

A common challenge with combining `[chunkhash]` and Code Splitting is that the entry chunk includes the webpack runtime and with it the chunkhash mappings. This means it's always updated and the `[chunkhash]` is pretty useless because this chunk won't be cached.

A very simple solution to this problem is to create another chunk that contains only the webpack runtime (including chunkhash map). This can be achieved with `optimization.runtimeChunk` options. To avoid the additional request for another chunk, this pretty small chunk can be inlined into the HTML page.

The configuration required for this is:

- use `[chunkhash]` in `output.filename` (Note that this example doesn't do this because of the example generator infrastructure, but you should)
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example.js

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webpack.config.js

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index.html

```
<html>
  <head> </head>
  <body>
    <!-- inlined minimized file "runtime~main.[chunkhash].js" -->
    <script>
      _{{production:dist/runtime~main.chunkhash.js}}_
    </script>

    <script src="dist/main.[chunkhash].js"></script>
  </body>
</html>
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dist/runtime~main.[chunkhash].js

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dist/main.[chunkhash].js

`_{{dist/main.chunkhash.js}}_`

Info

Unoptimized

`_{{stdout}}_`

Production mode

`_{{production:stdout}}_`