

JavaScript Operators

An **operator** is a symbol that performs an operation on values or variables.

Example: `let a = 10 + 5; // '+' is an operator`

◆ 1. Arithmetic Operators

Used for mathematical calculations.

Operator	Description	Example	Output
+	Addition	<code>10 + 5</code>	15
-	Subtraction	<code>10 - 5</code>	5
*	Multiplication	<code>10 * 5</code>	50
/	Division	<code>10 / 5</code>	2
%	Modulus (remainder)	<code>10 % 3</code>	1
**	Exponentiation	<code>2 ** 3</code>	8
++	Increment	<code>a++</code>	Adds 1
--	Decrement	<code>a--</code>	Subtracts 1

◆ 2. Assignment Operators

Used to assign values.

Operator	Example	Same As
=	<code>x = 5</code>	<code>x = 5</code>
+=	<code>x += 5</code>	<code>x = x + 5</code>
-=	<code>x -= 5</code>	<code>x = x - 5</code>
*=	<code>x *= 5</code>	<code>x = x * 5</code>
/=	<code>x /= 5</code>	<code>x = x / 5</code>
%=	<code>x %= 5</code>	<code>x = x % 5</code>

◆ 3. Comparison Operators

Used to compare two values (returns `true` or `false`).

Operator	Description	Example	Output
==	Equal to	5 == "5"	true
===	Strict equal (value + type)	5 === "5"	false
!=	Not equal	5 != 6	true
!==	Strict not equal	5 !== "5"	true
>	Greater than	10 > 5	true
<	Less than	10 < 5	false
>=	Greater or equal	10 >= 10	true
<=	Less or equal	10 <= 5	false

◆ 4. Logical Operators

Operator	Meaning	Example	Result
&&	AND	(a > 0 && b > 0)	true if both true
	OR	(a > 0 b > 0)	true if one true
!	NOT	!(a > 0)	reverses the result

◆ 5. String Operators

The plus sign (+) is used to concatenate (join) strings.

Operator	Description	Example	Result
+	Concatenation	"Hello " + "World"	"Hello World"
+=	Add & assign	text += "JS"	append text

◆ 6. Ternary Operator

Shortcut for `if...else`.

Example:

```
let age = 18;
let result = (age >= 18) ? "Adult" : "Minor";
console.log(result); // Adult
```

Other miscellaneous operators

- **typeof**: Returns a string indicating the data type of an operand, e.g., `typeof 42` returns `"number"`.
 - **delete**: Deletes a property from an object, e.g., `delete person.age`.
 - **in**: Returns `true` if a property exists in a specified object.
 - **instanceof**: Returns `true` if an object is an instance of a specified object type.
 - **Comma (,)**: Evaluates multiple expressions and returns the value of the last one.
 - **Spread (...)**: Expands an iterable into individual elements.
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Template Literals

Template literals are an **easier way to create strings** in JavaScript. They allow:

- Multi-line strings
- Embedding variables and expressions inside strings
- Using backticks (```) instead of quotes (`'` or `"`)

Syntax:

```
`string text ${expression} string text`
```

- Use **backticks** (```), not single or double quotes.
- Inside `${}`, you can write **variables** or even **expressions**.

Example 1 – Basic Variable Insertion

```
let name = "Raj";
let age = 24;

console.log(`My name is ${name} and I am ${age} years old.`);
```

 Output:

My name is Raj and I am 24 years old.

Example 2 – Expression Inside `${}`

```
let a = 10;
let b = 5;

console.log(`The sum of ${a} and ${b} is ${a + b}.`);
```

 Output:

The sum of 10 and 5 is 15.

Example 3 – Multi-line String

```
let message = `
Hello everyone,
This is a multi-line string
using template literals.
`;

console.log(message);
```

 Output:

Hello everyone,
This is a multi-line string
using template literals.

Example 4 – Inside Object

```
let user = { name: "Aarav", country: "Nepal" };
console.log(`User ${user.name} is from ${user.country}.`);
```

 Output:

User Aarav is from Nepal.

✓ Mini Assignment (Practice)

1. Create two variables `a` and `b` with any numbers.
2. Perform all arithmetic and comparison operations and print results.
3. Join two strings with `+`.
4. Use a ternary operator to check if a number is positive or negative.
5. Use **nested ternary** to grade marks: (`marks >= 90 → A+`, `marks >= 80 → A`, `marks >= 70 → B`, `otherwise → Fail`)