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1
     import React, { useEffect, useState } from "react";
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 3
     function App() {
       // the data response from the API - initially empty array
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5
       const [data, setData] = useState([]);
       // a flag to indicate the data is loading - initially false
 6
7
       const [loading, setLoading] = useState(false);
       // a flag to indicate an error, if any - initially null.
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       const [error, setError] = useState(null);
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11
       //useEffect is a React Hook
12
       // lets you synchronize a component with an external system.
13
       useEffect(() => {
14
         // This is just a static JSON file - so not a 'real' API
15
         const URL =
16
           "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/petermooney/cs385/main/flights/today.json";
17
18
         async function fetchData() {
19
           try {
20
             const response = await fetch(URL);
21
             const json = await response.json(); // wait for the JSON response
22
             setLoading(true);
23
             // IMPORTANT - look at the JSON response - look at the structure
24
             setData(json); // IMPORTANT - the JSON response is
25
             // assigned to 'data' as an array of JSON objects
           } catch (error) {
26
27
             setError(error); // take the error message from the system
             setLoading(false);
28
29
           } // end try-catch block
30
         } // end of fetchData
31
32
         fetchData(); // invoke fetchData in useEffect
33
       }, []); // end of useEffect
       // notice the empty square brackets here?
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       // This means that the useEffect hook does not depend
36
       // on any other variable. Therefore, here it will only
37
       // happen once.
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39
       if (error) {
40
         return <h1>Opps! An error has occurred: {error.toString()}</h1>;
41
       } else if (loading === false) {
42
         return <h1>Loading Data..... please wait!</h1>;
43
       } else {
44
         return (
45
           // send the data to the ResultsComponent for render
46
47
             <ResultsComponent APIData={data} />
48
           </>
49
         );
50
       } // end else
51
     } // end App() function or component
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     // This is our Results Component
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    // This component will display the contents
    // the response of the API call from above.
55
56
57
    function ResultsComponent(props) {
58
      // To reduce the array size - let's just take
59
      // a smaller number of elements.
      let dataLength = props.APIData.length;
60
      let n = Math.floor(Math.random() * dataLength);
61
62
      // now use slice() to take the first n objects in the array
63
      let localAPIData = props.APIData.slice(0, n);
64
      return (
65
       <>
         <h1>Number of flights returned: {localAPIData.length}</h1>
66
         67
68
           <thead>
69
             70
              Flight No.
71
              Dept.
72
              Dest
73
              Arrival
74
             75
           </thead>
76
           77
             {localAPIData.map((p, index) => (
78
              79
                80
                  <b>{p.id}</b>
81
                82
                83
                  <b>{p.dept}</b>
84
                85
                86
                  <b>{p.dest}</b>
87
                {p.arrival}
88
89
              90
             ))}
91
           92
         93
       </>
94
      );
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96
    export default App;
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