

Decision Analysis Report - React Router

Project Name: Tresearch

Application Type: Web Application

Trial By Fire

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Purpose

The purpose of this document is to recommend a react component library to route paths. This allows for navigation among views.

Technology Comparisons

- React-router
 - React component library routing solution
- React-router-dom
 - Re-exports react-router's exports but includes DOM-aware components. Most recommend react-router-dom when creating applications on a browser.
- Wouter
 - React component library routing solution

Metrics

- Render speed
 - The time required to compile and initialize a server with 100 routes
- History of Urls
 - Want to be able to keep URLs in memory. To be used when the user is logged out and to return to the previous page.
- Versions within the last year
 - On average, how often does a framework or API update? We want to use a framework or API that is kept up to date but not too frequently.

	react-router	react-router-dom	Wouter
Render speed (1)	43s (0.75)	40s (1)	52s (0.5)
URL History (0.75)	Yes, using <MemoryRouter> (1)	Yes using <MemoryRouter> (1)	No (0)
Versions within the 2 years (0.5)	28 (0.75)	30 (0.70)	17 (1)
Total	1.875	2.1	1

DAR Recommendation

Based on the scores of the DAR, it is clear that react-router-dom should be recommended based on the fact that its render speed far outpaced the others as well as the higher score.