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- ▶ Is a superset of JavaScript
- JavaScript code runs on TypeScript
- TypeScript compiles to plain old JS

```
Info.ts
                                                    Info.js
      This is TypeScript code
                                                        This is TypeScript code
    class Address{
                                                    var Address = (function () {
      city:string="Cebu City";
                                                        function Address() {
      country:string="Philippines"
                                                            this.city = "Cebu City";
      getAddress():string{
                                                            this.country = "Philippines";
       return this.city + this.country;
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                                                        Address.prototype.getAddress = function () {
                                                            return this.city + this.country;
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                                                        };
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                                                        return Address;
                                                   }());
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      This is normal JavaScript code
                                                        This is normal JavaScript code
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   function getAddress(){
                                                   function getAddress() {
      var city="Cebu City";
                                                        var city = "Cebu City";
18
      var country="Philippines"
                                                        var country = "Philippines";
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     return city + country;
                                                        return city + country;
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Static Type Checking

```
MainJS.js
                                                 Main.ts
    //JAVASCRIPT
                                                 //TYPESCRIPT
   var id=0;
                                                 var id:number=0;
   id="ABC";
                                                 id="ABC";
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   function setAccountNumber(value){
                                                 function setAccountNumber(value:number){
      var acctNum="value";
                                                   var acctNum:number="value";
 9
                                                 setAccountNumber("XYZ");
   setAccountNumber("XYZ");
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                                                 function getName():string{ <--
   function getName(){
      var name="uzumaki naruto";
                                                   var name="uzumaki naruto";
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15
   var myVariable=getName();
                                                var myVariable:number=getName();
```



Effects of Static Type Checking

- Allows IDEs to perform live error checks
- Exposes auto-completion and code hinting

```
LibraryTest.js
                                                           LibraryTest.ts
                                                                          •
     //Trying to use JQuery
                                                           //Trying to use JQuery
     $("")
                                                          $("")
                                                            $(selector: string, context?: Element | JQuery): JQuery
                                                             Accepts a string containing a CSS selector which is then used to match a set of elements.
                                                            selector: A string containing a selector expression
     $("#myDiv")
                                                          $("#myDiv").h
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                                                                         has
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                                                                          innerHeight
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                                                          //Trying to define a click event
     $("myDiv").click("")
                                                          $("myDiv").click("")
                                                                               click(eventData?: any, handler?: (eventObject: JQueryEventObject) => any): JQuery
                                                                                Bind an event handler to the "click" JavaScript event
                                                                               eventData: An object containing data that will be passed to the event handler.
```



A few of the other cool features

- Support for Object Oriented Programming
- Compile to a specific ECMAScript version
- Integration with Gulp/Grunt
- and much more:

http://www.typescriptlang.org/docs/index.html

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