



# LECTURE 10 — OBJECTS IN JAVASCRIPT (PART-1)



## JavaScript Core — Objects (Foundation of JS)



*First Principles • Real-World Mapping • Clean Mental Model*



## FIRST PRINCIPLE — “OBJECT KYA HOTA HAI?”

### ◆ Simple Soch (Real-Life)

Socho ek **aadmi / user / product**:

- Naam
- Age
- Gender
- Balance



In sab ko **alag-alag variables** me rakhna messy ho jaata hai



**Object** in sab ko **ek jagah pack** kar deta hai



### Conclusion

**Object = related data ka bundle**



## WHAT IS AN OBJECT?

### ◆ Definition

**Object = key-value pairs** ka collection

- **Key** → property ka naam
- **Value** → data (string, number, boolean, object, function, etc.)

```
const obj = {  
  
  name: "Bhupendar Jogi",  
  
  "account-balance": 150,  
  
  gender: "male",  
  
  age: 20  
}
```

```
};  
  
console.log(obj);
```

### Real-World Mapping

name, age, gender → properties  
"Bhupendar Jogi", 20 → values

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## IMPORTANT RULE ABOUT KEYS (VERY IMPORTANT)

### Internally

 JavaScript me saari keys string hoti hain


```
const obj = { age: 20 };
```

Internally JS ise aise treat karta hai:

```
{ "age": 20 }
```

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### Special Characters / Space in Keys

 Invalid

```
account number: 10500
```

 Valid

```
"account number": 10500
```

### Rule

Space / special char ho → **quotes mandatory**

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## ACCESSING OBJECT PROPERTIES

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### ① Dot Notation (Fast & Clean)

```
console.log(obj.name); // "Bhupendar Jogi"

console.log(obj.age); // 20
```

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### ② Bracket Notation (Flexible & Powerful)

```
console.log(obj["gender"]); // "male"

console.log(obj["account-balance"]); // 150
```

#### ⚡ When to use bracket notation?

- Key me **space** ho
  - Key me **special character** ho
  - Key dynamic ho (variable ke through)
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## NUMBER KEYS IN OBJECT

```
const obj = {

  0: "zero",

  1: "one"

};
```

```
console.log(obj[0]); // "zero"
```

#### 🧠 Behind the scenes

0 → "0" (string ban jaata hai)

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## ■ SPECIAL KEYS (null & undefined)

```
const obj = {  
  undefined: 50,  
  null: "Harshal"  
};
```

```
console.log(obj.undefined); // 50
```

```
console.log(obj["null"]); // "Harshal"
```

### ■ Reason

JS keys ko string bana deta hai  
"undefined", "null"

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## ■ WAYS TO CREATE OBJECTS ■

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### ① OBJECT LITERAL {} (MOST COMMON)

```
const person = {  
  name: "Harshal",  
  age: 30  
};
```

### ✓ Pros

- Simple
- Readable
- Small data ke liye perfect

## ✗ Cons

- Same structure baar-baar → repetitive code

## ② OBJECT CONSTRUCTOR — `new Object()`

```
const person = new Object();  
  
person.name = "Alice";  
  
person.age = 30;
```

## ✓ Pros

- Dynamic creation
- Step-by-step properties add

## ✗ Cons

- Verbose
  - Rarely used in real projects
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## ③ CONSTRUCTOR FUNCTION (TEMPLATE STYLE)

```
function Person(name, age) {  
  
    this.name = name;  
  
    this.age = age;  
  
}
```

```
let p1 = new Person("Alice", 20);  
  
let p2 = new Person("Bob", 30);
```

## ✓ Pros

- Reusable
- Template jaisa kaam karta hai

## ✗ Cons

- `this` + prototype beginners ke liye tough
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## ④ CLASS (ES6 — MODERN OOPS STYLE)

```
class People {  
  constructor(name, age, gender) {  
    this.name = name;  
    this.age = age;  
    this.gender = gender;  
  }  
}
```

```
let p1 = new People("Alice", 20, "male");
```

## ✓ Pros

- Clean & modern
- Industry standard
- Inheritance support

## ✗ Cons

- Beginners ke liye thoda advanced
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## ■ MODIFYING OBJECTS

```
let person = { name: "Saurav", age: 30 };  
  
// Add  
  
person.gender = "male";
```

```
// Update

person.age = 31;


// Delete

delete person.name;


console.log(person);

// { age: 31, gender: "male" }
```

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## ■ COMMON OBJECT METHODS ■

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### ① **Object.keys()**

```
Object.keys(person); // ["age", "gender"]
```

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### ② **Object.values()**

```
Object.values(person); // [31, "male"]
```

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### ③ **Object.entries()**

```
Object.entries(person);

// [["age", 31], ["gender", "male"]]
```

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#### ④ Object.assign()

```
const obj1 = { a: 1 };  
  
const obj2 = { b: 2 };  
  
const obj3 = Object.assign({}, obj1, obj2);
```

#### ⚠ Rule

Target me direct object mat do  
Hamesha {} use karo

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## ■ SPREAD OPERATOR ... (MODERN WAY)

```
let obj3 = { ...obj1, ...obj2 };
```

#### Conflict Case

```
let objA = { name: "Harshal", age: 21 };  
  
let objB = { age: 25, city: "Mumbai" };  
  
let merged = { ...objA, ...objB };
```

#### ■ Rule

Jo baad me spread hota hai → wahi overwrite karta hai

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## ■ OBJECT FREEZE vs SEAL

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Add	✗	✗
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Delete     ❌     ❌

Modify     ❌     ✅

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**Example: `Object.freeze()`**

```
Object.freeze(user);
```

👉 Koi change allowed nahi

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**Example: `Object.seal()`**

```
Object.seal(person);
```

👉 Sirf update allowed

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## ■ SHALLOW COPY vs DEEP COPY

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**Shallow Copy (Dangerous)**

```
let obj2 = obj1;
```

👉 Same reference → risky for nested objects

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**Deep Copy (Safe)**

```
let obj2 = structuredClone(obj1);
```

👉 Alag memory → independent

⚠️ Nested objects me shallow copy avoid karo

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## ■ QUICK REVISION — EK NAZAR ME ■

- ✓ Object = key-value pairs
  - ✓ Keys internally string hoti hain
  - ✓ Access → dot (fast), bracket (flexible)
  - ✓ Creation → `{}`, `new Object()`, constructor, class
  - ✓ Modify → add / update / delete
  - ✓ Methods → keys, values, entries
  - ✓ Merge → assign / spread
  - ✓ Freeze ❄️ = no change
  - ✓ Seal 🔒 = update only
  - ✓ Shallow vs Deep copy samajhna zaroori
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## ■ FINAL THOUGHT ■

🧠 **JavaScript = Objects ka game**

Arrays, functions, JSON, APIs —

👉 **sab objects ke around hi ghoomta hai**