Comparison Operators

Now, we'll learn how to perform comparisons in Python using comparison operators.

We'll cover the following

Comparison operators can be used to compare values in mathematical terms.

Operator	Purpose	Notation
>	Greater Than	In-fix
<	Less Than	In-fix
>=	Greater Than or Equal To	In-fix
<=	Less Than or Equal To	In-fix
==	Equal To	In-fix
!=	Not Equal To	In-fix
is	Equal To (Identity)	In-fix

Operator	Purpose	Notation
`is not`	Not Equal To (Identity)	In-fix

Comparisons

The result of a comparison is always a bool.

If the comparison is correct, the value of the bool will be `True`. Otherwise, its value will be `False`.

The `==` and `!=` operators compare the **values** of both operands. However, the identity operators, `is` and `is not`, check whether the two operands are the **exact same object**. We don't need to delve into them yet, but you'll understand their utility later on.

Let's look at a few examples:

```
num1 = 5
num2 = 10
num3 = 10
print(num2 > num1)  # 10 is greater than 5
print(num1 > num2)  # 5 is not greater than 1(

print(num2 == num3)  # Both have the same valu
print(num3 != num1)  # Both have different val

print(3 + 10 == 5 + 5)  # Both are not equal
print(3 <= 2)  # 3 is not less than or equal t

```

As we can see in **line 4**, `num2` is indeed greater than `num1`. Hence, the result is `True`. On the other hand, **line 5** contains an incorrect comparison, which results in `False`.

Next, we'll study the **assignment operators**.

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