Comments in JavaScript



Agenda

- 1. Types of JavaScript Comments
- 2. Interview Pro Tips
- 3. Best Practices to Stand Out
- 4. Q&A + Practice Challenge
- 5. Quiz Time

Single-line Comments:

```
// This is a single-line comment
let x = 5;
```

Multi-line Comments:

```
/*
This is a
multi-line comment
*/
```

Use Cases:

- Code explanation
- Debugging (commenting out code)



Interview Pro Tips

When Discussing Comments:

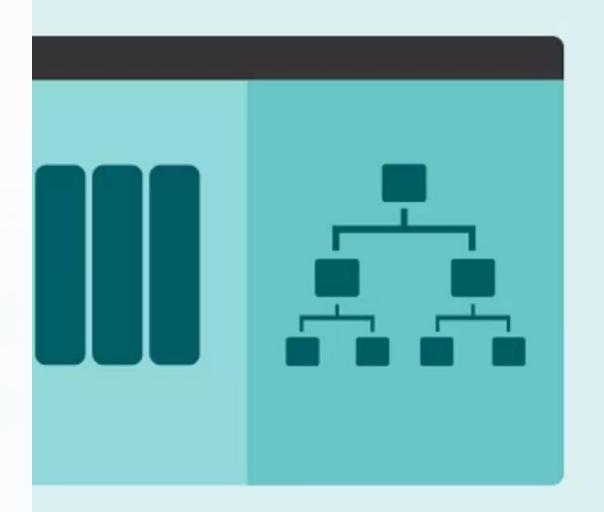
✓ Explain Purpose: "Comments should clarify why, not what."

✓ Avoid Overuse: "Clean code > excessive comments."

✓ Mention Tools: "Use JSDoc for documentation."

Interview Question Example:

"How would you document a function using comments?"



Best Practices to Stand Out

- 1. Self-Documenting Code: Use clear variable/function names.
- 2. JSDoc for Functions:

```
/**
 * Calculates sum of two numbers.
 * @param {number} a - First number
 * @param {number} b - Second number
 * @returns {number} Sum of a and b
 */
function sum(a, b) { return a + b; }
```

- 1. Avoid Redundancy:
- 2. \times let x = 5; // Assign 5 to x (Bad)

Q&A + Practice Challenge

Q&A: Open floor for questions.

Practice Challenge:

- 1. Write a function with a JSDoc comment.
- 2. Debug this code using comments:

```
function broken() {
  console.log("Fix me");
  // console.log("This line should skip");
}
```

Quiz Time

- 1. Which comment is invalid?
- 2. a) // Comment
- 3. b) <!-- Comment --> (Answer)
- 4. c) /* Comment */
- 2. Best use of comments?
- 3. a) Explain complex logic (Answer)
- 4. b) Describe let x = 5;
- 3. How to temporarily disable code?
- 4. a) Delete it
- 5. b) Comment it out (Answer)

Resources

• Free eBook: "JavaScript Quick Reference"

W3Schools.com

https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/javascript/

- Follow for daily JS tips
- GitHub repo with code examples

Thank You!

Call to Action: Practice commenting in your next project!