Title: Why React?

Answer:

React.js is a JavaScript library. It was developed by engineers at Facebook.

Here are just a few of the reasons why people choose to program with React:

- React is *fast*. Apps made in React can handle complex updates and still feel quick and responsive.

- React is *modular*. Instead of writing large, dense files of code, you can write many smaller, reusable files. React's modularity can be a beautiful solution to JavaScript's maintainability problems (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Spaghetti_code).

- React is *scalable*. Large programs that display a lot of changing data are where React performs best.

- React is *flexible*. You can use React for interesting projects that have nothing to do with making a web app. People are still figuring out React's potential. There's room to explore. (https://medium.mybridge.co/22-amazing-open-source-react-projects-cb8230ec719f#.o5umedb6v)

- React is *popular*. While this reason has admittedly little to do with React's quality, the truth is that understanding React will make you more employable.

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