

React Native Coding Standard

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Abstract—This document discusses about React Native coding standard using for BeeSight Soft. This document is internal purpose.

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I. INTRODUCTION

BEE SIGHT SOFT using beesight cli tool [1] to generate React native (rct) [2] template. Project generated by beesight will be support some main of initial features are: Ignite [3] structure compatible, integrated with Reactotron [4] debugger tool, integrated with React native debugger tool [5], Nativebase [6] design, support Fonts [7], support I18n [8] for multiple language, support multi Environment configuration [9], project unique version [10], splash screen [11], app icon generate [12] with style guide of Airbnb [13].

II. DELIVERY PACKAGE

A. Platform

iOS: from iOS 8.0

Android: from Android 4.1, min api level is 16, min 1GB Ram

B. System Build Requirements

OS: macOS High Sierra Version 10.13.5

xcodebuild: Xcode 9.4.1 Build version 9F2000

git: git version 2.15.2 (Apple Git-101.1)

brew: Homebrew 1.6.9

pod: 1.5.0

adb: Android Debug Bridge version 1.0.40

node: v9.10.1

watchman: 4.9.0

react-native-cli: 2.0.1

react-native: 0.54.2

app-icon: 0.6.2

beesight: v1.3.9

C. IDE

Visual studio code

Android

Xcode

D. Debugger

React native debugger

Reactotron

III. SETUP APPLICATION

A. For New Project

Step 1: generate rct project using command `beesight rct`

Step 2: `cd project`
Step 3: Install dependencies of the application with `npm i`

B. For Exist Project

Step 1: `git clone this repo`
Step 2: `cd to the cloned repo`
Step 3: Install dependencies of the application with `npm i`

C. Run Application

For iOS

`react-native run-ios`

For Android

Start Android emulator

`react-native run-android`

IV. STRUCTURE

A. Default Structure

`android/` – This is the directory where all of the native Android code lives. If you dive in there you'll find `.gradle` files, `.java` files, and `.xml` files. This is the directory you would open with Android Studio. You'll rarely have to work in this directory.

`ios/` – Like the `android` directory this is where all of your native iOS code lives. You'll find your xcode project in there, `.plist` files, `.h` files, `.m` files, etc. The ios template using CocoaPods [14], if you want to open your project in xcode you would install pod file with command `pod install` and open `ios/<PROJECT_NAME>.xcworkspace`. You'll rarely have to work in this directory.

`index.js` – This is the entry point for your app into the React Native code. It's where you'll want to register your app via `AppRegistry`

`App/` – Where all of our app logic will be going

`/Components/` – All components are stored and organized

`<COMPONENT_NAME>/`

`<COMPONENT_NAME>.Styles.js` – Contain style of view component

`<COMPONENT_NAME>.View.js` – Contain layout of view component

`/Config/` – All application specific configuration falls in this folder.

`AppConfig.js` – production values.

`DebugConfig.js` – development-wide globals.

`ReactotronConfig.js` – Reactotron client settings.

`ReduxPersist.js` – rehydrate Redux state.

`/Containers/` – Contain app screens and logic

`<SCREEN_NAME>/`

`<SCREEN_NAME>.Screen.js` – Contain layout of screen

`<SCREEN_NAME>.Styles.js` – Contain style of screen

`<SCREEN_NAME>.Action.js` – Contain Redux [15] action

`<SCREEN_NAME>.Api.js` – Contain Redux api server for data

`<SCREEN_NAME>.Reducer.js` – Contain Redux reducer for business logic

`/Fonts/` – Where all of our fonts for app

`/Images/` – Where all of our images for app

`/I18n/` – Where all translation script file

`/Navigation/` Where all configuration of navigation for app

`/Redux/index.js` – This is the file contain setup store for Redux reducer

`/Sagas/index.js` – This is the file contain connection definition between Redux action and Redux business function

rule

`/Themes/` – Where all configuration for themes

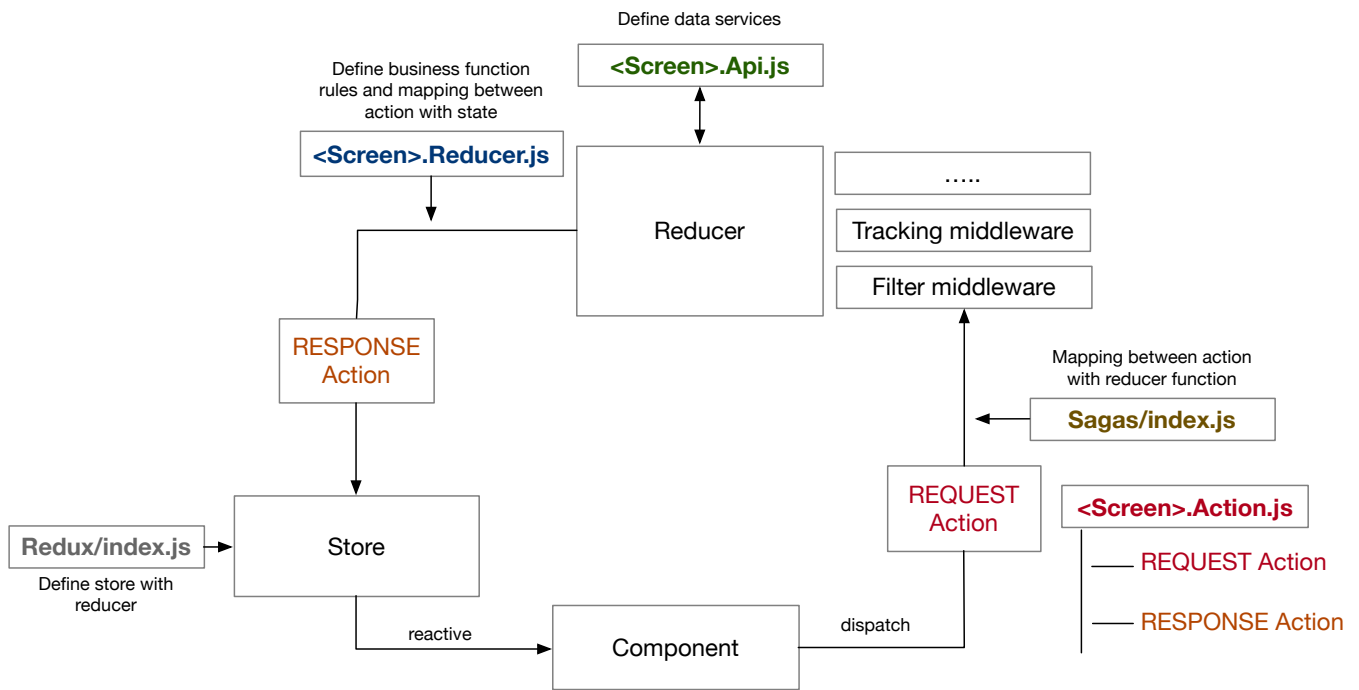


Figure 1: Redux flow

V. CONVENTION

A. Basic Rules

Only include one React component per file. However, multiple *Stateless, or Pure, Components* [16] are allowed per file. `eslint: react/no-multi-comp` [17]

Always use JSX syntax.

Do not use `React.createElement` unless you're initializing the app from a file that is not JSX.

B. Class vs `React.createClass` vs `stateless`

If you have internal state and/or refs, prefer class extends `Component` over `React.createClass`. `eslint: react/prefer-es6-class` [18] `react/prefer-stateless-function` [19]

```

// bad
const Listing = React.createClass({
  // ...
  render() {
    return <div>{this.state.hello}</div>;
  }
});

// good
class Listing extends Component {
  // ...
  render() {
    return <div>{this.state.hello}</div>;
  }
}

```

And if you don't have state or refs, prefer normal functions (not arrow functions) over classes:

```

// bad
class Listing extends Component {
  render() {
    return <div>{this.props.hello}</div>;
  }
}

// bad (relying on function name inference is discouraged)
const Listing = ({ hello }) => (
  <div>{hello}</div>
);

```

```
// good
function Listing({ hello }) {
  return <div>{hello}</div>;
}
```

C. Naming

Extensions: Use .js extension for React native components.

Filename: Use PascalCase for filenames. E.g., ReservationCard.js.

Reference Naming: Use PascalCase for React components and camelCase for their instances. eslint: *react/jsx-pascal-case* [20]

```
// bad
import reservationCard from './ReservationCard';

// good
import ReservationCard from './ReservationCard';

// bad
const ReservationItem = <ReservationCard />;

// good
const reservationItem = <ReservationCard />;
```

Component Naming: Use the filename as the component name. For example, *ReservationCard.js* should have a reference name of *ReservationCard*. However, for root components of a directory, use index.js as the filename and use the directory name as the component name:

```
// bad
import Footer from './Footer/Footer';

// bad
import Footer from './Footer/index';

// good
import Footer from './Footer';
```

Higher-order Component Naming: Use a composite of the higher-order component's name and the passed-in component's name as the *displayName* on the generated component. For example, the higher-order component *withFoo()*, when passed a component *Bar* should produce a component with a *displayName* of *withFoo(Bar)*.

```
// bad
export default function withFoo(WrappedComponent) {
  return function WithFoo(props) {
    return <WrappedComponent {...props} foo />;
  }
}

// good
export default function withFoo(WrappedComponent) {
  function WithFoo(props) {
    return <WrappedComponent {...props} foo />;
  }

  const wrappedComponentName = WrappedComponent.displayName
    || WrappedComponent.name
    || 'Component';

  WithFoo.displayName = `withFoo(${wrappedComponentName})`;
  return WithFoo;
}
```

Props Naming: Avoid using DOM component prop names for different purposes.

```
// bad
<MyComponent style="fancy" />

// bad
<MyComponent className="fancy" />

// good
<MyComponent variant="fancy" />
```

D. Declaration

Do not use *displayName* for naming components. Instead, name the component by reference.

```
// bad
```

```
export default React.createClass({
  displayName: 'ReservationCard',
  // stuff goes here
});

// good
export default class ReservationCard extends Component {
}
```

E. Alignment

Follow these alignment styles for JSX syntax. eslint: *react/jsx-closing-bracket-location* [21] *react/jsx-closing-tag-location* [22]

```
// bad
<Foo superLongParam="bar"
    anotherSuperLongParam="baz" />

// good
<Foo
  superLongParam="bar"
  anotherSuperLongParam="baz"
/>

// if props fit in one line then keep it on the same line
<Foo bar="bar" />

// children get indented normally
<Foo
  superLongParam="bar"
  anotherSuperLongParam="baz"
>
  <Bee />
</Foo>
```

F. Quotes

Always use double quotes (") for JSX attributes, but single quotes (') for all other JS. eslint: *jsx-quotes* [23]

```
// bad
<Foo bar='bar' />

// good
<Foo bar="bar" />

// bad
<Foo style={{ left: "20px" }} />

// good
<Foo style={{ left: '20px' }} />
```

G. Spacing

Always include a single space in your self-closing tag. eslint: *no-multi-spaces* [24], *react/jsx-tag-spacing* [25]

```
// bad
<Foo/>

// very bad
<Foo          />

// bad
<Foo
/>

// good
<Foo />
```

Do not pad JSX curly braces with spaces. eslint: *react/jsx-curly-spacing* [26]

```
// bad
<Foo bar={ baz } />

// good
<Foo bar={baz} />
```

H. Props

Always use camelCase for prop names.

```
// bad
<Foo
  UserName="hello"
  phone_number={12345678}
/>

// good
<Foo
  userName="hello"
  phoneNumber={12345678}
/>
```

Omit the value of the prop when it is explicitly true. eslint: *react/jsx-boolean-value* [27]

```
// bad
<Foo
  hidden={true}
/>

// good
<Foo
  hidden
/>

// good
<Foo hidden />
```

Always include an alt prop on tags. If the image is presentational, alt can be an empty string or the must have role="presentation". eslint: *jsx-a11y/alt-text* [28]

```
// bad


// good


// good


// good

```

Do not use words like "image", "photo", or "picture" in alt props. eslint: *jsx-a11y/img-redundant-alt* [29]

```
// bad


// good

```

Use only valid, *non-abstract ARIA roles* [30]. eslint: *jsx-a11y/aria-role* [31]

```
// bad - not an ARIA role
<div role="datepicker" />

// bad - abstract ARIA role
<div role="range" />

// good
<div role="button" />
```

Do not use *accessKey* on elements. eslint: *jsx-a11y/no-access-key* [32]

```
// bad
<div accessKey="h" />

// good
<div />
```

Avoid using an array index as *key* prop, prefer a unique ID.

```
// bad
{todos.map((todo, index) =>
  <Todo
    {...todo}
    key={index}
  />
)}

// good
```

```
{todos.map(todo => (
  <Todo
    {...todo}
    key={todo.id}
  />
))}
```

Always define explicit *defaultProps* for all non-required props.

```
// bad
function SFC({ foo, bar, children }) {
  return <div>{foo}{bar}{children}</div>;
}
SFC.propTypes = {
  foo: PropTypes.number.isRequired,
  bar: PropTypes.string,
  children: PropTypes.node,
};

// good
function SFC({ foo, bar, children }) {
  return <div>{foo}{bar}{children}</div>;
}
SFC.propTypes = {
  foo: PropTypes.number.isRequired,
  bar: PropTypes.string,
  children: PropTypes.node,
};
SFC.defaultProps = {
  bar: '',
  children: null,
};
```

Use spread props sparingly.

Exceptions:

- HOCs that proxy down props and hoist *propTypes*

```
function HOC(WrappedComponent) {
  return class Proxy extends Component {
    Proxy.propTypes = {
      text: PropTypes.string,
      isLoading: PropTypes.bool
    };

    render() {
      return <WrappedComponent {...this.props} />
    }
  }
}
```

- Spreading objects with known, explicit props. This can be particularly useful when testing React components with Mocha's *beforeEach* construct.

```
export default function Foo {
  const props = {
    text: '',
    isPublished: false
  }

  return (<div {...props} />);
}
```

Notes for use: Filter out unnecessary props when possible. Also, use *prop-types-exact* [33] to help prevent bugs.

```
// good
render() {
  const { irrelevantProp, ...relevantProps } = this.props;
  return <WrappedComponent {...relevantProps} />
}

// bad
render() {
  const { irrelevantProp, ...relevantProps } = this.props;
  return <WrappedComponent {...this.props} />
}
```

I. Refs

Always use ref callbacks. eslint: *react/no-string-refs* [34]

```
// bad
<Foo
  ref="myRef"
/>

// good
<Foo
  ref={(ref) => { this.myRef = ref; }}
/>
```

J. Parentheses

Wrap JSX tags in parentheses when they span more than one line. eslint: *react/jsx-wrap-multilines* [35]

```
// bad
render() {
  return <MyComponent variant="long body" foo="bar">
    <MyChild />
  </MyComponent>;
}

// good
render() {
  return (
    <MyComponent variant="long body" foo="bar">
      <MyChild />
    </MyComponent>
  );
}

// good, when single line
render() {
  const body = <div>hello</div>;
  return <MyComponent>{body}</MyComponent>;
}
```

K. Tags

Always self-close tags that have no children. eslint: *react/self-closing-comp* [36]

```
// bad
<Foo variant="stuff"></Foo>

// good
<Foo variant="stuff" />
```

If your component has multi-line properties, close its tag on a new line. eslint: *react/jsx-closing-bracket-location* [37]

```
// bad
<Foo
  bar="bar"
  baz="baz" />

// good
<Foo
  bar="bar"
  baz="baz"
/>
```

L. Methods

Use arrow functions to close over local variables.

```
function ItemList(props) {
  return (
    <ul>
      {props.items.map((item, index) => (
        <Item
          key={item.key}
          onClick={() => doSomethingWith(item.name, index)}
        />
      ))}
    </ul>
  );
}
```

Bind event handlers for the render method in the constructor. eslint: *react/jsx-no-bind* [38]

```
// bad
class extends Component {
  onClickDiv() {
```



```

    // do stuff
  }

  render() {
    return <div onClick={this.onClickDiv.bind(this)} />;
  }
}

// good
class extends Component {
  constructor(props) {
    super(props);

    this.onClickDiv = this.onClickDiv.bind(this);
  }

  onClickDiv() {
    // do stuff
  }

  render() {
    return <div onClick={this.onClickDiv} />;
  }
}

```

Do not use underscore prefix for internal methods of a React component.

```

// bad
React.createClass({
  _onClickSubmit() {
    // do stuff
  },

  // other stuff
});

// good
class extends Component {
  onClickSubmit() {
    // do stuff
  }

  // other stuff
}

```

Be sure to return a value in your render methods. eslint: *react/require-render-return* [39]

```

// bad
render() {
  (<div />);
}

// good
render() {
  return (<div />);
}

```

M. Ordering

optional *static* methods

constructor

getChildContext

componentWillMount

componentDidMount

componentWillReceiveProps

shouldComponentUpdate

componentWillUpdate

componentDidUpdate

componentWillUnmount

clickHandlers or *eventHandlers* like *onClickSubmit()* or *onChangeDescription()*

getter methods for *render* like *getSelectReason()* or *getFooterContent()*

optional *render* methods like *renderNavigation()* or *renderProfilePicture()*

render

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