Assume you are good at problem solving in typescript and good guide for beginner then provide best examples for Static Typing Type Annotations Declare types for variables, function parameters, return values, etc. Example: let count: number = 5;

Absolutely, Routh Kiran! Let's walk through **Static Typing** and **Type Annotations** in **TypeScript** with well-structured and beginner-friendly examples. These examples will help you understand how to declare types for:

- Variables
- Function Parameters
- Return Values
- Arrays
- Objects
- Union Types
- Custom Types / Interfaces

#### 1. Static Typing with Variable Declaration

```
let count: number = 5;
let username: string = "Routh";
let isLoggedIn: boolean = true;
```

#### 2. Function Parameters with Type Annotations

```
function greet(name: string): void {
  console.log(`Hello, ${name}!`);
}
```

#### 3. Function Return Type Annotation

```
function add(a: number, b: number): number {
  return a + b;
}
let sum = add(10, 20); // sum: number = 30
```

#### 4. Arrays with Type Annotation

```
let numbers: number[] = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5];
let fruits: string[] = ["apple", "banana", "mango"];
```

#### 5. Objects with Type Annotations

```
let user: { name: string; age: number } = {
  name: "Kiran",
  age: 25
};
```

#### 6. Type Aliases (Custom Types)

```
type User = {
  name: string;
  email: string;
  isActive: boolean;
};

let newUser: User = {
  name: "Routh",
  email: "routh@example.com",
  isActive: true
};
```

### 7. Interfaces (Preferred for Objects)

```
interface Product {
  id: number;
  name: string;
  price: number;
}
let item: Product = {
  id: 101,
  name: "Keyboard",
  price: 699
};
```

#### 8. Function with Object Parameter and Return Type

```
interface Book {
  title: string;
  author: string;
}

function getBookTitle(book: Book): string {
  return book.title;
}

let myBook: Book = {
  title: "Atomic Habits",
  author: "James Clear"
};
```

console.log(getBookTitle(myBook)); // Output: Atomic Habits

### 9. Union Types

Allow a variable to hold more than one type.

```
let id: number | string;
id = 101;
id = "ABC123";
```

#### ✓ 10. Optional Properties and Default Values

```
function logMessage(message: string, userId?: number): void {
  console.log(`Message: ${message}`);
  if (userId !== undefined) {
    console.log(`User ID: ${userId}`);
  }
}
logMessage("Hello World");
logMessage("Welcome", 42);
```

#### 11. Readonly Types

```
interface Config {
    readonly appName: string;
    version: number;
}

let config: Config = {
    appName: "MyApp",
    version: 1.0
};

// config.appName = "AnotherApp"; X Error: Cannot assign to 'appName' because it is a read-only property
```

**Syntax Example** 

#### Summary Table

**Feature** 

	•
Variable Type	<pre>let x: number = 10;</pre>
Function Params	<pre>function greet(name: string)</pre>
Return Type	<pre>function add(a: number): number</pre>
Array Type	<pre>let nums: number[] = [1, 2, 3];</pre>
Object Type	<pre>let user: { name: string; age: number }</pre>

Would you like a small project idea that combines all these? Or a playground link to try them online?

Assume you are good at problem solving in typescript and good guide for beginner from beginner to advance then provide best examples for Interfaces & Types interface, type Define custom type shapes for objects, functions, etc.

Example: interface User { name: string; age: number }

Absolutely, Routh! Let's dive deep into **Interfaces and Types** in **TypeScript**, especially for beginners progressing to advanced level. I'll walk you through the fundamentals and build up with meaningful examples.

#### 1. What are Interfaces & Types in TypeScript?

TypeScript allows us to define **custom data structures** using interface and type. These help us:

- Describe the shape of objects
- Enforce structure
- Catch type errors at compile time

### 2. Basic Syntax Comparison

```
// Interface
interface User {
  name: string;
  age: number;
}

// Type
type Product = {
  id: number;
  title: string;
};
```

Both work similarly for object structures but have key differences you'll see as we go further.

## SECTION 1: BEGINNER LEVEL

#### Example 1: Simple Object Shape

```
interface User {
 name: string;
 age: number;
}
const user1: User = {
 name: "Alice",
 age: 25,
};
type Product = {
 id: number;
 price: number;
};
const item: Product = {
 id: 1,
 price: 199.99,
};
```

#### Example 2: Optional & Readonly Properties

#### Example 3: Interface for Function Type

```
interface Greet {
   (name: string): string;
}

const sayHello: Greet = (name) => `Hello, ${name}`;

type Add = (a: number, b: number) => number;

const add: Add = (a, b) => a + b;
```

#### SECTION 2: INTERMEDIATE LEVEL

#### Example 4: Extending Interfaces & Types

```
interface Animal {
  name: string;
}

interface Dog extends Animal {
  breed: string;
}

const d: Dog = {
  name: "Buddy",
  breed: "Labrador",
};

type Shape = {
```

```
color: string;
};

type Circle = Shape & {
  radius: number;
};

const c: Circle = { color: "red", radius: 10 };
```

#### Example 5: Union & Intersection Types

```
type Admin = {
  role: string;
};

type Person = {
  name: string;
};

type AdminPerson = Admin & Person;

const admin: AdminPerson = {
  name: "Kiran",
  role: "Manager",
};

type Status = "active" | "inactive" | "pending";

let currentStatus: Status = "active";
```

#### Example 6: Interface for Class Structure

```
interface Vehicle {
  start(): void;
  stop(): void;
}
class Car implements Vehicle {
  start() {
    console.log("Car started");
  }
```

```
stop() {
  console.log("Car stopped");
}
```

## SECTION 3: ADVANCED LEVEL

#### Example 7: Generics with Interfaces and Types

```
interface ApiResponse<T> {
 status: number;
 data: T;
}
const response1: ApiResponse<string> = {
 status: 200,
 data: "Success",
};
const response2: ApiResponse<number[]> = {
 status: 200,
 data: [1, 2, 3],
};
type Pair<T, U> = {
first: T;
 second: U;
};
const coordinates: Pair<number, number> = { first: 10, second: 20 };
```

#### Example 8: Discriminated Unions (for Type Narrowing)

```
type Square = { kind: "square"; size: number };
type Rectangle = { kind: "rectangle"; width: number; height: number };
type Shape = Square | Rectangle;
function area(shape: Shape): number {
  if (shape.kind === "square") return shape.size * shape.size;
  else return shape.width * shape.height;
```

```
}
```

#### Example 9: Mapped Types (Advanced Types)

```
type ReadOnly<T> = {
  readonly [P in keyof T]: T[P];
};

type UserInfo = {
  name: string;
  email: string;
};

type ReadOnlyUserInfo = ReadOnly<UserInfo>;
// All properties in ReadOnlyUserInfo are now readonly
```

#### ▼ Example 10: Conditional Types

```
type IsString<T> = T extends string ? "Yes" : "No";
type A = IsString<string>; // "Yes"
type B = IsString<number>; // "No"
```

### WHEN TO USE interface vs type?

Feature	interface 🌠	type 🔽
Object shapes	V	V
Function types	V	V
Extending	✓ (using extends)	(with &)
Union types	X	V
Intersection types	×	V





**Use interface** when you are defining a structure to be implemented or extended (like OOP).

**Use type** when combining multiple types, using unions, tuples, or advanced type manipulation.

#### QUICK PRACTICE IDEAS

- Create a UserProfile interface with optional address and a method to display full name.
- 2. Make a type called ApiResponse<T> and test it with various generics.
- 3. **Build a Shape union type** and write a function to return the area of a shape.
- 4. **Define a readonly mapped type** to protect object mutation.

Would you like these examples in a downloadable file or turned into a TypeScript playground link for hands-on coding?

Generics Generics Create reusable components that work with multiple types. Example: function identity<T>(arg: T): T { return arg; }

Absolutely, Routh Kiran Babu! Let's go from **beginner to advanced** step-by-step to deeply understand **Generics** in **TypeScript** with clear, real-world examples.

## What Are Generics in TypeScript?

Generics allow us to **create reusable and flexible functions, classes, and interfaces** that can work with **any data type**, without losing **type safety**.

# **★ LEVEL 1: Basic Generics – Understand** the Core Concept

Example 1: Identity Function

```
function identity<T>(arg: T): T {
  return arg;
}

console.log(identity<string>("Hello"));
console.log(identity<number>(42));
```

Why it's useful: You don't have to write separate functions for string, number, boolean, etc.

## LEVEL 2: Generic Arrays and Type Inference

Example 2: Work with Arrays

```
function firstElement<T>(arr: T[]): T {
  return arr[0];
}

console.log(firstElement([10, 20, 30])); // Output: 10
console.log(firstElement(["a", "b", "c"])); // Output: "a"
```

Example 3: Type Inference without Explicit <T>

```
function logAndReturn<T>(arg: T): T {
  console.log(typeof arg);
```

```
return arg;
}
let result = logAndReturn("TypeScript"); // inferred as string
```



## LEVEL 3: Generics with Interfaces

Example 4: Generic Interface for API Response

```
interface ApiResponse<T> {
 status: number;
 data: T;
}
const userResponse: ApiResponse<{ name: string; age: number }> = {
 status: 200,
 data: {
  name: "Kiran",
  age: 25
}
};
```

## LEVEL 4: Generics with Classes

Example 5: Generic Class

```
class Box<T> {
 private value: T;
 constructor(value: T) {
  this.value = value:
 }
 getValue(): T {
  return this.value;
}
```

```
const numberBox = new Box<number>(100);
const stringBox = new Box<string>("Tools");
console.log(numberBox.getValue()); // 100
console.log(stringBox.getValue()); // Tools
```

# **★ LEVEL 5: Generic Constraints –**Restricting Type Parameters

Example 6: Constrain to Objects with length

```
function logLength<T extends { length: number }>(arg: T): T {
  console.log("Length:", arg.length);
  return arg;
}
logLength("Kiran");
logLength([1, 2, 3]);
// logLength(123); X Error: number doesn't have 'length'
```

# **LEVEL 6: Generics with Multiple Type**Parameters

Example 7: Merge Two Objects

```
function merge<T, U>(obj1: T, obj2: U): T & U {
  return { ...obj1, ...obj2 };
}

const merged = merge({ name: "Kiran" }, { age: 25 });
console.log(merged.name); // Kiran
console.log(merged.age); // 25
```

## 🧩 LEVEL 7: Default Generic Type

Example 8: Provide Default Types

```
function makePair<T = string, U = number>(first: T, second: U): [T, U] {
  return [first, second];
}

const pair1 = makePair("Hello", 100);  // [string, number]
  const pair2 = makePair(undefined, 200);  // [string, number]
```

# LEVEL 8: Keyof and Generics (Type Mapping)

Example 9: Get Property Value from Object Safely

```
function getProp<T, K extends keyof T>(obj: T, key: K): T[K] {
  return obj[key];
}

const person = { name: "Kiran", age: 25 };
const name = getProp(person, "name"); // Valid
// const invalid = getProp(person, "height"); X
```

## **X** LEVEL 9: Generic Utility Types

Example 10: Partial, Readonly, etc.

```
interface User {
  name: string;
  age: number;
}

const partialUser: Partial<User> = { name: "Kiran" };
const readonlyUser: Readonly<User> = { name: "Kiran", age: 25 };
// readonlyUser.age = 30; X Not allowed
```

# **★ LEVEL 10: Advanced – Generic Factory** Function

#### Example 11: Create Instances of a Class

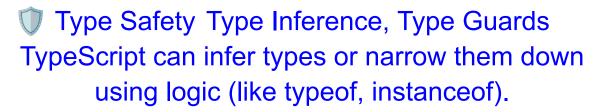
```
class Car {
    drive() {
        console.log("Driving...");
    }
}
function createInstance<T>(c: { new (): T }): T {
    return new c();
}
const myCar = createInstance(Car);
myCar.drive(); // Driving...
```

## Summary Table

Level	Topic	Example
1	Basic Generic Function	identity <t>(arg: T): T</t>
2	Generic Array Function	<pre>firstElement<t>(arr: T[])</t></pre>
3	Type Inference	<pre>logAndReturn("Hello")</pre>
4	Generic Interface	ApiResponse <t></t>
5	Generic Class	class Box <t></t>
6	Generic Constraints	<pre>T extends { length: number }</pre>
7	Multiple Generics	merge <t, u="">()</t,>

If you want, I can make this a **PDF**, or help you build a **TypeScript notebook** project to practice these interactively.

Would you like that?



Absolutely, Kiran! Let's dive deep into **Type Safety**, **Type Inference**, and **Type Guards** in **TypeScript** with beginner-to-advanced **examples and explanations**. By the end, you'll understand how TypeScript helps catch errors at compile time and makes your code **safe**, **readable**, **and predictable**.

### 4 1. Type Safety

Type safety ensures variables, functions, and objects follow strict typing rules.

```
Basic Example (Beginner)
```

```
let age: number = 25;
// age = "twenty-five"; X Error: Type 'string' is not assignable to type 'number'
```

#### **▼** Function Example

```
function greet(name: string): string {
  return `Hello, ${name}`;
}
```

```
console.log(greet("Kiran")); // Console.log(greet(123)); // X Error: Argument of type 'number' is not assignable to parameter of type 'string'
```

## 2. Type Inference

TypeScript infers types automatically when not explicitly declared.

#### Basic Inference (Beginner)

```
let country = "India"; // inferred as string country = "USA"; // ✓ country = 91; // ★ Error: number not assignable to string
```

#### ▼ Function Return Type Inference

```
function add(a: number, b: number) {
  return a + b; // inferred as number
}
```

const result = add(5, 10); // result is of type number

## 🤍 3. Type Guards

Type guards **narrow down** types using runtime checks like typeof, instanceof, or custom logic.

#### 🔽 a) typeof Guard (Strings, Numbers, Booleans)

```
function printld(id: number | string) {
  if (typeof id === "string") {
    console.log("Your ID (string):", id.toUpperCase());
  } else {
    console.log("Your ID (number):", id.toFixed(2));
  }
}
```

```
printld("abc123"); // Output: Your ID (string): ABC123 printld(123); // Output: Your ID (number): 123.00
```

#### b) instanceof Guard (Classes)

```
class Car {
 drive() {
  console.log("Driving a car");
}
}
class Bike {
 ride() {
  console.log("Riding a bike");
}
function useVehicle(vehicle: Car | Bike) {
 if (vehicle instanceof Car) {
  vehicle.drive(); // Car-specific method
  vehicle.ride(); // Bike-specific method
}
}
useVehicle(new Car()); // Output: Driving a car
useVehicle(new Bike()); // Output: Riding a bike
```

#### c) in Operator Guard (Object Properties)

```
type Dog = { bark: () => void };
type Cat = { meow: () => void };
function handlePet(pet: Dog | Cat) {
  if ("bark" in pet) {
    pet.bark();
  } else {
    pet.meow();
  }
}
```

#### **d** d) Custom Type Guards (Advanced)

```
type Admin = { role: "admin"; name: string };
type User = { role: "user"; name: string };
function isAdmin(person: Admin | User): person is Admin {
  return person.role === "admin";
}
function showPanel(person: Admin | User) {
  if (isAdmin(person)) {
    console.log("Admin Panel Access:", person.name);
  } else {
    console.log("User Dashboard:", person.name);
  }
}
```

## Summary Table

Concept	How It Works	Example Tool
Type Safety	Ensures correct types	let age: number
Type Inference	TS infers types automatically	<pre>let name = "Kiran"</pre>
Type Guards	Runtime checks to narrow types	typeof, instanceof, in, custom guards

## Want a mini project idea to practice?

#### Create a User Management System where:

- User can be either Admin, Member, or Guest.
- Use **type guards** to show different dashboard options.
- Practice inference and type safety in form input validation.

Would you like me to provide that as a project template?

## Enums enum Declare a set of named constants. Example: enum Direction { Up, Down }

Absolutely, Routh! Let's dive deep into Enums in **TypeScript**, from beginner to advanced. I'll explain each level with **well-commented examples** so you can build strong problem-solving skills step-by-step.



#### What is an Enum?

An **enum** (short for **enumeration**) is a way to define a set of **named constants** — making your code more readable and less error-prone.

### 🧱 Level 1: Basic Enum

```
enum Direction {
    Up,
    Down,
    Left,
    Right
}

// Usage
let move: Direction = Direction.Left;
console.log(move); // Output: 2 (default starts from 0)

Q By default, Up = 0, Down = 1, etc.
```

## 🧱 Level 2: Custom Number Values

```
enum StatusCode {
OK = 200,
NotFound = 404,
ServerError = 500
}
```

console.log(StatusCode.OK); // 200 console.log(StatusCode[404]); // NotFound (Reverse mapping)

Reverse Mapping works with number enums.

## 🧱 Level 3: String Enums

```
enum LogLevel {
 Info = "INFO",
 Warn = "WARN",
 Error = "ERROR"
}
function log(level: LogLevel, message: string) {
 console.log(`[${level}] ${message}`);
}
log(LogLevel.Warn, "Low disk space");
// Output: [WARN] Low disk space
```

No reverse mapping in string enums.

## 🧱 Level 4: Heterogeneous Enums (X Avoid if possible)

```
enum Mixed {
 No = 0.
 Yes = "YES"
```



This mixes numbers and strings. It's allowed but discouraged for clarity.

## Level 5: Enums in Functions (Real use case)

```
enum TrafficLight {
 Red.
```

```
Yellow,
Green
}

function getAction(light: TrafficLight): string {
  switch (light) {
    case TrafficLight.Red:
      return "Stop";
    case TrafficLight.Yellow:
      return "Slow down";
    case TrafficLight.Green:
      return "Go";
  }
}

console.log(getAction(TrafficLight.Yellow)); // "Slow down"
```

Improves maintainability and type safety.

## 🗱 Level 6: Enum as Flags (Bitwise operations)

```
enum Permission {
  Read = 1 << 0,  // 0001
  Write = 1 << 1,  // 0010
  Execute = 1 << 2 // 0100
}
let userPermission = Permission.Read | Permission.Write;
function hasPermission(perms: number, check: Permission): boolean {
  return (perms & check) === check;
}
console.log(hasPermission(userPermission, Permission.Write)); // true
console.log(hasPermission(userPermission, Permission.Execute)); // false</pre>
```

Great for access control systems.

### E Level 7: Enum with Computed & Constant Members

```
const responseTime = () => 100;
enum Speed {
 Slow = 10,
 Medium = responseTime(), // computed member
 Fast = 100
}
```

Only last members can be computed.

## Level 8: Const Enums (For Performance)

```
const enum Direction {
 Up,
 Down,
 Left,
 Right
let dir = Direction.Up;
console.log(dir); // compiled as plain number (no object in JS)
```

Eliminates enum object at runtime for performance.

#### Bonus: Enum in Class

```
enum Category {
 Food,
 Electronics,
 Clothing
}
class Product {
 constructor(public name: string, public category: Category) {}
}
let laptop = new Product("Laptop", Category.Electronics);
```

## Summary Table

Enum Type	Reverse Mapping	Use Case
Numeric Enum	✓ Yes	Basic options, default values
String Enum	<b>X</b> No	Labels, logs, readability
Const Enum	<b>X</b> No	Performance-critical code
Bitwise Enum	<b>X</b> No	Permission, flag checks
Computed Enum	<u> </u> Partial	Rarely used, dynamic assignment

Would you like a small TypeScript project using enums for **real-world scenarios** like To-do apps, games, or authentication? I can build one for you.

Advanced Types Union, Intersection, Literal, Tuple, Mapped, Conditional, Utility Types

Complex type operations. Example: `type A = "yes"

Absolutely, Routh Kiran Babu! Below is a comprehensive beginner-to-advanced **guide on Advanced Types in TypeScript**, packed with **clear explanations and powerful examples** so you master them step by step.

## Advanced Types in TypeScript — From Beginner to Advanced

#### 1. Union Types (|)

A value can be **one of several types**.

```
type Status = "success" | "error" | "loading";
function handleStatus(status: Status) {
  if (status === "success") console.log("Success!");
  else if (status === "error") console.log("Error!");
  else console.log("Loading...");
}
```

#### 2. Intersection Types (&)

A value **must satisfy all** given types (combine multiple types).

```
type User = { name: string };
type Admin = { role: "admin" };

type AdminUser = User & Admin;

const admin: AdminUser = {
   name: "Routh",
   role: "admin"
};
```

#### 3. Literal Types

You specify **exact values** a variable can take.

```
type Direction = "up" | "down" | "left" | "right";
const move = (dir: Direction) => {
  console.log(`Moving ${dir}`);
};
move("left");
```

#### 4. Tuple Types

An array with **fixed length and types** at specific positions.

```
type RGB = [number, number, number];
```

```
const red: RGB = [255, 0, 0];
const green: RGB = [0, 255, 0];

You can also label tuple members (improves readability):
type Point = [x: number, y: number];
const p: Point = [5, 10];
```

#### 5. Mapped Types

Create new types by looping over keys of another type.

```
type User = {
  name: string;
  age: number;
};

type ReadOnlyUser = {
  readonly [K in keyof User]: User[K];
};

// Equivalent to:
type ReadOnlyUserManual = {
  readonly name: string;
  readonly age: number;
};
```

#### 6. Conditional Types

Types that depend on a condition.

```
type IsString<T> = T extends string ? "Yes" : "No";
type Test1 = IsString<string>; // "Yes"
type Test2 = IsString<number>; // "No"
```

More complex:

```
type Flatten<T> = T extends Array<infer U> ? U : T;
type A = Flatten<string[]>; // string
type B = Flatten<number>; // number
```

#### 7. Utility Types (Built-in helpers)

Very useful for transforming types.

```
Utility
                          Description
 Partial<T All properties optional
 Required< All properties required
 T>
 Readonly< All properties readonly
 T>
 Pick<T,K> Pick specific keys
 Omit<T,K> Omit specific keys
 Record<K, Create object with keys K and values
              Τ
 T>
Examples:
type Todo = {
 title: string;
 completed: boolean;
};
type OptionalTodo = Partial<Todo>;
type RequiredTodo = Required<OptionalTodo>;
type ReadonlyTodo = Readonly<Todo>;
type TodoTitle = Pick<Todo, "title">;
type TodoWithoutCompleted = Omit<Todo, "completed">;
```

```
type StatusMap = Record<"success" | "fail", number>;
const status: StatusMap = {
   success: 200,
   fail: 500,
};
```

#### Combined Example (Complex Type Operation)

```
type ResponseType = "success" | "error";

type ApiResponse<T> = {
    status: ResponseType;
    data: T extends "success" ? { result: string } : { error: string };
};

const response1: ApiResponse<"success"> = {
    status: "success",
    data: { result: "Data fetched successfully" }
};

const response2: ApiResponse<"error"> = {
    status: "error",
    data: { error: "Something went wrong" }
};
```

## Summary Chart

Feature	Example Syntax	Use Case
Union	`type A = "yes"	"no"`
Intersection	type A = B & C	Combine multiple types
Literal	"open"	Restrict to exact value
Tuple	[number, string]	Fixed-size array
Mapped	[K in keyof T]: T[K]	Loop over keys

Conditional T extends U ? X : Y

Type depends on another

Utility Types Partial<T>, Omit<T, K>, Type transformations
Pick<T,K>

Would you like a PDF or TypeScript file with all these examples? Or next-level examples like:

- Discriminated unions
- Template literal types
- Infer keyword use in conditionals
   Let me know and I'll build the next part for you!

Modules & Namespaces namespace (deprecated) TypeScript supports namespace and more structured module systems.

Absolutely! Let's walk through **Modules** and **Namespaces** in **TypeScript**—focusing on **best** practices, real-world examples, and how to transition from beginner to advanced.



## Modules vs Namespaces in TypeScript



Feature	Namespaces	Modules (Recommended 🔽)
Usage	namespace MyNamespace {}	export, import
Scope	Global (via <script> or reference)</td><td>File-based</td></tr><tr><td>Compilation</td><td>NeedsoutFile</td><td>CommonJS, ES Modules, etc.</td></tr></tbody></table></script>	

Modern Usage

X Deprecated for modular apps

Preferred for all modern projects

Best For

Small scripts

Large apps & team development

## 1. Namespaces (Deprecated for large-scale apps)

Use only for backward compatibility or simple HTML projects.

#### Basic Namespace Example

```
// file: shape.ts
namespace Shapes {
 export class Circle {
  constructor(public radius: number) {}
  area(): number {
    return Math.PI * this.radius ** 2;
}
// file: main.ts
/// <reference path="shape.ts" />
const c = new Shapes.Circle(5);
console.log("Area:", c.area());
```

#### **△** Compile With:

tsc --outFile app.js shape.ts main.ts

```
Use /// <reference path="..." /> to link files in the right order.
```



## 2. Modules (Recommended)

Works with modern JavaScript systems like **CommonJS**, **ESModules**, and **Webpack/Vite**.

```
mathUtils.ts
export function add(a: number, b: number): number {
  return a + b;
}

export function multiply(a: number, b: number): number {
  return a * b;
}

app.ts
import { add, multiply } from './mathUtils';

console.log("Sum:", add(10, 5));
  console.log("Product:", multiply(10, 5));
```

#### Compile:

tsc

Make sure tsconfig.json has module: "ES6" or "CommonJS"

## Module Variations: Intermediate to Advanced

## 1 Default Export

```
// logger.ts
export default function log(message: string) {
  console.log("LOG:", message);
}
// main.ts
import log from './logger';
```

```
log("App started");
```

## 2 Re-exporting

```
// file: utils.ts
export * from './mathUtils';
export * from './stringUtils';
// main.ts
import { add } from './utils';
```

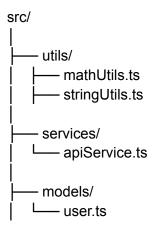
## 3 Dynamic Imports (Advanced)

```
async function loadMath() {
  const math = await import('./mathUtils');
  console.log(math.add(1, 2));
}
```

## 4 Import with Alias

import \* as MathUtils from './mathUtils'; console.log(MathUtils.add(3, 4));

# Real-World Module Structure (Advanced)



### └── index ts

```
mathUtils.ts
export const PI = 3.14;
export function circleArea(radius: number) {
  return PI * radius ** 2;
}

index.ts
import { circleArea } from './utils/mathUtils';
console.log("Area:", circleArea(10));
```

## Tips for Beginners → Advanced

Level	What to Learn	Practice Ideas
Beginner	export, import basics	Math utilities
Intermediat e	default vs named exports, aliasing	Logger, API service
Advanced	Dynamic import, re-exporting, bundling	Modular app architecture



Scenario Use

Web app with bundler (Vite/Webpack)

Modules

Tiny HTML + TypeScript experiment

Namespaces (optional)

Modern production app

**Modules** 



Always use modules for maintainability, scalability, and team collaboration.

Namespaces are only useful when **modules aren't available** (e.g., basic script tags in HTML). Modern TypeScript development should always favor **ES Modules**.

Would you like me to generate a full project structure with modules or create interactive module Decorators @decorator syntax

Experimental feature to annotate and modify classes and properties. JavaScript has only recently added experimental support. examples using TypeScript Playground?

Absolutely, Routh Kiran Babu! Let's explore **Decorators** in **TypeScript**—from beginner to advanced level—with simple and gradually advancing **examples**.

#### Before You Begin

To use decorators, you must enable experimental support in your tsconfig.json:

```
(
"experimentalDecorators": true,
"target": "ES6"
```

#### What Are Decorators?

Decorators are special functions prefixed with @ that can annotate and modify:

- Classes
- Methods
- Properties
- Accessors
- Parameters

They are **higher-order functions** that can intercept and extend behavior.

### @ 1. Basic Class Decorator

```
function Logger(constructor: Function) {
  console.log(`Class created: ${constructor.name}`);
}

@Logger
class User {
  constructor() {
    console.log("User instance created.");
  }
}
```

📌 Output:

Class created: User User instance created.

Use case: Logging when classes are defined.



## 2. Property Decorator

```
function Capitalize(target: any, propertyKey: string) {
 let value = "";
 const getter = () => value;
 const setter = (newVal: string) => {
  value = newVal.toUpperCase();
 };
 Object.defineProperty(target, propertyKey, {
  get: getter,
  set: setter,
});
}
class Person {
 @Capitalize
 name: string = "";
}
const p = new Person();
p.name = "john";
console.log(p.name); // Output: JOHN
```

✓ Use case: Format or validate data automatically.

# 🧠 3. Method Decorator

```
function LogMethod(
  target: any,
  propertyName: string,
  descriptor: PropertyDescriptor
) {
  const originalMethod = descriptor.value;
  descriptor.value = function (...args: any[]) {
    console.log(`Calling ${propertyName} with args:`, args);
    return originalMethod.apply(this, args);
  };
}
class Calculator {
  @LogMethod
```

```
add(a: number, b: number) {
  return a + b;
}
const calc = new Calculator();
calc.add(2, 3); // Logs: Calling add with args: [2, 3]
```

Use case: Logging or tracking method calls.



# 4. Accessor Decorator

```
function CheckPositive(
 target: any,
 propertyKey: string,
 descriptor: PropertyDescriptor
 const originalSet = descriptor.set!;
 descriptor.set = function (value: number) {
  if (value < 0) throw new Error("Value must be positive");
  originalSet.call(this, value);
};
}
class BankAccount {
 private _balance = 0;
 @CheckPositive
 set balance(val: number) {
  this. balance = val;
 }
 get balance() {
  return this._balance;
 }
}
const acc = new BankAccount();
acc.balance = 100; // OK
// acc.balance = -50; // Error: Value must be positive
```

Use case: Validating input to setters.



# 5. Parameter Decorator

```
function LogParameter(target: Object, methodName: string, index: number) {
 console.log(`Parameter index ${index} of method ${methodName} was decorated.`);
}
class Service {
 greet(@LogParameter message: string) {
  console.log(message);
}
```

**Use case**: Metadata collection for dependency injection.

# 🕵 6. Decorator Factory (with parameters)

```
function Role(role: string) {
 return function (constructor: Function) {
  constructor.prototype.role = role;
};
}
@Role("admin")
class AdminPanel {}
const admin = new AdminPanel();
console.log((admin as any).role); // admin
```

Use case: Customize decorators with arguments.

# 7. Compose Multiple Decorators

```
function First() {
 return function (target: Function) {
  console.log("First decorator");
```

```
};
}

function Second() {
  return function (target: Function) {
    console.log("Second decorator");
  };
}

@First()
@Second()
class Test {}

    Output:

Second decorator
First decorator
```

**Note**: They execute **bottom-up**.

# 8. Real-Life Use Case: Authentication

```
function Authenticated(target: any, methodName: string, descriptor: PropertyDescriptor) {
  const original = descriptor.value;
  descriptor.value = function (...args: any[]) {
    if (!this.isLoggedIn) {
        throw new Error("Not authenticated!");
    }
    return original.apply(this, args);
};
}
class Dashboard {
  isLoggedIn = false;

@Authenticated
  viewSecretData() {
        console.log("Secret Data Viewed");
    }
}
```

const dash = new Dashboard();

// dash.viewSecretData(); // Error: Not authenticated!

dash.isLoggedIn = true;

dash.viewSecretData(); // V Secret Data Viewed

# 🧩 Summary Table

Decorator Type	Target	Syntax	Use Case
Class	Class	@Logger	Logging, role tagging
Property	Class prop	@Capitalize	Auto-formatting
Method	Function	@LogMethod	Logging, access control
Accessor	Getter/sette r	@CheckPositive	Validation
Parameter	Function arg	@LogParameter	Metadata, injection
Factory	Any	<pre>@Decorator(args )</pre>	Customizable decorator
Multiple Decorators	Any	<pre>@First()\n@Seco nd()</pre>	Composition

Would you like a **hands-on mini-project** using decorators like role-based access, input validation, and logging in one place?

Abstract Classes abstract class Define base classes with abstract methods. JavaScript does not have built-in support for abstract methods.

Absolutely, Routh Kiran Babu! Let's go step-by-step to understand **Abstract Classes** in **TypeScript**, starting from beginner level and building up to more advanced concepts.

# Abstract Classes in TypeScript

#### **★** What is an Abstract Class?

- An abstract class is a class that cannot be instantiated directly.
- It can contain **abstract methods** (without implementation) and **concrete methods** (with implementation).
- Purpose: To define a blueprint for other classes.

# Beginner Level: Basic Abstract Class Example

# Example: Animal abstract class

```
abstract class Animal {
  abstract makeSound(): void;

move(): void {
    console.log("The animal moves.");
  }
}

class Dog extends Animal {
  makeSound(): void {
    console.log("Woof! Woof!");
  }
}

const myDog = new Dog();
  myDog.makeSound(); // Woof! Woof!
  myDog.move(); // The animal moves.
```

// const animal = new Animal(); X Error: Cannot create an instance of an abstract class

# **Explanation:**

Animal is an abstract class.

- makeSound() is an abstract method—must be implemented by subclasses.
- Dog extends Animal and provides implementation for makeSound().

# Intermediate Level: Abstract Properties and Multiple Subclasses

# Example: Shape Calculation

```
abstract class Shape {
 abstract area(): number;
 abstract perimeter(): number;
}
class Circle extends Shape {
 constructor(private radius: number) {
  super();
 }
 area(): number {
  return Math.PI * this.radius ** 2;
 }
 perimeter(): number {
  return 2 * Math.PI * this.radius;
}
class Rectangle extends Shape {
 constructor(private width: number, private height: number) {
  super();
 }
 area(): number {
  return this.width * this.height;
 }
 perimeter(): number {
  return 2 * (this.width + this.height);
```

```
// Usage
const circle = new Circle(5);
console.log("Circle Area:", circle.area());  // Circle Area: 78.5398
console.log("Circle Perimeter:", circle.perimeter());

const rect = new Rectangle(10, 20);
console.log("Rectangle Area:", rect.area());  // Rectangle Area: 200
console.log("Rectangle Perimeter:", rect.perimeter());
```

# Advanced Level: Abstract Class with Generics and Dependency Injection

```
Example: Generic Repository Pattern (like in backend apps)
```

```
interface Entity {
 id: number;
}
abstract class Repository<T extends Entity> {
 abstract getById(id: number): T | undefined;
 abstract save(entity: T): void;
}
class User implements Entity {
 constructor(public id: number, public name: string) {}
}
class UserRepository extends Repository<User> {
 private users: User[] = [];
 getById(id: number): User | undefined {
  return this.users.find(user => user.id === id);
 }
 save(user: User): void {
  this.users.push(user);
}
```

```
// Usage
const userRepo = new UserRepository();
userRepo.save(new User(1, "Kiran"));
console.log(userRepo.getById(1)); // User { id: 1, name: 'Kiran' }
```

# Concepts used:

- **Generics** for reusable type-safe repositories.
- Abstract classes as a blueprint for data access logic.

# Key Rules and Tips

Rule/Tip	Explanation
abstract keyword	Used to define abstract class or methods.
No instantiation of abstract class	new AbstractClass() will throw an error.
Must extend and implement	Subclass must implement all abstract methods.
Abstract class ≠ Interface	Abstract class can have concrete logic. Interface can't.

# Real-World Use Cases

Use Case	Example
UI Components	<pre>abstract class UIComponent { render(): void }</pre>
Database Repositories	<pre>abstract class Repository<t> { getAll(): T[] }</t></pre>
Game Engines	<pre>abstract class GameObject { update(): void }</pre>

Would you like a TypeScript playground link, project-based mini app, or interview-level abstract class challenges next?

# Compile-Time Checking Compile-Time Errors TypeScript can catch many bugs at compile time, unlike JavaScript which catches at runtime.

Absolutely! Let's walk through the concept of **Compile-Time Checking** in TypeScript with clear beginner-to-advanced examples. This is one of TypeScript's **biggest advantages** over JavaScript — catching errors **before the code even runs**.

# What is Compile-Time Checking?

TypeScript analyzes your code when you compile (tsc), catching common mistakes like:

- Using the wrong type
- Accessing properties that don't exist
- Passing incorrect parameters to functions

# ✓ JavaScript: Errors only appear at runtime

```
function greet(name) {
  console.log("Hello, " + name.toUpperCase());
}
greet(42); // X Runtime Error: name.toUpperCase is not a function
```

You won't see any issue until the code runs. 🚨

# TypeScript: Errors appear at compile time

```
function greet(name: string) {
  console.log("Hello, " + name.toUpperCase());
}
```

```
greet(42);
```

// Compile-Time Error: Argument of type 'number' is not assignable to parameter of type 'string'.

Now let's go from beginner to advanced with compile-time checking examples.

# Y Beginner Examples

#### 1. Basic Type Mismatch

```
let age: number = "twenty";
// X Error: Type 'string' is not assignable to type 'number'.
```

#### 2. Function Parameter Type Checking

```
function multiply(a: number, b: number): number {
  return a * b;
}
multiply(5, "2");
// X Error: Argument of type 'string' is not assignable to parameter of type 'number'.
```

# 3. Accessing Non-Existent Properties

```
let user = {
  name: "Ravi",
  age: 25
};

console.log(user.email);
// X Error: Property 'email' does not exist on type '{ name: string; age: number; }'
```

# Intermediate Examples

#### 4. Wrong Return Type

```
function getUser(): string {
  return { name: "Ravi" };
  // X Error: Type '{ name: string; }' is not assignable to type 'string'.
}
```

#### 5. Interface Mismatch

```
interface Product {
  name: string;
  price: number;
}

const item: Product = {
  name: "Laptop",
  price: "30000"
  // X Error: Type 'string' is not assignable to type 'number'.
};
```

#### 6. Missing Properties

```
interface Car {
  model: string;
  year: number;
}

const car: Car = {
  model: "Tesla"
  // X Error: Property 'year' is missing in type.
};
```



# **Advanced Examples**

# 7. Incorrect Generic Type

```
function printArray<T>(arr: T[]) {
   arr.forEach(item => console.log(item));
}
printArray<number>(["a", "b", "c"]);
```

// X Error: Type 'string' is not assignable to type 'number'.

#### 8. Invalid Union Type Usage

```
type ID = number | string;
function printld(id: ID) {
  console.log(id.toFixed(2));
  // X Error: Property 'toFixed' does not exist on type 'string | number'.
}

If (typeof id === "number") {
  console.log(id.toFixed(2));
}
```

# 9. Incorrect Enum Usage

# 10. Wrong Type in Class Property

```
class Student {
  name: string;
  age: number;

constructor(name: string, age: string) {
  this.name = name;
  this.age = age;
  // X Error: Type 'string' is not assignable to type 'number'.
  }
}
```

# W

# Bonus Tip: Enable Strict Mode in tsconfig.json

To catch maximum compile-time errors, set this:

```
{
  "compilerOptions": {
    "strict": true
  }
}
```

# Summary Table

#### **JavaScript**

#### **TypeScript (Compile-Time Error)**

Would you like me to provide **interactive exercises or quizzes** to test your understanding of compile-time checks?

# Declaration Files.d.ts Files Define types for existing JavaScript libraries, enabling IntelliSense and type checking.

Absolutely! Here's a beginner-to-advanced guide on **Declaration Files** (.d.ts files) in **TypeScript**, with practical examples to help you fully understand how to define types for existing JavaScript libraries, enabling IntelliSense and type checking.

# What Are Declaration Files (.d.ts)?

- Declaration files in TypeScript only contain type information no actual JavaScript code.
- Useful when using plain JavaScript libraries in a TypeScript project to enable:
  - IntelliSense
  - o Compile-time type checking

# When Do You Need .d.ts Files?

- 1. You're using a **JavaScript library** that doesn't ship with TypeScript support.
- 2. You're writing a **JavaScript library** and want to provide types to consumers.
- 3. You want to extend or modify existing types.

# Beginner Example: Declaring a Simple JavaScript Function

#### 1. \* JavaScript Library (math. js)

```
// math.js
function add(a, b) {
  return a + b;
}
```

#### 2. Create a Declaration File: math.d.ts

// math.d.ts

declare function add(a: number, b: number): number;

Place both math.js and math.d.ts in the same folder or configure typeRoots in tsconfig.json.

#### 3. / TypeScript File Using It

```
// index.ts
/// <reference path="./math.d.ts" />
```

console.log(add(5, 3)); // Works with IntelliSense and type checking

# Intermediate Example: Declaring a Module

Let's say you're using a JavaScript file as a module (e.g., with import/export).

# 1. logger.js (No types)

```
// logger.js
export function log(message) {
  console.log(message);
}
```

#### 2. logger.d.ts

```
// logger.d.ts
declare module "logger" {
```

```
export function log(message: string): void;
}
```

#### 3. Usage in TypeScript

```
// app.ts
import { log } from "logger";
log("Hello TypeScript!"); // Typed!
```



# Intermediate: Declaring Object Types in

# .d.ts

# 1. config.js

```
module.exports = {
  apiKey: "abcd-1234",
  timeout: 5000,
};
```

# 2. config.d.ts

```
declare module "config" {
  export const apiKey: string;
  export const timeout: number;
}
```

# 3. Use in TypeScript

```
import { apiKey, timeout } from "config";
console.log(apiKey, timeout);
```

# Advanced Example: Declaring Classes, Interfaces, Overloads

```
1. utils.js
function greet(name) {
  return "Hello, " + name;
}
function greet(name, age) {
  return `Hello, ${name}. You are ${age} years old.`;
}

2. utils.d.ts
declare function greet(name: string): string;
declare function greet(name: string, age: number): string;
```

#### **Declaring a Class**

```
// library.d.ts
declare class Person {
  constructor(name: string, age: number);
  greet(): string;
  readonly age: number;
}
```

#### **Usage**

```
const p = new Person("Ravi", 30);
console.log(p.greet());
```

# Advanced: Declaring Global Variables and Namespaces

#### **Global Variable Example**

```
// globals.d.ts
declare var VERSION: string;
console.log(VERSION); // Type-checked as string
```

#### **Namespace Example**

```
// shapes.d.ts
declare namespace Shapes {
  interface Circle {
    radius: number;
  }
  interface Rectangle {
    width: number;
    height: number;
  }
  function draw(shape: Circle | Rectangle): void;
}
```

#### Usage

```
Shapes.draw({ radius: 10 });
Shapes.draw({ width: 10, height: 20 });
```



# Pro Tip: Use DefinitelyTyped (@types)

```
You often don't have to write .d.ts files from scratch!

npm install --save-dev @types/lodash

Then in your TypeScript:

import _ from 'lodash';
```

# 🔚 Summary Table

```
Use Case
                                   Syntax Example
Declare function
                 declare function fn(a: number): void;
Declare module
                 declare module 'lib' { export function ... }
Declare global var
                 declare var VERSION: string;
Declare class
                 declare class User { constructor(...);
                 method(): void; }
Declare interface
                 declare interface Car { speed: number; }
Declare
                 declare namespace MyLib { ... }
namespace
```

Would you like me to generate a GitHub-ready folder or project for these examples with proper tsconfig.json,.js, and .d.ts files?

Readonly and Access Modifiers private, protected, readonly, public Enforce access restrictions on class members. JavaScript now has #private, but TS has stronger compile-time enforcement.

Absolutely, Routh! Let's walk through **Readonly and Access Modifiers** in **TypeScript**, with **easy-to-understand examples** that gradually go from **beginner** to **advanced** level. These modifiers help **encapsulate** and **protect your data**.

# Modifier Description public Accessible anywhere (default in TS). private Accessible only within the class. protect Accessible within the class and subclasses. ed readonl Can be read but not changed after initialization.

# **Beginner Examples**

# 1. public (Default Access)

```
class Student {
  public name: string;

constructor(name: string) {
    this.name = name;
  }

greet() {
    console.log(`Hello, I'm ${this.name}`);
  }
}

const s1 = new Student("Ravi");
s1.greet();  // ✓ Accessible
console.log(s1.name); // ✓ Accessible
```

# 2. private

```
class BankAccount {
  private balance: number;

constructor(initialBalance: number) {
  this.balance = initialBalance;
}
```

```
showBalance() {
    console.log(`Balance: ₹${this.balance}`);
    }
}

const acc = new BankAccount(1000);
acc.showBalance(); // ✓ Allowed
// console.log(acc.balance); ➤ Error: Property 'balance' is private
```

# 3. protected

```
class Animal {
  protected species: string;

constructor(species: string) {
    this.species = species;
  }
}

class Dog extends Animal {
  bark() {
    console.log(`I am a ${this.species} and I bark.`);
  }
}

const dog = new Dog("Canine");
dog.bark();  // ✓ Allowed
// console.log(dog.species); ➤ Error: 'species' is protected
```

# 4. readonly

```
}
const car = new Vehicle();
car.info();
```

# Intermediate Examples

# readonly with Constructor Initialization

```
class User {
 readonly id: number;
 name: string;
 constructor(id: number, name: string) {
                 // V OK to assign once in constructor
  this.id = id;
  this.name = name;
}
}
const user = new User(1, "Kiran");
// user.id = 2; X Error
```

# Representation Repres

```
class Point {
 constructor(
  public x: number,
  private y: number,
  protected z: number
 ) {}
 getY() {
  return this.y;
}
const p = new Point(1, 2, 3);
console.log(p.x); // V public
// console.log(p.y); X private
// console.log(p.z); \times protected
```

# 🧠 Advanced Example

# Combine All: private, protected, public, and readonly

```
class Employee {
 public name: string;
 private salary: number;
 protected role: string;
 readonly empld: string;
 constructor(name: string, salary: number, role: string, empld: string) {
  this.name = name;
  this.salary = salary;
  this.role = role;
  this.empld = empld;
 }
 getDetails() {
  return `${this.name} has ID ${this.empId} and role ${this.role}`;
 }
 getSalary() {
  return `Salary is ₹${this.salary}`;
 }
}
class Manager extends Employee {
 promote() {
  console.log(`${this.name} is promoted to Senior ${this.role}`);
 }
}
const e1 = new Manager("Anil", 60000, "Manager", "EMP001");
console.log(e1.getDetails());
                               // v public
console.log(e1.getSalary());
                                // V private accessed internally
                           // v protected accessed from subclass
e1.promote();
                             X Error: private
// e1.salary = 80000;
                                X Error: readonly
// e1.empld = "EMP999";
```

# 

JavaScript supports #private (hard privacy), while TypeScript's private is at compile-time.

# Summary Table

Modifier	Scope	Use Case
public	Accessible anywhere	General access
private	Class only	Hide sensitive data
protect ed	Class + Subclasses	Share with subclasses only
readonl y	Assigned once, can be read	Immutable property (e.g. ID)
#privat e	JS native private, accessed by #field	Hard privacy (new JS syntax)

Would you like **TypeScript practice exercises**, or want these examples in a downloadable **PDF** or code repo format?

# Optional Chaining + Nullish Coalescing with Types Strong type checks with ?. and ?? JavaScript has these operators, but TypeScript adds type safety with them.

Absolutely! You're diving into a very **important and powerful** feature in TypeScript: **Optional Chaining (?.)** and **Nullish Coalescing (??)**, which provide **safe access to nested properties** and **defaulting only when values are null or undefined** — **with strong type checks** in TypeScript. Let's go step by step with clean and layered examples.

# 1. Optional Chaining (?.) – Type-Safe Access

#### **What It Does:**

Safely accesses nested object properties or methods **only if the object is not null or undefined**, otherwise returns undefined.

# Example: Safe Property Access

```
type User = {
  name: string;
  address?: {
    city?: string;
  };
};

const user1: User = { name: "Alice", address: { city: "Delhi" } };
const user2: User = { name: "Bob" }; // address is undefined

// Without optional chaining: Can throw error
// console.log(user2.address.city); // Runtime error

// With optional chaining
console.log(user1.address?.city); // "Delhi"
console.log(user2.address?.city); // undefined
```

# **X** Example: Safe Method Call

```
type Logger = {
  log?: () => void;
};

const logger1: Logger = {
  log: () => console.log("Logging..."),
};

const logger2: Logger = {}; // log is undefined
  logger1.log?.(); //  Prints "Logging..."
  logger2.log?.(); //  Does nothing, no error
```

# 2. Nullish Coalescing (??) – Default When Null/Undefined

#### **What It Does:**

Provides a **default value only if the expression is null or undefined** (not for false, 0, '', etc.).

# **I** Example: Default Value for Missing Input

```
function greet(name?: string) {
  const displayName = name ?? "Guest";
  console.log(`Hello, ${displayName}`);
}
greet("Kiran"); // Hello, Kiran
greet(); // Hello, Guest
```

# ✓ 3. Combined Usage: ?. + ?? Together

# Practical Example: Deep Access with Fallback

```
type Config = {
  theme?: {
    darkMode?: boolean;
  };
};

const config1: Config = { theme: { darkMode: true } };

const config2: Config = {};

const darkMode1 = config1.theme?.darkMode ?? false;
  const darkMode2 = config2.theme?.darkMode ?? false;

console.log(darkMode1); // true
  console.log(darkMode2); // false
```

# 4. Bonus: Optional Chaining with Arrays and Functions

# Optional Element Access

```
const names = ["Alice", "Bob"];
console.log(names?.[0]); // "Alice"
console.log(names?.[10]); // undefined
```

# Optional Function Invocation

```
type CallBack = {
  onDone?: () => void;
};
const cb: CallBack = {};
cb.onDone?.(); // Does nothing safely
```

# 🧠 TypeScript-Specific Type Safety

In JavaScript, ?. and ?? work — but TypeScript ensures:

- You only use ?. on types that may actually be optional or undefined.
- You get compile-time errors if you misuse it, e.g.:

```
const user = { name: "Kiran" };
// X Error: Property 'address' does not exist on type '{ name: string; }'
console.log(user.address?.city);
```

TypeScript forces you to **explicitly type objects**, and warns you when optional chaining makes no sense.

# Summary Table

Feature	Syntax	Purpose
Optional Chaining	obj?.prop	Safe access of possibly null/undefined
Nullish Coalescing	val ?? def	Fallback only if val is null/undefined
Combined Usage	obj?.val ?? def	Full safety chain for deeply nested props
Type Safety Advantage	<b>V</b>	Ensures usage only on nullable types

# Next Level Practice Ideas

- **V** Use optional chaining in API responses (response.data?.user?.name)
- ✓ Use nullish coalescing in form defaults (formData.age ?? 18)
- Write a utility that safely reads a config from nested structure

Would you like some mini projects or code challenges that use these concepts together (e.g., form parser, API response formatter, config loader)?

# Type Aliasestype SomeType = ... Create shorthand names for complex types.

Absolutely, Routh! Let's go from **beginner to advanced** in understanding **Type Aliases** in **TypeScript**, with **clear examples**, step-by-step. This concept helps simplify complex types, reuse them, and improve code readability.

# Type Aliases in TypeScript

```
type SomeType = ...
```

**Purpose**: Create a shorthand name for a complex or custom type.

# 🔽 1. Beginner Level

#### Basic Syntax:

```
type Age = number;
let myAge: Age = 25;
```

Age is an alias for number.

# @ Example 1: Simple Object

```
type Person = {
  name: string;
  age: number;
};

const p1: Person = {
  name: "Alice",
  age: 30,
};
```

```
Now instead of repeating { name: string; age: number }, just use Person.
```

#### @ Example 2: Union Types

```
type Status = "success" | "error" | "loading";
let currentStatus: Status = "success";
```

✓ Better than repeating string literals everywhere.

# 🚀 2. Intermediate Level

# **©** Example 3: Array of Custom Types

```
type Product = {
  id: number;
  name: string;
};

type ProductList = Product[];

const products: ProductList = [
  { id: 1, name: "Pen" },
  { id: 2, name: "Notebook" },
];
```

# **©** Example 4: Function Type Alias

```
type GreetFunction = (name: string) => string;
const greet: GreetFunction = (name) => `Hello, ${name}!`;
```

# **©** Example 5: Optional & Readonly Properties

```
type User = {
  readonly id: number;
```

# 3. Advanced Level

# **©** Example 6: Nested Type Aliases

```
type Address = {
  city: string;
  zip: string;
};

type Employee = {
  id: number;
  personal: {
    name: string;
    age: number;
  };
  address: Address;
};
```

# **(Union + Intersection)**

```
type Admin = {
  role: "admin";
  accessLevel: number;
};

type Guest = {
  role: "guest";
  expires: Date;
};

type UserRole = Admin | Guest;

const userA: UserRole = { role: "admin", accessLevel: 3 };
```

```
type WithTimestamp = {
  createdAt: Date;
  updatedAt: Date;
};

type Post = {
  title: string;
  content: string;
};

type TimestampedPost = Post & WithTimestamp;
```

# **©** Example 8: Recursive Types (Advanced)

```
type JSONValue =
  | string
  | number
  | boolean
  | null
  | JSONValue[]
  | { [key: string]: JSONValue };

const data: JSONValue = {
  name: "Test",
  items: [1, 2, 3],
  details: {
    active: true,
    score: null,
  },
};
```

# When to Use type vs interface?

Feature	type	interface
Union Types	V	X
Tuples	V	×

Extension (with &) (extends) Declaration merging

> Use type for unions/tuples. Use interface for extending object shapes (especially in class OOP patterns).

# 🧪 Practice Challenge

- // 1. Create a type alias for a Rectangle with width and height
- // 2. Create a function that calculates area using the alias

```
type Rectangle = {
 width: number;
 height: number;
};
const calculateArea = (rect: Rectangle): number => rect.width * rect.height;
console.log(calculateArea({ width: 10, height: 5 })); // 50
```

Would you like a project-based task to apply all type alias concepts together (e.g., creating a Blog or E-commerce model using types)?

Structural Typing
Duck typing with structure-based compatibility More rigidly enforced in TypeScript than in JavaScript.

Absolutely! Let's walk through **Structural Typing** in **TypeScript** — a concept often described as "Duck Typing". We'll explore it with simple to advanced examples, so even beginners can understand how it works and why it's important.



What is Structural Typing (Duck Typing)?

Definition: In TypeScript, structural typing means two types are compatible if their structure matches, regardless of their declared names.



🔽 "If it walks like a duck and quacks like a duck, it's a duck." 🦆





# Real-World Analogy

Imagine two people:

```
• John: { name: "John", age: 25 }
• Jane: { name: "Jane", age: 30 }
```

Even if they're from different places, as long as both have name and age, TypeScript considers them structurally the same.

# Beginner Example

```
// Define a structure/type
interface Person {
 name: string;
 age: number;
// Function that accepts Person
function greet(person: Person) {
 console.log(`Hello, ${person.name}!`);
}
// Object with matching structure
const user = { name: "Alice", age: 28 };
greet(user); // V OK because structure matches
```

Even if user is not explicitly declared as Person, it's still accepted because it matches the shape.

# X Mismatched Structure

```
const wrongUser = { name: "Bob" };
greet(wrongUser); // X Error: Property 'age' is missing
```

# 🧱 Intermediate Example: Extra Properties Are Okay

```
const employee = { name: "Charlie", age: 32, salary: 50000 };

greet(employee); // V OK — extra properties are ignored as long as required structure is present
```

#### But: TypeScript is stricter with object literals directly passed

greet({ name: "Daisy", age: 22, salary: 30000 }); // X Error in strict mode (Excess Property Check)

```
✓ To fix it, assign first:
const daisy = { name: "Daisy", age: 22, salary: 30000 };
greet(daisy); // ✓ OK
```

# Assigning Between Compatible Types

```
interface Animal {
    name: string;
}

class Dog {
    name = "Puppy";
}

let animal: Animal;
let dog = new Dog();

animal = dog; //  OK — structure matches
```

## Advanced: Generic Structural Typing

# Comparing With Nominal Typing (Used in Other Languages)

In Java or C#, two classes/interfaces need to have explicit relationship (inheritance, etc.).

In TypeScript, only structure matters:

```
interface Point2D {
    x: number;
    y: number;
}

interface Pixel {
    x: number;
    y: number;
}

let point: Point2D = { x: 10, y: 20 };

let pixel: Pixel = point; //    OK: same structure

function logCoordinates(p: Point2D) {
    console.log(`(${p.x}, ${p.y})`);
}

logCoordinates(pixel); //    OK
```



**Use Case: Safer APIs** 

interface ApiResponse {

```
success: boolean;
data: any;
}

function handleResponse(res: ApiResponse) {
  if (res.success) {
    console.log("Data received:", res.data);
  }
}

const serverResponse = {
  success: true,
  data: { id: 1, name: "Item" },
  statusCode: 200
};
```

handleResponse(serverResponse); // V OK

## **Best Practices**

- ✓ Use interfaces to describe shapes of objects
- ✓ Don't over-rely on class-based inheritance prefer shape-based typing
- ✓ Use type aliases or interfaces to model domain-specific data
- Leverage structural typing to write more **flexible and reusable** functions

## 🔁 Summary

Feature	Description	
Structural Typing	Type compatibility based on structure	
<b>Duck Typing</b>	"If it looks like a duck" principle	
Extra Properties	Ignored if passed via variable, flagged in literals	
Safer APIs	Helps ensure expected data format	
Common in TS	Unlike Java/C#, structural typing is native	

Would you like me to give:

- Practice problems?
- Structural vs Nominal typing comparison PDF?

Let me know how you'd like to go further!

Discriminated Unions Tagged unions to handle different shapes in type-safe ways Not natively supported in JS.

Absolutely! Discriminated Unions (also called Tagged Unions or Algebraic Data Types) are a powerful **TypeScript-only** feature for safely modeling data that can take different shapes.

## What Are Discriminated Unions?

Discriminated Unions combine:

- 1. Union types A | B | C
- 2. A common "discriminant" property often called kind or type
- 3. **Type narrowing** via control flow (like if or switch)

## Use Case Example (from beginner to advanced)

Beginner Example: Modeling Shapes

type Circle = {
 kind: "circle";
 radius: number;

```
};
type Square = {
 kind: "square";
 sideLength: number;
};
type Shape = Circle | Square;
function getArea(shape: Shape): number {
 if (shape.kind === "circle") {
  return Math.PI * shape.radius * shape.radius;
 } else if (shape.kind === "square") {
  return shape.sideLength * shape.sideLength;
 }
 // Exhaustiveness check
 const _exhaustive: never = shape;
 return _exhaustive;
}
const c: Shape = { kind: "circle", radius: 3 };
console.log(getArea(c)); // 28.27
```

#### **Why it works:**

- kind is the discriminant.
- TS narrows shape's type based on shape.kind.

### ✓ Intermediate Example: Handling API Responses

```
type SuccessResponse = {
  status: "success";
  data: string[];
};

type ErrorResponse = {
  status: "error";
  message: string;
};
```

```
type APIResponse = SuccessResponse | ErrorResponse;
function handleResponse(response: APIResponse) {
  switch (response.status) {
    case "success":
      console.log("Data:", response.data);
      break;
    case "error":
      console.error("Error:", response.message);
      break;
}
```

#### **Benefit:**

You don't need to check for existence of properties like data or message. TypeScript **knows exactly** what to expect when status === "error".

### Advanced Example: State Machine (like React useReducer)

```
type LoadingState = {
 type: "loading";
};
type LoadedState = {
 type: "loaded";
 payload: string;
};
type ErrorState = {
 type: "error";
 error: string;
};
type AppState = LoadingState | LoadedState | ErrorState;
function reducer(state: AppState, action: { type: string; payload?: any }): AppState {
 switch (action.type) {
  case "start":
    return { type: "loading" };
  case "success":
    return { type: "loaded", payload: action.payload };
  case "fail":
```

```
return { type: "error", error: action.payload };
  default:
    return state;
}
```

## Best Practices

Rule	Description
✓ Use a kind or type field	Helps TypeScript narrow types
Add never exhaustiveness checks	Prevents missing cases in switch
✓ Avoid optional discriminants	They make narrowing harder
✓ Use as const if initializing objects	Ensures literal types

## Why Not in JavaScript?

Discriminated unions are not runtime constructs — they are **type-level only**, so they don't exist in vanilla JavaScript. However, you can write the same object structures in JS and document them using JSDoc + TypeScript.

## Exhaustiveness Check with never

```
function handleShape(shape: Shape) {
  switch (shape.kind) {
    case "circle":
      return shape.radius;
    case "square":
      return shape.sideLength;
    default:
      // Make sure all types are handled
      const _exhaustive: never = shape;
      return _exhaustive;
```

## 🏁 Summary

Feature Benefit

Discriminated Unions Type-safe modeling of

variants

Common kind/type Enables type narrowing

Exhaustiveness

checks

Ensures future-proof logic

Used in Reducers,

**APIs** 

Real-world application ready

Would you like a **practice project** that uses discriminated unions, like a mini game or CLI tool simulation?



## Type Assertions as Type, <> Manually tell the compiler what type something is.

Absolutely! Type assertions in **TypeScript** are a powerful feature that allow you to manually tell the compiler what the type of a value is. This is especially useful when TypeScript can't infer the type correctly but **you**, the developer, know more about the value than the compiler does.

## Concept: Type Assertions

There are **two ways** to write type assertions in TypeScript:

🔽 1. as Syntax (recommended)

const value = "hello" as string;

2. Angle-bracket Syntax <> (not allowed in .tsx files)

const value = <string>"hello";

## When to Use Type Assertions

- 1. DOM Manipulation
- 2. JSON Parsing
- 3. Narrowing union types
- 4. Working with unknown or any
- Overriding inferred types



## Beginner Examples

#### 1. Simple Type Assertion

let someValue: any = "I am a string";

// Tell TypeScript it's a string to access string methods let strLength: number = (someValue as string).length;

console.log(strLength); // Output: 13

#### 2. Angle-Bracket Syntax

let count: any = 42; let numericCount = <number>count;

console.log(numericCount + 10); // Output: 52



## Intermediate Examples

### 3. DOM Element Type Assertion

```
const inputElement = document.getElementById("username") as HTMLInputElement;
inputElement.value = "Routh";
```

#### 4. JSON Parse with Type Assertion

```
interface User {
  name: string;
  age: number;
}

const json = '{"name": "Kiran", "age": 25}';
  const user = JSON.parse(json) as User;

console.log(user.name); // Kiran
```

#### 5. Assertion from unknown type

```
function getValue(): unknown {
  return "some text";
}
let val = getValue() as string;
console.log(val.length); // 9
```

## Advanced Examples

### 6. Narrowing Union Types

```
function printLength(input: string | number) {
  // Tell TypeScript to treat input as string
  const len = (input as string).length;
  console.log(len); // Runtime error if input is actually a number
}
```

Use with caution! Better to use type guards instead.

### 7. Type Assertion with Interfaces

```
interface Admin {
  role: string;
```

```
}
interface User {
 name: string;
const user = { name: "Kiran", role: "admin" } as User as Admin;
console.log(user.role); // "admin"
```

## Important Notes

- Type assertions **do not change** the runtime behavior.
- They do not perform type checking or restructuring.
- Use only when **you are sure** of the type.

## **Playground Tip**

Try this in a TypeScript playground:

let unknownValue: any = "Hello Typescript";

// Compiler has no idea what type it is console.log((unknownValue as string).toUpperCase()); // "HELLO TYPESCRIPT"

Would you like this in a TypeScript cheatsheet PDF or interactive quiz for learning?

## Compiler Features tsconfig.json, strict mode options, etc. Configure how TypeScript checks and compiles code.

Absolutely, Routh! Let's deep dive into TypeScript Compiler Features, focusing on tsconfig. json and strict mode options, with clear beginner-to-advanced examples.

## 1. What is tsconfig.json?

tsconfig. json tells the TypeScript compiler how to compile your code — think of it as the blueprint for your TypeScript project.

## Basic tsconfig. json Example

```
"compilerOptions": {
 "target": "ES6",
 "module": "commonjs",
 "strict": true,
 "outDir": "./dist"
},
"include": ["src"],
"exclude": ["node_modules"]
```

#### What this does:

- "target": "ES6" compile to ECMAScript 6.
- "module": "commonjs" use CommonJS module system (Node.js default).
- "strict": true enable all strict type-checking options.
- "outDir": "./dist" compiled JS goes to dist folder.

• "include": ["src"] - only compile files in the src folder.

## strict Mode Options Explained with Examples

When "strict": true is enabled, it turns on all the following options:

#### 1. strictNullChecks

```
let name: string = "Routh";
// name = null; // X Error: Type 'null' is not assignable to type 'string'
```

Helps avoid null/undefined bugs by forcing you to check them explicitly.

### 2. noImplicitAny

function greet(user: string) { return "Hello " + user;

}

```
function greet(user) {
 return "Hello " + user;
// X Error: Parameter 'user' implicitly has an 'any' type.
Fix:
```

### 3. ✓ strictFunctionTypes

```
type FuncA = (a: number) => void;
type FuncB = (a: number | string) => void;
let fnA: FuncA;
let fnB: FuncB;
fnA = fnB; // X Error with strictFunctionTypes
```

```
4. ✓ strictPropertyInitialization
class User {
 name: string; // X Property 'name' has no initializer
 constructor() {
  // this.name not initialized
}
}
V Fix:
class User {
 name: string;
 constructor() {
  this.name = "Routh";
}
}
5. V alwaysStrict
Automatically adds "use strict"; in all compiled JS files.
6. ✓ noImplicitThis
function show() {
 console.log(this); // X Error: 'this' implicitly has type 'any'
}
Fix with proper context:
const obj = {
 name: "Routh",
 show(this: { name: string }) {
  console.log(this.name);
 }
};
```

#### 7. wseUnknownInCatchVariables

```
try {
  throw "error";
} catch (e) {
  console.log(e.toUpperCase()); // × e is of type 'unknown'
}

V Fix:

try {
  throw "error";
} catch (e: any) {
  console.log(e.toUpperCase());
}
```

## Pro Tip: Enable Strict Mode One-by-One

If you're new to strict typing, you can enable options individually:

```
"strictNullChecks": true,
"noImplicitAny": true
```

## Advanced tsconfig.json Setup

```
"compilerOptions": {
  "target": "ES2020",
  "module": "ESNext",
  "moduleResolution": "node",
  "outDir": "build",
  "sourceMap": true,
  "strict": true,
  "esModuleInterop": true,
  "forceConsistentCasingInFileNames": true,
  "skipLibCheck": true,
```

```
"resolveJsonModule": true
},
"include": ["src/**/*"],
"exclude": ["node_modules", "tests"]
```

#### X Additional Features:

- "sourceMap": Useful for debugging in VSCode.
- "esModuleInterop": Allows mixing default and named imports.
- "resolveJsonModule": Lets you import .json files.
- "forceConsistentCasingInFileNames": Avoid case-sensitive issues on different OSes.

## Summary Table of Common Compiler Flags

Option	Purpose	Recommende d
strict	Enables all strict checks	Yes
noImplicitAny	Forces you to type everything	
strictNullChecks	Prevents null/undefined errors	Yes
outDir	Sets output directory	Yes
sourceMap	Enables debugging in browser/VSCode	Yes
esModuleInterop	Better interop with CommonJS/ESM	Yes
resolveJsonModule	Allows . j son imports	Yes
skipLibCheck	Speeds up compilation by skipping node_modules types	Optional





## Practice Challenge for You

Create a tsconfig.json with the following:

- "strict": true
- Output goes to build/
- Accept imports from . j son files
- Only include files in src/

```
Then create a src/index.ts:
import data from "./data.json";
console.log("Loaded data:", data);
Create a data.json:
 "username": "routhkiran",
 "isActive": true
Compile and run with:
tsc
node build/index.js
```

If you'd like, I can generate a complete example project folder structure with sample code. Would you like that?

### M Overloads Function overloads based on input Not possible in plain JS. type

Absolutely, Routh Kiran Babu! Let's break down Function Overloads in TypeScript — a powerful feature that allows you to write different function signatures for different input types (something not possible in plain JavaScript).

## What is Function Overloading?

Function Overloading lets you define multiple function signatures with different input and return types, but implement only one actual function.

#### **Real-world Scenario**

Imagine a function that:

- Returns the length of a string
- Returns the length of an array
- Throws error for anything else



### 🧪 Step-by-step: Basic to Advanced



#### 1. Basic Overload Example (string or number)

```
function combine(a: string, b: string): string;
function combine(a: number, b: number): number;
function combine(a: any, b: any): any {
 return a + b:
}
console.log(combine(10, 20));
                                // 30
```

```
console.log(combine("Hi ", "TS")); // Hi TS // console.log(combine(10, "TS")); // X Error: No matching overload
```

P The implementation is **only one**, but the **overload signatures** allow type checking.

## 2. Array and String Overload

```
function getLength(input: string): number;
function getLength(input: any[]): number;
function getLength(input: any): number {
  return input.length;
}
console.log(getLength("TypeScript")); // 10
console.log(getLength([1, 2, 3, 4])); // 4
```

▼ Type-safe: Only string or array types allowed.

### 3. Object Overload with Custom Types

```
type User = { name: string };
type Admin = { name: string; role: string };
function describe(person: User): string;
function describe(person: Admin): string;

function describe(person: any): string {
  if ('role' in person) {
    return `${person.name} is an Admin with role ${person.role}`;
  }
  return `${person.name} is a User`;
}

console.log(describe({ name: "Kiran" }));
console.log(describe({ name: "Kiran", role: "Tester" }));
```

#### 4. Overload with Optional Parameters

```
function greet(name: string): string;
function greet(): string;
function greet(name?: string): string {
 return name ? `Hello, ${name}` : "Hello, stranger!";
}
console.log(greet("Routh")); // Hello, Routh
console.log(greet());
                      // Hello, stranger!
```

#### 5. Advanced: Return Types Based on Inputs

```
function reverse(input: string): string;
function reverse(input: number[]): number[];
function reverse(input: any): any {
 if (typeof input === "string") {
  return input.split("").reverse().join("");
 } else if (Array.isArray(input)) {
  return input.reverse();
 }
}
console.log(reverse("hello")); // "olleh"
console.log(reverse([1, 2, 3, 4])); // [4, 3, 2, 1]
```



### Rules for Overloads in TypeScript

- 1. Multiple signatures but only one implementation.
- 2. The implementation must handle all overload cases.
- 3. TypeScript will **enforce correct usage** at compile time.

## X Not Possible in Plain JavaScript

In JavaScript, you **can't enforce types**, so function overloading is usually done by checking typeof or arguments.length, but without type safety.

## Summary

Concept	TypeScript Supports	JavaScript Supports
Function Overloads	✓ Yes	X No (manual logic)
Type Inference	✓ Yes	<b>X</b> No
Compile-Time Errors	✓ Yes	<b>X</b> No

Would you like to practice these examples in a TypeScript playground or VS Code snippet template? I can generate that for you.