



JSX

JAVASCRIPT XML

JAVASCRIPT SYNTAX EXTENSION



JSX (JavaScript + XML) is an extension of JavaScript that allows you to write HTML directly within JavaScript, which has a few benefits of making your code more readable and exercising the full power of JavaScript within HTML.

Since JSX is not a valid JS code, it needs to be compiled into JS with a tool like Babel or similar.

JSX produces React “elements”. We will explore rendering them to the DOM in the next section. Below, you can find the basics of JSX necessary to get you started.



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QUELLE EXPRESSION
JAVASCRIPT VALIDE
DANS DES
ACCOLADES EN JSX.

```
function formatName(user) {  
  return user.firstName + ' ' + user.lastName;  
}  
  
const user = {  
  firstName: 'Kylia',  
  lastName: 'Mbappé'  
};  
  
const element = (  
  <h1>  
    Bonjour, {formatName(user)} !  
  </h1>  
>);  
  
ReactDOM.render(  
  element,  
  document.getElementById('root')  
>);
```

How can I write comments in JSX?

```
<div>
  {/* Comment goes here */}
  Hello, {name}!
</div>
```

```
<div>
  {/* It also works
  for multi-line comments. */}
  Hello, {name}!
</div>
```



JSX vs HTML

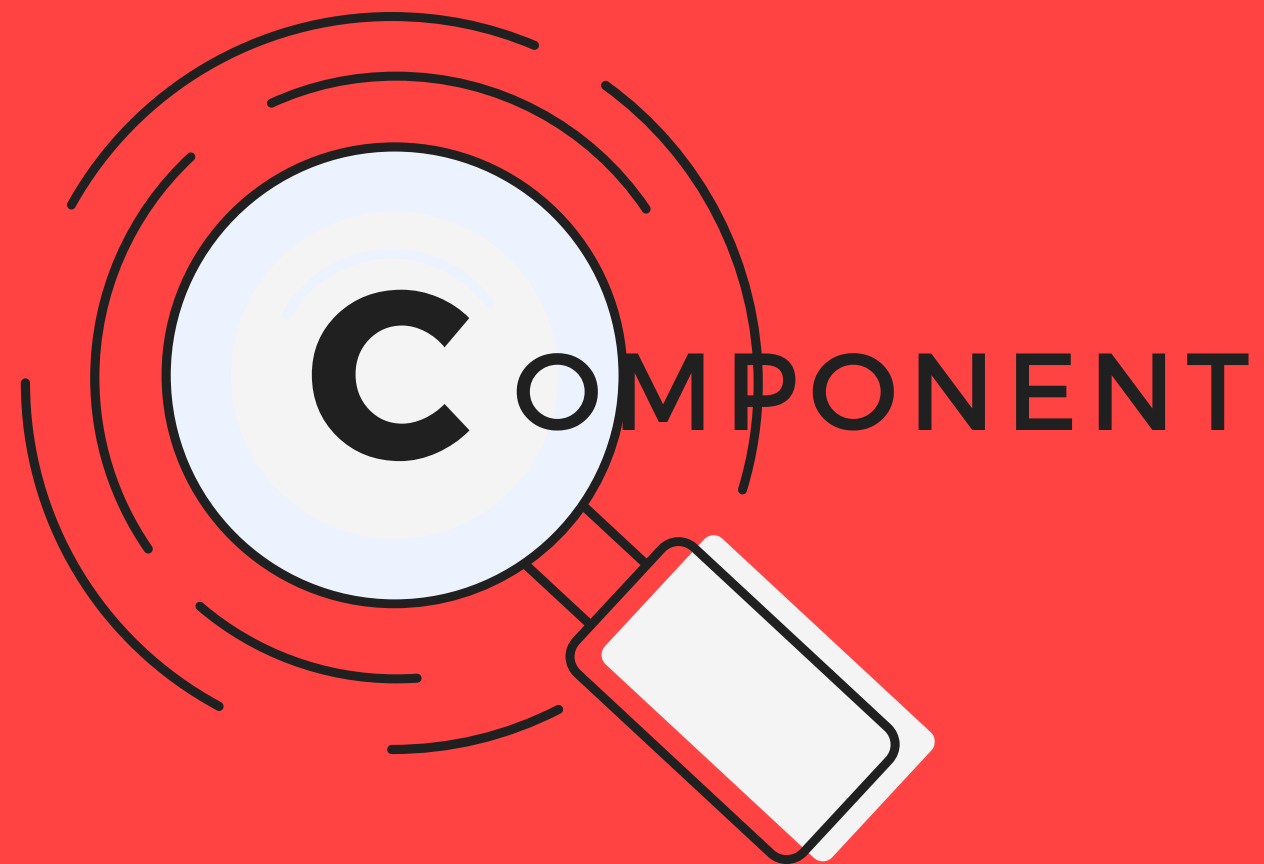
Another important difference is that in JSX you can't use the word `class` to define HTML classes, since `class` is a reserved word in JavaScript, instead, use — `className`.

In React, we can render JSX directly into HTML DOM using React rendering API, aka ReactDOM. The formula for rendering React elements looks like this:

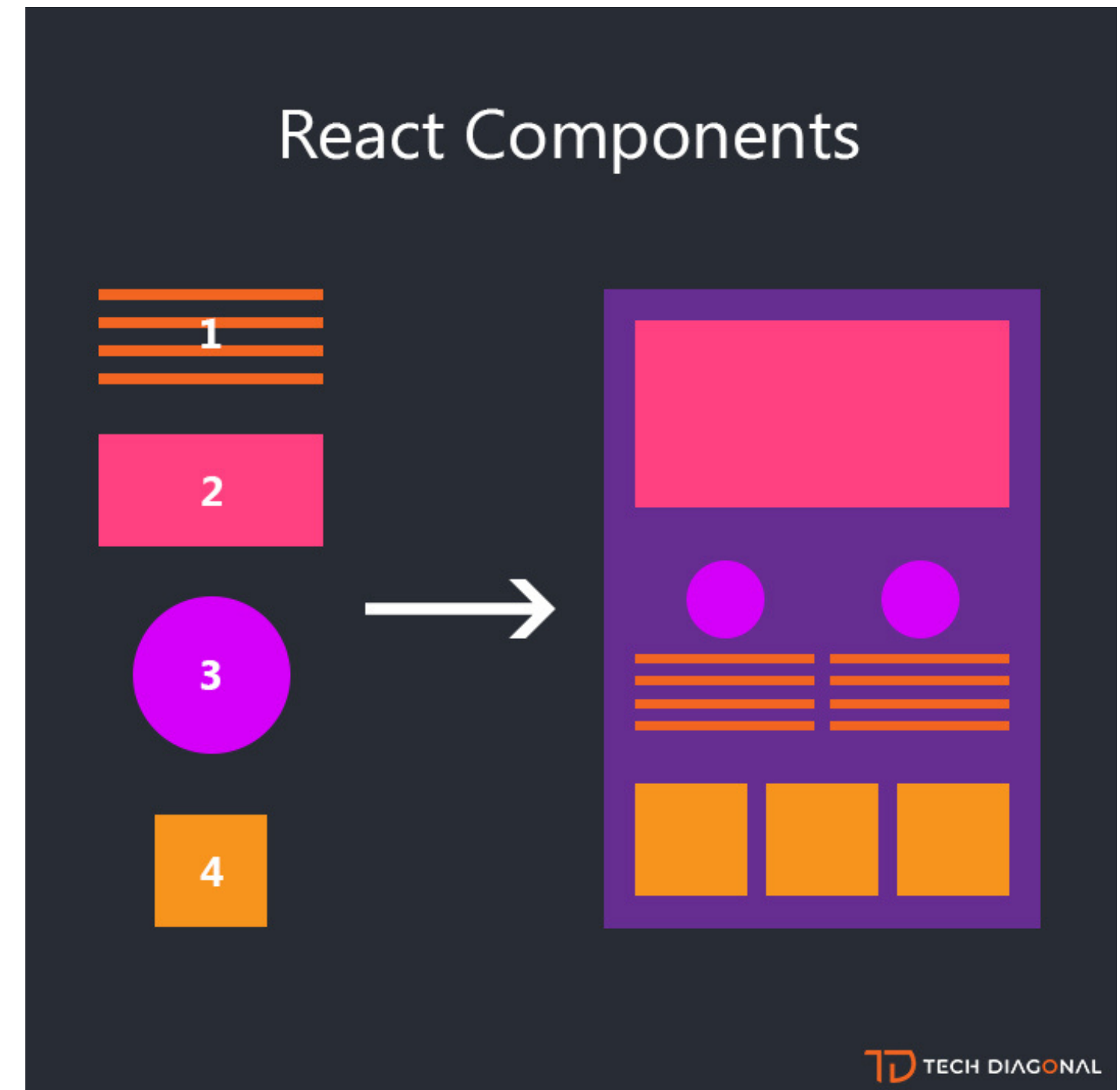
```
ReactDOM.render(componentToRender, targetNode)
```

`ReactDOM.render()` must be called after the JSX elements declarations.

.Moreover, all HTML attributes and event references in JSX become camelCase, this way, `onclick` event becomes `onClick` and `onchange` —> `onChange`.



Component splits UI into independent and reusable pieces which optionally accepts input called props and returns react element



Functional.js

```
import React from 'react';

function Functional(){
  return <h1>Example of
    Functional Component</h1>
}
```

```
export default Functional;
```

Step 1

App.js

```
import React from 'react';
import './App.css';
import Functional from './Functional'; //Don't use file extension
```

Step 2

```
function App() {
  return (
    <div className="App">
      <Functional/>
    </div>
  );
}
```

Step 3

```
export default App;
```

Functional.js

```
import React from 'react';

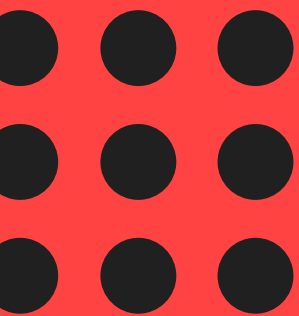
export const Functional = () =>
  <h1>Example of Functional
    Component</h1>
```

App.js

```
import React from 'react';
import './App.css';
import {Functional} from './Functional';
```

```
function App() {
  return (
    <div className="App">
      <Functional/>
    </div>
  );
}
```

```
export default App;
```



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