Request: headers property

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The **`headers`** read-only property of the Request interface contains the Headers object associated with the request.

Value

A Headers object.

Examples

In the following snippet, we create a new request using the Request() constructor (for an image file in the same directory as the script), then save the request headers in a variable:

```
const myRequest = new Request("flowers.jpg");
const myHeaders = myRequest.headers; // Headers {}
```

To add a header to the Headers object we use Headers.append; we then create a new `Request` along with a 2nd init parameter, passing headers in as an init option:

```
const myHeaders = new Headers();
myHeaders.append("Content-Type", "image/jpeg");

const myInit = {
```

```
  method: "GET",
  headers: myHeaders,
  mode: "cors",
  cache: "default",
};

const myRequest = new Request("flowers.jpg", myInit);

const myContentType = myRequest.headers.get("Content-Type"); // returns 'image/jpeg'
```

Specifications

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See also

- ServiceWorker API
- HTTP access control (CORS)
- HTTP

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