Fundamentals | Data Types

Data Types

- Memory only stores binary data
 - Anything can be represented in binary
- Program determines what the binary represents
- Basic types that are universally useful are provided by the language

Basic Data Types

- Boolean
 - true, false
- Integer
 - **1**, 2, 50, 99, -2
- Double / Float
 - **1.1**, 5.5, 200.0001, 2.0
- Character
 - 'A', 'B', 'c', '6', '\$'
- String
 - "Hello", "string", "this is a string", "it's 42"

Recap

- Anything can be represented with binary
- Basic data types are:
 - boolean, integer, double & float, character, string