

Dart Cheat Sheet

1. Comments

rest of line	//...
rest of line and multi-line	/*...*/
documentation	///...

2. Operators

unary postfix	...++ ...-- ...() ...[] : ...?[...] ² ...![...] ³ ...?. ² ...!. ³
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unary prefix	~... !... ~... ++... --... await ...
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multiplicative	* / % ~/
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additive	+ -
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shift	<< >> >>> ¹
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bitwise	& ^
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relational and type test	>= > <= < as is is!
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equality	== !=
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logical	&&
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if null	??
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tertiary	expr ? expr : expr
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cascade	.. ?.. ² !.. ³
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assignment	= *= /= %= ~/= += -= <<= >>= >>>= &= ^= = ??=
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spread? ²
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¹ Unsigned shift right

² Conditional access if not null

³ Runtime error if null

3. Core Data Types

void	void
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boolean	bool
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64-bit integer	int
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64-bit float	double
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string ¹	String
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dynamic (runtime)	dynamic
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symbol	Symbol
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collections	List Set Map
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functions	Function
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futures	Future
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streams	Stream
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¹ Sequence of UTF-16 code units

4. Declarations

explicit type	type ident; type ident = expr; const type ident = expr; final ident; final ident = expr; late ident;
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inferred type	var ident = expr; const ident = expr; final ident = expr;
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enumeration ¹	enum ident { ident, ident, }
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generic constraints	...<T extends Type>...
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type alias	typedef ident = type;
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¹ Define at global scope. Use `index` getter for value.

5. Literals

decimal int	123
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float	123.45 1.0e4 8e5
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hex	0x1234ABCD
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boolean	true false
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strings	"abc" 'abc' """abc""" r"abc"
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interpolated string	'\$ident \${expr}'
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character	\r \n \t
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unicode code point	\u2665 \u{1f606}
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symbol ¹	#ident
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list	[expr, expr, ...] <type>[...]
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set	{ expr, expr, ...} <T, ...>{...}
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map	{ const: expr, ...} <type, type>{...}
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¹ Symbols are not minified

6. Control Flow

if/then/else	if (expr) {...} else if (expr) {...} else {...}
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for loop ²	for (stmt; expr; stmt) {...} for (decl in iter) {...}
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async for loop ²	async for (decl in stream) {...}
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while ²	while (expr) {...}
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do while ²	do { } while (expr);
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try/catch/ finally	try {...} on type {...} on type catch (ident) {...} catch (ident) {...} catch (ident, ident ³) {...} finally {...}
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switch ¹	<pre>switch (expr) { case const1: break; case const2: break; case const3: continue label; ... label: default: break; }</pre>
return	<pre>return; return expr;</pre>
continue	<pre>continue; continue label;</pre>
break	<pre>break;</pre>

¹ Local variables are scoped to case clause.

² Can use break & continue to alter control flow

³ Stack trace

7. Functions, Closures & Generators

functions ¹	<pre>type ident(arg, arg2) { return expr; }</pre>
async functions ¹	<pre>Future<T> ident(...) async { ... }</pre>
closure ²	<pre>() => expr arg => expr (arg, ...) => expr () {} (arg, ...) { ... return expr; } (...) async {...}</pre>
generic functions	<pre>type ident<T, ...>(...) {...}</pre>
async. function	<pre>Future<T> ident(...) async {...} (...) async => expr</pre>
sync. generator	<pre>Iterable<T> ident(...) sync* { ... yield expr; }</pre>
async. generator	<pre>Stream<T> ident(...) async* { ... yield expr; }</pre>

recursive
generator² `yield* expr;`

¹ Methods have access to the `this` variable

² Can use for both `sync*` and `async*` generators

8. Function & Constructor Parameters

positional	<code>(type ident, type ident)</code>
optional positional ¹	<code>(type ident, [type? ident])</code>
named	<code>({type ident})</code>
default named	<code>({type ident=const})</code>
required named	<code>({required type ident})</code>

mixed positional & named	<code>(type ident, ..., {type ident, ...})</code>
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¹ Cannot be used with named arguments

9. Additional List Operations

for	<code>[for (...) expr]</code>
if	<code>[if (expr) expr]</code>
spread	<code>[ident, ...ident, ...?ident]</code>

10. Imports & Exports

library ¹	<code>library ident;</code>
imports	<pre>import 'file.dart'; import 'package:ident/...'; import 'dart:ident';</pre>
exports	<code>export 'file.dart' show ident;</code>
alias/deferred ²	<pre>import ... as ident import ... deferred as ident</pre>
show/hide	<pre>import ... show ident import ... hide ident</pre>

¹ Only required for metadata & documentation

² Use `deferred` with `loadLibrary()`. `dart2js` only.

11. Classes

class/ generic class	<pre>class Type { fields constructors properties methods } class Type<T,...> {...}</pre>
static/const	<pre>static decl const decl const static decl</pre>
constructor ¹	<pre>Type(...) Type(...) : super(...) Type(...) : super.ident(...) Type(...) : ident = expr, ...</pre>
call superclass	<pre>{ ...; super();} { super(); ...}</pre>
assignment sugar	<code>Ident(this.ident, ...)</code>
named constructor	<code>Ident.ident(...)</code>
properties	<pre>type get ident {...} type get ident => expr type set ident {...}</pre>
inheritance	<code>class Type extends Type {...}</code>
interface	<code>class Ident implements Ident {...}</code>
mix-in	<pre>mixin Type {...} mixin Type on Type {...}</pre>
callable class	<code>class ... { call(...) {} }</code>
builtin metadata ²	<code>@Override @Deprecated</code>
abstract class	<code>abstract class Type {...}</code>
extension ³	<pre>extension Ident on Type {...} Ident(Type(...))</pre>

¹ Constructors not inherited. Default constructor calls `super(...)`. Right hand side cannot access `this`.

² Custom metadata is just a simple `class`.

³ Use "wrapper class" syntax only for name conflicts.