At this point in the project, we'll be implementing the useContext hook to act as our application's shopping cart.

Why is <u>useContext</u> a good choice here?

Context will make the shopping cart and its functions widely available to components without having to manually write the props.

Start by creating a CartContext.js file in your src folder.

The imports you'll need in this same file are the following.

```
import { createContext, useState } from "react";
import { productsArray, getProductData } from "./productStore";
```

Then create an exportable context that works as an *interface like* object literal that describes what functions are to be implemented and given access to via your provider.

In the context you create, you'll need a handful of properties. One should be called items set to an empty array. Then in the same context have one of each functions,

```
getProductQuantity, addOneToCart,
removeOneFromCart, deleteFromCart, getTotalCost
```

Then set up an exportable provider component that returns a CartContext component that passes each of the soon-to-be-implemented functions within a prop by the name of *value*.

Hint: pass the functions as a group not individually. What data structure can you use to pass as a group?

Once this is set up, implement each of the functions according to their name.

Here are a couple of hints, items should hold a value managed by the useState hook (an array works best).

Moreover, the structure of the data that we're storing in the state mentioned above is the following,

```
{ id: 1, quantity: 2 }
```

id is a representation of the product id, and *quantity* is how many products the user would like to purchase. This data structure is what your functions will be analyzing.

I recommend using high-order functions to help you work with the state.

Side note: Reach out to Fido if the implementation of the functions get's too difficult.

Once all functions are implemented make your provider component available for importing to the other files in your project by using the export default syntax.

Import the component into your App.js file and wrap it around your most external container.

This will give all the sub-components access to the context and functions you've implemented.

Now inside your ProductCard.js file, test the context you've created.

Your imports inside this mentioned file should look something like this,

```
import { CartContext } from '../CartContext';
import { useContext } from 'react';
```

Once your imports are set up, set the onClick attribute of your <a href="https://example.com/button/Button/

The function should be accessible through the useContext hook, and the CartContex you imported.