

Intro to Vue.js

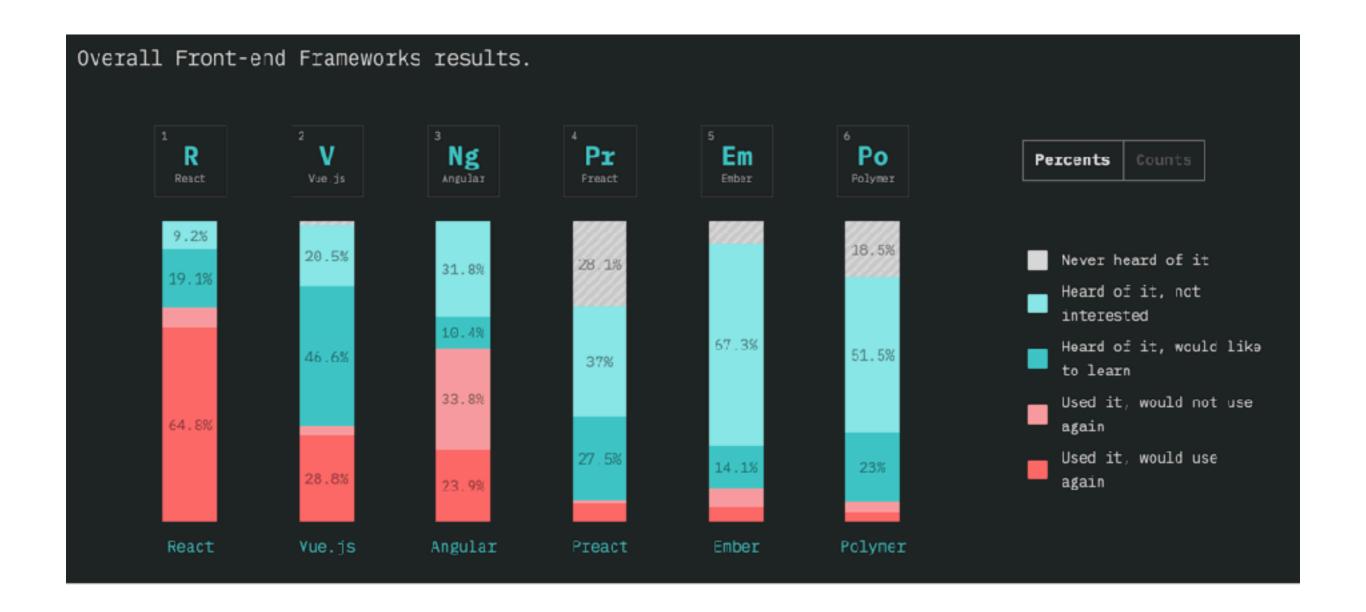
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Vue.js

- Front-end framework started by Evan You while working at Google
- Simple, well documented and consistent
- No big company backing: Evan's Patreon + OpenCollective
 - React -> Facebook
 - Angular -> Google

"Lots of developers just need a solution that's tailored for them"

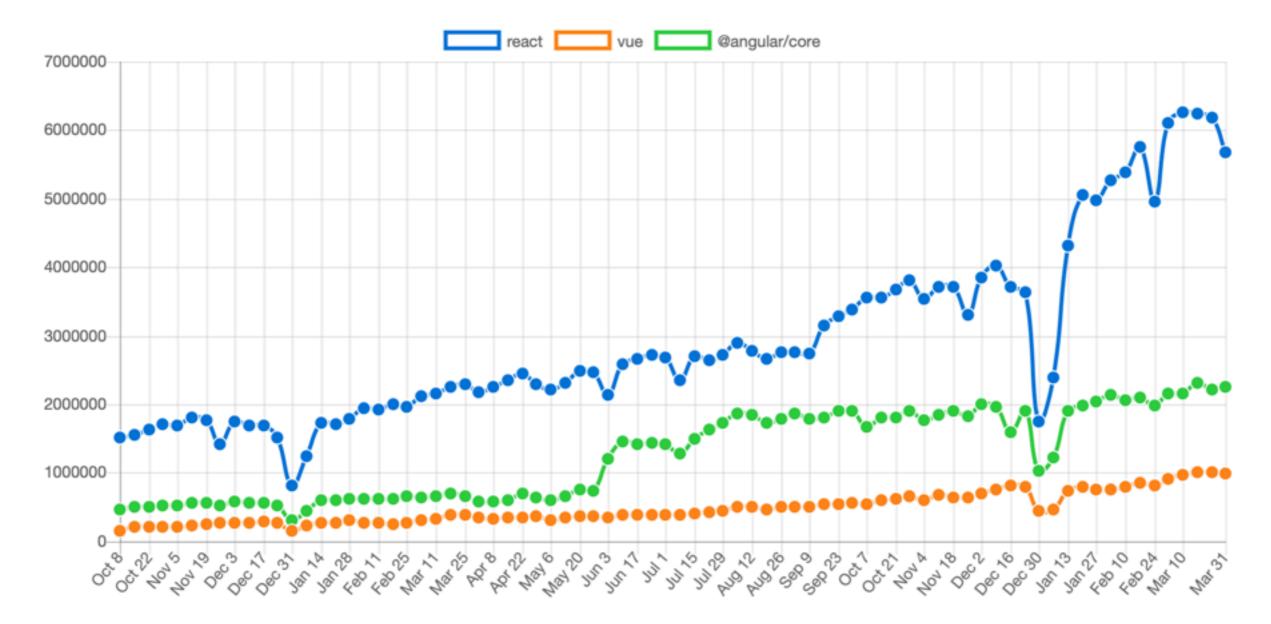
- Evan You



State of Js 2018

https://2018.stateofjs.com/front-end-frameworks/overview/

Downloads in past 2 Years -

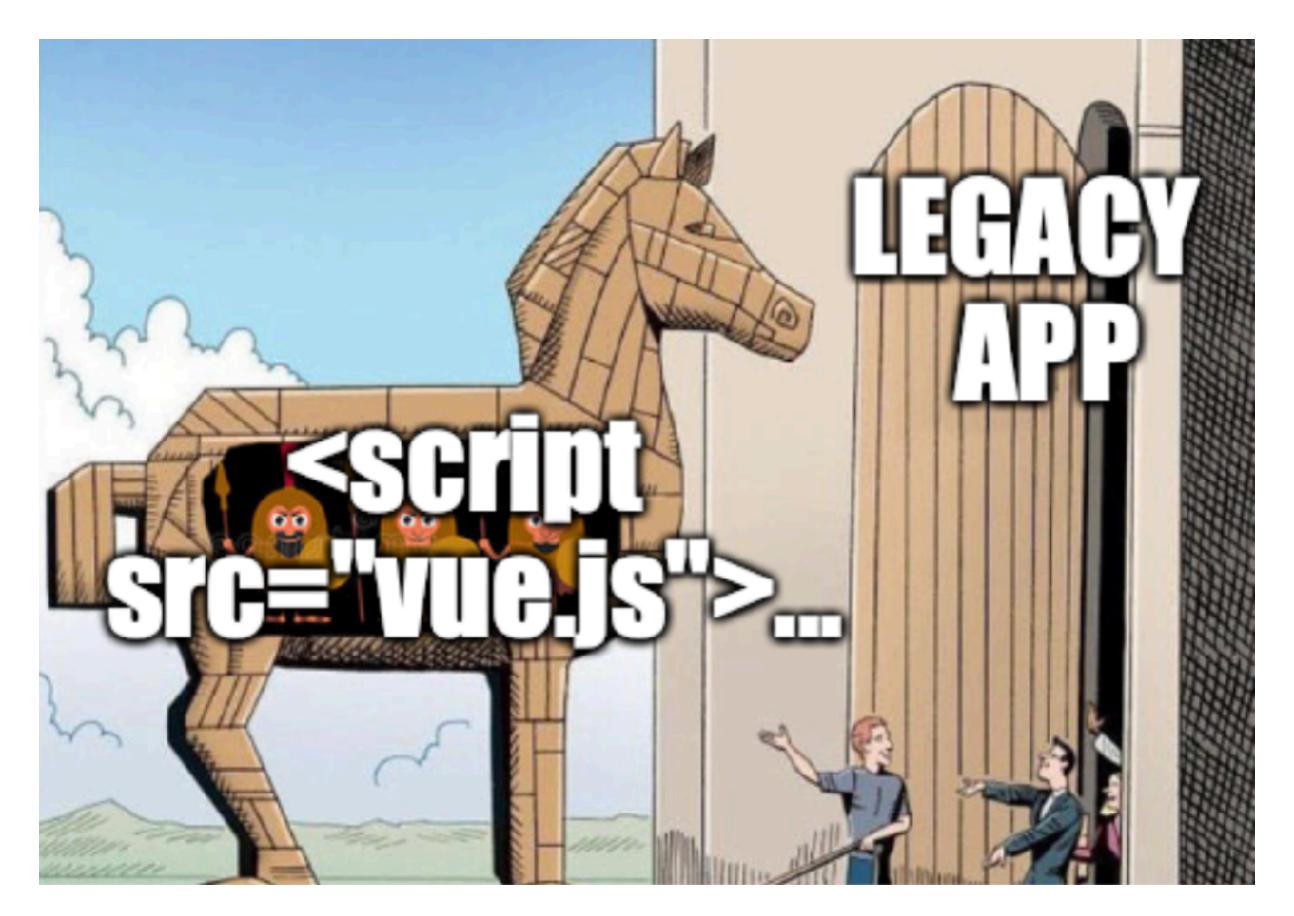


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Stats

	stars 🔆	forks	issues !	updated	created &	size 🏋
react	126275	22910	638	Apr 2, 2019	May 24, 2013	minified size 6.5 KB
vue	133986	19054	248	Apr 1, 2019	Jul 29, 2013	minified size 63.5 KB
@angular/core	46697	12344	2699	Apr 2, 2019	Sep 18, 2014	minified size 252.2 KB

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(from @vueconfus)

jQuery way

Type a message second message Add

- first message
- second message

direct manipulation of the DOM

2 messages so far.

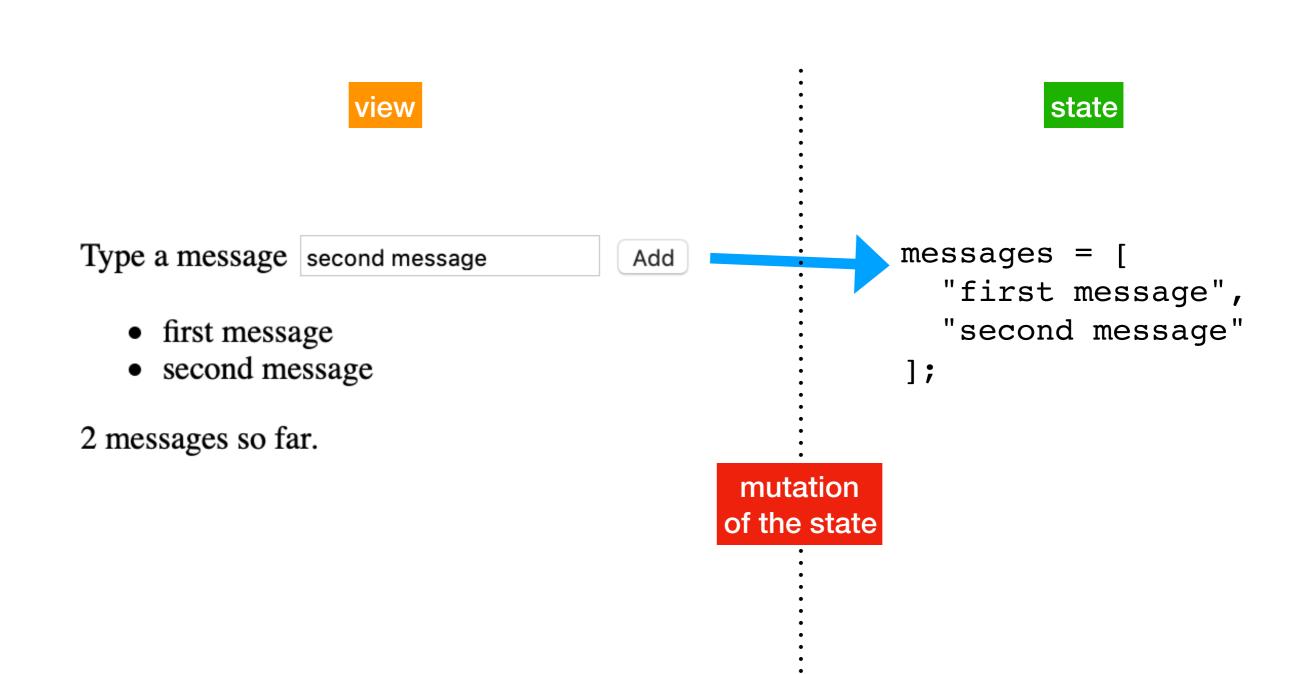
reactive way

```
messages = [
  "first message",
  "second message"
];

• first message
• second message

• second message
2 messages so far.
```

reactive way



defineReactive

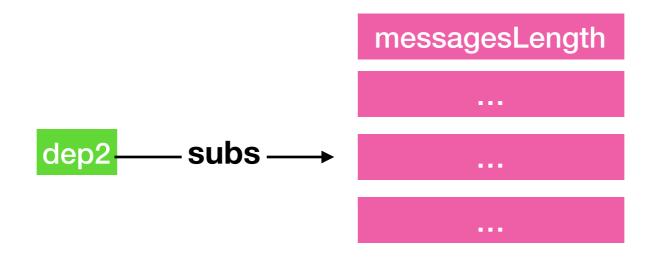
cf. https://github.com/vuejs/vue/blob/dev/src/core/observer/index.js

```
data = {
                                 messageToAdd: {
                                                            dep1
                                   get () {
                                   },
                                   set (newVal) {
data = {
 messageToAdd: '',
 messages: []
                                 messages: {
                                                            dep2
                                   get () {
                                   set (newVal) {
```

reactive data gets read

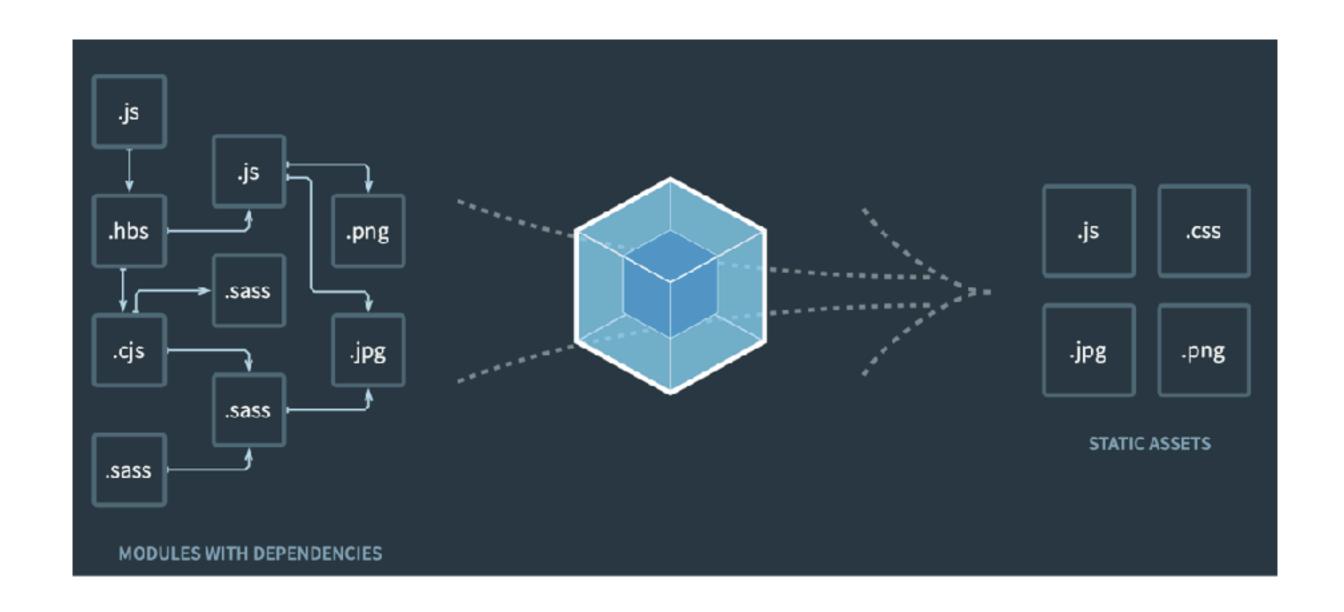
```
messagesLength : function() {
  return this.messages.length
                                              comes from
                                            a global variable*
                  calls this.messages.get()
                                              Dep.target
messages: {
  get () {
    dep2 .addSub( messagesLength )
    return internalValue;
  },
  set (newVal) {
```

reactive data gets read



reactive data gets updated

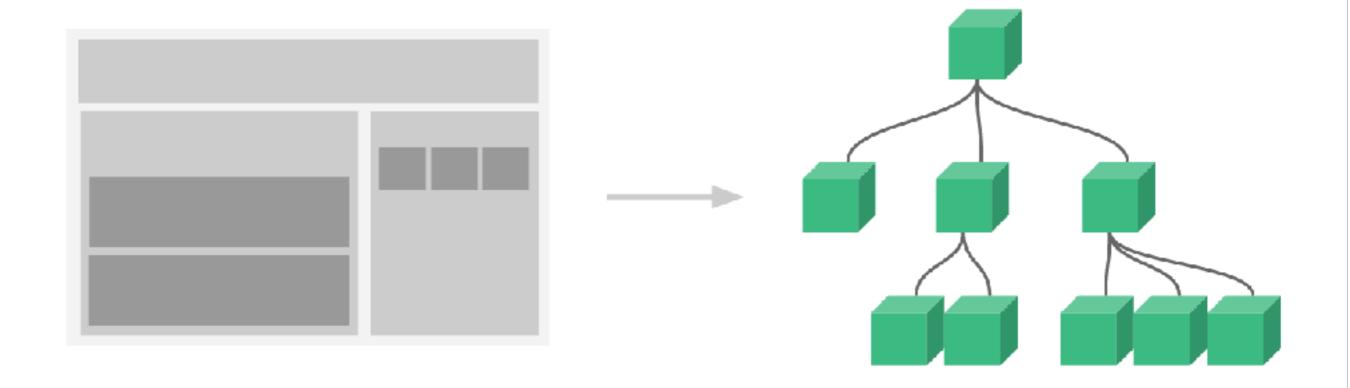
```
this.messages.push('Task 2')
    dep2 .subs
                                         messagesLength
messages: {
 get () {
 set (newVal) {
   internalValue = newVal;
   dep2.notify()
};
```

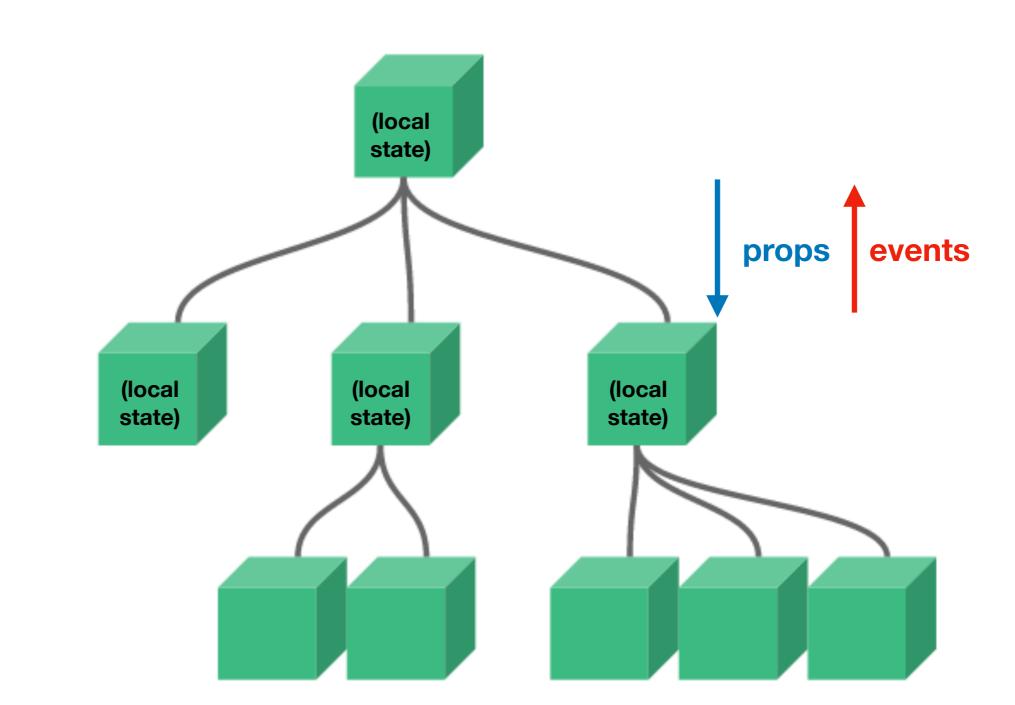


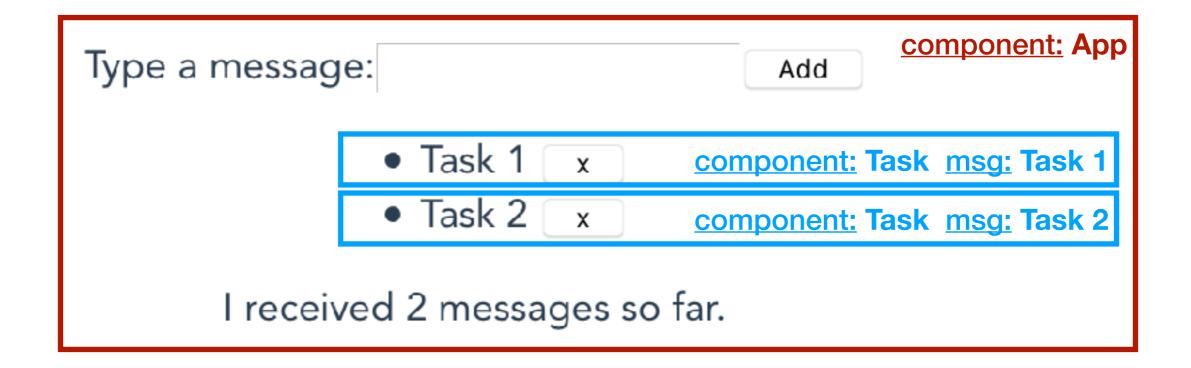
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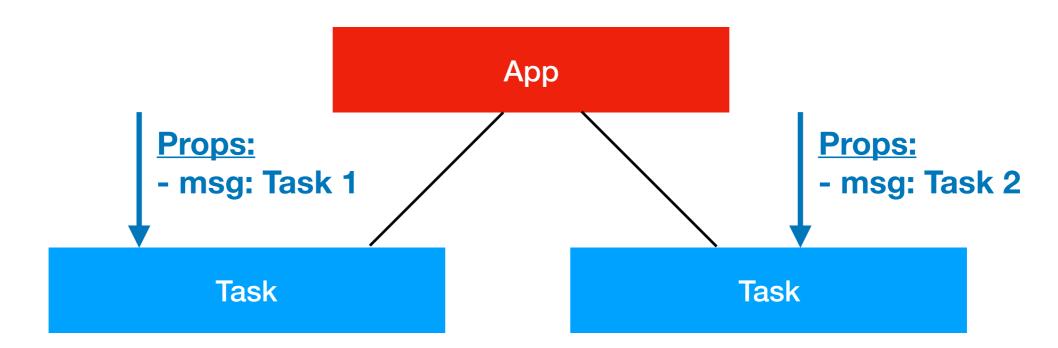
- Bundle all our dependencies in vendor.js
- Split your app in several js files and load them asynchronously when needed
- Run sass on your stylesheets, merge them all and minify it
- Compress your images, inline small images in your HTML
- Add a hash in the name of all the files for easier cache management
- Hot-reloading



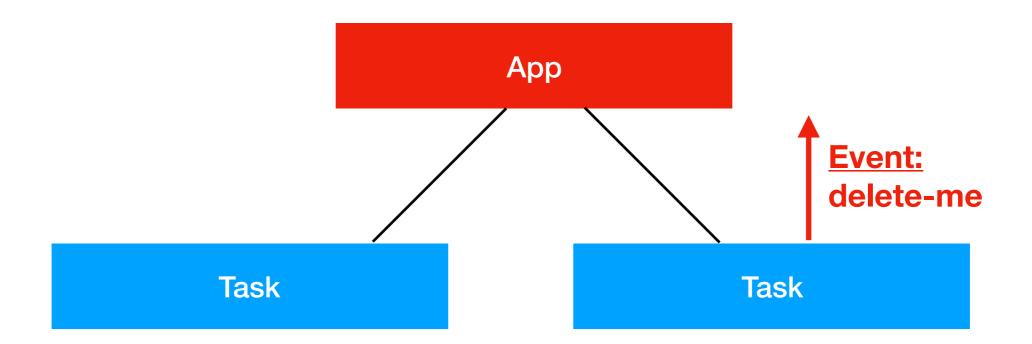




when rendering:



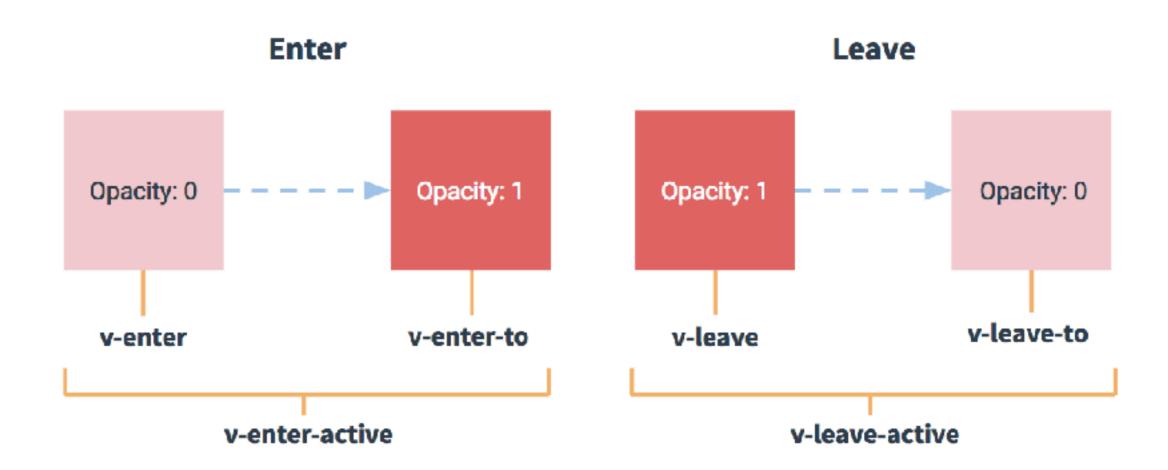
when clicking on the delete button:



Async component loading

```
components: {
                                                     "vue-multiselect"
  'Multiselect': () => import(/* webpackChunkName:
'vue-multiselect')
                                             Size
                                                              Gzipped
  File
  dist/js/app.6aa4f982.js
                                          218.70 KiB
                                                             32.57 KiB
  dist/js/chunk-vendors.cd89b1f3.js
                                          175.80 KiB
                                                             61.74 KiB
  dist/js/vue-multiselect.62f2b9e2.js
                                                             13.84 KiB
                                          43.87 KiB
  dist/css/app.c51b1984.css
                                          193.92 KiB
                                                             24.36 KiB
  dist/css/chunk-vendors.ee9570a6.css
                                                             1.77 KiB
                                          7.97 KiB
```

Transitions



Conclusion

- Elegant and powerful framework if you adhere to its philosophy
- Smaller learning curve, scales to big applications
- Easy way to modernise legacy application (JQuery, AngularJS 1, ...)
- Used by big companies: Gitlab, Alibaba, IBM, Adobe, Nintendo, etc..

Conclusion

- More jobs/developers for React
- Bigger ecosystem on React
 - React Native -> vue-native, weex, NativeScript-vue
 - Next.js -> Nuxt.js, Quasar Framework
- Competition is good
 - Vue gets inspired from React (for example Hooks) and vice-versa
 - Helps keep Facebook in check :-)

Interesting links

- https://github.com/vuejs/awesome-vue
- https://www.monterail.com/state-of-vuejs-report



- https://twitter.com/youyuxi
- https://twitter.com/sarah_edo
- https://twitter.com/VueNewsletter

Thank you!

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