Differentiating between Types with Type Guards



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3 Levels of Differentiation



Using typeof to Differentiate

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typeof variable === "string" | "number" | ...
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Using typeof to Differentiate Between Values

Using instanceof to Differentiate

variableName instanceof ClassName

Using instanceof to Differentiate Between Classes

Using User Defined Type Guards

function isX(var): var is TheType {}

User Defined Type Guards

Another User Defined Type Guard