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JavaScript RegExp * Quantifier

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Definition and Usage

The *n** quantifier matches any string that contains zero or more occurrences of *n*.

Syntax

```
new RegExp("n*")  
  
or simply:  
  
/n*/
```

Browser Support



The * quantifier is supported in all major browsers.

Examples

Example 1

Do a global search for an "l", followed by zero or more "o" characters:

```
var str="Hellooo World! Hello W3Schools!";  
var patt1=/lo*/g;
```

The **marked** text below shows where the expression gets a match:

Hel**l**oo**o** World! Hel**l**o W3School**s**!

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Example 2

Do a global search for a "1", followed by zero or more "0" characters:

```
var str="1, 100 or 1000?";  
var patt1=/10*/g;
```

The **marked** text below shows where the RegExp gets a match:

1, 100 or 1000?

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