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an introduction to ReasonReact

React

- Components
- Render
- Children
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Components


Component

```
/* Component.re */
let component = ReasonReact.statelessComponent("Component");

let make = _children => {
  ...component,
  render: _self => <div />,
};

/* Index.re */
ReactDOMRe.renderToElementWithId(<Component />, "index");
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render

```
/* render: self → ReasonReact.reactElement */
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children

children

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let make = _children => {
  ...component,
  render: _self =>
    <Component2> {ReasonReact.string("children!")} </Component2>,
};

/* Component2.re */
let component = ReasonReact.statelessComponent("Component2");

let make = children => {
  ...component,
  render: _self => <div> {children} </div>,
};
```

children

children: ReasonReact.reactElement

follow the types

```
render: self → ReasonReact.reactElement
```

```
children: ReasonReact.reactElement
```

```
... → ReasonReact.reactElement
```

giveth us thy reactElement

```
render: self → ReasonReact.reactElement
```

```
ReasonReact.string: string → ReasonReact.reactElement
```

```
ReasonReact.array: array('a) → ReasonReact.reactElement
```

```
ReasonReact.null: ReasonReact.reactElement
```

ReasonReact.string

```
/* ReasonReact.string: string → ReasonReact.reactElement */  
render: _self ⇒ <div> {ReasonReact.string("Hello world!")} </div>
```


string_of_...

```
/* ReasonReact.string: string → ReasonReact.reactElement */

render: _self =>
  <div>
    <div> {ReasonReact.string(string_of_int(3))} </div>
    <div> {ReasonReact.string(string_of_float(3.0))} </div>
    <div> {ReasonReact.string(string_of_bool(true))} </div>
  </div>

/* save some keystrokes */
let s = ReasonReact.string
```

ReasonReact.array

```
/* ReasonReact.array:
   array(ReasonReact.reactElement) → ReasonReact.reactElement */

/* list(int) */
let list = [1, 2, 3];

render: _self ⇒
  <div>
    {
      /* list(ReasonReact.reactElement) */
      List.map(number ⇒
        <div> {ReasonReact.string(string_of_int(number))} </div>,
        list,
      )
      /* array(ReasonReact.reactElement) */
      |> Array.of_list
      |> ReasonReact.array
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ReasonReact.null

```
/* ReasonReact.null: ReasonReact.reactElement */  
  
render: _self =>  
  <div>  
    {  
      1 === 2 ?  
        <span> {ReasonReact.string("Oops!")} </span> : ReasonReact.null  
    }  
  </div>
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/* Component2.re */  
let component = ReasonReact.statelessComponent("Component2");  
  
let make = children => {  
  ...component,  
  render: _self => <div> {children} </div>,  
};
```

props

```
/* Component1.re */  
let component = ReasonReact.statelessComponent("Component1");  
  
let make = _children => {  
  ...component,  
  render: _self =>  
    <Component2 message="hi there" />,  
};
```

props

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let make = _children => {
  ...component,
  render: _self =>
    <Component2 message="hi there" />,
};

/* Component2.re */
let component = ReasonReact.statelessComponent("Component2");

let make = (~message, _children) => {
  ...component,
  render: _self => <div> {ReasonReact.string(message)} </div>,
};
```

props

```
/* Component1.re */
let component = ReasonReact.statelessComponent("Component1");

let make = _children => {
  let onClick = _event => Js.log("hi there");
  {
    ...component,
    render: _self => <Component2 onClick=onClick />,
  }
};

/* Component2.re */
let component = ReasonReact.statelessComponent("Component2");

let make = (~onClick, _children) => {
  ...component,
  render: _self => <div onClick=onClick />,
};
```

props

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let make = _children => {
  let onClick = _event => Js.log("hi there");
  {
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    render: _self => <Component2 onClick />,
  }
};

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let component = ReasonReact.statelessComponent("Component2");

let make = (~onClick, _children) => {
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  render: _self => <div onClick />,
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state

state

```
type state = {greeting: string};

let component = ReasonReact.reducerComponent("Component3");

let make = _children => {
  ...component,
  initialState: () => {greeting: "hi"},
  render: self =>
    <div> {ReasonReact.string(self.state.greeting ++ " ReasonSTHLM")} </div>,
};
```

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updating state

$(\text{action}, \text{state}) \rightarrow \text{state}$

state

```
let make = _children => {  
  /* the other stuff is still here! */  
  reducer: (_action, _state) => ...?  
};
```

action

```
type action =  
  | DoIt;  
  
let make = _children => {  
  /* the other stuff is still here! */  
  reducer: (action, _state) =>  
    switch (action) {  
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    },  
};
```

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    },  
};
```


types

```
reducer: ('action, 'state) => update('state, 'retainedProps, 'action)
```

```
update('state, 'retainedProps, 'action) =  
  | NoUpdate  
  | Update('state)  
  | SideEffects(self('state, 'retainedProps, 'action) => unit)  
  | UpdateWithSideEffects(  
    'state,  
    self('state, 'retainedProps, 'action) => unit,  
  )
```


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  )
```

```
~ reducer: (action, state) -> NoUpdate
```

action

```
type action =  
  | DoIt;  
  
let make = _children => {  
  /* the other stuff is still here! */  
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    switch (action) {  
      | DoIt => ReasonReact.NoUpdate  
    },  
};
```

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  )
```

```
~ reducer: (action, state) -> Update(state)
```

action

```
type state = {greeting: string};

type action =
  | DoIt;

let make = _children => {
  initialState: () => {greeting: "hi"},
  reducer(action, state) => switch (action) {
    | DoIt => ReasonReact.NoUpdate
  },
};
```

action

```
type state = {greeting: string};

type action =
  | DoIt;

let make = _children => {
  initialState: () => {greeting: "hi"},
  reducer(action, state) => switch (action) {
    | DoIt => ReasonReact.Update({...state, greeting: "yo"})
  },
};
```

types

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  | SideEffects(self('state, 'retainedProps, 'action) => unit)  
  | UpdateWithSideEffects(  
    'state,  
    self('state, 'retainedProps, 'action) => unit,  
  )
```

```
~ reducer: (action, state) -> SideEffects(self -> unit)
```

action

```
type state = {greeting: string};

type action =
  | DoIt;

let make = _children => {
  initialState: () => {greeting: "hi"},
  reducer: (action, _state) =>
    switch (action) {
    | DoIt => ReasonReact.SideEffects((self => Js.log(self.state.greeting)))
    },
};
```


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    'state,  
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  )
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  reducer: (action, state) =>
    switch (action) {
    | DoIt =>
      ReasonReact.UpdateWithSideEffects(
        {...state, greeting: "yo"},
        (self => Js.log(self.state.greeting)),
      )
    },
};
```

okay, now what?

how do we use the reducer?

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        {...state, greeting: "yo"},
        (self => Js.log(self.state.greeting)),
      )
    },
  render: self => <button onClick={_event => self.send(DoIt)} />,
};
```

mutation? 🤔

refs

```
let mutable = ref(5);  
mutable := 4;
```

refs

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refs

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let mutable = ref(5);  
  
mutable := 4;  
  
let immutable = ^mutable;
```

a time component, pt1

```
type state = {  
  timerId: ref(option(Js.Global.intervalId)),  
  time: int,  
};  
  
type action =  
  | Tick;  
  
let component = ReasonReact.reducerComponent("Component");  
...
```

a time component, pt2

```
...
let make = _children => {
  ...component,
  initialState: () => {timerId: ref(None), time: 0},
  didMount: self =>
    self.state.timerId :=
      Some(Js.Global.setInterval(() => self.send(Tick), 1000)),
  willUnmount: self =>
    switch (self.state.timerId^) {
    | Some(id) => Js.Global.clearInterval(id)
    | None => ()
    },
  ...
}
```

a time component, pt3

```
...
reducer: (action, state) =>
  switch (action) {
    | Tick => ReasonReact.Update({...state, time: state.time + 1})
  },
render: self => ReasonReact.string(string_of_int(self.state.time)),
};
```

a time component

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type state = {
  timerId: ref(option(Js.Global.intervalId)),
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type action =
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