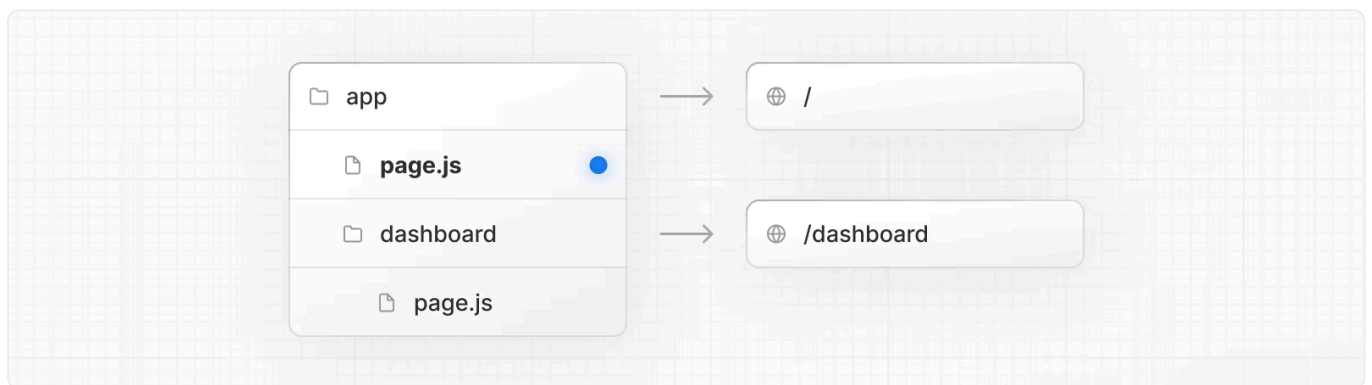


# Pages

A page is UI that is **unique** to a route. You can define a page by default exporting a component from a `page.js` file.

For example, to create your `index` page, add the `page.js` file inside the `app` directory:



TS app/page.tsx

TypeScript ▾



```
1 // `app/page.tsx` is the UI for the `/` URL
2 export default function Page() {
3   return <h1>Hello, Home page!</h1>
4 }
```

Then, to create further pages, create a new folder and add the `page.js` file inside it. For example, to create a page for the `/dashboard` route, create a new folder called `dashboard`, and add the `page.js` file inside it:

TS app/dashboard/page.tsx

TypeScript ▾



```
1 // `app/dashboard/page.tsx` is the UI for the `/dashboard` URL
2 export default function Page() {
```

```
3   return <h1>Hello, Dashboard Page!</h1>
4 }
```

**Good to know:**

- The `.js`, `.jsx`, or `.tsx` file extensions can be used for Pages.
- A page is always the **leaf** of the **route subtree**.
- A `page.js` file is required to make a route segment publicly accessible.
- Pages are **Server Components** by default, but can be set to a **Client Component**.
- Pages can fetch data. View the **Data Fetching** section for more information.

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