

# Handling Deeply Nested Props

In this lesson, we'll discuss how to handle a component when nested props are used.

`React.memo` does a [shallow comparison](#) of props. By implication, if you have nested props objects, the comparison will fail.

To handle such cases, `React.memo` takes in a second argument, an `equalityCheck` function.

Here's a basic example:

```
import React, { memo } from 'react'
export default memo (function MyComponent (props) {
  return ( <div>
    Hello World from {props.name.surname.short}
  </div>
)
}, equalityCheck)
function equalityCheck(prevProps, nextProps) {
  // return perform equality check & return true || false
}
```

If the `equalityCheck` function returns `true`, no re-render will happen. This would mean that the current props and previous props are the same. If it returns `false`, then a re-render will occur.

If you're concerned about incurring extra performance hits from doing a deep comparison, you may use the [lodash isEqual](#) utility method.

```
import { isEqual } from 'lodash'
function equalityCheck(prevProps, nextProps) {
  return isEqual(prevProps, nextProps)
}
```

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Let's conclude this in the next lesson.

