

# ChatGPT - React Window Large List

example of large list array object in react with using react window and show details of the itm

Using `react-window`, you can efficiently render large lists by virtualizing them. Here's an example of a React component that displays a large list of objects, each with a "Show Details" button that reveals more information about the selected item.

## Steps

### 1. Install `react-window`:

```
bash
```

```
npm install react-window
```

### 2. Code Example:

tsx

```
import React, { useState } from "react";
import { FixedSizeList as List } from "react-window";

// Sample data: A large list of objects
const generateItems = () => {
  return Array.from({ length: 1000 }, (_, index) => ({
    id: index + 1,
    name: `Item ${index + 1}`,
    description: `This is the description for Item ${index + 1}.`,
  }));
};

const items = generateItems();

const ListItem = ({ index, style, data }: any) => {
  const item = data.items[index];
  const { setSelectedItem } = data;

  return (
    <div style={style} className="list-item">
      <div>
```

```

      <strong>{item.name}</strong>
      <button
        style={{ marginLeft: "10px" }}
        onClick={() => setSelectedItem(item)}
      >
        Show Details
      </button>
    </div>
  </div>
);
};

const App: React.FC = () => {
  const [selectedItem, setSelectedItem] = useState(null);

  return (
    <div style={{ display: "flex" }}>
      <div style={{ flex: "1", height: "400px", border: "1px solid #ccc" }}>
        <h3>Item List</h3>
        <List
          height={400}
          itemCount={items.length}
          itemSize={50}
          width={300}
          itemData={{ items, setSelectedItem }}
        >
          {ListItem}
        </List>
      </div>
      <div style={{ flex: "1", marginLeft: "20px" }}>
        <h3>Details</h3>
        {selectedItem ? (
          <div>
            <p>
              <strong>ID:</strong> {selectedItem.id}
            </p>
            <p>
              <strong>Name:</strong> {selectedItem.name}
            </p>
            <p>
              <strong>Description:</strong> {selectedItem.description}
            </p>
          </div>
        ) : (
          <p>No item selected</p>
        )}
      </div>
    </div>
  );
};

```

```

        </div>
      ) : (
        <p>Select an item to view details.</p>
      )}
    </div>
  </div>
);
};

export default App;

```

## Explanation:

### 1. Data Structure:

- The `items` array contains 1000 objects, each with an `id`, `name`, and `description`.

### 2. Virtualization:

- `react-window`'s `FixedSizeList` is used to efficiently render only the visible items within the scroll viewport.

### 3. Item Component:

- `ListItem` renders each item and includes a button to set the `selectedItem`.

### 4. Details View:

- When an item is selected, its details are displayed in the adjacent pane.

## Styling (Optional):

Add some CSS for better visuals:

```

CSS

.list-item {
  display: flex;
  align-items: center;
  justify-content: space-between;
  padding: 10px;
  border-bottom: 1px solid #ddd;
}
button {
  padding: 5px 10px;
}

```

```
    cursor: pointer;
  }
```

## Preview

- **Left Pane:** List of items.
- **Right Pane:** Details of the selected item.
- **Performance:** Handles thousands of items smoothly due to virtualization.

show it with css and not with state

If you want to implement the same functionality using **CSS** to show the details instead of managing it with React state, you can use a combination of CSS for styling and a `:hover` or `:focus` approach. Here's how you can achieve it:

## Code Example (CSS-Based Approach)

tsx

```
import React from "react";
import { FixedSizeList as List } from "react-window";
import "./App.css"; // Import CSS styles

// Sample data: A large list of objects
const generateItems = () => {
  return Array.from({ length: 1000 }, (_, index) => ({
    id: index + 1,
    name: `Item ${index + 1}`,
    description: `This is the description for Item ${index + 1}.`,
  }));
};

const items = generateItems();

const ListItem = ({ index, style, data }: any) => {
  const item = data.items[index];

  return (
    <div style={style} className="list-item">
      <div className="item-header">
        <strong>{item.name}</strong>
      </div>
    </div>
  );
};
```

```

        <button className="details-button">Show Details</button>
      </div>
      <div className="item-details">
        <p>
          <strong>ID:</strong> {item.id}
        </p>
        <p>
          <strong>Name:</strong> {item.name}
        </p>
        <p>
          <strong>Description:</strong> {item.description}
        </p>
      </div>
    </div>
  );
};

const App: React.FC = () => {
  return (
    <div style={{ height: "400px", width: "300px", border: "1px solid #ccc" }}>
      <List
        height={400}
        itemCount={items.length}
        itemSize={100}
        width={300}
        itemData={{ items }}
      >
        {ListItem}
      </List>
    </div>
  );
};

export default App;

```

## CSS ( App.css )

```

CSS

/* General Styles */
.list-item {
  position: relative;

```

```

padding: 10px;
border-bottom: 1px solid #ddd;
overflow: hidden;
transition: all 0.3s ease;
}

.item-header {
display: flex;
justify-content: space-between;
align-items: center;
}

.details-button {
background-color: #007bff;
color: white;
border: none;
padding: 5px 10px;
cursor: pointer;
border-radius: 3px;
font-size: 0.9em;
transition: background-color 0.2s ease;
}

.details-button:hover {
background-color: #0056b3;
}

.item-details {
max-height: 0;
opacity: 0;
overflow: hidden;
transition: all 0.3s ease;
}

/* Show details when hovering */
.list-item:hover .item-details {
max-height: 100px; /* Adjust based on content */
opacity: 1;
margin-top: 10px;
}

```

## Explanation:

## 1. CSS Transition:

- The `.item-details` section is hidden initially (`max-height: 0; opacity: 0`).
- On hover (`:hover`), it expands (`max-height: 100px; opacity: 1`).

## 2. Details Visibility:

- No React state is needed. The visibility is purely controlled through CSS.

## 3. Virtualization:

- The `react-window` library ensures performance when rendering a large list.

## 4. Dynamic Styling:

- You can modify styles like `max-height` in `.item-details` to fit your content dynamically.

## Preview

- **Default State:** Only item names are visible.
- **Hover State:** When you hover over an item, the details slide into view smoothly.

This approach avoids managing additional state in React while leveraging the power of CSS for dynamic effects.

show it with css checked

To achieve the "show details" functionality using a `:checked` CSS approach, you can use a hidden checkbox input. Here's how you can implement this:

## Code Example (Using `:checked` in CSS)

tsx

```
import React from "react";
import { FixedSizeList as List } from "react-window";
import "./App.css"; // Import CSS styles

// Sample data: A large list of objects
const generateItems = () => {
  return Array.from({ length: 1000 }, (_, index) => ({
    id: index + 1,
    name: `Item ${index + 1}`,
    description: `This is the description for Item ${index + 1}.`,
  }));
}
```

```

    }));
  };

  const items = generateItems();

  const ListItem = ({ index, style, data }: any) => {
    const item = data.items[index];

    return (
      <div style={style} className="list-item">
        <input type="checkbox" id={`toggle-${item.id}`} className="toggle-input" />
        <label htmlFor={`toggle-${item.id}`} className="toggle-label">
          <strong>{item.name}</strong>
          <span>Show Details</span>
        </label>
        <div className="item-details">
          <p>
            <strong>ID:</strong> {item.id}
          </p>
          <p>
            <strong>Name:</strong> {item.name}
          </p>
          <p>
            <strong>Description:</strong> {item.description}
          </p>
        </div>
      </div>
    );
  };

  const App: React.FC = () => {
    return (
      <div style={{ height: "400px", width: "300px", border: "1px solid #ccc" }}>
        <List
          height={400}
          itemCount={items.length}
          itemSize={100}
          width={300}
          itemData={{ items }}
        >
          {ListItem}
        </List>
      </div>
    );
  };

```



```
    </div>
  );
};

export default App;
```

## CSS ( App.css )

CSS

```
/* General Styles */
.list-item {
  position: relative;
  padding: 10px;
  border-bottom: 1px solid #ddd;
  overflow: hidden;
}

.toggle-input {
  display: none; /* Hide the checkbox */
}

.toggle-label {
  display: flex;
  justify-content: space-between;
  align-items: center;
  cursor: pointer;
  user-select: none;
}

.toggle-label span {
  background-color: #007bff;
  color: white;
  padding: 5px 10px;
  border-radius: 3px;
  font-size: 0.9em;
  transition: background-color 0.2s ease;
}

.toggle-label span:hover {
  background-color: #0056b3;
}
```

```
.item-details {
  max-height: 0;
  opacity: 0;
  overflow: hidden;
  transition: all 0.3s ease;
}

/* Show details when checkbox is checked */
.toggle-input:checked ~ .item-details {
  max-height: 100px; /* Adjust based on content */
  opacity: 1;
  margin-top: 10px;
}
```

## Explanation:

### 1. Checkbox as a Toggle:

- Each list item has a hidden `<input type="checkbox">` element.
- The `:checked` pseudo-class is used to toggle the visibility of the details.

### 2. Label for Interaction:

- The `<label>` is associated with the checkbox via the `htmlFor` attribute. Clicking the label toggles the checkbox.

### 3. CSS Transition:

- The `.item-details` section is initially hidden (`max-height: 0; opacity: 0`).
- When the checkbox is checked (`:checked`), it expands smoothly (`max-height: 100px; opacity: 1`).

### 4. Virtualization:

- The `react-window` library ensures efficient rendering for large lists.

## Preview

- **Default State:** The list displays only item names.
- **Checked State:** Clicking "Show Details" expands the item details.

This approach uses CSS's `:checked` pseudo-class for toggle functionality, avoiding JavaScript state management entirely.

Here is the full example implemented in **React with TypeScript**:

## React Component ( App.tsx )

tsx

```
import React from "react";
import { FixedSizeList as List } from "react-window";
import "./App.css"; // Import CSS styles

// Define the type for an item
interface Item {
  id: number;
  name: string;
  description: string;
}

// Generate a large list of sample items
const generateItems = (): Item[] => {
  return Array.from({ length: 1000 }, (_, index) => ({
    id: index + 1,
    name: `Item ${index + 1}`,
    description: `This is the description for Item ${index + 1}.`,
  }));
};

const items = generateItems();

// Props for ListItem
interface ListItemProps {
  index: number;
  style: React.CSSProperties;
  data: {
    items: Item[];
  };
}
```

```
// Render each list item
```

```
const ListItem: React.FC<ListItemProps> = ({ index, style, data }) => {  
  const item = data.items[index];  
  
  return (  
    <div style={style} className="list-item">  
      <input  
        type="checkbox"  
        id={`toggle-${item.id}`}  
        className="toggle-input"  
      />  
      <label htmlFor={`toggle-${item.id}`} className="toggle-label">  
        <strong>{item.name}</strong>  
        <span>Show Details</span>  
      </label>  
      <div className="item-details">  
        <p>  
          <strong>ID:</strong> {item.id}  
        </p>  
        <p>  
          <strong>Name:</strong> {item.name}  
        </p>  
        <p>  
          <strong>Description:</strong> {item.description}  
        </p>  
      </div>  
    </div>  
  );  
};
```

```
const App: React.FC = () => {  
  return (  
    <div style={{ height: "400px", width: "300px", border: "1px solid #ccc" }}>  
      <List  
        height={400}  
        itemCount={items.length}  
        itemSize={100}  
        width={300}  
        itemData={{ items }}  
      >  
        {ListItem}  
      </List>  
    </div>  
  );  
};
```

```
    </div>
  );
};

export default App;
```

## CSS File ( App.css )

```
css

/* General Styles */
.list-item {
  position: relative;
  padding: 10px;
  border-bottom: 1px solid #ddd;
  overflow: hidden;
}

.toggle-input {
  display: none; /* Hide the checkbox */
}

.toggle-label {
  display: flex;
  justify-content: space-between;
  align-items: center;
  cursor: pointer;
  user-select: none;
}

.toggle-label span {
  background-color: #007bff;
  color: white;
  padding: 5px 10px;
  border-radius: 3px;
  font-size: 0.9em;
  transition: background-color 0.2s ease;
}
```

```
.toggle-label span:hover {
  background-color: #0056b3;
}

.item-details {
  max-height: 0;
  opacity: 0;
  overflow: hidden;
  transition: all 0.3s ease;
}

/* Show details when checkbox is checked */
.toggle-input:checked ~ .item-details {
  max-height: 100px; /* Adjust based on content */
  opacity: 1;
  margin-top: 10px;
}
```

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## Explanation:

### 1. TypeScript Interfaces:

- `Item`: Defines the structure of each list item.
- `ListItemProps`: Specifies the props expected by the `ListItem` component.

### 2. Virtualized List:

- `react-window` is used to render only the visible items in the viewport for efficiency.

### 3. Checkbox Toggle:

- Each `ListItem` includes a hidden checkbox ( `input[type="checkbox"]` ).
- The associated label ( `<label>` ) toggles the checkbox when clicked.

### 4. CSS Transitions:

- The `.item-details` section is initially hidden.
- When the checkbox is checked ( `:checked` ), the details expand smoothly.

## Running the Example:

1. Install dependencies:

```
bash  
  
npm install react react-dom react-scripts react-window
```

2. Start the project:

```
bash  
  
npm start
```

## Output:

- **Default State:** Displays the item name and a "Show Details" button.
- **Checked State:** Clicking the button reveals the item details below it.

This example provides a full TypeScript solution with clean code, efficient rendering, and CSS-based toggling using the `:checked` pseudo-class.