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## JavaScript Type Conversions

In programming, type conversion is the process of converting data of one type to another. For example: converting String data to Number.

There are two types of type conversion in JavaScript.

Implicit Conversion - automatic type conversion

Explicit Conversion - manual type conversion

## JavaScript Implicit Conversion

In certain situations, JavaScript automatically converts one data type to another (to the right type). This is known as implicit conversion.

### Example 1: Implicit Conversion to String

```
// numeric string used with + gives string type  
let result;
```

```
result = '3' + 2;  
console.log(result) // "32"
```

```
result = '3' + true;  
console.log(result); // "3true"
```

```
result = '3' + undefined;  
console.log(result); // "3undefined"
```

```
result = '3' + null;  
console.log(result); // "3null"
```

Note: When a number is added to a string, JavaScript converts the number to a string before concatenation.

### Example 2: Implicit Conversion to Number

```
// numeric string used with - , / , * results number  
type
```

```
let result;
```

```
result = '4' - '2';  
console.log(result); // 2
```

```
result = '4' - 2;  
console.log(result); // 2
```

```
result = '4' * 2;  
console.log(result); // 8
```

```
result = '4' / 2;  
console.log(result); // 2
```

Example 3: Non-numeric String Results to NaN

```
// non-numeric string used with - , / , * results to NaN
```

```
let result;
```

```
result = 'hello' - 'world';  
console.log(result); // NaN
```

```
result = '4' - 'hello';  
console.log(result); // NaN
```

Example 4: Implicit Boolean Conversion to Number

```
// if boolean is used, true is 1, false is 0
```

```
let result;
```

```
result = '4' - true;
console.log(result); // 3
```

```
result = 4 + true;
console.log(result); // 5
```

```
result = 4 + false;
console.log(result); // 4
```

Note: JavaScript considers 0 as false and all non-zero number as true. And, if true is converted to a number, the result is always 1.

Example 5: null Conversion to Number

```
// null is 0 when used with number
let result;
```

```
result = 4 + null;
console.log(result); // 4
```

```
result = 4 - null;
console.log(result); // 4
```

Example 6: undefined used with number, boolean or null

```
// Arithmetic operation of undefined with number,
boolean or null gives NaN
```

```
let result;
```

```
result = 4 + undefined;
console.log(result); // NaN
```

```
result = 4 - undefined;  
console.log(result); // NaN
```

```
result = true + undefined;  
console.log(result); // NaN
```

```
result = null + undefined;  
console.log(result); // NaN
```

## JavaScript Explicit Conversion

You can also convert one data type to another as per your needs. The type conversion that you do manually is known as explicit type conversion.

In JavaScript, explicit type conversions are done using built-in methods.

Here are some common methods of explicit conversions.

### 1. Convert to Number Explicitly

To convert numeric strings and boolean values to numbers, you can use `Number()`. For example,

```
let result;
```

```
// string to number  
result = Number('324');  
console.log(result); // 324
```

```
result = Number('324e-1')  
console.log(result); // 32.4
```

```
// boolean to number  
result = Number(true);  
console.log(result); // 1
```

```
result = Number(false);  
console.log(result); // 0
```

In JavaScript, empty strings and null values return 0. For example,

```
let result;  
result = Number(null);  
console.log(result); // 0
```

```
let result = Number(' ');  
console.log(result); // 0
```

If a string is an invalid number, the result will be NaN. For example,

```
let result;  
result = Number('hello');  
console.log(result); // NaN
```

```
result = Number(undefined);  
console.log(result); // NaN
```

```
result = Number(NaN);  
console.log(result); // NaN
```

Note: You can also generate numbers from strings using `parseInt()`, `parseFloat()`, unary operator `+` and `Math.floor()`. For example,

```
let result;  
result = parseInt('20.01');  
console.log(result); // 20
```

```
result = parseFloat('20.01');  
console.log(result); // 20.01
```

```
result = +'20.01';  
console.log(result); // 20.01
```

```
result = Math.floor('20.01');  
console.log(result); // 20
```

## 2. Convert to String Explicitly

To convert other data types to strings, you can use either `String()` or `toString()`. For example,

```
//number to string  
let result;  
result = String(324);  
console.log(result); // "324"
```

```
result = String(2 + 4);  
console.log(result); // "6"
```

```
//other data types to string  
result = String(null);  
console.log(result); // "null"
```

```
result = String(undefined);  
console.log(result); // "undefined"
```

```
result = String(NaN);  
console.log(result); // "NaN"
```

```
result = String(true);  
console.log(result); // "true"
```

```
result = String(false);
```

```
console.log(result); // "false"
```

```
// using toString()
```

```
result = (324).toString();
```

```
console.log(result); // "324"
```

```
result = true.toString();
```

```
console.log(result); // "true"
```

Note: `String()` takes `null` and `undefined` and converts them to string. However, `toString()` gives error when `null` are passed.

### 3. Convert to Boolean Explicitly

To convert other data types to a boolean, you can use `Boolean()`.

In JavaScript, `undefined`, `null`, `0`, `NaN`, `' '` converts to `false`. For example,

```
let result;
```

```
result = Boolean('');
```

```
console.log(result); // false
```

```
result = Boolean(0);
```

```
console.log(result); // false
```

```
result = Boolean(undefined);
```

```
console.log(result); // false
```

```
result = Boolean(null);
```

```
console.log(result); // false
```

```
result = Boolean(NaN);
```

```
console.log(result); // false
```

All other values give true. For example,

```
result = Boolean(324);  
console.log(result); // true
```

```
result = Boolean('hello');  
console.log(result); // true
```

```
result = Boolean(' ');  
console.log(result); // true
```

### JavaScript Type Conversion Table

The table shows the conversion of different values to String, Number, and Boolean in JavaScript.

Value	String Conversion	Number Conversion	Boolean Conversion
1	"1"	1	true
0	"0"	0	false
"1"	"1"	1	true
"0"	"0"	0	true
"ten"	"ten"	NaN	true
true	"true"	1	true
false	"false"	0	false
null	"null"	0	false



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undefined      "undefined"      NaN      fal
se
''              ""              0          fal
se
' '            "
"              0              true
You will learn about the conversion of objects and
arrays to other data types in later tutorials.
*/

// //number
// //example
// let result;

// result = '4' - '2';
// console.log(result);

// //example
// //string
// let result1;

// result1 = 'abc' - 'efg';
// console.log(result1);

// //example
// let result3;

// result3 = '4' - 2;
// console.log(result3);

// //example
// let result4;

// result3 = '2' - 'efg';
// console.log(result3);

```

```
//boolean
```

```
// let res;  
// res = '4' - true;  
// console.log(res);
```

```
// let res;  
// res = '4' + true;  
// console.log(res);
```

```
// let res;  
// res = 4 + true;  
// console.log(res);
```

```
// let res;  
// res = 4 + false;  
// console.log(res); //4
```

```
//null
```

```
// let res;  
// res = 4 + null;  
// console.log(res); //4
```

```
// let res;  
// res = 4-null;  
// console.log(res); //4
```

```
//Explicitly
```

```
//Number
```

```
// let res;
```

```
// res = Number("113");
// console.log(res);

// res = Number(true);
// console.log(res);

// res = Number(false);
// console.log(res);

// res = Number(null);
// console.log(res);

// res = Number(' ');
// console.log(res);

// res = Number('hello');
// console.log(res);

// res = Number(undefined);
// console.log(res);

//string

// let res;

// res = String(324);
// console.log(res);

// res = String(2+6);
// console.log(res);

// res = String(null);
// console.log(res);

// res = String(undefined);
```

```
// console.log(res);

// res = String(true);
// console.log(res);

// res = String(false);
// console.log(res);

// res = String(NaN);
// console.log(res);

//boolean

// let result;
// result = Boolean('');
// console.log(result); // false

// result = Boolean(0);
// console.log(result); // false

// result = Boolean(undefined);
// console.log(result); // false

// result = Boolean(null);
// console.log(result); // false

// result = Boolean(NaN);
// console.log(result); // false

//spread operator:

// let arr = [1, 2, 3];

// let arr1 = [5, 4, 6, ...arr];
// console.log(arr1);
```

```
// let arr1 = [...arr, 5, 4, 6];
// console.log(arr1);

// let arr1 = [5, 4, ...arr, 6,];
// console.log(arr1);

// let arr2 = [4, 5, 6];
// let arr3 = [...arr, ...arr2];
// console.log(arr3);

//rest paramaters:

// function sum(...args) {
//   console.log(args);
// }
// sum();
// sum(1);
// sum(1, 2, 3, 4);

function sum(...args) {
  let sum = 0;
  for (let i = 0; i < args.length; i++) {
    sum = sum + args[i];
  }
  console.log(sum);
}
sum();
sum(1);
sum(1, 2, 3, 4);
```