03 Component Tests: Actions and Mocks

Testing React Apps

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import userEvent from 'atesting-library/user-event';
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    it('clears the message field', async () => {
      const user = userEvent.setup();
      render(<NewMessageForm />);
      await user.type(screen.getByLabelText('Message'), 'Hello world');
      await user.click(screen.getByRole('button', {name: 'Send'}));
      expect(screen.getByLabelText('Message')).toHaveValue('');
```

userEvent 14

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import userEvent from '@testing-library/user-event';
const user = userEvent.setup();
await user.click(element)
await user.type(element, text);
await user.clear(element);
await user.selectOptions(element, values);
```

userEvent 14

- Create React App installs 13 by default
- Be sure to update to 14!

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toHaveValue

Provided by Jest-DOM

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expect(...).toHaveValue('input text');
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Function Props: Mock Functions

https://jestjs.io/docs/mock-

functions



Creating a New Mock Function

```
const myMockFunction = jest.fn().mockName('myMockFunction');
```

Mock Matchers

```
expect(myMock).toHaveBeenCalledWith(param, otherParam, ...);
expect(myMock).toHaveBeenCalledWith(expect.any(String));
```

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```
it('calls the send handler', async () => {
  const user = userEvent.setup();
 const messageText = 'Hello world';
  const sendHandler = jest.fn().mockName('sendHandler');
  render(<NewMessageForm onSend={sendHandler} />);
  await user.type(screen.getByLabelText('Message'), messageText);
  await user.click(screen.getByRole('button', {name: 'Send'}));
 expect(sendHandler).toHaveBeenCalledWith(messageText);
});
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Exercise 2

- react-testing-exercises
- exercises/Exercise-2.md

For help:

- testing-library.com/docs/user-event/intro
- jestjs.io/docs/mock-functions

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