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In power apps, how can I create a component when a button is pressed, is there any way to do this or do I have to create all teh components first and then I can unhide them when the button is clicked?

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Certainly! In Power Apps, you can create a component that responds to a button press. Here are a few approaches:

1. Button Control with OnSelect Property:

- Add a button control to your app.
- Set its OnSelect property to execute the desired action when the button is pressed.
- For example, you can use the following formula in the OnSelect property:

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Set(varShowMenu, false);
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- Click on the button to trigger the action.

2. Custom Component with Behavioral Properties:

- Create a custom component (canvas component) that encapsulates your desired behavior.
- Add properties to the component (e.g., onCancel, onSubmit).
- Set the OnSelect property of buttons within the component to the corresponding property value.
- Use the component in your main screen and update the property values to control visibility or behavior.

3. Split Button Component:

- Build a split button component (e.g., cmp_SplitButton).
- Add a main button (btn_main) with an OnSelect property that calls cmp_SplitButton.OnSelect().
- This approach allows you to determine if the button was selected in your app.

Remember to adapt these approaches based on your specific requirements. Feel free to explore other options as well! 😊