

# Built-in Pipes

In this section we are going to look at the pipes that Angular provides out of the box.

- **AsyncPipe**: used to work with asynchronous values
- **CurrencyPipe**: used to format a number as a local currency
- **DatePipe**: used to format a date object to a readable string
- **DecimalPipe**: used to format numbers
- **JsonPipe**: calls `JSON.stringify` on the input and useful for debugging
- **LowerCasePipe**: used to convert a string to lowercase letters
- **PercentPipe**: used to format a number as percentage
- **SlicePipe**: used to create a subset of list or string
- **UpperCasePipe**: used to transform a text to upper case

## Date

```
1 {{ input | date:optionalFormat }}
```

- `input` : a date object or a number (milliseconds since UTC epoch)
- `optionalFormat` : a string used to format the output. It specifies which components of date and time to include in the output

### Using predefined formats

Usage Example: `{{ input | date:'short' }}`

Name	Example
<code>short</code>	9/3/2010, 12:05 PM
<code>shortDate</code>	9/3/2010

medium	Sep 3, 2010, 12:05:08 PM
mediumDate	Sep 3, 2010
longDate	September 3, 2010
fullDate	Friday, September 3, 2010
shortTime	12:05 PM
mediumTime	12:05:08 PM

## Using Custom Formats

- Generally speaking every date object has a year, month, day, hour, minute, and second.
- Using a custom string, you can specify which component you would like to include in the output.

Year	Month	Day	Weekday	Hour	Minute	Second
y	M, MMM, MMMM	d	EEE, EEEE	j, h, H	m	s
2016	1, Jan, January	1	Sun, Sunday	1, 1 AM, 1	1	1

Note that every single letter identifier can be used twice to denote a double digit numeric value. For example, `yy` will result in `15` for the year value. Below is a table just to be thorough:

Double Digit

Year	Month	Day	Hour	Minute	Second
yy	MM	dd	jj, hh, HH	mm	ss
16	01	01	01, 01 AM, 01	01	01

Details for Month/Weekday/Hour are summarized in the tables below:

Month Details

M	MMM	MMMM
Digit	Abbr Name	Full Name
1	Jan	January

Weekday Details

EEE	EEEE
Abbr Name	Full Name
Sun	Sunday

Hour Details

j	h	H
Digit	Hour12 AM/PM	Military
13	1 PM	13

Slice

- The slice pipe is useful when you want a subset of a list or string. One of the common use cases are in when iterating over a list with `ngFor` for example.

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Decimal

- Used for formatting numbers given a decimal formatter

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Percent

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Currency

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Async

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Json

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LowerCase

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UpperCase

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