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3n Branch side you will need to sign up for a free Branch account and follow the steps on their Dashboard to complete set up.

Copy your Branch Key from the Settings page of your Branch dashboard.

Saste the Branch Key in the destination settings and click **Save**.

Installation

You need to install the @segment/analytics-react-native-plugin-branch and the react-native-branch dependencies to use the Branch plugin.

Using NPM:

npm install --save @segment/analytics-react-native-plugin-branch react-native-branch

Using Yarn:

yarn add @segment/analytics-react-native-plugin-branch react-native-branch

Run pod install after the installation to autolink the Branch SDK.

See the Branch React Native SDK docs for more information about this dependency.

Usage

Follow the instructions for adding plugins on the main Analytics client.

In your code where you initialize the analytics client, call the .add(plugin) method with an BranchPlugin instance:

```
import { createClient } from '@segment/analytics-react-native';
import { BranchPlugin } from '@segment/analytics-react-native-plugin-branch';

const segmentClient = createClient({
   writeKey: 'SEGMENT_KEY'
});

segmentClient.add({ plugin: new BranchPlugin() });
```

Identify

If you're not familiar with the Segment Spec, take a moment to understand what the Identify method does. An example call looks like this:

```
const { identify } = useAnalytics();

identify('user-123', {
   username: 'MisterWhiskers',
   email: 'hello@test.com',
   plan: 'premium',
});
```

When you call .identify('userId'), Segment uses Branch's setIdentity(userId) method to send the userId that was passed in.

Track

If you're not familiar with the Segment Spec, take a moment to understand what the Track method does. An example call looks like this:

```
const { track } = useAnalytics();

track('View Product', {
  productId: 123,
  productName: 'Striped trousers',
});
```

When you call track, Segment translates it automatically and sends the event to Branch's logEvent() endpoint.

Screen

If you're not familiar with the Segment Spec, take a look to understand what the Screen method does. An example call looks like this:

```
const { screen } = useAnalytics();
screen('ScreenName', {
  productSlug: 'example-product-123',
});
```

Segment sends Screen Events to Branch's logEvent() endpoint.

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