

*//This is a module I built that is used on the front end to display all the graphs on the dashboard and student pages.*

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function random_rgb() {
  // Generates random colours...
  var o = Math.round, r = Math.random, s = 255;
  return 'rgb(' + o(r()*s) + ',' + o(r()*s) + ',' + o(r()*s) + ')';
}

function generateGraphColours(num) {
  // Initializing arrays...
  var borderColours = []
  var backgroundColours = []

  // Adding RGB and RGBA (translucent) values for each colour.
  for (i = 0; i < num; i++) {
    var col = random_rgb();
    borderColours.push(col);
    backgroundColours.push(col.replace(')', ', 0.25').replace('rgb', 'rgba'));
  }

  // Returning values as an object, its syntactically nicer.
  return {
    borderColours: borderColours,
    backgroundColours: backgroundColours
  }
}
```

```
function buildChartDataset(data, type) {
  // Initializing "datasets" and generating graph colours.
  var datasets = []

  if (type == "bar") {
    // Generating dataset for all data needed in the graph.
    for (datum of data) {
      console.log(datum.data);
      var cols = generateGraphColours(7);
      var dataset = {
        "label": datum.label,
        "fill": false,
        "borderWidth": 1,
        "borderColor": cols.borderColours,
        "backgroundColor": cols.backgroundColours,
        "data": datum.data
      }
      datasets.push(dataset);
    }
    return datasets;
  } else if (type == "line") {
    console.log("LINE")

    var cols = generateGraphColours(7);
    var colours = cols.borderColours;
```

*// Generating dataset for all data needed in the graph.*

```
x = 0
for (datum of data) {
  console.log(datum.data);
  var dataset = {
    "label": datum.label,
    "fill": false,
    "borderWidth": 1,
    "borderColor": colours[x],
    "backgroundColor": colours[x],
    "data": datum.data
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    }
    datasets.push(dataset);
    x = x + 1
  }
  return datasets;
}
}

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function changeChart(elmId, type, labels, data) {

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  resetCanvas(elmId);

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  // Grabing the elements we need from the HTML.

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  var canvas = document.getElementById(elmId);

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  var context = canvas.getContext('2d');

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  // Building correctly structured datasets out of the data.

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  var datasets = buildChartDataset(data, type);

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  // Building the chart.

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  var chart = new Chart(context,

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  {

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    "type": type,

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```

    "data": {

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```

      "labels": labels,

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      "datasets": datasets

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    },

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    "options": {

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      "scales": {

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        "yAxes": [{ "ticks": { "beginAtZero": true }}]

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      }

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    }

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  });

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}

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function resetCanvas(elmId) {

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  elmParent = $('#'+elmId).parent().attr('id');

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  $('#'+elmId).remove();

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  $('#'+elmParent).append('<canvas id="'+elmId+'"><canvas>');

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};

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