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Many Uses of React Storybook

When Building a React Component Library

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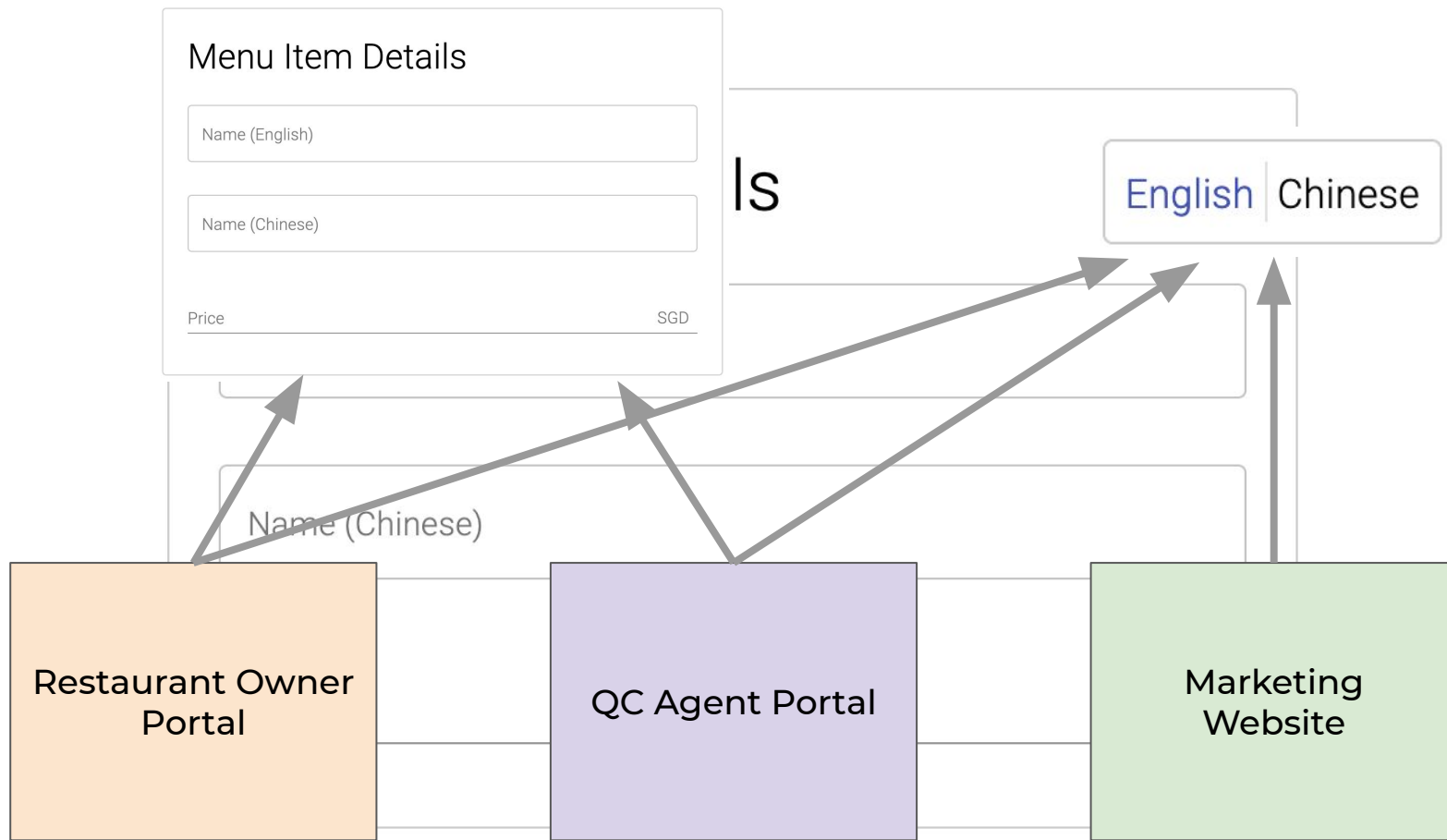
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Component Libraries

- Material-UI
- Ant Design
- Grommet

- Your Own One ?



Your Own Component Library

- Sharable logic and branding
- Deploy with confidence
- Develop components in isolation

- Could be a separate repo and a separate package
 - Makes sense unless yours is a simple app
- Could be a directory in your app's repo



- Develop UI components in isolation
- Initially as React Storybook but not React specific now
- Started out back in 2016 at **Kadira Inc**
- Most popular component explorer

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For Managers / QA / Designers / Stakeholders

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Developers

- Develop components isolated to the consumer app
 - Quickly go through all the cases
 - See the component with no additional steps
 - Log in and wait till data loads
 - Multiple clicks
 - Use the Actions addon to test the behaviour
 - Use the Viewport addon to test the responsiveness
- Case driven development

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Build Storybook

- Run the `build-storybook` script
- Push the generated directory to a static website host
- Share it with your stakeholders

- Profit



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Adding the new `<StatusTag/>` component. Please take a look.

Storybook url 

<https://fp-storybook.s3-ap-southeast-1.amazonaws.com/feature/status-tag-comp/index.html?path=/story/status-tag--normal>

package.json

```
"scripts": {  
  "storybook": "start-storybook -p 6006",  
  "build-storybook": "build-storybook"  
},
```

deploy.sh

```
#!/bin/bash  
yarn run build-storybook --quiet  
aws s3 cp --recursive storybook "s3://my-components-lib-storybook/$TRAVIS_BRANCH" --acl public-read
```

travis.yml

```
jobs:  
  include:  
    - stage: Unit Test  
      <<: *unitTests  
  
    - stage: Deploy Storybook  
      deploy:  
        - provider: script  
          skip_cleanup: true  
          script: bash scripts/deploy.sh  
          on:  
            all_branches: true
```

Managers / QA / Designers

- Stress test components with knobs addon
- Provide feedback

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