REACT HOOKS

WHAT IS A HOOK?

➤ Hook is a special function that lets you hook into the React features

WHEN DO YOU USE A HOOK?

- ➤ If you write a function component and realize you need to add a some state to it, previously you had to convert it to a class.
- ➤ Now you can hook it inside the existing function component.

```
class Example extends React.Component {
  constructor(props) {
    super(props);
    this.state = {
      count: 0
    };
}
```

```
import { useState } from 'react';

function Example() {
    // Declare a new state variable, which we'll call "count"
    const [count, setCount] = useState(0);
```

TYPES

- ➤ State Hook
- ➤ Effect Hook

STATE HOOK

PREREQUISITES

this.setState()

➤ StateHook Equivalent

```
class Example extends React.Component {
  constructor(props) {
    super(props);
    this.state = {
     count: 0
   };
  render() {
    return (
     <div>
       You clicked {this.state.count} times
       <button onClick={() => this.setState({ count: this.state.count + 1 })}>
         Click me
       </button>
     </div>
```

➤ State Hook : useState

useState returns a pair: the current state & function that lets you update it. You only need to pass the initial state value to the

hook.

```
import { useState } from 'react';
function Example() {
  // Declare a new state variable, which we'll call "count"
  const [count, setCount] = useState(0);
  return (
   <div>
     You clicked {count} times
     <button onClick={() => setCount(count + 1)}>
       Click me
     </button>
   </div>
```

EFFECT HOOK

PREREQUISITES

- componentDidMount()
- componentDidUpdate()
- componentDidUnmount()

➤ EffectHook Equivalent

```
class Example extends React.Component {
  constructor(props) {
   super(props);
   this.state = {
     count: 0
   };
 componentDidMount() {
   document.title = `You clicked ${this.state.count} times`;
 componentDidUpdate() {
   document.title = `You clicked ${this.state.count} times`;
  render() {
   return (
     <div>
       You clicked {this.state.count} times
       <button onClick={() => this.setState({ count: this.state.count + 1 })}>
         Click me
       </button>
     </div>
```

➤ Effect Hook : useEffect

useEffect serves same purpose as 'componentDidMount', 'componentDidUpdate', 'componentDidUnmount'.

```
import { useState, useEffect } from 'react';
function Example() {
 const [count, setCount] = useState(0);
 // Similar to componentDidMount and componentDidUpdate:
 useEffect(() => {
   // Update the document title using the browser API
   document.title = `You clicked ${count} times`;
 });
 return (
   <div>
     You clicked {count} times
      <button onClick={() => setCount(count + 1)}>
       Click me
      </button>
   </div>
```

RULES:

➤ Only call hooks at the top level.

- ➤ Don't call Hooks inside loops, conditions or nested functions
- ➤ This ensures that Hooks are called in same order they are rendered and that it preserves the correct state of hooks
- Only call hooks from React functions
 - Don't call hooks from Javascript functions
 - ➤ This ensures that all stateful logic in component is clearly visible from its source code