

Creating and Calling Functions



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Overview



Adding type annotations to functions

Using optional, default, and rest parameters

Creating arrow functions

Overloading functions

Declaring function types



Adding Type Annotations to Functions

```
function dullFunc(value1, value2) {  
    return "I'm boring and difficult. Don't be like me.";  
}  
  
Implicitly assigned the type “any”
```

```
function funFunc(score: number, message: string): string {  
    return "I've got personality and I'm helpful! Be like me!";  
}
```



Using the *--noImplicitAny* Compiler Option



```
function dullFunc(value1, value2) {  
    return "I'm boring and difficult. Don't be like me.";  
}
```

error TS7006: Parameter 'value1' implicitly has an 'any' type.
error TS7006: Parameter 'value2' implicitly has an 'any' type.



```
function CreateCustomer(name: string, age?: number) { }
```

```
function GetBookByTitle(title: string = 'The C Programming Language') { }
```

```
function GetBookByTitle(title: string | GetMostPopularBook()) { }
```

Optional and Default Parameters

Optional parameters denoted with “?” after parameter name

Must appear after all required parameters

Default parameters may be set to a literal value or an expression

```
function GetBooksReadForCust(name: string, ...bookIDs: number[]) { }
```

```
let books = GetBooksReadForCust('Leigh', 2, 3);
```

```
let books = GetBooksReadForCust('Daniel', 2, 5, 12, 42);
```

Rest Parameters

Collects a group of parameters into a single array

Denoted with an ellipsis prefix on last parameter

Demo



Annotating functions and using parameters



Anatomy of an Arrow Function

parameters => function body



Anatomy of an Arrow Function

```
let squareit = x => x * x;  
let result = squareit(4); // 16
```



```
let adder = (a, b) => a + b;
```

```
let sum = adder(2, 3); // 5
```



```
let greeting = () => console.log('Hello World!');
```

```
greeting(); // Hello World!
```



Anatomy of an Arrow Function

```
let scores: number[] = [70, 125, 85, 110];  
  
let highScores: number[];  
  
highScores = scores.filter((element, index, array) => {  
    if (element > 100) {  
        return true;  
    }  
});
```



Demo



Converting a traditional function to an arrow function



Demo



Converting a traditional function to an arrow function...with type annotations!



Function Overloads

One symbol name

Multiple function types

One implementation with type guards



Implementing Function Overloads

```
function GetTitles(author: string): string[];  
function GetTitles(available: boolean): string[];  
function GetTitles(bookProperty: string): string[] {  
    if(typeof bookProperty == 'string') { ←  
        // get books by author, add to foundTitles  
    } ←  
    else if(typeof bookProperty == 'boolean') { ←  
        // get books by availability, add to foundTitles  
    } ←  
    return foundTitles;  
}
```



Demo



Overloading functions



```
function ReleaseMessage(year: number): string {  
    return 'Year released: ' + year;  
}
```

```
let releaseFunc: (someYear: number) => string;  
releaseFunc = ReleaseMessage;  
let message: string = releaseFunc(2024);
```

Function Types

Combination of parameter types and return type

Variables may be declared with function types

Function assigned must have the same signature as the variable type

Demo



Declaring and using function types



Summary



JavaScript functions with more features!

- Type annotations**
- Parameters**
- Arrow functions**
- Overloads**
- Function types**



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