

React

1. Explain Various Ways of Conditional Rendering

React provides several methods for **conditional rendering**, allowing developers to dynamically render content based on state, props, or logic. The most commonly used approaches include:

a) If-Else Statement

```
JavaScript ▾  
  
if (isLoggedIn) {  
  return <h2>Welcome back!</h2>;  
} else {  
  return <h2>Please sign in.</h2>;  
}
```

b) Ternary Operator

Ideal for rendering one of two elements:

```
<h2>{isLoggedIn ? 'Welcome back!' : 'Please log in.'}</h2>
```

c) Logical AND (&&) Operator

Useful for rendering one element conditionally:

```
{hasError && <p style={{ color: 'red' }}>An error occurred.</p>}
```

d) Switch Statement (within functions)

```
JavaScript ▾  
  
switch (userType) {  
  case 'admin':  
    return <AdminDashboard />;  
  case 'guest':  
    return <GuestPage />;  
  default:  
    return <HomePage />;  
}
```

2. Explain How to Render Multiple Components

To render **multiple components** in React, you can place them side by side within a parent element such as a `<div>`, `<>` (Fragment), or a custom wrapper component.

Example:

```
JavaScript ▾  
  
function App() {  
  return (  
    <div>  
      <Header />  
      <Navigation />  
      <Content />  
      <Footer />  
    </div>  
  );  
}
```

Alternatively, using **React Fragments** to avoid extra DOM nodes:

```
JavaScript ▾  
  
<>  
  <ComponentOne />  
  <ComponentTwo />  
</>
```

Rendering multiple components allows for modular, maintainable code and promotes reusability throughout the application.

3. Define List Component

A **List component** in React is a component designed to render a collection of similar items, such as an array of users, tasks, or products. Lists are usually created by iterating over an array using JavaScript's `map()` function and returning a JSX element for each item.

Example:

```
JavaScript ▾  
  
function UserList(props) {  
  return (  
    <ul>  
      {props.users.map(user => (  
        <li key={user.id}>{user.name}</li>  
      ))}  
    </ul>  
  );  
}
```

A list component improves UI structure and data representation by handling dynamic sets of data efficiently.

4. Explain About Keys in React Applications

Keys in React are unique identifiers assigned to elements in a list to help React distinguish which items have changed, been added, or removed. This improves rendering performance and prevents unexpected behavior during re-renders.

Key Rules:

- Keys must be unique **among siblings**.
- Ideally, use a unique ID from the data itself.
- Avoid using array indices as keys unless the list is static.

Example:

```
JavaScript ▾  
  
{items.map(item => (  
  <li key={item.id}>{item.name}</li>  
))}
```

5. Explain How to Extract Components with Keys

When rendering lists, it's common to extract each rendered item into its own **child component**. The key prop should be passed to the **element in the list**, not inside the child component itself.

Example :

```
JavaScript ▾  
  
function ListItem(props) {  
  return <li>{props.value}</li>;  
}  
  
function NumberList(props) {  
  return (  
    <ul>  
      {props.numbers.map(number => (  
        <ListItem key={number.toString()} value={number} />  
      ))}  
    </ul>  
  );  
}
```

Here, key is used in the array mapping where each ListItem is created. This ensures efficient updating of individual list items.

6. Explain React Map, map() Function

The **map() function** in React refers to the native JavaScript `Array.prototype.map()` method, used for transforming arrays into arrays of React elements. It is a fundamental tool for rendering lists in JSX.

Syntax:

```
JavaScript ∨  
  
array.map((item, index) => {  
  // return JSX  
});
```

Example in React:

```
JavaScript ∨  
  
const fruits = ['Apple', 'Banana', 'Cherry'];  
  
const fruitList = fruits.map((fruit, index) => (  
  <li key={index}>{fruit}</li>  
));  
  
return <ul>{fruitList}</ul>;
```

React + map() allows:

- Dynamic generation of components
- Clean and declarative rendering of collections
- Incorporation of logic or formatting per item