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Certainly! The ?? is called the **nullish coalescing operator** in JavaScript. Let's break down how it works:

1. Purpose:

- The nullish coalescing operator provides a way to handle **null** or **undefined** values by providing a fallback value when the left-hand side expression evaluates to one of these falsy values.
- It's often used as a concise way to provide a default value when the original value is null or undefined.

2. Syntax:

- The syntax is expression1?? expression2.
- If expression1 is **not null** or **not undefined**, it returns expression1.
- If expression1 is **null** or **undefined**, it returns expression2.

3. Example:

```
const value = null;
const defaultValue = "Fallback Value";
const result = value ?? defaultValue;
// If value is null or undefined, result will be "Fallback Value"
// Otherwise, result will be the actual value (if not null/undefined)
```

4. Use Cases:

- **Default Values**: It's commonly used to provide default values for variables or function parameters.
- Avoiding Falsy Values: Unlike the logical OR (||) operator, which considers empty strings, 0, and false as falsy values, the nullish coalescing operator only considers null and undefined as falsy.

In your specific code snippet:

```
fetcher?.data?.find((el) => el.id === item.pizzaId)?.ingredients ?? []
```

- If fetcher.data is null or undefined, it returns an empty array ([]).
 - Otherwise, it finds the menu item with an id matching item.pizzaId and retrieves its ingredients.

Feel free to ask if you have any more questions!

