

My todo manager is inspired by the getminimalist.com. It is very simple yet awesome for a todo manager. However, I feel it can be improved. In the folder there are 2 png files for reference: [1] a screenshot of the original website, `original-minimalist.png` and [2] my idea, `current-idea.png`. There are 2 features that I want to add and both will go hand-in-hand.

1. To show up to 3 todo-lists in the home page instead of 1
2. Ability to choose the 1-3 todo-lists from the side bar

It can be seen from the `original-minimalist.png` that there is a lot of empty space that is wasted, which maybe intentional so that the user can focus on 1 list. However, I would like to show up to 3 lists instead of 1.

With up to 3 lists on the screen, more things can be done:

Handling accidental duplicate list, where we are not sure which one is the updated one. We can do comparison between 2-3 lists by displaying the duplicate lists together. Thus, it can be checked easily side-by-side instead of flipping between the lists, constantly clicking the side-bar.

Sectioning 1 big lists into 2-3 sections. For example, when the groceries for the Christmas party is so big, it consists of 3 main things: raw ingredients, seasonings, snacks. It helps to have the 3 sections displayed in a single page side-by-side, allowing mom to edit all 3 without having to click the side-bar every single time. This can be applied to other stuff as well such as party decorations etc.

All other features in the original website of getminimalist.com will be maintained as I feel they are already very optimal for productivity and are easy on the eyes.

Progress and Plan:

1. I missed the CVWO assignment by email and only realized that it has been sent out when my senior, Christian JW asked me about it. It was on 27th Dec. So far I have only gone through the rails tutorial, the first one and try out a bit of react.
2. Rails CRUD and MCO are understandable, but I'm yet to integrate it with React
3. React is still very confusing for me, so I'll need to spend more time on it.
4. Plan for now is to further learn React and Rails basics until I'm quite comfortable with the tools.
5. Then I'll try to build the getminimalist.com.
6. Tweak it. Add the 2 extra features.
7. Huat ah.