



How to create a

full-featured datatable

in Vue.js using

VueTable-2 Component ?

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VueTable Component Features

- Loading Remote Data
- Customized Field Data
- Sorting on Remote Data
- CSS Styling | JSON data format

Perks of VueTable



Loading Remote Data



API Mode

Vuetable interacts with an API endpoint to request data

Data Mode

Vuetable doesn't handle data request, but data needs to be supplied to it

API MODE

HTML

```
<vuetable  
  ref="vuetable"  
  api-url="https://vuetable.ratiw.net/api/users"  
  :fields="['name', 'email', 'birthdate']"  
>
```

DATA MODE

HTML

```
<vuetable
  ref="vuetable"
  :api-mode="false"
  :fields="fields"
  :data="data"
/>
```

JS

```
data() {
  return {
    fields: FieldDef,
    data: [],
    // data: sampleData,
  };
},
```

FieldDef.js

```
export default [
  {
    name: 'name',
    title: 'Full Name',
  },
  {
    name: 'email',
  },
  'birthdate',
  'nickname',
  {
    name: 'gender',
  },
]
```

JS

```
mounted() {
  axios.get("https://vuetable.ratiw.net/api/users").then(response => {
    this.data = response.data.data;
  });
},
```

Customized Field Data

Format Fields

To handle the value of the column data to be displayed.

Special Fields

Predefined field for specific purpose

FORMAT FIELDS

HTML

```
<vue-table  
  ref="vue-table"  
  :api-mode="false"  
  :fields="fields"  
  :data="data"  
>
```

JS

Fields

```
{  
  name: 'nickname',  
  callback: 'allcap'  
},  
{  
  name: 'gender',  
  titleClass: 'center aligned',  
  dataClass: 'center aligned',  
  callback: 'genderLabel'  
},
```

JS

```
methods: {  
  allcap (value) {  
    return value.toUpperCase()  
  },  
  genderLabel (value) {  
    return value === 'M'  
      ? '<span class="ui teal label"><i class="large man icon"></i>Male</span>'  
      : '<span class="ui pink label"><i class="large woman icon"></i>Female</span>'  
  }  
},
```

SPECIAL FIELDS

__SEQUENCE
__HANDLE
__CHECKBOX
__COMPONENT



JS

Fields

```
{  
  name: "__slot:email",  
  title: "Email"  
},
```

HTML

```
<vuetable ref="vuetable" api-url="https://vuetable.ratiw.net/api/users" :fields="fields">  
  <template slot="email" scope="props">  
    <a :href="`mailto:${props.rowData.email}`">{{props.rowData.email}}</a>  
  </template>  
</vuetable>
```


Sorting on Remote Data

JS

Fields

```
{
  name: "__slot:email",
  title: "Email",
  sortField: 'email'
},
```

JS

```
sortOrder: [
  {
    field: 'name',
    sortField: 'name',
    direction: 'asc'
  }
]
```

Set default sort order

HTML

```
<vuetable ref="vuetable"
  api-url="https://vuetable.ratiw.net/api/users"
  :fields="fields"
  pagination-path=""
  :per-page="15"
  :sort-order="sortOrder"
  @vuetable:pagination-data="onPaginationData"
>
```

CSS Styling

Default Vuetable comes with Semantic UI

Styling can be changed →

HTML

```
<vuetable-pagination ref="pagination"
  :css="css.pagination"
></vuetable-pagination>
```

JS

```
pagination: {
  wrapperClass: 'ui right floated pagination menu',
  activeClass: 'active large',
  disabledClass: 'disabled',
  pageClass: 'item',
  linkClass: 'icon item',
  paginationClass: 'ui bottom attached segment grid',
  paginationInfoClass: 'left floated left aligned six wide column',
  dropdownClass: 'ui search dropdown',
  icons: {
    first: 'angle double left icon',
    prev: 'left chevron icon',
    next: 'right chevron icon',
    last: 'angle double right icon',
  }
},
```

JSON data format

Need to **use a particular JSON** structure

ELSE transform the JSON using transform props.



HTML

```
<vuetable  
  api-url="..."  
  :fields="fields"  
  :transform="transformData"  
  data-path="mydata"  
  pagination-path="pagination"  
></vuetable>
```



Code & Demo

REPO LINK:

<https://github.com/ikram-shah/Vue-Table-Demo>

DEMO LINK:

<https://vuetabledemo.netlify.com/>

PERKS OF

vueTable



TUTORIAL

To start with, there is a very good tutorial which helps to explore all the necessary features of vueTable-2



TABLE DATA

Get table data either directly from the API endpoint (or) just supply the data to table using data mode



PAGINATION

Can use the inbuilt pagination feature, or grab the pagination component data and customize accordingly

thank you !

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