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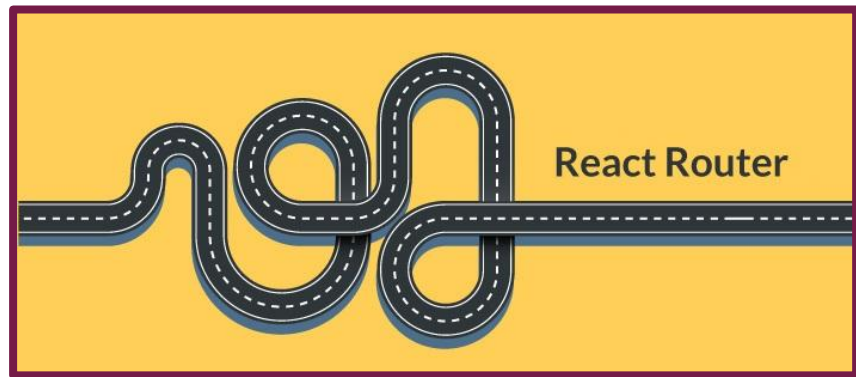


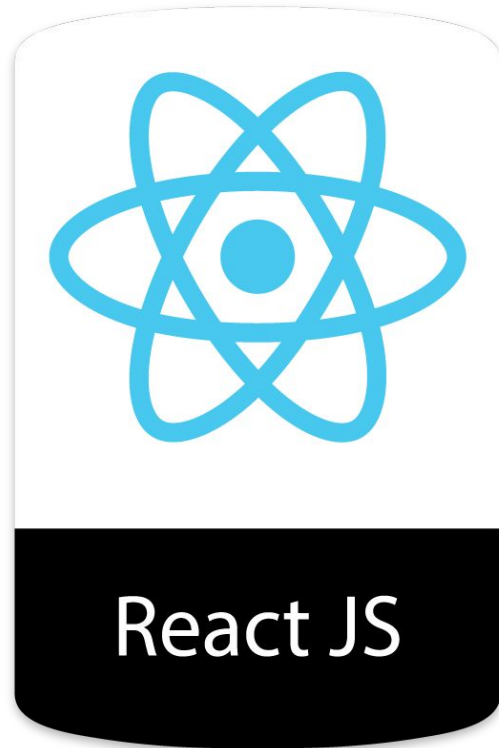
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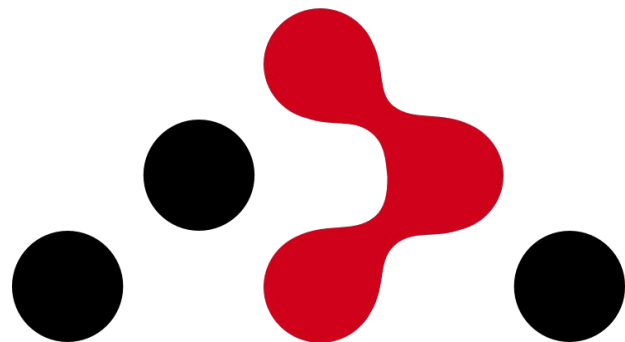


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What is React Router?





What is React Router?



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What is React Router?

- As you may already know, by default, React comes without routing. And to enable it in our project, we need to add a library named react-router.
- React Router is the de-facto React routing library, and it's one of the most popular projects built on top of React.
- React at its core is a very simple library, and it does not dictate anything about routing.
- Routing in a Single Page Application is the way to introduce some features to navigating the app through links, which are expected in normal web applications
- The browser should change the URL when you navigate to a different screen
- React Router offers a way to write your code so that it will show certain components of your app only if the route matches what you define.

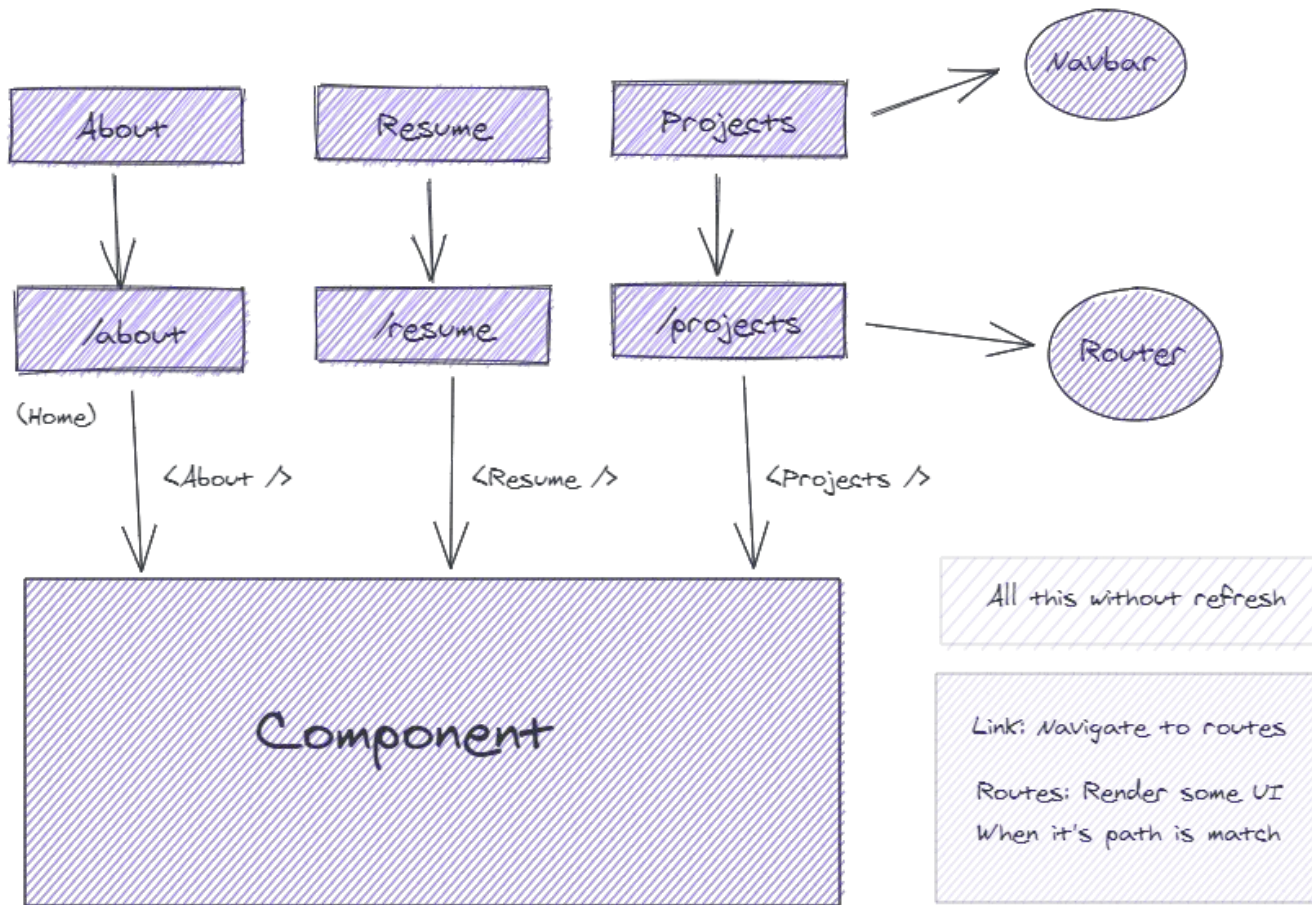
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What is React Router?





Installation

- With npm:

```
npm install react-router-dom
```

- With yarn:

```
yarn add react-router-dom
```





What is React Router?

The 3 components you will interact the most when working with React Router are:

`BrowserRouter`, usually aliased as `Router` wraps all your Route components.

`Link` components are - as you can imagine - used to generate links to your routes

`Route` components are responsible for showing - or hiding - the components they contain.





2 BrowserRouter



BrowserRouter

- Here's a simple example of the BrowserRouter component. You import it from react-router-dom, and you use it to wrap all your app:
- A BrowserRouter component can only have one child element, so we wrap all we're going to add in a `div` element.

```
import React from 'react'
import ReactDOM from 'react-dom'
import { BrowserRouter as Router } from 'react-router-dom'

ReactDOM.render(
  <Router>
    <div>
      <!-- -->
    </div>
  </Router>,
  document.getElementById('app')
)
```



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Routes



Routes

In our App component, add the **Routes** element (open and closing tags). These ensure that only one component is rendered at a time.

```
1  import { BrowserRouter as Router, Routes, Route } from "react-router-dom";
2  import "./App.css";
3  import Navbar from "../components/Navbar";
4
5  function App() {
6    return (
7      <div className="App">
8        <Router>
9          <Navbar />
10         <Routes>
11           ...
12         </Routes>
13       </Router>
14     </div>
15   );
16 }
17
18 export default App;
19
```



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Link



Link

- The Link component is used to trigger new routes. You import it from `react-router-dom`, and you can add the Link components to point at different routes, with the `to` attribute:

```
1  import React from "react";
2  import { Link } from "react-router-dom";
3
4  const Navbar = () => {
5    return (
6      <div className="navbar-wrapper">
7        <nav className="navbar">
8          <h2>CW</h2>
9          <div>
10             <Link to="/">Home</Link>
11             <Link to="/about">About</Link>
12             <Link to="/contact">Contact</Link>
13          </div>
14        </nav>
15      </div>
16    );
17  };
18
19  export default Navbar;
20
```




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Route

Route

- Now let's add the Route component in the above snippet to make things actually work as we want:
- Notice the `exact` attribute. Without this, `path="/"` would also match `/about`, since `/` is contained in the route.

```
1  import { BrowserRouter as Router, Routes, Route } from "react-router-dom";
2  import "./App.css";
3  import About from "../pages/About";
4  import Contact from "../pages/Contact";
5  import Home from "../pages/Home";
6  import NotFound from "../pages/NotFound";
7
8  function App() {
9    return (
10     <div className="App">
11       <Router>
12         <Routes>
13           <Route path="/" element={<Home />} />
14           <Route path="/about" element={<About />} />
15           <Route path="/contact" element={<Contact />} />
16           <Route path="*" element={<NotFound />} />
17         </Routes>
18       </Router>
19     </div>
20   );
21 }
22
23 export default App;
24
```



Route

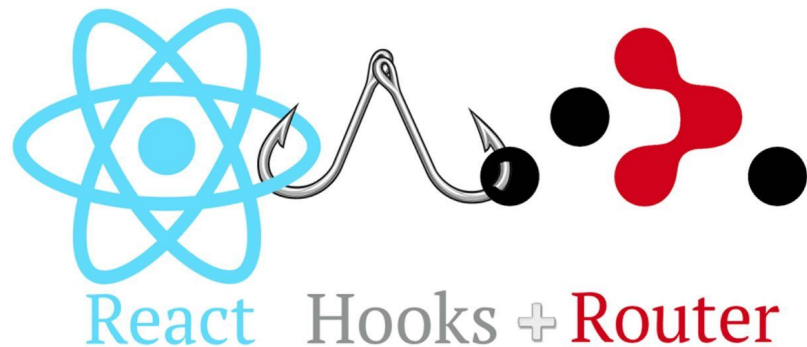
Match Dynamic Route Parameter

```
const Posts = () => (  
  <div>  
    <h2>Posts</h2>  
    ...  
  </div>  
)  
//...  
  
<Route path="/posts"  
  element={<Posts/>} />
```

```
import { useParams } from "react-router-dom";  
const Posts = () => {  
  let params = useParams();  
  return (  
    <div>  
      {params?.id ? (  
        <h1>Post {params.id}</h1>  
      ) : (  
        <h1>You can see the all posts.</h1>  
      ) }  
    </div>  
  );  
};  
//...  
  
<Route exact path="/posts/:id" element={<Post/>} />
```



3 Router Hooks





Router Hooks



- `useNavigate`
- `useParams`
- `useLocation`

Router hooks make things much easier. Now you can access the history, location, or parameters in an easy and elegant way.

Router Hooks - useNavigate

The `useNavigate` hook gives us access to the history instance without pulling it from props.

```
1  import { useNavigate } from "react-router-dom";
2
3  const NotFound = () => {
4    let navigate = useNavigate();
5    return (
6      <div>
7        <h1>404</h1>
8        <button onClick={() => navigate("/")}>Go Home</button>
9      </div>
10    );
11  };
12
13  export default NotFound;
```



Router Hooks - useParams

This hook helps us get the parameter passed on the URL without using the props object.

```
1  import { useParams } from "react-router-dom";
2
3  const Posts = () => {
4    let params = useParams();
5    return (
6      <div>
7        {params?.id ? (
8          <h1>Post {params.id}</h1>
9        ) : (
10         <h1>You can see the all posts.</h1>
11       )}
12      </div>
13    );
14  };
15
16  export default Posts;
```

Router Hooks - useLocation

This hook returns the location object that represents the current URL.

```
import { useLocation } from "react-router-dom";

const Contact = () => {
  const { pathname } = useLocation();

  return (
    <Fragment>
      <h1>Contact</h1>
      <p>Current URL: {pathname}</p>
    </Fragment>
  )
};
```




THANKS!

Any questions?

