

# Window clearInterval()

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## Example

Display the time once every second. Use `clearInterval()` to stop the time:

```
const myInterval = setInterval(myTimer, 1000);

function myTimer() {
  const date = new Date();
  document.getElementById("demo").innerHTML = date.toLocaleTimeString();
}

function myStopFunction() {
  clearInterval(myInterval);
}
```

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More examples below.

## Description

The `clearInterval()` method clears a timer set with the `setInterval()` method.

## Note

To clear an interval, use the **id** returned from `setInterval()`:

```
clearInterval(myInterval);
```

## See Also:

[The setInterval\(\) Method](#)

[The setTimeout\(\) Method](#)

[The clearTimeout\(\) Method](#)

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## Syntax

```
clearInterval(intervalId)
```

## Parameters

Parameter	Description
<i>intervalId</i>	Required. The interval id returned from setInterval().

## Return Value

```
NONE
```

# More Examples

Toggle between two background colors once every 500 milliseconds:

```
const myInterval = setInterval(setColor, 500);

function setColor() {
  let x = document.body;
  x.style.backgroundColor = x.style.backgroundColor == "yellow" ? "pink" : "yellow";
}

function stopColor() {
  clearInterval(myInterval);
}
```

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Using setInterval() and clearInterval() to create a dynamic progress bar:

```
function move() {
  const element = document.getElementById("myBar");
  let width = 0;
  const id = setInterval(frame, 100);
  function frame() {
    if (width == 100) {
      clearInterval(id);
    } else {
      width++;
      element.style.width = width + '%';
    }
  }
}
```

# Browser Support

`clearInterval()` is supported in all browsers:

Chrome	Edge	Firefox	Safari	Opera	IE
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes



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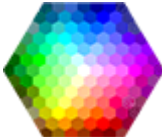
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