create a List value whose elements are provided by the indexed properties of an array-like object, *obj*. The optional argument *elementTypes* is a List containing the names of ECMAScript Language Types that are allowed for element values of the List that is created. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If *elementTypes* is not present, set *elementTypes* to « Undefined, Null, Boolean, String, Symbol, Number, BigInt, Object ».
- 2. If Type(*obj*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(*obj*).
- 4. Let *list* be a new empty List.
- 5. Let index be 0.
- 6. Repeat, while *index* < *len* 
  - a. Let *indexName* be ! ToString(*index*).
  - b. Let *next* be ? Get(*obj*, *indexName*).
  - c. If Type(*next*) is not an element of *elementTypes*, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - d. Append *next* as the last element of *list*.
  - e. Set index to index + 1.
- 7. Return list.

## 7.3.20 Invoke (V, P[, argumentsList])

The abstract operation Invoke is used to call a method property of an ECMAScript language value. The operation is called with arguments V, P, and optionally argumentsList where V serves as both the lookup point for the property and the **this** value of the call, P is the property key, and argumentsList is the list of arguments values passed to the method. If argumentsList is not present, a new empty List is used as its value. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. If argumentsList is not present, set argumentsList to a new empty List.
- 3. Let func be ? GetV(V, P).
- 4. Return ? Call(func, V, argumentsList).

## 7.3.21 OrdinaryHasInstance (C, O)

The abstract operation OrdinaryHasInstance implements the default algorithm for determining if an object *O* inherits from the instance object inheritance path provided by constructor *C*. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If IsCallable(*C*) is **false**, return **false**.
- 2. If C has a [[BoundTargetFunction]] internal slot, then
  - a. Let BC be C.[[BoundTargetFunction]].
  - b. Return? InstanceofOperator(O, BC).
- 3. If Type(O) is not Object, return **false**.
- 4. Let *P* be ? Get(*C*, "prototype").
- 5. If Type(*P*) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 6. Repeat,
  - a. Set O to ? O.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
  - b. If *O* is **null**, return **false**.
  - c. If SameValue(*P*, *O*) is **true**, return **true**.

### 7.3.22 SpeciesConstructor ( O, defaultConstructor )

The abstract operation SpeciesConstructor is used to retrieve the constructor that should be used to create new objects that are derived from the argument object *O*. The *defaultConstructor* argument is the constructor to use if a constructor @@species property cannot be found starting from *O*. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Let *C* be ? Get(*O*, "constructor").
- 3. If *C* is **undefined**, return *defaultConstructor*.
- 4. If Type(*C*) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 5. Let S be ? Get(C, @@species).
- 6. If *S* is either **undefined** or **null**, return *defaultConstructor*.
- 7. If IsConstructor(*S*) is **true**, return *S*.
- 8. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

## 7.3.23 EnumerableOwnPropertyNames (O, kind)

When the abstract operation EnumerableOwnPropertyNames is called with an Object *O* and *kind* which is one of (key, value, key+value), the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Let ownKeys be ? O.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 3. Let properties be a new empty List.
- 4. For each element *key* of *ownKeys* in List order, do
  - a. If Type(key) is String, then
    - i. Let *desc* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](*key*).
    - ii. If *desc* is not **undefined** and *desc*.[[Enumerable]] is **true**, then
      - 1. If kind is key, append key to properties.
      - 2. Else,
        - a. Let value be ? Get(O, key).
        - b. If kind is value, append value to properties.

- c. Else,
  - i. Assert: *kind* is key+value.
  - ii. Let entry be! CreateArrayFromList(« key, value »).
  - iii. Append entry to properties.
- 5. Return properties.

## 7.3.24 GetFunctionRealm (obj)

The abstract operation GetFunctionRealm with argument *obj* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: ! IsCallable(*obj*) is **true**.
- 2. If obj has a [[Realm]] internal slot, then
  - a. Return obj.[[Realm]].
- 3. If *obj* is a bound function exotic object, then
  - a. Let *target* be *obj*.[[BoundTargetFunction]].
  - b. Return ? GetFunctionRealm(target).
- 4. If *obj* is a Proxy exotic object, then
  - a. If *obj*.[[ProxyHandler]] is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. Let *proxyTarget* be *obj*.[[ProxyTarget]].
  - c. Return ? GetFunctionRealm(proxyTarget).
- 5. Return the current Realm Record.

**NOTE** 

Step 5 will only be reached if *obj* is a non-standard function exotic object that does not have a [[Realm]] internal slot.

## 7.3.25 CopyDataProperties (target, source, excludedItems)

When the abstract operation CopyDataProperties is called with arguments *target*, *source*, and *excludedItems*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Type(target) is Object.
- 2. Assert: *excludedItems* is a List of property keys.
- 3. If *source* is **undefined** or **null**, return *target*.
- 4. Let from be! ToObject(source).
- 5. Let *keys* be ? *from*.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 6. For each element nextKey of keys in List order, do
  - a. Let excluded be false.
  - b. For each element *e* of *excludedItems* in List order, do
    - i. If SameValue(*e*, *nextKey*) is **true**, then
      - 1. Set excluded to true.
  - c. If excluded is **false**, then
    - i. Let *desc* be ? *from*.[[GetOwnProperty]](*nextKey*).
    - ii. If desc is not **undefined** and desc.[[Enumerable]] is **true**, then
      - 1. Let *propValue* be ? Get(*from*, *nextKey*).
      - 2. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(target, nextKey, propValue).
- 7. Return target.

## 7.4 Operations on Iterator Objects

See Common Iteration Interfaces (25.1).

## **7.4.1 GetIterator** ( *obj* [ , *hint* [ , *method* ] ] )

The abstract operation GetIterator with argument *obj* and optional arguments *hint* and *method* performs the following steps:

- 1. If *hint* is not present, set *hint* to sync.
- 2. Assert: *hint* is either sync or async.
- 3. If method is not present, then
  - a. If *hint* is **async**, then
    - i. Set *method* to ? GetMethod(*obj*, @@asyncIterator).
    - ii. If method is **undefined**, then
      - 1. Let *syncMethod* be ? GetMethod(*obj*, @@iterator).
      - 2. Let *syncIteratorRecord* be ? GetIterator(*obj*, sync, *syncMethod*).
      - 3. Return! CreateAsyncFromSyncIterator(syncIteratorRecord).
  - b. Otherwise, set *method* to ? GetMethod(*obj*, @@iterator).
- 4. Let iterator be ? Call(method, obj).
- 5. If Type(*iterator*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Let nextMethod be ? GetV(iterator, "next").
- 7. Let *iteratorRecord* be the Record { [[Iterator]]: *iterator*, [[NextMethod]]: *nextMethod*, [[Done]]: **false** }.
- 8. Return iteratorRecord.

## 7.4.2 IteratorNext (iteratorRecord[, value])

The abstract operation IteratorNext with argument *iteratorRecord* and optional argument *value* performs the following steps:

- 1. If value is not present, then
  - a. Let result be ? Call(iteratorRecord.[[NextMethod]], iteratorRecord.[[Iterator]]).
- 2. Else.
  - a. Let result be ? Call(iteratorRecord.[[NextMethod]], iteratorRecord.[[Iterator]], « value »).
- 3. If Type(result) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 4. Return result.

## 7.4.3 IteratorComplete ( iterResult )

The abstract operation IteratorComplete with argument *iterResult* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(iterResult) is Object.
- 2. Return! ToBoolean(? Get(iterResult, "done")).

#### 7.4.4 IteratorValue (iterResult)

The abstract operation IteratorValue with argument *iterResult* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(iterResult) is Object.
- 2. Return ? Get(iterResult, "value").

### 7.4.5 IteratorStep (iteratorRecord)

The abstract operation IteratorStep with argument <code>iteratorRecord</code> requests the next value from <code>iteratorRecord</code>.[[Iterator]] by calling <code>iteratorRecord</code>.[[NextMethod]] and returns either <code>false</code> indicating that the iterator has reached its end or the IteratorResult object if a next value is available. IteratorStep performs the following steps:

- 1. Let result be ? IteratorNext(iteratorRecord).
- 2. Let done be? IteratorComplete(result).
- 3. If *done* is **true**, return **false**.
- 4. Return result.

## 7.4.6 IteratorClose (iteratorRecord, completion)

The abstract operation IteratorClose with arguments *iteratorRecord* and *completion* is used to notify an iterator that it should perform any actions it would normally perform when it has reached its completed state:

- 1. Assert: Type(iteratorRecord.[[Iterator]]) is Object.
- 2. Assert: *completion* is a Completion Record.
- 3. Let *iterator* be *iteratorRecord*.[[Iterator]].
- 4. Let return be ? GetMethod(iterator, "return").
- 5. If return is **undefined**, return Completion(completion).
- 6. Let innerResult be Call(return, iterator).
- 7. If completion.[[Type]] is throw, return Completion(completion).
- 8. If *innerResult*.[[Type]] is throw, return Completion(*innerResult*).
- 9. If Type(innerResult.[[Value]]) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 10. Return Completion(completion).

## 7.4.7 AsyncIteratorClose (iteratorRecord, completion)

The abstract operation AsyncIteratorClose with arguments *iteratorRecord* and *completion* is used to notify an async iterator that it should perform any actions it would normally perform when it has reached its completed state:

- 1. Assert: Type(iteratorRecord.[[Iterator]]) is Object.
- 2. Assert: completion is a Completion Record.
- 3. Let *iterator* be *iteratorRecord*.[[Iterator]].
- 4. Let return be ? GetMethod(iterator, "return").
- 5. If return is **undefined**, return Completion(completion).
- 6. Let *innerResult* be Call(*return*, *iterator*).
- 7. If innerResult.[[Type]] is normal, set innerResult to Await(innerResult.[[Value]]).
- 8. If completion.[[Type]] is throw, return Completion(completion).
- 9. If *innerResult*.[[Type]] is throw, return Completion(*innerResult*).
- 10. If Type(innerResult.[[Value]]) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.

# 7.4.8 CreateIterResultObject (value, done)

The abstract operation CreateIterResultObject with arguments *value* and *done* creates an object that supports the IteratorResult interface by performing the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(done) is Boolean.
- 2. Let *obj* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 3. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "value", value).
- 4. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "done", done).
- 5. Return *obj*.

# 7.4.9 CreateListIteratorRecord (list)

The abstract operation CreateListIteratorRecord with argument *list* creates an Iterator (25.1.1.2) object record whose next method returns the successive elements of *list*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let iterator be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%IteratorPrototype%, « [[IteratedList]], [[ListNextIndex]] »).
- 2. Set *iterator*.[[IteratedList]] to *list*.
- 3. Set iterator.[[ListNextIndex]] to 0.
- 4. Let *steps* be the algorithm steps defined in ListIteratorNext Functions.
- 5. Let *next* be! CreateBuiltinFunction(*steps*, « »).
- 6. Return Record { [[Iterator]]: iterator, [[NextMethod]]: next, [[Done]]: false }.

**NOTE** 

The list iterator object is never directly accessible to ECMAScript code.

#### 7.4.9.1 ListIteratorNext Functions

A ListIteratorNext function is an anonymous built-in function. When called with no arguments, it performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 3. Assert: O has an [[IteratedList]] internal slot.
- 4. Let *list* be O.[[IteratedList]].
- 5. Let *index* be O.[[ListNextIndex]].
- 6. Let *len* be the number of elements of *list*.
- 7. If  $index \ge len$ , then
  - a. Return CreateIterResultObject(undefined, true).
- 8. Set O.[[ListNextIndex]] to index + 1.
- 9. Return CreateIterResultObject(list[index], false).

The **"length"** property of a ListIteratorNext function is 0.

# 8 Executable Code and Execution Contexts

# 8.1 Lexical Environments

A *Lexical Environment* is a specification type used to define the association of *Identifiers* to specific variables and functions based upon the lexical nesting structure of ECMAScript code. A Lexical Environment consists of an Environment Record and a possibly null reference to an *outer* Lexical Environment. Usually a Lexical Environment is associated with some specific syntactic structure of ECMAScript code such as a *FunctionDeclaration*, a *BlockStatement*, or a *Catch* clause of a *TryStatement* and a new Lexical Environment is created each time such code is evaluated.

An Environment Record records the identifier bindings that are created within the scope of its associated Lexical Environment. It is referred to as the Lexical Environment's *EnvironmentRecord*.

The outer environment reference is used to model the logical nesting of Lexical Environment values. The outer reference of a (inner) Lexical Environment is a reference to the Lexical Environment that logically surrounds the inner Lexical Environment. An outer Lexical Environment may, of course, have its own outer Lexical Environment. A Lexical Environment may serve as the outer environment for multiple inner Lexical Environments. For example, if a FunctionDeclaration contains two nested FunctionDeclarations then the Lexical Environments of each of the nested functions will have as their outer Lexical Environment the Lexical Environment of the current evaluation of the surrounding function.

A *global environment* is a Lexical Environment which does not have an outer environment. The *global environment*'s outer environment reference is **null**. A *global environment*'s EnvironmentRecord may be prepopulated with identifier bindings and includes an associated *global object* whose properties provide some of the *global environment*'s identifier bindings. As ECMAScript code is executed, additional properties may be added to the *global object* and the initial properties may be modified.

A *module environment* is a Lexical Environment that contains the bindings for the top level declarations of a *Module*. It also contains the bindings that are explicitly imported by the *Module*. The outer environment of a module environment is a global environment.

A function environment is a Lexical Environment that corresponds to the invocation of an ECMAScript function object. A function environment may establish a new **this** binding. A function environment also captures the state necessary to support **super** method invocations.

Lexical Environments and Environment Record values are purely specification mechanisms and need not correspond to any specific artefact of an ECMAScript implementation. It is impossible for an ECMAScript program to directly access or manipulate such values.

# 8.1.1 Environment Records

There are two primary kinds of *Environment Record* values used in this specification: *declarative Environment Records* and *object Environment Records*. Declarative Environment Records are used to define the effect of ECMAScript language syntactic elements such as *FunctionDeclarations*, *VariableDeclarations*, and *Catch* clauses that directly associate identifier bindings with ECMAScript language values. Object Environment Records are used to define the effect of ECMAScript elements such as *WithStatement* that associate identifier bindings with the properties of some object. Global Environment Records and function Environment Records are specializations that are used for specifically for *Script* global declarations and for top-level declarations within functions.

For specification purposes Environment Record values are values of the Record specification type and can be thought of as existing in a simple object-oriented hierarchy where Environment Record is an abstract class with three concrete subclasses, declarative Environment Record, object Environment Record, and global Environment Record. Function

Environment Records and module Environment Records are subclasses of declarative Environment Record. The abstract class includes the abstract specification methods defined in Table 16. These abstract methods have distinct concrete algorithms for each of the concrete subclasses.

**Table 16: Abstract Methods of Environment Records** 

Method	Purpose
HasBinding(N)	Determine if an Environment Record has a binding for the String value <i>N</i> . Return <b>true</b> if it does and <b>false</b> if it does not.
CreateMutableBinding(N, D)	Create a new but uninitialized mutable binding in an Environment Record. The String value $N$ is the text of the bound name. If the Boolean argument $D$ is <b>true</b> the binding may be subsequently deleted.
CreateImmutableBinding(N, S)	Create a new but uninitialized immutable binding in an Environment Record. The String value $N$ is the text of the bound name. If $S$ is <b>true</b> then attempts to set it after it has been initialized will always throw an exception, regardless of the strict mode setting of operations that reference that binding.
InitializeBinding(N, V)	Set the value of an already existing but uninitialized binding in an Environment Record. The String value $N$ is the text of the bound name. $V$ is the value for the binding and is a value of any ECMAScript language type.
SetMutableBinding(N, V, S)	Set the value of an already existing mutable binding in an Environment Record. The String value $N$ is the text of the bound name. $V$ is the value for the binding and may be a value of any ECMAScript language type. $S$ is a Boolean flag. If $S$ is <b>true</b> and the binding cannot be set throw a <b>TypeError</b> exception.
GetBindingValue(N, S)	Returns the value of an already existing binding from an Environment Record. The String value $N$ is the text of the bound name. $S$ is used to identify references originating in strict mode code or that otherwise require strict mode reference semantics. If $S$ is <b>true</b> and the binding does not exist throw a <b>ReferenceError</b> exception. If the binding exists but is uninitialized a <b>ReferenceError</b> is thrown, regardless of the value of $S$ .
DeleteBinding(N)	Delete a binding from an Environment Record. The String value $N$ is the text of the bound name. If a binding for $N$ exists, remove the binding and return <b>true</b> . If the binding exists but cannot be removed return <b>false</b> . If the binding does not exist return <b>true</b> .
HasThisBinding()	Determine if an Environment Record establishes a <b>this</b> binding. Return <b>true</b> if it does and <b>false</b> if it does not.
HasSuperBinding()	Determine if an Environment Record establishes a <b>super</b> method binding. Return <b>true</b> if it does and <b>false</b> if it does not.
WithBaseObject()	If this Environment Record is associated with a <b>with</b> statement, return the with object. Otherwise, return <b>undefined</b> .

# 8.1.1.1 Declarative Environment Records

Each declarative Environment Record is associated with an ECMAScript program scope containing variable, constant, let, class, module, import, and/or function declarations. A declarative Environment Record binds the set of identifiers defined by the declarations contained within its scope.

The behaviour of the concrete specification methods for declarative Environment Records is defined by the following algorithms.

## 8.1.1.1.1 HasBinding (N)

The concrete Environment Record method HasBinding for declarative Environment Records simply determines if the argument identifier is one of the identifiers bound by the record:

- 1. Let *envRec* be the declarative Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. If *envRec* has a binding for the name that is the value of *N*, return **true**.
- 3. Return false.

# 8.1.1.1.2 CreateMutableBinding (N, D)

The concrete Environment Record method CreateMutableBinding for declarative Environment Records creates a new mutable binding for the name N that is uninitialized. A binding must not already exist in this Environment Record for N. If Boolean argument D has the value **true** the new binding is marked as being subject to deletion.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the declarative Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* does not already have a binding for *N*.
- 3. Create a mutable binding in *envRec* for *N* and record that it is uninitialized. If *D* is **true**, record that the newly created binding may be deleted by a subsequent DeleteBinding call.
- 4. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

## 8.1.1.1.3 CreateImmutableBinding (N, S)

The concrete Environment Record method CreateImmutableBinding for declarative Environment Records creates a new immutable binding for the name N that is uninitialized. A binding must not already exist in this Environment Record for N. If the Boolean argument S has the value **true** the new binding is marked as a strict binding.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the declarative Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* does not already have a binding for *N*.
- 3. Create an immutable binding in *envRec* for *N* and record that it is uninitialized. If *S* is **true**, record that the newly created binding is a strict binding.
- 4. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

## 8.1.1.1.4 InitializeBinding (N, V)

The concrete Environment Record method InitializeBinding for declarative Environment Records is used to set the bound value of the current binding of the identifier whose name is the value of the argument N to the value of argument V. An uninitialized binding for N must already exist.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the declarative Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* must have an uninitialized binding for *N*.
- 3. Set the bound value for *N* in *envRec* to *V*.
- 4. Record that the binding for *N* in *envRec* has been initialized.
- 5. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

#### 8.1.1.1.5 SetMutableBinding (N, V, S)

The concrete Environment Record method SetMutableBinding for declarative Environment Records attempts to change the bound value of the current binding of the identifier whose name is the value of the argument N to the value of argument V. A binding for N normally already exists, but in rare cases it may not. If the binding is an immutable binding, a **TypeError** is thrown if S is **true**.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the declarative Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. If *envRec* does not have a binding for *N*, then
  - a. If *S* is **true**, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
  - b. Perform *envRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*N*, **true**).
  - c. Perform envRec.InitializeBinding(N, V).
  - d. Return NormalCompletion(empty).
- 3. If the binding for *N* in *envRec* is a strict binding, set *S* to **true**.
- 4. If the binding for *N* in *envRec* has not yet been initialized, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
- 5. Else if the binding for N in *envRec* is a mutable binding, change its bound value to V.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Assert: This is an attempt to change the value of an immutable binding.
  - b. If *S* is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 7. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

NOTE

An example of ECMAScript code that results in a missing binding at step 2 is:

```
function f() { eval("var x; x = (delete x, 0);"); }
```

#### 8.1.1.1.6 GetBindingValue (N, S)

The concrete Environment Record method GetBindingValue for declarative Environment Records simply returns the value of its bound identifier whose name is the value of the argument *N*. If the binding exists but is uninitialized a **ReferenceError** is thrown, regardless of the value of *S*.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the declarative Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* has a binding for *N*.
- 3. If the binding for *N* in *envRec* is an uninitialized binding, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
- 4. Return the value currently bound to *N* in *envRec*.

#### 8.1.1.1.7 DeleteBinding (N)

The concrete Environment Record method DeleteBinding for declarative Environment Records can only delete bindings that have been explicitly designated as being subject to deletion.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the declarative Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* has a binding for the name that is the value of *N*.
- 3. If the binding for *N* in *envRec* cannot be deleted, return **false**.
- 4. Remove the binding for *N* from *envRec*.
- 5. Return **true**.

## 8.1.1.1.8 HasThisBinding()

Regular declarative Environment Records do not provide a **this** binding.

1. Return false.

# 8.1.1.1.9 HasSuperBinding()

Regular declarative Environment Records do not provide a **super** binding.

1. Return false.

#### 8.1.1.1.10 WithBaseObject()

Declarative Environment Records always return undefined as their WithBaseObject.

1. Return undefined.

## 8.1.1.2 Object Environment Records

Each object Environment Record is associated with an object called its *binding object*. An object Environment Record binds the set of string identifier names that directly correspond to the property names of its binding object. Property keys that are not strings in the form of an *IdentifierName* are not included in the set of bound identifiers. Both own and inherited properties are included in the set regardless of the setting of their [[Enumerable]] attribute. Because properties can be dynamically added and deleted from objects, the set of identifiers bound by an object Environment Record may potentially change as a side-effect of any operation that adds or deletes properties. Any bindings that are created as a result of such a side-effect are considered to be a mutable binding even if the Writable attribute of the corresponding property has the value **false**. Immutable bindings do not exist for object Environment Records.

Object Environment Records created for **with** statements (13.11) can provide their binding object as an implicit **this** value for use in function calls. The capability is controlled by a *withEnvironment* Boolean value that is associated with each object Environment Record. By default, the value of *withEnvironment* is **false** for any object Environment Record.

The behaviour of the concrete specification methods for object Environment Records is defined by the following algorithms.

## 8.1.1.2.1 HasBinding (N)

The concrete Environment Record method HasBinding for object Environment Records determines if its associated binding object has a property whose name is the value of the argument *N*:

- 1. Let *envRec* be the object Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *bindings* be the binding object for *envRec*.
- 3. Let foundBinding be ? HasProperty(bindings, N).
- 4. If foundBinding is **false**, return **false**.
- 5. If the *withEnvironment* flag of *envRec* is **false**, return **true**.
- 6. Let unscopables be ? Get(bindings, @@unscopables).
- 7. If Type(unscopables) is Object, then
  - a. Let blocked be! ToBoolean(? Get(unscopables, N)).
  - b. If *blocked* is **true**, return **false**.
- 8. Return **true**.

#### 8.1.1.2.2 CreateMutableBinding (N, D)

The concrete Environment Record method CreateMutableBinding for object Environment Records creates in an Environment Record's associated binding object a property whose name is the String value and initializes it to the value **undefined**. If Boolean argument *D* has the value **true** the new property's [[Configurable]] attribute is set to **true**; otherwise it is set to **false**.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the object Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *bindings* be the binding object for *envRec*.
- 3. Return ? DefinePropertyOrThrow(bindings, N, PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: undefined, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: true, [[Configurable]]: D }).

**NOTE** 

Normally *envRec* will not have a binding for *N* but if it does, the semantics of DefinePropertyOrThrow may result in an existing binding being replaced or shadowed or cause an abrupt completion to be returned.

# 8.1.1.2.3 CreateImmutableBinding (N, S)

The concrete Environment Record method CreateImmutableBinding is never used within this specification in association with object Environment Records.

## 8.1.1.2.4 InitializeBinding (N, V)

The concrete Environment Record method InitializeBinding for object Environment Records is used to set the bound value of the current binding of the identifier whose name is the value of the argument N to the value of argument V. An uninitialized binding for N must already exist.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the object Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* must have an uninitialized binding for *N*.
- 3. Record that the binding for *N* in *envRec* has been initialized.
- 4. Return? envRec.SetMutableBinding(N, V, false).

**NOTE** 

In this specification, all uses of CreateMutableBinding for object Environment Records are immediately followed by a call to InitializeBinding for the same name. Hence, implementations do not need to explicitly track the initialization state of individual object Environment Record bindings.

## 8.1.1.2.5 SetMutableBinding (N, V, S)

The concrete Environment Record method SetMutableBinding for object Environment Records attempts to set the value of the Environment Record's associated binding object's property whose name is the value of the argument N to the value of argument V. A property named N normally already exists but if it does not or is not currently writable, error handling is determined by the value of the Boolean argument S.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the object Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *bindings* be the binding object for *envRec*.
- 3. Return ? Set(bindings, N, V, S).

#### 8.1.1.2.6 GetBindingValue (N, S)

The concrete Environment Record method GetBindingValue for object Environment Records returns the value of its

associated binding object's property whose name is the String value of the argument identifier *N*. The property should already exist but if it does not the result depends upon the value of the *S* argument:

- 1. Let *envRec* be the object Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let bindings be the binding object for envRec.
- 3. Let value be ? HasProperty(bindings, N).
- 4. If value is false, then
  - a. If *S* is **false**, return the value **undefined**; otherwise throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
- 5. Return ? Get(bindings, N).

# 8.1.1.2.7 DeleteBinding (N)

The concrete Environment Record method DeleteBinding for object Environment Records can only delete bindings that correspond to properties of the environment object whose [[Configurable]] attribute have the value **true**.

- 1. Let envRec be the object Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *bindings* be the binding object for *envRec*.
- 3. Return? bindings.[[Delete]](N).

## 8.1.1.2.8 HasThisBinding()

Regular object Environment Records do not provide a this binding.

1. Return false.

## 8.1.1.2.9 HasSuperBinding()

Regular object Environment Records do not provide a **super** binding.

1. Return false.

# 8.1.1.2.10 WithBaseObject()

Object Environment Records return **undefined** as their WithBaseObject unless their withEnvironment flag is **true**.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the object Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. If the *withEnvironment* flag of *envRec* is **true**, return the binding object for *envRec*.
- 3. Otherwise, return **undefined**.

# 8.1.1.3 Function Environment Records

A function Environment Record is a declarative Environment Record that is used to represent the top-level scope of a function and, if the function is not an ArrowFunction, provides a **this** binding. If a function is not an ArrowFunction function and references **super**, its function Environment Record also contains the state that is used to perform **super** method invocations from within the function.

Function Environment Records have the additional state fields listed in Table 17.

**Table 17: Additional Fields of Function Environment Records** 

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[ThisValue]]	Any	This is the <b>this</b> value used for this invocation of the function.
[[ThisBindingStatus]]	lexical   initialized   uninitialized	If the value is lexical, this is an <i>ArrowFunction</i> and does not have a local <b>this</b> value.
[[FunctionObject]]	Object	The function object whose invocation caused this Environment Record to be created.
[[HomeObject]]	Object   undefined	If the associated function has <b>Super</b> property accesses and is not an <i>ArrowFunction</i> , [[HomeObject]] is the object that the function is bound to as a method. The default value for [[HomeObject]] is <b>undefined</b> .
[[NewTarget]]	Object   undefined	If this Environment Record was created by the [[Construct]] internal method, [[NewTarget]] is the value of the [[Construct]] newTarget parameter. Otherwise, its value is undefined.

Function Environment Records support all of the declarative Environment Record methods listed in Table 16 and share the same specifications for all of those methods except for HasThisBinding and HasSuperBinding. In addition, function Environment Records support the methods listed in Table 18:

**Table 18: Additional Methods of Function Environment Records** 

Method	Purpose	
BindThisValue(V)	Set the [[ThisValue]] and record that it has been initialized.	
GetThisBinding()	Return the value of this Environment Record's <b>this</b> binding. Throws a <b>ReferenceError</b> if the <b>this</b> binding has not been initialized.	
GetSuperBase()	Return the object that is the base for <b>super</b> property accesses bound in this <b>Environment</b> Record. The object is derived from this <b>Environment</b> Record's [[HomeObject]] field. The value <b>undefined</b> indicates that <b>super</b> property accesses will produce runtime errors.	

The behaviour of the additional concrete specification methods for function Environment Records is defined by the following algorithms:

# 8.1.1.3.1 BindThisValue (V)

- 1. Let *envRec* be the function Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Assert: envRec.[[ThisBindingStatus]] is not lexical.
- 3. If *envRec*.[[ThisBindingStatus]] is initialized, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
- 4. Set *envRec*.[[ThisValue]] to *V*.
- 5. Set envRec.[[ThisBindingStatus]] to initialized.
- 6. Return V.

#### 8.1.1.3.2 HasThisBinding()

- 1. Let envRec be the function Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. If envRec.[[ThisBindingStatus]] is lexical, return false; otherwise, return true.

## 8.1.1.3.3 HasSuperBinding()

- 1. Let *envRec* be the function Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. If *envRec*.[[ThisBindingStatus]] is lexical, return false.
- 3. If envRec.[[HomeObject]] has the value undefined, return false; otherwise, return true.

## 8.1.1.3.4 GetThisBinding()

- 1. Let *envRec* be the function Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Assert: envRec.[[ThisBindingStatus]] is not lexical.
- 3. If *envRec*.[[ThisBindingStatus]] is uninitialized, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
- 4. Return envRec.[[ThisValue]].

## 8.1.1.3.5 GetSuperBase()

- 1. Let envRec be the function Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let home be envRec.[[HomeObject]].
- 3. If *home* has the value **undefined**, return **undefined**.
- 4. Assert: Type(home) is Object.
- 5. Return? home.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().

#### 8.1.1.4 Global Environment Records

A global Environment Record is used to represent the outer most scope that is shared by all of the ECMAScript *Script* elements that are processed in a common realm. A global Environment Record provides the bindings for built-in globals (clause 18), properties of the global object, and for all top-level declarations (13.2.8, 13.2.10) that occur within a *Script*.

A global Environment Record is logically a single record but it is specified as a composite encapsulating an object Environment Record and a declarative Environment Record. The object Environment Record has as its base object the global object of the associated Realm Record. This global object is the value returned by the global Environment Record's GetThisBinding concrete method. The object Environment Record component of a global Environment Record contains the bindings for all built-in globals (clause 18) and all bindings introduced by a FunctionDeclaration, GeneratorDeclaration, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, or VariableStatement contained in global code. The bindings for all other ECMAScript declarations in global code are contained in the declarative Environment Record component of the global Environment Record.

Properties may be created directly on a global object. Hence, the object Environment Record component of a global Environment Record may contain both bindings created explicitly by FunctionDeclaration, GeneratorDeclaration, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, or VariableDeclaration declarations and bindings created implicitly as properties of the global object. In order to identify which bindings were explicitly created using declarations, a global Environment Record maintains a list of the names bound using its CreateGlobalVarBinding and CreateGlobalFunctionBinding concrete methods.

Global Environment Records have the additional fields listed in Table 19 and the additional methods listed in Table 20.

Table 19: Additional Fields of Global Environment Records

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[ObjectRecord]]	Object Environment Record	Binding object is the global object. It contains global built-in bindings as well as FunctionDeclaration, GeneratorDeclaration, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, and VariableDeclaration bindings in global code for the associated realm.
[[GlobalThisValue]]	Object	The value returned by <b>this</b> in global scope. Hosts may provide any ECMAScript Object value.
[[DeclarativeRecord]]	Declarative Environment Record	Contains bindings for all declarations in global code for the associated realm code except for FunctionDeclaration, GeneratorDeclaration, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, and VariableDeclaration bindings.
[[VarNames]]	List of String	The string names bound by FunctionDeclaration, GeneratorDeclaration, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, and VariableDeclaration declarations in global code for the associated realm.

Table 20: Additional Methods of Global Environment Records

Method	Purpose
GetThisBinding()	Return the value of this Environment Record's <b>this</b> binding.
HasVarDeclaration (N)	Determines if the argument identifier has a binding in this Environment Record that was created using a VariableDeclaration, FunctionDeclaration, GeneratorDeclaration, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, or AsyncGeneratorDeclaration.
HasLexicalDeclaration (N)	Determines if the argument identifier has a binding in this Environment Record that was created using a lexical declaration such as a <i>LexicalDeclaration</i> or a <i>ClassDeclaration</i> .
HasRestrictedGlobalProperty (N)	Determines if the argument is the name of a global object property that may not be shadowed by a global lexical binding.
CanDeclareGlobalVar (N)	Determines if a corresponding CreateGlobalVarBinding call would succeed if called for the same argument $N$ .
CanDeclareGlobalFunction (N)	Determines if a corresponding CreateGlobalFunctionBinding call would succeed if called for the same argument $N$ .
CreateGlobalVarBinding(N, D)	Used to create and initialize to <b>undefined</b> a global <b>var</b> binding in the [[ObjectRecord]] component of a global Environment Record. The binding will be a mutable binding. The corresponding global object property will have attribute values appropriate for a <b>var</b> . The String value <i>N</i> is the bound name. If <i>D</i> is <b>true</b> the binding may be deleted. Logically equivalent to CreateMutableBinding followed by a SetMutableBinding but it allows var declarations to receive special treatment.
CreateGlobalFunctionBinding(N, V, D)	Create and initialize a global <b>function</b> binding in the [[ObjectRecord]] component of a global Environment Record. The binding will be a mutable binding. The corresponding global object property will have attribute values appropriate for a <b>function</b> . The String value $N$ is the bound name. $V$ is the initialization value. If the Boolean argument $D$ is <b>true</b> the binding may be deleted. Logically equivalent to CreateMutableBinding followed by a SetMutableBinding but it allows function declarations to receive special treatment.

The behaviour of the concrete specification methods for global Environment Records is defined by the following algorithms.

# 8.1.1.4.1 HasBinding (N)

The concrete Environment Record method HasBinding for global Environment Records simply determines if the argument identifier is one of the identifiers bound by the record:

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *DclRec* be *envRec*.[[DeclarativeRecord]].

- 3. If *DclRec*.HasBinding(*N*) is **true**, return **true**.
- Let ObjRec be envRec.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 5. Return ? *ObjRec*.HasBinding(*N*).

## 8.1.1.4.2 CreateMutableBinding (N, D)

The concrete Environment Record method CreateMutableBinding for global Environment Records creates a new mutable binding for the name N that is uninitialized. The binding is created in the associated DeclarativeRecord. A binding for N must not already exist in the DeclarativeRecord. If Boolean argument D has the value **true** the new binding is marked as being subject to deletion.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *DclRec* be *envRec*.[[DeclarativeRecord]].
- 3. If *DclRec*.HasBinding(*N*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Return *DclRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*N*, *D*).

#### 8.1.1.4.3 CreateImmutableBinding (N, S)

The concrete Environment Record method CreateImmutableBinding for global Environment Records creates a new immutable binding for the name N that is uninitialized. A binding must not already exist in this Environment Record for N. If the Boolean argument S has the value **true** the new binding is marked as a strict binding.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *DclRec* be *envRec*.[[DeclarativeRecord]].
- 3. If DclRec.HasBinding(N) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Return *DclRec*.CreateImmutableBinding(*N*, *S*).

## 8.1.1.4.4 InitializeBinding (N, V)

The concrete Environment Record method InitializeBinding for global Environment Records is used to set the bound value of the current binding of the identifier whose name is the value of the argument N to the value of argument V. An uninitialized binding for N must already exist.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *DclRec* be *envRec*.[[DeclarativeRecord]].
- 3. If DclRec.HasBinding(N) is **true**, then
  - a. Return DclRec.InitializeBinding(N, V).
- 4. Assert: If the binding exists, it must be in the object Environment Record.
- 5. Let *ObjRec* be *envRec*.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 6. Return ? *ObjRec*.InitializeBinding(*N*, *V*).

# 8.1.1.4.5 SetMutableBinding (N, V, S)

The concrete Environment Record method SetMutableBinding for global Environment Records attempts to change the bound value of the current binding of the identifier whose name is the value of the argument N to the value of argument V. If the binding is an immutable binding, a **TypeError** is thrown if S is **true**. A property named N normally already exists but if it does not or is not currently writable, error handling is determined by the value of the Boolean argument S.

1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.

- 2. Let *DclRec* be *envRec*.[[DeclarativeRecord]].
- 3. If *DclRec*.HasBinding(*N*) is **true**, then
  - a. Return DclRec.SetMutableBinding(N, V, S).
- 4. Let *ObjRec* be *envRec*.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 5. Return ? *ObjRec*.SetMutableBinding(*N*, *V*, *S*).

# 8.1.1.4.6 GetBindingValue (N, S)

The concrete Environment Record method GetBindingValue for global Environment Records returns the value of its bound identifier whose name is the value of the argument N. If the binding is an uninitialized binding throw a **ReferenceError** exception. A property named N normally already exists but if it does not or is not currently writable, error handling is determined by the value of the Boolean argument S.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *DclRec* be *envRec*.[[DeclarativeRecord]].
- 3. If DclRec.HasBinding(N) is **true**, then
  - a. Return *DclRec*.GetBindingValue(*N*, *S*).
- 4. Let *ObjRec* be *envRec*.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 5. Return ? *ObjRec*.GetBindingValue(*N*, *S*).

## 8.1.1.4.7 DeleteBinding (N)

The concrete Environment Record method DeleteBinding for global Environment Records can only delete bindings that have been explicitly designated as being subject to deletion.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *DclRec* be *envRec*.[[DeclarativeRecord]].
- 3. If DclRec.HasBinding(N) is **true**, then
  - a. Return *DclRec*.DeleteBinding(*N*).
- 4. Let *ObjRec* be *envRec*.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 5. Let *globalObject* be the binding object for *ObjRec*.
- 6. Let *existingProp* be ? HasOwnProperty(*globalObject*, *N*).
- 7. If *existingProp* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *status* be ? *ObjRec*.DeleteBinding(*N*).
  - b. If status is **true**, then
    - i. Let *varNames* be *envRec*.[[VarNames]].
    - ii. If *N* is an element of *varNames*, remove that element from the *varNames*.
  - c. Return status.
- 8. Return true.

## 8.1.1.4.8 HasThisBinding()

1. Return true.

# 8.1.1.4.9 HasSuperBinding()

1. Return false.

#### 8.1.1.4.10 WithBaseObject()

Global Environment Records always return undefined as their WithBaseObject.

1. Return **undefined**.

## 8.1.1.4.11 GetThisBinding()

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Return envRec.[[GlobalThisValue]].

## 8.1.1.4.12 HasVarDeclaration (N)

The concrete Environment Record method HasVarDeclaration for global Environment Records determines if the argument identifier has a binding in this record that was created using a *VariableStatement* or a *FunctionDeclaration*:

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let varDeclaredNames be envRec.[[VarNames]].
- 3. If *varDeclaredNames* contains *N*, return **true**.
- 4. Return false.

## 8.1.1.4.13 HasLexicalDeclaration (N)

The concrete Environment Record method HasLexicalDeclaration for global Environment Records determines if the argument identifier has a binding in this record that was created using a lexical declaration such as a *LexicalDeclaration* or a *ClassDeclaration*:

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *DclRec* be *envRec*.[[DeclarativeRecord]].
- 3. Return *DclRec*.HasBinding(*N*).

#### 8.1.1.4.14 HasRestrictedGlobalProperty (N)

The concrete Environment Record method HasRestrictedGlobalProperty for global Environment Records determines if the argument identifier is the name of a property of the global object that must not be shadowed by a global lexical binding:

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *ObjRec* be *envRec*.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 3. Let *globalObject* be the binding object for *ObjRec*.
- 4. Let existingProp be ? globalObject.[[GetOwnProperty]](N).
- 5. If *existingProp* is **undefined**, return **false**.
- 6. If *existingProp*.[[Configurable]] is **true**, return **false**.
- 7. Return true.

NOTE

Properties may exist upon a global object that were directly created rather than being declared using a var or function declaration. A global lexical binding may not be created that has the same name as a non-configurable property of the global object. The global property "undefined" is an example of such a property.

#### 8.1.1.4.15 CanDeclareGlobalVar (N)

The concrete Environment Record method CanDeclareGlobalVar for global Environment Records determines if a corresponding CreateGlobalVarBinding call would succeed if called for the same argument *N*. Redundant var declarations and var declarations for pre-existing global object properties are allowed.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *ObjRec* be *envRec*.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 3. Let *globalObject* be the binding object for *ObjRec*.
- 4. Let hasProperty be? HasOwnProperty(globalObject, N).
- 5. If *hasProperty* is **true**, return **true**.
- 6. Return ? IsExtensible(globalObject).

#### 8.1.1.4.16 Can Declare Global Function (N)

The concrete Environment Record method CanDeclareGlobalFunction for global Environment Records determines if a corresponding CreateGlobalFunctionBinding call would succeed if called for the same argument *N*.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *ObjRec* be *envRec*.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 3. Let *globalObject* be the binding object for *ObjRec*.
- 4. Let existingProp be ? globalObject.[[GetOwnProperty]](N).
- 5. If *existingProp* is **undefined**, return? IsExtensible(*globalObject*).
- 6. If *existingProp*.[[Configurable]] is **true**, return **true**.
- 7. If IsDataDescriptor(existingProp) is **true** and existingProp has attribute values { [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **true** }, return **true**.
- 8. Return false.

#### 8.1.1.4.17 CreateGlobalVarBinding (N, D)

The concrete Environment Record method CreateGlobalVarBinding for global Environment Records creates and initializes a mutable binding in the associated object Environment Record and records the bound name in the associated [[VarNames]] List. If a binding already exists, it is reused and assumed to be initialized.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *ObjRec* be *envRec*.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 3. Let *globalObject* be the binding object for *ObjRec*.
- 4. Let hasProperty be ? HasOwnProperty(globalObject, N).
- 5. Let *extensible* be ? IsExtensible(*globalObject*).
- 6. If hasProperty is **false** and extensible is **true**, then
  - a. Perform? *ObjRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*N*, *D*).
  - b. Perform ? *ObjRec*.InitializeBinding(*N*, **undefined**).
- 7. Let varDeclaredNames be envRec.[[VarNames]].
- 8. If varDeclaredNames does not contain N, then
  - a. Append *N* to *varDeclaredNames*.
- 9. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

## 8.1.1.4.18 CreateGlobalFunctionBinding (N, V, D)

The concrete Environment Record method CreateGlobalFunctionBinding for global Environment Records creates and initializes a mutable binding in the associated object Environment Record and records the bound name in the associated [[VarNames]] List. If a binding already exists, it is replaced.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the global Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Let *ObjRec* be *envRec*.[[ObjectRecord]].
- 3. Let *globalObject* be the binding object for *ObjRec*.
- 4. Let existingProp be ? globalObject.[[GetOwnProperty]](N).
- 5. If existingProp is **undefined** or existingProp.[[Configurable]] is **true**, then
  - a. Let *desc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *V*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **true**, [[Configurable]]: *D* }.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let *desc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *V* }.
- 7. Perform? DefinePropertyOrThrow(globalObject, N, desc).
- 8. Record that the binding for *N* in *ObjRec* has been initialized.
- 9. Perform ? Set(globalObject, N, V, false).
- 10. Let *varDeclaredNames* be *envRec*.[[VarNames]].
- 11. If varDeclaredNames does not contain N, then
  - a. Append N to varDeclaredNames.
- 12. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

NOTE

Global function declarations are always represented as own properties of the global object. If possible, an existing own property is reconfigured to have a standard set of attribute values. Steps 8-9 are equivalent to what calling the InitializeBinding concrete method would do and if globalObject is a Proxy will produce the same sequence of Proxy trap calls.

#### 8.1.1.5 Module Environment Records

A module Environment Record is a declarative Environment Record that is used to represent the outer scope of an ECMAScript *Module*. In additional to normal mutable and immutable bindings, module Environment Records also provide immutable import bindings which are bindings that provide indirect access to a target binding that exists in another Environment Record.

Module Environment Records support all of the declarative Environment Record methods listed in Table 16 and share the same specifications for all of those methods except for GetBindingValue, DeleteBinding, HasThisBinding and GetThisBinding. In addition, module Environment Records support the methods listed in Table 21:

**Table 21: Additional Methods of Module Environment Records** 

Method	Purpose
M, N2)	Create an immutable indirect binding in a module Environment Record. The String value $N$ is the text of the bound name. $M$ is a Module Record, and $N$ 2 is a binding that exists in $M$ 's module Environment Record.
GetThisBinding()	Return the value of this Environment Record's <b>this</b> binding.

The behaviour of the additional concrete specification methods for module Environment Records are defined by the following algorithms:

## 8.1.1.5.1 GetBindingValue (N, S)

The concrete Environment Record method GetBindingValue for module Environment Records returns the value of its bound identifier whose name is the value of the argument N. However, if the binding is an indirect binding the value of the target binding is returned. If the binding exists but is uninitialized a **ReferenceError** is thrown.

- 1. Assert: *S* is **true**.
- 2. Let *envRec* be the module Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 3. Assert: *envRec* has a binding for *N*.
- 4. If the binding for *N* is an indirect binding, then
  - a. Let *M* and *N*2 be the indirection values provided when this binding for *N* was created.
  - b. Let *targetEnv* be *M*.[[Environment]].
  - c. If *targetEnv* is **undefined**, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
  - d. Let *targetER* be *targetEnv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
  - e. Return? targetER.GetBindingValue(N2, true).
- 5. If the binding for N in envRec is an uninitialized binding, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
- 6. Return the value currently bound to *N* in *envRec*.

**NOTE** 

*S* will always be **true** because a *Module* is always strict mode code.

# 8.1.1.5.2 DeleteBinding (N)

The concrete Environment Record method DeleteBinding for module Environment Records refuses to delete bindings.

1. Assert: This method is never invoked. See 12.5.3.1.

**NOTE** 

Module Environment Records are only used within strict code and an early error rule prevents the delete operator, in strict code, from being applied to a Reference that would resolve to a module Environment Record binding. See 12.5.3.1.

## 8.1.1.5.3 HasThisBinding()

Module Environment Records provide a **this** binding.

1. Return true.

# 8.1.1.5.4 GetThisBinding()

1. Return **undefined**.

# 8.1.1.5.5 CreateImportBinding (N, M, N2)

The concrete Environment Record method CreateImportBinding for module Environment Records creates a new initialized immutable indirect binding for the name N. A binding must not already exist in this Environment Record for N. M is a Module Record, and N2 is the name of a binding that exists in M's module Environment Record. Accesses to the value of the new binding will indirectly access the bound value of the target binding.

- 1. Let *envRec* be the module Environment Record for which the method was invoked.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* does not already have a binding for *N*.
- 3. Assert: *M* is a Module Record.
- 4. Assert: When M.[[Environment]] is instantiated it will have a direct binding for N2.

- 5. Create an immutable indirect binding in envRec for N that references M and N2 as its target binding and record that the binding is initialized.
- Return NormalCompletion(empty).

# 8.1.2 Lexical Environment Operations

The following abstract operations are used in this specification to operate upon lexical environments:

## 8.1.2.1 GetIdentifierReference (lex, name, strict)

The abstract operation GetIdentifierReference is called with a Lexical Environment *lex*, a String *name*, and a Boolean flag *strict*. The value of *lex* may be **null**. When called, the following steps are performed:

- 1. If *lex* is the value **null**, then
  - a. Return a value of type Reference whose base value component is **undefined**, whose referenced name component is *name*, and whose strict reference flag is *strict*.
- 2. Let *envRec* be *lex*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 3. Let exists be? envRec.HasBinding(name).
- 4. If *exists* is **true**, then
  - a. Return a value of type Reference whose base value component is *envRec*, whose referenced name component is *name*, and whose strict reference flag is *strict*.
- 5. Else,
  - a. Let *outer* be the value of *lex*'s outer environment reference.
  - b. Return? GetIdentifierReference(outer, name, strict).

#### 8.1.2.2 NewDeclarativeEnvironment (E)

When the abstract operation NewDeclarativeEnvironment is called with a Lexical Environment as argument *E* the following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *env* be a new Lexical Environment.
- 2. Let *envRec* be a new declarative Environment Record containing no bindings.
- 3. Set env's EnvironmentRecord to envRec.
- 4. Set the outer lexical environment reference of *env* to *E*.
- 5. Return env.

## 8.1.2.3 NewObjectEnvironment ( O, E )

When the abstract operation NewObjectEnvironment is called with an Object *O* and a Lexical Environment *E* as arguments, the following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *env* be a new Lexical Environment.
- 2. Let *envRec* be a new object Environment Record containing O as the binding object.
- 3. Set env's EnvironmentRecord to envRec.
- 4. Set the outer lexical environment reference of *env* to *E*.
- 5. Return env.

## 8.1.2.4 NewFunctionEnvironment (F, newTarget)

When the abstract operation NewFunctionEnvironment is called with arguments F and newTarget the following steps are performed:

- 1. Assert: *F* is an ECMAScript function.
- 2. Assert: Type(newTarget) is Undefined or Object.
- 3. Let *env* be a new Lexical Environment.
- 4. Let *envRec* be a new function Environment Record containing no bindings.
- 5. Set *envRec*.[[FunctionObject]] to *F*.
- 6. If F.[[ThisMode]] is lexical, set envRec.[[ThisBindingStatus]] to lexical.
- 7. Else, set envRec.[[ThisBindingStatus]] to uninitialized.
- 8. Let *home* be *F*.[[HomeObject]].
- 9. Set envRec.[[HomeObject]] to home.
- 10. Set envRec.[[NewTarget]] to newTarget.
- 11. Set env's EnvironmentRecord to envRec.
- 12. Set the outer lexical environment reference of *env* to *F*.[[Environment]].
- 13. Return env.

## 8.1.2.5 NewGlobalEnvironment ( G, thisValue )

When the abstract operation NewGlobalEnvironment is called with arguments *G* and *thisValue*, the following steps are performed:

- 1. Let env be a new Lexical Environment.
- 2. Let *objRec* be a new object Environment Record containing *G* as the binding object.
- 3. Let *dclRec* be a new declarative Environment Record containing no bindings.
- 4. Let *globalRec* be a new global Environment Record.
- 5. Set globalRec.[[ObjectRecord]] to objRec.
- 6. Set *globalRec*.[[GlobalThisValue]] to *thisValue*.
- 7. Set *globalRec*.[[DeclarativeRecord]] to *dclRec*.
- 8. Set globalRec.[[VarNames]] to a new empty List.
- 9. Set env's EnvironmentRecord to globalRec.
- 10. Set the outer lexical environment reference of env to null.
- 11. Return env.

## 8.1.2.6 NewModuleEnvironment (E)

When the abstract operation NewModuleEnvironment is called with a Lexical Environment argument *E* the following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *env* be a new Lexical Environment.
- 2. Let *envRec* be a new module Environment Record containing no bindings.
- 3. Set env's EnvironmentRecord to envRec.
- 4. Set the outer lexical environment reference of *env* to *E*.
- 5. Return env.

# 8.2 Realms

Before it is evaluated, all ECMAScript code must be associated with a realm. Conceptually, a realm consists of a set of

intrinsic objects, an ECMAScript global environment, all of the ECMAScript code that is loaded within the scope of that global environment, and other associated state and resources.

A realm is represented in this specification as a Realm Record with the fields specified in Table 22:

**Table 22: Realm Record Fields** 

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[Intrinsics]]	Record whose field names are intrinsic keys and whose values are objects	The intrinsic values used by code associated with this realm
[[GlobalObject]]	Object	The global object for this realm
[[GlobalEnv]]	Lexical Environment	The global environment for this realm
[[TemplateMap]]	A List of Record { [[Site]]: Parse Node, [[Array]]: Object }.	Template objects are canonicalized separately for each realm using its  Realm Record's [[TemplateMap]]. Each [[Site]] value is a Parse Node that is a TemplateLiteral. The associated [[Array]] value is the corresponding template object that is passed to a tag function.  NOTE  Once a Parse Node becomes unreachable, the corresponding [[Array]] is also unreachable, and it would be unobservable if an implementation removed the pair from the [[TemplateMap]] list.
[[HostDefined]]	Any, default value is <b>undefined</b> .	Field reserved for use by host environments that need to associate additional information with a Realm Record.

# 8.2.1 CreateRealm()

The abstract operation CreateRealm with no arguments performs the following steps:

- 1. Let realmRec be a new Realm Record.
- 2. Perform CreateIntrinsics(realmRec).
- 3. Set realmRec.[[GlobalObject]] to **undefined**.
- 4. Set *realmRec*.[[GlobalEnv]] to **undefined**.
- 5. Set realmRec.[[TemplateMap]] to a new empty List.
- 6. Return realmRec.

# 8.2.2 CreateIntrinsics (realmRec)

The abstract operation CreateIntrinsics with argument *realmRec* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *intrinsics* be a new Record.
- 2. Set realmRec.[[Intrinsics]] to intrinsics.

- 3. Set fields of *intrinsics* with the values listed in Table 8. The field names are the names listed in column one of the table. The value of each field is a new object value fully and recursively populated with property values as defined by the specification of each object in clauses 18-26. All object property values are newly created object values. All values that are built-in function objects are created by performing CreateBuiltinFunction(<steps>, <slots>, realmRec, <prototype>) where <steps> is the definition of that function provided by this specification, <slots> is a list of the names, if any, of the function's specified internal slots, and prototype> is the specified value of the function's [[Prototype]] internal slot. The creation of the intrinsics and their properties must be ordered to avoid any dependencies upon objects that have not yet been created.
- 4. Perform AddRestrictedFunctionProperties(intrinsics.[[%Function.prototype%]], realmRec).
- 5. Return intrinsics.

# 8.2.3 SetRealmGlobalObject (realmRec, globalObj, thisValue)

The abstract operation SetRealmGlobalObject with arguments realmRec, globalObj, and thisValue performs the following steps:

- 1. If *globalObj* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let intrinsics be realmRec.[[Intrinsics]].
  - b. Set *globalObj* to OrdinaryObjectCreate(intrinsics.[[%Object.prototype%]]).
- 2. Assert: Type(globalObj) is Object.
- 3. If this Value is **undefined**, set this Value to global Obj.
- 4. Set realmRec.[[GlobalObject]] to globalObj.
- 5. Let newGlobalEnv be NewGlobalEnvironment(globalObj, thisValue).
- 6. Set realmRec.[[GlobalEnv]] to newGlobalEnv.
- 7. Return realmRec.

# 8.2.4 SetDefaultGlobalBindings (realmRec)

The abstract operation SetDefaultGlobalBindings with argument *realmRec* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *global* be *realmRec*.[[GlobalObject]].
- 2. For each property of the Global Object specified in clause 18, do
  - a. Let *name* be the String value of the property name.
  - b. Let *desc* be the fully populated data property descriptor for the property containing the specified attributes for the property. For properties listed in 18.2, 18.3, or 18.4 the value of the [[Value]] attribute is the corresponding intrinsic object from *realmRec*.
  - c. Perform? DefinePropertyOrThrow(global, name, desc).
- 3. Return *global*.

# 8.3 Execution Contexts

An *execution context* is a specification device that is used to track the runtime evaluation of code by an ECMAScript implementation. At any point in time, there is at most one execution context per agent that is actually executing code. This is known as the agent's *running execution context*. All references to the running execution context in this specification denote the running execution context of the surrounding agent.

The *execution context stack* is used to track execution contexts. The running execution context is always the top element of this stack. A new execution context is created whenever control is transferred from the executable code associated

with the currently running execution context to executable code that is not associated with that execution context. The newly created execution context is pushed onto the stack and becomes the running execution context.

An execution context contains whatever implementation specific state is necessary to track the execution progress of its associated code. Each execution context has at least the state components listed in Table 23.

**Table 23: State Components for All Execution Contexts** 

Component	Purpose
code evaluation state	Any state needed to perform, suspend, and resume evaluation of the code associated with this execution context.
Function	If this execution context is evaluating the code of a function object, then the value of this component is that function object. If the context is evaluating the code of a <i>Script</i> or <i>Module</i> , the value is <b>null</b> .
Realm	The Realm Record from which associated code accesses ECMAScript resources.
ScriptOrModule	The Module Record or Script Record from which associated code originates. If there is no originating script or module, as is the case for the original execution context created in InitializeHostDefinedRealm, the value is null.

Evaluation of code by the running execution context may be suspended at various points defined within this specification. Once the running execution context has been suspended a different execution context may become the running execution context and commence evaluating its code. At some later time a suspended execution context may again become the running execution context and continue evaluating its code at the point where it had previously been suspended. Transition of the running execution context status among execution contexts usually occurs in stack-like last-in/first-out manner. However, some ECMAScript features require non-LIFO transitions of the running execution context.

The value of the Realm component of the running execution context is also called *the current Realm Record*. The value of the Function component of the running execution context is also called the *active function object*.

Execution contexts for ECMAScript code have the additional state components listed in Table 24.

Table 24: Additional State Components for ECMAScript Code Execution Contexts

Component	Purpose
LexicalEnvironment	Identifies the Lexical Environment used to resolve identifier references made by code within this execution context.
VariableEnvironment	Identifies the Lexical Environment whose EnvironmentRecord holds bindings created by <i>VariableStatements</i> within this execution context.

The LexicalEnvironment and VariableEnvironment components of an execution context are always Lexical Environments.

Execution contexts representing the evaluation of generator objects have the additional state components listed in Table 25.

Table 25: Additional State Components for Generator Execution Contexts

Component	Purpose
Generator	The GeneratorObject that this execution context is evaluating.

In most situations only the running execution context (the top of the execution context stack) is directly manipulated by algorithms within this specification. Hence when the terms "LexicalEnvironment", and "VariableEnvironment" are used without qualification they are in reference to those components of the running execution context.

An execution context is purely a specification mechanism and need not correspond to any particular artefact of an ECMAScript implementation. It is impossible for ECMAScript code to directly access or observe an execution context.

# 8.3.1 GetActiveScriptOrModule()

The GetActiveScriptOrModule abstract operation is used to determine the running script or module, based on the running execution context. GetActiveScriptOrModule performs the following steps:

- 1. If the execution context stack is empty, return **null**.
- 2. Let *ec* be the topmost execution context on the execution context stack whose ScriptOrModule component is not **null**.
- 3. If no such execution context exists, return **null**. Otherwise, return *ec*'s ScriptOrModule.

# 8.3.2 ResolveBinding (name [, env])

The ResolveBinding abstract operation is used to determine the binding of *name* passed as a String value. The optional argument *env* can be used to explicitly provide the Lexical Environment that is to be searched for the binding. During execution of ECMAScript code, ResolveBinding is performed using the following algorithm:

- 1. If *env* is not present or if *env* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Set *env* to the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 2. Assert: *env* is a Lexical Environment.
- 3. If the code matching the syntactic production that is being evaluated is contained in strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- 4. Return? GetIdentifierReference(env, name, strict).

**NOTE** 

The result of ResolveBinding is always a Reference value with its referenced name component equal to the *name* argument.

# 8.3.3 GetThisEnvironment()

The abstract operation GetThisEnvironment finds the Environment Record that currently supplies the binding of the keyword **this**. GetThisEnvironment performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *lex* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 2. Repeat,
  - a. Let *envRec* be *lex*'s EnvironmentRecord.

- b. Let *exists* be *envRec*.HasThisBinding().
- c. If *exists* is **true**, return *envRec*.
- d. Let *outer* be the value of *lex*'s outer environment reference.
- e. Assert: outer is not null.
- f. Set *lex* to *outer*.

**NOTE** 

The loop in step 2 will always terminate because the list of environments always ends with the global environment which has a **this** binding.

# 8.3.4 ResolveThisBinding()

The abstract operation ResolveThisBinding determines the binding of the keyword **this** using the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context. ResolveThisBinding performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *envRec* be GetThisEnvironment().
- 2. Return? envRec.GetThisBinding().

# 8.3.5 GetNewTarget()

The abstract operation GetNewTarget determines the NewTarget value using the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context. GetNewTarget performs the following steps:

- Let envRec be GetThisEnvironment().
- 2. Assert: envRec has a [[NewTarget]] field.
- 3. Return *envRec*.[[NewTarget]].

# 8.3.6 GetGlobalObject()

The abstract operation GetGlobalObject returns the global object used by the currently running execution context. GetGlobalObject performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *currentRealm* be the current Realm Record.
- 2. Return *currentRealm*.[[GlobalObject]].

# 8.4 Jobs and Host Operations to Enqueue Jobs

A *Job* is an abstract closure with no parameters that initiates an ECMAScript computation when no other ECMAScript computation is currently in progress.

Jobs are scheduled for execution by ECMAScript host environments. This specification describes the host hook HostEnqueuePromiseJob to schedule one kind of job; host environments may define additional abstract operations which schedule jobs. Such operations accept a Job abstract closure as the parameter and schedule it to be performed at some future time. Their implementations must conform to the following requirements:

- At some future point in time, when there is no running execution context and the execution context stack is empty, the implementation must:
  - 1. Push an execution context onto the execution context stack.

- 2. Perform any implementation-defined preparation steps.
- 3. Call the abstract closure.
- 4. Perform any implementation-defined cleanup steps.
- 5. Pop the previously-pushed execution context from the execution context stack.
- Only one Job may be actively undergoing evaluation at any point in time.
- Once evaluation of a Job starts, it must run to completion before evaluation of any other Job starts.
- The abstract closure must return a normal completion, implementing its own handling of errors.

NOTE

Host environments are not required to treat Jobs uniformly with respect to scheduling. For example, web browsers and Node.js treat Promise-handling Jobs as a higher priority than other work; future features may add Jobs that are not treated at such a high priority.

# 8.4.1 HostEnqueuePromiseJob ( job, realm )

HostEnqueuePromiseJob is a host-defined abstract operation that schedules the Job abstract closure *job* to be performed, at some future time. The abstract closures used with this algorithm are intended to be related to the handling of Promises, or otherwise, to be scheduled with equal priority to Promise handling operations.

The *realm* parameter is passed through to hosts with no normative requirements; it is either **null** or a Realm.

**NOTE** 

The *realm* for PromiseResolveThenableJobs is the result of calling GetFunctionRealm on the *then* function object. The *realm* for PromiseReactionJobs is the result of calling GetFunctionRealm on the handler if the handler is not **undefined**. Otherwise the *realm* is **null**. The WHATWG HTML specification, for example, uses *realm* to check for ability to run script and to prepare to run script.

The implementation of HostEnqueuePromiseJob must conform to the requirements in 8.4. Additionally, Jobs must be scheduled in FIFO order, with Jobs running in the same order as the HostEnqueuePromiseJob invocations which scheduled them.

# 8.5 InitializeHostDefinedRealm()

The abstract operation InitializeHostDefinedRealm performs the following steps:

- 1. Let realm be CreateRealm().
- 2. Let newContext be a new execution context.
- 3. Set the Function of newContext to **null**.
- 4. Set the Realm of newContext to realm.
- 5. Set the ScriptOrModule of *newContext* to **null**.
- 6. Push *newContext* onto the execution context stack; *newContext* is now the running execution context.
- 7. If the host requires use of an exotic object to serve as *realm*'s global object, let *global* be such an object created in an implementation-defined manner. Otherwise, let *global* be **undefined**, indicating that an ordinary object should be created as the global object.
- 8. If the host requires that the **this** binding in *realm*'s global scope return an object other than the global object, let *thisValue* be such an object created in an implementation-defined manner. Otherwise, let *thisValue* be **undefined**, indicating that *realm*'s global **this** binding should be the global object.
- 9. Perform SetRealmGlobalObject(realm, global, this Value).

- 10. Let *globalObj* be ? SetDefaultGlobalBindings(*realm*).
- 11. Create any implementation-defined global object properties on *globalObj*.
- 12. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

# 8.6 Agents

An *agent* comprises a set of ECMAScript execution contexts, an execution context stack, a running execution context, an *Agent Record*, and an *executing thread*. Except for the executing thread, the constituents of an agent belong exclusively to that agent.

An agent's executing thread executes a job on the agent's execution contexts independently of other agents, except that an executing thread may be used as the executing thread by multiple agents, provided none of the agents sharing the thread have an Agent Record whose [[CanBlock]] property is **true**.

NOTE 1 Some web browsers share a single executing thread across multiple unrelated tabs of a browser window, for example.

While an agent's executing thread executes jobs, the agent is the *surrounding agent* for the code in those jobs. The code uses the surrounding agent to access the specification level execution objects held within the agent: the running execution context, the execution context stack, and the Agent Record's fields.

**Table 26: Agent Record Fields** 

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[LittleEndian]]	Boolean	The default value computed for the <i>isLittleEndian</i> parameter when it is needed by the algorithms GetValueFromBuffer and SetValueInBuffer. The choice is implementation-dependent and should be the alternative that is most efficient for the implementation. Once the value has been observed it cannot change.
[[CanBlock]]	Boolean	Determines whether the agent can block or not.
[[Signifier]]	Any globally- unique value	Uniquely identifies the agent within its agent cluster.
[[IsLockFree1]]	Boolean	<b>true</b> if atomic operations on one-byte values are lock-free, <b>false</b> otherwise.
[[IsLockFree2]]	Boolean	<b>true</b> if atomic operations on two-byte values are lock-free, <b>false</b> otherwise.
[[IsLockFree8]]	Boolean	<b>true</b> if atomic operations on eight-byte values are lock-free, <b>false</b> otherwise.
[[CandidateExecution]]	A candidate execution Record	See the memory model.

Once the values of [[Signifier]], [[IsLockFree1]], and [[IsLockFree2]] have been observed by any agent in the agent

cluster they cannot change.

#### NOTE 2

The values of [[IsLockFree1]] and [[IsLockFree2]] are not necessarily determined by the hardware, but may also reflect implementation choices that can vary over time and between ECMAScript implementations.

There is no [[IsLockFree4]] property: 4-byte atomic operations are always lock-free.

In practice, if an atomic operation is implemented with any type of lock the operation is not lock-free. Lock-free does not imply wait-free: there is no upper bound on how many machine steps may be required to complete a lock-free atomic operation.

That an atomic access of size *n* is lock-free does not imply anything about the (perceived) atomicity of non-atomic accesses of size *n*, specifically, non-atomic accesses may still be performed as a sequence of several separate memory accesses. See ReadSharedMemory and WriteSharedMemory for details.

NOTE 3

An agent is a specification mechanism and need not correspond to any particular artefact of an ECMAScript implementation.

# 8.6.1 AgentSignifier ()

The abstract operation AgentSignifier takes no arguments. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *AR* be the Agent Record of the surrounding agent.
- 2. Return AR.[[Signifier]].

# 8.6.2 AgentCanSuspend()

The abstract operation AgentCanSuspend takes no arguments. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *AR* be the Agent Record of the surrounding agent.
- 2. Return AR.[[CanBlock]].

NOTE

In some environments it may not be reasonable for a given agent to suspend. For example, in a web browser environment, it may be reasonable to disallow suspending a document's main event handling thread, while still allowing workers' event handling threads to suspend.

# 8.7 Agent Clusters

An *agent cluster* is a maximal set of agents that can communicate by operating on shared memory.

NOTE 1

Programs within different agents may share memory by unspecified means. At a minimum, the backing memory for SharedArrayBuffer objects can be shared among the agents in the cluster.

There may be agents that can communicate by message passing that cannot share memory; they are never in the same agent cluster.

Every agent belongs to exactly one agent cluster.

NOTE 2

The agents in a cluster need not all be alive at some particular point in time. If agent **A** creates another agent **B**, after which **A** terminates and **B** creates agent **C**, the three agents are in the same cluster if **A** could share some memory with **B** and **B** could share some memory with **C**.

All agents within a cluster must have the same value for the [[LittleEndian]] property in their respective Agent Records.

NOTE 3

If different agents within an agent cluster have different values of [[LittleEndian]] it becomes hard to use shared memory for multi-byte data.

All agents within a cluster must have the same values for the [[IsLockFree1]] property in their respective Agent Records; similarly for the [[IsLockFree2]] property.

All agents within a cluster must have different values for the [[Signifier]] property in their respective Agent Records.

An embedding may deactivate (stop forward progress) or activate (resume forward progress) an agent without the agent's knowledge or cooperation. If the embedding does so, it must not leave some agents in the cluster active while other agents in the cluster are deactivated indefinitely.

NOTE 4

The purpose of the preceding restriction is to avoid a situation where an agent deadlocks or starves because another agent has been deactivated. For example, if an HTML shared worker that has a lifetime independent of documents in any windows were allowed to share memory with the dedicated worker of such an independent document, and the document and its dedicated worker were to be deactivated while the dedicated worker holds a lock (say, the document is pushed into its window's history), and the shared worker then tries to acquire the lock, then the shared worker will be blocked until the dedicated worker is activated again, if ever. Meanwhile other workers trying to access the shared worker from other windows will starve.

The implication of the restriction is that it will not be possible to share memory between agents that don't belong to the same suspend/wake collective within the embedding.

An embedding may terminate an agent without any of the agent's cluster's other agents' prior knowledge or cooperation. If an agent is terminated not by programmatic action of its own or of another agent in the cluster but by forces external to the cluster, then the embedding must choose one of two strategies: Either terminate all the agents in the cluster, or provide reliable APIs that allow the agents in the cluster to coordinate so that at least one remaining member of the cluster will be able to detect the termination, with the termination data containing enough information to identify the agent that was terminated.

NOTE 5

Examples of that type of termination are: operating systems or users terminating agents that are running in separate processes; the embedding itself terminating an agent that is running inprocess with the other agents when per-agent resource accounting indicates that the agent is runaway.

Prior to any evaluation of any ECMAScript code by any agent in a cluster, the [[CandidateExecution]] field of the Agent Record for all agents in the cluster is set to the initial candidate execution. The initial candidate execution is an empty candidate execution whose [[EventsRecords]] field is a List containing, for each agent, an Agent Events Record whose [[AgentSignifier]] field is that agent's signifier, and whose [[EventList]] and [[AgentSynchronizesWith]] fields are empty Lists.

NOTE 6

All agents in an agent cluster share the same candidate execution in its Agent Record's [[CandidateExecution]] field. The candidate execution is a specification mechanism used by the memory model.

NOTE 7

An agent cluster is a specification mechanism and need not correspond to any particular artefact of an ECMAScript implementation.

# 8.8 Forward Progress

For an agent to make forward progress is for it to perform an evaluation step according to this specification.

An agent becomes *blocked* when its running execution context waits synchronously and indefinitely for an external event. Only agents whose Agent Record's [[CanBlock]] property is **true** can become blocked in this sense. An *unblocked* agent is one that is not blocked.

Implementations must ensure that:

- every unblocked agent with a dedicated executing thread eventually makes forward progress
- in a set of agents that share an executing thread, one agent eventually makes forward progress
- an agent does not cause another agent to become blocked except via explicit APIs that provide blocking.

**NOTE** 

This, along with the liveness guarantee in the memory model, ensures that all SeqCst writes eventually become observable to all agents.

# 9 Ordinary and Exotic Objects Behaviours

# 9.1 Ordinary Object Internal Methods and Internal Slots

All ordinary objects have an internal slot called [[Prototype]]. The value of this internal slot is either **null** or an object and is used for implementing inheritance. Data properties of the [[Prototype]] object are inherited (and visible as properties of the child object) for the purposes of get access, but not for set access. Accessor properties are inherited

for both get access and set access.

Every ordinary object has a Boolean-valued [[Extensible]] internal slot which is used to fulfill the extensibility-related internal method invariants specified in 6.1.7.3. Namely, once the value of an object's [[Extensible]] internal slot has been set to **false**, it is no longer possible to add properties to the object, to modify the value of the object's [[Prototype]] internal slot, or to subsequently change the value of [[Extensible]] to **true**.

In the following algorithm descriptions, assume *O* is an ordinary object, *P* is a property key value, *V* is any ECMAScript language value, and *Desc* is a Property Descriptor record.

Each ordinary object internal method delegates to a similarly-named abstract operation. If such an abstract operation depends on another internal method, then the internal method is invoked on O rather than calling the similarly-named abstract operation directly. These semantics ensure that exotic objects have their overridden internal methods invoked when ordinary object internal methods are applied to them.

# 9.1.1 [[GetPrototypeOf]]()

When the [[GetPrototypeOf]] internal method of O is called, the following steps are taken:

Return ! OrdinaryGetPrototypeOf(O).

# 9.1.1.1 OrdinaryGetPrototypeOf (O)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryGetPrototypeOf is called with Object *O*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return O.[[Prototype]].

# **9.1.2** [[SetPrototypeOf]] ( *V* )

When the [[SetPrototypeOf]] internal method of *O* is called with argument *V*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return! OrdinarySetPrototypeOf(O, V).

# 9.1.2.1 OrdinarySetPrototypeOf (O, V)

When the abstract operation OrdinarySetPrototypeOf is called with Object *O* and value *V*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Either Type(V) is Object or Type(V) is Null.
- 2. Let *current* be *O*.[[Prototype]].
- 3. If SameValue(*V*, *current*) is **true**, return **true**.
- 4. Let extensible be O.[[Extensible]].
- 5. If *extensible* is **false**, return **false**.
- 6. Let *p* be *V*.
- 7. Let done be false.
- 8. Repeat, while *done* is **false**,
  - a. If *p* is **null**, set *done* to **true**.
  - b. Else if SameValue(p, O) is **true**, return **false**.
  - c. Else,
    - i. If p.[[GetPrototypeOf]] is not the ordinary object internal method defined in 9.1.1, set *done* to **true**.

- ii. Else, set p to p.[[Prototype]].
- 9. Set O.[[Prototype]] to V.
- 10. Return true.

NOTE

The loop in step 8 guarantees that there will be no circularities in any prototype chain that only includes objects that use the ordinary object definitions for [[GetPrototypeOf]] and [[SetPrototypeOf]].

# 9.1.3 [[IsExtensible]]()

When the [[IsExtensible]] internal method of *O* is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Return! OrdinaryIsExtensible(O).

# 9.1.3.1 OrdinaryIsExtensible ( O )

When the abstract operation OrdinaryIsExtensible is called with Object O, the following steps are taken:

1. Return O.[[Extensible]].

# 9.1.4 [[PreventExtensions]] ()

When the [[PreventExtensions]] internal method of O is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Return! OrdinaryPreventExtensions(O).

# 9.1.4.1 OrdinaryPreventExtensions (O)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryPreventExtensions is called with Object O, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Set O.[[Extensible]] to false.
- 2. Return true.

# 9.1.5 [[GetOwnProperty]] ( *P* )

When the [[GetOwnProperty]] internal method of O is called with property key P, the following steps are taken:

1. Return! OrdinaryGetOwnProperty(O, P).

# 9.1.5.1 OrdinaryGetOwnProperty (O, P)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryGetOwnProperty is called with Object *O* and with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. If *O* does not have an own property with key *P*, return **undefined**.
- 3. Let *D* be a newly created Property Descriptor with no fields.
- 4. Let *X* be *O*'s own property whose key is *P*.
- 5. If *X* is a data property, then

- a. Set *D*.[[Value]] to the value of *X*'s [[Value]] attribute.
- b. Set *D*.[[Writable]] to the value of *X*'s [[Writable]] attribute.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Assert: *X* is an accessor property.
  - b. Set *D*.[[Get]] to the value of *X*'s [[Get]] attribute.
  - c. Set *D*.[[Set]] to the value of *X*'s [[Set]] attribute.
- 7. Set *D*.[[Enumerable]] to the value of *X*'s [[Enumerable]] attribute.
- 8. Set *D*.[[Configurable]] to the value of *X*'s [[Configurable]] attribute.
- 9. Return D.

# 9.1.6 [[DefineOwnProperty]] ( P, Desc )

When the [[DefineOwnProperty]] internal method of *O* is called with property key *P* and Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return? OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(O, P, Desc).

# 9.1.6.1 OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty (O, P, Desc)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty is called with Object *O*, property key *P*, and Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *current* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
- 2. Let *extensible* be ? IsExtensible(*O*).
- 3. Return ValidateAndApplyPropertyDescriptor(O, P, extensible, Desc, current).

# 9.1.6.2 IsCompatiblePropertyDescriptor (Extensible, Desc, Current)

When the abstract operation IsCompatiblePropertyDescriptor is called with Boolean value *Extensible*, and Property Descriptors *Desc*, and *Current*, the following steps are taken:

Return ValidateAndApplyPropertyDescriptor(undefined, undefined, Extensible, Desc, Current).

# 9.1.6.3 ValidateAndApplyPropertyDescriptor (O, P, extensible, Desc, current)

When the abstract operation ValidateAndApplyPropertyDescriptor is called with Object *O*, property key *P*, Boolean value *extensible*, and Property Descriptors *Desc*, and *current*, the following steps are taken:

NOTE If **undefined** is passed as *O*, only validation is performed and no object updates are performed.

- 1. Assert: If *O* is not **undefined**, then IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. If *current* is **undefined**, then
  - a. If *extensible* is **false**, return **false**.
  - b. Assert: *extensible* is **true**.
  - c. If IsGenericDescriptor(Desc) is **true** or IsDataDescriptor(Desc) is **true**, then
    - i. If *O* is not **undefined**, create an own data property named *P* of object *O* whose [[Value]], [[Writable]], [[Enumerable]], and [[Configurable]] attribute values are described by *Desc*. If the value of an attribute field of *Desc* is absent, the attribute of the newly created property is set to its

default value.

- d. Else,
  - i. Assert: ! IsAccessorDescriptor(Desc) is true.
  - ii. If *O* is not **undefined**, create an own accessor property named *P* of object *O* whose [[Get]], [[Set]], [[Enumerable]], and [[Configurable]] attribute values are described by *Desc*. If the value of an attribute field of *Desc* is absent, the attribute of the newly created property is set to its default value.
- e. Return true.
- 3. If every field in *Desc* is absent, return **true**.
- 4. If current.[[Configurable]] is false, then
  - a. If *Desc.*[[Configurable]] is present and its value is **true**, return **false**.
  - b. If *Desc*.[[Enumerable]] is present and ! SameValue(*Desc*.[[Enumerable]], *current*.[[Enumerable]]) is **false**, return **false**.
- 5. If ! IsGenericDescriptor(*Desc*) is **true**, then
  - a. NOTE: No further validation is required.
- 6. Else if! SameValue(! IsDataDescriptor(current),! IsDataDescriptor(Desc)) is false, then
  - a. If *current*.[[Configurable]] is **false**, return **false**.
  - b. If IsDataDescriptor(current) is **true**, then
    - i. If *O* is not **undefined**, convert the property named *P* of object *O* from a data property to an accessor property. Preserve the existing values of the converted property's [[Configurable]] and [[Enumerable]] attributes and set the rest of the property's attributes to their default values.
  - c. Else,
    - i. If *O* is not **undefined**, convert the property named *P* of object *O* from an accessor property to a data property. Preserve the existing values of the converted property's [[Configurable]] and [[Enumerable]] attributes and set the rest of the property's attributes to their default values.
- 7. Else if IsDataDescriptor(current) and IsDataDescriptor(Desc) are both true, then
  - a. If *current*.[[Configurable]] is **false** and *current*.[[Writable]] is **false**, then
    - i. If *Desc.*[[Writable]] is present and *Desc.*[[Writable]] is **true**, return **false**.
    - ii. If Desc.[[Value]] is present and SameValue(Desc.[[Value]], current.[[Value]]) is false, return false.
    - iii. Return **true**.
- 8. Else,
  - a. Assert: ! IsAccessorDescriptor(current) and ! IsAccessorDescriptor(Desc) are both true.
  - b. If current.[[Configurable]] is false, then
    - i. If Desc.[[Set]] is present and SameValue(Desc.[[Set]], current.[[Set]]) is false, return false.
    - ii. If Desc.[[Get]] is present and SameValue(Desc.[[Get]], current.[[Get]]) is false, return false.
    - iii. Return **true**.
- 9. If *O* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. For each field of *Desc* that is present, set the corresponding attribute of the property named *P* of object *O* to the value of the field.
- 10. Return true.

# 9.1.7 [[HasProperty]] ( *P* )

When the [[HasProperty]] internal method of *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return ? OrdinaryHasProperty(O, P).

# 9.1.7.1 OrdinaryHasProperty (O, P)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryHasProperty is called with Object *O* and with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let hasOwn be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](P).
- 3. If *hasOwn* is not **undefined**, return **true**.
- 4. Let parent be ? O.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
- 5. If *parent* is not **null**, then
  - a. Return? parent.[[HasProperty]](P).
- 6. Return false.

# 9.1.8 [[Get]] (*P*, *Receiver*)

When the [[Get]] internal method of *O* is called with property key *P* and ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

Return ? OrdinaryGet(O, P, Receiver).

# 9.1.8.1 OrdinaryGet (O, P, Receiver)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryGet is called with Object *O*, property key *P*, and ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let *desc* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](P).
- 3. If *desc* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let parent be ? O.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
  - b. If *parent* is **null**, return **undefined**.
  - c. Return? parent.[[Get]](P, Receiver).
- 4. If IsDataDescriptor(*desc*) is **true**, return *desc*.[[Value]].
- 5. Assert: IsAccessorDescriptor(*desc*) is **true**.
- 6. Let *getter* be *desc*.[[Get]].
- 7. If *getter* is **undefined**, return **undefined**.
- 8. Return ? Call(getter, Receiver).

# 9.1.9 [[Set]] (*P*, *V*, *Receiver*)

When the [[Set]] internal method of *O* is called with property key *P*, value *V*, and ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return ? OrdinarySet(O, P, V, Receiver).

# 9.1.9.1 OrdinarySet (O, P, V, Receiver)

When the abstract operation OrdinarySet is called with Object *O*, property key *P*, value *V*, and ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let *ownDesc* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).

3. Return OrdinarySetWithOwnDescriptor(O, P, V, Receiver, ownDesc).

# 9.1.9.2 OrdinarySetWithOwnDescriptor (O, P, V, Receiver, ownDesc)

When the abstract operation OrdinarySetWithOwnDescriptor is called with Object *O*, property key *P*, value *V*, ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, and Property Descriptor (or **undefined**) *ownDesc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. If *ownDesc* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let parent be ? O.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
  - b. If *parent* is not **null**, then
    - i. Return? parent.[[Set]](P, V, Receiver).
  - c. Else,
    - i. Set *ownDesc* to the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: **undefined**, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **true**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- 3. If IsDataDescriptor(ownDesc) is true, then
  - a. If ownDesc.[[Writable]] is false, return false.
  - b. If Type(*Receiver*) is not Object, return **false**.
  - c. Let *existingDescriptor* be ? *Receiver*.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
  - d. If existing Descriptor is not undefined, then
    - i. If IsAccessorDescriptor(existingDescriptor) is **true**, return **false**.
    - ii. If existing Descriptor. [[Writable]] is false, return false.
    - iii. Let *valueDesc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *V* }.
    - iv. Return? Receiver.[[DefineOwnProperty]](P, valueDesc).
  - e. Else,
    - i. Assert: *Receiver* does not currently have a property *P*.
    - ii. Return? CreateDataProperty(Receiver, P, V).
- 4. Assert: IsAccessorDescriptor(ownDesc) is **true**.
- 5. Let setter be ownDesc.[[Set]].
- 6. If *setter* is **undefined**, return **false**.
- 7. Perform ? Call(setter, Receiver, « *V* »).
- 8. Return true.

# 9.1.10 [[Delete]] (*P*)

When the [[Delete]] internal method of *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return ? OrdinaryDelete(O, P).

## 9.1.10.1 OrdinaryDelete (*O*, *P*)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryDelete is called with Object O and property key P, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let *desc* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
- 3. If *desc* is **undefined**, return **true**.
- 4. If desc.[[Configurable]] is **true**, then
  - a. Remove the own property with name *P* from *O*.
  - b. Return true.

5. Return false.

## 9.1.11 [[OwnPropertyKeys]]()

When the [[OwnPropertyKeys]] internal method of O is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Return! OrdinaryOwnPropertyKeys(O).

## 9.1.11.1 OrdinaryOwnPropertyKeys (O)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryOwnPropertyKeys is called with Object *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *keys* be a new empty List.
- 2. For each own property key P of O such that P is an array index, in ascending numeric index order, do
  - a. Add *P* as the last element of *keys*.
- 3. For each own property key *P* of *O* such that Type(*P*) is String and *P* is not an array index, in ascending chronological order of property creation, do
  - a. Add *P* as the last element of *keys*.
- 4. For each own property key *P* of *O* such that Type(*P*) is Symbol, in ascending chronological order of property creation, do
  - a. Add *P* as the last element of *keys*.
- 5. Return *keys*.

## 9.1.12 OrdinaryObjectCreate (proto [, additionalInternalSlotsList])

The abstract operation OrdinaryObjectCreate with argument *proto* (an object or **null**) is used to specify the runtime creation of new ordinary objects. The optional argument *additionalInternalSlotsList* is a List of the names of additional internal slots that must be defined as part of the object, beyond [[Prototype]] and [[Extensible]]. If the list is not provided, a new empty List is used. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *internalSlotsList* be « [[Prototype]], [[Extensible]] ».
- 2. If additionalInternalSlotsList is present, append each of its elements to internalSlotsList.
- 3. Let O be! MakeBasicObject(internalSlotsList).
- 4. Set O.[[Prototype]] to proto.
- 5. Return O.

**NOTE** 

Although OrdinaryObjectCreate does little more than call MakeBasicObject, its use communicates the intention to create an ordinary object, and not an exotic one. Thus, within this specification, it is not called by any algorithm that subsequently modifies the internal methods of the object in ways that would make the result non-ordinary. Operations that create exotic objects invoke MakeBasicObject directly.

# **9.1.13** OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor (constructor, intrinsicDefaultProto [, internalSlotsList])

The abstract operation OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor creates an ordinary object whose [[Prototype]] value is retrieved from a constructor's "prototype" property, if it exists. Otherwise the intrinsic named by <code>intrinsicDefaultProto</code> is used for [[Prototype]]. The optional <code>internalSlotsList</code> is a List of the names of additional internal slots that must be

defined as part of the object. If the list is not provided, a new empty List is used. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *intrinsicDefaultProto* is a String value that is this specification's name of an intrinsic object. The corresponding object must be an intrinsic that is intended to be used as the [[Prototype]] value of an object.
- 2. Let proto be ? GetPrototypeFromConstructor(constructor, intrinsicDefaultProto).
- 3. Return OrdinaryObjectCreate(proto, internalSlotsList).

## 9.1.14 GetPrototypeFromConstructor (constructor, intrinsicDefaultProto)

The abstract operation GetPrototypeFromConstructor determines the [[Prototype]] value that should be used to create an object corresponding to a specific constructor. The value is retrieved from the constructor's "prototype" property, if it exists. Otherwise the intrinsic named by <code>intrinsicDefaultProto</code> is used for [[Prototype]]. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *intrinsicDefaultProto* is a String value that is this specification's name of an intrinsic object. The corresponding object must be an intrinsic that is intended to be used as the [[Prototype]] value of an object.
- 2. Assert: IsCallable(constructor) is true.
- 3. Let *proto* be ? Get(*constructor*, "prototype").
- 4. If Type(proto) is not Object, then
  - a. Let realm be ? GetFunctionRealm(constructor).
  - b. Set *proto* to *realm*'s intrinsic object named *intrinsicDefaultProto*.
- 5. Return proto.

**NOTE** 

If *constructor* does not supply a [[Prototype]] value, the default value that is used is obtained from the realm of the *constructor* function rather than from the running execution context.

## 9.1.15 RequireInternalSlot (O, internalSlot)

The abstract operation RequireInternalSlot throws an exception unless O is an Object and has the given internal slot.

- 1. If Type(*O*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. If *O* does not have an *internalSlot* internal slot, throw a **TypeError** exception.

## 9.2 ECMAScript Function Objects

ECMAScript function objects encapsulate parameterized ECMAScript code closed over a lexical environment and support the dynamic evaluation of that code. An ECMAScript function object is an ordinary object and has the same internal slots and the same internal methods as other ordinary objects. The code of an ECMAScript function object may be either strict mode code (10.2.1) or non-strict code. An ECMAScript function object whose code is strict mode code is called a *strict function*. One whose code is not strict mode code is called a *non-strict function*.

In addition to [[Extensible]] and [[Prototype]], ECMAScript function objects also have the internal slots listed in Table 27.

Table 27: Internal Slots of ECMAScript Function Objects

Internal Slot	Type	Description
[[Environment]]	Lexical Environment	The Lexical Environment that the function was closed over. Used as the outer environment when evaluating the code of the function.
[[FormalParameters]]	Parse Node	The root parse node of the source text that defines the function's formal parameter list.
[[ECMAScriptCode]]	Parse Node	The root parse node of the source text that defines the function's body.
[[ConstructorKind]]	base   derived	Whether or not the function is a derived class constructor.
[[Realm]]	Realm Record	The realm in which the function was created and which provides any intrinsic objects that are accessed when evaluating the function.
[[ScriptOrModule]]	Script Record or Module Record	The script or module in which the function was created.
[[ThisMode]]	lexical   strict   global	Defines how <b>this</b> references are interpreted within the formal parameters and code body of the function. <b>lexical</b> means that <b>this</b> refers to the <b>this</b> value of a lexically enclosing function. <b>strict</b> means that the <b>this</b> value is used exactly as provided by an invocation of the function. <b>global</b> means that a <b>this</b> value of <b>undefined</b> is interpreted as a reference to the <b>global</b> object.
[[Strict]]	Boolean	<b>true</b> if this is a strict function, <b>false</b> if this is a non-strict function.
[[HomeObject]]	Object	If the function uses <b>super</b> , this is the object whose [[GetPrototypeOf]] provides the object where <b>super</b> property lookups begin.
[[SourceText]]	sequence of Unicode code points	The source text that defines the function.
[[IsClassConstructor]]	Boolean	Indicates whether the function is a class constructor. (If <b>true</b> , invoking the function's [[Call]] will immediately throw a <b>TypeError</b> exception.)

All ECMAScript function objects have the [[Call]] internal method defined here. ECMAScript functions that are also constructors in addition have the [[Construct]] internal method.

## 9.2.1 [[Call]] ( this Argument, arguments List )

The [[Call]] internal method for an ECMAScript function object *F* is called with parameters *thisArgument* and *argumentsList*, a List of ECMAScript language values. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: *F* is an ECMAScript function object.
- 2. If *F*.[[IsClassConstructor]] is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.

- 3. Let *callerContext* be the running execution context.
- 4. Let *calleeContext* be PrepareForOrdinaryCall(*F*, **undefined**).
- 5. Assert: *calleeContext* is now the running execution context.
- 6. Perform Ordinary CallBindThis(F, calleeContext, this Argument).
- 7. Let result be OrdinaryCallEvaluateBody(F, argumentsList).
- 8. Remove *calleeContext* from the execution context stack and restore *callerContext* as the running execution context.
- 9. If result.[[Type]] is return, return NormalCompletion(result.[[Value]]).
- 10. ReturnIfAbrupt(result).
- 11. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

When *calleeContext* is removed from the execution context stack in step 8 it must not be destroyed if it is suspended and retained for later resumption by an accessible generator object.

### 9.2.1.1 PrepareForOrdinaryCall (F, newTarget)

When the abstract operation PrepareForOrdinaryCall is called with function object *F* and ECMAScript language value *newTarget*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Type(newTarget) is Undefined or Object.
- 2. Let *callerContext* be the running execution context.
- 3. Let *calleeContext* be a new ECMAScript code execution context.
- 4. Set the Function of *calleeContext* to *F*.
- 5. Let *calleeRealm* be *F*.[[Realm]].
- 6. Set the Realm of calleeContext to calleeRealm.
- 7. Set the ScriptOrModule of *calleeContext* to F.[[ScriptOrModule]].
- 8. Let *localEnv* be NewFunctionEnvironment(*F*, *newTarget*).
- 9. Set the LexicalEnvironment of calleeContext to localEnv.
- 10. Set the VariableEnvironment of calleeContext to localEnv.
- 11. If *callerContext* is not already suspended, suspend *callerContext*.
- 12. Push *calleeContext* onto the execution context stack; *calleeContext* is now the running execution context.
- 13. NOTE: Any exception objects produced after this point are associated with callee Realm.
- 14. Return calleeContext.

#### 9.2.1.2 Ordinary CallBindThis (F, calleeContext, thisArgument)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryCallBindThis is called with function object *F*, execution context *calleeContext*, and ECMAScript value *thisArgument*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *thisMode* be *F*.[[ThisMode]].
- 2. If this Mode is lexical, return Normal Completion (undefined).
- 3. Let *calleeRealm* be *F*.[[Realm]].
- 4. Let *localEnv* be the LexicalEnvironment of *calleeContext*.
- 5. If this Mode is **strict**, let this Value be this Argument.
- 6. Else,
  - a. If this Argument is **undefined** or **null**, then
    - i. Let globalEnv be calleeRealm.[[GlobalEnv]].
    - ii. Let globalEnvRec be globalEnv's EnvironmentRecord.

- iii. Assert: *globalEnvRec* is a global Environment Record.
- iv. Let this Value be globalEnvRec.[[GlobalThisValue]].
- b. Else,
  - i. Let this Value be! ToObject(this Argument).
  - ii. NOTE: ToObject produces wrapper objects using calleeRealm.
- 7. Let *envRec* be *localEnv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 8. Assert: *envRec* is a function Environment Record.
- 9. Assert: The next step never returns an abrupt completion because <code>envRec.[[ThisBindingStatus]]</code> is not initialized.
- 10. Return *envRec*.BindThisValue(*thisValue*).

### 9.2.1.3 OrdinaryCallEvaluateBody (F, argumentsList)

When the abstract operation OrdinaryCallEvaluateBody is called with function object *F* and List *argumentsList*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return the result of EvaluateBody of the parsed code that is *F*.[[ECMAScriptCode]] passing *F* and *argumentsList* as the arguments.

## 9.2.2 [[Construct]] ( argumentsList, newTarget )

The [[Construct]] internal method for an ECMAScript function object *F* is called with parameters *argumentsList* and *newTarget*. *argumentsList* is a possibly empty List of ECMAScript language values. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: *F* is an ECMAScript function object.
- 2. Assert: Type(newTarget) is Object.
- 3. Let *callerContext* be the running execution context.
- 4. Let *kind* be *F*.[[ConstructorKind]].
- 5. If kind is base, then
  - a. Let this Argument be? Ordinary Create From Constructor (new Target, "% Object.prototype%").
- 6. Let *calleeContext* be PrepareForOrdinaryCall(*F*, *newTarget*).
- 7. Assert: *calleeContext* is now the running execution context.
- 8. If kind is base, perform OrdinaryCallBindThis(F, calleeContext, thisArgument).
- 9. Let *constructorEnv* be the LexicalEnvironment of *calleeContext*.
- 10. Let envRec be constructorEnv's EnvironmentRecord.
- 11. Let result be OrdinaryCallEvaluateBody(F, argumentsList).
- 12. Remove *calleeContext* from the execution context stack and restore *callerContext* as the running execution context.
- 13. If result.[[Type]] is return, then
  - a. If Type(result.[[Value]]) is Object, return NormalCompletion(result.[[Value]]).
  - b. If kind is base, return NormalCompletion(thisArgument).
  - c. If *result*.[[Value]] is not **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 14. Else, ReturnIfAbrupt(result).
- 15. Return? envRec.GetThisBinding().

## 9.2.3 OrdinaryFunctionCreate (functionPrototype, ParameterList, Body, thisMode, Scope)

The abstract operation OrdinaryFunctionCreate requires the arguments: an object *functionPrototype*, a parameter list Parse Node specified by *ParameterList*, a body Parse Node specified by *Body*, *thisMode* which is either lexical-this or

non-lexical-this, and a Lexical Environment specified by *Scope*. OrdinaryFunctionCreate performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(functionPrototype) is Object.
- 2. Let internal Slots List be the internal slots listed in Table 27.
- 3. Let *F* be ! OrdinaryObjectCreate(functionPrototype, internalSlotsList).
- 4. Set *F*.[[Call]] to the definition specified in 9.2.1.
- 5. Set F.[[FormalParameters]] to ParameterList.
- 6. Set F.[[ECMAScriptCode]] to Body.
- 7. If the source text matching *Body* is strict mode code, let *Strict* be **true**; else let *Strict* be **false**.
- 8. Set *F*.[[Strict]] to *Strict*.
- 9. If *thisMode* is lexical-this, set *F*.[[ThisMode]] to lexical.
- 10. Else if *Strict* is **true**, set *F*.[[ThisMode]] to **strict**.
- 11. Else, set *F*.[[ThisMode]] to global.
- 12. Set *F*.[[IsClassConstructor]] to **false**.
- 13. Set *F*.[[Environment]] to *Scope*.
- 14. Set F.[[ScriptOrModule]] to GetActiveScriptOrModule().
- 15. Set *F*.[[Realm]] to the current Realm Record.
- 16. Set *F*.[[HomeObject]] to **undefined**.
- 17. Let *len* be the ExpectedArgumentCount of *ParameterList*.
- 18. Perform ! SetFunctionLength(*F*, *len*).
- 19. Return *F*.

## 9.2.4 AddRestrictedFunctionProperties (F, realm)

The abstract operation AddRestrictedFunctionProperties is called with a function object *F* and Realm Record *realm* as its argument. It performs the following steps:

- Assert: realm.[[Intrinsics]].[[%ThrowTypeError%]] exists and has been initialized.
- 2. Let thrower be realm.[[Intrinsics]].[[%ThrowTypeError%]].
- 3. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "caller", PropertyDescriptor { [[Get]]: *thrower*, [[Set]]: *thrower*, [[Enumerable]]: *talse*, [[Configurable]]: true }).
- 4. Return ! DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "arguments", PropertyDescriptor { [[Get]]: *thrower*, [[Set]]: *thrower*, [[Enumerable]]: *false*, [[Configurable]]: true }).

## **9.2.4.1** %ThrowTypeError% ()

The *%ThrowTypeError*% intrinsic is an anonymous built-in function object that is defined once for each realm. When *%ThrowTypeError*% is called it performs the following steps:

1. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

The value of the [[Extensible]] internal slot of a %ThrowTypeError% function is false.

The "length" property of a %ThrowTypeError% function has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 9.2.5 MakeConstructor (F[, writablePrototype[, prototype]])

The abstract operation MakeConstructor requires a Function argument *F* and optionally, a Boolean *writablePrototype* 

and an object *prototype*. If *prototype* is provided it is assumed to already contain, if needed, a **"constructor"** property whose value is *F*. This operation converts *F* into a constructor by performing the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *F* is an ECMAScript function object.
- 2. Assert: IsConstructor(*F*) is **false**.
- 3. Assert: *F* is an extensible object that does not have a "prototype" own property.
- 4. Set *F*.[[Construct]] to the definition specified in 9.2.2.
- 5. Set *F*.[[ConstructorKind]] to base.
- 6. If writablePrototype is not present, set writablePrototype to **true**.
- 7. If *prototype* is not present, then
  - a. Set *prototype* to OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
  - b. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(prototype, "constructor", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: F, [[Writable]]: writablePrototype, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }).
- 8. Perform ! DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *prototype*, [[Writable]]: *writablePrototype*, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 9. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

## 9.2.6 MakeClassConstructor (F)

The abstract operation MakeClassConstructor with argument *F* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *F* is an ECMAScript function object.
- 2. Assert: F.[[IsClassConstructor]] is false.
- 3. Set *F*.[[IsClassConstructor]] to **true**.
- 4. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

## 9.2.7 MakeMethod (F, homeObject)

The abstract operation MakeMethod with arguments *F* and *homeObject* configures *F* as a method by performing the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *F* is an ECMAScript function object.
- 2. Assert: Type(homeObject) is Object.
- 3. Set F.[[HomeObject]] to homeObject.
- 4. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

## 9.2.8 SetFunctionName (F, name [, prefix])

The abstract operation SetFunctionName requires a Function argument *F*, a String or Symbol argument *name* and optionally a String argument *prefix*. This operation adds a **"name"** property to *F* by performing the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *F* is an extensible object that does not have a **"name"** own property.
- 2. Assert: Type(name) is either Symbol or String.
- 3. Assert: If *prefix* is present, then Type(*prefix*) is String.
- 4. If Type(name) is Symbol, then
  - a. Let description be name's [[Description]] value.
  - b. If description is **undefined**, set name to the empty String.
  - c. Else, set *name* to the string-concatenation of "[", *description*, and "]".

- 5. If *prefix* is present, then
  - a. Set *name* to the string-concatenation of *prefix*, the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), and *name*.
- 6. Return ! DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "name", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *name*, [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }).

## 9.2.9 SetFunctionLength (F, length)

The abstract operation SetFunctionLength requires a Function argument *F* and a Number argument *length*. This operation adds a **"length"** property to *F* by performing the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *F* is an extensible object that does not have a **"length"** own property.
- 2. Assert: Type(length) is Number.
- 3. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(*length*) is **true**.
- 4. Return ! DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "length", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *length*, [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }).

## 9.2.10 FunctionDeclarationInstantiation (func, argumentsList)

NOTE 1

When an execution context is established for evaluating an ECMAScript function a new function Environment Record is created and bindings for each formal parameter are instantiated in that Environment Record. Each declaration in the function body is also instantiated. If the function's formal parameters do not include any default value initializers then the body declarations are instantiated in the same Environment Record as the parameters. If default value parameter initializers exist, a second Environment Record is created for the body declarations. Formal parameters and functions are initialized as part of FunctionDeclarationInstantiation. All other bindings are initialized during evaluation of the function body.

FunctionDeclarationInstantiation is performed as follows using arguments *func* and *argumentsList*. *func* is the function object for which the execution context is being established.

- 1. Let *calleeContext* be the running execution context.
- 2. Let *code* be *func*.[[ECMAScriptCode]].
- Let strict be func.[[Strict]].
- Let formals be func.[[FormalParameters]].
- 5. Let parameterNames be the BoundNames of formals.
- 6. If parameterNames has any duplicate entries, let hasDuplicates be **true**. Otherwise, let hasDuplicates be **false**.
- 7. Let *simpleParameterList* be IsSimpleParameterList of *formals*.
- 8. Let hasParameterExpressions be ContainsExpression of formals.
- 9. Let varNames be the VarDeclaredNames of code.
- 10. Let varDeclarations be the VarScopedDeclarations of code.
- 11. Let *lexicalNames* be the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *code*.
- 12. Let functionNames be a new empty List.
- 13. Let functions To Initialize be a new empty List.
- 14. For each *d* in *varDeclarations*, in reverse list order, do
  - a. If d is neither a VariableDeclaration nor a ForBinding nor a BindingIdentifier, then
    - i. Assert: *d* is either a FunctionDeclaration, a GeneratorDeclaration, an AsyncFunctionDeclaration, or an AsyncGeneratorDeclaration.

- ii. Let *fn* be the sole element of the BoundNames of *d*.
- iii. If *fn* is not an element of *functionNames*, then
  - 1. Insert *fn* as the first element of *functionNames*.
  - 2. NOTE: If there are multiple function declarations for the same name, the last declaration is used.
  - 3. Insert *d* as the first element of *functionsToInitialize*.
- 15. Let *argumentsObjectNeeded* be **true**.
- 16. If func.[[ThisMode]] is lexical, then
  - a. NOTE: Arrow functions never have an arguments objects.
  - b. Set argumentsObjectNeeded to false.
- 17. Else if **"arguments"** is an element of *parameterNames*, then
  - a. Set argumentsObjectNeeded to false.
- 18. Else if hasParameterExpressions is false, then
  - a. If "arguments" is an element of functionNames or if "arguments" is an element of lexicalNames, then
    - i. Set argumentsObjectNeeded to false.
- 19. If *strict* is **true** or if *hasParameterExpressions* is **false**, then
  - a. NOTE: Only a single lexical environment is needed for the parameters and top-level vars.
  - b. Let *env* be the LexicalEnvironment of *calleeContext*.
  - c. Let envRec be env's EnvironmentRecord.
- 20. Else,
  - a. NOTE: A separate Environment Record is needed to ensure that bindings created by direct eval calls in the formal parameter list are outside the environment where parameters are declared.
  - b. Let calleeEnv be the LexicalEnvironment of calleeContext.
  - c. Let env be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(calleeEnv).
  - d. Let envRec be env's EnvironmentRecord.
  - e. Assert: The VariableEnvironment of calleeContext is calleeEnv.
  - f. Set the LexicalEnvironment of calleeContext to env.
- 21. For each String paramName in parameterNames, do
  - a. Let alreadyDeclared be envRec.HasBinding(paramName).
  - b. NOTE: Early errors ensure that duplicate parameter names can only occur in non-strict functions that do not have parameter default values or rest parameters.
  - c. If alreadyDeclared is **false**, then
    - i. Perform! envRec.CreateMutableBinding(paramName, false).
    - ii. If hasDuplicates is **true**, then
      - 1. Perform! envRec.InitializeBinding(paramName, undefined).
- 22. If argumentsObjectNeeded is **true**, then
  - a. If *strict* is **true** or if *simpleParameterList* is **false**, then
    - i. Let ao be CreateUnmappedArgumentsObject(argumentsList).
  - b. Else,
    - i. NOTE: A mapped argument object is only provided for non-strict functions that don't have a rest parameter, any parameter default value initializers, or any destructured parameters.
    - ii. Let *ao* be CreateMappedArgumentsObject(func, formals, argumentsList, envRec).
  - c. If *strict* is **true**, then
    - i. Perform! envRec.CreateImmutableBinding("arguments", false).
  - d. Else,
    - i. Perform! envRec.CreateMutableBinding("arguments", false).
  - e. Call envRec.InitializeBinding("arguments", ao).
  - f. Let parameterBindings be a new List of parameterNames with "arguments" appended.

- 23. Else,
  - a. Let parameterBindings be parameterNames.
- 24. Let iteratorRecord be CreateListIteratorRecord(argumentsList).
- 25. If *hasDuplicates* is **true**, then
  - a. Perform? IteratorBindingInitialization for formals with iteratorRecord and undefined as arguments.
- 26. Else,
  - a. Perform? IteratorBindingInitialization for formals with iteratorRecord and env as arguments.
- 27. If hasParameterExpressions is false, then
  - a. NOTE: Only a single lexical environment is needed for the parameters and top-level vars.
  - b. Let instantiated VarNames be a copy of the List parameter Bindings.
  - c. For each *n* in *varNames*, do
    - i. If *n* is not an element of *instantiatedVarNames*, then
      - 1. Append *n* to *instantiatedVarNames*.
      - 2. Perform ! *envRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*n*, **false**).
      - 3. Call *envRec*.InitializeBinding(*n*, **undefined**).
  - d. Let varEnv be env.
  - e. Let varEnvRec be envRec.
- 28. Else,
  - a. NOTE: A separate Environment Record is needed to ensure that closures created by expressions in the formal parameter list do not have visibility of declarations in the function body.
  - b. Let *varEnv* be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*env*).
  - c. Let varEnvRec be varEnv's EnvironmentRecord.
  - d. Set the VariableEnvironment of calleeContext to varEnv.
  - e. Let instantiated VarNames be a new empty List.
  - f. For each *n* in *varNames*, do
    - i. If *n* is not an element of *instantiatedVarNames*, then
      - 1. Append *n* to *instantiatedVarNames*.
      - 2. Perform ! *varEnvRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*n*, **false**).
      - 3. If *n* is not an element of *parameterBindings* or if *n* is an element of *functionNames*, let *initialValue* be **undefined**.
      - 4. Else,
        - a. Let *initialValue* be ! *envRec*.GetBindingValue(*n*, **false**).
      - 5. Call *varEnvRec*.InitializeBinding(*n*, *initialValue*).
      - 6. NOTE: A var with the same name as a formal parameter initially has the same value as the corresponding initialized parameter.
- 29. NOTE: Annex B.3.3.1 adds additional steps at this point.
- 30. If *strict* is **false**, then
  - a. Let *lexEnv* be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*varEnv*).
  - b. NOTE: Non-strict functions use a separate lexical Environment Record for top-level lexical declarations so that a direct eval can determine whether any var scoped declarations introduced by the eval code conflict with pre-existing top-level lexically scoped declarations. This is not needed for strict functions because a strict direct eval always places all declarations into a new Environment Record.
- 31. Else, let *lexEnv* be *varEnv*.
- 32. Let *lexEnvRec* be *lexEnv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 33. Set the LexicalEnvironment of *calleeContext* to *lexEnv*.
- 34. Let *lexDeclarations* be the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *code*.
- 35. For each element *d* in *lexDeclarations*, do
  - a. NOTE: A lexically declared name cannot be the same as a function/generator declaration, formal

parameter, or a var name. Lexically declared names are only instantiated here but not initialized.

- b. For each element *dn* of the BoundNames of *d*, do
  - i. If IsConstantDeclaration of *d* is **true**, then
    - 1. Perform ! *lexEnvRec*.CreateImmutableBinding(*dn*, **true**).
  - ii. Else,
    - 1. Perform! *lexEnvRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*dn*, **false**).
- 36. For each Parse Node f in functions To Initialize, do
  - a. Let *fn* be the sole element of the BoundNames of *f*.
  - b. Let *fo* be InstantiateFunctionObject of *f* with argument *lexEnv*.
  - c. Perform! varEnvRec.SetMutableBinding(fn, fo, false).
- 37. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

NOTE 2 B.3.3 provides an extension to the above algorithm that is necessary for backwards compatibility with web browser implementations of ECMAScript that predate ECMAScript 2015.

NOTE 3 Parameter *Initializers* may contain direct eval expressions. Any top level declarations of such evals are only visible to the eval code (10.2). The creation of the environment for such declarations is described in 14.1.22.

## 9.3 Built-in Function Objects

The built-in function objects defined in this specification may be implemented as either ECMAScript function objects (9.2) whose behaviour is provided using ECMAScript code or as implementation provided function exotic objects whose behaviour is provided in some other manner. In either case, the effect of calling such functions must conform to their specifications. An implementation may also provide additional built-in function objects that are not defined in this specification.

If a built-in function object is implemented as an exotic object it must have the ordinary object behaviour specified in 9.1. All such function exotic objects also have [[Prototype]], [[Extensible]], [[Realm]], and [[ScriptOrModule]] internal slots.

Unless otherwise specified every built-in function object has the %Function.prototype% object as the initial value of its [[Prototype]] internal slot.

The behaviour specified for each built-in function via algorithm steps or other means is the specification of the function body behaviour for both [[Call]] and [[Construct]] invocations of the function. However, [[Construct]] invocation is not supported by all built-in functions. For each built-in function, when invoked with [[Call]], the [[Call]] this Argument provides the this value, the [[Call]] arguments List provides the named parameters, and the New Target value is undefined. When invoked with [[Construct]], the this value is uninitialized, the [[Construct]] arguments List provides the named parameters, and the [[Construct]] new Target parameter provides the New Target value. If the built-in function is implemented as an ECMAScript function object then this specified behaviour must be implemented by the ECMAScript code that is the body of the function. Built-in functions that are ECMAScript function objects must be strict functions. If a built-in constructor has any [[Call]] behaviour other than throwing a TypeError exception, an ECMAScript implementation of the function must be done in a manner that does not cause the function's [[IsClassConstructor]] internal slot to have the value true.

Built-in function objects that are not identified as constructors do not implement the [[Construct]] internal method

unless otherwise specified in the description of a particular function. When a built-in constructor is called as part of a **new** expression the *argumentsList* parameter of the invoked [[Construct]] internal method provides the values for the built-in constructor's named parameters.

Built-in functions that are not constructors do not have a "prototype" property unless otherwise specified in the description of a particular function.

If a built-in function object is not implemented as an ECMAScript function it must provide [[Call]] and [[Construct]] internal methods that conform to the following definitions:

## 9.3.1 [[Call]] (thisArgument, argumentsList)

The [[Call]] internal method for a built-in function object *F* is called with parameters *thisArgument* and *argumentsList*, a List of ECMAScript language values. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *callerContext* be the running execution context.
- 2. If callerContext is not already suspended, suspend callerContext.
- 3. Let calleeContext be a new execution context.
- 4. Set the Function of *calleeContext* to *F*.
- 5. Let calleeRealm be F.[[Realm]].
- 6. Set the Realm of calleeContext to calleeRealm.
- 7. Set the ScriptOrModule of calleeContext to F.[[ScriptOrModule]].
- 8. Perform any necessary implementation-defined initialization of calleeContext.
- 9. Push calleeContext onto the execution context stack; calleeContext is now the running execution context.
- 10. Let *result* be the Completion Record that is the result of evaluating *F* in a manner that conforms to the specification of *F. thisArgument* is the **this** value, *argumentsList* provides the named parameters, and the NewTarget value is **undefined**.
- 11. Remove *calleeContext* from the execution context stack and restore *callerContext* as the running execution context.
- 12. Return result.

**NOTE** 

When *calleeContext* is removed from the execution context stack it must not be destroyed if it has been suspended and retained by an accessible generator object for later resumption.

## 9.3.2 [[Construct]] ( argumentsList, newTarget )

The [[Construct]] internal method for built-in function object F is called with parameters argumentsList and newTarget. The steps performed are the same as [[Call]] (see 9.3.1) except that step 10 is replaced by:

10. Let *result* be the Completion Record that is the result of evaluating *F* in a manner that conforms to the specification of *F*. The **this** value is uninitialized, *argumentsList* provides the named parameters, and *newTarget* provides the NewTarget value.

## 9.3.3 CreateBuiltinFunction ( steps, internalSlotsList [ , realm [ , prototype ] ] )

The abstract operation CreateBuiltinFunction takes arguments <code>steps</code>, <code>internalSlotsList</code>, <code>realm</code>, and <code>prototype</code>. The argument <code>internalSlotsList</code> is a List of the names of additional internal slots that must be defined as part of the object. CreateBuiltinFunction returns a built-in function object created by the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *steps* is either a set of algorithm steps or other definition of a function's behaviour provided in this specification.
- 2. If realm is not present, set realm to the current Realm Record.
- 3. Assert: realm is a Realm Record.
- 4. If *prototype* is not present, set *prototype* to *realm*.[[Intrinsics]].[[%Function.prototype%]].
- Let func be a new built-in function object that when called performs the action described by steps. The new function object has internal slots whose names are the elements of internal SlotsList.
- 6. Set func.[[Realm]] to realm.
- 7. Set *func*.[[Prototype]] to *prototype*.
- 8. Set *func*.[[Extensible]] to **true**.
- 9. Set func.[[ScriptOrModule]] to null.
- 10. Return func.

Each built-in function defined in this specification is created by calling the CreateBuiltinFunction abstract operation.

## 9.4 Built-in Exotic Object Internal Methods and Slots

This specification defines several kinds of built-in exotic objects. These objects generally behave similar to ordinary objects except for a few specific situations. The following exotic objects use the ordinary object internal methods except where it is explicitly specified otherwise below:

## 9.4.1 Bound Function Exotic Objects

A bound function exotic object is an exotic object that wraps another function object. A bound function exotic object is callable (it has a [[Call]] internal method and may have a [[Construct]] internal method). Calling a bound function exotic object generally results in a call of its wrapped function.

An object is a *bound function exotic object* if its [[Call]] and (if applicable) [[Construct]] internal methods use the following implementations, and its other essential internal methods use the definitions found in 9.1. These methods are installed in BoundFunctionCreate.

Bound function exotic objects do not have the internal slots of ECMAScript function objects listed in Table 27. Instead they have the internal slots listed in Table 28, in addition to [[Prototype]] and [[Extensible]].

Internal Slot	Туре	Description
[[BoundTargetFunction]]	Callable Object	The wrapped function object.
[[BoundThis]]	Any	The value that is always passed as the <b>this</b> value when calling the wrapped function.
[[BoundArguments]]	List of Any	A list of values whose elements are used as the first arguments to any call to the wrapped function.

**Table 28: Internal Slots of Bound Function Exotic Objects** 

## 9.4.1.1 [[Call]] (thisArgument, argumentsList)

When the [[Call]] internal method of a bound function exotic object, *F*, which was created using the bind function is called with parameters *thisArgument* and *argumentsList*, a List of ECMAScript language values, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *target* be *F*.[[BoundTargetFunction]].
- 2. Let boundThis be F.[[BoundThis]].
- 3. Let *boundArgs* be *F*.[[BoundArguments]].
- 4. Let *args* be a new list containing the same values as the list *boundArgs* in the same order followed by the same values as the list *argumentsList* in the same order.
- 5. Return? Call(target, boundThis, args).

## 9.4.1.2 [[Construct]] ( argumentsList, newTarget )

When the [[Construct]] internal method of a bound function exotic object, *F* that was created using the bind function is called with a list of arguments *argumentsList* and *newTarget*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let target be F.[[BoundTargetFunction]].
- 2. Assert: IsConstructor(target) is true.
- 3. Let boundArgs be F.[[BoundArguments]].
- 4. Let *args* be a new list containing the same values as the list *boundArgs* in the same order followed by the same values as the list *argumentsList* in the same order.
- 5. If SameValue(*F*, *newTarget*) is **true**, set *newTarget* to *target*.
- 6. Return ? Construct(target, args, newTarget).

#### 9.4.1.3 BoundFunctionCreate (targetFunction, boundThis, boundArgs)

The abstract operation BoundFunctionCreate with arguments *targetFunction*, *boundThis*, and *boundArgs* is used to specify the creation of new bound function exotic objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(targetFunction) is Object.
- Let proto be ? targetFunction.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
- 3. Let *internalSlotsList* be the internal slots listed in Table 28, plus [[Prototype]] and [[Extensible]].
- 4. Let *obj* be! MakeBasicObject(*internalSlotsList*).
- 5. Set *obj*.[[Prototype]] to *proto*.
- 6. Set *obj*.[[Call]] as described in 9.4.1.1.
- 7. If IsConstructor(targetFunction) is **true**, then
  - a. Set *obj*.[[Construct]] as described in 9.4.1.2.
- 8. Set obj.[[BoundTargetFunction]] to targetFunction.
- 9. Set *obj*.[[BoundThis]] to *boundThis*.
- 10. Set obj.[[BoundArguments]] to boundArgs.
- 11. Return obj.

## 9.4.2 Array Exotic Objects

An Array object is an exotic object that gives special treatment to array index property keys (see 6.1.7). A property whose property name is an array index is also called an *element*. Every Array object has a non-configurable **''length''** property whose value is always a nonnegative integer less than 2<sup>32</sup>. The value of the **''length''** property is numerically greater than the name of every own property whose name is an array index; whenever an own property of an Array object is created or changed, other properties are adjusted as necessary to maintain this invariant. Specifically,

whenever an own property is added whose name is an array index, the value of the "length" property is changed, if necessary, to be one more than the numeric value of that array index; and whenever the value of the "length" property is changed, every own property whose name is an array index whose value is not smaller than the new length is deleted. This constraint applies only to own properties of an Array object and is unaffected by "length" or array index properties that may be inherited from its prototypes.

**NOTE** 

A String property name P is an *array index* if and only if ToString(ToUint32(P)) is equal to P and ToUint32(P) is not equal to  $2^{32}$  - 1.

An object is an *Array exotic object* (or simply, an Array object) if its [[DefineOwnProperty]] internal method uses the following implementation, and its other essential internal methods use the definitions found in 9.1. These methods are installed in *ArrayCreate*.

### 9.4.2.1 [[DefineOwnProperty]] ( P, Desc )

When the [[DefineOwnProperty]] internal method of an Array exotic object *A* is called with property key *P*, and Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. If *P* is **"length"**, then
  - a. Return ? ArraySetLength(A, Desc).
- 3. Else if *P* is an array index, then
  - a. Let *oldLenDesc* be OrdinaryGetOwnProperty(A, "length").
  - b. Assert: *oldLenDesc* will never be **undefined** or an accessor descriptor because Array objects are created with a length data property that cannot be deleted or reconfigured.
  - c. Let oldLen be oldLenDesc.[[Value]].
  - d. Assert: IsNonNegativeInteger(oldLen) is true.
  - e. Let *index* be ! ToUint32(*P*).
  - f. If  $index \ge oldLen$  and oldLenDesc.[[Writable]] is **false**, return **false**.
  - g. Let *succeeded* be! OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(*A*, *P*, *Desc*).
  - h. If *succeeded* is **false**, return **false**.
  - i. If  $index \ge oldLen$ , then
    - i. Set oldLenDesc.[[Value]] to index + 1.
    - ii. Let succeeded be OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(A, "length", oldLenDesc).
    - iii. Assert: succeeded is true.
  - j. Return **true**.
- 4. Return OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(A, P, Desc).

#### 9.4.2.2 ArrayCreate (length[, proto])

The abstract operation ArrayCreate with argument *length* (either 0 or a positive integer) and optional argument *proto* is used to specify the creation of new Array exotic objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(length) is true.
- 2. If length is -0, set length to +0.
- 3. If  $length > 2^{32}$  1, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 4. If *proto* is not present, set *proto* to %Array.prototype%.
- 5. Let A be! MakeBasicObject(« [[Prototype]], [[Extensible]] »).

- 6. Set *A*.[[Prototype]] to *proto*.
- 7. Set A.[[DefineOwnProperty]] as specified in 9.4.2.1.
- 8. Perform ! OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(*A*, "length", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *length*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 9. Return A.

## 9.4.2.3 ArraySpeciesCreate (originalArray, length)

The abstract operation ArraySpeciesCreate with arguments *originalArray* and *length* is used to specify the creation of a new Array object using a constructor function that is derived from *originalArray*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(*length*) is **true**.
- 2. If length is -0, set length to +0.
- 3. Let *isArray* be ? IsArray(*originalArray*).
- 4. If *isArray* is **false**, return ? ArrayCreate(*length*).
- 5. Let *C* be ? Get(originalArray, "constructor").
- 6. If IsConstructor(*C*) is **true**, then
  - a. Let this Realm be the current Realm Record.
  - b. Let *realmC* be ? GetFunctionRealm(*C*).
  - c. If this Realm and realm C are not the same Realm Record, then
    - i. If SameValue(*C*, realmC.[[Intrinsics]].[[%Array%]]) is **true**, set *C* to **undefined**.
- 7. If Type(C) is Object, then
  - a. Set C to ? Get(C, @@species).
  - b. If *C* is **null**, set *C* to **undefined**.
- 8. If *C* is **undefined**, return ? ArrayCreate(*length*).
- 9. If IsConstructor(*C*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 10. Return ? Construct(*C*, « *length* »).

**NOTE** 

If original Array was created using the standard built-in Array constructor for a realm that is not the realm of the running execution context, then a new Array is created using the realm of the running execution context. This maintains compatibility with Web browsers that have historically had that behaviour for the **Array.prototype** methods that now are defined using ArraySpeciesCreate.

#### 9.4.2.4 ArraySetLength (A, Desc)

When the abstract operation ArraySetLength is called with an Array exotic object *A*, and Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Desc.[[Value]] is absent, then
  - a. Return OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(A, "length", Desc).
- 2. Let *newLenDesc* be a copy of *Desc*.
- 3. Let newLen be ? ToUint32(Desc.[[Value]]).
- 4. Let numberLen be ? ToNumber(Desc.[[Value]]).
- 5. If  $newLen \neq numberLen$ , throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 6. Set newLenDesc.[[Value]] to newLen.
- 7. Let *oldLenDesc* be OrdinaryGetOwnProperty(*A*, "length").
- 8. Assert: oldLenDesc will never be **undefined** or an accessor descriptor because Array objects are created with a

length data property that cannot be deleted or reconfigured.

- 9. Let oldLen be oldLenDesc.[[Value]].
- 10. If  $newLen \ge oldLen$ , then
  - a. Return OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(A, "length", newLenDesc).
- 11. If *oldLenDesc*.[[Writable]] is **false**, return **false**.
- 12. If newLenDesc.[[Writable]] is absent or has the value true, let newWritable be true.
- 13. Else,
  - a. Need to defer setting the [[Writable]] attribute to false in case any elements cannot be deleted.
  - b. Let newWritable be false.
  - c. Set newLenDesc.[[Writable]] to **true**.
- 14. Let *succeeded* be! OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(*A*, "length", *newLenDesc*).
- 15. If *succeeded* is **false**, return **false**.
- 16. For each own property key *P* of *A* that is an array index, whose numeric value is greater than or equal to *newLen*, in descending numeric index order, do
  - a. Let deleteSucceeded be ! A.[[Delete]](P).
  - b. If deleteSucceeded is false, then
    - i. Set newLenDesc.[[Value]] to ! ToUint32(P) + 1.
    - ii. If newWritable is false, set newLenDesc.[[Writable]] to false.
    - iii. Perform! OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(A, "length", newLenDesc).
    - iv. Return false.
- 17. If newWritable is false, then
  - a. Return OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(*A*, "length", PropertyDescriptor { [[Writable]]: false }). This call will always return true.
- 18. Return true.

NOTE

In steps 3 and 4, if *Desc*.[[Value]] is an object then its **valueOf** method is called twice. This is legacy behaviour that was specified with this effect starting with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition of this specification.

## 9.4.3 String Exotic Objects

A String object is an exotic object that encapsulates a String value and exposes virtual integer-indexed data properties corresponding to the individual code unit elements of the String value. String exotic objects always have a data property named "length" whose value is the number of code unit elements in the encapsulated String value. Both the code unit data properties and the "length" property are non-writable and non-configurable.

An object is a *String exotic object* (or simply, a String object) if its [[GetOwnProperty]], [[DefineOwnProperty]], and [[OwnPropertyKeys]] internal methods use the following implementations, and its other essential internal methods use the definitions found in 9.1. These methods are installed in StringCreate.

String exotic objects have the same internal slots as ordinary objects. They also have a [[StringData]] internal slot.

## 9.4.3.1 [[GetOwnProperty]] ( *P* )

When the [[GetOwnProperty]] internal method of a String exotic object *S* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.

- 2. Let *desc* be OrdinaryGetOwnProperty(*S*, *P*).
- 3. If desc is not **undefined**, return desc.
- 4. Return! StringGetOwnProperty(S, P).

### 9.4.3.2 [[DefineOwnProperty]] (P, Desc)

When the [[DefineOwnProperty]] internal method of a String exotic object *S* is called with property key *P*, and Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let *stringDesc* be ! StringGetOwnProperty(*S*, *P*).
- 3. If *stringDesc* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *extensible* be *S*.[[Extensible]].
  - b. Return! IsCompatiblePropertyDescriptor(extensible, Desc, stringDesc).
- 4. Return! OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(S, P, Desc).

## 9.4.3.3 [[OwnPropertyKeys]]()

When the [[OwnPropertyKeys]] internal method of a String exotic object O is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *keys* be a new empty List.
- 2. Let *str* be O.[[StringData]].
- 3. Assert: Type(str) is String.
- 4. Let *len* be the length of *str*.
- 5. For each integer i starting with 0 such that i < len, in ascending order, do
  - a. Add! ToString(i) as the last element of *keys*.
- 6. For each own property key P of O such that P is an array index and  $ToInteger(P) \ge len$ , in ascending numeric index order, do
  - a. Add *P* as the last element of *keys*.
- 7. For each own property key *P* of *O* such that Type(*P*) is String and *P* is not an array index, in ascending chronological order of property creation, do
  - a. Add *P* as the last element of *keys*.
- 8. For each own property key *P* of *O* such that Type(*P*) is Symbol, in ascending chronological order of property creation, do
  - a. Add *P* as the last element of *keys*.
- 9. Return keys.

#### 9.4.3.4 StringCreate (value, prototype)

The abstract operation StringCreate with arguments *value* and *prototype* is used to specify the creation of new String exotic objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(value) is String.
- 2. Let *S* be ! MakeBasicObject(« [[Prototype]], [[Extensible]], [[StringData]] »).
- 3. Set *S*.[[Prototype]] to *prototype*.
- 4. Set S.[[StringData]] to value.
- 5. Set S.[[GetOwnProperty]] as specified in 9.4.3.1.
- 6. Set S.[[DefineOwnProperty]] as specified in 9.4.3.2.
- 7. Set S.[[OwnPropertyKeys]] as specified in 9.4.3.3.

- 8. Let *length* be the number of code unit elements in *value*.
- 9. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(*S*, "length", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *length*, [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 10. Return S.

### 9.4.3.5 StringGetOwnProperty (S, P)

The abstract operation StringGetOwnProperty called with arguments *S* and *P* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *S* is an Object that has a [[StringData]] internal slot.
- 2. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 3. If Type(*P*) is not String, return **undefined**.
- 4. Let *index* be ! CanonicalNumericIndexString(*P*).
- 5. If *index* is **undefined**, return **undefined**.
- 6. If IsInteger(*index*) is **false**, return **undefined**.
- 7. If index = -0, return **undefined**.
- 8. Let *str* be *S*.[[StringData]].
- 9. Assert: Type(*str*) is String.
- 10. Let *len* be the length of *str*.
- 11. If index < 0 or  $len \le index$ , return **undefined**.
- 12. Let *resultStr* be the String value of length 1, containing one code unit from *str*, specifically the code unit at index *index*.
- 13. Return the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: resultStr, [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: true, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 9.4.4 Arguments Exotic Objects

Most ECMAScript functions make an arguments object available to their code. Depending upon the characteristics of the function definition, its arguments object is either an ordinary object or an arguments exotic object. An arguments exotic object is an exotic object whose array index properties map to the formal parameters bindings of an invocation of its associated ECMAScript function.

An object is an *arguments exotic object* if its internal methods use the following implementations, with the ones not specified here using those found in 9.1. These methods are installed in CreateMappedArgumentsObject.

NOTE 1 While CreateUnmappedArgumentsObject is grouped into this clause, it creates an ordinary object, not an arguments exotic object.

Arguments exotic objects have the same internal slots as ordinary objects. They also have a [[ParameterMap]] internal slot. Ordinary arguments objects also have a [[ParameterMap]] internal slot whose value is always undefined. For ordinary argument objects the [[ParameterMap]] internal slot is only used by **Object.prototype.toString** (19.1.3.6) to identify them as such.

The integer-indexed data properties of an arguments exotic object whose numeric name values are less than the number of formal parameters of the corresponding function object initially share their values with the corresponding argument bindings in the function's execution context. This means that changing the property changes the corresponding value of the argument binding and vice-versa. This correspondence is broken if such a property is deleted and then redefined or if the property is changed into an accessor property. If the arguments object is an ordinary object, the values of its properties are simply a copy of the arguments passed to the function and there is no dynamic linkage between the property values and the formal parameter values.

#### NOTE 3

The ParameterMap object and its property values are used as a device for specifying the arguments object correspondence to argument bindings. The ParameterMap object and the objects that are the values of its properties are not directly observable from ECMAScript code. An ECMAScript implementation does not need to actually create or use such objects to implement the specified semantics.

#### NOTE 4

Ordinary arguments objects define a non-configurable accessor property named "callee" which throws a **TypeError** exception on access. The "callee" property has a more specific meaning for arguments exotic objects, which are created only for some class of non-strict functions. The definition of this property in the ordinary variant exists to ensure that it is not defined in any other manner by conforming ECMAScript implementations.

#### NOTE 5

ECMAScript implementations of arguments exotic objects have historically contained an accessor property named "caller". Prior to ECMAScript 2017, this specification included the definition of a throwing "caller" property on ordinary arguments objects. Since implementations do not contain this extension any longer, ECMAScript 2017 dropped the requirement for a throwing "caller" accessor.

#### 9.4.4.1 [[GetOwnProperty]] ( *P* )

The [[GetOwnProperty]] internal method of an arguments exotic object when called with a property key *P* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *args* be the arguments object.
- 2. Let *desc* be OrdinaryGetOwnProperty(*args*, *P*).
- 3. If desc is **undefined**, return desc.
- Let map be args.[[ParameterMap]].
- 5. Let *isMapped* be! HasOwnProperty(*map*, *P*).
- 6. If *isMapped* is **true**, then
  - a. Set *desc*.[[Value]] to Get(*map*, *P*).
- 7. Return desc.

## 9.4.4.2 [[DefineOwnProperty]] ( P, Desc )

The [[DefineOwnProperty]] internal method of an arguments exotic object when called with a property key *P* and Property Descriptor *Desc* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *args* be the arguments object.
- 2. Let *map* be *args*.[[ParameterMap]].
- 3. Let isMapped be HasOwnProperty(map, P).
- 4. Let newArgDesc be Desc.
- 5. If *isMapped* is **true** and *IsDataDescriptor*(*Desc*) is **true**, then
  - a. If Desc.[[Value]] is not present and Desc.[[Writable]] is present and its value is false, then
    - i. Set *newArgDesc* to a copy of *Desc*.
    - ii. Set *newArgDesc*.[[Value]] to Get(*map*, *P*).
- 6. Let allowed be? OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(args, P, newArgDesc).
- 7. If *allowed* is **false**, return **false**.
- 8. If isMapped is true, then
  - a. If IsAccessorDescriptor(Desc) is **true**, then
    - i. Call map.[[Delete]](P).
  - b. Else,
    - i. If Desc.[[Value]] is present, then
      - 1. Let *setStatus* be Set(*map*, *P*, *Desc*.[[Value]], **false**).
      - 2. Assert: *setStatus* is **true** because formal parameters mapped by argument objects are always writable.
    - ii. If Desc.[[Writable]] is present and its value is false, then
      - 1. Call *map*.[[Delete]](*P*).
- 9. Return true.

#### 9.4.4.3 [[Get]] ( P, Receiver )

The [[Get]] internal method of an arguments exotic object when called with a property key *P* and ECMAScript language value *Receiver* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *args* be the arguments object.
- 2. Let *map* be *args*.[[ParameterMap]].
- 3. Let *isMapped* be ! HasOwnProperty(*map*, *P*).
- 4. If isMapped is false, then
  - a. Return? OrdinaryGet(args, P, Receiver).
- 5. Else,
  - a. Assert: *map* contains a formal parameter mapping for *P*.
  - b. Return Get(map, P).

#### 9.4.4.4 [[Set]] ( *P*, *V*, *Receiver* )

The [[Set]] internal method of an arguments exotic object when called with property key *P*, value *V*, and ECMAScript language value *Receiver* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *args* be the arguments object.
- 2. If SameValue(args, Receiver) is **false**, then
  - a. Let isMapped be false.
- 3. Else,
  - a. Let map be args.[[ParameterMap]].
  - b. Let *isMapped* be ! HasOwnProperty(*map*, *P*).
- 4. If *isMapped* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *setStatus* be Set(*map*, *P*, *V*, **false**).

- b. Assert: setStatus is true because formal parameters mapped by argument objects are always writable.
- 5. Return ? OrdinarySet(args, P, V, Receiver).

#### 9.4.4.5 [[Delete]] (*P*)

The [[Delete]] internal method of an arguments exotic object when called with a property key *P* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *args* be the arguments object.
- 2. Let map be args.[[ParameterMap]].
- 3. Let *isMapped* be! HasOwnProperty(*map*, *P*).
- 4. Let result be ? OrdinaryDelete(args, P).
- 5. If result is **true** and isMapped is **true**, then
  - a. Call map.[[Delete]](P).
- 6. Return result.

#### 9.4.4.6 CreateUnmappedArgumentsObject ( argumentsList )

The abstract operation CreateUnmappedArgumentsObject called with an argument *argumentsList* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *len* be the number of elements in *argumentsList*.
- 2. Let obj be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%, « [[ParameterMap]] »).
- 3. Set obj.[[ParameterMap]] to **undefined**.
- 4. Perform DefinePropertyOrThrow(*obj*, "length", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *len*, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }).
- 5. Let index be 0.
- 6. Repeat, while index < len,
  - a. Let *val* be *argumentsList[index]*.
  - b. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj,! ToString(index), val).
  - c. Set index to index + 1.
- 7. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(obj, @@iterator, PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: %Array.prototype.values%, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }).
- 8. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(obj, "callee", PropertyDescriptor { [[Get]]: %ThrowTypeError%, [[Set]]: %ThrowTypeError%, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }).
- 9. Return obj.

#### 9.4.4.7 CreateMappedArgumentsObject (func, formals, argumentsList, env)

The abstract operation CreateMappedArgumentsObject is called with object *func*, Parse Node *formals*, List *argumentsList*, and Environment Record *env*. The following steps are performed:

- 1. Assert: *formals* does not contain a rest parameter, any binding patterns, or any initializers. It may contain duplicate identifiers.
- 2. Let *len* be the number of elements in *argumentsList*.
- 3. Let obj be! MakeBasicObject(« [[Prototype]], [[Extensible]], [[ParameterMap]] »).
- 4. Set *obj*.[[GetOwnProperty]] as specified in 9.4.4.1.
- 5. Set obj.[[DefineOwnProperty]] as specified in 9.4.4.2.
- 6. Set obj.[[Get]] as specified in 9.4.4.3.

- 7. Set *obj*.[[Set]] as specified in 9.4.4.4.
- 8. Set *obj*.[[Delete]] as specified in 9.4.4.5.
- 9. Set *obj*.[[Prototype]] to %Object.prototype%.
- 10. Let map be OrdinaryObjectCreate(null).
- 11. Set obj.[[ParameterMap]] to map.
- 12. Let *parameterNames* be the BoundNames of *formals*.
- 13. Let *numberOfParameters* be the number of elements in *parameterNames*.
- 14. Let index be 0.
- 15. Repeat, while *index* < *len*,
  - a. Let *val* be *argumentsList[index]*.
  - b. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj,! ToString(index), val).
  - c. Set index to index + 1.
- 16. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(obj, "length", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: len, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }).
- 17. Let mappedNames be a new empty List.
- 18. Let index be numberOfParameters 1.
- 19. Repeat, while  $index \ge 0$ ,
  - a. Let name be parameterNames[index].
  - b. If name is not an element of mappedNames, then
    - i. Add name as an element of the list mappedNames.
    - ii. If index < len, then
      - 1. Let *g* be MakeArgGetter(*name*, *env*).
      - 2. Let *p* be MakeArgSetter(*name*, *env*).
      - 3. Perform *map*.[[DefineOwnProperty]](! ToString(*index*), PropertyDescriptor { [[Set]]: *p*, [[Get]]: *g*, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }).
  - c. Set index to index 1.
- 20. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(obj, @@iterator, PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: %Array.prototype.values%, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }).
- 21. Perform ! DefinePropertyOrThrow(obj, "callee", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: func, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }).
- 22. Return obj.

#### 9.4.4.7.1 MakeArgGetter (name, env)

The abstract operation MakeArgGetter called with String *name* and Environment Record *env* creates a built-in function object that when executed returns the value bound for *name* in *env*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *steps* be the steps of an ArgGetter function as specified below.
- 2. Let getter be! CreateBuiltinFunction(steps, « [[Name]], [[Env]] »).
- 3. Set *getter*.[[Name]] to *name*.
- 4. Set getter.[[Env]] to env.
- 5. Return *getter*.

An ArgGetter function is an anonymous built-in function with [[Name]] and [[Env]] internal slots. When an ArgGetter function that expects no arguments is called it performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *f* be the active function object.
- 2. Let *name* be *f*.[[Name]].
- 3. Let *env* be *f*.[[Env]].

4. Return *env*.GetBindingValue(*name*, **false**).

**NOTE** 

ArgGetter functions are never directly accessible to ECMAScript code.

#### 9.4.4.7.2 MakeArgSetter (name, env)

The abstract operation MakeArgSetter called with String *name* and Environment Record *env* creates a built-in function object that when executed sets the value bound for *name* in *env*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *steps* be the steps of an ArgSetter function as specified below.
- 2. Let setter be! CreateBuiltinFunction(steps, « [[Name]], [[Env]] »).
- 3. Set setter.[[Name]] to name.
- 4. Set setter.[[Env]] to env.
- 5. Return setter.

An ArgSetter function is an anonymous built-in function with [[Name]] and [[Env]] internal slots. When an ArgSetter function is called with argument *value* it performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *f* be the active function object.
- Let name be f.[[Name]].
- 3. Let *env* be *f*.[[Env]].
- 4. Return env. SetMutableBinding(name, value, false).

**NOTE** 

ArgSetter functions are never directly accessible to ECMAScript code.

## 9.4.5 Integer-Indexed Exotic Objects

An Integer-Indexed exotic object is an exotic object that performs special handling of integer index property keys.

Integer-Indexed exotic objects have the same internal slots as ordinary objects and additionally [[ViewedArrayBuffer]], [[ArrayLength]], [[ByteOffset]], [[ContentType]], and [[TypedArrayName]] internal slots.

An object is an *Integer-Indexed exotic object* if its [[GetOwnProperty]], [[HasProperty]], [[DefineOwnProperty]], [[Get]], [[Set]], and [[OwnPropertyKeys]] internal methods use the definitions in this section, and its other essential internal methods use the definitions found in 9.1. These methods are installed by IntegerIndexedObjectCreate.

## 9.4.5.1 [[GetOwnProperty]] ( *P* )

When the [[GetOwnProperty]] internal method of an Integer-Indexed exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Assert: O is an Integer-Indexed exotic object.
- 3. If Type(*P*) is String, then
  - a. Let numericIndex be! CanonicalNumericIndexString(P).
  - b. If *numericIndex* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. Let *value* be ? IntegerIndexedElementGet(*O*, *numericIndex*).
    - ii. If value is **undefined**, return **undefined**.
    - iii. Return the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: value, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: true,

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[[Configurable]]: false }.
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4. Return OrdinaryGetOwnProperty(O, P).

### 9.4.5.2 [[HasProperty]] ( *P* )

When the [[HasProperty]] internal method of an Integer-Indexed exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Assert: O is an Integer-Indexed exotic object.
- 3. If Type(P) is String, then
  - a. Let *numericIndex* be ! CanonicalNumericIndexString(*P*).
  - b. If *numericIndex* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. Let *buffer* be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
    - ii. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is true, throw a TypeError exception.
    - iii. If ! IsValidIntegerIndex(O, numericIndex) is false, return false.
    - iv. Return true.
- 4. Return ? OrdinaryHasProperty(O, P).

#### 9.4.5.3 [[DefineOwnProperty]] ( P, Desc )

When the [[DefineOwnProperty]] internal method of an Integer-Indexed exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, and Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Assert: O is an Integer-Indexed exotic object.
- 3. If Type(P) is String, then
  - a. Let *numericIndex* be ! CanonicalNumericIndexString(*P*).
  - b. If *numericIndex* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. If ! IsValidIntegerIndex(*O*, *numericIndex*) is **false**, return **false**.
    - ii. If IsAccessorDescriptor(*Desc*) is **true**, return **false**.
    - iii. If *Desc* has a [[Configurable]] field and if *Desc*.[[Configurable]] is **true**, return **false**.
    - iv. If *Desc* has an [[Enumerable]] field and if *Desc*.[[Enumerable]] is **false**, return **false**.
    - v. If *Desc* has a [[Writable]] field and if *Desc*.[[Writable]] is **false**, return **false**.
    - vi. If Desc has a [[Value]] field, then
      - 1. Let value be Desc.[[Value]].
      - 2. Return? IntegerIndexedElementSet(O, numericIndex, value).
    - vii. Return true.
- 4. Return! OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(O, P, Desc).

#### 9.4.5.4 [[Get]] ( P, Receiver )

When the [[Get]] internal method of an Integer-Indexed exotic object *O* is called with property key *P* and ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. If Type(P) is String, then
  - a. Let *numericIndex* be ! CanonicalNumericIndexString(*P*).
  - b. If *numericIndex* is not **undefined**, then

- i. Return? IntegerIndexedElementGet(O, numericIndex).
- 3. Return ? OrdinaryGet(O, P, Receiver).

#### 9.4.5.5 [[Set]] ( *P*, *V*, *Receiver* )

When the [[Set]] internal method of an Integer-Indexed exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, value *V*, and ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. If Type(P) is String, then
  - a. Let *numericIndex* be ! CanonicalNumericIndexString(*P*).
  - b. If *numericIndex* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. Return? IntegerIndexedElementSet(O, numericIndex, V).
- 3. Return ? OrdinarySet(O, P, V, Receiver).

## 9.4.5.6 [[OwnPropertyKeys]]()

When the [[OwnPropertyKeys]] internal method of an Integer-Indexed exotic object *O* is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *keys* be a new empty List.
- 2. Assert: O is an Integer-Indexed exotic object.
- 3. Let len be O.[[ArrayLength]].
- 4. For each integer i starting with 0 such that i < len, in ascending order, do
  - a. Add! ToString(i) as the last element of *keys*.
- 5. For each own property key *P* of *O* such that Type(*P*) is String and *P* is not an integer index, in ascending chronological order of property creation, do
  - a. Add *P* as the last element of *keys*.
- 6. For each own property key *P* of *O* such that Type(*P*) is Symbol, in ascending chronological order of property creation, do
  - a. Add *P* as the last element of *keys*.
- 7. Return keys.

#### 9.4.5.7 IntegerIndexedObjectCreate (prototype)

The abstract operation IntegerIndexedObjectCreate is used to specify the creation of new Integer-Indexed exotic objects. IntegerIndexedObjectCreate performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *internalSlotsList* be « [[Prototype]], [[Extensible]], [[ViewedArrayBuffer]], [[TypedArrayName]], [[ContentType]], [[ByteLength]], [[ByteOffset]], [[ArrayLength]] ».
- 2. Let A be! MakeBasicObject(internalSlotsList).
- 3. Set A.[[GetOwnProperty]] as specified in 9.4.5.1.
- 4. Set A.[[HasProperty]] as specified in 9.4.5.2.
- 5. Set A.[[DefineOwnProperty]] as specified in 9.4.5.3.
- 6. Set *A*.[[Get]] as specified in 9.4.5.4.
- 7. Set *A*.[[Set]] as specified in 9.4.5.5.
- 8. Set A.[[OwnPropertyKeys]] as specified in 9.4.5.6.
- 9. Set *A*.[[Prototype]] to *prototype*.
- 10. Return *A*.

#### 9.4.5.8 IsValidIntegerIndex (O, index)

The abstract operation IsValidIntegerIndex with arguments *O* and *index* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *O* is an Integer-Indexed exotic object.
- 2. Assert: Type(index) is Number.
- 3. If ! IsInteger(*index*) is **false**, return **false**.
- 4. If *index* is **-0**, return **false**.
- 5. If index < 0 or  $index \ge O$ .[[ArrayLength]], return **false**.
- 6. Return true.

## 9.4.5.9 IntegerIndexedElementGet (O, index)

The abstract operation IntegerIndexedElementGet with arguments *O* and *index* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: O is an Integer-Indexed exotic object.
- 2. Assert: Type(index) is Number.
- 3. Let *buffer* be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 4. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. If ! IsValidIntegerIndex(O, index) is false, return undefined.
- 6. Let *offset* be O.[[ByteOffset]].
- 7. Let arrayTypeName be the String value of O.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 8. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 9. Let indexedPosition be  $(index \times elementSize) + offset$ .
- 10. Let *elementType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 11. Return GetValueFromBuffer(buffer, indexedPosition, elementType, true, Unordered).

#### 9.4.5.10 IntegerIndexedElementSet (O, index, value)

The abstract operation IntegerIndexedElementSet with arguments *O, index,* and *value* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: O is an Integer-Indexed exotic object.
- 2. Assert: Type(index) is Number.
- 3. If O.[[ContentType]] is BigInt, let numValue be? ToBigInt(value).
- 4. Otherwise, let numValue be? ToNumber(value).
- 5. Let *buffer* be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 6. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 7. If ! IsValidIntegerIndex(*O*, *index*) is **false**, return **false**.
- 8. Let *offset* be O.[[ByteOffset]].
- 9. Let *arrayTypeName* be the String value of O.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 10. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 11. Let indexedPosition be  $(index \times elementSize) + offset$ .
- 12. Let *elementType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 13. Perform SetValueInBuffer(buffer, indexedPosition, elementType, numValue, true, Unordered).
- 14. Return true.

## 9.4.6 Module Namespace Exotic Objects

A module namespace exotic object is an exotic object that exposes the bindings exported from an ECMAScript *Module* 

(See 15.2.3). There is a one-to-one correspondence between the String-keyed own properties of a module namespace exotic object and the binding names exported by the *Module*. The exported bindings include any bindings that are indirectly exported using **export** \* export items. Each String-valued own property key is the String-Value of the corresponding exported binding name. These are the only String-keyed properties of a module namespace exotic object. Each such property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: true, [[Configurable]]: false }. Module namespace exotic objects are not extensible.

An object is a *module namespace exotic object* if its [[SetPrototypeOf]], [[IsExtensible]], [[PreventExtensions]], [[GetOwnProperty]], [[DefineOwnProperty]], [[HasProperty]], [[Get]], [[Set]], [[Delete]], and [[OwnPropertyKeys]] internal methods use the definitions in this section, and its other essential internal methods use the definitions found in 9.1. These methods are installed by ModuleNamespaceCreate.

Module namespace exotic objects have the internal slots defined in Table 29.

Internal Type Description Slot [[Module]] Module The Module Record whose exports this namespace exposes. Record [[Exports]] List of A List containing the String values of the exported names exposed as own properties of this String object. The list is ordered as if an Array of those String values had been sorted using **Array.prototype.sort** using **undefined** as *comparefn*. [[Prototype]] Null This slot always contains the value **null** (see 9.4.6.1).

Table 29: Internal Slots of Module Namespace Exotic Objects

Module namespace exotic objects provide alternative definitions for all of the internal methods except [[GetPrototypeOf]], which behaves as defined in 9.1.1.

## **9.4.6.1** [[SetPrototypeOf]] ( *V* )

When the [[SetPrototypeOf]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object O is called with argument V, the following steps are taken:

1. Return ? SetImmutablePrototype(O, V).

#### 9.4.6.2 [[IsExtensible]] ()

When the [[IsExtensible]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object *O* is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Return false.

#### 9.4.6.3 [[PreventExtensions]] ()

When the [[PreventExtensions]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object *O* is called, the following steps are taken:

Return true.

## 9.4.6.4 [[GetOwnProperty]] ( *P* )

When the [[GetOwnProperty]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(*P*) is Symbol, return OrdinaryGetOwnProperty(*O*, *P*).
- 2. Let *exports* be O.[[Exports]].
- 3. If *P* is not an element of *exports*, return **undefined**.
- 4. Let *value* be ? O.[[Get]](*P*, *O*).
- 5. Return PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: value, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: true, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 9.4.6.5 [[DefineOwnProperty]] ( P, Desc )

When the [[DefineOwnProperty]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object *O* is called with property key *P* and Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(*P*) is Symbol, return OrdinaryDefineOwnProperty(*O*, *P*, *Desc*).
- 2. Let *current* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
- 3. If *current* is **undefined**, return **false**.
- 4. If IsAccessorDescriptor(*Desc*) is **true**, return **false**.
- 5. If Desc.[[Writable]] is present and has value false, return false.
- 6. If Desc.[[Enumerable]] is present and has value false, return false.
- 7. If *Desc*.[[Configurable]] is present and has value **true**, return **false**.
- 8. If Desc.[[Value]] is present, return SameValue(Desc.[[Value]], current.[[Value]]).
- 9. Return true.

## 9.4.6.6 [[HasProperty]] ( *P* )

When the [[HasProperty]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(*P*) is Symbol, return OrdinaryHasProperty(*O*, *P*).
- 2. Let *exports* be *O*.[[Exports]].
- 3. If *P* is an element of *exports*, return **true**.
- 4. Return false.

#### 9.4.6.7 [[Get]] ( P, Receiver )

When the [[Get]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object *O* is called with property key *P* and ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. If Type(P) is Symbol, then
  - a. Return ? OrdinaryGet(O, P, Receiver).
- 3. Let *exports* be *O*.[[Exports]].
- 4. If *P* is not an element of *exports*, return **undefined**.
- 5. Let *m* be *O*.[[Module]].

- 6. Let *binding* be ! *m*.ResolveExport(*P*).
- 7. Assert: *binding* is a ResolvedBinding Record.
- 8. Let targetModule be binding.[[Module]].
- 9. Assert: targetModule is not undefined.
- 10. If binding.[[BindingName]] is "\*namespace\*", then
  - a. Return? GetModuleNamespace(targetModule).
- 11. Let *targetEnv* be *targetModule*.[[Environment]].
- 12. If *targetEnv* is **undefined**, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
- 13. Let targetEnvRec be targetEnv's EnvironmentRecord.
- 14. Return? targetEnvRec.GetBindingValue(binding.[[BindingName]], true).

ResolveExport is side-effect free. Each time this operation is called with a specific *exportName*, *resolveSet* pair as arguments it must return the same result. An implementation might choose to pre-compute or cache the ResolveExport results for the [[Exports]] of each module namespace exotic object.

#### 9.4.6.8 [[Set]] ( *P*, *V*, *Receiver* )

When the [[Set]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, value *V*, and ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return false.

#### 9.4.6.9 [[Delete]] (*P*)

When the [[Delete]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. If Type(P) is Symbol, then
  - a. Return? OrdinaryDelete(O, P).
- 3. Let *exports* be O.[[Exports]].
- 4. If *P* is an element of *exports*, return **false**.
- 5. Return true.

### 9.4.6.10 [[OwnPropertyKeys]]()

When the [[OwnPropertyKeys]] internal method of a module namespace exotic object *O* is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *exports* be a copy of O.[[Exports]].
- 2. Let *symbolKeys* be ! OrdinaryOwnPropertyKeys(O).
- 3. Append all the entries of *symbolKeys* to the end of *exports*.
- 4. Return exports.

#### 9.4.6.11 ModuleNamespaceCreate (module, exports)

The abstract operation ModuleNamespaceCreate with arguments *module*, and *exports* is used to specify the creation of

new module namespace exotic objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: module is a Module Record.
- 2. Assert: module.[[Namespace]] is undefined.
- 3. Assert: *exports* is a List of String values.
- 4. Let *internalSlotsList* be the internal slots listed in Table 29.
- 5. Let *M* be ! MakeBasicObject(internalSlotsList).
- 6. Set M's essential internal methods to the definitions specified in 9.4.6.
- 7. Set *M*.[[Prototype]] to **null**.
- 8. Set M.[[Module]] to module.
- Let sortedExports be a new List containing the same values as the list exports where the values are ordered as if an Array of the same values had been sorted using Array.prototype.sort using undefined as comparefn.
- 10. Set *M*.[[Exports]] to *sortedExports*.
- 11. Create own properties of *M* corresponding to the definitions in 26.3.
- 12. Set *module*.[[Namespace]] to *M*.
- 13. Return *M*.

## 9.4.7 Immutable Prototype Exotic Objects

An immutable prototype exotic object is an exotic object that has a [[Prototype]] internal slot that will not change once it is initialized.

An object is an *immutable prototype exotic object* if its [[SetPrototypeOf]] internal method uses the following implementation. (Its other essential internal methods may use any implementation, depending on the specific immutable prototype exotic object in question.)

**NOTE** 

Unlike other exotic objects, there is not a dedicated creation abstract operation provided for immutable prototype exotic objects. This is because they are only used by <code>%ObjectPrototype%</code> and by host environments, and in host environments, the relevant objects are potentially exotic in other ways and thus need their own dedicated creation operation.

## 9.4.7.1 [[SetPrototypeOf]] ( *V* )

When the [[SetPrototypeOf]] internal method of an immutable prototype exotic object *O* is called with argument *V*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return ? SetImmutablePrototype(O, V).

## 9.4.7.2 SetImmutablePrototype (O, V)

When the SetImmutablePrototype abstract operation is called with arguments *O* and *V*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Either Type(V) is Object or Type(V) is Null.
- 2. Let *current* be ? O.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
- 3. If SameValue(*V*, *current*) is **true**, return **true**.
- 4. Return false.

## 9.5 Proxy Object Internal Methods and Internal Slots

A proxy object is an exotic object whose essential internal methods are partially implemented using ECMAScript code. Every proxy object has an internal slot called [[ProxyHandler]]. The value of [[ProxyHandler]] is an object, called the proxy's *handler object*, or **null**. Methods (see Table 30) of a handler object may be used to augment the implementation for one or more of the proxy object's internal methods. Every proxy object also has an internal slot called [[ProxyTarget]] whose value is either an object or the **null** value. This object is called the proxy's *target object*.

An object is a *Proxy exotic object* if its essential internal methods (including [[Call]] and [[Construct]], if applicable) use the definitions in this section. These internal methods are installed in <a href="ProxyCreate">ProxyCreate</a>.

**Table 30: Proxy Handler Methods** 

Internal Method	Handler Method
[[GetPrototypeOf]]	getPrototypeOf
[[SetPrototypeOf]]	setPrototypeOf
[[IsExtensible]]	isExtensible
[[PreventExtensions]]	preventExtensions
[[GetOwnProperty]]	getOwnPropertyDescriptor
[[DefineOwnProperty]]	defineProperty
[[HasProperty]]	has
[[Get]]	get
[[Set]]	set
[[Delete]]	deleteProperty
[[OwnPropertyKeys]]	ownKeys
[[Call]]	apply
[[Construct]]	construct

When a handler method is called to provide the implementation of a proxy object internal method, the handler method is passed the proxy's target object as a parameter. A proxy's handler object does not necessarily have a method corresponding to every essential internal method. Invoking an internal method on the proxy results in the invocation of the corresponding internal method on the proxy's target object if the handler object does not have a method corresponding to the internal trap.

The [[ProxyHandler]] and [[ProxyTarget]] internal slots of a proxy object are always initialized when the object is created and typically may not be modified. Some proxy objects are created in a manner that permits them to be subsequently *revoked*. When a proxy is revoked, its [[ProxyHandler]] and [[ProxyTarget]] internal slots are set to **null** causing subsequent invocations of internal methods on that proxy object to throw a **TypeError** exception.

Because proxy objects permit the implementation of internal methods to be provided by arbitrary ECMAScript code,

it is possible to define a proxy object whose handler methods violates the invariants defined in 6.1.7.3. Some of the internal method invariants defined in 6.1.7.3 are essential integrity invariants. These invariants are explicitly enforced by the proxy object internal methods specified in this section. An ECMAScript implementation must be robust in the presence of all possible invariant violations.

In the following algorithm descriptions, assume *O* is an ECMAScript proxy object, *P* is a property key value, *V* is any ECMAScript language value and *Desc* is a Property Descriptor record.

## 9.5.1 [[GetPrototypeOf]]()

When the [[GetPrototypeOf]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object O is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 2. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 4. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 5. Let trap be ? GetMethod(handler, "getPrototypeOf").
- 6. If trap is undefined, then
  - a. Return ? target.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
- 7. Let handlerProto be? Call(trap, handler, « target »).
- 8. If Type(handlerProto) is neither Object nor Null, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 9. Let *extensibleTarget* be ? IsExtensible(*target*).
- 10. If *extensibleTarget* is **true**, return *handlerProto*.
- 11. Let targetProto be ? target.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
- 12. If Same Value(handler Proto, target Proto) is false, throw a Type Error exception.
- 13. Return handlerProto.

**NOTE** 

[[GetPrototypeOf]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[GetPrototypeOf]] must be either an Object or **null**.
- If the target object is not extensible, [[GetPrototypeOf]] applied to the proxy object must return the same value as [[GetPrototypeOf]] applied to the proxy object's target object.

## 9.5.2 [[SetPrototypeOf]] ( *V* )

When the [[SetPrototypeOf]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object *O* is called with argument *V*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Either Type(V) is Object or Type(V) is Null.
- 2. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 3. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 5. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 6. Let trap be ? GetMethod(handler, "setPrototypeOf").
- 7. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return ? target.[[SetPrototypeOf]](V).
- 8. Let booleanTrapResult be! ToBoolean(? Call(trap, handler, « target, V »)).

- 9. If booleanTrapResult is **false**, return **false**.
- 10. Let extensible Target be ? Is Extensible (target).
- 11. If *extensibleTarget* is **true**, return **true**.
- 12. Let targetProto be ? target.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
- 13. If SameValue(*V*, *targetProto*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 14. Return true.

[[SetPrototypeOf]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[SetPrototypeOf]] is a Boolean value.
- If the target object is not extensible, the argument value must be the same as the result of [[GetPrototypeOf]] applied to target object.

## 9.5.3 [[IsExtensible]]()

When the [[IsExtensible]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object *O* is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 2. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 4. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 5. Let trap be ? GetMethod(handler, "isExtensible").
- 6. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return? IsExtensible(target).
- 7. Let booleanTrapResult be! ToBoolean(? Call(trap, handler, « target »)).
- 8. Let targetResult be ? IsExtensible(target).
- 9. If SameValue(booleanTrapResult, targetResult) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 10. Return booleanTrapResult.

#### NOTE

[[IsExtensible]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[IsExtensible]] is a Boolean value.
- [[IsExtensible]] applied to the proxy object must return the same value as [[IsExtensible]] applied to the proxy object's target object with the same argument.

## 9.5.4 [[PreventExtensions]]()

When the [[PreventExtensions]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object O is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 2. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 4. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 5. Let *trap* be ? GetMethod(*handler*, "preventExtensions").
- 6. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return? target.[[PreventExtensions]]().

- 7. Let booleanTrapResult be ! ToBoolean(? Call(trap, handler, « target »)).
- 8. If booleanTrapResult is **true**, then
  - a. Let extensible Target be ? Is Extensible (target).
  - b. If *extensibleTarget* is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 9. Return booleanTrapResult.

[[PreventExtensions]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[PreventExtensions]] is a Boolean value.
- [[PreventExtensions]] applied to the proxy object only returns **true** if [[IsExtensible]] applied to the proxy object's target object is **false**.

## 9.5.5 [[GetOwnProperty]] ( *P* )

When the [[GetOwnProperty]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 3. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 5. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 6. Let trap be ? GetMethod(handler, "getOwnPropertyDescriptor").
- 7. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return ? target.[[GetOwnProperty]](P).
- 8. Let trapResultObj be? Call(trap, handler, « target, P »).
- 9. If Type(trapResultObj) is neither Object nor Undefined, throw a TypeError exception.
- 10. Let targetDesc be ? target.[[GetOwnProperty]](P).
- 11. If *trapResultObj* is **undefined**, then
  - a. If *targetDesc* is **undefined**, return **undefined**.
  - b. If *targetDesc*.[[Configurable]] is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - c. Let extensibleTarget be ? IsExtensible(target).
  - d. If *extensibleTarget* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - e. Return undefined.
- 12. Let *extensibleTarget* be ? IsExtensible(*target*).
- 13. Let resultDesc be? ToPropertyDescriptor(trapResultObj).
- 14. Call CompletePropertyDescriptor(resultDesc).
- 15. Let valid be IsCompatiblePropertyDescriptor(extensibleTarget, resultDesc, targetDesc).
- 16. If *valid* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 17. If resultDesc.[[Configurable]] is false, then
  - a. If targetDesc is undefined or targetDesc.[[Configurable]] is true, then
    - i. Throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. If resultDesc has a [[Writable]] field and resultDesc.[[Writable]] is false, then
    - i. If *targetDesc*.[[Writable]] is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 18. Return resultDesc.

[[GetOwnProperty]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[GetOwnProperty]] must be either an Object or **undefined**.
- A property cannot be reported as non-existent, if it exists as a non-configurable own property of the target object.
- A property cannot be reported as non-existent, if the target object is not extensible, unless
  it does not exist as an own property of the target object.
- A property cannot be reported as existent, if the target object is not extensible, unless it exists as an own property of the target object.
- A property cannot be reported as non-configurable, unless it exists as a non-configurable own property of the target object.
- A property cannot be reported as both non-configurable and non-writable, unless it exists as a non-configurable, non-writable own property of the target object.

## 9.5.6 [[DefineOwnProperty]] ( P, Desc )

When the [[DefineOwnProperty]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object *O* is called with property key *P* and Property Descriptor *Desc*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 3. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 5. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 6. Let trap be? GetMethod(handler, "defineProperty").
- 7. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return? target.[[DefineOwnProperty]](P, Desc).
- 8. Let *descObj* be FromPropertyDescriptor(*Desc*).
- 9. Let booleanTrapResult be ! ToBoolean(? Call(trap, handler, « target, P, descObj »)).
- 10. If booleanTrapResult is **false**, return **false**.
- 11. Let *targetDesc* be ? *target*.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
- 12. Let extensible Target be ? Is Extensible (target).
- 13. If Desc has a [[Configurable]] field and if Desc.[[Configurable]] is **false**, then
  - a. Let *settingConfigFalse* be **true**.
- 14. Else, let *settingConfigFalse* be **false**.
- 15. If *targetDesc* is **undefined**, then
  - a. If *extensibleTarget* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. If *settingConfigFalse* is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 16. Else,
  - a. If IsCompatiblePropertyDescriptor(extensibleTarget, Desc, targetDesc) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
  - b. If settingConfigFalse is **true** and targetDesc.[[Configurable]] is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - c. If IsDataDescriptor(targetDesc) is **true**, targetDesc.[[Configurable]] is **false**, and targetDesc.[[Writable]] is **true**, then
    - i. If *Desc* has a [[Writable]] field and *Desc*.[[Writable]] is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 17. Return **true**.

NOTE

[[DefineOwnProperty]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[DefineOwnProperty]] is a Boolean value.
- A property cannot be added, if the target object is not extensible.
- A property cannot be non-configurable, unless there exists a corresponding nonconfigurable own property of the target object.
- A non-configurable property cannot be non-writable, unless there exists a corresponding non-configurable, non-writable own property of the target object.
- If a property has a corresponding target object property then applying the Property
   Descriptor of the property to the target object using [[DefineOwnProperty]] will not throw
   an exception.

## 9.5.7 [[HasProperty]] ( *P* )

When the [[HasProperty]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 3. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 5. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 6. Let trap be? GetMethod(handler, "has").
- 7. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return ? target.[[HasProperty]](P).
- 8. Let booleanTrapResult be! ToBoolean(? Call(trap, handler, « target, P »)).
- 9. If booleanTrapResult is false, then
  - a. Let *targetDesc* be ? *target*.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
  - b. If *targetDesc* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. If *targetDesc*.[[Configurable]] is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
    - ii. Let *extensibleTarget* be ? IsExtensible(*target*).
    - iii. If *extensibleTarget* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 10. Return booleanTrapResult.

#### NOTE

[[HasProperty]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[HasProperty]] is a Boolean value.
- A property cannot be reported as non-existent, if it exists as a non-configurable own property of the target object.
- A property cannot be reported as non-existent, if it exists as an own property of the target object and the target object is not extensible.

#### 9.5.8 [[Get]] (*P*, *Receiver*)

When the [[Get]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object O is called with property key P and ECMAScript language

value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 3. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 5. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 6. Let trap be ? GetMethod(handler, "get").
- 7. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return? target.[[Get]](P, Receiver).
- 8. Let trapResult be ? Call(trap, handler, « target, P, Receiver »).
- 9. Let *targetDesc* be ? *target*.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
- 10. If targetDesc is not **undefined** and targetDesc.[[Configurable]] is **false**, then
  - a. If IsDataDescriptor(targetDesc) is **true** and targetDesc.[[Writable]] is **false**, then
    - i. If SameValue(trapResult, targetDesc.[[Value]]) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
  - b. If IsAccessorDescriptor(targetDesc) is true and targetDesc.[[Get]] is undefined, then
    - i. If *trapResult* is not **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 11. Return trapResult.

#### **NOTE**

[[Get]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The value reported for a property must be the same as the value of the corresponding target object property if the target object property is a non-writable, non-configurable own data property.
- The value reported for a property must be **undefined** if the corresponding target object property is a non-configurable own accessor property that has **undefined** as its [[Get]] attribute.

#### 9.5.9 [[Set]] ( *P*, *V*, *Receiver* )

When the [[Set]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, value *V*, and ECMAScript language value *Receiver*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 3. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 5. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 6. Let trap be ? GetMethod(handler, "set").
- 7. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return ? target.[[Set]](P, V, Receiver).
- 8. Let booleanTrapResult be! ToBoolean(? Call(trap, handler, « target, P, V, Receiver »)).
- 9. If booleanTrapResult is **false**, return **false**.
- 10. Let *targetDesc* be ? *target*.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
- 11. If targetDesc is not undefined and targetDesc.[[Configurable]] is false, then
  - a. If IsDataDescriptor(targetDesc) is **true** and targetDesc.[[Writable]] is **false**, then
    - i. If SameValue(*V*, targetDesc.[[Value]]) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.

- b. If IsAccessorDescriptor(targetDesc) is **true**, then
  - i. If targetDesc.[[Set]] is undefined, throw a TypeError exception.
- 12. Return true.

#### NOTE

[[Set]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[Set]] is a Boolean value.
- Cannot change the value of a property to be different from the value of the corresponding target object property if the corresponding target object property is a non-writable, nonconfigurable own data property.
- Cannot set the value of a property if the corresponding target object property is a non-configurable own accessor property that has **undefined** as its [[Set]] attribute.

#### 9.5.10 [[Delete]] ( *P* )

When the [[Delete]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object *O* is called with property key *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsPropertyKey(*P*) is **true**.
- 2. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 3. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 5. Let *target* be *O*.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 6. Let trap be? GetMethod(handler, "deleteProperty").
- 7. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return ? target.[[Delete]](P).
- 8. Let booleanTrapResult be! ToBoolean(? Call(trap, handler, « target, P »)).
- 9. If booleanTrapResult is **false**, return **false**.
- 10. Let *targetDesc* be ? *target*.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
- 11. If *targetDesc* is **undefined**, return **true**.
- 12. If targetDesc.[[Configurable]] is false, throw a TypeError exception.
- 13. Let extensible Target be ? Is Extensible (target).
- 14. If *extensibleTarget* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 15. Return true.

#### **NOTE**

[[Delete]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[Delete]] is a Boolean value.
- A property cannot be reported as deleted, if it exists as a non-configurable own property
  of the target object.
- A property cannot be reported as deleted, if it exists as an own property of the target object and the target object is non-extensible.

# 9.5.11 [[OwnPropertyKeys]]()

When the [[OwnPropertyKeys]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object O is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 2. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 4. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 5. Let trap be ? GetMethod(handler, "ownKeys").
- 6. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return? target.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 7. Let *trapResultArray* be ? Call(*trap*, *handler*, « *target* »).
- 8. Let trapResult be? CreateListFromArrayLike(trapResultArray, « String, Symbol »).
- 9. If *trapResult* contains any duplicate entries, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 10. Let extensible Target be ? Is Extensible (target).
- 11. Let targetKeys be ? target.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 12. Assert: targetKeys is a List containing only String and Symbol values.
- 13. Assert: targetKeys contains no duplicate entries.
- 14. Let targetConfigurableKeys be a new empty List.
- 15. Let targetNonconfigurableKeys be a new empty List.
- 16. For each element key of targetKeys, do
  - a. Let desc be? target.[[GetOwnProperty]](key).
  - b. If desc is not **undefined** and desc.[[Configurable]] is **false**, then
    - i. Append key as an element of targetNonconfigurableKeys.
  - c. Else,
    - i. Append key as an element of targetConfigurableKeys.
- 17. If extensible Target is **true** and target Nonconfigurable Keys is empty, then
  - a. Return trapResult.
- 18. Let uncheckedResultKeys be a new List which is a copy of trapResult.
- 19. For each key that is an element of targetNonconfigurableKeys, do
  - a. If key is not an element of *uncheckedResultKeys*, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. Remove key from uncheckedResultKeys.
- 20. If *extensibleTarget* is **true**, return *trapResult*.
- 21. For each key that is an element of targetConfigurableKeys, do
  - a. If key is not an element of *uncheckedResultKeys*, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. Remove key from uncheckedResultKeys.
- 22. If *uncheckedResultKeys* is not empty, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 23. Return trapResult.

#### NOTE [[OwnPropertyKeys]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

- The result of [[OwnPropertyKeys]] is a List.
- The returned List contains no duplicate entries.
- The Type of each result List element is either String or Symbol.
- The result List must contain the keys of all non-configurable own properties of the target object.
- If the target object is not extensible, then the result List must contain all the keys of the own properties of the target object and no other values.

# 9.5.12 [[Call]] (thisArgument, argumentsList)

The [[Call]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object *O* is called with parameters *thisArgument* and *argumentsList*, a List of ECMAScript language values. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 2. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 4. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 5. Let trap be ? GetMethod(handler, "apply").
- 6. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return? Call(target, this Argument, arguments List).
- 7. Let argArray be! CreateArrayFromList(argumentsList).
- 8. Return? Call(trap, handler, « target, this Argument, arg Array »).

**NOTE** 

A Proxy exotic object only has a [[Call]] internal method if the initial value of its [[ProxyTarget]] internal slot is an object that has a [[Call]] internal method.

#### 9.5.13 [[Construct]] ( argumentsList, newTarget )

The [[Construct]] internal method of a Proxy exotic object *O* is called with parameters *argumentsList* which is a possibly empty List of ECMAScript language values and *newTarget*. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let handler be O.[[ProxyHandler]].
- 2. If *handler* is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Assert: Type(handler) is Object.
- 4. Let *target* be O.[[ProxyTarget]].
- 5. Assert: IsConstructor(target) is true.
- 6. Let trap be ? GetMethod(handler, "construct").
- 7. If *trap* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return? Construct(target, argumentsList, newTarget).
- 8. Let argArray be! CreateArrayFromList(argumentsList).
- 9. Let newObj be? Call(trap, handler, « target, argArray, newTarget »).
- 10. If Type(newObj) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 11. Return newObj.

NOTE 1

A Proxy exotic object only has a [[Construct]] internal method if the initial value of its [[ProxyTarget]] internal slot is an object that has a [[Construct]] internal method.

NOTE 2

[[Construct]] for proxy objects enforces the following invariants:

The result of [[Construct]] must be an Object.

# 9.5.14 ProxyCreate (target, handler)

The abstract operation ProxyCreate with arguments *target* and *handler* is used to specify the creation of new Proxy exotic objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(*target*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. If *target* is a Proxy exotic object and *target*.[[ProxyHandler]] is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If Type(handler) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 4. If handler is a Proxy exotic object and handler.[[ProxyHandler]] is **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let P be! MakeBasicObject(« [[ProxyHandler]], [[ProxyTarget]] »).
- 6. Set P's essential internal methods, except for [[Call]] and [[Construct]], to the definitions specified in 9.5.
- 7. If IsCallable(target) is **true**, then
  - a. Set P.[[Call]] as specified in 9.5.12.
  - b. If IsConstructor(target) is true, then
    - i. Set *P*.[[Construct]] as specified in 9.5.13.
- 8. Set *P*.[[ProxyTarget]] to *target*.
- 9. Set P.[[ProxyHandler]] to handler.
- 10. Return *P*.

# 10 ECMAScript Language: Source Code

#### **10.1 Source Text**

#### **Syntax**

SourceCharacter ::

any Unicode code point

ECMAScript code is expressed using Unicode. ECMAScript source text is a sequence of code points. All Unicode code point values from U+0000 to U+10FFFF, including surrogate code points, may occur in source text where permitted by the ECMAScript grammars. The actual encodings used to store and interchange ECMAScript source text is not relevant to this specification. Regardless of the external source text encoding, a conforming ECMAScript implementation processes the source text as if it was an equivalent sequence of *SourceCharacter* values, each *SourceCharacter* being a Unicode code point. Conforming ECMAScript implementations are not required to perform any normalization of source text, or behave as though they were performing normalization of source text.

The components of a combining character sequence are treated as individual Unicode code points even though a user might think of the whole sequence as a single character.

NOTE

In string literals, regular expression literals, template literals and identifiers, any Unicode code point may also be expressed using Unicode escape sequences that explicitly express a code point's numeric value. Within a comment, such an escape sequence is effectively ignored as part of the comment.

ECMAScript differs from the Java programming language in the behaviour of Unicode escape sequences. In a Java program, if the Unicode escape sequence \u000A, for example, occurs within a single-line comment, it is interpreted as a line terminator (Unicode code point U+000A is LINE FEED (LF)) and therefore the next code point is not part of the comment. Similarly, if the Unicode escape sequence \u000A occurs within a string literal in a Java program, it is likewise interpreted as a line terminator, which is not allowed within a string literal—one must write \u000a instead of \u000a to cause a LINE FEED (LF) to be part of the String value of a string literal. In an ECMAScript program, a Unicode escape sequence occurring within a comment is never interpreted and therefore cannot contribute to termination of the comment. Similarly, a Unicode escape sequence occurring within a string literal in an ECMAScript program always contributes to the literal and is never interpreted as a line terminator or as a code point that might terminate the string literal.

#### 10.1.1 Static Semantics: UTF16Encoding (cp)

The UTF16Encoding of a numeric code point value, cp, is determined as follows:

- 1. Assert:  $0 \le cp \le 0$ x10FFFF.
- 2. If  $cp \le 0$ xFFFF, return cp.
- 3. Let cu1 be floor((cp 0x10000) / 0x400) + 0xD800.
- 4. Let cu2 be  $((cp 0x10000) \mod 0x400) + 0xDC00$ .
- 5. Return the code unit sequence consisting of *cu1* followed by *cu2*.

#### 10.1.2 Static Semantics: UTF16Encode ( text )

This abstract operation converts *text*, a sequence of Unicode code points, into a String value, as described in 6.1.4.

1. Return the string-concatenation of the code units that are the UTF16Encoding of each code point in *text*, in order.

#### 10.1.3 Static Semantics: UTF16DecodeSurrogatePair (lead, trail)

Two code units, *lead* and *trail*, that form a UTF-16 surrogate pair are converted to a code point by performing the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *lead* is a leading surrogate and *trail* is a trailing surrogate.
- 2. Let cp be  $(lead 0xD800) \times 0x400 + (trail 0xDC00) + 0x10000$ .
- 3. Return the code point *cp*.

#### 10.1.4 Static Semantics: CodePointAt (string, position)

The abstract operation CodePointAt interprets a String string as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as

described in 6.1.4, and reads from it a single code point starting with the code unit at index *position*. When called, the following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *size* be the length of *string*.
- 2. Assert:  $position \ge 0$  and position < size.
- 3. Let first be the code unit at index position within string.
- 4. Let *cp* be the code point whose numeric value is that of *first*.
- 5. If *first* is not a leading surrogate or trailing surrogate, then
  - a. Return the Record { [[CodePoint]]: *cp*, [[CodeUnitCount]]: 1, [[IsUnpairedSurrogate]]: **false** }.
- 6. If first is a trailing surrogate or position +1 = size, then
  - a. Return the Record { [[CodePoint]]: *cp*, [[CodeUnitCount]]: 1, [[IsUnpairedSurrogate]]: **true** }.
- 7. Let *second* be the code unit at index *position* + 1 within *string*.
- 8. If second is not a trailing surrogate, then
  - a. Return the Record { [[CodePoint]]: *cp*, [[CodeUnitCount]]: 1, [[IsUnpairedSurrogate]]: **true** }.
- 9. Set *cp* to ! UTF16DecodeSurrogatePair(*first*, *second*).
- 10. Return the Record { [[CodePoint]]: *cp*, [[CodeUnitCount]]: 2, [[IsUnpairedSurrogate]]: **false** }.

#### 10.1.5 Static Semantics: UTF16DecodeString (string)

This abstract operation accepts a String value *string* and returns the sequence of Unicode code points that results from interpreting it as UTF-16 encoded Unicode text as described in 6.1.4.

- 1. Let *codePoints* be a new empty List.
- 2. Let *size* be the length of *string*.
- 3. Let position be 0.
- 4. Repeat, while *position* < *size*,
  - a. Let *cp* be ! CodePointAt(*string*, *position*).
  - b. Append *cp*.[[CodePoint]] to *codePoints*.
  - c. Set *position* to *position* + *cp*.[[CodeUnitCount]].
- 5. Return codePoints.

# **10.2 Types of Source Code**

There are four types of ECMAScript code:

- Global code is source text that is treated as an ECMAScript Script. The global code of a particular Script does not include any source text that is parsed as part of a FunctionDeclaration, FunctionExpression, GeneratorDeclaration, GeneratorExpression, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncFunctionExpression, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorExpression, MethodDefinition, ArrowFunction, AsyncArrowFunction, ClassDeclaration, or ClassExpression.
- Eval code is the source text supplied to the built-in eval function. More precisely, if the parameter to the built-in eval function is a String, it is treated as an ECMAScript Script. The eval code for a particular invocation of eval is the global code portion of that Script.
- Function code is source text that is parsed to supply the value of the [[ECMAScriptCode]] and [[FormalParameters]] internal slots (see 9.2) of an ECMAScript function object. The function code of a particular ECMAScript function does not include any source text that is parsed as the function code of a nested FunctionDeclaration, FunctionExpression, GeneratorDeclaration, GeneratorExpression, AsyncFunctionDeclaration,

AsyncFunctionExpression, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorExpression, MethodDefinition, ArrowFunction, AsyncArrowFunction, ClassDeclaration, or ClassExpression.

In addition, if the source text referred to above is parsed as:

- the Formal Parameters and Function Body of a Function Declaration or Function Expression,
- the FormalParameters and GeneratorBody of a GeneratorDeclaration or GeneratorExpression,
- the FormalParameters and AsyncFunctionBody of an AsyncFunctionDeclaration or AsyncFunctionExpression, or
- the FormalParameters and AsyncGeneratorBody of an AsyncGeneratorDeclaration or AsyncGeneratorExpression,

then the source text matching the *BindingIdentifier* (if any) of that declaration or expression is also included in the function code of the corresponding function.

• Module code is source text that is code that is provided as a ModuleBody. It is the code that is directly evaluated when a module is initialized. The module code of a particular module does not include any source text that is parsed as part of a nested FunctionDeclaration, FunctionExpression, GeneratorDeclaration, GeneratorExpression, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncFunctionExpression, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorExpression, MethodDefinition, ArrowFunction, AsyncArrowFunction, ClassDeclaration, or ClassExpression.

NOTE 1

Function code is generally provided as the bodies of Function Definitions (14.1), Arrow Function Definitions (14.2), Method Definitions (14.3), Generator Function Definitions (14.4), Async Function Definitions (14.7), Async Generator Function Definitions (14.5), and Async Arrow Functions (14.8). Function code is also derived from the arguments to the **Function** constructor (19.2.1.1), the **GeneratorFunction** constructor (25.2.1.1), and the **AsyncFunction** constructor (25.7.1.1).

NOTE 2

The practical effect of including the *BindingIdentifier* in function code is that the Early Errors for strict mode code are applied to a *BindingIdentifier* that is the name of a function whose body contains a "use strict" directive, even if the surrounding code is not strict mode code.

#### 10.2.1 Strict Mode Code

An ECMAScript *Script* syntactic unit may be processed using either unrestricted or strict mode syntax and semantics. Code is interpreted as *strict mode code* in the following situations:

- Global code is strict mode code if it begins with a Directive Prologue that contains a Use Strict Directive.
- Module code is always strict mode code.
- All parts of a *ClassDeclaration* or a *ClassExpression* are strict mode code.
- Eval code is strict mode code if it begins with a Directive Prologue that contains a Use Strict Directive or if the call to **eval** is a direct eval that is contained in strict mode code.
- Function code is strict mode code if the associated FunctionDeclaration, FunctionExpression, GeneratorDeclaration, GeneratorExpression, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncFunctionExpression, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorExpression, MethodDefinition, ArrowFunction, or AsyncArrowFunction is contained in strict mode code or if the code that produces the value of the function's [[ECMAScriptCode]] internal slot begins with a Directive Prologue that contains a Use Strict Directive.

Function code that is supplied as the arguments to the built-in Function, Generator,
 AsyncFunction, and AsyncGenerator constructors is strict mode code if the last argument is a String that when processed is a FunctionBody that begins with a Directive Prologue that contains a Use Strict Directive.

ECMAScript code that is not strict mode code is called *non-strict code*.

#### 10.2.2 Non-ECMAScript Functions

An ECMAScript implementation may support the evaluation of function exotic objects whose evaluative behaviour is expressed in some implementation-defined form of executable code other than via ECMAScript code. Whether a function object is an ECMAScript code function or a non-ECMAScript function is not semantically observable from the perspective of an ECMAScript code function that calls or is called by such a non-ECMAScript function.

# 11 ECMAScript Language: Lexical Grammar

The source text of an ECMAScript *Script* or *Module* is first converted into a sequence of input elements, which are tokens, line terminators, comments, or white space. The source text is scanned from left to right, repeatedly taking the longest possible sequence of code points as the next input element.

There are several situations where the identification of lexical input elements is sensitive to the syntactic grammar context that is consuming the input elements. This requires multiple goal symbols for the lexical grammar. The <code>InputElementRegExpOrTemplateTail</code> goal is used in syntactic grammar contexts where a <code>RegularExpressionLiteral</code>, a <code>TemplateMiddle</code>, or a <code>TemplateTail</code> is permitted. The <code>InputElementRegExp</code> goal symbol is used in all syntactic grammar contexts where a <code>RegularExpressionLiteral</code> is permitted but neither a <code>TemplateMiddle</code>, nor a <code>TemplateTail</code> is permitted. The <code>InputElementTemplateTail</code> goal is used in all syntactic grammar contexts where a <code>TemplateMiddle</code> or a <code>TemplateTail</code> is permitted but a <code>RegularExpressionLiteral</code> is not permitted. In all other contexts, <code>InputElementDiv</code> is used as the lexical goal symbol.

NOTE

The use of multiple lexical goals ensures that there are no lexical ambiguities that would affect automatic semicolon insertion. For example, there are no syntactic grammar contexts where both a leading division or division-assignment, and a leading *RegularExpressionLiteral* are permitted. This is not affected by semicolon insertion (see 11.9); in examples such as the following:

```
a = b
/hi/g.exec(c).map(d);
```

where the first non-whitespace, non-comment code point after a *LineTerminator* is U+002F (SOLIDUS) and the syntactic context allows division or division-assignment, no semicolon is inserted at the *LineTerminator*. That is, the above example is interpreted in the same way as:

```
a = b / hi / g.exec(c).map(d);
```

# **Syntax**

InputElementDiv :: WhiteSpace

LineTerminator

Comment

CommonToken

DivPunctuator

RightBracePunctuator

#### InputElementRegExp ::

*WhiteSpace* 

LineTerminator

Comment

CommonToken

RightBracePunctuator

Regular Expression Literal

#### InputElementRegExpOrTemplateTail ::

*WhiteSpace* 

LineTerminator

Comment

CommonToken

Regular Expression Literal

*TemplateSubstitutionTail* 

#### InputElementTemplateTail::

*WhiteSpace* 

LineTerminator

Comment

CommonToken

**DivPunctuator** 

TemplateSubstitutionTail

#### 11.1 Unicode Format-Control Characters

The Unicode format-control characters (i.e., the characters in category "Cf" in the Unicode Character Database such as LEFT-TO-RIGHT MARK or RIGHT-TO-LEFT MARK) are control codes used to control the formatting of a range of text in the absence of higher-level protocols for this (such as mark-up languages).

It is useful to allow format-control characters in source text to facilitate editing and display. All format control characters may be used within comments, and within string literals, template literals, and regular expression literals.

U+200C (ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER) and U+200D (ZERO WIDTH JOINER) are format-control characters that are used to make necessary distinctions when forming words or phrases in certain languages. In ECMAScript source text these code points may also be used in an *IdentifierName* after the first character.

U+FEFF (ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE) is a format-control character used primarily at the start of a text to mark it as Unicode and to allow detection of the text's encoding and byte order. <ZWNBSP> characters intended for this purpose can sometimes also appear after the start of a text, for example as a result of concatenating files. In ECMAScript source text <ZWNBSP> code points are treated as white space characters (see 11.2).

The special treatment of certain format-control characters outside of comments, string literals, and regular expression

**Table 31: Format-Control Code Point Usage** 

Code Point	Name	Abbreviation	Usage
U+200C	ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER	<zwnj></zwnj>	IdentifierPart
U+200D	ZERO WIDTH JOINER	<zwj></zwj>	IdentifierPart
U+FEFF	ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE	<zwnbsp></zwnbsp>	WhiteSpace

# 11.2 White Space

White space code points are used to improve source text readability and to separate tokens (indivisible lexical units) from each other, but are otherwise insignificant. White space code points may occur between any two tokens and at the start or end of input. White space code points may occur within a <code>StringLiteral</code>, a <code>RegularExpressionLiteral</code>, a <code>Template</code>, or a <code>TemplateSubstitutionTail</code> where they are considered significant code points forming part of a literal value. They may also occur within a <code>Comment</code>, but cannot appear within any other kind of token.

The ECMAScript white space code points are listed in Table 32.

**Table 32: White Space Code Points** 

Code Point	Name	Abbreviation
U+0009	CHARACTER TABULATION	<tab></tab>
U+000B	LINE TABULATION	<vt></vt>
U+000C	FORM FEED (FF)	<ff></ff>
U+0020	SPACE	<sp></sp>
U+00A0	NO-BREAK SPACE	<nbsp></nbsp>
U+FEFF	ZERO WIDTH NO-BREAK SPACE	<zwnbsp></zwnbsp>
Other category "Zs"	Any other Unicode "Space_Separator" code point	<usp></usp>

ECMAScript implementations must recognize as *WhiteSpace* code points listed in the "Space\_Separator" ("Zs") category.

NOTE

Other than for the code points listed in Table 32, ECMAScript *WhiteSpace* intentionally excludes all code points that have the Unicode "White\_Space" property but which are not classified in category "Space\_Separator" ("Zs").

# **Syntax**

WhiteSpace ::

<TAB>

<VT>
<FF>
<SP>
<NBSP>
<ZWNBSP>
<USP>

### 11.3 Line Terminators

Like white space code points, line terminator code points are used to improve source text readability and to separate tokens (indivisible lexical units) from each other. However, unlike white space code points, line terminators have some influence over the behaviour of the syntactic grammar. In general, line terminators may occur between any two tokens, but there are a few places where they are forbidden by the syntactic grammar. Line terminators also affect the process of automatic semicolon insertion (11.9). A line terminator cannot occur within any token except a *StringLiteral*, *Template*, or *TemplateSubstitutionTail*. <LF> and <CR> line terminators cannot occur within a *StringLiteral* token except as part of a *LineContinuation*.

A line terminator can occur within a *MultiLineComment* but cannot occur within a *SingleLineComment*.

Line terminators are included in the set of white space code points that are matched by the  $\slash$ s class in regular expressions.

The ECMAScript line terminator code points are listed in Table 33.

Code PointUnicode NameAbbreviationU+000ALINE FEED (LF)<LF>U+000DCARRIAGE RETURN (CR)<CR>U+2028LINE SEPARATOR<LS>U+2029PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR<PS>

**Table 33: Line Terminator Code Points** 

Only the Unicode code points in Table 33 are treated as line terminators. Other new line or line breaking Unicode code points are not treated as line terminators but are treated as white space if they meet the requirements listed in Table 32. The sequence <CR><LF> is commonly used as a line terminator. It should be considered a single *SourceCharacter* for the purpose of reporting line numbers.

#### **Syntax**

LineTerminator ::

<LF>
<CR>
<LS>
<PS>

LineTerminatorSequence ::

```
<LF>
<CR> [lookahead ≠ <LF>]
<LS>
<PS>
<CR> <LF>
```

#### 11.4 Comments

Comments can be either single or multi-line. Multi-line comments cannot nest.

Because a single-line comment can contain any Unicode code point except a *LineTerminator* code point, and because of the general rule that a token is always as long as possible, a single-line comment always consists of all code points from the // marker to the end of the line. However, the *LineTerminator* at the end of the line is not considered to be part of the single-line comment; it is recognized separately by the lexical grammar and becomes part of the stream of input elements for the syntactic grammar. This point is very important, because it implies that the presence or absence of single-line comments does not affect the process of automatic semicolon insertion (see 11.9).

Comments behave like white space and are discarded except that, if a *MultiLineComment* contains a line terminator code point, then the entire comment is considered to be a *LineTerminator* for purposes of parsing by the syntactic grammar.

#### **Syntax**

```
Comment ::
        MultiLineComment
        SingleLineComment
MultiLineComment ::
        /* MultiLineCommentChars<sub>opt</sub> */
MultiLineCommentChars ::
        MultiLineNotAsteriskChar MultiLineCommentCharsont
        * PostAsteriskCommentCharsont
PostAsteriskCommentChars ::
        MultiLineNotForwardSlashOrAsteriskChar MultiLineCommentCharsont
        * PostAsteriskCommentCharsont
MultiLineNotAsteriskChar ::
        SourceCharacter but not *
MultiLineNotForwardSlashOrAsteriskChar ::
        SourceCharacter but not one of / or *
SingleLineComment ::
        // SingleLineCommentCharsont
SingleLineCommentChars ::
        SingleLineCommentChar SingleLineCommentCharsont
```

#### 11.5 Tokens

## **Syntax**

CommonToken ::

IdentifierName Punctuator NumericLiteral StringLiteral Template

**NOTE** 

The *DivPunctuator*, *RegularExpressionLiteral*, *RightBracePunctuator*, and *TemplateSubstitutionTail* productions derive additional tokens that are not included in the *CommonToken* production.

# 11.6 Names and Keywords

IdentifierName and ReservedWord are tokens that are interpreted according to the Default Identifier Syntax given in Unicode Standard Annex #31, Identifier and Pattern Syntax, with some small modifications. ReservedWord is an enumerated subset of IdentifierName. The syntactic grammar defines Identifier as an IdentifierName that is not a ReservedWord. The Unicode identifier grammar is based on character properties specified by the Unicode Standard. The Unicode code points in the specified categories in the latest version of the Unicode standard must be treated as in those categories by all conforming ECMAScript implementations. ECMAScript implementations may recognize identifier code points defined in later editions of the Unicode Standard.

NOTE 1

This standard specifies specific code point additions: U+0024 (DOLLAR SIGN) and U+005F (LOW LINE) are permitted anywhere in an *IdentifierName*, and the code points U+200C (ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER) and U+200D (ZERO WIDTH JOINER) are permitted anywhere after the first code point of an *IdentifierName*.

Two *IdentifierNames* that are canonically equivalent according to the Unicode standard are *not* equal unless, after replacement of each *UnicodeEscapeSequence*, they are represented by the exact same sequence of code points.

## **Syntax**

```
IdentifierName:

IdentifierStart
IdentifierStart::

UnicodeIDStart::

UnicodeEscapeSequence

IdentifierPart::

UnicodeIDContinue

$
\times UnicodeEscapeSequence

ZWNJ>

ZWJ>

UnicodeIDStart::

any Unicode code point with the Unicode property "ID_Start"

UnicodeIDContinue::

any Unicode code point with the Unicode property "ID_Continue"
```

The definitions of the nonterminal *UnicodeEscapeSequence* is given in 11.8.4.

NOTE 2 The nonterminal *IdentifierPart* derives \_ via *UnicodeIDContinue*.

NOTE 3 The sets of code points with Unicode properties "ID\_Start" and "ID\_Continue" include, respectively, the code points with Unicode properties "Other\_ID\_Start" and "Other\_ID\_Continue".

#### 11.6.1 Identifier Names

#### 11.6.1.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

IdentifierStart :: \ UnicodeEscapeSequence

• It is a Syntax Error if the SV of *UnicodeEscapeSequence* is none of "\$", or "\_", or the UTF16Encoding of a code point matched by the *UnicodeIDStart* lexical grammar production.

IdentifierPart :: \ UnicodeEscapeSequence

• It is a Syntax Error if the SV of *UnicodeEscapeSequence* is none of "\$", or "\_", or the UTF16Encoding of either <ZWNJ> or <ZWJ>, or the UTF16Encoding of a Unicode code point that would be matched by the *UnicodeIDContinue* lexical grammar production.

#### 11.6.1.2 Static Semantics: StringValue

IdentifierName ::
IdentifierStart

- 1. Let *idText* be the source text matched by *IdentifierName*.
- 2. Let *idTextUnescaped* be the result of replacing any occurrences of \ *UnicodeEscapeSequence* in *idText* with the code point represented by the *UnicodeEscapeSequence*.
- 3. Return! UTF16Encode(idTextUnescaped).

#### 11.6.2 Keywords and Reserved Words

A *keyword* is a token that matches *IdentifierName*, but also has a syntactic use; that is, it appears literally, in a **fixed width** font, in some syntactic production. The keywords of ECMAScript include **if**, **while**, **async**, **await**, and many others.

A reserved word is an IdentifierName that cannot be used as an identifier. Many keywords are reserved words, but some are not, and some are reserved only in certain contexts. **if** and **while** are reserved words. **await** is reserved only inside async functions and modules. **async** is not reserved; it can be used as a variable name or statement label without restriction.

This specification uses a combination of grammatical productions and early error rules to specify which names are valid identifiers and which are reserved words. All tokens in the *ReservedWord* list below, except for **await** and **yield**, are unconditionally reserved. Exceptions for **await** and **yield** are specified in 12.1, using parameterized syntactic productions. Lastly, several early error rules restrict the set of valid identifiers. See 12.1.1, 13.3.1.1, 13.7.5.1, and 14.6.1. In summary, there are five categories of identifier names:

- Those that are always allowed as identifiers, and are not keywords, such as Math, window, toString, and
   \_;
- Those that are never allowed as identifiers, namely the ReservedWords listed below except await and yield;
- Those that are contextually allowed as identifiers, namely await and yield;
- Those that are contextually disallowed as identifiers, in strict mode code: let, static, implements, interface, package, private, protected, and public;
- Those that are always allowed as identifiers, but also appear as keywords within certain syntactic productions, at places where *Identifier* is not allowed: **as**, **async**, **from**, **get**, **of**, **set**, and **target**.

The term *conditional keyword*, or *contextual keyword*, is sometimes used to refer to the keywords that fall in the last three categories, and thus can be used as identifiers in some contexts and as keywords in others.

#### **Syntax**

ReservedWord :: one of

await break case catch class const continue debugger default delete do else enum export extends false finally for function if import in instanceof new null return super switch this throw true try typeof var void while with yield

NOTE 1

Per 5.1.5, keywords in the grammar match literal sequences of specific *SourceCharacter* elements. A code point in a keyword cannot be expressed by a \(\chi\) *UnicodeEscapeSequence*.

An *IdentifierName* can contain \ *UnicodeEscapeSequences*, but it is not possible to declare a variable named "else" by spelling it **els\u{65}**. The early error rules in 12.1.1 rule out identifiers with the same StringValue as a reserved word.

NOTE 2

**enum** is not currently used as a keyword in this specification. It is a *future reserved word*, set aside for use as a keyword in future language extensions.

Similarly, **implements**, **interface**, **package**, **private**, **protected**, and **public** are future reserved words in strict mode code.

NOTE 3

The names **arguments** and **eval** are not keywords, but they are subject to some restrictions in strict mode code. See 12.1.1, 12.1.3, 14.1.2, 14.4.1, 14.5.1, and 14.7.1.

#### 11.7 Punctuators

#### **Syntax**

## 11.8 Literals

#### 11.8.1 Null Literals

#### **Syntax**

NullLiteral ::

#### 11.8.2 Boolean Literals

#### **Syntax**

BooleanLiteral :: true

false

#### 11.8.3 Numeric Literals

#### **Syntax**

```
NumericLiteral ::
         DecimalLiteral
         DecimalBigIntegerLiteral
         NonDecimalIntegerLiteral
         NonDecimalIntegerLiteral BigIntLiteralSuffix
DecimalBigIntegerLiteral ::
         • BigIntLiteralSuffix
         NonZeroDigit DecimalDigits<sub>opt</sub> BigIntLiteralSuffix
NonDecimalIntegerLiteral ::
         BinaryIntegerLiteral
         OctalIntegerLiteral
         HexIntegerLiteral
BigIntLiteralSuffix ::
DecimalLiteral ::
         DecimalIntegerLiteral . DecimalDigitsopt ExponentPartopt
         . DecimalDigits ExponentPartont
         DecimalIntegerLiteral ExponentPartont
DecimalIntegerLiteral ::
         NonZeroDigit DecimalDigitsopt
DecimalDigits ::
         DecimalDigit
         DecimalDigits DecimalDigit
DecimalDigit :: one of
         0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
```

*NonZeroDigit* **:: one of** 

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

```
ExponentPart ::
         ExponentIndicator SignedInteger
ExponentIndicator :: one of
         eЕ
SignedInteger ::
         DecimalDigits
         + DecimalDigits
         - DecimalDigits
BinaryIntegerLiteral ::
         оь BinaryDigits
         ов BinaryDigits
BinaryDigits ::
         BinaryDigit
         BinaryDigits BinaryDigit
BinaryDigit :: one of
         0 1
OctalIntegerLiteral ::
         oo OctalDigits
         oo OctalDigits
OctalDigits ::
         OctalDigit
         OctalDigits OctalDigit
OctalDigit :: one of
         0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7
HexIntegerLiteral ::
         ox HexDigits
         ox HexDigits
HexDigits ::
         HexDigit
         HexDigits HexDigit
HexDigit :: one of
         0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 a b c d e f A B C D E F
```

The SourceCharacter immediately following a NumericLiteral must not be an IdentifierStart or DecimalDigit.

NOTE For example: **3in** is an error and not the two input elements **3** and **in**.

A conforming implementation, when processing strict mode code, must not extend, as described in B.1.1, the syntax of *NumericLiteral* to include *LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral*, nor extend the syntax of *DecimalIntegerLiteral* to include *NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral*.

#### 11.8.3.1 Static Semantics: MV

A numeric literal stands for a value of the Number type or the BigInt type.

- The MV of NumericLiteral :: DecimalLiteral is the MV of DecimalLiteral.
- The MV of NonDecimalIntegerLiteral: BinaryIntegerLiteral is the MV of BinaryIntegerLiteral.
- The MV of NonDecimalIntegerLiteral :: OctalIntegerLiteral is the MV of OctalIntegerLiteral.
- The MV of NonDecimalIntegerLiteral :: HexIntegerLiteral is the MV of HexIntegerLiteral.
- The MV of DecimalLiteral :: DecimalIntegerLiteral . is the MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral.
- The MV of DecimalLiteral :: DecimalIntegerLiteral. DecimalDigits is the MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral plus (the MV of  $DecimalDigits \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{-\mathbb{R}^n}$ ), where n is the mathematical value of the number of code points in DecimalDigits
- The MV of DecimalLiteral :: DecimalIntegerLiteral . ExponentPart is the MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral  $\times$   $10_{\mathbb{R}}^{e}$ , where e is the MV of ExponentPart.
- The MV of DecimalLiteral: DecimalIntegerLiteral. DecimalDigits ExponentPart is (the MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral plus (the MV of DecimalDigits  $\times$   $10_{\mathbb{R}}^{-\mathbb{R}^n}$ ))  $\times$   $10_{\mathbb{R}}^e$ , where n is the mathematical integer number of code points in DecimalDigits and e is the MV of ExponentPart.
- The MV of DecimalLiteral :: DecimalDigits is the MV of  $DecimalDigits \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{-\mathbb{R}^n}$ , where n is the mathematical integer number of code points in DecimalDigits.
- The MV of DecimalLiteral :: DecimalDigits ExponentPart is the MV of  $DecimalDigits \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{e-\mathbb{R}^n}$ , where n is the mathematical integer number of code points in DecimalDigits and e is the MV of ExponentPart.
- The MV of DecimalLiteral :: DecimalIntegerLiteral is the MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral.
- The MV of DecimalLiteral :: DecimalIntegerLiteral ExponentPart is the MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral  $\times$   $10_{\mathbb{R}}^{e}$ , where e is the MV of ExponentPart.
- The MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral :: o is  $0_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral :: NonZeroDigit is the MV of NonZeroDigit.
- The MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral :: NonZeroDigit DecimalDigits is (the MV of  $NonZeroDigit \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^n$ ) plus the MV of DecimalDigits, where n is the mathematical integer number of code points in DecimalDigits.
- The MV of DecimalDigits :: DecimalDigit is the MV of DecimalDigit.
- The MV of DecimalDigits :: DecimalDigits DecimalDigit is (the MV of DecimalDigits × 10<sub>ℝ</sub>) plus the MV of DecimalDigit.
- The MV of ExponentPart :: ExponentIndicator SignedInteger is the MV of SignedInteger.
- The MV of SignedInteger :: DecimalDigits is the MV of DecimalDigits.
- The MV of SignedInteger :: + DecimalDigits is the MV of DecimalDigits.
- The MV of SignedInteger :: DecimalDigits is the negative of the MV of DecimalDigits.
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: o or of HexDigit :: o or of OctalDigit :: o or of BinaryDigit :: o is  $0_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: 1 or of NonZeroDigit :: 1 or of HexDigit :: 1 or of OctalDigit :: 1 or of BinaryDigit :: 1 is  $1_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: 2 or of NonZeroDigit :: 2 or of HexDigit :: 2 or of OctalDigit :: 2 is  $2_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: 3 or of NonZeroDigit :: 3 or of HexDigit :: 3 or of OctalDigit :: 3 is  $3_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: 4 or of NonZeroDigit :: 4 or of HexDigit :: 4 or of OctalDigit :: 4 is  $4_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: 5 or of NonZeroDigit :: 5 or of HexDigit :: 5 or of OctalDigit :: 5 is  $5_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: 6 or of NonZeroDigit :: 6 or of HexDigit :: 6 or of OctalDigit :: 6 is  $6_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: 7 or of NonZeroDigit :: 7 or of HexDigit :: 7 or of OctalDigit :: 7 is  $7_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: 8 or of NonZeroDigit :: 8 or of HexDigit :: 8 is  $8_R$ .
- The MV of DecimalDigit :: 9 or of NonZeroDigit :: 9 or of HexDigit :: 9 is  $9_{\mathbb{R}}$ .

- The MV of HexDigit :: a or of HexDigit :: A is  $10_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of  $HexDigit :: \mathbf{b}$  or of  $HexDigit :: \mathbf{B}$  is  $11_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of HexDigit :: c or of HexDigit :: c is  $12_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of  $HexDigit :: \mathbf{d}$  or of  $HexDigit :: \mathbf{p}$  is  $13_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of HexDigit :: e or of HexDigit :: E is  $14_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of HexDigit :: f or of HexDigit :: F is  $15_{\mathbb{R}}$ .
- The MV of BinaryIntegerLiteral :: **ob** BinaryDigits is the MV of BinaryDigits.
- The MV of BinaryIntegerLiteral :: **OB** BinaryDigits is the MV of BinaryDigits.
- The MV of BinaryDigits :: BinaryDigit is the MV of BinaryDigit.
- The MV of BinaryDigits :: BinaryDigits BinaryDigit is (the MV of BinaryDigits  $\times$   $2_{\mathbb{R}}$ ) plus the MV of BinaryDigit.
- The MV of OctalIntegerLiteral :: **00** OctalDigits is the MV of OctalDigits.
- The MV of OctalIntegerLiteral :: **oo** OctalDigits is the MV of OctalDigits.
- The MV of OctalDigits: OctalDigit is the MV of OctalDigit.
- The MV of OctalDigits :: OctalDigits OctalDigit is (the MV of OctalDigits  $\times 8_{\mathbb{R}}$ ) plus the MV of OctalDigit.
- The MV of HexIntegerLiteral :: **o**x HexDigits is the MV of HexDigits.
- The MV of HexIntegerLiteral :: ox HexDigits is the MV of HexDigits.
- The MV of *HexDigits* :: *HexDigit* is the MV of *HexDigit*.
- The MV of HexDigits :: HexDigits HexDigit is (the MV of  $HexDigits \times 16_{\mathbb{R}}$ ) plus the MV of HexDigits.
- The MV of Hex4Digits:: HexDigit HexDigit HexDigit IexDigit is  $(0x1000_{\mathbb{R}})$  times the MV of the first IexDigit) plus  $(0x100_{\mathbb{R}})$  times the MV of the second IexDigit) plus  $(0x10_{\mathbb{R}})$  times the MV of the third IexDigit) plus the MV of the fourth IexDigit.

#### 11.8.3.2 Static Semantics: Numeric Value

NumericLiteral :: DecimalLiteral

1. Return the Number value that results from rounding the MV of DecimalLiteral as described below.

NumericLiteral :: NonDecimalIntegerLiteral

1. Return the Number value that results from rounding the MV of NonDecimalIntegerLiteral as described below.

Once the exact MV for a numeric literal has been determined, it is then rounded to a value of the Number type. If the MV is  $0_{\mathbb{R}}$ , then the rounded value is +0; otherwise, the rounded value must be the Number value for the MV (as specified in 6.1.6.1), unless the literal is a *DecimalLiteral* and the literal has more than 20 significant digits, in which case the Number value may be either the Number value for the MV of a literal produced by replacing each significant digit after the 20th with a  $\mathbf{0}$  digit or the Number value for the MV of a literal produced by replacing each significant digit after the 20th with a  $\mathbf{0}$  digit and then incrementing the literal at the 20th significant digit position. A digit is *significant* if it is not part of an *ExponentPart* and

- it is not **0**; or
- there is a nonzero digit to its left and there is a nonzero digit, not in the *ExponentPart*, to its right.

NumericLiteral :: NonDecimalIntegerLiteral BigIntLiteralSuffix

1. Return the BigInt value that represents the MV of NonDecimalIntegerLiteral.

DecimalBigIntegerLiteral :: o BigIntLiteralSuffix

1. Return the BigInt value that represents  $0_{\mathbb{R}}$ .

DecimalBigIntegerLiteral :: NonZeroDigit BigIntLiteralSuffix

1. Return the BigInt value that represents the MV of NonZeroDigit.

DecimalBigIntegerLiteral: NonZeroDigit DecimalDigits BigIntLiteralSuffix

- 1. Let *n* be the mathematical integer number of code points in *DecimalDigits*.
- 2. Let mv be (the MV of  $NonZeroDigit \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{n}$ ) plus the MV of DecimalDigits.
- 3. Return the BigInt value that represents *mv*.

#### 11.8.4 String Literals

NOTE 1

A string literal is zero or more Unicode code points enclosed in single or double quotes. Unicode code points may also be represented by an escape sequence. All code points may appear literally in a string literal except for the closing quote code points, U+005C (REVERSE SOLIDUS), U+000D (CARRIAGE RETURN), and U+000A (LINE FEED). Any code points may appear in the form of an escape sequence. String literals evaluate to ECMAScript String values. When generating these String values Unicode code points are UTF-16 encoded as defined in 10.1.1. Code points belonging to the Basic Multilingual Plane are encoded as a single code unit element of the string. All other code points are encoded as two code unit elements of the string.

#### **Syntax**

```
StringLiteral ::
          " DoubleStringCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
          ' SingleStringCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
DoubleStringCharacters ::
         DoubleStringCharacter DoubleStringCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
SingleStringCharacters ::
         SingleStringCharacter SingleStringCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
DoubleStringCharacter ::
         SourceCharacter but not one of " or \ or LineTerminator
         <LS>
         <PS>
         \ EscapeSequence
         LineContinuation
SingleStringCharacter ::
         SourceCharacter but not one of ' or \ or LineTerminator
         \langle LS \rangle
         <PS>
         \ EscapeSequence
         LineContinuation
```

```
LineContinuation ::

\ LineTerminatorSequence

EscapeSequence ::

CharacterEscapeSequence

o [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]

HexEscapeSequence

UnicodeEscapeSequence
```

A conforming implementation, when processing strict mode code, must not extend the syntax of *EscapeSequence* to include *LegacyOctalEscapeSequence* as described in B.1.2.

```
CharacterEscapeSequence ::
        SingleEscapeCharacter
        NonEscapeCharacter
SingleEscapeCharacter :: one of
        ' " \ b f n r t v
NonEscapeCharacter ::
        SourceCharacter but not one of EscapeCharacter or LineTerminator
EscapeCharacter ::
        SingleEscapeCharacter
        DecimalDigit
        u
HexEscapeSequence ::
        x HexDigit HexDigit
UnicodeEscapeSequence ::
        u Hex4Digits
        u{ CodePoint }
Hex4Digits ::
        HexDigit HexDigit HexDigit
```

The definition of the nonterminal *HexDigit* is given in 11.8.3. *SourceCharacter* is defined in 10.1.

NOTE 2

<LF> and <CR> cannot appear in a string literal, except as part of a *LineContinuation* to produce the empty code points sequence. The proper way to include either in the String value of a string literal is to use an escape sequence such as \n or \u0004000.

#### 11.8.4.1 Static Semantics: StringValue

StringLiteral ::

- " DoubleStringCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
- ' SingleStringCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
- 1. Return the String value whose code units are the SV of this *StringLiteral*.

#### 11.8.4.2 Static Semantics: SV

A string literal stands for a value of the String type. The String value (SV) of the literal is described in terms of code unit values contributed by the various parts of the string literal. As part of this process, some Unicode code points within the string literal are interpreted as having a mathematical value (MV), as described below or in 11.8.3.

- The SV of *StringLiteral* :: " " is the empty code unit sequence.
- The SV of *StringLiteral* :: ' is the empty code unit sequence.
- The SV of StringLiteral :: " DoubleStringCharacters " is the SV of DoubleStringCharacters.
- The SV of StringLiteral :: 'SingleStringCharacters' is the SV of SingleStringCharacters.
- The SV of *DoubleStringCharacters* :: *DoubleStringCharacter* is a sequence of up to two code units that is the SV of *DoubleStringCharacter*.
- The SV of <code>DoubleStringCharacters</code> :: <code>DoubleStringCharacter</code> DoubleStringCharacters is a sequence of up to two code units that is the SV of <code>DoubleStringCharacter</code> followed by the code units of the SV of <code>DoubleStringCharacters</code> in order.
- The SV of *SingleStringCharacters* :: *SingleStringCharacter* is a sequence of up to two code units that is the SV of *SingleStringCharacter*.
- The SV of SingleStringCharacters: SingleStringCharacter SingleStringCharacters is a sequence of up to two code units that is the SV of SingleStringCharacter followed by the code units of the SV of SingleStringCharacters in order.
- The SV of *DoubleStringCharacter* :: *SourceCharacter* but not one of " or \ or *LineTerminator* is the UTF16Encoding of the code point value of *SourceCharacter*.
- The SV of *DoubleStringCharacter* :: <LS> is the code unit 0x2028 (LINE SEPARATOR).
- The SV of *DoubleStringCharacter* **::** <PS> is the code unit 0x2029 (PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR).
- The SV of DoubleStringCharacter :: \ EscapeSequence is the SV of EscapeSequence.
- The SV of *DoubleStringCharacter* :: *LineContinuation* is the empty code unit sequence.
- The SV of *SingleStringCharacter* :: *SourceCharacter* but not one of ' or \ or *LineTerminator* is the UTF16Encoding of the code point value of *SourceCharacter*.
- The SV of *SingleStringCharacter* :: <LS> is the code unit 0x2028 (LINE SEPARATOR).
- The SV of *SingleStringCharacter* :: <PS> is the code unit 0x2029 (PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR).
- The SV of SingleStringCharacter :: \ EscapeSequence is the SV of EscapeSequence.
- The SV of *SingleStringCharacter* :: *LineContinuation* is the empty code unit sequence.
- The SV of EscapeSequence :: CharacterEscapeSequence is the SV of CharacterEscapeSequence.
- The SV of *EscapeSequence* **:: o** is the code unit 0x0000 (NULL).
- The SV of EscapeSequence :: HexEscapeSequence is the SV of HexEscapeSequence.
- The SV of EscapeSequence :: UnicodeEscapeSequence is the SV of UnicodeEscapeSequence.
- The SV of *CharacterEscapeSequence* :: *SingleEscapeCharacter* is the code unit whose value is determined by the *SingleEscapeCharacter* according to Table 34.

**Table 34: String Single Character Escape Sequences** 

Escape Sequence	Code Unit Value	Unicode Character Name	Symbol
<b>\b</b>	0x0008	BACKSPACE	<bs></bs>
\t	0x0009	CHARACTER TABULATION	<ht></ht>
<b>\n</b>	0x000A	LINE FEED (LF)	<lf></lf>
\v	0×000B	LINE TABULATION	<vt></vt>
\f	0x000C	FORM FEED (FF)	<ff></ff>
\r	0x000D	CARRIAGE RETURN (CR)	<cr></cr>
/ 111	0x0022	QUOTATION MARK	***
\'	0x0027	APOSTROPHE	•
\\	0x005C	REVERSE SOLIDUS	\

- The SV of CharacterEscapeSequence: NonEscapeCharacter is the SV of NonEscapeCharacter.
- The SV of *NonEscapeCharacter* :: *SourceCharacter* but not one of *EscapeCharacter* or *LineTerminator* is the UTF16Encoding of the code point value of *SourceCharacter*.
- The SV of  $HexEscapeSequence :: * *HexDigit HexDigit* is the code unit whose value is <math>(16_{\mathbb{R}}$  times the MV of the first HexDigit) plus the MV of the second HexDigit.
- The SV of UnicodeEscapeSequence :: u Hex4Digits is the SV of Hex4Digits.
- The SV of *Hex4Digits* :: *HexDigit HexDigit HexDigit HexDigit* is the code unit whose value is the MV of *Hex4Digits*.
- The SV of *UnicodeEscapeSequence* :: u{ *CodePoint* } is the UTF16Encoding of the MV of *CodePoint*.

#### 11.8.5 Regular Expression Literals

NOTE 1

A regular expression literal is an input element that is converted to a RegExp object (see 21.2) each time the literal is evaluated. Two regular expression literals in a program evaluate to regular expression objects that never compare as === to each other even if the two literals' contents are identical. A RegExp object may also be created at runtime by **new RegExp** or calling the **RegExp** constructor as a function (see 21.2.3).

The productions below describe the syntax for a regular expression literal and are used by the input element scanner to find the end of the regular expression literal. The source text comprising the *RegularExpressionBody* and the *RegularExpressionFlags* are subsequently parsed again using the more stringent ECMAScript Regular Expression grammar (21.2.1).

An implementation may extend the ECMAScript Regular Expression grammar defined in 21.2.1, but it must not extend the *RegularExpressionBody* and *RegularExpressionFlags* productions defined below or the productions used by these productions.

#### **Syntax**

Regular Expression Literal ::

```
/ RegularExpressionBody / RegularExpressionFlags
   Regular Expression Body ::
            Regular Expression First Char Regular Expression Chars
   Regular Expression Chars:
            [empty]
            Regular Expression Chars Regular Expression Char
   Regular Expression First Char:
            Regular Expression Non Terminator but not one of * or \ or \ or \
            Regular Expression Backslash Sequence
            Regular Expression Class
   Regular Expression Char ::
            Regular Expression Non Terminator but not one of \ or \ or [
            Regular Expression Backslash Sequence
            Regular Expression Class
   RegularExpressionBackslashSequence ::
            ↑ RegularExpressionNonTerminator
   Regular Expression Non Terminator:
            SourceCharacter but not LineTerminator
   RegularExpressionClass ::
             [ Regular Expression Class Chars ]
   RegularExpressionClassChars ::
            [empty]
            Regular Expression Class Chars Regular Expression Class Char
   Regular Expression Class Char:
            RegularExpressionNonTerminator but not one of 1 or \
            Regular Expression Backslash Sequence
   Regular Expression Flags ::
            [empty]
            Regular Expression Flags Identifier Part
NOTE 2
                  Regular expression literals may not be empty; instead of representing an empty regular
                  expression literal, the code unit sequence // starts a single-line comment. To specify an empty
                  regular expression, use: /(?:)/.
```

#### 11.8.5.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

 $Regular Expression Flags \ {\it ::} \ Regular Expression Flags \ {\it Identifier Part}$ 

• It is a Syntax Error if *IdentifierPart* contains a Unicode escape sequence.

#### 11.8.5.2 Static Semantics: BodyText

Regular Expression Literal :: / Regular Expression Body / Regular Expression Flags

1. Return the source text that was recognized as Regular Expression Body.

#### 11.8.5.3 Static Semantics: FlagText

Regular Expression Literal: / Regular Expression Body / Regular Expression Flags

1. Return the source text that was recognized as Regular Expression Flags.

#### 11.8.6 Template Literal Lexical Components

#### **Syntax**

```
Template ::
          NoSubstitutionTemplate
          TemplateHead
NoSubstitutionTemplate ::
          · TemplateCharacters<sub>opt.</sub> ·
TemplateHead ::
          · TemplateCharacters<sub>opt</sub> ${
TemplateSubstitutionTail::
          TemplateMiddle
          TemplateTail
TemplateMiddle ::
          } TemplateCharactersopt ${
TemplateTail::
          TemplateCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
TemplateCharacters ::
          TemplateCharacter TemplateCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
TemplateCharacter ::
          $ [lookahead ≠ {]
          \ EscapeSequence

    NotEscapeSequence

          LineContinuation
          LineTerminatorSequence
          SourceCharacter but not one of `or \ or $ or LineTerminator
NotEscapeSequence ::
          o DecimalDigit
          DecimalDigit but not o
          \mathbf{x} [lookahead \notin HexDigit]
          ★ HexDigit [lookahead \notin HexDigit]
          \mathbf{u} [lookahead \notin HexDigit] [lookahead \neq \{]
```

```
u HexDigit [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]
u HexDigit HexDigit [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]
u HexDigit HexDigit HexDigit [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]
u { [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]
u { NotCodePoint [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]
u { CodePoint [lookahead ∉ HexDigit] [lookahead ≠ }]

NotCodePoint ::
HexDigits but only if MV of HexDigits > 0x10FFFF
CodePoint ::
HexDigits but only if MV of HexDigits ≤ 0x10FFFF
```

A conforming implementation must not use the extended definition of *EscapeSequence* described in B.1.2 when parsing a *TemplateCharacter*.

NOTE

*TemplateSubstitutionTail* is used by the *InputElementTemplateTail* alternative lexical goal.

#### 11.8.6.1 Static Semantics: TV and TRV

A template literal component is interpreted as a sequence of Unicode code points. The Template Value (TV) of a literal component is described in terms of code unit values (SV, 11.8.4) contributed by the various parts of the template literal component. As part of this process, some Unicode code points within the template component are interpreted as having a mathematical value (MV, 11.8.3). In determining a TV, escape sequences are replaced by the UTF-16 code unit(s) of the Unicode code point represented by the escape sequence. The Template Raw Value (TRV) is similar to a Template Value with the difference that in TRVs escape sequences are interpreted literally.

- The TV and TRV of NoSubstitutionTemplate :: ` ` is the empty code unit sequence.
- The TV and TRV of *TemplateHead* :: ` \${ is the empty code unit sequence.
- The TV and TRV of *TemplateMiddle* :: } \${ is the empty code unit sequence.
- The TV and TRV of *TemplateTail* :: } is the empty code unit sequence.
- The TV of NoSubstitutionTemplate :: ` TemplateCharacters ` is the TV of TemplateCharacters.
- The TV of TemplateHead :: ` TemplateCharacters \${ is the TV of TemplateCharacters.
- The TV of TemplateMiddle :: } TemplateCharacters \${ is the TV of TemplateCharacters.
- The TV of TemplateTail :: } TemplateCharacters ` is the TV of TemplateCharacters.
- The TV of TemplateCharacters: TemplateCharacter is the TV of TemplateCharacter.
- The TV of *TemplateCharacters* :: *TemplateCharacter TemplateCharacters* is **undefined** if either the TV of *TemplateCharacters* is **undefined**. Otherwise, it is a sequence consisting of the code units of the TV of *TemplateCharacter* followed by the code units of the TV of *TemplateCharacters*.
- The TV of *TemplateCharacter* :: *SourceCharacter* but not one of ` or \ or \$ or *LineTerminator* is the UTF16Encoding of the code point value of *SourceCharacter*.
- The TV of *TemplateCharacter* :: \$ is the code unit 0x0024 (DOLLAR SIGN).
- The TV of TemplateCharacter :: \ EscapeSequence is the SV of EscapeSequence.
- The TV of TemplateCharacter :: \ NotEscapeSequence is **undefined**.
- The TV of TemplateCharacter :: LineContinuation is the TV of LineContinuation.
- The TV of TemplateCharacter: LineTerminatorSequence is the TRV of LineTerminatorSequence.
- The TV of *LineContinuation* :: \ *LineTerminatorSequence* is the empty code unit sequence.

- The TRV of NoSubstitutionTemplate :: ` TemplateCharacters ` is the TRV of TemplateCharacters.
- The TRV of TemplateHead :: `TemplateCharacters \${ is the TRV of TemplateCharacters.
- The TRV of TemplateMiddle :: ) TemplateCharacters \${ is the TRV of TemplateCharacters.
- The TRV of TemplateTail :: } TemplateCharacters ` is the TRV of TemplateCharacters.
- The TRV of TemplateCharacters :: TemplateCharacter is the TRV of TemplateCharacter.
- The TRV of *TemplateCharacters* :: *TemplateCharacter TemplateCharacters* is a sequence consisting of the code units of the TRV of *TemplateCharacter* followed by the code units of the TRV of *TemplateCharacters*.
- The TRV of *TemplateCharacter* :: *SourceCharacter* but not one of ` or ` or \$ or *LineTerminator* is the UTF16Encoding of the code point value of *SourceCharacter*.
- The TRV of *TemplateCharacter* :: \$ is the code unit 0x0024 (DOLLAR SIGN).
- The TRV of *TemplateCharacter* :: \ *EscapeSequence* is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x005C (REVERSE SOLIDUS) followed by the code units of TRV of *EscapeSequence*.
- The TRV of *TemplateCharacter* :: \ *NotEscapeSequence* is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x005C (REVERSE SOLIDUS) followed by the code units of TRV of *NotEscapeSequence*.
- The TRV of TemplateCharacter: LineContinuation is the TRV of LineContinuation.
- The TRV of TemplateCharacter :: LineTerminatorSequence is the TRV of LineTerminatorSequence.
- The TRV of EscapeSequence :: CharacterEscapeSequence is the TRV of CharacterEscapeSequence.
- The TRV of *EscapeSequence* **:: o** is the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO).
- The TRV of EscapeSequence :: HexEscapeSequence is the TRV of HexEscapeSequence.
- The TRV of EscapeSequence :: UnicodeEscapeSequence is the TRV of UnicodeEscapeSequence.
- The TRV of *NotEscapeSequence* :: *DecimalDigit* is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO) followed by the code units of the TRV of *DecimalDigit*.
- The TRV of *NotEscapeSequence* :: x [lookahead ∉ *HexDigit*] is the code unit 0x0078 (LATIN SMALL LETTER X).
- The TRV of *NotEscapeSequence* :: x *HexDigit* [lookahead ∉ *HexDigit*] is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0078 (LATIN SMALL LETTER X) followed by the code units of the TRV of *HexDigit*.
- The TRV of *NotEscapeSequence* :: u [lookahead ∉ *HexDigit*] [lookahead ≠ {] is the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U).
- The TRV of *NotEscapeSequence* :: u *HexDigit* [lookahead ∉ *HexDigit*] is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) followed by the code units of the TRV of *HexDigit*.
- The TRV of NotEscapeSequence :: u HexDigit HexDigit [lookahead ∉ HexDigit] is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) followed by the code units of the TRV of the first HexDigit followed by the code units of the TRV of the second HexDigit.
- The TRV of NotEscapeSequence :: u HexDigit HexDigit [lookahead ∉ HexDigit] is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) followed by the code units of the TRV of the first HexDigit followed by the code units of the TRV of the second HexDigit followed by the code units of the TRV of the third HexDigit.
- The TRV of *NotEscapeSequence* :: u { [lookahead ∉ *HexDigit*] is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) followed by the code unit 0x007B (LEFT CURLY BRACKET).
- The TRV of NotEscapeSequence :: u { NotCodePoint [lookahead ∉ HexDigit] is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) followed by the code unit 0x007B (LEFT CURLY BRACKET) followed by the code units of the TRV of NotCodePoint.
- The TRV of NotEscapeSequence :: u { CodePoint [lookahead ∉ HexDigit] [lookahead ≠ }] is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) followed by the code unit 0x007B (LEFT CURLY BRACKET) followed by the code units of the TRV of CodePoint.
- The TRV of *DecimalDigit* :: one of 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 is the UTF16Encoding of the single code point matched by this production.
- The TRV of CharacterEscapeSequence :: SingleEscapeCharacter is the TRV of SingleEscapeCharacter.

- The TRV of CharacterEscapeSequence:: NonEscapeCharacter is the SV of NonEscapeCharacter.
- The TRV of SingleEscapeCharacter :: one of ' " \ b f n r t v is the UTF16Encoding of the single code point matched by this production.
- The TRV of HexEscapeSequence :: \* HexDigit HexDigit is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0078 (LATIN SMALL LETTER X) followed by TRV of the first HexDigit followed by the TRV of the second HexDigit.
- The TRV of *UnicodeEscapeSequence* :: u *Hex4Digits* is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) followed by TRV of *Hex4Digits*.
- The TRV of *UnicodeEscapeSequence* :: u{ *CodePoint* } is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) followed by the code unit 0x007B (LEFT CURLY BRACKET) followed by TRV of *CodePoint* followed by the code unit 0x007D (RIGHT CURLY BRACKET).
- The TRV of *Hex4Digits* :: *HexDigit HexDigit HexDigit HexDigit* is the sequence consisting of the TRV of the first *HexDigit* followed by the TRV of the second *HexDigit* followed by the TRV of the third *HexDigit* followed by the TRV of the fourth *HexDigit*.
- The TRV of *HexDigits* :: *HexDigit* is the TRV of *HexDigit*.
- The TRV of HexDigits: HexDigits HexDigit is the sequence consisting of TRV of HexDigits followed by TRV of HexDigit.
- The TRV of HexDigit: one of 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 a b c d e f A B C D E F is the UTF16Encoding of the single code point matched by this production.
- The TRV of *LineContinuation* :: \ *LineTerminatorSequence* is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x005C (REVERSE SOLIDUS) followed by the code units of TRV of *LineTerminatorSequence*.
- The TRV of *LineTerminatorSequence* :: <LF> is the code unit 0x000A (LINE FEED).
- The TRV of LineTerminatorSequence :: <CR> is the code unit 0x000A (LINE FEED).
- The TRV of *LineTerminatorSequence* :: <LS> is the code unit 0x2028 (LINE SEPARATOR).
- The TRV of LineTerminatorSequence :: <PS> is the code unit 0x2029 (PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR).
- The TRV of *LineTerminatorSequence* :: <CR> <LF> is the sequence consisting of the code unit 0x000A (LINE FEED).

NOTE

TV excludes the code units of *LineContinuation* while TRV includes them. <CR><LF> and <CR> *LineTerminatorSequences* are normalized to <LF> for both TV and TRV. An explicit *EscapeSequence* is needed to include a <CR> or <CR><LF> sequence.

#### 11.9 Automatic Semicolon Insertion

Most ECMAScript statements and declarations must be terminated with a semicolon. Such semicolons may always appear explicitly in the source text. For convenience, however, such semicolons may be omitted from the source text in certain situations. These situations are described by saying that semicolons are automatically inserted into the source code token stream in those situations.

#### 11.9.1 Rules of Automatic Semicolon Insertion

In the following rules, "token" means the actual recognized lexical token determined using the current lexical goal symbol as described in clause 11.

There are three basic rules of semicolon insertion:

1. When, as the source text is parsed from left to right, a token (called the *offending token*) is encountered that is not allowed by any production of the grammar, then a semicolon is automatically inserted before the offending

token if one or more of the following conditions is true:

- The offending token is separated from the previous token by at least one *LineTerminator*.
- The offending token is **}**.
- The previous token is **)** and the inserted semicolon would then be parsed as the terminating semicolon of a do-while statement (13.7.2).
- 2. When, as the source text is parsed from left to right, the end of the input stream of tokens is encountered and the parser is unable to parse the input token stream as a single instance of the goal nonterminal, then a semicolon is automatically inserted at the end of the input stream.
- 3. When, as the source text is parsed from left to right, a token is encountered that is allowed by some production of the grammar, but the production is a *restricted production* and the token would be the first token for a terminal or nonterminal immediately following the annotation "[no *LineTerminator* here]" within the restricted production (and therefore such a token is called a restricted token), and the restricted token is separated from the previous token by at least one *LineTerminator*, then a semicolon is automatically inserted before the restricted token.

However, there is an additional overriding condition on the preceding rules: a semicolon is never inserted automatically if the semicolon would then be parsed as an empty statement or if that semicolon would become one of the two semicolons in the header of a **for** statement (see 13.7.4).

NOTE

The following are the only restricted productions in the grammar:

```
UpdateExpression[Yield, Await] :
        LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] ++
        LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] --
ContinueStatement [Yield, Await]:
        continue;
        continue [no LineTerminator here] LabelIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await] ;
BreakStatement[Yield, Await] :
        break;
        break [no LineTerminator here] LabelIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] ;
ReturnStatement[Yield, Await] :
        return ;
        return [no LineTerminator here] Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;
ThrowStatement[Yield, Await] :
        throw [no LineTerminator here] Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;
ArrowFunction[In, Yield, Await] :
        ArrowParameters [?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] => ConciseBody [?In]
YieldExpression[In, Await]:
        yield
        yield [no LineTerminator here] AssignmentExpression[?In, +Yield, ?Await]
        yield [no LineTerminator here] * AssignmentExpression[?In, +Yield, ?Await]
```

The practical effect of these restricted productions is as follows:

- When a ++ or -- token is encountered where the parser would treat it as a postfix operator, and at least one *LineTerminator* occurred between the preceding token and the ++ or -- token, then a semicolon is automatically inserted before the ++ or -- token.
- When a continue, break, return, throw, or yield token is encountered and a
   LineTerminator is encountered before the next token, a semicolon is automatically inserted
   after the continue, break, return, throw, or yield token.

The resulting practical advice to ECMAScript programmers is:

- A postfix ++ or -- operator should appear on the same line as its operand.
- An *Expression* in a **return** or **throw** statement or an *AssignmentExpression* in a **yield** expression should start on the same line as the **return**, **throw**, or **yield** token.
- A *LabelIdentifier* in a **break** or **continue** statement should be on the same line as the **break** or **continue** token.

#### 11.9.2 Examples of Automatic Semicolon Insertion

This section is non-normative.

The source

```
{ 1 2 } 3
```

is not a valid sentence in the ECMAScript grammar, even with the automatic semicolon insertion rules. In contrast, the source

```
{ 1
2 } 3
```

is also not a valid ECMAScript sentence, but is transformed by automatic semicolon insertion into the following:

```
{ 1;;2;} 3;
```

which is a valid ECMAScript sentence.

The source

```
for (a; b )
```

is not a valid ECMAScript sentence and is not altered by automatic semicolon insertion because the semicolon is needed for the header of a **for** statement. Automatic semicolon insertion never inserts one of the two semicolons in the header of a **for** statement.

The source

#### return

a + b

is transformed by automatic semicolon insertion into the following:

#### return;

a + b;

NOTE 1

The expression **a** + **b** is not treated as a value to be returned by the **return** statement, because a *LineTerminator* separates it from the token **return**.

The source

is transformed by automatic semicolon insertion into the following:

```
a = b;
++c;
```

NOTE 2

The token **++** is not treated as a postfix operator applying to the variable **b**, because a *LineTerminator* occurs between **b** and **++**.

The source

is not a valid ECMAScript sentence and is not altered by automatic semicolon insertion before the **else** token, even though no production of the grammar applies at that point, because an automatically inserted semicolon would then be parsed as an empty statement.

The source

is *not* transformed by automatic semicolon insertion, because the parenthesized expression that begins the second line can be interpreted as an argument list for a function call:

$$a = b + c(d + e).print()$$

In the circumstance that an assignment statement must begin with a left parenthesis, it is a good idea for the programmer to provide an explicit semicolon at the end of the preceding statement rather than to rely on automatic semicolon insertion.

# 11.10 Interesting Cases of Automatic Semicolon Insertion

This section is non-normative.

ECMAScript programs can be written in a style with very few semicolons by relying on automatic semicolon insertion. As described above, semicolons are not inserted at every newline, and automatic semicolon insertion can depend on multiple tokens across line terminators.

As new syntactic features are added to ECMAScript, additional grammar productions could be added that cause lines relying on automatic semicolon insertion preceding them to change grammar productions when parsed.

For the purposes of this section, a case of automatic semicolon insertion is considered interesting if it is a place where a semicolon may or may not be inserted, depending on the source text which precedes it. The rest of this section describes a number of interesting cases of automatic semicolon insertion in this version of ECMAScript.

# 11.10.1 Interesting Cases of Automatic Semicolon Insertion in Statement Lists

In a *StatementList*, many *StatementListItems* end in semicolons, which may be omitted using automatic semicolon insertion. As a consequence of the rules above, at the end of a line ending an expression, a semicolon is required if the following line begins with any of the following:

- An opening parenthesis ((). Without a semicolon, the two lines together are treated as a *CallExpression*.
- **An opening square bracket (**[). Without a semicolon, the two lines together are treated as property access, rather than an *ArrayLiteral* or *ArrayAssignmentPattern*.
- A template literal (`). Without a semicolon, the two lines together are interpreted as a tagged Template (12.3.11), with the previous expression as the *MemberExpression*.
- **Unary + or -**. Without a semicolon, the two lines together are interpreted as a usage of the corresponding binary operator.
- A RegExp literal. Without a semicolon, the two lines together may be parsed instead as the / *MultiplicativeOperator*, for example if the RegExp has flags.

# 11.11 Cases of Automatic Semicolon Insertion and "[no LineTerminator here]"

This section is non-normative.

ECMAScript contains grammar productions which include "[no *LineTerminator* here]". These productions are sometimes a means to have optional operands in the grammar. Introducing a *LineTerminator* in these locations would change the grammar production of a source text by using the grammar production without the optional operand.

The rest of this section describes a number of productions using "[no *LineTerminator* here]" in this version of ECMAScript.

# 11.11.1 List of Grammar Productions with Optional Operands and "[no LineTerminator here]"

- *UpdateExpression*.
- ContinueStatement.
- BreakStatement.
- ReturnStatement.
- YieldExpression.
- Async Function Definitions (14.7) with relation to Function Definitions (14.1)

# 12 ECMAScript Language: Expressions

# 12.1 Identifiers

#### **Syntax**

```
IdentifierReference [Yield, Await]:

Identifier
[~Yield] yield
[~Await] await

BindingIdentifier [Yield, Await]:

Identifier
yield
await

LabelIdentifier [Yield, Await]:

Identifier
[~Yield] yield
[~Await] await

Identifier:

Identifier:
Identifier dentifier [Yield, Await]

Identifier:
```

NOTE

**yield** and **await** are permitted as *BindingIdentifier* in the grammar, and prohibited with static semantics below, to prohibit automatic semicolon insertion in cases such as

```
let
await 0;
```

## **12.1.1** Static Semantics: Early Errors

BindingIdentifier: Identifier

It is a Syntax Error if the code matched by this production is contained in strict mode code and the StringValue
of *Identifier* is "arguments" or "eval".

IdentifierReference: yield BindingIdentifier: yield LabelIdentifier: yield

• It is a Syntax Error if the code matched by this production is contained in strict mode code.

IdentifierReference : await BindingIdentifier : await LabelIdentifier : await

• It is a Syntax Error if the goal symbol of the syntactic grammar is *Module*.

BindingIdentifier[Yield, Await] : yield

• It is a Syntax Error if this production has a [Yield] parameter.

BindingIdentifier[Yield, Await] : await

• It is a Syntax Error if this production has an [Await] parameter.

IdentifierReference<sub>[Yield, Await]</sub>: Identifier BindingIdentifier<sub>[Yield, Await]</sub>: Identifier LabelIdentifier<sub>[Yield, Await]</sub>: Identifier

- It is a Syntax Error if this production has a [Yield] parameter and StringValue of Identifier is "yield".
- It is a Syntax Error if this production has an [Await] parameter and String Value of *Identifier* is "await".

Identifier: IdentifierName but not ReservedWord

- It is a Syntax Error if this phrase is contained in strict mode code and the StringValue of *IdentifierName* is: "implements", "interface", "let", "package", "private", "protected", "public", "static", or "yield".
- It is a Syntax Error if the goal symbol of the syntactic grammar is *Module* and the StringValue of *IdentifierName* is "await".
- It is a Syntax Error if StringValue of *IdentifierName* is the same String value as the StringValue of any *ReservedWord* except for **yield** or **await**.

StringValue of *IdentifierName* normalizes any Unicode escape sequences in *IdentifierName* hence such escapes cannot be used to write an *Identifier* whose code point sequence is the same as a *ReservedWord*.

#### 12.1.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

BindingIdentifier: Identifier

1. Return a new List containing the String Value of *Identifier*.

BindingIdentifier: yield

1. Return a new List containing "yield".

BindingIdentifier: await

1. Return a new List containing "await".

# 12.1.3 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

IdentifierReference: Identifier

- 1. If this *IdentifierReference* is contained in strict mode code and StringValue of *Identifier* is "eval" or "arguments", return invalid.
- 2. Return simple.

IdentifierReference: yield

1. Return simple.

IdentifierReference: await

1. Return simple.

## 12.1.4 Static Semantics: StringValue

IdentifierReference: yield BindingIdentifier: yield LabelIdentifier: yield

1. Return "yield".

IdentifierReference : await BindingIdentifier : await LabelIdentifier : await

1. Return "await".

Identifier: IdentifierName but not ReservedWord

1. Return the StringValue of *IdentifierName*.

# 12.1.5 Runtime Semantics: BindingInitialization

With parameters value and environment.

**NOTE** 

**undefined** is passed for *environment* to indicate that a PutValue operation should be used to assign the initialization value. This is the case for **var** statements and formal parameter lists of some non-strict functions (See 9.2.10). In those cases a lexical binding is hoisted and preinitialized prior to evaluation of its initializer.

BindingIdentifier: Identifier

- 1. Let name be StringValue of Identifier.
- 2. Return? InitializeBoundName(name, value, environment).

Binding Identifier: yield

1. Return? InitializeBoundName("yield", value, environment).

Binding Identifier: await

1. Return? InitializeBoundName("await", value, environment).

#### 12.1.5.1 Runtime Semantics: InitializeBoundName (name, value, environment)

- 1. Assert: Type(name) is String.
- 2. If *environment* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *env* be the EnvironmentRecord component of *environment*.
  - b. Perform env.InitializeBinding(name, value).
  - c. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).
- 3. Else,
  - a. Let *lhs* be ResolveBinding(*name*).
  - b. Return? PutValue(lhs, value).

#### 12.1.6 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

IdentifierReference: Identifier

1. Return? ResolveBinding(StringValue of Identifier).

IdentifierReference: yield

1. Return? ResolveBinding("yield").

IdentifierReference: await

1. Return? ResolveBinding("await").

NOTE 1 The result of evaluating an *IdentifierReference* is always a value of type Reference.

In non-strict code, the keyword **yield** may be used as an identifier. Evaluating the *IdentifierReference* resolves the binding of **yield** as if it was an *Identifier*. Early Error restriction ensures that such an evaluation only can occur for non-strict code.

# 12.2 Primary Expression

# **Syntax**

```
PrimaryExpression[Yield, Await] :
         this
         IdentifierReference [?Yield, ?Await]
         Literal
         ArrayLiteral[?Yield, ?Await]
         ObjectLiteral[?Yield, ?Await]
         FunctionExpression
         ClassExpression [?Yield, ?Await]
         Generator Expression
         AsyncFunctionExpression
         AsyncGeneratorExpression
         Regular Expression Literal
         TemplateLiteral[?Yield, ?Await, ~Tagged]
         CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList_{[?Yield, ?Await]}
CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList_{{\tt [Yield, Await]}}:
         ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
         ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] , )
         ( )
         ( ... BindingIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await] )
         ( ... BindingPattern [?Yield, ?Await] )
         ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] , ... Binding Identifier [?Yield, ?Await] )
         ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] , ... Binding Pattern [?Yield, ?Await] )
```

# Supplemental Syntax

When processing an instance of the production

```
ParenthesizedExpression[Yield, Await] :
    ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
```

## 12.2.1 Semantics

# 12.2.1.1 Static Semantics: CoveredParenthesizedExpression

1. Return the *ParenthesizedExpression* that is covered by *CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList*.

#### 12.2.1.2 Static Semantics: HasName

PrimaryExpression: CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList

- 1. Let expr be CoveredParenthesizedExpression of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.
- 2. If IsFunctionDefinition of *expr* is **false**, return **false**.
- 3. Return HasName of expr.

#### 12.2.1.3 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

*PrimaryExpression*:

this

*IdentifierReference* 

Literal

*ArrayLiteral* 

*ObjectLiteral* 

RegularExpressionLiteral

TemplateLiteral

1. Return false.

 $\label{primary Expression and Arrow Parameter List} Primary \textit{Expression And Arrow Parameter List}$ 

- 1. Let *expr* be CoveredParenthesizedExpression of *CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList*.
- 2. Return IsFunctionDefinition of *expr*.

#### 12.2.1.4 Static Semantics: IsIdentifierRef

PrimaryExpression: IdentifierReference

1. Return true.

*PrimaryExpression*:

this

Literal

ArrayLiteral

*ObjectLiteral* 

**Function**Expression

ClassExpression

**Generator** Expression

AsyncFunctionExpression

**AsyncGeneratorExpression** 

Regular Expression Literal

*TemplateLiteral* 

Cover Parenthe sized Expression And Arrow Parameter List

1. Return **false**.

# 12.2.1.5 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

*PrimaryExpression*:

this

Literal

*ArrayLiteral* 

*ObjectLiteral* 

Function Expression

ClassExpression

**Generator** Expression

**AsyncFunctionExpression** 

**AsyncGeneratorExpression** 

RegularExpressionLiteral

**TemplateLiteral** 

1. Return invalid.

 $\label{primary Expression} Primary Expression: Cover Parenthesized Expression And Arrow Parameter List$ 

- 1. Let *expr* be CoveredParenthesizedExpression of *CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList*.
- 2. Return AssignmentTargetType of *expr*.

# 12.2.2 The this Keyword

## 12.2.2.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

PrimaryExpression: this

1. Return? ResolveThisBinding().

## 12.2.3 Identifier Reference

See 12.1 for *IdentifierReference*.

## 12.2.4 Literals

# **Syntax**

Literal:

NullLiteral BooleanLiteral NumericLiteral StringLiteral

#### 12.2.4.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

Literal: NullLiteral

1. Return **null**.

Literal: BooleanLiteral

- 1. If BooleanLiteral is the token **false**, return **false**.
- 2. If *BooleanLiteral* is the token **true**, return **true**.

Literal: NumericLiteral

1. Return the NumericValue of NumericLiteral as defined in 11.8.3.

Literal: StringLiteral

1. Return the StringValue of *StringLiteral* as defined in 11.8.4.1.

# 12.2.5 Array Initializer

NOTE

An *ArrayLiteral* is an expression describing the initialization of an Array object, using a list, of zero or more expressions each of which represents an array element, enclosed in square brackets. The elements need not be literals; they are evaluated each time the array initializer is evaluated.

Array elements may be elided at the beginning, middle or end of the element list. Whenever a comma in the element list is not preceded by an *AssignmentExpression* (i.e., a comma at the beginning or after another comma), the missing array element contributes to the length of the Array and increases the index of subsequent elements. Elided array elements are not defined. If an element is elided at the end of an array, that element does not contribute to the length of the Array.

## **Syntax**

```
ArrayLiteral [Yield, Await] :

[ Elision Opt ]

[ ElementList [Yield, ?Await] ]

[ ElementList [Yield, ?Await] , Elision Opt ]

ElementList [Yield, Await] :

Elision Opt AssignmentExpression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await]

Elision Opt SpreadElement [Yield, ?Await]

ElementList [Yield, ?Await] , Elision Opt AssignmentExpression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await]

ElementList [Yield, ?Await] , Elision Opt SpreadElement [Yield, ?Await]

Elision :

Flision ,

SpreadElement [Yield, Await] :

AssignmentExpression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
```

# 12.2.5.1 Runtime Semantics: ArrayAccumulation

With parameters *array* and *nextIndex*.

```
Elision:,
```

- 1. Let len be nextIndex + 1.
- 2. Perform ? Set(array, "length", len, true).
- 3. NOTE: The above Set throws if *len* exceeds  $2^{32}$ -1.
- 4. Return len.

Elision: Elision,

1. Return the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for *Elision* with arguments *array* and *nextIndex* + 1.

ElementList: Elision AssignmentExpression

- 1. If *Elision* is present, then
  - a. Set *nextIndex* to the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for *Elision* with arguments *array* and *nextIndex*.
  - b. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextIndex).
- 2. Let *initResult* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 3. Let *initValue* be ? GetValue(*initResult*).
- 4. Let *created* be! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(*array*,! ToString(*nextIndex*), *initValue*).
- 5. Return nextIndex + 1.

ElementList: Elision SpreadElement

- 1. If *Elision* is present, then
  - a. Set *nextIndex* to the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for *Elision* with arguments *array* and *nextIndex*.
  - b. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextIndex).
- 2. Return the result of performing Array Accumulation for SpreadElement with arguments array and nextIndex.

 $ElementList : ElementList , Elision_{\tt opt} \ AssignmentExpression$ 

- 1. Set *nextIndex* to the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for *ElementList* with arguments *array* and *nextIndex*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextIndex).
- 3. If *Elision* is present, then
  - a. Set nextIndex to the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for Elision with arguments array and nextIndex.
  - b. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextIndex).
- 4. Let *initResult* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 5. Let *initValue* be ? GetValue(*initResult*).
- 6. Let created be! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(array,! ToString(nextIndex), initValue).
- 7. Return nextIndex + 1.

ElementList : ElementList , Elision<sub>opt</sub> SpreadElement

- 1. Set *nextIndex* to the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for *ElementList* with arguments *array* and *nextIndex*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextIndex).
- 3. If *Elision* is present, then
  - a. Set *nextIndex* to the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for *Elision* with arguments *array* and *nextIndex*.

- b. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextIndex).
- 4. Return the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for *SpreadElement* with arguments *array* and *nextIndex*.

SpreadElement: ... AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *spreadRef* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 2. Let *spreadObj* be ? GetValue(*spreadRef*).
- 3. Let iteratorRecord be ? GetIterator(spreadObj).
- 4. Repeat,
  - a. Let *next* be ? IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is **false**, return *nextIndex*.
  - c. Let *nextValue* be ? IteratorValue(*next*).
  - d. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(array,! ToString(nextIndex), nextValue).
  - e. Set nextIndex to nextIndex + 1.

**NOTE** 

CreateDataPropertyOrThrow is used to ensure that own properties are defined for the array even if the standard built-in Array prototype object has been modified in a manner that would preclude the creation of new own properties using [[Set]].

#### 12.2.5.2 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ArrayLiteral: [Elision<sub>opt</sub>]

- 1. Let *array* be ! ArrayCreate(0).
- 2. If *Elision* is present, then
  - a. Let len be the result of performing Array Accumulation for Elision with arguments array and 0.
  - b. ReturnIfAbrupt(len).
- 3. Return array.

*ArrayLiteral* : [ *ElementList* ]

- 1. Let *array* be ! ArrayCreate(0).
- Let len be the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for ElementList with arguments array and 0.
- 3. ReturnIfAbrupt(len).
- 4. Return array.

ArrayLiteral: [ ElementList , Elision opt. ]

- 1. Let array be! ArrayCreate(0).
  - 2. Let nextIndex be the result of performing ArrayAccumulation for ElementList with arguments array and 0.
  - 3. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextIndex).
  - 4. If *Elision* is present, then
    - a. Let len be the result of performing Array Accumulation for Elision with arguments array and nextIndex.
    - b. ReturnIfAbrupt(len).
  - 5. Return array.

# 12.2.6 Object Initializer

## NOTE 1

An object initializer is an expression describing the initialization of an Object, written in a form resembling a literal. It is a list of zero or more pairs of property keys and associated values, enclosed in curly brackets. The values need not be literals; they are evaluated each time the object initializer is evaluated.

## **Syntax**

```
ObjectLiteral[Yield, Await] :
         { }
         { PropertyDefinitionList[?Yield, ?Await] }
         { PropertyDefinitionList[?Yield, ?Await] , }
PropertyDefinitionList_{[Yield, Await]}:
         Property Definition [?Yield, ?Await]
         PropertyDefinitionList[?Yield, ?Await] , PropertyDefinition[?Yield, ?Await]
PropertyDefinition[Yield, Await] :
         IdentifierReference[?Yield, ?Await]
         CoverInitializedName[?Yield, ?Await]
         PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] : AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
         MethodDefinition[?Yield, ?Await]
         ... \textit{ AssignmentExpression}_{\texttt{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]}}
PropertyName[Yield, Await] :
         LiteralPropertyName
         ComputedPropertyName[?Yield, ?Await]
LiteralPropertyName:
         IdentifierName
         StringLiteral
         NumericLiteral
ComputedPropertyName[Yield, Await] :
         [ AssignmentExpression<sub>[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub> ]
CoverInitializedName[Yield, Await] :
         IdentifierReference [?Yield, ?Await] Initializer [+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
Initializer[In, Yield, Await] :
         = AssignmentExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
```

NOTE 2 *MethodDefinition* is defined in 14.3.

NOTE 3

In certain contexts, *ObjectLiteral* is used as a cover grammar for a more restricted secondary grammar. The *CoverInitializedName* production is necessary to fully cover these secondary grammars. However, use of this production results in an early Syntax Error in normal contexts where an actual *ObjectLiteral* is expected.

#### 12.2.6.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

PropertyDefinition: MethodDefinition

• It is a Syntax Error if HasDirectSuper of *MethodDefinition* is **true**.

In addition to describing an actual object initializer the *ObjectLiteral* productions are also used as a cover grammar for *ObjectAssignmentPattern* and may be recognized as part of a *CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList*. When *ObjectLiteral* appears in a context where *ObjectAssignmentPattern* is required the following Early Error rules are **not** applied. In addition, they are not applied when initially parsing a *CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList* or *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead*.

PropertyDefinition: CoverInitializedName

Always throw a Syntax Error if code matches this production.

NOTE

This production exists so that *ObjectLiteral* can serve as a cover grammar for *ObjectAssignmentPattern*. It cannot occur in an actual object initializer.

# 12.2.6.2 Static Semantics: ComputedPropertyContains

With parameter symbol.

PropertyName: LiteralPropertyName

1. Return **false**.

*PropertyName*: ComputedPropertyName

1. Return the result of *ComputedPropertyName* Contains *symbol*.

#### 12.2.6.3 Static Semantics: Contains

With parameter symbol.

PropertyDefinition: MethodDefinition

- 1. If *symbol* is *MethodDefinition*, return **true**.
- 2. Return the result of ComputedPropertyContains for *MethodDefinition* with argument *symbol*.

NOTE

Static semantic rules that depend upon substructure generally do not look into function definitions.

 $Literal Property Name \ : \ Identifier Name$ 

- 1. If symbol is a ReservedWord, return false.
- 2. If *symbol* is an *Identifier* and StringValue of *symbol* is the same value as the StringValue of *IdentifierName*, return **true**.
- 3. Return false.

## 12.2.6.4 Static Semantics: IsComputedPropertyKey

PropertyName: LiteralPropertyName

1. Return **false**.

PropertyName: ComputedPropertyName

1. Return true.

### 12.2.6.5 Static Semantics: PropName

PropertyDefinition: IdentifierReference

1. Return StringValue of *IdentifierReference*.

PropertyDefinition: ... AssignmentExpression

1. Return empty.

PropertyDefinition: PropertyName: AssignmentExpression

1. Return PropName of *PropertyName*.

*LiteralPropertyName* : *IdentifierName* 

1. Return StringValue of *IdentifierName*.

*LiteralPropertyName* : StringLiteral

1. Return the String value whose code units are the SV of *StringLiteral*.

LiteralPropertyName: NumericLiteral

- 1. Let *nbr* be the NumericValue of *NumericLiteral*.
- 2. Return! ToString(*nbr*).

ComputedPropertyName: [ AssignmentExpression ]

1. Return empty.

#### 12.2.6.6 Static Semantics: PropertyNameList

PropertyDefinitionList: PropertyDefinition

- 1. If PropName of *PropertyDefinition* is **empty**, return a new empty List.
- 2. Return a new List containing PropName of PropertyDefinition.

PropertyDefinitionList: PropertyDefinitionList, PropertyDefinition

1. Let *list* be PropertyNameList of *PropertyDefinitionList*.

- 2. If PropName of *PropertyDefinition* is **empty**, return *list*.
- 3. Append PropName of *PropertyDefinition* to the end of *list*.
- 4. Return list.

#### 12.2.6.7 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

```
ObjectLiteral: { }
```

1. Return OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).

ObjectLiteral:

```
{ PropertyDefinitionList } { PropertyDefinitionList , }
```

- 1. Let *obj* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 2. Perform? PropertyDefinitionEvaluation of *PropertyDefinitionList* with arguments *obj* and **true**.
- 3. Return obj.

LiteralPropertyName: IdentifierName

1. Return StringValue of *IdentifierName*.

LiteralPropertyName: StringLiteral

1. Return the String value whose code units are the SV of StringLiteral.

LiteralPropertyName: NumericLiteral

- 1. Let *nbr* be the NumericValue of *NumericLiteral*.
- 2. Return! ToString(*nbr*).

ComputedPropertyName: [ AssignmentExpression ]

- 1. Let *exprValue* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 2. Let *propName* be ? GetValue(*exprValue*).
- 3. Return? ToPropertyKey(propName).

## 12.2.6.8 Runtime Semantics: Property Definition Evaluation

With parameters *object* and *enumerable*.

PropertyDefinitionList: PropertyDefinitionList, PropertyDefinition

- 1. Perform? PropertyDefinitionEvaluation of *PropertyDefinitionList* with arguments *object* and *enumerable*.
- 2. Return the result of performing PropertyDefinitionEvaluation of *PropertyDefinition* with arguments *object* and *enumerable*.

PropertyDefinition: ... AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *exprValue* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 2. Let from Value be ? GetValue(exprValue).
- 3. Let excludedNames be a new empty List.
- 4. Return ? CopyDataProperties(object, fromValue, excludedNames).

- 1. Let *propName* be StringValue of *IdentifierReference*.
- 2. Let *exprValue* be the result of evaluating *IdentifierReference*.
- 3. Let *propValue* be ? GetValue(*exprValue*).
- 4. Assert: enumerable is true.
- Assert: object is an ordinary, extensible object with no non-configurable properties.
- 6. Return! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(object, propName, propValue).

PropertyDefinition: PropertyName: AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *propKey* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- ReturnIfAbrupt(propKey).
- 3. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(AssignmentExpression) is true, then
  - a. Let propValue be NamedEvaluation of AssignmentExpression with argument propKey.
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let exprValueRef be the result of evaluating AssignmentExpression.
  - b. Let *propValue* be ? GetValue(exprValueRef).
- 5. Assert: *enumerable* is **true**.
- 6. Assert: object is an ordinary, extensible object with no non-configurable properties.
- 7. Return! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(object, propKey, propValue).

**NOTE** 

An alternative semantics for this production is given in B.3.1.

# 12.2.7 Function Defining Expressions

```
See 14.1 for PrimaryExpression: FunctionExpression.

See 14.4 for PrimaryExpression: GeneratorExpression.

See 14.6 for PrimaryExpression: ClassExpression.

See 14.7 for PrimaryExpression: AsyncFunctionExpression.

See 14.5 for PrimaryExpression: AsyncGeneratorExpression.
```

# 12.2.8 Regular Expression Literals

#### **Syntax**

See 11.8.5.

# 12.2.8.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

PrimaryExpression: RegularExpressionLiteral

• It is a Syntax Error if IsValidRegularExpressionLiteral(RegularExpressionLiteral) is false.

# 12.2.8.2 Static Semantics: IsValidRegularExpressionLiteral ( literal )

The abstract operation IsValidRegularExpressionLiteral determines if its argument is a valid regular expression literal. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: literal is a Regular Expression Literal.
- 2. If FlagText of *literal* contains any code points other than **g**, **i**, **m**, **s**, **u**, or **y**, or if it contains the same code point more than once, return **false**.
- 3. Let *P* be BodyText of *literal*.
- 4. If FlagText of *literal* contains **u**, then
  - a. Parse P using the grammars in 21.2.1. The goal symbol for the parse is  $Pattern_{[+U, +N]}$ . If P did not conform to the grammar, if any elements of P were not matched by the parse, or if any Early Error conditions exist, return **false**. Otherwise, return **true**.
- 5. Let *stringValue* be UTF16Encode(*P*).
- 6. Let *pText* be the sequence of code points resulting from interpreting each of the 16-bit elements of *stringValue* as a Unicode BMP code point. UTF-16 decoding is not applied to the elements.
- 7. Parse pText using the grammars in 21.2.1. The goal symbol for the parse is  $Pattern_{[-U, -N]}$ . If the result of parsing contains a GroupName, reparse with the goal symbol  $Pattern_{[-U, +N]}$ . If P did not conform to the grammar, if any elements of P were not matched by the parse, or if any Early Error conditions exist, return false. Otherwise, return true.

#### 12.2.8.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

PrimaryExpression: RegularExpressionLiteral

- 1. Let pattern be ! UTF16Encode(BodyText of RegularExpressionLiteral).
- 2. Let flags be ! UTF16Encode(FlagText of RegularExpressionLiteral).
- 3. Return RegExpCreate(pattern, flags).

## 12.2.9 Template Literals

#### **Syntax**

```
TemplateLiteral [Yield, Await, Tagged]:

NoSubstitutionTemplate
SubstitutionTemplate [?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]

SubstitutionTemplate [Yield, Await, Tagged]:

TemplateHead Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] TemplateSpans [?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]

TemplateSpans [Yield, Await, Tagged]:

TemplateMiddleList [?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged] TemplateTail

TemplateMiddleList [Yield, Await, Tagged]:

TemplateMiddleList [Yield, Await, Tagged]:

TemplateMiddleList [Yield, Await, Tagged] TemplateMiddle Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await]

TemplateMiddleList [?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged] TemplateMiddle Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
```

#### 12.2.9.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

TemplateLiteral [Yield, Await, Tagged]: NoSubstitutionTemplate

• It is a Syntax Error if the [Tagged] parameter was not set and NoSubstitutionTemplate Contains NotEscapeSequence.

TemplateLiteral[Yield, Await, Tagged] : SubstitutionTemplate[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]

• It is a Syntax Error if the number of elements in the result of TemplateStrings of *TemplateLiteral* with argument **false** is greater than  $2^{32}$  - 1.

```
Substitution Template \verb|[Yield, Await, Tagged]| : Template Head Expression \verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]| \\ Template Spans \verb|[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]| : Template Head Expression \verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]| \\ Template Spans \verb|[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]| : Template Head Expression \verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]| \\ : Template Spans \verb|[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]| : Template Head Expression \verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]| \\ : Template Spans \verb|[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]| : Template Head Expression \verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]| \\ : Template Spans \verb|[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]| : Template Head Expression \verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]| \\ : Template Spans \verb|[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]| : Template Head Expression \verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]| \\ : Template Spans \verb|[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]| : Template Spans \verb|[?Yield, ?Await, ?Await, ?Await, ?Await, ?Await, ?Await, ?Await, ?Await, ?Await, ?Awa
```

• It is a Syntax Error if the [Tagged] parameter was not set and TemplateHead Contains NotEscapeSequence.

TemplateSpans[Yield, Await, Tagged] : TemplateTail

• It is a Syntax Error if the [Tagged] parameter was not set and TemplateTail Contains NotEscapeSequence.

```
TemplateMiddleList<sub>[Yield, Await, Tagged]</sub>:

TemplateMiddle Expression<sub>[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

TemplateMiddleList<sub>[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]</sub> TemplateMiddle Expression<sub>[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub>
```

• It is a Syntax Error if the [Tagged] parameter was not set and TemplateMiddle Contains NotEscapeSequence.

#### 12.2.9.2 Static Semantics: TemplateStrings

With parameter *raw*.

TemplateLiteral: NoSubstitutionTemplate

- 1. If *raw* is **false**, then
  - a. Let *string* be the TV of *NoSubstitutionTemplate*.
- 2. Else,
  - a. Let string be the TRV of NoSubstitutionTemplate.
- 3. Return a List containing the single element, *string*.

SubstitutionTemplate: TemplateHead Expression TemplateSpans

- 1. If raw is **false**, then
  - a. Let *head* be the TV of *TemplateHead*.
- 2. Else,
  - a. Let head be the TRV of TemplateHead.
- 3. Let tail be TemplateStrings of TemplateSpans with argument raw.
- 4. Return a List containing *head* followed by the elements, in order, of *tail*.

TemplateSpans: TemplateTail

- 1. If *raw* is **false**, then
  - a. Let *tail* be the TV of *TemplateTail*.
- 2. Else,
  - a. Let *tail* be the TRV of *TemplateTail*.
- 3. Return a List containing the single element, tail.

- 1. Let *middle* be TemplateStrings of *TemplateMiddleList* with argument *raw*.
- 2. If raw is **false**, then
  - a. Let tail be the TV of TemplateTail.
- 3. Else,
  - a. Let tail be the TRV of TemplateTail.
- 4. Return a List containing the elements, in order, of *middle* followed by *tail*.

TemplateMiddleList: TemplateMiddle Expression

- 1. If *raw* is **false**, then
  - a. Let *string* be the TV of *TemplateMiddle*.
- 2. Else,
  - a. Let *string* be the TRV of *TemplateMiddle*.
- 3. Return a List containing the single element, *string*.

TemplateMiddleList: TemplateMiddleList TemplateMiddle Expression

- 1. Let *front* be TemplateStrings of *TemplateMiddleList* with argument *raw*.
- 2. If raw is **false**, then
  - a. Let *last* be the TV of *TemplateMiddle*.
- 3. Else,
  - a. Let last be the TRV of TemplateMiddle.
- 4. Append *last* as the last element of the List *front*.
- 5. Return front.

## 12.2.9.3 Runtime Semantics: ArgumentListEvaluation

TemplateLiteral: NoSubstitutionTemplate

- 1. Let templateLiteral be this TemplateLiteral.
- Let siteObj be GetTemplateObject(templateLiteral).
- 3. Return a List containing the one element which is *siteObj*.

SubstitutionTemplate: TemplateHead Expression TemplateSpans

- 1. Let *templateLiteral* be this *TemplateLiteral*.
- 2. Let *siteObj* be GetTemplateObject(*templateLiteral*).
- 3. Let *firstSubRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 4. Let firstSub be ? GetValue(firstSubRef).
- 5. Let *restSub* be ? SubstitutionEvaluation of *TemplateSpans*.
- 6. Assert: restSub is a List.
- 7. Return a List whose first element is *siteObj*, whose second elements is *firstSub*, and whose subsequent elements are the elements of *restSub*, in order. *restSub* may contain no elements.

#### 12.2.9.4 Runtime Semantics: GetTemplateObject (templateLiteral)

The abstract operation GetTemplateObject is called with a Parse Node, *templateLiteral*, as an argument. It performs the following steps:

1. Let rawStrings be TemplateStrings of templateLiteral with argument true.

- 2. Let realm be the current Realm Record.
- 3. Let *templateRegistry* be *realm*.[[TemplateMap]].
- 4. For each element *e* of *templateRegistry*, do
  - a. If *e*.[[Site]] is the same Parse Node as *templateLiteral*, then
    - i. Return *e*.[[Array]].
- 5. Let *cookedStrings* be TemplateStrings of *templateLiteral* with argument **false**.
- 6. Let *count* be the number of elements in the List *cookedStrings*.
- 7. Assert:  $count < 2^{32} 1$ .
- 8. Let template be! ArrayCreate(count).
- 9. Let rawObj be! ArrayCreate(count).
- 10. Let index be 0.
- 11. Repeat, while *index* < *count* 
  - a. Let *prop* be ! ToString(*index*).
  - b. Let *cookedValue* be the String value *cookedStrings*[index].
  - c. Call *template*.[[DefineOwnProperty]](*prop*, PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *cookedValue*, [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **true**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
  - d. Let *rawValue* be the String value *rawStrings*[*index*].
  - e. Call *rawObj*.[[DefineOwnProperty]](*prop*, PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *rawValue*, [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **true**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
  - f. Set index to index + 1.
- 12. Perform SetIntegrityLevel(rawObj, frozen).
- 13. Call *template*.[[DefineOwnProperty]](**"raw"**, PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *rawObj*, [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 14. Perform SetIntegrityLevel(template, frozen).
- 15. Append the Record { [[Site]]: templateLiteral, [[Array]]: template } to templateRegistry.
- 16. Return template.

NOTE 1 The creation of a template object cannot result in an abrupt completion.

NOTE 2 Each *TemplateLiteral* in the program code of a realm is associated with a unique template object that is used in the evaluation of tagged Templates (12.2.9.6). The template objects are frozen and the same template object is used each time a specific tagged Template is evaluated. Whether template objects are created lazily upon first evaluation of the *TemplateLiteral* or eagerly prior to

first evaluation is an implementation choice that is not observable to ECMAScript code.

NOTE 3 Future editions of this specification may define additional non-enumerable properties of template objects.

#### 12.2.9.5 Runtime Semantics: SubstitutionEvaluation

TemplateSpans: TemplateTail

1. Return a new empty List.

TemplateSpans: TemplateMiddleList TemplateTail

1. Return the result of SubstitutionEvaluation of *TemplateMiddleList*.

TemplateMiddleList: TemplateMiddle Expression

- 1. Let *subRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 2. Let *sub* be ? GetValue(*subRef*).
- 3. Return a List containing only sub.

TemplateMiddleList: TemplateMiddleList TemplateMiddle Expression

- 1. Let *preceding* be ? SubstitutionEvaluation of *TemplateMiddleList*.
- 2. Let *nextRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 3. Let *next* be ? GetValue(*nextRef*).
- 4. Append *next* as the last element of the List *preceding*.
- 5. Return *preceding*.

#### 12.2.9.6 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

TemplateLiteral: NoSubstitutionTemplate

1. Return the String value whose code units are the elements of the TV of *NoSubstitutionTemplate* as defined in 11.8.6.

SubstitutionTemplate: TemplateHead Expression TemplateSpans

- 1. Let head be the TV of TemplateHead as defined in 11.8.6.
- 2. Let *subRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 3. Let *sub* be ? GetValue(*subRef*).
- 4. Let *middle* be ? ToString(*sub*).
- 5. Let *tail* be the result of evaluating *TemplateSpans*.
- 6. ReturnIfAbrupt(tail).
- 7. Return the string-concatenation of head, middle, and tail.

NOTE 1 The string conversion semantics applied to the *Expression* value are like **String.prototype.concat** rather than the **+** operator.

TemplateSpans: TemplateTail

- 1. Let tail be the TV of TemplateTail as defined in 11.8.6.
- 2. Return the String value consisting of the code units of *tail*.

TemplateSpans: TemplateMiddleList TemplateTail

- 1. Let *head* be the result of evaluating *TemplateMiddleList*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(head).
- 3. Let tail be the TV of TemplateTail as defined in 11.8.6.
- 4. Return the string-concatenation of head and tail.

TemplateMiddleList: TemplateMiddle Expression

- 1. Let head be the TV of TemplateMiddle as defined in 11.8.6.
- 2. Let *subRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 3. Let sub be ? GetValue(subRef).
- 4. Let *middle* be ? ToString(*sub*).

5. Return the sequence of code units consisting of the code units of *head* followed by the elements of *middle*.

NOTE 2 The string conversion semantics applied to the *Expression* value are like **String.prototype.concat** rather than the **+** operator.

TemplateMiddleList: TemplateMiddleList TemplateMiddle Expression

- 1. Let *rest* be the result of evaluating *TemplateMiddleList*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(rest).
- 3. Let middle be the TV of TemplateMiddle as defined in 11.8.6.
- 4. Let *subRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 5. Let *sub* be ? GetValue(*subRef*).
- 6. Let *last* be ? ToString(*sub*).
- 7. Return the sequence of code units consisting of the elements of *rest* followed by the code units of *middle* followed by the elements of *last*.

NOTE 3 The string conversion semantics applied to the *Expression* value are like **String.prototype.concat** rather than the **+** operator.

# 12.2.10 The Grouping Operator

#### 12.2.10.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

PrimaryExpression: CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList

- It is a Syntax Error if CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList is not covering a ParenthesizedExpression.
- All Early Error rules for ParenthesizedExpression and its derived productions also apply to CoveredParenthesizedExpression of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.

#### 12.2.10.2 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

ParenthesizedExpression: (Expression)

1. Return IsFunctionDefinition of *Expression*.

## 12.2.10.3 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

ParenthesizedExpression: (Expression)

1. Return AssignmentTargetType of Expression.

#### 12.2.10.4 Runtime Semantics: NamedEvaluation

With parameter name.

PrimaryExpression: CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList

- $1. \ \ Let \ \textit{expr} \ be \ \ Covered Parenthesized Expression \ of \ \textit{CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList}.$
- 2. Return the result of performing NamedEvaluation for *expr* with argument *name*.

- 1. Assert: IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(*Expression*) is **true**.
- 2. Return the result of performing NamedEvaluation for *Expression* with argument *name*.

#### 12.2.10.5 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

 $\label{primary Expression} Primary Expression: Cover Parenthesized Expression And Arrow Parameter List$ 

- 1. Let expr be CoveredParenthesizedExpression of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.
- 2. Return the result of evaluating *expr*.

```
ParenthesizedExpression: (Expression)
```

1. Return the result of evaluating *Expression*. This may be of type Reference.

**NOTE** 

This algorithm does not apply GetValue to the result of evaluating *Expression*. The principal motivation for this is so that operators such as **delete** and **typeof** may be applied to parenthesized expressions.

# 12.3 Left-Hand-Side Expressions

# **Syntax**

```
MemberExpression[Yield, Await] :
         PrimaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await] [ Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
         MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await] . IdentifierName
         MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await] TemplateLiteral[?Yield, ?Await, +Tagged]
         SuperProperty [?Yield, ?Await]
         MetaProperty
         new MemberExpression [?Yield, ?Await] Arguments [?Yield, ?Await]
SuperProperty[Yield, Await] :
         super [ Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
         super . IdentifierName
MetaProperty:
         NewTarget
         ImportMeta
NewTarget:
         new . target
ImportMeta:
         import . meta
NewExpression_{[Yield, Await]}:
         MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
```

```
CallExpression[Yield, Await] :
         CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead[?Yield, ?Await]
         SuperCall[?Yield, ?Await]
         ImportCall[?Yield, ?Await]
         CallExpression_{[?Yield, ?Await]} Arguments_{[?Yield, ?Await]}
         CallExpression [?Yield, ?Await] [ Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
         CallExpression [?Yield, ?Await] . IdentifierName
         CallExpression [?Yield, ?Await] TemplateLiteral [?Yield, ?Await, +Tagged]
SuperCall[Yield, Await] :
         super Arguments[?Yield, ?Await]
ImportCall[Yield, Await] :
         {\bf import~(~\it AssignmentExpression_{[+In,~?Yield,~?Await]}~)}
Arguments [Yield, Await] :
         ()
         ( ArgumentList_{[?Yield, ?Await]} )
         ( ArgumentList[?Yield, ?Await] ,)
ArgumentList[Yield, Await] :
         AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
         ... AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
         ArgumentList[?Yield, ?Await] , AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
         ArgumentList[?Yield, ?Await] , ... AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
OptionalExpression[Yield, Await] :
         MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await] OptionalChain[?Yield, ?Await]
         CallExpression [?Yield, ?Await] OptionalChain [?Yield, ?Await]
         Optional Expression [?Yield, ?Await] Optional Chain [?Yield, ?Await]
OptionalChain [Yield, Await] :
         ?. Arguments [?vield. ?Await]
         ?. [ Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
         ?. IdentifierName
         ?. TemplateLiteral<sub>[?Yield, ?Await, +Tagged]</sub>
         OptionalChain [?Yield, ?Await] Arguments [?Yield, ?Await]
         OptionalChain [?Yield, ?Await] [ Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
         OptionalChain[?Yield, ?Await] . IdentifierName
         OptionalChain [?Yield, ?Await] TemplateLiteral [?Yield, ?Await, +Tagged]
LeftHandSideExpression[Yield, Await] :
         NewExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         CallExpression [?Yield, ?Await]
```

 ${\tt new} \ New Expression_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await]}}$ 

# Supplemental Syntax

When processing an instance of the production *CallExpression*: *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead* the interpretation of *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead* is refined using the following grammar:

```
\label{lem:callMemberExpression} CallMemberExpression_{\texttt{[Yield, Await]}}: \\ MemberExpression_{\texttt{[Yield, ?Await]}} Arguments_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await]}}
```

## 12.3.1 Static Semantics

#### 12.3.1.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

OptionalChain:

?. TemplateLiteral
OptionalChain TemplateLiteral

• It is a Syntax Error if any code matches this production.

**NOTE** 

This production exists in order to prevent automatic semicolon insertion rules (11.9) from being applied to the following code:

a?.b

`c`

so that it would be interpreted as two valid statements. The purpose is to maintain consistency with similar code without optional chaining:

a.b `c`

which is a valid statement and where automatic semicolon insertion does not apply.

#### ImportMeta:

```
import . meta
```

• It is a Syntax Error if the syntactic goal symbol is not *Module*.

#### 12.3.1.2 Static Semantics: CoveredCallExpression

CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead: MemberExpression Arguments

Return the CallMemberExpression that is covered by CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead.

#### 12.3.1.3 Static Semantics: Contains

With parameter *symbol*.

MemberExpression: MemberExpression. IdentifierName

1. If MemberExpression Contains symbol is **true**, return **true**.

- 2. If symbol is a ReservedWord, return false.
- 3. If *symbol* is an *Identifier* and StringValue of *symbol* is the same value as the StringValue of *IdentifierName*, return **true**.
- 4. Return false.

SuperProperty: super. IdentifierName

- 1. If *symbol* is the *ReservedWord* **super**, return **true**.
- 2. If symbol is a ReservedWord, return false.
- 3. If *symbol* is an *Identifier* and StringValue of *symbol* is the same value as the StringValue of *IdentifierName*, return **true**.
- 4. Return false.

CallExpression: CallExpression. IdentifierName

- 1. If CallExpression Contains symbol is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. If symbol is a ReservedWord, return false.
- 3. If *symbol* is an *Identifier* and StringValue of *symbol* is the same value as the StringValue of *IdentifierName*, return **true**.
- 4. Return false.

OptionalChain: ?. IdentifierName

- 1. If symbol is a ReservedWord, return **false**.
- 2. If *symbol* is an *Identifier* and StringValue of *symbol* is the same value as the StringValue of *IdentifierName*, return true.
- 3. Return false.

OptionalChain: OptionalChain. IdentifierName

- 1. If *OptionalChain Contains symbol* is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. If *symbol* is a *ReservedWord*, return **false**.
- 3. If *symbol* is an *Identifier* and StringValue of *symbol* is the same value as the StringValue of *IdentifierName*, return **true**.
- 4. Return **false**.

#### 12.3.1.4 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

*MemberExpression*:

MemberExpression [ Expression ]

MemberExpression . IdentifierName

MemberExpression TemplateLiteral

*SuperProperty* 

*MetaProperty* 

new MemberExpression Arguments

*NewExpression*:

new NewExpression

*LeftHandSideExpression*:

CallExpression

OptionalExpression

#### 1. Return false.

### 12.3.1.5 Static Semantics: IsDestructuring

MemberExpression: PrimaryExpression

- 1. If *PrimaryExpression* is either an *ObjectLiteral* or an *ArrayLiteral*, return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

#### *MemberExpression*:

MemberExpression [ Expression ]

MemberExpression . IdentifierName

MemberExpression TemplateLiteral

SuperProperty

MetaProperty

new MemberExpression Arguments

#### *NewExpression*:

new NewExpression

LeftHandSideExpression:

CallExpression

OptionalExpression

1. Return false.

#### 12.3.1.6 Static Semantics: IsIdentifierRef

*MemberExpression*:

MemberExpression [ Expression ]

MemberExpression . IdentifierName

MemberExpression TemplateLiteral

SuperProperty

MetaProperty

new MemberExpression Arguments

#### *NewExpression*:

new NewExpression

*LeftHandSideExpression*:

CallExpression

OptionalExpression

1. Return **false**.

## 12.3.1.7 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

CallExpression:

CallExpression [ Expression ]

CallExpression . IdentifierName

## MemberExpression:

MemberExpression [ Expression ]

MemberExpression . IdentifierName

**SuperProperty** 

#### 1. Return simple.

```
CallExpression:
        CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead
        SuperCall
        ImportCall
        CallExpression Arguments
        CallExpression TemplateLiteral
NewExpression:
        new NewExpression
MemberExpression:
        MemberExpression TemplateLiteral
        new MemberExpression Arguments
NewTarget:
        new . target
ImportMeta:
        import . meta
LeftHandSideExpression:
        OptionalExpression
```

1. Return invalid.

# **12.3.2 Property Accessors**

```
NOTE Properties are accessed by name, using either the dot notation:

MemberExpression . IdentifierName

or the bracket notation:

MemberExpression [ Expression ]

CallExpression [ Expression ]

The dot notation is explained by the following syntactic conversion:

MemberExpression . IdentifierName

is identical in its behaviour to

MemberExpression [ <identifier-name-string> ]

and similarly

CallExpression . IdentifierName

is identical in its behaviour to

CallExpression . IdentifierName

is identical in its behaviour to
```

where *<identifier-name-string>* is the result of evaluating StringValue of *IdentifierName*.

#### 12.3.2.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

MemberExpression: MemberExpression [ Expression ]

- 1. Let baseReference be the result of evaluating MemberExpression.
- 2. Let baseValue be ? GetValue(baseReference).
- 3. If the code matched by this *MemberExpression* is strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- 4. Return? EvaluatePropertyAccessWithExpressionKey(baseValue, Expression, strict).

MemberExpression: MemberExpression. IdentifierName

- 1. Let baseReference be the result of evaluating MemberExpression.
- 2. Let baseValue be ? GetValue(baseReference).
- 3. If the code matched by this *MemberExpression* is strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- 4. Return? EvaluatePropertyAccessWithIdentifierKey(baseValue, IdentifierName, strict).

CallExpression: CallExpression [ Expression ]

- 1. Let *baseReference* be the result of evaluating *CallExpression*.
- 2. Let baseValue be ? GetValue(baseReference).
- 3. If the code matched by this *CallExpression* is strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- 4. Return? EvaluatePropertyAccessWithExpressionKey(baseValue, Expression, strict).

CallExpression: CallExpression. IdentifierName

- 1. Let baseReference be the result of evaluating CallExpression.
- 2. Let baseValue be ? GetValue(baseReference).
- 3. If the code matched by this *CallExpression* is strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- Return ? EvaluatePropertyAccessWithIdentifierKey(baseValue, IdentifierName, strict).

# 12.3.3 Runtime Semantics: EvaluatePropertyAccessWithExpressionKey ( baseValue, expression, strict )

The abstract operation EvaluatePropertyAccessWithExpressionKey takes as arguments a value *baseValue*, a Parse Node *expression*, and a Boolean argument *strict*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *propertyNameReference* be the result of evaluating *expression*.
- 2. Let propertyNameValue be ? GetValue(propertyNameReference).
- 3. Let *bv* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(*baseValue*).
- 4. Let *propertyKey* be? ToPropertyKey(*propertyNameValue*).
- 5. Return a value of type Reference whose base value component is *bv*, whose referenced name component is *propertyKey*, and whose strict reference flag is *strict*.

# 12.3.4 Runtime Semantics: EvaluatePropertyAccessWithIdentifierKey ( baseValue, identifierName, strict )

The abstract operation EvaluatePropertyAccessWithIdentifierKey takes as arguments a value *baseValue*, a Parse Node *identifierName*, and a Boolean argument *strict*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: identifierName is an IdentifierName.
- 2. Let by be ? RequireObjectCoercible(baseValue).
- 3. Let *propertyNameString* be StringValue of *identifierName*.

4. Return a value of type Reference whose base value component is *bv*, whose referenced name component is *propertyNameString*, and whose strict reference flag is *strict*.

# 12.3.5 The **new** Operator

#### 12.3.5.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

NewExpression: new NewExpression

1. Return ? EvaluateNew(NewExpression, empty).

MemberExpression: new MemberExpression Arguments

Return ? EvaluateNew(MemberExpression, Arguments).

#### 12.3.5.1.1 Runtime Semantics: EvaluateNew (constructExpr, arguments)

The abstract operation EvaluateNew with arguments *constructExpr*, and *arguments* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: constructExpr is either a NewExpression or a MemberExpression.
- 2. Assert: arguments is either empty or an Arguments.
- 3. Let *ref* be the result of evaluating *constructExpr*.
- 4. Let *constructor* be ? GetValue(*ref*).
- 5. If arguments is **empty**, let *argList* be a new empty List.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let argList be? ArgumentListEvaluation of arguments.
- 7. If IsConstructor(constructor) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 8. Return ? Construct(constructor, argList).

#### 12.3.6 Function Calls

#### 12.3.6.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

CallExpression: CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead

- 1. Let *expr* be CoveredCallExpression of *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead*.
- 2. Let *memberExpr* be the *MemberExpression* of *expr*.
- 3. Let arguments be the Arguments of expr.
- 4. Let *ref* be the result of evaluating *memberExpr*.
- 5. Let *func* be ? GetValue(*ref*).
- 6. If Type(ref) is Reference, IsPropertyReference(ref) is false, and GetReferencedName(ref) is "eval", then
  - a. If SameValue(func, %eval%) is true, then
    - i. Let argList be? ArgumentListEvaluation of arguments.
    - ii. If *argList* has no elements, return **undefined**.
    - iii. Let eval Arg be the first element of arg List.
    - iv. If the source code matching this *CallExpression* is strict mode code, let *strictCaller* be **true**. Otherwise let *strictCaller* be **false**.
    - v. Let evalRealm be the current Realm Record.
    - vi. Return? PerformEval(evalArg, evalRealm, strictCaller, true).
- 7. Let *thisCall* be this *CallExpression*.

- 8. Let tailCall be IsInTailPosition(thisCall).
- 9. Return ? EvaluateCall(func, ref, arguments, tailCall).

A CallExpression evaluation that executes step 6.a.vi is a direct eval.

CallExpression: CallExpression Arguments

- 1. Let *ref* be the result of evaluating *CallExpression*.
- 2. Let func be ? GetValue(ref).
- 3. Let *thisCall* be this *CallExpression*.
- 4. Let tailCall be IsInTailPosition(thisCall).
- 5. Return ? EvaluateCall(func, ref, Arguments, tailCall).

## 12.3.6.2 Runtime Semantics: EvaluateCall (func, ref, arguments, tailPosition)

The abstract operation EvaluateCall takes as arguments a value *func*, a value *ref*, a Parse Node *arguments*, and a Boolean argument *tailPosition*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(ref) is Reference, then
  - a. If IsPropertyReference(*ref*) is **true**, then
    - i. Let *thisValue* be GetThisValue(*ref*).
  - b. Else,
    - i. Assert: the base of *ref* is an Environment Record.
    - ii. Let *refEnv* be GetBase(*ref*).
    - iii. Let this Value be refEnv. With Base Object().
- 2. Else,
  - a. Let this Value be undefined.
- 3. Let *argList* be ? ArgumentListEvaluation of *arguments*.
- 4. If Type(func) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 5. If IsCallable(func) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. If tailPosition is true, perform PrepareForTailCall().
- 7. Let result be Call(func, this Value, argList).
- 8. Assert: If *tailPosition* is **true**, the above call will not return here, but instead evaluation will continue as if the following return has already occurred.
- 9. Assert: If result is not an abrupt completion, then Type(result) is an ECMAScript language type.
- 10. Return result.

# 12.3.7 The **super** Keyword

#### 12.3.7.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

SuperProperty: super [ Expression ]

- 1. Let env be GetThisEnvironment().
- 2. Let actualThis be? env.GetThisBinding().
- 3. Let *propertyNameReference* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 4. Let propertyNameValue be ? GetValue(propertyNameReference).
- 5. Let *propertyKey* be? ToPropertyKey(*propertyNameValue*).
- 6. If the code matched by this *SuperProperty* is strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- 7. Return? MakeSuperPropertyReference(actualThis, propertyKey, strict).

- 1. Let env be GetThisEnvironment().
- 2. Let actualThis be? env.GetThisBinding().
- 3. Let *propertyKey* be StringValue of *IdentifierName*.
- 4. If the code matched by this *SuperProperty* is strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- 5. Return? MakeSuperPropertyReference(actualThis, propertyKey, strict).

#### SuperCall: super Arguments

- 1. Let newTarget be GetNewTarget().
- 2. Assert: Type(newTarget) is Object.
- 3. Let func be! GetSuperConstructor().
- 4. Let *argList* be ? ArgumentListEvaluation of *Arguments*.
- 5. If IsConstructor(func) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Let result be ? Construct(func, argList, newTarget).
- 7. Let *thisER* be GetThisEnvironment().
- 8. Return? thisER.BindThisValue(result).

### 12.3.7.2 Runtime Semantics: GetSuperConstructor()

The abstract operation GetSuperConstructor performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *envRec* be GetThisEnvironment().
- 2. Assert: *envRec* is a function Environment Record.
- 3. Let activeFunction be envRec.[[FunctionObject]].
- 4. Assert: activeFunction is an ECMAScript function object.
- 5. Let superConstructor be! activeFunction.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
- 6. Return superConstructor.

## 12.3.7.3 Runtime Semantics: MakeSuperPropertyReference (actualThis, propertyKey, strict)

The abstract operation MakeSuperPropertyReference with arguments *actualThis*, *propertyKey*, and *strict* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let env be GetThisEnvironment().
- 2. Assert: env.HasSuperBinding() is true.
- 3. Let baseValue be? env.GetSuperBase().
- 4. Let by be ? RequireObjectCoercible(baseValue).
- 5. Return a value of type Reference that is a Super Reference whose base value component is *bv*, whose referenced name component is *propertyKey*, whose this Value component is *actualThis*, and whose strict reference flag is *strict*.

# 12.3.8 Argument Lists

NOTE

The evaluation of an argument list produces a List of values.

#### 12.3.8.1 Runtime Semantics: ArgumentListEvaluation

1. Return a new empty List.

ArgumentList: AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *ref* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 2. Let *arg* be ? GetValue(*ref*).
- 3. Return a List whose sole item is *arg*.

ArgumentList: ... AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *list* be a new empty List.
- 2. Let spreadRef be the result of evaluating AssignmentExpression.
- 3. Let *spreadObj* be ? GetValue(*spreadRef*).
- 4. Let iteratorRecord be ? GetIterator(spreadObj).
- 5. Repeat,
  - a. Let *next* be? IteratorStep(iteratorRecord).
  - b. If *next* is **false**, return *list*.
  - c. Let *nextArg* be ? IteratorValue(*next*).
  - d. Append *nextArg* as the last element of *list*.

ArgumentList: ArgumentList, AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *preceding Args* be ? ArgumentListEvaluation of *ArgumentList*.
- 2. Let *ref* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 3. Let arg be ? GetValue(ref).
- 4. Append *arg* to the end of *precedingArgs*.
- 5. Return *precedingArgs*.

ArgumentList: ArgumentList, ... AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *precedingArgs* be ? ArgumentListEvaluation of *ArgumentList*.
- 2. Let *spreadRef* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 3. Let iteratorRecord be ? GetIterator(? GetValue(spreadRef)).
- Repeat,
  - a. Let *next* be ? IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is **false**, return *precedingArgs*.
  - c. Let *nextArg* be ? IteratorValue(*next*).
  - d. Append *nextArg* as the last element of *precedingArgs*.

# 12.3.9 Optional Chains

NOTE

An optional chain is a chain of one or more property accesses and function calls, the first of which begins with the token ?..

#### 12.3.9.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

Optional Expression:

MemberExpression OptionalChain

- 1. Let baseReference be the result of evaluating MemberExpression.
- 2. Let baseValue be ? GetValue(baseReference).
- 3. If baseValue is **undefined** or **null**, then
  - a. Return undefined.
- 4. Return the result of performing ChainEvaluation of OptionalChain with arguments baseValue and baseReference.

#### Optional Expression:

CallExpression OptionalChain

- 1. Let baseReference be the result of evaluating CallExpression.
- 2. Let baseValue be ? GetValue(baseReference).
- 3. If base Value is **undefined** or **null**, then
  - a. Return undefined.
- 4. Return the result of performing ChainEvaluation of OptionalChain with arguments baseValue and baseReference.

#### Optional Expression:

OptionalExpression OptionalChain

- 1. Let baseReference be the result of evaluating OptionalExpression.
- 2. Let baseValue be ? GetValue(baseReference).
- 3. If baseValue is **undefined** or **null**, then
  - a. Return undefined.
- 4. Return the result of performing ChainEvaluation of OptionalChain with arguments baseValue and baseReference.

#### 12.3.9.2 Runtime Semantics: ChainEvaluation

With parameters baseValue and baseReference.

OptionalChain: ?. Arguments

- 1. Let thisChain be this OptionalChain.
- 2. Let tailCall be IsInTailPosition(thisChain).
- 3. Return? EvaluateCall(baseValue, baseReference, Arguments, tailCall).

OptionalChain: ?. [ Expression ]

- 1. If the code matched by this *OptionalChain* is strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- 2. Return? EvaluatePropertyAccessWithExpressionKey(baseValue, Expression, strict).

OptionalChain: ?. IdentifierName

- 1. If the code matched by this *OptionalChain* is strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- 2. Return? EvaluatePropertyAccessWithIdentifierKey(baseValue, IdentifierName, strict).

OptionalChain: OptionalChain Arguments

- 1. Let optionalChain be OptionalChain.
- Let newReference be? ChainEvaluation of optionalChain with arguments baseValue and baseReference.
- 3. Let newValue be ? GetValue(newReference).
- 4. Let this Chain be this Optional Chain.
- 5. Let tailCall be IsInTailPosition(thisChain).
- 6. Return? EvaluateCall(newValue, newReference, Arguments, tailCall).

OptionalChain: OptionalChain [Expression]

- 1. Let optionalChain be OptionalChain.
- 2. Let newReference be? ChainEvaluation of optionalChain with arguments baseValue and baseReference.
- 3. Let *newValue* be ? GetValue(*newReference*).
- 4. If the code matched by this Optional Chain is strict mode code, let strict be true; else let strict be false.
- 5. Return? EvaluatePropertyAccessWithExpressionKey(newValue, Expression, strict).

OptionalChain: OptionalChain. IdentifierName

- 1. Let optionalChain be OptionalChain.
- 2. Let newReference be? ChainEvaluation of optionalChain with arguments baseValue and baseReference.
- 3. Let newValue be ? GetValue(newReference).
- 4. If the code matched by this *OptionalChain* is strict mode code, let *strict* be **true**; else let *strict* be **false**.
- 5. Return? EvaluatePropertyAccessWithIdentifierKey(newValue, IdentifierName, strict).

# 12.3.10 Import Calls

#### 12.3.10.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ImportCall: import (AssignmentExpression)

- 1. Let referencingScriptOrModule be! GetActiveScriptOrModule().
- 2. Let *argRef* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 3. Let specifier be ? GetValue(argRef).
- 4. Let *promiseCapability* be! NewPromiseCapability(%Promise%).
- 5. Let *specifierString* be ToString(*specifier*).
- 6. If Abrupt Reject Promise (specifier String, promise Capability).
- 7. Perform! HostImportModuleDynamically(referencingScriptOrModule, specifierString, promiseCapability).
- 8. Return *promiseCapability*.[[Promise]].

# 12.3.11 Tagged Templates

**NOTE** 

A tagged template is a function call where the arguments of the call are derived from a *TemplateLiteral* (12.2.9). The actual arguments include a template object (12.2.9.4) and the values produced by evaluating the expressions embedded within the *TemplateLiteral*.

## 12.3.11.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

MemberExpression: MemberExpression TemplateLiteral

- 1. Let *tagRef* be the result of evaluating *MemberExpression*.
- Let tagFunc be ? GetValue(tagRef).
- 3. Let *thisCall* be this *MemberExpression*.
- 4. Let tailCall be IsInTailPosition(thisCall).
- 5. Return ? EvaluateCall(tagFunc, tagRef, TemplateLiteral, tailCall).

CallExpression: CallExpression TemplateLiteral

1. Let *tagRef* be the result of evaluating *CallExpression*.

- 2. Let *tagFunc* be ? GetValue(*tagRef*).
- 3. Let *thisCall* be this *CallExpression*.
- 4. Let tailCall be IsInTailPosition(thisCall).
- 5. Return? EvaluateCall(tagFunc, tagRef, TemplateLiteral, tailCall).

# 12.3.12 Meta Properties

#### 12.3.12.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

NewTarget: new . target

1. Return GetNewTarget().

ImportMeta: import . meta

- 1. Let module be ! GetActiveScriptOrModule().
- 2. Assert: module is a Source Text Module Record.
- 3. Let *importMeta* be *module*.[[ImportMeta]].
- 4. If *importMeta* is **empty**, then
  - a. Set *importMeta* to ! OrdinaryObjectCreate(null).
  - b. Let *importMetaValues* be ! HostGetImportMetaProperties(*module*).
  - c. For each Record { [[Key]], [[Value]] } p that is an element of *importMetaValues*, do
    - i. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(importMeta, p.[[Key]], p.[[Value]]).
  - d. Perform! HostFinalizeImportMeta(importMeta, module).
  - e. Set *module*.[[ImportMeta]] to *importMeta*.
  - f. Return importMeta.
- 5. Else,
  - a. Assert: Type(importMeta) is Object.
  - b. Return importMeta.

#### 12.3.12.1.1 Runtime Semantics: HostGetImportMetaProperties ( moduleRecord )

HostGetImportMetaProperties is an implementation-defined abstract operation that allows hosts to provide property keys and values for the object returned from **import.meta**.

The implementation of HostGetImportMetaProperties must conform to the following requirements:

- It must return a List, whose values are all Records with two fields, [[Key]] and [[Value]].
- Each such Record's [[Key]] field must be a property key, i.e., IsPropertyKey must return **true** when applied to it.
- Each such Record's [[Value]] field must be an ECMAScript value.
- It must always complete normally (i.e., not return an abrupt completion).

The default implementation of HostGetImportMetaProperties is to return a new empty List.

#### 12.3.12.1.2 Runtime Semantics: HostFinalizeImportMeta (importMeta, moduleRecord)

HostFinalizeImportMeta is an implementation-defined abstract operation that allows hosts to perform any extraordinary operations to prepare the object returned from **import.meta**.

Most hosts will be able to simply define HostGetImportMetaProperties, and leave HostFinalizeImportMeta with its

default behavior. However, HostFinalizeImportMeta provides an "escape hatch" for hosts which need to directly manipulate the object before it is exposed to ECMAScript code.

The implementation of HostFinalizeImportMeta must conform to the following requirements:

• It must always complete normally (i.e., not return an abrupt completion).

The default implementation of HostFinalizeImportMeta is to return NormalCompletion(empty).

# 12.4 Update Expressions

# **Syntax**

```
UpdateExpression[Yield, Await] :
    LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] ++
    LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] --
    ++ UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    -- UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
```

# 12.4.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

```
UpdateExpression :
    LeftHandSideExpression ++
    LeftHandSideExpression --
```

• It is an early Syntax Error if AssignmentTargetType of *LeftHandSideExpression* is not simple.

*UpdateExpression*:

- ++ UnaryExpression
- -- UnaryExpression
- It is an early Syntax Error if AssignmentTargetType of *UnaryExpression* is not simple.

#### 12.4.2 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

```
UpdateExpression:

LeftHandSideExpression ++

LeftHandSideExpression --
++ UnaryExpression
-- UnaryExpression
```

1. Return false.

# 12.4.3 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

```
UpdateExpression:

LeftHandSideExpression ++

LeftHandSideExpression --
++ UnaryExpression
```

1. Return invalid.

# 12.4.4 Postfix Increment Operator

#### 12.4.4.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

*UpdateExpression* : *LeftHandSideExpression* ++

- 1. Let *lhs* be the result of evaluating *LeftHandSideExpression*.
- 2. Let oldValue be ? ToNumeric(? GetValue(lhs)).
- 3. Let newValue be! Type(oldValue)::add(oldValue, Type(oldValue)::unit).
- 4. Perform ? PutValue(lhs, newValue).
- 5. Return old Value.

# 12.4.5 Postfix Decrement Operator

#### 12.4.5.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

UpdateExpression: LeftHandSideExpression --

- 1. Let *lhs* be the result of evaluating *LeftHandSideExpression*.
- 2. Let oldValue be? ToNumeric(? GetValue(lhs)).
- 3. Let newValue be! Type(oldValue)::subtract(oldValue, Type(oldValue)::unit).
- 4. Perform ? PutValue(lhs, newValue).
- 5. Return *oldValue*.

# **12.4.6 Prefix Increment Operator**

## 12.4.6.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

*UpdateExpression* : ++ *UnaryExpression* 

- 1. Let *expr* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. Let oldValue be ? ToNumeric(? GetValue(expr)).
- 3. Let newValue be! Type(oldValue)::add(oldValue, Type(oldValue)::unit).
- 4. Perform ? PutValue(expr, newValue).
- 5. Return newValue.

# 12.4.7 Prefix Decrement Operator

#### 12.4.7.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

*UpdateExpression* : -- *UnaryExpression* 

- 1. Let *expr* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. Let *oldValue* be ? ToNumeric(? GetValue(*expr*)).
- 3. Let newValue be! Type(oldValue)::subtract(oldValue, Type(oldValue)::unit).
- 4. Perform ? PutValue(expr, newValue).

# 12.5 Unary Operators

# **Syntax**

```
UnaryExpression[Yield, Await] :
    UpdateExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    delete UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    void UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    typeof UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    + UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    - UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    - UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    ! UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
    [+Await] AwaitExpression[?Yield]
```

#### 12.5.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

**UnaryExpression:** 

```
delete UnaryExpression
void UnaryExpression
typeof UnaryExpression
+ UnaryExpression
- UnaryExpression
- UnaryExpression
! UnaryExpression
AwaitExpression
```

1. Return false.

# 12.5.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

UnaryExpression:

```
delete UnaryExpression
void UnaryExpression
typeof UnaryExpression
+ UnaryExpression
- UnaryExpression
- UnaryExpression
! UnaryExpression
```

1. Return invalid.

**AwaitExpression** 

# 12.5.3 The delete Operator

#### 12.5.3.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

UnaryExpression: delete UnaryExpression

- It is a Syntax Error if the *UnaryExpression* is contained in strict mode code and the derived *UnaryExpression* is *PrimaryExpression*: *IdentifierReference*.
- It is a Syntax Error if the derived *UnaryExpression* is

PrimaryExpression: CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList and CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList ultimately derives a phrase that, if used in place of UnaryExpression, would produce a Syntax Error according to these rules. This rule is recursively applied.

NOTE

The last rule means that expressions such as **delete (((foo)))** produce early errors because of recursive application of the first rule.

#### 12.5.3.2 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

UnaryExpression: delete UnaryExpression

- 1. Let *ref* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(ref).
- 3. If Type(*ref*) is not Reference, return **true**.
- 4. If IsUnresolvableReference(*ref*) is **true**, then
  - a. Assert: IsStrictReference(*ref*) is **false**.
  - b. Return true.
- 5. If IsPropertyReference(*ref*) is **true**, then
  - a. If IsSuperReference(*ref*) is **true**, throw a **ReferenceError** exception.
  - b. Let baseObj be ! ToObject(GetBase(ref)).
  - c. Let *deleteStatus* be ? *baseObj*.[[Delete]](GetReferencedName(ref)).
  - d. If *deleteStatus* is **false** and IsStrictReference(*ref*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - e. Return deleteStatus.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Assert: ref is a Reference to an Environment Record binding.
  - b. Let *bindings* be GetBase(*ref*).
  - c. Return? bindings.DeleteBinding(GetReferencedName(ref)).

NOTE

When a **delete** operator occurs within strict mode code, a **SyntaxError** exception is thrown if its *UnaryExpression* is a direct reference to a variable, function argument, or function name. In addition, if a **delete** operator occurs within strict mode code and the property to be deleted has the attribute { [[Configurable]]: false }, a **TypeError** exception is thrown.

# 12.5.4 The **void** Operator

#### 12.5.4.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

UnaryExpression: void UnaryExpression

- 1. Let *expr* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. Perform ? GetValue(expr).
- 3. Return undefined.

GetValue must be called even though its value is not used because it may have observable side-effects.

# 12.5.5 The **typeof** Operator

#### 12.5.5.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

UnaryExpression: typeof UnaryExpression

- 1. Let *val* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. If Type(val) is Reference, then
  - a. If IsUnresolvableReference(val) is true, return "undefined".
- 3. Set val to ? GetValue(val).
- 4. Return a String according to Table 35.

**Table 35: typeof Operator Results** 

Type of val	Result
Undefined	"undefined"
Null	"object"
Boolean	"boolean"
Number	"number"
String	"string"
Symbol	"symbol"
BigInt	"bigint"
Object (does not implement [[Call]])	"object"
Object (implements [[Call]])	"function"

# 12.5.6 Unary + Operator

**NOTE** 

The unary + operator converts its operand to Number type.

#### 12.5.6.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

*UnaryExpression* : + *UnaryExpression* 

- 1. Let *expr* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. Return ? ToNumber(? GetValue(expr)).

## 12.5.7 Unary - Operator

The unary – operator converts its operand to Number type and then negates it. Negating +0 produces -0, and negating -0 produces +0.

#### 12.5.7.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

UnaryExpression: - UnaryExpression

- 1. Let *expr* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. Let oldValue be? ToNumeric(? GetValue(expr)).
- 3. Let *T* be Type(oldValue).
- 4. Return! T::unaryMinus(oldValue).

#### 12.5.8 Bitwise NOT Operator (~)

#### 12.5.8.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

UnaryExpression: - UnaryExpression

- 1. Let *expr* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. Let *oldValue* be ? ToNumeric(? GetValue(*expr*)).
- 3. Let *T* be Type(oldValue).
- 4. Return! T::bitwiseNOT(oldValue).

## 12.5.9 Logical NOT Operator (!)

#### 12.5.9.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

UnaryExpression: ! UnaryExpression

- 1. Let *expr* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. Let *oldValue* be ! ToBoolean(? GetValue(*expr*)).
- 3. If *oldValue* is **true**, return **false**.
- 4. Return true.

# 12.6 Exponentiation Operator

# **Syntax**

```
ExponentiationExpression<sub>[Yield, Await]</sub>:

UnaryExpression<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

** ExponentiationExpression<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>
```

#### 12.6.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

```
Exponentiation Expression:
```

*UpdateExpression* \*\* ExponentiationExpression

1. Return false.

## 12.6.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

ExponentiationExpression:

UpdateExpression \*\* ExponentiationExpression

1. Return invalid.

#### 12.6.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ExponentiationExpression: UpdateExpression \*\* ExponentiationExpression

- 1. Let *left* be the result of evaluating *UpdateExpression*.
- 2. Let leftValue be ? GetValue(left).
- 3. Let *right* be the result of evaluating *ExponentiationExpression*.
- 4. Let rightValue be ? GetValue(right).
- 5. Let base be? ToNumeric(leftValue).
- 6. Let exponent be ? ToNumeric(rightValue).
- 7. If Type(base) is different from Type(exponent), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 8. Return? Type(base)::exponentiate(base, exponent).

# **12.7** Multiplicative Operators

# **Syntax**

```
MultiplicativeExpression[Yield, Await]:

ExponentiationExpression[?Yield, ?Await]

MultiplicativeExpression[?Yield, ?Await]

MultiplicativeOperator: one of

*/8
```

#### 12.7.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

MultiplicativeExpression: MultiplicativeExpression MultiplicativeOperator ExponentiationExpression

1. Return false.

# 12.7.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

MultiplicativeExpression: MultiplicativeExpression MultiplicativeOperator ExponentiationExpression

1. Return invalid.

#### 12.7.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

MultiplicativeExpression: MultiplicativeExpression MultiplicativeOperator ExponentiationExpression

- 1. Let *left* be the result of evaluating *MultiplicativeExpression*.
- 2. Let leftValue be ? GetValue(left).
- 3. Let *right* be the result of evaluating *ExponentiationExpression*.
- 4. Let right Value be ? Get Value(right).
- 5. Let *lnum* be ? ToNumeric(*leftValue*).

- 6. Let *rnum* be ? ToNumeric(*rightValue*).
- 7. If Type(*lnum*) is different from Type(*rnum*), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 8. Let T be Type(lnum).
- 9. If MultiplicativeOperator is \*, return T::multiply(lnum, rnum).
- 10. If *MultiplicativeOperator* is **/**, return *T*::divide(*lnum*, *rnum*).
- 11. Else,
  - a. Assert: MultiplicativeOperator is **%**.
  - b. Return *T*::remainder(*lnum*, *rnum*).

# **12.8 Additive Operators**

# **Syntax**

```
AdditiveExpression[Yield, Await]:

MultiplicativeExpression[?Yield, ?Await]

AdditiveExpression[?Yield, ?Await] + MultiplicativeExpression[?Yield, ?Await]

AdditiveExpression[?Yield, ?Await] - MultiplicativeExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
```

#### 12.8.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

AdditiveExpression:

```
AdditiveExpression + MultiplicativeExpression
AdditiveExpression - MultiplicativeExpression
```

1. Return false.

# 12.8.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

AdditiveExpression:

```
AdditiveExpression + MultiplicativeExpression
AdditiveExpression - MultiplicativeExpression
```

1. Return invalid.

# 12.8.3 The Addition Operator (+)

**NOTE** 

The addition operator either performs string concatenation or numeric addition.

#### 12.8.3.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

AdditiveExpression : AdditiveExpression + MultiplicativeExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *AdditiveExpression*.
- 2. Let lval be? GetValue(lref).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *MultiplicativeExpression*.
- 4. Let *rval* be ? GetValue(*rref*).
- 5. Let *lprim* be ? ToPrimitive(*lval*).
- 6. Let *rprim* be ? ToPrimitive(*rval*).

- 7. If Type(*lprim*) is String or Type(*rprim*) is String, then
  - a. Let *lstr* be ? ToString(*lprim*).
  - b. Let *rstr* be ? ToString(*rprim*).
  - c. Return the string-concatenation of *lstr* and *rstr*.
- 8. Let *lnum* be ? ToNumeric(*lprim*).
- 9. Let *rnum* be ? ToNumeric(*rprim*).
- 10. If Type(*lnum*) is different from Type(*rnum*), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 11. Let T be Type(lnum).
- 12. Return *T*::add(*lnum*, *rnum*).

NOTE 1

No hint is provided in the calls to ToPrimitive in steps 5 and 6. All standard objects except Date objects handle the absence of a hint as if the hint Number were given; Date objects handle the absence of a hint as if the hint String were given. Exotic objects may handle the absence of a hint in some other manner.

NOTE 2

Step 7 differs from step 3 of the Abstract Relational Comparison algorithm, by using the logical-or operation instead of the logical-and operation.

## 12.8.4 The Subtraction Operator ( - )

#### 12.8.4.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

AdditiveExpression : AdditiveExpression - MultiplicativeExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *AdditiveExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *MultiplicativeExpression*.
- 4. Let *rval* be ? GetValue(*rref*).
- 5. Let *lnum* be ? ToNumeric(*lval*).
- 6. Let rnum be ? ToNumeric(rval).
- 7. If Type(*lnum*) is different from Type(*rnum*), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 8. Let T be Type(lnum).
- 9. Return T::subtract(lnum, rnum).

# 12.9 Bitwise Shift Operators

# **Syntax**

```
ShiftExpression_{\tt [Yield, Await]}: \\ AdditiveExpression_{\tt [?Yield, ?Await]} << AdditiveExpression_{\tt [?Yield, ?Await]} << AdditiveExpression_{\tt [?Yield, ?Await]} >>> AdditiveExpression_{\tt [?Yield, ?Await]} <>>> AdditiveExpression_{\tt [?Yield, ?Await]} >>> AdditiveExpression_{\tt [?Yield, ?Await]} <>>> AdditiveExpression_{\tt [?Yield, ?Await]} >>> AdditiveExpression_{\tt [?Yi
```

#### 12.9.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

#### ShiftExpression:

```
ShiftExpression << AdditiveExpression
ShiftExpression >> AdditiveExpression
ShiftExpression >>> AdditiveExpression
```

1. Return false.

## 12.9.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

ShiftExpression:

```
ShiftExpression << AdditiveExpression
ShiftExpression >> AdditiveExpression
ShiftExpression >>> AdditiveExpression
```

Return invalid.

# 12.9.3 The Left Shift Operator ( << )

NOTE

Performs a bitwise left shift operation on the left operand by the amount specified by the right operand.

#### 12.9.3.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ShiftExpression: ShiftExpression << AdditiveExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *ShiftExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *AdditiveExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).
- 5. Let *lnum* be ? ToNumeric(*lval*).
- 6. Let rnum be ? ToNumeric(rval).
- 7. If Type(*lnum*) is different from Type(*rnum*), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 8. Let T be Type(lnum).
- 9. Return *T*::leftShift(*lnum*, *rnum*).

# 12.9.4 The Signed Right Shift Operator (>>)

**NOTE** 

Performs a sign-filling bitwise right shift operation on the left operand by the amount specified by the right operand.

#### 12.9.4.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ShiftExpression: ShiftExpression >> AdditiveExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *ShiftExpression*.
- 2. Let lval be? GetValue(lref).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *AdditiveExpression*.
- 4. Let *rval* be ? GetValue(*rref*).

- 5. Let *lnum* be ? ToNumeric(*lval*).
- 6. Let rnum be? ToNumeric(rval).
- 7. If Type(*lnum*) is different from Type(*rnum*), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 8. Let T be Type(lnum).
- 9. Return *T*::signedRightShift(*lnum*, *rnum*).

# 12.9.5 The Unsigned Right Shift Operator (>>>)

NOTE

Performs a zero-filling bitwise right shift operation on the left operand by the amount specified by the right operand.

#### 12.9.5.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ShiftExpression: ShiftExpression >>> AdditiveExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *ShiftExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *AdditiveExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).
- 5. Let *lnum* be ? ToNumeric(*lval*).
- 6. Let rnum be? ToNumeric(rval).
- 7. If Type(*lnum*) is different from Type(*rnum*), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 8. Let T be Type(lnum).
- 9. Return T::unsignedRightShift(lnum, rnum).

# 12.10 Relational Operators

NOTE 1

The result of evaluating a relational operator is always of type Boolean, reflecting whether the relationship named by the operator holds between its two operands.

# **Syntax**

```
RelationalExpression<sub>[?Yield, Await]</sub>:

ShiftExpression<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub> < ShiftExpression<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

RelationalExpression<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub> > ShiftExpression<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

RelationalExpression<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub> > ShiftExpression<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

RelationalExpression<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub> >= ShiftExpression<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

RelationalExpression<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub> instanceof ShiftExpression<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

[+In] RelationalExpression<sub>[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub> in ShiftExpression<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>
```

NOTE 2

The [In] grammar parameter is needed to avoid confusing the **in** operator in a relational expression with the **in** operator in a **for** statement.

#### 12.10.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

Relational Expression:

RelationalExpression < ShiftExpression
RelationalExpression > ShiftExpression
RelationalExpression <= ShiftExpression
RelationalExpression >= ShiftExpression
RelationalExpression instanceof ShiftExpression

RelationalExpression in ShiftExpression

1. Return false.

# 12.10.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

Relational Expression:

RelationalExpression < ShiftExpression
RelationalExpression > ShiftExpression
RelationalExpression <= ShiftExpression
RelationalExpression >= ShiftExpression
RelationalExpression instanceof ShiftExpression
RelationalExpression in ShiftExpression

Return invalid.

#### 12.10.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

Relational Expression: Relational Expression < Shift Expression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *ShiftExpression*.
- 4. Let *rval* be ? GetValue(*rref*).
- 5. Let *r* be the result of performing Abstract Relational Comparison *lval* < *rval*.
- 6. ReturnIfAbrupt(*r*).
- 7. If *r* is **undefined**, return **false**. Otherwise, return *r*.

Relational Expression: Relational Expression > Shift Expression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 2. Let lval be? GetValue(lref).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *ShiftExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).
- 5. Let r be the result of performing Abstract Relational Comparison rval < lval with LeftFirst equal to false.
- 6. ReturnIfAbrupt(*r*).
- 7. If r is **undefined**, return **false**. Otherwise, return r.

RelationalExpression: RelationalExpression <= ShiftExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *ShiftExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).

- 5. Let r be the result of performing Abstract Relational Comparison rval < lval with LeftFirst equal to false.
- 6. ReturnIfAbrupt(*r*).
- 7. If *r* is **true** or **undefined**, return **false**. Otherwise, return **true**.

RelationalExpression : RelationalExpression >= ShiftExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *ShiftExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).
- 5. Let *r* be the result of performing Abstract Relational Comparison *lval* < *rval*.
- 6. ReturnIfAbrupt(*r*).
- 7. If *r* is **true** or **undefined**, return **false**. Otherwise, return **true**.

Relational Expression: Relational Expression instance of Shift Expression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *ShiftExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).
- 5. Return? InstanceofOperator(lval, rval).

Relational Expression: Relational Expression in Shift Expression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 2. Let lval be? GetValue(lref).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *ShiftExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).
- 5. If Type(*rval*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Return ? HasProperty(rval, ? ToPropertyKey(lval)).

# 12.10.4 Runtime Semantics: InstanceofOperator (V, target)

The abstract operation InstanceofOperator(V, target) implements the generic algorithm for determining if ECMAScript value V is an instance of object target either by consulting target's @@hasInstance method or, if absent, determining whether the value of target's "prototype" property is present in V's prototype chain. This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(*target*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *instOfHandler* be ? GetMethod(*target*, @@hasInstance).
- 3. If *instOfHandler* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Return! ToBoolean(? Call(instOfHandler, target, « V »)).
- 4. If IsCallable(target) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Return? OrdinaryHasInstance(target, V).

**NOTE** 

Steps 4 and 5 provide compatibility with previous editions of ECMAScript that did not use a @@hasInstance method to define the **instanceof** operator semantics. If an object does not define or inherit @@hasInstance it uses the default **instanceof** semantics.

# 12.11 Equality Operators

NOTE

The result of evaluating an equality operator is always of type Boolean, reflecting whether the relationship named by the operator holds between its two operands.

## **Syntax**

```
EqualityExpression_{\texttt{[In, Yield, Await]}}: \\ RelationalExpression_{\texttt{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} == RelationalExpression_{\texttt{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} \\ EqualityExpression_{\texttt{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} == RelationalExpression_{\texttt{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} \\ EqualityExpression_{\texttt{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} == RelationalExpression_{\texttt{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} \\ EqualityExpression_{\texttt{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} !== RelationalExpression_{\texttt{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} \\ != RelationalExpression_{\texttt{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}}
```

#### 12.11.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

EqualityExpression:

```
EqualityExpression == RelationalExpression
EqualityExpression != RelationalExpression
EqualityExpression !== RelationalExpression
EqualityExpression !== RelationalExpression
```

1. Return false.

## 12.11.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

EqualityExpression:

```
EqualityExpression == RelationalExpression
EqualityExpression != RelationalExpression
EqualityExpression !== RelationalExpression
EqualityExpression !== RelationalExpression
```

1. Return invalid.

#### 12.11.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

EqualityExpression : EqualityExpression == RelationalExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *EqualityExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).
- 5. Return the result of performing Abstract Equality Comparison rval == lval.

EqualityExpression: EqualityExpression: = RelationalExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *EqualityExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).

- 5. Let r be the result of performing Abstract Equality Comparison rval == lval.
- 6. ReturnIfAbrupt(*r*).
- 7. If *r* is **true**, return **false**. Otherwise, return **true**.

EqualityExpression: EqualityExpression === RelationalExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *EqualityExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be? GetValue(rref).
- 5. Return the result of performing Strict Equality Comparison *rval* === *lval*.

EqualityExpression: EqualityExpression !== RelationalExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *EqualityExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *RelationalExpression*.
- 4. Let rval be ? GetValue(rref).
- 5. Let r be the result of performing Strict Equality Comparison rval === lval.
- 6. Assert: *r* is a normal completion.
- 7. If *r*.[[Value]] is **true**, return **false**. Otherwise, return **true**.

#### NOTE 1 Given the above definition of equality:

- String comparison can be forced by: `\${a}` == `\${b}`.
- Numeric comparison can be forced by: +a == +b.
- Boolean comparison can be forced by: **!a** == **!b**.

## NOTE 2 The equality operators maintain the following invariants:

- A != B is equivalent to !(A == B).
- A == B is equivalent to B == A, except in the order of evaluation of A and B.

# NOTE 3 The equality operator is not always transitive. For example, there might be two distinct String objects, each representing the same String value; each String object would be considered equal to the String value by the == operator, but the two String objects would not be equal to each other. For example:

- new String("a") == "a" and "a" == new String("a") are both true.
- new String("a") == new String("a") is false.

NOTE 4

Comparison of Strings uses a simple equality test on sequences of code unit values. There is no attempt to use the more complex, semantically oriented definitions of character or string equality and collating order defined in the Unicode specification. Therefore Strings values that are canonically equal according to the Unicode standard could test as unequal. In effect this algorithm assumes that both Strings are already in normalized form.

# 12.12 Binary Bitwise Operators

# **Syntax**

#### 12.12.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

```
BitwiseANDExpression: BitwiseANDExpression & EqualityExpression
BitwiseXORExpression: BitwiseXORExpression ^ BitwiseANDExpression
BitwiseORExpression: BitwiseORExpression
```

1. Return false.

# 12.12.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

```
BitwiseANDExpression: BitwiseANDExpression & EqualityExpression
BitwiseXORExpression: BitwiseXORExpression ^ BitwiseANDExpression
BitwiseORExpression: BitwiseORExpression
```

1. Return invalid.

#### 12.12.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

The production  $A:A \in B$ , where @ is one of the bitwise operators in the productions above, is evaluated as follows:

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *A*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *B*.
- 4. Let rval be? GetValue(rref).

```
    Let Inum be ? ToNumeric(Ival).
    Let rnum be ? ToNumeric(rval).
    If Type(Inum) is different from Type(rnum), throw a TypeError exception.
    Let T be Type(Inum).
    If @ is &, return T::bitwiseAND(Inum, rnum).
    If @ is I, return T::bitwiseOR(Inum, rnum).
    Else,

            Assert: @ is ^.
            Return T::bitwiseXOR(Inum, rnum).
```

# 12.13 Binary Logical Operators

# **Syntax**

```
LogicalANDExpression[In, Yield, Await]:

BitwiseORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]

LogicalANDExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]

LogicalORExpression[In, Yield, Await]:

LogicalORExpression[In, Yield, Await]:

LogicalORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]

LogicalORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await] || LogicalANDExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]

CoalesceExpressionHead[In, Yield, Await]:

CoalesceExpressionHead[In, Yield, Await]:

CoalesceExpressionHead[In, Yield, Await]:

CoalesceExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]

BitwiseORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]

ShortCircuitExpression[In, Yield, Await]:

LogicalORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]

CoalesceExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
```

NOTE

The value produced by a **&&** or **| |** operator is not necessarily of type Boolean. The value produced will always be the value of one of the two operand expressions.

#### 12.13.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

```
LogicalANDExpression: LogicalANDExpression & BitwiseORExpression
LogicalORExpression: LogicalORExpression || LogicalANDExpression
CoalesceExpression: CoalesceExpressionHead ?? BitwiseORExpression
```

1. Return false.

# 12.13.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

Logical AND Expression: Logical AND Expression & Bitwise OR Expression

LogicalORExpression: LogicalORExpression || LogicalANDExpression CoalesceExpression: CoalesceExpressionHead ?? BitwiseORExpression

1. Return invalid.

#### 12.13.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

Logical AND Expression: Logical AND Expression & Bitwise OR Expression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *LogicalANDExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *lbool* be ! ToBoolean(*lval*).
- 4. If *lbool* is **false**, return *lval*.
- 5. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *BitwiseORExpression*.
- 6. Return ? GetValue(*rref*).

LogicalORExpression: LogicalORExpression | LogicalANDExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *LogicalORExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *lbool* be ! ToBoolean(*lval*).
- 4. If *lbool* is **true**, return *lval*.
- 5. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *LogicalANDExpression*.
- 6. Return ? GetValue(*rref*).

CoalesceExpression: CoalesceExpressionHead?? BitwiseORExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *CoalesceExpressionHead*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. If *lval* is **undefined** or **null**, then
  - a. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *BitwiseORExpression*.
  - b. Return ? GetValue(rref).
- 4. Otherwise, return lval.

# 12.14 Conditional Operator (?:)

# **Syntax**

```
Conditional Expression_{[In, Yield, Await]}: \\ Short Circuit Expression_{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]} \\ Short Circuit Expression_{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]} \\ * Assignment Expression_{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await
```

NOTE

The grammar for a *ConditionalExpression* in ECMAScript is slightly different from that in C and Java, which each allow the second subexpression to be an *Expression* but restrict the third expression to be a *ConditionalExpression*. The motivation for this difference in ECMAScript is to allow an assignment expression to be governed by either arm of a conditional and to eliminate the confusing and fairly useless case of a comma expression as the centre expression.

#### 12.14.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

Conditional Expression: Short Circuit Expression: Assignment Expression: Assignment Expression

1. Return false.

#### 12.14.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

Conditional Expression: Short Circuit Expression: Assignment Expression: Assignment Expression

1. Return invalid.

#### 12.14.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

Conditional Expression: Short Circuit Expression: Assignment Expression: Assignment Expression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *ShortCircuitExpression*.
- 2. Let lval be! ToBoolean(? GetValue(lref)).
- 3. If *lval* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *trueRef* be the result of evaluating the first *AssignmentExpression*.
  - b. Return ? GetValue(trueRef).
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let *falseRef* be the result of evaluating the second *AssignmentExpression*.
  - b. Return ? GetValue(falseRef).

# 12.15 Assignment Operators

# **Syntax**

```
AssignmentExpression [In, Yield, Await]:

ConditionalExpression [In, Yield, Pawait]

[+Yield] YieldExpression [In, Pawait]

ArrowFunction [In, Pawait]

AsyncArrowFunction [In, Pawait]

LeftHandSideExpression [In, Pawait]

LeftHandSideExpression [In, Pawait]

LeftHandSideExpression [In, Pawait]

AssignmentOperator : one of

** /= %= += -= <= >>= >>= &= ^= |= **=
```

# 12.15.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

AssignmentExpression: LeftHandSideExpression = AssignmentExpression

If LeftHandSideExpression is an ObjectLiteral or an ArrayLiteral, the following Early Error rules are applied:

- It is a Syntax Error if *LeftHandSideExpression* is not covering an *AssignmentPattern*.
- All Early Error rules for *AssignmentPattern* and its derived productions also apply to the *AssignmentPattern* that is covered by *LeftHandSideExpression*.

If LeftHandSideExpression is neither an ObjectLiteral nor an ArrayLiteral, the following Early Error rule is applied:

• It is a Syntax Error if AssignmentTargetType of LeftHandSideExpression is not simple.

AssignmentExpression: LeftHandSideExpression AssignmentOperator AssignmentExpression

• It is a Syntax Error if AssignmentTargetType of *LeftHandSideExpression* is not simple.

#### 12.15.2 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

AssignmentExpression:

ArrowFunction

**AsyncArrowFunction** 

1. Return true.

AssignmentExpression:

YieldExpression

LeftHandSideExpression = AssignmentExpression

 $Left Hand Side Expression \ Assignment Operator \ Assignment Expression$ 

1. Return false.

#### 12.15.3 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

AssignmentExpression:

YieldExpression

ArrowFunction

**AsyncArrowFunction** 

LeftHandSideExpression = AssignmentExpression

LeftHandSideExpression AssignmentOperator AssignmentExpression

1. Return invalid.

#### 12.15.4 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

AssignmentExpression: LeftHandSideExpression = AssignmentExpression

- 1. If LeftHandSideExpression is neither an ObjectLiteral nor an ArrayLiteral, then
  - a. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *LeftHandSideExpression*.
  - b. ReturnIfAbrupt(lref).
  - c. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(AssignmentExpression) and IsIdentifierRef of LeftHandSideExpression are both true, then
    - i. Let rval be NamedEvaluation of AssignmentExpression with argument GetReferencedName(lref).
  - d. Else,
    - i. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
    - ii. Let rval be? GetValue(rref).
  - e. Perform? PutValue(lref, rval).
  - f. Return rval.
- 2. Let assignmentPattern be the AssignmentPattern that is covered by LeftHandSideExpression.
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 4. Let *rval* be ? GetValue(*rref*).
- 5. Perform? Destructuring Assignment Evaluation of assignment Pattern using rval as the argument.

6. Return rval.

AssignmentExpression: LeftHandSideExpression AssignmentOperator AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *LeftHandSideExpression*.
- 2. Let *lval* be ? GetValue(*lref*).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 4. Let *rval* be ? GetValue(*rref*).
- 5. Let *op* be the **@** where *AssignmentOperator* is **@=**.
- 6. Let r be the result of applying op to lval and rval as if evaluating the expression lval op rval.
- 7. Perform ? PutValue(lref, r).
- 8. Return r.

NOTE

When an assignment occurs within strict mode code, it is a runtime error if *lref* in step 1.e of the first algorithm or step 7 of the second algorithm is an unresolvable reference. If it is, a **ReferenceError** exception is thrown. The *LeftHandSideExpression* also may not be a reference to a data property with the attribute value { [[Writable]]: **false** }, to an accessor property with the attribute value { [[Set]]: **undefined** }, nor to a non-existent property of an object for which the IsExtensible predicate returns the value **false**. In these cases a **TypeError** exception is thrown.

## 12.15.5 Destructuring Assignment

#### Supplemental Syntax

In certain circumstances when processing an instance of the production *AssignmentExpression*: LeftHandSideExpression = AssignmentExpression the following grammar is used to refine the interpretation of LeftHandSideExpression.

```
AssignmentPattern [Yield, Await]:

ObjectAssignmentPattern [?Yield, ?Await]

ArrayAssignmentPattern [Yield, ?Await]

()

{ AssignmentRestProperty [?Yield, ?Await] }

{ AssignmentPropertyList [?Yield, ?Await] }

{ AssignmentPropertyList [?Yield, ?Await] }

ArrayAssignmentPattern [Yield, Await] :

[ Elision opt AssignmentRestElement [?Yield, ?Await] opt ]

[ AssignmentElementList [?Yield, ?Await] ]

[ AssignmentElementList [?Yield, ?Await] ]

[ AssignmentRestProperty [Yield, Await] :

... DestructuringAssignmentTarget [?Yield, ?Await]

AssignmentPropertyList [Yield, Await] :

AssignmentPropertyList [Yield, Await] :

AssignmentPropertyList [Yield, Await] :
```

#### 12.15.5.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

AssignmentProperty: IdentifierReference Initializer opt

• It is a Syntax Error if AssignmentTargetType of *IdentifierReference* is not simple.

AssignmentRestProperty: ... DestructuringAssignmentTarget

• It is a Syntax Error if Destructuring Assignment Target is an ArrayLiteral or an ObjectLiteral.

Destructuring Assignment Target: Left Hand Side Expression

If LeftHandSideExpression is an ObjectLiteral or an ArrayLiteral, the following Early Error rules are applied:

- It is a Syntax Error if *LeftHandSideExpression* is not covering an *AssignmentPattern*.
- All Early Error rules for *AssignmentPattern* and its derived productions also apply to the *AssignmentPattern* that is covered by *LeftHandSideExpression*.

If LeftHandSideExpression is neither an ObjectLiteral nor an ArrayLiteral, the following Early Error rule is applied:

• It is a Syntax Error if AssignmentTargetType of *LeftHandSideExpression* is not simple.

#### 12.15.5.2 Runtime Semantics: DestructuringAssignmentEvaluation

With parameter *value*.

ObjectAssignmentPattern: { }

- 1. Perform ? RequireObjectCoercible(value).
- 2. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

```
ObjectAssignmentPattern:
{ AssignmentPropertyList }
{ AssignmentPropertyList , }
```

- 1. Perform ? RequireObjectCoercible(value).
- 2. Perform? PropertyDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation for AssignmentPropertyList using value as the argument.
- 3. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

*ArrayAssignmentPattern* : []

- 1. Let *iteratorRecord* be ? GetIterator(*value*).
- 2. Return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, NormalCompletion(empty)).

ArrayAssignmentPattern: [ Elision ]

- 1. Let *iteratorRecord* be ? GetIterator(*value*).
- Let result be IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of Elision with argument iteratorRecord.
- 3. If *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] is **false**, return? IteratorClose(*iteratorRecord*, result).
- 4. Return result.

ArrayAssignmentPattern: [Elision<sub>opt</sub> AssignmentRestElement]

- 1. Let iteratorRecord be ? GetIterator(value).
- 2. If *Elision* is present, then
  - a. Let status be IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of Elision with argument iteratorRecord.
  - b. If status is an abrupt completion, then
    - i. Assert: iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is true.
    - ii. Return Completion(status).
- 3. Let result be IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of AssignmentRestElement with argument iteratorRecord.
- 4. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **false**, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, result).
- 5. Return result.

ArrayAssignmentPattern: [ AssignmentElementList ]

- 1. Let *iteratorRecord* be ? GetIterator(*value*).
- 2. Let result be IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of AssignmentElementList with argument iteratorRecord.
- 3. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **false**, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, result).
- 4. Return result.

ArrayAssignmentPattern: [ AssignmentElementList , Elision<sub>opt</sub> AssignmentRestElement<sub>opt</sub> ]

- 1. Let *iteratorRecord* be ? GetIterator(value).
- 2. Let *status* be IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentElementList* with argument *iteratorRecord*.
- 3. If *status* is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is false, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, status).
  - b. Return Completion(status).
- 4. If *Elision* is present, then

- a. Set *status* to the result of performing IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *Elision* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.
- b. If status is an abrupt completion, then
  - i. Assert: iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is true.
  - ii. Return Completion(status).
- 5. If *AssignmentRestElement* is present, then
  - a. Set *status* to the result of performing IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentRestElement* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.
- 6. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is false, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, status).
- 7. Return Completion(status).

ObjectAssignmentPattern: { AssignmentRestProperty }

- 1. Perform ? RequireObjectCoercible(value).
- 2. Let *excludedNames* be a new empty List.
- 3. Return the result of performing RestDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentRestProperty* with *value* and *excludedNames* as the arguments.

ObjectAssignmentPattern: { AssignmentPropertyList , AssignmentRestProperty }

- 1. Perform ? RequireObjectCoercible(value).
- 2. Let excludedNames be ? PropertyDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of AssignmentPropertyList with argument value.
- 3. Return the result of performing RestDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentRestProperty* with arguments *value* and *excludedNames*.

## 12.15.5.3 Runtime Semantics: PropertyDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation

With parameter value.

NOTE The following operations collect a list of all destructured property names.

AssignmentPropertyList: AssignmentPropertyList, AssignmentProperty

- 1. Let *propertyNames* be ? PropertyDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentPropertyList* with argument *value*.
- 2. Let nextNames be? PropertyDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of AssignmentProperty with argument value.
- 3. Append each item in *nextNames* to the end of *propertyNames*.
- 4. Return propertyNames.

AssignmentProperty: IdentifierReference Initializer

- 1. Let *P* be StringValue of *IdentifierReference*.
- 2. Let *lref* be ? ResolveBinding(*P*).
- 3. Let v be ? GetV(value, P).
- 4. If *Initializer*<sub>opt</sub> is present and v is **undefined**, then
  - a. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(Initializer) is true, then
    - i. Set *v* to the result of performing NamedEvaluation for *Initializer* with argument *P*.
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *defaultValue* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.

- ii. Set v to ? GetValue(defaultValue).
- 5. Perform ? PutValue(lref, v).
- 6. Return a new List containing *P*.

AssignmentProperty: PropertyName: AssignmentElement

- 1. Let *name* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(name).
- 3. Perform? KeyedDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentElement* with *value* and *name* as the arguments.
- 4. Return a new List containing name.

#### 12.15.5.4 Runtime Semantics: RestDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation

With parameters value and excludedNames.

AssignmentRestProperty: ... DestructuringAssignmentTarget

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *DestructuringAssignmentTarget*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(lref).
- 3. Let restObj be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 4. Perform? CopyDataProperties(restObj, value, excludedNames).
- 5. Return PutValue(lref, restObj).

#### 12.15.5.5 Runtime Semantics: IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation

With parameter *iteratorRecord*.

AssignmentElementList: AssignmentElisionElement

1. Return the result of performing IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentElisionElement* using *iteratorRecord* as the argument.

AssignmentElementList: AssignmentElementList, AssignmentElisionElement

- 1. Perform? IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentElementList* using *iteratorRecord* as the argument.
- 2. Return the result of performing IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentElisionElement* using *iteratorRecord* as the argument.

AssignmentElisionElement: AssignmentElement

1. Return the result of performing IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentElement* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.

AssignmentElisionElement: Elision AssignmentElement

- 1. Perform? IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *Elision* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.
- 2. Return the result of performing IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *AssignmentElement* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.

Elision:,

- 1. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is false, then
  - a. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
  - d. If *next* is **false**, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
- Return NormalCompletion(empty).

Elision: Elision.

- 1. Perform? IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *Elision* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.
- 2. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is false, then
  - a. Let next be IteratorStep(iteratorRecord).
  - b. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(*next*).
  - d. If *next* is **false**, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
- 3. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

AssignmentElement: DestructuringAssignmentTarget Initializer

- 1. If Destructuring Assignment Target is neither an Object Literal nor an Array Literal, then
  - a. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *DestructuringAssignmentTarget*.
  - b. ReturnIfAbrupt(lref).
- 2. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is false, then
  - a. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(*next*).
  - d. If *next* is **false**, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - e. Else,
    - i. Let *value* be IteratorValue(*next*).
    - ii. If value is an abrupt completion, set iteratorRecord.[[Done]] to true.
    - iii. ReturnIfAbrupt(value).
- 3. If *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] is **true**, let *value* be **undefined**.
- 4. If *Initializer* is present and *value* is **undefined**, then
  - a. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(Initializer) and IsIdentifierRef of DestructuringAssignmentTarget are both **true**, then
    - i. Let v be NamedEvaluation of *Initializer* with argument GetReferencedName(*lref*).
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *defaultValue* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
    - ii. Let v be ? GetValue(defaultValue).
- 5. Else, let *v* be *value*.
- 6. If Destructuring Assignment Target is an Object Literal or an Array Literal, then
  - a. Let nestedAssignmentPattern be the AssignmentPattern that is covered by DestructuringAssignmentTarget.
  - b. Return the result of performing DestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *nestedAssignmentPattern* with *v* as the argument.
- 7. Return ? PutValue(lref, v).

NOTE Left to right evaluation order is maintained by evaluating a *DestructuringAssignmentTarget* that is not a destructuring pattern prior to accessing the iterator or evaluating the *Initializer*.

- 1. If Destructuring Assignment Target is neither an Object Literal nor an Array Literal, then
  - a. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *DestructuringAssignmentTarget*.
  - b. ReturnIfAbrupt(lref).
- 2. Let *A* be ! ArrayCreate(0).
- 3. Let *n* be 0.
- 4. Repeat, while *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] is **false**,
  - a. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
  - d. If *next* is **false**, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - e. Else,
    - i. Let *nextValue* be IteratorValue(*next*).
    - ii. If nextValue is an abrupt completion, set iteratorRecord.[[Done]] to true.
    - iii. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextValue).
    - iv. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A,! ToString(n), nextValue).
    - v. Set n to n + 1.
- 5. If Destructuring Assignment Target is neither an Object Literal nor an Array Literal, then
  - a. Return ? PutValue(lref, A).
- 6. Let nested Assignment Pattern be the Assignment Pattern that is covered by Destructuring Assignment Target.
- 7. Return the result of performing DestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *nestedAssignmentPattern* with *A* as the argument.

#### 12.15.5.6 Runtime Semantics: KeyedDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation

With parameters value and propertyName.

AssignmentElement: DestructuringAssignmentTarget Initializeropt

- If Destructuring Assignment Target is neither an Object Literal nor an Array Literal, then
  - a. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *DestructuringAssignmentTarget*.
  - b. ReturnIfAbrupt(lref).
- 2. Let v be ? GetV(value, propertyName).
- 3. If *Initializer* is present and *v* is **undefined**, then
  - a. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(Initializer) and IsIdentifierRef of DestructuringAssignmentTarget are both **true**, then
    - i. Let rhsValue be NamedEvaluation of Initializer with argument GetReferencedName(lref).
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *defaultValue* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
    - ii. Let rhsValue be ? GetValue(defaultValue).
- 4. Else, let *rhsValue* be *v*.
- 5. If Destructuring Assignment Target is an Object Literal or an Array Literal, then
  - a. Let assignmentPattern be the AssignmentPattern that is covered by DestructuringAssignmentTarget.
  - b. Return the result of performing DestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of assignmentPattern with rhsValue as the argument.
- 6. Return ? PutValue(lref, rhsValue).

# 12.16 Comma Operator (,)

## **Syntax**

```
Expression[In, Yield, Await] :
    AssignmentExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
    Expression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await] , AssignmentExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
```

#### 12.16.1 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

Expression: Expression, AssignmentExpression

1. Return false.

## 12.16.2 Static Semantics: AssignmentTargetType

Expression: Expression, AssignmentExpression

1. Return invalid.

#### 12.16.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

Expression: Expression, AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *lref* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 2. Perform ? GetValue(lref).
- 3. Let *rref* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 4. Return ? GetValue(rref).

**NOTE** 

GetValue must be called even though its value is not used because it may have observable side-effects.

# 13 ECMAScript Language: Statements and Declarations

# **Syntax**

```
Statement [Yield, Await, Return]:

BlockStatement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

VariableStatement [?Yield, ?Await]

EmptyStatement

ExpressionStatement [?Yield, ?Await]

IfStatement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

BreakableStatement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

ContinueStatement [?Yield, ?Await]

BreakStatement [?Yield, ?Await]

[+Return] ReturnStatement [?Yield, ?Await]
```

```
WithStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         LabelledStatement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         ThrowStatement_{\cite{talendarian}} ?Await]
         TryStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         DebuggerStatement
Declaration[Yield, Await] :
         HoistableDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ~Default]
         ClassDeclaration_{\cite{ClassDeclaration}}
         LexicalDeclaration[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
HoistableDeclaration[Yield, Await, Default] :
         FunctionDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ?Default]
         GeneratorDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ?Default]
         AsyncFunctionDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ?Default]
         AsyncGeneratorDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ?Default]
BreakableStatement_{[Yield, Await, Return]}:
         IterationStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         SwitchStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
```

## 13.1 Statement Semantics

# 13.1.1 Static Semantics: Contains Duplicate Labels

With parameter *labelSet*.

Statement:

VariableStatement

**EmptyStatement** 

**ExpressionStatement** 

ContinueStatement

BreakStatement

ReturnStatement

**ThrowStatement** 

DebuggerStatement

1. Return false.

# 13.1.2 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

Statement:

VariableStatement

**EmptyStatement** 

*ExpressionStatement* 

ContinueStatement ReturnStatement ThrowStatement DebuggerStatement

#### 1. Return false.

# 13.1.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

#### Statement:

VariableStatement

*EmptyStatement* 

**ExpressionStatement** 

BreakStatement

ReturnStatement

*ThrowStatement* 

DebuggerStatement

#### 1. Return **false**.

BreakableStatement: IterationStatement

- 1. Let newIterationSet be a copy of iterationSet with all the elements of labelSet appended.
- 2. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of IterationStatement with arguments newIterationSet and « ».

#### 13.1.4 Static Semantics: DeclarationPart

HoistableDeclaration: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return FunctionDeclaration.

HoistableDeclaration: GeneratorDeclaration

1. Return Generator Declaration.

HoistableDeclaration: AsyncFunctionDeclaration

1. Return AsyncFunctionDeclaration.

HoistableDeclaration: AsyncGeneratorDeclaration

1. Return AsyncGenerator Declaration.

Declaration: ClassDeclaration

1. Return ClassDeclaration.

Declaration: Lexical Declaration

1. Return Lexical Declaration.

#### 13.1.5 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

Statement:

**EmptyStatement** 

**ExpressionStatement** 

ContinueStatement

BreakStatement

ReturnStatement

**ThrowStatement** 

DebuggerStatement

1. Return a new empty List.

# 13.1.6 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

Statement:

EmptyStatement

**ExpressionStatement** 

ContinueStatement

BreakStatement

ReturnStatement

**ThrowStatement** 

DebuggerStatement

1. Return a new empty List.

#### 13.1.7 Runtime Semantics: LabelledEvaluation

With parameter *labelSet*.

BreakableStatement: IterationStatement

- 1. Let stmtResult be LabelledEvaluation of IterationStatement with argument labelSet.
- 2. If stmtResult.[[Type]] is break, then
  - a. If *stmtResult*.[[Target]] is **empty**, then
    - i. If stmtResult.[[Value]] is empty, set stmtResult to NormalCompletion(undefined).
    - ii. Else, set stmtResult to NormalCompletion(stmtResult.[[Value]]).
- 3. Return Completion(stmtResult).

BreakableStatement: SwitchStatement

- 1. Let *stmtResult* be the result of evaluating *SwitchStatement*.
- 2. If stmtResult.[[Type]] is break, then
  - a. If stmtResult.[[Target]] is empty, then
    - i. If stmtResult.[[Value]] is empty, set stmtResult to NormalCompletion(undefined).
    - ii. Else, set stmtResult to NormalCompletion(stmtResult.[[Value]]).
- 3. Return Completion(stmtResult).

NOTE A *BreakableStatement* is one that can be exited via an unlabelled *BreakStatement*.

#### 13.1.8 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

HoistableDeclaration:

GeneratorDeclaration
AsyncFunctionDeclaration
AsyncGeneratorDeclaration

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

HoistableDeclaration: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return the result of evaluating FunctionDeclaration.

BreakableStatement:

IterationStatement SwitchStatement

- 1. Let newLabelSet be a new empty List.
- 2. Return the result of performing LabelledEvaluation of this *BreakableStatement* with argument *newLabelSet*.

## 13.2 Block

# **Syntax**

```
BlockStatement [Yield, Await, Return]:

Block [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

Block [Yield, Await, Return]:

{ StatementList [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] opt }

StatementList [Yield, Await, Return]:

StatementListItem [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

StatementList [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] StatementListItem [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

StatementListItem [Yield, Await, Return]:

Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

Declaration [?Yield, ?Await]
```

# 13.2.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

Block : { StatementList }

- It is a Syntax Error if the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *StatementList* contains any duplicate entries.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *StatementList* also occurs in the VarDeclaredNames of *StatementList*.

# 13.2.2 Static Semantics: Contains Duplicate Labels

With parameter *labelSet*.

*Block* : { }

1. Return false.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let hasDuplicates be ContainsDuplicateLabels of StatementList with argument labelSet.
- 2. If hasDuplicates is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *StatementListItem* with argument *labelSet*.

StatementListItem: Declaration

1. Return false.

## 13.2.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

*Block* : { }

1. Return false.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let has Undefined Labels be Contains Undefined Break Target of Statement List with argument label Set.
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is true, return true.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of StatementListItem with argument labelSet.

StatementListItem: Declaration

1. Return false.

# 13.2.4 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

*Block* : { }

1. Return false.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of StatementList with arguments iterationSet and «
  ».
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of StatementListItem with arguments iterationSet and « ».

StatementListItem: Declaration

1. Return false.

## 13.2.5 Static Semantics: Lexically Declared Names

*Block* : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let names be LexicallyDeclaredNames of StatementList.
- 2. Append to names the elements of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of StatementListItem.
- 3. Return names.

StatementListItem: Statement

- 1. If Statement is Statement: LabelledStatement, return LexicallyDeclaredNames of LabelledStatement.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

StatementListItem: Declaration

1. Return the BoundNames of Declaration.

## 13.2.6 Static Semantics: LexicallyScopedDeclarations

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let *declarations* be LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *StatementListItem*.
- 3. Return declarations.

StatementListItem: Statement

- 1. If Statement is Statement: LabelledStatement, return LexicallyScopedDeclarations of LabelledStatement.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

StatementListItem: Declaration

1. Return a new List containing DeclarationPart of *Declaration*.

## 13.2.7 Static Semantics: TopLevelLexicallyDeclaredNames

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let names be TopLevelLexicallyDeclaredNames of StatementList.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the TopLevelLexicallyDeclaredNames of *StatementListItem*.
- 3. Return names.

StatementListItem: Statement

1. Return a new empty List.

StatementListItem: Declaration

- 1. If Declaration is Declaration: HoistableDeclaration, then
  - a. Return «».
- 2. Return the BoundNames of Declaration.

At the top level of a function, or script, function declarations are treated like var declarations rather than like lexical declarations.

## 13.2.8 Static Semantics: TopLevelLexicallyScopedDeclarations

*Block* : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let *declarations* be TopLevelLexicallyScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*.
- 2. Append to declarations the elements of the TopLevelLexicallyScopedDeclarations of StatementListItem.
- 3. Return declarations.

StatementListItem: Statement

1. Return a new empty List.

StatementListItem: Declaration

- 1. If Declaration is Declaration: HoistableDeclaration, then
  - a. Return «».
- 2. Return a new List containing Declaration.

# 13.2.9 Static Semantics: TopLevelVarDeclaredNames

*Block* : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let names be TopLevelVarDeclaredNames of *StatementList*.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the TopLevelVarDeclaredNames of *StatementListItem*.
- 3. Return names.

StatementListItem: Declaration

- 1. If Declaration is Declaration: HoistableDeclaration, then
  - a. Return the BoundNames of HoistableDeclaration.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

StatementListItem: Statement

- 1. If Statement is Statement: LabelledStatement, return TopLevelVarDeclaredNames of Statement.
- 2. Return VarDeclaredNames of Statement.

**NOTE** 

At the top level of a function or script, inner function declarations are treated like var declarations.

## 13.2.10 Static Semantics: TopLevelVarScopedDeclarations

*Block* : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let *declarations* be TopLevelVarScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the TopLevelVarScopedDeclarations of *StatementListItem*.
- 3. Return declarations.

StatementListItem: Statement

- 1. If Statement is Statement: LabelledStatement, return TopLevelVarScopedDeclarations of Statement.
- 2. Return VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.

StatementListItem: Declaration

- 1. If Declaration is Declaration: HoistableDeclaration, then
  - a. Let declaration be DeclarationPart of HoistableDeclaration.
  - b. Return « declaration ».
- 2. Return a new empty List.

#### 13.2.11 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

*Block* : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let names be VarDeclaredNames of StatementList.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of *StatementListItem*.
- 3. Return names.

StatementListItem: Declaration

1. Return a new empty List.

## 13.2.12 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

*Block* : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let *declarations* be VarScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of *StatementListItem*.
- 3. Return declarations.

StatementListItem: Declaration

1. Return a new empty List.

#### 13.2.13 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

*Block* : { }

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

Block : { StatementList }

- 1. Let *oldEnv* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 2. Let blockEnv be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(oldEnv).
- 3. Perform BlockDeclarationInstantiation(StatementList, blockEnv).
- 4. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *blockEnv*.
- 5. Let *blockValue* be the result of evaluating *StatementList*.
- 6. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.
- 7. Return blockValue.

NOTE 1

No matter how control leaves the *Block* the LexicalEnvironment is always restored to its former state.

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let *sl* be the result of evaluating *StatementList*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(*sl*).
- 3. Let *s* be the result of evaluating *StatementListItem*.
- 4. Return Completion(UpdateEmpty(s, sl)).

NOTE 2

The value of a *StatementList* is the value of the last value-producing item in the *StatementList*. For example, the following calls to the **eval** function all return the value 1:

```
eval("1;;;;;")
eval("1;{}")
eval("1;var a;")
```

# 13.2.14 Runtime Semantics: BlockDeclarationInstantiation (code, env)

NOTE

When a *Block* or *CaseBlock* is evaluated a new declarative Environment Record is created and bindings for each block scoped variable, constant, function, or class declared in the block are instantiated in the Environment Record.

BlockDeclarationInstantiation is performed as follows using arguments *code* and *env. code* is the Parse Node corresponding to the body of the block. *env* is the Lexical Environment in which bindings are to be created.

- 1. Let *envRec* be *env*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* is a declarative Environment Record.
- 3. Let *declarations* be the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *code*.
- 4. For each element *d* in *declarations*, do
  - a. For each element *dn* of the BoundNames of *d*, do
    - i. If IsConstantDeclaration of *d* is **true**, then

- 1. Perform! envRec.CreateImmutableBinding(dn, true).
- ii. Else,
  - 1. Perform ! envRec.CreateMutableBinding(dn, false).
- b. If *d* is a FunctionDeclaration, a GeneratorDeclaration, an AsyncFunctionDeclaration, or an AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, then
  - i. Let *fn* be the sole element of the BoundNames of *d*.
  - ii. Let *fo* be InstantiateFunctionObject of *d* with argument *env*.
  - iii. Perform *envRec*.InitializeBinding(*fn*, *fo*).

## 13.3 Declarations and the Variable Statement

#### 13.3.1 Let and Const Declarations

NOTE

**let** and **const** declarations define variables that are scoped to the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment. The variables are created when their containing Lexical Environment is instantiated but may not be accessed in any way until the variable's *LexicalBinding* is evaluated. A variable defined by a *LexicalBinding* with an *Initializer* is assigned the value of its *Initializer*'s *AssignmentExpression* when the *LexicalBinding* is evaluated, not when the variable is created. If a *LexicalBinding* in a **let** declaration does not have an *Initializer* the variable is assigned the value **undefined** when the *LexicalBinding* is evaluated.

## **Syntax**

```
LetOrConst BindingList<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub>;

LetOrConst:

let

const

BindingList<sub>[In, Yield, Await]</sub>:

LexicalBinding<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

BindingList<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

BindingList<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub>, LexicalBinding<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub>

LexicalBinding<sub>[In, Yield, Await]</sub>:

BindingIdentifier<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub> Initializer<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub> opt

BindingPattern<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub> Initializer<sub>[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub>
```

#### 13.3.1.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

LexicalDeclaration: LetOrConst BindingList;

- It is a Syntax Error if the BoundNames of *BindingList* contains "let".
- It is a Syntax Error if the BoundNames of *BindingList* contains any duplicate entries.

LexicalBinding: BindingIdentifier Initializer opt

• It is a Syntax Error if *Initializer* is not present and IsConstantDeclaration of the *LexicalDeclaration* containing this

#### 13.3.1.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

LexicalDeclaration: LetOrConst BindingList;

1. Return the BoundNames of BindingList.

BindingList: BindingList, LexicalBinding

- 1. Let names be the BoundNames of BindingList.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the BoundNames of *LexicalBinding*.
- 3. Return names.

LexicalBinding: BindingIdentifier Initializer opt

1. Return the BoundNames of BindingIdentifier.

LexicalBinding: BindingPattern Initializer

1. Return the BoundNames of *BindingPattern*.

#### 13.3.1.3 Static Semantics: IsConstantDeclaration

LexicalDeclaration: LetOrConst BindingList;

1. Return IsConstantDeclaration of LetOrConst.

LetOrConst: let

1. Return false.

LetOrConst: const

1. Return true.

#### 13.3.1.4 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

LexicalDeclaration: LetOrConst BindingList;

- 1. Let *next* be the result of evaluating *BindingList*.
- ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
- 3. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

BindingList: BindingList, LexicalBinding

- 1. Let *next* be the result of evaluating *BindingList*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
- 3. Return the result of evaluating *LexicalBinding*.

LexicalBinding: BindingIdentifier

- 1. Let *lhs* be ResolveBinding(StringValue of *BindingIdentifier*).
- Return InitializeReferencedBinding(lhs, undefined).

A static semantics rule ensures that this form of *LexicalBinding* never occurs in a **const** declaration.

LexicalBinding: BindingIdentifier Initializer

- 1. Let bindingId be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 2. Let *lhs* be ResolveBinding(bindingId).
- 3. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(Initializer) is **true**, then
  - a. Let value be NamedEvaluation of Initializer with argument bindingId.
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let *rhs* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
  - b. Let value be ? GetValue(rhs).
- 5. Return InitializeReferencedBinding(lhs, value).

LexicalBinding: BindingPattern Initializer

- 1. Let *rhs* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
- 2. Let value be ? GetValue(rhs).
- 3. Let env be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 4. Return the result of performing BindingInitialization for *BindingPattern* using *value* and *env* as the arguments.

#### 13.3.2 Variable Statement

**NOTE** 

A **var** statement declares variables that are scoped to the running execution context's VariableEnvironment. Var variables are created when their containing Lexical Environment is instantiated and are initialized to **undefined** when created. Within the scope of any VariableEnvironment a common *BindingIdentifier* may appear in more than one *VariableDeclaration* but those declarations collectively define only one variable. A variable defined by a *VariableDeclaration* with an *Initializer* is assigned the value of its *Initializer*'s *AssignmentExpression* when the *VariableDeclaration* is executed, not when the variable is created.

#### **Syntax**

```
VariableStatement[Yield, Await] :
    var VariableDeclarationList[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;

VariableDeclarationList[In, Yield, Await] :
    VariableDeclaration[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
    VariableDeclarationList[?In, ?Yield, ?Await] , VariableDeclaration[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]

VariableDeclaration[In, Yield, Await] :
    BindingIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await]    Initializer[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]    opt

BindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await]    Initializer[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
```

#### 13.3.2.1 Static Semantics: BoundNames

VariableDeclarationList: VariableDeclarationList, VariableDeclaration

- 1. Let names be BoundNames of VariableDeclarationList.
- 2. Append to names the elements of BoundNames of VariableDeclaration.
- 3. Return names.

Variable Declaration: Binding Identifier Initializer opt

1. Return the BoundNames of BindingIdentifier.

VariableDeclaration: BindingPattern Initializer

1. Return the BoundNames of BindingPattern.

#### 13.3.2.2 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

VariableStatement: var VariableDeclarationList;

1. Return BoundNames of VariableDeclarationList.

#### 13.3.2.3 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

VariableDeclarationList: VariableDeclaration

1. Return a new List containing Variable Declaration.

VariableDeclarationList: VariableDeclarationList, VariableDeclaration

- 1. Let declarations be VarScopedDeclarations of VariableDeclarationList.
- 2. Append Variable Declaration to declarations.
- 3. Return declarations.

#### 13.3.2.4 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

VariableStatement: var VariableDeclarationList;

- 1. Let *next* be the result of evaluating *VariableDeclarationList*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(*next*).
- 3. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

VariableDeclarationList: VariableDeclarationList, VariableDeclaration

- 1. Let *next* be the result of evaluating *VariableDeclarationList*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
- 3. Return the result of evaluating *VariableDeclaration*.

VariableDeclaration: BindingIdentifier

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

VariableDeclaration: BindingIdentifier Initializer

- 1. Let *bindingId* be StringValue of *BindingIdentifier*.
- 2. Let *lhs* be ? ResolveBinding(bindingId).
- 3. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(Initializer) is true, then
  - a. Let value be NamedEvaluation of Initializer with argument bindingId.
- 4. Else,

- a. Let *rhs* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
- b. Let value be? GetValue(rhs).
- 5. Return ? PutValue(lhs, value).

NOTE

If a *VariableDeclaration* is nested within a with statement and the *BindingIdentifier* in the *VariableDeclaration* is the same as a property name of the binding object of the with statement's object Environment Record, then step 5 will assign *value* to the property instead of assigning to the VariableEnvironment binding of the *Identifier*.

VariableDeclaration: BindingPattern Initializer

- 1. Let *rhs* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
- 2. Let rval be? GetValue(rhs).
- 3. Return the result of performing BindingInitialization for *BindingPattern* passing *rval* and **undefined** as arguments.

### 13.3.3 Destructuring Binding Patterns

#### **Syntax**

```
BindingPattern[Yield, Await] :
         ObjectBindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await]
         ArrayBindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await]
ObjectBindingPattern[Yield, Await] :
         { BindingRestProperty[?Yield, ?Await] }
         { BindingPropertyList[?Yield, ?Await] }
         { BindingPropertyList [?Yield, ?Await] , BindingRestProperty [?Yield, ?Await] opt }
ArrayBindingPattern[Yield, Await] :
         [ Elision<sub>opt</sub> BindingRestElement<sub>[?Yield, ?Await] opt</sub> ]
         [ BindingElementList<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub> ]
         [ BindingElementList[?Yield, ?Await] , Elision opt BindingRestElement[?Yield, ?Await] opt ]
BindingRestProperty[Yield, Await] :
         ... BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await]
BindingPropertyList_{[Yield, Await]}:
         BindingProperty[?Yield, ?Await]
         BindingPropertyList[?Yield, ?Await] , BindingProperty[?Yield, ?Await]
BindingElementList[Yield, Await] :
         BindingElisionElement [?Yield, ?Await]
         BindingElementList[?Yield, ?Await] , BindingElisionElement[?Yield, ?Await]
BindingElisionElement[Yield, Await] :
         Elision<sub>opt</sub> BindingElement<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>
```

```
BindingProperty[Yield, Await] :
              SingleNameBinding[?Yield, ?Await]
              PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] : BindingElement[?Yield, ?Await]
     BindingElement[Yield, Await] :
              SingleNameBinding[?Yield, ?Await]
              BindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await] Initializer[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt
     SingleNameBinding[Yield, Await] :
              BindingIdentifier_{\cite{Mainter}} Initializer_{\cite{Mainter}} Initializer_{\cite{Mainter}} ?Await] opt
     BindingRestElement[Yield, Await] :
              ... BindingIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await]
              ... BindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await]
13.3.3.1 Static Semantics: BoundNames
ObjectBindingPattern: { }
    1. Return a new empty List.
ObjectBindingPattern: { BindingPropertyList, BindingRestProperty }
    1. Let names be BoundNames of BindingPropertyList.
    2. Append to names the elements of BoundNames of BindingRestProperty.
    3. Return names.
ArrayBindingPattern: [Elision<sub>opt</sub>]
    1. Return a new empty List.
ArrayBindingPattern: [Elision<sub>opt</sub> BindingRestElement]
    1. Return the BoundNames of BindingRestElement.
ArrayBindingPattern: [BindingElementList, Elision opt]
    1. Return the BoundNames of BindingElementList.
ArrayBindingPattern: [BindingElementList, Elision opt BindingRestElement]
    1. Let names be BoundNames of BindingElementList.
    2. Append to names the elements of BoundNames of BindingRestElement.
    Return names.
BindingPropertyList: BindingPropertyList, BindingProperty
```

- - 1. Let names be BoundNames of BindingPropertyList.
  - 2. Append to names the elements of BoundNames of BindingProperty.
  - 3. Return names.

BindingElementList: BindingElementList, BindingElisionElement

- 1. Let names be BoundNames of BindingElementList.
- 2. Append to names the elements of BoundNames of BindingElisionElement.
- 3. Return names.

BindingElisionElement: Elision<sub>opt</sub> BindingElement

1. Return BoundNames of BindingElement.

BindingProperty: PropertyName: BindingElement

1. Return the BoundNames of BindingElement.

SingleNameBinding: BindingIdentifier Initializer opt

1. Return the BoundNames of *BindingIdentifier*.

BindingElement: BindingPattern Initializer opt

1. Return the BoundNames of *BindingPattern*.

#### 13.3.3.2 Static Semantics: Contains Expression

ObjectBindingPattern:

```
{ BindingRestProperty }
```

1. Return false.

ObjectBindingPattern: { BindingPropertyList, BindingRestProperty }

1. Return ContainsExpression of BindingPropertyList.

ArrayBindingPattern: [Elision<sub>opt</sub>]

1. Return false.

ArrayBindingPattern: [ Elision opt BindingRestElement ]

1. Return ContainsExpression of *BindingRestElement*.

ArrayBindingPattern: [BindingElementList, Elision opt]

1. Return ContainsExpression of *BindingElementList*.

ArrayBindingPattern: [BindingElementList, Elision opt BindingRestElement]

- 1. Let has be ContainsExpression of BindingElementList.
- 2. If *has* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsExpression of BindingRestElement.

BindingPropertyList: BindingPropertyList, BindingProperty

- 1. Let has be ContainsExpression of BindingPropertyList.
- 2. If *has* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsExpression of BindingProperty.

- 1. Let has be ContainsExpression of BindingElementList.
- 2. If *has* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsExpression of BindingElisionElement.

BindingElisionElement: Elision<sub>opt</sub> BindingElement

Return ContainsExpression of BindingElement.

BindingProperty: PropertyName: BindingElement

- 1. Let has be IsComputedPropertyKey of PropertyName.
- 2. If *has* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsExpression of BindingElement.

BindingElement: BindingPattern Initializer

1. Return true.

SingleNameBinding: BindingIdentifier

1. Return false.

SingleNameBinding: BindingIdentifier Initializer

1. Return true.

BindingRestElement: ... BindingIdentifier

1. Return false.

BindingRestElement: ... BindingPattern

1. Return ContainsExpression of *BindingPattern*.

#### 13.3.3.3 Static Semantics: HasInitializer

BindingElement: BindingPattern

1. Return false.

BindingElement: BindingPattern Initializer

1. Return **true**.

SingleNameBinding: BindingIdentifier

1. Return **false**.

SingleNameBinding: BindingIdentifier Initializer

1. Return true.

#### 13.3.3.4 Static Semantics: IsSimpleParameterList

BindingElement: BindingPattern

1. Return false.

BindingElement: BindingPattern Initializer

1. Return **false**.

SingleNameBinding: BindingIdentifier

1. Return true.

SingleNameBinding: BindingIdentifier Initializer

1. Return false.

#### 13.3.3.5 Runtime Semantics: BindingInitialization

With parameters value and environment.

NOTE

When **undefined** is passed for *environment* it indicates that a PutValue operation should be used to assign the initialization value. This is the case for formal parameter lists of non-strict functions. In that case the formal parameter bindings are preinitialized in order to deal with the possibility of multiple parameters with the same name.

BindingPattern: ObjectBindingPattern

- 1. Perform ? RequireObjectCoercible(value).
- 2. Return the result of performing BindingInitialization for *ObjectBindingPattern* using *value* and *environment* as arguments.

BindingPattern: ArrayBindingPattern

- 1. Let *iteratorRecord* be ? GetIterator(*value*).
- 2. Let result be IteratorBindingInitialization of ArrayBindingPattern with arguments iteratorRecord and environment.
- 3. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **false**, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, result).
- 4. Return result.

ObjectBindingPattern: { }

Return NormalCompletion(empty).

```
ObjectBindingPattern:
```

```
{ BindingPropertyList }
{ BindingPropertyList , }
```

- 1. Perform? PropertyBindingInitialization for BindingPropertyList using value and environment as the arguments.
- 2. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

ObjectBindingPattern: { BindingRestProperty }

- 1. Let excludedNames be a new empty List.
- 2. Return the result of performing RestBindingInitialization of BindingRestProperty with value, environment, and

excludedNames as the arguments.

ObjectBindingPattern: { BindingPropertyList, BindingRestProperty }

- 1. Let excludedNames be ? PropertyBindingInitialization of BindingPropertyList with arguments value and environment.
- 2. Return the result of performing RestBindingInitialization of *BindingRestProperty* with arguments *value*, *environment*, and *excludedNames*.

### 13.3.3.6 Runtime Semantics: PropertyBindingInitialization

With parameters value and environment.

NOTE

These collect a list of all bound property names rather than just empty completion.

BindingPropertyList: BindingPropertyList, BindingProperty

- 1. Let boundNames be? PropertyBindingInitialization of BindingPropertyList with arguments value and environment.
- 2. Let nextNames be? PropertyBindingInitialization of BindingProperty with arguments value and environment.
- 3. Append each item in *nextNames* to the end of *boundNames*.
- 4. Return boundNames.

BindingProperty: SingleNameBinding

- 1. Let name be the string that is the only element of BoundNames of SingleNameBinding.
- 2. Perform? KeyedBindingInitialization for *SingleNameBinding* using *value*, *environment*, and *name* as the arguments.
- 3. Return a new List containing name.

BindingProperty: PropertyName: BindingElement

- 1. Let *P* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(*P*).
- 3. Perform? KeyedBindingInitialization of *BindingElement* with *value*, *environment*, and *P* as the arguments.
- 4. Return a new List containing *P*.

#### 13.3.3.7 Runtime Semantics: RestBindingInitialization

With parameters value, environment, and excludedNames.

BindingRestProperty: ... BindingIdentifier

- 1. Let *lhs* be ? ResolveBinding(StringValue of BindingIdentifier, environment).
- 2. Let *restObj* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 3. Perform ? CopyDataProperties(restObj, value, excludedNames).
- 4. If environment is **undefined**, return PutValue(lhs, restObj).
- 5. Return InitializeReferencedBinding(lhs, restObj).

#### 13.3.3.8 Runtime Semantics: IteratorBindingInitialization

With parameters iteratorRecord and environment.

**NOTE** 

When **undefined** is passed for *environment* it indicates that a PutValue operation should be used to assign the initialization value. This is the case for formal parameter lists of non-strict functions. In that case the formal parameter bindings are preinitialized in order to deal with the possibility of multiple parameters with the same name.

ArrayBindingPattern:[]

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

ArrayBindingPattern: [ Elision ]

1. Return the result of performing IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *Elision* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.

ArrayBindingPattern: [ Elision<sub>opt</sub> BindingRestElement ]

- 1. If *Elision* is present, then
  - a. Perform? IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *Elision* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.
- 2. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingRestElement* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as arguments.

ArrayBindingPattern: [BindingElementList]

1. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingElementList* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as arguments.

ArrayBindingPattern: [BindingElementList,]

1. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingElementList* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as arguments.

ArrayBindingPattern: [BindingElementList, Elision]

- 1. Perform? IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingElementList* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as arguments.
- 2. Return the result of performing IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *Elision* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.

ArrayBindingPattern: [BindingElementList, Elision opt BindingRestElement]

- 1. Perform? IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingElementList* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as arguments.
- 2. If *Elision* is present, then
  - a. Perform? IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *Elision* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.
- 3. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingRestElement* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as arguments.

BindingElementList: BindingElisionElement

1. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingElisionElement* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as arguments.

- 1. Perform? IteratorBindingInitialization for BindingElementList with iteratorRecord and environment as arguments.
- 2. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingElisionElement* using *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as arguments.

BindingElisionElement: BindingElement

1. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization of *BindingElement* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as the arguments.

BindingElisionElement: Elision BindingElement

- 1. Perform? IteratorDestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *Elision* with *iteratorRecord* as the argument.
- 2. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization of *BindingElement* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as the arguments.

Binding Element: Single Name Binding

1. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *SingleNameBinding* with *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as the arguments.

SingleNameBinding: BindingIdentifier Initializer opt

- 1. Let bindingId be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 2. Let *lhs* be ? ResolveBinding(bindingId, environment).
- 3. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is false, then
  - a. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
  - d. If *next* is **false**, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - e. Else.
    - i. Let v be IteratorValue(next).
    - ii. If *v* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
    - iii. ReturnIfAbrupt(v).
- 4. If *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] is **true**, let *v* be **undefined**.
- 5. If *Initializer* is present and *v* is **undefined**, then
  - a. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(Initializer) is true, then
    - i. Set v to the result of performing NamedEvaluation for *Initializer* with argument *bindingId*.
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *defaultValue* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
    - ii. Set *v* to ? GetValue(defaultValue).
- 6. If *environment* is **undefined**, return ? PutValue(*lhs*, *v*).
- 7. Return InitializeReferencedBinding(lhs, v).

BindingElement: BindingPattern Initializer opt

- 1. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **false**, then
  - a. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(*next*).

- d. If *next* is **false**, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**. e. Else,
  - i. Let v be IteratorValue(next).
  - ii. If *v* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - iii. ReturnIfAbrupt(v).
- 2. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **true**, let v be **undefined**.
- 3. If *Initializer* is present and *v* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *defaultValue* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
  - b. Set *v* to ? GetValue(*defaultValue*).
- 4. Return the result of performing BindingInitialization of *BindingPattern* with *v* and *environment* as the arguments.

BindingRestElement: ... BindingIdentifier

- 1. Let *lhs* be ? ResolveBinding(StringValue of BindingIdentifier, environment).
- 2. Let *A* be ! ArrayCreate(0).
- 3. Let *n* be 0.
- 4. Repeat,
  - a. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is false, then
    - i. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
    - ii. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
    - iii. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
    - iv. If next is false, set iteratorRecord.[[Done]] to true.
  - b. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **true**, then
    - i. If *environment* is **undefined**, return? PutValue(*lhs*, *A*).
    - ii. Return InitializeReferencedBinding(lhs, A).
  - c. Let *nextValue* be IteratorValue(*next*).
  - d. If *nextValue* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - e. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextValue).
  - f. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(*A*,! ToString(*n*), *nextValue*).
  - g. Set n to n + 1.

BindingRestElement: ... BindingPattern

- 1. Let *A* be ! ArrayCreate(0).
- 2. Let *n* be 0.
- 3. Repeat,
  - a. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **false**, then
    - i. Let next be IteratorStep(iteratorRecord).
    - ii. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
    - iii. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
    - iv. If *next* is **false**, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - b. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **true**, then
    - i. Return the result of performing BindingInitialization of *BindingPattern* with *A* and *environment* as the arguments.
  - c. Let *nextValue* be IteratorValue(*next*).
  - d. If nextValue is an abrupt completion, set iteratorRecord.[[Done]] to true.
  - e. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextValue).
  - f. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A,! ToString(n), nextValue).

#### 13.3.3.9 Runtime Semantics: KeyedBindingInitialization

With parameters value, environment, and propertyName.

NOTE

When **undefined** is passed for *environment* it indicates that a PutValue operation should be used to assign the initialization value. This is the case for formal parameter lists of non-strict functions. In that case the formal parameter bindings are preinitialized in order to deal with the possibility of multiple parameters with the same name.

BindingElement: BindingPattern Initializer opt.

- 1. Let v be ? GetV(value, propertyName).
- 2. If *Initializer* is present and v is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *defaultValue* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
  - b. Set *v* to ? GetValue(defaultValue).
- 3. Return the result of performing BindingInitialization for *BindingPattern* passing *v* and *environment* as arguments.

SingleNameBinding: BindingIdentifier Initializer opt

- 1. Let bindingId be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- Let lhs be ? ResolveBinding(bindingId, environment).
- 3. Let v be ? GetV(value, propertyName).
- 4. If *Initializer* is present and *v* is **undefined**, then
  - a. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(Initializer) is **true**, then
    - i. Set v to the result of performing NamedEvaluation for *Initializer* with argument *bindingId*.
  - b. Else.
    - i. Let *defaultValue* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
    - ii. Set v to ? GetValue(defaultValue).
- 5. If *environment* is **undefined**, return ? PutValue(*lhs*, *v*).
- 6. Return InitializeReferencedBinding(lhs, v).

# 13.4 Empty Statement

# **Syntax**

EmptyStatement:

#### 13.4.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

EmptyStatement:;

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

# 13.5 Expression Statement

### **Syntax**

NOTE

An ExpressionStatement cannot start with a U+007B (LEFT CURLY BRACKET) because that might make it ambiguous with a Block. An ExpressionStatement cannot start with the **function** or **class** keywords because that would make it ambiguous with a FunctionDeclaration, a GeneratorDeclaration, or a ClassDeclaration. An ExpressionStatement cannot start with **async function** because that would make it ambiguous with an AsyncFunctionDeclaration or a AsyncGeneratorDeclaration. An ExpressionStatement cannot start with the two token sequence **let** [because that would make it ambiguous with a **let** LexicalDeclaration whose first LexicalBinding was an ArrayBindingPattern.

#### 13.5.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ExpressionStatement: Expression;

- 1. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- Return ? GetValue(exprRef).

# 13.6 The if Statement

# **Syntax**

```
IfStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
    if ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] else
        Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
    if ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
```

Each **else** for which the choice of associated **if** is ambiguous shall be associated with the nearest possible **if** that would otherwise have no corresponding **else**.

# 13.6.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

```
IfStatement:
```

```
if ( Expression ) Statement else Statement
if ( Expression ) Statement
```

• It is a Syntax Error if IsLabelledFunction(*Statement*) is **true**.

**NOTE** 

It is only necessary to apply this rule if the extension specified in B.3.2 is implemented.

### 13.6.2 Static Semantics: Contains Duplicate Labels

With parameter *labelSet*.

IfStatement: if (Expression) Statement else Statement

- 1. Let hasDuplicate be ContainsDuplicateLabels of the first Statement with argument labelSet.
- 2. If *hasDuplicate* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of the second Statement with argument labelSet.

IfStatement: if (Expression) Statement

1. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *Statement* with argument *labelSet*.

### 13.6.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

If Statement: if (Expression) Statement else Statement

- 1. Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of the first Statement with argument labelSet.
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of the second Statement with argument labelSet.

If Statement: if (Expression) Statement

1. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Statement with argument labelSet.

### 13.6.4 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

IfStatement: if (Expression) Statement else Statement

- Let has Undefined Labels be Contains Undefined Continue Target of the first Statement with arguments iteration Set and « ».
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of the second *Statement* with arguments *iterationSet* and « ».

If Statement: if (Expression) Statement

1. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Statement with arguments iterationSet and « ».

#### 13.6.5 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

IfStatement: if (Expression) Statement else Statement

- 1. Let *names* be VarDeclaredNames of the first *Statement*.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of the second *Statement*.
- 3. Return names.

If Statement: if (Expression) Statement

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of Statement.

### 13.6.6 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

IfStatement: if (Expression) Statement else Statement

- 1. Let *declarations* be VarScopedDeclarations of the first *Statement*.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of the second *Statement*.
- 3. Return declarations.

```
IfStatement: if (Expression) Statement
```

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.

#### 13.6.7 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

If Statement: if (Expression) Statement else Statement

- 1. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 2. Let exprValue be ! ToBoolean(? GetValue(exprRef)).
- 3. If *exprValue* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *stmtCompletion* be the result of evaluating the first *Statement*.
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let *stmtCompletion* be the result of evaluating the second *Statement*.
- 5. Return Completion(UpdateEmpty(stmtCompletion, undefined)).

```
If Statement: if (Expression) Statement
```

- 1. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 2. Let exprValue be ! ToBoolean(? GetValue(exprRef)).
- 3. If *exprValue* is **false**, then
  - a. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).
- 4. Else.
  - a. Let *stmtCompletion* be the result of evaluating *Statement*.
  - b. Return Completion(UpdateEmpty(stmtCompletion, undefined)).

### 13.7 Iteration Statements

### **Syntax**

```
IterationStatement [Yield, Await, Return] :
    do Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] while ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] );
    while ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
    for ( [lookahead ≠ let [] Expression [~In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ; Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ;
        Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ) Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
    for ( var VariableDeclarationList [~In, ?Yield, ?Await] ; Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ;
        Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ) Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
    for ( LexicalDeclaration [~In, ?Yield, ?Await] Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ;
        Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ) Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
```

```
for ( [lookahead ≠ let [] LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] in Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
             Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for (var ForBinding[?Yield, ?Await] in Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
             Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for ( ForDeclaration_{\texttt{??Yield, ?Await}} in Expression_{\texttt{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} )
             Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for ( [lookahead ≠ let] LeftHandSideExpression [?Yield, ?Await] of
             AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for (var ForBinding[?Yield, ?Await] of AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
             Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for ( ForDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await] of AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
             Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         [+Await] for await ([lookahead \neq let] LeftHandSideExpression_[?Yield, ?Await] of
             AssignmentExpression_{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]} ) Statement_{[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]}
         [+Await] for await (var ForBinding[?Yield, ?Await] of AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
             Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         [+Await] for await ( ForDeclaration [?Yield, ?Await] of AssignmentExpression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
             Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
For Declaration [Yield, Await]:
         LetOrConst ForBinding[?Yield, ?Await]
ForBinding[Yield, Await] :
         BindingIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await]
         BindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await]
```

NOTE

This section is extended by Annex B.3.6.

### 13.7.1 Semantics

#### 13.7.1.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

```
IterationStatement:
```

```
do Statement while (Expression);
while (Expression) Statement
for (Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement
for (var VariableDeclarationList; Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement
for (LexicalDeclaration Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement
for (LeftHandSideExpression in Expression) Statement
for (var ForBinding in Expression) Statement
for (ForDeclaration in Expression) Statement
for (LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression) Statement
for (var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression) Statement
for (ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression) Statement
for (ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression) Statement
```

```
for await ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
```

• It is a Syntax Error if IsLabelledFunction(*Statement*) is **true**.

NOTE

It is only necessary to apply this rule if the extension specified in B.3.2 is implemented.

#### 13.7.1.2 Runtime Semantics: LoopContinues (completion, labelSet)

The abstract operation LoopContinues with arguments *completion* and *labelSet* is defined by the following steps:

- 1. If *completion*.[[Type]] is **normal**, return **true**.
- 2. If completion.[[Type]] is not continue, return false.
- 3. If completion.[[Target]] is empty, return true.
- 4. If *completion*.[[Target]] is an element of *labelSet*, return **true**.
- 5. Return false.

**NOTE** 

Within the *Statement* part of an *IterationStatement* a *ContinueStatement* may be used to begin a new iteration.

### 13.7.2 The do-while Statement

### 13.7.2.1 Static Semantics: ContainsDuplicateLabels

With parameter *labelSet*.

IterationStatement: do Statement while (Expression);

1. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *Statement* with argument *labelSet*.

#### 13.7.2.2 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

```
IterationStatement: do Statement while (Expression);
```

1. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Statement with argument labelSet.

#### 13.7.2.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters *iterationSet* and *labelSet*.

```
IterationStatement: do Statement while (Expression);
```

1. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Statement with arguments iterationSet and « ».

#### 13.7.2.4 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

```
IterationStatement: do Statement while (Expression);
```

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of Statement.

#### 13.7.2.5 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

IterationStatement: do Statement while (Expression);

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.

#### 13.7.2.6 Runtime Semantics: LabelledEvaluation

With parameter *labelSet*.

IterationStatement: do Statement while (Expression);

- 1. Let *V* be **undefined**.
- 2. Repeat,
  - a. Let *stmtResult* be the result of evaluating *Statement*.
  - b. If LoopContinues(stmtResult, labelSet) is false, return Completion(UpdateEmpty(stmtResult, V)).
  - c. If *stmtResult*.[[Value]] is not **empty**, set *V* to *stmtResult*.[[Value]].
  - d. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
  - e. Let exprValue be ? GetValue(exprRef).
  - f. If! ToBoolean(*exprValue*) is **false**, return NormalCompletion(*V*).

### 13.7.3 The while Statement

#### 13.7.3.1 Static Semantics: Contains Duplicate Labels

With parameter *labelSet*.

IterationStatement: while (Expression) Statement

1. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *Statement* with argument *labelSet*.

#### 13.7.3.2 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

IterationStatement: while (Expression) Statement

1. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Statement with argument labelSet.

#### 13.7.3.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters *iterationSet* and *labelSet*.

IterationStatement: while (Expression) Statement

1. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Statement with arguments iterationSet and « ».

#### 13.7.3.4 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

IterationStatement: while (Expression) Statement

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of Statement.

#### 13.7.3.5 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

IterationStatement: while (Expression) Statement

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.

#### 13.7.3.6 Runtime Semantics: Labelled Evaluation

With parameter *labelSet*.

IterationStatement: while (Expression) Statement

- 1. Let *V* be **undefined**.
- 2. Repeat,
  - a. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
  - b. Let *exprValue* be ? GetValue(*exprRef*).
  - c. If! ToBoolean(*exprValue*) is **false**, return NormalCompletion(*V*).
  - d. Let *stmtResult* be the result of evaluating *Statement*.
  - e. If LoopContinues(stmtResult, labelSet) is false, return Completion(UpdateEmpty(stmtResult, V)).
  - f. If *stmtResult*.[[Value]] is not **empty**, set *V* to *stmtResult*.[[Value]].

### 13.7.4 The for Statement

### 13.7.4.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

IterationStatement: for (LexicalDeclaration Expression Expression ; Expression ) Statement

• It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *LexicalDeclaration* also occurs in the VarDeclaredNames of *Statement*.

#### 13.7.4.2 Static Semantics: ContainsDuplicateLabels

With parameter *labelSet*.

```
IterationStatement:
```

```
for ( Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ) Statement for ( var\ Variable Declaration List ; Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ) Statement for ( Lexical Declaration\ Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ) Statement
```

1. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of Statement with argument labelSet.

#### 13.7.4.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

```
IterationStatement:
```

```
for ( Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ) Statement for ( var\ Variable Declaration List ; Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ) Statement
```

```
for (LexicalDeclaration Expression opt ; Expression ) Statement
```

1. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of *Statement* with argument *labelSet*.

### 13.7.4.4 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters *iterationSet* and *labelSet*.

IterationStatement:

```
for ( Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ) Statement for ( var Variable Declaration List ; Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ) Statement for ( Lexical Declaration Expression_{opt} ; Expression_{opt} ) Statement
```

1. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Statement with arguments iterationSet and « ».

#### 13.7.4.5 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

```
IterationStatement: for (Expression opt; Expression Figure 2) Statement
```

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of *Statement*.

IterationStatement: for (var VariableDeclarationList; Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement

- 1. Let names be BoundNames of VariableDeclarationList.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of *Statement*.
- 3. Return names.

IterationStatement: for (LexicalDeclaration Expression Expression Fig. 1) Statement

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of Statement.

#### 13.7.4.6 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

```
IterationStatement: for (Expression opt; Expression Figure 1) Statement
```

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.

IterationStatement: for (var VariableDeclarationList; Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement

- 1. Let declarations be VarScopedDeclarations of VariableDeclarationList.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.
- 3. Return declarations.

```
IterationStatement: for (LexicalDeclaration Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement
```

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.

#### 13.7.4.7 Runtime Semantics: LabelledEvaluation

With parameter *labelSet*.

```
IterationStatement: for (Expression opt; Expression Figure 1) Statement
```

- 1. If the first *Expression* is present, then
  - a. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating the first *Expression*.
  - b. Perform ? GetValue(exprRef).
- 2. Return ? ForBodyEvaluation(the second *Expression*, the third *Expression*, *Statement*, « », *labelSet*).

IterationStatement: for (var VariableDeclarationList; Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement

- 1. Let *varDcl* be the result of evaluating *VariableDeclarationList*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(varDcl).
- 3. Return ? ForBodyEvaluation(the first Expression, the second Expression, Statement, « », labelSet).

IterationStatement: for (LexicalDeclaration Expression pot ; Expression ) Statement

- 1. Let *oldEnv* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 2. Let *loopEnv* be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*oldEnv*).
- 3. Let *loopEnvRec* be *loopEnv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 4. Let isConst be IsConstantDeclaration of LexicalDeclaration.
- 5. Let boundNames be the BoundNames of LexicalDeclaration.
- 6. For each element *dn* of *boundNames*, do
  - a. If *isConst* is **true**, then
    - i. Perform! loopEnvRec.CreateImmutableBinding(dn, true).
  - b. Else,
    - i. Perform! *loopEnvRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*dn*, **false**).
- 7. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *loopEnv*.
- 8. Let for Dcl be the result of evaluating Lexical Declaration.
- 9. If *forDcl* is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.
  - b. Return Completion(forDcl).
- 10. If isConst is **false**, let perIterationLets be boundNames; otherwise let perIterationLets be « ».
- 11. Let bodyResult be ForBodyEvaluation(the first Expression, the second Expression, Statement, perIterationLets, labelSet).
- 12. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.
- 13. Return Completion(bodyResult).

#### 13.7.4.8 Runtime Semantics: ForBodyEvaluation (test, increment, stmt, perIterationBindings, labelSet)

The abstract operation ForBodyEvaluation with arguments *test*, *increment*, *stmt*, *perIterationBindings*, and *labelSet* is performed as follows:

- 1. Let *V* be **undefined**.
- 2. Perform? CreatePerIterationEnvironment(perIterationBindings).
- Repeat,
  - a. If *test* is not [empty], then
    - i. Let *testRef* be the result of evaluating *test*.
    - ii. Let testValue be ? GetValue(testRef).
    - iii. If! ToBoolean(*testValue*) is **false**, return NormalCompletion(*V*).
  - b. Let *result* be the result of evaluating *stmt*.
  - c. If LoopContinues(result, labelSet) is false, return Completion(UpdateEmpty(result, V)).
  - d. If result.[[Value]] is not empty, set *V* to result.[[Value]].

- e. Perform? CreatePerIterationEnvironment(perIterationBindings).
- f. If increment is not [empty], then
  - i. Let *incRef* be the result of evaluating *increment*.
  - ii. Perform ? GetValue(incRef).

#### 13.7.4.9 Runtime Semantics: CreatePerIterationEnvironment (perIterationBindings)

The abstract operation CreatePerIterationEnvironment with argument *perIterationBindings* is performed as follows:

- 1. If *perIterationBindings* has any elements, then
  - a. Let lastIterationEnv be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
  - b. Let lastIterationEnvRec be lastIterationEnv's EnvironmentRecord.
  - c. Let *outer* be *lastIterationEnv*'s outer environment reference.
  - d. Assert: outer is not null.
  - e. Let this Iteration Env be New Declarative Environment (outer).
  - f. Let thisIterationEnvRec be thisIterationEnv's EnvironmentRecord.
  - g. For each element bn of perIterationBindings, do
    - i. Perform! thisIterationEnvRec.CreateMutableBinding(bn, false).
    - ii. Let *lastValue* be ? *lastIterationEnvRec*.GetBindingValue(*bn*, **true**).
    - iii. Perform thisIterationEnvRec.InitializeBinding(bn, lastValue).
  - h. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to this Iteration Env.
- Return undefined.

# 13.7.5 The for-in, for-of, and for-await-of Statements

#### 13.7.5.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

IterationStatement:

```
for ( LeftHandSideExpression in Expression ) Statement
for ( LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
```

If *LeftHandSideExpression* is either an *ObjectLiteral* or an *ArrayLiteral*, the following Early Error rules are applied:

- It is a Syntax Error if *LeftHandSideExpression* is not covering an *AssignmentPattern*.
- All Early Error rules for *AssignmentPattern* and its derived productions also apply to the *AssignmentPattern* that is covered by *LeftHandSideExpression*.

If LeftHandSideExpression is neither an ObjectLiteral nor an ArrayLiteral, the following Early Error rule is applied:

• It is a Syntax Error if AssignmentTargetType of LeftHandSideExpression is not simple.

IterationStatement:

```
for ( ForDeclaration in Expression ) Statement
for ( ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
```

- It is a Syntax Error if the BoundNames of ForDeclaration contains "let".
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *ForDeclaration* also occurs in the VarDeclaredNames of *Statement*.

• It is a Syntax Error if the BoundNames of *ForDeclaration* contains any duplicate entries.

#### 13.7.5.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

For Declaration: Let Or Const For Binding

1. Return the BoundNames of ForBinding.

#### 13.7.5.3 Static Semantics: Contains Duplicate Labels

With parameter *labelSet*.

```
IterationStatement:
```

```
for ( LeftHandSideExpression in Expression ) Statement
for ( var ForBinding in Expression ) Statement
for ( ForDeclaration in Expression ) Statement
for ( LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for ( ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
```

1. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *Statement* with argument *labelSet*.

NOTE

This section is extended by Annex B.3.6.

#### 13.7.5.4 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

```
IterationStatement:
```

```
for ( LeftHandSideExpression in Expression ) Statement
for ( var ForBinding in Expression ) Statement
for ( ForDeclaration in Expression ) Statement
for ( LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for ( ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
```

1. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of *Statement* with argument *labelSet*.

**NOTE** 

This section is extended by Annex B.3.6.

#### 13.7.5.5 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

#### IterationStatement:

```
for ( LeftHandSideExpression in Expression ) Statement
for ( var ForBinding in Expression ) Statement
for ( ForDeclaration in Expression ) Statement
for ( LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for ( ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
```

1. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Statement with arguments iterationSet and « ».

NOTE

This section is extended by Annex B.3.6.

#### 13.7.5.6 Static Semantics: IsDestructuring

For Declaration: Let Or Const For Binding

1. Return IsDestructuring of ForBinding.

ForBinding: BindingIdentifier

1. Return **false**.

ForBinding: BindingPattern

1. Return true.

**NOTE** 

This section is extended by Annex B.3.6.

#### 13.7.5.7 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

IterationStatement:

```
for (LeftHandSideExpression in Expression) Statement
for (ForDeclaration in Expression) Statement
for (LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression) Statement
for (ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression) Statement
for await (LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression) Statement
for await (ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression) Statement
```

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of Statement.

```
IterationStatement:
```

```
for ( var ForBinding in Expression ) Statement
for ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
```

- 1. Let names be the BoundNames of ForBinding.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of *Statement*.
- 3. Return names.

### 13.7.5.8 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

IterationStatement:

```
for (LeftHandSideExpression in Expression) Statement
for (ForDeclaration in Expression) Statement
for (LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression) Statement
for (ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression) Statement
for await (LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression) Statement
for await (ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression) Statement
```

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.

#### IterationStatement:

```
for ( var ForBinding in Expression ) Statement
for ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
for await ( var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
```

- 1. Let *declarations* be a List containing *ForBinding*.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.
- 3. Return declarations.

**NOTE** 

This section is extended by Annex B.3.6.

#### 13.7.5.9 Runtime Semantics: BindingInitialization

With parameters *value* and *environment*.

**NOTE** 

**undefined** is passed for *environment* to indicate that a PutValue operation should be used to assign the initialization value. This is the case for **var** statements and the formal parameter lists of some non-strict functions (see 9.2.10). In those cases a lexical binding is hoisted and preinitialized prior to evaluation of its initializer.

For Declaration: Let Or Const For Binding

1. Return the result of performing BindingInitialization for *ForBinding* passing *value* and *environment* as the arguments.

#### 13.7.5.10 Runtime Semantics: BindingInstantiation

With parameter *environment*.

For Declaration: Let Or Const For Binding

- 1. Let *envRec* be *environment*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* is a declarative Environment Record.
- 3. For each element *name* of the BoundNames of *ForBinding*, do

- a. If IsConstantDeclaration of LetOrConst is true, then
  - i. Perform! envRec.CreateImmutableBinding(name, true).
- b. Else,
  - i. Perform! envRec.CreateMutableBinding(name, false).

#### 13.7.5.11 Runtime Semantics: LabelledEvaluation

With parameter *labelSet*.

IterationStatement: for (LeftHandSideExpression in Expression) Statement

- 1. Let keyResult be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(« », Expression, enumerate).
- 2. Return ? ForIn / OfBody Evaluation (Left Hand Side Expression, Statement, key Result, enumerate, assignment, label Set).

IterationStatement: for (var ForBinding in Expression) Statement

- 1. Let keyResult be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(« », Expression, enumerate).
- 2. Return ? ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation(ForBinding, Statement, keyResult, enumerate, varBinding, labelSet).

IterationStatement: for (ForDeclaration in Expression) Statement

- 1. Let keyResult be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(BoundNames of ForDeclaration, Expression, enumerate).
- 2. Return ? ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation(ForDeclaration, Statement, keyResult, enumerate, lexicalBinding, labelSet).

IterationStatement: for (LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression) Statement

- Let keyResult be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(« », AssignmentExpression, iterate).
- 2. Return ? ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation(LeftHandSideExpression, Statement, keyResult, iterate, assignment, labelSet).

IterationStatement: for (var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression) Statement

- 1. Let keyResult be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(« », AssignmentExpression, iterate).
- Return ? ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation(ForBinding, Statement, keyResult, iterate, varBinding, labelSet).

IterationStatement: for (ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression) Statement

- 1. Let keyResult be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(BoundNames of ForDeclaration, AssignmentExpression, iterate).
- 2. Return ? ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation(ForDeclaration, Statement, keyResult, iterate, lexicalBinding, labelSet).

IterationStatement: for await (LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression) Statement

- 1. Let keyResult be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(« », AssignmentExpression, async-iterate).
- 2. Return ? ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation(LeftHandSideExpression, Statement, keyResult, iterate, assignment, labelSet, async).

IterationStatement: for await (var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression) Statement

- 1. Let *keyResult* be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(« », *AssignmentExpression*, async-iterate).
- 2. Return ? ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation(ForBinding, Statement, keyResult, iterate, varBinding, labelSet, async).

IterationStatement: for await (ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression) Statement

- Let keyResult be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(BoundNames of ForDeclaration, AssignmentExpression, asynciterate).
- 2. Return ? ForIn / OfBodyEvaluation(ForDeclaration, Statement, keyResult, iterate, lexicalBinding, labelSet, async).

NOTE

This section is extended by Annex B.3.6.

#### 13.7.5.12 Runtime Semantics: ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation (uninitializedBoundNames, expr, iterationKind)

The abstract operation ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation is called with arguments *uninitializedBoundNames*, *expr*, and *iterationKind*. The value of *iterationKind* is either enumerate, iterate, or async-iterate.

- 1. Let *oldEnv* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 2. If uninitializedBoundNames is not an empty List, then
  - a. Assert: uninitializedBoundNames has no duplicate entries.
  - b. Let *newEnv* be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*oldEnv*).
  - c. Let newEnvRec be newEnv's EnvironmentRecord.
  - d. For each string name in uninitializedBoundNames, do
    - i. Perform! newEnvRec.CreateMutableBinding(name, false).
  - e. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *newEnv*.
- 3. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *expr*.
- 4. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.
- 5. Let *exprValue* be ? GetValue(*exprRef*).
- 6. If iterationKind is enumerate, then
  - a. If exprValue is undefined or null, then
    - i. Return Completion { [[Type]]: break, [[Value]]: empty, [[Target]]: empty }.
  - b. Let *obj* be ! ToObject(*exprValue*).
  - c. Return? EnumerateObjectProperties(obj).
- 7. Else,
  - a. Assert: iterationKind is iterate or async-iterate.
  - b. If *iterationKind* is async-iterate, let *iteratorHint* be async.
  - c. Else, let iteratorHint be sync.
  - d. Return? GetIterator(exprValue, iteratorHint).

# 13.7.5.13 Runtime Semantics: ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation (lhs, stmt, iteratorRecord, iterationKind, lhsKind, labelSet[, iteratorKind])

The abstract operation ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation is called with arguments *lhs*, *stmt*, *iteratorRecord*, *iterationKind*, *lhsKind*, *labelSet*, and optional argument *iteratorKind*. The value of *lhsKind* is either assignment, varBinding or lexicalBinding. The value of *iteratorKind* is either sync or async.

- 1. If *iteratorKind* is not present, set *iteratorKind* to sync.
- 2. Let oldEnv be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 3. Let V be **undefined**.
- 4. Let *destructuring* be IsDestructuring of *lhs*.
- 5. If destructuring is **true** and if *lhsKind* is **assignment**, then
  - a. Assert: lhs is a LeftHandSideExpression.
  - b. Let assignmentPattern be the AssignmentPattern that is covered by lhs.

- 6. Repeat,
  - a. Let nextResult be ? Call(iteratorRecord.[[NextMethod]], iteratorRecord.[[Iterator]]).
  - b. If *iteratorKind* is **async**, then set *nextResult* to ? Await(*nextResult*).
  - c. If Type(nextResult) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
  - d. Let *done* be ? IteratorComplete(*nextResult*).
  - e. If *done* is **true**, return NormalCompletion(*V*).
  - f. Let nextValue be? IteratorValue(nextResult).
  - g. If *lhsKind* is either assignment or varBinding, then
    - i. If *destructuring* is **false**, then
      - 1. Let *lhsRef* be the result of evaluating *lhs*. (It may be evaluated repeatedly.)
  - h. Else,
    - i. Assert: lhsKind is lexicalBinding.
    - ii. Assert: lhs is a ForDeclaration.
    - iii. Let iterationEnv be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(oldEnv).
    - iv. Perform BindingInstantiation for *lhs* passing *iterationEnv* as the argument.
    - v. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *iterationEnv*.
    - vi. If destructuring is false, then
      - 1. Assert: *lhs* binds a single name.
      - 2. Let *lhsName* be the sole element of BoundNames of *lhs*.
      - 3. Let *lhsRef* be ! ResolveBinding(*lhsName*).
  - i. If *destructuring* is **false**, then
    - i. If *lhsRef* is an abrupt completion, then
      - 1. Let *status* be *lhsRef*.
    - ii. Else if *lhsKind* is lexicalBinding, then
      - 1. Let status be InitializeReferencedBinding(lhsRef, nextValue).
    - iii. Else.
      - 1. Let status be PutValue(lhsRef, nextValue).
  - j. Else,
    - i. If *lhsKind* is assignment, then
      - 1. Let *status* be DestructuringAssignmentEvaluation of *assignmentPattern* with argument *nextValue*.
    - ii. Else if *lhsKind* is varBinding, then
      - 1. Assert: *lhs* is a *ForBinding*.
      - 2. Let *status* be BindingInitialization of *lhs* with arguments *nextValue* and **undefined**.
    - iii. Else,
      - 1. Assert: *lhsKind* is lexicalBinding.
      - 2. Assert: *lhs* is a ForDeclaration.
      - 3. Let *status* be BindingInitialization of *lhs* with arguments *nextValue* and *iterationEnv*.
  - k. If status is an abrupt completion, then
    - i. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.
    - ii. If iteratorKind is async, return? AsyncIteratorClose(iteratorRecord, status).
    - iii. If iterationKind is enumerate, then
      - 1. Return status.
    - iv. Else,
      - 1. Assert: *iterationKind* is **iterate**.
      - 2. Return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, status).
  - 1. Let *result* be the result of evaluating *stmt*.

- m. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.
- n. If LoopContinues(result, labelSet) is false, then
  - i. If iterationKind is enumerate, then
    - 1. Return Completion(UpdateEmpty(result, V)).
  - ii. Else,
    - 1. Assert: *iterationKind* is **iterate**.
    - 2. Set *status* to UpdateEmpty(*result*, *V*).
    - 3. If *iteratorKind* is async, return? AsyncIteratorClose(*iteratorRecord*, *status*).
    - 4. Return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, status).
- o. If result.[[Value]] is not empty, set V to result.[[Value]].

#### 13.7.5.14 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ForBinding: BindingIdentifier

- 1. Let binding Id be String Value of Binding Identifier.
- 2. Return? ResolveBinding(bindingId).

#### 13.7.5.15 EnumerateObjectProperties ( O )

When the abstract operation EnumerateObjectProperties is called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 2. Return an Iterator object (25.1.1.2) whose **next** method iterates over all the String-valued keys of enumerable properties of *O*. The iterator object is never directly accessible to ECMAScript code. The mechanics and order of enumerating the properties is not specified but must conform to the rules specified below.

The iterator's **throw** and **return** methods are **null** and are never invoked. The iterator's **next** method processes object properties to determine whether the property key should be returned as an iterator value. Returned property keys do not include keys that are Symbols. Properties of the target object may be deleted during enumeration. A property that is deleted before it is processed by the iterator's **next** method is ignored. If new properties are added to the target object during enumeration, the newly added properties are not guaranteed to be processed in the active enumeration. A property name will be returned by the iterator's **next** method at most once in any enumeration.

Enumerating the properties of the target object includes enumerating properties of its prototype, and the prototype of the prototype, and so on, recursively; but a property of a prototype is not processed if it has the same name as a property that has already been processed by the iterator's **next** method. The values of [[Enumerable]] attributes are not considered when determining if a property of a prototype object has already been processed. The enumerable property names of prototype objects must be obtained by invoking EnumerateObjectProperties passing the prototype object as the argument. EnumerateObjectProperties must obtain the own property keys of the target object by calling its [[OwnPropertyKeys]] internal method. Property attributes of the target object must be obtained by calling its [[GetOwnProperty]] internal method.

In addition, if neither *O* nor any object in its prototype chain is a Proxy exotic object, Integer-Indexed exotic object, module namespace exotic object, or implementation provided exotic object, then the iterator must behave as would the iterator given by CreateForInIterator(*O*) until one of the following occurs:

- the value of the [[Prototype]] internal slot of O or an object in its prototype chain changes,
- a property is removed from O or an object in its prototype chain,
- a property is added to an object in O's prototype chain, or

• the value of the [[Enumerable]] attribute of a property of O or an object in its prototype chain changes.

NOTE 1 Hosts are not required to implement the algorithm in 13.7.5.16.2.1 directly. They may choose any implementation whose behaviour will not deviate from that algorithm unless one of the constraints in the previous paragraph is violated.

The following is an informative definition of an ECMAScript generator function that conforms to these rules:

```
function* EnumerateObjectProperties(obj) {
  const visited = new Set();
  for (const key of Reflect.ownKeys(obj)) {
    if (typeof key === "symbol") continue;
    const desc = Reflect.getOwnPropertyDescriptor(obj, key);
    if (desc) {
       visited.add(key);
       if (desc.enumerable) yield key;
    }
  }
  const proto = Reflect.getPrototypeOf(obj);
  if (proto === null) return;
  for (const protoKey of EnumerateObjectProperties(proto)) {
    if (!visited.has(protoKey)) yield protoKey;
  }
}
```

NOTE 2 The list of exotic objects for which implementations are not required to match CreateForInIterator was chosen because implementations historically differed in behaviour for those cases, and agreed in all others.

#### 13.7.5.16 For-In Iterator Objects

A For-In Iterator is an object that represents a specific iteration over some specific object. For-In Iterator objects are never directly accessible to ECMAScript code; they exist solely to illustrate the behaviour of EnumerateObjectProperties.

#### 13.7.5.16.1 CreateForInIterator (object)

The abstract operation CreateForInIterator with argument *object* is used to create a For-In Iterator object which iterates over the own and inherited enumerable string properties of *object* in a specific order. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(object) is Object.
- 2. Let *iterator* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%ForInIteratorPrototype%, « [[Object]], [[ObjectWasVisited]], [[VisitedKeys]], [[RemainingKeys]] »).
- 3. Set iterator.[[Object]] to object.
- 4. Set *iterator*.[[ObjectWasVisited]] to **false**.
- 5. Set *iterator*.[[VisitedKeys]] to a new empty List.

- 6. Set iterator.[[RemainingKeys]] to a new empty List.
- 7. Return iterator.

#### 13.7.5.16.2 The %ForInIteratorPrototype% Object

The % ForInIteratorPrototype% object:

- has properties that are inherited by all For-In Iterator Objects.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is the intrinsic object %IteratorPrototype%.
- is never directly accessible to ECMAScript code.
- has the following properties:

#### 13.7.5.16.2.1 %ForInIteratorPrototype%.next()

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Assert: Type(*O*) is Object.
- 3. Assert: O has all of the internal slots of a For-In Iterator Instance (13.7.5.16.3).
- 4. Let *object* be O.[[Object]].
- 5. Let *visited* be *O*.[[VisitedKeys]].
- 6. Let remaining be O.[[RemainingKeys]].
- 7. Repeat,
  - a. If O.[[ObjectWasVisited]] is false, then
    - i. Let keys be? object.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
    - ii. For each key of keys in List order, do
      - 1. If Type(key) is String, then
        - a. Append key to remaining.
    - iii. Set O.[[ObjectWasVisited]] to true.
  - b. Repeat, while *remaining* is not empty,
    - i. Remove the first element from remaining and let r be the value of the element.
    - ii. If there does not exist an element v of visited such that SameValue(r, v) is **true**, then
      - 1. Let *desc* be ? *object*.[[GetOwnProperty]](*r*).
      - 2. If *desc* is not **undefined**, then
        - a. Append *r* to *visited*.
        - b. If *desc*.[[Enumerable]] is **true**, return CreateIterResultObject(*r*, **false**).
  - c. Set *object* to ? *object*.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
  - d. Set O.[[Object]] to object.
  - e. Set O.[[ObjectWasVisited]] to false.
  - f. If object is null, return CreateIterResultObject(undefined, true).

#### 13.7.5.16.3 Properties of For-In Iterator Instances

For-In Iterator instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the %ForInIteratorPrototype% intrinsic object. For-In Iterator instances are initially created with the internal slots listed in Table 36.

**Table 36: Internal Slots of For-In Iterator Instances** 

Internal Slot	Description
[[Object]]	The Object value whose properties are being iterated.
[[ObjectWasVisited]]	<b>true</b> if the iterator has invoked [[OwnPropertyKeys]] on [[Object]], <b>false</b> otherwise.
[[VisitedKeys]]	A list of String values which have been emitted by this iterator thus far.
[[RemainingKeys]]	A list of String values remaining to be emitted for the current object, before iterating the properties of its prototype (if its prototype is not <b>null</b> ).

# 13.8 The continue Statement

### **Syntax**

```
ContinueStatement[Yield, Await] :
    continue;
    continue [no LineTerminator here] LabelIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await] ;
```

### 13.8.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

```
ContinueStatement : continue ;
ContinueStatement : continue LabelIdentifier ;
```

• It is a Syntax Error if this *ContinueStatement* is not nested, directly or indirectly (but not crossing function boundaries), within an *IterationStatement*.

# 13.8.2 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

ContinueStatement: continue;

1. Return false.

ContinueStatement: continue LabelIdentifier;

- 1. If the StringValue of *LabelIdentifier* is not an element of *iterationSet*, return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

#### 13.8.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

```
ContinueStatement: continue;
```

1. Return Completion { [[Type]]: continue, [[Value]]: empty, [[Target]]: empty }.

ContinueStatement: continue LabelIdentifier;

1. Let *label* be the StringValue of *LabelIdentifier*.

2. Return Completion { [[Type]]: continue, [[Value]]: empty, [[Target]]: label }.

# 13.9 The break Statement

### **Syntax**

```
BreakStatement[Yield, Await] :
    break;
    break [no LineTerminator here] LabelIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await] ;
```

### 13.9.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

BreakStatement: break;

• It is a Syntax Error if this *BreakStatement* is not nested, directly or indirectly (but not crossing function boundaries), within an *IterationStatement* or a *SwitchStatement*.

## 13.9.2 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

```
BreakStatement: break;
```

1. Return false.

BreakStatement: break LabelIdentifier;

- 1. If the StringValue of *LabelIdentifier* is not an element of *labelSet*, return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

#### 13.9.3 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

```
BreakStatement: break;
```

1. Return Completion { [[Type]]: break, [[Value]]: empty, [[Target]]: empty }.

BreakStatement: break LabelIdentifier;

- 1. Let *label* be the StringValue of *LabelIdentifier*.
- 2. Return Completion { [[Type]]: break, [[Value]]: empty, [[Target]]: label }.

# 13.10 The return Statement

### **Syntax**

```
ReturnStatement[Yield, Await] :
    return;
    return [no LineTerminator here] Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;
```

NOTE

A **return** statement causes a function to cease execution and, in most cases, returns a value to the caller. If *Expression* is omitted, the return value is **undefined**. Otherwise, the return value is the value of *Expression*. A **return** statement may not actually return a value to the caller depending on surrounding context. For example, in a **try** block, a **return** statement's completion record may be replaced with another completion record during evaluation of the **finally** block.

#### 13.10.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ReturnStatement: return;

1. Return Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: undefined, [[Target]]: empty }.

ReturnStatement: return Expression;

- 1. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 2. Let *exprValue* be ? GetValue(*exprRef*).
- 3. If ! GetGeneratorKind() is async, set *exprValue* to ? Await(*exprValue*).
- 4. Return Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: exprValue, [[Target]]: empty }.

### 13.11 The with Statement

### **Syntax**

```
WithStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
    with ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
```

**NOTE** 

The **with** statement adds an object Environment Record for a computed object to the lexical environment of the running execution context. It then executes a statement using this augmented lexical environment. Finally, it restores the original lexical environment.

# 13.11.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

With Statement: with (Expression) Statement

- It is a Syntax Error if the code that matches this production is contained in strict mode code.
- It is a Syntax Error if IsLabelledFunction(*Statement*) is **true**.

**NOTE** 

It is only necessary to apply the second rule if the extension specified in B.3.2 is implemented.

# 13.11.2 Static Semantics: ContainsDuplicateLabels

With parameter *labelSet*.

```
With Statement: with (Expression) Statement
```

1. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *Statement* with argument *labelSet*.

### 13.11.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

With Statement: with (Expression) Statement

1. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Statement with argument labelSet.

### 13.11.4 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

With Statement: with (Expression) Statement

1. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Statement with arguments iterationSet and « ».

#### 13.11.5 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

With Statement: with (Expression) Statement

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of *Statement*.

### 13.11.6 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

With Statement: with (Expression) Statement

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.

#### 13.11.7 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

With Statement: with (Expression) Statement

- 1. Let *val* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 2. Let *obj* be ? ToObject(? GetValue(*val*)).
- 3. Let *oldEnv* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 4. Let newEnv be NewObjectEnvironment(obj, oldEnv).
- 5. Set the *withEnvironment* flag of *newEnv*'s EnvironmentRecord to **true**.
- 6. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *newEnv*.
- 7. Let *C* be the result of evaluating *Statement*.
- 8. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.
- 9. Return Completion(UpdateEmpty(*C*, **undefined**)).

**NOTE** 

No matter how control leaves the embedded *Statement*, whether normally or by some form of abrupt completion or exception, the LexicalEnvironment is always restored to its former state.

# 13.12 The Switch Statement

#### **Syntax**

### 13.12.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

SwitchStatement: switch (Expression) CaseBlock

- It is a Syntax Error if the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *CaseBlock* contains any duplicate entries.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *CaseBlock* also occurs in the VarDeclaredNames of *CaseBlock*.

### 13.12.2 Static Semantics: ContainsDuplicateLabels

With parameter *labelSet*.

SwitchStatement: switch (Expression) CaseBlock

1. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of CaseBlock with argument labelSet.

CaseBlock: { }

1. Return false.

```
CaseBlock: { CaseClauses _ DefaultClause CaseClauses _ }
```

- 1. If the first *CaseClauses* is present, then
  - a. Let has Duplicates be Contains Duplicate Labels of the first Case Clauses with argument label Set.
  - b. If *hasDuplicates* is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Let has Duplicates be Contains Duplicate Labels of Default Clause with argument label Set.
- 3. If *hasDuplicates* is **true**, return **true**.
- 4. If the second *CaseClauses* is not present, return **false**.
- 5. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of the second CaseClauses with argument labelSet.

CaseClauses: CaseClauses CaseClause

- Let has Duplicates be Contains Duplicate Labels of Case Clauses with argument label Set.
- 2. If hasDuplicates is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of CaseClause with argument labelSet.

CaseClause: case Expression: StatementListopt

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *StatementList* with argument *labelSet*.
- 2. Return false.

Default Clause: default: Statement Listopt

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *StatementList* with argument *labelSet*.
- 2. Return false.

### 13.12.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

SwitchStatement: switch (Expression) CaseBlock

1. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of CaseBlock with argument labelSet.

CaseBlock: { }

1. Return false.

CaseBlock: { CaseClauses opt DefaultClause CaseClauses opt }

- 1. If the first CaseClauses is present, then
  - a. Let has Undefined Labels be Contains Undefined Break Target of the first Case Clauses with argument label Set.
  - b. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of DefaultClause with argument labelSet.
- 3. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 4. If the second *CaseClauses* is not present, return **false**.
- 5. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of the second CaseClauses with argument labelSet.

CaseClauses: CaseClauses CaseClause

- 1. Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of CaseClauses with argument labelSet.
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of CaseClause with argument labelSet.

CaseClause: case Expression: StatementList

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of *StatementList* with argument *labelSet*.
- 2. Return false.

Default Clause: default: StatementListopt

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of *StatementList* with argument *labelSet*.
- 2. Return false.

### 13.12.4 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

SwitchStatement: switch (Expression) CaseBlock

1. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of CaseBlock with arguments iterationSet and « ».

CaseBlock: { }

1. Return false.

CaseBlock: { CaseClauses<sub>opt</sub> DefaultClause CaseClauses<sub>opt</sub> }

- 1. If the first CaseClauses is present, then
  - a. Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of the first CaseClauses with arguments iterationSet and « ».
  - b. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of DefaultClause with arguments iterationSet and «
  ».
- 3. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 4. If the second *CaseClauses* is not present, return **false**.
- 5. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of the second CaseClauses with arguments iterationSet and « ».

CaseClauses: CaseClauses CaseClause

- 1. Let has Undefined Labels be Contains Undefined Continue Target of Case Clauses with arguments iteration Set and « ».
- 2. If *hasUndefinedLabels* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of CaseClause with arguments iterationSet and « ».

CaseClause: case Expression: StatementList

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of *StatementList* with arguments *iterationSet* and « ».
- 2. Return false.

DefaultClause: default: StatementListopt

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of *StatementList* with arguments *iterationSet* and « ».
- 2. Return false.

### 13.12.5 Static Semantics: Lexically Declared Names

CaseBlock: { }

1. Return a new empty List.

CaseBlock: { CaseClausesopt DefaultClause CaseClausesopt }

- 1. If the first CaseClauses is present, let names be the LexicallyDeclaredNames of the first CaseClauses.
- 2. Else, let *names* be a new empty List.
- Append to names the elements of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of DefaultClause.

- 4. If the second *CaseClauses* is not present, return *names*.
- 5. Return the result of appending to *names* the elements of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of the second *CaseClauses*.

CaseClauses: CaseClauses CaseClause

- 1. Let names be LexicallyDeclaredNames of CaseClauses.
- Append to names the elements of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of CaseClause.
- 3. Return names.

CaseClause: case Expression: StatementListopt

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *StatementList*.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

DefaultClause: default: StatementListopt

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *StatementList*.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

### 13.12.6 Static Semantics: LexicallyScopedDeclarations

CaseBlock: { }

1. Return a new empty List.

CaseBlock: { CaseClauses opt DefaultClause CaseClauses }

- 1. If the first CaseClauses is present, let declarations be the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of the first CaseClauses.
- 2. Else, let *declarations* be a new empty List.
- 3. Append to declarations the elements of the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of DefaultClause.
- 4. If the second *CaseClauses* is not present, return *declarations*.
- 5. Return the result of appending to *declarations* the elements of the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of the second *CaseClauses*.

CaseClauses: CaseClauses CaseClause

- 1. Let declarations be LexicallyScopedDeclarations of CaseClauses.
- 2. Append to declarations the elements of the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of CaseClause.
- 3. Return declarations.

CaseClause: case Expression: StatementList

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

DefaultClause: default: StatementListopt

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

#### 13.12.7 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

SwitchStatement: switch (Expression) CaseBlock

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of CaseBlock.

```
CaseBlock : { }
```

1. Return a new empty List.

CaseBlock: { CaseClauses opt DefaultClause CaseClauses }

- 1. If the first CaseClauses is present, let names be the VarDeclaredNames of the first CaseClauses.
- 2. Else, let *names* be a new empty List.
- 3. Append to names the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of DefaultClause.
- 4. If the second *CaseClauses* is not present, return *names*.
- 5. Return the result of appending to *names* the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of the second *CaseClauses*.

CaseClauses: CaseClauses CaseClause

- 1. Let names be VarDeclaredNames of CaseClauses.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of *CaseClause*.
- 3. Return names.

CaseClause: case Expression: StatementList<sub>opt</sub>

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return the VarDeclaredNames of *StatementList*.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

DefaultClause: default: StatementListopt

- 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return the VarDeclaredNames of *StatementList*.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

# 13.12.8 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

SwitchStatement: switch (Expression) CaseBlock

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of CaseBlock.

CaseBlock : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

CaseBlock: { CaseClauses opt DefaultClause CaseClauses opt }

- 1. If the first CaseClauses is present, let declarations be the VarScopedDeclarations of the first CaseClauses.
- 2. Else, let *declarations* be a new empty List.
- 3. Append to declarations the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of DefaultClause.
- 4. If the second *CaseClauses* is not present, return *declarations*.
- Return the result of appending to declarations the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of the second CaseClauses.

CaseClauses: CaseClauses CaseClause

- 1. Let declarations be VarScopedDeclarations of CaseClauses.
- 2. Append to declarations the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of CaseClause.

Return declarations. CaseClause: case Expression: StatementListopt. 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return the VarScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*. 2. Return a new empty List. DefaultClause: default: StatementListopt 1. If the *StatementList* is present, return the VarScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*. 2. Return a new empty List. 13.12.9 Runtime Semantics: CaseBlockEvaluation With parameter input. CaseBlock: { } 1. Return NormalCompletion(undefined). CaseBlock: { CaseClauses } 1. Let *V* be **undefined**. 2. Let *A* be the List of CaseClause items in CaseClauses, in source text order. 3. Let found be false. 4. For each CaseClause C in A, do a. If found is false, then i. Set *found* to ? CaseClauseIsSelected(*C*, *input*). b. If found is **true**, then i. Let *R* be the result of evaluating *C*. ii. If R.[[Value]] is not **empty**, set V to R.[[Value]]. iii. If R is an abrupt completion, return Completion(UpdateEmpty(R, V)). 5. Return NormalCompletion(*V*). CaseBlock: { CaseClauses \_ DefaultClause CaseClauses \_ } 1. Let *V* be **undefined**. 2. If the first CaseClauses is present, then a. Let A be the List of CaseClause items in the first CaseClauses, in source text order. 3. Else. a. Let A be « ». 4. Let found be false. 5. For each CaseClause C in A, do a. If found is false, then i. Set found to? CaseClauseIsSelected(C, input). b. If *found* is **true**, then

i. Let *R* be the result of evaluating *C*.

6. Let foundInB be false.

ii. If R.[[Value]] is not empty, set V to R.[[Value]].

iii. If *R* is an abrupt completion, return Completion(UpdateEmpty(*R*, *V*)).

- 7. If the second *CaseClauses* is present, then
  - a. Let *B* be the List of *CaseClause* items in the second *CaseClauses*, in source text order.
- 8. Else,
  - a. Let B be « ».
- 9. If found is **false**, then
  - a. For each CaseClause C in B, do
    - i. If foundInB is **false**, then
      - 1. Set *foundInB* to ? CaseClauseIsSelected(*C*, *input*).
    - ii. If foundInB is **true**, then
      - 1. Let *R* be the result of evaluating *CaseClause C*.
      - 2. If R.[[Value]] is not **empty**, set V to R.[[Value]].
      - 3. If R is an abrupt completion, return Completion(UpdateEmpty(R, V)).
- 10. If *foundInB* is **true**, return NormalCompletion(*V*).
- 11. Let *R* be the result of evaluating *DefaultClause*.
- 12. If *R*.[[Value]] is not empty, set *V* to *R*.[[Value]].
- 13. If R is an abrupt completion, return Completion(UpdateEmpty(R, V)).
- 14. NOTE: The following is another complete iteration of the second CaseClauses.
- 15. For each CaseClause C in B, do
  - a. Let *R* be the result of evaluating *CaseClause C*.
  - b. If *R*.[[Value]] is not **empty**, set *V* to *R*.[[Value]].
  - c. If R is an abrupt completion, return Completion(UpdateEmpty(R, V)).
- 16. Return NormalCompletion(*V*).

### 13.12.10 Runtime Semantics: CaseClauseIsSelected ( *C, input* )

The abstract operation CaseClauseIsSelected, given *CaseClause C* and value *input*, determines whether *C* matches *input*.

- 1. Assert: C is an instance of the production CaseClause: case Expression: StatementList
- 2. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating the *Expression* of *C*.
- 3. Let *clauseSelector* be ? GetValue(*exprRef*).
- 4. Return the result of performing Strict Equality Comparison input === clauseSelector.

**NOTE** 

This operation does not execute *C*'s *StatementList* (if any). The *CaseBlock* algorithm uses its return value to determine which *StatementList* to start executing.

#### 13.12.11 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

SwitchStatement: switch (Expression) CaseBlock

- 1. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 2. Let *switchValue* be ? GetValue(*exprRef*).
- 3. Let *oldEnv* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 4. Let blockEnv be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(oldEnv).
- Perform BlockDeclarationInstantiation(CaseBlock, blockEnv).
- 6. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *blockEnv*.
- 7. Let *R* be CaseBlockEvaluation of *CaseBlock* with argument *switchValue*.
- 8. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.

9. Return R.

**NOTE** 

No matter how control leaves the *SwitchStatement* the LexicalEnvironment is always restored to its former state.

CaseClause: case Expression:

Return NormalCompletion(empty).

CaseClause: case Expression: StatementList

1. Return the result of evaluating *StatementList*.

DefaultClause: default:

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

DefaultClause: default: StatementList

1. Return the result of evaluating *StatementList*.

### 13.13 Labelled Statements

### **Syntax**

```
LabelledStatement [Yield, Await, Return]:

Labelldentifier [?Yield, ?Await]: LabelledItem [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

LabelledItem [Yield, Await, Return]:

Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

FunctionDeclaration [?Yield, ?Await, ~Default]
```

NOTE

A *Statement* may be prefixed by a label. Labelled statements are only used in conjunction with labelled **break** and **continue** statements. ECMAScript has no **goto** statement. A *Statement* can be part of a *LabelledStatement*, which itself can be part of a *LabelledStatement*, and so on. The labels introduced this way are collectively referred to as the "current label set" when describing the semantics of individual statements.

# 13.13.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

• It is a Syntax Error if any source text matches this rule.

**NOTE** 

An alternative definition for this rule is provided in B.3.2.

# 13.13.2 Static Semantics: Contains Duplicate Labels

With parameter *labelSet*.

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

- 1. Let *label* be the StringValue of *LabelIdentifier*.
- 2. If label is an element of labelSet, return true.
- 3. Let newLabelSet be a copy of labelSet with label appended.
- 4. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of LabelledItem with argument newLabelSet.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return false.

### 13.13.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

- 1. Let *label* be the StringValue of *LabelIdentifier*.
- 2. Let newLabelSet be a copy of labelSet with label appended.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of LabelledItem with argument newLabelSet.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return false.

### 13.13.4 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

- 1. Let *label* be the StringValue of *LabelIdentifier*.
- 2. Let newLabelSet be a copy of labelSet with label appended.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of LabelledItem with arguments iterationSet and newLabelSet.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return false.

#### 13.13.5 Static Semantics: IsLabelledFunction (stmt)

The abstract operation IsLabelledFunction with argument *stmt* performs the following steps:

- 1. If *stmt* is not a *LabelledStatement*, return **false**.
- 2. Let item be the LabelledItem of stmt.
- 3. If item is LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration, return true.
- 4. Let *subStmt* be the *Statement* of *item*.
- 5. Return IsLabelledFunction(subStmt).

# 13.13.6 Static Semantics: Lexically Declared Names

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

1. Return the LexicallyDeclaredNames of LabelledItem.

LabelledItem: Statement

1. Return a new empty List.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return BoundNames of FunctionDeclaration.

### 13.13.7 Static Semantics: LexicallyScopedDeclarations

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

1. Return the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of LabelledItem.

LabelledItem: Statement

1. Return a new empty List.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return a new List containing FunctionDeclaration.

### 13.13.8 Static Semantics: TopLevelLexicallyDeclaredNames

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

1. Return a new empty List.

### 13.13.9 Static Semantics: TopLevelLexicallyScopedDeclarations

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

1. Return a new empty List.

### 13.13.10 Static Semantics: TopLevelVarDeclaredNames

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

1. Return the TopLevelVarDeclaredNames of LabelledItem.

LabelledItem: Statement

- 1. If Statement is Statement: LabelledStatement, return TopLevelVarDeclaredNames of Statement.
- 2. Return VarDeclaredNames of Statement.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return BoundNames of FunctionDeclaration.

# 13.13.11 Static Semantics: TopLevelVarScopedDeclarations

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

1. Return the TopLevelVarScopedDeclarations of LabelledItem.

LabelledItem: Statement

- 1. If Statement is Statement: LabelledStatement, return TopLevelVarScopedDeclarations of Statement.
- 2. Return VarScopedDeclarations of Statement.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return a new List containing FunctionDeclaration.

#### 13.13.12 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of LabelledItem.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return a new empty List.

### 13.13.13 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of *LabelledItem*.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return a new empty List.

#### 13.13.14 Runtime Semantics: LabelledEvaluation

With parameter *labelSet*.

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

- 1. Let *label* be the StringValue of *LabelIdentifier*.
- 2. Append *label* as an element of *labelSet*.
- 3. Let stmtResult be LabelledEvaluation of LabelledItem with argument labelSet.
- 4. If stmtResult.[[Type]] is break and SameValue(stmtResult.[[Target]], label) is true, then
  - a. Set stmtResult to NormalCompletion(stmtResult.[[Value]]).
- 5. Return Completion(*stmtResult*).

LabelledItem: Statement

- 1. If Statement is either a LabelledStatement or a BreakableStatement, then
  - a. Return LabelledEvaluation of Statement with argument labelSet.
- 2. Else,
  - a. Return the result of evaluating *Statement*.

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

1. Return the result of evaluating *FunctionDeclaration*.

#### 13.13.15 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

LabelledStatement: LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

- 1. Let newLabelSet be a new empty List.
- 2. Return LabelledEvaluation of this LabelledStatement with argument newLabelSet.

### 13.14 The throw Statement

# **Syntax**

```
ThrowStatement[Yield, Await] :
    throw [no LineTerminator here] Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;
```

#### 13.14.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ThrowStatement: throw Expression;

- 1. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *Expression*.
- 2. Let *exprValue* be ? GetValue(*exprRef*).
- 3. Return ThrowCompletion(exprValue).

# 13.15 The try Statement

### **Syntax**

NOTE

The **try** statement encloses a block of code in which an exceptional condition can occur, such as a runtime error or a **throw** statement. The **catch** clause provides the exception-handling code. When a catch clause catches an exception, its *CatchParameter* is bound to that exception.

### 13.15.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

Catch: catch ( CatchParameter ) Block

- It is a Syntax Error if BoundNames of CatchParameter contains any duplicate elements.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *CatchParameter* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *Block*.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *CatchParameter* also occurs in the VarDeclaredNames of *Block*.

**NOTE** 

An alternative static semantics for this production is given in B.3.5.

### 13.15.2 Static Semantics: ContainsDuplicateLabels

With parameter *labelSet*.

TryStatement: try Block Catch

- 1. Let has Duplicates be Contains Duplicate Labels of Block with argument label Set.
- 2. If hasDuplicates is **true**, return **true**.
- Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of Catch with argument labelSet.

TryStatement: try Block Finally

- 1. Let hasDuplicates be ContainsDuplicateLabels of Block with argument labelSet.
- 2. If hasDuplicates is true, return true.
- 3. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *Finally* with argument *labelSet*.

TryStatement: try Block Catch Finally

- 1. Let hasDuplicates be ContainsDuplicateLabels of Block with argument labelSet.
- If hasDuplicates is true, return true.
- Let hasDuplicates be ContainsDuplicateLabels of Catch with argument labelSet.
- 4. If hasDuplicates is **true**, return **true**.
- Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of Finally with argument labelSet.

Catch: catch (CatchParameter) Block

1. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *Block* with argument *labelSet*.

# 13.15.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

TryStatement: try Block Catch

- Let has Undefined Labels be Contains Undefined Break Target of Block with argument label Set.
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Catch with argument labelSet.

TryStatement: try Block Finally

- 1. Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Block with argument labelSet.
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Finally with argument labelSet.

TryStatement: try Block Catch Finally

- Let has Undefined Labels be Contains Undefined Break Target of Block with argument label Set.
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Catch with argument labelSet.
- 4. If hasUndefinedLabels is true, return true.
- 5. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Finally with argument labelSet.

Catch: catch ( CatchParameter ) Block

1. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Block with argument labelSet.

### 13.15.4 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

TryStatement: try Block Catch

- Let has Undefined Labels be Contains Undefined Continue Target of Block with arguments iteration Set and «».
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Catch with arguments iterationSet and « ».

TryStatement: try Block Finally

- 1. Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Block with arguments iterationSet and « ».
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Finally with arguments iterationSet and « ».

TryStatement: try Block Catch Finally

- 1. Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Block with arguments iterationSet and «».
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is true, return true.
- 3. Let has Undefined Labels be Contains Undefined Continue Target of Catch with arguments iteration Set and «».
- 4. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 5. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Finally with arguments iterationSet and « ».

Catch: catch ( CatchParameter ) Block

1. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Block with arguments iterationSet and « ».

#### 13.15.5 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

TryStatement: try Block Catch

- 1. Let names be VarDeclaredNames of Block.
- 2. Append to names the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of Catch.
- 3. Return names.

TryStatement: try Block Finally

- 1. Let names be VarDeclaredNames of Block.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of *Finally*.
- 3. Return names.

TryStatement: try Block Catch Finally

- 1. Let names be VarDeclaredNames of Block.
- 2. Append to names the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of Catch.
- Append to names the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of Finally.
- 4. Return names.

Catch: catch ( CatchParameter ) Block

1. Return the VarDeclaredNames of *Block*.

### 13.15.6 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

TryStatement: try Block Catch

- 1. Let declarations be VarScopedDeclarations of Block.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of *Catch*.
- 3. Return declarations.

TryStatement: try Block Finally

- 1. Let *declarations* be VarScopedDeclarations of *Block*.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of *Finally*.
- 3. Return declarations.

TryStatement: try Block Catch Finally

- 1. Let *declarations* be VarScopedDeclarations of *Block*.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of *Catch*.
- 3. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of *Finally*.
- 4. Return declarations.

Catch: catch ( CatchParameter ) Block

1. Return the VarScopedDeclarations of *Block*.

#### 13.15.7 Runtime Semantics: CatchClauseEvaluation

With parameter thrown Value.

Catch: catch ( CatchParameter ) Block

1. Let *oldEnv* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.

- 2. Let *catchEnv* be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*oldEnv*).
- 3. Let catchEnvRec be catchEnv's EnvironmentRecord.
- 4. For each element argName of the BoundNames of CatchParameter, do
  - a. Perform! catchEnvRec.CreateMutableBinding(argName, false).
- 5. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *catchEnv*.
- 6. Let *status* be BindingInitialization of *CatchParameter* with arguments *thrownValue* and *catchEnv*.
- 7. If status is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.
  - b. Return Completion(status).
- 8. Let *B* be the result of evaluating *Block*.
- 9. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *oldEnv*.
- 10. Return Completion(*B*).

Catch: catch Block

1. Return the result of evaluating *Block*.

**NOTE** 

No matter how control leaves the *Block* the LexicalEnvironment is always restored to its former state.

#### 13.15.8 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

TryStatement: try Block Catch

- 1. Let *B* be the result of evaluating *Block*.
- 2. If B.[[Type]] is throw, let C be CatchClauseEvaluation of Catch with argument B.[[Value]].
- 3. Else, let *C* be *B*.
- 4. Return Completion(UpdateEmpty(C, undefined)).

TryStatement: try Block Finally

- 1. Let *B* be the result of evaluating *Block*.
- 2. Let *F* be the result of evaluating *Finally*.
- 3. If F.[[Type]] is normal, set F to B.
- 4. Return Completion(UpdateEmpty(F, undefined)).

TryStatement: try Block Catch Finally

- 1. Let *B* be the result of evaluating *Block*.
- 2. If B.[[Type]] is throw, let C be CatchClauseEvaluation of Catch with argument B.[[Value]].
- 3. Else, let *C* be *B*.
- 4. Let *F* be the result of evaluating *Finally*.
- 5. If *F*.[[Type]] is **normal**, set *F* to *C*.
- 6. Return Completion(UpdateEmpty(*F*, **undefined**)).

# 13.16 The debugger Statement

# **Syntax**

```
DebuggerStatement: debugger;
```

### 13.16.1 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

**NOTE** 

Evaluating a *DebuggerStatement* may allow an implementation to cause a breakpoint when run under a debugger. If a debugger is not present or active this statement has no observable effect.

DebuggerStatement: debugger;

- 1. If an implementation-defined debugging facility is available and enabled, then
  - a. Perform an implementation-defined debugging action.
  - b. Let result be an implementation-defined Completion value.
- 2. Else,
  - a. Let result be NormalCompletion(empty).
- 3. Return result.

# 14 ECMAScript Language: Functions and Classes

NOTE

Various ECMAScript language elements cause the creation of ECMAScript function objects (9.2). Evaluation of such functions starts with the execution of their [[Call]] internal method (9.2.1).

# 14.1 Function Definitions

### **Syntax**

```
FunctionDeclaration [Yield, Await, Default]:

function BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] (FormalParameters [-Yield, -Await]) {

FunctionBody [-Yield, -Await] }

[+Default] function (FormalParameters [-Yield, -Await]) {FunctionBody [-Yield, -Await]} }

FunctionExpression:

function BindingIdentifier [-Yield, -Await] opt (FormalParameters [-Yield, -Await]) {

FunctionBody [-Yield, -Await]} }

UniqueFormalParameters [Yield, Await]:

FormalParameters [Yield, ?Await]

FormalParameters [Yield, ?Await]

FormalParameterList [?Yield, ?Await]

FormalParameterList [?Yield, ?Await] ,
```

```
FormalParameterList [?Yield, ?Await] , FunctionRestParameter [?Yield, ?Await] ;

FormalParameterList [Yield, Await] ;

FormalParameterList [?Yield, ?Await] , FormalParameter [?Yield, ?Await] ;

FunctionRestParameter [Yield, Await] ;

BindingRestElement [?Yield, ?Await] ;

BindingElement [Yield, ?Await] ;

BindingElement [Yield, ?Await] ;

FunctionBody [Yield, Await] ;

FunctionStatementList [Yield, ?Await] ;

StatementList [Yield, ?Await] ;
```

### 14.1.1 Directive Prologues and the Use Strict Directive

A *Directive Prologue* is the longest sequence of *ExpressionStatements* occurring as the initial *StatementListItems* or *ModuleItems* of a *FunctionBody*, a *ScriptBody*, or a *ModuleBody* and where each *ExpressionStatement* in the sequence consists entirely of a *StringLiteral* token followed by a semicolon. The semicolon may appear explicitly or may be inserted by automatic semicolon insertion. A *Directive Prologue* may be an empty sequence.

A *Use Strict Directive* is an *ExpressionStatement* in a Directive Prologue whose *StringLiteral* is either of the exact code point sequences **"use strict"** or **'use strict'**. A *Use Strict Directive* may not contain an *EscapeSequence* or *LineContinuation*.

A Directive Prologue may contain more than one Use Strict Directive. However, an implementation may issue a warning if this occurs.

NOTE

The *ExpressionStatements* of a Directive Prologue are evaluated normally during evaluation of the containing production. Implementations may define implementation specific meanings for *ExpressionStatements* which are not a Use Strict Directive and which occur in a Directive Prologue. If an appropriate notification mechanism exists, an implementation should issue a warning if it encounters in a Directive Prologue an *ExpressionStatement* that is not a Use Strict Directive and which does not have a meaning defined by the implementation.

### **14.1.2** Static Semantics: Early Errors

```
FunctionDeclaration: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }
FunctionDeclaration: function (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }
FunctionExpression: function BindingIdentifier opt (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }
```

- If the source code matching *FormalParameters* is strict mode code, the Early Error rules for *UniqueFormalParameters*: *FormalParameters* are applied.
- If *BindingIdentifier* is present and the source code matching *BindingIdentifier* is strict mode code, it is a Syntax Error if the StringValue of *BindingIdentifier* is "eval" or "arguments".

- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *FunctionBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *FormalParameters* is **false**.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *FormalParameters* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *FunctionBody*.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains SuperProperty is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *FunctionBody* Contains *SuperProperty* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains SuperCall is true.
- It is a Syntax Error if *FunctionBody* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**.

NOTE 1 The LexicallyDeclaredNames of a *FunctionBody* does not include identifiers bound using var or function declarations.

UniqueFormalParameters: FormalParameters

• It is a Syntax Error if BoundNames of *FormalParameters* contains any duplicate elements.

FormalParameters: FormalParameterList

• It is a Syntax Error if IsSimpleParameterList of FormalParameterList is **false** and BoundNames of FormalParameterList contains any duplicate elements.

NOTE 2 Multiple occurrences of the same *BindingIdentifier* in a *FormalParameterList* is only allowed for functions which have simple parameter lists and which are not defined in strict mode code.

FunctionBody: FunctionStatementList

- It is a Syntax Error if the LexicallyDeclaredNames of FunctionStatementList contains any duplicate entries.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *FunctionStatementList* also occurs in the VarDeclaredNames of *FunctionStatementList*.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsDuplicateLabels of *FunctionStatementList* with argument « » is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of *FunctionStatementList* with argument « » is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of *FunctionStatementList* with arguments « » and « » is **true**.

#### 14.1.3 Static Semantics: BoundNames

FunctionDeclaration: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

1. Return the BoundNames of *BindingIdentifier*.

FunctionDeclaration: function (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

1. Return « "\*default\*" ».

NOTE

"\*default\*" is used within this specification as a synthetic name for hoistable anonymous functions that are defined using export declarations.

FormalParameters: [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

- 1. Let names be BoundNames of FormalParameterList.
- 2. Append to names the BoundNames of FunctionRestParameter.
- 3. Return names.

FormalParameterList: FormalParameterList, FormalParameter

- 1. Let names be BoundNames of FormalParameterList.
- 2. Append to names the BoundNames of FormalParameter.
- 3. Return names.

#### 14.1.4 Static Semantics: Contains

With parameter symbol.

```
FunctionDeclaration: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }
FunctionDeclaration: function (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }
FunctionExpression: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }
```

1. Return **false**.

NOTE

Static semantic rules that depend upon substructure generally do not look into function definitions.

# 14.1.5 Static Semantics: Contains Duplicate Labels

With parameter *labelSet*.

FunctionStatementList: [empty]

1. Return false.

### 14.1.6 Static Semantics: Contains Expression

FormalParameters: [empty]

1. Return false.

FormalParameters: FormalParameterList, FunctionRestParameter

- 1. If ContainsExpression of FormalParameterList is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Return ContainsExpression of FunctionRestParameter.

FormalParameterList: FormalParameterList, FormalParameter

- 1. If ContainsExpression of FormalParameterList is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Return ContainsExpression of FormalParameter.

# 14.1.7 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

*FunctionStatementList* : [empty]

1. Return false.

### 14.1.8 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters *iterationSet* and *labelSet*.

FunctionStatementList : [empty]

1. Return **false**.

#### 14.1.9 Static Semantics: ContainsUseStrict

FunctionBody: FunctionStatementList

1. If the Directive Prologue of FunctionBody contains a Use Strict Directive, return **true**; otherwise, return **false**.

### 14.1.10 Static Semantics: ExpectedArgumentCount

FormalParameters:

[empty]

FunctionRestParameter

1. Return 0.

FormalParameters: FormalParameterList, FunctionRestParameter

1. Return ExpectedArgumentCount of FormalParameterList.

NOTE

The ExpectedArgumentCount of a *FormalParameterList* is the number of *FormalParameters* to the left of either the rest parameter or the first *FormalParameter* with an Initializer. A *FormalParameter* without an initializer is allowed after the first parameter with an initializer but such parameters are considered to be optional with **undefined** as their default value.

FormalParameterList: FormalParameter

- 1. If HasInitializer of FormalParameter is **true**, return 0.
- 2. Return 1.

FormalParameterList: FormalParameterList, FormalParameter

- 1. Let *count* be ExpectedArgumentCount of FormalParameterList.
- 2. If HasInitializer of FormalParameterList is **true** or HasInitializer of FormalParameter is **true**, return count.
- 3. Return count + 1.

#### 14.1.11 Static Semantics: HasInitializer

FormalParameterList: FormalParameterList, FormalParameter

1. If HasInitializer of FormalParameterList is **true**, return **true**.

2. Return HasInitializer of FormalParameter.

#### 14.1.12 Static Semantics: HasName

FunctionExpression: function (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

1. Return false.

FunctionExpression: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

Return true.

### 14.1.13 Static Semantics: IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition (expr)

The abstract operation IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition determines if its argument is a function definition that does not bind a name. The argument *expr* is the result of parsing an *AssignmentExpression* or *Initializer*. The following steps are taken:

- 1. If IsFunctionDefinition of *expr* is **false**, return **false**.
- 2. Let hasName be HasName of expr.
- 3. If hasName is **true**, return **false**.
- 4. Return **true**.

#### 14.1.14 Static Semantics: IsConstantDeclaration

```
FunctionDeclaration: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody } FunctionDeclaration: function (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }
```

1. Return **false**.

#### 14.1.15 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

```
FunctionExpression: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }
```

1. Return true.

#### 14.1.16 Static Semantics: IsSimpleParameterList

FormalParameters: [empty]

1. Return true.

FormalParameters: FunctionRestParameter

1. Return false.

FormalParameters: FormalParameterList, FunctionRestParameter

1. Return false.

FormalParameterList: FormalParameterList, FormalParameter

- 1. If IsSimpleParameterList of FormalParameterList is false, return false.
- 2. Return IsSimpleParameterList of FormalParameter.

FormalParameter: BindingElement

1. Return IsSimpleParameterList of BindingElement.

### 14.1.17 Static Semantics: Lexically Declared Names

FunctionStatementList : [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

FunctionStatementList: StatementList

1. Return TopLevelLexicallyDeclaredNames of StatementList.

### 14.1.18 Static Semantics: LexicallyScopedDeclarations

FunctionStatementList: [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

FunctionStatementList: StatementList

1. Return the TopLevelLexicallyScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*.

#### 14.1.19 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

FunctionStatementList : [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

FunctionStatementList: StatementList

1. Return TopLevelVarDeclaredNames of StatementList.

### 14.1.20 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

FunctionStatementList : [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

FunctionStatementList: StatementList

1. Return the TopLevelVarScopedDeclarations of *StatementList*.

### 14.1.21 Runtime Semantics: EvaluateBody

With parameters functionObject and List argumentsList.

FunctionBody: FunctionStatementList

- 1. Perform ? FunctionDeclarationInstantiation(functionObject, argumentsList).
- 2. Return the result of evaluating *FunctionStatementList*.

# 14.1.22 Runtime Semantics: IteratorBindingInitialization

With parameters iteratorRecord and environment.

NOTE

When **undefined** is passed for *environment* it indicates that a PutValue operation should be used to assign the initialization value. This is the case for formal parameter lists of non-strict functions. In that case the formal parameter bindings are preinitialized in order to deal with the possibility of multiple parameters with the same name.

FormalParameters: [empty]

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

FormalParameters: FormalParameterList, FunctionRestParameter

- 1. Perform? IteratorBindingInitialization for FormalParameterList using iteratorRecord and environment as the arguments.
- 2. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *FunctionRestParameter* using *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as the arguments.

FormalParameterList: FormalParameterList, FormalParameter

- 1. Perform? IteratorBindingInitialization for FormalParameterList using iteratorRecord and environment as the arguments.
- 2. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *FormalParameter* using *iteratorRecord* and *environment* as the arguments.

FormalParameter: BindingElement

1. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingElement* with arguments *iteratorRecord* and *environment*.

FunctionRestParameter: BindingRestElement

1. Return the result of performing IteratorBindingInitialization for *BindingRestElement* with arguments *iteratorRecord* and *environment*.

### 14.1.23 Runtime Semantics: InstantiateFunctionObject

With parameter *scope*.

FunctionDeclaration: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

- 1. Let name be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 2. Let *F* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Function.prototype%, *FormalParameters*, *FunctionBody*, **non-lexical-this**, *scope*).
- 3. Perform MakeConstructor(*F*).
- 4. Perform SetFunctionName(*F*, *name*).
- 5. Set *F*.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by *FunctionDeclaration*.
- 6. Return *F*.

FunctionDeclaration: function (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

- 1. Let *F* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Function.prototype%, *FormalParameters*, *FunctionBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 2. Perform MakeConstructor(*F*).
- 3. Perform SetFunctionName(F, "default").
- 4. Set F.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by FunctionDeclaration.
- 5. Return *F*.

**NOTE** 

An anonymous *FunctionDeclaration* can only occur as part of an **export default** declaration, and its function code is therefore always strict mode code.

#### 14.1.24 Runtime Semantics: NamedEvaluation

With parameter name.

FunctionExpression: function (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

- 1. Let *closure* be the result of evaluating this *FunctionExpression*.
- 2. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 3. Return closure.

#### 14.1.25 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

FunctionDeclaration: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

NOTE 1 An alternative semantics is provided in B.3.3.

FunctionDeclaration: function (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

FunctionExpression: function (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

- 1. Let *scope* be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- 2. Let *closure* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Function.prototype%, FormalParameters, FunctionBody, non-lexical-this, scope).
- 3. Perform MakeConstructor(closure).
- 4. Set *closure*.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by *FunctionExpression*.
- 5. Return closure.

FunctionExpression: function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

- 1. Let scope be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 2. Let funcEnv be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(scope).
- 3. Let envRec be funcEnv's EnvironmentRecord.
- 4. Let name be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 5. Perform *envRec*.CreateImmutableBinding(*name*, **false**).
- 6. Let closure be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Function.prototype%, FormalParameters, FunctionBody, non-lexical-this,

```
funcEnv).
```

- 7. Perform MakeConstructor(closure).
- 8. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 9. Set closure.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by FunctionExpression.
- 10. Perform *envRec*.InitializeBinding(*name*, *closure*).
- 11. Return closure.

NOTE 2

The *BindingIdentifier* in a *FunctionExpression* can be referenced from inside the *FunctionExpression*'s *FunctionBody* to allow the function to call itself recursively. However, unlike in a *FunctionDeclaration*, the *BindingIdentifier* in a *FunctionExpression* cannot be referenced from and does not affect the scope enclosing the *FunctionExpression*.

NOTE 3

A "prototype" property is automatically created for every function defined using a *FunctionDeclaration* or *FunctionExpression*, to allow for the possibility that the function will be used as a constructor.

FunctionStatementList: [empty]

1. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

### 14.2 Arrow Function Definitions

### **Syntax**

```
ArrowFunction [In, Yield, Await]:

ArrowParameters [?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] => ConciseBody [?In]

ArrowParameters [Yield, Await]:

BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await]

CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList [?Yield, ?Await]

ConciseBody [In]:

[lookahead ≠ {] ExpressionBody [?In, ~Await]

{ FunctionBody [~Yield, ~Await] }

ExpressionBody [In, Await]:

AssignmentExpression [?In, ~Yield, ?Await]
```

# Supplemental Syntax

```
When the production
```

 $ArrowParameters_{\tt [Yield, Await]}: CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList_{\tt [?Yield, ?Await]} is recognized the following grammar is used to refine the interpretation of <math display="block">CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList:$ 

```
ArrowFormalParameters[Yield, Await] :
```

#### 14.2.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

ArrowFunction: ArrowParameters => ConciseBody

- It is a Syntax Error if *ArrowParameters* Contains *YieldExpression* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *ArrowParameters* Contains *AwaitExpression* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *ConciseBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *ArrowParameters* is **false**.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *ArrowParameters* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *ConciseBody*.

Arrow Parameters: Cover Parenthesized Expression And Arrow Parameter List

- It is a Syntax Error if *CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList* is not covering an *ArrowFormalParameters*.
- All early error rules for *ArrowFormalParameters* and its derived productions also apply to CoveredFormalsList of *CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList*.

#### 14.2.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

ArrowParameters: CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList

- 1. Let formals be CoveredFormalsList of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.
- 2. Return the BoundNames of formals.

#### 14.2.3 Static Semantics: Contains

With parameter symbol.

ArrowFunction: ArrowParameters => ConciseBody

- 1. If *symbol* is not one of *NewTarget*, *SuperProperty*, *SuperCall*, **super** or **this**, return **false**.
- 2. If *ArrowParameters* Contains *symbol* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ConciseBody Contains symbol.

**NOTE** 

Normally, Contains does not look inside most function forms. However, Contains is used to detect **new.target**, **this**, and **super** usage within an *ArrowFunction*.

Arrow Parameters: Cover Parenthesized Expression And Arrow Parameter List

- 1. Let formals be CoveredFormalsList of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.
- 2. Return formals Contains symbol.

### 14.2.4 Static Semantics: Contains Expression

ArrowParameters: BindingIdentifier

1. Return false.

- 1. Let formals be CoveredFormalsList of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.
- 2. Return Contains Expression of formals.

#### 14.2.5 Static Semantics: ContainsUseStrict

ConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return false.

### 14.2.6 Static Semantics: ExpectedArgumentCount

ArrowParameters: BindingIdentifier

1. Return 1.

ArrowParameters: CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList

- 1. Let formals be CoveredFormalsList of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.
- 2. Return ExpectedArgumentCount of formals.

#### 14.2.7 Static Semantics: HasName

ArrowFunction: ArrowParameters => ConciseBody

1. Return false.

### 14.2.8 Static Semantics: IsSimpleParameterList

ArrowParameters: BindingIdentifier

1. Return **true**.

ArrowParameters: CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList

- 1. Let formals be CoveredFormalsList of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.
- 2. Return IsSimpleParameterList of formals.

#### 14.2.9 Static Semantics: CoveredFormalsList

ArrowParameters: BindingIdentifier

1. Return this *ArrowParameters*.

Cover Parenthe sized Expression And Arrow Parameter List:

```
( Expression )
( Expression , )
()
( ... BindingIdentifier )
( ... BindingPattern )
( Expression , ... BindingIdentifier )
( Expression , ... BindingPattern )
```

1. Return the *ArrowFormalParameters* that is covered by *CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList*.

### 14.2.10 Static Semantics: Lexically Declared Names

ConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return a new empty List.

### 14.2.11 Static Semantics: LexicallyScopedDeclarations

ConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return a new empty List.

#### 14.2.12 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

ConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return a new empty List.

### 14.2.13 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

ConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return a new empty List.

### 14.2.14 Runtime Semantics: IteratorBindingInitialization

With parameters iteratorRecord and environment.

NOTE

When **undefined** is passed for *environment* it indicates that a PutValue operation should be used to assign the initialization value. This is the case for formal parameter lists of non-strict functions. In that case the formal parameter bindings are preinitialized in order to deal with the possibility of multiple parameters with the same name.

ArrowParameters: BindingIdentifier

- 1. Assert: iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is false.
- 2. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
- 3. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
- 4. ReturnIfAbrupt(*next*).
- 5. If *next* is **false**, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let v be IteratorValue(next).
  - b. If *v* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(v).
- 7. If *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] is **true**, let *v* be **undefined**.
- 8. Return the result of performing BindingInitialization for BindingIdentifier using v and environment as the arguments.

Arrow Parameters: Cover Parenthesized Expression And Arrow Parameter List

- Let formals be CoveredFormalsList of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.
- 2. Return IteratorBindingInitialization of *formals* with arguments *iteratorRecord* and *environment*.

### 14.2.15 Runtime Semantics: EvaluateBody

With parameters functionObject and List argumentsList.

ConciseBody: ExpressionBody

- 1. Perform ? FunctionDeclarationInstantiation(functionObject, argumentsList).
- 2. Return the result of evaluating *ExpressionBody*.

#### 14.2.16 Runtime Semantics: NamedEvaluation

With parameter *name*.

ArrowFunction: ArrowParameters => ConciseBody

- 1. Let *closure* be the result of evaluating this *ArrowFunction*.
- 2. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 3. Return closure.

#### 14.2.17 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ArrowFunction: ArrowParameters => ConciseBody

- Let scope be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- 2. Let parameters be CoveredFormalsList of *ArrowParameters*.
- 3. Let *closure* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Function.prototype%, *parameters*, *ConciseBody*, lexical-this, *scope*).
- 4. Set *closure*.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by *ArrowFunction*.
- 5. Return closure.

NOTE

An ArrowFunction does not define local bindings for **arguments**, **super**, **this**, or **new.target**. Any reference to **arguments**, **super**, **this**, or **new.target** within an ArrowFunction must resolve to a binding in a lexically enclosing environment. Typically this will be the Function Environment of an immediately enclosing function. Even though an ArrowFunction may contain references to **super**, the function object created in step 3 is not made into a method by performing MakeMethod. An ArrowFunction that references **super** is always contained within a non-ArrowFunction and the necessary state to implement **super** is accessible via the scope that is captured by the function object of the ArrowFunction.

ExpressionBody: AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- Let exprValue be ? GetValue(exprRef).
- Return Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: exprValue, [[Target]]: empty }.

### 14.3 Method Definitions

#### **Syntax**

```
MethodDefinition[Yield, Await] :
    PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] ( UniqueFormalParameters[~Yield, ~Await] ) {
        FunctionBody[~Yield, ~Await] }
    GeneratorMethod[?Yield, ?Await]
    AsyncMethod[?Yield, ?Await]
    AsyncGeneratorMethod[?Yield, ?Await]
    get PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] ( ) { FunctionBody[~Yield, ~Await] }
    set PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] ( ) PropertySetParameterList ) { FunctionBody[~Yield, ~Await] }

PropertySetParameterList :
    FormalParameter[~Yield, ~Await]
```

### 14.3.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

MethodDefinition: PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *FunctionBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *UniqueFormalParameters* is **false**.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *UniqueFormalParameters* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *FunctionBody*.

MethodDefinition: set PropertyName ( PropertySetParameterList ) { FunctionBody }

- It is a Syntax Error if BoundNames of *PropertySetParameterList* contains any duplicate elements.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *FunctionBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *PropertySetParameterList* is **false**.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *PropertySetParameterList* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *FunctionBody*.

# 14.3.2 Static Semantics: ComputedPropertyContains

With parameter *symbol*.

```
MethodDefinition:
```

```
PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { FunctionBody }
get PropertyName () { FunctionBody }
set PropertyName (PropertySetParameterList) { FunctionBody }
```

1. Return the result of ComputedPropertyContains for *PropertyName* with argument *symbol*.

### 14.3.3 Static Semantics: ExpectedArgumentCount

PropertySetParameterList: FormalParameter

- 1. If HasInitializer of FormalParameter is **true**, return 0.
- 2. Return 1.

### 14.3.4 Static Semantics: HasDirectSuper

MethodDefinition: PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

- 1. If *UniqueFormalParameters* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Return FunctionBody Contains SuperCall.

MethodDefinition: get PropertyName () { FunctionBody }

1. Return FunctionBody Contains SuperCall.

MethodDefinition: set PropertyName ( PropertySetParameterList ) { FunctionBody }

- 1. If *PropertySetParameterList* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Return FunctionBody Contains SuperCall.

#### 14.3.5 Static Semantics: PropName

```
MethodDefinition:
```

```
PropertyName ( UniqueFormalParameters ) { FunctionBody }
get PropertyName ( ) { FunctionBody }
set PropertyName ( PropertySetParameterList ) { FunctionBody }
```

1. Return PropName of *PropertyName*.

#### 14.3.6 Static Semantics: SpecialMethod

MethodDefinition: PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

1. Return false.

```
MethodDefinition:
```

```
GeneratorMethod
AsyncMethod
AsyncGeneratorMethod
get PropertyName () { FunctionBody }
set PropertyName ( PropertySetParameterList ) { FunctionBody }
```

1. Return true.

#### 14.3.7 Runtime Semantics: DefineMethod

With parameter *object* and optional parameter *functionPrototype*.

MethodDefinition: PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

- 1. Let *propKey* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(propKey).
- 3. Let *scope* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 4. If functionPrototype is present as a parameter, then
  - a. Let prototype be functionPrototype.
- 5. Else,
  - a. Let *prototype* be %Function.prototype%.

- 6. Let *closure* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(*prototype*, *UniqueFormalParameters*, *FunctionBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 7. Perform MakeMethod(closure, object).
- 8. Set closure.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by MethodDefinition.
- 9. Return the Record { [[Key]]: propKey, [[Closure]]: closure }.

### 14.3.8 Runtime Semantics: PropertyDefinitionEvaluation

With parameters *object* and *enumerable*.

MethodDefinition: PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { FunctionBody }

- 1. Let *methodDef* be? DefineMethod of *MethodDefinition* with argument *object*.
- 2. Perform SetFunctionName(methodDef.[[Closure]], methodDef.[[Key]]).
- 3. Let *desc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *methodDef*.[[Closure]], [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: *enumerable*, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- 4. Return? DefinePropertyOrThrow(object, methodDef.[[Key]], desc).

MethodDefinition: get PropertyName () { FunctionBody }

- 1. Let *propKey* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- ReturnIfAbrupt(propKey).
- 3. Let scope be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 4. Let formalParameterList be an instance of the production FormalParameters: [empty].
- 5. Let *closure* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Function.prototype%, *formalParameterList*, *FunctionBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 6. Perform MakeMethod(closure, object).
- 7. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, propKey, "get").
- 8. Set *closure*.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by *MethodDefinition*.
- 9. Let *desc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Get]]: *closure*, [[Enumerable]]: *enumerable*, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- 10. Return? DefinePropertyOrThrow(object, propKey, desc).

MethodDefinition: set PropertyName ( PropertySetParameterList ) { FunctionBody }

- 1. Let *propKey* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(propKey).
- 3. Let *scope* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 4. Let *closure* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Function.prototype%, *PropertySetParameterList*, *FunctionBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 5. Perform MakeMethod(closure, object).
- 6. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, propKey, "set").
- 7. Set *closure*.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by *MethodDefinition*.
- 8. Let desc be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Set]]: closure, [[Enumerable]]: enumerable, [[Configurable]]: true }.
- 9. Return? DefinePropertyOrThrow(object, propKey, desc).

# 14.4 Generator Function Definitions

# **Syntax**

```
GeneratorMethod [Yield, Await]:

* PropertyName [?Yield, ?Await] ( UniqueFormalParameters [+Yield, -Await] ) { GeneratorBody }

GeneratorDeclaration [Yield, Await, Default]:

function * BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] ( FormalParameters [+Yield, -Await] ) { GeneratorBody }

[+Default] function * ( FormalParameters [+Yield, -Await] ) { GeneratorBody }

GeneratorExpression:

function * BindingIdentifier [+Yield, -Await] opt ( FormalParameters [+Yield, -Await] ) { GeneratorBody }

GeneratorBody:

FunctionBody [+Yield, -Await]

YieldExpression [In, Await]:

yield [no LineTerminator here] AssignmentExpression [?In, +Yield, ?Await]

yield [no LineTerminator here] * AssignmentExpression [?In, +Yield, ?Await]
```

NOTE 1 The syntactic context immediately following **yield** requires use of the *InputElementRegExpOrTemplateTail* lexical goal.

NOTE 2 *YieldExpression* cannot be used within the *FormalParameters* of a generator function because any expressions that are part of *FormalParameters* are evaluated before the resulting generator object is in a resumable state.

NOTE 3 Abstract operations relating to generator objects are defined in 25.4.3.

### 14.4.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

GeneratorMethod: \* PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }

- It is a Syntax Error if HasDirectSuper of *GeneratorMethod* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *UniqueFormalParameters* Contains *YieldExpression* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *GeneratorBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *UniqueFormalParameters* is **false**.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *UniqueFormalParameters* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *GeneratorBody*.

```
GeneratorDeclaration: function * BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }
GeneratorDeclaration: function * (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }
GeneratorExpression: function * BindingIdentifieropt (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }
```

- If the source code matching *FormalParameters* is strict mode code, the Early Error rules for *UniqueFormalParameters*: *FormalParameters* are applied.
- If *BindingIdentifier* is present and the source code matching *BindingIdentifier* is strict mode code, it is a Syntax Error if the StringValue of *BindingIdentifier* is "eval" or "arguments".
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of GeneratorBody is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of FormalParameters

is **false**.

- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *FormalParameters* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *GeneratorBody*.
- It is a Syntax Error if *FormalParameters* Contains *YieldExpression* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains SuperProperty is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *GeneratorBody* Contains *SuperProperty* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *FormalParameters* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *GeneratorBody* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**.

#### 14.4.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

```
Generator Declaration: function * Binding Identifier (Formal Parameters) { Generator Body }
```

1. Return the BoundNames of *BindingIdentifier*.

```
GeneratorDeclaration: function * (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }
```

1. Return « "\*default\*" ».

**NOTE** 

"\*default\*" is used within this specification as a synthetic name for hoistable anonymous functions that are defined using export declarations.

### 14.4.3 Static Semantics: ComputedPropertyContains

With parameter symbol.

```
GeneratorMethod: * PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }
```

1. Return the result of ComputedPropertyContains for *PropertyName* with argument *symbol*.

#### 14.4.4 Static Semantics: Contains

With parameter *symbol*.

```
GeneratorDeclaration: function * BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }
GeneratorDeclaration: function * (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }
GeneratorExpression: function * BindingIdentifier_opt (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }
```

1. Return **false**.

**NOTE** 

Static semantic rules that depend upon substructure generally do not look into function definitions.

#### 14.4.5 Static Semantics: HasDirectSuper

```
GeneratorMethod: * PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }
```

- 1. If *UniqueFormalParameters* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Return GeneratorBody Contains SuperCall.

#### 14.4.6 Static Semantics: HasName

GeneratorExpression: function \* (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }

1. Return false.

GeneratorExpression: function \* BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }

1. Return true.

#### 14.4.7 Static Semantics: IsConstantDeclaration

```
Generator Declaration: function * Binding Identifier (Formal Parameters) { Generator Body } Generator Declaration: function * (Formal Parameters) { Generator Body }
```

1. Return **false**.

#### 14.4.8 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

```
Generator Expression: function * Binding Identifier opt (Formal Parameters) { Generator Body }
```

1. Return true.

#### 14.4.9 Static Semantics: PropName

GeneratorMethod: \* PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }

1. Return PropName of *PropertyName*.

### 14.4.10 Runtime Semantics: EvaluateBody

With parameters functionObject and List argumentsList.

*GeneratorBody*: FunctionBody

- 1. Perform ? FunctionDeclarationInstantiation(functionObject, argumentsList).
- 2. Let *G* be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(*functionObject*, "%Generator.prototype%", « [[GeneratorState]], [[GeneratorContext]] »).
- 3. Perform GeneratorStart(*G*, FunctionBody).
- 4. Return Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: G, [[Target]]: empty }.

### 14.4.11 Runtime Semantics: InstantiateFunctionObject

With parameter scope.

Generator Declaration: function \* Binding Identifier (Formal Parameters) { Generator Body }

- 1. Let name be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 2. Let *F* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Generator%, *FormalParameters*, *GeneratorBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 3. Let *prototype* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Generator.prototype%).
- 4. Perform DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *prototype*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 5. Perform SetFunctionName(*F*, *name*).

- 6. Set F.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by Generator Declaration.
- 7. Return *F*.

Generator Declaration: function \* (Formal Parameters) { Generator Body }

- 1. Let *F* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Generator%, FormalParameters, GeneratorBody, non-lexical-this, scope).
- Let prototype be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Generator.prototype%).
- 3. Perform DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *prototype*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 4. Perform SetFunctionName(F, "default").
- 5. Set F.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by Generator Declaration.
- 6. Return F.

**NOTE** 

An anonymous *Generator Declaration* can only occur as part of an **export default** declaration, and its function code is therefore always strict mode code.

### 14.4.12 Runtime Semantics: Property Definition Evaluation

With parameters *object* and *enumerable*.

GeneratorMethod: \* PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }

- 1. Let *propKey* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(propKey).
- 3. Let *scope* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 4. Let *closure* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Generator%, *UniqueFormalParameters*, *GeneratorBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 5. Perform MakeMethod(closure, object).
- 6. Let *prototype* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Generator.prototype%).
- 7. Perform DefinePropertyOrThrow(closure, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: prototype, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }).
- 8. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, propKey).
- 9. Set closure.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by GeneratorMethod.
- 10. Let *desc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *closure*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: *enumerable*, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- 11. Return? DefinePropertyOrThrow(object, propKey, desc).

#### 14.4.13 Runtime Semantics: NamedEvaluation

With parameter *name*.

GeneratorExpression: function \* (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }

- 1. Let *closure* be the result of evaluating this *GeneratorExpression*.
- 2. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 3. Return closure.

#### 14.4.14 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

GeneratorExpression: function \* (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }

- 1. Let *scope* be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- 2. Let *closure* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Generator%, FormalParameters, GeneratorBody, non-lexical-this, scope).
- 3. Let *prototype* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Generator.prototype%).
- 4. Perform DefinePropertyOrThrow(closure, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: prototype, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }).
- 5. Set *closure*.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by *GeneratorExpression*.
- 6. Return closure.

GeneratorExpression: function \* BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { GeneratorBody }

- 1. Let *scope* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 2. Let *funcEnv* be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*scope*).
- 3. Let envRec be funcEnv's EnvironmentRecord.
- 4. Let name be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 5. Perform *envRec*.CreateImmutableBinding(*name*, **false**).
- 6. Let *closure* be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%Generator%, *FormalParameters*, *GeneratorBody*, non-lexical-this, *funcEnv*).
- 7. Let *prototype* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Generator.prototype%).
- 8. Perform DefinePropertyOrThrow(closure, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: prototype, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }).
- 9. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 10. Perform envRec.InitializeBinding(name, closure).
- 11. Set *closure*.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by *GeneratorExpression*.
- 12. Return closure.

NOTE

The *BindingIdentifier* in a *GeneratorExpression* can be referenced from inside the *GeneratorExpression*'s *FunctionBody* to allow the generator code to call itself recursively. However, unlike in a *GeneratorDeclaration*, the *BindingIdentifier* in a *GeneratorExpression* cannot be referenced from and does not affect the scope enclosing the *GeneratorExpression*.

#### YieldExpression: yield

- Let generatorKind be! GetGeneratorKind().
- 2. If *generatorKind* is async, then return? AsyncGeneratorYield(undefined).
- 3. Otherwise, return? GeneratorYield(CreateIterResultObject(undefined, false)).

YieldExpression: yield AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *generatorKind* be ! GetGeneratorKind().
- 2. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
- 3. Let value be ? GetValue(exprRef).
- 4. If *generatorKind* is **async**, then return ? AsyncGeneratorYield(*value*).
- 5. Otherwise, return? GeneratorYield(CreateIterResultObject(value, false)).

YieldExpression: yield \* AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *generatorKind* be ! GetGeneratorKind().
- 2. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.

- 3. Let *value* be ? GetValue(*exprRef*).
- 4. Let iteratorRecord be? GetIterator(value, generatorKind).
- 5. Let *iterator* be *iteratorRecord*.[[Iterator]].
- 6. Let received be NormalCompletion(undefined).
- 7. Repeat,
  - a. If received.[[Type]] is normal, then
    - i. Let innerResult be ? Call(iteratorRecord.[[NextMethod]], iteratorRecord.[[Iterator]], « received. [[Value]] »).
    - ii. If *generatorKind* is **async**, then set *innerResult* to ? Await(*innerResult*).
    - iii. If Type(innerResult) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
    - iv. Let *done* be ? IteratorComplete(*innerResult*).
    - v. If done is **true**, then
      - 1. Return? IteratorValue(innerResult).
    - vi. If generatorKind is async, then set received to AsyncGeneratorYield(? IteratorValue(innerResult)).
    - vii. Else, set received to GeneratorYield(innerResult).
  - b. Else if *received*.[[Type]] is throw, then
    - i. Let throw be ? GetMethod(iterator, "throw").
    - ii. If throw is not undefined, then
      - 1. Let innerResult be ? Call(throw, iterator, « received.[[Value]] »).
      - 2. If *generatorKind* is **async**, then set *innerResult* to ? Await(*innerResult*).
      - 3. NOTE: Exceptions from the inner iterator **throw** method are propagated. Normal completions from an inner **throw** method are processed similarly to an inner **next**.
      - 4. If Type(innerResult) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
      - 5. Let *done* be ? IteratorComplete(*innerResult*).
      - 6. If done is **true**, then
        - a. Return? IteratorValue(innerResult).
      - 7. If *generatorKind* is **async**, then set *received* to AsyncGeneratorYield(? IteratorValue(*innerResult*)).
      - 8. Else, set received to GeneratorYield(innerResult).
    - iii. Else,
      - NOTE: If iterator does not have a throw method, this throw is going to terminate the yield\* loop. But first we need to give iterator a chance to clean up.
      - 2. Let closeCompletion be Completion { [[Type]]: normal, [[Value]]: empty, [[Target]]: empty }.
      - 3. If generatorKind is async, perform? AsyncIteratorClose(iteratorRecord, closeCompletion).
      - 4. Else, perform? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, closeCompletion).
      - 5. NOTE: The next step throws a **TypeError** to indicate that there was a **yield\*** protocol violation: *iterator* does not have a **throw** method.
      - 6. Throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - c. Else,
    - i. Assert: received.[[Type]] is return.
    - ii. Let return be ? GetMethod(iterator, "return").
    - iii. If return is **undefined**, then
      - 1. If generatorKind is async, then set received.[[Value]] to ? Await(received.[[Value]]).
      - 2. Return Completion(received).
    - iv. Let innerReturnResult be? Call(return, iterator, « received.[[Value]] »).
    - v. If generatorKind is async, then set innerReturnResult to? Await(innerReturnResult).
    - vi. If Type(innerReturnResult) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.

```
vii. Let done be? IteratorComplete(innerReturnResult).
viii. If done is true, then

Let value be? IteratorValue(innerReturnResult).
Return Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: value, [[Target]]: empty }.
ix. If generatorKind is async, then set received to AsyncGeneratorYield(? IteratorValue(innerReturnResult)).
x. Else, set received to GeneratorYield(innerReturnResult).
```

# 14.5 Async Generator Function Definitions

### **Syntax**

```
AsyncGeneratorMethod [Yield, Await]:

async [no LineTerminator here] * PropertyName [?Yield, ?Await] (

UniqueFormalParameters [+Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

AsyncGeneratorDeclaration [Yield, Await, Default] :

async [no LineTerminator here] function * BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] (

FormalParameters [+Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

[+Default] async [no LineTerminator here] function * (FormalParameters [+Yield, +Await] ) {

AsyncGeneratorExpression :

async [no LineTerminator here] function * BindingIdentifier [+Yield, +Await] opt (

FormalParameters [+Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

AsyncGeneratorBody :

FunctionBody [+Yield, +Await]
```

NOTE 1 *YieldExpression* and *AwaitExpression* cannot be used within the *FormalParameters* of an async generator function because any expressions that are part of *FormalParameters* are evaluated before the resulting async generator object is in a resumable state.

NOTE 2 Abstract operations relating to async generator objects are defined in 25.5.3.

### 14.5.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

AsyncGeneratorMethod: async \* PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

- It is a Syntax Error if HasDirectSuper of *AsyncGeneratorMethod* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *UniqueFormalParameters* Contains *YieldExpression* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *UniqueFormalParameters* Contains *AwaitExpression* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *AsyncGeneratorBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *UniqueFormalParameters* is **false**.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *UniqueFormalParameters* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *AsyncGeneratorBody*.

```
AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function * BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function * (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
AsyncGeneratorExpression: async function * BindingIdentifieropt (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
```

- If the source code matching *FormalParameters* is strict mode code, the Early Error rules for *UniqueFormalParameters*: *FormalParameters* are applied.
- If *BindingIdentifier* is present and the source code matching *BindingIdentifier* is strict mode code, it is a Syntax Error if the StringValue of *BindingIdentifier* is "eval" or "arguments".
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *AsyncGeneratorBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *FormalParameters* is **false**.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *FormalParameters* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *AsyncGeneratorBody*.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains YieldExpression is true.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains AwaitExpression is true.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains SuperProperty is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *AsyncGeneratorBody* Contains *SuperProperty* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains SuperCall is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *AsyncGeneratorBody* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**.

### 14.5.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function \* BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

1. Return the BoundNames of BindingIdentifier.

AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function \* (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

1. Return « "\*default\*" ».

**NOTE** 

"\*default\*" is used within this specification as a synthetic name for hoistable anonymous functions that are defined using export declarations.

# 14.5.3 Static Semantics: ComputedPropertyContains

With parameter *symbol*.

AsyncGeneratorMethod: async \* PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

1. Return the result of ComputedPropertyContains for *PropertyName* with argument *symbol*.

### 14.5.4 Static Semantics: Contains

With parameter *symbol*.

```
AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function * BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function * (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
AsyncGeneratorExpression: async function * BindingIdentifieropt (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
```

1. Return false.

Static semantic rules that depend upon substructure generally do not look into function definitions.

### 14.5.5 Static Semantics: HasDirectSuper

AsyncGeneratorMethod: async \* PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

- 1. If *UniqueFormalParameters* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Return AsyncGeneratorBody Contains SuperCall.

#### 14.5.6 Static Semantics: HasName

AsyncGeneratorExpression: async function \* (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

1. Return **false**.

AsyncGeneratorExpression: async function \* BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

1. Return true.

#### 14.5.7 Static Semantics: IsConstantDeclaration

```
AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function * BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function * (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
```

1. Return false.

#### 14.5.8 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

```
AsyncGeneratorExpression: async function * BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
```

1. Return true.

### 14.5.9 Static Semantics: PropName

AsyncGeneratorMethod: async \* PropertyName ( UniqueFormalParameters ) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

1. Return PropName of *PropertyName*.

### 14.5.10 Runtime Semantics: EvaluateBody

With parameters functionObject and List argumentsList.

*AsyncGeneratorBody* : *FunctionBody* 

- 1. Perform ? FunctionDeclarationInstantiation(functionObject, argumentsList).
- 2. Let *generator* be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(*functionObject*, "%AsyncGenerator.prototype%", « [[AsyncGeneratorState]], [[AsyncGeneratorContext]], [[AsyncGeneratorQueue]] »).
- 3. Perform! AsyncGeneratorStart(generator, FunctionBody).
- 4. Return Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: generator, [[Target]]: empty }.

### 14.5.11 Runtime Semantics: InstantiateFunctionObject

With parameter scope.

AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function \* BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

- 1. Let name be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 2. Let F be! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncGenerator%, FormalParameters, AsyncGeneratorBody, non-lexical-this, scope).
- 3. Let *prototype* be! OrdinaryObjectCreate(%AsyncGenerator.prototype%).
- 4. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *prototype*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 5. Perform ! SetFunctionName(*F*, *name*).
- 6. Set F.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncGeneratorDeclaration.
- 7. Return *F*.

AsyncGeneratorDeclaration: async function \* (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

- 1. Let F be OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncGenerator%, FormalParameters, AsyncGeneratorBody, non-lexical-this, scope).
- 2. Let *prototype* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%AsyncGenerator.prototype%).
- 3. Perform DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *prototype*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 4. Perform SetFunctionName(F, "default").
- 5. Set F.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncGeneratorDeclaration.
- 6. Return F.

**NOTE** 

An anonymous *AsyncGeneratorDeclaration* can only occur as part of an **export default** declaration.

# 14.5.12 Runtime Semantics: PropertyDefinitionEvaluation

With parameter *object* and *enumerable*.

AsyncGeneratorMethod: async \* PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

- 1. Let *propKey* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(propKey).
- 3. Let *scope* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 4. Let *closure* be! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncGenerator%, *UniqueFormalParameters*, *AsyncGeneratorBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 5. Perform! MakeMethod(closure, object).
- 6. Let prototype be ! OrdinaryObjectCreate(%AsyncGenerator.prototype%).
- 7. Perform ! DefinePropertyOrThrow(closure, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: prototype, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }).
- 8. Perform ! SetFunctionName(closure, propKey).
- 9. Set *closure*.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by *AsyncGeneratorMethod*.
- 10. Let *desc* be PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *closure*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: *enumerable*, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.

#### 14.5.13 Runtime Semantics: NamedEvaluation

With parameter name.

AsyncGeneratorExpression: async function \* (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

- 1. Let *closure* be the result of evaluating this *AsyncGeneratorExpression*.
- 2. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 3. Return closure.

#### 14.5.14 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

AsyncGeneratorExpression: async function \* (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

- 1. Let *scope* be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- 2. Let *closure* be! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncGenerator%, FormalParameters, AsyncGeneratorBody, non-lexical-this, scope).
- 3. Let *prototype* be ! OrdinaryObjectCreate(%AsyncGenerator.prototype%).
- 4. Perform ! DefinePropertyOrThrow(closure, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: prototype, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }).
- 5. Set closure.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncGeneratorExpression.
- 6. Return closure.

AsyncGeneratorExpression: async function \* BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncGeneratorBody }

- 1. Let *scope* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 2. Let funcEnv be! NewDeclarativeEnvironment(scope).
- 3. Let *envRec* be *funcEnv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 4. Let name be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 5. Perform! envRec.CreateImmutableBinding(name, false).
- 6. Let *closure* be ! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncGenerator%, *FormalParameters*, *AsyncGeneratorBody*, non-lexical-this, *funcEnv*).
- 7. Let *prototype* be! OrdinaryObjectCreate(%AsyncGenerator.prototype%).
- 8. Perform ! DefinePropertyOrThrow(closure, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: prototype, [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }).
- 9. Perform! SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 10. Perform! envRec.InitializeBinding(name, closure).
- 11. Set closure.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncGeneratorExpression.
- 12. Return closure.

NOTE

The BindingIdentifier in an AsyncGeneratorExpression can be referenced from inside the AsyncGeneratorExpression's AsyncGeneratorBody to allow the generator code to call itself recursively. However, unlike in an AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, the BindingIdentifier in an AsyncGeneratorExpression cannot be referenced from and does not affect the scope enclosing the AsyncGeneratorExpression.

## 14.6 Class Definitions

### **Syntax**

```
Class Declaration [Yield, Await, Default]:
         class BindingIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await] ClassTail[?Yield, ?Await]
         [+Default] class ClassTail [?Yield, ?Await]
ClassExpression[Yield, Await] :
         class BindingIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await] opt ClassTail[?Yield, ?Await]
ClassTail[Yield, Await] :
         ClassHeritage[?Yield, ?Await] opt { ClassBody[?Yield, ?Await] opt }
ClassHeritage[Yield, Await] :
         extends LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
ClassBody[Yield, Await] :
         ClassElementList_{[?Yield, ?Await]}
ClassElementList_{[Yield, Await]}:
         ClassElement[?Yield, ?Await]
         ClassElementList[?Yield, ?Await] ClassElement[?Yield, ?Await]
ClassElement[Yield, Await] :
        MethodDefinition_{[?Yield, ?Await]}
         static MethodDefinition[?Yield, ?Await]
```

NOTE

A class definition is always strict mode code.

# 14.6.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

ClassTail: ClassHeritage<sub>opt</sub> { ClassBody }

- It is a Syntax Error if *ClassHeritage* is not present and the following algorithm evaluates to **true**:
  - 1. Let *constructor* be ConstructorMethod of *ClassBody*.
  - 2. If constructor is empty, return false.
  - 3. Return HasDirectSuper of constructor.

ClassBody: ClassElementList

• It is a Syntax Error if PrototypePropertyNameList of *ClassElementList* contains more than one occurrence of "constructor".

ClassElement: MethodDefinition

• It is a Syntax Error if PropName of *MethodDefinition* is not "constructor" and HasDirectSuper of *MethodDefinition* is true.

• It is a Syntax Error if PropName of *MethodDefinition* is **"constructor"** and SpecialMethod of *MethodDefinition* is **true**.

ClassElement: static MethodDefinition

- It is a Syntax Error if HasDirectSuper of *MethodDefinition* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if PropName of *MethodDefinition* is **"prototype"**.

#### 14.6.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

Class Declaration: class Binding Identifier Class Tail

1. Return the BoundNames of BindingIdentifier.

ClassDeclaration: class ClassTail

1. Return « "\*default\*" ».

#### 14.6.3 Static Semantics: ConstructorMethod

ClassElementList: ClassElement

- 1. If ClassElement is ClassElement:; , return empty.
- 2. If IsStatic of *ClassElement* is **true**, return **empty**.
- 3. If PropName of *ClassElement* is not "constructor", return empty.
- 4. Return ClassElement.

ClassElementList: ClassElementList ClassElement

- 1. Let head be ConstructorMethod of ClassElementList.
- 2. If head is not **empty**, return head.
- 3. If ClassElement is ClassElement:; , return empty.
- 4. If IsStatic of *ClassElement* is **true**, return **empty**.
- 5. If PropName of *ClassElement* is not "constructor", return empty.
- 6. Return ClassElement.

NOTE

Early Error rules ensure that there is only one method definition named "constructor" and that it is not an accessor property or generator definition.

#### 14.6.4 Static Semantics: Contains

With parameter *symbol*.

ClassTail: ClassHeritage ( ClassBody )

- 1. If *symbol* is *ClassBody*, return **true**.
- 2. If symbol is ClassHeritage, then
  - a. If *ClassHeritage* is present, return **true**; otherwise return **false**.
- 3. Let inHeritage be ClassHeritage Contains symbol.
- 4. If *inHeritage* is **true**, return **true**.
- 5. Return the result of ComputedPropertyContains for ClassBody with argument symbol.

Static semantic rules that depend upon substructure generally do not look into class bodies except for *PropertyNames*.

### 14.6.5 Static Semantics: ComputedPropertyContains

With parameter *symbol*.

ClassElementList: ClassElementList ClassElement

- 1. Let *inList* be ComputedPropertyContains of *ClassElementList* with argument *symbol*.
- 2. If *inList* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return the result of ComputedPropertyContains for *ClassElement* with argument *symbol*.

ClassElement:;

1. Return **false**.

#### 14.6.6 Static Semantics: HasName

ClassExpression: class ClassTail

1. Return false.

ClassExpression: class BindingIdentifier ClassTail

1. Return true.

### 14.6.7 Static Semantics: IsConstantDeclaration

Class Declaration: class Binding Identifier Class Tail

ClassDeclaration: class ClassTail

1. Return **false**.

#### 14.6.8 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

ClassExpression: class BindingIdentifier opt ClassTail

1. Return true.

#### 14.6.9 Static Semantics: IsStatic

ClassElement: MethodDefinition

1. Return false.

ClassElement: static MethodDefinition

1. Return true.

ClassElement:;

1. Return **false**.

#### 14.6.10 Static Semantics: NonConstructorMethodDefinitions

ClassElementList: ClassElement

- 1. If ClassElement is ClassElement:; , return a new empty List.
- 2. If IsStatic of ClassElement is false and PropName of ClassElement is "constructor", return a new empty List.
- 3. Return a List containing ClassElement.

ClassElementList: ClassElementList ClassElement

- 1. Let *list* be NonConstructorMethodDefinitions of *ClassElementList*.
- 2. If ClassElement is ClassElement:;, return list.
- 3. If IsStatic of ClassElement is **false** and PropName of ClassElement is **"constructor"**, return list.
- 4. Append *ClassElement* to the end of *list*.
- 5. Return list.

### 14.6.11 Static Semantics: PrototypePropertyNameList

ClassElementList: ClassElement

- 1. If PropName of ClassElement is empty, return a new empty List.
- 2. If IsStatic of ClassElement is true, return a new empty List.
- 3. Return a List containing PropName of ClassElement.

ClassElementList: ClassElementList ClassElement

- 1. Let *list* be PrototypePropertyNameList of *ClassElementList*.
- 2. If PropName of *ClassElement* is **empty**, return *list*.
- 3. If IsStatic of *ClassElement* is **true**, return *list*.
- 4. Append PropName of ClassElement to the end of list.
- 5. Return list.

### 14.6.12 Static Semantics: PropName

ClassElement:;

1. Return empty.

#### 14.6.13 Runtime Semantics: ClassDefinitionEvaluation

With parameters classBinding and className.

ClassTail: ClassHeritage opt { ClassBody opt }

- 1. Let *lex* be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- 2. Let *classScope* be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*lex*).
- 3. Let classScopeEnvRec be classScope's EnvironmentRecord.
- 4. If *classBinding* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Perform classScopeEnvRec.CreateImmutableBinding(classBinding, true).
- 5. If *ClassHeritage*<sub>opt</sub> is not present, then
  - a. Let *protoParent* be %Object.prototype%.
  - b. Let *constructorParent* be %Function.prototype%.

- 6. Else,
  - a. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *classScope*.
  - b. Let *superclassRef* be the result of evaluating *ClassHeritage*.
  - c. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *lex*.
  - d. Let superclass be ? GetValue(superclassRef).
  - e. If superclass is **null**, then
    - i. Let protoParent be **null**.
    - ii. Let constructorParent be %Function.prototype%.
  - f. Else if IsConstructor(superclass) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
  - g. Else,
    - i. Let protoParent be ? Get(superclass, "prototype").
    - ii. If Type(protoParent) is neither Object nor Null, throw a TypeError exception.
    - iii. Let constructorParent be superclass.
- 7. Let *proto* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(*protoParent*).
- 8. If ClassBody<sub>opt</sub> is not present, let constructor be empty.
- 9. Else, let *constructor* be ConstructorMethod of *ClassBody*.
- 10. If *constructor* is **empty**, then
  - a. If ClassHeritage opt is present, then
    - i. Set *constructor* to the result of parsing the source text

```
constructor(...args) { super(...args); }
```

using the syntactic grammar with the goal symbol  $MethodDefinition_{[\sim Yield, \sim Await]}$ .

- b. Else,
  - i. Set constructor to the result of parsing the source text

### constructor() {}

using the syntactic grammar with the goal symbol Method Definition [~Yield, ~Await] .

- 11. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *classScope*.
- 12. Let *constructorInfo* be! DefineMethod of *constructor* with arguments *proto* and *constructorParent*.
- 13. Let *F* be *constructorInfo*.[[Closure]].
- 14. Perform MakeConstructor(*F*, **false**, *proto*).
- 15. If *ClassHeritage*<sub>opt</sub> is present, set *F*.[[ConstructorKind]] to derived.
- 16. Perform MakeClassConstructor(*F*).
- 17. If *className* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Perform SetFunctionName(*F*, *className*).
- 18. Perform CreateMethodProperty(*proto*, "**constructor**", *F*).
- 19. If ClassBody<sub>opt</sub> is not present, let *methods* be a new empty List.
- 20. Else, let *methods* be NonConstructorMethodDefinitions of *ClassBody*.
- 21. For each *ClassElement m* in order from *methods*, do
  - a. If IsStatic of *m* is **false**, then
    - i. Let *status* be PropertyDefinitionEvaluation of *m* with arguments *proto* and **false**.
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *status* be PropertyDefinitionEvaluation of *m* with arguments *F* and **false**.
  - c. If status is an abrupt completion, then
    - i. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *lex*.
    - ii. Return Completion(status).
- 22. Set the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment to *lex*.

- 23. If *classBinding* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Perform *classScopeEnvRec*.InitializeBinding(*classBinding*, *F*).
- 24. Return F.

### 14.6.14 Runtime Semantics: BindingClassDeclarationEvaluation

Class Declaration: class Binding Identifier Class Tail

- 1. Let *className* be StringValue of *BindingIdentifier*.
- 2. Let value be? ClassDefinitionEvaluation of ClassTail with arguments className and className.
- 3. Set value.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by ClassDeclaration.
- 4. Let env be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 5. Perform? InitializeBoundName(className, value, env).
- 6. Return value.

ClassDeclaration: class ClassTail

- Let value be ? ClassDefinitionEvaluation of ClassTail with arguments undefined and "default".
- 2. Set value.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by ClassDeclaration.
- 3. Return value.

**NOTE** 

ClassDeclaration: class ClassTail only occurs as part of an ExportDeclaration and establishing its binding is handled as part of the evaluation action for that production. See 15.2.3.11.

### 14.6.15 Runtime Semantics: NamedEvaluation

With parameter name.

ClassExpression: class ClassTail

- 1. Let *value* be the result of ClassDefinitionEvaluation of *ClassTail* with arguments **undefined** and *name*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(value).
- 3. Set value.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by ClassExpression.
- 4. Return value.

#### 14.6.16 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

Class Declaration: class Binding Identifier Class Tail

- 1. Perform? BindingClassDeclarationEvaluation of this ClassDeclaration.
- 2. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

**NOTE** 

ClassDeclaration: class ClassTail only occurs as part of an ExportDeclaration and is never directly evaluated.

ClassExpression: class BindingIdentifier ClassTail

- 1. If BindingIdentifier opt is not present, let className be undefined.
- 2. Else, let className be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.

- 3. Let value be? ClassDefinitionEvaluation of ClassTail with arguments className and className.
- 4. Set value.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by ClassExpression.
- 5. Return value.

# 14.7 Async Function Definitions

### **Syntax**

```
AsyncFunctionDeclaration[Yield, Await, Default] :
        async [no LineTerminator here] function BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] (
             FormalParameters [~Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncFunctionBody }
        [+Default] async [no LineTerminator here] function ( FormalParameters [~Yield, +Await] ) {
             AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionExpression:
        async [no LineTerminator here] function (FormalParameters [~Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncFunctionBody }
        async [no LineTerminator here] function BindingIdentifier [~Yield, +Await] (
             FormalParameters [~Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncMethod[Yield, Await] :
        async [no LineTerminator here] PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] ( UniqueFormalParameters[~Yield, +Await]
             ) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionBody:
        FunctionBody [~Yield, +Await]
AwaitExpression[Yield]:
        await UnaryExpression[?Yield, +Await]
```

NOTE 1 **await** is parsed as an *AwaitExpression* when the [Await] parameter is present. The [Await] parameter is present in the following contexts:

- In an *AsyncFunctionBody*.
- In the FormalParameters of an AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncFunctionExpression, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, or AsyncGeneratorExpression. AwaitExpression in this position is a Syntax error via static semantics.

When *Module* is the syntactic goal symbol and the [Await] parameter is absent, **await** is parsed as a keyword and will be a Syntax error. When *Script* is the syntactic goal symbol, **await** may be parsed as an identifier when the [Await] parameter is absent. This includes the following contexts:

- Anywhere outside of an *AsyncFunctionBody* or *FormalParameters* of an *AsyncFunctionDeclaration*, *AsyncFunctionExpression*, *AsyncGeneratorDeclaration*, or *AsyncGeneratorExpression*.
- In the *BindingIdentifier* of a *FunctionExpression*, *GeneratorExpression*, or *AsyncGeneratorExpression*.

Unlike *YieldExpression*, it is a Syntax Error to omit the operand of an *AwaitExpression*. You must await something.

### 14.7.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

AsyncMethod: async PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *AsyncFunctionBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *UniqueFormalParameters* is **false**.
- It is a Syntax Error if HasDirectSuper of *AsyncMethod* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *UniqueFormalParameters* Contains *AwaitExpression* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *UniqueFormalParameters* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *AsyncFunctionBody*.

```
AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionExpression: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionExpression: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
```

- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *AsyncFunctionBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *FormalParameters* is **false**.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains AwaitExpression is **true**.
- If the source code matching *FormalParameters* is strict mode code, the Early Error rules for *UniqueFormalParameters*: *FormalParameters* are applied.
- If *BindingIdentifier* is present and the source code matching *BindingIdentifier* is strict mode code, it is a Syntax Error if the StringValue of *BindingIdentifier* is "eval" or "arguments".
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of FormalParameters also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of AsyncFunctionBody.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains SuperProperty is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *AsyncFunctionBody* Contains *SuperProperty* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if FormalParameters Contains SuperCall is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *AsyncFunctionBody* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**.

#### 14.7.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

```
AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
```

1. Return the BoundNames of BindingIdentifier.

AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

1. Return « "\*default\*" ».

NOTE

"\*default\*" is used within this specification as a synthetic name for hoistable anonymous functions that are defined using export declarations.

# 14.7.3 Static Semantics: ComputedPropertyContains

With parameter symbol.

1. Return the result of ComputedPropertyContains for *PropertyName* with argument *symbol*.

#### 14.7.4 Static Semantics: Contains

With parameter *symbol*.

```
AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionExpression: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionExpression: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
```

1. Return false.

### 14.7.5 Static Semantics: HasDirectSuper

AsyncMethod: async PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

- 1. If *UniqueFormalParameters* Contains *SuperCall* is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. Return AsyncFunctionBody Contains SuperCall.

### 14.7.6 Static Semantics: HasName

```
AsyncFunctionExpression: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
```

1. Return **false**.

AsyncFunctionExpression: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

1. Return **true**.

### 14.7.7 Static Semantics: IsConstantDeclaration

```
AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody } AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
```

1. Return false.

#### 14.7.8 Static Semantics: IsFunctionDefinition

```
AsyncFunctionExpression: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionExpression: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
```

1. Return **true**.

### 14.7.9 Static Semantics: PropName

```
AsyncMethod: async PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }
```

1. Return PropName of *PropertyName*.

# 14.7.10 Runtime Semantics: InstantiateFunctionObject

With parameter scope.

AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

- 1. Let name be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 2. Let *F* be ! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncFunction.prototype%, *FormalParameters*, *AsyncFunctionBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 3. Perform ! SetFunctionName(*F*, *name*).
- 4. Set F.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncFunctionDeclaration.
- 5. Return *F*.

AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

- 1. Let *F* be ! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncFunction.prototype%, *FormalParameters*, *AsyncFunctionBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 2. Perform ! SetFunctionName(*F*, "default").
- 3. Set F.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncFunctionDeclaration.
- 4. Return F.

### 14.7.11 Runtime Semantics: EvaluateBody

With parameters functionObject and List argumentsList.

AsyncFunctionBody: FunctionBody

- 1. Let *promiseCapability* be! NewPromiseCapability(%Promise%).
- 2. Let *declResult* be FunctionDeclarationInstantiation(functionObject, argumentsList).
- 3. If declResult is not an abrupt completion, then
  - a. Perform! AsyncFunctionStart(promiseCapability, FunctionBody).
- 4. Else,
  - a. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « declResult.[[Value]] »).
- 5. Return Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: promiseCapability.[[Promise]], [[Target]]: empty }.

# 14.7.12 Runtime Semantics: PropertyDefinitionEvaluation

With parameters *object* and *enumerable*.

AsyncMethod: async PropertyName (UniqueFormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

- 1. Let *propKey* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(propKey).
- 3. Let *scope* be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- Let closure be! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncFunction.prototype%, UniqueFormalParameters, AsyncFunctionBody, non-lexical-this, scope).
- 5. Perform! MakeMethod(closure, object).
- 6. Perform! SetFunctionName(closure, propKey).
- 7. Set closure. [[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncMethod.
- 8. Let *desc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *closure*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: *enumerable*, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- 9. Return? DefinePropertyOrThrow(object, propKey, desc).

#### 14.7.13 Runtime Semantics: NamedEvaluation

With parameter name.

AsyncFunctionExpression: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

- 1. Let *closure* be the result of evaluating this *AsyncFunctionExpression*.
- 2. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 3. Return closure.

#### 14.7.14 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

AsyncFunctionDeclaration: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

AsyncFunctionExpression: async function (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

- 1. Let *scope* be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- 2. Let *closure* be! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncFunction.prototype%, *FormalParameters*, *AsyncFunctionBody*, non-lexical-this, *scope*).
- 3. Set closure.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncFunctionExpression.
- 4. Return closure.

AsyncFunctionExpression: async function BindingIdentifier (FormalParameters) { AsyncFunctionBody }

- 1. Let *scope* be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- 2. Let *funcEnv* be ! NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*scope*).
- 3. Let *envRec* be *funcEnv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 4. Let name be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 5. Perform! envRec.CreateImmutableBinding(name, false).
- 6. Let *closure* be ! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncFunction.prototype%, *FormalParameters*, *AsyncFunctionBody*, non-lexical-this, *funcEnv*).
- 7. Perform! SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 8. Perform! envRec.InitializeBinding(name, closure).
- 9. Set closure.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncFunctionExpression.
- 10. Return closure.

AwaitExpression: await UnaryExpression

- 1. Let *exprRef* be the result of evaluating *UnaryExpression*.
- 2. Let *value* be ? GetValue(*exprRef*).
- 3. Return ? Await(value).

# 14.8 Async Arrow Function Definitions

### **Syntax**

```
AsyncArrowFunction [In, Yield, Await]:

async [no LineTerminator here] AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier [?Yield] [no LineTerminator here] =>

AsyncConciseBody [?In]

CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead [?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] =>

AsyncConciseBody [In]:

[lookahead ≠ {] ExpressionBody [?In, +Await]

{ AsyncFunctionBody }

AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier [Yield]:

BindingIdentifier [?Yield, +Await]

CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead [Yield, Await]:

MemberExpression [?Yield, ?Await] Arguments [?Yield, ?Await]
```

### Supplemental Syntax

When processing an instance of the production *AsyncArrowFunction*: *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead* => *AsyncConciseBody* the interpretation of *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead* is refined using the following grammar:

```
AsyncArrowHead:

async [no LineTerminator here] ArrowFormalParameters [-Yield, +Await]
```

### 14.8.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

AsyncArrowFunction: async AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier => AsyncConciseBody

• It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *AsyncConciseBody*.

AsyncArrowFunction: CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead => AsyncConciseBody

- It is a Syntax Error if *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead* Contains *YieldExpression* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead Contains AwaitExpression is true.
- It is a Syntax Error if CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead is not covering an AsyncArrowHead.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *AsyncConciseBody*.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUseStrict of *AsyncConciseBody* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead* is **false**.
- All Early Error rules for *AsyncArrowHead* and its derived productions apply to CoveredAsyncArrowHead of *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead*.

# 14.8.2 Static Semantics: CoveredAsyncArrowHead

CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead: MemberExpression Arguments

1. Return the AsyncArrowHead that is covered by CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead.

#### 14.8.3 Static Semantics: BoundNames

CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead: MemberExpression Arguments

- 1. Let head be CoveredAsyncArrowHead of CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead.
- 2. Return the BoundNames of head.

#### 14.8.4 Static Semantics: Contains

With parameter *symbol*.

AsyncArrowFunction: async AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier => AsyncConciseBody

- 1. If *symbol* is not one of *NewTarget*, *SuperProperty*, *SuperCall*, **super**, or **this**, return **false**.
- 2. Return AsyncConciseBody Contains symbol.

AsyncArrowFunction: CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead => AsyncConciseBody

- 1. If symbol is not one of NewTarget, SuperProperty, SuperCall, **super**, or **this**, return **false**.
- 2. Let head be CoveredAsyncArrowHead of CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead.
- 3. If head Contains symbol is **true**, return **true**.
- 4. Return AsyncConciseBody Contains symbol.

**NOTE** 

Normally, Contains does not look inside most function forms. However, Contains is used to detect **new.target**, **this**, and **super** usage within an AsyncArrowFunction.

### 14.8.5 Static Semantics: Contains Expression

AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier: BindingIdentifier

1. Return false.

### 14.8.6 Static Semantics: ContainsUseStrict

AsyncConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return false.

### 14.8.7 Static Semantics: ExpectedArgumentCount

AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier: BindingIdentifier

1. Return 1.

#### 14.8.8 Static Semantics: HasName

AsyncArrowFunction: async AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier => AsyncConciseBody
AsyncArrowFunction: CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead => AsyncConciseBody

1. Return false.

# 14.8.9 Static Semantics: IsSimpleParameterList

1. Return true.

CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead: MemberExpression Arguments

- 1. Let head be CoveredAsyncArrowHead of CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead.
- 2. Return IsSimpleParameterList of head.

### 14.8.10 Static Semantics: Lexically Declared Names

AsyncConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return a new empty List.

### 14.8.11 Static Semantics: LexicallyScopedDeclarations

AsyncConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return a new empty List.

### 14.8.12 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

AsyncConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return a new empty List.

### 14.8.13 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

AsyncConciseBody: ExpressionBody

1. Return a new empty List.

### 14.8.14 Runtime Semantics: IteratorBindingInitialization

With parameters iterator Record and environment.

AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier: BindingIdentifier

- 1. Assert: *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] is **false**.
- 2. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
- 3. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
- 4. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
- 5. If *next* is **false**, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let v be IteratorValue(next).
  - b. If *v* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(v).
- 7. If *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] is **true**, let *v* be **undefined**.
- 8. Return the result of performing BindingInitialization for BindingIdentifier using v and environment as the arguments.

### 14.8.15 Runtime Semantics: EvaluateBody

With parameters functionObject and List argumentsList.

AsyncConciseBody: ExpressionBody

- 1. Let promiseCapability be! NewPromiseCapability(%Promise%).
- 2. Let *declResult* be FunctionDeclarationInstantiation(functionObject, argumentsList).
- 3. If declResult is not an abrupt completion, then
  - a. Perform! AsyncFunctionStart(promiseCapability, ExpressionBody).
- 4. Else,
  - a. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « declResult.[[Value]] »).
- 5. Return Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: promiseCapability.[[Promise]], [[Target]]: empty }.

#### 14.8.16 Runtime Semantics: NamedEvaluation

With parameter name.

AsyncArrowFunction: async AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier => AsyncConciseBody
AsyncArrowFunction: CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead => AsyncConciseBody

- 1. Let *closure* be the result of evaluating this *AsyncArrowFunction*.
- 2. Perform SetFunctionName(closure, name).
- 3. Return closure.

#### 14.8.17 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

AsyncArrowFunction: async AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier => AsyncConciseBody

- Let scope be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- 2. Let parameters be AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier.
- 3. Let *closure* be! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncFunction.prototype%, *parameters*, *AsyncConciseBody*, lexicalthis, *scope*).
- 4. Set closure.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncArrowFunction.
- 5. Return closure.

AsyncArrowFunction: CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead => AsyncConciseBody

- 1. Let *scope* be the LexicalEnvironment of the running execution context.
- 2. Let head be CoveredAsyncArrowHead of CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead.
- 3. Let parameters be the ArrowFormalParameters of head.
- 4. Let *closure* be ! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(%AsyncFunction.prototype%, *parameters*, *AsyncConciseBody*, lexicalthis, *scope*).
- 5. Set closure.[[SourceText]] to the source text matched by AsyncArrowFunction.
- 6. Return closure.

### 14.9 Tail Position Calls

### 14.9.1 Static Semantics: IsInTailPosition (call)

The abstract operation IsInTailPosition with argument *call* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: call is a Parse Node.
- 2. If the source code matching *call* is non-strict code, return **false**.
- 3. If call is not contained within a FunctionBody, ConciseBody, or AsyncConciseBody, return false.
- 4. Let body be the FunctionBody, ConciseBody, or AsyncConciseBody that most closely contains call.
- 5. If body is the FunctionBody of a GeneratorBody, return **false**.
- 6. If body is the FunctionBody of an AsyncFunctionBody, return false.
- 7. If body is the FunctionBody of an AsyncGeneratorBody, return false.
- 8. If body is an AsyncConciseBody, return false.
- 9. Return the result of HasCallInTailPosition of body with argument call.

NOTE

Tail Position calls are only defined in strict mode code because of a common non-standard language extension (see 9.2.4) that enables observation of the chain of caller contexts.

#### 14.9.2 Static Semantics: HasCallInTailPosition

With parameter call.

NOTE

call is a Parse Node that represents a specific range of source text. When the following algorithms compare call to another Parse Node, it is a test of whether they represent the same source text.

#### 14.9.2.1 Statement Rules

StatementList: StatementList StatementListItem

- 1. Let has be HasCallInTailPosition of StatementList with argument call.
- 2. If *has* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return HasCallInTailPosition of *StatementListItem* with argument *call*.

```
FunctionStatementList : [empty]
StatementListItem: Declaration
Statement:
        VariableStatement
        EmptyStatement
        ExpressionStatement
        ContinueStatement
        BreakStatement
        ThrowStatement
        DebuggerStatement
Block : { }
ReturnStatement: return:
LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration
IterationStatement:
        for (LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression) Statement
        for (var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
        for (ForDeclaration of AssignmentExpression ) Statement
CaseBlock: { }
```

1. Return false.

If Statement: if (Expression) Statement else Statement

- 1. Let has be HasCallInTailPosition of the first Statement with argument call.
- 2. If has is true, return true.
- 3. Return HasCallInTailPosition of the second *Statement* with argument *call*.

```
IfStatement: if (Expression) Statement

IterationStatement:

do Statement while (Expression);

while (Expression) Statement

for (Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement

for (var VariableDeclarationList; Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement

for (LexicalDeclaration Expression<sub>opt</sub>; Expression<sub>opt</sub>) Statement

for (LeftHandSideExpression in Expression) Statement

for (var ForBinding in Expression) Statement

for (ForDeclaration in Expression) Statement

for await (LeftHandSideExpression of AssignmentExpression) Statement

for await (var ForBinding of AssignmentExpression) Statement

WithStatement: with (Expression) Statement
```

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of *Statement* with argument *call*.

```
LabelledStatement:
```

LabelIdentifier: LabelledItem

Return HasCallInTailPosition of LabelledItem with argument call.

```
ReturnStatement: return Expression;
```

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of Expression with argument call.

```
SwitchStatement: switch (Expression) CaseBlock
```

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of CaseBlock with argument call.

```
CaseBlock: { CaseClauses<sub>opt</sub> DefaultClause CaseClauses<sub>opt</sub> }
```

- 1. Let has be **false**.
- 2. If the first CaseClauses is present, let has be HasCallInTailPosition of the first CaseClauses with argument call.
- 3. If *has* is **true**, return **true**.
- 4. Let has be HasCallInTailPosition of DefaultClause with argument call.
- 5. If *has* is **true**, return **true**.
- 6. If the second *CaseClauses* is present, let *has* be HasCallInTailPosition of the second *CaseClauses* with argument *call*.
- 7. Return has.

CaseClauses: CaseClauses CaseClause

1. Let has be HasCallInTailPosition of CaseClauses with argument call.

- 2. If *has* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return HasCallInTailPosition of CaseClause with argument call.

CaseClause : case Expression :  $StatementList_{opt}$ 

Default Clause: default: Statement Listopt

- 1. If StatementList is present, return HasCallInTailPosition of StatementList with argument call.
- 2. Return false.

TryStatement: try Block Catch

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of Catch with argument call.

TryStatement: try Block Finally

TryStatement: try Block Catch Finally

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of *Finally* with argument *call*.

Catch: catch ( CatchParameter ) Block

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of *Block* with argument *call*.

### 14.9.2.2 Expression Rules

NOTE

A potential tail position call that is immediately followed by return GetValue of the call result is also a possible tail position call. Function calls cannot return reference values, so such a GetValue operation will always return the same value as the actual function call result.

```
AssignmentExpression:
```

YieldExpression

ArrowFunction

*AsyncArrowFunction* 

LeftHandSideExpression = AssignmentExpression

LeftHandSideExpression AssignmentOperator AssignmentExpression

BitwiseANDExpression: BitwiseANDExpression & EqualityExpression

Bitwise XOR Expression ~ Bitwise AND Expression ~ Bitwise AND Expression ~

BitwiseORExpression : BitwiseORExpression | BitwiseXORExpression

EqualityExpression:

EqualityExpression == RelationalExpression

EqualityExpression != RelationalExpression

EqualityExpression === RelationalExpression

EqualityExpression !== RelationalExpression

### Relational Expression:

Relational Expression < Shift Expression

Relational Expression > Shift Expression

Relational Expression <= Shift Expression

RelationalExpression >= ShiftExpression

Relational Expression instance of Shift Expression

Relational Expression in Shift Expression

ShiftExpression:

```
ShiftExpression << AdditiveExpression
ShiftExpression >> AdditiveExpression
```

ShiftExpression >>> AdditiveExpression

### AdditiveExpression:

AdditiveExpression + MultiplicativeExpression

AdditiveExpression - MultiplicativeExpression

### MultiplicativeExpression:

MultiplicativeExpression MultiplicativeOperator ExponentiationExpression

### ExponentiationExpression:

*UpdateExpression* \*\* ExponentiationExpression

### *UpdateExpression*:

LeftHandSideExpression ++

LeftHandSideExpression --

- ++ UnaryExpression
- -- UnaryExpression

### *UnaryExpression*:

delete UnaryExpression

void UnaryExpression

typeof UnaryExpression

- + UnaryExpression
- UnaryExpression
- UnaryExpression
- ! UnaryExpression

**AwaitExpression** 

### CallExpression:

SuperCall

CallExpression [ Expression ]

CallExpression . IdentifierName

### NewExpression: new NewExpression

### *MemberExpression*:

MemberExpression [ Expression ]

MemberExpression . IdentifierName

**SuperProperty** 

MetaProperty

**new** MemberExpression Arguments

#### *PrimaryExpression*:

#### this

*IdentifierReference* 

Literal

*ArrayLiteral* 

*ObjectLiteral* 

**FunctionExpression** 

ClassExpression

Generator Expression

AsyncFunctionExpression

**AsyncGeneratorExpression** 

Regular Expression Literal

**TemplateLiteral** 

#### 1. Return false.

#### Expression:

AssignmentExpression

Expression , AssignmentExpression

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of AssignmentExpression with argument call.

Conditional Expression: Short Circuit Expression: Assignment Expression: Assignment Expression

- 1. Let has be HasCallInTailPosition of the first AssignmentExpression with argument call.
- 2. If *has* is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return HasCallInTailPosition of the second *AssignmentExpression* with argument *call*.

Logical AND Expression: Logical AND Expression & Bitwise OR Expression

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of *BitwiseORExpression* with argument *call*.

LogicalORExpression: LogicalORExpression | LogicalANDExpression

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of LogicalANDExpression with argument call.

CoalesceExpression: CoalesceExpressionHead ?? BitwiseORExpression

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of *BitwiseORExpression* with argument *call*.

#### CallExpression:

CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead CallExpression Arguments CallExpression TemplateLiteral

- 1. If this *CallExpression* is *call*, return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

#### Optional Expression:

MemberExpression OptionalChain CallExpression OptionalChain OptionalExpression OptionalChain

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of OptionalChain with argument call.

#### OptionalChain:

- ?. [ Expression ]
- ?. IdentifierName

OptionalChain [Expression]

OptionalChain . IdentifierName

#### 1. Return false.

#### OptionalChain:

?. Arguments

OptionalChain Arguments

1. If this *OptionalChain* is *call*, return **true**.

#### 2. Return false.

MemberExpression:

MemberExpression TemplateLiteral

- 1. If this *MemberExpression* is call, return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

 $\label{primary Expression} Primary Expression: Cover Parenthesized Expression And Arrow Parameter List$ 

- 1. Let expr be CoveredParenthesizedExpression of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList.
- 2. Return HasCallInTailPosition of *expr* with argument *call*.

```
ParenthesizedExpression: (Expression)
```

1. Return HasCallInTailPosition of Expression with argument call.

### 14.9.3 Runtime Semantics: PrepareForTailCall ()

The abstract operation PrepareForTailCall performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *leafContext* be the running execution context.
- 2. Suspend leafContext.
- 3. Pop *leafContext* from the execution context stack. The execution context now on the top of the stack becomes the running execution context.
- 4. Assert: *leafContext* has no further use. It will never be activated as the running execution context.

A tail position call must either release any transient internal resources associated with the currently executing function execution context before invoking the target function or reuse those resources in support of the target function.

**NOTE** 

For example, a tail position call should only grow an implementation's activation record stack by the amount that the size of the target function's activation record exceeds the size of the calling function's activation record. If the target function's activation record is smaller, then the total size of the stack should decrease.

# 15 ECMAScript Language: Scripts and Modules

# 15.1 Scripts

# **Syntax**

```
Script : \\ ScriptBody_{\texttt{opt}} \\ ScriptBody : \\ StatementList_{\texttt{[-Yield, -Await, -Return]}} \\
```

### 15.1.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

Script: ScriptBody

- It is a Syntax Error if the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *ScriptBody* contains any duplicate entries.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *ScriptBody* also occurs in the VarDeclaredNames of *ScriptBody*.

ScriptBody: StatementList

- It is a Syntax Error if *StatementList* Contains **super** unless the source code containing **super** is eval code that is being processed by a direct eval. Additional early error rules for **super** within direct eval are defined in 18.2.1.1.
- It is a Syntax Error if *StatementList* Contains *NewTarget* unless the source code containing *NewTarget* is eval code that is being processed by a direct eval. Additional early error rules for *NewTarget* in direct eval are defined in 18.2.1.1.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsDuplicateLabels of *StatementList* with argument « » is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of *StatementList* with argument « » is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of *StatementList* with arguments « » and « » is **true**.

#### 15.1.2 Static Semantics: IsStrict

Script: ScriptBody opt

1. If *ScriptBody* is present and the Directive Prologue of *ScriptBody* contains a Use Strict Directive, return **true**; otherwise, return **false**.

### 15.1.3 Static Semantics: Lexically Declared Names

ScriptBody: StatementList

1. Return TopLevelLexicallyDeclaredNames of StatementList.

NOTE

At the top level of a *Script*, function declarations are treated like var declarations rather than like lexical declarations.

### 15.1.4 Static Semantics: LexicallyScopedDeclarations

ScriptBody: StatementList

1. Return TopLevelLexicallyScopedDeclarations of StatementList.

#### 15.1.5 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

ScriptBody: StatementList

1. Return TopLevelVarDeclaredNames of *StatementList*.

# 15.1.6 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

ScriptBody: StatementList

1. Return TopLevelVarScopedDeclarations of StatementList.

### 15.1.7 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

Script : [empty]

1. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

### 15.1.8 Script Records

A *Script Record* encapsulates information about a script being evaluated. Each script record contains the fields listed in Table 37.

Field Name	Value Type	Meaning
[[Realm]]	Realm Record   undefined	The realm within which this script was created. <b>undefined</b> if not yet assigned.
[[Environment]]	Lexical Environment   undefined	The Lexical Environment containing the top level bindings for this script. This field is set when the script is instantiated.
[[ECMAScriptCode]]	a Parse Node	The result of parsing the source text of this script using <i>Script</i> as the goal symbol.
[[HostDefined]]	Any, default value is <b>undefined</b> .	Field reserved for use by host environments that need to associate additional information with a script.

**Table 37: Script Record Fields** 

### 15.1.9 ParseScript (sourceText, realm, hostDefined)

The abstract operation ParseScript with arguments *sourceText*, *realm*, and *hostDefined* creates a Script Record based upon the result of parsing *sourceText* as a *Script*. ParseScript performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *sourceText* is an ECMAScript source text (see clause 10).
- 2. Parse *sourceText* using *Script* as the goal symbol and analyse the parse result for any Early Error conditions. If the parse was successful and no early errors were found, let *body* be the resulting parse tree. Otherwise, let *body* be a List of one or more **SyntaxError** objects representing the parsing errors and/or early errors. Parsing and early error detection may be interweaved in an implementation-dependent manner. If more than one parsing error or early error is present, the number and ordering of error objects in the list is implementation-dependent, but at least one must be present.
- 3. If *body* is a List of errors, return *body*.
- Return Script Record { [[Realm]]: realm, [[Environment]]: undefined, [[ECMAScriptCode]]: body, [[HostDefined]]: hostDefined }.

**NOTE** 

An implementation may parse script source text and analyse it for Early Error conditions prior to evaluation of ParseScript for that script source text. However, the reporting of any errors must be deferred until the point where this specification actually performs ParseScript upon that source text.

# 15.1.10 ScriptEvaluation (scriptRecord)

- 1. Let *globalEnv* be *scriptRecord*.[[Realm]].[[GlobalEnv]].
- 2. Let *scriptContext* be a new ECMAScript code execution context.
- 3. Set the Function of *scriptContext* to **null**.
- 4. Set the Realm of scriptContext to scriptRecord.[[Realm]].
- 5. Set the ScriptOrModule of scriptContext to scriptRecord.
- 6. Set the VariableEnvironment of *scriptContext* to *globalEnv*.
- 7. Set the LexicalEnvironment of *scriptContext* to *globalEnv*.
- 8. Suspend the currently running execution context.
- 9. Push *scriptContext* onto the execution context stack; *scriptContext* is now the running execution context.
- 10. Let *scriptBody* be *scriptRecord*.[[ECMAScriptCode]].
- 11. Let result be GlobalDeclarationInstantiation(scriptBody, globalEnv).
- 12. If result.[[Type]] is normal, then
  - a. Set *result* to the result of evaluating *scriptBody*.
- 13. If result.[[Type]] is normal and result.[[Value]] is empty, then
  - a. Set *result* to NormalCompletion(undefined).
- 14. Suspend *scriptContext* and remove it from the execution context stack.
- 15. Assert: The execution context stack is not empty.
- 16. Resume the context that is now on the top of the execution context stack as the running execution context.
- 17. Return Completion(result).

### 15.1.11 Runtime Semantics: GlobalDeclarationInstantiation (script, env)

NOTE 1 When an execution context is established for evaluating scripts, declarations are instantiated in the current global environment. Each global binding declared in the code is instantiated.

GlobalDeclarationInstantiation is performed as follows using arguments *script* and *env. script* is the *ScriptBody* for which the execution context is being established. *env* is the global lexical environment in which bindings are to be created.

- 1. Let *envRec* be *env*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 2. Assert: *envRec* is a global Environment Record.
- 3. Let *lexNames* be the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *script*.
- 4. Let varNames be the VarDeclaredNames of script.
- 5. For each name in lexNames, do
  - a. If *envRec*.HasVarDeclaration(*name*) is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - b. If *envRec*.HasLexicalDeclaration(*name*) is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - c. Let has Restricted Global be? envRec. Has Restricted Global Property (name).
  - d. If hasRestrictedGlobal is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
- 6. For each name in varNames, do
  - a. If *envRec*.HasLexicalDeclaration(*name*) is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
- 7. Let *varDeclarations* be the VarScopedDeclarations of *script*.
- 8. Let functions To Initialize be a new empty List.
- 9. Let declaredFunctionNames be a new empty List.
- 10. For each *d* in *varDeclarations*, in reverse list order, do
  - a. If *d* is neither a *VariableDeclaration* nor a *ForBinding* nor a *BindingIdentifier*, then
    - i. Assert: *d* is either a FunctionDeclaration, a GeneratorDeclaration, an AsyncFunctionDeclaration, or an AsyncGeneratorDeclaration.

- ii. NOTE: If there are multiple function declarations for the same name, the last declaration is used.
- iii. Let *fn* be the sole element of the BoundNames of *d*.
- iv. If *fn* is not an element of *declaredFunctionNames*, then
  - 1. Let fnDefinable be? envRec.CanDeclareGlobalFunction(fn).
  - 2. If *fnDefinable* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - 3. Append *fn* to *declaredFunctionNames*.
  - 4. Insert *d* as the first element of *functionsToInitialize*.
- 11. Let declared VarNames be a new empty List.
- 12. For each *d* in *varDeclarations*, do
  - a. If d is a Variable Declaration, a For Binding, or a Binding Identifier, then
    - i. For each String *vn* in the BoundNames of *d*, do
      - 1. If vn is not an element of declaredFunctionNames, then
        - a. Let vnDefinable be? envRec.CanDeclareGlobalVar(vn).
        - b. If *vnDefinable* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
        - c. If vn is not an element of declared VarNames, then
          - i. Append vn to declared Var Names.
- 13. NOTE: No abnormal terminations occur after this algorithm step if the global object is an ordinary object. However, if the global object is a Proxy exotic object it may exhibit behaviours that cause abnormal terminations in some of the following steps.
- 14. NOTE: Annex B.3.3.2 adds additional steps at this point.
- 15. Let *lexDeclarations* be the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *script*.
- 16. For each element *d* in *lexDeclarations*, do
  - a. NOTE: Lexically declared names are only instantiated here but not initialized.
  - b. For each element dn of the BoundNames of d, do
    - i. If IsConstantDeclaration of *d* is **true**, then
      - 1. Perform ? *envRec*.CreateImmutableBinding(*dn*, **true**).
    - ii. Else,
      - 1. Perform? envRec.CreateMutableBinding(dn, false).
- 17. For each Parse Node f in functions To Initialize, do
  - a. Let *fn* be the sole element of the BoundNames of *f*.
  - b. Let *fo* be InstantiateFunctionObject of *f* with argument *env*.
  - c. Perform? envRec.CreateGlobalFunctionBinding(fn, fo, false).
- 18. For each String vn in declared VarNames, in list order, do
  - a. Perform? envRec.CreateGlobalVarBinding(vn, false).
- 19. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

#### NOTE 2

Early errors specified in 15.1.1 prevent name conflicts between function/var declarations and let/const/class declarations as well as redeclaration of let/const/class bindings for declaration contained within a single *Script*. However, such conflicts and redeclarations that span more than one *Script* are detected as runtime errors during GlobalDeclarationInstantiation. If any such errors are detected, no bindings are instantiated for the script. However, if the global object is defined using Proxy exotic objects then the runtime tests for conflicting declarations may be unreliable resulting in an abrupt completion and some global declarations not being instantiated. If this occurs, the code for the *Script* is not evaluated.

Unlike explicit var or function declarations, properties that are directly created on the global object result in global bindings that may be shadowed by let/const/class declarations.

### 15.2 Modules

### **Syntax**

Module:

Module Body opt

*ModuleBody*:

ModuleItemList

*ModuleItemList*:

ModuleItem

ModuleItemList ModuleItem

ModuleItem:

ImportDeclaration ExportDeclaration

StatementListItem[~Yield, ~Await, ~Return]

### 15.2.1 Module Semantics

#### 15.2.1.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

ModuleBody: ModuleItemList

- It is a Syntax Error if the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *ModuleItemList* contains any duplicate entries.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *ModuleItemList* also occurs in the VarDeclaredNames of *ModuleItemList*.
- It is a Syntax Error if the ExportedNames of *ModuleItemList* contains any duplicate entries.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the ExportedBindings of *ModuleItemList* does not also occur in either the VarDeclaredNames of *ModuleItemList*, or the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *ModuleItemList*.
- It is a Syntax Error if *ModuleItemList* Contains **super**.
- It is a Syntax Error if *ModuleItemList* Contains *NewTarget*.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsDuplicateLabels of *ModuleItemList* with argument « » is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of *ModuleItemList* with argument « » is true.
- It is a Syntax Error if ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of *ModuleItemList* with arguments « » and « » is **true**.

**NOTE** 

The duplicate ExportedNames rule implies that multiple **export default** *ExportDeclaration* items within a *ModuleBody* is a Syntax Error. Additional error conditions relating to conflicting or duplicate declarations are checked during module linking prior to evaluation of a *Module*. If any such errors are detected the *Module* is not evaluated.

#### 15.2.1.2 Static Semantics: Contains Duplicate Labels

With parameter *labelSet*.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

1. Let has Duplicates be Contains Duplicate Labels of Module Item List with argument label Set.

- 2. If hasDuplicates is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *ModuleItem* with argument *labelSet*.

#### ModuleItem:

ImportDeclaration ExportDeclaration

1. Return false.

### 15.2.1.3 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget

With parameter *labelSet*.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- 1. Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of ModuleItemList with argument labelSet.
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is true, return true.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of ModuleItem with argument labelSet.

#### ModuleItem:

ImportDeclaration ExportDeclaration

1. Return false.

### 15.2.1.4 Static Semantics: ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget

With parameters iterationSet and labelSet.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- Let hasUndefinedLabels be ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of ModuleItemList with arguments iterationSet and
   « ».
- 2. If hasUndefinedLabels is **true**, return **true**.
- 3. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of ModuleItem with arguments iterationSet and « ».

#### ModuleItem:

ImportDeclaration ExportDeclaration

1. Return false.

#### 15.2.1.5 Static Semantics: ExportedBindings

NOTE ExportedBindings are the locally bound names that are explicitly associated with a *Module*'s ExportedNames.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- 1. Let names be ExportedBindings of ModuleItemList.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the ExportedBindings of *ModuleItem*.

3. Return names.

#### ModuleItem:

ImportDeclaration
StatementListItem

1. Return a new empty List.

### 15.2.1.6 Static Semantics: ExportedNames

**NOTE** 

ExportedNames are the externally visible names that a *Module* explicitly maps to one of its local name bindings.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- 1. Let names be ExportedNames of ModuleItemList.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the ExportedNames of *ModuleItem*.
- 3. Return names.

ModuleItem: ExportDeclaration

1. Return the ExportedNames of *ExportDeclaration*.

### ModuleItem:

ImportDeclaration StatementListItem

1. Return a new empty List.

### 15.2.1.7 Static Semantics: ExportEntries

*Module*: [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- 1. Let *entries* be ExportEntries of *ModuleItemList*.
- 2. Append to *entries* the elements of the ExportEntries of *ModuleItem*.
- 3. Return entries.

#### ModuleItem:

ImportDeclaration StatementListItem

1. Return a new empty List.

### 15.2.1.8 Static Semantics: ImportEntries

*Module*: [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

- 1. Let *entries* be ImportEntries of *ModuleItemList*.
- 2. Append to *entries* the elements of the ImportEntries of *ModuleItem*.
- 3. Return entries.

#### ModuleItem:

ExportDeclaration StatementListItem

1. Return a new empty List.

# 15.2.1.9 Static Semantics: ImportedLocalNames ( importEntries )

The abstract operation ImportedLocalNames with argument *importEntries* creates a List of all of the local name bindings defined by a List of ImportEntry Records (see Table 43). ImportedLocalNames performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *localNames* be a new empty List.
- 2. For each ImportEntry Record *i* in *importEntries*, do
  - a. Append i.[[LocalName]] to localNames.
- 3. Return localNames.

#### 15.2.1.10 Static Semantics: ModuleRequests

*Module*: [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItem

1. Return ModuleRequests of ModuleItem.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- 1. Let moduleNames be ModuleRequests of ModuleItemList.
- 2. Let additionalNames be ModuleRequests of ModuleItem.
- 3. Append to moduleNames each element of additionalNames that is not already an element of moduleNames.
- 4. Return moduleNames.

ModuleItem: StatementListItem

1. Return a new empty List.

#### 15.2.1.11 Static Semantics: Lexically Declared Names

NOTE 1 The LexicallyDeclaredNames of a *Module* includes the names of all of its imported bindings.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- 1. Let *names* be LexicallyDeclaredNames of *ModuleItemList*.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *ModuleItem*.
- 3. Return names.

ModuleItem: ImportDeclaration

1. Return the BoundNames of *ImportDeclaration*.

ModuleItem: ExportDeclaration

- 1. If *ExportDeclaration* is **export** *VariableStatement*, return a new empty List.
- 2. Return the BoundNames of *ExportDeclaration*.

ModuleItem: StatementListItem

1. Return LexicallyDeclaredNames of StatementListItem.

NOTE 2

At the top level of a *Module*, function declarations are treated like lexical declarations rather than like var declarations.

# 15.2.1.12 Static Semantics: LexicallyScopedDeclarations

*Module*: [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- 1. Let declarations be LexicallyScopedDeclarations of ModuleItemList.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *ModuleItem*.
- 3. Return declarations.

ModuleItem: ImportDeclaration

1. Return a new empty List.

#### 15.2.1.13 Static Semantics: VarDeclaredNames

*Module* : [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- 1. Let names be VarDeclaredNames of ModuleItemList.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of *ModuleItem*.
- 3. Return names.

ModuleItem: ImportDeclaration

1. Return a new empty List.

ModuleItem: ExportDeclaration

- 1. If ExportDeclaration is **export** VariableStatement, return BoundNames of ExportDeclaration.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

#### 15.2.1.14 Static Semantics: VarScopedDeclarations

*Module*: [empty]

1. Return a new empty List.

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

1. Let *declarations* be VarScopedDeclarations of *ModuleItemList*.

- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of *ModuleItem*.
- 3. Return declarations.

ModuleItem: ImportDeclaration

1. Return a new empty List.

ModuleItem: ExportDeclaration

- 1. If ExportDeclaration is **export** VariableStatement, return VarScopedDeclarations of VariableStatement.
- 2. Return a new empty List.

#### 15.2.1.15 Abstract Module Records

A *Module Record* encapsulates structural information about the imports and exports of a single module. This information is used to link the imports and exports of sets of connected modules. A Module Record includes four fields that are only used when evaluating a module.

For specification purposes Module Record values are values of the Record specification type and can be thought of as existing in a simple object-oriented hierarchy where Module Record is an abstract class with both abstract and concrete subclasses. This specification defines the abstract subclass named Cyclic Module Record and its concrete subclass named Source Text Module Record. Other specifications and implementations may define additional Module Record subclasses corresponding to alternative module definition facilities that they defined.

Module Record defines the fields listed in Table 38. All Module Definition subclasses include at least those fields. Module Record also defines the abstract method list in Table 39. All Module definition subclasses must provide concrete implementations of these abstract methods.

**Table 38: Module Record Fields** 

Field Name	Value Type	Meaning
[[Realm]]	Realm Record   undefined	The Realm within which this module was created. <b>undefined</b> if not yet assigned.
[[Environment]]	Lexical Environment   undefined	The Lexical Environment containing the top level bindings for this module. This field is set when the module is linked.
[[Namespace]]	Object   undefined	The Module Namespace Object (26.3) if one has been created for this module. Otherwise <b>undefined</b> .
[[HostDefined]]	Any, default value is <b>undefined</b> .	Field reserved for use by host environments that need to associate additional information with a module.

**Table 39: Abstract Methods of Module Records** 

Method	Purpose
GetExportedNames([exportStarSet])	Return a list of all names that are either directly or indirectly exported from this module.
ResolveExport(exportName [, resolveSet])	Return the binding of a name exported by this module. Bindings are represented by a <i>ResolvedBinding Record</i> , of the form { [[Module]]: Module Record, [[BindingName]]: String }. If the export is a Module Namespace Object without a direct binding in any module, [[BindingName]] will be set to ""namespace*". Return null if the name cannot be resolved, or "ambiguous" if multiple bindings were found.  Each time this operation is called with a specific <i>exportName</i> , <i>resolveSet</i> pair as arguments it must return the same result if it completes normally.
Link()	Prepare the module for evaluation by transitively resolving all module dependencies and creating a module Environment Record.
Evaluate()	If this module has already been evaluated successfully, return <b>undefined</b> ; if it has already been evaluated unsuccessfully, throw the exception that was produced. Otherwise, transitively evaluate all module dependencies of this module and then evaluate this module.  Link must have completed successfully prior to invoking this method.

# 15.2.1.16 Cyclic Module Records

A *Cyclic Module Record* is used to represent information about a module that can participate in dependency cycles with other modules that are subclasses of the *Cyclic Module Record* type. Module Records that are not subclasses of the *Cyclic Module Record* type must not participate in dependency cycles with Source Text Module Records.

In addition to the fields defined in Table 38 Cyclic Module Records have the additional fields listed in Table 40

Table 40: Additional Fields of Cyclic Module Records

Field Name	Value Type	Meaning
[[Status]]	unlinked   linking   linked   evaluating   evaluated	Initially unlinked. Transitions to linking, linked, evaluating, evaluated (in that order) as the module progresses throughout its lifecycle.
[[EvaluationError]]	An abrupt completion   undefined	A completion of type throw representing the exception that occurred during evaluation. <b>undefined</b> if no exception occurred or if [[Status]] is not <b>evaluated</b> .
[[DFSIndex]]	Integer   undefined	Auxiliary field used during Link and Evaluate only. If [[Status]] is linking or evaluating, this nonnegative number records the point at which the module was first visited during the ongoing depth-first traversal of the dependency graph.
[[DFSAncestorIndex]]	Integer   undefined	Auxiliary field used during Link and Evaluate only. If [[Status]] is linking or evaluating, this is either the module's own [[DFSIndex]] or that of an "earlier" module in the same strongly connected component.
[[RequestedModules]]	List of String	A List of all the <i>ModuleSpecifier</i> strings used by the module represented by this record to request the importation of a module. The List is source code occurrence ordered.

In addition to the methods defined in Table 39 Cyclic Module Records have the additional methods listed in Table 41

**Table 41: Additional Abstract Methods of Cyclic Module Records** 

Method	Purpose
InitializeEnvironment()	Initialize the Lexical Environment of the module, including resolving all imported bindings, and create the module's execution context.
ExecuteModule()	Evaluate the module's code within its execution context.

#### 15.2.1.16.1 Link () Concrete Method

The Link concrete method of a Cyclic Module Record implements the corresponding Module Record abstract method.

On success, Link transitions this module's [[Status]] from unlinked to linked. On failure, an exception is thrown and this module's [[Status]] remains unlinked.

This abstract method performs the following steps (most of the work is done by the auxiliary function InnerModuleLinking):

- 1. Let *module* be this Cyclic Module Record.
- 2. Assert: *module*.[[Status]] is not linking or evaluating.
- 3. Let *stack* be a new empty List.

- 4. Let result be InnerModuleLinking(module, stack, 0).
- 5. If *result* is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. For each Cyclic Module Record *m* in *stack*, do
    - i. Assert: m.[[Status]] is linking.
    - ii. Set m.[[Status]] to unlinked.
    - iii. Set *m*.[[Environment]] to **undefined**.
    - iv. Set *m*.[[DFSIndex]] to **undefined**.
    - v. Set *m*.[[DFSAncestorIndex]] to **undefined**.
  - b. Assert: module.[[Status]] is unlinked.
  - c. Return result.
- 6. Assert: module.[[Status]] is linked or evaluated.
- 7. Assert: stack is empty.
- 8. Return undefined.

#### 15.2.1.16.1.1 InnerModuleLinking (module, stack, index)

The InnerModuleLinking abstract operation is used by Link to perform the actual linking process for the Cyclic Module Record *module*, as well as recursively on all other modules in the dependency graph. The *stack* and *index* parameters, as well as a module's [[DFSIndex]] and [[DFSAncestorIndex]] fields, keep track of the depth-first search (DFS) traversal. In particular, [[DFSAncestorIndex]] is used to discover strongly connected components (SCCs), such that all modules in an SCC transition to linked together.

This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If module is not a Cyclic Module Record, then
  - a. Perform? module.Link().
  - b. Return index.
- 2. If module.[[Status]] is linking, linked, or evaluated, then
  - a. Return *index*.
- 3. Assert: module.[[Status]] is unlinked.
- 4. Set module.[[Status]] to linking.
- 5. Set module.[[DFSIndex]] to index.
- 6. Set module.[[DFSAncestorIndex]] to index.
- 7. Set index to index + 1.
- 8. Append module to stack.
- 9. For each String required that is an element of module.[[RequestedModules]], do
  - a. Let requiredModule be? HostResolveImportedModule(module, required).
  - b. Set index to? InnerModuleLinking(requiredModule, stack, index).
  - c. If requiredModule is a Cyclic Module Record, then
    - Assert: requiredModule.[[Status]] is either linking, linked, or evaluated.
    - ii. Assert: requiredModule.[[Status]] is linking if and only if requiredModule is in stack.
    - iii. If requiredModule.[[Status]] is linking, then
      - 1. Set *module*.[[DFSAncestorIndex]] to min(*module*.[[DFSAncestorIndex]], *requiredModule*. [[DFSAncestorIndex]]).
- 10. Perform? module.InitializeEnvironment().
- 11. Assert: *module* occurs exactly once in *stack*.
- 12. Assert: module.[[DFSAncestorIndex]] is less than or equal to module.[[DFSIndex]].
- 13. If module.[[DFSAncestorIndex]] equals module.[[DFSIndex]], then

- a. Let done be false.
- b. Repeat, while *done* is **false**,
  - i. Let requiredModule be the last element in stack.
  - ii. Remove the last element of stack.
  - iii. Assert: requiredModule is a Cyclic Module Record.
  - iv. Set requiredModule.[[Status]] to linked.
  - v. If requiredModule and module are the same Module Record, set done to true.
- 14. Return index.

#### 15.2.1.16.2 Evaluate () Concrete Method

The Evaluate concrete method of a Cyclic Module Record implements the corresponding Module Record abstract method.

Evaluate transitions this module's [[Status]] from linked to evaluated.

If execution results in an exception, that exception is recorded in the [[EvaluationError]] field and rethrown by future invocations of Evaluate.

This abstract method performs the following steps (most of the work is done by the auxiliary function InnerModuleEvaluation):

- 1. Assert: This call to Evaluate is not happening at the same time as another call to Evaluate within the surrounding agent.
- 2. Let *module* be this Cyclic Module Record.
- 3. Assert: module.[[Status]] is linked or evaluated.
- 4. Let *stack* be a new empty List.
- 5. Let result be InnerModuleEvaluation(module, stack, 0).
- 6. If result is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. For each Cyclic Module Record m in stack, do
    - i. Assert: *m*.[[Status]] is evaluating.
    - ii. Set *m*.[[Status]] to evaluated.
    - iii. Set *m*.[[EvaluationError]] to *result*.
  - b. Assert: module.[[Status]] is evaluated and module.[[EvaluationError]] is result.
  - c. Return result.
- 7. Assert: module.[[Status]] is evaluated and module.[[EvaluationError]] is undefined.
- 8. Assert: stack is empty.
- 9. Return undefined.

#### 15.2.1.16.2.1 InnerModuleEvaluation (module, stack, index)

The InnerModuleEvaluation abstract operation is used by Evaluate to perform the actual evaluation process for the Source Text Module Record *module*, as well as recursively on all other modules in the dependency graph. The *stack* and *index* parameters, as well as *module*'s [[DFSIndex]] and [[DFSAncestorIndex]] fields, are used the same way as in InnerModuleLinking.

This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If *module* is not a Cyclic Module Record, then
  - a. Perform? module.Evaluate().

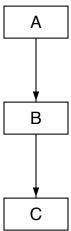
- b. Return index.
- 2. If module.[[Status]] is evaluated, then
  - a. If *module*.[[EvaluationError]] is **undefined**, return *index*.
  - b. Otherwise, return *module*.[[EvaluationError]].
- 3. If module.[[Status]] is evaluating, return index.
- 4. Assert: module.[[Status]] is linked.
- 5. Set *module*.[[Status]] to evaluating.
- 6. Set module.[[DFSIndex]] to index.
- 7. Set module.[[DFSAncestorIndex]] to index.
- 8. Set index to index + 1.
- 9. Append module to stack.
- 10. For each String required that is an element of module.[[RequestedModules]], do
  - a. Let requiredModule be! HostResolveImportedModule(module, required).
  - b. NOTE: Link must be completed successfully prior to invoking this method, so every requested module is guaranteed to resolve successfully.
  - c. Set *index* to ? InnerModuleEvaluation(requiredModule, stack, index).
  - d. If requiredModule is a Cyclic Module Record, then
    - i. Assert: requiredModule.[[Status]] is either evaluating or evaluated.
    - ii. Assert: requiredModule.[[Status]] is evaluating if and only if requiredModule is in stack.
    - iii. If requiredModule.[[Status]] is evaluating, then
      - 1. Set *module*.[[DFSAncestorIndex]] to min(*module*.[[DFSAncestorIndex]], *requiredModule*. [[DFSAncestorIndex]]).
- 11. Perform? module.ExecuteModule().
- 12. Assert: *module* occurs exactly once in *stack*.
- 13. Assert: module.[[DFSAncestorIndex]] is less than or equal to module.[[DFSIndex]].
- 14. If module.[[DFSAncestorIndex]] equals module.[[DFSIndex]], then
  - a. Let done be false.
  - b. Repeat, while *done* is **false**,
    - i. Let requiredModule be the last element in stack.
    - ii. Remove the last element of stack.
    - iii. Assert: requiredModule is a Cyclic Module Record.
    - iv. Set requiredModule.[[Status]] to evaluated.
    - v. If requiredModule and module are the same Module Record, set done to true.
- 15. Return index.

#### 15.2.1.16.3 Example Cyclic Module Record Graphs

This non-normative section gives a series of examples of the linking and evaluation of a few common module graphs, with a specific focus on how errors can occur.

First consider the following simple module graph:

Figure 2: A simple module graph



Let's first assume that there are no error conditions. When a host first calls A.Link(), this will complete successfully by assumption, and recursively link modules B and C as well, such that A.[[Status]] = B.[[Status]] = C.[[Status]] = linked. This preparatory step can be performed at any time. Later, when the host is ready to incur any possible side effects of the modules, it can call A.Evaluate(), which will complete successfully (again by assumption), recursively having evaluated first C and then B. Each module's [[Status]] at this point will be evaluated.

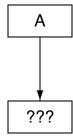
Consider then cases involving linking errors. If InnerModuleLinking of *C* succeeds but, thereafter, fails for *B*, for example because it imports something that *C* does not provide, then the original *A*.Link() will fail, and both *A* and *B*'s [[Status]] remain unlinked. *C*'s [[Status]] has become linked, though.

Finally, consider a case involving evaluation errors. If InnerModuleEvaluation of *C* succeeds but, thereafter, fails for *B*, for example because *B* contains code that throws an exception, then the original *A*.Evaluate() will fail. The resulting exception will be recorded in both *A* and *B*'s [[EvaluationError]] fields, and their [[Status]] will become evaluated. *C* will also become evaluated but, in contrast to *A* and *B*, will remain without an [[EvaluationError]], as it successfully completed evaluation. Storing the exception ensures that any time a host tries to reuse *A* or *B* by calling their Evaluate() method, it will encounter the same exception. (Hosts are not required to reuse Cyclic Module Records; similarly, hosts are not required to expose the exception objects thrown by these methods. However, the specification enables such uses.)

The difference here between linking and evaluation errors is due to how evaluation must be only performed once, as it can cause side effects; it is thus important to remember whether evaluation has already been performed, even if unsuccessfully. (In the error case, it makes sense to also remember the exception because otherwise subsequent Evaluate() calls would have to synthesize a new one.) Linking, on the other hand, is side-effect-free, and thus even if it fails, it can be retried at a later time with no issues.

Now consider a different type of error condition:

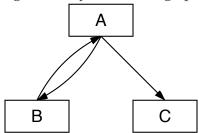
Figure 3: A module graph with an unresolvable module



In this scenario, module *A* declares a dependency on some other module, but no Module Record exists for that module, i.e. HostResolveImportedModule throws an exception when asked for it. This could occur for a variety of reasons, such as the corresponding resource not existing, or the resource existing but ParseModule throwing an exception when trying to parse the resulting source text. Hosts can choose to expose the cause of failure via the exception they throw from HostResolveImportedModule. In any case, this exception causes a linking failure, which as before results in *A*'s [[Status]] remaining unlinked.

Lastly, consider a module graph with a cycle:

Figure 4: A cyclic module graph



Here we assume that the entry point is module A, so that the host proceeds by calling A.Link(), which performs InnerModuleLinking on A. This in turn calls InnerModuleLinking on B. Because of the cycle, this again triggers InnerModuleLinking on A, but at this point it is a no-op since A.[[Status]] is already linking. B.[[Status]] itself remains linking when control gets back to A and InnerModuleLinking is triggered on C. After this returns with C.[[Status]] being linked , both A and B transition from linking to linked together; this is by design, since they form a strongly connected component.

An analogous story occurs for the evaluation phase of a cyclic module graph, in the success case.

Now consider a case where A has an linking error; for example, it tries to import a binding from C that does not exist. In that case, the above steps still occur, including the early return from the second call to InnerModuleLinking on A. However, once we unwind back to the original InnerModuleLinking on A, it fails during InitializeEnvironment, namely right after C.ResolveExport(). The thrown **SyntaxError** exception propagates up to A.Link, which resets all modules that are currently on its stack (these are always exactly the modules that are still linking). Hence both A and B become unlinked. Note that C is left as linked.

Finally, consider a case where A has an evaluation error; for example, its source code throws an exception. In that case, the evaluation-time analog of the above steps still occurs, including the early return from the second call to InnerModuleEvaluation on A. However, once we unwind back to the original InnerModuleEvaluation on A, it fails by assumption. The exception thrown propagates up to A.Evaluate(), which records the error in all modules that are currently on its stack (i.e., the modules that are still evaluating). Hence both A and B become evaluated and the exception is recorded in both A and B's [[EvaluationError]] fields, while C is left as evaluated with no [[EvaluationError]].

#### 15.2.1.17 Source Text Module Records

A *Source Text Module Record* is used to represent information about a module that was defined from ECMAScript source text (10) that was parsed using the goal symbol *Module*. Its fields contain digested information about the names that are imported by the module and its concrete methods use this digest to link, link, and evaluate the module.

A Source Text Module Record can exist in a module graph with other subclasses of the abstract Module Record type,

and can participate in cycles with other subclasses of the Cyclic Module Record type.

In addition to the fields defined in Table 40, Source Text Module Records have the additional fields listed in Table 42. Each of these fields is initially set in ParseModule.

Table 42: Additional Fields of Source Text Module Records

Field Name	Value Type	Meaning
[[ECMAScriptCode]]	a Parse Node	The result of parsing the source text of this module using <i>Module</i> as the goal symbol.
[[Context]]	An ECMAScript execution context.	The execution context associated with this module.
[[ImportMeta]]	Object	An object exposed through the <b>import.meta</b> meta property. It is <b>empty</b> until it is accessed by ECMAScript code.
[[ImportEntries]]	List of ImportEntry Records	A List of ImportEntry records derived from the code of this module.
[[LocalExportEntries]]	List of ExportEntry Records	A List of ExportEntry records derived from the code of this module that correspond to declarations that occur within the module.
[[IndirectExportEntries]]	List of ExportEntry Records	A List of ExportEntry records derived from the code of this module that correspond to reexported imports that occur within the module or exports from <b>export</b> * <b>as namespace</b> declarations.
[[StarExportEntries]]	List of ExportEntry Records	A List of ExportEntry records derived from the code of this module that correspond to <b>export</b> * declarations that occur within the module, not including <b>export</b> * <b>as namespace</b> declarations.

An *ImportEntry Record* is a Record that digests information about a single declarative import. Each ImportEntry Record has the fields defined in Table 43:

**Table 43: ImportEntry Record Fields** 

Field Name	Value Type	Meaning
[[ModuleRequest]]	String	String value of the <i>ModuleSpecifier</i> of the <i>ImportDeclaration</i> .
[[ImportName]]	String	The name under which the desired binding is exported by the module identified by [[ModuleRequest]]. The value "*" indicates that the import request is for the target module's namespace object.
[[LocalName]]	String	The name that is used to locally access the imported value from within the importing module.

Table 44 gives examples of ImportEntry records fields used to represent the syntactic import forms:

Table 44 (Informative): Import Forms Mappings to ImportEntry Records

Import Statement Form	[[ModuleRequest]]	[[ImportName]]	[[LocalName]]
<pre>import v from "mod";</pre>	"mod"	"default"	''v''
<pre>import * as ns from "mod";</pre>	"mod"	11*11	"ns"
<pre>import {x} from "mod";</pre>	"mod"	"x"	"x"
<pre>import {x as v} from "mod";</pre>	"mod"	"x"	''v''
<pre>import "mod";</pre>	An ImportEntry Record is not created.		

An *ExportEntry Record* is a Record that digests information about a single declarative export. Each ExportEntry Record has the fields defined in Table 45:

**Table 45: ExportEntry Record Fields** 

Field Name	Value Type	Meaning
[[ExportName]]	String   null	The name used to export this binding by this module.
[[ModuleRequest]]	String   null	The String value of the <i>ModuleSpecifier</i> of the <i>ExportDeclaration</i> . <b>null</b> if the <i>ExportDeclaration</i> does not have a <i>ModuleSpecifier</i> .
[[ImportName]]	String   null	The name under which the desired binding is exported by the module identified by [[ModuleRequest]]. <b>null</b> if the <i>ExportDeclaration</i> does not have a <i>ModuleSpecifier</i> . "*" indicates that the export request is for all exported bindings.
[[LocalName]]	String   null	The name that is used to locally access the exported value from within the importing module. <b>null</b> if the exported value is not locally accessible from within the module.

<b>Export Statement Form</b>	[[ExportName]]	[[ModuleRequest]]	[[ImportName
export var v;	''v''	null	null
<pre>export default function f() {}</pre>	"default"	null	null
<pre>export default function () {}</pre>	"default"	null	null
export default 42;	"default"	null	null
<pre>export {x};</pre>	''x''	null	null
<pre>export {v as x};</pre>	"x"	null	null
<pre>export {x} from "mod";</pre>	"x"	"mod"	"x"
<pre>export {v as x} from "mod";</pre>	"x"	"mod"	''v''
export * from "mod";	null	"mod"	11*11
export * as ns from "mod";	"ns"	"mod"	11*11

Table 46 (Informative): Export Forms Mappings to ExportEntry Records

The following definitions specify the required concrete methods and other abstract operations for Source Text Module Records

#### 15.2.1.17.1 ParseModule (sourceText, realm, hostDefined)

The abstract operation ParseModule with arguments *sourceText*, *realm*, and *hostDefined* creates a Source Text Module Record based upon the result of parsing *sourceText* as a *Module*. ParseModule performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: sourceText is an ECMAScript source text (see clause 10).
- 2. Parse *sourceText* using *Module* as the goal symbol and analyse the parse result for any Early Error conditions. If the parse was successful and no early errors were found, let *body* be the resulting parse tree. Otherwise, let *body* be a List of one or more **SyntaxError** objects representing the parsing errors and/or early errors. Parsing and early error detection may be interweaved in an implementation-dependent manner. If more than one parsing error or early error is present, the number and ordering of error objects in the list is implementation-dependent, but at least one must be present.
- 3. If *body* is a List of errors, return *body*.
- 4. Let *requestedModules* be the ModuleRequests of *body*.
- 5. Let *importEntries* be ImportEntries of *body*.
- 6. Let importedBoundNames be ImportedLocalNames(importEntries).
- 7. Let *indirectExportEntries* be a new empty List.
- 8. Let *localExportEntries* be a new empty List.
- 9. Let *starExportEntries* be a new empty List.
- 10. Let *exportEntries* be ExportEntries of *body*.
- 11. For each ExportEntry Record ee in exportEntries, do

- a. If ee.[[ModuleRequest]] is **null**, then
  - i. If ee.[[LocalName]] is not an element of importedBoundNames, then
    - 1. Append ee to localExportEntries.
  - ii. Else,
    - 1. Let *ie* be the element of *importEntries* whose [[LocalName]] is the same as *ee*. [[LocalName]].
    - 2. If ie.[[ImportName]] is "\*", then
      - a. NOTE: This is a re-export of an imported module namespace object.
      - b. Append ee to localExportEntries.
    - 3. Else,
      - a. NOTE: This is a re-export of a single name.
      - b. Append the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: ie.[[ModuleRequest]], [[ImportName]]: ie.[[ImportName]]; ie.[[ImportName]]: null, [[ExportName]]: ee. [[ExportName]] } to indirectExportEntries.
- b. Else if ee.[[ImportName]] is "\*" and ee.[[ExportName]] is null, then
  - i. Append ee to starExportEntries.
- c. Else,
  - i. Append ee to indirectExportEntries.
- 12. Return Source Text Module Record { [[Realm]]: realm, [[Environment]]: undefined, [[Namespace]]: undefined, [[Status]]: unlinked, [[EvaluationError]]: undefined, [[HostDefined]]: hostDefined, [[ECMAScriptCode]]: body, [[Context]]: empty, [[ImportMeta]]: empty, [[RequestedModules]]: requestedModules, [[ImportEntries]]: importEntries, [[LocalExportEntries]]: localExportEntries, [[IndirectExportEntries]]: indirectExportEntries, [[StarExportEntries]]: undefined, [[DFSAncestorIndex]]: undefined }.

**NOTE** 

An implementation may parse module source text and analyse it for Early Error conditions prior to the evaluation of ParseModule for that module source text. However, the reporting of any errors must be deferred until the point where this specification actually performs ParseModule upon that source text.

#### 15.2.1.17.2 GetExportedNames ([exportStarSet]) Concrete Method

The GetExportedNames concrete method of a Source Text Module Record implements the corresponding Module Record abstract method.

It performs the following steps:

- 1. If *exportStarSet* is not present, set *exportStarSet* to a new empty List.
- 2. Assert: *exportStarSet* is a List of Source Text Module Records.
- 3. Let *module* be this Source Text Module Record.
- 4. If *exportStarSet* contains *module*, then
  - a. Assert: We've reached the starting point of an **export** \* circularity.
  - b. Return a new empty List.
- 5. Append *module* to *exportStarSet*.
- 6. Let exportedNames be a new empty List.
- 7. For each ExportEntry Record *e* in *module*.[[LocalExportEntries]], do
  - a. Assert: *module* provides the direct binding for this export.
  - b. Append *e*.[[ExportName]] to *exportedNames*.
- 8. For each ExportEntry Record *e* in *module*.[[IndirectExportEntries]], do

- a. Assert: *module* imports a specific binding for this export.
- b. Append *e*.[[ExportName]] to *exportedNames*.
- 9. For each ExportEntry Record *e* in *module*.[[StarExportEntries]], do
  - a. Let requestedModule be? HostResolveImportedModule(module, e.[[ModuleRequest]]).
  - b. Let starNames be? requestedModule.GetExportedNames(exportStarSet).
  - c. For each element *n* of *starNames*, do
    - i. If SameValue(*n*, "default") is false, then
      - 1. If *n* is not an element of *exportedNames*, then
        - a. Append *n* to exportedNames.
- 10. Return exportedNames.

**NOTE** 

GetExportedNames does not filter out or throw an exception for names that have ambiguous star export bindings.

#### 15.2.1.17.3 ResolveExport ( exportName [ , resolveSet ] ) Concrete Method

The ResolveExport concrete method of a Source Text Module Record implements the corresponding Module Record abstract method.

ResolveExport attempts to resolve an imported binding to the actual defining module and local binding name. The defining module may be the module represented by the Module Record this method was invoked on or some other module that is imported by that module. The parameter *resolveSet* is used to detect unresolved circular import/export paths. If a pair consisting of specific Module Record and *exportName* is reached that is already in *resolveSet*, an import circularity has been encountered. Before recursively calling ResolveExport, a pair consisting of *module* and *exportName* is added to *resolveSet*.

If a defining module is found, a ResolvedBinding Record { [[Module]], [[BindingName]] } is returned. This record identifies the resolved binding of the originally requested export, unless this is the export of a namespace with no local binding. In this case, [[BindingName]] will be set to "\*namespace\*". If no definition was found or the request is found to be circular, null is returned. If the request is found to be ambiguous, the string "ambiguous" is returned.

This abstract method performs the following steps:

- 1. If resolveSet is not present, set resolveSet to a new empty List.
- 2. Assert: resolveSet is a List of Record { [[Module]], [[ExportName]] }.
- 3. Let *module* be this Source Text Module Record.
- 4. For each Record { [[Module]], [[ExportName]] } *r* in *resolveSet*, do
  - a. If *module* and *r*.[[Module]] are the same Module Record and SameValue(*exportName*, *r*.[[ExportName]]) is **true**, then
    - i. Assert: This is a circular import request.
    - ii. Return null.
- 5. Append the Record { [[Module]]: module, [[ExportName]]: exportName } to resolveSet.
- 6. For each ExportEntry Record e in module.[[LocalExportEntries]], do
  - a. If SameValue(exportName, e.[[ExportName]]) is true, then
    - i. Assert: *module* provides the direct binding for this export.
    - ii. Return ResolvedBinding Record { [[Module]]: module, [[BindingName]]: e.[[LocalName]] }.
- 7. For each ExportEntry Record *e* in *module*.[[IndirectExportEntries]], do
  - a. If SameValue(exportName, e.[[ExportName]]) is **true**, then
    - Let importedModule be ? HostResolveImportedModule(module, e.[[ModuleRequest]]).

- ii. If e.[[ImportName]] is "\*", then
  - 1. Assert: *module* does not provide the direct binding for this export.
  - 2. Return ResolvedBinding Record { [[Module]]: importedModule, [[BindingName]]: "\*namespace\*" }.
- iii. Else,
  - 1. Assert: *module* imports a specific binding for this export.
  - 2. Return *importedModule*.ResolveExport(e.[[ImportName]], resolveSet).
- 8. If SameValue(exportName, "default") is true, then
  - a. Assert: A **default** export was not explicitly defined by this module.
  - b. Return null.
  - c. NOTE: A default export cannot be provided by an export \* or export \* from "mod" declaration.
- 9. Let starResolution be null.
- 10. For each ExportEntry Record *e* in *module*.[[StarExportEntries]], do
  - a. Let importedModule be? HostResolveImportedModule(module, e.[[ModuleRequest]]).
  - b. Let resolution be?importedModule.ResolveExport(exportName, resolveSet).
  - c. If resolution is "ambiguous", return "ambiguous".
  - d. If resolution is not null, then
    - i. Assert: resolution is a ResolvedBinding Record.
    - ii. If starResolution is **null**, set starResolution to resolution.
    - iii. Else,
      - 1. Assert: There is more than one \* import that includes the requested name.
      - If resolution.[[Module]] and starResolution.[[Module]] are not the same Module Record or SameValue(resolution.[[BindingName]], starResolution.[[BindingName]]) is false, return "ambiguous".
- 11. Return starResolution.

#### 15.2.1.17.4 InitializeEnvironment () Concrete Method

The InitializeEnvironment concrete method of a Source Text Module Record implements the corresponding Cyclic Module Record abstract method.

This abstract method performs the following steps:

- 1. Let module be this Source Text Module Record.
- 2. For each ExportEntry Record *e* in *module*.[[IndirectExportEntries]], do
  - a. Let resolution be? module.ResolveExport(e.[[ExportName]]).
  - b. If *resolution* is **null** or **"ambiguous"**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - c. Assert: resolution is a ResolvedBinding Record.
- 3. Assert: All named exports from *module* are resolvable.
- 4. Let realm be module.[[Realm]].
- 5. Assert: *realm* is not **undefined**.
- 6. Let env be NewModuleEnvironment(realm.[[GlobalEnv]]).
- 7. Set *module*.[[Environment]] to *env*.
- 8. Let *envRec* be *env*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 9. For each ImportEntry Record in in module.[[ImportEntries]], do
  - a. Let importedModule be! HostResolveImportedModule(module, in.[[ModuleRequest]]).
  - b. NOTE: The above call cannot fail because imported module requests are a subset of *module*. [[RequestedModules]], and these have been resolved earlier in this algorithm.

- c. If in.[[ImportName]] is "\*", then
  - i. Let namespace be ? GetModuleNamespace(importedModule).
  - ii. Perform! envRec.CreateImmutableBinding(in.[[LocalName]], true).
  - iii. Call envRec.InitializeBinding(in.[[LocalName]], namespace).
- d. Else,
  - i. Let resolution be?importedModule.ResolveExport(in.[[ImportName]]).
  - ii. If *resolution* is **null** or **"ambiguous"**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - iii. If resolution.[[BindingName]] is "\*namespace\*", then
    - 1. Let namespace be ? GetModuleNamespace(resolution.[[Module]]).
    - 2. Perform ! envRec.CreateImmutableBinding(in.[[LocalName]], true).
    - 3. Call envRec.InitializeBinding(in.[[LocalName]], namespace).
  - iv. Else.
    - 1. Call *envRec*.CreateImportBinding(*in*.[[LocalName]], *resolution*.[[Module]], *resolution*. [[BindingName]]).
- 10. Let *moduleContext* be a new ECMAScript code execution context.
- 11. Set the Function of *moduleContext* to **null**.
- 12. Assert: module.[[Realm]] is not undefined.
- 13. Set the Realm of moduleContext to module.[[Realm]].
- 14. Set the ScriptOrModule of moduleContext to module.
- 15. Set the VariableEnvironment of moduleContext to module.[[Environment]].
- 16. Set the LexicalEnvironment of moduleContext to module.[[Environment]].
- 17. Set *module*.[[Context]] to *moduleContext*.
- 18. Push *moduleContext* onto the execution context stack; *moduleContext* is now the running execution context.
- 19. Let *code* be *module*.[[ECMAScriptCode]].
- 20. Let varDeclarations be the VarScopedDeclarations of code.
- 21. Let declared VarNames be a new empty List.
- 22. For each element *d* in *varDeclarations*, do
  - a. For each element *dn* of the BoundNames of *d*, do
    - i. If *dn* is not an element of *declaredVarNames*, then
      - 1. Perform ! *envRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*dn*, **false**).
      - 2. Call *envRec*.InitializeBinding(*dn*, **undefined**).
      - 3. Append *dn* to *declaredVarNames*.
- 23. Let *lexDeclarations* be the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *code*.
- 24. For each element *d* in *lexDeclarations*, do
  - a. For each element *dn* of the BoundNames of *d*, do
    - i. If IsConstantDeclaration of *d* is **true**, then
      - 1. Perform ! *envRec*.CreateImmutableBinding(*dn*, **true**).
    - ii. Else,
      - 1. Perform! envRec.CreateMutableBinding(dn, false).
    - iii. If *d* is a *FunctionDeclaration*, a *GeneratorDeclaration*, an *AsyncFunctionDeclaration*, or an *AsyncGeneratorDeclaration*, then
      - 1. Let *fo* be InstantiateFunctionObject of *d* with argument *env*.
      - 2. Call *envRec*.InitializeBinding(*dn*, *fo*).
- 25. Remove *moduleContext* from the execution context stack.
- 26. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

#### 15.2.1.17.5 ExecuteModule () Concrete Method

The ExecuteModule concrete method of a Source Text Module Record implements the corresponding Cyclic Module Record abstract method.

This abstract method performs the following steps:

- 1. Let module be this Source Text Module Record.
- 2. Suspend the currently running execution context.

expression, and there is no active script or module at that time.

- 3. Let *moduleContext* be *module*.[[Context]].
- 4. Push *moduleContext* onto the execution context stack; *moduleContext* is now the running execution context.
- 5. Let *result* be the result of evaluating *module*.[[ECMAScriptCode]].
- 6. Suspend *moduleContext* and remove it from the execution context stack.
- 7. Resume the context that is now on the top of the execution context stack as the running execution context.
- 8. Return Completion(result).

#### 15.2.1.18 Runtime Semantics: HostResolveImportedModule (referencingScriptOrModule, specifier)

HostResolveImportedModule is an implementation-defined abstract operation that provides the concrete Module Record subclass instance that corresponds to the *ModuleSpecifier* String, *specifier*, occurring within the context of the script or module represented by the Script Record or Module Record *referencingScriptOrModule*.

\*referencingScriptOrModule\* may also be null, if the resolution is being performed in the context of an import()

NOTE

An example of when *referencingScriptOrModule* can be **null** is in a web browser host. There, if a user clicks on a control given by

```
<button type="button" onclick="import('./foo.mjs')">Click me</button>
```

there will be no active script or module at the time the **import()** expression runs. More generally, this can happen in any situation where the host pushes execution contexts with **null** ScriptOrModule components onto the execution context stack.

The implementation of HostResolveImportedModule must conform to the following requirements:

- The normal return value must be an instance of a concrete subclass of Module Record.
- If a Module Record corresponding to the pair referencing Script Or Module, specifier does not exist or cannot be created, an exception must be thrown.
- Each time this operation is called with a specific *referencingScriptOrModule*, *specifier* pair as arguments it must return the same Module Record instance if it completes normally.

Multiple different *referencingScriptOrModule*, *specifier* pairs may map to the same Module Record instance. The actual mapping semantic is implementation-defined but typically a normalization process is applied to *specifier* as part of the mapping process. A typical normalization process would include actions such as alphabetic case folding and expansion of relative and abbreviated path specifiers.

# 15.2.1.19 Runtime Semantics: HostImportModuleDynamically (referencingScriptOrModule, specifier, promiseCapability)

HostImportModuleDynamically is an implementation-defined abstract operation that performs any necessary setup work in order to make available the module corresponding to the *ModuleSpecifier* String, *specifier*, occurring within the context of the script or module represented by the Script Record or Module Record *referencingScriptOrModule*.

(referencingScriptOrModule may also be **null**, if there is no active script or module when the **import()** expression occurs.) It then performs FinishDynamicImport to finish the dynamic import process.

The implementation of HostImportModuleDynamically must conform to the following requirements:

- The abstract operation must always complete normally with **undefined**. Success or failure must instead be signaled as discussed below.
- The host environment must conform to one of the two following sets of requirements:

#### Success path

- At some future time, the host environment must perform
   FinishDynamicImport(referencingScriptOrModule, specifier, promiseCapability, NormalCompletion(undefined)).
- Any subsequent call to HostResolveImportedModule after FinishDynamicImport has completed, given the arguments referencingScriptOrModule and specifier, must complete normally.
- The completion value of any subsequent call to HostResolveImportedModule after FinishDynamicImport has completed, given the arguments *referencingScriptOrModule* and *specifier*, must be a module which has already been evaluated, i.e. whose Evaluate concrete method has already been called and returned a normal completion.

#### Failure path

- At some future time, the host environment must perform FinishDynamicImport(referencingScriptOrModule, specifier, promiseCapability, an abrupt completion), with the abrupt completion representing the cause of failure.
- If the host environment takes the success path once for a given *referencingScriptOrModule*, *specifier* pair, it must always do so for subsequent calls.
- The operation must not call *promiseCapability*.[[Resolve]] or *promiseCapability*.[[Reject]], but instead must treat *promiseCapability* as an opaque identifying value to be passed through to FinishDynamicImport.

The actual process performed is implementation-defined, but typically consists of performing whatever I/O operations are necessary to allow HostResolveImportedModule to synchronously retrieve the appropriate Module Record, and then calling its Evaluate concrete method. This might require performing similar normalization as HostResolveImportedModule does.

# 15.2.1.20 Runtime Semantics: FinishDynamicImport (referencingScriptOrModule, specifier, promiseCapability, completion)

FinishDynamicImport completes the process of a dynamic import originally started by an **import()** call, resolving or rejecting the promise returned by that call as appropriate according to *completion*. It is performed by host environments as part of HostImportModuleDynamically.

- 1. If *completion* is an abrupt completion, then perform ! Call(*promiseCapability*.[[Reject]], **undefined**, « *completion*. [[Value]] »).
- 2. Else,
  - a. Assert: completion is a normal completion and completion.[[Value]] is undefined.
  - b. Let *moduleRecord* be! HostResolveImportedModule(referencingScriptOrModule, specifier).
  - c. Assert: Evaluate has already been invoked on *moduleRecord* and successfully completed.
  - d. Let namespace be GetModuleNamespace(moduleRecord).
  - e. If namespace is an abrupt completion, perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « namespace. [[Value]] »).

f. Else, perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « namespace.[[Value]] »).

#### 15.2.1.21 Runtime Semantics: GetModuleNamespace (module)

The GetModuleNamespace abstract operation retrieves the Module Namespace Object representing *module*'s exports, lazily creating it the first time it was requested, and storing it in *module*.[[Namespace]] for future retrieval.

This abstract operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *module* is an instance of a concrete subclass of Module Record.
- 2. Assert: If module is a Cyclic Module Record, then module.[[Status]] is not unlinked.
- 3. Let namespace be module.[[Namespace]].
- 4. If namespace is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *exportedNames* be ? *module*.GetExportedNames().
  - b. Let unambiguousNames be a new empty List.
  - c. For each name that is an element of exportedNames, do
    - i. Let resolution be? module.ResolveExport(name).
    - ii. If resolution is a ResolvedBinding Record, append name to unambiguousNames.
  - d. Set namespace to ModuleNamespaceCreate(module, unambiguousNames).
- 5. Return namespace.

NOTE

The only way GetModuleNamespace can throw is via one of the triggered HostResolveImportedModule calls. Unresolvable names are simply excluded from the namespace at this point. They will lead to a real linking error later unless they are all ambiguous star exports that are not explicitly requested anywhere.

#### 15.2.1.22 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

*Module*: [empty]

Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

ModuleBody: ModuleItemList

- 1. Let result be the result of evaluating ModuleItemList.
- 2. If result.[[Type]] is normal and result.[[Value]] is empty, then
  - a. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).
- 3. Return Completion(result).

ModuleItemList: ModuleItemList ModuleItem

- 1. Let *sl* be the result of evaluating *ModuleItemList*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(sl).
- 3. Let *s* be the result of evaluating *ModuleItem*.
- 4. Return Completion(UpdateEmpty(s, sl)).

NOTE The value of a *ModuleItemList* is the value of the last value-producing item in the *ModuleItemList*.

ModuleItem: ImportDeclaration

# **15.2.2** Imports

# **Syntax**

```
ImportDeclaration:
        import ImportClause FromClause ;
        import ModuleSpecifier ;
ImportClause:
        ImportedDefaultBinding
        NameSpaceImport
        NamedImports
        ImportedDefaultBinding , NameSpaceImport
        ImportedDefaultBinding , NamedImports
ImportedDefaultBinding:
        ImportedBinding
NameSpaceImport:
        * as ImportedBinding
NamedImports:
        { ImportsList }
        { ImportsList , }
FromClause:
        from ModuleSpecifier
ImportsList:
        ImportSpecifier
        ImportsList , ImportSpecifier
ImportSpecifier:
        ImportedBinding
        IdentifierName as ImportedBinding
ModuleSpecifier:
        StringLiteral
ImportedBinding:
        BindingIdentifier [~Yield, ~Await]
```

#### 15.2.2.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

ModuleItem: ImportDeclaration

• It is a Syntax Error if the BoundNames of *ImportDeclaration* contains any duplicate entries.

#### 15.2.2.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

ImportDeclaration: import ImportClause FromClause;

1. Return the BoundNames of *ImportClause*.

ImportDeclaration: import ModuleSpecifier;

1. Return a new empty List.

ImportClause: ImportedDefaultBinding, NameSpaceImport

- 1. Let names be the BoundNames of ImportedDefaultBinding.
- 2. Append to names the elements of the BoundNames of NameSpaceImport.
- 3. Return names.

ImportClause: ImportedDefaultBinding, NamedImports

- 1. Let names be the BoundNames of ImportedDefaultBinding.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the BoundNames of *NamedImports*.
- 3. Return names.

*NamedImports* : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

ImportsList: ImportsList, ImportSpecifier

- 1. Let *names* be the BoundNames of *ImportsList*.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the BoundNames of *ImportSpecifier*.
- 3. Return names.

ImportSpecifier: IdentifierName as ImportedBinding

1. Return the BoundNames of *ImportedBinding*.

#### 15.2.2.3 Static Semantics: ImportEntries

ImportDeclaration: import ImportClause FromClause;

- 1. Let *module* be the sole element of ModuleRequests of *FromClause*.
- 2. Return ImportEntriesForModule of ImportClause with argument module.

ImportDeclaration: import ModuleSpecifier;

1. Return a new empty List.

#### 15.2.2.4 Static Semantics: ImportEntriesForModule

With parameter *module*.

ImportClause: ImportedDefaultBinding, NameSpaceImport

- 1. Let *entries* be ImportEntriesForModule of *ImportedDefaultBinding* with argument *module*.
- 2. Append to *entries* the elements of the ImportEntriesForModule of *NameSpaceImport* with argument *module*.
- 3. Return entries.

- 1. Let *entries* be ImportEntriesForModule of *ImportedDefaultBinding* with argument *module*.
- 2. Append to *entries* the elements of the ImportEntriesForModule of *NamedImports* with argument *module*.
- 3. Return entries.

ImportedDefaultBinding: ImportedBinding

- 1. Let *localName* be the sole element of BoundNames of *ImportedBinding*.
- 2. Let *defaultEntry* be the ImportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: *module*, [[ImportName]]: **"default"**, [[LocalName]]: *localName* }.
- 3. Return a new List containing defaultEntry.

NameSpaceImport: \* as ImportedBinding

- 1. Let *localName* be the StringValue of *ImportedBinding*.
- 2. Let entry be the ImportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: module, [[ImportName]]: "\*", [[LocalName]]: localName }.
- 3. Return a new List containing *entry*.

NamedImports : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

ImportsList: ImportsList, ImportSpecifier

- 1. Let specs be the ImportEntriesForModule of ImportsList with argument module.
- 2. Append to *specs* the elements of the ImportEntriesForModule of *ImportSpecifier* with argument *module*.
- 3. Return specs.

*ImportSpecifier*: *ImportedBinding* 

- 1. Let *localName* be the sole element of BoundNames of *ImportedBinding*.
- 2. Let *entry* be the ImportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: *module*, [[ImportName]]: *localName*, [[LocalName]]: *localName* }.
- 3. Return a new List containing *entry*.

ImportSpecifier: IdentifierName as ImportedBinding

- 1. Let *importName* be the StringValue of *IdentifierName*.
- 2. Let *localName* be the StringValue of *ImportedBinding*.
- 3. Let entry be the ImportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: module, [[ImportName]]: importName, [[LocalName]]: localName }.
- 4. Return a new List containing entry.

#### 15.2.2.5 Static Semantics: ModuleRequests

ImportDeclaration: import ImportClause FromClause;

1. Return ModuleRequests of FromClause.

ModuleSpecifier: StringLiteral

1. Return a List containing the StringValue of StringLiteral.

# **15.2.3 Exports**

#### **Syntax**

```
ExportDeclaration:
        export ExportFromClause FromClause ;
        export NamedExports ;
        export VariableStatement[~Yield, ~Await]
        export Declaration[~Yield, ~Await]
        export default HoistableDeclaration[~Yield, ~Await, +Default]
        export default ClassDeclaration[~Yield, ~Await, +Default]
        export default [lookahead ∉ { function , async [no LineTerminator here] function , class }]
             AssignmentExpression[+In, ~Yield, ~Await] ;
ExportFromClause:
        * as IdentifierName
        NamedExports
NamedExports:
        { }
        { ExportsList }
        { ExportsList , }
ExportsList:
        ExportSpecifier
        ExportsList , ExportSpecifier
ExportSpecifier:
        IdentifierName
        IdentifierName as IdentifierName
```

#### 15.2.3.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

ExportDeclaration: export NamedExports;

• For each *IdentifierName n* in ReferencedBindings of *NamedExports*: It is a Syntax Error if StringValue of *n* is a *ReservedWord* or if the StringValue of *n* is one of: "implements", "interface", "let", "package", "private", "protected", "public", or "static".

**NOTE** 

The above rule means that each ReferencedBindings of *NamedExports* is treated as an *IdentifierReference*.

#### 15.2.3.2 Static Semantics: BoundNames

```
ExportDeclaration:

export ExportFromClause FromClause;

export NamedExports;
```

1. Return a new empty List.

Export Declaration: export Variable Statement

1. Return the BoundNames of VariableStatement.

Export Declaration: export Declaration

1. Return the BoundNames of Declaration.

ExportDeclaration: export default HoistableDeclaration

- 1. Let *declarationNames* be the BoundNames of *HoistableDeclaration*.
- 2. If declarationNames does not include the element "\*default\*", append "\*default\*" to declarationNames.
- 3. Return declarationNames.

Export Declaration: export default Class Declaration

- 1. Let declarationNames be the BoundNames of ClassDeclaration.
- 2. If declarationNames does not include the element "\*default\*", append "\*default\*" to declarationNames.
- 3. Return declarationNames.

ExportDeclaration: export default AssignmentExpression;

1. Return « "\*default\*" ».

#### 15.2.3.3 Static Semantics: ExportedBindings

ExportDeclaration:

export ExportFromClause FromClause ;

1. Return a new empty List.

ExportDeclaration: export NamedExports;

1. Return the ExportedBindings of *NamedExports*.

Export Declaration: export Variable Statement

1. Return the BoundNames of VariableStatement.

ExportDeclaration: export Declaration

1. Return the BoundNames of Declaration.

ExportDeclaration: export default HoistableDeclaration

ExportDeclaration: export default ClassDeclaration

ExportDeclaration: export default AssignmentExpression;

1. Return the BoundNames of this *ExportDeclaration*.

NamedExports : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

ExportsList: ExportsList, ExportSpecifier

1. Let *names* be the ExportedBindings of *ExportsList*.

- 2. Append to names the elements of the ExportedBindings of ExportSpecifier.
- 3. Return names.

ExportSpecifier: IdentifierName

1. Return a List containing the StringValue of *IdentifierName*.

ExportSpecifier: IdentifierName as IdentifierName

1. Return a List containing the StringValue of the first *IdentifierName*.

### 15.2.3.4 Static Semantics: ExportedNames

ExportDeclaration: export ExportFromClause ;

1. Return the ExportedNames of ExportFromClause.

ExportFromClause: \*

1. Return a new empty List.

ExportFromClause : \* as IdentifierName

1. Return a List containing the StringValue of *IdentifierName*.

ExportFromClause: NamedExports

1. Return the ExportedNames of NamedExports.

ExportDeclaration: export VariableStatement

1. Return the BoundNames of VariableStatement.

Export Declaration: export Declaration

1. Return the BoundNames of Declaration.

ExportDeclaration: export default HoistableDeclaration ExportDeclaration: export default ClassDeclaration

ExportDeclaration: export default AssignmentExpression;

1. Return « "default" ».

NamedExports: { }

1. Return a new empty List.

ExportsList: ExportsList, ExportSpecifier

- 1. Let *names* be the ExportedNames of *ExportsList*.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the ExportedNames of *ExportSpecifier*.
- 3. Return names.

ExportSpecifier: IdentifierName

1. Return a List containing the StringValue of *IdentifierName*.

1. Return a List containing the String Value of the second *IdentifierName*.

# 15.2.3.5 Static Semantics: ExportEntries

ExportDeclaration: export ExportFromClause FromClause;

- 1. Let *module* be the sole element of ModuleRequests of *FromClause*.
- 2. Return ExportEntriesForModule of ExportFromClause with argument module.

ExportDeclaration: export NamedExports;

1. Return ExportEntriesForModule of NamedExports with argument null.

Export Declaration: export Variable Statement

- 1. Let *entries* be a new empty List.
- 2. Let names be the BoundNames of VariableStatement.
- 3. For each name in names, do
  - a. Append the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: null, [[ImportName]]: null, [[LocalName]]: name, [[ExportName]]: name } to entries.
- 4. Return entries.

Export Declaration: export Declaration

- 1. Let entries be a new empty List.
- 2. Let names be the BoundNames of Declaration.
- 3. For each name in names, do
  - a. Append the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: null, [[ImportName]]: null, [[LocalName]]: name, [[ExportName]]: name } to entries.
- 4. Return entries.

ExportDeclaration: export default HoistableDeclaration

- 1. Let names be BoundNames of HoistableDeclaration.
- 2. Let *localName* be the sole element of *names*.
- 3. Return a new List containing the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: null, [[ImportName]]: null, [[LocalName, [[ExportName]]: "default" }.

Export Declaration: export default Class Declaration

- 1. Let names be BoundNames of ClassDeclaration.
- 2. Let *localName* be the sole element of *names*.
- 3. Return a new List containing the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: null, [[ImportName]]: null, [[LocalName]]: localName, [[ExportName]]: "default" }.

ExportDeclaration: export default AssignmentExpression;

- 1. Let *entry* be the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: **null**, [[ImportName]]: **null**, [[LocalName]]: "\*default\*", [[ExportName]]: "default" }.
- 2. Return a new List containing entry.

"\*default\*" is used within this specification as a synthetic name for anonymous default export values.

### 15.2.3.6 Static Semantics: ExportEntriesForModule

With parameter *module*.

ExportFromClause: \*

- 1. Let *entry* be the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: *module*, [[ImportName]]: "\*", [[LocalName]]: **null**, [[ExportName]]: **null** }.
- 2. Return a new List containing entry.

ExportFromClause: \* as IdentifierName

- 1. Let *exportName* be the StringValue of *IdentifierName*.
- 2. Let *entry* be the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: *module*, [[ImportName]]: "\*", [[LocalName]]: **null**, [[ExportName]]: *exportName* }.
- 3. Return a new List containing *entry*.

NamedExports : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

ExportsList: ExportsList, ExportSpecifier

- 1. Let *specs* be the ExportEntriesForModule of *ExportsList* with argument *module*.
- 2. Append to specs the elements of the ExportEntriesForModule of ExportSpecifier with argument module.
- 3. Return specs.

ExportSpecifier: IdentifierName

- 1. Let *sourceName* be the StringValue of *IdentifierName*.
- 2. If module is **null**, then
  - a. Let localName be sourceName.
  - b. Let *importName* be **null**.
- 3. Else,
  - a. Let localName be null.
  - b. Let *importName* be *sourceName*.
- 4. Return a new List containing the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: module, [[ImportName]]: importName, [[LocalName]]: localName, [[ExportName]]: sourceName }.

ExportSpecifier: IdentifierName as IdentifierName

- 1. Let *sourceName* be the StringValue of the first *IdentifierName*.
- 2. Let *exportName* be the StringValue of the second *IdentifierName*.
- 3. If module is **null**, then
  - a. Let localName be sourceName.
  - b. Let *importName* be **null**.
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let localName be null.

- b. Let *importName* be *sourceName*.
- 5. Return a new List containing the ExportEntry Record { [[ModuleRequest]]: module, [[ImportName]]: importName, [[LocalName]]: localName, [[ExportName]]: exportName }.

#### 15.2.3.7 Static Semantics: IsConstantDeclaration

ExportDeclaration:

```
export ExportFromClause FromClause ;
export NamedExports ;
export default AssignmentExpression ;
```

1. Return false.

**NOTE** 

It is not necessary to treat **export default** *AssignmentExpression* as a constant declaration because there is no syntax that permits assignment to the internal bound name used to reference a module's default object.

# 15.2.3.8 Static Semantics: LexicallyScopedDeclarations

ExportDeclaration:

```
export ExportFromClause FromClause ;
export NamedExports ;
export VariableStatement
```

1. Return a new empty List.

Export Declaration: export Declaration

1. Return a new List containing DeclarationPart of Declaration.

ExportDeclaration: export default HoistableDeclaration

1. Return a new List containing DeclarationPart of HoistableDeclaration.

ExportDeclaration: export default ClassDeclaration

1. Return a new List containing ClassDeclaration.

ExportDeclaration: export default AssignmentExpression;

1. Return a new List containing this *ExportDeclaration*.

#### 15.2.3.9 Static Semantics: ModuleRequests

ExportDeclaration: export ExportFromClause ;

1. Return the ModuleRequests of *FromClause*.

```
ExportDeclaration:
```

```
export NamedExports;
export VariableStatement
export Declaration
export default HoistableDeclaration
```

```
export default ClassDeclaration
export default AssignmentExpression ;
```

1. Return a new empty List.

### 15.2.3.10 Static Semantics: ReferencedBindings

*NamedExports* : { }

1. Return a new empty List.

ExportsList: ExportsList, ExportSpecifier

- 1. Let *names* be the ReferencedBindings of *ExportsList*.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the ReferencedBindings of *ExportSpecifier*.
- 3. Return names.

ExportSpecifier: IdentifierName

1. Return a List containing the *IdentifierName*.

ExportSpecifier: IdentifierName as IdentifierName

1. Return a List containing the first *IdentifierName*.

#### 15.2.3.11 Runtime Semantics: Evaluation

ExportDeclaration:

```
export ExportFromClause FromClause ;
export NamedExports ;
```

1. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

ExportDeclaration: export VariableStatement

1. Return the result of evaluating *VariableStatement*.

Export Declaration: export Declaration

1. Return the result of evaluating *Declaration*.

Export Declaration: export default Hoistable Declaration

1. Return the result of evaluating *HoistableDeclaration*.

Export Declaration: export default Class Declaration

- 1. Let *value* be ? BindingClassDeclarationEvaluation of *ClassDeclaration*.
- 2. Let className be the sole element of BoundNames of ClassDeclaration.
- 3. If className is "\*default\*", then
  - a. Let env be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
  - b. Perform? InitializeBoundName("\*default\*", value, env).
- 4. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

ExportDeclaration: export default AssignmentExpression;

- 1. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(AssignmentExpression) is **true**, then
  - a. Let value be NamedEvaluation of AssignmentExpression with argument "default".
- 2. Else,
  - a. Let *rhs* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
  - b. Let value be? GetValue(rhs).
- 3. Let *env* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
- 4. Perform? InitializeBoundName("\*default\*", value, env).
- 5. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

# 16 Error Handling and Language Extensions

An implementation must report most errors at the time the relevant ECMAScript language construct is evaluated. An *early error* is an error that can be detected and reported prior to the evaluation of any construct in the *Script* containing the error. The presence of an *early error* prevents the evaluation of the construct. An implementation must report early errors in a *Script* as part of parsing that *Script* in ParseScript. Early errors in a *Module* are reported at the point when the *Module* would be evaluated and the *Module* is never initialized. Early errors in **eval** code are reported at the time **eval** is called and prevent evaluation of the **eval** code. All errors that are not early errors are runtime errors.

An implementation must report as an early error any occurrence of a condition that is listed in a "Static Semantics: Early Errors" subclause of this specification.

An implementation shall not treat other kinds of errors as early errors even if the compiler can prove that a construct cannot execute without error under any circumstances. An implementation may issue an early warning in such a case, but it should not report the error until the relevant construct is actually executed.

An implementation shall report all errors as specified, except for the following:

- Except as restricted in 16.1, an implementation may extend *Script* syntax, *Module* syntax, and regular expression pattern or flag syntax. To permit this, all operations (such as calling **eval**, using a regular expression literal, or using the **Function** or **RegExp** constructor) that are allowed to throw **SyntaxError** are permitted to exhibit implementation-defined behaviour instead of throwing **SyntaxError** when they encounter an implementation-defined extension to the script syntax or regular expression pattern or flag syntax.
- Except as restricted in 16.1, an implementation may provide additional types, values, objects, properties, and functions beyond those described in this specification. This may cause constructs (such as looking up a variable in the global scope) to have implementation-defined behaviour instead of throwing an error (such as **ReferenceError**).

# 16.1 Forbidden Extensions

An implementation must not extend this specification in the following ways:

• ECMAScript function objects defined using syntactic constructors in strict mode code must not be created with own properties named "caller" or "arguments". Such own properties also must not be created for function objects defined using an ArrowFunction, MethodDefinition, GeneratorDeclaration, GeneratorExpression, AsyncGeneratorDeclaration, AsyncGeneratorExpression, ClassDeclaration, ClassExpression, AsyncFunctionDeclaration, AsyncFunctionExpression, or AsyncArrowFunction regardless of whether the definition is contained in strict mode code. Built-in functions, strict functions created using the Function constructor, generator functions

- created using the **Generator** constructor, async functions created using the **AsyncFunction** constructor, and functions created using the **bind** method also must not be created with such own properties.
- If an implementation extends any function object with an own property named "caller" the value of that property, as observed using [[Get]] or [[GetOwnProperty]], must not be a strict function object. If it is an accessor property, the function that is the value of the property's [[Get]] attribute must never return a strict function when called.
- Neither mapped nor unmapped arguments objects may be created with an own property named "caller".
- The behaviour of the following methods must not be extended except as specified in ECMA-402:
   Object.prototype.toLocaleString, Array.prototype.toLocaleString,
   Number.prototype.toLocaleString, Date.prototype.toLocaleDateString,
   Date.prototype.toLocaleString, Date.prototype.toLocaleTimeString,
   String.prototype.localeCompare, %TypedArray%.prototype.toLocaleString.
- The RegExp pattern grammars in 21.2.1 and B.1.4 must not be extended to recognize any of the source characters A-Z or a-z as *IdentityEscape* when the [U] grammar parameter is present.
- The Syntactic Grammar must not be extended in any manner that allows the token: to immediately follow source text that matches the *BindingIdentifier* nonterminal symbol.
- When processing strict mode code, the syntax of *NumericLiteral* must not be extended to include *LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral* and the syntax of *DecimalIntegerLiteral* must not be extended to include *NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral* as described in B.1.1.
- TemplateCharacter must not be extended to include LegacyOctalEscapeSequence as defined in B.1.2.
- When processing strict mode code, the extensions defined in B.3.2, B.3.3, B.3.4, and B.3.6 must not be supported.
- When parsing for the *Module* goal symbol, the lexical grammar extensions defined in B.1.3 must not be supported.
- *ImportCall* must not be extended.

# 17 ECMAScript Standard Built-in Objects

There are certain built-in objects available whenever an ECMAScript *Script* or *Module* begins execution. One, the global object, is part of the lexical environment of the executing program. Others are accessible as initial properties of the global object or indirectly as properties of accessible built-in objects.

Unless specified otherwise, a built-in object that is callable as a function is a built-in function object with the characteristics described in 9.3. Unless specified otherwise, the [[Extensible]] internal slot of a built-in object initially has the value **true**. Every built-in function object has a [[Realm]] internal slot whose value is the Realm Record of the realm for which the object was initially created.

Many built-in objects are functions: they can be invoked with arguments. Some of them furthermore are constructors: they are functions intended for use with the **new** operator. For each built-in function, this specification describes the arguments required by that function and the properties of that function object. For each built-in constructor, this specification furthermore describes properties of the prototype object of that constructor and properties of specific object instances returned by a **new** expression that invokes that constructor.

Unless otherwise specified in the description of a particular function, if a built-in function or constructor is given fewer arguments than the function is specified to require, the function or constructor shall behave exactly as if it had been given sufficient additional arguments, each such argument being the **undefined** value. Such missing arguments

are considered to be "not present" and may be identified in that manner by specification algorithms. In the description of a particular function, the terms "this value" and "NewTarget" have the meanings given in 9.3.

Unless otherwise specified in the description of a particular function, if a built-in function or constructor described is given more arguments than the function is specified to allow, the extra arguments are evaluated by the call and then ignored by the function. However, an implementation may define implementation specific behaviour relating to such arguments as long as the behaviour is not the throwing of a **TypeError** exception that is predicated simply on the presence of an extra argument.

NOTE 1

Implementations that add additional capabilities to the set of built-in functions are encouraged to do so by adding new functions rather than adding new parameters to existing functions.

Unless otherwise specified every built-in function and every built-in constructor has the Function prototype object, which is the initial value of the expression **Function.prototype** (19.2.3), as the value of its [[Prototype]] internal slot.

Unless otherwise specified every built-in prototype object has the Object prototype object, which is the initial value of the expression **Object.prototype** (19.1.3), as the value of its [[Prototype]] internal slot, except the Object prototype object itself.

Built-in function objects that are not identified as constructors do not implement the [[Construct]] internal method unless otherwise specified in the description of a particular function.

Each built-in function defined in this specification is created by calling the CreateBuiltinFunction abstract operation (9.3.3).

Every built-in function object, including constructors, has a "length" property whose value is an integer. Unless otherwise specified, this value is equal to the largest number of named arguments shown in the subclause headings for the function description. Optional parameters (which are indicated with brackets: [ ]) or rest parameters (which are shown using the form «...name») are not included in the default argument count.

NOTE 2

For example, the function object that is the initial value of the "map" property of the Array prototype object is described under the subclause heading «Array.prototype.map (callbackFn [ , thisArg])» which shows the two named arguments callbackFn and thisArg, the latter being optional; therefore the value of the "length" property of that function object is 1.

Unless otherwise specified, the **"length"** property of a built-in function object has the attributes { [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.

Every built-in function object, including constructors, that is not identified as an anonymous function has a "name" property whose value is a String. Unless otherwise specified, this value is the name that is given to the function in this specification. For functions that are specified as properties of objects, the name value is the property name string used to access the function. Functions that are specified as get or set accessor functions of built-in properties have "get" or "set" prepended to the property name string. The value of the "name" property is explicitly specified for each built-in functions whose property key is a Symbol value.

Unless otherwise specified, the **"name"** property of a built-in function object, if it exists, has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

Every other data property described in clauses 18 through 26 and in Annex B.2 has the attributes { [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true } unless otherwise specified.

Every accessor property described in clauses 18 through 26 and in Annex B.2 has the attributes { [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true } unless otherwise specified. If only a get accessor function is described, the set accessor function is the default value, undefined. If only a set accessor is described the get accessor is the default value, undefined.

# 18 The Global Object

The global object:

- is created before control enters any execution context.
- does not have a [[Construct]] internal method; it cannot be used as a constructor with the **new** operator.
- does not have a [[Call]] internal method; it cannot be invoked as a function.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is implementation-dependent.
- may have host defined properties in addition to the properties defined in this specification. This may include a property whose value is the global object itself.

# 18.1 Value Properties of the Global Object

# 18.1.1 globalThis

The initial value of the **"globalThis"** property of the global object in a Realm Record *realm* is *realm*.[[GlobalEnv]]'s EnvironmentRecord's [[GlobalThisValue]].

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# **18.1.2** Infinity

The value of **Infinity** is  $+\infty$  (see 6.1.6.1). This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }.

# 18.1.3 NaN

The value of **NaN** is **NaN** (see 6.1.6.1). This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }.

#### 18.1.4 undefined

The value of **undefined** is **undefined** (see 6.1.1). This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }.

# 18.2 Function Properties of the Global Object

#### 18.2.1 eval (x)

The **eval** function is the % eval% intrinsic object. When the **eval** function is called with one argument x, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: The execution context stack has at least two elements.
- 2. Let *callerContext* be the second to top element of the execution context stack.
- 3. Let callerRealm be callerContext's Realm.
- 4. Return ? PerformEval(*x*, *callerRealm*, **false**, **false**).

#### 18.2.1.1 Runtime Semantics: PerformEval (x, callerRealm, strictCaller, direct)

The abstract operation PerformEval with arguments *x*, callerRealm, strictCaller, and direct performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: If *direct* is **false**, then *strictCaller* is also **false**.
- 2. If Type(x) is not String, return x.
- 3. Let *evalRealm* be the current Realm Record.
- 4. Perform? HostEnsureCanCompileStrings(callerRealm, evalRealm).
- 5. Let this EnvRec be ! GetThis Environment().
- 6. If this EnvRec is a function Environment Record, then
  - a. Let *F* be *thisEnvRec*.[[FunctionObject]].
  - b. Let inFunction be true.
  - c. Let inMethod be thisEnvRec.HasSuperBinding().
  - d. If *F*.[[ConstructorKind]] is **derived**, let *inDerivedConstructor* be **true**; otherwise, let *inDerivedConstructor* be **false**.
- 7. Else,
  - a. Let inFunction be false.
  - b. Let *inMethod* be **false**.
  - c. Let *inDerivedConstructor* be **false**.
- 8. Perform the following substeps in an implementation-dependent order, possibly interleaving parsing and error detection:
  - a. Let *script* be the ECMAScript code that is the result of parsing ! UTF16DecodeString(*x*), for the goal symbol *Script*. If the parse fails, throw a **SyntaxError** exception. If any early errors are detected, throw a **SyntaxError** exception (but see also clause 16).
  - b. If *script* Contains *ScriptBody* is **false**, return **undefined**.
  - c. Let *body* be the *ScriptBody* of *script*.
  - d. If *inFunction* is **false**, and *body* Contains *NewTarget*, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - e. If *inMethod* is **false**, and *body* Contains *SuperProperty*, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - f. If *inDerivedConstructor* is **false**, and *body* Contains *SuperCall*, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
- 9. If *strictCaller* is **true**, let *strictEval* be **true**.
- 10. Else, let *strictEval* be IsStrict of *script*.
- 11. Let *runningContext* be the running execution context.
- 12. NOTE: If *direct* is **true**, *runningContext* will be the execution context that performed the direct eval. If *direct* is **false**, *runningContext* will be the execution context for the invocation of the **eval** function.
- 13. If *direct* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *lexEnv* be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*runningContext*'s LexicalEnvironment).
  - b. Let *varEnv* be *runningContext*'s VariableEnvironment.
- 14. Else,
  - a. Let *lexEnv* be NewDeclarativeEnvironment(*evalRealm*.[[GlobalEnv]]).

- b. Let varEnv be evalRealm.[[GlobalEnv]].
- 15. If *strictEval* is **true**, set *varEnv* to *lexEnv*.
- 16. If *runningContext* is not already suspended, suspend *runningContext*.
- 17. Let *evalContext* be a new ECMAScript code execution context.
- 18. Set evalContext's Function to null.
- 19. Set evalContext's Realm to evalRealm.
- 20. Set evalContext's ScriptOrModule to runningContext's ScriptOrModule.
- 21. Set evalContext's VariableEnvironment to varEnv.
- 22. Set *evalContext*'s LexicalEnvironment to *lexEnv*.
- 23. Push evalContext onto the execution context stack; evalContext is now the running execution context.
- 24. Let result be EvalDeclarationInstantiation(body, varEnv, lexEnv, strictEval).
- 25. If result.[[Type]] is normal, then
  - a. Set *result* to the result of evaluating *body*.
- 26. If result.[[Type]] is normal and result.[[Value]] is empty, then
  - a. Set result to NormalCompletion(undefined).
- 27. Suspend *evalContext* and remove it from the execution context stack.
- 28. Resume the context that is now on the top of the execution context stack as the running execution context.
- 29. Return Completion(result).

NOTE

The eval code cannot instantiate variable or function bindings in the variable environment of the calling context that invoked the eval if the calling context is evaluating formal parameter initializers or if either the code of the calling context or the eval code is strict mode code. Instead such bindings are instantiated in a new VariableEnvironment that is only accessible to the eval code. Bindings introduced by **let**, **const**, or **class** declarations are always instantiated in a new LexicalEnvironment.

#### 18.2.1.2 HostEnsureCanCompileStrings (callerRealm, calleeRealm)

HostEnsureCanCompileStrings is an implementation-defined abstract operation that allows host environments to block certain ECMAScript functions which allow developers to compile strings into ECMAScript code.

An implementation of HostEnsureCanCompileStrings may complete normally or abruptly. Any abrupt completions will be propagated to its callers. The default implementation of HostEnsureCanCompileStrings is to unconditionally return an empty normal completion.

### 18.2.1.3 Runtime Semantics: EvalDeclarationInstantiation (body, varEnv, lexEnv, strict)

When the abstract operation EvalDeclarationInstantiation is called with arguments *body*, *varEnv*, *lexEnv*, and *strict*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *varNames* be the VarDeclaredNames of *body*.
- 2. Let *varDeclarations* be the VarScopedDeclarations of *body*.
- 3. Let *lexEnvRec* be *lexEnv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 4. Let *varEnvRec* be *varEnv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
- 5. If *strict* is **false**, then
  - a. If varEnvRec is a global Environment Record, then
    - i. For each name in varNames, do
      - 1. If *varEnvRec*.HasLexicalDeclaration(*name*) is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.

- 2. NOTE: **eval** will not create a global var declaration that would be shadowed by a global lexical declaration.
- b. Let *thisLex* be *lexEnv*.
- c. Assert: The following loop will terminate.
- d. Repeat, while thisLex is not the same as varEnv,
  - i. Let this EnvRec be this Lex's Environment Record.
  - ii. If this EnvRec is not an object Environment Record, then
    - 1. NOTE: The environment of with statements cannot contain any lexical declaration so it doesn't need to be checked for var/let hoisting conflicts.
    - 2. For each name in varNames, do
      - a. If this EnvRec. Has Binding(name) is **true**, then
        - i. Throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
        - ii. NOTE: Annex B.3.5 defines alternate semantics for the above step.
      - b. NOTE: A direct eval will not hoist var declaration over a like-named lexical declaration.
  - iii. Set *thisLex* to *thisLex*'s outer environment reference.
- 6. Let functionsToInitialize be a new empty List.
- 7. Let declaredFunctionNames be a new empty List.
- 8. For each *d* in *varDeclarations*, in reverse list order, do
  - a. If d is neither a VariableDeclaration nor a ForBinding nor a BindingIdentifier, then
    - i. Assert: *d* is either a FunctionDeclaration, a GeneratorDeclaration, an AsyncFunctionDeclaration, or an AsyncGeneratorDeclaration.
    - ii. NOTE: If there are multiple function declarations for the same name, the last declaration is used.
    - iii. Let *fn* be the sole element of the BoundNames of *d*.
    - iv. If fn is not an element of declaredFunctionNames, then
      - 1. If varEnvRec is a global Environment Record, then
        - a. Let *fnDefinable* be ? *varEnvRec*.CanDeclareGlobalFunction(*fn*).
        - b. If *fnDefinable* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
      - 2. Append fn to declaredFunctionNames.
      - 3. Insert *d* as the first element of *functionsToInitialize*.
- 9. NOTE: Annex B.3.3.3 adds additional steps at this point.
- 10. Let declared VarNames be a new empty List.
- 11. For each *d* in *varDeclarations*, do
  - a. If d is a VariableDeclaration, a ForBinding, or a BindingIdentifier, then
    - i. For each String *vn* in the BoundNames of *d*, do
      - 1. If *vn* is not an element of *declaredFunctionNames*, then
        - a. If varEnvRec is a global Environment Record, then
          - i. Let *vnDefinable* be ? *varEnvRec*.CanDeclareGlobalVar(*vn*).
          - ii. If *vnDefinable* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
        - b. If vn is not an element of declared Var Names, then
          - i. Append vn to declared Var Names.
- 12. NOTE: No abnormal terminations occur after this algorithm step unless *varEnvRec* is a global Environment Record and the global object is a Proxy exotic object.
- 13. Let *lexDeclarations* be the LexicallyScopedDeclarations of *body*.
- 14. For each element *d* in *lexDeclarations*, do
  - a. NOTE: Lexically declared names are only instantiated here but not initialized.
  - b. For each element *dn* of the BoundNames of *d*, do
    - i. If IsConstantDeclaration of *d* is **true**, then

- 1. Perform ? *lexEnvRec*.CreateImmutableBinding(*dn*, **true**).
- ii. Else,
  - 1. Perform ? *lexEnvRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*dn*, **false**).
- 15. For each Parse Node f in functions To Initialize, do
  - a. Let *fn* be the sole element of the BoundNames of *f*.
  - b. Let *fo* be InstantiateFunctionObject of *f* with argument *lexEnv*.
  - c. If varEnvRec is a global Environment Record, then
    - i. Perform? varEnvRec.CreateGlobalFunctionBinding(fn, fo, true).
  - d. Else,
    - i. Let bindingExists be varEnvRec.HasBinding(fn).
    - ii. If bindingExists is **false**, then
      - 1. Let *status* be ! *varEnvRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*fn*, **true**).
      - 2. Assert: status is not an abrupt completion because of validation preceding step 12.
      - 3. Perform ! *varEnvRec*.InitializeBinding(*fn*, *fo*).
    - iii. Else,
      - 1. Perform! varEnvRec.SetMutableBinding(fn, fo, false).
- 16. For each String vn in declared VarNames, in list order, do
  - a. If varEnvRec is a global Environment Record, then
    - i. Perform? varEnvRec.CreateGlobalVarBinding(vn, true).
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let bindingExists be varEnvRec.HasBinding(vn).
    - ii. If bindingExists is **false**, then
      - 1. Let *status* be ! *varEnvRec*.CreateMutableBinding(*vn*, **true**).
      - 2. Assert: status is not an abrupt completion because of validation preceding step 12.
      - 3. Perform! varEnvRec.InitializeBinding(vn, undefined).
- 17. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

NOTE

An alternative version of this algorithm is described in B.3.5.

## 18.2.2 isFinite (number)

The **isFinite** function is the *%isFinite*% intrinsic object. When the **isFinite** function is called with one argument *number*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *num* be ? ToNumber(*number*).
- 2. If *num* is NaN,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return false.
- 3. Otherwise, return **true**.

## 18.2.3 isNaN (*number*)

The **isNaN** function is the *%isNaN*% intrinsic object. When the **isNaN** function is called with one argument *number*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *num* be ? ToNumber(*number*).
- 2. If *num* is **NaN**, return **true**.
- 3. Otherwise, return false.

A reliable way for ECMAScript code to test if a value **X** is a **NaN** is an expression of the form **X** !== **X**. The result will be **true** if and only if **X** is a **NaN**.

## 18.2.4 parseFloat (string)

The **parseFloat** function produces a Number value dictated by interpretation of the contents of the *string* argument as a decimal literal.

The **parseFloat** function is the *%parseFloat*% intrinsic object. When the **parseFloat** function is called with one argument *string*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *inputString* be ? ToString(*string*).
- 2. Let *trimmedString* be ! TrimString(inputString, start).
- 3. If neither *trimmedString* nor any prefix of *trimmedString* satisfies the syntax of a *StrDecimalLiteral* (see 7.1.4.1), return **NaN**.
- 4. Let *numberString* be the longest prefix of *trimmedString*, which might be *trimmedString* itself, that satisfies the syntax of a *StrDecimalLiteral*.
- 5. Let *mathFloat* be MV of *numberString*.
- 6. If  $mathFloat = 0_{\mathbb{R}}$ , then
  - a. If the first code unit of trimmedString is the code unit 0x002D (HYPHEN-MINUS), return -0.
  - b. Return +0.
- 7. Return the Number value for *mathFloat*.

**NOTE** 

**parseFloat** may interpret only a leading portion of *string* as a Number value; it ignores any code units that cannot be interpreted as part of the notation of a decimal literal, and no indication is given that any such code units were ignored.

## 18.2.5 parseInt (string, radix)

The **parseInt** function produces an integer value dictated by interpretation of the contents of the *string* argument according to the specified *radix*. Leading white space in *string* is ignored. If *radix* is **undefined** or 0, it is assumed to be 10 except when the number begins with the code unit pairs **0x** or **0X**, in which case a radix of 16 is assumed. If *radix* is 16, the number may also optionally begin with the code unit pairs **0x** or **0X**.

The **parseInt** function is the *%parseInt*% intrinsic object. When the **parseInt** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *inputString* be ? ToString(*string*).
- 2. Let *S* be ! TrimString(inputString, start).
- 3. Let sign be 1.
- 4. If *S* is not empty and the first code unit of *S* is the code unit 0x002D (HYPHEN-MINUS), set *sign* to -1.
- 5. If *S* is not empty and the first code unit of *S* is the code unit 0x002B (PLUS SIGN) or the code unit 0x002D (HYPHEN-MINUS), remove the first code unit from *S*.
- 6. Let R be ? ToInt32(radix).
- 7. Let *stripPrefix* be **true**.
- 8. If  $R \neq 0$ , then

- a. If R < 2 or R > 36, return NaN.
- b. If  $R \neq 16$ , set *stripPrefix* to **false**.
- 9. Else,
  - a. Set *R* to 10.
- 10. If *stripPrefix* is **true**, then
  - a. If the length of *S* is at least 2 and the first two code units of *S* are either "0x" or "0X", then
    - i. Remove the first two code units from *S*.
    - ii. Set *R* to 16.
- 11. If *S* contains a code unit that is not a radix-*R* digit, let *Z* be the substring of *S* consisting of all code units before the first such code unit; otherwise, let *Z* be *S*.
- 12. If Z is empty, return NaN.
- 13. Let *mathInt* be the mathematical integer value that is represented by *Z* in radix-*R* notation, using the letters **A-Z** and **a-z** for digits with values 10 through 35. (However, if *R* is 10 and *Z* contains more than 20 significant digits, every significant digit after the 20th may be replaced by a 0 digit, at the option of the implementation; and if *R* is not 2, 4, 8, 10, 16, or 32, then *mathInt* may be an implementation-dependent approximation to the mathematical integer value that is represented by *Z* in radix-*R* notation.)
- 14. If  $mathInt = 0_{\mathbb{R}}$ , then
  - a. If sign = -1, return **-0**.
  - b. Return +0.
- 15. Let *number* be the Number value for *mathInt*.
- 16. Return  $sign \times number$ .

NOTE

**parseInt** may interpret only a leading portion of *string* as an integer value; it ignores any code units that cannot be interpreted as part of the notation of an integer, and no indication is given that any such code units were ignored.

## 18.2.6 URI Handling Functions

Uniform Resource Identifiers, or URIs, are Strings that identify resources (e.g. web pages or files) and transport protocols by which to access them (e.g. HTTP or FTP) on the Internet. The ECMAScript language itself does not provide any support for using URIs except for functions that encode and decode URIs as described in 18.2.6.2, 18.2.6.4 and 18.2.6.5

NOTE

Many implementations of ECMAScript provide additional functions and methods that manipulate web pages; these functions are beyond the scope of this standard.

#### 18.2.6.1 URI Syntax and Semantics

A URI is composed of a sequence of components separated by component separators. The general form is:

Scheme: First / Second; Third? Fourth

where the italicized names represent components and ":", "/", ";" and "?" are reserved for use as separators. The **encodeURI** and **decodeURI** functions are intended to work with complete URIs; they assume that any reserved code units in the URI are intended to have special meaning and so are not encoded. The **encodeURIComponent** and **decodeURIComponent** functions are intended to work with the individual component parts of a URI; they

assume that any reserved code units represent text and so must be encoded so that they are not interpreted as reserved code units when the component is part of a complete URI.

The following lexical grammar specifies the form of encoded URIs.

#### **Syntax**

```
uri :::
        uriCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
uriCharacters :::
        uriCharacter uriCharacters opt
uriCharacter :::
        uriReserved
        uriUnescaped
        uriEscaped
uriReserved ::: one of
        ; / ? : @ & = + $ ,
uriUnescaped :::
        uriAlpha
        DecimalDigit
        uriMark
uriEscaped :::
        % HexDigit HexDigit
uriAlpha ::: one of
        abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyzABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
uriMark ::: one of
        -_.!~*'()
```

NOTE

The above syntax is based upon RFC 2396 and does not reflect changes introduced by the more recent RFC 3986.

#### **Runtime Semantics**

When a code unit to be included in a URI is not listed above or is not intended to have the special meaning sometimes given to the reserved code units, that code unit must be encoded. The code unit is transformed into its UTF-8 encoding, with surrogate pairs first converted from UTF-16 to the corresponding code point value. (Note that for code units in the range [0, 127] this results in a single octet with the same value.) The resulting sequence of octets is then transformed into a String with each octet represented by an escape sequence of the form "%xx".

## 18.2.6.1.1 Runtime Semantics: Encode (string, unescapedSet)

The encoding and escaping process is described by the abstract operation Encode taking two String arguments *string* and *unescapedSet*.

- 1. Let *strLen* be the number of code units in *string*.
- 2. Let *R* be the empty String.
- 3. Let *k* be 0.
- 4. Repeat,
  - a. If *k* equals *strLen*, return *R*.
  - b. Let *C* be the code unit at index *k* within *string*.
  - c. If *C* is in *unescapedSet*, then
    - i. Set k to k + 1.
    - ii. Set *R* to the string-concatenation of the previous value of *R* and *C*.
  - d. Else,
    - i. Let *cp* be ! CodePointAt(*string*, *k*).
    - ii. If *cp*.[[IsUnpairedSurrogate]] is **true**, throw a **URIError** exception.
    - iii. Set k to k + cp.[[CodeUnitCount]].
    - iv. Let *Octets* be the List of octets resulting by applying the UTF-8 transformation to *cp*. [[CodePoint]].
    - v. For each element octet of Octets in List order, do
      - 1. Set *R* to the string-concatenation of:
        - the previous value of R
        - **"**"%"
        - the String representation of *octet*, formatted as a two-digit uppercase hexadecimal number, padded to the left with a zero if necessary

## 18.2.6.1.2 Runtime Semantics: Decode (string, reservedSet)

The unescaping and decoding process is described by the abstract operation Decode taking two String arguments *string* and *reservedSet*.

- 1. Let *strLen* be the number of code units in *string*.
- 2. Let *R* be the empty String.
- 3. Let *k* be 0.
- 4. Repeat,
  - a. If *k* equals *strLen*, return *R*.
  - b. Let *C* be the code unit at index *k* within *string*.
  - c. If C is not the code unit 0x0025 (PERCENT SIGN), then
    - i. Let *S* be the String value containing only the code unit *C*.
  - d. Else,
    - i. Let *start* be *k*.
    - ii. If k + 2 is greater than or equal to *strLen*, throw a **URIError** exception.
    - iii. If the code units at index (k + 1) and (k + 2) within *string* do not represent hexadecimal digits, throw a **URIError** exception.
    - iv. Let B be the 8-bit value represented by the two hexadecimal digits at index (k + 1) and (k + 2).
    - v. Set k to k + 2.
    - vi. If the most significant bit in *B* is 0, then
      - 1. Let *C* be the code unit whose value is *B*.
      - 2. If *C* is not in *reservedSet*, then
        - a. Let *S* be the String value containing only the code unit *C*.
      - 3. Else,
        - a. Let *S* be the substring of *string* from index *start* to index *k* inclusive.

- 1. Assert: the most significant bit in *B* is 1.
- 2. Let *n* be the smallest nonnegative integer such that  $(B \ll n)$  & 0x80 is equal to 0.
- 3. If *n* equals 1 or *n* is greater than 4, throw a **URIError** exception.
- 4. Let *Octets* be a List of 8-bit integers of size *n*.
- 5. Set *Octets*[0] to *B*.
- 6. If  $k + (3 \times (n 1))$  is greater than or equal to *strLen*, throw a **URIError** exception.
- 7. Let *j* be 1.
- 8. Repeat, while j < n
  - a. Set k to k + 1.
  - b. If the code unit at index k within string is not the code unit 0x0025 (PERCENT SIGN), throw a **URIError** exception.
  - c. If the code units at index (k + 1) and (k + 2) within *string* do not represent hexadecimal digits, throw a **URIError** exception.
  - d. Let *B* be the 8-bit value represented by the two hexadecimal digits at index (k + 1) and (k + 2).
  - e. If the two most significant bits in *B* are not 10, throw a **URIError** exception.
  - f. Set k to k + 2.
  - g. Set *Octets*[*j*] to *B*.
  - h. Set j to j + 1.
- 9. If *Octets* does not contain a valid UTF-8 encoding of a Unicode code point, throw a **URIError** exception.
- 10. Let *V* be the value obtained by applying the UTF-8 transformation to *Octets*, that is, from a List of octets into a 21-bit value.
- 11. Let *S* be the String value whose code units are, in order, the elements in UTF16Encoding(*V*).
- e. Set *R* to the string-concatenation of the previous value of *R* and *S*.
- f. Set k to k + 1.

NOTE

This syntax of Uniform Resource Identifiers is based upon RFC 2396 and does not reflect the more recei 3986 which replaces RFC 2396. A formal description and implementation of UTF-8 is given in RFC 3629

In UTF-8, characters are encoded using sequences of 1 to 6 octets. The only octet of a sequence of one halpher-order bit set to 0, the remaining 7 bits being used to encode the character value. In a sequence of octets, n > 1, the initial octet has the n higher-order bits set to 1, followed by a bit set to 0. The remaining of that octet contain bits from the value of the character to be encoded. The following octets all have the higher-order bit set to 1 and the following bit set to 0, leaving 6 bits in each to contain bits from the character be encoded. The possible UTF-8 encodings of ECMAScript characters are specified in Table 47.

Table 47 (Informative): UTF-8 Encodings

Code Unit Value  Representation  1st Octet  2nd Octet  3rd Octet  0x0000 - 0x007F  00000000 0zzzzzzz  0zzzzzzz  110yyyyy  10zzzzzz  0x0800 - 0x07FF  xxxxyyyy yyzzzzzz  1110xxxx  10yyyyyy  10zzzzzz  0xD800 - 0xDFFF  110110vv vvwwwxx  followed by 0xDC00 - 0xDFFF  causes URIError  0xDC00 - 0xDFFF  causes URIError  0xE000 - 0xFFFF  xxxxyyyy yyzzzzzz  1110xxxx  10yyyyyy  10zzzzzz  1110xxxx  10yyyyyy  10zzzzzz  1110xxxx  10yyyyyy  10zzzzzz						
0x0080 - 0x07FF         00000yyy yyzzzzzz         110yyyyy         10zzzzzz           0x0800 - 0xD7FF         xxxxyyyy yyzzzzzz         1110xxxx         10yyyyyy         10zzzzzz           0xD800 - 0xDFFF         110110vv vvwwwxx         11110uuu         10uuwww         10xxyyyy         1           0xD800 - 0xDFFF         110111yy yyzzzzzz         11110uuu         10uuwww         10xxyyyy         1           0xD800 - 0xDFFF         causes URIError         0xDC00 - 0xDFFF         0	Code Unit Value	Representation	1 <sup>st</sup> Octet	2 <sup>nd</sup> Octet	3 <sup>rd</sup> Octet	4 <sup>th</sup> (
0x0800 - 0xD7FF       xxxxyyyy yyzzzzzz       1110xxxx       10yyyyyy       10zzzzzz         0xD800 - 0xDBFF followed by 0xDC00 - 0xDFFF       110110vv vvwwwxx followed by 110111yy yyzzzzzz       11110uuu 10uuwww       10xxyyyy       1         0xD800 - 0xDBFF not followed by 0xDC00 - 0xDFFF       causes URIError            0xDC00 - 0xDFFF       causes URIError	0x0000 - 0x007F	00000000 0 <i>zzzzzz</i>	0 <i>zzzzzz</i>			
0xD800 - 0xDBFF followed by 0xDC00 - 0xDFFF         110110vv vvwwwxx followed by 110111yy yyzzzzzz         11110uuu 10uuwww 10xxyyyy 10xxyyyyy 10xxyyyyyy 10xxyyyyy 10xxyyyyy 10xxyyyyy 10xxyyyyy 10xxyyyyyy 10xxyyyyyyyyyy	0x0080 - 0x07FF	00000yyy yyzzzzzz	110 <i>yyyyy</i>	10zzzzzz		
followed by  0xDC00 - 0xDFFF  110111yy yyzzzzzz  0xD800 - 0xDBFF  not followed by  0xDC00 - 0xDFFF  causes URIError  0xDC00 - 0xDFFF  causes URIError	0x0800 - 0xD7FF	xxxxyyyy yyzzzzzz	1110 <i>xxxx</i>	10 <i>yyyyyy</i>	10zzzzzz	
not followed by  0xDC00 - 0xDFFF  0xDC00 - 0xDFFF causes URIError	followed by	followed by		10uuwwww	10ххуууу	10 <i>zz</i>
	not followed by	causes URIError				
0xE000 - 0xFFFF xxxxyyyy yyzzzzzz 1110xxxx 10yyyyyy 10zzzzzz	0xDC00 - 0xDFFF	causes URIError				
	0xE000 - 0xFFFF	xxxxyyyy yyzzzzzz	1110 <i>xxxx</i>	10 <i>yyyyyy</i>	10zzzzzz	

#### Where

uuuuu = vvvv + 1

to account for the addition of 0x10000 as in section 3.8 of the Unicode Standard (Surrogates).

The above transformation combines each surrogate pair (for which code unit values in the inclusive rar 0xD800 to 0xDFFF are reserved) into a UTF-32 representation and encodes the resulting 21-bit value int 8. Decoding reconstructs the surrogate pair.

RFC 3629 prohibits the decoding of invalid UTF-8 octet sequences. For example, the invalid sequence C must not decode into the code unit 0x0000. Implementations of the Decode algorithm are required to th **URIError** when encountering such invalid sequences.

#### 18.2.6.2 decodeURI (encodedURI)

The **decodeURI** function computes a new version of a URI in which each escape sequence and UTF-8 encoding of the sort that might be introduced by the **encodeURI** function is replaced with the UTF-16 encoding of the code points that it represents. Escape sequences that could not have been introduced by **encodeURI** are not replaced.

The **decodeURI** function is the *%decodeURI*% intrinsic object. When the **decodeURI** function is called with one argument *encodedURI*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *uriString* be ? ToString(*encodedURI*).
- 2. Let reserved URISet be a String containing one instance of each code unit valid in uriReserved plus "#".
- 3. Return? Decode(uriString, reservedURISet).

NOTE

The code point # is not decoded from escape sequences even though it is not a reserved URI code point.

## 18.2.6.3 decodeURIComponent (encodedURIComponent)

The **decodeURIComponent** function computes a new version of a URI in which each escape sequence and UTF-8 encoding of the sort that might be introduced by the **encodeURIComponent** function is replaced with the UTF-16 encoding of the code points that it represents.

The **decodeURIComponent** function is the *%decodeURIComponent*% intrinsic object. When the **decodeURIComponent** function is called with one argument *encodedURIComponent*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let componentString be? ToString(encodedURIComponent).
- 2. Let reservedURIComponentSet be the empty String.
- Return ? Decode(componentString, reservedURIComponentSet).

#### 18.2.6.4 encodeURI (uri)

The **encodeURI** function computes a new version of a UTF-16 encoded (6.1.4) URI in which each instance of certain code points is replaced by one, two, three, or four escape sequences representing the UTF-8 encoding of the code points.

The **encodeURI** function is the *%encodeURI*% intrinsic object. When the **encodeURI** function is called with one argument *uri*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *uriString* be ? ToString(*uri*).
- 2. Let *unescapedURISet* be a String containing one instance of each code unit valid in *uriReserved* and *uriUnescaped* plus "#".
- 3. Return? Encode(uriString, unescapedURISet).

**NOTE** 

The code point **#** is not encoded to an escape sequence even though it is not a reserved or unescaped URI code point.

#### 18.2.6.5 encodeURIComponent (uriComponent)

The **encodeURIComponent** function computes a new version of a UTF-16 encoded (6.1.4) URI in which each instance of certain code points is replaced by one, two, three, or four escape sequences representing the UTF-8 encoding of the code point.

The **encodeURIComponent** function is the *%encodeURIComponent%* intrinsic object. When the **encodeURIComponent** function is called with one argument *uriComponent*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *componentString* be ? ToString(*uriComponent*).
- 2. Let *unescapedURIComponentSet* be a String containing one instance of each code unit valid in *uriUnescaped*.
- 3. Return? Encode(componentString, unescapedURIComponentSet).

## 18.3 Constructor Properties of the Global Object

## 18.3.1 Array (...)

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18.3.2 ArrayBuffer (...)
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18.3.6 Boolean (...)
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18.3.8 Date (...)
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18.3.9 Error (...)
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18.3.11 Float32Array (...)
See 22.2.4.
18.3.12 Float64Array (...)
See 22.2.4.
18.3.13 Function (...)
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18.3.14 Int8Array (...)
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18.3.15 Int16Array (...)
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18.3.24 RegExp (...)
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18.3.36 WeakMap (...)
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## 18.3.37 WeakSet (...)

See 23.4.

## 18.4 Other Properties of the Global Object

## **18.4.1** Atomics

See 24.4.

## 18.4.2 **JSON**

See 24.5.

## 18.4.3 Math

See 20.3.

#### **18.4.4** Reflect

See 26.1.

# 19 Fundamental Objects

## 19.1 Object Objects

## 19.1.1 The Object Constructor

The Object constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *Object*%.
- is the initial value of the "Object" property of the global object.
- creates a new ordinary object when called as a constructor.
- performs a type conversion when called as a function rather than as a constructor.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition.

### 19.1.1.1 Object ([value])

When the **Object** function is called with optional argument *value*, the following steps are taken:

1. If NewTarget is neither **undefined** nor the active function, then

- a. Return? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%Object.prototype%").
- 2. If value is **undefined** or **null**, return OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 3. Return! ToObject(value).

The **"length"** property of the **Object** constructor function is 1.

## 19.1.2 Properties of the Object Constructor

The Object constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has a **"length"** property.
- has the following additional properties:

#### 19.1.2.1 Object.assign (target, ...sources)

The **assign** function is used to copy the values of all of the enumerable own properties from one or more source objects to a *target* object. When the **assign** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let to be ? ToObject(target).
- 2. If only one argument was passed, return to.
- 3. Let *sources* be the List of argument values starting with the second argument.
- 4. For each element *nextSource* of *sources*, in ascending index order, do
  - a. If nextSource is neither undefined nor null, then
    - i. Let from be! ToObject(nextSource).
    - ii. Let keys be ? from.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
    - iii. For each element nextKey of keys in List order, do
      - 1. Let desc be ? from.[[GetOwnProperty]](nextKey).
      - 2. If desc is not **undefined** and desc.[[Enumerable]] is **true**, then
        - a. Let *propValue* be ? Get(*from*, *nextKey*).
        - b. Perform ? Set(to, nextKey, propValue, true).
- 5. Return to.

The **"length"** property of the **assign** function is 2.

### 19.1.2.2 Object.create (O, Properties)

The **create** function creates a new object with a specified prototype. When the **create** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(O) is neither Object nor Null, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *obj* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(O).
- 3. If *Properties* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Return? ObjectDefineProperties(obj, Properties).
- 4. Return *obj*.

#### 19.1.2.3 Object.defineProperties (O, Properties)

The **defineProperties** function is used to add own properties and/or update the attributes of existing own

properties of an object. When the **defineProperties** function is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Return? ObjectDefineProperties(O, Properties).

## 19.1.2.3.1 Runtime Semantics: ObjectDefineProperties ( O, Properties )

The abstract operation ObjectDefineProperties with arguments *O* and *Properties* performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(O) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *props* be ? ToObject(*Properties*).
- 3. Let keys be ? props.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 4. Let *descriptors* be a new empty List.
- 5. For each element *nextKey* of *keys* in List order, do
  - a. Let propDesc be? props.[[GetOwnProperty]](nextKey).
  - b. If *propDesc* is not **undefined** and *propDesc*.[[Enumerable]] is **true**, then
    - i. Let *descObj* be ? Get(*props*, *nextKey*).
    - ii. Let desc be? ToPropertyDescriptor(descObj).
    - iii. Append the pair (a two element List) consisting of *nextKey* and *desc* to the end of *descriptors*.
- 6. For each pair from descriptors in list order, do
  - a. Let *P* be the first element of *pair*.
  - b. Let desc be the second element of pair.
  - c. Perform? DefinePropertyOrThrow(O, P, desc).
- 7. Return O.

## 19.1.2.4 Object.defineProperty (O, P, Attributes)

The **defineProperty** function is used to add an own property and/or update the attributes of an existing own property of an object. When the **defineProperty** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(O) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(*P*).
- 3. Let desc be? ToPropertyDescriptor(Attributes).
- 4. Perform? DefinePropertyOrThrow(O, key, desc).
- 5. Return O.

### 19.1.2.5 Object.entries (*O*)

When the **entries** function is called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? ToObject(O).
- 2. Let nameList be ? EnumerableOwnPropertyNames(obj, key+value).
- 3. Return CreateArrayFromList(nameList).

### 19.1.2.6 Object.freeze ( *O* )

When the **freeze** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(O) is not Object, return O.
- 2. Let *status* be ? SetIntegrityLevel(O, frozen).
- 3. If *status* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.

Return O.

#### 19.1.2.7 Object.fromEntries (iterable)

When the **fromEntries** method is called with argument *iterable*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Perform ? RequireObjectCoercible(iterable).
- 2. Let *obj* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 3. Assert: *obj* is an extensible ordinary object with no own properties.
- 4. Let stepsDefine be the algorithm steps defined in CreateDataPropertyOnObject Functions.
- 5. Let adder be! CreateBuiltinFunction(stepsDefine, « »).
- 6. Return? AddEntriesFromIterable(obj, iterable, adder).

**NOTE** 

The function created for *adder* is never directly accessible to ECMAScript code.

#### 19.1.2.7.1 CreateDataPropertyOnObject Functions

A CreateDataPropertyOnObject function is an anonymous built-in function. When a CreateDataPropertyOnObject function is called with arguments *key* and *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be the **this** value.
- 2. Assert: Type(O) is Object.
- 3. Assert: *O* is an extensible ordinary object.
- 4. Let *propertyKey* be ? ToPropertyKey(*key*).
- 5. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(O, propertyKey, value).
- 6. Return undefined.

#### 19.1.2.8 Object.getOwnPropertyDescriptor (O, P)

When the **getOwnPropertyDescriptor** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? ToObject(O).
- 2. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(P).
- 3. Let desc be ? obj.[[GetOwnProperty]](key).
- 4. Return FromPropertyDescriptor(desc).

#### 19.1.2.9 Object.getOwnPropertyDescriptors (O)

When the **getOwnPropertyDescriptors** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? ToObject(O).
- 2. Let ownKeys be ? obj.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 3. Let descriptors be ! OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 4. For each element key of ownKeys in List order, do
  - a. Let *desc* be ? *obj*.[[GetOwnProperty]](*key*).
  - b. Let *descriptor* be ! FromPropertyDescriptor(*desc*).
  - c. If descriptor is not undefined, perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(descriptors, key, descriptor).
- 5. Return descriptors.

#### 19.1.2.10 Object.getOwnPropertyNames (O)

When the **getOwnPropertyNames** function is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Return ? GetOwnPropertyKeys(O, string).

#### 19.1.2.11 Object.getOwnPropertySymbols (O)

When the **getOwnPropertySymbols** function is called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return ? GetOwnPropertyKeys(O, symbol).

#### 19.1.2.11.1 Runtime Semantics: GetOwnPropertyKeys ( O, type )

The abstract operation GetOwnPropertyKeys is called with arguments *O* and *type* where *O* is an Object and *type* is one of **string** or **symbol**. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? ToObject(O).
- 2. Let keys be ? obj.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 3. Let *nameList* be a new empty List.
- 4. For each element *nextKey* of *keys* in List order, do
  - a. If Type(nextKey) is Symbol and type is symbol or Type(nextKey) is String and type is string, then
    - i. Append *nextKey* as the last element of *nameList*.
- 5. Return CreateArrayFromList(nameList).

## 19.1.2.12 Object.getPrototypeOf (O)

When the **getPrototype0f** function is called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? ToObject(O).
- 2. Return ? obj.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().

## 19.1.2.13 Object.is (value1, value2)

When the **is** function is called with arguments *value1* and *value2*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return SameValue(value1, value2).

#### 19.1.2.14 **Object.isExtensible** (*O*)

When the **isExtensible** function is called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(O) is not Object, return **false**.
- 2. Return ? IsExtensible(O).

#### 19.1.2.15 **Object.isFrozen** (*O*)

When the **isFrozen** function is called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(*O*) is not Object, return **true**.
- Return ? TestIntegrityLevel(O, frozen).

## 19.1.2.16 Object.isSealed ( O )

When the **isSealed** function is called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(O) is not Object, return **true**.
- 2. Return ? TestIntegrityLevel(O, sealed).

## 19.1.2.17 Object.keys ( *O* )

When the **keys** function is called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? ToObject(O).
- 2. Let nameList be ? EnumerableOwnPropertyNames(obj, key).
- 3. Return CreateArrayFromList(nameList).

## 19.1.2.18 Object.preventExtensions (O)

When the **preventExtensions** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(O) is not Object, return O.
- 2. Let status be ? O.[[PreventExtensions]]().
- 3. If *status* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Return O.

## 19.1.2.19 Object.prototype

The initial value of **Object.prototype** is %Object.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 19.1.2.20 Object.seal (*O*)

When the **seal** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(O) is not Object, return O.
- 2. Let *status* be ? SetIntegrityLevel(*O*, sealed).
- 3. If *status* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Return O.

## 19.1.2.21 Object.setPrototypeOf (O, proto)

When the **setPrototypeOf** function is called with arguments *O* and *proto*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Set O to ? RequireObjectCoercible(O).
- 2. If Type(proto) is neither Object nor Null, throw a TypeError exception.
- 3. If Type(O) is not Object, return O.
- 4. Let *status* be ? O.[[SetPrototypeOf]](*proto*).
- 5. If *status* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Return O.

#### 19.1.2.22 Object.values (*O*)

When the **values** function is called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? ToObject(O).
- 2. Let nameList be? EnumerableOwnPropertyNames(obj, value).
- 3. Return CreateArrayFromList(nameList).

## 19.1.3 Properties of the Object Prototype Object

The Object prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % ObjectPrototype%.
- has an [[Extensible]] internal slot whose value is **true**.
- has the internal methods defined for ordinary objects, except for the [[SetPrototypeOf]] method, which is as defined in 9.4.7.1. (Thus, it is an immutable prototype exotic object.)
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is **null**.

## 19.1.3.1 Object.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Object.prototype.constructor** is %Object%.

## 19.1.3.2 Object.prototype.hasOwnProperty (V)

When the **hasOwnProperty** method is called with argument *V*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let P be ? ToPropertyKey(V).
- 2. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 3. Return ? HasOwnProperty(O, P).

NOTE

The ordering of steps 1 and 2 is chosen to ensure that any exception that would have been thrown by step 1 in previous editions of this specification will continue to be thrown even if the **this** value is **undefined** or **null**.

## 19.1.3.3 Object.prototype.isPrototypeOf (V)

When the **isPrototypeOf** method is called with argument *V*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(V) is not Object, return **false**.
- 2. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 3. Repeat,
  - a. Set *V* to ? *V*.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
  - b. If *V* is **null**, return **false**.
  - c. If SameValue(*O*, *V*) is **true**, return **true**.

NOTE

The ordering of steps 1 and 2 preserves the behaviour specified by previous editions of this specification for the case where V is not an object and the **this** value is **undefined** or **null**.

## 19.1.3.4 Object.prototype.propertyIsEnumerable (V)

When the **propertyIsEnumerable** method is called with argument *V*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let P be ? ToPropertyKey(V).
- 2. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
- 3. Let *desc* be ? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](*P*).
- 4. If desc is undefined, return false.
- 5. Return desc.[[Enumerable]].

NOTE 1 This method does not consider objects in the prototype chain.

NOTE 2

The ordering of steps 1 and 2 is chosen to ensure that any exception that would have been thrown by step 1 in previous editions of this specification will continue to be thrown even if the **this** value is **undefined** or **null**.

#### 19.1.3.5 Object.prototype.toLocaleString ([reserved1[, reserved2]])

When the **toLocaleString** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? Invoke(O, "toString").

The optional parameters to this function are not used but are intended to correspond to the parameter pattern used by ECMA-402 **toLocaleString** functions. Implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not use those parameter positions for other purposes.

NOTE 1

This function provides a generic **toLocaleString** implementation for objects that have no locale-specific **toString** behaviour. **Array**, **Number**, **Date**, and %TypedArray% provide their own locale-sensitive **toLocaleString** methods.

NOTE 2

ECMA-402 intentionally does not provide an alternative to this default implementation.

## 19.1.3.6 Object.prototype.toString()

When the **toString** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If the this value is undefined, return "[object Undefined]".
- 2. If the this value is null, return "[object Null]".
- 3. Let O be ! ToObject(this value).
- 4. Let *isArray* be ? IsArray(O).
- 5. If *isArray* is **true**, let *builtinTag* be **"Array"**.
- 6. Else if O has a [[ParameterMap]] internal slot, let builtinTag be "Arguments".
- 7. Else if *O* has a [[Call]] internal method, let *builtinTag* be **"Function"**.
- 8. Else if *O* has an [[ErrorData]] internal slot, let *builtinTag* be **"Error"**.
- 9. Else if O has a [[BooleanData]] internal slot, let builtinTag be "Boolean".
- 10. Else if *O* has a [[NumberData]] internal slot, let *builtinTag* be **"Number"**.

- 11. Else if *O* has a [[StringData]] internal slot, let *builtinTag* be **"String"**.
- 12. Else if *O* has a [[DateValue]] internal slot, let *builtinTag* be **"Date"**.
- 13. Else if *O* has a [[RegExpMatcher]] internal slot, let *builtinTag* be **"RegExp"**.
- 14. Else, let builtinTag be "Object".
- 15. Let tag be ? Get(O, @@toStringTag).
- 16. If Type(tag) is not String, set tag to builtinTag.
- 17. Return the string-concatenation of "[object ", tag, and "]".

This function is the *%ObjProto\_toString%* intrinsic object.

**NOTE** 

Historically, this function was occasionally used to access the String value of the [[Class]] internal slot that was used in previous editions of this specification as a nominal type tag for various built-in objects. The above definition of **toString** preserves compatibility for legacy code that uses **toString** as a test for those specific kinds of built-in objects. It does not provide a reliable type testing mechanism for other kinds of built-in or program defined objects. In addition, programs can use @@toStringTag in ways that will invalidate the reliability of such legacy type tests.

## 19.1.3.7 Object.prototype.valueOf()

When the **valueOf** method is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Return? ToObject(this value).

This function is the %ObjProto\_valueOf% intrinsic object.

## 19.1.4 Properties of Object Instances

Object instances have no special properties beyond those inherited from the Object prototype object.

## 19.2 Function Objects

#### 19.2.1 The Function Constructor

The Function constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *Function*%.
- is the initial value of the **"Function"** property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new function object when called as a function rather than as a constructor. Thus the
  function call Function(\_\_) is equivalent to the object creation expression new Function(\_\_) with the
  same arguments.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an extends clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified Function behaviour must include a super call to the Function constructor to create and initialize a subclass instance with the internal slots necessary for built-in function behaviour. All ECMAScript syntactic forms for defining function objects create instances of Function. There is no syntactic means to create instances of Function subclasses except for the built-in

## GeneratorFunction, AsyncFunction, and AsyncGeneratorFunction subclasses.

## 19.2.1.1 Function (p1, p2, ..., pn, body)

The last argument specifies the body (executable code) of a function; any preceding arguments specify formal parameters.

When the **Function** function is called with some arguments p1, p2, ..., pn, body (where n might be 0, that is, there are no "p" arguments, and where body might also not be provided), the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *C* be the active function object.
- 2. Let *args* be the *argumentsList* that was passed to this function by [[Call]] or [[Construct]].
- 3. Return? CreateDynamicFunction(C, NewTarget, normal, args).

**NOTE** 

It is permissible but not necessary to have one argument for each formal parameter to be specified. For example, all three of the following expressions produce the same result:

```
new Function("a", "b", "c", "return a+b+c")
new Function("a, b, c", "return a+b+c")
new Function("a,b", "c", "return a+b+c")
```

#### 19.2.1.1.1 Runtime Semantics: CreateDynamicFunction (constructor, newTarget, kind, args)

The abstract operation CreateDynamicFunction is called with arguments *constructor*, *newTarget*, *kind*, and *args*. *constructor* is the *constructor* function that is performing this action, *newTarget* is the *constructor* that **new** was initially applied to, *kind* is either normal, generator, async, or asyncGenerator, and *args* is a List containing the actual argument values that were passed to *constructor*. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: The execution context stack has at least two elements.
- 2. Let *callerContext* be the second to top element of the execution context stack.
- 3. Let callerRealm be callerContext's Realm.
- 4. Let calleeRealm be the current Realm Record.
- 5. Perform? HostEnsureCanCompileStrings(callerRealm, calleeRealm).
- 6. If newTarget is **undefined**, set newTarget to constructor.
- 7. If kind is normal, then
  - a. Let *goal* be the grammar symbol *FunctionBody* [~Yield, ~Await].
  - b. Let parameterGoal be the grammar symbol FormalParameters [~Yield, ~Await] .
  - c. Let fallbackProto be "%Function.prototype%".
- 8. Else if *kind* is **generator**, then
  - a. Let *goal* be the grammar symbol *GeneratorBody*.
  - b. Let parameterGoal be the grammar symbol FormalParameters [+Yield, ~Await].
  - c. Let fallbackProto be "%Generator%".
- 9. Else if *kind* is **async**, then
  - a. Let *goal* be the grammar symbol *AsyncFunctionBody*.
  - b. Let parameter Goal be the grammar symbol Formal Parameters [~Yield, +Await].
  - c. Let fallbackProto be "% AsyncFunction.prototype%".
- 10. Else,

- a. Assert: *kind* is asyncGenerator.
- b. Let *goal* be the grammar symbol *AsyncGeneratorBody*.
- c. Let parameterGoal be the grammar symbol FormalParameters[+Yield, +Await].
- d. Let fallbackProto be "% AsyncGenerator%".
- 11. Let *argCount* be the number of elements in *args*.
- 12. Let *P* be the empty String.
- 13. If argCount = 0, let bodyArg be the empty String.
- 14. Else if argCount = 1, let bodyArg be args[0].
- 15. Else,
  - a. Assert: argCount > 1.
  - b. Let firstArg be args[0].
  - c. Set *P* to ? ToString(firstArg).
  - d. Let *k* be 1.
  - e. Repeat, while k < argCount 1
    - i. Let nextArg be args[k].
    - ii. Let *nextArgString* be ? ToString(*nextArg*).
    - iii. Set *P* to the string-concatenation of the previous value of *P*, "," (a comma), and *nextArgString*.
    - iv. Set k to k + 1.
  - f. Let bodyArg be args[k].
- 16. Let *bodyString* be the string-concatenation of 0x000A (LINE FEED), ? ToString(*bodyArg*), and 0x000A (LINE FEED).
- 17. Perform the following substeps in an implementation-dependent order, possibly interleaving parsing and error detection:
  - a. Let *parameters* be the result of parsing ! UTF16DecodeString(*P*), using *parameterGoal* as the goal symbol. Throw a **SyntaxError** exception if the parse fails.
  - b. Let *body* be the result of parsing! UTF16DecodeString(*bodyString*), using *goal* as the goal symbol. Throw a **SyntaxError** exception if the parse fails.
  - c. Let *strict* be ContainsUseStrict of *body*.
  - d. If any static semantics errors are detected for *parameters* or *body*, throw a **SyntaxError** exception. If *strict* is **true**, the Early Error rules for *UniqueFormalParameters*: FormalParameters are applied.
  - e. If *strict* is **true** and IsSimpleParameterList of *parameters* is **false**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - f. If any element of the BoundNames of *parameters* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *body*, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - g. If body Contains SuperCall is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - h. If parameters Contains SuperCall is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - i. If *body* Contains *SuperProperty* is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - j. If *parameters* Contains *SuperProperty* is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - k. If *kind* is **generator** or **asyncGenerator**, then
    - i. If *parameters* Contains *YieldExpression* is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - 1. If *kind* is async or asyncGenerator, then
    - i. If *parameters* Contains *AwaitExpression* is **true**, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
  - m. If *strict* is **true**, then
    - i. If BoundNames of *parameters* contains any duplicate elements, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
- 18. Let *proto* be ? GetPrototypeFromConstructor(*newTarget*, *fallbackProto*).
- 19. Let *realmF* be the current Realm Record.
- 20. Let *scope* be *realmF*.[[GlobalEnv]].
- 21. Let *F* be ! OrdinaryFunctionCreate(proto, parameters, body, non-lexical-this, scope).

- 22. If *kind* is **generator**, then
  - a. Let *prototype* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Generator.prototype%).
  - b. Perform DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *prototype*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 23. Else if kind is asyncGenerator, then
  - a. Let *prototype* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%AsyncGenerator.prototype%).
  - b. Perform DefinePropertyOrThrow(*F*, "prototype", PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *prototype*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }).
- 24. Else if *kind* is normal, perform MakeConstructor(*F*).
- 25. NOTE: Async functions are not constructable and do not have a [[Construct]] internal method or a "prototype" property.
- 26. Perform SetFunctionName(*F*, "anonymous").
- 27. Let *prefix* be the prefix associated with *kind* in Table 48.
- 28. Let *sourceString* be the string-concatenation of *prefix*, " **anonymous**(", *P*, 0x000A (LINE FEED), ") {", *bodyString*, and "}".
- 29. Set F.[[SourceText]] to ! UTF16DecodeString(sourceString).
- 30. Return *F*.

NOTE

A "**prototype**" property is created for every non-async function created using CreateDynamicFunction to provide for the possibility that the function will be used as a constructor.

Kind	Prefix		
normal	"function"		
generator	"function*"		
async	"async function"		
asyncGenerator	"async function*"		

**Table 48: Dynamic Function SourceText Prefixes** 

## 19.2.2 Properties of the Function Constructor

The Function constructor:

- is itself a built-in function object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

## 19.2.2.1 Function.length

This is a data property with a value of 1. This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 19.2.2.2 Function.prototype

The value of **Function.prototype** is %Function.prototype%, the intrinsic Function prototype object.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 19.2.3 Properties of the Function Prototype Object

The Function prototype object:

- is % Function.prototype%.
- is itself a built-in function object.
- accepts any arguments and returns **undefined** when invoked.
- does not have a [[Construct]] internal method; it cannot be used as a constructor with the **new** operator.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- does not have a "prototype" property.
- has a **"length"** property whose value is 0.
- has a "name" property whose value is the empty String.

**NOTE** 

The Function prototype object is specified to be a function object to ensure compatibility with ECMAScript code that was created prior to the ECMAScript 2015 specification.

## 19.2.3.1 Function.prototype.apply (thisArg, argArray)

When the **apply** method is called with arguments *thisArg* and *argArray*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *func* be the **this** value.
- 2. If IsCallable(func) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If *argArray* is **undefined** or **null**, then
  - a. Perform PrepareForTailCall().
  - b. Return ? Call(func, this Arg).
- Let argList be? CreateListFromArrayLike(argArray).
- 5. Perform PrepareForTailCall().
- 6. Return ? Call(func, this Arg, argList).

NOTE 1

The *thisArg* value is passed without modification as the **this** value. This is a change from Edition 3, where an **undefined** or **null** *thisArg* is replaced with the global object and ToObject is applied to all other values and that result is passed as the **this** value. Even though the *thisArg* is passed without modification, non-strict functions still perform these transformations upon entry to the function.

NOTE 2

If *func* is an arrow function or a bound function exotic object then the *thisArg* will be ignored by the function [[Call]] in step 6.

## 19.2.3.2 Function.prototype.bind (thisArg, ...args)

When the **bind** method is called with argument *thisArg* and zero or more *args*, it performs the following steps:

1. Let *Target* be the **this** value.

- 2. If IsCallable(*Target*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *args* be a new (possibly empty) List consisting of all of the argument values provided after *thisArg* in order.
- 4. Let *F* be ? BoundFunctionCreate(*Target*, thisArg, args).
- 5. Let targetHasLength be ? HasOwnProperty(Target, "length").
- 6. If targetHasLength is true, then
  - a. Let targetLen be ? Get(Target, "length").
  - b. If Type(targetLen) is not Number, let *L* be 0.
  - c. Else,
    - i. Set targetLen to! ToInteger(targetLen).
    - ii. Let *L* be the larger of 0 and the result of *targetLen* minus the number of elements of *args*.
- 7. Else, let *L* be 0.
- 8. Perform ! SetFunctionLength(*F*, *L*).
- 9. Let *targetName* be ? Get(*Target*, "name").
- 10. If Type(targetName) is not String, set targetName to the empty String.
- 11. Perform SetFunctionName(*F*, targetName, "bound").
- 12. Return *F*.

NOTE 1 Function objects created using **Function.prototype.bind** are exotic objects. They also do not have a **"prototype"** property.

NOTE 2 If *Target* is an arrow function or a bound function exotic object then the *thisArg* passed to this method will not be used by subsequent calls to *F*.

## 19.2.3.3 Function.prototype.call (thisArg, ...args)

When the **call** method is called with argument *thisArg* and zero or more *args*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *func* be the **this** value.
- 2. If IsCallable(func) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *argList* be a new empty List.
- 4. If this method was called with more than one argument, then in left to right order, starting with the second argument, append each argument as the last element of *argList*.
- 5. Perform PrepareForTailCall().
- 6. Return ? Call(func, this Arg, argList).

NOTE 1 The *thisArg* value is passed without modification as the **this** value. This is a change from Edition 3, where an **undefined** or **null** *thisArg* is replaced with the global object and ToObject is applied to all other values and that result is passed as the **this** value. Even though the *thisArg* is passed without modification, non-strict functions still perform these transformations upon entry to the function.

NOTE 2 If *func* is an arrow function or a bound function exotic object then the *thisArg* will be ignored by the function [[Call]] in step 6.

#### 19.2.3.4 Function.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Function.prototype.constructor** is %Function%.

## 19.2.3.5 Function.prototype.toString()

When the **toString** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *func* be the **this** value.
- 2. If *func* is a bound function exotic object or a built-in function object, then return an implementation-dependent String source code representation of *func*. The representation must have the syntax of a *NativeFunction*. Additionally, if *func* is a Well-known Intrinsic Object and is not identified as an anonymous function, the portion of the returned String that would be matched by *PropertyName* must be the initial value of the "name" property of *func*.
- 3. If Type(func) is Object and func has a [[SourceText]] internal slot and func.[[SourceText]] is a sequence of Unicode code points and ! HostHasSourceTextAvailable(func) is **true**, then
  - a. Return! UTF16Encode(func.[[SourceText]]).
- 4. If Type(func) is Object and IsCallable(func) is **true**, then return an implementation-dependent String source code representation of func. The representation must have the syntax of a *NativeFunction*.
- 5. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

```
Native Function: \\ \textbf{function } Property Name_{\texttt{[-Yield, -Await] opt}} \quad \textbf{(} Formal Parameters_{\texttt{[-Yield, -Await]}} \text{ ) } \textbf{(} \textbf{[} \textbf{native code ] } \textbf{)}
```

## 19.2.3.6 Function.prototype [@@hasInstance] (V)

When the **@@hasInstance** method of an object *F* is called with value *V*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? OrdinaryHasInstance(*F*, *V*).

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.hasInstance]".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

**NOTE** 

This is the default implementation of **@@hasInstance** that most functions inherit. **@@hasInstance** is called by the **instanceof** operator to determine whether a value is an instance of a specific constructor. An expression such as

v instanceof F

evaluates as

F[@hasInstance](v)

A constructor function can control which objects are recognized as its instances by **instanceof** by exposing a different **@@hasInstance** method on the function.

This property is non-writable and non-configurable to prevent tampering that could be used to globally expose the target function of a bound function.

#### 19.2.4 Function Instances

Every Function instance is an ECMAScript function object and has the internal slots listed in Table 27. Function objects created using the **Function.prototype.bind** method (19.2.3.2) have the internal slots listed in Table 28.

Function instances have the following properties:

## 19.2.4.1 length

The value of the "length" property is an integer that indicates the typical number of arguments expected by the function. However, the language permits the function to be invoked with some other number of arguments. The behaviour of a function when invoked on a number of arguments other than the number specified by its "length" property depends on the function. This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

#### 19.2.4.2 name

The value of the "name" property is a String that is descriptive of the function. The name has no semantic significance but is typically a variable or property name that is used to refer to the function at its point of definition in ECMAScript code. This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

Anonymous functions objects that do not have a contextual name associated with them by this specification do not have a "name" own property but inherit the "name" property of "Function.prototype".

#### 19.2.4.3 prototype

Function instances that can be used as a constructor have a "prototype" property. Whenever such a Function instance is created another ordinary object is also created and is the initial value of the function's "prototype" property. Unless otherwise specified, the value of the "prototype" property is used to initialize the [[Prototype]] internal slot of the object created when that function is invoked as a constructor.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

NOTE

Function objects created using **Function.prototype.bind**, or by evaluating a *MethodDefinition* (that is not a *GeneratorMethod* or *AsyncGeneratorMethod*) or an *ArrowFunction* do not have a **"prototype"** property.

## 19.2.5 HostHasSourceTextAvailable (func)

HostHasSourceTextAvailable is an implementation-defined abstract operation that allows host environments to prevent the source text from being provided for a given function.

An implementation of HostHasSourceTextAvailable must complete normally in all cases. This operation must be deterministic with respect to its parameters. Each time it is called with a specific *func* as its argument, it must return the same completion record. The default implementation of HostHasSourceTextAvailable is to unconditionally return a normal completion with a value of **true**.

## 19.3 Boolean Objects

#### 19.3.1 The Boolean Constructor

The Boolean constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *Boolean*%.
- is the initial value of the "Boolean" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new Boolean object when called as a constructor.
- performs a type conversion when called as a function rather than as a constructor.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **Boolean** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **Boolean** constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with a [[BooleanData]] internal slot.

#### 19.3.1.1 Boolean (*value*)

When **Boolean** is called with argument *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *b* be ! ToBoolean(*value*).
- 2. If NewTarget is **undefined**, return *b*.
- 3. Let O be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%Boolean.prototype%", « [[BooleanData]] »).
- 4. Set O.[[BooleanData]] to b.
- 5. Return O.

## 19.3.2 Properties of the Boolean Constructor

The Boolean constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 19.3.2.1 Boolean.prototype

The initial value of **Boolean.prototype** is %Boolean.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 19.3.3 Properties of the Boolean Prototype Object

The Boolean prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % Boolean Prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- is itself a Boolean object; it has a [[BooleanData]] internal slot with the value **false**.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.

The abstract operation *thisBooleanValue*(*value*) performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(value) is Boolean, return value.
- 2. If Type(value) is Object and value has a [[BooleanData]] internal slot, then
  - a. Let *b* be *value*.[[BooleanData]].
  - b. Assert: Type(*b*) is Boolean.

- c. Return *b*.
- 3. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

#### 19.3.3.1 Boolean.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Boolean.prototype.constructor** is %Boolean%.

## 19.3.3.2 Boolean.prototype.toString()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *b* be ? thisBooleanValue(this value).
- 2. If *b* is **true**, return **"true"**; else return **"false"**.

### 19.3.3.3 Boolean.prototype.valueOf()

The following steps are taken:

1. Return? thisBooleanValue(this value).

## 19.3.4 Properties of Boolean Instances

Boolean instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the Boolean prototype object. Boolean instances have a [[BooleanData]] internal slot. The [[BooleanData]] internal slot is the Boolean value represented by this Boolean object.

## 19.4 Symbol Objects

## 19.4.1 The Symbol Constructor

The Symbol constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *Symbol*%.
- is the initial value of the "Symbol" property of the global object.
- returns a new Symbol value when called as a function.
- is not intended to be used with the **new** operator.
- is not intended to be subclassed.
- may be used as the value of an extends clause of a class definition but a super call to it will cause an
  exception.

#### 19.4.1.1 Symbol ([ description ])

When **Symbol** is called with optional argument *description*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is not **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. If description is undefined, let descString be undefined.
- 3. Else, let *descString* be ? ToString(*description*).
- 4. Return a new unique Symbol value whose [[Description]] value is *descString*.

## 19.4.2 Properties of the Symbol Constructor

The Symbol constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

## 19.4.2.1 Symbol.asyncIterator

The initial value of **Symbol.asyncIterator** is the well known symbol @@asyncIterator (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

### 19.4.2.2 Symbol.for ( *key* )

When **Symbol.for** is called with argument *key* it performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *stringKey* be ? ToString(*key*).
- 2. For each element *e* of the GlobalSymbolRegistry List, do
  - a. If SameValue(e.[[Key]], stringKey) is true, return e.[[Symbol]].
- 3. Assert: GlobalSymbolRegistry does not currently contain an entry for *stringKey*.
- 4. Let newSymbol be a new unique Symbol value whose [[Description]] value is stringKey.
- 5. Append the Record { [[Key]]: stringKey, [[Symbol]]: newSymbol } to the GlobalSymbolRegistry List.
- 6. Return newSymbol.

The GlobalSymbolRegistry is a List that is globally available. It is shared by all realms. Prior to the evaluation of any ECMAScript code it is initialized as a new empty List. Elements of the GlobalSymbolRegistry are Records with the structure defined in Table 49.

 Field Name
 Value
 Usage

 [[Key]]
 A String
 A string key used to globally identify a Symbol.

 [[Symbol]]
 A Symbol
 A symbol that can be retrieved from any realm.

Table 49: GlobalSymbolRegistry Record Fields

### 19.4.2.3 Symbol.hasInstance

The initial value of **Symbol.hasInstance** is the well-known symbol @@hasInstance (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

### 19.4.2.4 Symbol.isConcatSpreadable

The initial value of **Symbol.isConcatSpreadable** is the well-known symbol @@isConcatSpreadable (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 19.4.2.5 Symbol.iterator

The initial value of **Symbol.iterator** is the well-known symbol @@iterator (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 19.4.2.6 Symbol.keyFor ( *sym* )

When **Symbol.keyFor** is called with argument *sym* it performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(*sym*) is not Symbol, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. For each element *e* of the GlobalSymbolRegistry List (see 19.4.2.2), do
  - a. If SameValue(e.[[Symbol]], sym) is **true**, return e.[[Key]].
- 3. Assert: GlobalSymbolRegistry does not currently contain an entry for sym.
- 4. Return undefined.

#### 19.4.2.7 Symbol.match

The initial value of **Symbol.match** is the well-known symbol @@match (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 19.4.2.8 Symbol.matchAll

The initial value of **Symbol.matchAll** is the well-known symbol @@matchAll (Table 3).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 19.4.2.9 Symbol.prototype

The initial value of **Symbol.prototype** is %Symbol.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 19.4.2.10 Symbol.replace

The initial value of **Symbol.replace** is the well-known symbol @@replace (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

### 19.4.2.11 Symbol.search

The initial value of **Symbol.search** is the well-known symbol @@search (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 19.4.2.12 Symbol.species

The initial value of **Symbol.species** is the well-known symbol @@species (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 19.4.2.13 Symbol.split

The initial value of **Symbol.split** is the well-known symbol @@split (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 19.4.2.14 Symbol.toPrimitive

The initial value of **Symbol.toPrimitive** is the well-known symbol @@toPrimitive (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 19.4.2.15 Symbol.toStringTag

The initial value of **Symbol.toStringTag** is the well-known symbol @@toStringTag (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 19.4.2.16 Symbol.unscopables

The initial value of **Symbol.unscopables** is the well-known symbol @@unscopables (Table 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 19.4.3 Properties of the Symbol Prototype Object

The Symbol prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % *SymbolPrototype*%.
- is an ordinary object.
- is not a Symbol instance and does not have a [[SymbolData]] internal slot.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.

The abstract operation *thisSymbolValue*(*value*) performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(value) is Symbol, return value.
- 2. If Type(value) is Object and value has a [[SymbolData]] internal slot, then
  - a. Let *s* be *value*.[[SymbolData]].
  - b. Assert: Type(*s*) is Symbol.
  - c. Return s.
- 3. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

## 19.4.3.1 Symbol.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Symbol.prototype.constructor** is %Symbol%.

#### 19.4.3.2 get Symbol.prototype.description

**Symbol.prototype.description** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *s* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let *sym* be ? thisSymbolValue(s).
- 3. Return *sym*.[[Description]].

## 19.4.3.3 Symbol.prototype.toString()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let sym be? thisSymbolValue(this value).
- 2. Return SymbolDescriptiveString(sym).

#### 19.4.3.3.1 Runtime Semantics: SymbolDescriptiveString (sym)

When the abstract operation SymbolDescriptiveString is called with argument *sym*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Type(*sym*) is Symbol.
- 2. Let desc be sym's [[Description]] value.
- 3. If *desc* is **undefined**, set *desc* to the empty String.
- 4. Assert: Type(desc) is String.
- 5. Return the string-concatenation of "Symbol(", desc, and ")".

## 19.4.3.4 Symbol.prototype.valueOf()

The following steps are taken:

1. Return? thisSymbolValue(this value).

#### 19.4.3.5 Symbol.prototype [@@toPrimitive] (hint)

This function is called by ECMAScript language operators to convert a Symbol object to a primitive value. The allowed values for *hint* are **''default''**, **''number''**, and **''string''**.

When the **@@toPrimitive** method is called with argument *hint*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return? thisSymbolValue(this value).

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.toPrimitive]".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

#### 19.4.3.6 Symbol.prototype [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Symbol".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 19.4.4 Properties of Symbol Instances

Symbol instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the Symbol prototype object. Symbol instances have a [[SymbolData]] internal slot. The [[SymbolData]] internal slot is the Symbol value represented by this Symbol object.

## 19.5 Error Objects

Instances of Error objects are thrown as exceptions when runtime errors occur. The Error objects may also serve as base objects for user-defined exception classes.

#### 19.5.1 The Error Constructor

The Error constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *Error*%.
- is the initial value of the "Error" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new Error object when called as a function rather than as a constructor. Thus the
  function call Error(...) is equivalent to the object creation expression new Error(...) with the same
  arguments.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **Error** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **Error** constructor to create and initialize subclass instances with an [[ErrorData]] internal slot.

## 19.5.1.1 Error ( message )

When the **Error** function is called with argument *message*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, let *newTarget* be the active function object; else let *newTarget* be NewTarget.
- 2. Let O be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(newTarget, "%Error.prototype%", « [[ErrorData]] »).
- 3. If *message* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *msg* be ? ToString(*message*).
  - b. Let *msgDesc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *msg*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
  - c. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(O, "message", msgDesc).
- 4. Return O.

## 19.5.2 Properties of the Error Constructor

The Error constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 19.5.2.1 Error.prototype

The initial value of **Error.prototype** is %Error.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 19.5.3 Properties of the Error Prototype Object

The Error prototype object:

• is the intrinsic object % *ErrorPrototype*%.

- is an ordinary object.
- is not an Error instance and does not have an [[ErrorData]] internal slot.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.

#### 19.5.3.1 Error.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Error.prototype.constructor** is %Error%.

#### 19.5.3.2 Error.prototype.message

The initial value of **Error.prototype.message** is the empty String.

#### 19.5.3.3 Error.prototype.name

The initial value of **Error.prototype.name** is "Error".

## 19.5.3.4 Error.prototype.toString()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(O) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *name* be ? Get(*O*, "name").
- 4. If *name* is **undefined**, set *name* to "Error"; otherwise set *name* to ? ToString(*name*).
- 5. Let *msg* be ? Get(O, ''message'').
- 6. If msg is **undefined**, set msg to the empty String; otherwise set msg to ? ToString(msg).
- 7. If *name* is the empty String, return *msg*.
- 8. If *msg* is the empty String, return *name*.
- 9. Return the string-concatenation of *name*, the code unit 0x003A (COLON), the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), and *msg*.

## 19.5.4 Properties of Error Instances

Error instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the Error prototype object and have an [[ErrorData]] internal slot whose value is **undefined**. The only specified uses of [[ErrorData]] is to identify Error and *NativeError* instances as Error objects within **Object.prototype.toString**.

## 19.5.5 Native Error Types Used in This Standard

A new instance of one of the *NativeError* objects below is thrown when a runtime error is detected. All of these objects share the same structure, as described in 19.5.6.

#### 19.5.5.1 **EvalError**

This exception is not currently used within this specification. This object remains for compatibility with previous editions of this specification.

#### 19.5.5.2 RangeError

Indicates a value that is not in the set or range of allowable values.

#### 19.5.5.3 ReferenceError

Indicate that an invalid reference value has been detected.

### 19.5.5.4 SyntaxError

Indicates that a parsing error has occurred.

# 19.5.5.5 TypeError

TypeError is used to indicate an unsuccessful operation when none of the other *NativeError* objects are an appropriate indication of the failure cause.

#### 19.5.5.6 URIError

Indicates that one of the global URI handling functions was used in a way that is incompatible with its definition.

# 19.5.6 *NativeError* Object Structure

When an ECMAScript implementation detects a runtime error, it throws a new instance of one of the *NativeError* objects defined in 19.5.5. Each of these objects has the structure described below, differing only in the name used as the constructor name instead of *NativeError*, in the "name" property of the prototype object, and in the implementation-defined "message" property of the prototype object.

For each error object, references to *NativeError* in the definition should be replaced with the appropriate error object name from 19.5.5.

#### 19.5.6.1 The *NativeError* Constructors

Each NativeError constructor:

- creates and initializes a new *NativeError* object when called as a function rather than as a constructor. A call of the object as a function is equivalent to calling it as a constructor with the same arguments. Thus the function call *NativeError*(\_) is equivalent to the object creation expression **new** *NativeError*(\_) with the same arguments.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified *NativeError* behaviour must include a **super** call to the *NativeError* constructor to create and initialize subclass instances with an [[ErrorData]] internal slot.

#### 19.5.6.1.1 NativeError (message)

When a *NativeError* function is called with argument *message*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, let *newTarget* be the active function object; else let *newTarget* be NewTarget.
- Let O be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(newTarget, "%NativeError.prototype%", « [[ErrorData]] »).
- 3. If *message* is not **undefined**, then

- a. Let *msg* be ? ToString(*message*).
- b. Let *msgDesc* be the PropertyDescriptor { [[Value]]: *msg*, [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- c. Perform! DefinePropertyOrThrow(O, "message", msgDesc).
- 4. Return O.

The actual value of the string passed in step 2 is either "% EvalError.prototype%", "% RangeError.prototype%", "% ReferenceError.prototype%", "% SyntaxError.prototype%", "% TypeError.prototype%", or "% URIError.prototype%" corresponding to which *NativeError* constructor is being defined.

### 19.5.6.2 Properties of the *NativeError* Constructors

Each *NativeError* constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Error%.
- has a "name" property whose value is the String value "NativeError".
- has the following properties:

### 19.5.6.2.1 NativeError.prototype

The initial value of **NativeError**. **prototype** is a *NativeError* prototype object (19.5.6.3). Each *NativeError* constructor has a distinct prototype object.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 19.5.6.3 Properties of the *NativeError* Prototype Objects

Each *NativeError* prototype object:

- is an ordinary object.
- is not an Error instance and does not have an [[ErrorData]] internal slot.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Error.prototype%.

# 19.5.6.3.1 NativeError.prototype.constructor

The initial value of the **"constructor"** property of the prototype for a given *NativeError* constructor is the corresponding intrinsic object *%NativeError%* (19.5.6.1).

# 19.5.6.3.2 *NativeError*.prototype.message

The initial value of the "message" property of the prototype for a given *NativeError* constructor is the empty String.

# 19.5.6.3.3 *NativeError*.prototype.name

The initial value of the "name" property of the prototype for a given *NativeError* constructor is the String value consisting of the name of the constructor (the name used instead of *NativeError*).

# 19.5.6.4 Properties of NativeError Instances

*NativeError* instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from their *NativeError* prototype object and have an [[ErrorData]] internal slot whose value is **undefined**. The only specified use of [[ErrorData]] is by

# 20 Numbers and Dates

# 20.1 Number Objects

#### 20.1.1 The Number Constructor

The Number constructor:

- is the intrinsic object %*Number*%.
- is the initial value of the "Number" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new Number object when called as a constructor.
- performs a type conversion when called as a function rather than as a constructor.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **Number** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **Number** constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with a [[NumberData]] internal slot.

#### 20.1.1.1 Number (*value*)

When **Number** is called with argument *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If *value* is present, then
  - a. Let *prim* be ? ToNumeric(*value*).
  - b. If Type(prim) is BigInt, let n be the Number value for the mathematical value of prim.
  - c. Otherwise, let *n* be *prim*.
- 2. Else,
  - a. Let n be +0.
- 3. If NewTarget is **undefined**, return n.
- 4. Let O be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%Number.prototype%", « [[NumberData]] »).
- 5. Set O.[[NumberData]] to n.
- 6. Return O.

# 20.1.2 Properties of the Number Constructor

The Number constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 20.1.2.1 Number.EPSILON

The value of **Number . EPSILON** is the difference between 1 and the smallest value greater than 1 that is representable as a Number value, which is approximately  $2.2204460492503130808472633361816 \times 10^{-16}$ .

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 20.1.2.2 Number.isFinite (number)

When **Number.isFinite** is called with one argument *number*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(number) is not Number, return **false**.
- 2. If *number* is **NaN**,  $+\infty$ , or  $-\infty$ , return **false**.
- 3. Otherwise, return **true**.

# 20.1.2.3 Number.isInteger (number)

When **Number.isInteger** is called with one argument *number*, the following steps are taken:

1. Return! IsInteger(number).

### 20.1.2.4 Number.isNaN (number)

When **Number** . **i** s**NaN** is called with one argument *number*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(number) is not Number, return **false**.
- 2. If *number* is **NaN**, return **true**.
- 3. Otherwise, return false.

**NOTE** 

This function differs from the global isNaN function (18.2.3) in that it does not convert its argument to a Number before determining whether it is **NaN**.

#### 20.1.2.5 Number.isSafeInteger (number)

When **Number.isSafeInteger** is called with one argument *number*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If ! IsInteger(number) is **true**, then
  - a. If  $abs(number) \le 2^{53} 1$ , return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

# 20.1.2.6 Number.MAX\_SAFE\_INTEGER

NOTE

The value of **Number . MAX\_SAFE\_INTEGER** is the largest integer n such that n and n + 1 are both exactly representable as a Number value.

The value of  $Number.MAX\_SAFE\_INTEGER$  is 9007199254740991 ( $2^{53}$  - 1).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 20.1.2.7 Number.MAX VALUE

The value of **Number . MAX\_VALUE** is the largest positive finite value of the Number type, which is approximately  $1.7976931348623157 \times 10^{308}$ .

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

### 20.1.2.8 Number.MIN SAFE INTEGER

NOTE

The value of **Number . MIN\_SAFE\_INTEGER** is the smallest integer n such that n and n - 1 are both exactly representable as a Number value.

The value of **Number.MIN\_SAFE\_INTEGER** is -9007199254740991 ( $-(2^{53} - 1)$ ).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 20.1.2.9 Number.MIN\_VALUE

The value of **Number . MIN\_VALUE** is the smallest positive value of the Number type, which is approximately  $5 \times 10^{-324}$ .

In the IEEE 754-2019 double precision binary representation, the smallest possible value is a denormalized number. If an implementation does not support denormalized values, the value of **Number.MIN\_VALUE** must be the smallest non-zero positive value that can actually be represented by the implementation.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 20.1.2.10 Number.NaN

The value of **Number. NaN** is **NaN**.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 20.1.2.11 Number.NEGATIVE INFINITY

The value of **Number . NEGATIVE\_INFINITY** is  $-\infty$ .

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 20.1.2.12 Number.parseFloat (string)

The value of the **Number.parseFloat** data property is the same built-in function object that is the value of the **"parseFloat"** property of the global object defined in 18.2.4.

#### 20.1.2.13 Number.parseInt (string, radix)

The value of the **Number.parseInt** data property is the same built-in function object that is the value of the **"parseInt"** property of the global object defined in 18.2.5.

# 20.1.2.14 Number.POSITIVE\_INFINITY

The value of **Number . POSITIVE\_INFINITY** is  $+\infty$ .

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

### 20.1.2.15 Number.prototype

The initial value of **Number.prototype** is %Number.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 20.1.3 Properties of the Number Prototype Object

The Number prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object *%NumberPrototype%*.
- is an ordinary object.
- is itself a Number object; it has a [[NumberData]] internal slot with the value +0.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.

Unless explicitly stated otherwise, the methods of the Number prototype object defined below are not generic and the **this** value passed to them must be either a Number value or an object that has a [[NumberData]] internal slot that has been initialized to a Number value.

The abstract operation *thisNumberValue*(*value*) performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(value) is Number, return value.
- 2. If Type(value) is Object and value has a [[NumberData]] internal slot, then
  - a. Let *n* be *value*.[[NumberData]].
  - b. Assert: Type(n) is Number.
  - c. Return n.
- 3. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

The phrase "this Number value" within the specification of a method refers to the result returned by calling the abstract operation this Number Value with the **this** value of the method invocation passed as the argument.

# 20.1.3.1 Number.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Number.prototype.constructor** is %Number%.

# 20.1.3.2 Number.prototype.toExponential (fractionDigits)

Return a String containing this Number value represented in decimal exponential notation with one digit before the significand's decimal point and *fractionDigits* digits after the significand's decimal point. If *fractionDigits* is **undefined**, include as many significand digits as necessary to uniquely specify the Number (just like in ToString except that in this case the Number is always output in exponential notation). Specifically, perform the following steps:

- 1. Let *x* be ? thisNumberValue(this value).
- 2. Let *f* be ? ToInteger(*fractionDigits*).
- 3. Assert: If *fractionDigits* is **undefined**, then *f* is 0.
- 4. If *x* is **NaN**, return the String "**NaN**".
- 5. Let *s* be the empty String.
- 6. If x < 0, then
  - a. Set s to "-".
  - b. Set *x* to -*x*.

- 7. If  $x = +\infty$ , then
  - a. Return the string-concatenation of *s* and "**Infinity**".
- 8. If f < 0 or f > 100, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 9. If x = 0, then
  - a. Let m be the String value consisting of f + 1 occurrences of the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO).
  - b. Let *e* be 0.
- 10. Else,
  - a. If fractionDigits is not **undefined**, then
    - i. Let e and n be integers such that  $10^f \le n < 10^{f+1}$  and for which  $\mathbb{R}(n) \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{\mathbb{R}(e) \mathbb{R}(n)} \mathbb{R}(x)$  is as close to zero as possible. If there are two such sets of e and n, pick the e and n for which  $\mathbb{R}(n) \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{\mathbb{R}(e) \mathbb{R}(f)}$  is larger.
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let e, n, and f be integers such that  $f \ge 0$ ,  $10^f \le n < 10^{f+1}$ , the Number value for  $\mathbb{R}(n) \times 10_\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{R}(e) \mathbb{R}(f)}$  is x, and f is as small as possible. Note that the decimal representation of n has  $f + 1_\mathbb{R}$  digits, n is not divisible by 10, and the least significant digit of n is not necessarily uniquely determined by these criteria.
  - c. Let *m* be the String value consisting of the digits of the decimal representation of *n* (in order, with no leading zeroes).
- 11. If  $f \neq 0$ , then
  - a. Let a be the first code unit of m, and let b be the remaining f code units of m.
  - b. Set m to the string-concatenation of a, ".", and b.
- 12. If e = 0, then
  - a. Let *c* be "+".
  - b. Let *d* be **''0''**.
- 13. Else,
  - a. If e > 0, let c be "+".
  - b. Else,
    - i. Assert: e < 0.
    - ii. Let *c* be "-".
    - iii. Set e to -e.
  - c. Let *d* be the String value consisting of the digits of the decimal representation of *e* (in order, with no leading zeroes).
- 14. Set *m* to the string-concatenation of *m*, "e", *c*, and *d*.
- 15. Return the string-concatenation of *s* and *m*.

NOTE For implementations that provide more accurate conversions than required by the rules above, it is recommended that the following alternative version of step 10.b.i be used as a guideline:

1. Let e, n, and f be integers such that  $f \ge 0$ ,  $10^f \le n < 10^{f+1}$ , the Number value for  $\mathbb{R}(n) \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{\mathbb{R}(e) - \mathbb{R}(f)}$  is x, and f is as small as possible. If there are multiple possibilities for n, choose the value of n for which  $\mathbb{R}(n) \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{\mathbb{R}(e) - \mathbb{R}(f)}$  is closest in value to x. If there are two such possible values of n, choose the one that is even.

# 20.1.3.3 Number.prototype.toFixed (fractionDigits)

**toFixed** returns a String containing this Number value represented in decimal fixed-point notation with *fractionDigits* digits after the decimal point. If *fractionDigits* is **undefined**, 0 is assumed.

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *x* be ? thisNumberValue(this value).
- 2. Let *f* be ? ToInteger(*fractionDigits*).
- 3. Assert: If *fractionDigits* is **undefined**, then *f* is 0.
- 4. If f < 0 or f > 100, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 5. If *x* is **NaN**, return the String "**NaN**".
- 6. Let *s* be the empty String.
- 7. If x < 0, then
  - a. Set *s* to "-".
  - b. Set *x* to -*x*.
- 8. If  $x \ge 10^{21}$ , then
  - a. Let m be ! ToString(x).
- 9. Else,
  - a. Let n be an integer for which  $\mathbb{R}(n) \div 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{\mathbb{R}(f)}$   $\mathbb{R}(x)$  is as close to zero as possible. If there are two such n, pick the larger n.
  - b. If n = 0, let m be the String "0". Otherwise, let m be the String value consisting of the digits of the decimal representation of n (in order, with no leading zeroes).
  - c. If  $f \neq 0$ , then
    - i. Let k be the length of m.
    - ii. If  $k \le f$ , then
      - 1. Let z be the String value consisting of f + 1 k occurrences of the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO).
      - 2. Set *m* to the string-concatenation of *z* and *m*.
      - 3. Set k to f + 1.
    - iii. Let a be the first k f code units of m, and let b be the remaining f code units of m.
    - iv. Set m to the string-concatenation of a, ".", and b.
- 10. Return the string-concatenation of *s* and *m*.

#### NOTE 2

The output of **toFixed** may be more precise than **toString** for some values because toString only prints enough significant digits to distinguish the number from adjacent number values. For example,

```
(10000000000000128).toString() returns "1000000000000000100", while (10000000000000000128).toFixed(0) returns "1000000000000000128".
```

# 20.1.3.4 Number.prototype.toLocaleString ([reserved1[, reserved2]])

An ECMAScript implementation that includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API must implement the **Number.prototype.toLocaleString** method as specified in the ECMA-402 specification. If an ECMAScript implementation does not include the ECMA-402 API the following specification of the **toLocaleString** method is used.

Produces a String value that represents this Number value formatted according to the conventions of the host environment's current locale. This function is implementation-dependent, and it is permissible, but not encouraged, for it to return the same thing as **toString**.

The meanings of the optional parameters to this method are defined in the ECMA-402 specification; implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not use those parameter positions for anything else.

### 20.1.3.5 Number.prototype.toPrecision (precision)

Return a String containing this Number value represented either in decimal exponential notation with one digit before the significand's decimal point and *precision* - 1 digits after the significand's decimal point or in decimal fixed notation with *precision* significant digits. If *precision* is **undefined**, call ToString instead. Specifically, perform the following steps:

- 1. Let *x* be ? thisNumberValue(this value).
- 2. If precision is **undefined**, return! ToString(x).
- 3. Let *p* be ? ToInteger(*precision*).
- 4. If *x* is **NaN**, return the String "**NaN**".
- 5. Let *s* be the empty String.
- 6. If x < 0, then
  - a. Set s to the code unit 0x002D (HYPHEN-MINUS).
  - b. Set *x* to -*x*.
- 7. If  $x = +\infty$ , then
  - a. Return the string-concatenation of *s* and "**Infinity**".
- 8. If p < 1 or p > 100, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 9. If x = 0, then
  - a. Let *m* be the String value consisting of *p* occurrences of the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO).
  - b. Let *e* be 0.
- 10. Else,
  - a. Let e and n be integers such that  $10^{p-1} \le n < 10^p$  and for which  $\mathbb{R}(n) \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{\mathbb{R}(e) \mathbb{R}(p) + 1_{\mathbb{R}}} \mathbb{R}(x)$  is as close to zero as possible. If there are two such sets of e and n, pick the e and n for which  $\mathbb{R}(n) \times 10_{\mathbb{R}}^{\mathbb{R}(e) \mathbb{R}(p) + 1_{\mathbb{R}}}$  is larger.
  - b. Let *m* be the String value consisting of the digits of the decimal representation of *n* (in order, with no leading zeroes).
  - c. If e < -6 or  $e \ge p$ , then
    - i. Assert:  $e \neq 0$ .
    - ii. If  $p \neq 1$ , then
      - 1. Let a be the first code unit of m, and let b be the remaining p-1 code units of m.
      - 2. Set m to the string-concatenation of a, ".", and b.
    - iii. If e > 0, then
      - 1. Let *c* be the code unit 0x002B (PLUS SIGN).
    - iv. Else,
      - 1. Assert: e < 0.
      - 2. Let c be the code unit 0x002D (HYPHEN-MINUS).
      - 3. Set *e* to -*e*.
    - v. Let *d* be the String value consisting of the digits of the decimal representation of *e* (in order, with no leading zeroes).
    - vi. Return the string-concatenation of s, m, the code unit 0x0065 (LATIN SMALL LETTER E), c, and

d.

- 11. If e = p 1, return the string-concatenation of s and m.
- 12. If  $e \ge 0$ , then
  - a. Set m to the string-concatenation of the first e + 1 code units of m, the code unit 0x002E (FULL STOP), and the remaining p (e + 1) code units of m.
- 13. Else,
  - a. Set m to the string-concatenation of the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO), the code unit 0x002E (FULL STOP), -(e + 1) occurrences of the code unit 0x0030 (DIGIT ZERO), and the String m.
- 14. Return the string-concatenation of s and m.

# 20.1.3.6 Number.prototype.toString ([radix])

NOTE

The optional *radix* should be an integer value in the inclusive range 2 to 36. If *radix* is **undefined** the Number 10 is used as the value of *radix*.

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *x* be ? thisNumberValue(this value).
- 2. If *radix* is **undefined**, let *radixNumber* be 10.
- 3. Else, let *radixNumber* be ? ToInteger(*radix*).
- 4. If *radixNumber* < 2 or *radixNumber* > 36, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 5. If radixNumber = 10, return! ToString(x).
- 6. Return the String representation of this Number value using the radix specified by *radixNumber*. Letters **a-z** are used for digits with values 10 through 35. The precise algorithm is implementation-dependent, however the algorithm should be a generalization of that specified in 6.1.6.1.20.

The **toString** function is not generic; it throws a **TypeError** exception if its **this** value is not a Number or a Number object. Therefore, it cannot be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

The **"length"** property of the **toString** method is 1.

# 20.1.3.7 Number.prototype.valueOf()

1. Return? thisNumberValue(this value).

# 20.1.4 Properties of Number Instances

Number instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the Number prototype object. Number instances also have a [[NumberData]] internal slot. The [[NumberData]] internal slot is the Number value represented by this Number object.

# 20.2 BigInt Objects

# **20.2.1 The BigInt Constructor**

The BigInt constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *BigInt*%.
- is the initial value of the "BigInt" property of the global object.
- performs a type conversion when called as a function rather than as a constructor.
- is not intended to be used with the **new** operator or to be subclassed. It may be used as the value of an
   extends clause of a class definition but a **super** call to the **BigInt** constructor will cause an exception.

### 20.2.1.1 BigInt (value)

When **BigInt** is called with argument *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is not **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *prim* be? ToPrimitive(value, hint Number).
- 3. If Type(prim) is Number, return? NumberToBigInt(prim).
- 4. Otherwise, return? ToBigInt(value).

# 20.2.1.1.1 Runtime Semantics: NumberToBigInt (number)

- 1. Assert: Type(number) is Number.
- 2. If IsInteger(number) is **false**, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 3. Return the BigInt value that represents the mathematical value of *number*.

# 20.2.2 Properties of the BigInt Constructor

The value of the [[Prototype]] internal slot of the BigInt constructor is the intrinsic object %Function.prototype%.

The BigInt constructor has the following properties:

#### 20.2.2.1 BigInt.asIntN (bits, bigint)

When the **BigInt.asIntN** function is called with two arguments *bits* and *bigint*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Set bits to ? ToIndex(bits).
- 2. Set *bigint* to ? ToBigInt(*bigint*).
- 3. Let *mod* be the BigInt value that represents *bigint* modulo  $2^{bits}$ .
- 4. If  $mod \ge 2^{bits-1}$ , return  $mod 2^{bits}$ ; otherwise, return mod.

#### 20.2.2.2 BigInt.asUintN (bits, bigint)

When the **BigInt.asUintN** function is called with two arguments *bits* and *bigint*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Set bits to? ToIndex(bits).
- 2. Set *bigint* to ? ToBigInt(*bigint*).
- 3. Return the BigInt value that represents bigint modulo 2<sup>bits</sup>.

### 20.2.2.3 BigInt.prototype

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 20.2.3 Properties of the BigInt Prototype Object

The BigInt prototype object:

- is an ordinary object.
- is not a BigInt object; it does not have a [[BigIntData]] internal slot.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is the intrinsic object %Object.prototype%.

The abstract operation *thisBigIntValue*(*value*) performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(value) is BigInt, return value.
- 2. If Type(value) is Object and value has a [[BigIntData]] internal slot, then
  - a. Assert: Type(value.[[BigIntData]]) is BigInt.
  - b. Return value.[[BigIntData]].
- 3. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

The phrase "this BigInt value" within the specification of a method refers to the result returned by calling the abstract operation this BigInt Value with the **this** value of the method invocation passed as the argument.

### 20.2.3.1 BigInt.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **BigInt.prototype.constructor** is the intrinsic object %BigInt%.

# 20.2.3.2 BigInt.prototype.toLocaleString ([reserved1[, reserved2]])

An ECMAScript implementation that includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API must implement the **BigInt.prototype.toLocaleString** method as specified in the ECMA-402 specification. If an ECMAScript implementation does not include the ECMA-402 API the following specification of the **toLocaleString** method is used.

Produces a String value that represents this BigInt value formatted according to the conventions of the host environment's current locale. This function is implementation-dependent, and it is permissible, but not encouraged, for it to return the same thing as **toString**.

The meanings of the optional parameters to this method are defined in the ECMA-402 specification; implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not use those parameter positions for anything else.

# 20.2.3.3 BigInt.prototype.toString([radix])

**NOTE** 

The optional *radix* should be an integer value in the inclusive range 2 to 36. If *radix* not present or is **undefined** the Number 10 is used as the value of *radix*.

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *x* be ? thisBigIntValue(this value).
- 2. If *radix* is not present, let *radixNumber* be 10.
- 3. Else if radix is **undefined**, let radixNumber be 10.
- 4. Else, let *radixNumber* be ? ToInteger(*radix*).
- 5. If *radixNumber* < 2 or *radixNumber* > 36, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 6. If radixNumber = 10, return! ToString(x).

7. Return the String representation of this Number value using the radix specified by *radixNumber*. Letters **a-z** are used for digits with values 10 through 35. The precise algorithm is implementation-dependent, however the algorithm should be a generalization of that specified in 6.1.6.2.23.

The **toString** function is not generic; it throws a **TypeError** exception if its **this** value is not a BigInt or a BigInt object. Therefore, it cannot be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 20.2.3.4 BigInt.prototype.valueOf()

1. Return? thisBigIntValue(this value).

# 20.2.3.5 BigInt.prototype [ @@toStringTag ]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "BigInt".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 20.3 The Math Object

The Math object:

- is the intrinsic object % *Math*%.
- is the initial value of the "Math" property of the global object.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is not a function object.
- does not have a [[Construct]] internal method; it cannot be used as a constructor with the **new** operator.
- does not have a [[Call]] internal method; it cannot be invoked as a function.

NOTE

In this specification, the phrase "the Number value for x" has a technical meaning defined in 6.1.6.1.

# 20.3.1 Value Properties of the Math Object

#### 20.3.1.1 Math.E

The Number value for  $e_R$ , the base of the natural logarithms, which is approximately 2.7182818284590452354.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 20.3.1.2 Math.LN10

The Number value for the natural logarithm of  $10_R$ , which is approximately 2.302585092994046.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 20.3.1.3 Math.LN2

The Number value for the natural logarithm of  $2_R$ , which is approximately 0.6931471805599453.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 20.3.1.4 Math.LOG10E

The Number value for the base-10 logarithm of  $e_{\mathbb{R}}$ , the base of the natural logarithms; this value is approximately 0.4342944819032518.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

NOTE

The value of **Math.LOG10E** is approximately the reciprocal of the value of **Math.LN10**.

#### 20.3.1.5 Math.LOG2E

The Number value for the base-2 logarithm of  $e_{\mathbb{R}}$ , the base of the natural logarithms; this value is approximately 1.4426950408889634.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

**NOTE** 

The value of **Math.LOG2E** is approximately the reciprocal of the value of **Math.LN2**.

#### 20.3.1.6 Math.PI

The Number value for  $\pi_{\mathbb{R}}$ , the ratio of the circumference of a circle to its diameter, which is approximately 3.1415926535897932.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

### 20.3.1.7 Math.SQRT1\_2

The Number value for the square root of  $\frac{1}{2}$ <sub>R</sub>, which is approximately 0.7071067811865476.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

NOTE

The value of  ${\tt Math.SQRT1\_2}$  is approximately the reciprocal of the value of  ${\tt Math.SQRT2}$ .

#### 20.3.1.8 Math.SQRT2

The Number value for the square root of  $2_{\mathbb{R}}$ , which is approximately 1.4142135623730951.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 20.3.1.9 Math [ @@toStringTag ]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Math".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 20.3.2 Function Properties of the Math Object

Each of the following **Math** object functions applies the ToNumber abstract operation to each of its arguments (in left-to-right order if there is more than one). If ToNumber returns an abrupt completion, that Completion Record is immediately returned. Otherwise, the function performs a computation on the resulting Number value(s). The value returned by each function is a Number.

In the function descriptions below, the symbols NaN, -0, +0, - $\infty$  and + $\infty$  refer to the Number values described in 6.1.6.1.

NOTE

The behaviour of the functions acos, acosh, asin, asinh, atan, atanh, atan2, cbrt, cos, cosh, exp, expm1, hypot, log,log1p, log2, log10, pow, random, sin, sinh, sqrt, tan, and tanh is not precisely specified here except to require specific results for certain argument values that represent boundary cases of interest. For other argument values, these functions are intended to compute approximations to the results of familiar mathematical functions, but some latitude is allowed in the choice of approximation algorithms. The general intent is that an implementer should be able to use the same mathematical library for ECMAScript on a given hardware platform that is available to C programmers on that platform.

Although the choice of algorithms is left to the implementation, it is recommended (but not specified by this standard) that implementations use the approximation algorithms for IEEE 754-2019 arithmetic contained in **fdlibm**, the freely distributable mathematical library from Sun Microsystems (http://www.netlib.org/fdlibm).

#### 20.3.2.1 Math.abs (x)

Returns the absolute value of *x*; the result has the same magnitude as *x* but has positive sign.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **+0**.
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .

#### 20.3.2.2 Math.acos (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the arc cosine of x. The result is expressed in radians and ranges from +0 to  $+\pi$ .

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is greater than 1, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is less than -1, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is exactly 1, the result is +0.

#### 20.3.2.3 Math.acosh (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the inverse hyperbolic cosine of x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is less than 1, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is 1, the result is +0.

• If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .

#### 20.3.2.4 Math.asin (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the arc sine of x. The result is expressed in radians and ranges from  $-\pi$  / 2 to  $+\pi$  / 2.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is greater than 1, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is less than -1, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.

#### 20.3.2.5 Math.asinh (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the inverse hyperbolic sine of x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $-\infty$ .

#### 20.3.2.6 Math.atan (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the arc tangent of x. The result is expressed in radians and ranges from  $-\pi$  / 2 to  $+\pi$  / 2.

- If x is NaN, the result is NaN.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $+\pi$  / 2.
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $-\pi/2$ .

#### 20.3.2.7 Math.atanh (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the inverse hyperbolic tangent of x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is less than -1, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is greater than 1, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is -1, the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If x is +1, the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.

#### 20.3.2.8 Math.atan2 (y, x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the arc tangent of the quotient y / x of the arguments y and x, where the signs of y and x are used to determine the quadrant of the result. Note that it is intentional and traditional

for the two-argument arc tangent function that the argument named y be first and the argument named x be second. The result is expressed in radians and ranges from  $-\pi$  to  $+\pi$ .

- If either x or y is NaN, the result is NaN.
- If y > 0 and x is +0, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $+\pi/2$ .
- If y > 0 and x is **-0**, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $+\pi/2$ .
- If y is +0 and x > 0, the result is +0.
- If y is +0 and x is +0, the result is +0.
- If y is +0 and x is -0, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $+\pi$ .
- If y is +0 and x < 0, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $+\pi$ .
- If *y* is **-0** and x > 0, the result is **-0**.
- If *y* is **-0** and *x* is **+0**, the result is **-0**.
- If y is -0 and x is -0, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $-\pi$ .
- If y is **-0** and x < 0, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $-\pi$ .
- If y < 0 and x is +0, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $-\pi / 2$ .
- If y < 0 and x is **-0**, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $-\pi / 2$ .
- If y > 0 and y is finite and x is  $+\infty$ , the result is +0.
- If y > 0 and y is finite and x is  $-\infty$ , the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $+\pi$ .
- If y < 0 and y is finite and x is  $+\infty$ , the result is -0.
- If y < 0 and y is finite and x is  $-\infty$ , the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $-\pi$ .
- If y is  $+\infty$  and x is finite, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $+\pi$  / 2.
- If y is  $-\infty$  and x is finite, the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $-\pi$  / 2.
- If y is  $+\infty$  and x is  $+\infty$ , the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $+\pi/4$ .
- If y is  $+\infty$  and x is  $-\infty$ , the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $+3\pi/4$ .
- If *y* is  $-\infty$  and *x* is  $+\infty$ , the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $-\pi$  / 4.
- If y is  $-\infty$  and x is  $-\infty$ , the result is an implementation-dependent approximation to  $-3\pi/4$ .

#### 20.3.2.9 Math.cbrt (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the cube root of x.

- If x is NaN, the result is NaN.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $-\infty$ .

#### 20.3.2.10 Math.ceil (x)

Returns the smallest (closest to  $-\infty$ ) Number value that is not less than x and is an integer. If x is already an integer, the result is x.

- If x is NaN, the result is NaN.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If *x* is less than 0 but greater than -1, the result is **-0**.

The value of **Math.ceil(x)** is the same as the value of **-Math.floor(-x)**.

#### 20.3.2.11 Math.clz32 (x)

When **Math.clz32** is called with one argument x, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let n be ? ToUint32(x).
- 2. Let p be the number of leading zero bits in the 32-bit binary representation of n.
- 3. Return *p*.

NOTE

If n is 0, p will be 32. If the most significant bit of the 32-bit binary encoding of n is 1, p will be 0.

# 20.3.2.12 Math.cos (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the cosine of x. The argument is expressed in radians.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is 1.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is 1.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is NaN.
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is NaN.

#### 20.3.2.13 Math.cosh (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the hyperbolic cosine of x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is 1.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is 1.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .

**NOTE** 

The value of Math.cosh(x) is the same as the value of (Math.exp(x) + Math.exp(-x)) / 2.

## 20.3.2.14 Math.exp (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the exponential function of x (e raised to the power of x, where e is the base of the natural logarithms).

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is 1.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is 1.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is +0.

#### 20.3.2.15 Math.expm1 ( *x* )

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to subtracting 1 from the exponential function of x (e raised to the power of x, where e is the base of the natural logarithms). The result is computed in a way that is accurate even when the value of x is close 0.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is **+0**, the result is **+0**.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is -1.

#### 20.3.2.16 Math.floor (x)

Returns the greatest (closest to  $+\infty$ ) Number value that is not greater than x and is an integer. If x is already an integer, the result is x.

- If x is NaN, the result is NaN.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If x is greater than 0 but less than 1, the result is +0.

**NOTE** 

The value of **Math.floor(x)** is the same as the value of **-Math.ceil(-x)**.

#### 20.3.2.17 Math.fround (x)

When **Math. fround** is called with argument x, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If *x* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 2. If x is one of +0, -0,  $+\infty$ ,  $-\infty$ , return x.
- 3. Let *x*32 be the result of converting *x* to a value in IEEE 754-2019 binary32 format using roundTiesToEven mode.
- 4. Let *x*64 be the result of converting *x*32 to a value in IEEE 754-2019 binary64 format.
- 5. Return the ECMAScript Number value corresponding to *x*64.

# 20.3.2.18 Math.hypot (value1, value2, ...values)

**Math.hypot** returns an implementation-dependent approximation of the square root of the sum of squares of its arguments.

- If no arguments are passed, the result is +0.
- If any argument is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If any argument is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If no argument is  $+\infty$  or  $-\infty$ , and any argument is NaN, the result is NaN.
- If all arguments are either +0 or -0, the result is +0.

**NOTE** 

Implementations should take care to avoid the loss of precision from overflows and underflows that are prone to occur in naive implementations when this function is called with two or more arguments.

# 20.3.2.19 Math.imul (x, y)

When **Math.imul** is called with arguments *x* and *y*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let a be ? ToUint32(x).
- 2. Let *b* be ? ToUint32(*y*).
- 3. Let product be  $(a \times b)$  modulo  $2^{32}$ .
- 4. If  $product \ge 2^{31}$ , return  $product 2^{32}$ ; otherwise return product.

# 20.3.2.20 Math. $\log(x)$

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the natural logarithm of x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is less than 0, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0 or -0, the result is - $\infty$ .
- If x is 1, the result is +0.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .

## 20.3.2.21 Math.log1p (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the natural logarithm of 1 + x. The result is computed in a way that is accurate even when the value of x is close to zero.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is less than -1, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is -1, the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .

#### 20.3.2.22 Math.log10(x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the base 10 logarithm of x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is less than 0, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If x is **-0**, the result is **-** $\infty$ .
- If x is 1, the result is +0.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .

#### 20.3.2.23 Math. $\log 2(x)$

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the base 2 logarithm of x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is less than 0, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If x is **-0**, the result is **-** $\infty$ .

- If x is 1, the result is +0.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .

#### 20.3.2.24 Math.max (value1, value2, ...values)

Given zero or more arguments, calls ToNumber on each of the arguments and returns the largest of the resulting values.

- If no arguments are given, the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If any value is NaN, the result is NaN.
- The comparison of values to determine the largest value is done using the Abstract Relational Comparison algorithm except that +0 is considered to be larger than -0.

#### 20.3.2.25 Math.min (*value1*, *value2*, ...*values*)

Given zero or more arguments, calls ToNumber on each of the arguments and returns the smallest of the resulting values.

- If no arguments are given, the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If any value is NaN, the result is NaN.
- The comparison of values to determine the smallest value is done using the Abstract Relational Comparison algorithm except that +0 is considered to be larger than -0.

### 20.3.2.26 Math.pow (base, exponent)

- 1. Set base to ? ToNumber(base).
- 2. Set *exponent* to ? ToNumber(*exponent*).
- 3. Return! Number::exponentiate(base, exponent).

#### 20.3.2.27 Math.random()

Returns a Number value with positive sign, greater than or equal to 0 but less than 1, chosen randomly or pseudo randomly with approximately uniform distribution over that range, using an implementation-dependent algorithm or strategy. This function takes no arguments.

Each **Math.random** function created for distinct realms must produce a distinct sequence of values from successive calls.

#### 20.3.2.28 Math.round (x)

Returns the Number value that is closest to x and is an integer. If two integers are equally close to x, then the result is the Number value that is closer to  $+\infty$ . If x is already an integer, the result is x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If x is greater than 0 but less than 0.5, the result is +0.

• If *x* is less than 0 but greater than or equal to -0.5, the result is **-0**.

NOTE 1 Math.round(3.5) returns 4, but Math.round(-3.5) returns -3.

NOTE 2 The value of **Math.round(x)** is not always the same as the value of

**Math.floor**(x + 0.5). When x is -0 or is less than 0 but greater than or equal to -0.5, **Math.round**(x) returns -0, but **Math.floor**(x + 0.5) returns +0. **Math.round**(x) may also differ from the value of **Math.floor**(x + 0.5) because of internal rounding when computing x + 0.5.

# 20.3.2.29 Math.sign (x)

Returns the sign of x, indicating whether x is positive, negative, or zero.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is negative and not **-0**, the result is -1.
- If x is positive and not +0, the result is +1.

#### 20.3.2.30 Math. $\sin(x)$

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the sine of x. The argument is expressed in radians.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$  or  $-\infty$ , the result is **NaN**.

#### 20.3.2.31 Math.sinh (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the hyperbolic sine of x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $-\infty$ .

NOTE The value of **Math.sinh(x)** is the same as the value of **(Math.exp(x) - Math.exp(-x)) / 2**.

#### 20.3.2.32 Math.sqrt (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the square root of x.

• If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.

- If *x* is less than 0, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .

#### 20.3.2.33 Math.tan (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the tangent of *x*. The argument is expressed in radians.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$  or  $-\infty$ , the result is **NaN**.

### 20.3.2.34 Math.tanh (x)

Returns an implementation-dependent approximation to the hyperbolic tangent of x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is +1.
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is -1.

```
NOTE The value of Math.tanh(x) is the same as the value of (Math.exp(x) - Math.exp(-x)) / (Math.exp(x) + Math.exp(-x)).
```

#### 20.3.2.35 Math.trunc (x)

Returns the integral part of the number x, removing any fractional digits. If x is already an integer, the result is x.

- If *x* is **NaN**, the result is **NaN**.
- If *x* is **-0**, the result is **-0**.
- If x is +0, the result is +0.
- If x is  $+\infty$ , the result is  $+\infty$ .
- If x is  $-\infty$ , the result is  $-\infty$ .
- If x is greater than 0 but less than 1, the result is +0.
- If *x* is less than 0 but greater than -1, the result is **-0**.

# 20.4 Date Objects

# 20.4.1 Overview of Date Objects and Definitions of Abstract Operations

The following functions are abstract operations that operate on time values (defined in 20.4.1.1). Note that, in every case, if any argument to one of these functions is **NaN**, the result will be **NaN**.

#### 20.4.1.1 Time Values and Time Range

Time measurement in ECMAScript is analogous to time measurement in POSIX, in particular sharing definition in terms of the proleptic Gregorian calendar, an epoch of midnight at the beginning of 01 January, 1970 UTC, and an accounting of every day as comprising exactly 86,400 seconds (each of which is 1000 milliseconds long).

An ECMAScript *time value* is a Number, either a finite integer representing an instant in time to millisecond precision or **NaN** representing no specific instant. A time value that is a multiple of  $24 \times 60 \times 60 \times 1000 = 86,400,000$  (i.e., is equal to  $86,400,000 \times d$  for some integer d) represents the instant at the start of the UTC day that follows the epoch by d whole UTC days (preceding the epoch for negative d). Every other finite time value t is defined relative to the greatest preceding time value s that is such a multiple, and represents the instant that occurs within the same UTC day as s but follows it by t-s milliseconds.

Time values do not account for UTC leap seconds—there are no time values representing instants within positive leap seconds, and there are time values representing instants removed from the UTC timeline by negative leap seconds. However, the definition of time values nonetheless yields piecewise alignment with UTC, with discontinuities only at leap second boundaries and zero difference outside of leap seconds.

A Number can exactly represent all integers from -9,007,199,254,740,992 to 9,007,199,254,740,992 (20.1.2.8 and 20.1.2.6). A time value supports a slightly smaller range of -8,640,000,000,000 to 8,640,000,000,000,000 milliseconds. This yields a supported time value range of exactly -100,000,000 days to 100,000,000 days relative to midnight at the beginning of 01 January, 1970 UTC.

The exact moment of midnight at the beginning of 01 January, 1970 UTC is represented by the time value +0.

NOTE

The 400 year cycle of the proleptic Gregorian calendar contains 97 leap years. This yields an average of 365.2425 days per year, which is 31,556,952,000 milliseconds. Therefore, the maximum range a Number could represent exactly with millisecond precision is approximately -285,426 to 285,426 years relative to 1970. The smaller range supported by a time value as specified in this section is approximately -273,790 to 273,790 years relative to 1970.

#### 20.4.1.2 Day Number and Time within Day

A given time value t belongs to day number

Day(t) = floor(t / msPerDay)

where the number of milliseconds per day is

msPerDay = 86400000

The remainder is called the time within the day:

TimeWithinDay(t) = t modulo msPerDay

#### 20.4.1.3 Year Number

ECMAScript uses a proleptic Gregorian calendar to map a day number to a year number and to determine the month and date within that year. In this calendar, leap years are precisely those which are (divisible by 4) and ((not divisible by 100) or (divisible by 400)). The number of days in year number *y* is therefore defined by

DaysInYear(y)

```
= 365 if (y \text{ modulo } 4) \neq 0
= 366 if (y \text{ modulo } 4) = 0 and (y \text{ modulo } 100) \neq 0
= 365 if (y \text{ modulo } 100) = 0 and (y \text{ modulo } 400) \neq 0
= 366 if (y \text{ modulo } 400) = 0
```

All non-leap years have 365 days with the usual number of days per month and leap years have an extra day in February. The day number of the first day of year *y* is given by:

```
DayFromYear(y) = 365 × (y - 1970) + floor((y - 1969) / 4) - floor((y - 1901) / 100) + floor((y - 1601) / 400)
```

The time value of the start of a year is:

```
TimeFromYear(y) = msPerDay \times DayFromYear(y)
```

A time value determines a year by:

```
YearFromTime(t) = the largest integer y (closest to positive infinity) such that TimeFromYear(y) \leq t
```

The leap-year function is 1 for a time within a leap year and otherwise is zero:

```
InLeapYear(t)
= 0 if DaysInYear(YearFromTime(t)) = 365
= 1 if DaysInYear(YearFromTime(t)) = 366
```

#### 20.4.1.4 Month Number

Months are identified by an integer in the range 0 to 11, inclusive. The mapping MonthFromTime(t) from a time value t to a month number is defined by:

```
MonthFromTime(t)
= 0 \text{ if } 0 \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 31
= 1 \text{ if } 31 \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 59 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 2 \text{ if } 59 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 90 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 3 \text{ if } 90 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 120 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 4 \text{ if } 120 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 151 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 5 \text{ if } 151 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 181 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 6 \text{ if } 181 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 212 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 7 \text{ if } 212 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 243 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 8 \text{ if } 243 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 273 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 9 \text{ if } 273 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 304 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 10 \text{ if } 304 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 365 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
= 11 \text{ if } 334 + \text{InLeapYear}(t) \leq \text{DayWithinYear}(t) < 365 + \text{InLeapYear}(t)
```

where

```
DayWithinYear(t) = Day(t) - DayFromYear(YearFromTime(t))
```

A month value of 0 specifies January; 1 specifies February; 2 specifies March; 3 specifies April; 4 specifies May; 5 specifies June; 6 specifies July; 7 specifies August; 8 specifies September; 9 specifies October; 10 specifies November; and 11 specifies December. Note that MonthFromTime(0) = 0, corresponding to Thursday, 01 January, 1970.

#### **20.4.1.5** Date Number

A date number is identified by an integer in the range 1 through 31, inclusive. The mapping DateFromTime(*t*) from a time value *t* to a date number is defined by:

```
DateFromTime(t)

= DayWithinYear(t) + 1 if MonthFromTime(t) = 0

= DayWithinYear(t) - 30 if MonthFromTime(t) = 1

= DayWithinYear(t) - 58 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 2

= DayWithinYear(t) - 89 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 3

= DayWithinYear(t) - 119 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 4

= DayWithinYear(t) - 150 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 5

= DayWithinYear(t) - 180 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 6

= DayWithinYear(t) - 211 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 7

= DayWithinYear(t) - 242 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 8

= DayWithinYear(t) - 272 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 9

= DayWithinYear(t) - 303 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 10

= DayWithinYear(t) - 333 - InLeapYear(t) if MonthFromTime(t) = 11
```

# 20.4.1.6 Week Day

The weekday for a particular time value *t* is defined as

```
WeekDay(t) = (Day(t) + 4) modulo 7
```

A weekday value of 0 specifies Sunday; 1 specifies Monday; 2 specifies Tuesday; 3 specifies Wednesday; 4 specifies Thursday; 5 specifies Friday; and 6 specifies Saturday. Note that WeekDay(0) = 4, corresponding to Thursday, 01 January, 1970.

#### **20.4.1.7 LocalTZA** ( *t*, *isUTC* )

LocalTZA( *t*, *isUTC* ) is an implementation-defined algorithm that returns the local time zone adjustment, or offset, in milliseconds. The local political rules for standard time and daylight saving time in effect at *t* should be used to determine the result in the way specified in this section.

When isUTC is true, LocalTZA(  $t_{UTC}$ , true ) should return the offset of the local time zone from UTC measured in milliseconds at time represented by time value  $t_{UTC}$ . When the result is added to  $t_{UTC}$ , it should yield the corresponding Number  $t_{local}$ .

When isUTC is false, LocalTZA(  $t_{local}$ , false ) should return the offset of the local time zone from UTC measured in milliseconds at local time represented by Number  $t_{local}$ . When the result is subtracted from  $t_{local}$ , it should yield the corresponding time value  $t_{UTC}$ .

Input t is nominally a time value but may be any Number value. This can occur when isUTC is false and  $t_{local}$  represents a time value that is already offset outside of the time value range at the range boundaries. The algorithm must not limit  $t_{local}$  to the time value range, so that such inputs are supported.

When  $t_{local}$  represents local time repeating multiple times at a negative time zone transition (e.g. when the daylight saving time ends or the time zone offset is decreased due to a time zone rule change) or skipped local time at a positive time zone transitions (e.g. when the daylight saving time starts or the time zone offset is increased due to a

time zone rule change),  $t_{local}$  must be interpreted using the time zone offset before the transition.

If an implementation does not support a conversion described above or if political rules for time t are not available within the implementation, the result must be 0.

NOTE

It is recommended that implementations use the time zone information of the IANA Time Zone Database https://www.iana.org/time-zones/.

1:30 AM on November 5, 2017 in America/New\_York is repeated twice (fall backward), but it must be interpreted as 1:30 AM UTC-04 instead of 1:30 AM UTC-05.

LocalTZA(TimeClip(MakeDate(MakeDay(2017, 10, 5), MakeTime(1, 30, 0, 0))), false) is -4 × msPerHour.

2:30 AM on March 12, 2017 in America/New\_York does not exist, but it must be interpreted as 2:30 AM UTC-05 (equivalent to 3:30 AM UTC-04).

LocalTZA(TimeClip(MakeDate(MakeDay(2017, 2, 12), MakeTime(2, 30, 0, 0))), false) is -5 × msPerHour.

Local time zone offset values may be positive *or* negative.

#### 20.4.1.8 LocalTime ( *t* )

The abstract operation LocalTime with argument t converts t from UTC to local time by performing the following steps:

1. Return t + LocalTZA(t, true).

NOTE

Two different input time values  $t_{\rm UTC}$  are converted to the same local time  $t_{\rm local}$  at a negative time zone transition when there are repeated times (e.g. the daylight saving time ends or the time zone adjustment is decreased.).

LocalTime(UTC( $t_{local}$ )) is not necessarily always equal to  $t_{local}$ . Correspondingly, UTC(LocalTime( $t_{UTC}$ )) is not necessarily always equal to  $t_{UTC}$ .

#### 20.4.1.9 UTC(t)

The abstract operation UTC with argument t converts t from local time to UTC by performing the following steps:

1. Return t - LocalTZA(t, false).

**NOTE** 

UTC(LocalTime( $t_{\rm UTC}$ )) is not necessarily always equal to  $t_{\rm UTC}$ . Correspondingly, LocalTime(UTC( $t_{\rm local}$ )) is not necessarily always equal to  $t_{\rm local}$ .

#### 20.4.1.10 Hours, Minutes, Second, and Milliseconds

The following abstract operations are useful in decomposing time values:

HourFromTime(t) = floor(t / msPerHour) modulo HoursPerDay

```
MinFromTime(t) = floor(t / msPerMinute) modulo MinutesPerHour
SecFromTime(t) = floor(t / msPerSecond) modulo SecondsPerMinute
msFromTime(t) = t modulo msPerSecond
```

#### where

```
HoursPerDay = 24
MinutesPerHour = 60
SecondsPerMinute = 60
msPerSecond = 1000
msPerMinute = 60000 = msPerSecond × SecondsPerMinute
msPerHour = 3600000 = msPerMinute × MinutesPerHour
```

# 20.4.1.11 MakeTime (hour, min, sec, ms)

The abstract operation MakeTime calculates a number of milliseconds from its four arguments, which must be ECMAScript Number values. This operator functions as follows:

- 1. If hour is not finite or min is not finite or sec is not finite or ms is not finite, return NaN.
- 2. Let *h* be ! ToInteger(*hour*).
- 3. Let *m* be ! ToInteger(*min*).
- 4. Let *s* be ! ToInteger(*sec*).
- 5. Let *milli* be ! ToInteger(*ms*).
- 6. Let t be h \* msPerHour + m \* msPerMinute + s \* msPerSecond + milli, performing the arithmetic according to IEEE 754-2019 rules (that is, as if using the ECMAScript operators \* and +).
- 7. Return *t*.

#### 20.4.1.12 MakeDay (year, month, date)

The abstract operation MakeDay calculates a number of days from its three arguments, which must be ECMAScript Number values. This operator functions as follows:

- 1. If year is not finite or month is not finite or date is not finite, return NaN.
- 2. Let *y* be ! ToInteger(*year*).
- 3. Let *m* be ! ToInteger(*month*).
- 4. Let *dt* be ! ToInteger(*date*).
- 5. Let ym be y + floor(m / 12).
- 6. Let mn be m modulo 12.
- 7. Find a value *t* such that YearFromTime(*t*) is *ym* and MonthFromTime(*t*) is *mn* and DateFromTime(*t*) is 1; but if this is not possible (because some argument is out of range), return **NaN**.
- 8. Return Day(t) + dt 1.

#### **20.4.1.13 MakeDate** ( *day*, *time* )

The abstract operation MakeDate calculates a number of milliseconds from its two arguments, which must be ECMAScript Number values. This operator functions as follows:

- 1. If *day* is not finite or *time* is not finite, return **NaN**.
- 2. Return  $day \times msPerDay + time$ .

# 20.4.1.14 TimeClip ( *time* )

The abstract operation TimeClip calculates a number of milliseconds from its argument, which must be an ECMAScript Number value. This operator functions as follows:

- 1. If *time* is not finite, return **NaN**.
- 2. If  $abs(time) > 8.64 \times 10^{15}$ , return **NaN**.
- 3. Return! ToInteger(time).

**NOTE** 

The point of step 4 is that an implementation is permitted a choice of internal representations of time values, for example as a 64-bit signed integer or as a 64-bit floating-point value. Depending on the implementation, this internal representation may or may not distinguish -0 and +0.

# 20.4.1.15 Date Time String Format

ECMAScript defines a string interchange format for date-times based upon a simplification of the ISO 8601 calendar date extended format. The format is as follows: YYYY-MM-DDTHH:mm:ss.ssz

Where the elements are as follows:

**YYYY** is the year in the proleptic Gregorian calendar as four decimal digits from 0000 to 9999, or as an expanded year of "+" or "-" followed by six decimal digits.

- "-" (hyphen) appears literally twice in the string.
- is the month of the year as two decimal digits from 01 (January) to 12 (December).
- **DD** is the day of the month as two decimal digits from 01 to 31.
- T "T" appears literally in the string, to indicate the beginning of the time element.
- **HH** is the number of complete hours that have passed since midnight as two decimal digits from 00 to 24.
- : ":" (colon) appears literally twice in the string.
- is the number of complete minutes since the start of the hour as two decimal digits from 00 to 59.
- is the number of complete seconds since the start of the minute as two decimal digits from 00 to 59.
- . "." (dot) appears literally in the string.
- is the number of complete milliseconds since the start of the second as three decimal digits.
- **Z** is the UTC offset representation specified as "Z" (for UTC with no offset) or an offset of either "+" or "-" followed by a time expression **HH: mm** (indicating local time ahead of or behind UTC, respectively)

This format includes date-only forms:

YYYY-MM YYYY-MM-DD

It also includes "date-time" forms that consist of one of the above date-only forms immediately followed by one of the following time forms with an optional UTC offset representation appended:

THH:mm
THH:mm:ss
THH:mm:ss.sss

A string containing out-of-bounds or nonconforming elements is not a valid instance of this format.

NOTE 1

As every day both starts and ends with midnight, the two notations **00:00** and **24:00** are available to distinguish the two midnights that can be associated with one date. This means that the following two notations refer to exactly the same point in time: **1995–02–04T24:00** and **1995–02–05T00:00**. This interpretation of the latter form as "end of a calendar day" is consistent with ISO 8601, even though that specification reserves it for describing time intervals and does not permit it within representations of single points in time.

NOTE 2

There exists no international standard that specifies abbreviations for civil time zones like CET, EST, etc. and sometimes the same abbreviation is even used for two very different time zones. For this reason, both ISO 8601 and this format specify numeric representations of time zone offsets.

### **20.4.1.15.1** Expanded Years

Covering the full time value range of approximately 273,790 years forward or backward from 01 January, 1970 (20.4.1.1) requires representing years before 0 or after 9999. ISO 8601 permits expansion of the year representation, but only by mutual agreement of the partners in information interchange. In the simplified ECMAScript format, such an expanded year representation shall have 6 digits and is always prefixed with a + or - sign. The year 0 is considered positive and hence prefixed with a + sign. Strings matching the Date Time String Format with expanded years representing instants in time outside the range of a time value are treated as unrecognizable by **Date.parse** and cause that function to return **NaN** without falling back to implementation-specific behaviour or heuristics.

NOTE Examples of date-time values with expanded years:

-271821-04-20T00:00:00Z 271822 B.C. -000001-01-01T00:00:00Z 2 B.C. +000000-01-01T00:00:00Z 1 B.C. +000001-01-01T00:00:00Z 1 A.D. +001970-01-01T00:00:00Z 1970 A.D. +002009-12-15T00:00:00Z 2009 A.D. +275760-09-13T00:00:00Z 275760 A.D.

## 20.4.2 The Date Constructor

#### The Date constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *Date*%.
- is the initial value of the "Date" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new Date object when called as a constructor.
- returns a String representing the current time (UTC) when called as a function rather than as a constructor.
- is a single function whose behaviour is overloaded based upon the number and types of its arguments.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **Date** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **Date**

constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with a [[DateValue]] internal slot.

• has a **"length"** property whose value is 7.

```
20.4.2.1 Date (year, month [, date [, hours [, minutes [, seconds [, ms]]]]])
```

This description applies only if the Date constructor is called with at least two arguments.

When the **Date** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *numberOfArgs* be the number of arguments passed to this function call.
- 2. Assert: numberOfArgs ≥ 2.
- 3. If NewTarget is undefined, then
  - a. Let *now* be the Number that is the time value (UTC) identifying the current time.
  - b. Return ToDateString(now).
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let y be ? ToNumber(year).
  - b. Let *m* be ? ToNumber(*month*).
  - c. If *date* is present, let *dt* be ? ToNumber(*date*); else let *dt* be 1.
  - d. If *hours* is present, let *h* be ? ToNumber(*hours*); else let *h* be 0.
  - e. If *minutes* is present, let *min* be ? ToNumber(*minutes*); else let *min* be 0.
  - f. If *seconds* is present, let *s* be ? ToNumber(*seconds*); else let *s* be 0.
  - g. If ms is present, let milli be? ToNumber(ms); else let milli be 0.
  - h. If y is NaN, let yr be NaN.
  - i. Else,
    - i. Let yi be! ToInteger(y).
    - ii. If  $0 \le yi \le 99$ , let *yr* be 1900 + yi; otherwise, let *yr* be *y*.
  - j. Let finalDate be MakeDate(MakeDay(yr, m, dt), MakeTime(h, min, s, milli)).
  - k. Let O be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%Date.prototype%", « [[DateValue]] »).
  - 1. Set O.[[DateValue]] to TimeClip(UTC(finalDate)).
  - m. Return O.

#### 20.4.2.2 Date (value)

This description applies only if the Date constructor is called with exactly one argument.

When the **Date** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *numberOfArgs* be the number of arguments passed to this function call.
- 2. Assert: numberOfArgs = 1.
- 3. If NewTarget is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *now* be the Number that is the time value (UTC) identifying the current time.
  - b. Return ToDateString(now).
- 4. Else,
  - a. If Type(value) is Object and value has a [[DateValue]] internal slot, then
    - i. Let tv be thisTimeValue(value).
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *v* be ? ToPrimitive(*value*).
    - ii. If Type(v) is String, then
      - 1. Assert: The next step never returns an abrupt completion because Type(v) is String.

- 2. Let tv be the result of parsing v as a date, in exactly the same manner as for the **parse** method (20.4.3.2).
- iii. Else.
  - 1. Let tv be ? ToNumber(v).
- c. Let O be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%Date.prototype%", « [[DateValue]] »).
- d. Set O.[[DateValue]] to TimeClip(tv).
- e. Return O.

#### 20.4.2.3 Date ()

This description applies only if the Date constructor is called with no arguments.

When the **Date** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *numberOfArgs* be the number of arguments passed to this function call.
- 2. Assert: numberOfArgs = 0.
- 3. If NewTarget is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *now* be the Number that is the time value (UTC) identifying the current time.
  - b. Return ToDateString(now).
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let O be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%Date.prototype%", « [[DateValue]] »).
  - b. Set O.[[DateValue]] to the time value (UTC) identifying the current time.
  - c. Return O.

# 20.4.3 Properties of the Date Constructor

The Date constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 20.4.3.1 Date.now()

The **now** function returns a Number value that is the time value designating the UTC date and time of the occurrence of the call to **now**.

# 20.4.3.2 Date.parse ( *string* )

The **parse** function applies the ToString operator to its argument. If ToString results in an abrupt completion the Completion Record is immediately returned. Otherwise, **parse** interprets the resulting String as a date and time; it returns a Number, the UTC time value corresponding to the date and time. The String may be interpreted as a local time, a UTC time, or a time in some other time zone, depending on the contents of the String. The function first attempts to parse the String according to the format described in Date Time String Format (20.4.1.15), including expanded years. If the String does not conform to that format the function may fall back to any implementation-specific heuristics or implementation-specific date formats. Strings that are unrecognizable or contain out-of-bounds format element values shall cause **Date.parse** to return **NaN**.

If the String conforms to the Date Time String Format, substitute values take the place of absent format elements. When the **MM** or **DD** elements are absent, "01" is used. When the **HH**, **mm**, or **SS** elements are absent, "00" is used. When

the **SSS** element is absent, "000" is used. When the UTC offset representation is absent, date-only forms are interpreted as a UTC time and date-time forms are interpreted as a local time.

If **x** is any Date object whose milliseconds amount is zero within a particular implementation of ECMAScript, then all of the following expressions should produce the same numeric value in that implementation, if all the properties referenced have their initial values:

```
x.valueOf()
Date.parse(x.toString())
Date.parse(x.toUTCString())
Date.parse(x.toISOString())
```

However, the expression

```
Date.parse(x.toLocaleString())
```

is not required to produce the same Number value as the preceding three expressions and, in general, the value produced by **Date.parse** is implementation-dependent when given any String value that does not conform to the Date Time String Format (20.4.1.15) and that could not be produced in that implementation by the **toString** or **toUTCString** method.

# 20.4.3.3 Date.prototype

The initial value of **Date.prototype** is %Date.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

```
20.4.3.4 Date.UTC (year [, month [, date [, hours [, minutes [, seconds [, ms ]]]]]])
```

When the **UTC** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *y* be ? ToNumber(*year*).
- 2. If month is present, let m be ? ToNumber(month); else let m be 0.
- 3. If *date* is present, let *dt* be ? ToNumber(*date*); else let *dt* be 1.
- 4. If *hours* is present, let *h* be ? ToNumber(*hours*); else let *h* be 0.
- 5. If minutes is present, let min be? ToNumber(minutes); else let min be 0.
- 6. If seconds is present, let s be ? ToNumber(seconds); else let s be 0.
- 7. If ms is present, let milli be? ToNumber(ms); else let milli be 0.
- 8. If y is NaN, let yr be NaN.
- 9. Else,
  - a. Let *yi* be ! ToInteger(*y*).
  - b. If  $0 \le yi \le 99$ , let yr be 1900 + yi; otherwise, let yr be y.
- 10. Return TimeClip(MakeDate(MakeDay(yr, m, dt), MakeTime(h, min, s, milli))).

The **"length"** property of the **UTC** function is 7.

NOTE

The **UTC** function differs from the **Date** constructor in two ways: it returns a time value as a Number, rather than creating a Date object, and it interprets the arguments in UTC rather than as local time.

# 20.4.4 Properties of the Date Prototype Object

The Date prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % *DatePrototype*%.
- is itself an ordinary object.
- is not a Date instance and does not have a [[DateValue]] internal slot.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.

Unless explicitly defined otherwise, the methods of the Date prototype object defined below are not generic and the **this** value passed to them must be an object that has a [[DateValue]] internal slot that has been initialized to a time value.

The abstract operation *thisTimeValue*(*value*) performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(value) is Object and value has a [[DateValue]] internal slot, then
  - a. Return value.[[DateValue]].
- 2. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

In following descriptions of functions that are properties of the Date prototype object, the phrase "this Date object" refers to the object that is the **this** value for the invocation of the function. If the Type of the **this** value is not Object, a **TypeError** exception is thrown. The phrase "this time value" within the specification of a method refers to the result returned by calling the abstract operation this Time Value with the **this** value of the method invocation passed as the argument.

### 20.4.4.1 Date.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Date.prototype.constructor** is %Date%.

#### 20.4.4.2 Date.prototype.getDate()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return DateFromTime(LocalTime(t)).

### 20.4.4.3 Date.prototype.getDay()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If t is NaN, return NaN.
- 3. Return WeekDay(LocalTime(t)).

# 20.4.4.4 Date.prototype.getFullYear()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.

3. Return YearFromTime(LocalTime(t)).

## 20.4.4.5 Date.prototype.getHours()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return HourFromTime(LocalTime(*t*)).

# 20.4.4.6 Date.prototype.getMilliseconds ()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return msFromTime(LocalTime(t)).

### 20.4.4.7 Date.prototype.getMinutes ()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return MinFromTime(LocalTime(t)).

# 20.4.4.8 Date.prototype.getMonth()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If t is NaN, return NaN.
- 3. Return MonthFromTime(LocalTime(t)).

#### 20.4.4.9 Date.prototype.getSeconds ()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return SecFromTime(LocalTime(*t*)).

# 20.4.4.10 Date.prototype.getTime()

The following steps are performed:

1. Return? thisTimeValue(this value).

# 20.4.4.11 Date.prototype.getTimezoneOffset()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return (*t* LocalTime(*t*)) / msPerMinute.

### 20.4.4.12 Date.prototype.getUTCDate()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return DateFromTime(*t*).

# 20.4.4.13 Date.prototype.getUTCDay()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return WeekDay(t).

### 20.4.4.14 Date.prototype.getUTCFullYear()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return YearFromTime(t).

# 20.4.4.15 Date.prototype.getUTCHours ()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If t is NaN, return NaN.
- 3. Return HourFromTime(*t*).

# 20.4.4.16 Date.prototype.getUTCMilliseconds ()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return msFromTime(*t*).

# 20.4.4.17 Date.prototype.getUTCMinutes ()

The following steps are performed:

1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).

- 2. If t is NaN, return NaN.
- 3. Return MinFromTime(*t*).

#### 20.4.4.18 Date.prototype.getUTCMonth()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return MonthFromTime(t).

#### 20.4.4.19 Date.prototype.getUTCSeconds ()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return SecFromTime(*t*).

#### 20.4.4.20 Date.prototype.setDate ( date )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be LocalTime(? thisTimeValue(this value)).
- 2. Let *dt* be ? ToNumber(*date*).
- 3. Let newDate be MakeDate(MakeDay(YearFromTime(t), MonthFromTime(t), dt), TimeWithinDay(t)).
- 4. Let *u* be TimeClip(UTC(*newDate*)).
- 5. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *u*.
- 6. Return u.

## 20.4.4.21 Date.prototype.setFullYear ( year [ , month [ , date ] ] )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If t is NaN, set t to +0; otherwise, set t to LocalTime(t).
- 3. Let *y* be ? ToNumber(*year*).
- 4. If *month* is not present, let *m* be MonthFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *m* be ? ToNumber(*month*).
- 5. If *date* is not present, let *dt* be DateFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *dt* be ? ToNumber(*date*).
- 6. Let newDate be MakeDate(MakeDay(y, m, dt), TimeWithinDay(t)).
- 7. Let u be TimeClip(UTC(newDate)).
- 8. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *u*.
- 9. Return u.

The **"length"** property of the **setFullYear** method is 3.

**NOTE** 

If *month* is not present, this method behaves as if *month* was present with the value **getMonth()**. If *date* is not present, it behaves as if *date* was present with the value **getDate()**.

#### 20.4.4.22 Date.prototype.setHours (hour [, min [, sec [, ms ]]])

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be LocalTime(? thisTimeValue(**this** value)).
- 2. Let *h* be ? ToNumber(*hour*).
- 3. If min is not present, let m be MinFromTime(t); otherwise, let m be ? ToNumber(min).
- 4. If *sec* is not present, let *s* be SecFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *s* be ? ToNumber(*sec*).
- 5. If *ms* is not present, let *milli* be msFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *milli* be ? ToNumber(*ms*).
- 6. Let date be MakeDate(Day(t), MakeTime(h, m, s, milli)).
- 7. Let u be TimeClip(UTC(date)).
- 8. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *u*.
- 9. Return u.

The "length" property of the **setHours** method is 4.

NOTE

If *min* is not present, this method behaves as if *min* was present with the value **getMinutes()**. If *sec* is not present, it behaves as if *sec* was present with the value **getSeconds()**. If *ms* is not present, it behaves as if *ms* was present with the value **getMilliseconds()**.

### 20.4.4.23 Date.prototype.setMilliseconds ( ms )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be LocalTime(? thisTimeValue(**this** value)).
- 2. Set *ms* to ? ToNumber(*ms*).
- 3. Let *time* be MakeTime(HourFromTime(t), MinFromTime(t), SecFromTime(t), ms).
- 4. Let u be TimeClip(UTC(MakeDate(Day(t), time))).
- 5. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *u*.
- 6. Return u.

## 20.4.4.24 Date.prototype.setMinutes (min[, sec[, ms]])

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be LocalTime(? thisTimeValue(**this** value)).
- 2. Let *m* be ? ToNumber(*min*).
- 3. If *sec* is not present, let *s* be SecFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *s* be ? ToNumber(*sec*).
- 4. If *ms* is not present, let *milli* be msFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *milli* be ? ToNumber(*ms*).
- 5. Let date be MakeDate(Day(t), MakeTime(HourFromTime(t), m, s, milli)).
- 6. Let *u* be TimeClip(UTC(*date*)).
- 7. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *u*.
- 8. Return u.

The **"length"** property of the **setMinutes** method is 3.

**NOTE** 

If *sec* is not present, this method behaves as if *sec* was present with the value **getSeconds()**. If *ms* is not present, this behaves as if *ms* was present with the value **getMilliseconds()**.

#### 20.4.4.25 Date.prototype.setMonth (month [, date])

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be LocalTime(? thisTimeValue(**this** value)).
- 2. Let *m* be ? ToNumber(*month*).
- 3. If *date* is not present, let *dt* be DateFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *dt* be ? ToNumber(*date*).
- 4. Let newDate be MakeDate(MakeDay(YearFromTime(t), m, dt), TimeWithinDay(t)).
- 5. Let *u* be TimeClip(UTC(*newDate*)).
- 6. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *u*.
- 7. Return *u*.

The **"length"** property of the **setMonth** method is 2.

**NOTE** 

If *date* is not present, this method behaves as if *date* was present with the value **getDate()**.

#### 20.4.4.26 Date.prototype.setSeconds (sec[, ms])

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be LocalTime(? thisTimeValue(this value)).
- 2. Let *s* be ? ToNumber(*sec*).
- 3. If *ms* is not present, let *milli* be msFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *milli* be ? ToNumber(*ms*).
- 4. Let date be MakeDate(Day(t), MakeTime(HourFromTime(t), MinFromTime(t), s, milli)).
- 5. Let u be TimeClip(UTC(date)).
- 6. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *u*.
- 7. Return *u*.

The **"length"** property of the **setSeconds** method is 2.

**NOTE** 

If *ms* is not present, this method behaves as if *ms* was present with the value **qetMilliseconds()**.

#### 20.4.4.27 Date.prototype.setTime ( time )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Perform? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. Let *t* be ? ToNumber(*time*).
- 3. Let v be TimeClip(t).
- 4. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *v*.
- 5. Return v.

#### 20.4.4.28 Date.prototype.setUTCDate ( *date* )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. Let dt be ? ToNumber(date).

- 3. Let *newDate* be MakeDate(MakeDay(YearFromTime(t), MonthFromTime(t), dt), TimeWithinDay(t)).
- 4. Let v be TimeClip(newDate).
- 5. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to v.
- 6. Return v.

#### 20.4.4.29 Date.prototype.setUTCFullYear (year [, month [, date ]])

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, set *t* to **+0**.
- 3. Let *y* be ? ToNumber(*year*).
- 4. If *month* is not present, let *m* be MonthFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *m* be ? ToNumber(*month*).
- 5. If *date* is not present, let dt be DateFromTime(t); otherwise, let dt be ? ToNumber(date).
- 6. Let newDate be MakeDate(MakeDay(y, m, dt), TimeWithinDay(t)).
- 7. Let v be TimeClip(newDate).
- 8. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *v*.
- 9. Return v.

The **"length"** property of the **setUTCFullYear** method is 3.

NOTE

If *month* is not present, this method behaves as if *month* was present with the value **getUTCMonth()**. If *date* is not present, it behaves as if *date* was present with the value **getUTCDate()**.

## 20.4.4.30 Date.prototype.setUTCHours (hour [, min [, sec [, ms ]]])

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. Let *h* be ? ToNumber(*hour*).
- 3. If *min* is not present, let *m* be MinFromTime(*t*); otherwise, let *m* be ? ToNumber(*min*).
- 4. If sec is not present, let s be SecFromTime(t); otherwise, let s be ? ToNumber(sec).
- 5. If ms is not present, let milli be msFromTime(t); otherwise, let milli be ? ToNumber(ms).
- 6. Let newDate be MakeDate(Day(t), MakeTime(h, m, s, milli)).
- 7. Let v be TimeClip(newDate).
- 8. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to v.
- 9. Return *v*.

The **"length"** property of the **setUTCHours** method is 4.

NOTE

If *min* is not present, this method behaves as if *min* was present with the value **getUTCMinutes()**. If *sec* is not present, it behaves as if *sec* was present with the value **getUTCSeconds()**. If *ms* is not present, it behaves as if *ms* was present with the value **getUTCMilliseconds()**.

#### 20.4.4.31 Date.prototype.setUTCMilliseconds ( ms )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. Let *milli* be ? ToNumber(*ms*).
- 3. Let *time* be MakeTime(HourFromTime(t), MinFromTime(t), SecFromTime(t), *milli*).
- 4. Let v be TimeClip(MakeDate(Day(t), time)).
- 5. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to v.
- 6. Return v.

#### 20.4.4.32 Date.prototype.setUTCMinutes (min[, sec[, ms]])

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. Let *m* be ? ToNumber(*min*).
- 3. If sec is not present, let s be SecFromTime(t).
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let *s* be ? ToNumber(*sec*).
- 5. If *ms* is not present, let *milli* be msFromTime(*t*).
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let *milli* be ? ToNumber(*ms*).
- 7. Let date be MakeDate(Day(t), MakeTime(HourFromTime(t), m, s, milli)).
- 8. Let v be TimeClip(date).
- 9. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to v.
- 10. Return v.

The **"length"** property of the **setUTCMinutes** method is 3.

**NOTE** 

If *sec* is not present, this method behaves as if *sec* was present with the value **getUTCSeconds()**. If *ms* is not present, it function behaves as if *ms* was present with the value return by **getUTCMilliseconds()**.

### 20.4.4.33 Date.prototype.setUTCMonth (month [, date])

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let t be? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. Let *m* be ? ToNumber(*month*).
- 3. If *date* is not present, let dt be DateFromTime(t).
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let dt be ? ToNumber(date).
- 5. Let newDate be MakeDate(MakeDay(YearFromTime(t), m, dt), TimeWithinDay(t)).
- 6. Let v be TimeClip(newDate).
- 7. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *v*.
- 8. Return v.

The "length" property of the **setUTCMonth** method is 2.

If *date* is not present, this method behaves as if *date* was present with the value **getUTCDate()**.

## 20.4.4.34 Date.prototype.setUTCSeconds ( sec [ , ms ] )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. Let *s* be ? ToNumber(*sec*).
- 3. If *ms* is not present, let *milli* be msFromTime(*t*).
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let *milli* be ? ToNumber(*ms*).
- 5. Let date be MakeDate(Day(t), MakeTime(HourFromTime(t), MinFromTime(t), s, milli)).
- 6. Let v be TimeClip(date).
- 7. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to *v*.
- 8. Return v.

The **"length"** property of the **setUTCSeconds** method is 2.

**NOTE** 

If *ms* is not present, this method behaves as if *ms* was present with the value **getUTCMilliseconds()**.

## 20.4.4.35 Date.prototype.toDateString()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *O* be this Date object.
- 2. Let *tv* be ? thisTimeValue(*O*).
- 3. If *tv* is **NaN**, return **"Invalid Date"**.
- 4. Let t be LocalTime(tv).
- 5. Return DateString(t).

#### 20.4.4.36 Date.prototype.toISOString()

If this time value is not a finite Number or if it corresponds with a year that cannot be represented in the Date Time String Format, this function throws a **RangeError** exception. Otherwise, it returns a String representation of this time value in that format on the UTC time scale, including all format elements and the UTC offset representation "Z".

#### 20.4.4.37 Date.prototype.toJSON ( key )

This function provides a String representation of a Date object for use by **JSON.stringify** (24.5.2).

When the **toJSON** method is called with argument *key*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *tv* be ? ToPrimitive(*O*, hint Number).
- 3. If Type(tv) is Number and tv is not finite, return **null**.
- 4. Return ? Invoke(O, "toISOString").

NOTE 1 The argument is ignored.

NOTE 2

The **toJSON** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a Date object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method. However, it does require that any such object have a **toISOString** method.

#### 20.4.4.38 Date.prototype.toLocaleDateString ([reserved1[, reserved2]])

An ECMAScript implementation that includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API must implement the **Date.prototype.toLocaleDateString** method as specified in the ECMA-402 specification. If an ECMAScript implementation does not include the ECMA-402 API the following specification of the **toLocaleDateString** method is used.

This function returns a String value. The contents of the String are implementation-dependent, but are intended to represent the "date" portion of the Date in the current time zone in a convenient, human-readable form that corresponds to the conventions of the host environment's current locale.

The meaning of the optional parameters to this method are defined in the ECMA-402 specification; implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not use those parameter positions for anything else.

#### 20.4.4.39 Date.prototype.toLocaleString([reserved1[, reserved2]])

An ECMAScript implementation that includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API must implement the **Date.prototype.toLocaleString** method as specified in the ECMA-402 specification. If an ECMAScript implementation does not include the ECMA-402 API the following specification of the **toLocaleString** method is used.

This function returns a String value. The contents of the String are implementation-dependent, but are intended to represent the Date in the current time zone in a convenient, human-readable form that corresponds to the conventions of the host environment's current locale.

The meaning of the optional parameters to this method are defined in the ECMA-402 specification; implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not use those parameter positions for anything else.

#### 20.4.4.40 Date.prototype.toLocaleTimeString ([reserved1[, reserved2]])

An ECMAScript implementation that includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API must implement the **Date.prototype.toLocaleTimeString** method as specified in the ECMA-402 specification. If an ECMAScript implementation does not include the ECMA-402 API the following specification of the **toLocaleTimeString** method is used.

This function returns a String value. The contents of the String are implementation-dependent, but are intended to represent the "time" portion of the Date in the current time zone in a convenient, human-readable form that corresponds to the conventions of the host environment's current locale.

The meaning of the optional parameters to this method are defined in the ECMA-402 specification; implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not use those parameter positions for anything else.

#### 20.4.4.41 Date.prototype.toString()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *tv* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. Return ToDateString(tv).

NOTE 1 For any Date object **d** whose milliseconds amount is zero, the result of

Date.parse(d.toString()) is equal to d.valueOf(). See 20.4.3.2.

NOTE 2

The **toString** function is not generic; it throws a **TypeError** exception if its **this** value is not a Date object. Therefore, it cannot be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 20.4.4.41.1 Runtime Semantics: TimeString ( tv )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Assert: Type(tv) is Number.
- 2. Assert: tv is not NaN.
- 3. Let *hour* be the String representation of HourFromTime(*tv*), formatted as a two-digit decimal number, padded to the left with a zero if necessary.
- 4. Let *minute* be the String representation of MinFromTime(*tv*), formatted as a two-digit decimal number, padded to the left with a zero if necessary.
- 5. Let second be the String representation of SecFromTime(tv), formatted as a two-digit decimal number, padded to the left with a zero if necessary.
- 6. Return the string-concatenation of hour, ":", minute, ":", second, the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), and "GMT".

#### 20.4.4.41.2 Runtime Semantics: DateString ( tv )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Assert: Type(tv) is Number.
- 2. Assert: tv is not NaN.
- 3. Let weekday be the Name of the entry in Table 50 with the Number WeekDay(tv).
- 4. Let *month* be the Name of the entry in Table 51 with the Number MonthFromTime(*tv*).
- 5. Let *day* be the String representation of DateFromTime(*tv*), formatted as a two-digit decimal number, padded to the left with a zero if necessary.
- 6. Let *yv* be YearFromTime(*tv*).
- 7. If  $yv \ge 0$ , let year Sign be the empty String; otherwise, let year Sign be "-".
- 8. Let *year* be the String representation of abs(yv), formatted as a decimal number.
- 9. Let padded Year be! StringPad(year, 4, "0", start).
- 10. Return the string-concatenation of *weekday*, the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), *month*, the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), *day*, the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), *yearSign*, and *paddedYear*.

Table 50: Names of days of the week

Number	Name
0	"Sun"
1	"Mon"
2	"Tue"
3	"Wed"
4	"Thu"
5	"Fri"
6	"Sat"

Table 51: Names of months of the year

Number	Name
0	''Jan''
1	"Feb"
2	''Mar''
3	"Apr"
4	"May"
5	''Jun''
6	''Jul''
7	"Aug"
8	"Sep"
9	"Oct"
10	"Nov"
11	"Dec"

## 20.4.4.41.3 Runtime Semantics: TimeZoneString ( tv )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Assert: Type(tv) is Number.
- 2. Assert: tv is not NaN.
- 3. Let *offset* be LocalTZA(*tv*, **true**).
- 4. If offset  $\geq$  0, let offset Sign be "+"; otherwise, let offset Sign be "-".
- 5. Let offsetMin be the String representation of MinFromTime(abs(offset)), formatted as a two-digit decimal

- number, padded to the left with a zero if necessary.
- 6. Let *offsetHour* be the String representation of HourFromTime(abs(*offset*)), formatted as a two-digit decimal number, padded to the left with a zero if necessary.
- 7. Let *tzName* be an implementation-defined string that is either the empty String or the string-concatenation of the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), the code unit 0x0028 (LEFT PARENTHESIS), an implementation-dependent timezone name, and the code unit 0x0029 (RIGHT PARENTHESIS).
- 8. Return the string-concatenation of offsetSign, offsetHour, offsetMin, and tzName.

## 20.4.4.41.4 Runtime Semantics: ToDateString ( tv )

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Assert: Type(tv) is Number.
- 2. If tv is NaN, return "Invalid Date".
- 3. Let t be LocalTime(tv).
- 4. Return the string-concatenation of DateString(t), the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), TimeString(t), and TimeZoneString(tv).

#### 20.4.4.42 Date.prototype.toTimeString()

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Let *O* be this Date object.
- 2. Let tv be? thisTimeValue(O).
- 3. If tv is NaN, return "Invalid Date".
- 4. Let t be LocalTime(tv).
- 5. Return the string-concatenation of TimeString(t) and TimeZoneString(tv).

#### 20.4.4.43 Date.prototype.toUTCString()

The **toUTCString** method returns a String value representing the instance in time corresponding to this time value. The format of the String is based upon "HTTP-date" from RFC 7231, generalized to support the full range of times supported by ECMAScript Date objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let O be this Date object.
- 2. Let tv be? thisTimeValue(O).
- 3. If tv is NaN, return "Invalid Date".
- 4. Let weekday be the Name of the entry in Table 50 with the Number WeekDay(tv).
- 5. Let *month* be the Name of the entry in Table 51 with the Number MonthFromTime(*tv*).
- 6. Let *day* be the String representation of DateFromTime(*tv*), formatted as a two-digit decimal number, padded to the left with a zero if necessary.
- 7. Let yv be YearFromTime(tv).
- 8. If  $yv \ge 0$ , let year Sign be the empty String; otherwise, let year Sign be "-".
- 9. Let *year* be the String representation of abs(yv), formatted as a decimal number.
- 10. Let padded Year be! StringPad(year, 4, "0", start).
- 11. Return the string-concatenation of *weekday*, ",", the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), *day*, the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), *month*, the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), *yearSign*, *paddedYear*, the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE), and TimeString(tv).

#### 20.4.4.44 Date.prototype.valueOf()

The following steps are performed:

Return ? thisTimeValue(this value).

#### 20.4.4.45 Date.prototype [@@toPrimitive] (hint)

This function is called by ECMAScript language operators to convert a Date object to a primitive value. The allowed values for *hint* are "default", "number", and "string". Date objects, are unique among built-in ECMAScript object in that they treat "default" as being equivalent to "string", All other built-in ECMAScript objects treat "default" as being equivalent to "number".

When the **@@toPrimitive** method is called with argument *hint*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(O) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If hint is the String value "string" or the String value "default", then
  - a. Let *tryFirst* be "string".
- 4. Else if hint is the String value "number", then
  - a. Let *tryFirst* be **"number"**.
- 5. Else, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Return ? OrdinaryToPrimitive(O, tryFirst).

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.toPrimitive]".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

#### 20.4.5 Properties of Date Instances

Date instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the Date prototype object. Date instances also have a [[DateValue]] internal slot. The [[DateValue]] internal slot is the time value represented by this Date object.

# 21 Text Processing

## 21.1 String Objects

## 21.1.1 The String Constructor

The String constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *String*%.
- is the initial value of the "String" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new String object when called as a constructor.
- performs a type conversion when called as a function rather than as a constructor.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **String** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **String**

constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with a [[StringData]] internal slot.

#### **21.1.1.1** String (*value*)

When **String** is called with argument *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If *value* is not present, let *s* be the empty String.
- 2. Else,
  - a. If NewTarget is **undefined** and Type(value) is Symbol, return SymbolDescriptiveString(value).
  - b. Let *s* be ? ToString(*value*).
- 3. If NewTarget is **undefined**, return *s*.
- 4. Return! StringCreate(s,? GetPrototypeFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%String.prototype%")).

## 21.1.2 Properties of the String Constructor

The String constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 21.1.2.1 String.fromCharCode (...codeUnits)

The **String.fromCharCode** function may be called with any number of arguments which form the rest parameter *codeUnits*. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *codeUnits* be a List containing the arguments passed to this function.
- 2. Let *length* be the number of elements in *codeUnits*.
- 3. Let *elements* be a new empty List.
- 4. Let nextIndex be 0.
- 5. Repeat, while *nextIndex* < *length* 
  - a. Let next be codeUnits[nextIndex].
  - b. Let *nextCU* be ? ToUint16(*next*).
  - c. Append *nextCU* to the end of *elements*.
  - d. Set nextIndex to nextIndex + 1.
- 6. Return the String value whose code units are, in order, the elements in the List *elements*. If *length* is 0, the empty String is returned.

The **"length"** property of the **fromCharCode** function is 1.

#### 21.1.2.2 String.fromCodePoint (...codePoints)

The **String.fromCodePoint** function may be called with any number of arguments which form the rest parameter *codePoints*. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *codePoints* be a List containing the arguments passed to this function.
- 2. Let *length* be the number of elements in *codePoints*.
- 3. Let *elements* be a new empty List.
- 4. Let nextIndex be 0.
- 5. Repeat, while *nextIndex* < *length*

- a. Let *next* be *codePoints*[*nextIndex*].
- b. Let *nextCP* be ? ToNumber(*next*).
- c. If ! IsInteger(*nextCP*) is **false**, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- d. If nextCP < 0 or nextCP > 0x10FFFF, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- e. Append the elements of the UTF16Encoding of nextCP to the end of elements.
- f. Set nextIndex to nextIndex + 1.
- 6. Return the String value whose code units are, in order, the elements in the List *elements*. If *length* is 0, the empty String is returned.

The **"length"** property of the **fromCodePoint** function is 1.

#### 21.1.2.3 String.prototype

The initial value of **String.prototype** is %String.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 21.1.2.4 String.raw (template, ...substitutions)

The **String.raw** function may be called with a variable number of arguments. The first argument is *template* and the remainder of the arguments form the List *substitutions*. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *substitutions* be a List consisting of all of the arguments passed to this function, starting with the second argument. If fewer than two arguments were passed, the List is empty.
- 2. Let numberOfSubstitutions be the number of elements in substitutions.
- 3. Let *cooked* be ? ToObject(*template*).
- 4. Let raw be ? ToObject(? Get(cooked, "raw")).
- 5. Let *literalSegments* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(*raw*).
- 6. If *literalSegments*  $\leq$  0, return the empty String.
- 7. Let *stringElements* be a new empty List.
- 8. Let nextIndex be 0.
- 9. Repeat,
  - a. Let *nextKey* be ! ToString(*nextIndex*).
  - b. Let *nextSeg* be ? ToString(? Get(*raw*, *nextKey*)).
  - c. Append in order the code unit elements of *nextSeg* to the end of *stringElements*.
  - d. If nextIndex + 1 = literalSegments, then
    - i. Return the String value whose code units are, in order, the elements in the List *stringElements*. If *stringElements* has no elements, the empty String is returned.
  - e. If nextIndex < numberOfSubstitutions, let next be substitutions[nextIndex].
  - f. Else, let *next* be the empty String.
  - g. Let *nextSub* be ? ToString(*next*).
  - h. Append in order the code unit elements of *nextSub* to the end of *stringElements*.
  - i. Set nextIndex to nextIndex + 1.

NOTE

String.raw is intended for use as a tag function of a Tagged Template (12.3.11). When called as such, the first argument will be a well formed template object and the rest parameter will contain the substitution values.

## 21.1.3 Properties of the String Prototype Object

The String prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object *% StringPrototype%*.
- is a String exotic object and has the internal methods specified for such objects.
- has a [[StringData]] internal slot whose value is the empty String.
- has a "length" property whose initial value is 0 and whose attributes are { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.

Unless explicitly stated otherwise, the methods of the String prototype object defined below are not generic and the **this** value passed to them must be either a String value or an object that has a [[StringData]] internal slot that has been initialized to a String value.

The abstract operation *thisStringValue*(*value*) performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(value) is String, return value.
- 2. If Type(value) is Object and value has a [[StringData]] internal slot, then
  - a. Let *s* be *value*.[[StringData]].
  - b. Assert: Type(s) is String.
  - c. Return s.
- 3. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

## 21.1.3.1 String.prototype.charAt (pos)

NOTE 1

Returns a single element String containing the code unit at index *pos* within the String value resulting from converting this object to a String. If there is no element at that index, the result is the empty String. The result is a String value, not a String object.

If **pos** is a value of Number type that is an integer, then the result of **x.charAt(pos)** is equal to the result of **x.substring(pos, pos + 1)**.

When the **charAt** method is called with one argument *pos*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *position* be ? ToInteger(*pos*).
- 4. Let *size* be the length of *S*.
- 5. If position < 0 or  $position \ge size$ , return the empty String.
- 6. Return the String value of length 1, containing one code unit from *S*, namely the code unit at index *position*.

NOTE 2

The **charAt** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

## 21.1.3.2 String.prototype.charCodeAt (pos)

NOTE 1

Returns a Number (a nonnegative integer less than  $2^{16}$ ) that is the numeric value of the code unit at index *pos* within the String resulting from converting this object to a String. If there is no element at that index, the result is **NaN**.

When the **charCodeAt** method is called with one argument *pos*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *position* be ? ToInteger(*pos*).
- 4. Let *size* be the length of *S*.
- 5. If position < 0 or  $position \ge size$ , return **NaN**.
- 6. Return a value of Number type, whose value is the numeric value of the code unit at index *position* within the String *S*.

NOTE 2

The **charCodeAt** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.3 String.prototype.codePointAt (pos)

NOTE 1

Returns a nonnegative integer Number less than or equal to 0x10FFFF that is the code point value of the UTF-16 encoded code point (6.1.4) starting at the string element at index pos within the String resulting from converting this object to a String. If there is no element at that index, the result is **undefined**. If a valid UTF-16 surrogate pair does not begin at pos, the result is the code unit at pos.

When the **codePointAt** method is called with one argument *pos*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *position* be ? ToInteger(*pos*).
- 4. Let *size* be the length of *S*.
- 5. If position < 0 or  $position \ge size$ , return **undefined**.
- 6. Let *cp* be ! CodePointAt(*S*, *position*).
- 7. Return *cp*.[[CodePoint]].

NOTE 2

The **codePointAt** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.4 String.prototype.concat (...args)

NOTE 1

When the **concat** method is called it returns the String value consisting of the code units of the **this** object (converted to a String) followed by the code units of each of the arguments converted to a String. The result is a String value, not a String object.

When the **concat** method is called with zero or more arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *args* be a List whose elements are the arguments passed to this function.
- 4. Let *R* be *S*.
- 5. Repeat, while *args* is not empty
  - a. Remove the first element from *args* and let *next* be the value of that element.
  - b. Let *nextString* be ? ToString(*next*).
  - c. Set *R* to the string-concatenation of the previous value of *R* and *nextString*.
- 6. Return R.

The **"length"** property of the **concat** method is 1.

NOTE 2

The **concat** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.5 String.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **String.prototype.constructor** is %String%.

#### 21.1.3.6 String.prototype.endsWith (searchString[, endPosition])

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *isRegExp* be ? IsRegExp(*searchString*).
- 4. If *isRegExp* is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let searchStr be ? ToString(searchString).
- 6. Let *len* be the length of *S*.
- 7. If *endPosition* is **undefined**, let *pos* be *len*; else let *pos* be ? ToInteger(*endPosition*).
- 8. Let end be min(max(pos, 0), len).
- 9. Let *searchLength* be the length of *searchStr*.
- 10. Let start be end searchLength.
- 11. If *start* is less than 0, return **false**.
- 12. If the sequence of code units of *S* starting at *start* of length *searchLength* is the same as the full code unit sequence of *searchStr*, return **true**.
- 13. Otherwise, return false.

NOTE 1

Returns **true** if the sequence of code units of *searchString* converted to a String is the same as the corresponding code units of this object (converted to a String) starting at *endPosition* - length(this). Otherwise returns **false**.

NOTE 2

Throwing an exception if the first argument is a RegExp is specified in order to allow future editions to define extensions that allow such argument values.

The **endsWith** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.7 String.prototype.includes (searchString[, position])

The **includes** method takes two arguments, *searchString* and *position*, and performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(**this** value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *isRegExp* be ? IsRegExp(*searchString*).
- 4. If *isRegExp* is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let *searchStr* be ? ToString(*searchString*).
- 6. Let pos be? ToInteger(position).
- 7. Assert: If *position* is **undefined**, then *pos* is 0.
- 8. Let *len* be the length of *S*.
- 9. Let start be min(max(pos, 0), len).
- 10. Let *searchLen* be the length of *searchStr*.
- 11. If there exists any integer k not smaller than start such that k + searchLen is not greater than len, and for all nonnegative integers j less than searchLen, the code unit at index k + j within S is the same as the code unit at index j within searchStr, return **true**; but if there is no such integer k, return **false**.
- NOTE 1 If *searchString* appears as a substring of the result of converting this object to a String, at one or more indices that are greater than or equal to *position*, return **true**; otherwise, returns **false**. If *position* is **undefined**, 0 is assumed, so as to search all of the String.
- NOTE 2 Throwing an exception if the first argument is a RegExp is specified in order to allow future editions to define extensions that allow such argument values.
- NOTE 3 The **includes** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.8 String.prototype.indexOf (searchString[, position])

NOTE 1 If *searchString* appears as a substring of the result of converting this object to a String, at one or more indices that are greater than or equal to *position*, then the smallest such index is returned; otherwise, -1 is returned. If *position* is **undefined**, 0 is assumed, so as to search all of the String.

The **indexOf** method takes two arguments, *searchString* and *position*, and performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *searchStr* be ? ToString(*searchString*).
- 4. Let pos be? ToInteger(position).
- 5. Assert: If *position* is **undefined**, then *pos* is 0.

- 6. Let *len* be the length of *S*.
- 7. Let start be min(max(pos, 0), len).
- 8. Let *searchLen* be the length of *searchStr*.
- 9. Return the smallest possible integer k not smaller than start such that k + searchLen is not greater than len, and for all nonnegative integers j less than searchLen, the code unit at index k + j within S is the same as the code unit at index j within searchStr; but if there is no such integer k, return the value -1.

NOTE 2

The **indexOf** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

## 21.1.3.9 String.prototype.lastIndexOf (searchString[, position])

NOTE 1

If *searchString* appears as a substring of the result of converting this object to a String at one or more indices that are smaller than or equal to *position*, then the greatest such index is returned; otherwise, -1 is returned. If *position* is **undefined**, the length of the String value is assumed, so as to search all of the String.

The **lastIndexOf** method takes two arguments, *searchString* and *position*, and performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let searchStr be ? ToString(searchString).
- 4. Let *numPos* be ? ToNumber(*position*).
- 5. Assert: If position is **undefined**, then *numPos* is **NaN**.
- 6. If numPos is NaN, let pos be  $+\infty$ ; otherwise, let pos be! ToInteger(numPos).
- 7. Let *len* be the length of *S*.
- 8. Let start be min(max(pos, 0), len).
- 9. Let *searchLen* be the length of *searchStr*.
- 10. Return the largest possible nonnegative integer k not larger than start such that k + searchLen is not greater than len, and for all nonnegative integers j less than searchLen, the code unit at index k + j within S is the same as the code unit at index j within searchStr; but if there is no such integer k, return the value -1.

NOTE 2

The **lastIndexOf** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.10 String.prototype.localeCompare (that [, reserved1 [, reserved2 ]])

An ECMAScript implementation that includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API must implement the **localeCompare** method as specified in the ECMA-402 specification. If an ECMAScript implementation does not include the ECMA-402 API the following specification of the **localeCompare** method is used.

When the **localeCompare** method is called with argument *that*, it returns a Number other than **NaN** that represents the result of a locale-sensitive String comparison of the **this** value (converted to a String) with *that* (converted to a String). The two Strings are *S* and *That*. The two Strings are compared in an implementation-defined fashion. The result is intended to order String values in the sort order specified by a host default locale, and will be negative, zero, or positive, depending on whether *S* comes before *That* in the sort order, the Strings are equal, or *S* 

comes after *That* in the sort order, respectively.

Before performing the comparisons, the following steps are performed to prepare the Strings:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *That* be ? ToString(*that*).

The meaning of the optional second and third parameters to this method are defined in the ECMA-402 specification; implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not assign any other interpretation to those parameter positions.

The **localeCompare** method, if considered as a function of two arguments **this** and *that*, is a consistent comparison function (as defined in 22.1.3.27) on the set of all Strings.

The actual return values are implementation-defined to permit implementers to encode additional information in the value, but the function is required to define a total ordering on all Strings. This function must treat Strings that are canonically equivalent according to the Unicode standard as identical and must return  $\mathbf{0}$  when comparing Strings that are considered canonically equivalent.

NOTE 1

The **localeCompare** method itself is not directly suitable as an argument to **Array.prototype.sort** because the latter requires a function of two arguments.

NOTE 2

This function is intended to rely on whatever language-sensitive comparison functionality is available to the ECMAScript environment from the host environment, and to compare according to the rules of the host environment's current locale. However, regardless of the host provided comparison capabilities, this function must treat Strings that are canonically equivalent according to the Unicode standard as identical. It is recommended that this function should not honour Unicode compatibility equivalences or decompositions. For a definition and discussion of canonical equivalence see the Unicode Standard, chapters 2 and 3, as well as Unicode Standard Annex #15, Unicode Normalization Forms (https://unicode.org/reports/tr15/) and Unicode Technical Note #5, Canonical Equivalence in Applications (https://www.unicode.org/notes/tn5/). Also see Unicode Technical Standard #10, Unicode Collation Algorithm (https://unicode.org/reports/tr10/).

NOTE 3

The **localeCompare** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.11 String.prototype.match ( regexp )

When the **match** method is called with argument *regexp*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. If *regexp* is neither **undefined** nor **null**, then
  - a. Let *matcher* be ? GetMethod(*regexp*, @@match).
  - b. If *matcher* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. Return? Call(matcher, regexp, « O »).

- 3. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 4. Let *rx* be ? RegExpCreate(*regexp*, **undefined**).
- 5. Return ? Invoke(rx, @@match, « S »).

**NOTE** 

The **match** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.12 String.prototype.matchAll (regexp)

Performs a regular expression match of the String representing the **this** value against *regexp* and returns an iterator. Each iteration result's value is an Array object containing the results of the match, or **null** if the String did not match.

When the **matchAll** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. If regexp is neither **undefined** nor **null**, then
  - a. Let *isRegExp* be ? IsRegExp(*regexp*).
  - b. If *isRegExp* is **true**, then
    - i. Let *flags* be ? Get(*regexp*, "flags").
    - ii. Perform? RequireObjectCoercible(flags).
    - iii. If ? ToString(flags) does not contain "g", throw a TypeError exception.
  - c. Let *matcher* be ? GetMethod(*regexp*, @@matchAll).
  - d. If *matcher* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. Return? Call(matcher, regexp, « O »).
- 3. Let *S* be ? ToString(*O*).
- 4. Let *rx* be ? RegExpCreate(*regexp*, "g").
- 5. Return ? Invoke(rx, @@matchAll, « S »).

NOTE 1

The **matchAll** function is intentionally generic, it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

NOTE 2

Similarly to **String.prototype.split**, **String.prototype.matchAll** is designed to typically act without mutating its inputs.

## 21.1.3.13 String.prototype.normalize ([form])

When the **normalize** method is called with one argument *form*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. If *form* is **undefined**, let *f* be **"NFC"**.
- 4. Else, let *f* be ? ToString(*form*).
- 5. If *f* is not one of "NFC", "NFD", "NFKC", or "NFKD", throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 6. Let ns be the String value that is the result of normalizing S into the normalization form named by f as specified in https://unicode.org/reports/tr15/.
- 7. Return ns.

The **normalize** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

## 21.1.3.14 String.prototype.padEnd ( maxLength [ , fillString ] )

When the **padEnd** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Return ? StringPad(O, maxLength, fillString, end).

#### 21.1.3.15 String.prototype.padStart ( maxLength [ , fillString ] )

When the **padStart** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Return ? StringPad(O, maxLength, fillString, start).

#### 21.1.3.15.1 Runtime Semantics: StringPad (O, maxLength, fillString, placement)

When the abstract operation StringPad is called with arguments *O*, *maxLength*, *fillString*, and *placement*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: placement is start or end.
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *intMaxLength* be ? ToLength(*maxLength*).
- 4. Let *stringLength* be the length of *S*.
- 5. If *intMaxLength* is not greater than *stringLength*, return *S*.
- 6. If *fillString* is **undefined**, let *filler* be the String value consisting solely of the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE).
- 7. Else, let *filler* be ? ToString(*fillString*).
- 8. If *filler* is the empty String, return *S*.
- 9. Let fillLen be intMaxLength stringLength.
- 10. Let *truncatedStringFiller* be the String value consisting of repeated concatenations of *filler* truncated to length *fillLen*.
- 11. If *placement* is **start**, return the string-concatenation of *truncatedStringFiller* and *S*.
- 12. Else, return the string-concatenation of *S* and *truncatedStringFiller*.

NOTE 1 The argument *maxLength* will be clamped such that it can be no smaller than the length of *S*.

NOTE 2 The argument *fillString* defaults to "" (the String value consisting of the code unit 0x0020 SPACE).

#### 21.1.3.16 String.prototype.repeat ( count )

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).

- 3. Let *n* be ? ToInteger(*count*).
- 4. If n < 0, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 5. If *n* is  $+\infty$ , throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 6. If *n* is 0, return the empty String.
- 7. Return the String value that is made from n copies of S appended together.

NOTE 1 This method creates the String value consisting of the code units of the **this** object (converted to String) repeated *count* times.

NOTE 2 The **repeat** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

## 21.1.3.17 String.prototype.replace (searchValue, replaceValue)

When the **replace** method is called with arguments *searchValue* and *replaceValue*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. If search Value is neither undefined nor null, then
  - a. Let replacer be ? GetMethod(searchValue, @@replace).
  - b. If replacer is not **undefined**, then
    - i. Return? Call(replacer, search Value, « O, replace Value »).
- 3. Let *string* be ? ToString(*O*).
- 4. Let *searchString* be ? ToString(*searchValue*).
- 5. Let functionalReplace be IsCallable(replaceValue).
- 6. If functionalReplace is **false**, then
  - a. Set replaceValue to ? ToString(replaceValue).
- 7. Search *string* for the first occurrence of *searchString* and let *pos* be the index within *string* of the first code unit of the matched substring and let *matched* be *searchString*. If no occurrences of *searchString* were found, return *string*.
- 8. If functionalReplace is true, then
  - a. Let replValue be? Call(replaceValue, undefined, « matched, pos, string »).
  - b. Let replStr be ? ToString(replValue).
- 9. Else.

**NOTE** 

- a. Let captures be a new empty List.
- b. Let replStr be! GetSubstitution(matched, string, pos, captures, undefined, replaceValue).
- 10. Let *tailPos* be *pos* + the number of code units in *matched*.
- 11. Let *newString* be the string-concatenation of the first *pos* code units of *string*, *replStr*, and the trailing substring of *string* starting at index *tailPos*. If *pos* is 0, the first element of the concatenation will be the empty String.
- 12. Return newString.

The **replace** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.17.1 Runtime Semantics: GetSubstitution (matched, str, position, captures, namedCaptures, replacement)

The abstract operation GetSubstitution performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(*matched*) is String.
- 2. Let *matchLength* be the number of code units in *matched*.
- 3. Assert: Type(*str*) is String.
- 4. Let *stringLength* be the number of code units in *str*.
- 5. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(position) is true.
- 6. Assert:  $position \leq stringLength$ .
- 7. Assert: captures is a possibly empty List of Strings.
- 8. Assert: Type(replacement) is String.
- 9. Let tailPos be position + matchLength.
- 10. Let *m* be the number of elements in *captures*.
- 11. Let *result* be the String value derived from *replacement* by copying code unit elements from *replacement* to *result* while performing replacements as specified in Table 52. These \$ replacements are done left-to-right, and, once such a replacement is performed, the new replacement text is not subject to further replacements.
- 12. Return result.

**Table 52: Replacement Text Symbol Substitutions** 

Code units	Unicode Characters	Replacement text
0x0024, 0x0024	SS	\$
0x0024, 0x0026	\$&	matched
0x0024, 0x0060	\$`	If <i>position</i> is 0, the replacement is the empty String. Otherwise the replacement is the substring of <i>str</i> that starts at index 0 and whose last code unit is at index <i>position</i> - 1.
0x0024, 0x0027	\$'	If $tailPos \ge stringLength$ , the replacement is the empty String. Otherwise the replacement is the substring of $str$ that starts at index $tailPos$ and continues to the end of $str$ .
$0x0024, \\ N \\ Where \\ 0x0031 \\ \le N \le \\ 0x0039$	\$n where n is one of 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 and \$n is not followed by a decimal digit	The $n^{\text{th}}$ element of <i>captures</i> , where $n$ is a single digit in the range 1 to 9. If $n \le m$ and the $n^{\text{th}}$ element of <i>captures</i> is <b>undefined</b> , use the empty String instead. If $n > m$ , no replacement is done.
0x0024, N, N Where 0x0030 ≤ N ≤ 0x0039	\$nn where n is one of 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	The $nn^{th}$ element of <i>captures</i> , where $nn$ is a two-digit decimal number in the range 01 to 99. If $nn \le m$ and the $nn^{th}$ element of <i>captures</i> is <b>undefined</b> , use the empty String instead. If $nn$ is 00 or $nn > m$ , no replacement is done.
0x0024, 0x003C	<b>\$</b> <	<ol> <li>If namedCaptures is undefined, the replacement text is the String "\$&lt;".</li> </ol>

		<ul> <li>2. Else,</li> <li>a. Assert: Type(namedCaptures) is Object.</li> <li>b. Scan until the next &gt; U+003E (GREATER-THAN SIGN).</li> <li>c. If none is found, the replacement text is the String "\$&lt;".</li> <li>d. Else,</li> <li>i. Let groupName be the enclosed substring.</li> <li>ii. Let capture be? Get(namedCaptures, groupName).</li> <li>iii. If capture is undefined, replace the text through &gt; with the empty String.</li> <li>iv. Otherwise, replace the text through &gt; with ? ToString(capture).</li> </ul>
0x0024	<b>\$</b> in any context that does not match any of the above.	\$

## 21.1.3.18 String.prototype.search ( regexp )

When the **search** method is called with argument *regexp*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. If *regexp* is neither **undefined** nor **null**, then
  - a. Let searcher be ? GetMethod(regexp, @@search).
  - b. If searcher is not undefined, then
    - i. Return? Call(searcher, regexp, « O »).
- 3. Let *string* be ? ToString(*O*).
- 4. Let *rx* be ? RegExpCreate(*regexp*, **undefined**).
- 5. Return ? Invoke(rx, @@search, « string »).

NOTE

The **search** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.19 String.prototype.slice (start, end)

The **slice** method takes two arguments, *start* and *end*, and returns a substring of the result of converting this object to a String, starting from index *start* and running to, but not including, index *end* (or through the end of the String if *end* is **undefined**). If *start* is negative, it is treated as *sourceLength* + *start* where *sourceLength* is the length of the String. If *end* is negative, it is treated as *sourceLength* + *end* where *sourceLength* is the length of the String. The result is a String value, not a String object. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *len* be the length of *S*.
- 4. Let *intStart* be ? ToInteger(*start*).
- 5. If end is **undefined**, let *intEnd* be *len*; else let *intEnd* be ? ToInteger(*end*).
- 6. If intStart < 0, let from be max(len + intStart, 0); otherwise let from be min(intStart, len).
- 7. If intEnd < 0, let to be max(len + intEnd, 0); otherwise let to be min(intEnd, len).

- 8. Let span be max(to from, 0).
- 9. Return the String value containing *span* consecutive code units from *S* beginning with the code unit at index *from*.

**NOTE** 

The **slice** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.20 String.prototype.split (separator, limit)

Returns an Array object into which substrings of the result of converting this object to a String have been stored. The substrings are determined by searching from left to right for occurrences of *separator*; these occurrences are not part of any substring in the returned array, but serve to divide up the String value. The value of *separator* may be a String of any length or it may be an object, such as a RegExp, that has a @@split method.

When the **split** method is called, the following steps are taken:

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1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
 2. If separator is neither undefined nor null, then
        a. Let splitter be ? GetMethod(separator, @@split).
        b. If splitter is not undefined, then
                 i. Return? Call(splitter, separator, « O, limit »).
 3. Let S be ? ToString(O).
 4. Let A be ! ArrayCreate(0).
 5. Let lengthA be 0.
 6. If limit is undefined, let lim be 2<sup>32</sup> - 1; else let lim be ? ToUint32(limit).
 7. Let s be the length of S.
 8. Let p be 0.
 9. Let R be ? ToString(separator).
10. If lim = 0, return A.
11. If separator is undefined, then
         a. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A, "0", S).
        b. Return A.
12. If s = 0, then
        a. Let z be SplitMatch(S, 0, R).
        b. If z is not false, return A.
        c. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A, "0", S).
        d. Return A.
13. Let q be p.
14. Repeat, while q \neq s
        a. Let e be SplitMatch(S, q, R).
        b. If e is false, set q to q + 1.
         c. Else,
                i. Assert: e is an integer index \leq s.
                ii. If e = p, set q to q + 1.
               iii. Else,
                        1. Let T be the String value equal to the substring of S consisting of the code units at indices
                           p (inclusive) through q (exclusive).
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2. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A,! ToString(lengthA), T).

- 3. Set lengthA to lengthA + 1.
- 4. If lengthA = lim, return A.
- 5. Set *p* to *e*.
- 6. Set *q* to *p*.
- 15. Let T be the String value equal to the substring of S consisting of the code units at indices p (inclusive) through S (exclusive).
- 16. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A,! ToString(lengthA), T).
- 17. Return *A*.

#### NOTE 1

The value of *separator* may be an empty String. In this case, *separator* does not match the empty substring at the beginning or end of the input String, nor does it match the empty substring at the end of the previous separator match. If *separator* is the empty String, the String is split up into individual code unit elements; the length of the result array equals the length of the String, and each substring contains one code unit.

If the **this** object is (or converts to) the empty String, the result depends on whether *separator* can match the empty String. If it can, the result array contains no elements. Otherwise, the result array contains one element, which is the empty String.

If *separator* is **undefined**, then the result array contains just one String, which is the **this** value (converted to a String). If *limit* is not **undefined**, then the output array is truncated so that it contains no more than *limit* elements.

#### NOTE 2

The **split** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.20.1 Runtime Semantics: SplitMatch (S, q, R)

The abstract operation SplitMatch takes three parameters, a String S, an integer q, and a String R, and performs the following steps in order to return either **false** or the end index of a match:

- 1. Assert: Type(R) is String.
- 2. Let r be the number of code units in R.
- 3. Let *s* be the number of code units in *S*.
- 4. If q + r > s, return **false**.
- 5. If there exists an integer i between 0 (inclusive) and r (exclusive) such that the code unit at index q + i within S is different from the code unit at index i within i, return **false**.
- 6. Return q + r.

#### 21.1.3.21 String.prototype.startsWith (searchString[, position])

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let *S* be ? ToString(*O*).
- 3. Let *isRegExp* be ? IsRegExp(*searchString*).
- 4. If *isRegExp* is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let searchStr be ? ToString(searchString).

- 6. Let *pos* be ? ToInteger(*position*).
- 7. Assert: If *position* is **undefined**, then *pos* is 0.
- 8. Let *len* be the length of *S*.
- 9. Let start be min(max(pos, 0), len).
- 10. Let *searchLength* be the length of *searchStr*.
- 11. If *searchLength* + *start* is greater than *len*, return **false**.
- 12. If the sequence of code units of *S* starting at *start* of length *searchLength* is the same as the full code unit sequence of *searchStr*, return **true**.
- 13. Otherwise, return false.

NOTE 1	This method returns true if the sequence of code units of searchString converted to a String is the	
	same as the corresponding code units of this object (converted to a String) starting at index	
	position. Otherwise returns false.	

NOTE 2 Throwing an exception if the first argument is a RegExp is specified in order to allow future editions to define extensions that allow such argument values.

NOTE 3 The **startsWith** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.22 String.prototype.substring (start, end)

The **substring** method takes two arguments, *start* and *end*, and returns a substring of the result of converting this object to a String, starting from index *start* and running to, but not including, index *end* of the String (or through the end of the String if *end* is **undefined**). The result is a String value, not a String object.

If either argument is **NaN** or negative, it is replaced with zero; if either argument is larger than the length of the String, it is replaced with the length of the String.

If *start* is larger than *end*, they are swapped.

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(**this** value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *len* be the length of *S*.
- 4. Let *intStart* be ? ToInteger(*start*).
- 5. If end is **undefined**, let *intEnd* be *len*; else let *intEnd* be ? ToInteger(*end*).
- 6. Let finalStart be min(max(intStart, 0), len).
- 7. Let finalEnd be min(max(intEnd, 0), len).
- 8. Let from be min(finalStart, finalEnd).
- 9. Let to be max(finalStart, finalEnd).
- 10. Return the String value whose length is *to from*, containing code units from *S*, namely the code units with indices *from* through *to -* 1, in ascending order.

The **substring** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

## 21.1.3.23 String.prototype.toLocaleLowerCase ([reserved1[, reserved2]])

An ECMAScript implementation that includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API must implement the **toLocaleLowerCase** method as specified in the ECMA-402 specification. If an ECMAScript implementation does not include the ECMA-402 API the following specification of the **toLocaleLowerCase** method is used.

This function interprets a String value as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as described in 6.1.4.

This function works exactly the same as **toLowerCase** except that its result is intended to yield the correct result for the host environment's current locale, rather than a locale-independent result. There will only be a difference in the few cases (such as Turkish) where the rules for that language conflict with the regular Unicode case mappings.

The meaning of the optional parameters to this method are defined in the ECMA-402 specification; implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not use those parameter positions for anything else.

**NOTE** 

The **toLocaleLowerCase** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.24 String.prototype.toLocaleUpperCase ([reserved1[, reserved2]])

An ECMAScript implementation that includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API must implement the **toLocaleUpperCase** method as specified in the ECMA-402 specification. If an ECMAScript implementation does not include the ECMA-402 API the following specification of the **toLocaleUpperCase** method is used.

This function interprets a String value as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as described in 6.1.4.

This function works exactly the same as **toUpperCase** except that its result is intended to yield the correct result for the host environment's current locale, rather than a locale-independent result. There will only be a difference in the few cases (such as Turkish) where the rules for that language conflict with the regular Unicode case mappings.

The meaning of the optional parameters to this method are defined in the ECMA-402 specification; implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not use those parameter positions for anything else.

**NOTE** 

The **toLocaleUpperCase** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.25 String.prototype.toLowerCase ()

This function interprets a String value as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as described in 6.1.4. The following steps are taken:

1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).

- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *sText* be ! UTF16DecodeString(*S*).
- 4. Let *lowerText* be the result of toLowercase(*sText*), according to the Unicode Default Case Conversion algorithm.
- 5. Let *L* be ! UTF16Encode(*lowerText*).
- 6. Return L.

The result must be derived according to the locale-insensitive case mappings in the Unicode Character Database (this explicitly includes not only the UnicodeData.txt file, but also all locale-insensitive mappings in the SpecialCasings.txt file that accompanies it).

NOTE 1

The case mapping of some code points may produce multiple code points. In this case the result String may not be the same length as the source String. Because both **toUpperCase** and **toLowerCase** have context-sensitive behaviour, the functions are not symmetrical. In other words, **s.toUpperCase().toLowerCase()** is not necessarily equal to **s.toLowerCase()**.

NOTE 2

The **toLowerCase** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

### 21.1.3.26 String.prototype.toString()

When the **toString** method is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Return? thisStringValue(this value).

**NOTE** 

For a String object, the **toString** method happens to return the same thing as the **valueOf** method.

#### 21.1.3.27 String.prototype.toUpperCase ()

This function interprets a String value as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as described in 6.1.4.

This function behaves in exactly the same way as **String.prototype.toLowerCase**, except that the String is mapped using the toUppercase algorithm of the Unicode Default Case Conversion.

**NOTE** 

The **toUpperCase** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.28 String.prototype.trim()

This function interprets a String value as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as described in 6.1.4.

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- Return ? TrimString(S, start+end).

The **trim** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.28.1 Runtime Semantics: TrimString (string, where)

The abstract operation TrimString is called with arguments *string* and *where*, and interprets the String value *string* as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as described in 6.1.4. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *str* be ? RequireObjectCoercible(*string*).
- 2. Let *S* be ? ToString(*str*).
- 3. If *where* is **start**, let *T* be the String value that is a copy of *S* with leading white space removed.
- 4. Else if *where* is **end**, let *T* be the String value that is a copy of *S* with trailing white space removed.
- 5. Else.
  - a. Assert: where is start+end.
  - b. Let *T* be the String value that is a copy of *S* with both leading and trailing white space removed.
- 6. Return T.

The definition of white space is the union of *WhiteSpace* and *LineTerminator*. When determining whether a Unicode code point is in Unicode general category "Space\_Separator" ("Zs"), code unit sequences are interpreted as UTF-16 encoded code point sequences as specified in 6.1.4.

#### 21.1.3.29 String.prototype.trimEnd()

This function interprets a String value as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as described in 6.1.4.

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- Return ? TrimString(S, end).

**NOTE** 

The **trimEnd** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 21.1.3.30 String.prototype.trimStart()

This function interprets a String value as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as described in 6.1.4.

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? TrimString(*S*, start).

**NOTE** 

The **trimStart** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

## 21.1.3.31 String.prototype.valueOf()

When the **valueOf** method is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Return? thisStringValue(this value).

#### 21.1.3.32 String.prototype [@@iterator]()

When the **@@iterator** method is called it returns an Iterator object (25.1.1.2) that iterates over the code points of a String value, returning each code point as a String value. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Return CreateStringIterator(*S*).

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.iterator]".

## 21.1.4 Properties of String Instances

String instances are String exotic objects and have the internal methods specified for such objects. String instances inherit properties from the String prototype object. String instances also have a [[StringData]] internal slot.

String instances have a "length" property, and a set of enumerable properties with integer-indexed names.

#### 21.1.4.1 length

The number of elements in the String value represented by this String object.

Once a String object is initialized, this property is unchanging. It has the attributes { [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }.

## 21.1.5 String Iterator Objects

A String Iterator is an object, that represents a specific iteration over some specific String instance object. There is not a named constructor for String Iterator objects. Instead, String iterator objects are created by calling certain methods of String instance objects.

#### 21.1.5.1 CreateStringIterator (string)

Several methods of String objects return Iterator objects. The abstract operation CreateStringIterator with argument *string* is used to create such iterator objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(string) is String.
- 2. Let iterator be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%StringIteratorPrototype%, « [[IteratedString]], [[StringNextIndex]] »).
- 3. Set *iterator*.[[IteratedString]] to *string*.
- 4. Set *iterator*.[[StringNextIndex]] to 0.
- 5. Return iterator.

#### 21.1.5.2 The %StringIteratorPrototype% Object

The *%StringIteratorPrototype*% object:

- has properties that are inherited by all String Iterator Objects.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %IteratorPrototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 21.1.5.2.1 %StringIteratorPrototype%.next()

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(O) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 3. If *O* does not have all of the internal slots of a String Iterator Instance (21.1.5.3), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *s* be O.[[IteratedString]].
- 5. If *s* is **undefined**, return CreateIterResultObject(**undefined**, **true**).
- 6. Let position be O.[[StringNextIndex]].
- 7. Let *len* be the length of *s*.
- 8. If position  $\geq$  len, then
  - a. Set O.[[IteratedString]] to **undefined**.
  - b. Return CreateIterResultObject(undefined, true).
- 9. Let *cp* be ! CodePointAt(*s*, *position*).
- 10. Let *resultString* be the String value containing *cp*.[[CodeUnitCount]] consecutive code units from *s* beginning with the code unit at index *position*.
- 11. Set O.[[StringNextIndex]] to position + cp.[[CodeUnitCount]].
- 12. Return CreateIterResultObject(resultString, false).

#### 21.1.5.2.2 %StringIteratorPrototype% [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "String Iterator".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

#### 21.1.5.3 Properties of String Iterator Instances

String Iterator instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the *%*StringIteratorPrototype*%* intrinsic object. String Iterator instances are initially created with the internal slots listed in Table 53.

**Table 53: Internal Slots of String Iterator Instances** 

Internal Slot	Description
[[IteratedString]]	The String value whose code units are being iterated.
[[StringNextIndex]]	The integer index of the next string element (code unit) to be examined by this iterator.

## 21.2 RegExp (Regular Expression) Objects

A RegExp object contains a regular expression and the associated flags.

**NOTE** 

The form and functionality of regular expressions is modelled after the regular expression facility in the Perl 5 programming language.

#### 21.2.1 Patterns

The **RegExp** constructor applies the following grammar to the input pattern String. An error occurs if the grammar cannot interpret the String as an expansion of *Pattern*.

## **Syntax**

```
Pattern<sub>[U, N]</sub> ::
          Disjunction[?u, ?N]
Disjunction_{[U, N]} ::
         Alternative[?u, ?N]
          Alternative [?u, ?N] | Disjunction [?u, ?N]
Alternative_{[U, N]} ::
          [empty]
          Alternative_{[?U, ?N]} Term_{[?U, ?N]}
Term_{[U, N]} ::
         Assertion[?U, ?N]
         Atom_{[?U,?N]}
          Atom [?u, ?n] Quantifier
Assertion [U, N] ::
          $
          \ b
          ( ? = Disjunction_{[?U, ?N]} )
          (?! Disjunction[?u, ?N] )
          ( ? <= Disjunction_{[?U, ?N]} )
          (? <! Disjunction_{[?U, ?N]})
Quantifier ::
          QuantifierPrefix
          QuantifierPrefix ?
QuantifierPrefix ::
          { DecimalDigits }
          { DecimalDigits , }
          { DecimalDigits , DecimalDigits }
Atom_{[U, N]} ::
          PatternCharacter
          \ AtomEscape<sub>[?U, ?N]</sub>
```

```
CharacterClass [ ? U ]
        ( GroupSpecifier_{[?U]} Disjunction_{[?U, ?N]} )
        (?: Disjunction_{[?U,?N]})
SyntaxCharacter :: one of
        ^ $ \ . * + ? ( ) [ ] { } |
PatternCharacter ::
        SourceCharacter but not SyntaxCharacter
AtomEscape[U, N] ::
        DecimalEscape
        CharacterClassEscape [?U]
        CharacterEscape [ ? U ]
        [+N] k GroupName [?U]
CharacterEscape :::
        ControlEscape
        c ControlLetter
        o [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]
        HexEscapeSequence
        RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence [ ? U]
        IdentityEscape [?U]
ControlEscape :: one of
        fnrtv
ControlLetter :: one of
        GroupSpecifier ::
        [empty]
        ? GroupName<sub>[?U]</sub>
GroupName ::
        < RegExpIdentifierName [211] >
RegExpIdentifierName :::
        RegExpIdentifierStart [?U]
        RegExpIdentifierName<sub>[2U]</sub> RegExpIdentifierPart<sub>[2U]</sub>
RegExpIdentifierStart [U] ::
        UnicodeIDStart
        $
        \ RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence[+U]
        [~U] UnicodeLeadSurrogate UnicodeTrailSurrogate
RegExpIdentifierPart :::
```

```
UnicodeIDContinue
              \ RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence [+U]
              [~U] UnicodeLeadSurrogate UnicodeTrailSurrogate
              <ZWNJ>
              <ZWJ>
     RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence[U] ::
              [+U] u LeadSurrogate \u TrailSurrogate
              [+U] u LeadSurrogate
              [+U] u TrailSurrogate
              [+U] u NonSurrogate
              [~U] u Hex4Digits
              [+U] u{ CodePoint }
     UnicodeLeadSurrogate ::
              any Unicode code point in the inclusive range
              UnicodeTrailSurrogate
              any Unicode code point in the inclusive range
Each \u TrailSurrogate for which the choice of associated u LeadSurrogate is ambiguous shall be associated with the
nearest possible u LeadSurrogate that would otherwise have no corresponding \u TrailSurrogate.
     LeadSurrogate ::
              Hex4Digits but only if the SV of Hex4Digits is in the inclusive range 0xD800 to 0xDBFF
     TrailSurrogate ::
              Hex4Digits but only if the SV of Hex4Digits is in the inclusive range 0xDC00 to 0xDFFF
     NonSurrogate ::
              Hex4Digits but only if the SV of Hex4Digits is not in the inclusive range 0xD800 to 0xDFFF
     IdentityEscape[U] ::
              [+U] SyntaxCharacter
              [+U] /
              [~U] SourceCharacter but not UnicodeIDContinue
     DecimalEscape ::
              NonZeroDigit DecimalDigits<sub>opt</sub> [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]
     CharacterClassEscape :::
              D
```

[+U] **p**{ UnicodePropertyValueExpression } [+U] **p**{ UnicodePropertyValueExpression }

```
UnicodePropertyName = UnicodePropertyValue
        LoneUnicodePropertyNameOrValue
UnicodePropertyName ::
        UnicodePropertyNameCharacters
UnicodePropertyNameCharacters ::
        UnicodePropertyNameCharacter UnicodePropertyNameCharactersont
UnicodePropertyValue ::
        UnicodePropertyValueCharacters
LoneUnicodePropertyNameOrValue::
        UnicodePropertyValueCharacters
UnicodePropertyValueCharacters ::
        UnicodePropertyValueCharacter UnicodePropertyValueCharactersopt
UnicodePropertyValueCharacter ::
        UnicodePropertyNameCharacter
        DecimalDigit
UnicodePropertyNameCharacter ::
        ControlLetter
CharacterClass :::
        [[lookahead ≠ ^] ClassRanges[?U] ]
        [ ^ ClassRanges[?u] ]
ClassRanges[U] ::
        [empty]
        NonemptyClassRanges [211]
NonemptyClassRanges[U] ::
        ClassAtom[?U]
        ClassAtom[?u] NonemptyClassRangesNoDash[?u]
        ClassAtom[?u] - ClassAtom[?u] ClassRanges[?u]
NonemptyClassRangesNoDash[U] ::
        ClassAtom[?U]
        ClassAtomNoDash_{[?U]} NonemptyClassRangesNoDash_{[?U]}
        ClassAtomNoDash[20] - ClassAtom[20] ClassRanges[20]
ClassAtom_{[U]} ::
        ClassAtomNoDash [?U]
ClassAtomNoDash_{[U]} ::
```

*UnicodePropertyValueExpression* ::

```
SourceCharacter but not one of \ or ] or - \ ClassEscape [2U]

ClassEscape [U] ::

b

[+U] -

CharacterClassEscape [2U]

CharacterEscape [2U]
```

# 21.2.1.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors

Pattern :: Disjunction

- It is a Syntax Error if *NcapturingParens*  $\geq 2^{32}$  1.
- It is a Syntax Error if *Pattern* contains multiple *GroupSpecifiers* whose enclosed *RegExpIdentifierNames* have the same StringValue.

QuantifierPrefix :: { DecimalDigits , DecimalDigits }

• It is a Syntax Error if the MV of the first *DecimalDigits* is larger than the MV of the second *DecimalDigits*.

AtomEscape :: k GroupName

• It is a Syntax Error if the enclosing *Pattern* does not contain a *GroupSpecifier* with an enclosed *RegExpIdentifierName* whose StringValue equals the StringValue of the *RegExpIdentifierName* of this production's *GroupName*.

AtomEscape :: DecimalEscape

• It is a Syntax Error if the Capturing Group Number of *DecimalEscape* is larger than *NcapturingParens* (21.2.2.1).

NonemptyClassRanges :: ClassAtom - ClassAtom ClassRanges

- It is a Syntax Error if IsCharacterClass of the first *ClassAtom* is **true** or IsCharacterClass of the second *ClassAtom* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if IsCharacterClass of the first *ClassAtom* is **false** and IsCharacterClass of the second *ClassAtom* is **false** and the CharacterValue of the first *ClassAtom* is larger than the CharacterValue of the second *ClassAtom*.

NonemptyClassRangesNoDash :: ClassAtomNoDash - ClassAtom ClassRanges

- It is a Syntax Error if IsCharacterClass of *ClassAtomNoDash* is **true** or IsCharacterClass of *ClassAtom* is **true**.
- It is a Syntax Error if IsCharacterClass of *ClassAtomNoDash* is **false** and IsCharacterClass of *ClassAtom* is **false** and the CharacterValue of *ClassAtomNoDash* is larger than the CharacterValue of *ClassAtom*.

 $RegExpIdentifierStart_{IUI}$  :: \  $RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence_{I2UI}$ 

• It is a Syntax Error if the CharacterValue of RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence is not the code point value of "\$", "\_", or some code point matched by the UnicodeIDStart lexical grammar production.

RegExpIdentifierStart[U] :: UnicodeLeadSurrogate UnicodeTrailSurrogate

• It is a Syntax Error if the result of performing UTF16DecodeSurrogatePair on the two code points matched by

UnicodeLeadSurrogate and UnicodeTrailSurrogate respectively is not matched by the *UnicodeIDStart* lexical grammar production.

RegExpIdentifierPart[U] :: \ RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence[2U]

• It is a Syntax Error if the CharacterValue of *RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence* is not the code point value of "\$", "\_", <ZWNJ>, <ZWJ>, or some code point matched by the *UnicodeIDContinue* lexical grammar production.

RegExpIdentifierPart :: UnicodeLeadSurrogate UnicodeTrailSurrogate

• It is a Syntax Error if the result of performing UTF16DecodeSurrogatePair on the two code points matched by UnicodeLeadSurrogate and UnicodeTrailSurrogate respectively is not matched by the *UnicodeIDContinue* lexical grammar production.

UnicodePropertyValueExpression :: UnicodePropertyName = UnicodePropertyValue

- It is a Syntax Error if the List of Unicode code points that is SourceText of *UnicodePropertyName* is not identical to a List of Unicode code points that is a Unicode property name or property alias listed in the "Property name and aliases" column of Table 55.
- It is a Syntax Error if the List of Unicode code points that is SourceText of *UnicodePropertyValue* is not identical to a List of Unicode code points that is a value or value alias for the Unicode property or property alias given by SourceText of *UnicodePropertyName* listed in the "Property value and aliases" column of the corresponding tables Table 57 or Table 58.

UnicodePropertyValueExpression: LoneUnicodePropertyNameOrValue

• It is a Syntax Error if the List of Unicode code points that is SourceText of LoneUnicodePropertyNameOrValue is not identical to a List of Unicode code points that is a Unicode general category or general category alias listed in the "Property value and aliases" column of Table 57, nor a binary property or binary property alias listed in the "Property name and aliases" column of Table 56.

# 21.2.1.2 Static Semantics: CapturingGroupNumber

DecimalEscape :: NonZeroDigit

1. Return the Number value for the MV of NonZeroDigit.

DecimalEscape :: NonZeroDigit DecimalDigits

- 1. Let *n* be the mathematical integer number of code points in *DecimalDigits*.
- 2. Return the Number value for (the MV of NonZeroDigit  $\times_{\mathbb{R}} 10_{\mathbb{R}}^n$  plus the MV of DecimalDigits).

The definitions of "the MV of NonZeroDigit" and "the MV of DecimalDigits" are in 11.8.3.

#### 21.2.1.3 Static Semantics: IsCharacterClass

ClassAtom :: -

ClassAtomNoDash :: SourceCharacter but not one of \ or ] or -

ClassEscape :: **b**ClassEscape :: -

ClassEscape :: CharacterEscape

1. Return **false**.

ClassEscape :: CharacterClassEscape

1. Return true.

#### 21.2.1.4 Static Semantics: CharacterValue

ClassAtom :: -

1. Return the code point value of U+002D (HYPHEN-MINUS).

ClassAtomNoDash :: SourceCharacter but not one of \ or ] or -

- 1. Let *ch* be the code point matched by *SourceCharacter*.
- 2. Return the code point value of *ch*.

ClassEscape :: b

1. Return the code point value of U+0008 (BACKSPACE).

ClassEscape :: -

1. Return the code point value of U+002D (HYPHEN-MINUS).

CharacterEscape :: ControlEscape

1. Return the code point value according to Table 54.

**Table 54: ControlEscape Code Point Values** 

ControlEscape	Code Point Value	Code Point	Unicode Name	Symbol
t	9	U+0009	CHARACTER TABULATION	<ht></ht>
n	10	U+000A	LINE FEED (LF)	<lf></lf>
v	11	U+000B	LINE TABULATION	<vt></vt>
f	12	U+000C	FORM FEED (FF)	<ff></ff>
r	13	U+000D	CARRIAGE RETURN (CR)	<cr></cr>

CharacterEscape :: c ControlLetter

- 1. Let *ch* be the code point matched by *ControlLetter*.
- 2. Let *i* be *ch*'s code point value.
- 3. Return the remainder of dividing i by 32.

*CharacterEscape* **:: o** [lookahead ∉ *DecimalDigit*]

1. Return the code point value of U+0000 (NULL).

NOTE \mathbb{0} represents the <NUL> character and cannot be followed by a decimal digit.

CharacterEscape :: HexEscapeSequence

1. Return the numeric value of the code unit that is the SV of *HexEscapeSequence*.

RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence :: u LeadSurrogate \u TrailSurrogate

- 1. Let *lead* be the CharacterValue of *LeadSurrogate*.
- 2. Let trail be the CharacterValue of TrailSurrogate.
- 3. Let *cp* be UTF16DecodeSurrogatePair(*lead*, *trail*).
- 4. Return the code point value of *cp*.

RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence :: u LeadSurrogate

1. Return the CharacterValue of *LeadSurrogate*.

RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence :: u TrailSurrogate

1. Return the CharacterValue of *TrailSurrogate*.

RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence :: u NonSurrogate

1. Return the CharacterValue of *NonSurrogate*.

RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence :: u Hex4Digits

1. Return the Number value for the MV of *Hex4Digits*.

RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence :: u{ CodePoint }

1. Return the Number value for the MV of CodePoint.

LeadSurrogate :: Hex4Digits TrailSurrogate :: Hex4Digits NonSurrogate :: Hex4Digits

1. Return the Number value for the MV of *HexDigits*.

CharacterEscape :: IdentityEscape

- 1. Let *ch* be the code point matched by *IdentityEscape*.
- 2. Return the code point value of *ch*.

#### 21.2.1.5 Static Semantics: SourceText

UnicodePropertyNameCharacters :: UnicodePropertyNameCharacter UnicodePropertyNameCharacters<sub>opt</sub> UnicodePropertyValueCharacters :: UnicodePropertyValueCharacter UnicodePropertyValueCharacters<sub>opt</sub>

1. Return the List, in source text order, of Unicode code points in the source text matched by this production.

# 21.2.1.6 Static Semantics: StringValue

```
RegExpIdentifierName_{[\tt U]} :: \\ RegExpIdentifierStart_{[\tt 2U]} \\ RegExpIdentifierName_{[\tt 2U]} RegExpIdentifierPart_{[\tt 2U]}
```

- 1. Let *idText* be the source text matched by *RegExpIdentifierName*.
- 2. Let idTextUnescaped be the result of replacing any occurrences of  $\$  RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence in idText with

the code point represented by the *RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence*.

3. Return! UTF16Encode(idTextUnescaped).

#### 21.2.2 Pattern Semantics

A regular expression pattern is converted into an abstract closure using the process described below. An implementation is encouraged to use more efficient algorithms than the ones listed below, as long as the results are the same. The abstract closure is used as the value of a RegExp object's [[RegExpMatcher]] internal slot.

A Pattern is either a BMP pattern or a Unicode pattern depending upon whether or not its associated flags contain a **u**. A BMP pattern matches against a String interpreted as consisting of a sequence of 16-bit values that are Unicode code points in the range of the Basic Multilingual Plane. A Unicode pattern matches against a String interpreted as consisting of Unicode code points encoded using UTF-16. In the context of describing the behaviour of a BMP pattern "character" means a single 16-bit Unicode BMP code point. In the context of describing the behaviour of a Unicode pattern "character" means a UTF-16 encoded code point (6.1.4). In either context, "character value" means the numeric value of the corresponding non-encoded code point.

The syntax and semantics of *Pattern* is defined as if the source code for the *Pattern* was a List of *SourceCharacter* values where each *SourceCharacter* corresponds to a Unicode code point. If a BMP pattern contains a non-BMP *SourceCharacter* the entire pattern is encoded using UTF-16 and the individual code units of that encoding are used as the elements of the List.

NOTE

For example, consider a pattern expressed in source text as the single non-BMP character U+1D11E (MUSICAL SYMBOL G CLEF). Interpreted as a Unicode pattern, it would be a single element (character) List consisting of the single code point 0x1D11E. However, interpreted as a BMP pattern, it is first UTF-16 encoded to produce a two element List consisting of the code units 0xD834 and 0xDD1E.

Patterns are passed to the RegExp constructor as ECMAScript String values in which non-BMP characters are UTF-16 encoded. For example, the single character MUSICAL SYMBOL G CLEF pattern, expressed as a String value, is a String of length 2 whose elements were the code units 0xD834 and 0xDD1E. So no further translation of the string would be necessary to process it as a BMP pattern consisting of two pattern characters. However, to process it as a Unicode pattern UTF16DecodeSurrogatePair must be used in producing a List consisting of a single pattern character, the code point U+1D11E.

An implementation may not actually perform such translations to or from UTF-16, but the semantics of this specification requires that the result of pattern matching be as if such translations were performed.

#### 21.2.2.1 Notation

The descriptions below use the following variables:

• *Input* is a List consisting of all of the characters, in order, of the String being matched by the regular expression pattern. Each character is either a code unit or a code point, depending upon the kind of pattern involved. The notation *Input*[n] means the n<sup>th</sup> character of *Input*, where n can range between 0 (inclusive) and *InputLength* (exclusive).

- *InputLength* is the number of characters in *Input*.
- *NcapturingParens* is the total number of left-capturing parentheses (i.e. the total number of *Atom* :: ( *GroupSpecifier Disjunction* ) Parse Nodes) in the pattern. A left-capturing parenthesis is any ( pattern character that is matched by the ( terminal of the *Atom* :: ( *GroupSpecifier Disjunction* ) production.
- *DotAll* is **true** if the RegExp object's [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot contains "s" and otherwise is **false**.
- *IgnoreCase* is **true** if the RegExp object's [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot contains "i" and otherwise is **false**.
- *Multiline* is **true** if the RegExp object's [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot contains **"m"** and otherwise is **false**.
- *Unicode* is **true** if the RegExp object's [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot contains **"u"** and otherwise is **false**.

Furthermore, the descriptions below use the following internal data structures:

- A *CharSet* is a mathematical set of characters, either code units or code points depending up the state of the *Unicode* flag. "All characters" means either all code unit values or all code point values also depending upon the state of *Unicode*.
- A State is an ordered pair (endIndex, captures) where endIndex is an integer and captures is a List of NcapturingParens values. States are used to represent partial match states in the regular expression matching algorithms. The endIndex is one plus the index of the last input character matched so far by the pattern, while captures holds the results of capturing parentheses. The nth element of captures is either a List that represents the value obtained by the nth set of capturing parentheses or undefined if the nth set of capturing parentheses hasn't been reached yet. Due to backtracking, many States may be in use at any time during the matching process.
- A MatchResult is either a State or the special token failure that indicates that the match failed.
- A *Continuation* is an abstract closure that takes one State argument and returns a MatchResult result. The Continuation attempts to match the remaining portion (specified by the closure's captured values) of the pattern against *Input*, starting at the intermediate state given by its State argument. If the match succeeds, the Continuation returns the final State that it reached; if the match fails, the Continuation returns failure.
- A *Matcher* is an abstract closure that takes two arguments—a State and a Continuation—and returns a MatchResult result. A Matcher attempts to match a middle subpattern (specified by the closure's captured values) of the pattern against *Input*, starting at the intermediate state given by its State argument. The Continuation argument should be a closure that matches the rest of the pattern. After matching the subpattern of a pattern to obtain a new State, the Matcher then calls Continuation on that new State to test if the rest of the pattern can match as well. If it can, the Matcher returns the State returned by Continuation; if not, the Matcher may try different choices at its choice points, repeatedly calling Continuation until it either succeeds or all possibilities have been exhausted.

# 21.2.2.2 Pattern

The production *Pattern* :: *Disjunction* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Disjunction* with +1 as its *direction* argument to obtain a Matcher *m*.
- 2. Return a new abstract closure with parameters (*str*, *index*) that captures *m* and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: Type(str) is String.
  - b. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(index) is **true** and  $index \le$  the length of str.
  - c. If *Unicode* is **true**, let *Input* be a List consisting of the sequence of code points of ! UTF16DecodeString(str). Otherwise, let *Input* be a List consisting of the sequence of code units that are the elements of str. *Input* will be used throughout the algorithms in 21.2.2. Each element of *Input* is considered to be a character.

- d. Let *InputLength* be the number of characters contained in *Input*. This variable will be used throughout the algorithms in 21.2.2.
- e. Let listIndex be the index into Input of the character that was obtained from element index of str.
- f. Let *c* be a new Continuation with parameters (*y*) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
  - i. Assert: *y* is a State.
  - ii. Return y.
- g. Let cap be a List of NcapturingParens undefined values, indexed 1 through NcapturingParens.
- h. Let *x* be the State (*listIndex*, *cap*).
- i. Call m(x, c) and return its result.

A Pattern evaluates ("compiles") to an abstract closure value. RegExpBuiltinExec can then apply this procedure to a String and an offset within the String to determine whether the pattern would match starting at exactly that offset within the String, and, if it does match, what the values of the capturing parentheses would be. The algorithms in 21.2.2 are designed so that compiling a pattern may throw a **SyntaxError** exception; on the other hand, once the pattern is successfully compiled, applying the resulting abstract closure to find a match in a String cannot throw an exception (except for any host-defined exceptions that can occur anywhere such as out-of-memory).

# 21.2.2.3 Disjunction

With parameter direction.

The production Disjunction: Alternative evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Alternative* with argument *direction* to obtain a Matcher *m*.
- 2. Return *m*.

The production Disjunction :: Alternative | Disjunction evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Alternative* with argument *direction* to obtain a Matcher *m*1.
- 2. Evaluate *Disjunction* with argument *direction* to obtain a Matcher *m*2.
- 3. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures m1 and m2 and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Call m1(x, c) and let r be its result.
  - d. If r is not failure, return r.
  - e. Call m2(x, c) and return its result.

The I regular expression operator separates two alternatives. The pattern first tries to match the left *Alternative* (followed by the sequel of the regular expression); if it fails, it tries to match the right *Disjunction* (followed by the sequel of the regular expression). If the left *Alternative*, the right *Disjunction*, and the sequel all have choice points, all choices in the sequel are tried before moving on to the next choice in the left *Alternative*. If choices in the left *Alternative* are exhausted, the right *Disjunction* is tried instead of the left *Alternative*. Any capturing parentheses inside a portion of the pattern skipped by I produce **undefined** values instead of Strings. Thus, for example,

```
/alab/.exec("abc")
returns the result "a" and not "ab". Moreover,
/((a)|(ab))((c)|(bc))/.exec("abc")
returns the array
["abc", "a", "a", undefined, "bc", undefined, "bc"]
and not
["abc", "ab", undefined, "ab", "c", "c", undefined]
```

The order in which the two alternatives are tried is independent of the value of *direction*.

#### 21.2.2.4 Alternative

With parameter *direction*.

The production *Alternative* :: [empty] evaluates as follows:

- 1. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Call c(x) and return its result.

The production *Alternative* :: *Alternative Term* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Alternative* with argument *direction* to obtain a Matcher *m*1.
- 2. Evaluate *Term* with argument *direction* to obtain a Matcher *m*2.
- 3. If direction is equal to +1, then
  - a. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures m1 and m2 and performs the following steps when called:
    - i. Assert: *x* is a State.
    - ii. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
    - iii. Let *d* be a new Continuation with parameters (*y*) that captures *c* and *m*2 and performs the following steps when called:
      - 1. Assert: *y* is a State.
      - 2. Call m2(y, c) and return its result.
    - iv. Call m1(x, d) and return its result.
- 4. Else,

- a. Assert: *direction* is equal to -1.
- b. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures m1 and m2 and performs the following steps when called:
  - i. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - ii. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - iii. Let *d* be a new Continuation with parameters (*y*) that captures *c* and *m*1 and performs the following steps when called:
    - 1. Assert: *y* is a State.
    - 2. Call m1(y, c) and return its result.
  - iv. Call m2(x, d) and return its result.

Consecutive *Terms* try to simultaneously match consecutive portions of *Input*. When *direction* is equal to +1, if the left *Alternative*, the right *Term*, and the sequel of the regular expression all have choice points, all choices in the sequel are tried before moving on to the next choice in the right *Term*, and all choices in the right *Term* are tried before moving on to the next choice in the left *Alternative*. When *direction* is equal to -1, the evaluation order of *Alternative* and *Term* are reversed.

#### 21.2.2.5 Term

With parameter direction.

The production *Term* :: *Assertion* evaluates as follows:

1. Return the Matcher that is the result of evaluating *Assertion*.

NOTE The resulting Matcher is independent of *direction*.

The production *Term* :: *Atom* evaluates as follows:

1. Return the Matcher that is the result of evaluating *Atom* with argument *direction*.

The production *Term* :: *Atom Quantifier* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Atom* with argument *direction* to obtain a Matcher *m*.
- 2. Evaluate Quantifier to obtain the three results: an integer min, an integer (or  $\infty$ ) max, and Boolean greedy.
- 3. Assert: If *max* is finite, then *max* is not less than *min*.
- 4. Let *parenIndex* be the number of left-capturing parentheses in the entire regular expression that occur to the left of this *Term*. This is the total number of *Atom* :: ( *GroupSpecifier Disjunction* ) Parse Nodes prior to or enclosing this *Term*.
- 5. Let *parenCount* be the number of left-capturing parentheses in *Atom*. This is the total number of *Atom* :: (

  \*\*GroupSpecifier Disjunction\*\*) Parse Nodes enclosed by *Atom*.
- 6. Return a new Matcher with parameters (*x*, *c*) that captures *m*, *min*, *max*, *greedy*, *parenIndex*, and *parenCount* and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Call RepeatMatcher(m, min, max, greedy, x, c, parenIndex, parenCount) and return its result.

# 21.2.2.5.1 Runtime Semantics: RepeatMatcher (m, min, max, greedy, x, c, parenIndex, parenCount)

The abstract operation RepeatMatcher takes eight parameters, a Matcher m, an integer min, an integer (or  $\infty$ ) max, a Boolean greedy, a State x, a Continuation c, an integer parenIndex, and an integer parenCount, and performs the following steps:

- 1. If max is zero, return c(x).
- 2. Let *d* be a new Continuation with parameters (*y*) that captures *m*, *min*, *max*, *greedy*, *x*, *c*, *parenIndex*, and *parenCount* and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *y* is a State.
  - b. If min is zero and y's endIndex is equal to x's endIndex, return failure.
  - c. If *min* is zero, let *min*2 be zero; otherwise let *min*2 be *min* 1.
  - d. If max is  $\infty$ , let max2 be  $\infty$ ; otherwise let max2 be max 1.
  - e. Call RepeatMatcher(m, min2, max2, greedy, y, c, parenIndex, parenCount) and return its result.
- 3. Let *cap* be a copy of x's *captures* List.
- 4. For each integer k that satisfies parenIndex < k and  $k \le parenIndex + parenCount$ , set cap[k] to **undefined**.
- 5. Let e be x's endIndex.
- 6. Let *xr* be the State (*e*, *cap*).
- 7. If min is not zero, return m(xr, d).
- 8. If *greedy* is **false**, then
  - a. Call c(x) and let z be its result.
  - b. If z is not failure, return z.
  - c. Call m(xr, d) and return its result.
- 9. Call m(xr, d) and let z be its result.
- 10. If z is not failure, return z.
- 11. Call c(x) and return its result.

#### NOTE 1

An *Atom* followed by a *Quantifier* is repeated the number of times specified by the *Quantifier*. A *Quantifier* can be non-greedy, in which case the *Atom* pattern is repeated as few times as possible while still matching the sequel, or it can be greedy, in which case the *Atom* pattern is repeated as many times as possible while still matching the sequel. The *Atom* pattern is repeated rather than the input character sequence that it matches, so different repetitions of the *Atom* can match different input substrings.

If the Atom and the sequel of the regular expression all have choice points, the Atom is first matched as many (or as few, if non-greedy) times as possible. All choices in the sequel are tried before moving on to the next choice in the last repetition of Atom. All choices in the last ( $n^{th}$ ) repetition of Atom are tried before moving on to the next choice in the next-to-last (n - 1)<sup>st</sup> repetition of Atom; at which point it may turn out that more or fewer repetitions of Atom are now possible; these are exhausted (again, starting with either as few or as many as possible) before moving on to the next choice in the (n - 1)<sup>st</sup> repetition of Atom and so on.

```
Compare
```

```
/a[a-z]{2,4}/.exec("abcdefghi")
which returns "abcde" with

/a[a-z]{2,4}?/.exec("abcdefghi")
which returns "abc".

Consider also
/(aa|aabaac|ba|b|c)*/.exec("aabaac")
which, by the choice point ordering above, returns the array

["aaba", "ba"]
and not any of:

["aabaac", "aabaac"]
["aabaac", "c"]
```

The above ordering of choice points can be used to write a regular expression that calculates the greatest common divisor of two numbers (represented in unary notation). The following example calculates the gcd of 10 and 15:

```
"aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa".replace(/^(a+)\1*,\1+\$/,\ "$1")
```

which returns the gcd in unary notation "aaaaa".

Step 4 of the RepeatMatcher clears *Atom*'s captures each time *Atom* is repeated. We can see its behaviour in the regular expression

```
/(z)((a+)?(b+)?(c))*/.exec("zaacbbbcac") which returns the array
```

["zaacbbbcac", "z", "ac", "a", undefined, "c"]

and not

because each iteration of the outermost \* clears all captured Strings contained in the quantified *Atom*, which in this case includes capture Strings numbered 2, 3, 4, and 5.

NOTE 4

Step 2.a of the RepeatMatcher states that once the minimum number of repetitions has been satisfied, any more expansions of *Atom* that match the empty character sequence are not considered for further repetitions. This prevents the regular expression engine from falling into an infinite loop on patterns such as:

```
/(a*)*/.exec("b")
or the slightly more complicated:
/(a*)b\1+/.exec("baaaac")
which returns the array
["b", ""]
```

#### **21.2.2.6** Assertion

The production *Assertion* :: ^ evaluates as follows:

- 1. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *e* be *x*'s *endIndex*.
  - d. If *e* is zero, or if *Multiline* is **true** and the character *Input*[*e* 1] is one of *LineTerminator*, then
    - i. Call c(x) and return its result.
  - e. Return failure.

**NOTE** 

Even when the **y** flag is used with a pattern, ^ always matches only at the beginning of *Input*, or (if *Multiline* is **true**) at the beginning of a line.

The production *Assertion* :: \$ evaluates as follows:

- 1. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *e* be *x*'s *endIndex*.
  - d. If e is equal to InputLength, or if Multiline is **true** and the character Input[e] is one of LineTerminator, then
    - i. Call c(x) and return its result.
  - e. Return failure.

The production *Assertion* :: \ b evaluates as follows:

- 1. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *e* be *x*'s *endIndex*.
  - d. Call IsWordChar(e 1) and let a be the Boolean result.
  - e. Call IsWordChar(e) and let b be the Boolean result.
  - f. If *a* is **true** and *b* is **false**, or if *a* is **false** and *b* is **true**, then
    - i. Call c(x) and return its result.
  - g. Return failure.

The production *Assertion* :: \ B evaluates as follows:

- 1. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *e* be *x*'s *endIndex*.
  - d. Call IsWordChar(e 1) and let a be the Boolean result.
  - e. Call IsWordChar(e) and let b be the Boolean result.
  - f. If *a* is **true** and *b* is **true**, or if *a* is **false** and *b* is **false**, then
    - i. Call c(x) and return its result.
  - g. Return failure.

The production Assertion :: (? = Disjunction) evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Disjunction* with +1 as its *direction* argument to obtain a Matcher *m*.
- 2. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures m and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *d* be a new Continuation with parameters (*y*) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
    - i. Assert: *y* is a State.
    - ii. Return *y*.
  - d. Call m(x, d) and let r be its result.
  - e. If r is failure, return failure.
  - f. Let *y* be *r*'s State.
  - g. Let cap be y's captures List.
  - h. Let *xe* be *x*'s *endIndex*.

- i. Let *z* be the State (*xe*, *cap*).
- j. Call c(z) and return its result.

The production Assertion :: (?! Disjunction) evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Disjunction* with +1 as its *direction* argument to obtain a Matcher *m*.
- 2. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures m and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *d* be a new Continuation with parameters (*y*) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
    - i. Assert: *y* is a State.
    - ii. Return y.
  - d. Call m(x, d) and let r be its result.
  - e. If *r* is not failure, return failure.
  - f. Call c(x) and return its result.

The production Assertion :: (? <= Disjunction) evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Disjunction* with -1 as its *direction* argument to obtain a Matcher *m*.
- 2. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures m and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *d* be a new Continuation with parameters (*y*) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
    - i. Assert: *y* is a State.
    - ii. Return y.
  - d. Call m(x, d) and let r be its result.
  - e. If *r* is failure, return failure.
  - f. Let y be r's State.
  - g. Let cap be y's captures List.
  - h. Let *xe* be *x*'s *endIndex*.
  - i. Let z be the State (xe, cap).
  - j. Call c(z) and return its result.

The production *Assertion* :: (? <! *Disjunction* ) evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Disjunction* with -1 as its *direction* argument to obtain a Matcher *m*.
- 2. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures m and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *d* be a new Continuation with parameters (*y*) that captures nothing and performs the following steps when called:
    - i. Assert: *y* is a State.
    - ii. Return y.
  - d. Call m(x, d) and let r be its result.
  - e. If *r* is not failure, return failure.
  - f. Call c(x) and return its result.

#### 21.2.2.6.1 Runtime Semantics: WordCharacters ()

The abstract operation WordCharacters performs the following steps:

1. Let *A* be a set of characters containing the sixty-three characters:

```
a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 _
```

- 2. Let *U* be an empty set.
- 3. For each character c not in set A where Canonicalize(c) is in A, add c to U.
- 4. Assert: Unless *Unicode* and *IgnoreCase* are both **true**, *U* is empty.
- 5. Add the characters in set *U* to set *A*.
- 6. Return A.

#### 21.2.2.6.2 Runtime Semantics: IsWordChar ( e )

The abstract operation IsWordChar takes an integer parameter *e* and performs the following steps:

- 1. If *e* is -1 or *e* is *InputLength*, return **false**.
- 2. Let *c* be the character *Input*[*e*].
- 3. Let wordChars be the result of! WordCharacters().
- 4. If *c* is in *wordChars*, return **true**.
- 5. Return false.

#### 21.2.2.7 Quantifier

The production *Quantifier* :: *QuantifierPrefix* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate QuantifierPrefix to obtain the two results: an integer min and an integer (or  $\infty$ ) max.
- 2. Return the three results *min*, *max*, and **true**.

The production Quantifier: QuantifierPrefix: evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate QuantifierPrefix to obtain the two results: an integer min and an integer (or  $\infty$ ) max.
- 2. Return the three results min, max, and false.

The production *QuantifierPrefix* :: \* evaluates as follows:

1. Return the two results 0 and  $\infty$ .

The production *QuantifierPrefix* :: + evaluates as follows:

1. Return the two results 1 and  $\infty$ .

The production *QuantifierPrefix* :: ? evaluates as follows:

1. Return the two results 0 and 1.

The production *QuantifierPrefix* :: { *DecimalDigits* } evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let *i* be the MV of *DecimalDigits* (see 11.8.3).
- 2. Return the two results *i* and *i*.

The production *QuantifierPrefix* :: { *DecimalDigits* , } evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let *i* be the MV of *DecimalDigits*.
- 2. Return the two results i and  $\infty$ .

The production *QuantifierPrefix* :: { *DecimalDigits* , *DecimalDigits* } evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let *i* be the MV of the first *DecimalDigits*.
- 2. Let *j* be the MV of the second *DecimalDigits*.
- 3. Return the two results i and j.

#### 21.2.2.8 Atom

With parameter direction.

The production *Atom* :: *PatternCharacter* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let *ch* be the character matched by *PatternCharacter*.
- 2. Let *A* be a one-element CharSet containing the character *ch*.
- 3. Call CharacterSetMatcher(A, false, direction) and return its Matcher result.

The production Atom :: evaluates as follows:

- 1. If *DotAll* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *A* be the set of all characters.
- 2. Otherwise, let *A* be the set of all characters except *LineTerminator*.
- 3. Call CharacterSetMatcher(A, false, direction) and return its Matcher result.

The production *Atom* :: \ *AtomEscape* evaluates as follows:

1. Return the Matcher that is the result of evaluating *AtomEscape* with argument *direction*.

The production *Atom* :: *CharacterClass* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *CharacterClass* to obtain a CharSet *A* and a Boolean *invert*.
- 2. Call CharacterSetMatcher(A, invert, direction) and return its Matcher result.

The production *Atom* :: ( *GroupSpecifier Disjunction* ) evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *Disjunction* with argument *direction* to obtain a Matcher *m*.
- 2. Let *parenIndex* be the number of left-capturing parentheses in the entire regular expression that occur to the left of this *Atom*. This is the total number of *Atom*:: ( *GroupSpecifier Disjunction* ) Parse Nodes prior to or enclosing this *Atom*.
- 3. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures *direction*, m, and *parenIndex* and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *d* be a new Continuation with parameters (*y*) that captures *x*, *c*, *direction*, and *parenIndex* and performs the following steps when called:
    - i. Assert: *y* is a State.
    - ii. Let cap be a copy of y's captures List.
    - iii. Let *xe* be *x*'s *endIndex*.

```
iv. Let ye be y's endIndex.
v. If direction is equal to +1, then
1. Assert: xe ≤ ye.
2. Let s be a new List whose elements are the characters of Input at indices xe (inclusive) through ye (exclusive).
vi. Else,
1. Assert: direction is equal to -1.
2. Assert: ye ≤ xe.
3. Let s be a new List whose elements are the characters of Input at indices ye (inclusive) through xe (exclusive).
vii. Set cap[parenIndex + 1] to s.
viii. Let z be the State (ye, cap).
ix. Call c(z) and return its result.
d. Call m(x, d) and return its result.
```

The production *Atom* :: (?: *Disjunction*) evaluates as follows:

1. Return the Matcher that is the result of evaluating *Disjunction* with argument *direction*.

# 21.2.2.8.1 Runtime Semantics: CharacterSetMatcher ( A, invert, direction )

The abstract operation CharacterSetMatcher takes three arguments, a CharSet *A*, a Boolean flag *invert*, and an integer *direction*, and performs the following steps:

- 1. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures A, invert, and direction and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *e* be *x*'s *endIndex*.
  - d. Let f be e + direction.
  - e. If f < 0 or f > InputLength, return failure.
  - f. Let index be min(e, f).
  - g. Let *ch* be the character *Input*[*index*].
  - h. Let *cc* be Canonicalize(*ch*).
  - i. If *invert* is **false**, then
    - i. If there does not exist a member a of set A such that Canonicalize(a) is cc, return failure.
  - j. Else,
    - i. Assert: *invert* is **true**.
    - ii. If there exists a member a of set A such that Canonicalize(a) is cc, return failure.
  - k. Let *cap* be *x*'s *captures* List.
  - 1. Let *y* be the State (*f*, *cap*).
  - m. Call c(y) and return its result.

# 21.2.2.8.2 Runtime Semantics: Canonicalize (ch)

The abstract operation Canonicalize takes a character parameter *ch* and performs the following steps:

- 1. If *IgnoreCase* is **false**, return *ch*.
- 2. If *Unicode* is **true**, then
  - a. If the file CaseFolding.txt of the Unicode Character Database provides a simple or common case folding

mapping for *ch*, return the result of applying that mapping to *ch*.

b. Return ch.

- 3. Else,
  - a. Assert: ch is a UTF-16 code unit.
  - b. Let *s* be the String value consisting of the single code unit *ch*.
  - c. Let *u* be the same result produced as if by performing the algorithm for

**String.prototype.toUpperCase** using *s* as the **this** value.

- d. Assert: Type(u) is String.
- e. If *u* does not consist of a single code unit, return *ch*.
- f. Let cu be u's single code unit element.
- g. If the numeric value of  $ch \ge 128$  and the numeric value of cu < 128, return ch.
- h. Return cu.

NOTE 1

Parentheses of the form ( *Disjunction* ) serve both to group the components of the *Disjunction* pattern together and to save the result of the match. The result can be used either in a backreference (\ followed by a nonzero decimal number), referenced in a replace String, or returned as part of an array from the regular expression matching abstract closure. To inhibit the capturing behaviour of parentheses, use the form (?: *Disjunction* ) instead.

NOTE 2

The form **(?**= *Disjunction* **)** specifies a zero-width positive lookahead. In order for it to succeed, the pattern inside *Disjunction* must match at the current position, but the current position is not advanced before matching the sequel. If *Disjunction* can match at the current position in several ways, only the first one is tried. Unlike other regular expression operators, there is no backtracking into a **(?**= form (this unusual behaviour is inherited from Perl). This only matters when the *Disjunction* contains capturing parentheses and the sequel of the pattern contains backreferences to those captures.

For example,

```
/(?=(a+))/.exec("baaabac")
```

matches the empty String immediately after the first **b** and therefore returns the array:

```
["", "aaa"]
```

To illustrate the lack of backtracking into the lookahead, consider:

```
/(?=(a+))a*b\1/.exec("baaabac")
```

This expression returns

```
["aba", "a"]
```

and not:

["aaaba", "a"]

The form **(?!** *Disjunction* **)** specifies a zero-width negative lookahead. In order for it to succeed, the pattern inside *Disjunction* must fail to match at the current position. The current position is not advanced before matching the sequel. *Disjunction* can contain capturing parentheses, but backreferences to them only make sense from within *Disjunction* itself. Backreferences to these capturing parentheses from elsewhere in the pattern always return **undefined** because the negative lookahead must fail for the pattern to succeed. For example,

```
/(.*?)a(?!(a+)b\2c)\2(.*)/.exec("baaabaac")
```

looks for an  $\boldsymbol{a}$  not immediately followed by some positive number n of  $\boldsymbol{a}$ 's, a  $\boldsymbol{b}$ , another n  $\boldsymbol{a}$ 's (specified by the first  $\boldsymbol{\lambda} \boldsymbol{2}$ ) and a  $\boldsymbol{c}$ . The second  $\boldsymbol{\lambda} \boldsymbol{2}$  is outside the negative lookahead, so it matches against **undefined** and therefore always succeeds. The whole expression returns the array:

["baaabaac", "ba", undefined, "abaac"]

NOTE 4

In case-insignificant matches when *Unicode* is **true**, all characters are implicitly case-folded using the simple mapping provided by the Unicode standard immediately before they are compared. The simple mapping always maps to a single code point, so it does not map, for example, **\$** (U+00DF) to **\$\$.** It may however map a code point outside the Basic Latin range to a character within, for example, **f** (U+017F) to **\$\$.** Such characters are not mapped if *Unicode* is **false**. This prevents Unicode code points such as U+017F and U+212A from matching regular expressions such as **/**[**a-z**]/**i**, but they will match **/**[**a-z**]/**ui**.

# 21.2.2.8.3 Runtime Semantics: UnicodeMatchProperty (p)

The abstract operation UnicodeMatchProperty takes a parameter p that is a List of Unicode code points and performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *p* is a List of Unicode code points that is identical to a List of Unicode code points that is a Unicode property name or property alias listed in the "Property name and aliases" column of Table 55 or Table 56.
- 2. Let *c* be the canonical property name of *p* as given in the "Canonical property name" column of the corresponding row.
- 3. Return the List of Unicode code points of *c*.

Implementations must support the Unicode property names and aliases listed in Table 55 and Table 56. To ensure interoperability, implementations must not support any other property names or aliases.

NOTE 1

For example, **Script\_Extensions** (property name) and **scx** (property alias) are valid, but **script\_extensions** or **Scx** aren't.

NOTE 2

The listed properties form a superset of what UTS18 RL1.2 requires.

Table 55: Non-binary Unicode property aliases and their canonical property names

Property name and aliases	Canonical property name
General_Category gc	General_Category
Script sc	Script
Script_Extensions scx	Script_Extensions

Table 56: Binary Unicode property aliases and their canonical property names

Property name and aliases	Canonical property name
ASCII	ASCII
ASCII_Hex_Digit AHex	ASCII_Hex_Digit
Alphabetic Alpha	Alphabetic
Any	Any
Assigned	Assigned
Bidi_Control Bidi_C	Bidi_Control
Bidi_Mirrored Bidi_M	Bidi_Mirrored
Case_Ignorable CI	Case_Ignorable
Cased	Cased
Changes_When_Casefolded CWCF	Changes_When_Casefolded
Changes_When_Casemapped CWCM	Changes_When_Casemapped
Changes_When_Lowercased CWL	Changes_When_Lowercased

Changes_When_NFKC_Casefolded CWKCF	Changes_When_NFKC_Casefolded
Changes_When_Titlecased CWT	Changes_When_Titlecased
Changes_When_Uppercased CWU	Changes_When_Uppercased
Dash	Dash
Default_Ignorable_Code_Point DI	Default_Ignorable_Code_Point
Deprecated Dep	Deprecated
Diacritic Dia	Diacritic
Emoji	Emoji
Emoji_Component	Emoji_Component
Emoji_Modifier	Emoji_Modifier
Emoji_Modifier_Base	Emoji_Modifier_Base
Emoji_Presentation	Emoji_Presentation
Extended_Pictographic	Extended_Pictographic
Extender Ext	Extender
Grapheme_Base Gr_Base	Grapheme_Base
Grapheme_Extend Gr_Ext	Grapheme_Extend
Hex_Digit Hex	Hex_Digit
IDS_Binary_Operator IDSB	IDS_Binary_Operator
IDS_Trinary_Operator IDST	IDS_Trinary_Operator
	<del> </del>

ID_Continue IDC	ID_Continue
ID_Start IDS	ID_Start
Ideographic Ideo	Ideographic
Join_Control Join_C	Join_Control
Logical_Order_Exception LOE	Logical_Order_Exception
Lowercase Lower	Lowercase
Math	Math
Noncharacter_Code_Point NChar	Noncharacter_Code_Point
Pattern_Syntax Pat_Syn	Pattern_Syntax
Pattern_White_Space Pat_WS	Pattern_White_Space
Quotation_Mark QMark	Quotation_Mark
Radical	Radical
Regional_Indicator RI	Regional_Indicator
Sentence_Terminal STerm	Sentence_Terminal
Soft_Dotted SD	Soft_Dotted
Terminal_Punctuation Term	Terminal_Punctuation

Unified_Ideograph UIdeo	Unified_Ideograph
Uppercase Upper	Uppercase
Variation_Selector VS	Variation_Selector
White_Space space	White_Space
XID_Continue XIDC	XID_Continue
XID_Start XIDS	XID_Start

# 21.2.2.8.4 Runtime Semantics: UnicodeMatchPropertyValue (p, v)

The abstract operation UnicodeMatchPropertyValue takes two parameters p and v, each of which is a List of Unicode code points, and performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *p* is a List of Unicode code points that is identical to a List of Unicode code points that is a canonical, unaliased Unicode property name listed in the "Canonical property name" column of Table 55.
- 2. Assert: v is a List of Unicode code points that is identical to a List of Unicode code points that is a property value or property value alias for Unicode property p listed in the "Property value and aliases" column of Table 57 or Table 58.
- 3. Let *value* be the canonical property value of *v* as given in the "Canonical property value" column of the corresponding row.
- 4. Return the List of Unicode code points of *value*.

Implementations must support the Unicode property value names and aliases listed in Table 57 and Table 58. To ensure interoperability, implementations must not support any other property value names or aliases.

NOTE 1 For example, **Xpeo** and **Old\_Persian** are valid **Script\_Extensions** values, but **xpeo** and **Old Persian** aren't.

NOTE 2 This algorithm differs from the matching rules for symbolic values listed in UAX44: case, white space, U+002D (HYPHEN-MINUS), and U+005F (LOW LINE) are not ignored, and the **Is** prefix is not supported.

Table 57: Value aliases and canonical values for the Unicode property **General\_Category** 

Property value and aliases	Canonical property value

Cased_Letter LC	Cased_Letter
Close_Punctuation Pe	Close_Punctuation
Connector_Punctuation Pc	Connector_Punctuation
Control Cc cntrl	Control
Currency_Symbol Sc	Currency_Symbol
Dash_Punctuation Pd	Dash_Punctuation
Decimal_Number Nd digit	Decimal_Number
Enclosing_Mark Me	Enclosing_Mark
Final_Punctuation Pf	Final_Punctuation
Format Cf	Format
Initial_Punctuation Pi	Initial_Punctuation
Letter L	Letter
Letter_Number Nl	Letter_Number
Line_Separator Zl	Line_Separator
Lowercase_Letter	Lowercase_Letter

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Mark M Combining_Mark	Mark
Math_Symbol Sm	Math_Symbol
Modifier_Letter Lm	Modifier_Letter
Modifier_Symbol Sk	Modifier_Symbol
Nonspacing_Mark Mn	Nonspacing_Mark
Number N	Number
Open_Punctuation Ps	Open_Punctuation
Other C	Other
Other_Letter Lo	Other_Letter
Other_Number No	Other_Number
Other_Punctuation Po	Other_Punctuation
Other_Symbol So	Other_Symbol
Paragraph_Separator Zp	Paragraph_Separator
Private_Use Co	Private_Use
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Punctuation P punct	Punctuation
Separator Z	Separator
Space_Separator Zs	Space_Separator
Spacing_Mark Mc	Spacing_Mark
Surrogate Cs	Surrogate
Symbol S	Symbol
Titlecase_Letter Lt	Titlecase_Letter
Unassigned Cn	Unassigned
Uppercase_Letter Lu	Uppercase_Letter

# Table 58: Value aliases and canonical values for the Unicode properties Script and Script\_Extensions

Property value and aliases	Canonical property value
Adlam Adlm	Adlam
Ahom Ahom	Ahom
Anatolian_Hieroglyphs Hluw	Anatolian_Hieroglyphs
Arabic Arab	Arabic
	Armenian

Armenian Armn	
Avestan Avst	Avestan
Balinese Bali	Balinese
Bamum Bamu	Bamum
Bassa_Vah Bass	Bassa_Vah
Batak Batk	Batak
Bengali Beng	Bengali
Bhaiksuki Bhks	Bhaiksuki
Bopomofo Bopo	Bopomofo
Brahmi Brah	Brahmi
Braille Brai	Braille
Buginese Bugi	Buginese
Buhid Buhd	Buhid
Canadian_Aboriginal Cans	Canadian_Aboriginal
Carian Cari	Carian
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Caucasian_Albanian Aghb	Caucasian_Albanian
Chakma Cakm	Chakma
Cham Cham	Cham
Cherokee Cher	Cherokee
Common Zyyy	Common
Coptic Copt Qaac	Coptic
Cuneiform Xsux	Cuneiform
Cypriot Cprt	Cypriot
Cyrillic Cyrl	Cyrillic
Deseret Dsrt	Deseret
Devanagari Deva	Devanagari
Dogra Dogr	Dogra
Duployan Dupl	Duployan
Egyptian_Hieroglyphs Egyp	Egyptian_Hieroglyphs
Elbasan Elba	Elbasan

Elymaic Elym	Elymaic
Ethiopic Ethi	Ethiopic
Georgian Geor	Georgian
Glagolitic Glag	Glagolitic
Gothic Goth	Gothic
Grantha Gran	Grantha
Greek Grek	Greek
Gujarati Gujr	Gujarati
Gunjala_Gondi Gong	Gunjala_Gondi
Gurmukhi Guru	Gurmukhi
Han Hani	Han
Hangul Hang	Hangul
Hanifi_Rohingya Rohg	Hanifi_Rohingya
Hanunoo Hano	Hanunoo
Hatran	Hatran

Hatr	
Hebrew Hebr	Hebrew
Hiragana Hira	Hiragana
Imperial_Aramaic Armi	Imperial_Aramaic
Inherited Zinh Qaai	Inherited
Inscriptional_Pahlavi Phli	Inscriptional_Pahlavi
Inscriptional_Parthian Prti	Inscriptional_Parthian
Javanese Java	Javanese
Kaithi Kthi	Kaithi
Kannada Knda	Kannada
Katakana Kana	Katakana
Kayah_Li Kali	Kayah_Li
Kharoshthi Khar	Kharoshthi
Khmer Khmr	Khmer
Khojki Khoj	Khojki
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Khudawadi Sind	Khudawadi
Lao Laoo	Lao
Latin Latn	Latin
Lepcha Lepc	Lepcha
Limbu Limb	Limbu
Linear_A Lina	Linear_A
Linear_B Linb	Linear_B
Lisu Lisu	Lisu
Lycian Lyci	Lycian
Lydian Lydi	Lydian
Mahajani Mahj	Mahajani
Makasar Maka	Makasar
Malayalam Mlym	Malayalam
Mandaic Mand	Mandaic
Manichaean Mani	Manichaean

Marchen Marc	Marchen
Medefaidrin Medf	Medefaidrin
Masaram_Gondi Gonm	Masaram_Gondi
Meetei_Mayek Mtei	Meetei_Mayek
Mende_Kikakui Mend	Mende_Kikakui
Meroitic_Cursive Merc	Meroitic_Cursive
Meroitic_Hieroglyphs Mero	Meroitic_Hieroglyphs
Miao Plrd	Miao
Modi Modi	Modi
Mongolian Mong	Mongolian
Mro Mroo	Mro
Multani Mult	Multani
Myanmar Mymr	Myanmar
Nabataean Nbat	Nabataean
Nandinagari Nand	Nandinagari
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New_Tai_Lue Talu	New_Tai_Lue
Newa Newa	Newa
Nko Nkoo	Nko
Nushu Nshu	Nushu
Nyiakeng_Puachue_Hmong Hmnp	Nyiakeng_Puachue_Hmong
Ogham Ogam	Ogham
Ol_Chiki Olck	Ol_Chiki
Old_Hungarian Hung	Old_Hungarian
Old_Italic Ital	Old_Italic
Old_North_Arabian Narb	Old_North_Arabian
Old_Permic Perm	Old_Permic
Old_Persian Xpeo	Old_Persian
Old_Sogdian Sogo	Old_Sogdian
Old_South_Arabian Sarb	Old_South_Arabian
Old_Turkic Orkh	Old_Turkic
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Oriya Orya	Oriya
Osage Osge	Osage
Osmanya Osma	Osmanya
Pahawh_Hmong Hmng	Pahawh_Hmong
Palmyrene Palm	Palmyrene
Pau_Cin_Hau Pauc	Pau_Cin_Hau
Phags_Pa Phag	Phags_Pa
Phoenician Phnx	Phoenician
Psalter_Pahlavi Phlp	Psalter_Pahlavi
Rejang Rjng	Rejang
Runic Runr	Runic
Samaritan Samr	Samaritan
Saurashtra Saur	Saurashtra
Sharada Shrd	Sharada
Shavian Shaw	Shavian

Siddham Sidd	Siddham
SignWriting Sgnw	SignWriting
Sinhala Sinh	Sinhala
Sogdian Sogd	Sogdian
Sora_Sompeng Sora	Sora_Sompeng
Soyombo Soyo	Soyombo
Sundanese Sund	Sundanese
Syloti_Nagri Sylo	Syloti_Nagri
Syriac Syrc	Syriac
Tagalog Tglg	Tagalog
Tagbanwa Tagb	Tagbanwa
Tai_Le Tale	Tai_Le
Tai_Tham Lana	Tai_Tham
Tai_Viet Tavt	Tai_Viet
Takri Takr	Takri

Tamil Taml	Tamil
Tangut Tang	Tangut
Telugu Telu	Telugu
Thaana Thaa	Thaana
Thai Thai	Thai
Tibetan Tibt	Tibetan
Tifinagh Tfng	Tifinagh
Tirhuta Tirh	Tirhuta
Ugaritic Ugar	Ugaritic
Vai Vaii	Vai
Wancho Wcho	Wancho
Warang_Citi Wara	Warang_Citi
Yi Yiii	Yi
Zanabazar_Square Zanb	Zanabazar_Square

# 21.2.2.9 AtomEscape

With parameter direction.

The production *AtomEscape* :: *DecimalEscape* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *DecimalEscape* to obtain an integer *n*.
- 2. Assert:  $n \leq NcapturingParens$ .
- 3. Call BackreferenceMatcher(*n*, *direction*) and return its Matcher result.

The production *AtomEscape* :: *CharacterEscape* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *CharacterEscape* to obtain a character *ch*.
- 2. Let *A* be a one-element CharSet containing the character *ch*.
- 3. Call CharacterSetMatcher(A, false, direction) and return its Matcher result.

The production *AtomEscape* :: *CharacterClassEscape* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *CharacterClassEscape* to obtain a CharSet *A*.
- 2. Call CharacterSetMatcher(A, false, direction) and return its Matcher result.

NOTE

An escape sequence of the form  $\setminus$  followed by a nonzero decimal number n matches the result of the  $n^{\text{th}}$  set of capturing parentheses (21.2.2.1). It is an error if the regular expression has fewer than n capturing parentheses. If the regular expression has n or more capturing parentheses but the  $n^{\text{th}}$  one is **undefined** because it has not captured anything, then the backreference always succeeds.

The production *AtomEscape* :: k *GroupName* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Search the enclosing *Pattern* for an instance of a *GroupSpecifier* for a *RegExpIdentifierName* which has a StringValue equal to the StringValue of the *RegExpIdentifierName* contained in *GroupName*.
- 2. Assert: A unique such *GroupSpecifier* is found.
- 3. Let *parenIndex* be the number of left-capturing parentheses in the entire regular expression that occur to the left of the located *GroupSpecifier*. This is the total number of *Atom*: ( *GroupSpecifier Disjunction*) Parse Nodes prior to or enclosing the located *GroupSpecifier*.
- Call BackreferenceMatcher(parenIndex, direction) and return its Matcher result.

#### 21.2.2.9.1 Runtime Semantics: BackreferenceMatcher ( *n*, *direction* )

The abstract operation BackreferenceMatcher takes two arguments, an integer *n* and an integer *direction*, and performs the following steps:

- 1. Return a new Matcher with parameters (x, c) that captures n and direction and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: *x* is a State.
  - b. Assert: *c* is a Continuation.
  - c. Let *cap* be *x*'s *captures* List.
  - d. Let s be cap[n].
  - e. If *s* is **undefined**, return c(x).
  - f. Let e be x's endIndex.
  - g. Let *len* be the number of elements in *s*.
  - h. Let f be  $e + direction \times len$ .

- i. If f < 0 or f > InputLength, return failure.
- j. Let g be min(e, f).
- k. If there exists an integer i between 0 (inclusive) and len (exclusive) such that Canonicalize(s[i]) is not the same character value as Canonicalize(Input[g+i]), return failure.
- 1. Let *y* be the State (*f*, *cap*).
- m. Call c(y) and return its result.

## 21.2.2.10 CharacterEscape

The *CharacterEscape* productions evaluate as follows:

CharacterEscape ::

ControlEscape

- c ControlLetter
- o [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]

*HexEscapeSequence* 

RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence

*IdentityEscape* 

- 1. Let *cv* be the CharacterValue of this *CharacterEscape*.
- 2. Return the character whose character value is *cv*.

## 21.2.2.11 DecimalEscape

The *DecimalEscape* productions evaluate as follows:

DecimalEscape :: NonZeroDigit DecimalDigitsont

1. Return the CapturingGroupNumber of this *DecimalEscape*.

**NOTE** 

If  $\setminus$  is followed by a decimal number n whose first digit is not  $\mathbf{0}$ , then the escape sequence is considered to be a backreference. It is an error if n is greater than the total number of left-capturing parentheses in the entire regular expression.

#### 21.2.2.12 CharacterClassEscape

The production *CharacterClassEscape* :: **a** evaluates as follows:

1. Return the ten-element set of characters containing the characters **0** through **9** inclusive.

The production *CharacterClassEscape* **:: p** evaluates as follows:

1. Return the set of all characters not included in the set returned by *CharacterClassEscape* :: a .

The production *CharacterClassEscape* **:: s** evaluates as follows:

1. Return the set of characters containing the characters that are on the right-hand side of the *WhiteSpace* or *LineTerminator* productions.

The production *CharacterClassEscape* **:: s** evaluates as follows:

1. Return the set of all characters not included in the set returned by CharacterClassEscape :: s

The production *CharacterClassEscape* :: w evaluates as follows:

1. Return the set of all characters returned by WordCharacters().

The production *CharacterClassEscape* :: w evaluates as follows:

1. Return the set of all characters not included in the set returned by CharacterClassEscape :: w .

The production CharacterClassEscape :: p{ UnicodePropertyValueExpression } evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet containing all Unicode code points included in the CharSet returned by *UnicodePropertyValueExpression*.

The production *CharacterClassEscape* **::** P{ *UnicodePropertyValueExpression* } evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet containing all Unicode code points not included in the CharSet returned by *UnicodePropertyValueExpression*.

The production UnicodePropertyValueExpression :: UnicodePropertyName = UnicodePropertyValue evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let *ps* be SourceText of *UnicodePropertyName*.
- 2. Let *p* be ! UnicodeMatchProperty(*ps*).
- 3. Assert: *p* is a Unicode property name or property alias listed in the "Property name and aliases" column of Table 55.
- 4. Let vs be SourceText of UnicodePropertyValue.
- 5. Let v be ! UnicodeMatchPropertyValue(p, vs).
- 6. Return the CharSet containing all Unicode code points whose character database definition includes the property p with value v.

The production UnicodePropertyValueExpression :: LoneUnicodePropertyNameOrValue evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let *s* be SourceText of LoneUnicodePropertyNameOrValue.
- 2. If ! UnicodeMatchPropertyValue(**General\_Category**, s) is identical to a List of Unicode code points that is the name of a Unicode general category or general category alias listed in the "Property value and aliases" column of Table 57, then
  - a. Return the CharSet containing all Unicode code points whose character database definition includes the property "General\_Category" with value s.
- 3. Let *p* be ! UnicodeMatchProperty(s).
- 4. Assert: *p* is a binary Unicode property or binary property alias listed in the "Property name and aliases" column of Table 56.
- 5. Return the CharSet containing all Unicode code points whose character database definition includes the property *p* with value "True".

#### 21.2.2.13 CharacterClass

The production *CharacterClass* :: [ *ClassRanges* ] evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *ClassRanges* to obtain a CharSet *A*.
- 2. Return the two results *A* and **false**.

The production *CharacterClass* :: [ ^ *ClassRanges* ] evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *ClassRanges* to obtain a CharSet *A*.
- 2. Return the two results *A* and **true**.

#### 21.2.2.14 ClassRanges

The production *ClassRanges* :: [empty] evaluates as follows:

1. Return the empty CharSet.

The production ClassRanges :: NonemptyClassRanges evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet that is the result of evaluating *NonemptyClassRanges*.

# 21.2.2.15 NonemptyClassRanges

The production NonemptyClassRanges :: ClassAtom evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet that is the result of evaluating *ClassAtom*.

The production NonemptyClassRanges :: ClassAtom NonemptyClassRangesNoDash evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *ClassAtom* to obtain a CharSet *A*.
- Evaluate NonemptyClassRangesNoDash to obtain a CharSet B.
- 3. Return the union of CharSets *A* and *B*.

The production NonemptyClassRanges :: ClassAtom - ClassAtom ClassRanges evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate the first *ClassAtom* to obtain a CharSet *A*.
- 2. Evaluate the second *ClassAtom* to obtain a CharSet *B*.
- 3. Evaluate *ClassRanges* to obtain a CharSet *C*.
- 4. Call CharacterRange(*A*, *B*) and let *D* be the resulting CharSet.
- 5. Return the union of CharSets *D* and *C*.

#### 21.2.2.15.1 Runtime Semantics: CharacterRange (A, B)

The abstract operation CharacterRange takes two CharSet parameters *A* and *B* and performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *A* and *B* each contain exactly one character.
- 2. Let *a* be the one character in CharSet *A*.
- 3. Let *b* be the one character in CharSet *B*.
- 4. Let *i* be the character value of character *a*.
- 5. Let *j* be the character value of character *b*.
- 6. Assert:  $i \le j$ .
- 7. Return the set containing all characters numbered *i* through *j*, inclusive.

#### 21.2.2.16 NonemptyClassRangesNoDash

The production NonemptyClassRangesNoDash :: ClassAtom evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet that is the result of evaluating *ClassAtom*.

The production NonemptyClassRangesNoDash :: ClassAtomNoDash NonemptyClassRangesNoDash evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *ClassAtomNoDash* to obtain a CharSet *A*.
- 2. Evaluate *NonemptyClassRangesNoDash* to obtain a CharSet *B*.
- 3. Return the union of CharSets *A* and *B*.

The production NonemptyClassRangesNoDash :: ClassAtomNoDash - ClassAtom ClassRanges evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *ClassAtomNoDash* to obtain a CharSet *A*.
- 2. Evaluate *ClassAtom* to obtain a CharSet *B*.
- 3. Evaluate *ClassRanges* to obtain a CharSet *C*.
- 4. Call CharacterRange(*A*, *B*) and let *D* be the resulting CharSet.
- 5. Return the union of CharSets *D* and *C*.

#### NOTE 1

ClassRanges can expand into a single ClassAtom and/or ranges of two ClassAtom separated by dashes. In the latter case the ClassRanges includes all characters between the first ClassAtom and the second ClassAtom, inclusive; an error occurs if either ClassAtom does not represent a single character (for example, if one is \w) or if the first ClassAtom's character value is greater than the second ClassAtom's character value.

#### NOTE 2

Even if the pattern ignores case, the case of the two ends of a range is significant in determining which characters belong to the range. Thus, for example, the pattern /[E-F]/i matches only the letters E, F, e, and f, while the pattern /[E-f]/i matches all upper and lower-case letters in the Unicode Basic Latin block as well as the symbols  $[, \setminus, ]$ ,  $^{\wedge}$ ,  $_{-}$ , and  $^{\circ}$ .

#### NOTE 3

A – character can be treated literally or it can denote a range. It is treated literally if it is the first or last character of *ClassRanges*, the beginning or end limit of a range specification, or immediately follows a range specification.

#### 21.2.2.17 ClassAtom

The production ClassAtom :: - evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet containing the single character - U+002D (HYPHEN-MINUS).

The production ClassAtom :: ClassAtomNoDash evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet that is the result of evaluating *ClassAtomNoDash*.

#### 21.2.2.18 ClassAtomNoDash

The production ClassAtomNoDash :: SourceCharacter but not one of \ or \ or \ evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet containing the character matched by *SourceCharacter*.

The production *ClassAtomNoDash* :: \ *ClassEscape* evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet that is the result of evaluating *ClassEscape*.

### 21.2.2.19 ClassEscape

The *ClassEscape* productions evaluate as follows:

ClassEscape :: **b**ClassEscape :: -

ClassEscape :: CharacterEscape

- 1. Let *cv* be the CharacterValue of this *ClassEscape*.
- 2. Let *c* be the character whose character value is *cv*.
- 3. Return the CharSet containing the single character *c*.

ClassEscape :: CharacterClassEscape

1. Return the CharSet that is the result of evaluating *CharacterClassEscape*.

**NOTE** 

A *ClassAtom* can use any of the escape sequences that are allowed in the rest of the regular expression except for **\b**, **\B**, and backreferences. Inside a *CharacterClass*, **\b** means the backspace character, while **\B** and backreferences raise errors. Using a backreference inside a *ClassAtom* causes an error.

# 21.2.3 The RegExp Constructor

The RegExp constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *RegExp*%.
- is the initial value of the "RegExp" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new RegExp object when called as a function rather than as a constructor. Thus the
  function call RegExp(...) is equivalent to the object creation expression new RegExp(...) with the same
  arguments.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an extends clause of a class definition. Subclass
  constructors that intend to inherit the specified RegExp behaviour must include a super call to the RegExp
  constructor to create and initialize subclass instances with the necessary internal slots.

# 21.2.3.1 RegExp (pattern, flags)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let patternIsRegExp be ? IsRegExp(pattern).
- 2. If NewTarget is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *newTarget* be the active function object.
  - b. If *patternIsRegExp* is **true** and *flags* is **undefined**, then
    - i. Let patternConstructor be ? Get(pattern, "constructor").
    - ii. If SameValue(newTarget, patternConstructor) is **true**, return pattern.
- 3. Else, let *newTarget* be NewTarget.
- 4. If Type(pattern) is Object and pattern has a [[RegExpMatcher]] internal slot, then
  - a. Let *P* be *pattern*.[[OriginalSource]].

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b. If flags is undefined, let F be pattern.[[OriginalFlags]]. c. Else, let F be flags.
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- 5. Else if *patternIsRegExp* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *P* be ? Get(pattern, "source").
  - b. If *flags* is **undefined**, then
    - i. Let *F* be ? Get(pattern, "flags").
  - c. Else, let *F* be *flags*.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let *P* be *pattern*.
  - b. Let *F* be *flags*.
- 7. Let *O* be ? RegExpAlloc(newTarget).
- 8. Return ? RegExpInitialize(O, P, F).

If pattern is supplied using a *StringLiteral*, the usual escape sequence substitutions are performed before the String is processed by RegExp. If pattern must contain an escape sequence to be recognized by RegExp, any U+005C (REVERSE SOLIDUS) code points must be escaped within the *StringLiteral* to prevent them being removed when the contents of the *StringLiteral* are formed.

#### 21.2.3.2 Abstract Operations for the RegExp Constructor

#### 21.2.3.2.1 Runtime Semantics: RegExpAlloc (newTarget)

When the abstract operation RegExpAlloc with argument *newTarget* is called, the following steps are taken:

- Let obj be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(newTarget, "%RegExp.prototype%", « [[RegExpMatcher]], [[OriginalSource]], [[OriginalFlags]] »).
- 2. Perform ! DefinePropertyOrThrow(obj, "lastIndex", PropertyDescriptor { [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false }).
- 3. Return obj.

#### 21.2.3.2.2 Runtime Semantics: RegExpInitialize (obj, pattern, flags)

When the abstract operation RegExpInitialize with arguments *obj*, *pattern*, and *flags* is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If *pattern* is **undefined**, let *P* be the empty String.
- 2. Else, let *P* be ? ToString(pattern).
- 3. If *flags* is **undefined**, let *F* be the empty String.
- 4. Else, let *F* be ? ToString(*flags*).
- 5. If *F* contains any code unit other than "g", "i", "m", "s", "u", or "y" or if it contains the same code unit more than once, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.
- 6. If *F* contains "u", let *BMP* be **false**; else let *BMP* be **true**.
- 7. If *BMP* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *pText* be the sequence of code points resulting from interpreting each of the 16-bit elements of *P* as a Unicode BMP code point. UTF-16 decoding is not applied to the elements.
  - b. Parse pText using the grammars in 21.2.1. The goal symbol for the parse is  $Pattern_{[\neg U, \neg N]}$ . If the result of parsing contains a GroupName, reparse with the goal symbol  $Pattern_{[\neg U, +N]}$  and use this result instead.

Throw a **SyntaxError** exception if pText did not conform to the grammar, if any elements of pText were not matched by the parse, or if any Early Error conditions exist.

- c. Let *patternCharacters* be a List whose elements are the code unit elements of *P*.
- 8. Else,
  - a. Let *pText* be ! UTF16DecodeString(*P*).
  - b. Parse pText using the grammars in 21.2.1. The goal symbol for the parse is  $Pattern_{[+U, +N]}$ . Throw a **SyntaxError** exception if pText did not conform to the grammar, if any elements of pText were not matched by the parse, or if any Early Error conditions exist.
  - c. Let *patternCharacters* be a List whose elements are the code points of *pText*.
- 9. Set *obj*.[[OriginalSource]] to *P*.
- 10. Set *obj*.[[OriginalFlags]] to *F*.
- 11. Set *obj*.[[RegExpMatcher]] to the abstract closure that evaluates the above parse by applying the semantics provided in 21.2.2 using *patternCharacters* as the pattern's List of *SourceCharacter* values and *F* as the flag parameters.
- 12. Perform ? Set(obj, "lastIndex", 0, true).
- 13. Return obj.

#### 21.2.3.2.3 Runtime Semantics: RegExpCreate (P, F)

When the abstract operation RegExpCreate with arguments *P* and *F* is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? RegExpAlloc(%RegExp%).
- 2. Return ? RegExpInitialize(obj, P, F).

# 21.2.3.2.4 Runtime Semantics: EscapeRegExpPattern ( P, F)

When the abstract operation EscapeRegExpPattern with arguments *P* and *F* is called, the following occurs:

- 1. Let *S* be a String in the form of a *Pattern*<sub>[-U]</sub> (*Pattern*<sub>[+U]</sub> if *F* contains "u") equivalent to *P* interpreted as UTF-16 encoded Unicode code points (6.1.4), in which certain code points are escaped as described below. *S* may or may not be identical to *P*; however, the abstract closure that would result from evaluating *S* as a *Pattern*<sub>[-U]</sub> ( *Pattern*<sub>[+U]</sub> if *F* contains "u") must behave identically to the abstract closure given by the constructed object's [[RegExpMatcher]] internal slot. Multiple calls to this abstract operation using the same values for *P* and *F* must produce identical results.
- 2. The code points / or any LineTerminator occurring in the pattern shall be escaped in S as necessary to ensure that the string-concatenation of "/", S, "/", and F can be parsed (in an appropriate lexical context) as a RegularExpressionLiteral that behaves identically to the constructed regular expression. For example, if P is "/", then S could be "\/" or "\u002F", among other possibilities, but not "/", because /// followed by F would be parsed as a SingleLineComment rather than a RegularExpressionLiteral. If P is the empty String, this specification can be met by letting S be "(?:)".
- 3. Return *S*.

# 21.2.4 Properties of the RegExp Constructor

The RegExp constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 21.2.4.1 RegExp.prototype

The initial value of **RegExp.prototype** is %RegExp.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 21.2.4.2 get RegExp [@@species]

**RegExp[@@species]** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "get [Symbol.species]".

**NOTE** 

RegExp prototype methods normally use their **this** object's **constructor** to create a derived object. However, a subclass **constructor** may over-ride that default behaviour by redefining its @@species property.

# 21.2.5 Properties of the RegExp Prototype Object

The RegExp prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % *RegExpPrototype*%.
- is an ordinary object.
- is not a RegExp instance and does not have a [[RegExpMatcher]] internal slot or any of the other internal slots of RegExp instance objects.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.

NOTE

The RegExp prototype object does not have a "valueOf" property of its own; however, it inherits the "valueOf" property from the Object prototype object.

#### 21.2.5.1 RegExp.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **RegExp.prototype.constructor** is %RegExp%.

#### 21.2.5.2 RegExp.prototype.exec ( string )

Performs a regular expression match of *string* against the regular expression and returns an Array object containing the results of the match, or **null** if *string* did not match.

The String ToString(string) is searched for an occurrence of the regular expression pattern as follows:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(R, [[RegExpMatcher]]).
- 3. Let *S* be ? ToString(*string*).
- 4. Return ? RegExpBuiltinExec(*R*, *S*).

#### 21.2.5.2.1 Runtime Semantics: RegExpExec (R, S)

The abstract operation RegExpExec with arguments *R* and *S* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(R) is Object.
- 2. Assert: Type(*S*) is String.
- 3. Let *exec* be ? Get(*R*, "exec").
- 4. If IsCallable(exec) is **true**, then
  - a. Let result be ? Call(exec, R, « S »).
  - b. If Type(result) is neither Object nor Null, throw a TypeError exception.
  - c. Return result.
- 5. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(R, [[RegExpMatcher]]).
- 6. Return ? RegExpBuiltinExec(*R*, *S*).

NOTE

If a callable "exec" property is not found this algorithm falls back to attempting to use the built-in RegExp matching algorithm. This provides compatible behaviour for code written for prior editions where most built-in algorithms that use regular expressions did not perform a dynamic property lookup of "exec".

#### 21.2.5.2.2 Runtime Semantics: RegExpBuiltinExec (R, S)

The abstract operation RegExpBuiltinExec with arguments *R* and *S* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *R* is an initialized RegExp instance.
- 2. Assert: Type(*S*) is String.
- 3. Let *length* be the number of code units in *S*.
- 4. Let *lastIndex* be ? ToLength(? Get(*R*, "lastIndex")).
- 5. Let *flags* be *R*.[[OriginalFlags]].
- 6. If flags contains "g", let global be true; else let global be false.
- 7. If *flags* contains "y", let *sticky* be **true**; else let *sticky* be **false**.
- 8. If *global* is **false** and *sticky* is **false**, set *lastIndex* to 0.
- 9. Let *matcher* be *R*.[[RegExpMatcher]].
- 10. If *flags* contains **"u"**, let *fullUnicode* be **true**; else let *fullUnicode* be **false**.
- 11. Let matchSucceeded be false.
- 12. Repeat, while *matchSucceeded* is **false** 
  - a. If *lastIndex* > *length*, then
    - i. If *global* is **true** or *sticky* is **true**, then
      - 1. Perform ? Set(R, "lastIndex", 0, true).
    - ii. Return null.
  - b. Let r be matcher(S, lastIndex).
  - c. If *r* is **failure**, then
    - i. If *sticky* is **true**, then
      - 1. Perform ? **Set**(*R*, **"lastIndex"**, 0, **true**).
      - 2. Return **null**.
    - ii. Set *lastIndex* to AdvanceStringIndex(S, *lastIndex*, *fullUnicode*).
  - d. Else,
    - i. Assert: *r* is a State.
    - ii. Set matchSucceeded to true.
- 13. Let *e* be *r*'s *endIndex* value.
- 14. If fullUnicode is **true**, then

- a. *e* is an index into the *Input* character list, derived from *S*, matched by *matcher*. Let *eUTF* be the smallest index into *S* that corresponds to the character at element *e* of *Input*. If *e* is greater than or equal to the number of elements in *Input*, then *eUTF* is the number of code units in *S*.
- b. Set e to eUTF.
- 15. If *global* is **true** or *sticky* is **true**, then
  - a. Perform ? Set(*R*, "lastIndex", *e*, true).
- 16. Let *n* be the number of elements in *r*'s *captures* List. (This is the same value as 21.2.2.1's *NcapturingParens*.)
- 17. Assert:  $n < 2^{32} 1$ .
- 18. Let A be ! ArrayCreate(n + 1).
- 19. Assert: The value of A's "length" property is n + 1.
- 20. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(*A*, "index", *lastIndex*).
- 21. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(*A*, "input", *S*).
- 22. Let *matchedSubstr* be the matched substring (i.e. the portion of *S* between offset *lastIndex* inclusive and offset *e* exclusive).
- 23. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(*A*, "0", matchedSubstr).
- 24. If *R* contains any *GroupName*, then
  - a. Let groups be OrdinaryObjectCreate(null).
- 25. Else,
  - a. Let groups be undefined.
- 26. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(*A*, "groups", *groups*).
- 27. For each integer i such that i > 0 and  $i \le n$ , do
  - a. Let *captureI* be  $i^{th}$  element of r's *captures* List.
  - b. If *captureI* is **undefined**, let *capturedValue* be **undefined**.
  - c. Else if *fullUnicode* is **true**, then
    - i. Assert: captureI is a List of code points.
    - ii. Let capturedValue be! UTF16Encode(captureI).
  - d. Else,
    - i. Assert: fullUnicode is false.
    - ii. Assert: captureI is a List of code units.
    - iii. Let *capturedValue* be the String value consisting of the code units of *captureI*.
  - e. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(*A*,! ToString(*i*), *capturedValue*).
  - f. If the  $i^{th}$  capture of R was defined with a *GroupName*, then
    - i. Let *s* be the StringValue of the corresponding *RegExpIdentifierName*.
    - ii. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(groups, s, capturedValue).
- 28. Return A.

#### 21.2.5.2.3 AdvanceStringIndex (S, index, unicode)

The abstract operation AdvanceStringIndex with arguments *S, index,* and *unicode* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(*S*) is String.
- 2. Assert:  $0 \le index \le 2^{53} 1$  and ! IsInteger(index) is true.
- 3. Assert: Type(unicode) is Boolean.
- 4. If *unicode* is **false**, return index + 1.
- 5. Let *length* be the number of code units in *S*.
- 6. If  $index + 1 \ge length$ , return index + 1.
- 7. Let *cp* be ! CodePointAt(*S*, *index*).
- 8. Return *index* + *cp*.[[CodeUnitCount]].

#### 21.2.5.3 get RegExp.prototype.dotAll

**RegExp. prototype. dotAll** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(*R*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If *R* does not have an [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot, then
  - a. If SameValue(*R*, %RegExp.prototype%) is **true**, return **undefined**.
  - b. Otherwise, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *flags* be *R*.[[OriginalFlags]].
- 5. If *flags* contains the code unit 0x0073 (LATIN SMALL LETTER S), return **true**.
- 6. Return false.

# 21.2.5.4 get RegExp.prototype.flags

**RegExp.prototype.flags** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(*R*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *result* be the empty String.
- 4. Let *global* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(*R*, "global")).
- 5. If *global* is **true**, append the code unit 0x0067 (LATIN SMALL LETTER G) as the last code unit of *result*.
- 6. Let *ignoreCase* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(R, "ignoreCase")).
- 7. If *ignoreCase* is **true**, append the code unit 0x0069 (LATIN SMALL LETTER I) as the last code unit of *result*.
- 8. Let *multiline* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(*R*, "multiline")).
- 9. If *multiline* is **true**, append the code unit 0x006D (LATIN SMALL LETTER M) as the last code unit of *result*.
- 10. Let *dotAll* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(*R*, "dotAll")).
- 11. If *dotAll* is **true**, append the code unit 0x0073 (LATIN SMALL LETTER S) as the last code unit of *result*.
- 12. Let *unicode* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(R, "unicode")).
- 13. If *unicode* is **true**, append the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) as the last code unit of *result*.
- 14. Let *sticky* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(*R*, "sticky")).
- 15. If *sticky* is **true**, append the code unit 0x0079 (LATIN SMALL LETTER Y) as the last code unit of *result*.
- 16. Return result.

# 21.2.5.5 get RegExp.prototype.global

**RegExp.prototype.global** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(*R*) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 3. If *R* does not have an [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot, then
  - a. If SameValue(*R*, %RegExp.prototype%) is **true**, return **undefined**.
  - b. Otherwise, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *flags* be *R*.[[OriginalFlags]].
- 5. If *flags* contains the code unit 0x0067 (LATIN SMALL LETTER G), return **true**.
- 6. Return false.

#### 21.2.5.6 get RegExp.prototype.ignoreCase

**RegExp.prototype.ignoreCase** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(*R*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If *R* does not have an [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot, then
  - a. If SameValue(*R*, %RegExp.prototype%) is **true**, return **undefined**.
  - b. Otherwise, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *flags* be *R*.[[OriginalFlags]].
- 5. If *flags* contains the code unit 0x0069 (LATIN SMALL LETTER I), return **true**.
- 6. Return false.

# 21.2.5.7 RegExp.prototype [@@match] (string)

When the **@@match** method is called with argument *string*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *rx* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(rx) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *S* be ? ToString(string).
- 4. Let *global* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(rx, "global")).
- 5. If global is **false**, then
  - a. Return ? RegExpExec(rx, S).
- 6. Else,
  - a. Assert: global is true.
  - b. Let *fullUnicode* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(*rx*, "unicode")).
  - c. Perform ? Set(*rx*, "lastIndex", 0, true).
  - d. Let *A* be ! ArrayCreate(0).
  - e. Let *n* be 0.
  - f. Repeat,
    - i. Let result be ? RegExpExec(rx, S).
    - ii. If result is **null**, then
      - 1. If n = 0, return **null**.
      - 2. Return *A*.
    - iii. Else,
      - 1. Let *matchStr* be ? ToString(? Get(result, "0")).
      - 2. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A,! ToString(n), matchStr).
      - 3. If *matchStr* is the empty String, then
        - a. Let thisIndex be ? ToLength(? Get(rx, "lastIndex")).
        - b. Let *nextIndex* be AdvanceStringIndex(*S*, *thisIndex*, *fullUnicode*).
        - c. Perform ? Set(*rx*, "lastIndex", *nextIndex*, true).
      - 4. Set n to n + 1.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.match]".

The @@match property is used by the IsRegExp abstract operation to identify objects that have the basic behaviour of regular expressions. The absence of a @@match property or the existence of such a property whose value does not Boolean coerce to **true** indicates that the object is not intended to be used as a regular expression object.

# 21.2.5.8 RegExp.prototype [@@matchAll] (string)

When the **@@matchAll** method is called with argument *string*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(*R*) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 3. Let *S* be ? ToString(string).
- 4. Let *C* be ? SpeciesConstructor(*R*, %RegExp%).
- 5. Let *flags* be ? ToString(? Get(*R*, "flags")).
- 6. Let *matcher* be ? Construct(*C*, « *R*, *flags* »).
- 7. Let *lastIndex* be ? ToLength(? Get(*R*, "lastIndex")).
- 8. Perform ? Set(matcher, "lastIndex", lastIndex, true).
- 9. If flags contains "g", let global be true.
- 10. Else, let *global* be **false**.
- 11. If *flags* contains **"u"**, let *fullUnicode* be **true**.
- 12. Else, let *fullUnicode* be **false**.
- 13. Return! CreateRegExpStringIterator(matcher, S, global, fullUnicode).

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.matchAll]".

## 21.2.5.8.1 CreateRegExpStringIterator (R, S, global, fullUnicode)

The abstract operation CreateRegExpStringIterator is used to create such iterator objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(*S*) is String.
- 2. Assert: Type(global) is Boolean.
- 3. Assert: Type(fullUnicode) is Boolean.
- 4. Let *iterator* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%RegExpStringIteratorPrototype%, « [[IteratingRegExp]], [[IteratedString]], [[Global]], [[Unicode]], [[Done]] »).
- 5. Set *iterator*.[[IteratingRegExp]] to *R*.
- 6. Set *iterator*.[[IteratedString]] to *S*.
- 7. Set *iterator*.[[Global]] to *global*.
- 8. Set *iterator*.[[Unicode]] to *fullUnicode*.
- 9. Set *iterator*.[[Done]] to **false**.
- 10. Return iterator.

#### 21.2.5.9 get RegExp.prototype.multiline

**RegExp. prototype. multiline** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Let *R* be the **this** value.

- 2. If Type(*R*) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 3. If *R* does not have an [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot, then
  - a. If SameValue(*R*, %RegExp.prototype%) is **true**, return **undefined**.
  - b. Otherwise, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *flags* be *R*.[[OriginalFlags]].
- 5. If *flags* contains the code unit 0x006D (LATIN SMALL LETTER M), return **true**.
- 6. Return false.

# 21.2.5.10 RegExp.prototype [@@replace] (string, replaceValue)

When the **@@replace** method is called with arguments *string* and *replaceValue*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *rx* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(rx) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *S* be ? ToString(string).
- 4. Let *lengthS* be the number of code unit elements in *S*.
- 5. Let functionalReplace be IsCallable(replaceValue).
- 6. If functional Replace is false, then
  - a. Set replaceValue to ? ToString(replaceValue).
- 7. Let *global* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(rx, "global")).
- 8. If *global* is **true**, then
  - a. Let *fullUnicode* be ! ToBoolean(? Get(*rx*, "unicode")).
  - b. Perform ? Set(*rx*, "lastIndex", 0, true).
- 9. Let results be a new empty List.
- 10. Let done be false.
- 11. Repeat, while *done* is **false** 
  - a. Let result be ? RegExpExec(rx, S).
  - b. If result is **null**, set done to **true**.
  - c. Else,
    - i. Append *result* to the end of *results*.
    - ii. If *global* is **false**, set *done* to **true**.
    - iii. Else,
      - 1. Let *matchStr* be ? ToString(? Get(*result*, "0")).
      - 2. If *matchStr* is the empty String, then
        - a. Let thisIndex be ? ToLength(? Get(rx, "lastIndex")).
        - b. Let *nextIndex* be AdvanceStringIndex(*S*, *thisIndex*, *fullUnicode*).
        - c. Perform ? Set(*rx*, "lastIndex", *nextIndex*, true).
- 12. Let *accumulatedResult* be the empty String value.
- 13. Let nextSourcePosition be 0.
- 14. For each result in results, do
  - a. Let *nCaptures* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(*result*).
  - b. Set nCaptures to max(nCaptures 1, 0).
  - c. Let matched be ? ToString(? Get(result, "0")).
  - d. Let *matchLength* be the number of code units in *matched*.
  - e. Let position be ? ToInteger(? Get(result, "index")).
  - f. Set position to max(min(position, lengthS), 0).
  - g. Let *n* be 1.
  - h. Let *captures* be a new empty List.

- i. Repeat, while  $n \le nCaptures$ 
  - i. Let capN be ? Get(result, ! ToString(n)).
  - ii. If *capN* is not **undefined**, then
    - 1. Set *capN* to ? ToString(*capN*).
  - iii. Append *capN* as the last element of *captures*.
  - iv. Set n to n + 1.
- j. Let namedCaptures be ? Get(result, "groups").
- k. If functional Replace is true, then
  - i. Let replacer Args be « matched ».
  - ii. Append in list order the elements of *captures* to the end of the List *replacerArgs*.
  - iii. Append *position* and *S* to *replacerArgs*.
  - iv. If namedCaptures is not **undefined**, then
    - 1. Append namedCaptures as the last element of replacerArgs.
  - v. Let replValue be ? Call(replaceValue, undefined, replacerArgs).
  - vi. Let replacement be? ToString(replValue).
- 1. Else,
  - i. If namedCaptures is not **undefined**, then
    - 1. Set namedCaptures to ? ToObject(namedCaptures).
  - ii. Let replacement be ? GetSubstitution(matched, S, position, captures, namedCaptures, replaceValue).
- m. If  $position \ge nextSourcePosition$ , then
  - i. NOTE: position should not normally move backwards. If it does, it is an indication of an illbehaving RegExp subclass or use of an access triggered side-effect to change the global flag or other characteristics of rx. In such cases, the corresponding substitution is ignored.
  - ii. Set *accumulatedResult* to the string-concatenation of the current value of *accumulatedResult*, the substring of *S* consisting of the code units from *nextSourcePosition* (inclusive) up to *position* (exclusive), and *replacement*.
  - iii. Set *nextSourcePosition* to *position* + *matchLength*.
- 15. If nextSourcePosition ≥ lengthS, return accumulatedResult.
- 16. Return the string-concatenation of *accumulatedResult* and the substring of *S* consisting of the code units from *nextSourcePosition* (inclusive) up through the final code unit of *S* (inclusive).

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.replace]".

# 21.2.5.11 RegExp.prototype [@@search] (string)

When the **@@search** method is called with argument *string*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let rx be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(rx) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *S* be ? ToString(string).
- 4. Let *previousLastIndex* be ? Get(*rx*, "lastIndex").
- 5. If SameValue(previousLastIndex, 0) is false, then
  - a. Perform ? Set(*rx*, "lastIndex", 0, true).
- 6. Let result be ? RegExpExec(rx, S).
- 7. Let *currentLastIndex* be ? Get(*rx*, "lastIndex").
- 8. If SameValue(currentLastIndex, previousLastIndex) is **false**, then
  - a. Perform ? Set(rx, "lastIndex", previousLastIndex, true).
- 9. If result is **null**, return -1.

10. Return ? Get(result, "index").

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.search]".

NOTE

The "lastIndex" and "global" properties of this RegExp object are ignored when performing the search. The "lastIndex" property is left unchanged.

# 21.2.5.12 get RegExp.prototype.source

**RegExp. prototype. source** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(R) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If *R* does not have an [[OriginalSource]] internal slot, then
  - a. If SameValue(*R*, %RegExp.prototype%) is **true**, return "(?:)".
  - b. Otherwise, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Assert: *R* has an [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot.
- 5. Let *src* be *R*.[[OriginalSource]].
- 6. Let *flags* be *R*.[[OriginalFlags]].
- 7. Return EscapeRegExpPattern(src, flags).

# 21.2.5.13 RegExp.prototype [@@split] (string, limit)

Returns an Array object into which substrings of the result of converting *string* to a String have been storage determined by searching from left to right for matches of the **this** value regular expression; these oc part of any substring in the returned array, but serve to divide up the String value.

The **this** value may be an empty regular expression or a regular expression that can match an empty St regular expression does not match the empty substring at the beginning or end of the input String, nor empty substring at the end of the previous separator match. (For example, if the regular expression mastering, the String is split up into individual code unit elements; the length of the result array equals the and each substring contains one code unit.) Only the first match at a given index of the String is considerable backtracking could yield a non-empty-substring match at that index. (For example, /a\*?/[Symbol.evaluates to the array ["a", "b"], while /a\*/[Symbol.split]("ab") evaluates to the array

If the *string* is (or converts to) the empty String, the result depends on whether the regular expression c String. If it can, the result array contains no elements. Otherwise, the result array contains one element, String.

If the regular expression contains capturing parentheses, then each time *separator* is matched the results **undefined** results) of the capturing parentheses are spliced into the output array. For example,

```
/<(\/)?([^<>]+)>/[Symbol.split]("A<B>bold</B>and<CODE>coded</CODE>")
evaluates to the array
["A", undefined, "B", "bold", "/", "B", "and", undefined, "CODE", "coded", "
```

If *limit* is not **undefined**, then the output array is truncated so that it contains no more than *limit* elemer

When the **@@split** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *rx* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(rx) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *S* be ? ToString(*string*).
- 4. Let *C* be ? SpeciesConstructor(*rx*, %RegExp%).
- 5. Let *flags* be ? ToString(? Get(*rx*, "flags")).
- 6. If *flags* contains **"u"**, let *unicodeMatching* be **true**.
- 7. Else, let *unicodeMatching* be **false**.
- 8. If *flags* contains "y", let *newFlags* be *flags*.
- 9. Else, let newFlags be the string-concatenation of flags and "y".
- 10. Let *splitter* be ? Construct(*C*, « *rx*, *newFlags* »).
- 11. Let *A* be ! ArrayCreate(0).
- 12. Let *lengthA* be 0.
- 13. If *limit* is **undefined**, let *lim* be 2<sup>32</sup> 1; else let *lim* be ? ToUint32(*limit*).
- 14. Let *size* be the length of *S*.
- 15. Let *p* be 0.
- 16. If lim = 0, return A.
- 17. If size = 0, then
  - a. Let *z* be ? RegExpExec(*splitter*, *S*).
  - b. If *z* is not **null**, return *A*.
  - c. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A, "0", S).

- d. Return A.
- 18. Let *q* be *p*.
- 19. Repeat, while q < size
  - a. Perform ? Set(splitter, "lastIndex", q, true).
  - b. Let *z* be ? RegExpExec(*splitter*, *S*).
  - c. If z is **null**, set q to AdvanceStringIndex(S, q, unicodeMatching).
  - d. Else,
    - i. Let *e* be ? ToLength(? Get(*splitter*, "lastIndex")).
    - ii. Set e to min(e, size).
    - iii. If e = p, set q to AdvanceStringIndex(S, q, unicodeMatching).
    - iv. Else,
      - 1. Let *T* be the String value equal to the substring of *S* consisting of the code units at indices *p* (inclusive) through *q* (exclusive).
      - 2. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(*A*,! ToString(*lengthA*), *T*).
      - 3. Set lengthA to lengthA + 1.
      - 4. If lengthA = lim, return A.
      - 5. Set *p* to *e*.
      - 6. Let *numberOfCaptures* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(*z*).
      - 7. Set numberOfCaptures to max(numberOfCaptures 1, 0).
      - 8. Let *i* be 1.
      - 9. Repeat, while  $i \le numberOfCaptures$ ,
        - a. Let *nextCapture* be ? Get(*z*, ! ToString(*i*)).
        - b. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A,! ToString(lengthA), nextCapture).
        - c. Set i to i + 1.
        - d. Set lengthA to lengthA + 1.
        - e. If lengthA = lim, return A.
      - 10. Set *q* to *p*.
- 20. Let T be the String value equal to the substring of S consisting of the code units at indices p (inclusive) through size (exclusive).
- 21. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A,! ToString(lengthA), T).
- 22. Return *A*.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.split]".

NOTE 2 The **@@split** method ignores the value of the **"global"** and **"sticky"** properties of this RegExp object.

#### 21.2.5.14 get RegExp.prototype.sticky

**RegExp.prototype.sticky** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(R) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If *R* does not have an [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot, then
  - a. If SameValue(R, %RegExp.prototype%) is **true**, return **undefined**.
  - b. Otherwise, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *flags* be *R*.[[OriginalFlags]].

- 5. If *flags* contains the code unit 0x0079 (LATIN SMALL LETTER Y), return **true**.
- 6. Return false.

#### 21.2.5.15 RegExp.prototype.test (S)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(R) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *string* be ? ToString(*S*).
- 4. Let *match* be ? RegExpExec(*R*, *string*).
- 5. If *match* is not **null**, return **true**; else return **false**.

# 21.2.5.16 RegExp.prototype.toString()

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(*R*) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 3. Let *pattern* be ? ToString(? Get(*R*, "source")).
- 4. Let *flags* be ? ToString(? Get(*R*, "flags")).
- 5. Let result be the string-concatenation of "/", pattern, "/", and flags.
- 6. Return result.

**NOTE** 

The returned String has the form of a *RegularExpressionLiteral* that evaluates to another RegExp object with the same behaviour as this object.

#### 21.2.5.17 get RegExp.prototype.unicode

**RegExp.prototype.unicode** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *R* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(R) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If *R* does not have an [[OriginalFlags]] internal slot, then
  - a. If SameValue(*R*, %RegExp.prototype%) is **true**, return **undefined**.
  - b. Otherwise, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *flags* be *R*.[[OriginalFlags]].
- 5. If *flags* contains the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U), return **true**.
- 6. Return false.

# 21.2.6 Properties of RegExp Instances

RegExp instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the RegExp prototype object. RegExp instances have internal slots [[RegExpMatcher]], [[OriginalSource]], and [[OriginalFlags]]. The value of the [[RegExpMatcher]] internal slot is an abstract closure representation of the *Pattern* of the RegExp object.

Prior to ECMAScript 2015, **RegExp** instances were specified as having the own data properties "source", "global", "ignoreCase", and "multiline". Those properties are now specified as accessor properties of **RegExp.prototype**.

RegExp instances also have the following property:

#### 21.2.6.1 lastIndex

The value of the "lastIndex" property specifies the String index at which to start the next match. It is coerced to an integer when used (see 21.2.5.2.2). This property shall have the attributes { [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 21.2.7 RegExp String Iterator Objects

A RegExp String Iterator is an object, that represents a specific iteration over some specific String instance object, matching against some specific RegExp instance object. There is not a named constructor for RegExp String Iterator objects. Instead, RegExp String Iterator objects are created by calling certain methods of RegExp instance objects.

## 21.2.7.1 The %RegExpStringIteratorPrototype% Object

The % RegExpStringIteratorPrototype% object:

- has properties that are inherited by all RegExp String Iterator Objects.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is the intrinsic object %IteratorPrototype%.
- has the following properties:

# 21.2.7.1.1 % RegExpStringIteratorPrototype%.next()

- 1. Let O be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(O) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If *O* does not have all of the internal slots of a RegExp String Iterator Object Instance (see 21.2.7.2), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. If O.[[Done]] is **true**, then
  - a. Return! CreateIterResultObject(undefined, true).
- Let R be O.[[IteratingRegExp]].
- 6. Let *S* be *O*.[[IteratedString]].
- 7. Let *global* be O.[[Global]].
- 8. Let *fullUnicode* be O.[[Unicode]].
- 9. Let match be ? RegExpExec(R, S).
- 10. If *match* is **null**, then
  - a. Set O.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - b. Return! CreateIterResultObject(undefined, true).
- 11. Else,
  - a. If global is true, then
    - i. Let *matchStr* be ? ToString(? Get(*match*, "0")).
    - ii. If *matchStr* is the empty String, then
      - 1. Let *thisIndex* be ? ToLength(? Get(*R*, "lastIndex")).

- 2. Let *nextIndex* be ! AdvanceStringIndex(*S*, *thisIndex*, *fullUnicode*).
- 3. Perform ? Set(*R*, "lastIndex", *nextIndex*, true).
- iii. Return! CreateIterResultObject(match, false).
- b. Else,
  - i. Set O.[[Done]] to true.
  - ii. Return! CreateIterResultObject(match, false).

### 21.2.7.1.2 %RegExpStringIteratorPrototype% [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "RegExp String Iterator".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 21.2.7.2 Properties of RegExp String Iterator Instances

RegExp String Iterator instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the %RegExpStringIteratorPrototype% intrinsic object. RegExp String Iterator instances are initially created with the internal slots listed in Table 59.

Internal Slot	Description
[[IteratingRegExp]]	The regular expression used for iteration. IsRegExp([[IteratingRegExp]]) is initially <b>true</b> .
[[IteratedString]]	The String value being iterated upon.
[[Global]]	A Boolean value to indicate whether the [[IteratingRegExp]] is global or not.
[[Unicode]]	A Boolean value to indicate whether the [[IteratingRegExp]] is in Unicode mode or not.
[[Done]]	A Boolean value to indicate whether the iteration is complete or not.

Table 59: Internal Slots of RegExp String Iterator Instances

# 22 Indexed Collections

# 22.1 Array Objects

Array objects are exotic objects that give special treatment to a certain class of property names. See 9.4.2 for a definition of this special treatment.

# 22.1.1 The Array Constructor

The Array constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *Array*%.
- is the initial value of the "Array" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new Array exotic object when called as a constructor.
- also creates and initializes a new Array object when called as a function rather than as a constructor. Thus the function call **Array(...)** is equivalent to the object creation expression **new Array(...)** with the same

- arguments.
- is a single function whose behaviour is overloaded based upon the number and types of its arguments.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the exotic **Array** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **Array** constructor to initialize subclass instances that are Array exotic objects. However, most of the **Array.prototype** methods are generic methods that are not dependent upon their this value being an
- Array exotic object.
- has a **"length"** property whose value is 1.

#### 22.1.1.1 Array()

This description applies if and only if the Array constructor is called with no arguments.

- 1. Let numberOfArgs be the number of arguments passed to this function call.
- 2. Assert: numberOfArgs = 0.
- 3. If NewTarget is **undefined**, let *newTarget* be the active function object; else let *newTarget* be NewTarget.
- Let proto be ? GetPrototypeFromConstructor(newTarget, "% Array.prototype%").
- 5. Return! ArrayCreate(0, proto).

# 22.1.1.2 Array (len)

This description applies if and only if the Array constructor is called with exactly one argument.

- 1. Let numberOfArgs be the number of arguments passed to this function call.
- 2. Assert: numberOfArgs = 1.
- 3. If NewTarget is **undefined**, let *newTarget* be the active function object; else let *newTarget* be NewTarget.
- 4. Let proto be ? GetPrototypeFromConstructor(newTarget, "%Array.prototype%").
- 5. Let *array* be ! ArrayCreate(0, *proto*).
- 6. If Type(len) is not Number, then
  - a. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(array, "0", len).
  - b. Let *intLen* be 1.
- 7. Else,
  - a. Let *intLen* be ToUint32(*len*).
  - b. If  $intLen \neq len$ , throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 8. Perform ! Set(array, "length", intLen, true).
- 9. Return array.

## 22.1.1.3 Array (...items)

This description applies if and only if the Array constructor is called with at least two arguments.

When the **Array** function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let numberOfArgs be the number of arguments passed to this function call.
- 2. Assert: numberOfArgs ≥ 2.
- If NewTarget is undefined, let newTarget be the active function object; else let newTarget be NewTarget.
- 4. Let proto be ? GetPrototypeFromConstructor(newTarget, "%Array.prototype%").
- 5. Let array be ? ArrayCreate(numberOfArgs, proto).
- 6. Let *k* be 0.

- 7. Let *items* be a zero-origined List containing the argument items in order.
- 8. Repeat, while k < numberOfArgs
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - b. Let item K be items[k].
  - c. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(array, Pk, itemK).
  - d. Set k to k + 1.
- 9. Assert: The value of array's "length" property is numberOfArgs.
- 10. Return array.

# 22.1.2 Properties of the Array Constructor

The Array constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

# 22.1.2.1 Array.from (items [, mapfn [, thisArg]])

When the **from** method is called with argument *items* and optional arguments *mapfn* and *thisArg*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *C* be the **this** value.
- 2. If mapfn is **undefined**, let mapping be **false**.
- 3. Else,
  - a. If IsCallable(*mapfn*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. Let *mapping* be **true**.
- 4. Let using Iterator be ? GetMethod(items, @@iterator).
- 5. If using Iterator is not undefined, then
  - a. If IsConstructor(*C*) is **true**, then
    - i. Let *A* be ? Construct(*C*).
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *A* be ! ArrayCreate(0).
  - c. Let iteratorRecord be ? GetIterator(items, sync, usingIterator).
  - d. Let *k* be 0.
  - e. Repeat,
    - i. If  $k \ge 2^{53}$  1, then
      - 1. Let *error* be ThrowCompletion(a newly created **TypeError** object).
      - 2. Return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, error).
    - ii. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
    - iii. Let next be? IteratorStep(iteratorRecord).
    - iv. If *next* is **false**, then
      - 1. Perform ? **Set**(*A*, **"length"**, *k*, **true**).
      - 2. Return *A*.
    - v. Let *nextValue* be ? IteratorValue(*next*).
    - vi. If *mapping* is **true**, then
      - 1. Let mappedValue be Call(mapfn, thisArg, « nextValue, k »).
      - 2. If mappedValue is an abrupt completion, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, mappedValue).
      - 3. Set mapped Value to mapped Value. [[Value]].

```
vii. Else, let mappedValue be nextValue.
             viii. Let defineStatus be CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A, Pk, mappedValue).
               ix. If defineStatus is an abrupt completion, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, defineStatus).
                x. Set k to k + 1.
 6. NOTE: items is not an Iterable so assume it is an array-like object.
 7. Let arrayLike be ! ToObject(items).
 8. Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(arrayLike).
 9. If IsConstructor(C) is true, then
        a. Let A be ? Construct(C, « len »).
10. Else,
        a. Let A be ? ArrayCreate(len).
11. Let k be 0.
12. Repeat, while k < len
        a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
        b. Let kValue be ? Get(arrayLike, Pk).
        c. If mapping is true, then
                i. Let mappedValue be ? Call(mapfn, thisArg, \ll kValue, k \gg).
        d. Else, let mappedValue be kValue.
        e. Perform? CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A, Pk, mappedValue).
        f. Set k to k + 1.
13. Perform ? Set(A, "length", len, true).
14. Return A.
```

The **from** function is an intentionally generic factory method; it does not require that its **this** value be the Array constructor. Therefore it can be transferred to or inherited by any other constructors that may be called with a single numeric argument.

## 22.1.2.2 Array.isArray (arg)

The **isArray** function takes one argument *arg*, and performs the following steps:

1. Return ? IsArray(*arg*).

# 22.1.2.3 Array.of ( ... items )

When the **of** method is called with any number of arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *len* be the actual number of arguments passed to this function.
- 2. Let *items* be the List of arguments passed to this function.
- 3. Let *C* be the **this** value.
- 4. If IsConstructor(*C*) is **true**, then
  - a. Let *A* be ? Construct(*C*, « *len* »).
- 5. Else,
  - a. Let *A* be ? ArrayCreate(*len*).
- 6. Let *k* be 0.
- 7. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let kValue be items[k].
  - b. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).

- c. Perform? CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(*A*, *Pk*, *kValue*).
- d. Set k to k + 1.
- 8. Perform ? Set(*A*, "length", *len*, true).
- 9. Return A.

The *items* argument is assumed to be a well-formed rest argument value.

NOTE 2

The **of** function is an intentionally generic factory method; it does not require that its **this** value be the Array constructor. Therefore it can be transferred to or inherited by other constructors that may be called with a single numeric argument.

## 22.1.2.4 Array.prototype

The value of **Array.prototype** is %Array.prototype%, the intrinsic Array prototype object.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 22.1.2.5 get Array [@@species]

**Array[@@species]** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the **"name"** property of this function is **"get [Symbol.species]"**.

**NOTE** 

Array prototype methods normally use their **this** object's constructor to create a derived object. However, a subclass constructor may over-ride that default behaviour by redefining its @@species property.

# 22.1.3 Properties of the Array Prototype Object

The Array prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % *ArrayPrototype*%.
- is an Array exotic object and has the internal methods specified for such objects.
- has a "length" property whose initial value is 0 and whose attributes are { [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.

NOTE

The Array prototype object is specified to be an Array exotic object to ensure compatibility with ECMAScript code that was created prior to the ECMAScript 2015 specification.

# 22.1.3.1 Array.prototype.concat (...arguments)

When the **concat** method is called with zero or more arguments, it returns an array containing the array elements of

the object followed by the array elements of each argument in order.

The following steps are taken:

1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).

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2. Let A be ? ArraySpeciesCreate(O, 0).
3. Let n be 0.
4. Let items be a List whose first element is O and whose subsequent elements are, in left to right order, the
   arguments that were passed to this function invocation.
5. Repeat, while items is not empty
       a. Remove the first element from items and let E be the value of the element.
       b. Let spreadable be ? IsConcatSpreadable(E).
       c. If spreadable is true, then
               i. Let k be 0.
              ii. Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(E).
             iii. If n + len > 2^{53} - 1, throw a TypeError exception.
             iv. Repeat, while k < len
                     1. Let P be ! ToString(k).
                      2. Let exists be ? HasProperty(E, P).
                      3. If exists is true, then
                             a. Let subElement be ? Get(E, P).
                             b. Perform? CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A,! ToString(n), subElement).
                      4. Set n to n + 1.
                      5. Set k to k + 1.
       d. Else,
               i. NOTE: E is added as a single item rather than spread.
              ii. If n \ge 2^{53} - 1, throw a TypeError exception.
             iii. Perform ? CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A, ! ToString(n), E).
             iv. Set n to n + 1.
6. Perform ? Set(A, ''length'', n, true).
7. Return A.
```

The **"length"** property of the **concat** method is 1.

NOTE 1 The explicit setting of the **"length"** property in step 6 is necessary to ensure that its value is correct in situations where the trailing elements of the result Array are not present.

NOTE 2 The **concat** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 22.1.3.1.1 Runtime Semantics: IsConcatSpreadable (O)

The abstract operation IsConcatSpreadable with argument *O* performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(O) is not Object, return **false**.
- 2. Let *spreadable* be ? Get(O, @@isConcatSpreadable).
- 3. If spreadable is not undefined, return! ToBoolean(spreadable).
- 4. Return ? IsArray(O).

#### 22.1.3.2 Array.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Array.prototype.constructor** is %Array%.

# 22.1.3.3 Array.prototype.copyWithin (target, start[, end])

The **copyWithin** method takes up to three arguments *target*, *start* and *end*.

NOTE 1

The *end* argument is optional with the length of the **this** object as its default value. If *target* is negative, it is treated as length + target where length is the length of the array. If start is negative, it is treated as length + start. If end is negative, it is treated as length + end.

The following steps are taken:

```
1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
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- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. Let relativeTarget be ? ToInteger(target).
- 4. If relativeTarget < 0, let to be max((len + relativeTarget), 0); else let to be min(relativeTarget, len).
- 5. Let relativeStart be? ToInteger(start).
- 6. If relativeStart < 0, let from be max((len + relativeStart), 0); else let from be min(relativeStart, len).
- 7. If end is **undefined**, let relativeEnd be len; else let relativeEnd be ? ToInteger(end).
- 8. If relativeEnd < 0, let final be max((len + relativeEnd), 0); else let final be min(relativeEnd, len).
- 9. Let *count* be min(*final from, len to*).
- 10. If from < to and to < from + count, then
  - a. Let direction be -1.
  - b. Set from to from + count 1.
  - c. Set to to to + count 1.
- 11. Else,
  - a. Let direction be 1.
- 12. Repeat, while *count* > 0
  - a. Let *fromKey* be ! ToString(*from*).
  - b. Let *toKey* be ! ToString(*to*).
  - c. Let *fromPresent* be ? HasProperty(O, *fromKey*).
  - d. If fromPresent is true, then
    - i. Let *fromVal* be ? Get(O, *fromKey*).
    - ii. Perform ? Set(O, toKey, fromVal, true).
  - e. Else,
    - i. Assert: fromPresent is false.
    - ii. Perform ? DeletePropertyOrThrow(O, toKey).
  - f. Set from to from + direction.
  - g. Set to to to + direction.
  - h. Set *count* to *count* 1.
- 13. Return O.

NOTE 2

The **copyWithin** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 22.1.3.4 Array.prototype.entries ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Return CreateArrayIterator(O, key+value).

This function is the *% ArrayProto\_entries*% intrinsic object.

## 22.1.3.5 Array.prototype.every ( callbackfn [ , thisArg ] )

## NOTE 1

callbackfn should be a function that accepts three arguments and returns a value that is coercible to the Boolean value **true** or **false**. **every** calls callbackfn once for each element present in the array, in ascending order, until it finds one where callbackfn returns **false**. If such an element is found, **every** immediately returns **false**. Otherwise, if callbackfn returned **true** for all elements, **every** will return **true**. callbackfn is called only for elements of the array which actually exist; it is not called for missing elements of the array.

If a *thisArg* parameter is provided, it will be used as the **this** value for each invocation of *callbackfn*. If it is not provided, **undefined** is used instead.

*callbackfn* is called with three arguments: the value of the element, the index of the element, and the object being traversed.

**every** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *callbackfn*.

The range of elements processed by **every** is set before the first call to *callbackfn*. Elements which are appended to the array after the call to **every** begins will not be visited by *callbackfn*. If existing elements of the array are changed, their value as passed to *callbackfn* will be the value at the time **every** visits them; elements that are deleted after the call to **every** begins and before being visited are not visited. **every** acts like the "for all" quantifier in mathematics. In particular, for an empty array, it returns **true**.

When the **every** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

```
1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
```

- Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *k* be 0.
- 5. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - b. Let *kPresent* be ? HasProperty(*O*, *Pk*).
  - c. If *kPresent* is **true**, then
    - i. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
    - ii. Let testResult be ! ToBoolean(? Call(callbackfn, thisArg, « kValue, k, O »)).
    - iii. If *testResult* is **false**, return **false**.
  - d. Set k to k + 1.
- 6. Return true.

The **every** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.6 Array.prototype.fill (value [, start [, end ]])

The **fill** method takes up to three arguments value, start and end.

NOTE 1

The *start* and *end* arguments are optional with default values of 0 and the length of the **this** object. If *start* is negative, it is treated as length + start where length is the length of the array. If *end* is negative, it is treated as length + end.

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. Let relativeStart be? ToInteger(start).
- 4. If relativeStart < 0, let k be max((len + relativeStart), 0); else let k be min(relativeStart, len).
- 5. If end is **undefined**, let *relativeEnd* be *len*; else let *relativeEnd* be ? ToInteger(*end*).
- 6. If relativeEnd < 0, let final be max((len + relativeEnd), 0); else let final be min(relativeEnd, len).
- 7. Repeat, while k < final
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - b. Perform ? Set(O, Pk, value, true).
  - c. Set k to k + 1.
- 8. Return O.

NOTE 2

The **fill** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.7 Array.prototype.filter (callbackfn [, thisArg])

callbackfn should be a function that accepts three arguments and returns a value that is coercible to the Boolean value **true** or **false**. **filter** calls callbackfn once for each element in the array, in ascending order, and constructs a new array of all the values for which callbackfn returns **true**. callbackfn is called only for elements of the array which actually exist; it is not called for missing elements of the array.

If a *thisArg* parameter is provided, it will be used as the **this** value for each invocation of *callbackfn*. If it is not provided, **undefined** is used instead.

*callbackfn* is called with three arguments: the value of the element, the index of the element, and the object being traversed.

**filter** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *callbackfn*.

The range of elements processed by **filter** is set before the first call to *callbackfn*. Elements which are appended to the array after the call to **filter** begins will not be visited by *callbackfn*. If existing elements of the array are changed their value as passed to *callbackfn* will be the value at the time **filter** visits them; elements that are deleted after the call to **filter** begins and before being visited are not visited.

When the **filter** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

```
1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
3. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
4. Let A be ? ArraySpeciesCreate(O, 0).
5. Let k be 0.
Let to be 0.
7. Repeat, while k < len
       a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
       b. Let kPresent be ? HasProperty(O, Pk).
       c. If kPresent is true, then
               i. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
              ii. Let selected be! ToBoolean(? Call(callbackfn, this Arg, « kValue, k, O »)).
             iii. If selected is true, then
                      1. Perform? CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A, ! ToString(to), kValue).
                      2. Set to to to + 1.
       d. Set k to k + 1.
8. Return A.
```

NOTE 2 The **filter** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.8 Array.prototype.find (predicate [, thisArg])

The **find** method is called with one or two arguments, *predicate* and *thisArg*.

predicate should be a function that accepts three arguments and returns a value that is coercible to a Boolean value. **find** calls predicate once for each element of the array, in ascending order, until it finds one where predicate returns **true**. If such an element is found, **find** immediately returns that element value. Otherwise, **find** returns **undefined**.

If a *thisArg* parameter is provided, it will be used as the **this** value for each invocation of *predicate*. If it is not provided, **undefined** is used instead.

*predicate* is called with three arguments: the value of the element, the index of the element, and the object being traversed.

**find** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *predicate*.

The range of elements processed by **find** is set before the first call to *predicate*. Elements that are appended to the array after the call to **find** begins will not be visited by *predicate*. If existing elements of the array are changed, their value as passed to *predicate* will be the value at the time that **find** visits them.

When the **find** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If IsCallable(*predicate*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *k* be 0.
- 5. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - b. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
  - c. Let testResult be ! ToBoolean(? Call(predicate, thisArg, « kValue, k, O »)).
  - d. If *testResult* is **true**, return *kValue*.
  - e. Set k to k + 1.
- 6. Return undefined.

NOTE 2 The **find** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.9 Array.prototype.findIndex (predicate [, thisArg])

predicate should be a function that accepts three arguments and returns a value that is coercible to the Boolean value true or false. **findIndex** calls predicate once for each element of the array, in ascending order, until it finds one where predicate returns true. If such an element is found, **findIndex** immediately returns the index of that element value. Otherwise, **findIndex** returns -1.

If a *thisArg* parameter is provided, it will be used as the **this** value for each invocation of *predicate*. If it is not provided, **undefined** is used instead.

*predicate* is called with three arguments: the value of the element, the index of the element, and the object being traversed.

**findIndex** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *predicate*.

The range of elements processed by **findIndex** is set before the first call to *predicate*. Elements that are appended to the array after the call to **findIndex** begins will not be visited by *predicate*. If existing elements of the array are changed, their value as passed to *predicate* will be the value at the time that **findIndex** visits them.

When the **findIndex** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If IsCallable(*predicate*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *k* be 0.
- 5. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - b. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
  - c. Let testResult be ! ToBoolean(? Call(predicate, thisArg, « kValue, k, O »)).
  - d. If *testResult* is **true**, return *k*.
  - e. Set k to k + 1.
- 6. Return -1.

NOTE 2

The **findIndex** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 22.1.3.10 Array.prototype.flat ([ depth ])

When the **flat** method is called with zero or one arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *sourceLen* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. Let *depthNum* be 1.
- 4. If *depth* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Set *depthNum* to ? ToInteger(*depth*).
- 5. Let A be ? ArraySpeciesCreate(O, 0).
- 6. Perform ? FlattenIntoArray(*A*, *O*, sourceLen, 0, depthNum).

## 22.1.3.10.1 FlattenIntoArray (target, source, sourceLen, start, depth [, mapperFunction, thisArg])

- 1. Assert: Type(target) is Object.
- 2. Assert: Type(source) is Object.
- 3. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(sourceLen) is true.
- 4. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(start) is true.
- 5. Assert: ! IsInteger(*depth*) is **true**, or *depth* is either  $+\infty$  or  $-\infty$ .
- 6. Assert: If mapperFunction is present, then ! IsCallable(mapperFunction) is **true**, thisArg is present, and depth is **1**.
- 7. Let *targetIndex* be *start*.
- 8. Let sourceIndex be 0.
- 9. Repeat, while *sourceIndex* < *sourceLen* 
  - a. Let *P* be ! ToString(sourceIndex).
  - b. Let *exists* be ? HasProperty(*source*, *P*).
  - c. If exists is **true**, then
    - i. Let *element* be ? Get(*source*, *P*).
    - ii. If mapperFunction is present, then
      - 1. Set element to ? Call(mapperFunction, thisArg, « element, sourceIndex, source »).
    - iii. Let shouldFlatten be false.
    - iv. If depth > 0, then
      - 1. Set shouldFlatten to ? IsArray(element).
    - v. If shouldFlatten is true, then
      - 1. Let elementLen be ? LengthOfArrayLike(element).
      - 2. Set targetIndex to ? FlattenIntoArray(target, element, elementLen, targetIndex, depth 1).
    - vi. Else,
      - 1. If  $targetIndex \ge 2^{53}$  1, throw a **TypeError** exception.
      - 2. Perform? CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(target,! ToString(targetIndex), element).
      - 3. Set targetIndex to targetIndex + 1.
  - d. Set sourceIndex to sourceIndex + 1.
- 10. Return targetIndex.

## 22.1.3.11 Array.prototype.flatMap ( mapperFunction [ , thisArg ] )

When the **flatMap** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *sourceLen* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If ! IsCallable(*mapperFunction*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *A* be ? ArraySpeciesCreate(*O*, 0).
- 5. Perform ? FlattenIntoArray(A, O, sourceLen, 0, 1, mapperFunction, thisArg).
- 6. Return A.

#### 22.1.3.12 Array.prototype.forEach ( callbackfn [ , thisArg ] )

callbackfn should be a function that accepts three arguments. **forEach** calls callbackfn once for each element present in the array, in ascending order. callbackfn is called only for elements of the array which actually exist; it is not called for missing elements of the array.

If a *thisArg* parameter is provided, it will be used as the **this** value for each invocation of *callbackfn*. If it is not provided, **undefined** is used instead.

*callbackfn* is called with three arguments: the value of the element, the index of the element, and the object being traversed.

**forEach** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *callbackfn*.

When the **forEach** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *k* be 0.
- 5. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - b. Let *kPresent* be ? HasProperty(*O*, *Pk*).
  - c. If *kPresent* is **true**, then
    - i. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
    - ii. Perform? Call(callbackfn, this Arg, « kValue, k, O »).
  - d. Set k to k + 1.
- 6. Return **undefined**.

This function is the *%ArrayProto\_forEach*% intrinsic object.

NOTE 2

The **forEach** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.13 Array.prototype.includes (searchElement [, fromIndex])

NOTE 1

**includes** compares *searchElement* to the elements of the array, in ascending order, using the SameValueZero algorithm, and if found at any position, returns **true**; otherwise, **false** is returned.

The optional second argument *fromIndex* defaults to 0 (i.e. the whole array is searched). If it is greater than or equal to the length of the array, **false** is returned, i.e. the array will not be searched. If it is negative, it is used as the offset from the end of the array to compute *fromIndex*. If the computed index is less than 0, the whole array will be searched.

When the **includes** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If *len* is 0, return **false**.

- 4. Let *n* be ? ToInteger(*fromIndex*).
- 5. Assert: If *fromIndex* is **undefined**, then *n* is 0.
- 6. If  $n \ge 0$ , then
  - a. Let k be n.
- 7. Else,
  - a. Let k be len + n.
  - b. If k < 0, set k to 0.
- 8. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let *elementK* be the result of ? Get(O, ! ToString(k)).
  - b. If SameValueZero(searchElement, elementK) is true, return true.
  - c. Set k to k + 1.
- 9. Return false.
- NOTE 2 The **includes** funct
  - The **includes** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.
  - NOTE 3 The **includes** method intentionally differs from the similar **indexOf** method in two ways. First, it uses the SameValueZero algorithm, instead of Strict Equality Comparison, allowing it to detect **NaN** array elements. Second, it does not skip missing array elements, instead treating them as **undefined**.

# 22.1.3.14 Array.prototype.indexOf (searchElement [, fromIndex])

NOTE 1 **indexOf** compares *searchElement* to the elements of the array, in ascending order, using the Strict Equality Comparison algorithm, and if found at one or more indices, returns the smallest such index; otherwise, -1 is returned.

The optional second argument *fromIndex* defaults to 0 (i.e. the whole array is searched). If it is greater than or equal to the length of the array, -1 is returned, i.e. the array will not be searched. If it is negative, it is used as the offset from the end of the array to compute *fromIndex*. If the computed index is less than 0, the whole array will be searched.

When the **indexOf** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If *len* is 0, return -1.
- 4. Let *n* be ? ToInteger(*fromIndex*).
- 5. Assert: If *fromIndex* is **undefined**, then *n* is 0.
- 6. If  $n \ge len$ , return -1.
- 7. If  $n \ge 0$ , then
  - a. Let *k* be *n*.
- 8. Else,
  - a. Let k be len + n.
  - b. If k < 0, set k to 0.
- 9. Repeat, while k < len

```
a. Let kPresent be ? HasProperty(O, ! ToString(k)).
b. If kPresent is true, then

Let elementK be ? Get(O, ! ToString(k)).
Let same be the result of performing Strict Equality Comparison searchElement === elementK.
If same is true, return k.
Set k to k + 1.

10. Return -1.
```

The **indexOf** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.15 Array.prototype.join (separator)

NOTE 1

The elements of the array are converted to Strings, and these Strings are then concatenated, separated by occurrences of the *separator*. If no separator is provided, a single comma is used as the separator.

The **join** method takes one argument, *separator*, and performs the following steps:

- 1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If *separator* is **undefined**, let *sep* be the single-element String ",".
- 4. Else, let *sep* be ? ToString(*separator*).
- 5. Let *R* be the empty String.
- 6. Let *k* be 0.
- 7. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. If k > 0, set R to the string-concatenation of R and sep.
  - b. Let *element* be ? Get(O, ! ToString(k)).
  - c. If *element* is **undefined** or **null**, let *next* be the empty String; otherwise, let *next* be ? ToString(*element*).
  - d. Set *R* to the string-concatenation of *R* and *next*.
  - e. Set k to k + 1.
- 8. Return R.

NOTE 2

The **join** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

## 22.1.3.16 Array.prototype.keys ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- Return CreateArrayIterator(O, key).

This function is the % ArrayProto\_keys% intrinsic object.

#### 22.1.3.17 Array.prototype.lastIndexOf ( searchElement [ , fromIndex ] )

**lastIndexOf** compares *searchElement* to the elements of the array in descending order using the Strict Equality Comparison algorithm, and if found at one or more indices, returns the largest such index; otherwise, -1 is returned.

The optional second argument *fromIndex* defaults to the array's length minus one (i.e. the whole array is searched). If it is greater than or equal to the length of the array, the whole array will be searched. If it is negative, it is used as the offset from the end of the array to compute *fromIndex*. If the computed index is less than 0, -1 is returned.

When the **lastIndexOf** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

```
1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
2. Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
3. If len is 0, return -1.
4. If fromIndex is present, let n be ? ToInteger(fromIndex); else let n be len - 1.
5. If n \ge 0, then
       a. Let k be min(n, len - 1).
6. Else,
       a. Let k be len + n.
7. Repeat, while k \ge 0
       a. Let kPresent be ? HasProperty(O, ! ToString(k)).
       b. If kPresent is true, then
               i. Let elementK be ? Get(O, ! ToString(k)).
              ii. Let same be the result of performing Strict Equality Comparison searchElement === elementK.
              iii. If same is true, return k.
       c. Set k to k - 1.
8. Return -1.
```

NOTE 2

The **lastIndexOf** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

## 22.1.3.18 Array.prototype.map ( callbackfn [ , thisArg ] )

callbackfn should be a function that accepts three arguments. **map** calls callbackfn once for each element in the array, in ascending order, and constructs a new Array from the results. callbackfn is called only for elements of the array which actually exist; it is not called for missing elements of the array.

If a *thisArg* parameter is provided, it will be used as the **this** value for each invocation of *callbackfn*. If it is not provided, **undefined** is used instead.

*callbackfn* is called with three arguments: the value of the element, the index of the element, and the object being traversed.

**map** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *callbackfn*.

The range of elements processed by **map** is set before the first call to *callbackfn*. Elements which are appended to the array after the call to **map** begins will not be visited by *callbackfn*. If existing elements of the array are changed, their value as passed to *callbackfn* will be the value at the time **map** visits them; elements that are deleted after the call to **map** begins and before being visited are not visited.

When the **map** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

```
1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
```

- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *A* be ? ArraySpeciesCreate(*O*, *len*).
- 5. Let *k* be 0.
- 6. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let Pk be! ToString(k).
  - b. Let *kPresent* be ? HasProperty(O, Pk).
  - c. If *kPresent* is **true**, then
    - i. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
    - ii. Let mappedValue be ? Call(callbackfn, thisArg, « kValue, k, O »).
    - iii. Perform? CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A, Pk, mappedValue).
  - d. Set k to k + 1.
- 7. Return A.

NOTE 2

The **map** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.19 Array.prototype.pop()

NOTE 1 The last element of the array is removed from the array and returned.

When the **pop** method is called, the following steps are taken:

1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).

- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If *len* is zero, then
  - a. Perform ? Set(O, "length", 0, true).
  - b. Return undefined.
- 4. Else,
  - a. Assert: len > 0.
  - b. Let newLen be len 1.
  - c. Let *index* be ! ToString(*newLen*).
  - d. Let *element* be ? Get(O, index).
  - e. Perform? DeletePropertyOrThrow(O, index).
  - f. Perform ? Set(O, "length", newLen, true).
  - g. Return element.

The **pop** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 22.1.3.20 Array.prototype.push (...items)

NOTE 1 The arguments are appended to the end of the array, in the order in which they appear. The new length of the array is returned as the result of the call.

When the **push** method is called with zero or more arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. Let *items* be a List whose elements are, in left to right order, the arguments that were passed to this function invocation.
- 4. Let *argCount* be the number of elements in *items*.
- 5. If  $len + argCount > 2^{53} 1$ , throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Repeat, while items is not empty
  - a. Remove the first element from *items* and let *E* be the value of the element.
  - b. Perform ? Set(O, ! ToString(len), E, true).
  - c. Set len to len + 1.
- 7. Perform ? Set(*O*, "length", *len*, true).
- 8. Return len.

The **"length"** property of the **push** method is 1.

NOTE 2

The **push** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.21 Array.prototype.reduce ( callbackfn [ , initialValue ] )

*callbackfn* should be a function that takes four arguments. **reduce** calls the callback, as a function, once for each element after the first element present in the array, in ascending order.

callbackfn is called with four arguments: the previous Value (value from the previous call to callbackfn), the currentValue (value of the current element), the currentIndex, and the object being traversed. The first time that callback is called, the previousValue and currentValue can be one of two values. If an initialValue was supplied in the call to **reduce**, then previousValue will be equal to initialValue and currentValue will be equal to the first value in the array. If no initialValue was supplied, then previousValue will be equal to the first value in the array and currentValue will be equal to the second. It is a **TypeError** if the array contains no elements and initialValue is not provided.

**reduce** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *callbackfn*.

The range of elements processed by **reduce** is set before the first call to *callbackfn*. Elements that are appended to the array after the call to **reduce** begins will not be visited by *callbackfn*. If existing elements of the array are changed, their value as passed to *callbackfn* will be the value at the time **reduce** visits them; elements that are deleted after the call to **reduce** begins and before being visited are not visited.

When the **reduce** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

ii. Set accumulator to? Call(callbackfn, undefined, « accumulator, kValue, k, O »).

```
Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
3. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
4. If len is 0 and initial Value is not present, throw a TypeError exception.
5. Let k be 0.
6. Let accumulator be undefined.
7. If initial Value is present, then
       a. Set accumulator to initialValue.
8. Else,
       a. Let kPresent be false.
       b. Repeat, while kPresent is false and k < len
               i. Let Pk be! ToString(k).
              ii. Set kPresent to ? HasProperty(O, Pk).
             iii. If kPresent is true, then
                      1. Set accumulator to ? Get(O, Pk).
             iv. Set k to k + 1.
       c. If kPresent is false, throw a TypeError exception.
9. Repeat, while k < len
       a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
       b. Let kPresent be ? HasProperty(O, Pk).
       c. If kPresent is true, then
               i. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
```

d. Set k to k + 1.

10. Return accumulator.

1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).

The **reduce** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.22 Array.prototype.reduceRight ( callbackfn [ , initialValue ] )

#### NOTE 1

callbackfn should be a function that takes four arguments. **reduceRight** calls the callback, as a function, once for each element after the first element present in the array, in descending order.

callbackfn is called with four arguments: the previous Value (value from the previous call to callbackfn), the current Value (value of the current element), the currentIndex, and the object being traversed. The first time the function is called, the previous Value and current Value can be one of two values. If an initial Value was supplied in the call to **reduceRight**, then previous Value will be equal to initial Value and current Value will be equal to the last value in the array. If no initial Value was supplied, then previous Value will be equal to the last value in the array and current Value will be equal to the second-to-last value. It is a **TypeError** if the array contains no elements and initial Value is not provided.

**reduceRight** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *callbackfn*.

The range of elements processed by **reduceRight** is set before the first call to *callbackfn*. Elements that are appended to the array after the call to **reduceRight** begins will not be visited by *callbackfn*. If existing elements of the array are changed by *callbackfn*, their value as passed to *callbackfn* will be the value at the time **reduceRight** visits them; elements that are deleted after the call to **reduceRight** begins and before being visited are not visited.

When the **reduceRight** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

```
1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
```

- 2. Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. If len is 0 and initial Value is not present, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let *k* be *len* 1.
- 6. Let accumulator be **undefined**.
- 7. If initialValue is present, then
  - a. Set accumulator to initial Value.
- 8. Else.
  - a. Let *kPresent* be **false**.
  - b. Repeat, while *kPresent* is **false** and  $k \ge 0$ 
    - i. Let *Pk* be ! ToString(*k*).
    - ii. Set *kPresent* to ? HasProperty(O, Pk).
    - iii. If *kPresent* is **true**, then
      - 1. Set accumulator to ? Get(O, Pk).
    - iv. Set *k* to *k* 1.
  - c. If *kPresent* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 9. Repeat, while  $k \ge 0$ 
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).

```
b. Let kPresent be ? HasProperty(O, Pk).
c. If kPresent is true, then
i. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
ii. Set accumulator to ? Call(callbackfn, undefined, « accumulator, kValue, k, O »).
d. Set k to k - 1.
10. Return accumulator.
```

The **reduceRight** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

## 22.1.3.23 Array.prototype.reverse ()

NOTE 1 The elements of the array are rearranged so as to reverse their order. The object is returned as the result of the call.

When the **reverse** method is called, the following steps are taken:

```
1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
```

- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. Let middle be floor(len / 2).
- 4. Let *lower* be 0.
- 5. Repeat, while *lower* ≠ *middle* 
  - a. Let upper be len lower 1.
  - b. Let *upperP* be ! ToString(*upper*).
  - c. Let *lowerP* be ! ToString(*lower*).
  - d. Let *lowerExists* be ? HasProperty(*O*, *lowerP*).
  - e. If *lowerExists* is **true**, then
    - i. Let *lowerValue* be ? Get(O, *lowerP*).
  - f. Let *upperExists* be ? HasProperty(*O*, *upperP*).
  - g. If *upperExists* is **true**, then
    - i. Let *upperValue* be ? Get(O, *upperP*).
  - h. If *lowerExists* is **true** and *upperExists* is **true**, then
    - i. Perform ? Set(O, lowerP, upperValue, true).
    - ii. Perform ? Set(O, upperP, lowerValue, true).
  - i. Else if *lowerExists* is **false** and *upperExists* is **true**, then
    - i. Perform ? Set(O, lowerP, upperValue, true).
    - ii. Perform? DeletePropertyOrThrow(O, upperP).
  - j. Else if *lowerExists* is **true** and *upperExists* is **false**, then
    - i. Perform? DeletePropertyOrThrow(O, lowerP).
    - ii. Perform ? Set(O, upperP, lowerValue, true).
  - k. Else.
    - i. Assert: lowerExists and upperExists are both false.
    - ii. No action is required.
  - 1. Set *lower* to *lower* + 1.
- 6. Return O.

The **reverse** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.24 Array.prototype.shift()

NOTE 1 The first element of the array is removed from the array and returned.

When the **shift** method is called, the following steps are taken:

```
1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
2. Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
3. If len is zero, then
       a. Perform ? Set(O, "length", 0, true).
       b. Return undefined.
4. Let first be ? Get(O, ''0'').
5. Let k be 1.
6. Repeat, while k < len
       a. Let from be! ToString(k).
       b. Let to be ! ToString(k - 1).
       c. Let fromPresent be ? HasProperty(O, from).
       d. If fromPresent is true, then
               i. Let from Val be ? Get(O, from).
              ii. Perform ? Set(O, to, from Val, true).
       e. Else,
               i. Assert: fromPresent is false.
              ii. Perform? DeletePropertyOrThrow(O, to).
       f. Set k to k + 1.
7. Perform ? DeletePropertyOrThrow(O, ! ToString(len - 1)).
8. Perform ? Set(O, "length", len - 1, true).
9. Return first.
```

NOTE 2

The **shift** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.25 Array.prototype.slice (start, end)

NOTE 1

The **slice** method takes two arguments, *start* and *end*, and returns an array containing the elements of the array from element *start* up to, but not including, element *end* (or through the end of the array if *end* is **undefined**). If *start* is negative, it is treated as *length* + *start* where *length* is the length of the array. If *end* is negative, it is treated as *length* + *end* where *length* is the length of the array.

The following steps are taken:

1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).

```
2. Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
 3. Let relativeStart be? ToInteger(start).
 4. If relativeStart < 0, let k be max((len + relativeStart), 0); else let <math>k be min(relativeStart, len).
 5. If end is undefined, let relativeEnd be len; else let relativeEnd be ? ToInteger(end).
 6. If relativeEnd < 0, let final be max((len + relativeEnd), 0); else let final be min(relativeEnd, len).
 7. Let count be \max(final - k, 0).
 8. Let A be ? ArraySpeciesCreate(O, count).
 9. Let n be 0.
10. Repeat, while k < final
        a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
        b. Let kPresent be ? HasProperty(O, Pk).
        c. If kPresent is true, then
                i. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
                ii. Perform ? CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A, ! ToString(n), kValue).
        d. Set k to k + 1.
        e. Set n to n + 1.
11. Perform ? Set(A, "length", n, true).
12. Return A.
```

The explicit setting of the **"length"** property of the result Array in step 11 was necessary in previous editions of ECMAScript to ensure that its length was correct in situations where the trailing elements of the result Array were not present. Setting **"length"** became unnecessary starting in ES2015 when the result Array was initialized to its proper length rather than an empty Array but is carried forward to preserve backward compatibility.

NOTE 3

The **slice** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 22.1.3.26 Array.prototype.some (callbackfn [, thisArg])

callbackfn should be a function that accepts three arguments and returns a value that is coercible to the Boolean value **true** or **false**. **Some** calls callbackfn once for each element present in the array, in ascending order, until it finds one where callbackfn returns **true**. If such an element is found, **some** immediately returns **true**. Otherwise, **some** returns **false**. callbackfn is called only for elements of the array which actually exist; it is not called for missing elements of the array.

If a *thisArg* parameter is provided, it will be used as the **this** value for each invocation of *callbackfn*. If it is not provided, **undefined** is used instead.

*callbackfn* is called with three arguments: the value of the element, the index of the element, and the object being traversed.

**some** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *callbackfn*.

The range of elements processed by **some** is set before the first call to *callbackfn*. Elements that are appended to the array after the call to **some** begins will not be visited by *callbackfn*. If existing elements of the array are changed, their value as passed to *callbackfn* will be the value at the time that **some** visits them; elements that are deleted after the call to **some** begins and before being visited are not visited. **some** acts like the "exists" quantifier in mathematics. In particular, for an empty array, it returns **false**.

When the **some** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

6. Return false.

NOTE 2

The **some** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.27 Array.prototype.sort (comparefn)

The elements of this array are sorted. The sort must be stable (that is, elements that compare equal must remain in their original order). If *comparefn* is not **undefined**, it should be a function that accepts two arguments x and y and returns a negative value if x < y, zero if x = y, or a positive value if x > y.

Upon entry, the following steps are performed to initialize evaluation of the **sort** function:

- 1. If comparefn is not **undefined** and IsCallable(comparefn) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- Let obj be ? ToObject(this value).
- 3. Let len be? LengthOfArrayLike(obj).

Within this specification of the **sort** method, an object, *obj*, is said to be *sparse* if the following algorithm returns **true**:

- 1. For each integer i in the range  $0 \le i < len$ , do
  - a. Let *elem* be *obj*.[[GetOwnProperty]](! ToString(i)).
  - b. If *elem* is **undefined**, return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

The *sort order* is the ordering, after completion of this function, of the integer-indexed property values of *obj* whose integer indexes are less than *len*. The result of the **sort** function is then determined as follows:

If *comparefn* is not **undefined** and is not a consistent comparison function for the elements of this array (see below), the sort order is implementation-defined. The sort order is also implementation-defined if *comparefn* is **undefined** and SortCompare does not act as a consistent comparison function.

Let *proto* be *obj*.[[GetPrototypeOf]](). If *proto* is not **null** and there exists an integer *j* such that all of the conditions below are satisfied then the sort order is implementation-defined:

- obj is sparse
- $0 \le j < len$
- HasProperty(*proto*, ToString(*j*)) is **true**.

The sort order is also implementation-defined if *obj* is sparse and any of the following conditions are true:

- IsExtensible(*obj*) is **false**.
- Any integer index property of *obj* whose name is a nonnegative integer less than *len* is a data property whose [[Configurable]] attribute is **false**.

The sort order is also implementation-defined if any of the following conditions are true:

- If *obj* is an exotic object (including Proxy exotic objects) whose behaviour for [[Get]], [[Set]], [[Delete]], and [[GetOwnProperty]] is not the ordinary object implementation of these internal methods.
- If any index property of *obj* whose name is a nonnegative integer less than *len* is an accessor property or is a data property whose [[Writable]] attribute is **false**.
- If *comparefn* is **undefined** and the application of ToString to any value passed as an argument to SortCompare modifies *obj* or any object on *obj*'s prototype chain.
- If *comparefn* is **undefined** and all applications of ToString, to any specific value passed as an argument to SortCompare, do not produce the same result.

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Perform an implementation-dependent sequence of calls to the Get, Set, DeletePropertyOrThrow, and HasOwnProperty abstract operation with *obj* as the first argument, and to SortCompare (described below), such that:
  - The property key argument for each call to Get, Set, HasOwnProperty, or DeletePropertyOrThrow is the string representation of a nonnegative integer less than *len*.
  - The **Throw** argument for every call to Set is **true**.
  - The arguments for calls to SortCompare are values returned by a previous call to the Get abstract operation, unless the properties accessed by those previous calls did not exist according to

HasOwnProperty. If both prospective arguments to SortCompare correspond to non-existent properties, use +0 instead of calling SortCompare. If only the first prospective argument is non-existent use +1. If only the second prospective argument is non-existent use -1.

- If *obj* is not sparse then DeletePropertyOrThrow must not be called.
- If an abrupt completion is returned from any of these operations, it is immediately returned as the value of this function.

#### 2. Return obj.

Unless the sort order is specified above to be implementation-defined, the returned object must have the following two characteristics:

- There must be some mathematical permutation  $\pi$  of the nonnegative integers less than *len*, such that for every nonnegative integer j less than *len*, if property old[j] existed, then new[ $\pi(j)$ ] is exactly the same value as old[j]. But if property old[j] did not exist, then new[ $\pi(j)$ ] does not exist.
- Then for all nonnegative integers j and k, each less than len, if SortCompare(old[j], old[k]) < 0 (see SortCompare below), then new[ $\pi(j)$ ] < new[ $\pi(k)$ ].

Here the notation old[j] is used to refer to the hypothetical result of calling Get(obj, j) before this function is executed, and the notation new[j] to refer to the hypothetical result of calling Get(obj, j) after this function has been executed.

A function *comparefn* is a consistent comparison function for a set of values S if all of the requirements below are met for all values a, b, and c (possibly the same value) in the set S: The notation  $a <_{CF} b$  means comparefn(a, b) < 0;  $a =_{CF} b$  means comparefn(a, b) = 0 (of either sign); and  $a >_{CF} b$  means comparefn(a, b) > 0.

- Calling comparefn(a, b) always returns the same value v when given a specific pair of values a and b as its two arguments. Furthermore, Type(v) is Number, and v is not NaN. Note that this implies that exactly one of  $a <_{CF} b$ ,  $a =_{CF} b$ , and  $a >_{CF} b$  will be true for a given pair of a and b.
- Calling *comparefn*(*a*, *b*) does not modify *obj* or any object on *obj*'s prototype chain.
- $a =_{CF} a$  (reflexivity)
- If  $a =_{CF} b$ , then  $b =_{CF} a$  (symmetry)
- If  $a =_{CF} b$  and  $b =_{CF} c$ , then  $a =_{CF} c$  (transitivity of  $=_{CF}$ )
- If  $a <_{CF} b$  and  $b <_{CF} c$ , then  $a <_{CF} c$  (transitivity of  $<_{CF}$ )
- If  $a >_{CF} b$  and  $b >_{CF} c$ , then  $a >_{CF} c$  (transitivity of  $>_{CF}$ )

NOTE 1 The above conditions are necessary and sufficient to ensure that *comparefn* divides the set *S* into equivalence classes and that these equivalence classes are totally ordered.

NOTE 2 The **sort** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore, it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 22.1.3.27.1 Runtime Semantics: SortCompare (x, y)

The SortCompare abstract operation is called with two arguments x and y. It also has access to the *comparefn* argument passed to the current invocation of the **sort** method. The following steps are taken:

- 1. If x and y are both **undefined**, return **+0**.
- 2. If *x* is **undefined**, return 1.
- 3. If *y* is **undefined**, return -1.

- 4. If *comparefn* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Let v be ? ToNumber(? Call(comparefn, undefined,  $\langle x, y \rangle$ ).
  - b. If v is NaN, return +0.
  - c. Return v.
- 5. Let xString be ? ToString(x).
- 6. Let *yString* be ? ToString(*y*).
- 7. Let *xSmaller* be the result of performing Abstract Relational Comparison *xString* < *yString*.
- 8. If *xSmaller* is **true**, return -1.
- 9. Let *ySmaller* be the result of performing Abstract Relational Comparison *yString* < *xString*.
- 10. If *ySmaller* is **true**, return 1.
- 11. Return +0.

Because non-existent property values always compare greater than **undefined** property values, and **undefined** always compares greater than any other value, **undefined** property values always sort to the end of the result, followed by non-existent property values.

NOTE 2

Method calls performed by the ToString abstract operations in steps 5 and 7 have the potential to cause SortCompare to not behave as a consistent comparison function.

# 22.1.3.28 Array.prototype.splice (start, deleteCount, ...items)

NOTE 1

When the **splice** method is called with two or more arguments *start*, *deleteCount* and zero or more *items*, the *deleteCount* elements of the array starting at integer index *start* are replaced by the arguments *items*. An Array object containing the deleted elements (if any) is returned.

#### The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. Let relativeStart be? ToInteger(start).
- 4. If relativeStart < 0, let actualStart be max((len + relativeStart), 0); else let actualStart be min(relativeStart, len).
- 5. If the number of actual arguments is 0, then
  - a. Let insertCount be 0.
  - b. Let actualDeleteCount be 0.
- 6. Else if the number of actual arguments is 1, then
  - a. Let insertCount be 0.
  - b. Let actualDeleteCount be len actualStart.
- 7. Else,
  - a. Let *insertCount* be the number of actual arguments minus 2.
  - b. Let *dc* be ? ToInteger(*deleteCount*).
  - c. Let actualDeleteCount be min(max(dc, 0), len actualStart).
- 8. If  $len + insertCount actualDeleteCount > 2^{53} 1$ , throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 9. Let *A* be ? ArraySpeciesCreate(*O*, actualDeleteCount).
- 10. Let *k* be 0.
- 11. Repeat, while k < actual Delete Count
  - a. Let from be ! ToString(actualStart + k).

```
c. If fromPresent is true, then
                i. Let fromValue be ? Get(O, from).
               ii. Perform? CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(A,! ToString(k), fromValue).
        d. Set k to k + 1.
12. Perform ? Set(A, "length", actualDeleteCount, true).
13. Let items be a List whose elements are, in left to right order, the portion of the actual argument list starting with
    the third argument. The list is empty if fewer than three arguments were passed.
14. Let itemCount be the number of elements in items.
15. If itemCount < actualDeleteCount, then
        a. Set k to actualStart.
        b. Repeat, while k < (len - actual Delete Count)
                i. Let from be ! ToString(k + actualDeleteCount).
               ii. Let to be ! ToString(k + itemCount).
               iii. Let fromPresent be ? HasProperty(O, from).
               iv. If fromPresent is true, then
                       1. Let fromValue be ? Get(O, from).
                       2. Perform ? Set(O, to, from Value, true).
               v. Else,
                       1. Assert: fromPresent is false.
                       2. Perform ? DeletePropertyOrThrow(O, to).
               vi. Set k to k + 1.
        c. Set k to len.
        d. Repeat, while k > (len - actual Delete Count + item Count)
                i. Perform? DeletePropertyOrThrow(O,! ToString(k - 1)).
               ii. Set k to k - 1.
16. Else if itemCount > actualDeleteCount, then
        a. Set k to (len - actualDeleteCount).
        b. Repeat, while k > actualStart
                i. Let from be ! ToString(k + actualDeleteCount - 1).
               ii. Let to be ! ToString(k + itemCount - 1).
              iii. Let fromPresent be ? HasProperty(O, from).
               iv. If fromPresent is true, then
                       1. Let fromValue be ? Get(O, from).
                       2. Perform ? Set(O, to, fromValue, true).
               v. Else.
                       1. Assert: fromPresent is false.
                       2. Perform ? DeletePropertyOrThrow(O, to).
               vi. Set k to k - 1.
17. Set k to actualStart.
18. Repeat, while items is not empty
        a. Remove the first element from items and let E be the value of that element.
        b. Perform ? Set(O, ! ToString(k), E, true).
        c. Set k to k + 1.
19. Perform ? Set(O, "length", len - actualDeleteCount + itemCount, true).
20. Return A.
```

b. Let *fromPresent* be ? HasProperty(*O*, *from*).

The explicit setting of the "length" property of the result Array in step 19 was necessary in previous editions of ECMAScript to ensure that its length was correct in situations where the trailing elements of the result Array were not present. Setting "length" became unnecessary starting in ES2015 when the result Array was initialized to its proper length rather than an empty Array but is carried forward to preserve backward compatibility.

NOTE 3

The **splice** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.29 Array.prototype.toLocaleString ([reserved1[, reserved2]])

An ECMAScript implementation that includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API must implement the **Array.prototype.toLocaleString** method as specified in the ECMA-402 specification. If an ECMAScript implementation does not include the ECMA-402 API the following specification of the **toLocaleString** method is used.

NOTE 1 The first edition of ECMA-402 did not include a replacement specification for the **Array.prototype.toLocaleString** method.

The meanings of the optional parameters to this method are defined in the ECMA-402 specification; implementations that do not include ECMA-402 support must not use those parameter positions for anything else.

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let array be? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(*array*).
- 3. Let *separator* be the String value for the list-separator String appropriate for the host environment's current locale (this is derived in an implementation-defined way).
- 4. Let *R* be the empty String.
- 5. Let *k* be 0.
- 6. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. If k > 0, then
    - i. Set *R* to the string-concatenation of *R* and *separator*.
  - b. Let *nextElement* be ? Get(*array*, ! ToString(*k*)).
  - c. If nextElement is not undefined or null, then
    - i. Let *S* be ? ToString(? Invoke(nextElement, "toLocaleString")).
    - ii. Set *R* to the string-concatenation of *R* and *S*.
  - d. Set k to k + 1.
- 7. Return R.

NOTE 2

The elements of the array are converted to Strings using their **toLocaleString** methods, and these Strings are then concatenated, separated by occurrences of a separator String that has been derived in an implementation-defined locale-specific way. The result of calling this function is intended to be analogous to the result of **toString**, except that the result of this function is intended to be locale-specific.

The **toLocaleString** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

# 22.1.3.30 Array.prototype.toString()

When the **toString** method is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *array* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let func be ? Get(array, "join").
- 3. If IsCallable(func) is false, set func to the intrinsic function %Object.prototype.toString%.
- 4. Return ? Call(func, array).

**NOTE** 

The **toString** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 22.1.3.31 Array.prototype.unshift (...items)

NOTE 1

The arguments are prepended to the start of the array, such that their order within the array is the same as the order in which they appear in the argument list.

When the **unshift** method is called with zero or more arguments *item*1, *item*2, etc., the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(O).
- 3. Let *argCount* be the number of actual arguments.
- 4. If argCount > 0, then
  - a. If  $len + argCount > 2^{53} 1$ , throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. Let *k* be *len*.
  - c. Repeat, while k > 0,
    - i. Let from be ! ToString(k 1).
    - ii. Let to be ! ToString(k + argCount 1).
    - iii. Let *fromPresent* be ? HasProperty(*O*, *from*).
    - iv. If *fromPresent* is **true**, then
      - 1. Let from Value be ? Get(O, from).
      - 2. Perform ? Set(O, to, from Value, true).
    - v. Else,
      - 1. Assert: *fromPresent* is **false**.
      - 2. Perform ? DeletePropertyOrThrow(*O*, *to*).
    - vi. Set k to k-1.
  - d. Let *j* be 0.
  - e. Let *items* be a List whose elements are, in left to right order, the arguments that were passed to this function invocation.
  - f. Repeat, while *items* is not empty
    - i. Remove the first element from *items* and let *E* be the value of that element.
    - ii. Perform ? Set(O, ! ToString(j), E, true).
    - iii. Set j to j + 1.

- 5. Perform ? Set(O, "length", len + argCount, true).
- 6. Return len + argCount.

The **"length"** property of the **unshift** method is 1.

NOTE 2

The **unshift** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be an Array object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### 22.1.3.32 Array.prototype.values ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Return CreateArrayIterator(O, value).

This function is the *%ArrayProto\_values*% intrinsic object.

# 22.1.3.33 Array.prototype [@@iterator]()

The initial value of the @@iterator property is the same function object as the initial value of the **Array.prototype.values** property.

# 22.1.3.34 Array.prototype [@@unscopables]

The initial value of the @@unscopables data property is an object created by the following steps:

- 1. Let unscopableList be OrdinaryObjectCreate(null).
- 2. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "copyWithin", true).
- 3. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "entries", true).
- 4. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "fill", true).
- 5. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "find", true).
- 6. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "findIndex", true).
- 7. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "flat", true).
- 8. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "flatMap", true).
- 9. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "includes", true).
- 10. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "keys", true).
- 11. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(unscopableList, "values", true).
- 12. Return unscopableList.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

**NOTE** 

The own property names of this object are property names that were not included as standard properties of **Array.prototype** prior to the ECMAScript 2015 specification. These names are ignored for **with** statement binding purposes in order to preserve the behaviour of existing code that might use one of these names as a binding in an outer scope that is shadowed by a **with** statement whose binding object is an Array object.

# 22.1.4 Properties of Array Instances

Array instances are Array exotic objects and have the internal methods specified for such objects. Array instances inherit properties from the Array prototype object.

Array instances have a "length" property, and a set of enumerable properties with array index names.

#### 22.1.4.1 length

The **"length"** property of an Array instance is a data property whose value is always numerically greater than the name of every configurable own property whose name is an array index.

The **"length"** property initially has the attributes { [[Writable]]: **true**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **false** }.

NOTE

Reducing the value of the "length" property has the side-effect of deleting own array elements whose array index is between the old and new length values. However, non-configurable properties can not be deleted. Attempting to set the "length" property of an Array object to a value that is numerically less than or equal to the largest numeric own property name of an existing non-configurable array-indexed property of the array will result in the length being set to a numeric value that is one greater than that non-configurable numeric own property name. See 9.4.2.1.

# 22.1.5 Array Iterator Objects

An Array Iterator is an object, that represents a specific iteration over some specific Array instance object. There is not a named constructor for Array Iterator objects. Instead, Array iterator objects are created by calling certain methods of Array instance objects.

#### 22.1.5.1 CreateArrayIterator (array, kind)

Several methods of Array objects return Iterator objects. The abstract operation CreateArrayIterator with arguments *array* and *kind* is used to create such iterator objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(array) is Object.
- 2. Assert: kind is key+value, key, or value.
- Let iterator be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%ArrayIteratorPrototype%, « [[IteratedArrayLike]], [[ArrayLikeNextIndex]], [[ArrayLikeIterationKind]] »).
- 4. Set *iterator*.[[IteratedArrayLike]] to *array*.
- 5. Set iterator.[[ArrayLikeNextIndex]] to 0.
- 6. Set iterator.[[ArrayLikeIterationKind]] to kind.
- 7. Return iterator.

## 22.1.5.2 The %ArrayIteratorPrototype% Object

The *% ArrayIteratorPrototype*% object:

- has properties that are inherited by all Array Iterator Objects.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %IteratorPrototype%.

• has the following properties:

#### 22.1.5.2.1 % Array Iterator Prototype%.next()

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(O) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 3. If O does not have all of the internal slots of an Array Iterator Instance (22.1.5.3), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *a* be O.[[IteratedArrayLike]].
- 5. If *a* is **undefined**, return CreateIterResultObject(**undefined**, **true**).
- Let index be O.[[ArrayLikeNextIndex]].
- 7. Let *itemKind* be O.[[ArrayLikeIterationKind]].
- 8. If a has a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot, then
  - a. If IsDetachedBuffer(a.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]]) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. Let *len* be *a*.[[ArrayLength]].
- 9. Else,
  - a. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(*a*).
- 10. If  $index \ge len$ , then
  - a. Set O.[[IteratedArrayLike]] to undefined.
  - b. Return CreateIterResultObject(undefined, true).
- 11. Set O.[[ArrayLikeNextIndex]] to index + 1.
- 12. If *itemKind* is key, return CreateIterResultObject(*index*, false).
- 13. Let *elementKey* be ! ToString(*index*).
- 14. Let *elementValue* be ? Get(*a*, *elementKey*).
- 15. If *itemKind* is **value**, let *result* be *elementValue*.
- 16. Else,
  - a. Assert: *itemKind* is key+value.
  - b. Let result be! CreateArrayFromList(« index, elementValue »).
- 17. Return CreateIterResultObject(result, false).

#### 22.1.5.2.2 % ArrayIteratorPrototype% [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Array Iterator".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

#### 22.1.5.3 Properties of Array Iterator Instances

Array Iterator instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the %ArrayIteratorPrototype% intrinsic object. Array Iterator instances are initially created with the internal slots listed in Table 60.

**Table 60: Internal Slots of Array Iterator Instances** 

Internal Slot	Description			
[[IteratedArrayLike]]	The array-like object that is being iterated.			
[[ArrayLikeNextIndex]]	The integer index of the next element to be examined by this iterator.			
[[ArrayLikeIterationKind]]	A String value that identifies what is returned for each element of the iteration. The possible values are: key, value, key+value.			

# 22.2 TypedArray Objects

*TypedArray* objects present an array-like view of an underlying binary data buffer (24.1). Each element of a *TypedArray* instance has the same underlying binary scalar data type. There is a distinct *TypedArray* constructor, listed in Table 61, for each of the supported element types. Each constructor in Table 61 has a corresponding distinct prototype object.

**Table 61: The TypedArray Constructors** 

Constructor Name and Intrinsic	Element Type	Element Size	Conversion Operation	Description
Int8Array %Int8Array%	Int8	1	ToInt8	8-bit 2's complement signed integer
Uint8Array %Uint8Array%	Uint8	1	ToUint8	8-bit unsigned integer
Uint8ClampedArray %Uint8ClampedArray%	Uint8C	1	ToUint8Clamp	8-bit unsigned integer (clamped conversion)
Int16Array %Int16Array%	Int16	2	ToInt16	16-bit 2's complement signed integer
Uint16Array %Uint16Array%	Uint16	2	ToUint16	16-bit unsigned integer
Int32Array %Int32Array%	Int32	4	ToInt32	32-bit 2's complement signed integer
Uint32Array %Uint32Array%	Uint32	4	ToUint32	32-bit unsigned integer
BigInt64Array %BigInt64Array%	BigInt64	8	ToBigInt64	64-bit two's complement signed integer
BigUint64Array %BigUint64Array%	BigUint64	8	ToBigUint64	64-bit unsigned integer
Float32Array %Float32Array%	Float32	4		32-bit IEEE floating point
Float64Array %Float64Array%	Float64	8		64-bit IEEE floating point

In the definitions below, references to *TypedArray* should be replaced with the appropriate constructor name from the above table.

# 22.2.1 The %TypedArray% Intrinsic Object

The % Typed Array% intrinsic object:

• is a constructor function object that all of the *TypedArray* constructor objects inherit from.

- along with its corresponding prototype object, provides common properties that are inherited by all *TypedArray* constructors and their instances.
- does not have a global name or appear as a property of the global object.
- acts as the abstract superclass of the various *TypedArray* constructors.
- will throw an error when invoked, because it is an abstract class constructor. The TypedArray constructors do
  not perform a Super call to it.

# 22.2.1.1 % TypedArray% ()

The %TypedArray% constructor performs the following steps:

1. Throw a **TypeError** exception.

The "length" property of the %TypedArray% constructor function is 0.

# 22.2.2 Properties of the %TypedArray% Intrinsic Object

The %TypedArray% intrinsic object:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has a "name" property whose value is "TypedArray".
- has the following properties:

# 22.2.2.1 %TypedArray%.from (source [, mapfn [, thisArg]])

When the **from** method is called with argument *source*, and optional arguments *mapfn* and *thisArg*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *C* be the **this** value.
- 2. If IsConstructor(*C*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If mapfn is **undefined**, let mapping be **false**.
- 4. Else,
  - a. If IsCallable(*mapfn*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. Let mapping be true.
- Let using Iterator be ? GetMethod(source, @@iterator).
- 6. If using Iterator is not undefined, then
  - a. Let values be? IterableToList(source, usingIterator).
  - b. Let *len* be the number of elements in *values*.
  - c. Let *targetObj* be ? TypedArrayCreate(C, « *len* »).
  - d. Let *k* be 0.
  - e. Repeat, while k < len
    - i. Let Pk be! ToString(k).
    - ii. Let kValue be the first element of values and remove that element from values.
    - iii. If *mapping* is **true**, then
      - 1. Let mappedValue be ? Call(mapfn, thisArg, « kValue, k »).
    - iv. Else, let *mappedValue* be *kValue*.
    - v. Perform ? Set(targetObj, Pk, mappedValue, true).
    - vi. Set k to k + 1.
  - f. Assert: values is now an empty List.

- g. Return targetObj.
- 7. NOTE: *source* is not an Iterable so assume it is already an array-like object.
- 8. Let arrayLike be! ToObject(source).
- 9. Let *len* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(*arrayLike*).
- 10. Let *targetObj* be ? TypedArrayCreate(*C*, « *len* »).
- 11. Let *k* be 0.
- 12. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - b. Let *kValue* be ? Get(*arrayLike*, *Pk*).
  - c. If *mapping* is **true**, then
    - i. Let mappedValue be ? Call(mapfn, thisArg, « kValue, k »).
  - d. Else, let *mappedValue* be *kValue*.
  - e. Perform ? Set(targetObj, Pk, mappedValue, true).
  - f. Set k to k + 1.
- 13. Return targetObj.

#### 22.2.2.1.1 Runtime Semantics: IterableToList (items, method)

The abstract operation IterableToList performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *iteratorRecord* be ? GetIterator(*items*, sync, *method*).
- 2. Let values be a new empty List.
- 3. Let *next* be **true**.
- 4. Repeat, while *next* is not **false** 
  - a. Set *next* to ? IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is not **false**, then
    - i. Let *nextValue* be ? IteratorValue(*next*).
    - ii. Append *nextValue* to the end of the List values.
- 5. Return values.

# 22.2.2.2 %TypedArray%.of (...items)

When the **of** method is called with any number of arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *len* be the actual number of arguments passed to this function.
- 2. Let items be the List of arguments passed to this function.
- 3. Let *C* be the **this** value.
- 4. If IsConstructor(*C*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let *newObj* be ? TypedArrayCreate(C, « *len* »).
- 6. Let *k* be 0.
- 7. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let kValue be items[k].
  - b. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - c. Perform ? Set(newObj, Pk, kValue, true).
  - d. Set k to k + 1.
- 8. Return newObj.

NOTE The *items* argument is assumed to be a well-formed rest argument value.

# 22.2.2.3 %TypedArray%.prototype

The initial value of %TypedArray%.prototype is the %TypedArray.prototype% intrinsic object.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 22.2.2.4 get % TypedArray% [@@species]

%TypedArray% **[@@species]** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "get [Symbol.species]".

**NOTE** 

%TypedArray.prototype% methods normally use their **this** object's constructor to create a derived object. However, a subclass constructor may over-ride that default behaviour by redefining its @@species property.

# 22.2.3 Properties of the %TypedArray.prototype% Object

The % Typed Array.prototype% object:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] or any other of the internal slots that are specific to *TypedArray* instance objects.

#### 22.2.3.1 get %TypedArray%.prototype.buffer

%TypedArray%.prototype.buffer is an accessor property whose set accessor function is undefined. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[TypedArrayName]]).
- 3. Assert: O has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 4. Let *buffer* be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 5. Return buffer.

#### 22.2.3.2 get %TypedArray%.prototype.byteLength

%TypedArray%.prototype.byteLength is an accessor property whose set accessor function is undefined. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[TypedArrayName]]).
- 3. Assert: O has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 4. Let *buffer* be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 5. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, return 0.

- 6. Let size be O.[[ByteLength]].
- 7. Return size.

# 22.2.3.3 get %TypedArray%.prototype.byteOffset

%TypedArray%.prototype.byteOffset is an accessor property whose set accessor function is undefined. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[TypedArrayName]]).
- 3. Assert: O has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 4. Let *buffer* be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 5. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, return 0.
- 6. Let offset be O.[[ByteOffset]].
- 7. Return offset.

# 22.2.3.4 %TypedArray%.prototype.constructor

The initial value of %TypedArray%.prototype.constructor is the %TypedArray% intrinsic object.

# 22.2.3.5 %TypedArray%.prototype.copyWithin (target, start[, end])

The interpretation and use of the arguments of "TypedArray".prototype.copyWithin are the same as for Array.prototype.copyWithin as defined in 22.1.3.3.

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? ValidateTypedArray(O).
- 3. Let *len* be O.[[ArrayLength]].
- 4. Let *relativeTarget* be ? ToInteger(*target*).
- 5. If relativeTarget < 0, let to be max((len + relativeTarget), 0); else let to be min(relativeTarget, len).
- 6. Let relativeStart be? ToInteger(start).
- 7. If relativeStart < 0, let from be max((len + relativeStart), 0); else let from be min(relativeStart, len).
- 8. If end is **undefined**, let relativeEnd be len; else let relativeEnd be? ToInteger(end).
- 9. If relativeEnd < 0, let final be max((len + relativeEnd), 0); else let final be min(relativeEnd, len).
- 10. Let *count* be min(*final from, len to*).
- 11. If count > 0, then
  - a. NOTE: The copying must be performed in a manner that preserves the bit-level encoding of the source data.
  - b. Let *buffer* be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
  - c. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - d. Let *typedArrayName* be the String value of O.[[TypedArrayName]].
  - e. Let elementSize be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for typedArrayName.
  - f. Let byteOffset be O.[[ByteOffset]].
  - g. Let toByteIndex be  $to \times elementSize + byteOffset$ .
  - h. Let from ByteIndex be  $from \times elementSize + byteOffset$ .
  - i. Let countBytes be  $count \times elementSize$ .
  - j. If fromByteIndex < toByteIndex and toByteIndex < fromByteIndex + countBytes, then

- i. Let direction be -1.
- ii. Set from ByteIndex to from ByteIndex + count Bytes 1.
- iii. Set toByteIndex to toByteIndex + countBytes 1.
- k. Else,
  - i. Let direction be 1.
- 1. Repeat, while countBytes > 0
  - i. Let *value* be GetValueFromBuffer(*buffer*, *fromByteIndex*, Uint8, true, Unordered).
  - ii. Perform SetValueInBuffer(buffer, toByteIndex, Uint8, value, true, Unordered).
  - iii. Set *fromByteIndex* to *fromByteIndex* + *direction*.
  - iv. Set toByteIndex to toByteIndex + direction.
  - v. Set *countBytes* to *countBytes* 1.
- 12. Return O.

#### 22.2.3.5.1 Runtime Semantics: ValidateTypedArray ( O )

When called with argument *O*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[TypedArrayName]]).
- 2. Assert: O has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 3. Let *buffer* be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 4. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Return buffer.

# 22.2.3.6 % TypedArray%.prototype.entries ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? ValidateTypedArray(O).
- 3. Return CreateArrayIterator(O, key+value).

#### 22.2.3.7 %TypedArray%.prototype.every ( callbackfn [ , thisArg ] )

**Array.prototype.every** is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as **Array.prototype.every** as defined in 22.1.3.5 except that the **this** object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of **"length"**. The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the **this** value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm and must take into account the possibility that calls to *callbackfn* may cause the **this** value to become detached.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

#### 22.2.3.8 %TypedArray%.prototype.fill (value [, start [, end ]])

The interpretation and use of the arguments of %TypedArray%.prototype.fill are the same as for **Array.prototype.fill** as defined in 22.1.3.6.

The following steps are taken:

```
    Let O be the this value.
    Perform ? ValidateTypedArray(O).
    Let len be O.[[ArrayLength]].
    If O.[[ContentType]] is BigInt, set value to ? ToBigInt(value).
    Otherwise, set value to ? ToNumber(value).
    Let relativeStart be ? ToInteger(start).
    If relativeStart < 0, let k be max((len + relativeStart), 0); else let k be min(relativeStart, len).
    If end is undefined, let relativeEnd be len; else let relativeEnd be ? ToInteger(end).
    If relativeEnd < 0, let final be max((len + relativeEnd), 0); else let final be min(relativeEnd, len).
    If IsDetachedBuffer(O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]]) is true, throw a TypeError exception.
    Repeat, while k < final

            a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
            b. Perform ! Set(O, Pk, value, true).
            c. Set k to k + 1.

    Return O.
```

# 22.2.3.9 %TypedArray%.prototype.filter(callbackfn[,thisArg])

The interpretation and use of the arguments of %TypedArray%.prototype.filter are the same as for **Array.prototype.filter** as defined in 22.1.3.7.

When the **filter** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

```
1. Let O be the this value.
 Perform ? ValidateTypedArray(O).
 3. Let len be O.[[ArrayLength]].
 4. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
 5. Let kept be a new empty List.
 6. Let k be 0.
 7. Let captured be 0.
 8. Repeat, while k < len
        a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
        b. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
        c. Let selected be! ToBoolean(? Call(callbackfn, this Arg, « kValue, k, O »)).
        d. If selected is true, then
                i. Append kValue to the end of kept.
               ii. Set captured to captured + 1.
        e. Set k to k + 1.
 9. Let A be ? TypedArraySpeciesCreate(O, « captured »).
10. Let n be 0.
11. For each element e of kept, do
        a. Perform ! Set(A, ! ToString(n), e, true).
        b. Set n to n + 1.
12. Return A.
```

This function is not generic. The **this** value must be an object with a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot.

#### 22.2.3.10 %TypedArray%.prototype.find (predicate [, thisArg])

%TypedArray%.prototype.find is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as Array.prototype.find as defined in 22.1.3.8 except that the this object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of "length". The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the this value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm and must take into account the possibility that calls to *predicate* may cause the this value to become detached.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

# 22.2.3.11 %TypedArray%.prototype.findIndex (predicate [, thisArg])

**Array.prototype.findIndex** is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as **Array.prototype.findIndex** as defined in 22.1.3.9 except that the **this** object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of **"length"**. The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the **this** value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm and must take into account the possibility that calls to *predicate* may cause the **this** value to become detached.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

#### 22.2.3.12 %TypedArray%.prototype.forEach ( callbackfn [ , thisArg ] )

%TypedArray%.prototype.forEach is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as Array.prototype.forEach as defined in 22.1.3.12 except that the this object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of "length". The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the this value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm and must take into account the possibility that calls to <code>callbackfn</code> may cause the this value to become detached.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

#### 22.2.3.13 %TypedArray%.prototype.includes (searchElement [, fromIndex])

**Array.prototype.includes** is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as **Array.prototype.includes** as defined in 22.1.3.13 except that the **this** object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of "**length**". The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the **this** value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

# 22.2.3.14 %TypedArray%.prototype.indexOf (searchElement [, fromIndex])

%TypedArray%.prototype.index0f is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as

**Array.prototype.indexOf** as defined in 22.1.3.14 except that the **this** object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of **"length"**. The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the **this** value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

# 22.2.3.15 % TypedArray%.prototype.join (separator)

%TypedArray%.prototype.join is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as Array.prototype.join as defined in 22.1.3.15 except that the this object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of "length". The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the this value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

# 22.2.3.16 %TypedArray%.prototype.keys()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? ValidateTypedArray(O).
- 3. Return CreateArrayIterator(O, key).

#### 22.2.3.17 %TypedArray%.prototype.lastIndexOf (searchElement [, fromIndex])

%TypedArray%.prototype.lastIndexOf is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as Array.prototype.lastIndexOf as defined in 22.1.3.17 except that the this object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of "length". The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the this value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

#### 22.2.3.18 get %TypedArray%.prototype.length

%TypedArray%.prototype.length is an accessor property whose set accessor function is undefined. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[TypedArrayName]]).
- 3. Assert: O has [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] and [[ArrayLength]] internal slots.
- 4. Let *buffer* be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 5. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, return 0.

- 6. Let *length* be O.[[ArrayLength]].
- 7. Return length.

This function is not generic. The **this** value must be an object with a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot.

# 22.2.3.19 %TypedArray%.prototype.map (callbackfn [, thisArg])

The interpretation and use of the arguments of %TypedArray%.prototype.map are the same as for Array.prototype.map as defined in 22.1.3.18.

When the **map** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? ValidateTypedArray(O).
- 3. Let *len* be O.[[ArrayLength]].
- 4. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let *A* be ? TypedArraySpeciesCreate(*O*, « *len* »).
- 6. Let *k* be 0.
- 7. Repeat, while k < len
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - b. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
  - c. Let mapped Value be ? Call(callbackfn, this Arg, « kValue, k, O »).
  - d. Perform ? Set(*A*, *Pk*, *mappedValue*, **true**).
  - e. Set k to k + 1.
- 8. Return A.

This function is not generic. The **this** value must be an object with a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot.

#### 22.2.3.20 %TypedArray%.prototype.reduce (callbackfn [, initialValue])

%TypedArray%.prototype.reduce is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as Array.prototype.reduce as defined in 22.1.3.21 except that the this object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of "length". The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the this value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm and must take into account the possibility that calls to <code>callbackfn</code> may cause the this value to become detached.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

#### 22.2.3.21 %TypedArray%.prototype.reduceRight ( callbackfn [ , initialValue ] )

"TypedArray".prototype.reduceRight is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as Array.prototype.reduceRight as defined in 22.1.3.22 except that the this object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of "length". The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the this value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm and must take into account the possibility that calls to callbackfn may cause the this value to become detached.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

## 22.2.3.22 %TypedArray%.prototype.reverse()

**Array.prototype.reverse** is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as **Array.prototype.reverse** as defined in 22.1.3.23 except that the **this** object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of **"length"**. The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the **this** value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

#### 22.2.3.23 %TypedArray%.prototype.set (overloaded [, offset])

%TypedArray%.prototype.set is a single function whose behaviour is overloaded based upon the type of its first argument.

This function is not generic. The **this** value must be an object with a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot.

#### 22.2.3.23.1 %TypedArray%.prototype.set ( array [ , offset ] )

Sets multiple values in this *TypedArray*, reading the values from the object *array*. The optional *offset* value indicates the first element index in this *TypedArray* where values are written. If omitted, it is assumed to be 0.

- 1. Assert: *array* is any ECMAScript language value other than an Object with a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot. If it is such an Object, the definition in 22.2.3.23.2 applies.
- 2. Let *target* be the **this** value.
- 3. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(target, [[TypedArrayName]]).
- 4. Assert: target has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 5. Let *targetOffset* be ? ToInteger(*offset*).
- 6. If *targetOffset* < 0, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 7. Let *targetBuffer* be *target*.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 8. If IsDetachedBuffer(*targetBuffer*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 9. Let targetLength be target.[[ArrayLength]].
- 10. Let *targetName* be the String value of *target*.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 11. Let targetElementSize be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for targetName.
- 12. Let *targetType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *targetName*.
- 13. Let targetByteOffset be target.[[ByteOffset]].
- 14. Let *src* be ? ToObject(*array*).
- 15. Let *srcLength* be ? LengthOfArrayLike(*src*).
- 16. If *srcLength* + *targetOffset* > *targetLength*, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 17. Let targetByteIndex be targetOffset × targetElementSize + targetByteOffset.
- 18. Let *k* be 0.
- 19. Let limit be  $targetByteIndex + targetElementSize \times srcLength$ .
- 20. Repeat, while targetByteIndex < limit
  - a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
  - b. Let *value* be ? Get(*src*, *Pk*).

- c. If target.[[ContentType]] is BigInt, set value to ? ToBigInt(value).
- d. Otherwise, set *value* to ? ToNumber(*value*).
- e. If IsDetachedBuffer(targetBuffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- f. Perform SetValueInBuffer(targetBuffer, targetByteIndex, targetType, value, true, Unordered).
- g. Set k to k + 1.
- h. Set targetByteIndex to targetByteIndex + targetElementSize.
- 21. Return **undefined**.

#### 22.2.3.23.2 %TypedArray%.prototype.set(typedArray[, offset])

Sets multiple values in this *TypedArray*, reading the values from the *typedArray* argument object. The optional *offset* value indicates the first element index in this *TypedArray* where values are written. If omitted, it is assumed to be 0.

- 1. Assert: *typedArray* has a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot. If it does not, the definition in 22.2.3.23.1 applies.
- 2. Let *target* be the **this** value.
- 3. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(target, [[TypedArrayName]]).
- 4. Assert: target has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 5. Let targetOffset be? ToInteger(offset).
- 6. If *targetOffset* < 0, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 7. Let targetBuffer be target.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 8. If IsDetachedBuffer(targetBuffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 9. Let targetLength be target.[[ArrayLength]].
- 10. Let srcBuffer be typedArray.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 11. If IsDetachedBuffer(*srcBuffer*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 12. Let *targetName* be the String value of *target*.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 13. Let *targetType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *targetName*.
- 14. Let targetElementSize be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for targetName.
- 15. Let targetByteOffset be target.[[ByteOffset]].
- 16. Let *srcName* be the String value of *typedArray*.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 17. Let *srcType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *srcName*.
- 18. Let *srcElementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *srcName*.
- 19. Let *srcLength* be *typedArray*.[[ArrayLength]].
- 20. Let *srcByteOffset* be *typedArray*.[[ByteOffset]].
- 21. If *srcLength* + *targetOffset* > *targetLength*, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 22. If *target*.[[ContentType]] is not equal to *typedArray*.[[ContentType]], throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 23. If both IsSharedArrayBuffer(srcBuffer) and IsSharedArrayBuffer(targetBuffer) are true, then
  - a. If *srcBuffer*.[[ArrayBufferData]] and *targetBuffer*.[[ArrayBufferData]] are the same Shared Data Block values, let *same* be **true**; else let *same* be **false**.
- 24. Else, let same be SameValue(srcBuffer, targetBuffer).
- 25. If same is true, then
  - a. Let *srcByteLength* be *typedArray*.[[ByteLength]].
  - b. Set *srcBuffer* to ? CloneArrayBuffer(*srcBuffer*, *srcByteOffset*, *srcByteLength*, %ArrayBuffer%).
  - c. NOTE: %ArrayBuffer% is used to clone *srcBuffer* because is it known to not have any observable side-effects.
  - d. Let srcByteIndex be 0.
- 26. Else, let *srcByteIndex* be *srcByteOffset*.
- 27. Let targetByteIndex be targetOffset × targetElementSize + targetByteOffset.
- 28. Let limit be  $targetByteIndex + targetElementSize \times srcLength$ .

- 29. If *srcType* is the same as *targetType*, then
  - a. NOTE: If *srcType* and *targetType* are the same, the transfer must be performed in a manner that preserves the bit-level encoding of the source data.
  - b. Repeat, while targetByteIndex < limit
    - i. Let value be GetValueFromBuffer(srcBuffer, srcByteIndex, Uint8, true, Unordered).
    - ii. Perform SetValueInBuffer(targetBuffer, targetByteIndex, Uint8, value, true, Unordered).
    - iii. Set srcByteIndex to srcByteIndex + 1.
    - iv. Set targetByteIndex to targetByteIndex + 1.
- 30. Else,
  - a. Repeat, while targetByteIndex < limit
    - i. Let value be GetValueFromBuffer(srcBuffer, srcByteIndex, srcType, true, Unordered).
    - ii. Perform SetValueInBuffer(targetBuffer, targetByteIndex, targetType, value, true, Unordered).
    - iii. Set *srcByteIndex* to *srcByteIndex* + *srcElementSize*.
    - iv. Set targetByteIndex to targetByteIndex + targetElementSize.
- 31. Return undefined.

# 22.2.3.24 %TypedArray%.prototype.slice (start, end)

The interpretation and use of the arguments of %TypedArray%.prototype.slice are the same as for **Array.prototype.slice** as defined in 22.1.3.25. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? ValidateTypedArray(O).
- 3. Let len be O.[[ArrayLength]].
- 4. Let relativeStart be ? ToInteger(start).
- 5. If relativeStart < 0, let k be max((len + relativeStart), 0); else let <math>k be min(relativeStart, len).
- 6. If end is **undefined**, let *relativeEnd* be *len*; else let *relativeEnd* be ? ToInteger(*end*).
- 7. If relativeEnd < 0, let final be max((len + relativeEnd), 0); else let final be min(relativeEnd, len).
- 8. Let *count* be max(final k, 0).
- 9. Let *A* be ? TypedArraySpeciesCreate(*O*, « *count* »).
- 10. Let *srcName* be the String value of O.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 11. Let *srcType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *srcName*.
- 12. Let *targetName* be the String value of *A*.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 13. Let *targetType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *targetName*.
- 14. If *srcType* is different from *targetType*, then
  - a. Let *n* be 0.
  - b. Repeat, while k < final
    - i. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
    - ii. Let kValue be ? Get(O, Pk).
    - iii. Perform ! Set(*A*, ! ToString(*n*), *kValue*, **true**).
    - iv. Set k to k + 1.
    - v. Set n to n + 1.
- 15. Else if count > 0, then
  - a. Let srcBuffer be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
  - b. If IsDetachedBuffer(*srcBuffer*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - c. Let *targetBuffer* be *A*.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
  - d. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for Element Type *srcType*.
  - e. NOTE: If *srcType* and *targetType* are the same, the transfer must be performed in a manner that preserves

the bit-level encoding of the source data.

- f. Let *srcByteOffet* be O.[[ByteOffset]].
- g. Let targetByteIndex be A.[[ByteOffset]].
- h. Let srcByteIndex be  $(k \times elementSize) + srcByteOffet$ .
- i. Let limit be  $targetByteIndex + count \times elementSize$ .
- j. Repeat, while targetByteIndex < limit
  - i. Let value be GetValueFromBuffer(srcBuffer, srcByteIndex, Uint8, true, Unordered).
  - ii. Perform SetValueInBuffer(targetBuffer, targetByteIndex, Uint8, value, true, Unordered).
  - iii. Set srcByteIndex to srcByteIndex + 1.
  - iv. Set targetByteIndex to targetByteIndex + 1.

#### 16. Return *A*.

This function is not generic. The **this** value must be an object with a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot.

# 22.2.3.25 %TypedArray%.prototype.some ( callbackfn [ , thisArg ] )

**Array.prototype.some** is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as **Array.prototype.some** as defined in 22.1.3.26 except that the **this** object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of **"length"**. The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the **this** value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm and must take into account the possibility that calls to *callbackfn* may cause the **this** value to become detached.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

#### 22.2.3.26 %TypedArray%.prototype.sort (comparefn)

%TypedArray%.prototype.sort is a distinct function that, except as described below, implements the same requirements as those of Array.prototype.sort as defined in 22.1.3.27. The implementation of the %TypedArray%.prototype.sort specification may be optimized with the knowledge that the this value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. The only internal methods of the this object that the algorithm may call are [[Get]] and [[Set]].

This function is not generic. The **this** value must be an object with a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot.

Upon entry, the following steps are performed to initialize evaluation of the **sort** function. These steps are used instead of the entry steps in 22.1.3.27:

- 1. If *comparefn* is not **undefined** and IsCallable(*comparefn*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *obj* be the **this** value.
- 3. Let *buffer* be ? ValidateTypedArray(*obj*).
- 4. Let *len* be *obj*.[[ArrayLength]].

The implementation-defined sort order condition for exotic objects is not applied by %TypedArray%.prototype.sort.

The following version of SortCompare is used by %TypedArray%.prototype.sort. It performs a numeric comparison rather than the string comparison used in 22.1.3.27. SortCompare has access to the *comparefn* and *buffer* values of the current invocation of the **sort** method.

When the TypedArray SortCompare abstract operation is called with two arguments x and y, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: Both Type(x) and Type(y) are Number or both are BigInt.
- 2. If *comparefn* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Let v be ? ToNumber(? Call(comparefn, undefined, « x, y »)).
  - b. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - c. If v is NaN, return +0.
  - d. Return v.
- 3. If x and y are both NaN, return +0.
- 4. If x is NaN, return 1.
- 5. If y is NaN, return -1.
- 6. If x < y, return -1.
- 7. If x > y, return 1.
- 8. If x is **-0** and y is **+0**, return -1.
- 9. If x is **+0** and y is **-0**, return 1.
- 10. Return **+0**.

NOTE

Because **NaN** always compares greater than any other value, **NaN** property values always sort to the end of the result when *comparefn* is not provided.

# 22.2.3.27 %TypedArray%.prototype.subarray (begin, end)

Returns a new *TypedArray* object whose element type is the same as this *TypedArray* and whose ArrayBuffer is the same as the ArrayBuffer of this *TypedArray*, referencing the elements at *begin*, inclusive, up to *end*, exclusive. If either *begin* or *end* is negative, it refers to an index from the end of the array, as opposed to from the beginning.

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[TypedArrayName]]).
- 3. Assert: *O* has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- Let buffer be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 5. Let *srcLength* be O.[[ArrayLength]].
- 6. Let *relativeBegin* be? ToInteger(*begin*).
- 7. If relativeBegin < 0, let beginIndex be max((srcLength + relativeBegin), 0); else let beginIndex be min(relativeBegin, srcLength).
- 8. If end is **undefined**, let relativeEnd be srcLength; else let relativeEnd be ? ToInteger(end).
- 9. If relativeEnd < 0, let endIndex be max((srcLength + relativeEnd), 0); else let endIndex be min(relativeEnd, srcLength).
- 10. Let *newLength* be max(*endIndex beginIndex*, 0).
- 11. Let *constructorName* be the String value of O.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 12. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *constructorName*.
- 13. Let srcByteOffset be O.[[ByteOffset]].
- 14. Let beginByteOffset be  $srcByteOffset + beginIndex \times elementSize$ .
- 15. Let argumentsList be « buffer, beginByteOffset, newLength ».
- 16. Return? TypedArraySpeciesCreate(O, argumentsList).

This function is not generic. The **this** value must be an object with a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot.

# 22.2.3.28 %TypedArray%.prototype.toLocaleString([reserved1[,reserved2]])

"TypedArray".prototype.toLocaleString is a distinct function that implements the same algorithm as Array.prototype.toLocaleString as defined in 22.1.3.29 except that the this object's [[ArrayLength]] internal slot is accessed in place of performing a [[Get]] of "length". The implementation of the algorithm may be optimized with the knowledge that the this value is an object that has a fixed length and whose integer-indexed properties are not sparse. However, such optimization must not introduce any observable changes in the specified behaviour of the algorithm.

This function is not generic. ValidateTypedArray is applied to the **this** value prior to evaluating the algorithm. If its result is an abrupt completion that exception is thrown instead of evaluating the algorithm.

**NOTE** 

If the ECMAScript implementation includes the ECMA-402 Internationalization API this function is based upon the algorithm for **Array.prototype.toLocaleString** that is in the ECMA-402 specification.

# 22.2.3.29 %TypedArray%.prototype.toString()

The initial value of the %TypedArray%.prototype.toString data property is the same built-in function object as the Array.prototype.toString method defined in 22.1.3.30.

# 22.2.3.30 %TypedArray%.prototype.values()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? ValidateTypedArray(O).
- 3. Return CreateArrayIterator(O, value).

#### 22.2.3.31 %TypedArray%.prototype [@@iterator]()

The initial value of the @@iterator property is the same function object as the initial value of the %TypedArray%.prototype.values property.

#### 22.2.3.32 get % TypedArray%.prototype [@@toStringTag]

%TypedArray%.prototype[@@toStringTag] is an accessor property whose set accessor function is undefined. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(*O*) is not Object, return **undefined**.
- 3. If *O* does not have a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot, return **undefined**.
- 4. Let *name* be O.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 5. Assert: Type(name) is String.
- 6. Return name.

This property has the attributes { [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

The initial value of the "name" property of this function is "get [Symbol.toStringTag]".

# 22.2.4 The TypedArray Constructors

Each TypedArray constructor:

- is an intrinsic object that has the structure described below, differing only in the name used as the constructor name instead of *TypedArray*, in Table 61.
- is a single function whose behaviour is overloaded based upon the number and types of its arguments. The actual behaviour of a call of *TypedArray* depends upon the number and kind of arguments that are passed to it.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified *TypedArray* behaviour must include a **super** call to the *TypedArray* constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with the internal state necessary to support the %TypedArray%.prototype built-in methods.
- has a **"length"** property whose value is 3.

#### 22.2.4.1 *TypedArray*()

This description applies only if the *TypedArray* function is called with no arguments.

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *constructorName* be the String value of the Constructor Name value specified in Table 61 for this *TypedArray* constructor.
- 3. Return? AllocateTypedArray(constructorName, NewTarget, "%TypedArray.prototype%", 0).

#### 22.2.4.2 TypedArray (length)

This description applies only if the *TypedArray* function is called with at least one argument and the Type of the first argument is not Object.

*TypedArray* called with argument *length* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(length) is not Object.
- 2. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *elementLength* be ? ToIndex(*length*).
- 4. Let *constructorName* be the String value of the Constructor Name value specified in Table 61 for this *TypedArray* constructor.
- Return ? AllocateTypedArray(constructorName, NewTarget, "%TypedArray.prototype%", elementLength).

#### 22.2.4.2.1 Runtime Semantics: AllocateTypedArray ( constructorName, newTarget, defaultProto [ , length ] )

The abstract operation AllocateTypedArray with arguments *constructorName*, *newTarget*, *defaultProto* and optional argument *length* is used to validate and create an instance of a TypedArray constructor. *constructorName* is required to be the name of a TypedArray constructor in Table 61. If the *length* argument is passed, an ArrayBuffer of that length is also allocated and associated with the new TypedArray instance. AllocateTypedArray provides common semantics that is used by all of the *TypedArray* overloads. AllocateTypedArray performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *proto* be ? GetPrototypeFromConstructor(*newTarget*, *defaultProto*).
- 2. Let *obj* be ! IntegerIndexedObjectCreate(*proto*).
- 3. Assert: *obj*.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]] is **undefined**.

- 4. Set obj.[[TypedArrayName]] to constructorName.
- 5. If *constructorName* is "BigInt64Array" or "BigUint64Array", set *obj*.[[ContentType]] to BigInt.
- 6. Otherwise, set *obj*.[[ContentType]] to Number.
- 7. If *length* is not present, then
  - a. Set obj.[[ByteLength]] to 0.
  - b. Set *obj*.[[ByteOffset]] to 0.
  - c. Set *obj*.[[ArrayLength]] to 0.
- 8. Else,
  - a. Perform? AllocateTypedArrayBuffer(obj, length).
- 9. Return obj.

#### 22.2.4.2.2 Runtime Semantics: AllocateTypedArrayBuffer (O, length)

The abstract operation AllocateTypedArrayBuffer with arguments *O* and *length* allocates and associates an ArrayBuffer with the TypedArray instance *O*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: O is an Object that has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 2. Assert: O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]] is undefined.
- 3. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(length) is true.
- 4. Let *constructorName* be the String value of O.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 5. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *constructorName*.
- 6. Let by teLength be  $elementSize \times length$ .
- 7. Let data be? AllocateArrayBuffer(%ArrayBuffer%, byteLength).
- 8. Set O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]] to data.
- 9. Set O.[[ByteLength]] to byteLength.
- 10. Set O.[[ByteOffset]] to 0.
- 11. Set O.[[ArrayLength]] to length.
- 12. Return O.

#### 22.2.4.3 TypedArray (typedArray)

This description applies only if the *TypedArray* function is called with at least one argument and the Type of the first argument is Object and that object has a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot.

*TypedArray* called with argument *typedArray* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(typedArray) is Object and typedArray has a [[TypedArrayName]] internal slot.
- 2. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *constructorName* be the String value of the Constructor Name value specified in Table 61 for this *TypedArray* constructor.
- Let O be? AllocateTypedArray(constructorName, NewTarget, "%TypedArray.prototype%").
- 5. Let *srcArray* be *typedArray*.
- 6. Let srcData be srcArray.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 7. If IsDetachedBuffer(*srcData*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 8. Let *elementType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *constructorName*.
- 9. Let *elementLength* be *srcArray*.[[ArrayLength]].
- 10. Let *srcName* be the String value of *srcArray*.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 11. Let *srcType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *srcName*.
- 12. Let *srcElementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *srcName*.

- 13. Let *srcByteOffset* be *srcArray*.[[ByteOffset]].
- 14. Let element Size be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for constructor Name.
- 15. Let byteLength be elementSize  $\times$  elementLength.
- 16. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(srcData) is false, then
  - a. Let bufferConstructor be? SpeciesConstructor(srcData, %ArrayBuffer%).
- 17. Else,
  - a. Let bufferConstructor be %ArrayBuffer%.
- 18. If *elementType* is the same as *srcType*, then
  - a. Let data be? CloneArrayBuffer(srcData, srcByteOffset, byteLength, bufferConstructor).
- 19. Else,
  - a. Let data be? AllocateArrayBuffer(bufferConstructor, byteLength).
  - b. If IsDetachedBuffer(*srcData*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - c. If *srcArray*.[[ContentType]] is not equal to O.[[ContentType]], throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - d. Let srcByteIndex be srcByteOffset.
  - e. Let targetByteIndex be 0.
  - f. Let count be elementLength.
  - g. Repeat, while count > 0
    - i. Let value be GetValueFromBuffer(srcData, srcByteIndex, srcType, true, Unordered).
    - ii. Perform SetValueInBuffer(data, targetByteIndex, elementType, value, true, Unordered).
    - iii. Set *srcByteIndex* to *srcByteIndex* + *srcElementSize*.
    - iv. Set targetByteIndex to targetByteIndex + elementSize.
    - v. Set count to count 1.
- 20. Set O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]] to data.
- 21. Set O.[[ByteLength]] to byteLength.
- 22. Set O.[[ByteOffset]] to 0.
- 23. Set O.[[ArrayLength]] to elementLength.
- 24. Return O.

## 22.2.4.4 TypedArray (object)

This description applies only if the *TypedArray* function is called with at least one argument and the Type of the first argument is Object and that object does not have either a [[TypedArrayName]] or an [[ArrayBufferData]] internal slot.

*TypedArray* called with argument *object* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(object) is Object and object does not have either a [[TypedArrayName]] or an [[ArrayBufferData]] internal slot.
- 2. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *constructorName* be the String value of the Constructor Name value specified in Table 61 for this *TypedArray* constructor.
- 4. Let O be ? AllocateTypedArray(constructorName, NewTarget, "%TypedArray.prototype%").
- 5. Let using Iterator be ? GetMethod (object, @@iterator).
- 6. If using Iterator is not undefined, then
  - a. Let values be? IterableToList(object, usingIterator).
  - b. Let len be the number of elements in values.
  - c. Perform? AllocateTypedArrayBuffer(O, len).
  - d. Let *k* be 0.
  - e. Repeat, while k < len

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i. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
               ii. Let kValue be the first element of values and remove that element from values.
              iii. Perform ? Set(O, Pk, kValue, true).
               iv. Set k to k + 1.
        f. Assert: values is now an empty List.
        g. Return O.
 7. NOTE: object is not an Iterable so assume it is already an array-like object.
 8. Let arrayLike be object.
 9. Let len be? LengthOfArrayLike(arrayLike).
10. Perform ? AllocateTypedArrayBuffer(O, len).
11. Let k be 0.
12. Repeat, while k < len
        a. Let Pk be ! ToString(k).
        b. Let kValue be ? Get(arrayLike, Pk).
        c. Perform ? Set(O, Pk, kValue, true).
        d. Set k to k + 1.
13. Return O.
```

## **22.2.4.5** TypedArray (buffer [, byteOffset [, length]])

This description applies only if the *TypedArray* function is called with at least one argument and the Type of the first argument is Object and that object has an [[ArrayBufferData]] internal slot.

*TypedArray* called with at least one argument *buffer* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(buffer) is Object and buffer has an [[ArrayBufferData]] internal slot.
- 2. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *constructorName* be the String value of the Constructor Name value specified in Table 61 for this *TypedArray* constructor.
- 4. Let O be ? AllocateTypedArray(constructorName, NewTarget, "%TypedArray.prototype%").
- 5. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *constructorName*.
- 6. Let offset be ? ToIndex(byteOffset).
- 7. If offset modulo element Size  $\neq$  0, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 8. If *length* is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *newLength* be ? ToIndex(*length*).
- 9. If IsDetachedBuffer(*buffer*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 10. Let bufferByteLength be buffer.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]].
- 11. If length is undefined, then
  - a. If bufferByteLength modulo elementSize  $\neq$  0, throw a RangeError exception.
  - b. Let newByteLength be bufferByteLength offset.
  - c. If *newByteLength* < 0, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 12. Else,
  - a. Let newByteLength be  $newLength \times elementSize$ .
  - b. If offset + newByteLength > bufferByteLength, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 13. Set O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]] to buffer.
- 14. Set O.[[ByteLength]] to newByteLength.
- 15. Set O.[[ByteOffset]] to offset.
- 16. Set O.[[ArrayLength]] to newByteLength / elementSize.

## 22.2.4.6 TypedArrayCreate (constructor, argumentList)

The abstract operation TypedArrayCreate with arguments *constructor* and *argumentList* is used to specify the creation of a new TypedArray object using a constructor function. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let newTypedArray be ? Construct(constructor, argumentList).
- 2. Perform ? ValidateTypedArray(newTypedArray).
- 3. If argumentList is a List of a single Number, then
  - a. If newTypedArray.[[ArrayLength]] < argumentList[0], throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Return *newTypedArray*.

#### 22.2.4.7 TypedArraySpeciesCreate (exemplar, argumentList)

The abstract operation TypedArraySpeciesCreate with arguments *exemplar* and *argumentList* is used to specify the creation of a new TypedArray object using a constructor function that is derived from *exemplar*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: exemplar is an Object that has [[TypedArrayName]] and [[ContentType]] internal slots.
- 2. Let defaultConstructor be the intrinsic object listed in column one of Table 61 for exemplar.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 3. Let constructor be ? SpeciesConstructor(exemplar, defaultConstructor).
- 4. Let result be ? TypedArrayCreate(constructor, argumentList).
- 5. Assert: result has [[TypedArrayName]] and [[ContentType]] internal slots.
- 6. If result.[[ContentType]] is not equal to exemplar.[[ContentType]], throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 7. Return result.

## 22.2.5 Properties of the *TypedArray* Constructors

Each *TypedArray* constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %TypedArray%.
- has a "name" property whose value is the String value of the constructor name specified for it in Table 61.
- has the following properties:

#### 22.2.5.1 TypedArray.BYTES\_PER\_ELEMENT

The value of TypedArray . BYTES\_PER\_ELEMENT is the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for TypedArray.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 22.2.5.2 *TypedArray*.prototype

The initial value of *TypedArray* . **prototype** is the corresponding *TypedArray* prototype intrinsic object (22.2.6).

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 22.2.6 Properties of the *TypedArray* Prototype Objects

Each *TypedArray* prototype object:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %TypedArray.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] or any other of the internal slots that are specific to *TypedArray* instance objects.

### 22.2.6.1 *TypedArray*.prototype.BYTES\_PER\_ELEMENT

The value of *TypedArray*.**prototype**.**BYTES\_PER\_ELEMENT** is the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *TypedArray*.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 22.2.6.2 *TypedArray*.prototype.constructor

The initial value of a *TypedArray* . **prototype** . **constructor** is the corresponding %TypedArray% intrinsic object.

## 22.2.7 Properties of TypedArray Instances

*TypedArray* instances are Integer-Indexed exotic objects. Each *TypedArray* instance inherits properties from the corresponding *TypedArray* prototype object. Each *TypedArray* instance has the following internal slots: [[TypedArrayName]], [[ViewedArrayBuffer]], [[ByteLength]], [[ByteOffset]], and [[ArrayLength]].

# 23 Keyed Collections

# 23.1 Map Objects

Map objects are collections of key/value pairs where both the keys and values may be arbitrary ECMAScript language values. A distinct key value may only occur in one key/value pair within the Map's collection. Distinct key values are discriminated using the SameValueZero comparison algorithm.

Map object must be implemented using either hash tables or other mechanisms that, on average, provide access times that are sublinear on the number of elements in the collection. The data structures used in this Map objects specification is only intended to describe the required observable semantics of Map objects. It is not intended to be a viable implementation model.

## 23.1.1 The Map Constructor

The Map constructor:

- is the intrinsic object %*Map*%.
- is the initial value of the "Map" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new Map object when called as a constructor.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.

• is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value in an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **Map** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **Map** constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with the internal state necessary to support the **Map.prototype** built-in methods.

## 23.1.1.1 Map ([iterable])

When the **Map** function is called with optional argument *iterable*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let map be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%Map.prototype%", « [[MapData]] »).
- 3. Set *map*.[[MapData]] to a new empty List.
- 4. If *iterable* is either **undefined** or **null**, return *map*.
- 5. Let adder be ? Get(map, "set").
- 6. Return? AddEntriesFromIterable(map, iterable, adder).

**NOTE** 

If the parameter *iterable* is present, it is expected to be an object that implements an @@iterator method that returns an iterator object that produces a two element array-like object whose first element is a value that will be used as a Map key and whose second element is the value to associate with that key.

#### 23.1.1.2 AddEntriesFromIterable (target, iterable, adder)

The abstract operation AddEntriesFromIterable accepts a *target* object, an *iterable* of entries, and an *adder* function to be invoked, with *target* as the receiver.

- 1. If IsCallable(adder) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Assert: iterable is present, and is neither undefined nor null.
- 3. Let iteratorRecord be? GetIterator(iterable).
- 4. Repeat,
  - a. Let *next* be ? IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is **false**, return *target*.
  - c. Let *nextItem* be ? IteratorValue(*next*).
  - d. If Type(nextItem) is not Object, then
    - i. Let *error* be ThrowCompletion(a newly created **TypeError** object).
    - ii. Return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, error).
  - e. Let *k* be **Get**(*nextItem*, **''0''**).
  - f. If *k* is an abrupt completion, return? IteratorClose(*iteratorRecord*, *k*).
  - g. Let v be Get(nextItem, "1").
  - h. If v is an abrupt completion, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, v).
  - i. Let status be Call(adder, target, « k.[[Value]], v.[[Value]] »).
  - j. If status is an abrupt completion, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, status).

**NOTE** 

The parameter *iterable* is expected to be an object that implements an @@iterator method that returns an iterator object that produces a two element array-like object whose first element is a value that will be used as a Map key and whose second element is the value to associate with that key.

## 23.1.2 Properties of the Map Constructor

The Map constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

### 23.1.2.1 Map.prototype

The initial value of **Map.prototype** is %Map.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

### 23.1.2.2 get Map [ @@species ]

**Map[@@species]** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "get [Symbol.species]".

**NOTE** 

Methods that create derived collection objects should call @@species to determine the constructor to use to create the derived objects. Subclass constructor may over-ride @@species to change the default constructor assignment.

## 23.1.3 Properties of the Map Prototype Object

The Map prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object *%MapPrototype%*.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have a [[MapData]] internal slot.

#### 23.1.3.1 Map.prototype.clear ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[MapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[MapData]].
- 4. For each Record  $\{ [[Key]], [[Value]] \} p$  that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. Set p.[[Key]] to empty.
  - b. Set p.[[Value]] to empty.
- 5. Return undefined.

NOTE

The existing [[MapData]] List is preserved because there may be existing Map Iterator objects that are suspended midway through iterating over that List.

#### 23.1.3.2 Map.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Map.prototype.constructor** is %Map%.

#### 23.1.3.3 Map.prototype.delete ( key )

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[MapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[MapData]].
- 4. For each Record  $\{ [[Key]], [[Value]] \} p$  that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If p.[[Key]] is not empty and SameValueZero(p.[[Key]], key) is true, then
    - i. Set p.[[Key]] to empty.
    - ii. Set p.[[Value]] to empty.
    - iii. Return **true**.
- 5. Return **false**.

NOTE

The value **empty** is used as a specification device to indicate that an entry has been deleted. Actual implementations may take other actions such as physically removing the entry from internal data structures.

#### 23.1.3.4 Map.prototype.entries ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateMapIterator(*M*, key+value).

#### 23.1.3.5 Map.prototype.forEach ( callbackfn [ , thisArg ] )

When the **forEach** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[MapData]]).
- 3. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[MapData]].
- 5. For each Record { [[Key]], [[Value]] } e that is an element of entries, in original key insertion order, do
  - a. If *e*.[[Key]] is not **empty**, then
    - i. Perform? Call(callbackfn, thisArg, « e.[[Value]], e.[[Key]], M »).
- 6. Return **undefined**.

NOTE

callbackfn should be a function that accepts three arguments. **forEach** calls callbackfn once for each key/value pair present in the map object, in key insertion order. callbackfn is called only for keys of the map which actually exist; it is not called for keys that have been deleted from the map.

If a *thisArg* parameter is provided, it will be used as the **this** value for each invocation of *callbackfn*. If it is not provided, **undefined** is used instead.

*callbackfn* is called with three arguments: the value of the item, the key of the item, and the Map object being traversed.

**forEach** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *callbackfn*. Each entry of a map's [[MapData]] is only visited once. New keys added after the call to **forEach** begins are visited. A key will be revisited if it is deleted after it has been visited and then re-added before the **forEach** call completes. Keys that are deleted after the call to **forEach** begins and before being visited are not visited unless the key is added again before the **forEach** call completes.

## 23.1.3.6 Map.prototype.get (key)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[MapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[MapData]].
- 4. For each Record  $\{ [[Key]], [[Value]] \} p$  that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If p.[[Key]] is not empty and SameValueZero(p.[[Key]], key) is true, return p.[[Value]].
- 5. Return **undefined**.

#### 23.1.3.7 Map.prototype.has ( key )

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[MapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[MapData]].
- 4. For each Record  $\{ [[Key]], [[Value]] \} p$  that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If p.[[Key]] is not empty and SameValueZero(p.[[Key]], key) is true, return true.
- 5. Return false.

#### 23.1.3.8 Map.prototype.keys ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateMapIterator(M, key).

#### 23.1.3.9 Map.prototype.set ( key, value )

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[MapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[MapData]].
- 4. For each Record  $\{ [[Key]], [[Value]] \} p$  that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *p*.[[Key]] is not **empty** and **SameValueZero**(*p*.[[Key]], *key*) is **true**, then
    - i. Set *p*.[[Value]] to *value*.
    - ii. Return M.
- 5. If *key* is **-0**, set *key* to **+0**.
- 6. Let p be the Record  $\{ [[Key]]: key, [[Value]]: value <math>\}$ .
- 7. Append *p* as the last element of *entries*.
- 8. Return *M*.

## 23.1.3.10 get Map.prototype.size

**Map.prototype.size** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[MapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[MapData]].
- 4. Let count be 0.
- 5. For each Record { [[Key]], [[Value]] } *p* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If p.[[Key]] is not empty, set count to count + 1.
- 6. Return count.

#### 23.1.3.11 Map.prototype.values ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateMapIterator(*M*, value).

#### 23.1.3.12 Map.prototype [@@iterator]()

The initial value of the @@iterator property is the same function object as the initial value of the "entries" property.

#### 23.1.3.13 Map.prototype [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Map".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 23.1.4 Properties of Map Instances

Map instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the Map prototype. Map instances also have a [[MapData]] internal slot.

## 23.1.5 Map Iterator Objects

A Map Iterator is an object, that represents a specific iteration over some specific Map instance object. There is not a named constructor for Map Iterator objects. Instead, map iterator objects are created by calling certain methods of Map instance objects.

### 23.1.5.1 CreateMapIterator (map, kind)

Several methods of Map objects return Iterator objects. The abstract operation CreateMapIterator with arguments *map* and *kind* is used to create such iterator objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(map, [[MapData]]).
- 2. Let *iterator* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%MapIteratorPrototype%, « [[IteratedMap]], [[MapNextIndex]], [[MapIterationKind]] »).
- 3. Set *iterator*.[[IteratedMap]] to *map*.
- 4. Set iterator.[[MapNextIndex]] to 0.
- 5. Set *iterator*.[[MapIterationKind]] to *kind*.
- 6. Return iterator.

### 23.1.5.2 The %MapIteratorPrototype% Object

The *%MapIteratorPrototype*% object:

- has properties that are inherited by all Map Iterator Objects.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %IteratorPrototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 23.1.5.2.1 % MapIteratorPrototype%.next()

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(O) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 3. If O does not have all of the internal slots of a Map Iterator Instance (23.1.5.3), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let m be O.[[IteratedMap]].
- 5. Let *index* be O.[[MapNextIndex]].
- 6. Let itemKind be O.[[MapIterationKind]].
- 7. If *m* is **undefined**, return CreateIterResultObject(**undefined**, **true**).
- 8. Assert: *m* has a [[MapData]] internal slot.
- 9. Let *entries* be the List that is *m*.[[MapData]].
- 10. Let numEntries be the number of elements of entries.
- 11. NOTE: numEntries must be redetermined each time this method is evaluated.
- 12. Repeat, while *index* is less than *numEntries*,
  - a. Let *e* be the Record { [[Key]], [[Value]] } that is the value of *entries*[*index*].
  - b. Set index to index + 1.
  - c. Set O.[[MapNextIndex]] to index.
  - d. If *e*.[[Key]] is not **empty**, then
    - i. If *itemKind* is **key**, let *result* be *e*.[[Key]].
    - ii. Else if *itemKind* is value, let *result* be *e*.[[Value]].
    - iii. Else,

- 1. Assert: *itemKind* is key+value.
- 2. Let result be ! CreateArrayFromList(« e.[[Key]], e.[[Value]] »).
- iv. Return CreateIterResultObject(result, false).
- 13. Set O.[[IteratedMap]] to undefined.
- 14. Return CreateIterResultObject(undefined, true).

#### 23.1.5.2.2 %MapIteratorPrototype% [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Map Iterator".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 23.1.5.3 Properties of Map Iterator Instances

Map Iterator instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the %MapIteratorPrototype% intrinsic object. Map Iterator instances are initially created with the internal slots described in Table 62.

Internal Slot

[[IteratedMap]] The Map object that is being iterated.

[[MapNextIndex]] The integer index of the next [[MapData]] element to be examined by this iterator.

[[MapIterationKind]] A String value that identifies what is returned for each element of the iteration. The possible values are: key, value, key+value.

**Table 62: Internal Slots of Map Iterator Instances** 

# 23.2 Set Objects

Set objects are collections of ECMAScript language values. A distinct value may only occur once as an element of a Set's collection. Distinct values are discriminated using the SameValueZero comparison algorithm.

Set objects must be implemented using either hash tables or other mechanisms that, on average, provide access times that are sublinear on the number of elements in the collection. The data structures used in this Set objects specification is only intended to describe the required observable semantics of Set objects. It is not intended to be a viable implementation model.

## 23.2.1 The Set Constructor

The Set constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *Set*%.
- is the initial value of the "Set" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new Set object when called as a constructor.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value in an extends clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified Set behaviour must include a super call to the Set constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with the internal state necessary to support the Set.prototype built-in methods.

#### 23.2.1.1 Set ([iterable])

When the **Set** function is called with optional argument *iterable*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let set be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%Set.prototype%", « [[SetData]] »).
- 3. Set *set*.[[SetData]] to a new empty List.
- 4. If *iterable* is either **undefined** or **null**, return *set*.
- 5. Let adder be ? Get(set, "add").
- 6. If IsCallable(adder) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 7. Let iteratorRecord be? GetIterator(iterable).
- 8. Repeat,
  - a. Let next be? IteratorStep(iteratorRecord).
  - b. If *next* is **false**, return *set*.
  - c. Let nextValue be? IteratorValue(next).
  - d. Let status be Call(adder, set, « nextValue »).
  - e. If status is an abrupt completion, return? IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, status).

## 23.2.2 Properties of the Set Constructor

The Set constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

## 23.2.2.1 Set.prototype

The initial value of **Set.prototype** is the intrinsic %SetPrototype% object.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 23.2.2.2 get Set [@@species]

**Set[@especies]** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "get [Symbol.species]".

NOTE

Methods that create derived collection objects should call @@species to determine the constructor to use to create the derived objects. Subclass constructor may over-ride @@species to change the default constructor assignment.

## 23.2.3 Properties of the Set Prototype Object

The Set prototype object:

• is the intrinsic object % *SetPrototype*%.

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have a [[SetData]] internal slot.

#### 23.2.3.1 Set.prototype.add (value)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(*S*, [[SetData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *S*.[[SetData]].
- 4. For each *e* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *e* is not **empty** and **SameValueZero**(*e*, *value*) is **true**, then
    - i. Return S.
- 5. If value is -0, set value to +0.
- 6. Append *value* as the last element of *entries*.
- 7. Return S.

## 23.2.3.2 Set.prototype.clear()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(*S*, [[SetData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *S*.[[SetData]].
- 4. For each *e* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. Replace the element of *entries* whose value is *e* with an element whose value is **empty**.
- 5. Return undefined.

NOTE

The existing [[SetData]] List is preserved because there may be existing Set Iterator objects that are suspended midway through iterating over that List.

#### 23.2.3.3 Set.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Set.prototype.constructor** is %Set%.

#### 23.2.3.4 Set.prototype.delete (value)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(S, [[SetData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *S*.[[SetData]].
- 4. For each *e* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *e* is not empty and SameValueZero(*e*, *value*) is **true**, then
    - i. Replace the element of *entries* whose value is *e* with an element whose value is **empty**.
    - ii. Return true.
- 5. Return false.

NOTE

The value empty is used as a specification device to indicate that an entry has been deleted. Actual implementations may take other actions such as physically removing the entry from internal data structures.

#### 23.2.3.5 Set.prototype.entries ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateSetIterator(S, key+value).

**NOTE** 

For iteration purposes, a Set appears similar to a Map where each entry has the same value for its key and value.

## 23.2.3.6 Set.prototype.forEach (callbackfn [, thisArg])

When the **forEach** method is called with one or two arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(S, [[SetData]]).
- 3. If IsCallable(callbackfn) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *entries* be the List that is *S*.[[SetData]].
- 5. For each *e* that is an element of *entries*, in original insertion order, do
  - a. If *e* is not **empty**, then
    - i. Perform ? Call(callbackfn, thisArg, « e, e, S »).
- 6. Return **undefined**.

NOTE

callbackfn should be a function that accepts three arguments. **for Each** calls callbackfn once for each value present in the set object, in value insertion order. callbackfn is called only for values of the Set which actually exist; it is not called for keys that have been deleted from the set.

If a *thisArg* parameter is provided, it will be used as the **this** value for each invocation of *callbackfn*. If it is not provided, **undefined** is used instead.

*callbackfn* is called with three arguments: the first two arguments are a value contained in the Set. The same value is passed for both arguments. The Set object being traversed is passed as the third argument.

The *callbackfn* is called with three arguments to be consistent with the call back functions used by **forEach** methods for Map and Array. For Sets, each item value is considered to be both the key and the value.

**forEach** does not directly mutate the object on which it is called but the object may be mutated by the calls to *callbackfn*.

Each value is normally visited only once. However, a value will be revisited if it is deleted after it has been visited and then re-added before the **forEach** call completes. Values that are deleted after the call to **forEach** begins and before being visited are not visited unless the value is added again before the **forEach** call completes. New values added after the call to **forEach** begins are visited.

### 23.2.3.7 Set.prototype.has (value)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(*S*, [[SetData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *S*.[[SetData]].
- 4. For each *e* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *e* is not **empty** and **SameValueZero**(*e*, *value*) is **true**, return **true**.
- 5. Return false.

#### 23.2.3.8 Set.prototype.keys()

The initial value of the "keys" property is the same function object as the initial value of the "values" property.

**NOTE** 

For iteration purposes, a Set appears similar to a Map where each entry has the same value for its key and value.

#### 23.2.3.9 get Set.prototype.size

**Set.prototype.size** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Let S be the **this** value.

- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(S, [[SetData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *S*.[[SetData]].
- 4. Let *count* be 0.
- 5. For each *e* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If e is not empty, set count to count + 1.
- 6. Return count.

## 23.2.3.10 Set.prototype.values ()

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateSetIterator(*S*, value).

### 23.2.3.11 Set.prototype [@@iterator]()

The initial value of the @@iterator property is the same function object as the initial value of the "values" property.

## 23.2.3.12 Set.prototype [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Set".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 23.2.4 Properties of Set Instances

Set instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the Set prototype. Set instances also have a [[SetData]] internal slot.

#### 23.2.5 Set Iterator Objects

A Set Iterator is an ordinary object, with the structure defined below, that represents a specific iteration over some specific Set instance object. There is not a named constructor for Set Iterator objects. Instead, set iterator objects are created by calling certain methods of Set instance objects.

#### 23.2.5.1 CreateSetIterator ( set, kind )

Several methods of Set objects return Iterator objects. The abstract operation CreateSetIterator with arguments *set* and *kind* is used to create such iterator objects. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(set, [[SetData]]).
- 2. Let *iterator* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%SetIteratorPrototype%, « [[IteratedSet]], [[SetNextIndex]], [[SetIterationKind]] »).
- 3. Set *iterator*.[[IteratedSet]] to *set*.
- 4. Set iterator.[[SetNextIndex]] to 0.
- 5. Set *iterator*.[[SetIterationKind]] to *kind*.
- 6. Return iterator.

### 23.2.5.2 The %SetIteratorPrototype% Object

The *% SetIteratorPrototype*% object:

- has properties that are inherited by all Set Iterator Objects.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %IteratorPrototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 23.2.5.2.1 %SetIteratorPrototype%.next()

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(O) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If O does not have all of the internal slots of a Set Iterator Instance (23.2.5.3), throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let s be O.[[IteratedSet]].
- 5. Let *index* be O.[[SetNextIndex]].
- 6. Let *itemKind* be O.[[SetIterationKind]].
- 7. If *s* is **undefined**, return CreateIterResultObject(**undefined**, **true**).
- 8. Assert: *s* has a [[SetData]] internal slot.
- 9. Let *entries* be the List that is *s*.[[SetData]].
- 10. Let *numEntries* be the number of elements of *entries*.
- 11. NOTE: numEntries must be redetermined each time this method is evaluated.
- 12. Repeat, while *index* is less than *numEntries*,
  - a. Let *e* be *entries*[*index*].
  - b. Set index to index + 1.
  - c. Set O.[[SetNextIndex]] to index.
  - d. If *e* is not **empty**, then
    - i. If itemKind is key+value, then
      - 1. Return CreateIterResultObject(CreateArrayFromList(« e, e »), false).
    - ii. Assert: itemKind is value.
    - iii. Return CreateIterResultObject(e, false).
- 13. Set O.[[IteratedSet]] to undefined.
- 14. Return CreateIterResultObject(undefined, true).

#### 23.2.5.2.2 %SetIteratorPrototype% [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Set Iterator".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 23.2.5.3 Properties of Set Iterator Instances

Set Iterator instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the %SetIteratorPrototype% intrinsic object. Set Iterator instances are initially created with the internal slots specified in Table 63.

**Table 63: Internal Slots of Set Iterator Instances** 

Internal Slot	Description
[[IteratedSet]]	The Set object that is being iterated.
[[SetNextIndex]]	The integer index of the next [[SetData]] element to be examined by this iterator.
[[SetIterationKind]]	A String value that identifies what is returned for each element of the iteration. The possible values are value and key+value.

# 23.3 WeakMap Objects

WeakMap objects are collections of key/value pairs where the keys are objects and values may be arbitrary ECMAScript language values. A WeakMap may be queried to see if it contains a key/value pair with a specific key, but no mechanism is provided for enumerating the objects it holds as keys. If an object that is being used as the key of a WeakMap key/value pair is only reachable by following a chain of references that start within that WeakMap, then that key/value pair is inaccessible and is automatically removed from the WeakMap. WeakMap implementations must detect and remove such key/value pairs and any associated resources.

An implementation may impose an arbitrarily determined latency between the time a key/value pair of a WeakMap becomes inaccessible and the time when the key/value pair is removed from the WeakMap. If this latency was observable to ECMAScript program, it would be a source of indeterminacy that could impact program execution. For that reason, an ECMAScript implementation must not provide any means to observe a key of a WeakMap that does not require the observer to present the observed key.

WeakMap objects must be implemented using either hash tables or other mechanisms that, on average, provide access times that are sublinear on the number of key/value pairs in the collection. The data structure used in this WeakMap objects specification are only intended to describe the required observable semantics of WeakMap objects. It is not intended to be a viable implementation model.

NOTE

WeakMap and WeakSets are intended to provide mechanisms for dynamically associating state with an object in a manner that does not "leak" memory resources if, in the absence of the WeakMap or WeakSet, the object otherwise became inaccessible and subject to resource reclamation by the implementation's garbage collection mechanisms. This characteristic can be achieved by using an inverted per-object mapping of weak map instances to keys. Alternatively each weak map may internally store its key to value mappings but this approach requires coordination between the WeakMap or WeakSet implementation and the garbage collector. The following references describe mechanism that may be useful to implementations of WeakMap and WeakSets:

Barry Hayes. 1997. Ephemerons: a new finalization mechanism. In *Proceedings of the 12th ACM SIGPLAN conference on Object-oriented programming, systems, languages, and applications (OOPSLA '97)*, A. Michael Berman (Ed.). ACM, New York, NY, USA, 176-183, http://doi.acm.org/10.1145/263698.263733.

Alexandra Barros, Roberto Ierusalimschy, Eliminating Cycles in Weak Tables. Journal of Universal Computer Science - J.UCS, vol. 14, no. 21, pp. 3481-3497, 2008, http://www.jucs.org/jucs\_14\_21/eliminating\_cycles\_in\_weak

## 23.3.1 The WeakMap Constructor

The WeakMap constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % WeakMap%.
- is the initial value of the "WeakMap" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new WeakMap object when called as a constructor.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value in an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **WeakMap** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **WeakMap** constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with the internal state necessary to support the **WeakMap.prototype** built-in methods.

#### 23.3.1.1 WeakMap ([ *iterable* ])

When the **WeakMap** function is called with optional argument *iterable*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let map be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%WeakMap.prototype%", « [[WeakMapData]] »).
- 3. Set map.[[WeakMapData]] to a new empty List.
- 4. If *iterable* is either **undefined** or **null**, return *map*.
- 5. Let adder be ? Get(map, "set").
- 6. Return? AddEntriesFromIterable(map, iterable, adder).

NOTE

If the parameter *iterable* is present, it is expected to be an object that implements an @@iterator method that returns an iterator object that produces a two element array-like object whose first element is a value that will be used as a WeakMap key and whose second element is the value to associate with that key.

## 23.3.2 Properties of the WeakMap Constructor

The WeakMap constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

### 23.3.2.1 WeakMap.prototype

The initial value of **WeakMap.prototype** is %WeakMap.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 23.3.3 Properties of the WeakMap Prototype Object

The WeakMap prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % WeakMapPrototype%.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have a [[WeakMapData]] internal slot.

#### 23.3.3.1 WeakMap.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **WeakMap.prototype.constructor** is %WeakMap%.

## 23.3.3.2 WeakMap.prototype.delete ( key )

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[WeakMapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[WeakMapData]].
- 4. If Type(key) is not Object, return **false**.
- 5. For each Record  $\{ [[Key]], [[Value]] \} p$  that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *p*.[[Key]] is not **empty** and **SameValue**(*p*.[[Key]], *key*) is **true**, then
    - i. Set *p*.[[Key]] to empty.
    - ii. Set p.[[Value]] to empty.
    - iii. Return true.
- 6. Return **false**.

NOTE

The value empty is used as a specification device to indicate that an entry has been deleted. Actual implementations may take other actions such as physically removing the entry from internal data structures.

#### 23.3.3.3 WeakMap.prototype.get ( key )

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[WeakMapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[WeakMapData]].
- If Type(key) is not Object, return undefined.
- 5. For each Record  $\{ [[Key]], [[Value]] \} p$  that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *p*.[[Key]] is not **empty** and **SameValue**(*p*.[[Key]], *key*) is **true**, return *p*.[[Value]].
- Return undefined.

#### 23.3.3.4 WeakMap.prototype.has ( key )

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[WeakMapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[WeakMapData]].
- 4. If Type(key) is not Object, return false.
- 5. For each Record { [[Key]], [[Value]] } *p* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *p*.[[Key]] is not **empty** and SameValue(*p*.[[Key]], *key*) is **true**, return **true**.
- 6. Return false.

#### 23.3.3.5 WeakMap.prototype.set ( key, value )

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *M* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(M, [[WeakMapData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *M*.[[WeakMapData]].
- 4. If Type(*key*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. For each Record  $\{[[Key]], [[Value]]\} p$  that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *p*.[[Key]] is not **empty** and **SameValue**(*p*.[[Key]], *key*) is **true**, then
    - i. Set p.[[Value]] to value.
    - ii. Return M.
- 6. Let *p* be the Record { [[Key]]: *key*, [[Value]]: *value* }.
- 7. Append *p* as the last element of *entries*.
- 8. Return *M*.

#### 23.3.3.6 WeakMap.prototype [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "WeakMap".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 23.3.4 Properties of WeakMap Instances

WeakMap instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the WeakMap prototype. WeakMap instances also have a [[WeakMapData]] internal slot.

# 23.4 WeakSet Objects

WeakSet objects are collections of objects. A distinct object may only occur once as an element of a WeakSet's collection. A WeakSet may be queried to see if it contains a specific object, but no mechanism is provided for enumerating the objects it holds. If an object that is contained by a WeakSet is only reachable by following a chain of references that start within that WeakSet, then that object is inaccessible and is automatically removed from the WeakSet. WeakSet implementations must detect and remove such objects and any associated resources.

An implementation may impose an arbitrarily determined latency between the time an object contained in a WeakSet becomes inaccessible and the time when the object is removed from the WeakSet. If this latency was observable to ECMAScript program, it would be a source of indeterminacy that could impact program execution. For that reason, an ECMAScript implementation must not provide any means to determine if a WeakSet contains a particular object that does not require the observer to present the observed object.

WeakSet objects must be implemented using either hash tables or other mechanisms that, on average, provide access times that are sublinear on the number of elements in the collection. The data structure used in this WeakSet objects specification is only intended to describe the required observable semantics of WeakSet objects. It is not intended to be a viable implementation model.

NOTE

See the NOTE in 23.3.

#### 23.4.1 The WeakSet Constructor

The WeakSet constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % WeakSet%.
- is the initial value of the "WeakSet" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new WeakSet object when called as a constructor.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value in an extends clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified WeakSet behaviour must include a super call to the WeakSet constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with the internal state necessary to support the WeakSet.prototype built-in methods.

#### 23.4.1.1 WeakSet ([ *iterable* ])

When the **WeakSet** function is called with optional argument *iterable*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let set be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "% WeakSet.prototype%", « [[WeakSetData]] »).
- 3. Set set.[[WeakSetData]] to a new empty List.
- 4. If *iterable* is either **undefined** or **null**, return *set*.
- 5. Let adder be ? Get(set, "add").
- If IsCallable(adder) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
- 7. Let *iteratorRecord* be ? GetIterator(*iterable*).
- 8. Repeat,
  - a. Let *next* be ? IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is **false**, return *set*.
  - c. Let nextValue be? IteratorValue(next).
  - d. Let status be Call(adder, set, « nextValue »).

## 23.4.2 Properties of the WeakSet Constructor

The WeakSet constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

### 23.4.2.1 WeakSet.prototype

The initial value of **WeakSet.prototype** is the intrinsic %WeakSetPrototype% object.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 23.4.3 Properties of the WeakSet Prototype Object

The WeakSet prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % WeakSetPrototype%.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have a [[WeakSetData]] internal slot.

### 23.4.3.1 WeakSet.prototype.add (value)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(S, [[WeakSetData]]).
- 3. If Type(value) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *entries* be the List that is *S*.[[WeakSetData]].
- 5. For each *e* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *e* is not **empty** and **SameValue**(*e*, *value*) is **true**, then
    - i. Return S.
- 6. Append *value* as the last element of *entries*.
- 7. Return *S*.

## 23.4.3.2 WeakSet.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **WeakSet.prototype.constructor** is the %WeakSet% intrinsic object.

#### 23.4.3.3 WeakSet.prototype.delete (value)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(S, [[WeakSetData]]).
- 3. If Type(value) is not Object, return false.

- 4. Let *entries* be the List that is *S*.[[WeakSetData]].
- 5. For each *e* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *e* is not **empty** and **SameValue**(*e*, *value*) is **true**, then
    - i. Replace the element of *entries* whose value is *e* with an element whose value is **empty**.
    - ii. Return **true**.
- 6. Return false.

**NOTE** 

The value empty is used as a specification device to indicate that an entry has been deleted. Actual implementations may take other actions such as physically removing the entry from internal data structures.

### 23.4.3.4 WeakSet.prototype.has (value)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(S, [[WeakSetData]]).
- 3. Let *entries* be the List that is *S*.[[WeakSetData]].
- 4. If Type(value) is not Object, return false.
- 5. For each *e* that is an element of *entries*, do
  - a. If *e* is not **empty** and **Same**Value(*e*, *value*) is **true**, return **true**.
- 6. Return false.

### 23.4.3.5 WeakSet.prototype [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "WeakSet".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 23.4.4 Properties of WeakSet Instances

WeakSet instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the WeakSet prototype. WeakSet instances also have a [[WeakSetData]] internal slot.

# 24 Structured Data

# 24.1 ArrayBuffer Objects

## 24.1.1 Abstract Operations For ArrayBuffer Objects

#### **24.1.1.1** AllocateArrayBuffer (constructor, byteLength)

The abstract operation AllocateArrayBuffer with arguments *constructor* and *byteLength* is used to create an ArrayBuffer object. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(*constructor*, "% ArrayBuffer.prototype%", « [[ArrayBufferData]], [[ArrayBufferByteLength]], [[ArrayBufferDetachKey]] »).
- 2. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(byteLength) is true.
- 3. Let block be? CreateByteDataBlock(byteLength).
- 4. Set obj.[[ArrayBufferData]] to block.
- 5. Set *obj*.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]] to *byteLength*.
- 6. Return obj.

## 24.1.1.2 IsDetachedBuffer ( arrayBuffer )

The abstract operation IsDetachedBuffer with argument arrayBuffer performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(arrayBuffer) is Object and it has an [[ArrayBufferData]] internal slot.
- 2. If arrayBuffer.[[ArrayBufferData]] is **null**, return **true**.
- 3. Return false.

### 24.1.1.3 DetachArrayBuffer ( arrayBuffer [ , key ] )

The abstract operation DetachArrayBuffer with argument *arrayBuffer* and optional argument *key* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(arrayBuffer) is Object and it has [[ArrayBufferData]], [[ArrayBufferByteLength]], and [[ArrayBufferDetachKey]] internal slots.
- 2. Assert: IsSharedArrayBuffer(arrayBuffer) is false.
- 3. If *key* is not present, set *key* to **undefined**.
- 4. If SameValue(arrayBuffer.[[ArrayBufferDetachKey]], key) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Set arrayBuffer.[[ArrayBufferData]] to **null**.
- 6. Set arrayBuffer.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]] to 0.
- 7. Return NormalCompletion(**null**).

NOTE

Detaching an ArrayBuffer instance disassociates the Data Block used as its backing store from the instance and sets the byte length of the buffer to 0. No operations defined by this specification use the DetachArrayBuffer abstract operation. However, an ECMAScript implementation or host environment may define such operations.

### **24.1.1.4** CloneArrayBuffer ( srcBuffer, srcByteOffset, srcLength, cloneConstructor )

The abstract operation CloneArrayBuffer takes four parameters, an ArrayBuffer <code>srcBuffer</code>, an <code>integer</code> offset <code>srcByteOffset</code>, an <code>integer</code> length <code>srcLength</code>, and a <code>constructor</code> function <code>cloneConstructor</code>. It creates a new ArrayBuffer whose data is a copy of <code>srcBuffer</code>'s data over the range starting at <code>srcByteOffset</code> and continuing for <code>srcLength</code> bytes. This operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(srcBuffer) is Object and it has an [[ArrayBufferData]] internal slot.
- 2. Assert: IsConstructor(cloneConstructor) is true.
- 3. Let targetBuffer be? AllocateArrayBuffer(cloneConstructor, srcLength).
- 4. If IsDetachedBuffer(*srcBuffer*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let *srcBlock* be *srcBuffer*.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 6. Let targetBlock be targetBuffer.[[ArrayBufferData]].

- 7. Perform CopyDataBlockBytes(targetBlock, 0, srcBlock, srcByteOffset, srcLength).
- 8. Return targetBuffer.

### 24.1.1.5 IsUnsignedElementType ( type )

The abstract operation IsUnsignedElementType verifies if the argument *type* is an unsigned TypedArray element type. This operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If type is Uint8, Uint8C, Uint16, Uint32, or BigUint64, return true.
- 2. Return false.

## 24.1.1.6 IsUnclampedIntegerElementType ( type )

The abstract operation IsUnclampedIntegerElementType verifies if the argument *type* is an Integer TypedArray element type not including Uint8C. This operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If *type* is Int8, Uint8, Int16, Uint16, Int32, or Uint32, return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

## 24.1.1.7 IsBigIntElementType ( type )

The abstract operation IsBigIntElementType verifies if the argument *type* is a BigInt TypedArray element type. This operation performs the following steps:

- 1. If *type* is BigUint64 or BigInt64, return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

#### 24.1.1.8 IsNoTearConfiguration (type, order)

The abstract operation IsNoTearConfiguration with arguments *type* and *order* performs the following steps:

- 1. If ! IsUnclampedIntegerElementType(*type*) is **true**, return **true**.
- 2. If ! IsBigIntElementType(*type*) is **true** and *order* is not Init or Unordered, return **true**.
- 3. Return false.

#### 24.1.1.9 RawBytesToNumeric (type, rawBytes, isLittleEndian)

The abstract operation RawBytesToNumeric takes three parameters, a TypedArray element type *type*, a List *rawBytes*, and a Boolean *isLittleEndian*. This operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for Element Type *type*.
- 2. If *isLittleEndian* is **false**, reverse the order of the elements of *rawBytes*.
- 3. If type is Float32, then
  - a. Let *value* be the byte elements of *rawBytes* concatenated and interpreted as a little-endian bit string encoding of an IEEE 754-2019 binary32 value.
  - b. If value is an IEEE 754-2019 binary32 NaN value, return the NaN Number value.
  - c. Return the Number value that corresponds to value.
- 4. If *type* is Float64, then
  - a. Let *value* be the byte elements of *rawBytes* concatenated and interpreted as a little-endian bit string encoding of an IEEE 754-2019 binary64 value.

- b. If value is an IEEE 754-2019 binary64 NaN value, return the NaN Number value.
- c. Return the Number value that corresponds to value.
- 5. If ! IsUnsignedElementType(*type*) is **true**, then
  - a. Let *intValue* be the byte elements of *rawBytes* concatenated and interpreted as a bit string encoding of an unsigned little-endian binary number.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let *intValue* be the byte elements of *rawBytes* concatenated and interpreted as a bit string encoding of a binary little-endian 2's complement number of bit length *elementSize*  $\times$  8.
- 7. If ! IsBigIntElementType(type) is **true**, return the BigInt value that corresponds to *intValue*.
- 8. Otherwise, return the Number value that corresponds to *intValue*.

#### **24.1.1.10 GetValueFromBuffer** ( arrayBuffer, byteIndex, type, isTypedArray, order [ , isLittleEndian ] )

The abstract operation GetValueFromBuffer takes six parameters, an ArrayBuffer or SharedArrayBuffer *arrayBuffer*, an integer *byteIndex*, a TypedArray element type *type*, a Boolean *isTypedArray*, *order* which is one of (SeqCst, Unordered), and optionally a Boolean *isLittleEndian*. This operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: IsDetachedBuffer(arrayBuffer) is false.
- 2. Assert: There are sufficient bytes in *arrayBuffer* starting at *byteIndex* to represent a value of *type*.
- 3. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(byteIndex) is true.
- 4. Let block be arrayBuffer.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 5. Let elementSize be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for Element Type type.
- 6. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(arrayBuffer) is **true**, then
  - a. Let execution be the [[CandidateExecution]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
  - b. Let *eventList* be the [[EventList]] field of the element in *execution*.[[EventsRecords]] whose [[AgentSignifier]] is AgentSignifier().
  - c. If *isTypedArray* is **true** and *IsNoTearConfiguration*(*type*, *order*) is **true**, let *noTear* be **true**; otherwise let *noTear* be **false**.
  - d. Let raw Value be a List of length element Size of nondeterministically chosen byte values.
  - e. NOTE: In implementations, *rawValue* is the result of a non-atomic or atomic read instruction on the underlying hardware. The nondeterminism is a semantic prescription of the memory model to describe observable behaviour of hardware with weak consistency.
  - f. Let readEvent be ReadSharedMemory { [[Order]]: order, [[NoTear]]: noTear, [[Block]]: block, [[ByteIndex]]: byteIndex, [[ElementSize]]: elementSize }.
  - g. Append readEvent to eventList.
  - h. Append Chosen Value Record { [[Event]]: readEvent, [[ChosenValue]]: rawValue } to execution. [[ChosenValues]].
- 7. Else, let *rawValue* be a List of *elementSize* containing, in order, the *elementSize* sequence of bytes starting with *block*[byteIndex].
- 8. If *isLittleEndian* is not present, set *isLittleEndian* to the value of the [[LittleEndian]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
- 9. Return RawBytesToNumeric(type, rawValue, isLittleEndian).

#### 24.1.1.11 NumericToRawBytes (type, value, isLittleEndian)

The abstract operation NumericToRawBytes takes three parameters, a TypedArray element type *type*, a BigInt or a Number *value*, and a Boolean *isLittleEndian*. This operation performs the following steps:

1. If *type* is Float32, then

a. Let *rawBytes* be a List containing the 4 bytes that are the result of converting *value* to IEEE 754-2019 binary32 format using roundTiesToEven mode. If *isLittleEndian* is **false**, the bytes are arranged in big endian order. Otherwise, the bytes are arranged in little endian order. If *value* is **NaN**, *rawBytes* may be set to any implementation chosen IEEE 754-2019 binary32 format Not-a-Number encoding. An implementation must always choose the same encoding for each implementation distinguishable **NaN** value.

#### 2. Else if type is Float64, then

a. Let *rawBytes* be a List containing the 8 bytes that are the IEEE 754-2019 binary64 format encoding of *value*. If *isLittleEndian* is **false**, the bytes are arranged in big endian order. Otherwise, the bytes are arranged in little endian order. If *value* is **NaN**, *rawBytes* may be set to any implementation chosen IEEE 754-2019 binary64 format Not-a-Number encoding. An implementation must always choose the same encoding for each implementation distinguishable **NaN** value.

#### 3. Else,

- a. Let *n* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for Element Type *type*.
- b. Let *convOp* be the abstract operation named in the Conversion Operation column in Table 61 for Element Type *type*.
- c. Let *intValue* be *convOp(value)* treated as a mathematical value, whether the result is a BigInt or Number.
- d. If  $intValue \ge 0_{\mathbb{R}}$ , then
  - i. Let *rawBytes* be a List containing the *n*-byte binary encoding of *intValue*. If *isLittleEndian* is **false**, the bytes are ordered in big endian order. Otherwise, the bytes are ordered in little endian order.
- e. Else,
  - i. Let *rawBytes* be a List containing the *n*-byte binary 2's complement encoding of *intValue*. If *isLittleEndian* is **false**, the bytes are ordered in big endian order. Otherwise, the bytes are ordered in little endian order.
- 4. Return rawBytes.

#### **24.1.1.12** SetValueInBuffer (arrayBuffer, byteIndex, type, value, isTypedArray, order [, isLittleEndian])

The abstract operation SetValueInBuffer takes seven parameters, an ArrayBuffer or SharedArrayBuffer *arrayBuffer*, an integer *byteIndex*, a TypedArray element type *type*, a Number or BigInt *value*, a Boolean *isTypedArray*, *order* which is one of (SeqCst, Unordered, Init), and optionally a Boolean *isLittleEndian*. This operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: IsDetachedBuffer(arrayBuffer) is false.
- 2. Assert: There are sufficient bytes in *arrayBuffer* starting at *byteIndex* to represent a value of *type*.
- 3. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(byteIndex) is **true**.
- 4. Assert: Type(value) is BigInt if! IsBigIntElementType(type) is **true**; otherwise, Type(value) is Number.
- 5. Let *block* be *arrayBuffer*.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 6. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for Element Type *type*.
- 7. If *isLittleEndian* is not present, set *isLittleEndian* to the value of the [[LittleEndian]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
- 8. Let rawBytes be NumericToRawBytes(type, value, isLittleEndian).
- 9. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(arrayBuffer) is **true**, then
  - a. Let execution be the [[CandidateExecution]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
  - b. Let *eventList* be the [[EventList]] field of the element in *execution*.[[EventsRecords]] whose [[AgentSignifier]] is AgentSignifier().
  - c. If *isTypedArray* is **true** and *IsNoTearConfiguration*(*type*, *order*) is **true**, let *noTear* be **true**; otherwise let *noTear* be **false**.
  - d. Append WriteSharedMemory { [[Order]]: order, [[NoTear]]: noTear, [[Block]]: block, [[ByteIndex]]:

byteIndex, [[ElementSize]]: elementSize, [[Payload]]: rawBytes } to eventList.

- 10. Else, store the individual bytes of *rawBytes* into *block*, in order, starting at *block[byteIndex]*.
- 11. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

#### **24.1.1.13 GetModifySetValueInBuffer** ( *arrayBuffer*, *byteIndex*, *type*, *value*, *op* [ , *isLittleEndian* ] )

The abstract operation GetModifySetValueInBuffer takes six parameters, a SharedArrayBuffer arrayBuffer, a nonnegative integer byteIndex, a TypedArray element type type, a Number or BigInt value, a semantic function op, and optionally a Boolean isLittleEndian. This operation performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: IsSharedArrayBuffer(arrayBuffer) is **true**.
- 2. Assert: There are sufficient bytes in *arrayBuffer* starting at *byteIndex* to represent a value of *type*.
- 3. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(byteIndex) is true.
- 4. Assert: Type(value) is BigInt if ! IsBigIntElementType(type) is true; otherwise, Type(value) is Number.
- 5. Let *block* be *arrayBuffer*.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 6. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for Element Type *type*.
- 7. If *isLittleEndian* is not present, set *isLittleEndian* to the value of the [[LittleEndian]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
- 8. Let *rawBytes* be NumericToRawBytes(*type*, *value*, *isLittleEndian*).
- 9. Let execution be the [[CandidateExecution]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
- 10. Let *eventList* be the [[EventList]] field of the element in *execution*.[[EventsRecords]] whose [[AgentSignifier]] is AgentSignifier().
- 11. Let rawBytesRead be a List of length elementSize of nondeterministically chosen byte values.
- 12. NOTE: In implementations, *rawBytesRead* is the result of a load-link, of a load-exclusive, or of an operand of a read-modify-write instruction on the underlying hardware. The nondeterminism is a semantic prescription of the memory model to describe observable behaviour of hardware with weak consistency.
- 13. Let rmwEvent be ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory { [[Order]]: SeqCst, [[NoTear]]: true, [[Block]]: block, [[ByteIndex, [[ElementSize]]: elementSize, [[Payload]]: rawBytes, [[ModifyOp]]: op }.
- 14. Append rmwEvent to eventList.
- 15. Append Chosen Value Record { [[Event]]: rmwEvent, [[ChosenValue]]: rawBytesRead } to execution. [[ChosenValues]].
- 16. Return RawBytesToNumeric(type, rawBytesRead, isLittleEndian).

## 24.1.2 The ArrayBuffer Constructor

The ArrayBuffer constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *ArrayBuffer*%.
- is the initial value of the "ArrayBuffer" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new ArrayBuffer object when called as a constructor.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an extends clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified ArrayBuffer behaviour must include a super call to the ArrayBuffer constructor to create and initialize subclass instances with the internal state necessary to support the ArrayBuffer.prototype built-in methods.

#### 24.1.2.1 ArrayBuffer (length)

When the **ArrayBuffer** function is called with argument *length*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *byteLength* be ? ToIndex(*length*).
- 3. Return? AllocateArrayBuffer(NewTarget, byteLength).

## 24.1.3 Properties of the ArrayBuffer Constructor

The ArrayBuffer constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 24.1.3.1 ArrayBuffer.isView ( arg )

The **isView** function takes one argument *arg*, and performs the following steps:

- 1. If Type(arg) is not Object, return **false**.
- 2. If arg has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot, return true.
- 3. Return false.

### 24.1.3.2 ArrayBuffer.prototype

The initial value of **ArrayBuffer.prototype** is %ArrayBuffer.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 24.1.3.3 get ArrayBuffer [@@species]

**ArrayBuffer[@@species]** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "get [Symbol.species]".

**NOTE** 

ArrayBuffer prototype methods normally use their **this** object's constructor to create a derived object. However, a subclass constructor may over-ride that default behaviour by redefining its @@species property.

## 24.1.4 Properties of the ArrayBuffer Prototype Object

The ArrayBuffer prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object *% ArrayBufferPrototype%*.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have an [[ArrayBufferData]] or [[ArrayBufferByteLength]] internal slot.

#### 24.1.4.1 get ArrayBuffer.prototype.byteLength

**ArrayBuffer.prototype.byteLength** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let O be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[ArrayBufferData]]).
- 3. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(O) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. If IsDetachedBuffer(O) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let *length* be O.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]].
- 6. Return length.

### 24.1.4.2 ArrayBuffer.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **ArrayBuffer.prototype.constructor** is %ArrayBuffer%.

## 24.1.4.3 ArrayBuffer.prototype.slice (start, end)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[ArrayBufferData]]).
- 3. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(*O*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. If IsDetachedBuffer(O) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let *len* be O.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]].
- 6. Let relativeStart be? ToInteger(start).
- 7. If relativeStart < 0, let first be max((len + relativeStart), 0); else let first be min(relativeStart, len).
- 8. If end is **undefined**, let *relativeEnd* be *len*; else let *relativeEnd* be ? ToInteger(*end*).
- 9. If relativeEnd < 0, let final be max((len + relativeEnd), 0); else let final be min(relativeEnd, len).
- 10. Let newLen be max(final first, 0).
- 11. Let *ctor* be ? SpeciesConstructor(O, %ArrayBuffer%).
- 12. Let new be? Construct(ctor, « newLen »).
- 13. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(new, [[ArrayBufferData]]).
- 14. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(new) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 15. If IsDetachedBuffer(*new*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 16. If SameValue(*new*, *O*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 17. If *new*.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]] < *newLen*, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 18. NOTE: Side-effects of the above steps may have detached *O*.
- 19. If IsDetachedBuffer(*O*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 20. Let *fromBuf* be O.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 21. Let *toBuf* be *new*.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 22. Perform CopyDataBlockBytes(toBuf, 0, fromBuf, first, newLen).
- 23. Return new.

#### 24.1.4.4 ArrayBuffer.prototype [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "ArrayBuffer".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 24.1.5 Properties of ArrayBuffer Instances

ArrayBuffer instances inherit properties from the ArrayBuffer prototype object. ArrayBuffer instances each have an [[ArrayBufferData]] internal slot, an [[ArrayBufferByteLength]] internal slot, and an [[ArrayBufferDetachKey]] internal slot.

ArrayBuffer instances whose [[ArrayBufferData]] is **null** are considered to be detached and all operators to access or modify data contained in the ArrayBuffer instance will fail.

ArrayBuffer instances whose [[ArrayBufferDetachKey]] is set to a value other than **undefined** need to have all DetachArrayBuffer calls passing that same "detach key" as an argument, otherwise a TypeError will result. This internal slot is only ever set by certain embedding environments, not by algorithms in this specification.

# 24.2 SharedArrayBuffer Objects

## 24.2.1 Abstract Operations for SharedArrayBuffer Objects

#### 24.2.1.1 AllocateSharedArrayBuffer (constructor, byteLength)

The abstract operation AllocateSharedArrayBuffer with arguments *constructor* and *byteLength* is used to create a SharedArrayBuffer object. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *obj* be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(*constructor*, "%SharedArrayBuffer.prototype%", « [[ArrayBufferData]], [[ArrayBufferByteLength]] »).
- 2. Assert: ! IsNonNegativeInteger(byteLength) is true.
- 3. Let *block* be? CreateSharedByteDataBlock(*byteLength*).
- 4. Set obj.[[ArrayBufferData]] to block.
- 5. Set *obj*.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]] to *byteLength*.
- 6. Return obj.

#### 24.2.1.2 IsSharedArrayBuffer (obj)

IsSharedArrayBuffer tests whether an object is an ArrayBuffer, a SharedArrayBuffer, or a subtype of either. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: Type(obj) is Object and it has an [[ArrayBufferData]] internal slot.
- 2. Let *bufferData* be *obj*.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 3. If *bufferData* is **null**, return **false**.
- 4. If bufferData is a Data Block, return false.
- 5. Assert: bufferData is a Shared Data Block.
- 6. Return true.

## 24.2.2 The SharedArrayBuffer Constructor

The SharedArrayBuffer constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % Shared Array Buffer%.
- is the initial value of the "SharedArrayBuffer" property of the global object.

- creates and initializes a new SharedArrayBuffer object when called as a constructor.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an extends clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified SharedArrayBuffer behaviour must include a super call to the SharedArrayBuffer constructor to create and initialize subclass instances with the internal state necessary to support the SharedArrayBuffer.prototype built-in methods.

NOTE

Unlike an **ArrayBuffer**, a **SharedArrayBuffer** cannot become detached, and its internal [[ArrayBufferData]] slot is never **null**.

### 24.2.2.1 SharedArrayBuffer ([length])

When the **SharedArrayBuffer** function is called with optional argument *length*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *byteLength* be ? ToIndex(*length*).
- 3. Return? AllocateSharedArrayBuffer(NewTarget, byteLength).

## 24.2.3 Properties of the SharedArrayBuffer Constructor

The SharedArrayBuffer constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

### 24.2.3.1 SharedArrayBuffer.prototype

The initial value of **SharedArrayBuffer.prototype** is %SharedArrayBuffer.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 24.2.3.2 get SharedArrayBuffer [@@species]

**SharedArrayBuffer[@@species]** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "get [Symbol.species]".

## 24.2.4 Properties of the SharedArrayBuffer Prototype Object

The SharedArrayBuffer prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object *% Shared Array Buffer Prototype %*.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have an [[ArrayBufferData]] or [[ArrayBufferByteLength]] internal slot.

#### 24.2.4.1 get SharedArrayBuffer.prototype.byteLength

**SharedArrayBuffer.prototype.byteLength** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let O be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[ArrayBufferData]]).
- 3. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(*O*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let *length* be O.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]].
- 5. Return length.

#### 24.2.4.2 SharedArrayBuffer.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **SharedArrayBuffer.prototype.constructor** is %SharedArrayBuffer%.

## 24.2.4.3 SharedArrayBuffer.prototype.slice (start, end)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[ArrayBufferData]]).
- 3. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(*O*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let len be O.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]].
- 5. Let relativeStart be? ToInteger(start).
- 6. If relativeStart < 0, let first be max((len + relativeStart), 0); else let first be min(relativeStart, len).
- 7. If end is **undefined**, let *relativeEnd* be *len*; else let *relativeEnd* be ? ToInteger(*end*).
- 8. If relativeEnd < 0, let final be max((len + relativeEnd), 0); else let final be min(relativeEnd, len).
- 9. Let newLen be max(final first, 0).
- 10. Let ctor be ? SpeciesConstructor(O, %SharedArrayBuffer%).
- 11. Let new be? Construct(ctor, « newLen »).
- 12. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(new, [[ArrayBufferData]]).
- 13. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(*new*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 14. If *new*.[[ArrayBufferData]] and *O*.[[ArrayBufferData]] are the same Shared Data Block values, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 15. If *new*.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]] < *newLen*, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 16. Let *fromBuf* be O.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 17. Let *toBuf* be *new*.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 18. Perform CopyDataBlockBytes(toBuf, 0, fromBuf, first, newLen).
- 19. Return new.

## 24.2.4.4 SharedArrayBuffer.prototype [ @@toStringTag ]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "SharedArrayBuffer".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 24.2.5 Properties of SharedArrayBuffer Instances

SharedArrayBuffer instances inherit properties from the SharedArrayBuffer prototype object. SharedArrayBuffer

instances each have an [[ArrayBufferData]] internal slot and an [[ArrayBufferByteLength]] internal slot.

NOTE

SharedArrayBuffer instances, unlike ArrayBuffer instances, are never detached.

# 24.3 DataView Objects

## 24.3.1 Abstract Operations For DataView Objects

#### 24.3.1.1 GetViewValue (view, requestIndex, isLittleEndian, type)

The abstract operation GetViewValue with arguments *view*, *requestIndex*, *isLittleEndian*, and *type* is used by functions on DataView instances to retrieve values from the view's buffer. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(view, [[DataView]]).
- 2. Assert: view has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 3. Let *getIndex* be ? ToIndex(*requestIndex*).
- 4. Set isLittleEndian to! ToBoolean(isLittleEndian).
- 5. Let *buffer* be *view*.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 6. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 7. Let viewOffset be view.[[ByteOffset]].
- 8. Let *viewSize* be *view*.[[ByteLength]].
- 9. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for Element Type *type*.
- 10. If *getIndex* + *elementSize* > *viewSize*, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 11. Let bufferIndex be getIndex + viewOffset.
- 12. Return GetValueFromBuffer(buffer, bufferIndex, type, false, Unordered, isLittleEndian).

#### 24.3.1.2 SetViewValue (view, requestIndex, isLittleEndian, type, value)

The abstract operation SetViewValue with arguments *view*, *requestIndex*, *isLittleEndian*, *type*, and *value* is used by functions on DataView instances to store values into the view's buffer. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(view, [[DataView]]).
- 2. Assert: view has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 3. Let *getIndex* be ? ToIndex(*requestIndex*).
- 4. If ! IsBigIntElementType(type) is **true**, let numberValue be ? ToBigInt(value).
- 5. Otherwise, let *numberValue* be ? ToNumber(*value*).
- 6. Set isLittleEndian to! ToBoolean(isLittleEndian).
- 7. Let *buffer* be *view*.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 8. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 9. Let *viewOffset* be *view*.[[ByteOffset]].
- 10. Let *viewSize* be *view*.[[ByteLength]].
- 11. Let element Size be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for Element Type type.
- 12. If *getIndex* + *elementSize* > *viewSize*, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 13. Let bufferIndex be getIndex + viewOffset.
- 14. Return SetValueInBuffer(buffer, bufferIndex, type, numberValue, false, Unordered, isLittleEndian).

# 24.3.2 The DataView Constructor

The DataView constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *DataView*%.
- is the initial value of the "DataView" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new DataView object when called as a constructor.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an extends clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified DataView behaviour must include a super call to the DataView constructor to create and initialize subclass instances with the internal state necessary to support the DataView.prototype built-in methods.

# 24.3.2.1 DataView (buffer [, byteOffset [, byteLength ]])

When the **DataView** function is called with at least one argument *buffer*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(buffer, [[ArrayBufferData]]).
- Let offset be ? ToIndex(byteOffset).
- 4. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. Let bufferByteLength be buffer.[[ArrayBufferByteLength]].
- 6. If offset > bufferByteLength, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 7. If *byteLength* is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *viewByteLength* be *bufferByteLength offset*.
- 8. Else.
  - a. Let viewByteLength be? ToIndex(byteLength).
  - b. If offset + viewByteLength > bufferByteLength, throw a **RangeError** exception.
- Let O be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "% DataView.prototype%", « [[DataView]], [[ViewedArrayBuffer]], [[ByteLength]], [[ByteOffset]] »).
- 10. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 11. Set O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]] to buffer.
- 12. Set O.[[ByteLength]] to viewByteLength.
- 13. Set O.[[ByteOffset]] to offset.
- 14. Return O.

# 24.3.3 Properties of the DataView Constructor

The DataView constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

# 24.3.3.1 DataView.prototype

The initial value of **DataView.prototype** is %DataView.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 24.3.4 Properties of the DataView Prototype Object

The DataView prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % *DataViewPrototype*%.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have a [[DataView]], [[ViewedArrayBuffer]], [[ByteLength]], or [[ByteOffset]] internal slot.

# 24.3.4.1 get DataView.prototype.buffer

**DataView.prototype.buffer** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let O be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[DataView]]).
- 3. Assert: O has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 4. Let buffer be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 5. Return buffer.

# 24.3.4.2 get DataView.prototype.byteLength

**DataView.prototype.byteLength** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let O be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[DataView]]).
- 3. Assert: O has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 4. Let buffer be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 5. If IsDetachedBuffer(*buffer*) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Let *size* be O.[[ByteLength]].
- 7. Return size.

# 24.3.4.3 get DataView.prototype.byteOffset

**DataView.prototype.byteOffset** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(O, [[DataView]]).
- 3. Assert: O has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 4. Let buffer be O.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 5. If IsDetachedBuffer(buffer) is **true**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Let offset be O.[[ByteOffset]].
- 7. Return offset.

# 24.3.4.4 DataView.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **DataView.prototype.constructor** is %DataView%.

# 24.3.4.5 DataView.prototype.getBigInt64 (byteOffset[, littleEndian])

When the **getBigInt64** method is called with argument *byteOffset* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. If littleEndian is not present, set littleEndian to undefined.
- 3. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, BigInt64).

# 24.3.4.6 DataView.prototype.getBigUint64 (byteOffset [, littleEndian])

When the **getBigUint64** method is called with argument *byteOffset* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. If littleEndian is not present, set littleEndian to undefined.
- 3. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, BigUint64).

# 24.3.4.7 DataView.prototype.getFloat32 (byteOffset [, littleEndian])

When the **getFloat32** method is called with argument *byteOffset* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. If littleEndian is not present, set littleEndian to false.
- 3. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Float32).

# 24.3.4.8 DataView.prototype.getFloat64 (byteOffset [, littleEndian])

When the **getFloat64** method is called with argument *byteOffset* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. If *littleEndian* is not present, set *littleEndian* to **false**.
- 3. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Float64).

# 24.3.4.9 DataView.prototype.getInt8 (byteOffset)

When the **getInt8** method is called with argument *byteOffset*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, true, Int8).

# 24.3.4.10 DataView.prototype.getInt16 (byteOffset [, littleEndian])

When the **getInt16** method is called with argument *byteOffset* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. If *littleEndian* is not present, set *littleEndian* to **false**.

3. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Int16).

# 24.3.4.11 DataView.prototype.getInt32 (byteOffset [, littleEndian])

When the **getInt32** method is called with argument *byteOffset* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. If *littleEndian* is not present, set *littleEndian* to **false**.
- 3. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Int32).

# 24.3.4.12 DataView.prototype.getUint8 (byteOffset)

When the **getUint8** method is called with argument *byteOffset*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, true, Uint8).

# 24.3.4.13 DataView.prototype.getUint16 (byteOffset [, littleEndian])

When the **getUint16** method is called with argument *byteOffset* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. If *littleEndian* is not present, set *littleEndian* to **false**.
- 3. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Uint16).

# 24.3.4.14 DataView.prototype.getUint32 (byteOffset[, littleEndian])

When the **getUint32** method is called with argument *byteOffset* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. If *littleEndian* is not present, set *littleEndian* to **false**.
- 3. Return ? GetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Uint32).

# 24.3.4.15 DataView.prototype.setBigInt64 (byteOffset, value [, littleEndian])

When the **setBigInt64** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. If littleEndian is not present, set littleEndian to undefined.
- 3. Return ? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, BigInt64, value).

# 24.3.4.16 DataView.prototype.setBigUint64 (byteOffset, value [, littleEndian])

When the **setBigUint64** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. If littleEndian is not present, set littleEndian to undefined.
- 3. Return ? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, BigUint64, value).

# 24.3.4.17 DataView.prototype.setFloat32 (byteOffset, value [, littleEndian])

When the **setFloat32** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. If *littleEndian* is not present, set *littleEndian* to **false**.
- Return ? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Float32, value).

# 24.3.4.18 DataView.prototype.setFloat64 (byteOffset, value [, littleEndian])

When the **setFloat64** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. If *littleEndian* is not present, set *littleEndian* to **false**.
- 3. Return? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Float64, value).

# 24.3.4.19 DataView.prototype.setInt8 (byteOffset, value)

When the **setInt8** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, true, Int8, value).

# 24.3.4.20 DataView.prototype.setInt16 (byteOffset, value [, littleEndian])

When the **setInt16** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. If littleEndian is not present, set littleEndian to false.
- 3. Return ? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Int16, value).

# 24.3.4.21 DataView.prototype.setInt32 (byteOffset, value [, littleEndian])

When the **setInt32** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. If littleEndian is not present, set littleEndian to false.
- 3. Return ? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Int32, value).

# 24.3.4.22 DataView.prototype.setUint8 (byteOffset, value)

When the **setUint8** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, true, Uint8, value).

# 24.3.4.23 DataView.prototype.setUint16 (byteOffset, value [, littleEndian])

When the **setUint16** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *v* be the **this** value.
- 2. If *littleEndian* is not present, set *littleEndian* to **false**.
- 3. Return ? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Uint16, value).

# 24.3.4.24 DataView.prototype.setUint32 (byteOffset, value [, littleEndian])

When the **setUint32** method is called with arguments *byteOffset* and *value* and optional argument *littleEndian*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let v be the **this** value.
- 2. If *littleEndian* is not present, set *littleEndian* to **false**.
- 3. Return ? SetViewValue(v, byteOffset, littleEndian, Uint32, value).

# 24.3.4.25 DataView.prototype [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "DataView".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 24.3.5 Properties of DataView Instances

DataView instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the DataView prototype object. DataView instances each have [[DataView]], [[ViewedArrayBuffer]], [[ByteLength]], and [[ByteOffset]] internal slots.

**NOTE** 

The value of the [[DataView]] internal slot is not used within this specification. The simple presence of that internal slot is used within the specification to identify objects created using the **DataView** constructor.

# 24.4 The Atomics Object

The Atomics object:

- is the intrinsic object % *Atomics*%.
- is the initial value of the "Atomics" property of the global object.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- does not have a [[Construct]] internal method; it cannot be used as a constructor with the **new** operator.
- does not have a [[Call]] internal method; it cannot be invoked as a function.

The Atomics object provides functions that operate indivisibly (atomically) on shared memory array cells as well as functions that let agents wait for and dispatch primitive events. When used with discipline, the Atomics functions allow multi-agent programs that communicate through shared memory to execute in a well-understood order even on parallel CPUs. The rules that govern shared-memory communication are provided by the memory model, defined below.

**NOTE** 

For informative guidelines for programming and implementing shared memory in ECMAScript, please see the notes at the end of the memory model section.

# 24.4.1 Abstract Operations for Atomics

# 24.4.1.1 ValidateSharedIntegerTypedArray ( typedArray [ , waitable ] )

The abstract operation ValidateSharedIntegerTypedArray takes one argument *typedArray* and an optional Boolean *waitable*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. If waitable is not present, set waitable to **false**.
- 2. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(typedArray, [[TypedArrayName]]).
- 3. Let *typeName* be *typedArray*.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 4. Let *type* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *typeName*.
- 5. If waitable is **true**, then
  - a. If *typeName* is not **"Int32Array"** or **"BigInt64Array"**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Else,
  - a. If ! IsUnclampedIntegerElementType(*type*) is **false** and ! IsBigIntElementType(*type*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 7. Assert: typedArray has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 8. Let buffer be typedArray.[[ViewedArrayBuffer]].
- 9. If IsSharedArrayBuffer(buffer) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 10. Return buffer.

# 24.4.1.2 ValidateAtomicAccess (typedArray, requestIndex)

The abstract operation ValidateAtomicAccess takes two arguments, *typedArray* and *requestIndex*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: typedArray is an Object that has a [[ViewedArrayBuffer]] internal slot.
- 2. Let accessIndex be ? ToIndex(requestIndex).
- 3. Let *length* be *typedArray*.[[ArrayLength]].
- 4. Assert:  $accessIndex \ge 0$ .
- 5. If  $accessIndex \ge length$ , throw a **RangeError** exception.
- 6. Return accessIndex.

# **24.4.1.3 GetWaiterList** ( *block*, *i* )

A *WaiterList* is a semantic object that contains an ordered list of those agents that are waiting on a location (*block*, *i*) in shared memory; *block* is a Shared Data Block and *i* a byte offset into the memory of *block*. A WaiterList object also optionally contains a Synchronize event denoting the previous leaving of its critical section.

Initially a WaiterList object has an empty list and no Synchronize event.

The agent cluster has a store of WaiterList objects; the store is indexed by (*block*, *i*). WaiterLists are agent-independent: a lookup in the store of WaiterLists by (*block*, *i*) will result in the same WaiterList object in any agent in the agent cluster.

Each WaiterList has a *critical section* that controls exclusive access to that WaiterList during evaluation. Only a single agent may enter a WaiterList's critical section at one time. Entering and leaving a WaiterList's critical section is controlled by the abstract operations EnterCriticalSection and LeaveCriticalSection. Operations on a WaiterList—adding and removing waiting agents, traversing the list of agents, suspending and notifying agents on the list, setting and retrieving the Synchronize event—may only be performed by agents that have entered the WaiterList's critical section.

The abstract operation GetWaiterList takes two arguments, a Shared Data Block *block* and a nonnegative integer *i*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: block is a Shared Data Block.
- 2. Assert: i and i + 3 are valid byte offsets within the memory of block.
- 3. Assert: *i* is divisible by 4.
- 4. Return the WaiterList that is referenced by the pair (block, i).

# 24.4.1.4 EnterCriticalSection (WL)

The abstract operation EnterCriticalSection takes one argument, a WaiterList WL. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: The calling agent is not in the critical section for any WaiterList.
- 2. Wait until no agent is in the critical section for *WL*, then enter the critical section for *WL* (without allowing any other agent to enter).
- 3. If WL has a Synchronize event, then
  - a. NOTE: A *WL* whose critical section has been entered at least once has a Synchronize event set by LeaveCriticalSection.
  - b. Let execution be the [[CandidateExecution]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
  - c. Let *eventsRecord* be the Agent Events Record in *execution*.[[EventsRecords]] whose [[AgentSignifier]] is AgentSignifier().
  - d. Let *entererEventList* be *eventsRecord*.[[EventList]].
  - e. Let *enterEvent* be a new Synchronize event.
  - f. Append enterEvent to entererEventList.
  - g. Let *leaveEvent* be the Synchronize event in WL.
  - h. Append (leaveEvent, enterEvent) to eventsRecord.[[AgentSynchronizesWith]].

EnterCriticalSection has *contention* when an agent attempting to enter the critical section must wait for another agent to leave it. When there is no contention, FIFO order of EnterCriticalSection calls is observable. When there is contention, an implementation may choose an arbitrary order but may not cause an agent to wait indefinitely.

# 24.4.1.5 LeaveCriticalSection (WL)

The abstract operation LeaveCriticalSection takes one argument, a WaiterList WL. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: The calling agent is in the critical section for WL.
- 2. Let execution be the [[CandidateExecution]] field of the calling surrounding's Agent Record.

- 3. Let *eventsRecord* be the Agent Events Record in *execution*.[[EventsRecords]] whose [[AgentSignifier]] is AgentSignifier().
- 4. Let leaverEventList be eventsRecord.[[EventList]].
- 5. Let leave Event be a new Synchronize event.
- 6. Append leaveEvent to leaverEventList.
- 7. Set the Synchronize event in WL to leaveEvent.
- 8. Leave the critical section for WL.

# 24.4.1.6 AddWaiter ( *WL*, *W* )

The abstract operation AddWaiter takes two arguments, a WaiterList WL and an agent signifier W. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: The calling agent is in the critical section for WL.
- 2. Assert: W is not on the list of waiters in any WaiterList.
- 3. Add *W* to the end of the list of waiters in *WL*.

# **24.4.1.7 RemoveWaiter** (*WL*, *W*)

The abstract operation RemoveWaiter takes two arguments, a WaiterList *WL* and an agent signifier *W*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: The calling agent is in the critical section for WL.
- 2. Assert: *W* is on the list of waiters in *WL*.
- 3. Remove *W* from the list of waiters in *WL*.

# 24.4.1.8 RemoveWaiters (WL, c)

The abstract operation RemoveWaiters takes two arguments, a WaiterList *WL* and nonnegative integer *c*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: The calling agent is in the critical section for WL.
- 2. Let *L* be a new empty List.
- 3. Let *S* be a reference to the list of waiters in *WL*.
- 4. Repeat, while c > 0 and S is not an empty List,
  - a. Let *W* be the first waiter in *S*.
  - b. Add *W* to the end of *L*.
  - c. Remove *W* from *S*.
  - d. Set *c* to *c* 1.
- 5. Return *L*.

# **24.4.1.9** Suspend (*WL*, *W*, *timeout*)

The abstract operation Suspend takes three arguments, a WaiterList WL, an agent signifier W, and a nonnegative, non-**NaN** Number *timeout*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: The calling agent is in the critical section for WL.
- 2. Assert: *W* is equal to AgentSignifier().
- 3. Assert: *W* is on the list of waiters in *WL*.

- 4. Assert: AgentCanSuspend() is **true**.
- 5. Perform LeaveCriticalSection(*WL*) and suspend *W* for up to *timeout* milliseconds, performing the combined operation in such a way that a notification that arrives after the critical section is exited but before the suspension takes effect is not lost. *W* can notify either because the timeout expired or because it was notified explicitly by another agent calling NotifyWaiter(*WL*, *W*), and not for any other reasons at all.
- 6. Perform EnterCriticalSection(WL).
- 7. If W was notified explicitly by another agent calling NotifyWaiter(WL, W), return true.
- 8. Return false.

# 24.4.1.10 NotifyWaiter ( WL, W )

The abstract operation NotifyWaiter takes two arguments, a WaiterList *WL* and an agent signifier *W*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: The calling agent is in the critical section for WL.
- 2. Notify the agent *W*.

**NOTE** 

The embedding may delay notifying W, e.g. for resource management reasons, but W must eventually be notified in order to guarantee forward progress.

# 24.4.1.11 AtomicReadModifyWrite (typedArray, index, value, op)

The abstract operation AtomicReadModifyWrite takes four arguments, *typedArray*, *index*, *value*, and a pure combining operation *op*. The pure combining operation *op* takes two List of byte values arguments and returns a List of byte values. The operation atomically loads a value, combines it with another value, and stores the result of the combination. It returns the loaded value. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *buffer* be ? ValidateSharedIntegerTypedArray(*typedArray*).
- 2. Let *i* be ? ValidateAtomicAccess(*typedArray*, *index*).
- 3. Let arrayTypeName be typedArray.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 4. If *typedArray*.[[ContentType]] is BigInt, let *v* be ? ToBigInt(*value*).
- 5. Otherwise, let *v* be ? ToInteger(*value*).
- 6. Let elementSize be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for arrayTypeName.
- 7. Let *elementType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 8. Let offset be typedArray.[[ByteOffset]].
- 9. Let indexedPosition be  $(i \times elementSize) + offset$ .
- 10. Return GetModifySetValueInBuffer(buffer, indexedPosition, elementType, v, op).

# 24.4.1.12 AtomicLoad (typedArray, index)

The abstract operation AtomicLoad takes two arguments, *typedArray*, *index*. The operation atomically loads a value and returns the loaded value. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *buffer* be ? ValidateSharedIntegerTypedArray(*typedArray*).
- 2. Let *i* be ? ValidateAtomicAccess(*typedArray*, *index*).
- 3. Let *arrayTypeName* be *typedArray*.[[TypedArrayName]].
- Let elementSize be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for arrayTypeName.
- 5. Let elementType be the Element Type value in Table 61 for arrayTypeName.

- 6. Let offset be typedArray.[[ByteOffset]].
- 7. Let indexedPosition be  $(i \times elementSize) + offset$ .
- 8. Return GetValueFromBuffer(buffer, indexedPosition, elementType, true, SeqCst).

# 24.4.2 Atomics.add (typedArray, index, value)

Let **add** denote a semantic function of two List of byte values arguments that applies the addition operation to the Number values corresponding to the List of byte values arguments and returns a List of byte values corresponding to the result of that operation.

The following steps are taken:

1. Return? AtomicReadModifyWrite(typedArray, index, value, **add**).

# 24.4.3 Atomics.and (typedArray, index, value)

Let **and** denote a semantic function of two List of byte values arguments that applies the bitwise-and operation element-wise to the two arguments and returns a List of byte values corresponding to the result of that operation.

The following steps are taken:

1. Return? AtomicReadModifyWrite(typedArray, index, value, **and**).

# 24.4.4 Atomics.compareExchange (typedArray, index, expectedValue, replacementValue)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *buffer* be ? ValidateSharedIntegerTypedArray(*typedArray*).
- 2. Let *i* be ? ValidateAtomicAccess(*typedArray*, *index*).
- 3. Let arrayTypeName be typedArray.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 4. If typedArray.[[ContentType]] is BigInt, then
  - a. Let expected be? ToBigInt(expectedValue).
  - b. Let replacement be? ToBigInt(replacement Value).
- 5. Else,
  - a. Let expected be? ToInteger(expectedValue).
  - b. Let replacement be? ToInteger(replacement Value).
- 6. Let *elementType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 7. Let is Little Endian be the value of the [[Little Endian]] field of the surrounding agent's Agent Record.
- 8. Let expectedBytes be NumericToRawBytes(elementType, expected, isLittleEndian).
- 9. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 10. Let offset be typedArray.[[ByteOffset]].
- 11. Let indexedPosition be  $(i \times elementSize) + offset$ .
- 12. Let **compareExchange** denote a semantic function of two List of byte values arguments that returns the second argument if the first argument is element-wise equal to *expectedBytes*.
- 13. Return GetModifySetValueInBuffer(buffer, indexedPosition, elementType, replacement, compareExchange).

# 24.4.5 Atomics.exchange (typedArray, index, value)

Let **second** denote a semantic function of two List of byte values arguments that returns its second argument.

The following steps are taken:

1. Return? AtomicReadModifyWrite(typedArray, index, value, **second**).

# 24.4.6 Atomics.isLockFree ( *size* )

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *n* be ? ToInteger(*size*).
- 2. Let *AR* be the Agent Record of the surrounding agent.
- 3. If *n* equals 1, return *AR*.[[IsLockFree1]].
- 4. If *n* equals 2, return *AR*.[[IsLockFree2]].
- 5. If *n* equals 4, return **true**.
- 6. If *n* equals 8, return *AR*.[[IsLockFree8]].
- 7. Return false.

NOTE

**Atomics.isLockFree**() is an optimization primitive. The intuition is that if the atomic step of an atomic primitive (**compareExchange**, **load**, **store**, **add**, **sub**, **and**, **or**, **xor**, or **exchange**) on a datum of size *n* bytes will be performed without the calling agent acquiring a lock outside the *n* bytes comprising the datum, then **Atomics.isLockFree**(*n*) will return **true**. High-performance algorithms will use **Atomics.isLockFree** to determine whether to use locks or atomic operations in critical sections. If an atomic primitive is not lock-free then it is often more efficient for an algorithm to provide its own locking.

**Atomics.isLockFree**(4) always returns **true** as that can be supported on all known relevant hardware. Being able to assume this will generally simplify programs.

Regardless of the value of **Atomics.isLockFree**, all atomic operations are guaranteed to be atomic. For example, they will never have a visible operation take place in the middle of the operation (e.g., "tearing").

# 24.4.7 Atomics.load (typedArray, index)

The following steps are taken:

1. Return ? AtomicLoad(typedArray, index).

# 24.4.8 Atomics.or (typedArray, index, value)

Let **or** denote a semantic function of two List of byte values arguments that applies the bitwise-or operation elementwise to the two arguments and returns a List of byte values corresponding to the result of that operation.

The following steps are taken:

1. Return? AtomicReadModifyWrite(typedArray, index, value, **or**).

# 24.4.9 Atomics.store (typedArray, index, value)

The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let buffer be? ValidateSharedIntegerTypedArray(typedArray).
- 2. Let *i* be ? ValidateAtomicAccess(*typedArray*, *index*).
- 3. Let *arrayTypeName* be *typedArray*.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 4. If arrayTypeName is "BigUint64Array" or "BigInt64Array", let v be ? ToBigInt(value).
- 5. Otherwise, let v be ? ToInteger(value).
- 6. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 7. Let *elementType* be the Element Type value in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 8. Let offset be typedArray.[[ByteOffset]].
- 9. Let indexedPosition be  $(i \times elementSize) + offset$ .
- 10. Perform SetValueInBuffer(buffer, indexedPosition, elementType, v, true, SeqCst).
- 11. Return v.

# 24.4.10 Atomics.sub (typedArray, index, value)

Let **subtract** denote a semantic function of two List of byte values arguments that applies the subtraction operation to the Number values corresponding to the List of byte values arguments and returns a List of byte values corresponding to the result of that operation.

The following steps are taken:

1. Return? AtomicReadModifyWrite(typedArray, index, value, **subtract**).

# 24.4.11 Atomics.wait (typedArray, index, value, timeout)

**Atomics.wait** puts the calling agent in a wait queue and puts it to sleep until it is notified or the sleep times out. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let buffer be ? ValidateSharedIntegerTypedArray(typedArray, true).
- 2. Let *i* be ? ValidateAtomicAccess(*typedArray*, *index*).
- 3. Let *arrayTypeName* be *typedArray*.[[TypedArrayName]].
- 4. If *arrayTypeName* is **''BigInt64Array''**, let *v* be ? ToBigInt64(*value*).
- 5. Otherwise, let *v* be ? ToInt32(*value*).
- 6. Let *q* be ? ToNumber(timeout).
- 7. If *q* is NaN, let *t* be  $+\infty$ ; else let *t* be  $\max(q, 0)$ .
- 8. Let *B* be AgentCanSuspend().
- 9. If *B* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 10. Let block be buffer.[[ArrayBufferData]].
- 11. Let offset be typedArray.[[ByteOffset]].
- 12. Let *elementSize* be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for *arrayTypeName*.
- 13. Let indexedPosition be  $(i \times elementSize) + offset$ .
- 14. Let WL be GetWaiterList(block, indexedPosition).
- 15. Perform EnterCriticalSection(WL).
- 16. Let *w* be ! AtomicLoad(*typedArray*, *i*).
- 17. If v is not equal to w, then
  - a. Perform LeaveCriticalSection(WL).

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b. Return the String "not-equal".
18. Let W be AgentSignifier().
19. Perform AddWaiter(WL, W).
20. Let notified be Suspend(WL, W, t).
21. If notified is true, then

a. Assert: W is not on the list of waiters in WL.

22. Else,

a. Perform RemoveWaiter(WL, W).

23. Perform LeaveCriticalSection(WL).
24. If notified is true, return the String "ok".
```

# 24.4.12 Atomics.notify (typedArray, index, count)

25. Return the String "timed-out".

**Atomics.notify** notifies some agents that are sleeping in the wait queue. The following steps are taken:

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    Let buffer be? ValidateSharedIntegerTypedArray(typedArray, true).
    Let i be? ValidateAtomicAccess(typedArray, index).
    If count is undefined, let c be +∞.
    Else,

            a. Let intCount be? ToInteger(count).
            b. Let c be max(intCount, 0).

    Let block be buffer.[[ArrayBufferData]].
    Let offset be typedArray.[[ByteOffset]].
    Let arrayTypeName be typedArray.[[TypedArrayName]].
    Let elementSize be the Element Size value specified in Table 61 for arrayTypeName.
    Let indexedPosition be (i × elementSize) + offset.
    Let WL be GetWaiterList(block, indexedPosition).
    Let n be 0.
```

24.4.13 Atomics.xor (typedArray, index, value)

a. Let *W* be the first agent in *S*.b. Remove *W* from the front of *S*.c. Perform NotifyWaiter(*WL*, *W*).

12. Perform EnterCriticalSection(*WL*).13. Let *S* be RemoveWaiters(*WL*, *c*).14. Repeat, while *S* is not an empty List,

d. Set n to n + 1.

15. Perform LeaveCriticalSection(WL).

Let **xor** denote a semantic function of two List of byte values arguments that applies the bitwise-xor operation element-wise to the two arguments and returns a List of byte values corresponding to the result of that operation.

The following steps are taken:

16. Return *n*.

1. Return? AtomicReadModifyWrite(typedArray, index, value, **xor**).

# 24.4.14 Atomics [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Atomics".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 24.5 The JSON Object

The JSON object:

- is the intrinsic object % *JSON*%.
- is the initial value of the "JSON" property of the global object.
- is an ordinary object.
- contains two functions, **parse** and **stringify**, that are used to parse and construct JSON texts.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- does not have a [[Construct]] internal method; it cannot be used as a constructor with the **new** operator.
- does not have a [[Call]] internal method; it cannot be invoked as a function.

The JSON Data Interchange Format is defined in ECMA-404. The JSON interchange format used in this specification is exactly that described by ECMA-404. Conforming implementations of **JSON.parse** and **JSON.stringify** must support the exact interchange format described in the ECMA-404 specification without any deletions or extensions to the format.

# **24.5.1 JSON.parse** ( *text* [ , *reviver* ] )

The **parse** function parses a JSON text (a JSON-formatted String) and produces an ECMAScript value. The JSON format represents literals, arrays, and objects with a syntax similar to the syntax for ECMAScript literals, Array Initializers, and Object Initializers. After parsing, JSON objects are realized as ECMAScript objects. JSON arrays are realized as ECMAScript Array instances. JSON strings, numbers, booleans, and null are realized as ECMAScript Strings, Numbers, Booleans, and null.

The optional *reviver* parameter is a function that takes two parameters, *key* and *value*. It can filter and transform the results. It is called with each of the *key*/*value* pairs produced by the parse, and its return value is used instead of the original value. If it returns what it received, the structure is not modified. If it returns **undefined** then the property is deleted from the result.

- 1. Let *jsonString* be ? ToString(*text*).
- 2. Parse! UTF16DecodeString(jsonString) as a JSON text as specified in ECMA-404. Throw a **SyntaxError** exception if it is not a valid JSON text as defined in that specification.
- 3. Let *scriptString* be the string-concatenation of "(", *jsonString*, and ");".
- 4. Let *completion* be the result of parsing and evaluating ! UTF16DecodeString(*scriptString*) as if it was the source text of an ECMAScript *Script*. The extended PropertyDefinitionEvaluation semantics defined in B.3.1 must not be used during the evaluation.
- 5. Let unfiltered be completion.[[Value]].
- 6. Assert: *unfiltered* is either a String, Number, Boolean, Null, or an Object that is defined by either an *ArrayLiteral* or an *ObjectLiteral*.
- 7. If IsCallable(reviver) is **true**, then
  - a. Let *root* be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
  - b. Let *rootName* be the empty String.

- c. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(root, rootName, unfiltered).
- d. Return? InternalizeJSONProperty(root, rootName, reviver).
- 8. Else,
  - a. Return unfiltered.

This function is the *%JSONParse*% intrinsic object.

The **"length"** property of the **parse** function is 2.

**NOTE** 

Valid JSON text is a subset of the ECMAScript *PrimaryExpression* syntax as modified by Step 4 above. Step 2 verifies that *jsonString* conforms to that subset, and step 6 verifies that that parsing and evaluation returns a value of an appropriate type.

# 24.5.1.1 Runtime Semantics: Internalize JSON Property (holder, name, reviver)

The abstract operation InternalizeJSONProperty is a recursive abstract operation that takes three parameters: a *holder* object, the String *name* of a property in that object, and a *reviver* function.

NOTE 1 This algorithm intentionally does not throw an exception if either [[Delete]] or CreateDataProperty return false.

- 1. Let val be ? Get(holder, name).
- 2. If Type(val) is Object, then
  - a. Let is Array be ? Is Array(val).
  - b. If *isArray* is **true**, then
    - i. Let *I* be 0.
    - ii. Let len be? LengthOfArrayLike(val).
    - iii. Repeat, while I < len,
      - 1. Let newElement be? InternalizeJSONProperty(val,! ToString(I), reviver).
      - 2. If newElement is undefined, then
        - a. Perform ? val.[[Delete]](! ToString(I)).
      - 3. Else,
        - a. Perform? CreateDataProperty(val,! ToString(I), newElement).
      - 4. Set *I* to *I* + 1.
  - c. Else,
    - i. Let *keys* be ? EnumerableOwnPropertyNames(*val*, **key**).
    - ii. For each String *P* in *keys*, do
      - 1. Let *newElement* be ? InternalizeJSONProperty(*val*, *P*, *reviver*).
      - 2. If newElement is undefined, then
        - a. Perform ? val.[[Delete]](P).
      - 3. Else,
        - a. Perform? CreateDataProperty(val, P, newElement).
- 3. Return ? Call(reviver, holder, « name, val »).

It is not permitted for a conforming implementation of **JSON.parse** to extend the JSON grammars. If an implementation wishes to support a modified or extended JSON interchange format it must do so by defining a different parse function.

# 24.5.2 JSON.stringify (value [, replacer [, space ]])

The **stringify** function returns a String in UTF-16 encoded JSON format representing an ECMAScript value, or **undefined**. It can take three parameters. The *value* parameter is an ECMAScript value, which is usually an object or array, although it can also be a String, Boolean, Number or **null**. The optional *replacer* parameter is either a function that alters the way objects and arrays are stringified, or an array of Strings and Numbers that acts as an inclusion list for selecting the object properties that will be stringified. The optional *space* parameter is a String or Number that allows the result to have white space injected into it to improve human readability.

These are the steps in stringifying an object:

- 1. Let *stack* be a new empty List.
- 2. Let *indent* be the empty String.
- 3. Let *PropertyList* and *ReplacerFunction* be **undefined**.
- 4. If Type(replacer) is Object, then
  - a. If IsCallable(replacer) is true, then
    - i. Set ReplacerFunction to replacer.
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *isArray* be ? IsArray(*replacer*).
    - ii. If *isArray* is **true**, then
      - 1. Set *PropertyList* to a new empty List.
      - 2. Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(replacer).
      - 3. Let *k* be 0.
      - 4. Repeat, while k < len,
        - a. Let v be ? Get(replacer, ! ToString(k)).
        - b. Let item be undefined.
        - c. If Type(v) is String, set *item* to v.
        - d. Else if Type(v) is Number, set *item* to ! ToString(v).
        - e. Else if Type(v) is Object, then
          - i. If *v* has a [[StringData]] or [[NumberData]] internal slot, set *item* to ? ToString(*v*).
        - f. If item is not **undefined** and item is not currently an element of PropertyList, then
          - i. Append *item* to the end of *PropertyList*.
        - g. Set k to k + 1.
- 5. If Type(*space*) is Object, then
  - a. If space has a [[NumberData]] internal slot, then
    - i. Set *space* to ? ToNumber(*space*).
  - b. Else if *space* has a [[StringData]] internal slot, then
    - i. Set *space* to ? ToString(*space*).
- 6. If Type(*space*) is Number, then
  - a. Set *space* to min(10, ! ToInteger(*space*)).
  - b. If *space* < 1, let *gap* be the empty String; otherwise let *gap* be the String value containing *space* occurrences of the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE).
- 7. Else if Type(space) is String, then

- a. If the length of *space* is 10 or less, let *gap* be *space*; otherwise let *gap* be the String value consisting of the first 10 code units of *space*.
- 8. Else,
  - a. Let gap be the empty String.
- 9. Let wrapper be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 10. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(wrapper, the empty String, value).
- 11. Let state be the Record { [[ReplacerFunction]]: ReplacerFunction, [[Stack]]: stack, [[Indent]]: indent, [[Gap]]: gap, [[PropertyList]]: PropertyList }.
- 12. Return? SerializeJSONProperty(state, the empty String, wrapper).

This function is the *%JSONStringify*% intrinsic object.

The **"length"** property of the **stringify** function is 3.

NOTE 1 JSON structures are allowed to be nested to any depth, but they must be acyclic. If *value* is or contains a cyclic structure, then the stringify function must throw a **TypeError** exception. This is

an example of a value that cannot be stringified:

```
a = [];
a[0] = a;
my_text = JSON.stringify(a); // This must throw a TypeError.
```

NOTE 2 Symbolic primitive values are rendered as follows:

- The null value is rendered in JSON text as the String "null".
- The **undefined** value is not rendered.
- The **true** value is rendered in JSON text as the String **"true"**.
- The false value is rendered in JSON text as the String "false".

NOTE 3 String values are wrapped in QUOTATION MARK (") code units. The code units " and \ are escaped with \ prefixes. Control characters code units are replaced with escape sequences \uHHHH, or with the shorter forms, \b (BACKSPACE), \f (FORM FEED), \n (LINE FEED), \r (CARRIAGE RETURN), \t (CHARACTER TABULATION).

NOTE 4 Finite numbers are stringified as if by calling ToString(number). NaN and Infinity regardless of sign are represented as the String "null".

NOTE 5 Values that do not have a JSON representation (such as **undefined** and functions) do not produce a String. Instead they produce the **undefined** value. In arrays these values are represented as the String **"null"**. In objects an unrepresentable value causes the property to be excluded from stringification.

An object is rendered as U+007B (LEFT CURLY BRACKET) followed by zero or more properties, separated with a U+002C (COMMA), closed with a U+007D (RIGHT CURLY BRACKET). A property is a quoted String representing the key or property name, a U+003A (COLON), and then the stringified property value. An array is rendered as an opening U+005B (LEFT SQUARE BRACKET followed by zero or more values, separated with a U+002C (COMMA), closed with a U+005D (RIGHT SQUARE BRACKET).

# 24.5.2.1 Runtime Semantics: Serialize JSON Property (state, key, holder)

The abstract operation SerializeJSONProperty with arguments *state*, *key*, and *holder* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let value be ? Get(holder, key).
- 2. If Type(value) is Object or BigInt, then
  - a. Let *toJSON* be ? GetV(*value*, "toJSON").
  - b. If IsCallable(toJSON) is **true**, then
    - i. Set value to ? Call(toJSON, value, « key »).
- 3. If *state*.[[ReplacerFunction]] is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Set value to ? Call(state.[[ReplacerFunction]], holder, « key, value »).
- 4. If Type(value) is Object, then
  - a. If value has a [[NumberData]] internal slot, then
    - i. Set value to ? ToNumber(value).
  - b. Else if value has a [[StringData]] internal slot, then
    - i. Set value to? ToString(value).
  - c. Else if value has a [[BooleanData]] internal slot, then
    - i. Set value to value.[[BooleanData]].
  - d. Else if value has a [[BigIntData]] internal slot, then
    - i. Set value to value.[[BigIntData]].
- 5. If value is **null**, return "**null**".
- 6. If *value* is **true**, return **"true"**.
- 7. If value is false, return "false".
- 8. If Type(value) is String, return QuoteJSONString(value).
- 9. If Type(value) is Number, then
  - a. If value is finite, return! ToString(value).
  - b. Return "null".
- 10. If Type(*value*) is BigInt, throw a TypeError exception.
- 11. If Type(value) is Object and IsCallable(value) is false, then
  - a. Let is Array be ? Is Array(value).
  - b. If *isArray* is **true**, return? SerializeJSONArray(*state*, *value*).
  - c. Return? Serialize JSONObject (state, value).
- 12. Return **undefined**.

# 24.5.2.2 Runtime Semantics: QuoteJSONString (value)

The abstract operation QuoteJSONString with argument *value* wraps a String value in QUOTATION MARK code units and escapes certain other code units within it.

This operation interprets a String value as a sequence of UTF-16 encoded code points, as described in 6.1.4.

- 1. Let *product* be the String value consisting solely of the code unit 0x0022 (QUOTATION MARK).
- 2. For each code point *C* in ! UTF16DecodeString(value), do
  - a. If C is listed in the "Code Point" column of Table 64, then
    - i. Set *product* to the string-concatenation of *product* and the escape sequence for *C* as specified in the "Escape Sequence" column of the corresponding row.
  - b. Else if *C* has a numeric value less than 0x0020 (SPACE), or if *C* has the same numeric value as a leading surrogate or trailing surrogate, then
    - i. Let *unit* be the code unit whose numeric value is that of *C*.
    - ii. Set *product* to the string-concatenation of *product* and UnicodeEscape(*unit*).
  - c. Else,
    - i. Set *product* to the string-concatenation of *product* and the UTF16Encoding of C.
- 3. Set *product* to the string-concatenation of *product* and the code unit 0x0022 (QUOTATION MARK).
- 4. Return product.

Table 64: JSON Single Character Escape Sequences

Code Point	Unicode Character Name	Escape Sequence
U+0008	BACKSPACE	<b>\</b> b
U+0009	CHARACTER TABULATION	\t
U+000A	LINE FEED (LF)	\n
U+000C	FORM FEED (FF)	\f
U+000D	CARRIAGE RETURN (CR)	\r
U+0022	QUOTATION MARK	\"
U+005C	REVERSE SOLIDUS	\\

# 24.5.2.3 Runtime Semantics: UnicodeEscape ( C )

The abstract operation UnicodeEscape takes a code unit argument *C* and represents it as a Unicode escape sequence.

- 1. Let *n* be the numeric value of *C*.
- 2. Assert:  $n \le 0$ xFFFF.
- 3. Return the string-concatenation of:
  - the code unit 0x005C (REVERSE SOLIDUS)
  - 0 "11"
  - the String representation of *n*, formatted as a four-digit lowercase hexadecimal number, padded to the left with zeroes if necessary

# 24.5.2.4 Runtime Semantics: SerializeJSONObject (state, value)

The abstract operation SerializeJSONObject with arguments *state* and *value* serializes an object. It performs the following steps:

- 1. If state.[[Stack]] contains value, throw a **TypeError** exception because the structure is cyclical.
- 2. Append value to state.[[Stack]].

- 3. Let *stepback* be *state*.[[Indent]].
- 4. Set state.[[Indent]] to the string-concatenation of state.[[Indent]] and state.[[Gap]].
- 5. If *state*.[[PropertyList]] is not **undefined**, then
  - a. Let *K* be *state*.[[PropertyList]].
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let *K* be ? EnumerableOwnPropertyNames(*value*, **key**).
- 7. Let partial be a new empty List.
- 8. For each element *P* of *K*, do
  - a. Let *strP* be ? SerializeJSONProperty(*state*, *P*, *value*).
  - b. If *strP* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. Let *member* be QuoteJSONString(*P*).
    - ii. Set *member* to the string-concatenation of *member* and ":".
    - iii. If state.[[Gap]] is not the empty String, then
      - 1. Set *member* to the string-concatenation of *member* and the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE).
    - iv. Set *member* to the string-concatenation of *member* and *strP*.
    - v. Append member to partial.
- 9. If partial is empty, then
  - a. Let final be "{}".
- 10. Else,
  - a. If state.[[Gap]] is the empty String, then
    - i. Let *properties* be the String value formed by concatenating all the element Strings of *partial* with each adjacent pair of Strings separated with the code unit 0x002C (COMMA). A comma is not inserted either before the first String or after the last String.
    - ii. Let final be the string-concatenation of "{", properties, and "}".
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *separator* be the string-concatenation of the code unit 0x002C (COMMA), the code unit 0x000A (LINE FEED), and *state*.[[Indent]].
    - ii. Let *properties* be the String value formed by concatenating all the element Strings of *partial* with each adjacent pair of Strings separated with *separator*. The *separator* String is not inserted either before the first String or after the last String.
    - iii. Let *final* be the string-concatenation of "{", the code unit 0x000A (LINE FEED), *state*.[[Indent]], *properties*, the code unit 0x000A (LINE FEED), *stepback*, and "}".
- 11. Remove the last element of *state*.[[Stack]].
- 12. Set *state*.[[Indent]] to *stepback*.
- 13. Return final.

# 24.5.2.5 Runtime Semantics: SerializeJSONArray (state, value)

The abstract operation SerializeJSONArray with arguments *state* and *value* serializes an array. It performs the following steps:

- 1. If state.[[Stack]] contains value, throw a **TypeError** exception because the structure is cyclical.
- 2. Append *value* to *state*.[[Stack]].
- 3. Let *stepback* be *state*.[[Indent]].
- 4. Set state.[[Indent]] to the string-concatenation of state.[[Indent]] and state.[[Gap]].
- 5. Let partial be a new empty List.
- 6. Let len be ? LengthOfArrayLike(value).
- 7. Let index be 0.

- 8. Repeat, while *index* < *len* 
  - a. Let *strP* be ? SerializeJSONProperty(*state*, ! ToString(*index*), *value*).
  - b. If *strP* is **undefined**, then
    - i. Append "null" to partial.
  - c. Else,
    - i. Append *strP* to *partial*.
  - d. Set index to index + 1.
- 9. If partial is empty, then
  - a. Let final be "[]".
- 10. Else,
  - a. If state.[[Gap]] is the empty String, then
    - i. Let *properties* be the String value formed by concatenating all the element Strings of *partial* with each adjacent pair of Strings separated with the code unit 0x002C (COMMA). A comma is not inserted either before the first String or after the last String.
    - ii. Let final be the string-concatenation of "[", properties, and "]".
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let *separator* be the string-concatenation of the code unit 0x002C (COMMA), the code unit 0x000A (LINE FEED), and *state*.[[Indent]].
    - ii. Let *properties* be the String value formed by concatenating all the element Strings of *partial* with each adjacent pair of Strings separated with *separator*. The *separator* String is not inserted either before the first String or after the last String.
    - iii. Let *final* be the string-concatenation of "[", the code unit 0x000A (LINE FEED), *state*.[[Indent]], *properties*, the code unit 0x000A (LINE FEED), *stepback*, and "]".
- 11. Remove the last element of *state*.[[Stack]].
- 12. Set state.[[Indent]] to stepback.
- 13. Return final.

The representation of arrays includes only the elements between zero and **array.length** - 1 inclusive. Properties whose keys are not array indexes are excluded from the stringification. An array is stringified as an opening LEFT SQUARE BRACKET, elements separated by COMMA, and a closing RIGHT SQUARE BRACKET.

# 24.5.3 JSON [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "JSON".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25 Control Abstraction Objects

# 25.1 Iteration

# 25.1.1 Common Iteration Interfaces

An interface is a set of property keys whose associated values match a specific specification. Any object that provides all the properties as described by an interface's specification *conforms* to that interface. An interface is not represented by a distinct object. There may be many separately implemented objects that conform to any interface. An individual object may conform to multiple interfaces.

# 25.1.1.1 The *Iterable* Interface

The *Iterable* interface includes the property described in Table 65:

Table 65: Iterable Interface Required Properties

Property	Value	Requirements
@@iterator	A function that returns an <i>Iterator</i> object.	The returned object must conform to the <i>Iterator</i> interface.

# 25.1.1.2 The *Iterator* Interface

An object that implements the *Iterator* interface must include the property in Table 66. Such objects may also implement the properties in Table 67.

Table 66: Iterator Interface Required Properties

Property	Value	Requirements
"next"	A function that returns	The returned object must conform to the <i>IteratorResult</i> interface. If a previous call to the <b>next</b> method of an <i>Iterator</i> has returned an <i>IteratorResult</i> object whose <b>"done"</b> property is
	an IteratorResult object.	<b>true</b> , then all subsequent calls to the <b>next</b> method of that object should also return an <i>IteratorResult</i> object whose <b>"done"</b> property is <b>true</b> . However, this requirement is not enforced.

NOTE 1

Arguments may be passed to the next function but their interpretation and validity is dependent upon the target *Iterator*. The for-of statement and other common users of *Iterators* do not pass any arguments, so *Iterator* objects that expect to be used in such a manner must be prepared to deal with being called with no arguments.

**Table 67:** *Iterator* **Interface Optional Properties** 

Property	Value	Requirements
"return"	A function that returns an <i>IteratorResult</i> object.	The returned object must conform to the <code>IteratorResult</code> interface. Invoking this method notifies the <code>Iterator</code> object that the caller does not intend to make any more <code>next</code> method calls to the <code>Iterator</code> . The returned <code>IteratorResult</code> object will typically have a <code>"done"</code> property whose value is <code>true</code> , and a <code>"value"</code> property with the value passed as the argument of the <code>return</code> method. However, this requirement is not enforced.
"throw"	A function that returns an IteratorResult object.	The returned object must conform to the <code>IteratorResult</code> interface. Invoking this method notifies the <code>Iterator</code> object that the caller has detected an error condition. The argument may be used to identify the error condition and typically will be an exception object. A typical response is to <code>throw</code> the value passed as the argument. If the method does not <code>throw</code> , the returned <code>IteratorResult</code> object will typically have a <code>"done"</code> property whose value is <code>true</code> .

Typically callers of these methods should check for their existence before invoking them. Certain ECMAScript language features including **for-of**, **yield\***, and array destructuring call these methods after performing an existence check. Most ECMAScript library functions that accept *Iterable* objects as arguments also conditionally call them.

# 25.1.1.3 The AsyncIterable Interface

The AsyncIterable interface includes the properties described in Table 68:

Table 68: AsyncIterable Interface Required Properties

Property	Value	Requirements
@@asyncIterator	A function that returns an AsyncIterator object.	The returned object must conform to the <i>AsyncIterator</i> interface.

# 25.1.1.4 The AsyncIterator Interface

An object that implements the *AsyncIterator* interface must include the properties in Table 69. Such objects may also implement the properties in Table 70.

Table 69: AsyncIterator Interface Required Properties

Property	Value	Requirements
"next"	A function that returns a promise for an IteratorResult object.	The returned promise, when fulfilled, must fulfill with an object which conforms to the *IteratorResult* interface. If a previous call to the *next* method of an *AsyncIterator* has returned a promise for an *IteratorResult* object whose "done" property is *true*, then all subsequent calls to the *next* method of that object should also return a promise for an *IteratorResult* object whose "done" property is *true*. However, this requirement is not enforced.  Additionally, the *IteratorResult* object that serves as a fulfillment value should have a "value" property whose value is not a promise (or "thenable"). However, this requirement is also not enforced.

Arguments may be passed to the next function but their interpretation and validity is dependent upon the target *AsyncIterator*. The **for-await-of** statement and other common users of *AsyncIterators* do not pass any arguments, so *AsyncIterator* objects that expect to be used in such a manner must be prepared to deal with being called with no arguments.

Table 70: AsyncIterator Interface Optional Properties

Property	Value	Requirements
"return"	A function that returns a promise for an IteratorResult object.	The returned promise, when fulfilled, must fulfill with an object which conforms to the <i>IteratorResult</i> interface. Invoking this method notifies the <i>AsyncIterator</i> object that the caller does not intend to make any more <b>next</b> method calls to the <i>AsyncIterator</i> . The returned promise will fulfill with an <i>IteratorResult</i> object which will typically have a "done" property whose value is <b>true</b> , and a "value" property with the value passed as the argument of the <b>return</b> method. However, this requirement is not enforced.  Additionally, the <i>IteratorResult</i> object that serves as a fulfillment value should have a "value" property whose value is not a promise (or "thenable"). If the argument value is used in the typical manner, then if it is a rejected promise, a promise rejected with the same reason should be returned; if it is a fulfilled promise, then its fulfillment value should be used as the "value" property of the returned promise's <i>IteratorResult</i> object fulfillment value. However, these requirements are also not enforced.
"throw"	A function that returns a promise for an IteratorResult object.	The returned promise, when fulfilled, must fulfill with an object which conforms to the <i>IteratorResult</i> interface. Invoking this method notifies the <i>AsyncIterator</i> object that the caller has detected an error condition. The argument may be used to identify the error condition and typically will be an exception object. A typical response is to return a rejected promise which rejects with the value passed as the argument.  If the returned promise is fulfilled, the <i>IteratorResult</i> fulfillment value will typically have a "done" property whose value is true. Additionally, it should have a "value" property whose value is not a promise (or "thenable"), but this requirement is not enforced.

Typically callers of these methods should check for their existence before invoking them. Certain ECMAScript language features including **for-await-of** and **yield\*** call these methods after performing an existence check.

# 25.1.1.5 The *IteratorResult* Interface

The *IteratorResult* interface includes the properties listed in Table 71:

Table 71: IteratorResult Interface Properties

Property	Value	Requirements
"done"	Either <b>true</b> or <b>false</b> .	This is the result status of an <i>iterator</i> <b>next</b> method call. If the end of the iterator was reached <b>"done"</b> is <b>true</b> . If the end was not reached <b>"done"</b> is <b>false</b> and a value is available. If a <b>"done"</b> property (either own or inherited) does not exist, it is consider to have the value <b>false</b> .
"value"	Any ECMAScript language value.	If done is <b>false</b> , this is the current iteration element value. If done is <b>true</b> , this is the return value of the iterator, if it supplied one. If the iterator does not have a return value, <b>"value"</b> is <b>undefined</b> . In that case, the <b>"value"</b> property may be absent from the conforming object if it does not inherit an explicit <b>"value"</b> property.

# 25.1.2 The %IteratorPrototype% Object

The *%IteratorPrototype*% object:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.

# All objects defined in this specification that implement the Iterator interface also inherit from %IteratorPrototype%. ECMAScript code may also define objects that inherit from %IteratorPrototype%. The %IteratorPrototype% object provides a place where additional methods that are applicable to all iterator objects may be added. The following expression is one way that ECMAScript code can access the %IteratorPrototype% object: Object.getPrototypeOf(Object.getPrototypeOf([][Symbol.iterator]()))

# 25.1.2.1 % IteratorPrototype% [@@iterator]()

The following steps are taken:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.iterator]".

# 25.1.3 The %AsyncIteratorPrototype% Object

The *% AsyncIteratorPrototype*% object:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.

All objects defined in this specification that implement the AsyncIterator interface also inherit from %AsyncIteratorPrototype%. ECMAScript code may also define objects that inherit from %AsyncIteratorPrototype%. The %AsyncIteratorPrototype% object provides a place where additional methods that are applicable to all async iterator objects may be added.

# 25.1.3.1 % AsyncIteratorPrototype% [@@asyncIterator]()

The following steps are taken:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "[Symbol.asyncIterator]".

# 25.1.4 Async-from-Sync Iterator Objects

An Async-from-Sync Iterator object is an async iterator that adapts a specific synchronous iterator. There is not a named constructor for Async-from-Sync Iterator objects. Instead, Async-from-Sync iterator objects are created by the CreateAsyncFromSyncIterator abstract operation as needed.

# 25.1.4.1 CreateAsyncFromSyncIterator (syncIteratorRecord)

The abstract operation CreateAsyncFromSyncIterator is used to create an async iterator Record from a synchronous iterator Record. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let asyncIterator be! OrdinaryObjectCreate(%AsyncFromSyncIteratorPrototype%, « [[SyncIteratorRecord]] »).
- 2. Set asyncIterator.[[SyncIteratorRecord]] to syncIteratorRecord.
- 3. Let nextMethod be ! Get(asyncIterator, "next").
- 4. Let iteratorRecord be the Record { [[Iterator]]: asyncIterator, [[NextMethod]]: nextMethod, [[Done]]: false }.
- 5. Return iteratorRecord.

# 25.1.4.2 The %AsyncFromSyncIteratorPrototype% Object

The *%AsyncFromSyncIteratorPrototype*% object:

- has properties that are inherited by all Async-from-Sync Iterator Objects.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %AsyncIteratorPrototype%.
- has the following properties:

# 25.1.4.2.1 % AsyncFromSyncIteratorPrototype%.next (value)

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Assert: Type(O) is Object and O has a [[SyncIteratorRecord]] internal slot.
- 3. Let *promiseCapability* be! NewPromiseCapability(%Promise%).
- 4. Let *syncIteratorRecord* be O.[[SyncIteratorRecord]].
- 5. Let result be IteratorNext(syncIteratorRecord, value).
- 6. If Abrupt Reject Promise (result, promise Capability).
- 7. Return! AsyncFromSyncIteratorContinuation(result, promiseCapability).

# 25.1.4.2.2 % AsyncFromSyncIteratorPrototype%.return (value)

- 1. Let O be the **this** value.
- 2. Assert: Type(O) is Object and O has a [[SyncIteratorRecord]] internal slot.
- 3. Let promiseCapability be! NewPromiseCapability(%Promise%).
- 4. Let syncIterator be O.[[SyncIteratorRecord]].[[Iterator]].
- 5. Let return be GetMethod(syncIterator, "return").
- 6. If Abrupt Reject Promise (return, promise Capability).
- 7. If return is **undefined**, then
  - a. Let iterResult be! CreateIterResultObject(value, true).
  - b. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « iterResult »).
  - c. Return promiseCapability.[[Promise]].
- 8. Let result be Call(return, syncIterator, « value »).
- 9. If Abrupt Reject Promise (result, promise Capability).
- 10. If Type(result) is not Object, then
  - a. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « a newly created TypeError object »).
  - b. Return promiseCapability.[[Promise]].
- 11. Return! AsyncFromSyncIteratorContinuation(result, promiseCapability).

# 25.1.4.2.3 % AsyncFromSyncIteratorPrototype%.throw (value)

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. Assert: Type(O) is Object and O has a [[SyncIteratorRecord]] internal slot.
- 3. Let *promiseCapability* be! NewPromiseCapability(%Promise%).
- 4. Let *syncIterator* be O.[[SyncIteratorRecord]].[[Iterator]].
- 5. Let throw be GetMethod(syncIterator, "throw").
- 6. If Abrupt Reject Promise (throw, promise Capability).
- 7. If throw is **undefined**, then
  - a. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « value »).
  - b. Return *promiseCapability*.[[Promise]].
- 8. Let result be Call(throw, syncIterator, « value »).
- 9. If Abrupt Reject Promise (result, promise Capability).
- 10. If Type(result) is not Object, then
  - a. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « a newly created TypeError object »).
  - b. Return *promiseCapability*.[[Promise]].
- 11. Return! AsyncFromSyncIteratorContinuation(result, promiseCapability).

# 25.1.4.2.4 Async-from-Sync Iterator Value Unwrap Functions

An async-from-sync iterator value unwrap function is an anonymous built-in function that is used by AsyncFromSyncIteratorContinuation when processing the "value" property of an *IteratorResult* object, in order to wait for its value if it is a promise and re-package the result in a new "unwrapped" *IteratorResult* object. Each async-from-sync iterator value unwrap function has a [[Done]] internal slot.

When an async-from-sync iterator value unwrap function is called with argument value, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Return! CreateIterResultObject(value, F.[[Done]]).

# 25.1.4.3 Properties of Async-from-Sync Iterator Instances

Async-from-Sync Iterator instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the %AsyncFromSyncIteratorPrototype% intrinsic object. Async-from-Sync Iterator instances are initially created with the internal slots listed in Table 72. Async-from-Sync Iterator instances are not directly observable from ECMAScript code.

**Table 72: Internal Slots of Async-from-Sync Iterator Instances** 

Internal Slot	Description
	A Record, of the type returned by GetIterator, representing the original synchronous iterator which is being adapted.

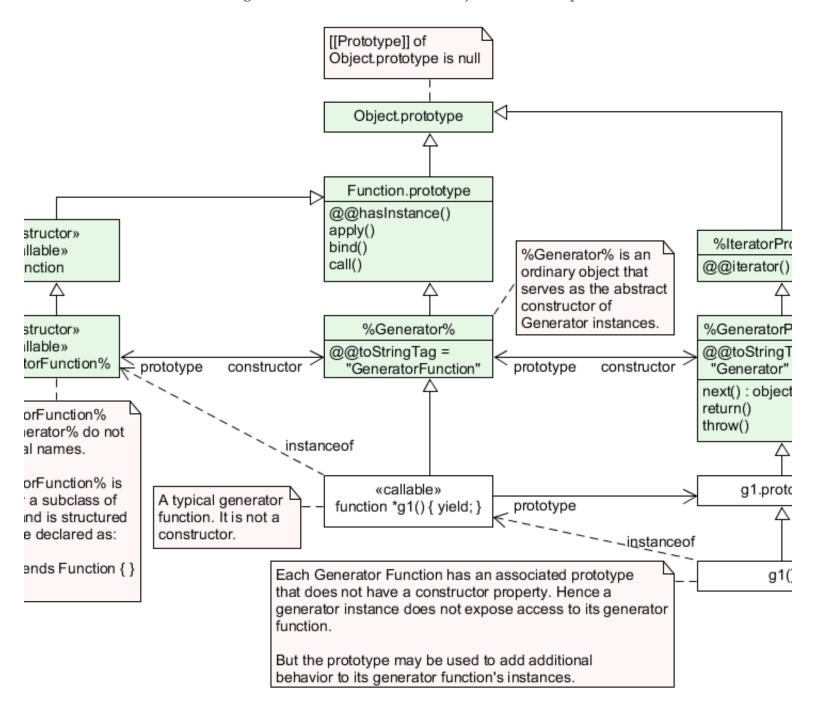
# 25.1.4.4 AsyncFromSyncIteratorContinuation (result, promiseCapability)

- 1. Let *done* be IteratorComplete(*result*).
- 2. If Abrupt Reject Promise (done, promise Capability).
- 3. Let value be IteratorValue(result).
- 4. If Abrupt Reject Promise (value, promise Capability).
- 5. Let valueWrapper be PromiseResolve(%Promise%, value).
- 6. If Abrupt Reject Promise (value Wrapper, promise Capability).
- 7. Let steps be the algorithm steps defined in Async-from-Sync Iterator Value Unwrap Functions.
- 8. Let onFulfilled be! CreateBuiltinFunction(steps, « [[Done]] »).
- 9. Set onFulfilled.[[Done]] to done.
- 10. Perform! PerformPromiseThen(valueWrapper, onFulfilled, undefined, promiseCapability).
- 11. Return *promiseCapability*.[[Promise]].

# 25.2 GeneratorFunction Objects

GeneratorFunction objects are functions that are usually created by evaluating *GeneratorDeclarations*, *GeneratorExpressions*, and *GeneratorMethods*. They may also be created by calling the %GeneratorFunction% intrinsic.

Figure 5 (Informative): Generator Objects Relationships



# 25.2.1 The GeneratorFunction Constructor

The GeneratorFunction constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *GeneratorFunction*%.
- creates and initializes a new GeneratorFunction object when called as a function rather than as a constructor.
   Thus the function call **GeneratorFunction (...)** is equivalent to the object creation expression

   new GeneratorFunction (...) with the same arguments.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **GeneratorFunction** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **GeneratorFunction** constructor to create and initialize subclass instances with the internal

slots necessary for built-in GeneratorFunction behaviour. All ECMAScript syntactic forms for defining generator function objects create direct instances of **GeneratorFunction**. There is no syntactic means to create instances of **GeneratorFunction** subclasses.

# 25.2.1.1 GeneratorFunction (p1, p2, ..., pn, body)

The last argument specifies the body (executable code) of a generator function; any preceding arguments specify formal parameters.

When the **GeneratorFunction** function is called with some arguments p1, p2, ..., pn, body (where n might be 0, that is, there are no "p" arguments, and where body might also not be provided), the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *C* be the active function object.
- 2. Let *args* be the *argumentsList* that was passed to this function by [[Call]] or [[Construct]].
- 3. Return? CreateDynamicFunction(C, NewTarget, generator, args).

**NOTE** 

See NOTE for 19.2.1.1.

# 25.2.2 Properties of the GeneratorFunction Constructor

The GeneratorFunction constructor:

- is a standard built-in function object that inherits from the **Function** constructor.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function%.
- has a "name" property whose value is "GeneratorFunction".
- has the following properties:

# 25.2.2.1 GeneratorFunction.length

This is a data property with a value of 1. This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.2.2.2 GeneratorFunction.prototype

The initial value of **GeneratorFunction.prototype** is %Generator%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 25.2.3 Properties of the GeneratorFunction Prototype Object

The GeneratorFunction prototype object:

- is an ordinary object.
- is not a function object and does not have an [[ECMAScriptCode]] internal slot or any other of the internal slots listed in Table 27 or Table 73.
- is the value of the "prototype" property of %GeneratorFunction%.
- is the intrinsic object % *Generator*% (see Figure 2).
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.

# 25.2.3.1 GeneratorFunction.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **GeneratorFunction.prototype.constructor** is %GeneratorFunction%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.2.3.2 GeneratorFunction.prototype.prototype

The value of **GeneratorFunction.prototype.prototype** is the %Generator.prototype% intrinsic object.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.2.3.3 GeneratorFunction.prototype [@@toStringTag]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "GeneratorFunction".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.2.4 GeneratorFunction Instances

Every GeneratorFunction instance is an ECMAScript function object and has the internal slots listed in Table 27. The value of the [[IsClassConstructor]] internal slot for all such instances is **false**.

Each GeneratorFunction instance has the following own properties:

# 25.2.4.1 length

The specification for the **"length"** property of Function instances given in 19.2.4.1 also applies to GeneratorFunction instances.

# 25.2.4.2 name

The specification for the **"name"** property of Function instances given in 19.2.4.2 also applies to GeneratorFunction instances.

# 25.2.4.3 prototype

Whenever a GeneratorFunction instance is created another ordinary object is also created and is the initial value of the generator function's "prototype" property. The value of the prototype property is used to initialize the [[Prototype]] internal slot of a newly created Generator object when the generator function object is invoked using [[Call]].

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

**NOTE** 

Unlike Function instances, the object that is the value of the a GeneratorFunction's "prototype" property does not have a "constructor" property whose value is the GeneratorFunction instance.

# 25.3 AsyncGeneratorFunction Objects

AsyncGeneratorFunction objects are functions that are usually created by evaluating AsyncGeneratorDeclaration,

AsyncGeneratorExpression, and AsyncGeneratorMethod syntactic productions. They may also be created by calling the %AsyncGeneratorFunction% intrinsic.

# 25.3.1 The AsyncGeneratorFunction Constructor

The AsyncGeneratorFunction constructor:

- is the intrinsic object *% AsyncGeneratorFunction%*.
- creates and initializes a new AsyncGeneratorFunction object when called as a function rather than as a constructor. Thus the function call AsyncGeneratorFunction (...) is equivalent to the object creation expression new AsyncGeneratorFunction (...) with the same arguments.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **AsyncGeneratorFunction** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **AsyncGeneratorFunction** constructor to create and initialize subclass instances with the internal slots necessary for built-in AsyncGeneratorFunction behaviour. All ECMAScript syntactic forms for defining async generator function objects create direct instances of **AsyncGeneratorFunction**. There is no syntactic means to create instances of **AsyncGeneratorFunction** subclasses.

# 25.3.1.1 AsyncGeneratorFunction (p1, p2, ..., pn, body)

The last argument specifies the body (executable code) of an async generator function; any preceding arguments specify formal parameters.

When the **AsyncGeneratorFunction** function is called with some arguments p1, p2, ..., pn, body (where n might be 0, that is, there are no "p" arguments, and where body might also not be provided), the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *C* be the active function object.
- 2. Let *args* be the *argumentsList* that was passed to this function by [[Call]] or [[Construct]].
- 3. Return? CreateDynamicFunction(C, NewTarget, asyncGenerator, args).

NOTE See NOTE for 19.2.1.1.

# 25.3.2 Properties of the AsyncGeneratorFunction Constructor

The AsyncGeneratorFunction constructor:

- is a standard built-in function object that inherits from the **Function** constructor.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function%.
- has a "name" property whose value is "AsyncGeneratorFunction".
- has the following properties:

# 25.3.2.1 AsyncGeneratorFunction.length

This is a data property with a value of 1. This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.3.2.2 AsyncGeneratorFunction.prototype

The initial value of **AsyncGeneratorFunction.prototype** is the intrinsic object % *AsyncGenerator*%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 25.3.3 Properties of the AsyncGeneratorFunction Prototype Object

The AsyncGeneratorFunction prototype object:

- is an ordinary object.
- is not a function object and does not have an [[ECMAScriptCode]] internal slot or any other of the internal slots listed in Table 27 or Table 74.
- is the value of the "prototype" property of %AsyncGeneratorFunction%.
- is %AsyncGenerator%.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.

# 25.3.3.1 AsyncGeneratorFunction.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **AsyncGeneratorFunction.prototype.constructor** is %AsyncGeneratorFunction%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.3.3.2 AsyncGeneratorFunction.prototype.prototype

The value of **AsyncGeneratorFunction.prototype.prototype** is the %AsyncGenerator.prototype% intrinsic object.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.3.3.3 AsyncGeneratorFunction.prototype [ @@toStringTag ]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "AsyncGeneratorFunction".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.3.4 AsyncGeneratorFunction Instances

Every AsyncGeneratorFunction instance is an ECMAScript function object and has the internal slots listed in Table 27. The value of the [[IsClassConstructor]] internal slot for all such instances is **false**.

Each AsyncGeneratorFunction instance has the following own properties:

# 25.3.4.1 length

The value of the "length" property is an integer that indicates the typical number of arguments expected by the AsyncGeneratorFunction. However, the language permits the function to be invoked with some other number of arguments. The behaviour of an AsyncGeneratorFunction when invoked on a number of arguments other than the number specified by its "length" property depends on the function.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.3.4.2 name

The specification for the **"name"** property of Function instances given in 19.2.4.2 also applies to AsyncGeneratorFunction instances.

# 25.3.4.3 prototype

Whenever an AsyncGeneratorFunction instance is created another ordinary object is also created and is the initial value of the async generator function's "prototype" property. The value of the prototype property is used to initialize the [[Prototype]] internal slot of a newly created AsyncGenerator object when the generator function object is invoked using [[Call]].

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: true, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

NOTE

Unlike function instances, the object that is the value of the an AsyncGeneratorFunction's "prototype" property does not have a "constructor" property whose value is the AsyncGeneratorFunction instance.

# 25.4 Generator Objects

A Generator object is an instance of a generator function and conforms to both the *Iterator* and *Iterable* interfaces.

Generator instances directly inherit properties from the object that is the value of the "**prototype**" property of the Generator function that created the instance. Generator instances indirectly inherit properties from the Generator Prototype intrinsic, %Generator.prototype%.

# 25.4.1 Properties of the Generator Prototype Object

The Generator prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % *GeneratorPrototype*%.
- is the initial value of the "prototype" property of %Generator% (the GeneratorFunction.prototype).
- is an ordinary object.
- is not a Generator instance and does not have a [[GeneratorState]] internal slot.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %IteratorPrototype%.
- has properties that are indirectly inherited by all Generator instances.

# 25.4.1.1 Generator.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Generator.prototype.constructor** is %Generator%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

# 25.4.1.2 Generator.prototype.next (value)

The **next** method performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *g* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? GeneratorResume(g, value).

### 25.4.1.3 Generator.prototype.return (value)

The **return** method performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *g* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let *C* be Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: value, [[Target]]: empty }.
- 3. Return ? GeneratorResumeAbrupt(g, C).

### 25.4.1.4 Generator.prototype.throw (exception)

The **throw** method performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *g* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let *C* be ThrowCompletion(*exception*).
- 3. Return ? GeneratorResumeAbrupt(*g*, *C*).

### 25.4.1.5 Generator.prototype [ @@toStringTag ]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Generator".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 25.4.2 Properties of Generator Instances

Generator instances are initially created with the internal slots described in Table 73.

**Table 73: Internal Slots of Generator Instances** 

Internal Slot	Description
[[GeneratorState]]	The current execution state of the generator. The possible values are: <b>undefined</b> , suspendedStart, suspendedYield, executing, and completed.
[[GeneratorContext]]	The execution context that is used when executing the code of this generator.

## 25.4.3 Generator Abstract Operations

#### 25.4.3.1 GeneratorStart (generator, generatorBody)

The abstract operation GeneratorStart with arguments *generator* and *generatorBody* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: The value of *generator*.[[GeneratorState]] is **undefined**.
- 2. Let *genContext* be the running execution context.
- 3. Set the Generator component of *genContext* to *generator*.
- 4. Set the code evaluation state of *genContext* such that when evaluation is resumed for that execution context the following steps will be performed:
  - a. Let result be the result of evaluating generator Body.

- b. Assert: If we return here, the generator either threw an exception or performed either an implicit or explicit return.
- c. Remove *genContext* from the execution context stack and restore the execution context that is at the top of the execution context stack as the running execution context.
- d. Set generator.[[GeneratorState]] to completed.
- e. Once a generator enters the **completed** state it never leaves it and its associated execution context is never resumed. Any execution state associated with *generator* can be discarded at this point.
- f. If result.[[Type]] is normal, let resultValue be undefined.
- g. Else if result.[[Type]] is return, let resultValue be result.[[Value]].
- h. Else,
  - i. Assert: result.[[Type]] is throw.
  - ii. Return Completion(result).
- i. Return CreateIterResultObject(resultValue, true).
- 5. Set *generator*.[[GeneratorContext]] to *genContext*.
- 6. Set generator.[[GeneratorState]] to suspendedStart.
- 7. Return NormalCompletion(undefined).

## 25.4.3.2 Generator Validate (generator)

The abstract operation Generator Validate with argument *generator* performs the following steps:

- 1. Perform ? RequireInternalSlot(generator, [[GeneratorState]]).
- 2. Assert: *generator* also has a [[GeneratorContext]] internal slot.
- 3. Let state be generator.[[GeneratorState]].
- 4. If *state* is **executing**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- Return state.

#### 25.4.3.3 GeneratorResume (generator, value)

The abstract operation GeneratorResume with arguments *generator* and *value* performs the following steps:

- 1. Let state be ? GeneratorValidate(generator).
- 2. If state is completed, return CreateIterResultObject(undefined, true).
- 3. Assert: state is either suspendedStart or suspendedYield.
- 4. Let *genContext* be *generator*.[[GeneratorContext]].
- 5. Let *methodContext* be the running execution context.
- 6. Suspend methodContext.
- 7. Set *generator*.[[GeneratorState]] to **executing**.
- 8. Push genContext onto the execution context stack; genContext is now the running execution context.
- 9. Resume the suspended evaluation of *genContext* using NormalCompletion(*value*) as the result of the operation that suspended it. Let *result* be the value returned by the resumed computation.
- 10. Assert: When we return here, *genContext* has already been removed from the execution context stack and *methodContext* is the currently running execution context.
- 11. Return Completion(result).

#### 25.4.3.4 GeneratorResumeAbrupt (generator, abruptCompletion)

The abstract operation GeneratorResumeAbrupt with arguments generator and abruptCompletion performs the

- 1. Let *state* be ? GeneratorValidate(*generator*).
- 2. If *state* is **suspendedStart**, then
  - a. Set generator.[[GeneratorState]] to completed.
  - b. Once a generator enters the **completed** state it never leaves it and its associated execution context is never resumed. Any execution state associated with *generator* can be discarded at this point.
  - c. Set state to completed.
- 3. If state is completed, then
  - a. If abruptCompletion.[[Type]] is return, then
    - i. Return CreateIterResultObject(abruptCompletion.[[Value]], true).
  - b. Return Completion(abruptCompletion).
- 4. Assert: state is suspendedYield.
- Let genContext be generator.[[GeneratorContext]].
- Let methodContext be the running execution context.
- 7. Suspend *methodContext*.
- 8. Set *generator*.[[GeneratorState]] to executing.
- 9. Push *genContext* onto the execution context stack; *genContext* is now the running execution context.
- 10. Resume the suspended evaluation of *genContext* using *abruptCompletion* as the result of the operation that suspended it. Let *result* be the completion record returned by the resumed computation.
- 11. Assert: When we return here, *genContext* has already been removed from the execution context stack and *methodContext* is the currently running execution context.
- 12. Return Completion(result).

#### 25.4.3.5 GetGeneratorKind()

- 1. Let *genContext* be the running execution context.
- 2. If genContext does not have a Generator component, return non-generator.
- 3. Let *generator* be the Generator component of *genContext*.
- 4. If *generator* has an [[AsyncGeneratorState]] internal slot, return async.
- 5. Else, return sync.

#### 25.4.3.6 GeneratorYield (iterNextObj)

The abstract operation GeneratorYield with argument *iterNextObj* performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *iterNextObj* is an Object that implements the *IteratorResult* interface.
- 2. Let *genContext* be the running execution context.
- 3. Assert: *genContext* is the execution context of a generator.
- 4. Let *generator* be the value of the Generator component of *genContext*.
- 5. Assert: GetGeneratorKind() is sync.
- 6. Set *generator*.[[GeneratorState]] to suspendedYield.
- 7. Remove *genContext* from the execution context stack and restore the execution context that is at the top of the execution context stack as the running execution context.
- 8. Set the code evaluation state of *genContext* such that when evaluation is resumed with a Completion *resumptionValue* the following steps will be performed:
  - a. Return resumption Value.
  - b. NOTE: This returns to the evaluation of the *YieldExpression* that originally called this abstract operation.

- 9. Return NormalCompletion(iterNextObj).
- 10. NOTE: This returns to the evaluation of the operation that had most previously resumed evaluation of *genContext*.

# 25.5 AsyncGenerator Objects

An AsyncGenerator object is an instance of an async generator function and conforms to both the AsyncIterator and AsyncIterable interfaces.

AsyncGenerator instances directly inherit properties from the object that is the value of the "prototype" property of the AsyncGenerator function that created the instance. AsyncGenerator instances indirectly inherit properties from the AsyncGenerator Prototype intrinsic, %AsyncGenerator.prototype%.

## 25.5.1 Properties of the AsyncGenerator Prototype Object

The AsyncGenerator prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object % *AsyncGeneratorPrototype*%.
- is the initial value of the "prototype" property of "AsyncGenerator" (the **AsyncGeneratorFunction.prototype**).
- is an ordinary object.
- is not an AsyncGenerator instance and does not have an [[AsyncGeneratorState]] internal slot.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %AsyncIteratorPrototype%.
- has properties that are indirectly inherited by all AsyncGenerator instances.

#### 25.5.1.1 AsyncGenerator.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **AsyncGenerator.prototype.constructor** is %AsyncGenerator%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

#### 25.5.1.2 AsyncGenerator.prototype.next (value)

- 1. Let *generator* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let *completion* be NormalCompletion(*value*).
- 3. Return! AsyncGeneratorEnqueue(generator, completion).

#### 25.5.1.3 AsyncGenerator.prototype.return (value)

- 1. Let *generator* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let completion be Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: value, [[Target]]: empty }.
- 3. Return! AsyncGeneratorEnqueue(generator, completion).

#### 25.5.1.4 AsyncGenerator.prototype.throw (exception)

- 1. Let *generator* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let *completion* be ThrowCompletion(*exception*).
- 3. Return! AsyncGeneratorEnqueue(generator, completion).

### 25.5.1.5 AsyncGenerator.prototype [ @@toStringTag ]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "AsyncGenerator".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 25.5.2 Properties of AsyncGenerator Instances

AsyncGenerator instances are initially created with the internal slots described below:

**Table 74: Internal Slots of AsyncGenerator Instances** 

Internal Slot	Description
[[AsyncGeneratorState]]	The current execution state of the async generator. The possible values are: <b>undefined</b> , suspendedStart, suspendedYield, executing, awaiting-return, and completed.
[[AsyncGeneratorContext]]	The execution context that is used when executing the code of this async generator.
[[AsyncGeneratorQueue]]	A List of AsyncGeneratorRequest records which represent requests to resume the async generator.

## 25.5.3 AsyncGenerator Abstract Operations

### 25.5.3.1 AsyncGeneratorRequest Records

The AsyncGeneratorRequest is a Record value used to store information about how an async generator should be resumed and contains capabilities for fulfilling or rejecting the corresponding promise.

They have the following fields:

Table 75: AsyncGeneratorRequest Record Fields

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[Completion]]	A Completion record	The completion which should be used to resume the async generator.
[[Capability]]	A PromiseCapability record	The promise capabilities associated with this request.

#### 25.5.3.2 AsyncGeneratorStart (generator, generatorBody)

- 1. Assert: *generator* is an AsyncGenerator instance.
- 2. Assert: generator.[[AsyncGeneratorState]] is undefined.
- 3. Let *genContext* be the running execution context.
- 4. Set the Generator component of *genContext* to *generator*.
- 5. Set the code evaluation state of *genContext* such that when evaluation is resumed for that execution context the following steps will be performed:
  - a. Let result be the result of evaluating generator Body.
  - b. Assert: If we return here, the async generator either threw an exception or performed either an implicit or explicit return.
  - c. Remove *genContext* from the execution context stack and restore the execution context that is at the top

of the execution context stack as the running execution context.

- d. Set *generator*.[[AsyncGeneratorState]] to completed.
- e. If result is a normal completion, let result Value be **undefined**.
- f. Else,
  - i. Let resultValue be result.[[Value]].
  - ii. If result.[[Type]] is not return, then
    - 1. Return! AsyncGeneratorReject(generator, result Value).
- g. Return! AsyncGeneratorResolve(generator, resultValue, true).
- 6. Set generator.[[AsyncGeneratorContext]] to genContext.
- 7. Set generator.[[AsyncGeneratorState]] to suspendedStart.
- 8. Set generator.[[AsyncGeneratorQueue]] to a new empty List.
- Return undefined.

#### 25.5.3.3 AsyncGeneratorResolve (generator, value, done)

- 1. Assert: *generator* is an AsyncGenerator instance.
- 2. Let queue be generator.[[AsyncGeneratorQueue]].
- 3. Assert: queue is not an empty List.
- 4. Remove the first element from *queue* and let *next* be the value of that element.
- 5. Let *promiseCapability* be *next*.[[Capability]].
- 6. Let iteratorResult be! CreateIterResultObject(value, done).
- 7. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « iteratorResult »).
- 8. Perform! AsyncGeneratorResumeNext(generator).
- 9. Return undefined.

## 25.5.3.4 AsyncGeneratorReject (generator, exception)

- 1. Assert: generator is an AsyncGenerator instance.
- 2. Let queue be generator.[[AsyncGeneratorQueue]].
- 3. Assert: *queue* is not an empty List.
- 4. Remove the first element from *queue* and let *next* be the value of that element.
- 5. Let *promiseCapability* be *next*.[[Capability]].
- 6. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « exception »).
- 7. Perform! AsyncGeneratorResumeNext(generator).
- 8. Return undefined.

#### 25.5.3.5 AsyncGeneratorResumeNext (generator)

- 1. Assert: *generator* is an AsyncGenerator instance.
- 2. Let state be generator.[[AsyncGeneratorState]].
- 3. Assert: state is not executing.
- 4. If state is awaiting-return, return undefined.
- 5. Let queue be generator.[[AsyncGeneratorQueue]].
- 6. If *queue* is an empty List, return **undefined**.
- 7. Let *next* be the value of the first element of *queue*.
- 8. Assert: *next* is an AsyncGeneratorRequest record.
- 9. Let *completion* be *next*.[[Completion]].
- 10. If *completion* is an abrupt completion, then

- a. If state is suspendedStart, then
  - i. Set generator.[[AsyncGeneratorState]] to completed.
  - ii. Set *state* to completed.
- b. If state is completed, then
  - i. If completion.[[Type]] is return, then
    - 1. Set *generator*.[[AsyncGeneratorState]] to awaiting-return.
    - 2. Let *promise* be ? PromiseResolve(%Promise%, completion.[[Value]]).
    - 3. Let *stepsFulfilled* be the algorithm steps defined in AsyncGeneratorResumeNext Return Processor Fulfilled Functions.
    - 4. Let onFulfilled be! CreateBuiltinFunction(stepsFulfilled, « [[Generator]] »).
    - 5. Set *onFulfilled*.[[Generator]] to *generator*.
    - 6. Let *stepsRejected* be the algorithm steps defined in AsyncGeneratorResumeNext Return Processor Rejected Functions.
    - 7. Let onRejected be! CreateBuiltinFunction(stepsRejected, « [[Generator]] »).
    - 8. Set *onRejected*.[[Generator]] to *generator*.
    - 9. Perform! PerformPromiseThen(promise, onFulfilled, onRejected).
    - 10. Return **undefined**.
  - ii. Else,
    - 1. Assert: completion.[[Type]] is throw.
    - 2. Perform! AsyncGeneratorReject(generator, completion.[[Value]]).
    - 3. Return **undefined**.
- 11. Else if state is completed, return! AsyncGeneratorResolve(generator, undefined, true).
- 12. Assert: *state* is either suspendedStart or suspendedYield.
- 13. Let *genContext* be *generator*.[[AsyncGeneratorContext]].
- 14. Let *callerContext* be the running execution context.
- 15. Suspend callerContext.
- 16. Set generator.[[AsyncGeneratorState]] to executing.
- 17. Push *genContext* onto the execution context stack; *genContext* is now the running execution context.
- 18. Resume the suspended evaluation of *genContext* using *completion* as the result of the operation that suspended it. Let *result* be the completion record returned by the resumed computation.
- 19. Assert: *result* is never an abrupt completion.
- 20. Assert: When we return here, *genContext* has already been removed from the execution context stack and *callerContext* is the currently running execution context.
- 21. Return undefined.

#### 25.5.3.5.1 AsyncGeneratorResumeNext Return Processor Fulfilled Functions

An AsyncGeneratorResumeNext return processor fulfilled function is an anonymous built-in function that is used as part of the AsyncGeneratorResumeNext specification device to unwrap promises passed in to the AsyncGenerator.prototype.return ( *value* ) method. Each AsyncGeneratorResumeNext return processor fulfilled function has a [[Generator]] internal slot.

When an AsyncGeneratorResumeNext return processor fulfilled function is called with argument *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Set F.[[Generator]].[[AsyncGeneratorState]] to completed.
- 3. Return! AsyncGeneratorResolve(F.[[Generator]], value, true).

The "length" property of an AsyncGeneratorResumeNext return processor fulfilled function is 1.

#### 25.5.3.5.2 AsyncGeneratorResumeNext Return Processor Rejected Functions

An AsyncGeneratorResumeNext return processor rejected function is an anonymous built-in function that is used as part of the AsyncGeneratorResumeNext specification device to unwrap promises passed in to the AsyncGenerator.prototype.return ( *value* ) method. Each AsyncGeneratorResumeNext return processor rejected function has a [[Generator]] internal slot.

When an AsyncGeneratorResumeNext return processor rejected function is called with argument *reason*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- Set F.[[Generator]].[[AsyncGeneratorState]] to completed.
- 3. Return! AsyncGeneratorReject(F.[[Generator]], reason).

The "length" property of an AsyncGeneratorResumeNext return processor rejected function is 1.

### 25.5.3.6 AsyncGeneratorEnqueue (generator, completion)

- 1. Assert: completion is a Completion Record.
- 2. Let promiseCapability be! NewPromiseCapability(%Promise%).
- 3. If Type(generator) is not Object, or if generator does not have an [[AsyncGeneratorState]] internal slot, then
  - a. Let badGeneratorError be a newly created TypeError object.
  - b. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « badGeneratorError »).
  - c. Return promiseCapability.[[Promise]].
- 4. Let queue be generator.[[AsyncGeneratorQueue]].
- 5. Let request be AsyncGeneratorRequest { [[Completion]]: completion, [[Capability]]: promiseCapability }.
- 6. Append *request* to the end of *queue*.
- 7. Let state be generator.[[AsyncGeneratorState]].
- 8. If state is not executing, then
  - a. Perform! AsyncGeneratorResumeNext(generator).
- Return promiseCapability.[[Promise]].

#### 25.5.3.7 AsyncGeneratorYield (value)

The abstract operation AsyncGeneratorYield with argument value performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *genContext* be the running execution context.
- 2. Assert: *genContext* is the execution context of a generator.
- 3. Let *generator* be the value of the Generator component of *genContext*.
- 4. Assert: GetGeneratorKind() is async.
- 5. Set value to ? Await(value).
- 6. Set generator.[[AsyncGeneratorState]] to suspendedYield.
- 7. Remove *genContext* from the execution context stack and restore the execution context that is at the top of the execution context stack as the running execution context.
- 8. Set the code evaluation state of *genContext* such that when evaluation is resumed with a Completion *resumptionValue* the following steps will be performed:
  - a. If resumption Value.[[Type]] is not return, return Completion(resumption Value).

- b. Let awaited be Await(resumptionValue.[[Value]]).
- c. If awaited.[[Type]] is throw, return Completion(awaited).
- d. Assert: awaited.[[Type]] is normal.
- e. Return Completion { [[Type]]: return, [[Value]]: awaited.[[Value]], [[Target]]: empty }.
- f. NOTE: When one of the above steps returns, it returns to the evaluation of the *YieldExpression* production that originally called this abstract operation.
- 9. Return! AsyncGeneratorResolve(generator, value, false).
- 10. NOTE: This returns to the evaluation of the operation that had most previously resumed evaluation of *genContext*.

## 25.6 Promise Objects

A Promise is an object that is used as a placeholder for the eventual results of a deferred (and possibly asynchronous) computation.

Any Promise object is in one of three mutually exclusive states: fulfilled, rejected, and pending:

- A promise **p** is fulfilled if **p.then(f, r)** will immediately enqueue a Job to call the function **f**.
- A promise **p** is rejected if **p.then(f, r)** will immediately enqueue a Job to call the function **r**.
- A promise is pending if it is neither fulfilled nor rejected.

A promise is said to be *settled* if it is not pending, i.e. if it is either fulfilled or rejected.

A promise is *resolved* if it is settled or if it has been "locked in" to match the state of another promise. Attempting to resolve or reject a resolved promise has no effect. A promise is *unresolved* if it is not resolved. An unresolved promise is always in the pending state. A resolved promise may be pending, fulfilled or rejected.

## 25.6.1 Promise Abstract Operations

#### 25.6.1.1 PromiseCapability Records

A PromiseCapability is a Record value used to encapsulate a promise object along with the functions that are capable of resolving or rejecting that promise object. PromiseCapability Records are produced by the NewPromiseCapability abstract operation.

PromiseCapability Records have the fields listed in Table 76.

Table 76: PromiseCapability Record Fields

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[Promise]]	An object	An object that is usable as a promise.
[[Resolve]]	A function object	The function that is used to resolve the given promise object.
[[Reject]]	A function object	The function that is used to reject the given promise object.

#### 25.6.1.1.1 If Abrupt Reject Promise (value, capability)

IfAbruptRejectPromise is a shorthand for a sequence of algorithm steps that use a PromiseCapability Record. An

algorithm step of the form:

1. If Abrupt Reject Promise (value, capability).

means the same thing as:

- 1. If *value* is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. Perform? Call(capability.[[Reject]], undefined, « value.[[Value]] »).
  - b. Return capability.[[Promise]].
- 2. Else if value is a Completion Record, set value to value.[[Value]].

#### 25.6.1.2 PromiseReaction Records

The PromiseReaction is a Record value used to store information about how a promise should react when it becomes resolved or rejected with a given value. PromiseReaction records are created by the PerformPromiseThen abstract operation, and are used by the abstract closure returned by NewPromiseReactionJob.

PromiseReaction records have the fields listed in Table 77.

Table 77: PromiseReaction Record Fields

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[Capability]]	A PromiseCapability Record, or undefined	The capabilities of the promise for which this record provides a reaction handler.
[[Type]]	Fulfill   Reject	The [[Type]] is used when [[Handler]] is <b>undefined</b> to allow for behaviour specific to the settlement type.
[[Handler]]	A function object or undefined.	The function that should be applied to the incoming value, and whose return value will govern what happens to the derived promise. If [[Handler]] is <b>undefined</b> , a function that depends on the value of [[Type]] will be used instead.

#### 25.6.1.3 CreateResolvingFunctions (promise)

When CreateResolvingFunctions is performed with argument *promise*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let alreadyResolved be the Record { [[Value]]: false }.
- 2. Let *stepsResolve* be the algorithm steps defined in Promise Resolve Functions.
- 3. Let resolve be! CreateBuiltinFunction(stepsResolve, « [[Promise]], [[AlreadyResolved]] »).
- Set resolve.[[Promise]] to promise.
- 5. Set resolve.[[AlreadyResolved]] to alreadyResolved.
- 6. Let *stepsReject* be the algorithm steps defined in Promise Reject Functions.
- 7. Let reject be ! CreateBuiltinFunction(stepsReject, « [[Promise]], [[AlreadyResolved]] »).
- 8. Set reject.[[Promise]] to promise.
- 9. Set reject.[[AlreadyResolved]] to alreadyResolved.
- 10. Return the Record { [[Resolve]]: resolve, [[Reject]]: reject }.

### 25.6.1.3.1 Promise Reject Functions

A promise reject function is an anonymous built-in function that has [[Promise]] and [[AlreadyResolved]] internal slots.

When a promise reject function is called with argument *reason*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Assert: *F* has a [[Promise]] internal slot whose value is an Object.
- 3. Let *promise* be *F*.[[Promise]].
- 4. Let alreadyResolved be F.[[AlreadyResolved]].
- 5. If alreadyResolved.[[Value]] is **true**, return **undefined**.
- 6. Set alreadyResolved.[[Value]] to **true**.
- 7. Return RejectPromise(promise, reason).

The **"length"** property of a promise reject function is 1.

#### 25.6.1.3.2 Promise Resolve Functions

A promise resolve function is an anonymous built-in function that has [[Promise]] and [[AlreadyResolved]] internal slots.

When a promise resolve function is called with argument *resolution*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Assert: *F* has a [[Promise]] internal slot whose value is an Object.
- 3. Let *promise* be *F*.[[Promise]].
- 4. Let alreadyResolved be F.[[AlreadyResolved]].
- 5. If alreadyResolved.[[Value]] is **true**, return **undefined**.
- 6. Set alreadyResolved.[[Value]] to true.
- 7. If SameValue(resolution, promise) is **true**, then
  - a. Let selfResolutionError be a newly created **TypeError** object.
  - b. Return RejectPromise(promise, selfResolutionError).
- 8. If Type(resolution) is not Object, then
  - a. Return FulfillPromise(promise, resolution).
- 9. Let then be Get(resolution, "then").
- 10. If then is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. Return RejectPromise(promise, then.[[Value]]).
- 11. Let then Action be then. [[Value]].
- 12. If IsCallable(then Action) is false, then
  - a. Return FulfillPromise(promise, resolution).
- 13. Let *job* be NewPromiseResolveThenableJob(*promise*, *resolution*, *thenAction*).
- 14. Perform HostEnqueuePromiseJob(job.[[Job]], job.[[Realm]]).
- 15. Return undefined.

The **"length"** property of a promise resolve function is 1.

#### 25.6.1.4 FulfillPromise (promise, value)

When the FulfillPromise abstract operation is called with arguments *promise* and *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: The value of *promise*.[[PromiseState]] is pending.
- 2. Let reactions be promise.[[PromiseFulfillReactions]].
- 3. Set *promise*.[[PromiseResult]] to value.
- Set promise.[[PromiseFulfillReactions]] to undefined.
- 5. Set promise.[[PromiseRejectReactions]] to undefined.
- Set promise.[[PromiseState]] to fulfilled.
- 7. Return TriggerPromiseReactions(reactions, value).

### 25.6.1.5 NewPromiseCapability (C)

The abstract operation NewPromiseCapability takes a constructor function, and attempts to use that constructor function in the fashion of the built-in **Promise** constructor to create a Promise object and extract its resolve and reject functions. The promise plus the resolve and reject functions are used to initialize a new PromiseCapability Record which is returned as the value of this abstract operation.

- 1. If IsConstructor(*C*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. NOTE: *C* is assumed to be a constructor function that supports the parameter conventions of the **Promise** constructor (see 25.6.3.1).
- 3. Let *promiseCapability* be the PromiseCapability { [[Promise]]: **undefined**, [[Resolve]]: **undefined**, [[Reject]]: **undefined** }.
- 4. Let *steps* be the algorithm steps defined in GetCapabilitiesExecutor Functions.
- 5. Let executor be ! CreateBuiltinFunction(steps, « [[Capability]] »).
- 6. Set *executor*.[[Capability]] to *promiseCapability*.
- 7. Let *promise* be ? Construct(*C*, « *executor* »).
- 8. If IsCallable(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]]) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 9. If IsCallable(promiseCapability.[[Reject]]) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
- 10. Set *promiseCapability*.[[Promise]] to *promise*.
- 11. Return *promiseCapability*.

**NOTE** 

This abstract operation supports Promise subclassing, as it is generic on any constructor that calls a passed executor function argument in the same way as the Promise constructor. It is used to generalize static methods of the Promise constructor to any subclass.

#### 25.6.1.5.1 GetCapabilitiesExecutor Functions

A GetCapabilitiesExecutor function is an anonymous built-in function that has a [[Capability]] internal slot.

When a GetCapabilitiesExecutor function is called with arguments resolve and reject, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Assert: *F* has a [[Capability]] internal slot whose value is a PromiseCapability Record.
- 3. Let *promiseCapability* be *F*.[[Capability]].
- 4. If *promiseCapability*.[[Resolve]] is not **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 5. If *promiseCapability*.[[Reject]] is not **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Set *promiseCapability*.[[Resolve]] to *resolve*.
- 7. Set promiseCapability.[[Reject]] to reject.
- 8. Return undefined.

The **"length"** property of a GetCapabilitiesExecutor function is 2.

#### **25.6.1.6** IsPromise (*x*)

The abstract operation IsPromise checks for the promise brand on an object.

- 1. If Type(x) is not Object, return **false**.
- 2. If *x* does not have a [[PromiseState]] internal slot, return **false**.
- 3. Return true.

#### 25.6.1.7 RejectPromise (promise, reason)

When the RejectPromise abstract operation is called with arguments *promise* and *reason*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: The value of *promise*.[[PromiseState]] is pending.
- 2. Let reactions be promise. [[PromiseRejectReactions]].
- 3. Set promise.[[PromiseResult]] to reason.
- 4. Set promise.[[PromiseFulfillReactions]] to undefined.
- 5. Set *promise*.[[PromiseRejectReactions]] to **undefined**.
- 6. Set *promise*.[[PromiseState]] to rejected.
- 7. If promise.[[PromiseIsHandled]] is false, perform HostPromiseRejectionTracker(promise, "reject").
- 8. Return TriggerPromiseReactions(reactions, reason).

### 25.6.1.8 TriggerPromiseReactions (reactions, argument)

The abstract operation TriggerPromiseReactions takes a collection of PromiseReactionRecords and enqueues a new Job for each record. Each such Job processes the [[Type]] and [[Handler]] of the PromiseReactionRecord, and if the [[Handler]] is a function, calls it passing the given argument. If the [[Handler]] is **undefined**, the behaviour is determined by the [[Type]].

- 1. For each *reaction* in *reactions*, in original insertion order, do
  - a. Let job be NewPromiseReactionJob(reaction, argument).
  - b. Perform HostEnqueuePromiseJob(job.[[Job]], job.[[Realm]]).
- 2. Return undefined.

#### 25.6.1.9 HostPromiseRejectionTracker (promise, operation)

HostPromiseRejectionTracker is an implementation-defined abstract operation that allows host environments to track promise rejections.

An implementation of HostPromiseRejectionTracker must complete normally in all cases. The default implementation of HostPromiseRejectionTracker is to unconditionally return an empty normal completion.

### NOTE 1 HostPromiseRejectionTracker is called in two scenarios:

- When a promise is rejected without any handlers, it is called with its *operation* argument set to "reject".
- When a handler is added to a rejected promise for the first time, it is called with its *operation* argument set to **"handle"**.

A typical implementation of HostPromiseRejectionTracker might try to notify developers of unhandled rejections, while also being careful to notify them if such previous notifications are later invalidated by new handlers being attached.

NOTE 2

If *operation* is **"handle"**, an implementation should not hold a reference to *promise* in a way that would interfere with garbage collection. An implementation may hold a reference to *promise* if *operation* is **"reject"**, since it is expected that rejections will be rare and not on hot code paths.

## 25.6.2 Promise Jobs

#### 25.6.2.1 NewPromiseReactionJob (reaction, argument)

The abstract operation NewPromiseReactionJob takes two arguments, *reaction* and *argument* and returns a new Job abstract closure that applies the appropriate handler to the incoming value, and uses the handler's return value to resolve or reject the derived promise associated with that handler. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *job* be a new Job abstract closure with no parameters that captures *reaction* and *argument* and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Assert: reaction is a PromiseReaction Record.
  - b. Let *promiseCapability* be *reaction*.[[Capability]].
  - c. Let *type* be *reaction*.[[Type]].
  - d. Let handler be reaction.[[Handler]].
  - e. If handler is **undefined**, then
    - i. If type is Fulfill, let handlerResult be NormalCompletion(argument).
    - ii. Else,
      - 1. Assert: type is Reject.
      - 2. Let handlerResult be ThrowCompletion(argument).
  - f. Else, let handlerResult be Call(handler, undefined, « argument »).
  - g. If *promiseCapability* is **undefined**, then
    - i. Assert: handlerResult is not an abrupt completion.
    - ii. Return NormalCompletion(empty).
  - h. If handlerResult is an abrupt completion, then
    - i. Let status be Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « handlerResult.[[Value]] »).
  - i. Else,
    - i. Let status be Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « handlerResult.[[Value]] »).
  - j. Return Completion(status).
- 2. Let handlerRealm be null.
- 3. If reaction.[[Handler]] is not undefined, then
  - a. Let getHandlerRealmResult be GetFunctionRealm(reaction.[[Handler]]).

- b. If *getHandlerRealmResult* is a normal completion, then set *handlerRealm* to *getHandlerRealmResult*. [[Value]].
- 4. Return the Record { [[Job]]: job, [[Realm]]: handlerRealm }.

### 25.6.2.2 NewPromiseResolveThenableJob (promiseToResolve, thenable, then)

The abstract operation NewPromiseResolveThenableJob takes three arguments, *promiseToResolve*, *thenable*, and *then*, and performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *job* be a new Job abstract closure with no parameters that captures *promiseToResolve*, *thenable*, and *then* and performs the following steps when called:
  - a. Let resolvingFunctions be CreateResolvingFunctions(promiseToResolve).
  - b. Let thenCallResult be Call(then, thenable, « resolvingFunctions.[[Resolve]], resolvingFunctions.[[Reject]] »).
  - c. If thenCallResult is an abrupt completion, then
    - i. Let status be Call(resolvingFunctions.[[Reject]], undefined, « thenCallResult.[[Value]] »).
    - ii. Return Completion(status).
  - d. Return Completion(thenCallResult).
- 2. Let *getThenRealmResult* be GetFunctionRealm(*then*).
- 3. If *getThenRealmResult* is a normal completion, then let *thenRealm* be *getThenRealmResult*.[[Value]].
- 4. Otherwise, let thenRealm be **null**.
- 5. Return the Record { [[Job]]: job, [[Realm]]: thenRealm }.

NOTE

This Job uses the supplied thenable and its **then** method to resolve the given promise. This process must take place as a Job to ensure that the evaluation of the **then** method occurs after evaluation of any surrounding code has completed.

#### 25.6.3 The Promise Constructor

The Promise constructor:

- is the intrinsic object *%Promise%*.
- is the initial value of the "Promise" property of the global object.
- creates and initializes a new Promise object when called as a constructor.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value in an **extends** clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified **Promise** behaviour must include a **super** call to the **Promise** constructor to create and initialize the subclass instance with the internal state necessary to support the **Promise** and **Promise.prototype** built-in methods.

#### **25.6.3.1 Promise** ( *executor* )

When the **Promise** function is called with argument *executor*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. If IsCallable(executor) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *promise* be ? OrdinaryCreateFromConstructor(NewTarget, "%Promise.prototype%", « [[PromiseState]], [[PromiseResult]], [[PromiseFulfillReactions]], [[PromiseRejectReactions]], [[PromiseIsHandled]] »).
- 4. Set promise.[[PromiseState]] to pending.

- 5. Set *promise*.[[PromiseFulfillReactions]] to a new empty List.
- 6. Set promise.[[PromiseRejectReactions]] to a new empty List.
- 7. Set *promise*.[[PromiseIsHandled]] to **false**.
- 8. Let resolvingFunctions be CreateResolvingFunctions(promise).
- 9. Let completion be Call(executor, undefined, « resolvingFunctions.[[Resolve]], resolvingFunctions.[[Reject]] »).
- 10. If *completion* is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. Perform? Call(resolvingFunctions.[[Reject]], undefined, « completion.[[Value]] »).
- 11. Return promise.

#### NOTE

The *executor* argument must be a function object. It is called for initiating and reporting completion of the possibly deferred action represented by this Promise object. The executor is called with two arguments: *resolve* and *reject*. These are functions that may be used by the *executor* function to report eventual completion or failure of the deferred computation. Returning from the executor function does not mean that the deferred action has been completed but only that the request to eventually perform the deferred action has been accepted.

The *resolve* function that is passed to an *executor* function accepts a single argument. The *executor* code may eventually call the *resolve* function to indicate that it wishes to resolve the associated Promise object. The argument passed to the *resolve* function represents the eventual value of the deferred action and can be either the actual fulfillment value or another Promise object which will provide the value if it is fulfilled.

The *reject* function that is passed to an *executor* function accepts a single argument. The *executor* code may eventually call the *reject* function to indicate that the associated Promise is rejected and will never be fulfilled. The argument passed to the *reject* function is used as the rejection value of the promise. Typically it will be an **Error** object.

The resolve and reject functions passed to an *executor* function by the Promise constructor have the capability to actually resolve and reject the associated promise. Subclasses may have different constructor behaviour that passes in customized values for resolve and reject.

## 25.6.4 Properties of the Promise Constructor

The Promise constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- has the following properties:

#### 25.6.4.1 Promise.all (iterable)

The **all** function returns a new promise which is fulfilled with an array of fulfillment values for the passed promises, or rejects with the reason of the first passed promise that rejects. It resolves all elements of the passed iterable to promises as it runs this algorithm.

- 1. Let *C* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let *promiseCapability* be ? NewPromiseCapability(*C*).
- 3. Let iteratorRecord be GetIterator(iterable).
- 4. If Abrupt Reject Promise (iterator Record, promise Capability).

- 5. Let result be PerformPromiseAll(iteratorRecord, C, promiseCapability).
- 6. If result is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. If iteratorRecord. [[Done]] is **false**, set result to IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, result).
  - b. If Abrupt Reject Promise (result, promise Capability).
- 7. Return Completion(result).

This function is the *%Promise\_all*% intrinsic object.

**NOTE** 

The **all** function requires its **this** value to be a constructor function that supports the parameter conventions of the **Promise** constructor.

#### 25.6.4.1.1 Runtime Semantics: PerformPromiseAll (iteratorRecord, constructor, resultCapability)

When the PerformPromiseAll abstract operation is called with arguments *iteratorRecord*, *constructor*, and *resultCapability*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsConstructor(constructor) is true.
- 2. Assert: resultCapability is a PromiseCapability Record.
- 3. Let values be a new empty List.
- 4. Let *remainingElementsCount* be the Record { [[Value]]: 1 }.
- 5. Let promiseResolve be ? Get(constructor, "resolve").
- 6. If ! IsCallable(promiseResolve) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 7. Let index be 0.
- 8. Repeat,
  - a. Let next be IteratorStep(iteratorRecord).
  - b. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
  - d. If *next* is **false**, then
    - i. Set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
    - ii. Set remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] to remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] 1.
    - iii. If remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] is 0, then
      - 1. Let values Array be! Create Array From List (values).
      - 2. Perform ? Call(resultCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « valuesArray »).
    - iv. Return resultCapability.[[Promise]].
  - e. Let *nextValue* be IteratorValue(*next*).
  - f. If nextValue is an abrupt completion, set iteratorRecord.[[Done]] to true.
  - g. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextValue).
  - h. Append undefined to values.
  - i. Let nextPromise be ? Call(promiseResolve, constructor, « nextValue »).
  - j. Let *steps* be the algorithm steps defined in **Promise.all** Resolve Element Functions.
  - k. Let *resolveElement* be ! CreateBuiltinFunction(*steps*, « [[AlreadyCalled]], [[Index]], [[Values]], [[Capability]], [[RemainingElements]] »).
  - 1. Set resolveElement.[[AlreadyCalled]] to the Record { [[Value]]: false }.
  - m. Set resolveElement.[[Index]] to index.
  - n. Set resolveElement.[[Values]] to values.
  - o. Set resolveElement.[[Capability]] to resultCapability.
  - p. Set resolveElement.[[RemainingElements]] to remainingElementsCount.
  - q. Set remainingElementsCount.[[Value]] to remainingElementsCount.[[Value]] + 1.

- r. Perform? Invoke(nextPromise, "then", « resolveElement, resultCapability.[[Reject]] »).
- s. Set index to index + 1.

#### 25.6.4.1.2 Promise.all Resolve Element Functions

A **Promise.all** resolve element function is an anonymous built-in function that is used to resolve a specific **Promise.all** element. Each **Promise.all** resolve element function has [[Index]], [[Values]], [[Capability]], [[RemainingElements]], and [[AlreadyCalled]] internal slots.

When a **Promise.all** resolve element function is called with argument *x*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Let alreadyCalled be F.[[AlreadyCalled]].
- 3. If alreadyCalled.[[Value]] is **true**, return **undefined**.
- 4. Set alreadyCalled.[[Value]] to true.
- 5. Let *index* be *F*.[[Index]].
- 6. Let *values* be *F*.[[Values]].
- 7. Let *promiseCapability* be *F*.[[Capability]].
- 8. Let *remainingElementsCount* be *F*.[[RemainingElements]].
- 9. Set values[index] to x.
- 10. Set remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] to remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] 1.
- 11. If remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] is 0, then
  - a. Let values Array be! Create Array From List (values).
  - b. Return? Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « valuesArray »).
- 12. Return **undefined**.

The **"length"** property of a **Promise.all** resolve element function is 1.

#### 25.6.4.2 Promise.allSettled (iterable)

The **allSettled** function returns a promise that is fulfilled with an array of promise state snapshots, but only after all the original promises have settled, i.e. become either fulfilled or rejected. It resolves all elements of the passed iterable to promises as it runs this algorithm.

- 1. Let *C* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let *promiseCapability* be ? NewPromiseCapability(*C*).
- 3. Let iteratorRecord be GetIterator(iterable).
- 4. If Abrupt Reject Promise (iterator Record, promise Capability).
- 5. Let result be PerformPromiseAllSettled(iteratorRecord, C, promiseCapability).
- 6. If result is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **false**, set result to IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, result).
  - b. If Abrupt Reject Promise (result, promise Capability).
- 7. Return Completion(result).

NOTE The **allSettled** function requires its **this** value to be a constructor function that supports the parameter conventions of the **Promise** constructor.

25.6.4.2.1 Runtime Semantics: PerformPromiseAllSettled (iteratorRecord, constructor, resultCapability)

When the PerformPromiseAllSettled abstract operation is called with arguments *iteratorRecord*, *constructor*, and *resultCapability*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: ! IsConstructor(constructor) is true.
- 2. Assert: resultCapability is a PromiseCapability Record.
- 3. Let *values* be a new empty List.
- 4. Let remainingElementsCount be the Record { [[Value]]: 1 }.
- 5. Let *index* be 0.
- 6. Let *promiseResolve* be ? Get(constructor, "resolve").
- 7. If IsCallable(promiseResolve) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
- 8. Repeat,
  - a. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(next).
  - d. If *next* is **false**, then
    - i. Set iteratorRecord.[[Done]] to true.
    - ii. Set remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] to remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] 1.
    - iii. If remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] is 0, then
      - 1. Let values Array be! Create Array From List (values).
      - 2. Perform ? Call(resultCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « valuesArray »).
    - iv. Return resultCapability.[[Promise]].
  - e. Let nextValue be IteratorValue(next).
  - f. If nextValue is an abrupt completion, set iteratorRecord.[[Done]] to true.
  - g. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextValue).
  - h. Append undefined to values.
  - i. Let nextPromise be? Call(promiseResolve, constructor, « nextValue »).
  - j. Let *steps* be the algorithm steps defined in **Promise.allSettled** Resolve Element Functions.
  - k. Let *resolveElement* be ! CreateBuiltinFunction(*steps*, « [[AlreadyCalled]], [[Index]], [[Values]], [[Capability]], [[RemainingElements]] »).
  - 1. Let alreadyCalled be the Record { [[Value]]: false }.
  - m. Set resolveElement.[[AlreadyCalled]] to alreadyCalled.
  - n. Set resolveElement.[[Index]] to index.
  - o. Set resolveElement.[[Values]] to values.
  - p. Set resolveElement.[[Capability]] to resultCapability.
  - q. Set resolveElement.[[RemainingElements]] to remainingElementsCount.
  - r. Let *rejectSteps* be the algorithm steps defined in **Promise.allSettled** Reject Element Functions.
  - s. Let rejectElement be! CreateBuiltinFunction(rejectSteps, « [[AlreadyCalled]], [[Index]], [[Values]], [[Capability]], [[RemainingElements]] »).
  - t. Set rejectElement.[[AlreadyCalled]] to alreadyCalled.
  - u. Set rejectElement.[[Index]] to index.
  - v. Set rejectElement.[[Values]] to values.
  - w. Set rejectElement.[[Capability]] to resultCapability.
  - x. Set rejectElement.[[RemainingElements]] to remainingElementsCount.
  - y. Set remainingElementsCount.[[Value]] to remainingElementsCount.[[Value]] + 1.
  - z. Perform? Invoke(nextPromise, "then", « resolveElement, rejectElement »).
  - aa. Set index to index + 1.

#### 25.6.4.2.2 **Promise.allSettled** Resolve Element Functions

A **Promise.allSettled** resolve element function is an anonymous built-in function that is used to resolve a specific **Promise.allSettled** element. Each **Promise.allSettled** resolve element function has [[Index]], [[Values]], [[Capability]], [[RemainingElements]], and [[AlreadyCalled]] internal slots.

When a **Promise.allSettled** resolve element function is called with argument *x*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Let alreadyCalled be F.[[AlreadyCalled]].
- 3. If alreadyCalled.[[Value]] is **true**, return **undefined**.
- 4. Set alreadyCalled.[[Value]] to true.
- 5. Let index be F.[[Index]].
- 6. Let values be F.[[Values]].
- 7. Let *promiseCapability* be *F*.[[Capability]].
- 8. Let *remainingElementsCount* be *F*.[[RemainingElements]].
- 9. Let *obj* be ! OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 10. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "status", "fulfilled").
- 11. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "value", x).
- 12. Set *values*[*index*] to *obj*.
- 13. Set remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] to remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] 1.
- 14. If remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] is 0, then
  - a. Let values Array be! Create Array From List (values).
  - b. Return? Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « valuesArray »).
- 15. Return **undefined**.

The "length" property of a **Promise.allSettled** resolve element function is 1.

### 25.6.4.2.3 **Promise.allSettled** Reject Element Functions

A **Promise.allSettled** reject element function is an anonymous built-in function that is used to reject a specific **Promise.allSettled** element. Each **Promise.allSettled** reject element function has [[Index]], [[Values]], [[Capability]], [[RemainingElements]], and [[AlreadyCalled]] internal slots.

When a **Promise.allSettled** reject element function is called with argument *x*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- Let alreadyCalled be F.[[AlreadyCalled]].
- 3. If alreadyCalled.[[Value]] is **true**, return **undefined**.
- 4. Set alreadyCalled.[[Value]] to true.
- 5. Let *index* be *F*.[[Index]].
- 6. Let values be F.[[Values]].
- 7. Let *promiseCapability* be *F*.[[Capability]].
- 8. Let *remainingElementsCount* be *F*.[[RemainingElements]].
- 9. Let *obj* be! OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 10. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "status", "rejected").
- 11. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(obj, "reason", x).
- 12. Set *values*[*index*] to *obj*.
- 13. Set remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] to remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] 1.
- 14. If remaining Elements Count. [[Value]] is 0, then
  - a. Let values Array be! Create Array From List (values).

- b. Return? Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « valuesArray »).
- 15. Return undefined.

The **"length"** property of a **Promise.allSettled** reject element function is 1.

### 25.6.4.3 Promise.prototype

The initial value of **Promise.prototype** is %Promise.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

#### 25.6.4.4 Promise.race (iterable)

The **race** function returns a new promise which is settled in the same way as the first passed promise to settle. It resolves all elements of the passed *iterable* to promises as it runs this algorithm.

- 1. Let *C* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let *promiseCapability* be ? NewPromiseCapability(*C*).
- 3. Let iteratorRecord be GetIterator(iterable).
- 4. If Abrupt Reject Promise (iterator Record, promise Capability).
- 5. Let result be PerformPromiseRace(iteratorRecord, C, promiseCapability).
- 6. If result is an abrupt completion, then
  - a. If iteratorRecord.[[Done]] is **false**, set result to IteratorClose(iteratorRecord, result).
  - b. If Abrupt Reject Promise (result, promise Capability).
- 7. Return Completion(result).

NOTE 1 If the *iterable* argument is empty or if none of the promises in *iterable* ever settle then the pending promise returned by this method will never be settled.

NOTE 2 The **race** function expects its **this** value to be a **constructor** function that supports the parameter conventions of the **Promise** constructor. It also expects that its **this** value provides a **resolve** method.

#### 25.6.4.4.1 Runtime Semantics: PerformPromiseRace (iteratorRecord, constructor, resultCapability)

When the PerformPromiseRace abstract operation is called with arguments *iteratorRecord*, *constructor*, and *resultCapability*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Assert: IsConstructor(constructor) is true.
- 2. Assert: resultCapability is a PromiseCapability Record.
- 3. Let promiseResolve be ? Get(constructor, "resolve").
- 4. If ! IsCallable(promiseResolve) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
- 5. Repeat,
  - a. Let *next* be IteratorStep(*iteratorRecord*).
  - b. If *next* is an abrupt completion, set *iteratorRecord*.[[Done]] to **true**.
  - c. ReturnIfAbrupt(*next*).
  - d. If *next* is **false**, then
    - i. Set iteratorRecord.[[Done]] to true.

- ii. Return resultCapability.[[Promise]].
- e. Let *nextValue* be IteratorValue(*next*).
- f. If nextValue is an abrupt completion, set iteratorRecord.[[Done]] to true.
- g. ReturnIfAbrupt(nextValue).
- h. Let nextPromise be? Call(promiseResolve, constructor, « nextValue »).
- i. Perform? Invoke(nextPromise, "then", « resultCapability.[[Resolve]], resultCapability.[[Reject]] »).

### 25.6.4.5 **Promise.reject** ( *r* )

The **reject** function returns a new promise rejected with the passed argument.

- 1. Let *C* be the **this** value.
- 2. Let *promiseCapability* be ? NewPromiseCapability(*C*).
- 3. Perform ? Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « r »).
- 4. Return promiseCapability.[[Promise]].

This function is the *%Promise\_reject%* intrinsic object.

NOTE

The **reject** function expects its **this** value to be a constructor function that supports the parameter conventions of the **Promise** constructor.

#### 25.6.4.6 Promise.resolve (x)

The **resolve** function returns either a new promise resolved with the passed argument, or the argument itself if the argument is a promise produced by this constructor.

- 1. Let *C* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(*C*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Return ? PromiseResolve(C, x).

This function is the *%Promise\_resolve*% intrinsic object.

**NOTE** 

The **resolve** function expects its **this** value to be a constructor function that supports the parameter conventions of the **Promise** constructor.

#### 25.6.4.6.1 PromiseResolve (C, x)

The abstract operation PromiseResolve, given a constructor C and a value x, returns a new promise resolved with x.

- 1. Assert: Type(*C*) is Object.
- 2. If IsPromise(x) is **true**, then
  - a. Let xConstructor be ? Get(x, "constructor").
  - b. If SameValue(xConstructor, C) is **true**, return x.
- 3. Let *promiseCapability* be ? NewPromiseCapability(*C*).
- 4. Perform ? Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « x »).
- 5. Return promiseCapability.[[Promise]].

#### 25.6.4.7 get Promise [@@species]

**Promise[@@species]** is an accessor property whose set accessor function is **undefined**. Its get accessor function performs the following steps:

1. Return the **this** value.

The value of the "name" property of this function is "get [Symbol.species]".

**NOTE** 

Promise prototype methods normally use their **this** object's constructor to create a derived object. However, a subclass constructor may over-ride that default behaviour by redefining its @@species property.

## 25.6.5 Properties of the Promise Prototype Object

The Promise prototype object:

- is the intrinsic object *%PromisePrototype%*.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is an ordinary object.
- does not have a [[PromiseState]] internal slot or any of the other internal slots of Promise instances.

### 25.6.5.1 Promise.prototype.catch (onRejected)

When the **catch** method is called with argument *onRejected*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *promise* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? Invoke(promise, "then", « undefined, onRejected »).

#### 25.6.5.2 Promise.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **Promise.prototype.constructor** is %Promise%.

#### 25.6.5.3 Promise.prototype.finally ( *onFinally* )

When the **finally** method is called with argument *onFinally*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *promise* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(*promise*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *C* be ? SpeciesConstructor(*promise*, %Promise%).
- 4. Assert: IsConstructor(*C*) is **true**.
- 5. If IsCallable(onFinally) is **false**, then
  - a. Let thenFinally be onFinally.
  - b. Let *catchFinally* be *onFinally*.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let *stepsThenFinally* be the algorithm steps defined in Then Finally Functions.
  - b. Let thenFinally be! CreateBuiltinFunction(stepsThenFinally, « [[Constructor]], [[OnFinally]] »).
  - c. Set thenFinally.[[Constructor]] to C.
  - d. Set thenFinally.[[OnFinally]] to onFinally.
  - e. Let stepsCatchFinally be the algorithm steps defined in Catch Finally Functions.
  - f. Let catchFinally be! CreateBuiltinFunction(stepsCatchFinally, « [[Constructor]], [[OnFinally]] »).

- g. Set *catchFinally*.[[Constructor]] to *C*.
- h. Set *catchFinally*.[[OnFinally]] to *onFinally*.
- 7. Return ? Invoke(promise, "then", « thenFinally, catchFinally »).

### 25.6.5.3.1 Then Finally Functions

A Then Finally function is an anonymous built-in function that has a [[Constructor]] and an [[OnFinally]] internal slot. The value of the [[Constructor]] internal slot is a **Promise**-like constructor function object, and the value of the [[OnFinally]] internal slot is a function object.

When a Then Finally function is called with argument *value*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Let onFinally be F.[[OnFinally]].
- 3. Assert: IsCallable(onFinally) is true.
- 4. Let result be ? Call(onFinally, undefined).
- 5. Let *C* be *F*.[[Constructor]].
- 6. Assert: IsConstructor(*C*) is **true**.
- 7. Let *promise* be ? PromiseResolve(*C*, result).
- 8. Let *valueThunk* be equivalent to a function that returns *value*.
- 9. Return? Invoke(promise, "then", « valueThunk »).

The **"length"** property of a Then Finally function is **1**.

#### 25.6.5.3.2 Catch Finally Functions

A Catch Finally function is an anonymous built-in function that has a [[Constructor]] and an [[OnFinally]] internal slot. The value of the [[Constructor]] internal slot is a **Promise**-like constructor function object, and the value of the [[OnFinally]] internal slot is a function object.

When a Catch Finally function is called with argument reason, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Let onFinally be F.[[OnFinally]].
- 3. Assert: IsCallable(onFinally) is true.
- 4. Let result be ? Call(onFinally, undefined).
- 5. Let *C* be *F*.[[Constructor]].
- 6. Assert: IsConstructor(*C*) is **true**.
- 7. Let *promise* be ? PromiseResolve(*C*, *result*).
- 8. Let thrower be equivalent to a function that throws reason.
- 9. Return ? Invoke(promise, "then", « thrower »).

The **"length"** property of a Catch Finally function is **1**.

#### 25.6.5.4 Promise.prototype.then (onFulfilled, onRejected)

When the **then** method is called with arguments *onFulfilled* and *onRejected*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *promise* be the **this** value.
- 2. If IsPromise(promise) is false, throw a TypeError exception.
- 3. Let *C* be ? SpeciesConstructor(*promise*, %Promise%).

- 4. Let *resultCapability* be ? NewPromiseCapability(*C*).
- 5. Return PerformPromiseThen(promise, onFulfilled, onRejected, resultCapability).

This function is the *%PromiseProto\_then*% intrinsic object.

#### 25.6.5.4.1 PerformPromiseThen (promise, onFulfilled, onRejected [, resultCapability])

The abstract operation PerformPromiseThen performs the "then" operation on *promise* using *onFulfilled* and *onRejected* as its settlement actions. If *resultCapability* is passed, the result is stored by updating *resultCapability*'s promise. (If it is not passed, then PerformPromiseThen is being called by a specification-internal operation where the result does not matter.)

- 1. Assert: IsPromise(promise) is true.
- 2. If resultCapability is present, then
  - a. Assert: resultCapability is a PromiseCapability Record.
- 3. Else,
  - a. Set resultCapability to undefined.
- 4. If IsCallable(onFulfilled) is false, then
  - a. Set onFulfilled to undefined.
- 5. If IsCallable(onRejected) is **false**, then
  - a. Set *onRejected* to **undefined**.
- 6. Let *fulfillReaction* be the PromiseReaction { [[Capability]]: *resultCapability*, [[Type]]: Fulfill, [[Handler]]: *onFulfilled* }.
- 7. Let rejectReaction be the PromiseReaction { [[Capability]]: resultCapability, [[Type]]: Reject, [[Handler]]: onRejected }.
- 8. If promise.[[PromiseState]] is pending, then
  - a. Append *fulfillReaction* as the last element of the List that is *promise*.[[PromiseFulfillReactions]].
  - b. Append *rejectReaction* as the last element of the List that is *promise*.[[PromiseRejectReactions]].
- 9. Else if *promise*.[[PromiseState]] is fulfilled, then
  - a. Let value be promise.[[PromiseResult]].
  - b. Let *fulfillJob* be NewPromiseReactionJob(*fulfillReaction*, *value*).
  - c. Perform HostEnqueuePromiseJob(fulfillJob.[[Job]], fulfillJob.[[Realm]]).
- 10. Else,
  - a. Assert: The value of *promise*.[[PromiseState]] is rejected.
  - b. Let reason be promise.[[PromiseResult]].
  - c. If promise.[[PromiseIsHandled]] is false, perform HostPromiseRejectionTracker(promise, "handle").
  - d. Let rejectJob be NewPromiseReactionJob(rejectReaction, reason).
  - e. Perform HostEnqueuePromiseJob(rejectJob.[[Job]], rejectJob.[[Realm]]).
- 11. Set promise.[[PromiseIsHandled]] to true.
- 12. If resultCapability is **undefined**, then
  - a. Return undefined.
- 13. Else,
  - a. Return resultCapability.[[Promise]].

### 25.6.5.5 Promise.prototype [ @@toStringTag ]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Promise".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

### 25.6.6 Properties of Promise Instances

Promise instances are ordinary objects that inherit properties from the Promise prototype object (the intrinsic, %Promise.prototype%). Promise instances are initially created with the internal slots described in Table 78.

**Table 78: Internal Slots of Promise Instances** 

Internal Slot	Description
[[PromiseState]]	One of pending, fulfilled, or rejected. Governs how a promise will react to incoming calls to its <b>then</b> method.
[[PromiseResult]]	The value with which the promise has been fulfilled or rejected, if any. Only meaningful if [[PromiseState]] is not pending.
[[PromiseFulfillReactions]]	A List of PromiseReaction records to be processed when/if the promise transitions from the pending state to the fulfilled state.
[[PromiseRejectReactions]]	A List of PromiseReaction records to be processed when/if the promise transitions from the pending state to the rejected state.
[[PromiseIsHandled]]	A boolean indicating whether the promise has ever had a fulfillment or rejection handler; used in unhandled rejection tracking.

## 25.7 AsyncFunction Objects

AsyncFunction objects are functions that are usually created by evaluating *AsyncFunctionDeclarations*, *AsyncFunctionExpressions*, *AsyncMethods*, and *AsyncArrowFunctions*. They may also be created by calling the "AsyncFunction" intrinsic.

## 25.7.1 The AsyncFunction Constructor

The AsyncFunction constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *AsyncFunction*%.
- is a subclass of **Function**.
- creates and initializes a new AsyncFunction object when called as a function rather than as a constructor. Thus
  the function call AsyncFunction(\_) is equivalent to the object creation expression
  new AsyncFunction(\_) with the same arguments.
- is designed to be subclassable. It may be used as the value of an extends clause of a class definition. Subclass constructors that intend to inherit the specified AsyncFunction behaviour must include a super call to the AsyncFunction constructor to create and initialize a subclass instance with the internal slots necessary for built-in async function behaviour.

#### **25.7.1.1** AsyncFunction (p1, p2, ..., pn, body)

The last argument specifies the body (executable code) of an async function. Any preceding arguments specify formal parameters.

When the **AsyncFunction** function is called with some arguments p1, p2, ..., pn, body (where n might be 0, that is,

there are no p arguments, and where body might also not be provided), the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *C* be the active function object.
- 2. Let *args* be the *argumentsList* that was passed to this function by [[Call]] or [[Construct]].
- 3. Return CreateDynamicFunction(C, NewTarget, async, args).

**NOTE** 

See NOTE for 19.2.1.1.

## 25.7.2 Properties of the AsyncFunction Constructor

The AsyncFunction constructor:

- is a standard built-in function object that inherits from the **Function** constructor.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function%.
- has a "name" property whose value is "AsyncFunction".
- has the following properties:

#### 25.7.2.1 AsyncFunction.length

This is a data property with a value of 1. This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: **false**, [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.

#### 25.7.2.2 AsyncFunction.prototype

The initial value of **AsyncFunction.prototype** is %AsyncFunction.prototype%.

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

## 25.7.3 Properties of the AsyncFunction Prototype Object

The AsyncFunction prototype object:

- is an ordinary object.
- is not a function object and does not have an [[ECMAScriptCode]] internal slot or any other of the internal slots listed in Table 27.
- is the value of the "prototype" property of %AsyncFunction%.
- is the intrinsic object % *AsyncFunctionPrototype*%.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.

## 25.7.3.1 AsyncFunction.prototype.constructor

The initial value of **AsyncFunction.prototype.constructor** is %AsyncFunction%

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

#### 25.7.3.2 AsyncFunction.prototype [ @@toStringTag ]

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "AsyncFunction".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: true }.

## 25.7.4 AsyncFunction Instances

Every AsyncFunction instance is an ECMAScript function object and has the internal slots listed in Table 27. The value of the [[IsClassConstructor]] internal slot for all such instances is **false**. AsyncFunction instances are not constructors and do not have a [[Construct]] internal method. AsyncFunction instances do not have a prototype property as they are not constructable.

Each AsyncFunction instance has the following own properties:

#### 25.7.4.1 length

The specification for the **"length"** property of Function instances given in 19.2.4.1 also applies to AsyncFunction instances.

#### 25.7.4.2 name

The specification for the **"name"** property of Function instances given in 19.2.4.2 also applies to AsyncFunction instances.

## 25.7.5 Async Functions Abstract Operations

## 25.7.5.1 AsyncFunctionStart (promiseCapability, asyncFunctionBody)

- 1. Let *runningContext* be the running execution context.
- 2. Let *asyncContext* be a copy of *runningContext*.
- 3. NOTE: Copying the execution state is required for the step below to resume its execution. It is ill-defined to resume a currently executing context.
- 4. Set the code evaluation state of *asyncContext* such that when evaluation is resumed for that execution context the following steps will be performed:
  - a. Let *result* be the result of evaluating *asyncFunctionBody*.
  - b. Assert: If we return here, the async function either threw an exception or performed an implicit or explicit return; all awaiting is done.
  - c. Remove *asyncContext* from the execution context stack and restore the execution context that is at the top of the execution context stack as the running execution context.
  - d. If result.[[Type]] is normal, then
    - i. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « undefined »).
  - e. Else if *result*.[[Type]] is **return**, then
    - i. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Resolve]], undefined, « result.[[Value]] »).
  - f. Else,
    - i. Assert: result.[[Type]] is throw.
    - ii. Perform! Call(promiseCapability.[[Reject]], undefined, « result.[[Value]] »).
  - g. Return.
- 5. Push asyncContext onto the execution context stack; asyncContext is now the running execution context.
- 6. Resume the suspended evaluation of *asyncContext*. Let *result* be the value returned by the resumed computation.

- 7. Assert: When we return here, *asyncContext* has already been removed from the execution context stack and *runningContext* is the currently running execution context.
- 8. Assert: *result* is a normal completion with a value of **undefined**. The possible sources of completion values are Await or, if the async function doesn't await anything, the step 4.g above.
- 9. Return.

# 26 Reflection

## 26.1 The Reflect Object

The Reflect object:

- is the intrinsic object % *Reflect*%.
- is the initial value of the "Reflect" property of the global object.
- is an ordinary object.
- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Object.prototype%.
- is not a function object.
- does not have a [[Construct]] internal method; it cannot be used as a constructor with the **new** operator.
- does not have a [[Call]] internal method; it cannot be invoked as a function.

## **26.1.1** Reflect.apply (target, this Argument, arguments List)

When the **apply** function is called with arguments *target*, *thisArgument*, and *argumentsList*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If IsCallable(*target*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let args be? CreateListFromArrayLike(argumentsList).
- 3. Perform PrepareForTailCall().
- 4. Return? Call(target, this Argument, args).

## **26.1.2** Reflect.construct ( target, argumentsList [ , newTarget ] )

When the **construct** function is called with arguments *target*, *argumentsList*, and *newTarget*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If IsConstructor(*target*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. If newTarget is not present, set newTarget to target.
- 3. Else if IsConstructor(newTarget) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 4. Let args be? CreateListFromArrayLike(argumentsList).
- 5. Return? Construct(target, args, newTarget).

## **26.1.3** Reflect.defineProperty ( target, propertyKey, attributes )

When the **defineProperty** function is called with arguments *target*, *propertyKey*, and *attributes*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(*target*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(*propertyKey*).
- 3. Let desc be? ToPropertyDescriptor(attributes).
- 4. Return? target.[[DefineOwnProperty]](key, desc).

## **26.1.4** Reflect.deleteProperty ( target, propertyKey )

When the **deleteProperty** function is called with arguments *target* and *propertyKey*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(*target*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let key be? ToPropertyKey(propertyKey).
- 3. Return ? target.[[Delete]](key).

## **26.1.5** Reflect.get ( target, propertyKey [ , receiver ] )

When the **get** function is called with arguments *target*, *propertyKey*, and *receiver*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(*target*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(*propertyKey*).
- 3. If receiver is not present, then
  - a. Set receiver to target.
- 4. Return? target.[[Get]](key, receiver).

## **26.1.6** Reflect.getOwnPropertyDescriptor ( target, propertyKey )

When the **getOwnPropertyDescriptor** function is called with arguments *target* and *propertyKey*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(target) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let key be ? ToPropertyKey(propertyKey).
- 3. Let desc be ? target.[[GetOwnProperty]](key).
- 4. Return FromPropertyDescriptor(desc).

## **26.1.7** Reflect.getPrototypeOf ( *target* )

When the **qetPrototypeOf** function is called with argument *target*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(target) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Return ? target.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().

## 26.1.8 Reflect.has (target, propertyKey)

When the **has** function is called with arguments *target* and *propertyKey*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(target) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(*propertyKey*).
- 3. Return ? *target*.[[HasProperty]](*key*).

## 26.1.9 Reflect.isExtensible (target)

When the **isExtensible** function is called with argument *target*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(target) is not Object, throw a TypeError exception.
- 2. Return? target.[[IsExtensible]]().

## 26.1.10 Reflect.ownKeys (target)

When the **ownKeys** function is called with argument *target*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(target) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let keys be ? target.[[OwnPropertyKeys]]().
- 3. Return CreateArrayFromList(keys).

## **26.1.11** Reflect.preventExtensions ( *target* )

When the **preventExtensions** function is called with argument *target*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(target) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Return ? target.[[PreventExtensions]]().

## **26.1.12 Reflect.set** ( *target*, *propertyKey*, *V* [ , *receiver* ] )

When the **set** function is called with arguments *target*, *V*, *propertyKey*, and *receiver*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(target) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(*propertyKey*).
- 3. If receiver is not present, then
  - a. Set receiver to target.
- 4. Return ? target.[[Set]](key, V, receiver).

## 26.1.13 Reflect.setPrototypeOf (target, proto)

When the **setPrototypeOf** function is called with arguments *target* and *proto*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. If Type(*target*) is not Object, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. If Type(*proto*) is not Object and *proto* is not **null**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Return ? target.[[SetPrototypeOf]](proto).

## 26.2 Proxy Objects

## 26.2.1 The Proxy Constructor

The Proxy constructor:

- is the intrinsic object % *Proxy*%.
- is the initial value of the "Proxy" property of the global object.

- creates and initializes a new proxy exotic object when called as a constructor.
- is not intended to be called as a function and will throw an exception when called in that manner.

### 26.2.1.1 Proxy (target, handler)

When **Proxy** is called with arguments *target* and *handler*, it performs the following steps:

- 1. If NewTarget is **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 2. Return ? ProxyCreate(target, handler).

## 26.2.2 Properties of the Proxy Constructor

The Proxy constructor:

- has a [[Prototype]] internal slot whose value is %Function.prototype%.
- does not have a "prototype" property because proxy exotic objects do not have a [[Prototype]] internal slot that requires initialization.
- has the following properties:

### 26.2.2.1 Proxy.revocable (target, handler)

The **Proxy.revocable** function is used to create a revocable Proxy object. When **Proxy.revocable** is called with arguments *target* and *handler*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *p* be ? ProxyCreate(target, handler).
- 2. Let steps be the algorithm steps defined in Proxy Revocation Functions.
- 3. Let revoker be! CreateBuiltinFunction(steps, « [[RevocableProxy]] »).
- 4. Set *revoker*.[[RevocableProxy]] to *p*.
- 5. Let result be OrdinaryObjectCreate(%Object.prototype%).
- 6. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(result, "proxy", p).
- 7. Perform! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(result, "revoke", revoker).
- 8. Return result.

#### 26.2.2.1.1 Proxy Revocation Functions

A Proxy revocation function is an anonymous built-in function that has the ability to invalidate a specific Proxy object.

Each Proxy revocation function has a [[RevocableProxy]] internal slot.

When a Proxy revocation function is called, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *F* be the active function object.
- 2. Let *p* be *F*.[[RevocableProxy]].
- 3. If *p* is **null**, return **undefined**.
- 4. Set *F*.[[RevocableProxy]] to **null**.
- 5. Assert: *p* is a Proxy object.
- 6. Set *p*.[[ProxyTarget]] to **null**.
- 7. Set *p*.[[ProxyHandler]] to **null**.
- 8. Return undefined.

## 26.3 Module Namespace Objects

A Module Namespace Object is a module namespace exotic object that provides runtime property-based access to a module's exported bindings. There is no constructor function for Module Namespace Objects. Instead, such an object is created for each module that is imported by an *ImportDeclaration* that includes a *NameSpaceImport*.

In addition to the properties specified in 9.4.6 each Module Namespace Object has the following own property:

## 26.3.1 @@toStringTag

The initial value of the @@toStringTag property is the String value "Module".

This property has the attributes { [[Writable]]: false, [[Enumerable]]: false, [[Configurable]]: false }.

# 27 Memory Model

The memory consistency model, or *memory model*, specifies the possible orderings of Shared Data Block events, arising via accessing TypedArray instances backed by a SharedArrayBuffer and via methods on the Atomics object. When the program has no data races (defined below), the ordering of events appears as sequentially consistent, i.e., as an interleaving of actions from each agent. When the program has data races, shared memory operations may appear sequentially inconsistent. For example, programs may exhibit causality-violating behaviour and other astonishments. These astonishments arise from compiler transforms and the design of CPUs (e.g., out-of-order execution and speculation). The memory model defines both the precise conditions under which a program exhibits sequentially consistent behaviour as well as the possible values read from data races. To wit, there is no undefined behaviour.

The memory model is defined as relational constraints on events introduced by abstract operations on SharedArrayBuffer or by methods on the Atomics object during an evaluation.

**NOTE** 

This section provides an axiomatic model on events introduced by the abstract operations on SharedArrayBuffers. It bears stressing that the model is not expressible algorithmically, unlike the rest of this specification. The nondeterministic introduction of events by abstract operations is the interface between the operational semantics of ECMAScript evaluation and the axiomatic semantics of the memory model. The semantics of these events is defined by considering graphs of all events in an evaluation. These are neither Static Semantics nor Runtime Semantics. There is no demonstrated algorithmic implementation, but instead a set of constraints that determine if a particular event graph is allowed or disallowed.

## 27.1 Memory Model Fundamentals

Shared memory accesses (reads and writes) are divided into two groups, atomic accesses and data accesses, defined below. Atomic accesses are sequentially consistent, i.e., there is a strict total ordering of events agreed upon by all agents in an agent cluster. Non-atomic accesses do not have a strict total ordering agreed upon by all agents, i.e., unordered.

No orderings weaker than sequentially consistent and stronger than unordered, such as release-acquire, are supported.

A Shared Data Block event is either a ReadSharedMemory, WriteSharedMemory, or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory Record.

Table 79: ReadSharedMemory Event Fields

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[Order]]	SeqCst   Unordered	The weakest ordering guaranteed by the memory model for the event.
[[NoTear]]	A Boolean	Whether this event is allowed to read from multiple write events on equal range as this event.
[[Block]]	A Shared Data Block	The block the event operates on.
[[ByteIndex]]	A nonnegative integer	The byte address of the read in [[Block]].
[[ElementSize]]	A nonnegative integer	The size of the read.

**Table 80: WriteSharedMemory Event Fields** 

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[Order]]	SeqCst   Unordered   Init	The weakest ordering guaranteed by the memory model for the event.
[[NoTear]]	A Boolean	Whether this event is allowed to be read from multiple read events with equal range as this event.
[[Block]]	A Shared Data Block	The block the event operates on.
[[ByteIndex]]	A nonnegative integer	The byte address of the write in [[Block]].
[[ElementSize]]	A nonnegative integer	The size of the write.
[[Payload]]	A List	The List of byte values to be read by other events.

Table 81: ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory Event Fields

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[Order]]	SeqCst	Read-modify-write events are always sequentially consistent.
[[NoTear]]	true	Read-modify-write events cannot tear.
[[Block]]	A Shared Data Block	The block the event operates on.
[[ByteIndex]]	A nonnegative integer	The byte address of the read-modify-write in [[Block]].
[[ElementSize]]	A nonnegative integer	The size of the read-modify-write.
[[Payload]]	A List	The List of byte values to be passed to [[ModifyOp]].
[[ModifyOp]]	A semantic function	A pure semantic function that returns a modified List of byte values from a read List of byte values and [[Payload]].

These events are introduced by abstract operations or by methods on the Atomics object.

Some operations may also introduce *Synchronize* events. A *Synchronize* event has no fields, and exists purely to directly constrain the permitted orderings of other events.

In addition to Shared Data Block and Synchronize events, there are host-specific events.

Let the range of a ReadSharedMemory, WriteSharedMemory, or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event be the Set of contiguous integers from its [[ByteIndex]] to [[ByteIndex]] + [[ElementSize]] - 1. Two events' ranges are equal when the events have the same [[Block]], and the ranges are element-wise equal. Two events' ranges are overlapping when the events have the same [[Block]], the ranges are not equal and their intersection is non-empty. Two events' ranges are disjoint when the events do not have the same [[Block]] or their ranges are neither equal nor overlapping.

NOTE 2

Examples of host-specific synchronizing events that should be accounted for are: sending a SharedArrayBuffer from one agent to another (e.g., by **postMessage** in a browser), starting and stopping agents, and communicating within the agent cluster via channels other than shared memory. It is assumed those events are appended to agent-order during evaluation like the other SharedArrayBuffer events.

Events are ordered within candidate executions by the relations defined below.

## 27.2 Agent Events Records

An *Agent Events Record* is a Record with the following fields.

**Table 82: Agent Events Record Fields** 

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[AgentSignifier]]	A value that admits equality testing	The agent whose evaluation resulted in this ordering.
[[EventList]]	A List of events	Events are appended to the list during evaluation.
[[AgentSynchronizesWith]]	A List of pairs of Synchronize events	Synchronize relationships introduced by the operational semantics.

## 27.3 Chosen Value Records

A Chosen Value Record is a Record with the following fields.

**Table 83: Chosen Value Record Fields** 

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[Event]]	A Shared Data Block event	The ReadSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event that was introduced for this chosen value.
[[ChosenValue]]	A List of byte values	The bytes that were nondeterministically chosen during evaluation.

# 27.4 Candidate Executions

A candidate execution of the evaluation of an agent cluster is a Record with the following fields.

**Table 84: Candidate Execution Record Fields** 

Field Name	Value	Meaning
[[EventsRecords]]	A List of Agent Events Records.	Maps an agent to Lists of events appended during the evaluation.
[[ChosenValues]]	A List of Chosen Value Records.	Maps ReadSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory events to the List of byte values chosen during the evaluation.
[[AgentOrder]]	An agent-order Relation.	Defined below.
[[ReadsBytesFrom]]	A reads-bytes-from semantic function.	Defined below.
[[ReadsFrom]]	A reads-from Relation.	Defined below.
[[HostSynchronizesWith]]	A host- synchronizes-with Relation.	Defined below.
[[SynchronizesWith]]	A synchronizes- with Relation.	Defined below.
[[HappensBefore]]	A happens-before Relation.	Defined below.

An *empty candidate execution* is a candidate execution Record whose fields are empty Lists and Relations.

## 27.5 Abstract Operations for the Memory Model

#### 27.5.1 EventSet (execution)

The abstract operation EventSet takes one argument, a candidate execution execution. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *events* be an empty Set.
- 2. For each Agent Events Record aer in execution.[[EventsRecords]], do
  - a. For each event *E* in *aer*.[[EventList]], do
    - i. Add *E* to events.
- 3. Return events.

#### 27.5.2 SharedDataBlockEventSet (execution)

The abstract operation SharedDataBlockEventSet takes one argument, a candidate execution execution. It performs the following steps:

1. Let *events* be an empty Set.

- 2. For each event *E* in EventSet(execution), do
  - a. If *E* is a ReadSharedMemory, WriteSharedMemory, or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event, add *E* to *events*.
- 3. Return events.

#### 27.5.3 HostEventSet (execution)

The abstract operation HostEventSet takes one argument, a candidate execution *execution*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let events be an empty Set.
- 2. For each event *E* in EventSet(execution), do
  - a. If *E* is not in SharedDataBlockEventSet(execution), add *E* to events.
- 3. Return events.

#### 27.5.4 ComposeWriteEventBytes (execution, byteIndex, Ws)

The abstract operation ComposeWriteEventBytes takes four arguments, a candidate execution *execution*, a nonnegative integer *byteIndex*, and a List *Ws* of WriteSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory events. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let byteLocation be byteIndex.
- 2. Let bytesRead be a new empty List.
- 3. For each element *W* of *Ws* in List order, do
  - a. Assert: W has byteLocation in its range.
  - b. Let *payloadIndex* be *byteLocation* W.[[ByteIndex]].
  - c. If W is a WriteSharedMemory event, then
    - i. Let *byte* be W.[[Payload]][payloadIndex].
  - d. Else,
    - i. Assert: *W* is a ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event.
    - ii. Let bytes be ValueOfReadEvent(execution, W).
    - iii. Let bytesModified be W.[[ModifyOp]](bytes, W.[[Payload]]).
    - iv. Let byte be bytesModified[payloadIndex].
  - e. Append byte to bytesRead.
  - f. Set byteLocation to byteLocation + 1.
- Return bytesRead.

NOTE 1 The semantic function [[ModifyOp]] is given by the function properties on the Atomics object that introduce ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory events.

NOTE 2 This abstract operation composes a List of write events into a List of byte values. It is used in the event semantics of ReadSharedMemory and ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory events.

#### 27.5.5 ValueOfReadEvent (execution, R)

The abstract operation ValueOfReadEvent takes two arguments, a candidate execution execution and a

ReadSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event R. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Assert: *R* is a ReadSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event.
- 2. Let *Ws* be *execution*.[[ReadsBytesFrom]](*R*).
- 3. Assert: *Ws* is a List of WriteSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory events with length equal to *R*. [[ElementSize]].
- 4. Return ComposeWriteEventBytes(execution, R.[[ByteIndex]], Ws).

## 27.6 Relations of Candidate Executions

#### 27.6.1 agent-order

For a candidate execution execution, execution. [[AgentOrder]] is a Relation on events that satisfies the following.

• For each pair (*E*, *D*) in EventSet(*execution*), (*E*, *D*) is in *execution*.[[AgentOrder]] if there is some Agent Events Record *aer* in *execution*.[[EventsRecords]] such that *E* and *D* are in *aer*.[[EventList]] and *E* is before *D* in List order of *aer*.[[EventList]].

**NOTE** 

Each agent introduces events in a per-agent strict total order during the evaluation. This is the union of those strict total orders.

## 27.6.2 reads-bytes-from

For a candidate execution *execution*, *execution*.[[ReadsBytesFrom]] is a semantic function from events in SharedDataBlockEventSet(*execution*) to Lists of events in SharedDataBlockEventSet(*execution*) that satisfies the following conditions.

- For each ReadSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event *R* in SharedDataBlockEventSet(*execution*), *execution*.[[ReadsBytesFrom]](*R*) is a List of length equal to *R*. [[ElementSize]] of WriteSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory events *Ws* such that all of the following are true.
  - Each event W with index i in Ws has R.[[ByteIndex]] + i in its range.
  - R is not in Ws.

#### 27.6.3 reads-from

For a candidate execution execution, execution. [[ReadsFrom]] is the least Relation on events that satisfies the following.

• For each pair (*R*, *W*) in SharedDataBlockEventSet(execution), (*R*, *W*) is in execution.[[ReadsFrom]] if *W* is in execution.[[ReadsBytesFrom]](*R*).

## 27.6.4 host-synchronizes-with

For a candidate execution *execution*, *execution*.[[HostSynchronizesWith]] is a host-provided strict partial order on host-specific events that satisfies at least the following.

- If (E, D) is in execution.[[HostSynchronizesWith]], E and D are in HostEventSet(execution).
- There is no cycle in the union of execution.[[HostSynchronizesWith]] and execution.[[AgentOrder]].

NOTE 1 For two host-specific events *E* and *D*, *E* host-synchronizes-with *D* implies *E* happens-before *D*.

NOTE 2 The host-synchronizes-with relation allows the host to provide additional synchronization mechanisms, such as **postMessage** between HTML workers.

#### 27.6.5 synchronizes-with

For a candidate execution *execution*, *execution*.[[SynchronizesWith]] is the least Relation on events that satisfies the following.

- For each pair (*R*, *W*) in *execution*.[[ReadsFrom]], (*W*, *R*) is in *execution*.[[SynchronizesWith]] if *R*.[[Order]] is SeqCst, *W*.[[Order]] is SeqCst, and *R* and *W* have equal ranges.
- For each element *eventsRecord* of *execution*.[[EventsRecords]], the following is true.
  - For each pair (*S*, *Sw*) in *eventsRecord*.[[AgentSynchronizesWith]], (*S*, *Sw*) is in *execution*. [[SynchronizesWith]].
- For each pair (*E*, *D*) in *execution*.[[HostSynchronizesWith]], (*E*, *D*) is in *execution*.[[SynchronizesWith]].
- NOTE 1 Owing to convention, write events synchronizes-with read events, instead of read events synchronizes-with write events.
- NOTE 2 Init events do not participate in synchronizes-with, and are instead constrained directly by happens-before.
- NOTE 3 Not all SeqCst events related by reads-from are related by synchronizes-with. Only events that also have equal ranges are related by synchronizes-with.
- NOTE 4 For Shared Data Block events *R* and *W* such that *W* synchronizes-with *R*, *R* may reads-from other writes than *W*.

## 27.6.6 happens-before

For a candidate execution *execution*, *execution*.[[HappensBefore]] is the least Relation on events that satisfies the following.

- For each pair (*E*, *D*) in *execution*.[[AgentOrder]], (*E*, *D*) is in *execution*.[[HappensBefore]].
- For each pair (*E*, *D*) in *execution*.[[SynchronizesWith]], (*E*, *D*) is in *execution*.[[HappensBefore]].
- For each pair (*E*, *D*) in SharedDataBlockEventSet(execution), (*E*, *D*) is in execution.[[HappensBefore]] if *E*. [[Order]] is Init and *E* and *D* have overlapping ranges.
- For each pair (*E*, *D*) in EventSet(*execution*), (*E*, *D*) is in *execution*.[[HappensBefore]] if there is an event *F* such that the pairs (*E*, *F*) and (*F*, *D*) are in *execution*.[[HappensBefore]].

## 27.7 Properties of Valid Executions

#### 27.7.1 Valid Chosen Reads

A candidate execution execution has valid chosen reads if the following abstract operation returns true.

- 1. For each ReadSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event *R* in SharedDataBlockEventSet(*execution*), do
  - a. Let chosenValueRecord be the element of execution.[[ChosenValues]] whose [[Event]] field is R.
  - b. Let *chosenValue* be *chosenValueRecord*.[[ChosenValue]].
  - c. Let readValue be ValueOfReadEvent(execution, R).
  - d. Let chosenLen be the number of elements of chosenValue.
  - e. Let readLen be the number of elements of readValue.
  - f. If chosenLen is not equal to readLen, then
    - i. Return false.
  - g. If chosenValue[i] is not equal to readValue[i] for any integer value i in the range 0 through chosenLen, exclusive, then
    - i. Return false.
- 2. Return true.

#### 27.7.2 Coherent Reads

A candidate execution execution has coherent reads if the following abstract operation returns true.

- 1. For each ReadSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event *R* in SharedDataBlockEventSet(*execution*), do
  - a. Let *Ws* be *execution*.[[ReadsBytesFrom]](*R*).
  - b. Let *byteLocation* be *R*.[[ByteIndex]].
  - c. For each element *W* of *Ws* in List order, do
    - i. If (*R*, *W*) is in *execution*.[[HappensBefore]], then
      - 1. Return false.
    - ii. If there is a WriteSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event *V* that has *byteLocation* in its range such that the pairs (*W*, *V*) and (*V*, *R*) are in *execution*.[[HappensBefore]], then
      - 1. Return false.
    - iii. Set byteLocation to byteLocation + 1.
- 2. Return true.

#### 27.7.3 Tear Free Reads

A candidate execution execution has tear free reads if the following abstract operation returns **true**.

1. For each ReadSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event R in

#### SharedDataBlockEventSet(execution), do

- a. If R.[[NoTear]] is **true**, then
  - i. Assert: The remainder of dividing R.[[ByteIndex]] by R.[[ElementSize]] is 0.
  - ii. For each event *W* such that (*R*, *W*) is in *execution*.[[ReadsFrom]] and *W*.[[NoTear]] is **true**, do
    - 1. If *R* and *W* have equal ranges, and there is an event *V* such that *V* and *W* have equal ranges, *V*.[[NoTear]] is **true**, *W* is not *V*, and (*R*, *V*) is in *execution*.[[ReadsFrom]], then a. Return **false**.
- 2. Return true.

#### NOTE

An event's [[NoTear]] field is **true** when that event was introduced via accessing an integer TypedArray, and **false** when introduced via accessing a floating point TypedArray or DataView.

Intuitively, this requirement says when a memory range is accessed in an aligned fashion via an integer TypedArray, a single write event on that range must "win" when in a data race with other write events with equal ranges. More precisely, this requirement says an aligned read event cannot read a value composed of bytes from multiple, different write events all with equal ranges. It is possible, however, for an aligned read event to read from multiple write events with overlapping ranges.

## 27.7.4 Sequentially Consistent Atomics

For a candidate execution, memory-order is a strict total order of all events in EventSet(execution) that satisfies the following.

- For each pair (*E*, *D*) in *execution*.[[HappensBefore]], (*E*, *D*) is in memory-order.
- For each pair (*R*, *W*) in *execution*.[[ReadsFrom]], there is no WriteSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event *V* in SharedDataBlockEventSet(*execution*) such that *V*.[[Order]] is SeqCst, the pairs (*W*, *V*) and (*V*, *R*) are in memory-order, and any of the following conditions are true.
  - The pair (*W*, *R*) is in *execution*.[[SynchronizesWith]], and *V* and *R* have equal ranges.
  - The pairs (*W*, *R*) and (*V*, *R*) are in *execution*.[[HappensBefore]], *W*.[[Order]] is **SeqCst**, and *W* and *V* have equal ranges.
  - The pairs (*W*, *R*) and (*W*, *V*) are in *execution*.[[HappensBefore]], *R*.[[Order]] is SeqCst, and *V* and *R* have equal ranges.

NOTE 1 This clause additionally constrains **SeqCst** events on equal ranges.

 For each WriteSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory event W in SharedDataBlockEventSet(execution), if W.[[Order]] is SeqCst, then it is not the case that there is an infinite number of ReadSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory events in SharedDataBlockEventSet(execution) with equal range that is memory-order before W.

NOTE 2

This clause together with the forward progress guarantee on agents ensure the liveness condition that SeqCst writes become visible to SeqCst reads with equal range in finite time.

A candidate execution has sequentially consistent atomics if a memory-order exists.

NOTE 3

While memory-order includes all events in EventSet(*execution*), those that are not constrained by happens-before or synchronizes-with are allowed to occur anywhere in the order.

#### 27.7.5 Valid Executions

A candidate execution execution is a valid execution (or simply an execution) if all of the following are true.

- The host provides a host-synchronizes-with Relation for execution.[[HostSynchronizesWith]].
- execution.[[HappensBefore]] is a strict partial order.
- execution has valid chosen reads.
- execution has coherent reads.
- *execution* has tear free reads.
- execution has sequentially consistent atomics.

All programs have at least one valid execution.

#### **27.8 Races**

For an execution *execution*, two events *E* and *D* in SharedDataBlockEventSet(*execution*) are in a race if the following abstract operation returns **true**.

- 1. If E is not D, then
  - a. If the pairs (E, D) and (D, E) are not in execution.[[HappensBefore]], then
    - i. If *E* and *D* are both WriteSharedMemory or ReadModifyWriteSharedMemory events and *E* and *D* do not have disjoint ranges, then
      - 1. Return true.
    - ii. If either (E, D) or (D, E) is in *execution*.[[ReadsFrom]], then
      - 1. Return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

## 27.9 Data Races

For an execution *execution*, two events *E* and *D* in SharedDataBlockEventSet(*execution*) are in a data race if the following abstract operation returns **true**.

- 1. If *E* and *D* are in a race in *execution*, then
  - a. If E.[[Order]] is not SeqCst or D.[[Order]] is not SeqCst, then
    - i. Return true.
  - b. If *E* and *D* have overlapping ranges, then
    - i. Return **true**.
- 2. Return false.

## 27.10 Data Race Freedom

An execution *execution* is data race free if there are no two events in SharedDataBlockEventSet(*execution*) that are in a data race.

A program is data race free if all its executions are data race free.

The memory model guarantees sequential consistency of all events for data race free programs.

## 27.11 Shared Memory Guidelines

NOTE 1 The following are guidelines for ECMAScript programmers working with shared memory.

We recommend programs be kept data race free, i.e., make it so that it is impossible for there to be concurrent non-atomic operations on the same memory location. Data race free programs have interleaving semantics where each step in the evaluation semantics of each agent are interleaved with each other. For data race free programs, it is not necessary to understand the details of the memory model. The details are unlikely to build intuition that will help one to better write ECMAScript.

More generally, even if a program is not data race free it may have predictable behaviour, so long as atomic operations are not involved in any data races and the operations that race all have the same access size. The simplest way to arrange for atomics not to be involved in races is to ensure that different memory cells are used by atomic and non-atomic operations and that atomic accesses of different sizes are not used to access the same cells at the same time. Effectively, the program should treat shared memory as strongly typed as much as possible. One still cannot depend on the ordering and timing of non-atomic accesses that race, but if memory is treated as strongly typed the racing accesses will not "tear" (bits of their values will not be mixed).

NOTE 2 The following are guidelines for ECMAScript implementers writing compiler transformations for programs using shared memory.

It is desirable to allow most program transformations that are valid in a single-agent setting in a multi-agent setting, to ensure that the performance of each agent in a multi-agent program is as good as it would be in a single-agent setting. Frequently these transformations are hard to judge. We outline some rules about program transformations that are intended to be taken as normative (in that they are implied by the memory model or stronger than what the memory model implies) but which are likely not exhaustive. These rules are intended to apply to program transformations that precede the introductions of the events that make up the agent-order.

Let an *agent-order slice* be the subset of the agent-order pertaining to a single agent.

Let *possible read values* of a read event be the set of all values of ValueOfReadEvent for that event across all valid executions.

Any transformation of an agent-order slice that is valid in the absence of shared memory is valid in the presence of shared memory, with the following exceptions.

• Atomics are carved in stone: Program transformations must not cause the SeqCst events in an agent-order slice to be reordered with its Unordered operations, nor its SeqCst operations to be reordered with each other, nor may a program transformation remove a

SeqCst operation from the agent-order.

(In practice, the prohibition on reorderings forces a compiler to assume that every SeqCst operation is a synchronization and included in the final memory-order, which it would usually have to assume anyway in the absence of inter-agent program analysis. It also forces the compiler to assume that every call where the callee's effects on the memory-order are unknown may contain SeqCst operations.)

• *Reads must be stable*: Any given shared memory read must only observe a single value in an execution.

(For example, if what is semantically a single read in the program is executed multiple times then the program is subsequently allowed to observe only one of the values read. A transformation known as rematerialization can violate this rule.)

• Writes must be stable: All observable writes to shared memory must follow from program semantics in an execution.

(For example, a transformation may not introduce certain observable writes, such as by using read-modify-write operations on a larger location to write a smaller datum, writing a value to memory that the program could not have written, or writing a just-read value back to the location it was read from, if that location could have been overwritten by another agent after the read.)

• *Possible read values must be nonempty*: Program transformations cannot cause the possible read values of a shared memory read to become empty.

(Counterintuitively, this rule in effect restricts transformations on writes, because writes have force in memory model insofar as to be read by read events. For example, writes may be moved and coalesced and sometimes reordered between two SeqCst operations, but the transformation may not remove every write that updates a location; some write must be preserved.)

Examples of transformations that remain valid are: merging multiple non-atomic reads from the same location, reordering non-atomic reads, introducing speculative non-atomic reads, merging multiple non-atomic writes to the same location, reordering non-atomic writes to different locations, and hoisting non-atomic reads out of loops even if that affects termination. Note in general that aliased TypedArrays make it hard to prove that locations are different.

NOTE 3 The following are guidelines for ECMAScript implementers generating machine code for shared memory accesses.

For architectures with memory models no weaker than those of ARM or Power, non-atomic stores and loads may be compiled to bare stores and loads on the target architecture. Atomic stores and loads may be compiled down to instructions that guarantee sequential consistency. If no such instructions exist, memory barriers are to be employed, such as placing barriers on both sides of a bare store or load. Read-modify-write operations may be compiled to read-modify-write instructions on the target architecture, such as **LOCK**-prefixed instructions on x86, load-exclusive/store-exclusive instructions on ARM, and load-link/store-conditional instructions on Power.

Specifically, the memory model is intended to allow code generation as follows.

- Every atomic operation in the program is assumed to be necessary.
- Atomic operations are never rearranged with each other or with non-atomic operations.
- Functions are always assumed to perform atomic operations.
- Atomic operations are never implemented as read-modify-write operations on larger data, but as non-lock-free atomics if the platform does not have atomic operations of the appropriate size. (We already assume that every platform has normal memory access operations of every interesting size.)

Naive code generation uses these patterns:

- Regular loads and stores compile to single load and store instructions.
- Lock-free atomic loads and stores compile to a full (sequentially consistent) fence, a regular load or store, and a full fence.
- Lock-free atomic read-modify-write accesses compile to a full fence, an atomic read-modify-write instruction sequence, and a full fence.
- Non-lock-free atomics compile to a spinlock acquire, a full fence, a series of non-atomic load and store instructions, a full fence, and a spinlock release.

That mapping is correct so long as an atomic operation on an address range does not race with a non-atomic write or with an atomic operation of different size. However, that is all we need: the memory model effectively demotes the atomic operations involved in a race to non-atomic status. On the other hand, the naive mapping is quite strong: it allows atomic operations to be used as sequentially consistent fences, which the memory model does not actually guarantee.

A number of local improvements to those basic patterns are also intended to be legal:

- There are obvious platform-dependent improvements that remove redundant fences. For example, on x86 the fences around lock-free atomic loads and stores can always be omitted except for the fence following a store, and no fence is needed for lock-free read-modify-write instructions, as these all use LOCK-prefixed instructions. On many platforms there are fences of several strengths, and weaker fences can be used in certain contexts without destroying sequential consistency.
- Most modern platforms support lock-free atomics for all the data sizes required by ECMAScript atomics. Should non-lock-free atomics be needed, the fences surrounding the body of the atomic operation can usually be folded into the lock and unlock steps. The simplest solution for non-lock-free atomics is to have a single lock word per SharedArrayBuffer.
- There are also more complicated platform-dependent local improvements, requiring some code analysis. For example, two back-to-back fences often have the same effect as a single fence, so if code is generated for two atomic operations in sequence, only a single fence need separate them. On x86, even a single fence separating atomic stores can be omitted, as the fence following a store is only needed to separate the store from a subsequent load.

# **A Grammar Summary**

# A.1 Lexical Grammar SourceCharacter ::

any Unicode code point

Input Element Div ::

*WhiteSpace* 

LineTerminator

Comment

CommonToken

DivPunctuator

RightBracePunctuator

InputElementRegExp:

*WhiteSpace* 

LineTerminator

Comment

**Common Token** 

RightBracePunctuator

Regular Expression Literal

InputElementRegExpOrTemplateTail::

*WhiteSpace* 

LineTerminator

Comment

CommonToken

Regular Expression Literal

Template Substitution Tail

InputElementTemplateTail:

*WhiteSpace* 

Line Terminator

Comment

CommonToken

DivPunctuator

Template Substitution Tail

WhiteSpace ::

<TAB>

<VT>

<FF>

<SP>

<NBSP>

<ZWNBSP>

<USP>

LineTerminator ::

<LF>

<CR>

<LS>

<PS>

LineTerminatorSequence ::

<LF>

<CR> [lookahead  $\neq$  <LF>]

<LS>

```
<CR> <LF>
Comment ::
        MultiLineComment
        SingleLineComment
MultiLineComment ::
        /* MultiLineCommentCharsont */
MultiLineCommentChars ::
        MultiLineNotAsteriskChar MultiLineCommentCharsont
        * PostAsteriskCommentCharsont
PostAsteriskCommentChars ::
        MultiLineNotForwardSlashOrAsteriskChar MultiLineCommentCharsont
        * PostAsteriskCommentCharsont
MultiLineNotAsteriskChar ::
        SourceCharacter but not *
MultiLineNotForwardSlashOrAsteriskChar ::
        SourceCharacter but not one of / or *
SingleLineComment ::
        // SingleLineCommentCharsont
SingleLineCommentChars ::
        SingleLineCommentChar SingleLineCommentCharsopt
SingleLineCommentChar ::
        SourceCharacter but not LineTerminator
CommonToken ::
        IdentifierName
        Punctuator
        NumericLiteral
        StringLiteral
        Template
IdentifierName ::
        IdentifierStart
        IdentifierName IdentifierPart
IdentifierStart ::
        UnicodeIDStart
        ∖ UnicodeEscapeSequence
IdentifierPart ::
        UnicodeIDContinue
        \ UnicodeEscapeSequence
        <ZWNJ>
        <ZWJ>
UnicodeIDStart ::
        any Unicode code point with the Unicode property "ID_Start"
UnicodeIDContinue ::
        any Unicode code point with the Unicode property "ID_Continue"
```

<PS>

```
ReservedWord :: one of
         await break case catch class const continue debugger default delete do else enum export extends false
             finally for function if import in instanceof new null return super switch this throw true try typeof var
             void while with yield
Punctuator ::
         Optional Chaining Punctuator \\
         OtherPunctuator
OptionalChainingPunctuator ::
         ?. [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]
OtherPunctuator :: one of
         { ( ) [ ] . . . . ; , < > <= >= = != == !== + - * % ** ++ -- << >> >> & | ^ ! ~ && || ?? ? : = += -= *= %= **=
             <= >>= &= |= ^= =>
DivPunctuator ::
         /=
RightBracePunctuator ::
NullLiteral ::
         null
BooleanLiteral ::
         true
         false
NumericLiteral ::
         DecimalLiteral
         DecimalBigIntegerLiteral
         NonDecimalIntegerLiteral
         NonDecimalIntegerLiteral BigIntLiteralSuffix
DecimalBigIntegerLiteral ::
         o BigIntLiteralSuffix
         NonZeroDigit DecimalDigitsopt BigIntLiteralSuffix
NonDecimalIntegerLiteral ::
         BinaryIntegerLiteral
         OctalIntegerLiteral
         HexIntegerLiteral
BigIntLiteralSuffix ::
DecimalLiteral ::
         DecimalIntegerLiteral . DecimalDigits ExponentPart opt.
         . DecimalDigits ExponentPartont
         DecimalIntegerLiteral ExponentPartont
DecimalIntegerLiteral ::
         NonZeroDigit DecimalDigitsopt
DecimalDigits ::
         DecimalDigit
         DecimalDigits DecimalDigit
DecimalDigit :: one of
```

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		
NonZeroDigit :: one of		
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		
ExponentPart ::		
ExponentIndicator SignedInteger		
ExponentIndicator :: one of		
e E		
SignedInteger ::		
DecimalDigits		
+ DecimalDigits		
- DecimalDigits		
BinaryIntegerLiteral ::		
<b>оь</b> BinaryDigits		
ob BinaryDigits		
BinaryDigits ::		
BinaryDigit		
BinaryDigits BinaryDigit		
BinaryDigit :: one of		
0 1		
OctalIntegerLiteral ::		
oo OctalDigits		
oo OctalDigits		
OctalDigits ::		
OctalDigit		
OctalDigits OctalDigit		
OctalDigit :: one of		
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7		
HexIntegerLiteral ::		
<b>o</b> x HexDigits		
<b>ox</b> HexDigits		
HexDigits ::		
HexDigit		
HexDigits HexDigit		
HexDigit :: one of		
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 a b c d e f A B C D E F		
StringLiteral ::		
" DoubleStringCharacters <sub>opt</sub> "		
' SingleStringCharacters <sub>opt</sub> '		
DoubleStringCharacters ::		
DoubleStringCharacter DoubleStringCharacters <sub>opt</sub>		
SingleStringCharacters ::		
SingleStringCharacter SingleStringCharacters <sub>opt</sub>		
DoubleStringCharacter ::		
SourceCharacter but not one of " or \ or LineTerminator		
<ls></ls>		
<ps></ps>		
∖ EscapeSequence		

```
LineContinuation
SingleStringCharacter ::
         SourceCharacter but not one of ' or \ or LineTerminator
         <LS>
         <PS>
         \ EscapeSequence
         LineContinuation
LineContinuation ::
         \ LineTerminatorSequence
EscapeSequence ::
         CharacterEscapeSequence
         o [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]
         HexEscapeSequence
         UnicodeEscapeSequence
CharacterEscapeSequence ::
         SingleEscapeCharacter
        NonEscapeCharacter
SingleEscapeCharacter :: one of
         ' " \ b f n r t v
NonEscapeCharacter ::
         SourceCharacter but not one of EscapeCharacter or LineTerminator
EscapeCharacter ::
         SingleEscapeCharacter
         DecimalDigit
HexEscapeSequence ::
        x HexDigit HexDigit
UnicodeEscapeSequence ::
        u Hex4Digits
         u{ CodePoint }
 Hex4Digits :: HexDigit HexDigit HexDigit
Regular Expression Literal ::
         / RegularExpressionBody / RegularExpressionFlags
Regular Expression Body ::
         Regular Expression First Char Regular Expression Chars
Regular Expression Chars::
         [empty]
         Regular Expression Chars Regular Expression Char
Regular Expression First Char:
         Regular Expression Non Terminator but not one of * or \ or \ or \
         Regular Expression Backslash Sequence
         Regular Expression Class
Regular Expression Char ::
         RegularExpressionNonTerminator but not one of \ or / or [
         Regular Expression Backslash Sequence
         RegularExpressionClass
Regular Expression Backslash Sequence:
```

\ RegularExpressionNonTerminator
RegularExpressionNonTerminator ::
SourceCharacter but not LineTerminator
RegularExpressionClass ::
[ RegularExpressionClassChars ]
RegularExpressionClassChars ::
[empty]
RegularExpressionClassChars RegularExpressionClassChar
RegularExpressionClassChar ::
RegularExpressionNonTerminator but not one of 1 or \
RegularExpressionBackslashSequence
RegularExpressionFlags ::
[empty]
RegularExpressionFlags IdentifierPart
Template ::
NoSubstitutionTemplate
TemplateHead
NoSubstitutionTemplate ::
` TemplateCharacters <sub>opt</sub> `
TemplateHead ::
`TemplateCharacters <sub>opt</sub> \${
TemplateSubstitutionTail ::
TemplateMiddle
TemplateTail
TemplateMiddle ::
<pre>} TemplateCharactersopt \${</pre>
TemplateTail ::
} TemplateCharacters <sub>opt</sub> `
TemplateCharacters ::
TemplateCharacter TemplateCharacters <sub>opt</sub>
TemplateCharacter ::
<pre>\$ [lookahead ≠ {]</pre>
∖ EscapeSequence
∖ NotEscapeSequence
LineContinuation
LineTerminatorSequence
SourceCharacter but not one of `or \or \or \text{sor LineTerminator}
NotEscapeSequence ::
o DecimalDigit
DecimalDigit but not o
$\mathbf{x}$ [lookahead $\notin HexDigit$ ]
x HexDigit [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]
u [lookahead ∉ HexDigit] [lookahead ≠ {]
u <i>HexDigit</i> [lookahead ∉ <i>HexDigit</i> ]
u HexDigit HexDigit [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]
u HexDigit HexDigit [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]
u { [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]

```
u { NotCodePoint [lookahead ∉ HexDigit]
        u { CodePoint [lookahead ∉ HexDigit] [lookahead ≠ }]
NotCodePoint ::
        HexDigits but only if MV of HexDigits > 0x10FFFF
CodePoint ::
        HexDigits but only if MV of HexDigits \leq 0x10FFFF
```

## A.2 Expressions

```
IdentifierReference_{[Yield, Await]}:
         Identifier
         [~Yield] yield
         [~Await] await
BindingIdentifier[Yield, Await] :
         Identifier
         yield
         await
LabelIdentifier[Yield, Await] :
         Identifier
         [~Yield] yield
         [~Await] await
Identifier:
         IdentifierName but not ReservedWord
PrimaryExpression[Yield, Await] :
         IdentifierReference[?Yield, ?Await]
         Literal
         ArrayLiteral [?Yield, ?Await]
         ObjectLiteral[?Yield, ?Await]
         FunctionExpression
         ClassExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         GeneratorExpression
         AsyncFunctionExpression
         AsyncGeneratorExpression
         Regular Expression Literal
         TemplateLiteral[?Yield, ?Await, ~Tagged]
         CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList_{??Yield,?Await}
CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList_{\tt [Yield, Await]}:
         ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
         ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] , )
         ( )
         ( ... BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] )
         ( ... BindingPattern<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub> )
         ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] , ... Binding Identifier [?Yield, ?Await] )
         ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] , ... Binding Pattern [?Yield, ?Await] )
```

When processing an instance of the production Primary Expression [Yield, Await]: CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList [?Yield, ?Await] the interpretation of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList is refined using the following grammar: ParenthesizedExpression[Yield, Await] : ( Expression<sub>[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub> ) Literal: NullLiteral BooleanLiteral NumericLiteral StringLiteral ArrayLiteral[Yield, Await] : [ Elision<sub>opt</sub> ] [ ElementList<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub> ] [ ElementList<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub> , Elision<sub>opt</sub> ] ElementList[Yield, Await] : Elision opt AssignmentExpression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await]  $Elision_{\texttt{opt}}$   $SpreadElement_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await]}}$ ElementList[?Yield, ?Await] , Elisionopt AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ElementList[?Yield, ?Await] , Elisionopt SpreadElement[?Yield, ?Await] Elision: Elision , SpreadElement[Yield, Await] : ... AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ObjectLiteral [Yield, Await]: { } { PropertyDefinitionList[?Yield, ?Await] } { PropertyDefinitionList[?Yield, ?Await] , } PropertyDefinitionList[Yield, Await] : PropertyDefinition[?Yield, ?Await] PropertyDefinitionList[?Yield, ?Await] , PropertyDefinition[?Yield, ?Await]

```
StringLiteral
                    NumericLiteral
ComputedPropertyName[Yield, Await] :
                    [ AssignmentExpression<sub>[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]</sub> ]
CoverInitializedName [Yield, Await]:
                    Identifier Reference_{\verb|[?Yield, ?Await]|} \ \ Initializer_{\verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]|}
Initializer[In, Yield, Await] :
                    = AssignmentExpression_{[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]}
TemplateLiteral_{[Yield, Await, Tagged]}:
                    NoSubstitutionTemplate
                    SubstitutionTemplate_{\cite{Months}} attacked and the state of the s
SubstitutionTemplate[Yield, Await, Tagged] :
                    Template Head \ Expression_{\texttt{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} \ Template Spans_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]}}
TemplateSpans[Yield, Await, Tagged] :
                    TemplateTail
                    TemplateMiddleList[?Yield, ?Await, ?Tagged]
                                                                                                                           TemplateTail
TemplateMiddleList[Yield, Await, Tagged] :
                    TemplateMiddle \ Expression_{\texttt{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]}}
                    TemplateMiddleList_{\verb|[?Yield, ?Await|]{Await}, \verb|[?Tagged]|} TemplateMiddle \ Expression_{\verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]|}
MemberExpression[Yield, Await] :
                    PrimaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                    MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await] [ Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
                    MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await] . IdentifierName
                    MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await] TemplateLiteral[?Yield, ?Await, +Tagged]
                    SuperProperty [?Yield, ?Await]
                    MetaProperty
                    new MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await] Arguments[?Yield, ?Await]
SuperProperty[Yield, Await] :
                    super [ Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
                    super . IdentifierName
MetaProperty:
                    NewTarget
                    ImportMeta
NewTarget:
                    new . target
ImportMeta:
                    import . meta
NewExpression[Yield, Await] :
                    MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                    {\tt new} \ New Expression_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await]}}
CallExpression[Yield, Await] :
                    CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead[?Yield, ?Await]
                    SuperCall[?Yield, ?Await]
                    ImportCall[?Yield, ?Await]
```

```
CallExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                        Arguments[?Yield, ?Await]
         CallExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                        [ Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
         CallExpression [?Yield, ?Await]
                                        . IdentifierName
                                        TemplateLiteral[?Yield, ?Await, +Tagged]
         CallExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
When processing an instance of the production CallExpression [Yield, Await]:
 CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead[?Yield, ?Await]
                                                           the interpretation of
CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead is refined using the following grammar:
CallMemberExpression[Yield, Await] :
         MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await] Arguments[?Yield, ?Await]
SuperCall[Yield, Await] :
         super Arguments[?Yield, ?Await]
ImportCall[Yield, Await] :
         import ( AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
Arguments_{[Yield, Await]}:
         ( ArgumentList[?Yield, ?Await] )
         ( ArgumentList[?Yield, ?Await] ,)
ArgumentList[Yield, Await] :
         AssignmentExpression_{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]}
         ... AssignmentExpression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
         ArgumentList_{?Yield, ?Await}, AssignmentExpression_{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]}
        ArgumentList_{??Yield, ?Await}, ... AssignmentExpression_{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]}
OptionalExpression[Yield, Await]:
         MemberExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                           OptionalChain [?Yield, ?Await]
         CallExpression [?Yield, ?Await] Optional Chain [?Yield, ?Await]
         OptionalExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                            OptionalChain[?Yield, ?Await]
OptionalChain[Yield, Await]:
         ?. Arguments[?Yield, ?Await]
         ?. [ Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
         ?. IdentifierName
        ?. TemplateLiteral[?Yield, ?Await, +Tagged]
         OptionalChain [?Yield, ?Await] Arguments [?Yield, ?Await]
         OptionalChain[?Yield, ?Await] [ Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ]
         OptionalChain [?Yield, ?Await] . IdentifierName
                                       TemplateLiteral[?Yield, ?Await, +Tagged]
         OptionalChain [?Yield, ?Await]
LeftHandSideExpression[Yield, Await] :
        NewExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
        CallExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
        OptionalExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
UpdateExpression[Yield, Await] :
```

```
LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                                  [no LineTerminator here] ++
         LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                                  [no LineTerminator here] --
         ++ UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         -- UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
UnaryExpression[Yield, Await] :
         UpdateExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         delete UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         void UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         typeof UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         + UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         - UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         - UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         ! UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         [+Await] AwaitExpression[?Yield]
ExponentiationExpression[Yield, Await] :
         UnaryExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         UpdateExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                           ** ExponentiationExpression [?Yield, ?Await]
MultiplicativeExpression[Yield, Await] :
         ExponentiationExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         MultiplicativeExpression [?Yield, ?Await] MultiplicativeOperator ExponentiationExpression [?Yield, ?Await]
MultiplicativeOperator : one of
         * / %
AdditiveExpression[Yield, Await] :
         MultiplicativeExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                             + MultiplicativeExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         AdditiveExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         AdditiveExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                             - MultiplicativeExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
ShiftExpression[Yield, Await] :
         AdditiveExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         ShiftExpression[?Yield, ?Await] << AdditiveExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         ShiftExpression[?Yield, ?Await] >> AdditiveExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         ShiftExpression[?Yield, ?Await] >>> AdditiveExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
Relational Expression [In, Yield, Await]:
         ShiftExpression [?Yield, ?Await]
                                                   < ShiftExpression [?Yield, ?Await]
         Relational Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
                                                   > ShiftExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         Relational Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
         Relational Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
                                                   <= ShiftExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         Relational Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
                                                   >= ShiftExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
                                                   instanceof ShiftExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
         RelationalExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
         [+In] Relational Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] in Shift Expression [?Yield, ?Await]
EqualityExpression[In, Yield, Await] :
         Relational Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
         EqualityExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await] == RelationalExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
```

```
!= RelationalExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        EqualityExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        EqualityExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
                                                --- Relational Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
                                                !== RelationalExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        EqualityExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
Bitwise AND Expression_{[In, Yield, Await]}:
        EqualityExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        BitwiseANDExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
                                                     & EqualityExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
BitwiseXORExpression [In, Yield, Await]:
        BitwiseANDExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
                                                    ^ BitwiseANDExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        BitwiseXORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
BitwiseORExpression[In, Yield, Await]:
        BitwiseXORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        BitwiseORExpression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await] | BitwiseXORExpression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
Logical AND Expression [In, Yield, Await]:
        BitwiseORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        Logical AND Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await] & Bitwise OR Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
LogicalORExpression [In, Yield, Await]:
        LogicalANDExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        LogicalORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await] || LogicalANDExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
CoalesceExpression[In, Yield, Await] :
        CoalesceExpressionHead[?In, ?Yield, ?Await] ?? BitwiseORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
CoalesceExpressionHead [In, Yield, Await]:
        CoalesceExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        BitwiseORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
ShortCircuitExpression[In, Yield, Await]:
        LogicalORExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        CoalesceExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
Conditional Expression [In, Yield, Await]:
        ShortCircuitExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        ShortCircuitExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await] ? AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] :
             AssignmentExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
AssignmentExpression [In, Yield, Await]:
        ConditionalExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        [+Yield] YieldExpression[?In, ?Await]
        ArrowFunction[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        AsyncArrowFunction[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] = AssignmentExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] AssignmentOperator AssignmentExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
AssignmentOperator : one of
        *= /= %= += -= <<= >>= &= ^= |= **=
In certain circumstances when processing an instance of the production AssignmentExpression[In, Yield, Await]:
```

 $LeftHandSideExpression_{\cite{Continuous Annual Person}} = AssignmentExpression_{\cite{Continuous Annual Person}} the following grammar is used to refine the interpretation of $LeftHandSideExpression$:$ 

```
AssignmentPattern<sub>[Yield, Await]</sub>:
        ObjectAssignmentPattern[?Yield, ?Await]
        ArrayAssignmentPattern [?Yield, ?Await]
Object Assignment Pattern [Yield, Await]:
        { }
        { AssignmentRestProperty[?Yield, ?Await] }
        { AssignmentPropertyList_{?Yield, ?Await}} }
        { AssignmentPropertyList[?Yield, ?Await] opt }
ArrayAssignmentPattern[Yield, Await] :
        [ Elision ont AssignmentRestElement [?Yield, ?Await] opt ]
        [ AssignmentElementList_{[?Yield, ?Await]} ]
        [ AssignmentElementList[?Yield, ?Await] , Elision opt AssignmentRestElement[?Yield, ?Await] opt ]
AssignmentRestProperty[Yield, Await]:
         ... Destructuring Assignment Target [?Yield, ?Await]
AssignmentPropertyList[Yield, Await]:
        AssignmentProperty [?Yield, ?Await]
        AssignmentPropertyList[?Yield, ?Await] , AssignmentProperty[?Yield, ?Await]
AssignmentElementList[Yield, Await]:
        AssignmentElisionElement[?Yield, ?Await]
        AssignmentElementList_{??Yield,?Await}, AssignmentElisionElement_{??Yield,?Await}
AssignmentElisionElement<sub>[Yield, Await]</sub>:
        Elision<sub>opt</sub> AssignmentElement<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>
AssignmentProperty [Yield, Await]:
        IdentifierReference[?Yield, ?Await] Initializer[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt
        PropertyName [?Yield, ?Await] : AssignmentElement [?Yield, ?Await]
AssignmentElement [Yield, Await] :
        Destructuring Assignment Target [?Yield, ?Await] Initializer [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt
AssignmentRestElement[Yield, Await]:
         ... Destructuring Assignment Target [?Yield, ?Await]
Destructuring Assignment Target [Yield, Await]:
        LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await]
Expression[In, Yield, Await] :
        AssignmentExpression[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
        Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await] , Assignment Expression [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
A.3 Statements
Statement [Yield, Await, Return] :
        BlockStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
        VariableStatement[?Yield, ?Await]
        EmptyStatement
```

```
ExpressionStatement[?Yield, ?Await]
         IfStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         BreakableStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         ContinueStatement[?Yield, ?Await]
         BreakStatement [?Yield. ?Await]
         [+Return] ReturnStatement[?Yield, ?Await]
         WithStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         LabelledStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         ThrowStatement[?Yield, ?Await]
         TryStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         DebuggerStatement
Declaration[Yield, Await] :
         HoistableDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ~Default]
         ClassDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ~Default]
         Lexical Declaration [+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
HoistableDeclaration[Yield, Await, Default] :
         FunctionDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ?Default]
         Generator Declaration [?Yield, ?Await, ?Default]
         AsyncFunctionDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ?Default]
         AsyncGeneratorDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ?Default]
BreakableStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
         IterationStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         SwitchStatement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
BlockStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
         Block [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
Block [Yield, Await, Return] :
         { StatementList[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] opt }
StatementList[Yield, Await, Return] :
         StatementListItem[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         StatementList[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] StatementListItem[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
StatementListItem[Yield, Await, Return] :
         Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         Declaration [?Yield, ?Await]
LexicalDeclaration[In, Yield, Await] :
         LetOrConst BindingList[?In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;
LetOrConst:
         const
BindingList[In, Yield, Await] :
         LexicalBinding[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
         BindingList[?In, ?Yield, ?Await] , LexicalBinding[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
LexicalBinding[In, Yield, Await] :
         BindingIdentifier_{\verb|[?Yield, ?Await]|} \ \ Initializer_{\verb|[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]|} \ \ \texttt{opt}
         BindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await] Initializer[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
```

```
VariableStatement[Yield, Await]:
                  var VariableDeclarationList[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;
Variable Declaration List_{[In, Yield, Await]}:
                  VariableDeclaration[?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
                   Variable Declaration List [?In, ?Yield, ?Await] , Variable Declaration [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
VariableDeclaration [In, Yield, Await]:
                  BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] Initializer [?In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt
                  BindingPattern [?Yield, ?Await] Initializer [?In, ?Yield, ?Await]
BindingPattern[Yield, Await] :
                  ObjectBindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await]
                  ArrayBindingPattern_{\cite{tense}}, ?Await]
ObjectBindingPattern[Yield, Await] :
                  { }
                  { BindingRestProperty[?Yield, ?Await] }
                  { BindingPropertyList_{??Yield, ?Await}} }
                  { BindingPropertyList[?Yield, ?Await] , BindingRestProperty[?Yield, ?Await] opt }
ArrayBindingPattern[Yield, Await] :
                  [ Elision<sub>opt</sub> BindingRestElement<sub>[?Yield, ?Await] opt ]</sub>
                  [ BindingElementList_{\cite{Mait}} ]
                  [ BindingElementList [?Yield, ?Await] , Elision opt BindingRestElement [?Yield, ?Await] opt ]
BindingRestProperty[Yield, Await] :
                   ... BindingIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await]
BindingPropertyList[Yield, Await] :
                  BindingProperty[?Yield, ?Await]
                  BindingPropertyList [?Yield, ?Await] , BindingProperty [?Yield, ?Await]
BindingElementList [Yield, Await]:
                  BindingElisionElement[?Yield, ?Await]
                  BindingElementList[?Yield, ?Await] , BindingElisionElement[?Yield, ?Await]
BindingElisionElement[Yield, Await] :
                  Elision Binding Element [?Yield, ?Await]
BindingProperty [Yield, Await] :
                  SingleNameBinding[?Yield, ?Await]
                  PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] : BindingElement[?Yield, ?Await]
BindingElement[Yield, Await] :
                  SingleNameBinding[?Yield, ?Await]
                  BindingPattern_{\cite{thm},\cite{thm}} Initializer_{\cite{thm},\cite{thm},\cite{thm}} Initializer_{\cite{thm},\cite{thm},\cite{thm}} authors are the substitution of the substitution of
SingleNameBinding[Yield, Await] :
                  Binding Identifier_{\verb|[?Yield, ?Await]|} \ \ Initializer_{\verb|[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]|} \ \ \texttt{opt}
BindingRestElement[Yield, Await]:
                   ... BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await]
                  ... BindingPattern [?Yield, ?Await]
EmptyStatement:
                  ;
```

```
ExpressionStatement[Yield, Await] :
         [lookahead ∉ { { , function , async [no LineTerminator here] function , class , let [ }]
              Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;
IfStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
         if ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] else
              Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         if ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
IterationStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
         do Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] while ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] );
         while ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for ( [lookahead \neq let [] Expression_{[\neg In, ?Yield, ?Await] \ opt}; Expression_{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] \ opt};
              Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
          \textbf{for (var } Variable Declaration List_{\texttt{[-In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} \textbf{ ; } Expression_{\texttt{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]}} \textbf{ opt ; } \\
              Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for ( Lexical Declaration [~In, ?Yield, ?Await] Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ;
              Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] opt ) Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for ( [lookahead \neq let [] LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] in Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
              Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for ( var ForBinding_{??Yield, ?Await} in Expression_{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]} ) Statement_{[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]}
         for ( For Declaration [?Yield, ?Await] in Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for ( [lookahead ≠ let] LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] of AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]
              ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for (var ForBinding[?Yield, ?Await] of AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
              Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         for ( For Declaration [?Yield, ?Await] of Assignment Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
              Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         [+Await] for await ([lookahead ≠ let] LeftHandSideExpression[?Yield, ?Await] of
              AssignmentExpression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         [+Await] for await ( var ForBinding_{?Yield, ?Await}] of AssignmentExpression_{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]})
              Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         [+Await] for await ( For Declaration [?Yield, ?Await] of Assignment Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] )
              Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
For Declaration [Yield, Await]:
         LetOrConst ForBinding[?Yield, ?Await]
ForBinding[Yield, Await] :
         BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await]
         BindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await]
ContinueStatement[Yield, Await]:
         continue;
         continue [no LineTerminator here] LabelIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] ;
BreakStatement[Yield, Await] :
         break [no LineTerminator here] LabelIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await];
```

```
ReturnStatement[Yield, Await] :
         return ;
         return [no LineTerminator here] Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;
WithStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
         with ( Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
SwitchStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
         \textbf{switch (}\textit{Expression}_{\texttt{[+In, ?Yield, ?Await]}}\textbf{ )}\textit{CaseBlock}_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]}}
CaseBlock[Yield, Await, Return] :
         { CaseClauses [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] opt }
         { CaseClauses[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] opt DefaultClause[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
              CaseClauses[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] opt }
CaseClauses[Yield, Await, Return] :
         CaseClause[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         CaseClauses [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] CaseClause [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
CaseClause[Yield, Await, Return] :
         case Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] : StatementList[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] opt
DefaultClause[Yield, Await, Return] :
         default : StatementList[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] opt
LabelledStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
         LabelIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] : LabelledItem [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
LabelledItem[Yield, Await, Return] :
         Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         FunctionDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ~Default]
ThrowStatement[Yield, Await]:
         throw [no LineTerminator here] Expression [+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ;
TryStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
         try Block[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] Catch[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         try Block [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] Finally [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         try Block[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] Catch[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] Finally[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
Catch<sub>[Yield, Await, Return]</sub> :
         catch ( CatchParameter [?Yield, ?Await] ) Block [?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]
         \mathbf{catch}\ Block_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]}}
Finally[Yield, Await, Return] :
         finally Block_{\cite{Model}}, ?Await, ?Return]
CatchParameter[Yield, Await] :
         BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await]
         BindingPattern[?Yield, ?Await]
DebuggerStatement:
         debugger;
```

## A.4 Functions and Classes

```
Function Declaration_{\texttt{[Yield, Await, Default]}}: \\ \textbf{function } Binding Identifier_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await]}} \text{ (} Formal Parameters_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \text{ ) } \{
```

```
FunctionBody_{\lceil \sim Yield, \sim Await \rceil} }
                      [+Default] function ( FormalParameters [~Yield, ~Await] ) { FunctionBody [~Yield, ~Await] }
FunctionExpression:
                      \textbf{function} \ \textit{BindingIdentifier}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await] opt}} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{)} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await]}} \ \ \textbf{(} \ \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~
                                  FunctionBody_{\lceil \sim Yield, \sim Await \rceil} }
UniqueFormalParameters[Yield, Await]:
                      FormalParameters [?Yield, ?Await]
FormalParameters [Yield, Await] :
                      [empty]
                      FunctionRestParameter [?Yield, ?Await]
                      FormalParameterList[?Yield, ?Await]
                      FormalParameterList[?Yield, ?Await] ,
                      Formal Parameter List_{"?Yield", "Await"]}, Function Rest Parameter_{"?Yield", "Await"]}
FormalParameterList[Yield, Await] :
                      FormalParameter [?Yield, ?Await]
                      Formal Parameter List_{?Yield, ?Await]}, Formal Parameter_{[?Yield, ?Await]}
FunctionRestParameter[Yield, Await] :
                      BindingRestElement[?Yield, ?Await]
FormalParameter [Yield, Await] :
                      BindingElement[?Yield, ?Await]
FunctionBody_{[Yield, Await]}:
                      FunctionStatementList[?Yield, ?Await]
FunctionStatementList[Yield, Await] :
                      StatementList_{\cite{Monthlet}{interpret}} opt
ArrowFunction[In, Yield, Await] :
                      ArrowParameters [?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] => ConciseBody [?In]
ArrowParameters[Yield, Await] :
                      BindingIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await]
                      CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList[?Yield, ?Await]
ConciseBody_{[In]}:
                      [lookahead ≠ {] ExpressionBody[?In, ~Await]
                      { FunctionBody [~Yield, ~Await] }
ExpressionBody_{[In, Await]}:
                      AssignmentExpression[?In, ~Yield, ?Await]
When the production ArrowParameters[Yield, Await]:
  CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList[?Yield, ?Await] is recognized the following grammar is used to
refine the interpretation of CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList:
ArrowFormalParameters[Yield, Await]:
                      ( UniqueFormalParameters[?Yield, ?Await] )
AsyncArrowFunction[In, Yield, Await] :
```

```
async [no LineTerminator here] AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier [?Yield] [no LineTerminator here] =>
             AsyncConciseBody [?In]
         CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead[?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] => AsyncConciseBody[?In]
AsyncConciseBody_{In}:
         [lookahead ≠ {] ExpressionBody[?In, +Await]
         { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncArrowBindingIdentifier[Yield]:
         BindingIdentifier[?Yield, +Await]
CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead: MemberExpression Arguments
When the production AsyncArrowFunction[In, Yield, Await]:
 CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead[?Yield, ?Await] [no LineTerminator here] => AsyncConciseBody[?In] is
recognized the following grammar is used to refine the interpretation of CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead:
AsyncArrowHead:
         async [no LineTerminator here] ArrowFormalParameters [~Yield, +Await]
MethodDefinition[Yield, Await] :
         PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] ( UniqueFormalParameters[~Yield, ~Await] ) { FunctionBody[~Yield, ~Await] }
         Generator Method [?Yield, ?Await]
         AsyncMethod<sub>[?Yield, ?Await]</sub>
         AsyncGeneratorMethod[?Yield, ?Await]
         get PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] () { FunctionBody[~Yield, ~Await] }
         set PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] ( PropertySetParameterList ) { FunctionBody[~Yield, ~Await] }
PropertySetParameterList :
         FormalParameter [~Yield, ~Await]
GeneratorMethod[Yield, Await]:
         * PropertyName_{\texttt{?Yield, ?Await}} ( UniqueFormalParameters_{\texttt{[+Yield, ~Await]}} ) { GeneratorBody }
GeneratorDeclaration[Yield, Await, Default] :
         \textbf{function} * \textit{BindingIdentifier}_{\texttt{?Yield, ?Await]}} \text{ (} \textit{FormalParameters}_{\texttt{[+Yield, ~Await]}} \text{ ) { } \textit{GeneratorBody } \text{)}}
         [+Default] function * ( FormalParameters [+Yield, ~Await] ) { GeneratorBody }
GeneratorExpression:
         function * BindingIdentifier[+Yield, ~Await] opt (FormalParameters[+Yield, ~Await] ) { GeneratorBody }
GeneratorBody:
         FunctionBody[+Yield, ~Await]
YieldExpression[In, Await]:
         yield [no LineTerminator here] AssignmentExpression[?In, +Yield, ?Await]
         yield [no LineTerminator here] * AssignmentExpression[?In, +Yield, ?Await]
AsyncGeneratorMethod[Yield, Await]:
         async [no LineTerminator here] * PropertyName [?Yield, ?Await] ( UniqueFormalParameters [+Yield, +Await] ) {
             AsyncGeneratorBody }
AsyncGeneratorDeclaration[Yield, Await, Default]:
         async [no LineTerminator here] function * BindingIdentifier [?Yield, ?Await] (
```

```
FormalParameters [+Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
         [+Default] async [no LineTerminator here] function * ( FormalParameters [+Yield, +Await] ) {
              AsyncGeneratorBody }
AsyncGeneratorExpression:
         async [no LineTerminator here] function * BindingIdentifier [+Yield, +Await] opt (
              FormalParameters [+Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncGeneratorBody }
AsyncGeneratorBody:
         FunctionBody_{[+Yield, +Await]}
AsyncFunctionDeclaration[Yield, Await, Default]:
         async [no LineTerminator here] function BindingIdentifier[?Yield, ?Await] (FormalParameters[~Yield, +Await]
              ) { AsyncFunctionBody }
         [+Default] async [no LineTerminator here] function ( FormalParameters [~Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionExpression:
         async [no LineTerminator here] function (FormalParameters [~Yield, +Await] ) { AsyncFunctionBody }
         async [no LineTerminator here] function BindingIdentifier [~Yield, +Await] (FormalParameters[~Yield, +Await]
              ) { AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncMethod[Yield, Await] :
         async [no LineTerminator here] PropertyName[?Yield, ?Await] ( UniqueFormalParameters[~Yield, +Await] ) {
              AsyncFunctionBody }
AsyncFunctionBody:
         FunctionBody [~Yield, +Await]
AwaitExpression[Yield]:
         await UnaryExpression[?Yield, +Await]
ClassDeclaration[Yield, Await, Default] :
         \textbf{class} \ \textit{BindingIdentifier}_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await]}} \ \ \textit{ClassTail}_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await]}}
         [+Default] class ClassTail [?Yield, ?Await]
ClassExpression[Yield, Await] :
         \textbf{class} \ \textit{BindingIdentifier}_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await]}} \ \textit{opt} \ \ \textit{ClassTail}_{\texttt{[?Yield, ?Await]}}
ClassTail[Yield, Await] :
         ClassHeritage_{??Yield, ?Await] opt} { ClassBody_{[?Yield, ?Await] opt} }
ClassHeritage[Yield, Await] :
         extends LeftHandSideExpression[3Yield, 2Await]
ClassBody[Yield, Await] :
         ClassElementList[?Yield, ?Await]
ClassElementList_{[Yield, Await]}:
         ClassElement[?Yield, ?Await]
         ClassElementList[?Yield, ?Await] ClassElement[?Yield, ?Await]
ClassElement[Yield, Await] :
         MethodDefinition[?Yield, ?Await]
         static MethodDefinition[?Yield, ?Await]
```

## A.5 Scripts and Modules

```
Script:
         ScriptBody<sub>opt</sub>
ScriptBody:
         StatementList_{\texttt{[~Yield, ~Await, ~Return]}}
Module:
         ModuleBody<sub>opt</sub>
ModuleBody:
         Module Item List
ModuleItemList:
         ModuleItem
         ModuleItemList ModuleItem
ModuleItem:
         ImportDeclaration
         ExportDeclaration
         StatementListItem [~Yield, ~Await, ~Return]
ImportDeclaration:
         import ImportClause FromClause ;
         import ModuleSpecifier ;
ImportClause:
         ImportedDefaultBinding
         NameSpaceImport
         NamedImports
         ImportedDefaultBinding , NameSpaceImport
         ImportedDefaultBinding , NamedImports
ImportedDefaultBinding:
         ImportedBinding
NameSpaceImport:
         * as ImportedBinding
NamedImports:
         { }
         { ImportsList }
         { ImportsList , }
FromClause:
         from ModuleSpecifier
ImportsList:
         ImportSpecifier
         ImportsList , ImportSpecifier
ImportSpecifier:
         ImportedBinding
         IdentifierName as ImportedBinding
ModuleSpecifier:
         StringLiteral
ImportedBinding:
        BindingIdentifier_{[\sim Yield, \sim Await]}
ExportDeclaration:
         export ExportFromClause FromClause ;
         export NamedExports ;
```

```
export VariableStatement[~Yield, ~Await]
         export Declaration[~Yield, ~Await]
         export default Hoistable Declaration [~Yield, ~Await, +Default]
         export default ClassDeclaration[~Yield, ~Await, +Default]
         export default [lookahead ∉ { function , async [no LineTerminator here] function , class }]
             AssignmentExpression_{[+In, -Yield, -Await]};
ExportFromClause:
         * as IdentifierName
         NamedExports
NamedExports:
         { }
         { ExportsList }
         { ExportsList , }
ExportsList:
         ExportSpecifier
         ExportsList , ExportSpecifier
ExportSpecifier:
         IdentifierName
         IdentifierName as IdentifierName
```

#### A.6 Number Conversions

```
StringNumericLiteral :::
        StrWhiteSpace opt.
        StrWhiteSpace StrNumericLiteral StrWhiteSpace opt
StrWhiteSpace :::
        StrWhiteSpaceChar StrWhiteSpaceopt.
StrWhiteSpaceChar :::
        WhiteSpace
        LineTerminator
StrNumericLiteral :::
        StrDecimalLiteral
        NonDecimalIntegerLiteral
StrDecimalLiteral :::
        StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral
        + StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral
        - StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral
StrUnsignedDecimalLiteral :::
        Infinity
        DecimalDigits . DecimalDigits opt ExponentPartont
         . Decimal Digits Exponent Part_{opt}
        DecimalDigits ExponentPartont
```

All grammar symbols not explicitly defined by the *StringNumericLiteral* grammar have the definitions used in the Lexical Grammar for numeric literals.

## A.7 Universal Resource Identifier Character Classes

```
uri :::
        uriCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
uriCharacters :::
        uriCharacter uriCharactersopt
uriCharacter :::
        uriReserved
        uriUnescaped
        uriEscaped
uriReserved ::: one of
        ; / ? : @ & = + $ ,
uriUnescaped :::
        uriAlpha
        DecimalDigit
        uriMark
uriEscaped :::
        % HexDigit HexDigit
uriAlpha ::: one of
        abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyzABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
uriMark ::: one of
        -_.!~*'()
```

## A.8 Regular Expressions

```
Pattern_{[U, N]} ::
          Disjunction[?U, ?N]
Disjunction_{[U, N]} ::
          Alternative[?U, ?N]
          Alternative_{[?U, ?N]} \mid Disjunction_{[?U, ?N]}
Alternative_{[U, N]} ::
          [empty]
          Alternative[?U, ?N] Term[?U, ?N]
Term_{[U, N]} ::
          Assertion[?u, ?N]
          Atom<sub>[?U, ?N]</sub>
          Atom<sub>[?U, ?N]</sub> Quantifier
Assertion_{[U, N]} ::
          $
          \ b
          ( ? = Disjunction_{[?U, ?N]} )
          (?! Disjunction[?u, ?N] )
          ( ? \leftarrow Disjunction<sub>[?U, ?N]</sub> )
          (? <! Disjunction_{[?U, ?N]})
Quantifier ::
```

```
QuantifierPrefix
        QuantifierPrefix ?
QuantifierPrefix ::
        { DecimalDigits }
        { DecimalDigits , }
        { DecimalDigits , DecimalDigits }
Atom_{[U, N]} ::
        PatternCharacter
        \ AtomEscape[?u, ?N]
        Character Class [ ? U ]
        ( GroupSpecifier [?U] Disjunction [?U, ?N] )
        (?: Disjunction_{[?U,?N]})
SyntaxCharacter :: one of
        ^ $ \ . * + ? ( ) [ ] { } |
PatternCharacter ::
        SourceCharacter but not SyntaxCharacter
AtomEscape :: ::
        DecimalEscape
        CharacterClassEscape [ ? U]
        CharacterEscape [?U]
        [+N] k GroupName<sub>[?U]</sub>
CharacterEscape :::
        ControlEscape
        c ControlLetter
        o [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]
        HexEscapeSequence
        RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence [20]
        IdentityEscape [?U]
ControlEscape :: one of
        fnrtv
ControlLetter :: one of
        abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyzABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
GroupSpecifier ::
        [empty]
        ? GroupName[?U]
GroupName ::
        < RegExpIdentifierName [20] >
RegExpIdentifierName[U] ::
        RegExpIdentifierStart [20]
        RegExpIdentifierName [20] RegExpIdentifierPart [20]
RegExpIdentifierStart[U] ::
        UnicodeIDStart
```

```
$
        \ RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence[+U]
        [~U] UnicodeLeadSurrogate UnicodeTrailSurrogate
RegExpIdentifierPart[U] ::
        UnicodeIDContinue
        \ RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence[+U]
        [~U] UnicodeLeadSurrogate UnicodeTrailSurrogate
        <ZWNJ>
        <ZWJ>
RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence ::
        [+U] u LeadSurrogate \u TrailSurrogate
        [+U] u LeadSurrogate
        [+U] u TrailSurrogate
        [+U] u NonSurrogate
        [~U] u Hex4Digits
        [+U] u{ CodePoint }
```

Each **\u** *TrailSurrogate* for which the choice of associated **u** *LeadSurrogate* is ambiguous shall be associated with the nearest possible **u** *LeadSurrogate* that would otherwise have no corresponding **\u** *TrailSurrogate*.

```
LeadSurrogate ::
         Hex4Digits but only if the SV of Hex4Digits is in the inclusive range 0xD800 to 0xDBFF
TrailSurrogate ::
         Hex4Digits but only if the SV of Hex4Digits is in the inclusive range 0xDC00 to 0xDFFF
NonSurrogate ::
        Hex4Digits but only if the SV of Hex4Digits is not in the inclusive range 0xD800 to 0xDFFF
IdentityEscape ::
        [+U] SyntaxCharacter
        [+U] /
        [~U] SourceCharacter but not UnicodeIDContinue
DecimalEscape ::
         NonZeroDigit DecimalDigits<sub>opt</sub> [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]
CharacterClassEscape ; :: ::
         d
         D
         S
         w
        [+U] p{ UnicodePropertyValueExpression }
        [+U] P{ UnicodePropertyValueExpression }
UnicodePropertyValueExpression ::
         UnicodePropertyName = UnicodePropertyValue
         LoneUnicodePropertyNameOrValue
```

```
UnicodePropertyName ::
         UnicodePropertyNameCharacters
UnicodePropertyNameCharacters ::
         UnicodePropertyNameCharacter UnicodePropertyNameCharactersopt
UnicodePropertyValue ::
         Unicode Property Value Characters
LoneUnicodePropertyNameOrValue ::
         UnicodePropertyValueCharacters
UnicodePropertyValueCharacters ::
         UnicodePropertyValueCharacter UnicodePropertyValueCharacters<sub>opt</sub>
UnicodePropertyValueCharacter ::
         UnicodePropertyNameCharacter
         DecimalDigit
UnicodePropertyNameCharacter ::
        ControlLetter
CharacterClass ::
         [[lookahead ≠ ^] ClassRanges[?u] ]
         [ ^ ClassRanges[?U] ]
ClassRanges ::
        [empty]
        NonemptyClassRanges [20]
NonemptyClassRanges[U] ::
         ClassAtom[?U]
         ClassAtom[?u] NonemptyClassRangesNoDash[?u]
         ClassAtom[?u] - ClassAtom[?u] ClassRanges[?u]
NonemptyClassRangesNoDash[U] ::
         ClassAtom[?U]
         ClassAtomNoDash[211] NonemptyClassRangesNoDash[211]
         ClassAtomNoDash[20] - ClassAtom[20] ClassRanges[20]
ClassAtom[U] ::
         Class Atom No Dash [ ? U ]
ClassAtomNoDash[U] ::
         SourceCharacter but not one of \ or \ or \ or \
        \ ClassEscape<sub>[?U]</sub>
ClassEscape [U] ::
        [+U] -
         CharacterClassEscape [ ? U]
         CharacterEscape [?U]
```

# **B** Additional ECMAScript Features for Web Browsers

The ECMAScript language syntax and semantics defined in this annex are required when the ECMAScript host is a web browser. The content of this annex is normative but optional if the ECMAScript host is not a web browser.

NOTE

This annex describes various legacy features and other characteristics of web browser based ECMAScript implementations. All of the language features and behaviours specified in this annex have one or more undesirable characteristics and in the absence of legacy usage would be removed from this specification. However, the usage of these features by large numbers of existing web pages means that web browsers must continue to support them. The specifications in this annex define the requirements for interoperable implementations of these legacy features.

These features are not considered part of the core ECMAScript language. Programmers should not use or assume the existence of these features and behaviours when writing new ECMAScript code. ECMAScript implementations are discouraged from implementing these features unless the implementation is part of a web browser or is required to run the same legacy ECMAScript code that web browsers encounter.

# **B.1 Additional Syntax**

#### **B.1.1** Numeric Literals

The syntax and semantics of 11.8.3 is extended as follows except that this extension is not allowed for strict mode code:

#### **Syntax**

```
NumericLiteral ::
        DecimalLiteral
        DecimalBigIntegerLiteral
        NonDecimalIntegerLiteral
        NonDecimalIntegerLiteral BigIntLiteralSuffix
        LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral
LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral ::
        o OctalDigit
        LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral OctalDigit
DecimalIntegerLiteral ::
        NonZeroDigit DecimalDigitsopt
        NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral
NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral ::

    NonOctalDigit

        LegacyOctalLikeDecimalIntegerLiteral NonOctalDigit
        NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral DecimalDigit
LegacyOctalLikeDecimalIntegerLiteral ::
        o OctalDigit
```

```
NonOctalDigit :: one of
```

#### **B.1.1.1 Static Semantics**

- The MV of LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral :: o OctalDigit is the MV of OctalDigit.
- The MV of LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral :: LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral OctalDigit is (the MV of LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral times 8) plus the MV of OctalDigit.
- The MV of DecimalIntegerLiteral: NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral is the MV of NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral.
- The MV of NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral :: o NonOctalDigit is the MV of NonOctalDigit.
- The MV of NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral :: LegacyOctalLikeDecimalIntegerLiteral NonOctalDigit is (the MV of LegacyOctalLikeDecimalIntegerLiteral times 10) plus the MV of NonOctalDigit.
- The MV of NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral :: NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral DecimalDigit is (the MV of NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral times 10) plus the MV of DecimalDigit.
- The MV of LegacyOctalLikeDecimalIntegerLiteral :: o OctalDigit is the MV of OctalDigit.
- The MV of LegacyOctalLikeDecimalIntegerLiteral :: LegacyOctalLikeDecimalIntegerLiteral OctalDigit is (the MV of LegacyOctalLikeDecimalIntegerLiteral times 10) plus the MV of OctalDigit.
- The MV of NonOctalDigit :: 8 is 8.
- The MV of *NonOctalDigit* **:: 9** is 9.

# **B.1.2 String Literals**

The syntax and semantics of 11.8.4 is extended as follows except that this extension is not allowed for strict mode code:

#### **Syntax**

```
EscapeSequence ::

CharacterEscapeSequence

LegacyOctalEscapeSequence

HexEscapeSequence

UnicodeEscapeSequence

LegacyOctalEscapeSequence ::

OctalDigit [lookahead ∉ OctalDigit]

ZeroToThree OctalDigit [lookahead ∉ OctalDigit]

FourToSeven OctalDigit

ZeroToThree OctalDigit OctalDigit

ZeroToThree :: one of

0 1 2 3

FourToSeven :: one of

4 5 6 7
```

This definition of *EscapeSequence* is not used in strict mode or when parsing *TemplateCharacter*.

#### **B.1.2.1** Static Semantics

- The SV of EscapeSequence :: LegacyOctalEscapeSequence is the SV of LegacyOctalEscapeSequence.
- The SV of LegacyOctalEscapeSequence :: OctalDigit is the code unit whose value is the MV of OctalDigit.
- The SV of LegacyOctalEscapeSequence :: ZeroToThree OctalDigit is the code unit whose value is (8 times the MV of ZeroToThree) plus the MV of OctalDigit.
- The SV of *LegacyOctalEscapeSequence* :: *FourToSeven OctalDigit* is the code unit whose value is (8 times the MV of *FourToSeven*) plus the MV of *OctalDigit*.
- The SV of LegacyOctalEscapeSequence :: ZeroToThree OctalDigit OctalDigit is the code unit whose value is (64 (that is, 8<sup>2</sup>) times the MV of ZeroToThree) plus (8 times the MV of the first OctalDigit) plus the MV of the second OctalDigit.
- The MV of *ZeroToThree* **:: o** is 0.
- The MV of *ZeroToThree* **:: 1** is 1.
- The MV of *ZeroToThree* **:: 2** is 2.
- The MV of ZeroToThree :: 3 is 3.
- The MV of FourToSeven :: 4 is 4.
- The MV of FourToSeven :: 5 is 5.
- The MV of FourToSeven :: 6 is 6.
- The MV of FourToSeven :: 7 is 7.

#### **B.1.3 HTML-like Comments**

The syntax and semantics of 11.4 is extended as follows except that this extension is not allowed when parsing source code using the goal symbol *Module*:

#### **Syntax**

```
Comment ::
        MultiLineComment
        SingleLineComment
        SingleLineHTMLOpenComment
        SingleLineHTMLCloseComment
        SingleLineDelimitedComment
MultiLineComment ::
        /* FirstCommentLineopt LineTerminator MultiLineCommentCharsopt */ HTMLCloseCommentopt
FirstCommentLine ::
        Single Line Delimited Comment Chars
SingleLineHTMLOpenComment ::
        <!-- SingleLineCommentCharsont.
SingleLineHTMLCloseComment ::
        LineTerminatorSequence HTMLCloseComment
SingleLineDelimitedComment ::
        /* SingleLineDelimitedCommentCharsont */
HTMLCloseComment ::
        WhiteSpaceSequence opt SingleLineDelimitedCommentSequence --> SingleLineCommentCharsopt
```

```
SingleLineDelimitedCommentChars::

SingleLineNotAsteriskChar SingleLineDelimitedCommentCharsopt

* SingleLinePostAsteriskCommentCharsopt

SingleLineNotAsteriskChar::

SourceCharacter but not one of * or LineTerminator

SingleLinePostAsteriskCommentChars::

SingleLineNotForwardSlashOrAsteriskChar SingleLineDelimitedCommentCharsopt

* SingleLinePostAsteriskCommentCharsopt

SingleLineNotForwardSlashOrAsteriskChar::

SourceCharacter but not one of / or * or LineTerminator

WhiteSpaceSequence::

WhiteSpace WhiteSpaceSequenceopt

SingleLineDelimitedCommentSequence::

SingleLineDelimitedCommentSequence ::

SingleLineDelimitedComment WhiteSpaceSequenceopt

SingleLineDelimitedCommentSequence
```

Similar to a *MultiLineComment* that contains a line terminator code point, a *SingleLineHTMLCloseComment* is considered to be a *LineTerminator* for purposes of parsing by the syntactic grammar.

#### **B.1.4 Regular Expressions Patterns**

The syntax of 21.2.1 is modified and extended as follows. These changes introduce ambiguities that are broken by the ordering of grammar productions and by contextual information. When parsing using the following grammar, each alternative is considered only if previous production alternatives do not match.

This alternative pattern grammar and semantics only changes the syntax and semantics of BMP patterns. The following grammar extensions include productions parameterized with the [U] parameter. However, none of these extensions change the syntax of Unicode patterns recognized when parsing with the [U] parameter present on the goal symbol.

#### **Syntax**

```
Term[U, N] ::

[+U] Assertion[+U, ?N]

[+U] Atom[+U, ?N] Quantifier

[-U] Quantifiable Assertion[?N] Quantifier

[-U] Assertion[-U, ?N]

[-U] Extended Atom[?N] Quantifier

[-U] Extended Atom[?N]

Assertion[U, N] ::

^
$
\[ \ \ \ \ \ \]
```

```
\ B
         [+U] ( ? = Disjunction_{[+U, ?N]} )
         [+U] ( ? ! Disjunction_{[+U, ?N]} )
         [~U] QuantifiableAssertion[?N]
         ( ? \leftarrow Disjunction<sub>[?U, ?N]</sub> )
         (? <! Disjunction_{[?U, ?N]})
Quantifiable Assertion_{[N]} ::
         ( ? = Disjunction_{[\sim U, ?N]} )
         (?! Disjunction_{[\sim U, ?N]})
ExtendedAtom_{INI} ::
         \ AtomEscape<sub>[~U, ?N]</sub>
         \ [lookahead = c]
         Character Class [~U]
         ( Disjunction [~U, ?N] )
         (?: Disjunction_{[\sim U, ?N]})
         InvalidBracedQuantifier
         ExtendedPatternCharacter
InvalidBracedQuantifier::
         { DecimalDigits }
         { DecimalDigits , }
         { DecimalDigits , DecimalDigits }
ExtendedPatternCharacter ::
         SourceCharacter but not one of ^ $ \ . * + ? ( ) [ |
AtomEscape[U, N] ::
         [+U] DecimalEscape
         [~U] DecimalEscape but only if the CapturingGroupNumber of DecimalEscape is <= _NcapturingParens_
         CharacterClassEscape [ ?U]
         CharacterEscape [~U, ?N]
         [+N] k GroupName[?U]
CharacterEscape [U, N] ::
         ControlEscape
         c ControlLetter
         o [lookahead ∉ DecimalDigit]
         HexEscapeSequence
         RegExpUnicodeEscapeSequence_{[?U]}
         [~U] LegacyOctalEscapeSequence
         IdentityEscape [?U, ?N]
IdentityEscape[U, N] ::
         [+U] SyntaxCharacter
         [+U] /
```

```
[~U] SourceCharacterIdentityEscape [?N]
SourceCharacterIdentityEscape ::
         [~N] SourceCharacter but not c
         [+N] SourceCharacter but not one of c or k
ClassAtomNoDash[U, N] ::
         SourceCharacter but not one of \ or \ or \ or \
         \ ClassEscape[?u, ?N]
         \ [lookahead = c]
ClassEscape_{[U, N]} ::
         b
         [+U] -
         [~U] c ClassControlLetter
         CharacterClassEscape [?U]
         CharacterEscape [?U, ?N]
ClassControlLetter ::
         DecimalDigit
```

**NOTE** 

When the same left hand sides occurs with both [+U] and [~U] guards it is to control the disambiguation priority.

#### **B.1.4.1 Static Semantics: Early Errors**

The semantics of 21.2.1.1 is extended as follows:

ExtendedAtom: InvalidBracedQuantifier

• It is a Syntax Error if any source text matches this rule.

NonemptyClassRanges :: ClassAtom - ClassAtom ClassRanges

• It is a Syntax Error if IsCharacterClass of the first *ClassAtom* is **true** or IsCharacterClass of the second *ClassAtom* is **true** and this production has a [U] parameter.

NonemptyClassRangesNoDash :: ClassAtomNoDash - ClassAtom ClassRanges

• It is a Syntax Error if IsCharacterClass of *ClassAtomNoDash* is **true** or IsCharacterClass of *ClassAtom* is **true** and this production has a [U] parameter.

#### **B.1.4.2** Static Semantics: IsCharacterClass

The semantics of 21.2.1.3 is extended as follows:

 $ClassAtomNoDash :: \setminus [lookahead = c]$ 

1. Return false.

#### **B.1.4.3** Static Semantics: CharacterValue

The semantics of 21.2.1.4 is extended as follows:

ClassAtomNoDash :: \ [lookahead = c]

1. Return the code point value of U+005C (REVERSE SOLIDUS).

ClassEscape :: c ClassControlLetter

- 1. Let *ch* be the code point matched by *ClassControlLetter*.
- 2. Let *i* be *ch*'s code point value.
- 3. Return the remainder of dividing *i* by 32.

CharacterEscape :: LegacyOctalEscapeSequence

- 1. Evaluate the SV of *LegacyOctalEscapeSequence* (see B.1.2) to obtain a code unit *cu*.
- 2. Return the numeric value of *cu*.

#### **B.1.4.4 Pattern Semantics**

The semantics of 21.2.2 is extended as follows:

```
Within 21.2.2.5 reference to " Atom :: ( GroupSpecifier Disjunction ) " are to be interpreted as meaning " Atom :: ( GroupSpecifier Disjunction ) " or " ExtendedAtom :: ( Disjunction ) ".
```

Term (21.2.2.5) includes the following additional evaluation rules:

The production *Term* :: *Quantifiable Assertion Quantifier* evaluates the same as the production *Term* :: *Atom Quantifier* but with *Quantifiable Assertion* substituted for *Atom*.

The production *Term* :: *ExtendedAtom Quantifier* evaluates the same as the production *Term* :: *Atom Quantifier* but with *ExtendedAtom* substituted for *Atom*.

The production *Term* :: *ExtendedAtom* evaluates the same as the production *Term* :: *Atom* but with *ExtendedAtom* substituted for *Atom*.

Assertion (21.2.2.6) includes the following additional evaluation rule:

The production Assertion: Quantifiable Assertion evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *QuantifiableAssertion* to obtain a Matcher *m*.
- 2. Return *m*.

Assertion (21.2.2.6) evaluation rules for the *Assertion* :: (? = Disjunction) and *Assertion* :: (? ! Disjunction) productions are also used for the *QuantifiableAssertion* productions, but with *QuantifiableAssertion* substituted for *Assertion*.

Atom (21.2.2.8) evaluation rules for the *Atom* productions except for *Atom* :: *PatternCharacter* are also used for the *ExtendedAtom* productions, but with *ExtendedAtom* substituted for *Atom*. The following evaluation rules, with parameter *direction*, are also added:

The production  $ExtendedAtom :: \setminus [lookahead = c]$  evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let A be the CharSet containing the single character  $\$  U+005C (REVERSE SOLIDUS).
- 2. Call CharacterSetMatcher(A, false, direction) and return its Matcher result.

The production *ExtendedAtom* :: *ExtendedPatternCharacter* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let *ch* be the character represented by *ExtendedPatternCharacter*.
- 2. Let *A* be a one-element CharSet containing the character *ch*.
- 3. Call CharacterSetMatcher(A, false, direction) and return its Matcher result.

CharacterEscape (21.2.2.10) includes the following additional evaluation rule:

The production *CharacterEscape* :: LegacyOctalEscapeSequence evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let *cv* be the CharacterValue of this *CharacterEscape*.
- 2. Return the character whose character value is *cv*.

NonemptyClassRanges (21.2.2.15) modifies the following evaluation rule:

The production NonemptyClassRanges :: ClassAtom - ClassAtom ClassRanges evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate the first *ClassAtom* to obtain a CharSet *A*.
- 2. Evaluate the second *ClassAtom* to obtain a CharSet *B*.
- 3. Evaluate ClassRanges to obtain a CharSet C.
- 4. Call CharacterRangeOrUnion(*A*, *B*) and let *D* be the resulting CharSet.
- 5. Return the union of CharSets *D* and *C*.

NonemptyClassRangesNoDash (21.2.2.16) modifies the following evaluation rule:

The production NonemptyClassRangesNoDash :: ClassAtomNoDash - ClassAtom ClassRanges evaluates as follows:

- 1. Evaluate *ClassAtomNoDash* to obtain a CharSet *A*.
- 2. Evaluate *ClassAtom* to obtain a CharSet *B*.
- 3. Evaluate *ClassRanges* to obtain a CharSet *C*.
- 4. Call CharacterRangeOrUnion(A, B) and let D be the resulting CharSet.
- 5. Return the union of CharSets *D* and *C*.

ClassEscape (21.2.2.19) includes the following additional evaluation rule:

The production *ClassEscape* **:: c** *ClassControlLetter* evaluates as follows:

- 1. Let *cv* be the CharacterValue of this *ClassEscape*.
- 2. Let *c* be the character whose character value is *cv*.
- 3. Return the CharSet containing the single character *c*.

ClassAtomNoDash (21.2.2.18) includes the following additional evaluation rule:

The production  $ClassAtomNoDash :: \setminus [lookahead = c]$  evaluates as follows:

1. Return the CharSet containing the single character  $\setminus$  U+005C (REVERSE SOLIDUS).

NOTE This production can only be reached from the sequence  $\setminus \mathbf{c}$  within a character class where it is

not followed by an acceptable control character.

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#### B.1.4.4.1 Runtime Semantics: CharacterRangeOrUnion (A, B)

The abstract operation CharacterRangeOrUnion takes two CharSet parameters *A* and *B* and performs the following steps:

- 1. If *Unicode* is **false**, then
  - a. If A does not contain exactly one character or B does not contain exactly one character, then
    - i. Let C be the CharSet containing the single character U+002D (HYPHEN-MINUS).
    - ii. Return the union of CharSets *A*, *B* and *C*.
- 2. Return CharacterRange(*A*, *B*).

# **B.2** Additional Built-in Properties

When the ECMAScript host is a web browser the following additional properties of the standard built-in objects are defined.

## **B.2.1** Additional Properties of the Global Object

The entries in Table 85 are added to Table 8.

Table 85: Additional Well-known Intrinsic Objects

Intrinsic Name	Global Name	ECMAScript Language Association
%escape%	escape	The <b>escape</b> function (B.2.1.1)
%unescape%	unescape	The <b>unescape</b> function (B.2.1.2)

#### **B.2.1.1** escape (*string*)

The **escape** function is a property of the global object. It computes a new version of a String value in which certain code units have been replaced by a hexadecimal escape sequence.

For those code units being replaced whose value is **0x00FF** or less, a two-digit escape sequence of the form **%xx** is used. For those characters being replaced whose code unit value is greater than **0x00FF**, a four-digit escape sequence of the form **%uxxx** is used.

The **escape** function is the *%escape*% intrinsic object. When the **escape** function is called with one argument *string*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Set *string* to ? ToString(*string*).
- 2. Let *length* be the number of code units in *string*.
- 3. Let *R* be the empty String.
- 4. Let *k* be 0.
- 5. Repeat, while k < length,
  - a. Let *char* be the code unit (represented as a 16-bit unsigned integer) at index k within *string*.
  - b. If *char* is one of the code units in
    - "ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZabcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz0123456789@\*\_+-./", then
      - i. Let *S* be the String value containing the single code unit *char*.

- c. Else if *char*  $\geq$  256, then
  - i. Let *n* be the numeric value of *char*.
  - ii. Let *S* be the string-concatenation of:
    - "%u"
    - the String representation of *n*, formatted as a four-digit uppercase hexadecimal number, padded to the left with zeroes if necessary
- d. Else,
  - i. Assert: *char* < 256.
  - ii. Let *n* be the numeric value of *char*.
  - iii. Let *S* be the string-concatenation of:
    - **"**"%"
    - the String representation of *n*, formatted as a two-digit uppercase hexadecimal number, padded to the left with a zero if necessary
- e. Set *R* to the string-concatenation of the previous value of *R* and *S*.
- f. Set k to k + 1.
- 6. Return R.

NOTE

The encoding is partly based on the encoding described in RFC 1738, but the entire encoding specified in this standard is described above without regard to the contents of RFC 1738. This encoding does not reflect changes to RFC 1738 made by RFC 3986.

#### B.2.1.2 unescape (string)

The **unescape** function is a property of the global object. It computes a new version of a String value in which each escape sequence of the sort that might be introduced by the **escape** function is replaced with the code unit that it represents.

The **unescape** function is the *%unescape*% intrinsic object. When the **unescape** function is called with one argument *string*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Set *string* to ? ToString(*string*).
- 2. Let *length* be the number of code units in *string*.
- 3. Let *R* be the empty String.
- 4. Let *k* be 0.
- 5. Repeat, while  $k \neq length$ 
  - a. Let *c* be the code unit at index *k* within *string*.
  - b. If *c* is the code unit 0x0025 (PERCENT SIGN), then
    - i. If  $k \le length 6$  and the code unit at index k + 1 within string is the code unit 0x0075 (LATIN SMALL LETTER U) and the four code units at indices k + 2, k + 3, k + 4, and k + 5 within string are all hexadecimal digits, then
      - 1. Set c to the code unit whose value is the integer represented by the four hexadecimal digits at indices k + 2, k + 3, k + 4, and k + 5 within *string*.
      - 2. Set k to k + 5.
    - ii. Else if  $k \le length 3$  and the two code units at indices k + 1 and k + 2 within *string* are both hexadecimal digits, then
      - 1. Set c to the code unit whose value is the integer represented by two zeroes plus the two hexadecimal digits at indices k + 1 and k + 2 within *string*.
      - 2. Set k to k + 2.

- c. Set *R* to the string-concatenation of the previous value of *R* and *c*.
- d. Set k to k + 1.
- 6. Return *R*.

#### **B.2.2** Additional Properties of the Object.prototype Object

#### B.2.2.1 Object.prototype.\_\_proto\_\_

**Object.prototype.\_\_proto\_\_** is an accessor property with attributes { [[Enumerable]]: **false**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }. The [[Get]] and [[Set]] attributes are defined as follows:

#### B.2.2.1.1 get Object.prototype.\_\_proto\_\_

The value of the [[Get]] attribute is a built-in function that requires no arguments. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Return ? O.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().

#### B.2.2.1.2 set Object.prototype.\_\_proto\_\_

The value of the [[Set]] attribute is a built-in function that takes an argument *proto*. It performs the following steps:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. If Type(*proto*) is neither Object nor Null, return **undefined**.
- 3. If Type(O) is not Object, return **undefined**.
- 4. Let *status* be ? O.[[SetPrototypeOf]](*proto*).
- 5. If *status* is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 6. Return undefined.

#### B.2.2.2 Object.prototype.\_\_defineGetter\_\_ ( P, getter )

When the **\_\_defineGetter**\_\_ method is called with arguments *P* and *getter*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. If IsCallable(*getter*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *desc* be PropertyDescriptor { [[Get]]: *getter*, [[Enumerable]]: **true**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- 4. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(P).
- 5. Perform? DefinePropertyOrThrow(O, key, desc).
- 6. Return **undefined**.

## B.2.2.3 Object.prototype.\_\_defineSetter\_\_ ( P, setter )

When the **\_\_defineSetter**\_\_ method is called with arguments *P* and *setter*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. If IsCallable(*setter*) is **false**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. Let *desc* be PropertyDescriptor { [[Set]]: *setter*, [[Enumerable]]: **true**, [[Configurable]]: **true** }.
- 4. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(*P*).
- 5. Perform? DefinePropertyOrThrow(O, key, desc).

Return undefined.

#### B.2.2.4 Object.prototype.\_\_lookupGetter\_\_ ( P )

When the **\_\_lookupGetter**\_\_ method is called with argument *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(P).
- 3. Repeat,
  - a. Let desc be? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](key).
  - b. If *desc* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. If IsAccessorDescriptor(desc) is **true**, return desc.[[Get]].
    - ii. Return undefined.
  - c. Set O to ? O.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
  - d. If *O* is **null**, return **undefined**.

#### B.2.2.5 Object.prototype.\_\_lookupSetter\_\_ ( P )

When the **\_\_lookupSetter**\_\_ method is called with argument *P*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be ? ToObject(this value).
- 2. Let *key* be ? ToPropertyKey(P).
- 3. Repeat,
  - a. Let desc be? O.[[GetOwnProperty]](key).
  - b. If *desc* is not **undefined**, then
    - i. If IsAccessorDescriptor(desc) is true, return desc.[[Set]].
    - ii. Return undefined.
  - c. Set O to ? O.[[GetPrototypeOf]]().
  - d. If O is **null**, return **undefined**.

# **B.2.3** Additional Properties of the String.prototype Object

#### B.2.3.1 String.prototype.substr ( start, length )

The **substr** method takes two arguments, *start* and *length*, and returns a substring of the result of converting the **this** object to a String, starting from index *start* and running for *length* code units (or through the end of the String if *length* is **undefined**). If *start* is negative, it is treated as *sourceLength* + *start* where *sourceLength* is the length of the String. The result is a String value, not a String object. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let O be ? RequireObjectCoercible(this value).
- 2. Let S be ? ToString(O).
- 3. Let *intStart* be ? ToInteger(*start*).
- 4. If *length* is **undefined**, let *end* be +∞; otherwise let *end* be ? ToInteger(*length*).
- 5. Let *size* be the number of code units in *S*.
- 6. If intStart < 0, set intStart to max(size + intStart, 0).
- 7. Let resultLength be min(max(end, 0), size intStart).
- 8. If resultLength  $\leq$  0, return the empty String.
- 9. Return the String value containing resultLength consecutive code units from S beginning with the code unit at

**NOTE** 

The **substr** function is intentionally generic; it does not require that its **this** value be a String object. Therefore it can be transferred to other kinds of objects for use as a method.

#### **B.2.3.2** String.prototype.anchor (*name*)

When the **anchor** method is called with argument *name*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(S, "a", "name", name).

#### B.2.3.2.1 Runtime Semantics: CreateHTML (string, tag, attribute, value)

The abstract operation CreateHTML is called with arguments *string*, *tag*, *attribute*, and *value*. The arguments *tag* and *attribute* must be String values. The following steps are taken:

- 1. Let str be ? RequireObjectCoercible(string).
- 2. Let *S* be ? ToString(*str*).
- 3. Let *p1* be the string-concatenation of "<" and *tag*.
- 4. If attribute is not the empty String, then
  - a. Let *V* be ? ToString(*value*).
  - b. Let *escapedV* be the String value that is the same as *V* except that each occurrence of the code unit 0x0022 (QUOTATION MARK) in *V* has been replaced with the six code unit sequence """.
  - c. Set *p1* to the string-concatenation of:
    - p1
    - the code unit 0x0020 (SPACE)
    - attribute
    - the code unit 0x003D (EQUALS SIGN)
    - the code unit 0x0022 (QUOTATION MARK)
    - escapedV
    - the code unit 0x0022 (QUOTATION MARK)
- 5. Let *p*2 be the string-concatenation of *p*1 and ">".
- 6. Let *p*3 be the string-concatenation of *p*2 and *S*.
- 7. Let p4 be the string-concatenation of p3, "</", tag, and ">".
- 8. Return *p4*.

#### **B.2.3.3** String.prototype.big()

When the **big** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(*S*, "big", '"", '"").

#### **B.2.3.4** String.prototype.blink()

When the **blink** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

1. Let *S* be the **this** value.

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2. Return ? CreateHTML(S, "blink", '"', '"').
```

#### **B.2.3.5** String.prototype.bold()

When the **bold** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(*S*, "b", '"", '"").

#### **B.2.3.6** String.prototype.fixed ()

When the **fixed** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(*S*, "tt", ""').

#### B.2.3.7 String.prototype.fontcolor (color)

When the **fontcolor** method is called with argument *color*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(S, "font", "color", color).

#### B.2.3.8 String.prototype.fontsize ( size )

When the **fontsize** method is called with argument *size*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(*S*, "font", "size", *size*).

#### **B.2.3.9** String.prototype.italics()

When the **italics** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(*S*, "i", ""').

#### B.2.3.10 String.prototype.link (url)

When the **link** method is called with argument *url*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(*S*, "a", "href", *url*).

#### B.2.3.11 String.prototype.small ()

When the **small** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(*S*, "small", '"", '"").

#### B.2.3.12 String.prototype.strike()

When the **strike** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(S, "strike", ""', ""').

#### **B.2.3.13** String.prototype.sub()

When the **sub** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(*S*, "**sub**", '"", '"").

#### **B.2.3.14** String.prototype.sup()

When the **Sup** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *S* be the **this** value.
- 2. Return ? CreateHTML(*S*, "**sup**", '"", '"").

#### **B.2.3.15** String.prototype.trimLeft()

**NOTE** 

The property "trimStart" is preferred. The "trimLeft" property is provided principally for compatibility with old code. It is recommended that the "trimStart" property be used in new ECMAScript code.

The initial value of the "trimLeft" property is the same function object as the initial value of the **String.prototype.trimStart** property.

#### **B.2.3.16** String.prototype.trimRight()

NOTE

The property "trimEnd" is preferred. The "trimRight" property is provided principally for compatibility with old code. It is recommended that the "trimEnd" property be used in new ECMAScript code.

The initial value of the "trimRight" property is the same function object as the initial value of the **String.prototype.trimEnd** property.

# **B.2.4** Additional Properties of the Date.prototype Object

#### B.2.4.1 Date.prototype.getYear()

**NOTE** 

The **getFullYear** method is preferred for nearly all purposes, because it avoids the "year 2000 problem."

When the **getYear** method is called with no arguments, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If *t* is **NaN**, return **NaN**.
- 3. Return YearFromTime(LocalTime(t)) 1900.

#### B.2.4.2 Date.prototype.setYear (year)

**NOTE** 

The **setFullYear** method is preferred for nearly all purposes, because it avoids the "year 2000 problem."

When the **setYear** method is called with one argument *year*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *t* be ? thisTimeValue(this value).
- 2. If t is **NaN**, set t to **+0**; otherwise, set t to LocalTime(t).
- 3. Let *y* be ? ToNumber(*year*).
- 4. If *y* is **NaN**, then
  - a. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to NaN.
  - b. Return NaN.
- 5. Let *yi* be ! ToInteger(*y*).
- 6. If  $0 \le yi \le 99$ , let *yyyy* be yi + 1900.
- 7. Else, let *yyyy* be *y*.
- 8. Let d be MakeDay(yyyy, MonthFromTime(t), DateFromTime(t)).
- 9. Let date be UTC(MakeDate(d, TimeWithinDay(t))).
- 10. Set the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object to TimeClip(date).
- 11. Return the value of the [[DateValue]] internal slot of this Date object.

#### B.2.4.3 Date.prototype.toGMTString()

NOTE

The property "toUTCString" is preferred. The "toGMTString" property is provided principally for compatibility with old code. It is recommended that the "toUTCString" property be used in new ECMAScript code.

The function object that is the initial value of **Date.prototype.toGMTString** is the same function object that is the initial value of **Date.prototype.toUTCString**.

# B.2.5 Additional Properties of the RegExp.prototype Object

#### B.2.5.1 RegExp.prototype.compile (pattern, flags)

When the **compile** method is called with arguments *pattern* and *flags*, the following steps are taken:

- 1. Let *O* be the **this** value.
- 2. If Type(O) is not Object or Type(O) is Object and O does not have a [[RegExpMatcher]] internal slot, then
  - a. Throw a **TypeError** exception.
- 3. If Type(pattern) is Object and pattern has a [[RegExpMatcher]] internal slot, then
  - a. If *flags* is not **undefined**, throw a **TypeError** exception.
  - b. Let *P* be *pattern*.[[OriginalSource]].

```
c. Let F be pattern.[[OriginalFlags]].
4. Else,
a. Let P be pattern.
b. Let F be flags.
5. Return ? RegExpInitialize(O, P, F).
```

**NOTE** 

The **compile** method completely reinitializes the **this** object RegExp with a new pattern and flags. An implementation may interpret use of this method as an assertion that the resulting RegExp object will be used multiple times and hence is a candidate for extra optimization.

## **B.3 Other Additional Features**

## **B.3.1** \_\_proto\_\_ Property Names in Object Initializers

The following Early Error rule is added to those in 12.2.6.1. When *ObjectLiteral* appears in a context where *ObjectAssignmentPattern* is required the Early Error rule is **not** applied. In addition, it is not applied when initially parsing a *CoverParenthesizedExpressionAndArrowParameterList* or a *CoverCallExpressionAndAsyncArrowHead*.

```
ObjectLiteral : { PropertyDefinitionList }
ObjectLiteral : { PropertyDefinitionList , }
```

• It is a Syntax Error if PropertyNameList of *PropertyDefinitionList* contains any duplicate entries for "\_\_proto\_\_" and at least two of those entries were obtained from productions of the form *PropertyDefinition*:

\*PropertyName: AssignmentExpression.

**NOTE** 

The List returned by PropertyNameList does not include string literal property names defined as using a *ComputedPropertyName*.

#### In 12.2.6.8 the Property Definition Evaluation algorithm for the production

*PropertyDefinition: PropertyName: AssignmentExpression* is replaced with the following definition:

PropertyDefinition: PropertyName: AssignmentExpression

- 1. Let *propKey* be the result of evaluating *PropertyName*.
- 2. ReturnIfAbrupt(propKey).
- 3. If *propKey* is the String value "\_\_proto\_\_" and if IsComputedPropertyKey(*PropertyName*) is **false**, then a. Let *isProtoSetter* be **true**.
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let isProtoSetter be false.
- 5. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(AssignmentExpression) is **true** and *isProtoSetter* is **false**, then
  - a. Let propValue be NamedEvaluation of AssignmentExpression with argument propKey.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let *exprValueRef* be the result of evaluating *AssignmentExpression*.
  - b. Let *propValue* be ? GetValue(*exprValueRef*).
- 7. If isProtoSetter is **true**, then
  - a. If Type(propValue) is either Object or Null, then

- i. Return object.[[SetPrototypeOf]](propValue).
- b. Return NormalCompletion(empty).
- 8. Assert: enumerable is true.
- 9. Assert: *object* is an ordinary, extensible object with no non-configurable properties.
- 10. Return! CreateDataPropertyOrThrow(object, propKey, propValue).

#### **B.3.2** Labelled Function Declarations

Prior to ECMAScript 2015, the specification of *LabelledStatement* did not allow for the association of a statement label with a *FunctionDeclaration*. However, a labelled *FunctionDeclaration* was an allowable extension for non-strict code and most browser-hosted ECMAScript implementations supported that extension. In ECMAScript 2015, the grammar productions for *LabelledStatement* permits use of *FunctionDeclaration* as a *LabelledItem* but 13.13.1 includes an Early Error rule that produces a Syntax Error if that occurs. For web browser compatibility, that rule is modified with the addition of the highlighted text:

LabelledItem: FunctionDeclaration

• It is a Syntax Error if any strict mode source code matches this rule.

NOTE

The early error rules for *WithStatement*, *IfStatement*, and *IterationStatement* prevent these statements from containing a labelled *FunctionDeclaration* in non-strict code.

#### **B.3.3** Block-Level Function Declarations Web Legacy Compatibility Semantics

Prior to ECMAScript 2015, the ECMAScript specification did not define the occurrence of a *FunctionDeclaration* as an element of a *Block* statement's *StatementList*. However, support for that form of *FunctionDeclaration* was an allowable extension and most browser-hosted ECMAScript implementations permitted them. Unfortunately, the semantics of such declarations differ among those implementations. Because of these semantic differences, existing web ECMAScript code that uses *Block* level function declarations is only portable among browser implementation if the usage only depends upon the semantic intersection of all of the browser implementations for such declarations. The following are the use cases that fall within that intersection semantics:

- 1. A function is declared and only referenced within a single block
  - One or more *FunctionDeclarations* whose *BindingIdentifier* is the name *f* occur within the function code of an enclosing function *g* and that declaration is nested within a *Block*.
  - No other declaration of f that is not a **var** declaration occurs within the function code of g
  - All occurrences of *f* as an *IdentifierReference* are within the *StatementList* of the *Block* containing the declaration of *f*.
- 2. A function is declared and possibly used within a single *Block* but also referenced by an inner function definition that is not contained within that same *Block*.
  - One or more *FunctionDeclarations* whose *BindingIdentifier* is the name *f* occur within the function code of an enclosing function *g* and that declaration is nested within a *Block*.
  - No other declaration of f that is not a **var** declaration occurs within the function code of g
  - There may be occurrences of *f* as an *IdentifierReference* within the *StatementList* of the *Block* containing the declaration of *f*.

- There is at least one occurrence of f as an IdentifierReference within another function h that is nested within g and no other declaration of f shadows the references to f from within h.
- All invocations of h occur after the declaration of f has been evaluated.
- 3. A function is declared and possibly used within a single block but also referenced within subsequent blocks.
  - One or more *FunctionDeclaration* whose *BindingIdentifier* is the name *f* occur within the function code of an enclosing function *g* and that declaration is nested within a *Block*.
  - No other declaration of f that is not a **var** declaration occurs within the function code of g
  - There may be occurrences of *f* as an *IdentifierReference* within the *StatementList* of the *Block* containing the declaration of *f*.
  - There is at least one occurrence of *f* as an *IdentifierReference* within the function code of *g* that lexically follows the *Block* containing the declaration of *f*.

The first use case is interoperable with the semantics of *Block* level function declarations provided by ECMAScript 2015. Any pre-existing ECMAScript code that employs that use case will operate using the Block level function declarations semantics defined by clauses 9, 13, and 14 of this specification.

ECMAScript 2015 interoperability for the second and third use cases requires the following extensions to the clause 9, clause 14, clause 18.2.1 and clause 15.1.11 semantics.

If an ECMAScript implementation has a mechanism for reporting diagnostic warning messages, a warning should be produced when code contains a *FunctionDeclaration* for which these compatibility semantics are applied and introduce observable differences from non-compatibility semantics. For example, if a var binding is not introduced because its introduction would create an early error, a warning message should not be produced.

#### **B.3.3.1** Changes to FunctionDeclarationInstantiation

During FunctionDeclarationInstantiation the following steps are performed in place of step 29:

- 1. If *strict* is **false**, then
  - a. For each *FunctionDeclaration f* that is directly contained in the *StatementList* of a *Block, CaseClause*, or *DefaultClause*, do
    - i. Let *F* be StringValue of the *BindingIdentifier* of *f*.
    - ii. If replacing the *FunctionDeclaration f* with a *VariableStatement* that has *F* as a *BindingIdentifier* would not produce any Early Errors for *func* and *F* is not an element of *parameterNames*, then
      - 1. NOTE: A var binding for *F* is only instantiated here if it is neither a VarDeclaredName, the name of a formal parameter, or another *FunctionDeclaration*.
      - 2. If *initializedBindings* does not contain *F* and *F* is not "**arguments**", then
        - a. Perform! varEnvRec.CreateMutableBinding(F, false).
        - b. Perform *varEnvRec*.InitializeBinding(*F*, **undefined**).
        - c. Append *F* to instantiated VarNames.
      - 3. When the *FunctionDeclaration f* is evaluated, perform the following steps in place of the *FunctionDeclaration* Evaluation algorithm provided in 14.1.25:
        - a. Let *fenv* be the running execution context's VariableEnvironment.
        - b. Let *fenvRec* be *fenv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
        - c. Let *benv* be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
        - d. Let benvRec be benv's EnvironmentRecord.
        - e. Let *fobj* be ! *benvRec*.GetBindingValue(*F*, **false**).
        - f. Perform! fenvRec.SetMutableBinding(F, fobj, false).

#### **B.3.3.2** Changes to Global Declaration Instantiation

During GlobalDeclarationInstantiation the following steps are performed in place of step 14:

- 1. Let *strict* be IsStrict of *script*.
- 2. If *strict* is **false**, then
  - a. Let declaredFunctionOrVarNames be a new empty List.
  - b. Append to declaredFunctionOrVarNames the elements of declaredFunctionNames.
  - c. Append to declaredFunctionOrVarNames the elements of declaredVarNames.
  - d. For each FunctionDeclaration f that is directly contained in the StatementList of a Block, CaseClause, or DefaultClause Contained within script, do
    - i. Let *F* be StringValue of the *BindingIdentifier* of *f*.
    - ii. If replacing the *FunctionDeclaration f* with a *VariableStatement* that has *F* as a *BindingIdentifier* would not produce any Early Errors for *script*, then
      - 1. If *envRec*.HasLexicalDeclaration(*F*) is **false**, then
        - a. Let fnDefinable be? envRec.CanDeclareGlobalVar(F).
        - b. If *fnDefinable* is **true**, then
          - i. NOTE: A var binding for *F* is only instantiated here if it is neither a VarDeclaredName nor the name of another *FunctionDeclaration*.
          - ii. If declaredFunctionOrVarNames does not contain F, then
            - i. Perform ? *envRec*.CreateGlobalVarBinding(*F*, **false**).
            - ii. Append *F* to declaredFunctionOrVarNames.
          - iii. When the *FunctionDeclaration f* is evaluated, perform the following steps in place of the *FunctionDeclaration* Evaluation algorithm provided in 14.1.25:
            - i. Let *genv* be the running execution context's VariableEnvironment.
            - ii. Let genvRec be genv's EnvironmentRecord.
            - iii. Let benv be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
            - iv. Let benvRec be benv's EnvironmentRecord.
            - v. Let *fobj* be ! *benvRec*.GetBindingValue(*F*, **false**).
            - vi. Perform ? *genvRec*.SetMutableBinding(*F*, *fobj*, **false**).
            - vii. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

#### **B.3.3.3** Changes to EvalDeclarationInstantiation

During EvalDeclarationInstantiation the following steps are performed in place of step 9:

- 1. If *strict* is **false**, then
  - a. Let declaredFunctionOrVarNames be a new empty List.
  - b. Append to declaredFunctionOrVarNames the elements of declaredFunctionNames.
  - c. Append to declaredFunctionOrVarNames the elements of declaredVarNames.
  - d. For each FunctionDeclaration f that is directly contained in the StatementList of a Block, CaseClause, or DefaultClause Contained within body, do
    - i. Let *F* be StringValue of the *BindingIdentifier* of *f*.
    - ii. If replacing the *FunctionDeclaration f* with a *VariableStatement* that has *F* as a *BindingIdentifier* would not produce any Early Errors for *body*, then
      - 1. Let *bindingExists* be **false**.
      - 2. Let thisLex be lexEnv.

- 3. Assert: The following loop will terminate.
- 4. Repeat, while *thisLex* is not the same as *varEnv*,
  - a. Let this EnvRec be this Lex's Environment Record.
  - b. If this Env Rec is not an object Environment Record, then
    - i. If *thisEnvRec*.HasBinding(*F*) is **true**, then
      - i. Let *bindingExists* be **true**.
  - c. Set thisLex to thisLex's outer environment reference.
- 5. If bindingExists is **false** and varEnvRec is a global Environment Record, then
  - a. If *varEnvRec*.HasLexicalDeclaration(*F*) is **false**, then
    - i. Let fnDefinable be? varEnvRec.CanDeclareGlobalVar(F).
  - b. Else,
    - i. Let fnDefinable be false.
- 6. Else,
  - a. Let *fnDefinable* be **true**.
- 7. If bindingExists is **false** and fnDefinable is **true**, then
  - a. If declaredFunctionOrVarNames does not contain F, then
    - i. If varEnvRec is a global Environment Record, then
      - i. Perform ? varEnvRec.CreateGlobalVarBinding(F, true).
    - ii. Else,
      - i. Let *bindingExists* be *varEnvRec*.HasBinding(*F*).
      - ii. If bindingExists is **false**, then
        - i. Perform! varEnvRec.CreateMutableBinding(F, true).
        - ii. Perform! *varEnvRec*.InitializeBinding(*F*, **undefined**).
    - iii. Append F to declaredFunctionOrVarNames.
  - b. When the *FunctionDeclaration f* is evaluated, perform the following steps in place of the *FunctionDeclaration* Evaluation algorithm provided in 14.1.25:
    - i. Let *genv* be the running execution context's VariableEnvironment.
    - ii. Let *genvRec* be *genv*'s EnvironmentRecord.
    - iii. Let benv be the running execution context's LexicalEnvironment.
    - iv. Let benvRec be benv's EnvironmentRecord.
    - v. Let *fobj* be ! *benvRec*.GetBindingValue(*F*, **false**).
    - vi. Perform ? *genvRec*.SetMutableBinding(*F*, *fobj*, **false**).
    - vii. Return NormalCompletion(empty).

#### **B.3.3.4** Changes to Block Static Semantics: Early Errors

For web browser compatibility, that rule is modified with the addition of the highlighted text:

Block : { StatementList }

• It is a Syntax Error if the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *StatementList* contains any duplicate entries, <u>unless the</u> source code matching this production is not strict mode code and the duplicate entries are only bound by FunctionDeclarations.

#### B.3.3.5 Changes to Switch Statement Static Semantics: Early Errors

For web browser compatibility, that rule is modified with the addition of the highlighted text:

SwitchStatement: switch (Expression) CaseBlock

• It is a Syntax Error if the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *CaseBlock* contains any duplicate entries, <u>unless the source</u> code matching this production is not <u>strict mode</u> code and the duplicate entries are only bound by FunctionDeclarations.

#### B.3.3.6 Changes to BlockDeclarationInstantiation

During BlockDeclarationInstantiation the following steps are performed in place of step 4.a.ii.1:

- 1. If *envRec*.HasBinding(*dn*) is **false**, then
  - a. Perform! envRec.CreateMutableBinding(dn, false).

During BlockDeclarationInstantiation the following steps are performed in place of step 4.b.iii:

- 1. If *envRec*.HasBinding(*fn*) is **false**, then
  - a. Perform *envRec*.InitializeBinding(*fn*, *fo*).
- 2. Else,
  - a. Assert: *d* is a FunctionDeclaration.
  - b. Perform *envRec*.SetMutableBinding(*fn*, *fo*, **false**).

#### **B.3.4** FunctionDeclarations in IfStatement Statement Clauses

The following augments the *IfStatement* production in 13.6:

```
IfStatement[Yield, Await, Return] :
    if ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) FunctionDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ~Default] else
        Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return]

if ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) Statement[?Yield, ?Await, ?Return] else
        FunctionDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ~Default]

if ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) FunctionDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ~Default]

if ( Expression[+In, ?Yield, ?Await] ) FunctionDeclaration[?Yield, ?Await, ~Default]
```

This production only applies when parsing non-strict code. Code matching this production is processed as if each matching occurrence of *FunctionDeclaration*[?Yield, ?Await, ~Default] was the sole *StatementListItem* of a *BlockStatement* occupying that position in the source code. The semantics of such a synthetic *BlockStatement* includes the web legacy compatibility semantics specified in B.3.3.

#### **B.3.5** VariableStatements in Catch Blocks

The content of subclause 13.15.1 is replaced with the following:

Catch: catch ( CatchParameter ) Block

- It is a Syntax Error if BoundNames of CatchParameter contains any duplicate elements.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *CatchParameter* also occurs in the LexicallyDeclaredNames of *Block*.
- It is a Syntax Error if any element of the BoundNames of *CatchParameter* also occurs in the VarDeclaredNames of *Block* unless *CatchParameter* is *CatchParameter*: *BindingIdentifier*.

NOTE

The *Block* of a *Catch* clause may contain **var** declarations that bind a name that is also bound by the *CatchParameter*. At runtime, such bindings are instantiated in the VariableDeclarationEnvironment. They do not shadow the same-named bindings introduced by the *CatchParameter* and hence the *Initializer* for such **var** declarations will assign to the corresponding catch parameter rather than the **var** binding.

This modified behaviour also applies to **var** and **function** declarations introduced by direct eval calls contained within the *Block* of a *Catch* clause. This change is accomplished by modifying the algorithm of 18.2.1.3 as follows:

Step 5.d.ii.2.a.i is replaced by:

1. If this EnvRec is not the Environment Record for a Catch clause, throw a **SyntaxError** exception.

Step 9.d.ii.4.b.i.i is replaced by:

1. If this EnvRec is not the Environment Record for a Catch clause, let binding Exists be true.

#### **B.3.6** Initializers in ForIn Statement Heads

The following augments the *IterationStatement* production in 13.7:

This production only applies when parsing non-strict code.

The static semantics of ContainsDuplicateLabels in 13.7.5.3 are augmented with the following:

IterationStatement: for (var BindingIdentifier Initializer in Expression) Statement

1. Return ContainsDuplicateLabels of *Statement* with argument *labelSet*.

The static semantics of ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget in 13.7.5.4 are augmented with the following:

IterationStatement: for (var BindingIdentifier Initializer in Expression) Statement

Return ContainsUndefinedBreakTarget of Statement with argument labelSet.

The static semantics of ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget in 13.7.5.5 are augmented with the following:

```
IterationStatement: for (var BindingIdentifier Initializer in Expression) Statement
```

1. Return ContainsUndefinedContinueTarget of Statement with arguments iterationSet and « ».

The static semantics of IsDestructuring in 13.7.5.6 are augmented with the following:

```
BindingIdentifier:
Identifier
yield
await
```

1. Return false.

The static semantics of VarDeclaredNames in 13.7.5.7 are augmented with the following:

IterationStatement: for (var BindingIdentifier Initializer in Expression) Statement

- 1. Let names be the BoundNames of BindingIdentifier.
- 2. Append to *names* the elements of the VarDeclaredNames of *Statement*.
- 3. Return names.

The static semantics of VarScopedDeclarations in 13.7.5.8 are augmented with the following:

IterationStatement: for (var BindingIdentifier Initializer in Expression) Statement

- 1. Let declarations be a List containing BindingIdentifier.
- 2. Append to *declarations* the elements of the VarScopedDeclarations of *Statement*.
- 3. Return declarations.

The runtime semantics of LabelledEvaluation in 13.7.5.11 are augmented with the following:

IterationStatement: for (var BindingIdentifier Initializer in Expression) Statement

- 1. Let bindingId be StringValue of BindingIdentifier.
- 2. Let *lhs* be ? ResolveBinding(bindingId).
- 3. If IsAnonymousFunctionDefinition(Initializer) is true, then
  - a. Let value be NamedEvaluation of Initializer with argument bindingId.
- 4. Else,
  - a. Let *rhs* be the result of evaluating *Initializer*.
  - b. Let value be ? GetValue(rhs).
- 5. Perform? PutValue(lhs, value).
- Let keyResult be ? ForIn/OfHeadEvaluation(« », Expression, enumerate).
- 7. Return ? ForIn/OfBodyEvaluation(BindingIdentifier, Statement, keyResult, enumerate, varBinding, labelSet).

#### B.3.7 The [[IsHTMLDDA]] Internal Slot

An [[IsHTMLDDA]] internal slot may exist on implementation-defined objects. Objects with an [[IsHTMLDDA]] internal slot behave like **undefined** in the ToBoolean and Abstract Equality Comparison abstract operations and when used as an operand for the **typeof** operator.

**NOTE** 

Objects with an [[IsHTMLDDA]] internal slot are never created by this specification. However, the **document.all** object in web browsers is a host-created exotic object with this slot that exists for web compatibility purposes. There are no other known examples of this type of object and implementations should not create any with the exception of **document.all**.

#### **B.3.7.1** Changes to ToBoolean

The result column in Table 10 for an argument type of Object is replaced with the following algorithm:

- 1. If *argument* has an [[IsHTMLDDA]] internal slot, return **false**.
- 2. Return true.

#### **B.3.7.2** Changes to Abstract Equality Comparison

The following steps are inserted after step 3 of the Abstract Equality Comparison algorithm:

- 1. If Type(x) is Object and x has an [[IsHTMLDDA]] internal slot and y is either **null** or **undefined**, return **true**.
- 2. If x is either **null** or **undefined** and Type(y) is Object and y has an [[IsHTMLDDA]] internal slot, return **true**.

#### B.3.7.3 Changes to the **typeof** Operator

The following table entry is inserted into Table 35 immediately preceeding the entry for "Object (implements [[Call]])":

Table 86: Additional typeof Operator Results

Type of val	Result
Object (has an [[IsHTMLDDA]] internal slot)	"undefined"

# C The Strict Mode of ECMAScript

The strict mode restriction and exceptions

- implements, interface, let, package, private, protected, public, static, and yield are reserved words within strict mode code. (11.6.2).
- A conforming implementation, when processing strict mode code, must not extend, as described in B.1.1, the syntax of *NumericLiteral* to include *LegacyOctalIntegerLiteral*, nor extend the syntax of *DecimalIntegerLiteral* to include *NonOctalDecimalIntegerLiteral*.
- A conforming implementation, when processing strict mode code, may not extend the syntax of *EscapeSequence* to include *LegacyOctalEscapeSequence* as described in B.1.2.
- Assignment to an undeclared identifier or otherwise unresolvable reference does not create a property in the global object. When a simple assignment occurs within strict mode code, its *LeftHandSideExpression* must not evaluate to an unresolvable Reference. If it does a ReferenceError exception is thrown (6.2.4.9). The *LeftHandSideExpression* also may not be a reference to a data property with the attribute value { [[Writable]]: false }, to an accessor property with the attribute value { [[Set]]: undefined }, nor to a non-existent property of an object whose [[Extensible]] internal slot has the value false. In these cases a **TypeError** exception is thrown (12.15).
- An *IdentifierReference* with the StringValue "eval" or "arguments" may not appear as the *LeftHandSideExpression* of an Assignment operator (12.15) or of an *UpdateExpression* (12.4) or as the *UnaryExpression* operated upon by a Prefix Increment (12.4.6) or a Prefix Decrement (12.4.7) operator.
- Arguments objects for strict functions define a non-configurable accessor property **"callee"** which throws a **TypeError** exception on access (9.4.4.6).
- Arguments objects for strict functions do not dynamically share their array-indexed property values with the corresponding formal parameter bindings of their functions. (9.4.4).
- For strict functions, if an arguments object is created the binding of the local identifier **arguments** to the arguments object is immutable and hence may not be the target of an assignment expression. (9.2.10).
- It is a **SyntaxError** if the StringValue of a *BindingIdentifier* is **"eval"** or **"arguments"** within strict mode code (12.1.1).
- Strict mode eval code cannot instantiate variables or functions in the variable environment of the caller to eval. Instead, a new variable environment is created and that environment is used for declaration binding

- instantiation for the eval code (18.2.1).
- If this is evaluated within strict mode code, then the this value is not coerced to an object. A this value of undefined or null is not converted to the global object and primitive values are not converted to wrapper objects. The this value passed via a function call (including calls made using
  - Function.prototype.apply and Function.prototype.call) do not coerce the passed this value to an object (9.2.1.2, 19.2.3.1, 19.2.3.3).
- When a **delete** operator occurs within strict mode code, a **SyntaxError** is thrown if its *UnaryExpression* is a direct reference to a variable, function argument, or function name (12.5.3.1).
- When a **delete** operator occurs within strict mode code, a **TypeError** is thrown if the property to be deleted has the attribute { [[Configurable]]: **false** } (12.5.3.2).
- Strict mode code may not include a *WithStatement*. The occurrence of a *WithStatement* in such a context is a **SyntaxError** (13.11.1).
- It is a **SyntaxError** if a *CatchParameter* occurs within strict mode code and BoundNames of *CatchParameter* contains either **eval** or **arguments** (13.15.1).
- It is a **SyntaxError** if the same *BindingIdentifier* appears more than once in the *FormalParameters* of a strict function. An attempt to create such a function using a **Function**, **Generator**, or **AsyncFunction** constructor is a **SyntaxError** (14.1.2, 19.2.1.1.1).
- An implementation may not extend, beyond that defined in this specification, the meanings within strict functions of properties named "caller" or "arguments" of function instances.

# D Corrections and Clarifications in ECMAScript 2015 with Possible Compatibility Impact

8.1.1.4.15-8.1.1.4.18 Edition 5 and 5.1 used a property existence test to determine whether a global object property corresponding to a new global declaration already existed. ECMAScript 2015 uses an own property existence test. This corresponds to what has been most commonly implemented by web browsers.

9.4.2.1: The 5<sup>th</sup> Edition moved the capture of the current array length prior to the integer conversion of the array index or new length value. However, the captured length value could become invalid if the conversion process has the side-effect of changing the array length. ECMAScript 2015 specifies that the current array length must be captured after the possible occurrence of such side-effects.

20.4.1.14: Previous editions permitted the TimeClip abstract operation to return either +0 or -0 as the representation of a 0 time value. ECMAScript 2015 specifies that +0 always returned. This means that for ECMAScript 2015 the time value of a Date object is never observably -0 and methods that return time values never return -0.

20.4.1.15: If a UTC offset representation is not present, the local time zone is used. Edition 5.1 incorrectly stated that a missing time zone should be interpreted as "z".

20.4.4.36: If the year cannot be represented using the Date Time String Format specified in 20.4.1.15 a RangeError exception is thrown. Previous editions did not specify the behaviour for that case.

20.4.4.41: Previous editions did not specify the value returned by **Date.prototype.toString** when this time value is **NaN**. ECMAScript 2015 specifies the result to be the String value "**Invalid Date**".

21.2.3.1, 21.2.3.2.4: Any LineTerminator code points in the value of the "source" property of a RegExp instance must be expressed using an escape sequence. Edition 5.1 only required the escaping of /.

21.2.5.7, 21.2.5.10: In previous editions, the specifications for **String.prototype.match** and

**String.prototype.replace** was incorrect for cases where the pattern argument was a RegExp value whose **global** flag is set. The previous specifications stated that for each attempt to match the pattern, if **lastIndex** did not change it should be incremented by 1. The correct behaviour is that **lastIndex** should be incremented by one only if the pattern matched the empty String.

**22.1.3.27, 22.1.3.27.1:** Previous editions did not specify how a **NaN** value returned by a *comparefn* was interpreted by **Array.prototype.sort**. ECMAScript 2015 specifies that such as value is treated as if **+0** was returned from the *comparefn*. ECMAScript 2015 also specifies that ToNumber is applied to the result returned by a *comparefn*. In previous editions, the effect of a *comparefn* result that is not a Number value was implementation-dependent. In practice, implementations call ToNumber.

# **E Additions and Changes That Introduce Incompatibilities with Prior Editions**

- 6.2.4: In ECMAScript 2015, Function calls are not allowed to return a Reference value.
- 7.1.4.1: In ECMAScript 2015, ToNumber applied to a String value now recognizes and converts *BinaryIntegerLiteral* and *OctalIntegerLiteral* numeric strings. In previous editions such strings were converted to **NaN**.
- 8.2: In ECMAScript 2018, Template objects are canonicalized based on Parse Node (source location), instead of across all occurrences of that template literal or tagged template in a Realm in previous editions.
- 11.2: In ECMASCript 2016, Unicode 8.0.0 or higher is mandated, as opposed to ECMAScript 2015 which mandated Unicode 5.1. In particular, this caused U+180E MONGOLIAN VOWEL SEPARATOR, which was in the **Space\_Separator** (**Zs**) category and thus treated as whitespace in ECMAScript 2015, to be moved to the **Format** (**Cf**) category (as of Unicode 6.3.0). This causes whitespace-sensitive methods to behave differently. For example, "\u180E".trim().length was 0 in previous editions, but 1 in ECMAScript 2016 and later. Additionally, ECMAScript 2017 mandated always using the latest version of the Unicode standard.
- 11.6: In ECMAScript 2015, the valid code points for an *IdentifierName* are specified in terms of the Unicode properties "ID\_Start" and "ID\_Continue". In previous editions, the valid *IdentifierName* or *Identifier* code points were specified by enumerating various Unicode code point categories.
- 11.9.1: In ECMAScript 2015, Automatic Semicolon Insertion adds a semicolon at the end of a do-while statement if the semicolon is missing. This change aligns the specification with the actual behaviour of most existing implementations.
- 12.2.6.1: In ECMAScript 2015, it is no longer an early error to have duplicate property names in Object Initializers.
- 12.15.1: In ECMAScript 2015, strict mode code containing an assignment to an immutable binding such as the function name of a *FunctionExpression* does not produce an early error. Instead it produces a runtime error.
- 13.2: In ECMAScript 2015, a *StatementList* beginning with the token let followed by the input elements *LineTerminator* then *Identifier* is the start of a *LexicalDeclaration*. In previous editions, automatic semicolon insertion would always insert a semicolon before the *Identifier* input element.
- 13.5: In ECMAScript 2015, a *StatementListItem* beginning with the token **let** followed by the token **[** is the start of a *LexicalDeclaration*. In previous editions such a sequence would be the start of an *ExpressionStatement*.

- 13.6.7: In ECMAScript 2015, the normal completion value of an *IfStatement* is never the value **empty**. If no *Statement* part is evaluated or if the evaluated *Statement* part produces a normal completion whose value is **empty**, the completion value of the *IfStatement* is **undefined**.
- 13.7: In ECMAScript 2015, if the **(** token of a for statement is immediately followed by the token sequence **let [** then the **let** is treated as the start of a *LexicalDeclaration*. In previous editions such a token sequence would be the start of an *Expression*.
- 13.7: In ECMAScript 2015, if the (token of a for-in statement is immediately followed by the token sequence **let** [then the **let** is treated as the start of a *ForDeclaration*. In previous editions such a token sequence would be the start of an *LeftHandSideExpression*.
- 13.7: Prior to ECMAScript 2015, an initialization expression could appear as part of the *VariableDeclaration* that precedes the **in** keyword. In ECMAScript 2015, the *ForBinding* in that same position does not allow the occurrence of such an initializer. In ECMAScript 2017, such an initializer is permitted only in non-strict code.
- 13.7: In ECMAScript 2015, the completion value of an *IterationStatement* is never the value empty. If the *Statement* part of an *IterationStatement* is not evaluated or if the final evaluation of the *Statement* part produces a completion whose value is empty, the completion value of the *IterationStatement* is undefined.
- 13.11.7: In ECMAScript 2015, the normal completion value of a *WithStatement* is never the value empty. If evaluation of the *Statement* part of a *WithStatement* produces a normal completion whose value is empty, the completion value of the *WithStatement* is undefined.
- 13.12.11: In ECMAScript 2015, the completion value of a *SwitchStatement* is never the value empty. If the *CaseBlock* part of a *SwitchStatement* produces a completion whose value is empty, the completion value of the *SwitchStatement* is undefined.
- 13.15: In ECMAScript 2015, it is an early error for a *Catch* clause to contain a **Var** declaration for the same *Identifier* that appears as the *Catch* clause parameter. In previous editions, such a variable declaration would be instantiated in the enclosing variable environment but the declaration's *Initializer* value would be assigned to the *Catch* parameter.
- 13.15, 18.2.1.3: In ECMAScript 2015, a runtime **SyntaxError** is thrown if a *Catch* clause evaluates a non-strict direct **eval** whose eval code includes a **var** or **FunctionDeclaration** declaration that binds the same *Identifier* that appears as the *Catch* clause parameter.
- 13.15.8: In ECMAScript 2015, the completion value of a *TryStatement* is never the value empty. If the *Block* part of a *TryStatement* evaluates to a normal completion whose value is empty, the completion value of the *TryStatement* is undefined. If the *Block* part of a *TryStatement* evaluates to a throw completion and it has a *Catch* part that evaluates to a normal completion whose value is empty, the completion value of the *TryStatement* is undefined if there is no *Finally* clause or if its *Finally* clause evaluates to an empty normal completion.
- 14.3.8 In ECMAScript 2015, the function objects that are created as the values of the [[Get]] or [[Set]] attribute of accessor properties in an *ObjectLiteral* are not constructor functions and they do not have a "prototype" own property. In the previous edition, they were constructors and had a "prototype" property.
- 19.1.2.6: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.freeze** is not an object it is treated as if it was a non-extensible ordinary object with no own properties. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.1.2.8: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.getOwnPropertyDescriptor** is not an object an

- attempt is made to coerce the argument using ToObject. If the coercion is successful the result is used in place of the original argument value. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.1.2.10: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.getOwnPropertyNames** is not an object an attempt is made to coerce the argument using ToObject. If the coercion is successful the result is used in place of the original argument value. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.1.2.12: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.getPrototypeOf** is not an object an attempt is made to coerce the argument using ToObject. If the coercion is successful the result is used in place of the original argument value. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.1.2.14: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.isExtensible** is not an object it is treated as if it was a non-extensible ordinary object with no own properties. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.1.2.15: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.isFrozen** is not an object it is treated as if it was a non-extensible ordinary object with no own properties. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.1.2.16: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.isSealed** is not an object it is treated as if it was a non-extensible ordinary object with no own properties. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.1.2.17: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.keys** is not an object an attempt is made to coerce the argument using ToObject. If the coercion is successful the result is used in place of the original argument value. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.1.2.18: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.preventExtensions** is not an object it is treated as if it was a non-extensible ordinary object with no own properties. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.1.2.20: In ECMAScript 2015, if the argument to **Object.seal** is not an object it is treated as if it was a non-extensible ordinary object with no own properties. In the previous edition, a non-object argument always causes a **TypeError** to be thrown.
- 19.2.3.2: In ECMAScript 2015, the [[Prototype]] internal slot of a bound function is set to the [[GetPrototypeOf]] value of its target function. In the previous edition, [[Prototype]] was always set to %Function.prototype%.
- 19.2.4.1: In ECMAScript 2015, the "length" property of function instances is configurable. In previous editions it was non-configurable.
- 19.5.6.2: In ECMAScript 2015, the [[Prototype]] internal slot of a *NativeError* constructor is the Error constructor. In previous editions it was the Function prototype object.
- 20.4.4 In ECMAScript 2015, the Date prototype object is not a Date instance. In previous editions it was a Date instance whose TimeValue was **NaN**.
- **21.1.3.10** In ECMAScript 2015, the **String.prototype.localeCompare** function must treat Strings that are canonically equivalent according to the Unicode standard as being identical. In previous editions implementations were permitted to ignore canonical equivalence and could instead use a bit-wise comparison.
- 21.1.3.25 and 21.1.3.27 In ECMAScript 2015, lowercase/upper conversion processing operates on code points. In

previous editions such the conversion processing was only applied to individual code units. The only affected code points are those in the Deseret block of Unicode.

21.1.3.28 In ECMAScript 2015, the **String.prototype.trim** method is defined to recognize white space code points that may exists outside of the Unicode BMP. However, as of Unicode 7 no such code points are defined. In previous editions such code points would not have been recognized as white space.

21.2.3.1 In ECMAScript 2015, If the *pattern* argument is a RegExp instance and the *flags* argument is not **undefined**, a new RegExp instance is created just like *pattern* except that *pattern*'s flags are replaced by the argument *flags*. In previous editions a **TypeError** exception was thrown when *pattern* was a RegExp instance and *flags* was not **undefined**.

21.2.5 In ECMAScript 2015, the RegExp prototype object is not a RegExp instance. In previous editions it was a RegExp instance whose pattern is the empty String.

21.2.5 In ECMAScript 2015, "source", "global", "ignoreCase", and "multiline" are accessor properties defined on the RegExp prototype object. In previous editions they were data properties defined on RegExp instances.

24.4.12: In ECMAScript 2019, **Atomics.wake** has been renamed to **Atomics.notify** to prevent confusion with **Atomics.wait**.

25.1.4.4, 25.5.3.5: In ECMAScript 2019, the number of Jobs enqueued by **await** was reduced, which could create an observable difference in resolution order between a **then()** call and an **await** expression.

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