

ReactJS. Front to backend. BT 2022

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1 Hints


[tagName].[className]	div.main-element	<div className="main-element"></div>
[tagName]#[idName]	div#root	<div id="root"></div>
ul>li*[quantity]	ul>li*[quantity]	unordered list with 25 list items will be created

VSCoDe settings:


```
{
  "editor.fontSize": 18,
  "editor.tabSize": 3,
  "editor.bracketPairColorization.independentColorPoolPerBracketType": true,
  "editor.guides.bracketPairs": true,
  "editor.guides.bracketPairsHorizontal": true,
  "editor.wordWrap": "on",
  "workbench.colorTheme": "Monokai",
  "window.zoomLevel": 2,
  "prettier.arrowParens": "avoid",
  "prettier.jsxSingleQuote": true,
  "prettier.printWidth": 50,
  "prettier.singleQuote": true,
  "editor.formatOnSave": true,
  "[javascript]": {
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  },
  "[jsonc]": {
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  },
  "[json]": {
    "editor.defaultFormatter": "esbenp.prettier-vscode"
  },
  "[javascriptreact]": {
    "editor.defaultFormatter": "esbenp.prettier-vscode"
  }
}
```




Auto Rename Tag
Auto rename paired HTML/XML tag
Jun Han



Live Server
Launch a development local Server with live
Ritwick Dey



Prettier - Code formatter
Code formatter using prettier
Prettier



vscode-icons
Icons for Visual Studio Code
VSCode Icons Team

2 React basics and JSX

2.1 Feedback project intro

2.2 Create react app

You can create a new ReactJS app using next command:

CLI=> `npx create-react-app feedback-app --use-npm`

You can start your ReactJS app using next command (the terminal should be opened in root folder of your ReactJS app – in this case feedback-app):

CLI=> `npm run server`

Delete all the files from folder feedback-app/src

2.3 Initializing React

Create a main file feedback-app/src/index.js

2.3.1 How to create a new tag on your page with ReactDOM and vanillaJS?

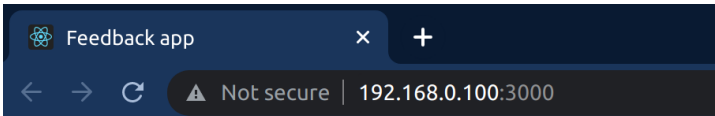
```
import React from 'react';
import ReactDOM from 'react-dom';
ReactDOM.render(<h1>My App</h1>, document.getElementById('root'));
```

2.3.2 How to create a main App.js file (main component)?

Create a main component feedback-app/src/App.js and do some changes in index.js

```
JS index.js U X
feedback-app > src > JS index.js
1  import React from 'react';
2  import ReactDOM from 'react-dom';
3  import App from './App';
4
5  ReactDOM.render(
6    <React.StrictMode>
7      <App />
8    </React.StrictMode>,
9    document.getElementById('root')
10 );
11
```

```
JS App.js U X
feedback-app > src > JS App.js > ...
1  import React from 'react';
2
3  const App = () => {
4    return <h1>Hello from the App component</h1>;
5  };
6
7  export default App;
8
```



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the title 'Feedback app'. The address bar shows 'Not secure | 192.168.0.100:3000'. The main content area displays 'Hello from the App component'.

Hello from the App component

2.3.3 How to add a main css file?

Create a main css file `feedback-app/src/index.css` and import it to `index.js`

2.4 Intro to JSX

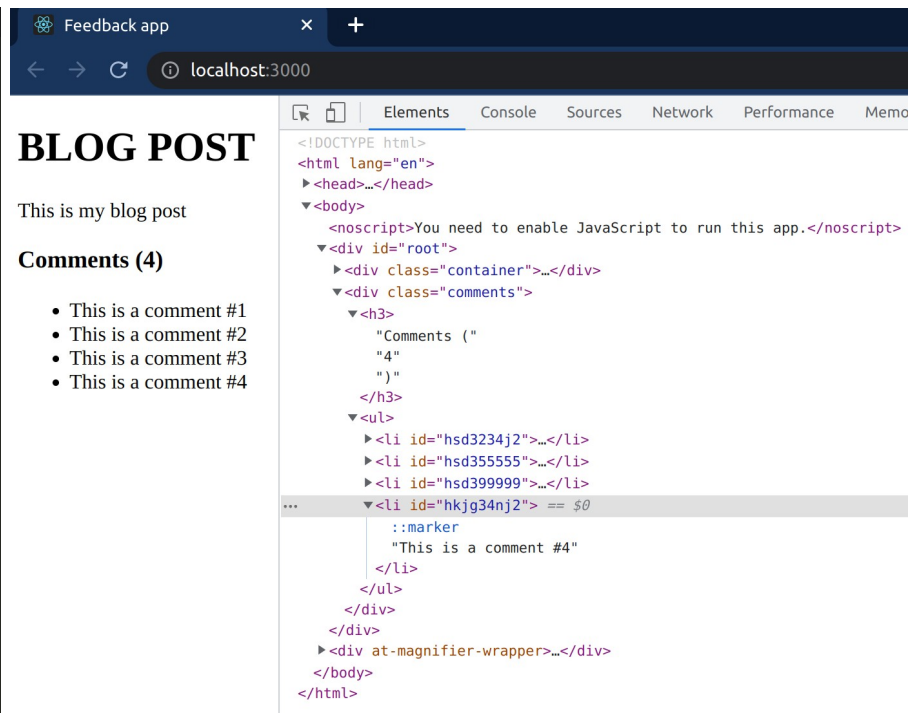
Each React component should return only 1 main/root/parent element. It's such a common case to use fragment element as a parent element `<>some JSX</>`

You can't use `class` attribute (as in HTML) instead of it you have to use `className`.

You can't use `for` attribute (as in HTML) instead of it you have to use `htmlFor`.

2.5 Dynamic values and lists in JSX

```
1 import React from 'react';
2
3 const App = () => {
4   const title = 'Blog Post';
5   const body = 'This is my blog post';
6   const comments = [
7     {
8       id: 'hsd3234j2',
9       text: 'This is a comment #1',
10    },
11    {
12      id: 'hsd355555',
13      text: 'This is a comment #2',
14    },
15    {
16      id: 'hsd399999',
17      text: 'This is a comment #3',
18    },
19    {
20      id: 'hkjg34nj2',
21      text: 'This is a comment #4',
22    },
23  ];
24  return (
25    <>
26      <div className='container'>
27        <h1>{title.toUpperCase()}</h1>
28        <p>{body}</p>
29      </div>
30      <div className='comments'>
31        <h3>Comments ({comments.length})</h3>
32        <ul>
33          {comments.map(comment => (
34            <li id={comment.id}>
35              {comment.text}
36            </li>
37          ))}
38        </ul>
39      </div>
40    </>
41  );
42 };
43
44 export default App;
```



2.6 Conditionals in JSX