React

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React

- Client Side JavaScript framework
- Created & maintained by Facebook
- Used to build dynamic user interfaces
- Renders everything as a component
- Often to referred as the "V" in MVC

- React ...
 - Makes JavaScript easier ... for complex apps
 - Organizes your UI
 - Reusability
 - Scalability & Efficiency
 - Lighter than most frameworks
 - GET A JOB

- React is used in
 - Facebook
 - Facebook App (React Native)
 - AirBnB
 - Tinder
 - Udemy
 - Instagram
 - Yahoo Mail

- Requirements:
 - NodeJS
 - Visual Studio Code
 - ES7 React/Redux/GraphQL/React-Native snippets
 - Chrome Extension
 - React Developer Tools
 - Redux Developer Tools

2. Setup

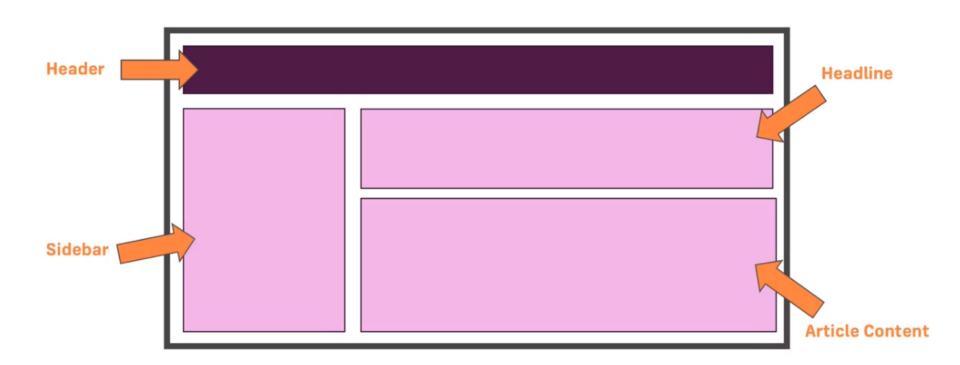
- create-react-app is a predefined Webpack config
 - \$ sudo npm install –g create-react-app

2. Setup

- package.json
 - Manifest that info about the application
- Public folder
 - Entry point to the entire application
 - In index.html, there is <u>root-div</u>, where React renders the entire app into

Thinking in React-Way

Components:



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- Each component contains its separate container of code
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- Why? It makes our code more manageable,
 more maintanable and more reusable
- A react component is like a custom HTML element

Why React?

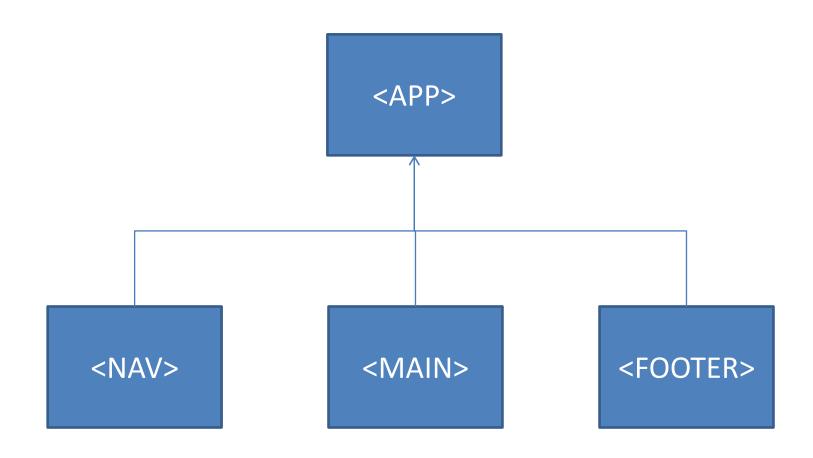
UI State becomes difficult to handle with Vanilla JavaScript

Focus on Business Logic, not on preventing your App from exploding

Plus

Framework
Creators
probably
write better
Code

Huge Ecosystem, Active Community, High Performance



- Stateful Components
 - Have a state object
 - Return JSX
- Functional Components
 - <u>Do not</u> have a state object
 - Return JSX

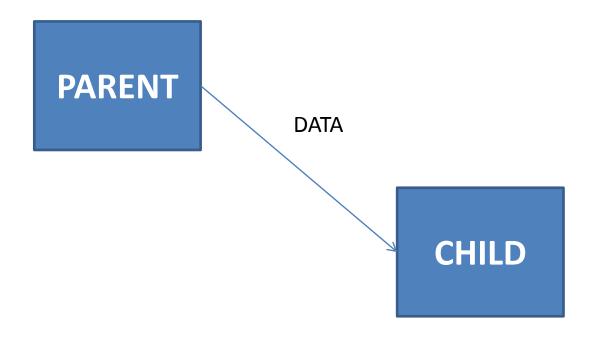
4. JSX

- basically HTML in JavaScript
- Will be transpiled into JavaScript by Babel (as Webpack plugin)

5. Props & States

Props

 Data passed down from parent component to child component



5. Props & States

- State
 - Private data of a component

MyComponent state = { active: true, x: 5 }

6. Functional Components

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- Why?
 - For layout purposes, components do not need to have an own state
 - For performance issues, functional components do not inherit stateful component methods and do not need to be instantiated

Create a React App "Fruit Manager" where one can add, remove and filter fruits.

Note:

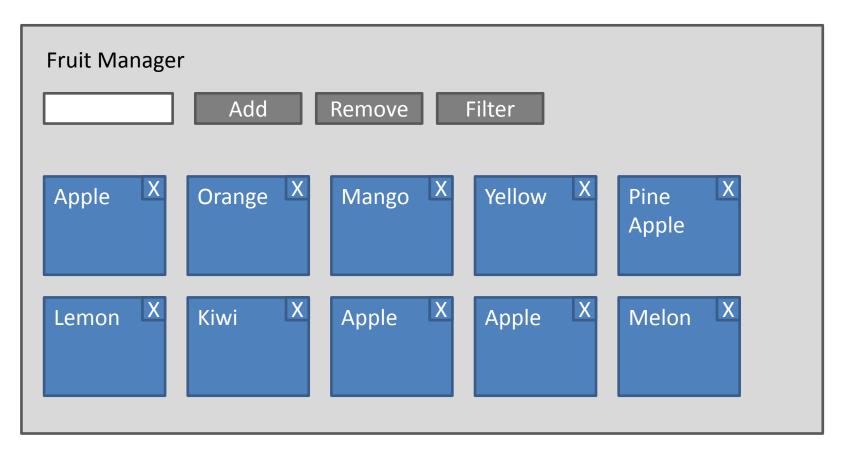
- Use both stateful and stateless components
- Use flexbox or grid for the arrangement of the items

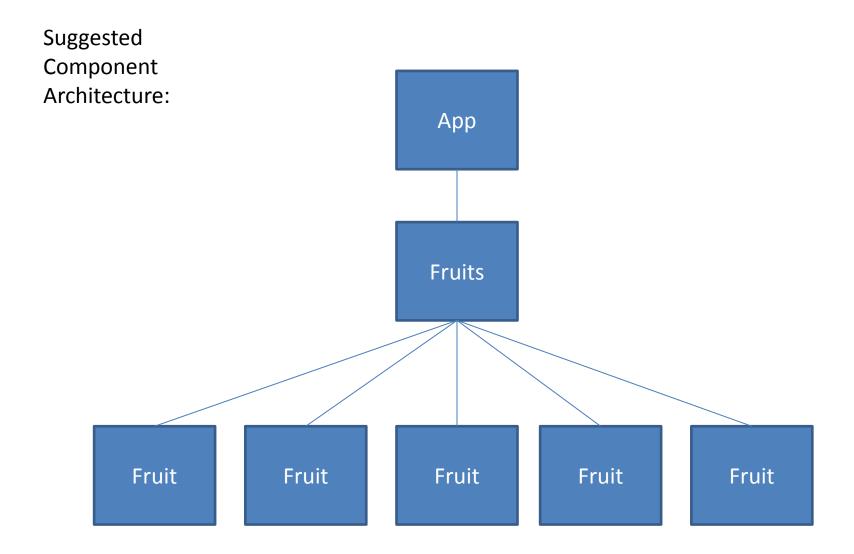
Add: Adds a new fruit with random color

Remove: Removes all fruits that contain the substring of the text input

Filter: Shows only the fruits that contain the substring of the text input

Click on X: Removes the fruit





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 - 2. Lives
 - 3. Dies

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- Each stateful component is
 - 1. Is born = <u>mounts</u>, the parent container includes it in the virtual DOM
 - 2. Lives = <u>updates</u>, new props will be sent to the component or it decides by itself to set a new state
 - 3. Dies = <u>unmounts</u>, the parent container excludes it from the virtual DOM

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"Render Phase"

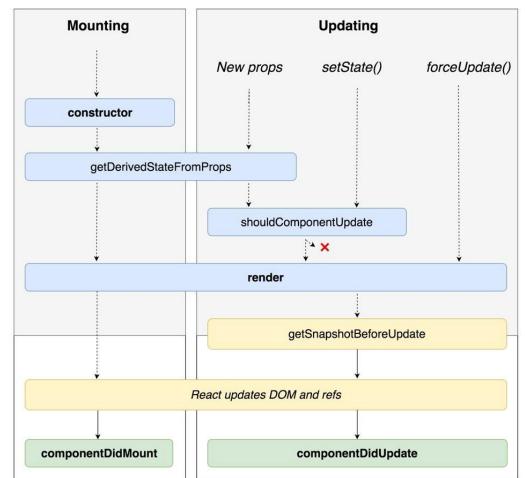
Pure and has no side effects. May be paused, aborted or restarted by React.

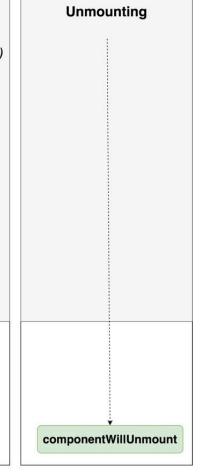
"Pre-Commit Phase"

Can read the DOM.

"Commit Phase"

Can work with DOM, run side effects, schedule updates.





8. AJAX with AXIOS

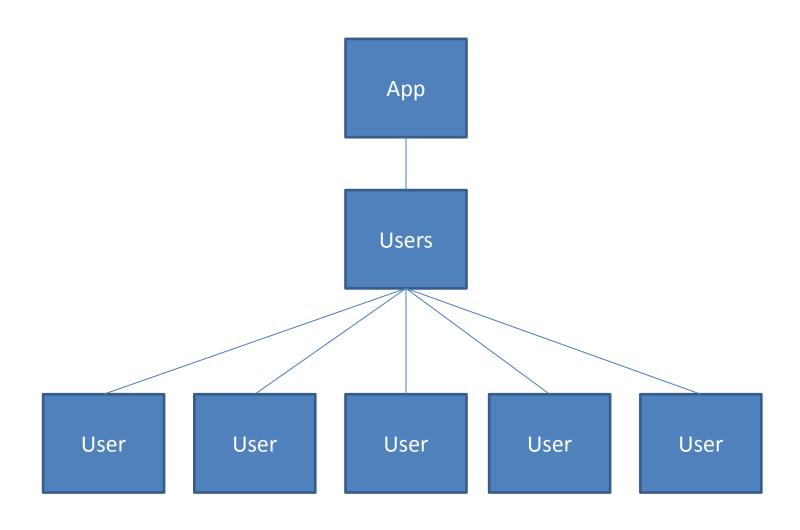
- AXIOS is a library that implements the functionality of AJAX using promises
- NodeJS Servers can be integrated into React Apps using a Proxy feature

Create a React App UserList that loads all users from

https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/users

and shows the id, the name and the email in a table. By clicking on the X next to the user, the user will be removed from the internal state.

User List			
ID 1 2 3	Name: Leanne Graham Clementine Bauch Patricia Lebsack	Email: Sincere@april.biz Nathan@yesania.net Julianna.Oconner@kory.org	X X X



Create a React App NextUser that consists of two components App and User. By clicking the button "Next User", the next user will be loaded via AJAX inside the User component. Warning: Very Difficult

User List

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- When the App initializes,
 - 1) the App component sends the User component the id of the first user (id = 1) via props.
 - The User component reads the id and loads the name and email via Axios from

https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/users/1

The User component shows the name and email of the first user

- 2) When the user clicks on "Next User"
 - the App component internally updates its id from 1 to 2 (or in general from id to id + 1) and sends it down to the User component via props.
 - The User component reads the id and loads the name and email via Axios from

https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/users/2

- 3) The User component shows the name and email of the next user
- 4) When the first 10 users are shown, the id shall start with 1 again.

9. Router

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- Routing?
- Conditionally Rendering Components based on the URL
- 1. / Start.js
- 2. /about About.js
- 3. /products Products.js
- 4. ...

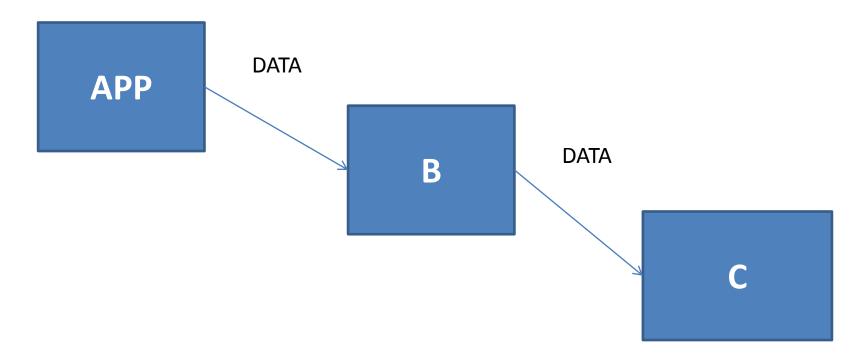
A - Create a React App "UserBrowser" that has three React routes:

- 1. / the start page, only shows "Start Page"
- /users A table of users loaded via AXIOS from <u>https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/users</u>, here show the name, the email and the phone
- 3. /user/:id Shows the name, username, email, phone and website of the user with the param :id https://jsonplaceholder.typicode.com/users/id

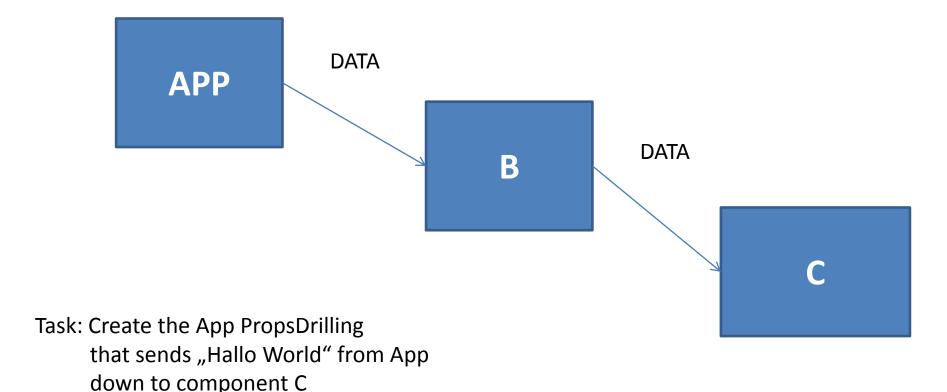
- B Create a navigation with the menu points "Start" and "Users"
- C For each user in the user table, add a link "Details" that leads to the user details.

- 1. Props Drilling
- 2. Context API
- 3. Redux

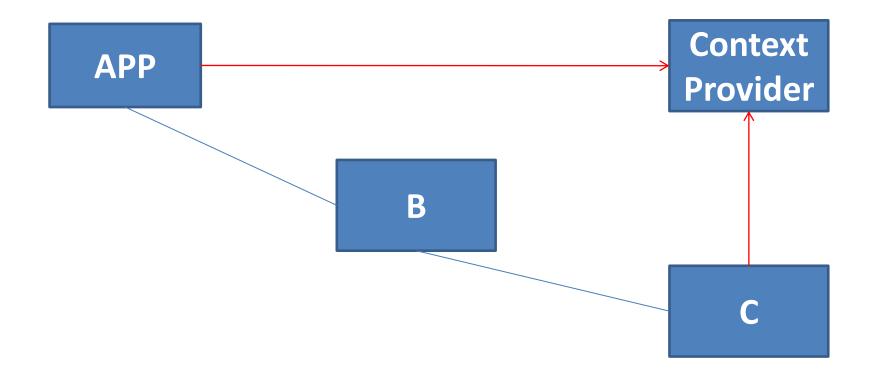
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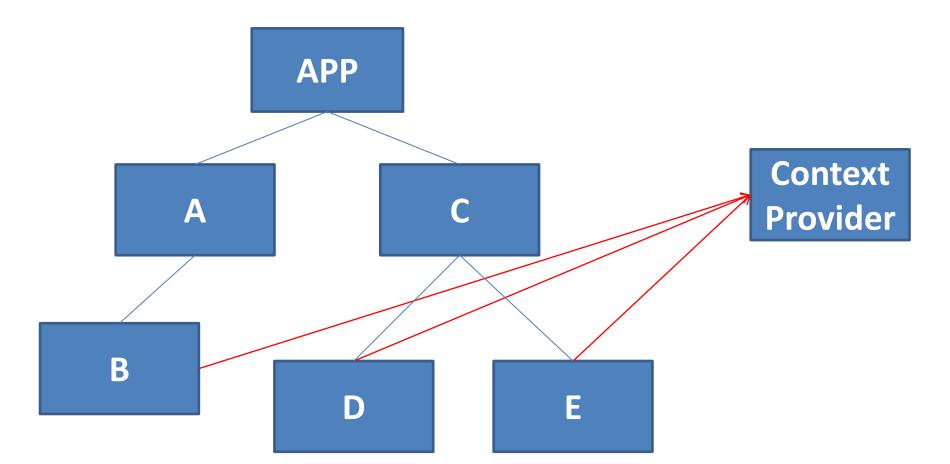
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2. Context API = A component, that shares its one state with other components



1 - Implement the following component architecture using the Context API.

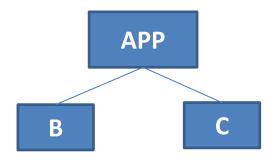


- 2 The context has two variables, x and y. Both are initially set to 0. Furthermore, the context has two functions incrementX and decrementY. incrementX sets x to x + 1 and decrementY sets y to y 1. Implement the context!
- 3 component B has a button that calls incrementX
- 4 component D shows the current value of x and y.
- 5 component E has a button that calls decrementY

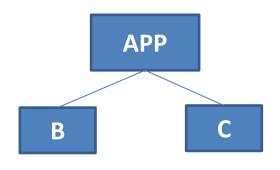
Context API functions can be indirectly called via a **Reducer** which maps messages to function calls.

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"INCREMENT_X" -> incrementX()
"DECREMENT_Y" -> decremenY()
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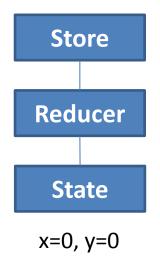
3. Redux = One or multiple shared states managed by a store

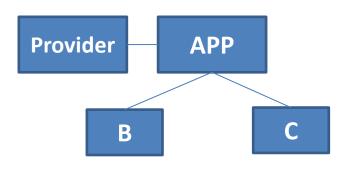


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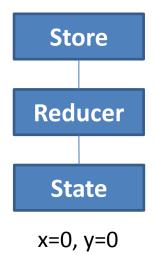


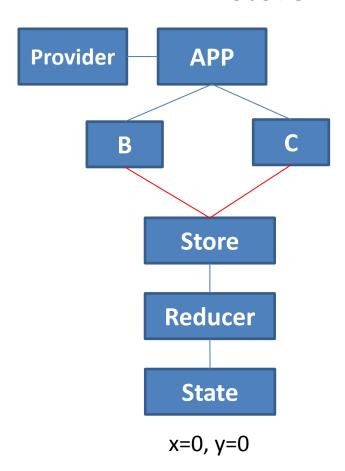
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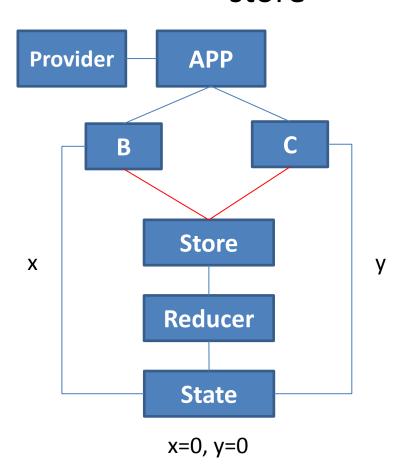


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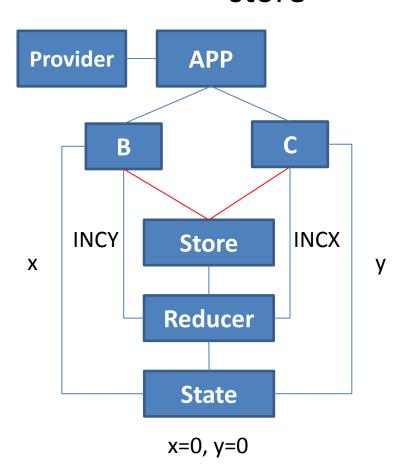




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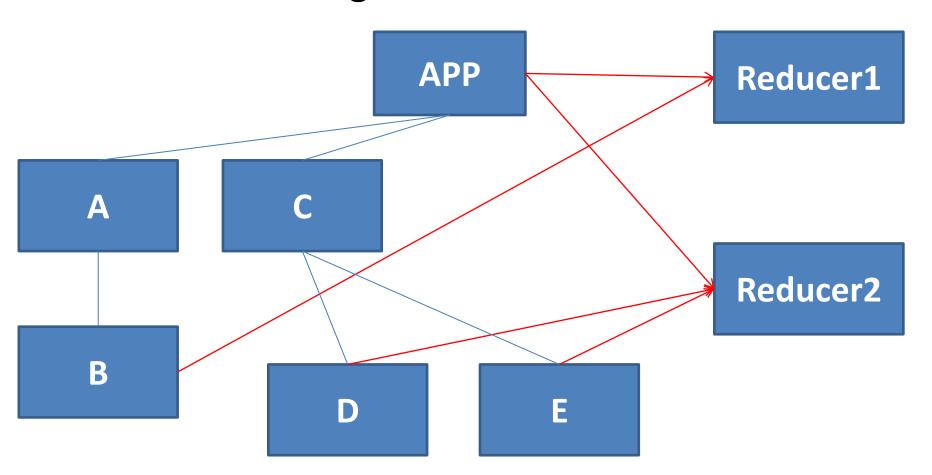


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1 - Implement the following component architecture using Redux.



- 2 Reducer1 has one variable a. Reducer2 has two variables b = 0 and c = 1.
- 3 component B has a button that generates a new randomstring with length 10 and saves it as Reducer1's a.
- 4 component D has a button that sets Reducer2's b to b + 2.
- 5 component E has a button that sets Reducer2's c to c + 2.
- 6 The App component shows all variables a, b and c.
- 7 The App component decides, that whenever b > 10 or c > 11, b will be reset to 0 and c to 1.