

# Array.prototype.join()

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The `join()` method joins all elements of an array into a string.

## Syntax

```
str = arr.join([separator = ','])
```

## Parameters

**separator**

Optional. Specifies a string to separate each element of the array. The separator is converted to a string if necessary. If omitted, the array elements are separated with a comma. If `separator` is an empty string, all elements are joined without any characters in between them.

## Description

The string conversions of all array elements are joined into one string. If an element is `undefined` or `null`, it is converted to the empty string.

## Examples

### Joining an array four different ways

The following example creates an array, `a`, with three elements, then joins the array four times: using the default separator, then a comma and a space, then a plus and an empty string.

```
1 | var a = ['Wind', 'Rain', 'Fire'];
2 | var myVar1 = a.join();           // assigns 'Wind,Rain,Fire' to myVar1
3 | var myVar2 = a.join(' ', '');   // assigns 'Wind, Rain, Fire' to myVar2
4 | var myVar3 = a.join(' + ');     // assigns 'Wind + Rain + Fire' to myVar3
5 | var myVar4 = a.join('');        // assigns 'WindRainFire' to myVar4
```

## Specifications

Specification	Status	Comment
<a href="#">ECMAScript 1st Edition (ECMA-262)</a>	<div><div></div>STStandard</div>	Initial definition. Implemented in JavaScript 1.1.
<a href="#">ECMAScript 5.1 (ECMA-262)</a> The definition of 'Array.prototype.join' in that specification.	<div><div></div>STStandard</div>	
<a href="#">ECMAScript 2015 (6th Edition, ECMA-262)</a> The definition of 'Array.prototype.join' in that specification.	<div><div></div>STStandard</div>	

## Browser compatibility

	Desktop	Mobile				
Feature	Chrome	Firefox (Gecko)	Internet Explorer	Opera	Safari	
Basic support	1.0	1.0 (1.7 or earlier)	5.5	(Yes)	(Yes)	

## See also

- `String.prototype.split()`
- `Array.prototype.toString()`
- `TypedArray.prototype.join()`

