

✅ == means "same value"

It checks if the **contents** are the same.

🧠 Example:

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```
[1, 2, 3] == [1, 2, 3] → ✅ True (values are same)
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🔍 is means "same object in memory"

It checks if both variables point to the **exact same object**.

🧠 Example:

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```
a = [1, 2, 3] b = a a is b → ✅ True (both point to same list) b = [1, 2, 3] a is b → ❌ False (new list created, different memory)
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```
n = [1, 2, 3] m = n
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- `m is n` → ✅ True (same object)
- `m == n` → ✅ True (same value)

Then:

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```
m = [1, 2, 3]
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- `m == n` → ✅ True (same value)

- `m is n` → ❌ False (now a different object)
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Think of `is` as:

"Are they the same **thing**?"

And `==` as:

"Do they look the same (same value)?"