

Model Objects

A **model object** is any type of JavaScript object that represents the data in your application. Infusion doesn't impose any specific contracts on what type of object can be a model, but all model objects must be successfully copyable using the `fluid.copy()` function. Ordinarily, this will probably be a JSON-compatible object, but the framework doesn't limit you to this.

`fluid.copy()` uses jQuery's `.extend()` method to make a deep copy of any object.

Other languages and frameworks have a similar concept; the key here is that Infusion doesn't impose a complex inheritance hierarchy or interface for your model. Java developers may recognize a similarity to the concept of POJOs (Plain Old Java Objects).

More details are at [Framework Concepts#Model Objects](#).