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Installation

React has been designed from the start for gradual adoption. You can use as little or as much React as you need. Whether you want to get a taste of React, add some interactivity to an HTML page, or start a complex React-powered app, this section will help you get started.

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You don't need to install anything to play with React. Try editing this sandbox!

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```
1 function Greeting({ name }) {  
2   return <h1>Hello, {name}</h1>;  
3 }  
4  
5 export default function App() {  
6   return <Greeting name="world" />  
7 }  
8
```



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Try React locally

To try React locally on your computer, [download this HTML page](#). Open it in your editor and in your browser!

Start a new React project

If you want to build an app or a website fully with React, [start a new React project](#).

Add React to an existing project

If want to try using React in your existing app or a website, [add React to an existing project](#).

Next steps

Head to the [Quick Start](#) guide for a tour of the most important React concepts you will encounter every day.

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