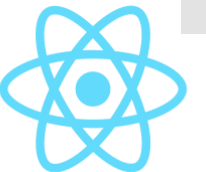


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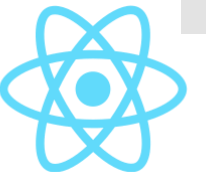


# Course Goals



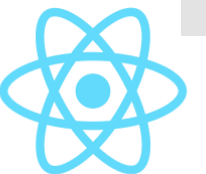
# Course Goals

- **Getting started** with functional components and hooks
- Go **beyond** the basic use cases



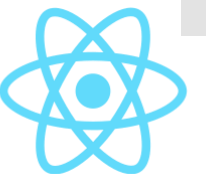
# Why this course?

- React hooks are deceptively **simple**
  - But you can still go wrong with them



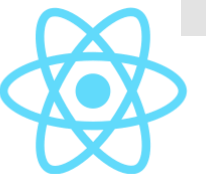
# Basic Hooks

- We will cover **the basics** of React hooks first



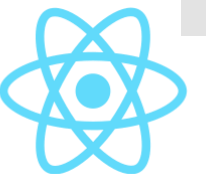
# Custom Hooks

- Creating **custom hooks**
  - What can't be done with custom hooks



# The Rules

- Why do you need to **follow the rules**?
  - Take a look under the covers of hooks and find out



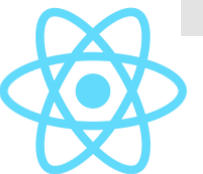
# Beyond the Basics

- We are going **beyond** the basic hooks
  - When should you use the more advanced hooks?

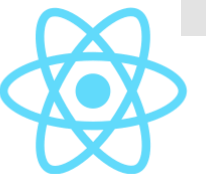


# Putting it all together

- Build a more **complex example**
  - A Formik like forms over data library
  - Combining hooks with other React features



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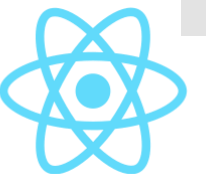


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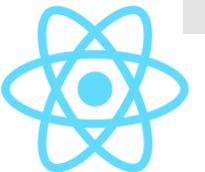
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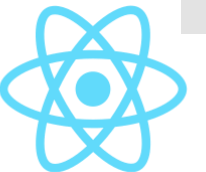


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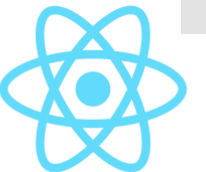








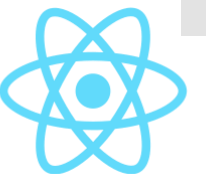
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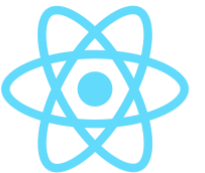
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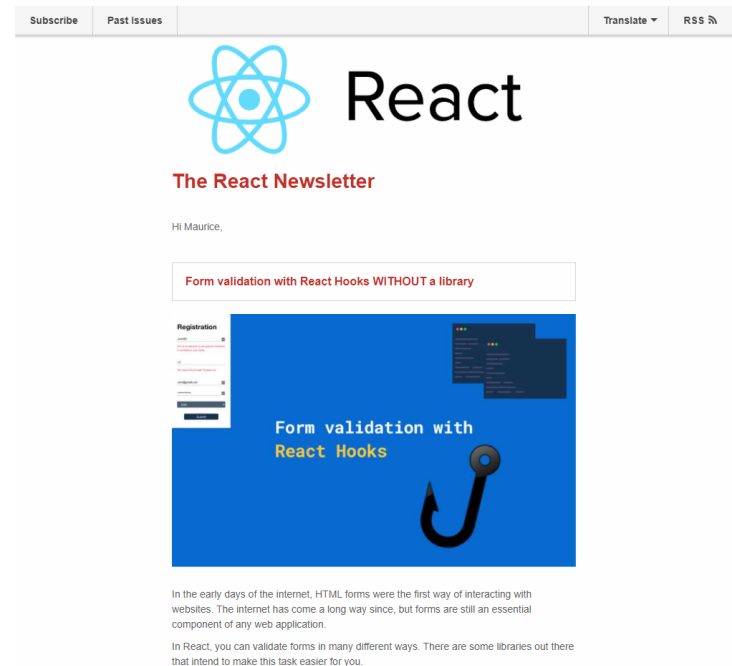




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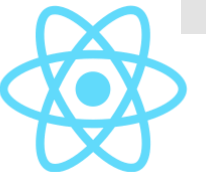
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# Prerequisites

Install Node & NPM

Install the GitHub starter repository

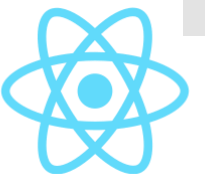


# Following Along



```
12 export function usePerson(  
13   initialPerson: Person  
14 ): [Person | null, (person: Person | null) => void] {  
15   const [person, setPerson] = useState<Person | null>(null);  
16   const loaded = useRef(false);  
17  
18   useEffect(() => {  
19     loaded.current = true;  
20  
21     return () => {  
22       loaded.current = false;  
23     };  
24   });  
25  
26   useEffect(() => {  
27     const getPerson = async () => {  
28       await sleep(2500);  
29       const person = await localforage.getItem<Person>("person");  
30       if (loaded.current) {  
31         setPerson(person ?? initialPerson);  
32       }  
33     };  
34     getPerson();  
35   }, [initialPerson]);
```

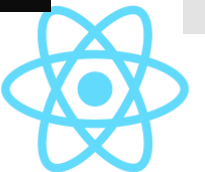
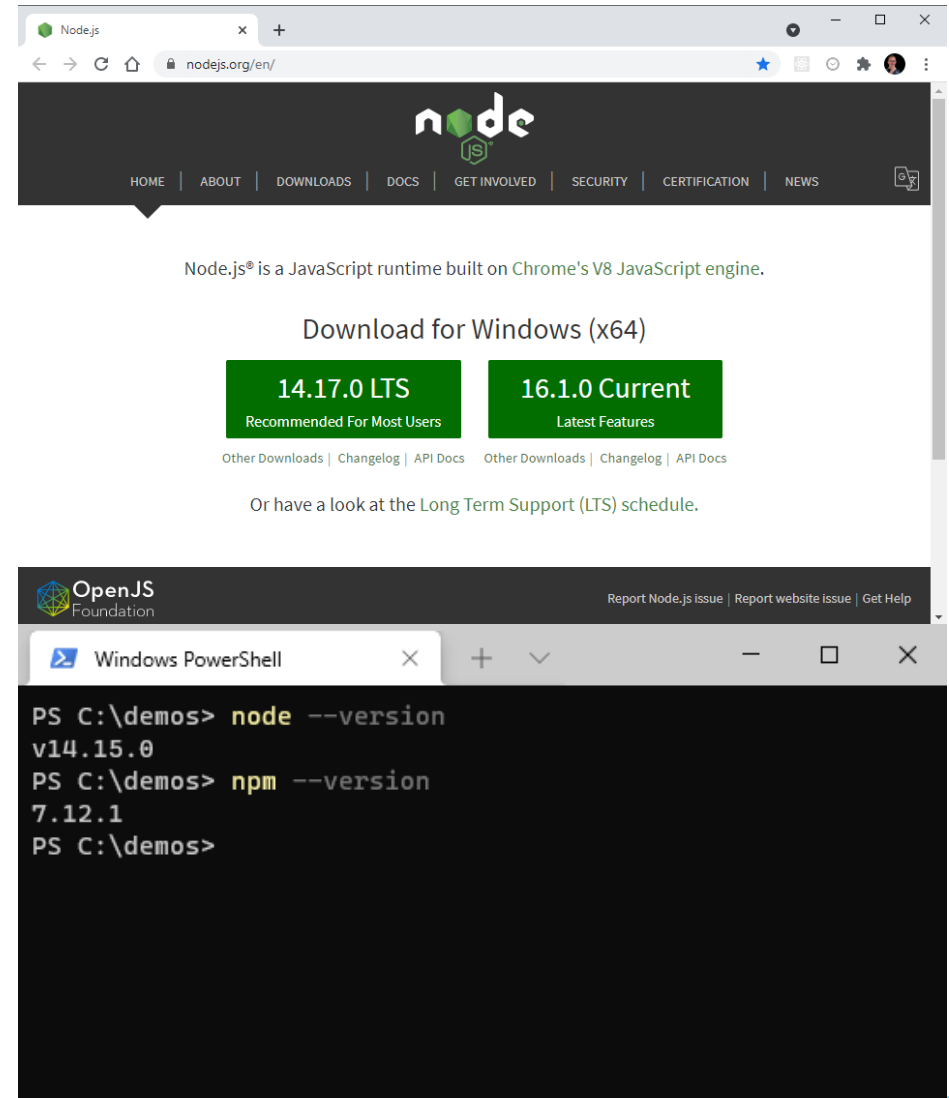
- Slides:
  - <http://theproblemsolver.nl/react-hooks-tips-only-the-pros-know-course.pdf>
- Starter repository:
  - <http://bit.ly/react-hooks-tips-only-the-pros-know-code>



# Install Node.js & NPM



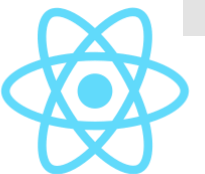
- Minimal:
  - Node version 12
  - NPM version 6



# Clone the GitHub Repository



```
Windows PowerShell
PS C:\Temp> git clone git@github.com:mauricedb/react-hooks-tips-only-the-pros-know-course.git
Cloning into 'react-hooks-tips-only-the-pros-know-course'...
remote: Enumerating objects: 112, done.
remote: Counting objects: 100% (112/112), done.
remote: Compressing objects: 100% (72/72), done.
Receiving objects: 55% (62/112)used 107 (delta 32), pack-reused 0 eceiving objects: 38% (43/112)
Receiving objects: 100% (112/112), 91.52 KiB | 520.00 KiB/s, done.
Resolving deltas: 100% (34/34), done.
PS C:\Temp> |
```



# Install NPM Packages



```
Windows PowerShell
PS C:\Temp\react-hooks-tips-only-the-pros-know-course> npm install
npm WARN deprecated @types/classnames@2.3.1: This is a stub types definition. classnames provides its own type definitions, so you do not need this installed.

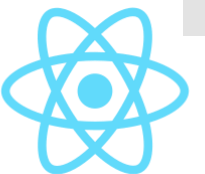
> react-hooks-tips-only-the-pros-know-course@0.0.0 prepare
> husky install

husky - Git hooks installed

added 370 packages, and audited 371 packages in 6s

78 packages are looking for funding
  run `npm fund` for details

found 0 vulnerabilities
PS C:\Temp\react-hooks-tips-only-the-pros-know-course> |
```



# Start the application



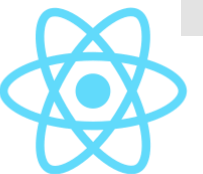
```
C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe X + v
PS C:\Temp\react-hooks-tips-only-the-pros-know-course> npm start

> react-hooks-tips-only-the-pros-know-course@0.0.0 start
> vite

vite v2.3.3 dev server running at:

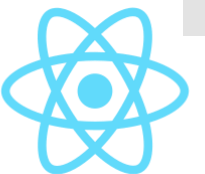
> Local: http://localhost:3000/
> Network: use '--host' to expose

ready in 421ms.
```



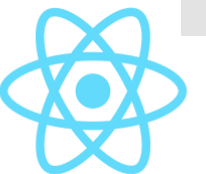
Type it out  
by hand?

*"Typing it drills it into your brain much better than simply copying and pasting it. You're forming new neuron pathways. Those pathways are going to help you in the future. Help them out now!"*

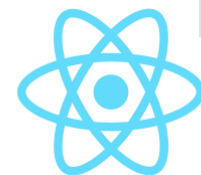


# TypeScript

- All slides and exercises use **TypeScript**
  - It's highly recommended in any serious project
- Not used to TypeScript?
  - Just give it a try 😊
  - Or set ***strict*** to ***false*** in the ***tsconfig.json***



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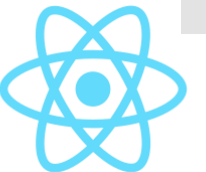
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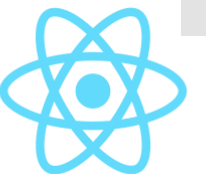
# React hooks

## The basics



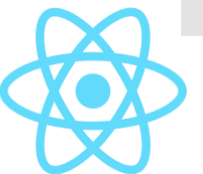
# The basics of React hooks

- **Three basic React hooks**
  - `useState()`
  - `useEffect()`
  - `useContext()`
- Hooks can only be **used in functional components**



# useState()

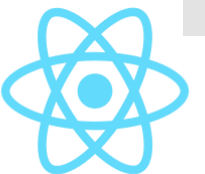
Returns a **stateful value**, and a function to update it



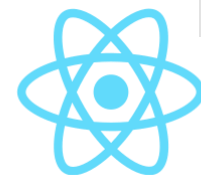
# The useState() Hook



```
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src > person-editor > TS PersonEditor.tsx > ...
1 import React, { ReactElement, useState } from "react"
2
3 import { LabeledInput } from "../components"
4 import { initialPerson } from "../utils"
5
6 export function PersonEditor(): ReactElement {
7   const [person, setPerson] = useState(initialPerson)
8
9   return (
10     <form>
11       <h2>Person Editor</h2>
12       <LabeledInput
13         label="Firstname:"
14         value={person.firstname}
15         onChange={(e) => {
16           const newPerson = {
17             ...person,
18             firstname: e.target.value,
19           }
20           setPerson(newPerson)
21         }}
22     />
```



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# useState()

With callbacks

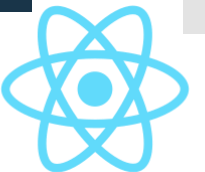


# State hook with functions

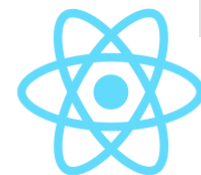


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2
3 import { LabeledInput } from "../components"
4 import { initialPerson } from "../utils"
5
6 export function PersonEditor(): ReactElement {
7   const [person, setPerson] = useState(() => initialPerson)
8
9   return (
10     <form
11       className="person-editor"
12       onSubmit={(e) => {
13         e.preventDefault()
14         alert(`Submitting\n${JSON.stringify(person, null, 2)}`)
15       }}
16     >
17     <h2>Person Editor</h2>
18     <LabeledInput
19       label="Firstname:"
20       value={person.firstname}
21       onChange={(e) =>
22         setPerson((state) => ({ ...state, firstname: e.target.value })
23       )
24     />
```



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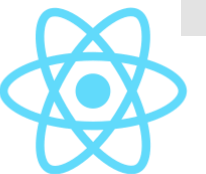
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# useEffect()

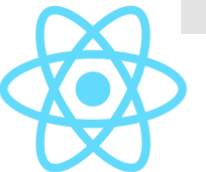
Accepts a function that contains imperative, possibly **effectful** code



# Side effect

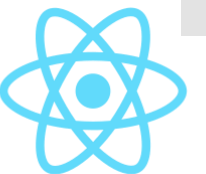


```
TS PersonEditor.tsx M x
src > person-editor > TS PersonEditor.tsx > PersonEditor > <function> > setPerson() callback > <unknown>
10 function savePerson(person: Person | null): void {
11   console.log("Saving", person)
12   localStorage.setItem("person", person)
13 }
14
15 export function PersonEditor(): ReactElement {
16   const [person, setPerson] = useState<Person | null>(null)
17
18   useEffect(() => {
19     const getPerson = async () => {
20       const person = await localStorage.getItem<Person>("person")
21       setPerson(person ?? initialPerson)
22     }
23
24     getPerson()
25   }, [])
26
27   useEffect(() => {
28     savePerson(person)
29   }, [person])
30
31   if (!person) {
32     return <Loading />
33   }
```

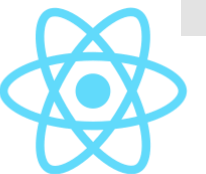


## Side effect with cleanup

```
useEffect(() => {  
  const handle = setInterval(() => {  
    // Do something every second  
  }, 1000)  
  
  return () => clearInterval(handle)  
}, [])
```



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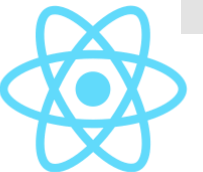
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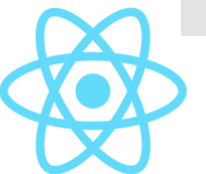
# useContext()

Accepts a **context object** and returns it's current value



# Context Provider

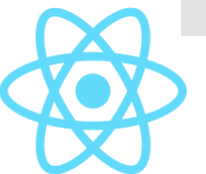
```
18 export const themeContext = createContext<ThemeContext>({
19   style: undefined,
20   setStyle: () => void null,
21 })
22
23 export function ThemeProvider({ children }: Props): ReactElement {
24   const [style, setStyle] = useState<CSSProperties>()
25
26   return (
27     <themeContext.Provider value={{ style, setStyle }}>
28       {children}
29     </themeContext.Provider>
30   )
31 }
```



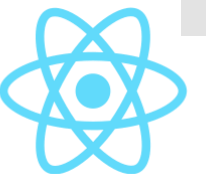
useContext()



```
9  export function App(): ReactElement {
10    const { style } = useContext(themeContext)
11
12    return (
13      <div className="container" style={style}>
14        <BrowserRouter>
15          <AppNavbar />
16          <Routes />
17        </BrowserRouter>
18      </div>
19    )
20  }
```



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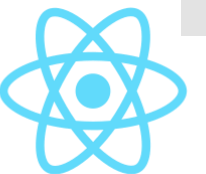


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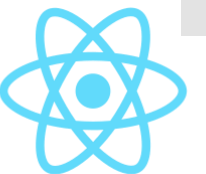


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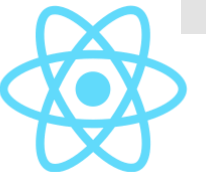
# Custom hooks

- Make component code **reusable**
- Great for **extracting code** from components
  - Even when reuse is not a goal
- Custom hooks can **use other React hooks** as needed



# Creating the usePerson() hook

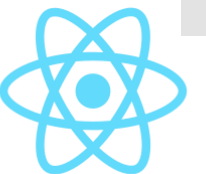
```
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src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
1 import { useState, useEffect } from "react"
2 import localforage from "localforage"
3
4 import type { Person } from "../types/person"
5
6 function savePerson(person: Person | null): void {
7   console.log("Saving", person)
8   localforage.setItem("person", person)
9 }
10
11 export function usePerson(initialPerson: Person) {
12   const [person, setPerson] = useState<Person | null>(null)
13
14   useEffect(() => {
15     const getPerson = async () => {
16       const person = await localforage.getItem<Person>("person")
17       setPerson(person ?? initialPerson)
18     }
19
20     getPerson()
21   }, [initialPerson])
22
23   useEffect(() => {
24     savePerson(person)
25   }, [person])
26
27   return [person, setPerson] as const
28 }
```



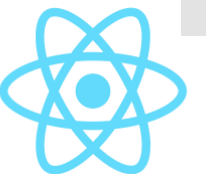
# Using the usePerson() hook



```
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src > person-editor > TS PersonEditor.tsx > ...
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1  /* eslint-disable @typescript-eslint/no-non-null-assertion */
2  import React, { ReactElement } from "react"
3
4  import { LabeledInput, Loading } from "../components"
5  import { initialPerson } from "../utils"
6  import { usePerson } from "./usePerson"
7
8  export function PersonEditor(): ReactElement {
9    const [person, setPerson] = usePerson(initialPerson)
10
11    if (!person) {
12      return <Loading />
13    }
}
```



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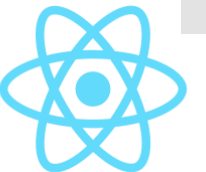
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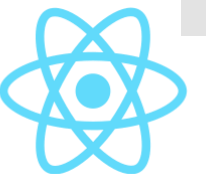
# Rules of Hooks

Custom hook names



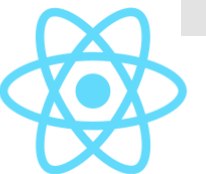
# Custom Hook Names

👉 Custom hooks must be functions named ``use....`` 👉





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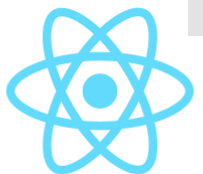
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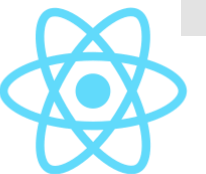
# useRef()

useRef() returns a mutable ref object whose **.current property** is initialized to the passed argument



# useRef()

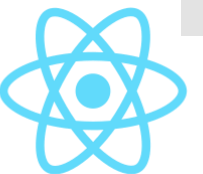
- One of it's main purposes is to get a **reference to a DOM element**
- But can be used to keep a **reference to any state**
  - Holds the same state with each render
  - Updating the state doesn't trigger a render
- useRef() is stable and **doesn't need to be added as a dependency**
  - Great way to share values between useEffect() functions



# useRef() with a HTML element

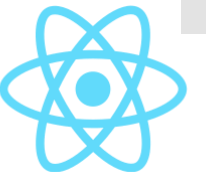


```
TS Counter.tsx M x
src > rules-of-hooks > TS Counter.tsx > ...
You, a minute ago | 1 author (You)
1 import React, { ReactElement, useEffect, useRef, useState } from "react"
2
3 export function Counter(): ReactElement {
4   const [counter, setCounter] = useState(0)
5   const button = useRef<HTMLButtonElement>(null)
6
7   useEffect(() => {
8     setTimeout(() => {
9       button.current?.focus()
10     }, 1000)
11   }, [])
12
13   return (
14     <div>
15       <div>Count: {counter}</div>
16       <div>
17         <button
18           ref={button}
19           className="btn btn-primary"
20           onClick={() => setCounter(counter + 1)}
21         >
22           Increment
23         </button>
24       </div>
25     </div>
26   )
27 }
```



# useRef() with a component

```
TS PersonEditor.tsx 2, M X
src > person-editor > TS PersonEditor.tsx > ...
1 import React, { ReactElement, useEffect, useRef } from "react"
2
3 import { LabeledInput, Loading } from "../components"
4 import { initialPerson } from "../utils"
5 import { usePerson } from "./usePerson"
6
7 export function PersonEditor(): ReactElement {
8   const [person, setPerson] = usePerson(initialPerson)
9   const input = useRef<HTMLInputElement>(null)
10
11   useEffect(() => {
12     setTimeout(() => {
13       input.current?.focus()
14     }, 1000)
15   }, [])
16
17   if (!person) {
18     return <Loading />
19   }
20
21   return (
22     <form>
23       <h2>Person Editor</h2>
24       <LabeledInput
25         ref={input}
26         label="Firstname:"
27         value={person.firstname}
28         onChange={e => {
29           setPerson((person) => ({
```

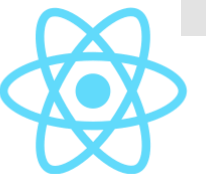


# Forwarding useRef()



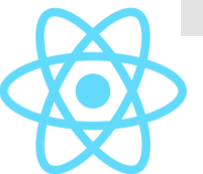
```
TS LabeledInput.tsx M x
src > components > TS LabeledInput.tsx > ...

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1 import React, { forwardRef, InputHTMLAttributes, ReactElement } from "react"
2 import classNames from "classnames"
3
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4 interface Props extends InputHTMLAttributes<HTMLInputElement> {
5   label: string
6 }
7
8 export const LabeledInput = forwardRef<HTMLInputElement, Props>(
9   ({ id, label, className, ...props }, ref): ReactElement => {
10     return (
11       <div className={classNames("form-group", className)}>
12         <label htmlFor={id} className="form-label">
13           {label}
14         </label>
15
16         <input {...props} id={id} className="form-control" ref={ref} />
17       </div>
18     )
19   }
20 )
21
22 LabeledInput.displayName = "LabeledInput"
```

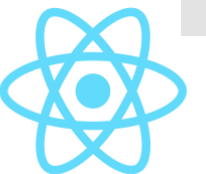


# useRef() for generic state

- With useRef() you can maintain **any state** for a component
  - When you don't want a render on updates



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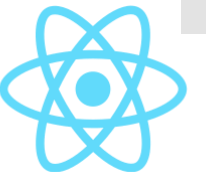
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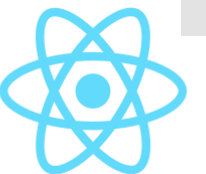
# useLayoutEffect()

Like `useEffect()` but **fires synchronously** after all DOM mutations



# useEffect() versus useLayoutEffect()

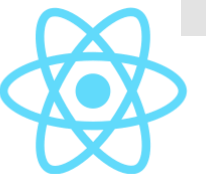
- **useLayoutEffect()** executes **synchronously**
  - After the render but before the component is painted
- While **useEffect()** executes **asynchronously**
  - After the component is painted on screen
- **Normally useEffect() is what you need**
  - Use useLayoutEffect() when you want the synchronous behavior



# Synchronous DOM Mutations

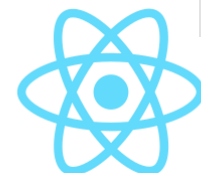


```
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1 import React, { You, seconds ago • Uncommitted d
2   ReactElement,
3   useEffect,
4   useLayoutEffect,
5   useRef,
6   useState,
7 } from "react"
8
9 export function Counter(): ReactElement {
10   const [counter, setCounter] = useState(0)
11   const button = useRef<HTMLButtonElement>(null)
12
13   useEffect(() => {
14     setTimeout(() => {
15       button.current?.focus()
16     }, 1000)
17   }, [])
18
19   useLayoutEffect(() => {
20     if (button.current) {
21       button.current.style.backgroundColor = "green"
22     }
23   }, [])
```



# useIsMounted()

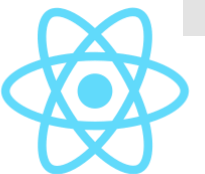
```
TS useIsMounted.ts U X
src > hooks > TS useIsMounted.ts > ...
1 import { MutableRefObject, useRef, useEffect } from "react"
2
3 export function useIsMounted(): Readonly<MutableRefObject<boolean>> {
4   const isMounted = useRef(false)
5
6   useEffect(() => {
7     isMounted.current = true
8
9     return () => {
10       isMounted.current = false
11     }
12   }, [])
13
14   return isMounted
15 }
```



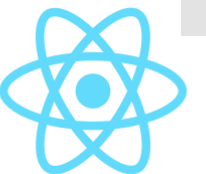
# Using useRef() to maintain state



```
TS usePerson.ts M x
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
1 import { useState, useEffect } from "react"
2 import localforage from "localforage"
3
4 import type { Person } from "../types/person"
5 import { sleep } from "../utils"
6 import { useIsMounted } from "../hooks/useIsMounted"
7
8 function savePerson(person: Person | null): void {
9   console.log("Saving", person)
10  localforage.setItem("person", person)
11 }
12
13 export function usePerson(initialPerson: Person) {
14   const [person, setPerson] = useState<Person | null>(null)
15   const isMounted = useIsMounted()
16
17   useEffect(() => {
18     const getPerson = async () => {
19       const person = await localforage.getItem<Person>("person")
20       await sleep(2500)
21       if (isMounted.current) {
22         setPerson(person ?? initialPerson)
23       }
24     }
25
26     getPerson()
27   }, [initialPerson, isMounted])
}
```



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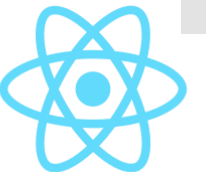
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# useRef(), useState() and dependencies

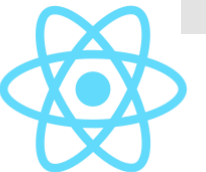
👉 The useRef() object and the useState() updater function are not required in dependency arrays 👉



No dependency

```
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src > person-editor > TS PersonEditor.tsx > PersonEditor > <function> > setPerson() callback > <unknown>
10 function savePerson(person: Person | null): void {
11   console.log("Saving", person)
12   localStorage.setItem("person", person)
13 }
14
15 export function PersonEditor(): ReactElement {
16   const [person, setPerson] = useState<Person | null>(null)
17
18   useEffect(() => {
19     const getPerson = async () => {
20       const person = await localStorage.getItem<Person>("person")
21       setPerson(person ?? initialPerson)
22     }
23
24     getPerson()
25     []
26
27     useEffect(() => {
28       savePerson(person)
29     }, [person])
30
31     if (!person) {
32       return <Loading />
33     }

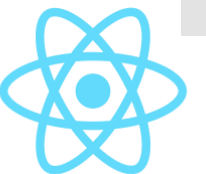
```



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```
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src > hooks > TS useIsMounted.ts > ...
1 import { MutableRefObject, useRef, useEffect } from "react"
2
3 export function useIsMounted(): Readonly<MutableRefObject<boolean>> {
4   const isMounted = useRef(false)
5
6   useEffect(() => {
7     isMounted.current = true
8
9     return () => {
10       isMounted.current = false
11     }
12   }, [])
13
14   return isMounted
15 }
```

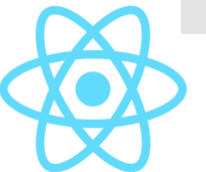
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# With Dependency

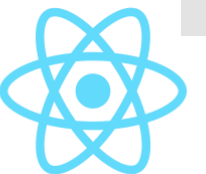
```
TS usePerson.ts M x
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
1 import { useState, useEffect } from "react"
2 import localforage from "localforage"
3
4 import type { Person } from "../types/person"
5 import { sleep } from "../utils"
6 import { useIsMounted } from "../hooks/useIsMounted"
7
8 function savePerson(person: Person | null): void {
9   console.log("Saving", person)
10  localforage.setItem("person", person)
11 }
12
13 export function usePerson(initialPerson: Person) {
14   const [person, setPerson] = useState<Person | null>(null)
15   const isMounted = useIsMounted()
16
17   useEffect(() => {
18     const getPerson = async () => {
19       const person = await localforage.getItem<Person>("person")
20       await sleep(2500)
21       if (isMounted.current) {
22         setPerson(person ?? initialPerson)
23       }
24     }
25
26     getPerson()
27   }, [initialPerson, isMounted])
}
```

Not empty





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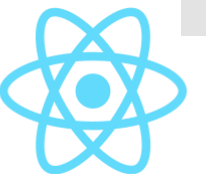


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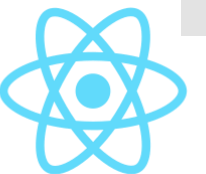


# Debounce and useEffect()



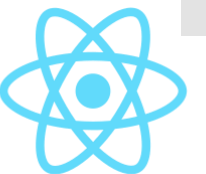
# Debounce

- Creating a **debounce hook with useEffect()** is easy
  - Execute the code via a `setTimeout()`
  - Cancel the `setTimout()` in the cleanup



# useDebounce()

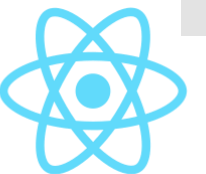
```
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src > hooks > TS useDebounce.ts > ...
1 import { useEffect } from "react"
2
3 export function useDebounce(fn: () => void, timeout: number): void {
4   useEffect(() => {
5     const handle = setTimeout(fn, timeout)
6
7     return () => clearTimeout(handle)
8   }, [fn, timeout])
9 }
```



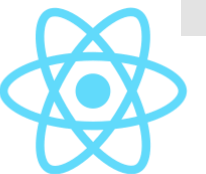
# Using useDebounce()



```
TS usePerson.ts 1, M X
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
18  useEffect(() => {
19      const getPerson = async () => {
20          const person = await localforage.getItem<Person>("person")
21          // await sleep(2500)
22          if (isMounted.current) {
23              setPerson(person ?? initialPerson)
24          }
25      }
26
27      getPerson()
28  }, [initialPerson, isMounted])
29
30  useDebounce(() => {
31      savePerson(person)
32  }, 1000)
33
34  return [person, setPerson] as const
35 }
```



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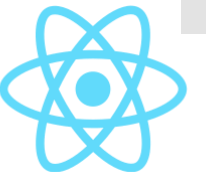
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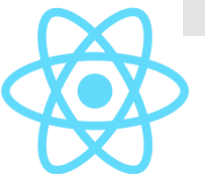
# useCallback()

Returns a memoized callback



# useCallback()

- **Pass a function and dependencies** to useCallback()
  - Returns the same function reference with the same dependencies
- Useful when **passing callbacks to child** components
  - Or other hooks
- **Note:** useMemo() can be used for values



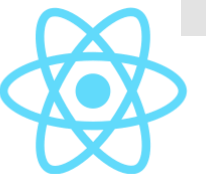
useCallback()



```
36 |   const saveFn = useCallback(() => {  
37 |     |   savePerson(person)  
38 |   }, [person])  
39 |  
40 |   useDebounce(saveFn, 1000)
```



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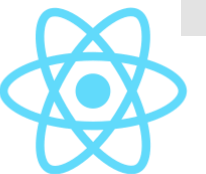


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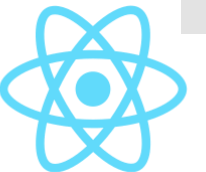


# Unmount and useEffect()



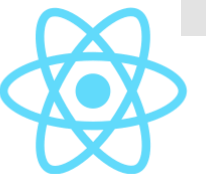
# Unmount

- Creating an **unmount hook with useEffect()** is easy
  - Execute the passed code in the effect cleanup
  - Use a ref so there are no dependencies



# useWillUnmount()

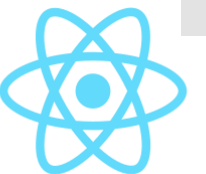
```
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src > hooks > TS useWillUnmount.ts > ...
1  import { useEffect, useRef } from "react"
2
3  export function useWillUnmount(fn: () => void): void {
4    const functionRef = useRef(fn)
5    functionRef.current = fn
6
7    useEffect(() => {
8      return () => functionRef.current()
9    }, [])
10 }
```



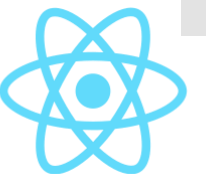
Save changes  
when unmounting



```
TS usePerson.ts 1, M x
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
36
37   const saveFn = useCallback(() => {
38     savePerson(person)
39   }, [person])
40
41   useDebounce(saveFn, 10000)
42   useWillUnmount(saveFn)
43
44   return [person, setPerson] as const
45 }
```



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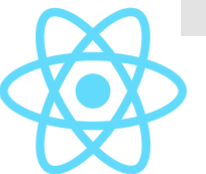
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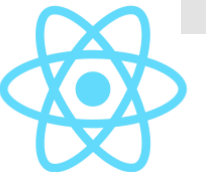


useThrottle()



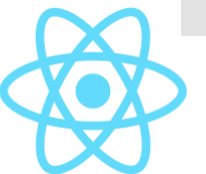
# Throttle versus Debounce

- A debounced functions is only called after it has not been called for a specified duration
- A throttled function is called once after ever timeout



# useThrottle()

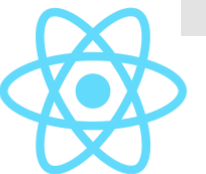
```
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src > hooks > TS useThrottle.ts > ...
1 import { useEffect, useRef } from "react"
2
3 export function useThrottle(fn: () => void, timeout: number): void {
4   const previousRef = useRef<() => void | null>(null)
5   const currentRef = useRef<() => void | null>(fn)
6   if (previousRef.current !== fn) {
7     currentRef.current = fn
8   }
9
10  useEffect(() => {
11    const handle = setInterval(() => {
12      if (currentRef.current) {
13        currentRef.current()
14        previousRef.current = currentRef.current
15        currentRef.current = null
16      }
17    }, timeout)
18
19    return () => clearInterval(handle)
20  }, [timeout])
21 }
```



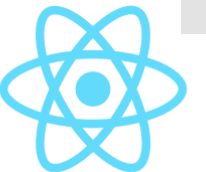
usePerson()



```
TS usePerson.ts 2, M x
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
38   const saveFn = useCallback(() => {
39     |   savePerson(person)
40   }, [person])
41
42   useThrottle(saveFn, 1000)
43   useWillUnmount(saveFn)
44
45   return [person, setPerson] as const
46 }
```



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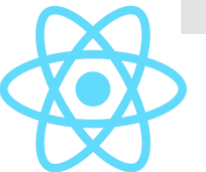


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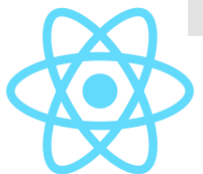


useDebugValue()



## useDebugValue()

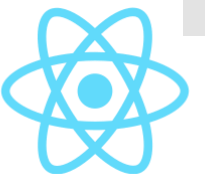
- Used to display a label for custom hooks in React DevTools
- Only recommended for reusable hooks



# React Developer Tools

The image shows a screenshot of the Chrome Web Store page for the React Developer Tools extension. The browser address bar shows the URL `chrome.google.com/webstore/detail/react-developer-tools/fmkadmapgofadopljbjfkapdkoienihi`. The page header includes the Chrome Web Store logo and the user's email `maurice.de.beijer@gmail.com`. The main content area displays the extension's name, "React Developer Tools", offered by Facebook, with a rating of 4.5 stars from 1,329 reviews and over 2,000,000 users. A "Remove from Chrome" button is visible. Below the main information, there are tabs for "Overview", "Privacy practices", "Reviews", "Support", and "Related".

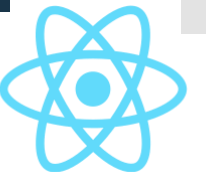
Below the Chrome Web Store page, there is a preview of the React Developer Tools interface. The preview shows a web application titled "todos" with a form to "Try React DevTools". The interface includes a search bar and a list of components. The "Components" panel is open, showing a tree view of the component hierarchy. The "Props" panel on the right shows the props for the selected `TodoTextInput` component, including `newTodo`, `onSave`, and `placeholder`. The "Hooks" panel shows the `useState` hook being used.



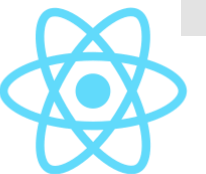
useDebugValue()



```
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src > hooks > TS useThrottle.ts > ...
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1 import { useEffect, useRef, useDebugValue } from "react"
2
3 export function useThrottle(fn: () => void, timeout: number): void {
4   const previousRef = useRef<() => void | null>(null)
5   const currentRef = useRef<() => void | null>(fn)
6   if (previousRef.current !== fn) {
7     currentRef.current = fn
8   }
9
10  useDebugValue(currentRef.current, (fn) => fn?.toString())
11
12  useEffect(() => {
13    const handle = setInterval(() => {
14      if (currentRef.current) {
15        previousRef.current = currentRef.current
16        currentRef.current()
17        currentRef.current = null
18      }
19    }, timeout)
20
21    return () => clearInterval(handle)
22  }, [timeout])
23 }
```



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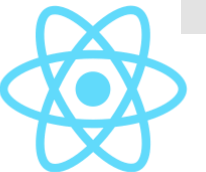


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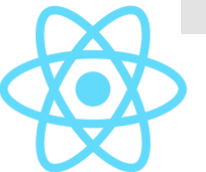


# Rules of Hooks



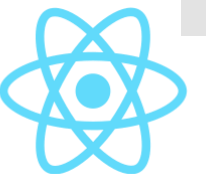
# Rules of hooks

- **Only Call Hooks at the Top Level**
  - Don't call Hooks inside loops, conditions, or nested functions
- **Only Call Hooks from React functions**
  - Call Hooks from React function components
  - Call Hooks from custom Hooks





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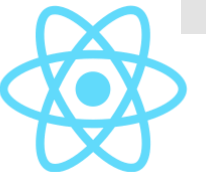
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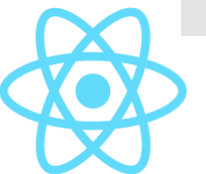
# More complex state

With `useState()`



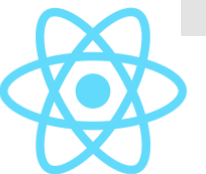
# More complex state

- Track multiple state items
  - The form data as well as meta data about the form
- Use as **many useState() hooks** as needed
  - One for the person object
  - A second for the dirty and valid states



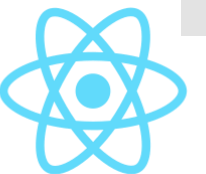
# Two useState() hooks

```
TS usePerson.ts 2, M x
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
22 interface Metadata {
23   isDirty: boolean
24   isValid: boolean
25 }
26 | You, seconds ago • Uncommitted changes
27 export function usePerson(initialPerson: Person) {
28   const [person, setPerson] = useState<Person | null>(null)
29   const [metadata, setMetadata] = useState<Metadata>({
30     isDirty: false,
31     isValid: true,
32   })
33   const isMounted = useIsMounted()
```



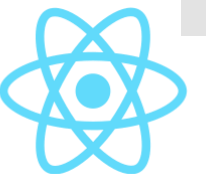
# Multiple updates

```
TS usePerson.ts 2, M x
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
59   useThrottle(saveFn, 1000)
60   useWillUnmount(saveFn)
61
62   const setPersonAndMeta = (value: SetStateAction<Person | null>) => {
63     setPerson(value)
64     setMetadata((m) => ({ ...m, isDirty: true }))
65   }
66
67   return [person, setPersonAndMeta, metadata] as const
68 }
```



# Exposing more data from a custom hook

```
TS PersonEditor.tsx M x
src > person-editor > TS PersonEditor.tsx > PersonEditor
8 export function PersonEditor(): ReactElement {
9   const [person, setPerson, { isDirty, isValid }] = usePerson(initialPerson)
10  const input = useRef<HTMLInputElement>(null)
11
12  useEffect(() => {
13    setTimeout(() => {
14      input.current?.focus()
15    }, 1000)
16  }, [])
17
18  if (!person) {
19    return <Loading />
20  }
```

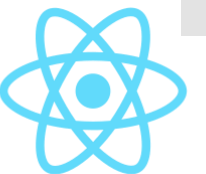


Disable save  
button if there  
are no changes

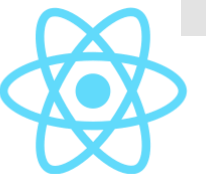


```
TS PersonEditor.tsx M X
src > person-editor > TS PersonEditor.tsx > PersonEditor

85     <div className="btn-group">
86         <button
87             type="submit"
88             className="btn btn-primary"
89             disabled={!isDirty || !isValid}
90         >
91             Submit
92         </button>
93     </div>
94     <hr />
95     <pre>{JSON.stringify(person, null, 2)}</pre>
96 </form>
97 )
98 }
```



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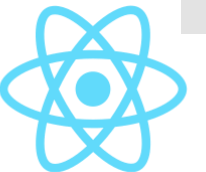
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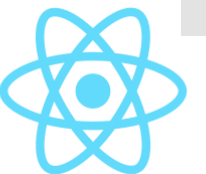
# useReducer()

An alternative to useState()



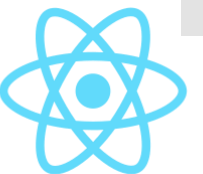
# useReducer()

- **useReducer()** is the **more powerful** brother of `useState()`
  - Internally `useState()` is just a special `useReducer()`
- **Dispatch action objects** and use a reducer function to create state
  - Very similar to how Redux works
- The state is still **tied to a component**
  - Not global like with Redux



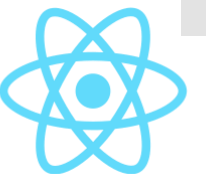
personEditorReducer()

```
TS personEditorReducer.ts U X
src > person-editor > TS personEditorReducer.ts > ...
4 interface Metadata {
5   isDirty: boolean
6   isValid: boolean
7 }
8
9 interface ReducerState {
10  person: Person | null
11  metadata: Metadata
12 }
13
14 interface SetPersonAction {
15   type: "set-initial-person"
16   payload: Person
17 }
18
19 type SomeAction = SetPersonAction
20
21 export function personEditorReducer(
22   state: ReducerState,
23   action: SomeAction
24 ): ReducerState {
25   switch (action.type) {
26     case "set-initial-person":
27       return { ...state, person: action.payload }
28     default:
29       return state
30   }
31 }
```



# usePerson()

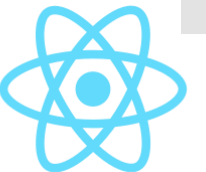
```
TS usePerson.ts 4, M x
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > usePerson
43  useEffect(() => {
44    const getPerson = async () => {
45      const person = await localforage.getItem<Person>("person")
46      // await sleep(2500)
47      if (isMounted.current) {
48        // setPerson(person ?? initialPerson)
49        dispatch({
50          type: "set-initial-person",
51          payload: person ?? initialPerson,
52        })
53      }
54    }
55
56    getPerson()
57  }, [initialPerson, isMounted])
```



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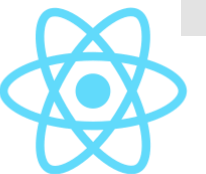
```
TS personEditorReducer.ts U x
src > person-editor > TS personEditorReducer.ts > ...

24 type SomeAction = SetPersonAction | SetPropertyAction
25
26 export function personEditorReducer(
27   state: ReducerState,
28   action: SomeAction
29 ): ReducerState {
30   switch (action.type) {
31     case "set-initial-person":
32       return { ...state, person: action.payload }
33     case "set-property":
34       return {
35         ...state,
36         metadata: { ...state.metadata, isDirty: true },
37         person: {
38           ...state.person!,
39           [action.payload.name]: action.payload.value,
40         },
41       }
42     default:
43       return state
44   }
45 }
46 }
```



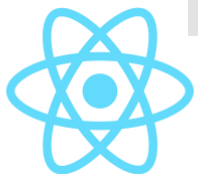
# usePerson()

```
TS usePerson.ts 5, M x
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
78     function setProperty(name: keyof Person, value: unknown) {
79         dispatch({ type: "set-property", payload: { name, value } })
80     }
81
82     return [person, setProperty, metadata] as const
83 }
```



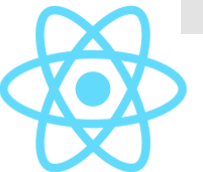
# PersonEditor

```
TS PersonEditor.tsx M X
src > person-editor > TS PersonEditor.tsx > PersonEditor
30      <h2>Person Editor</h2>
31      <LabeledInput
32          ref={input}
33          label="Firstname:"
34          value={person.firstname}
35          onChange={(e) => {
36              // setPerson((person) => ({
37              //     ...person!,
38              //     firstname: e.target.value,
39              // }))
40              setProperty("firstname", e.target.value)
```



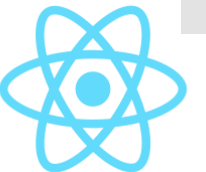
personEditorReducer()

```
TS personEditorReducer.ts U x
src > person-editor > TS personEditorReducer.ts > ...
31 export function personEditorReducer(
32   state: ReducerState,
33   action: SomeAction
34 ): ReducerState {
35   switch (action.type) {
36     case "set-initial-person":
37       return { ...state, person: action.payload }
38     case "set-property":
39       return {
40         ...state,
41         metadata: { ...state.metadata, isDirty: true },
42         person: {
43           ...state.person!,
44           [action.payload.name]: action.payload.value,
45         },
46       }
47     case "set-properties":
48       return {
49         ...state,
50         metadata: { ...state.metadata, isDirty: true },
51         person: {
52           ...state.person!,
53           ...action.payload,
54         },
55       }
56   }
57 }
```



# usePerson()

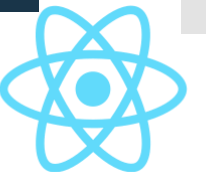
```
TS usePerson.ts 5, M x
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > ...
78     function setProperty(name: keyof Person, value: unknown) {
79         dispatch({ type: "set-property", payload: { name, value } })
80     }
81
82     function setProperties(payload: Partial<Person>) {
83         dispatch({ type: "set-properties", payload })
84     }
85
86     return [person, setProperty, setProperties, metadata] as const
87 }
```



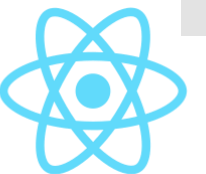
# PersonEditor



```
TS PersonEditor.tsx M X
src > person-editor > TS PersonEditor.tsx > PersonEditor
32   <LabeledInput
33     ref={input}
34     label="Firstname:"
35     value={person.firstname}
36     onChange={(e) => {
37       setProperty("firstname", e.target.value)
38
39       if (e.target.value === "Ford") {
40         setProperties({
41           surname: "Prefect",
42           address: "Outer space",
43           email: "",
44           phone: "",
45         })
46       }
47     }}
48   />
```



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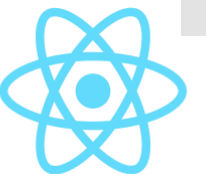
# useMemo()

Returns a memoized value



# useMemo()

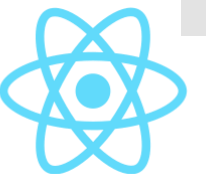
- Uses the creator function to recompute a value
  - Only when the dependencies change
- useMemo() is a performance optimization
  - Not a semantic guarantee
- 📌 **The API allows for memoized values to be forgotten** 📌
  - In React 17 this doesn't happen



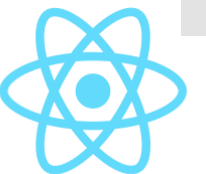
useMemo()



```
TS usePerson.ts 3, M X
src > person-editor > TS usePerson.ts > usePerson > useEffect() callback
38   const firstAndSurName = useMemo(
39     () => ({
40       firstname: person?.firstname,
41       surname: person?.surname,
42     }),
43     [person?.firstname, person?.surname]
44   )
```



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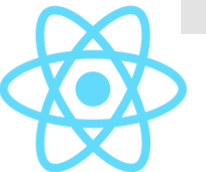
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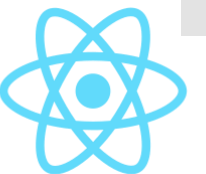
# Kimrof

A Formik like forms utility



# Kimrof

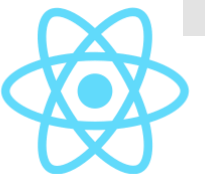
- Putting it all together
  - Combining hooks, context and components
- Kimrof, the demo library
  - A Formik like forms library



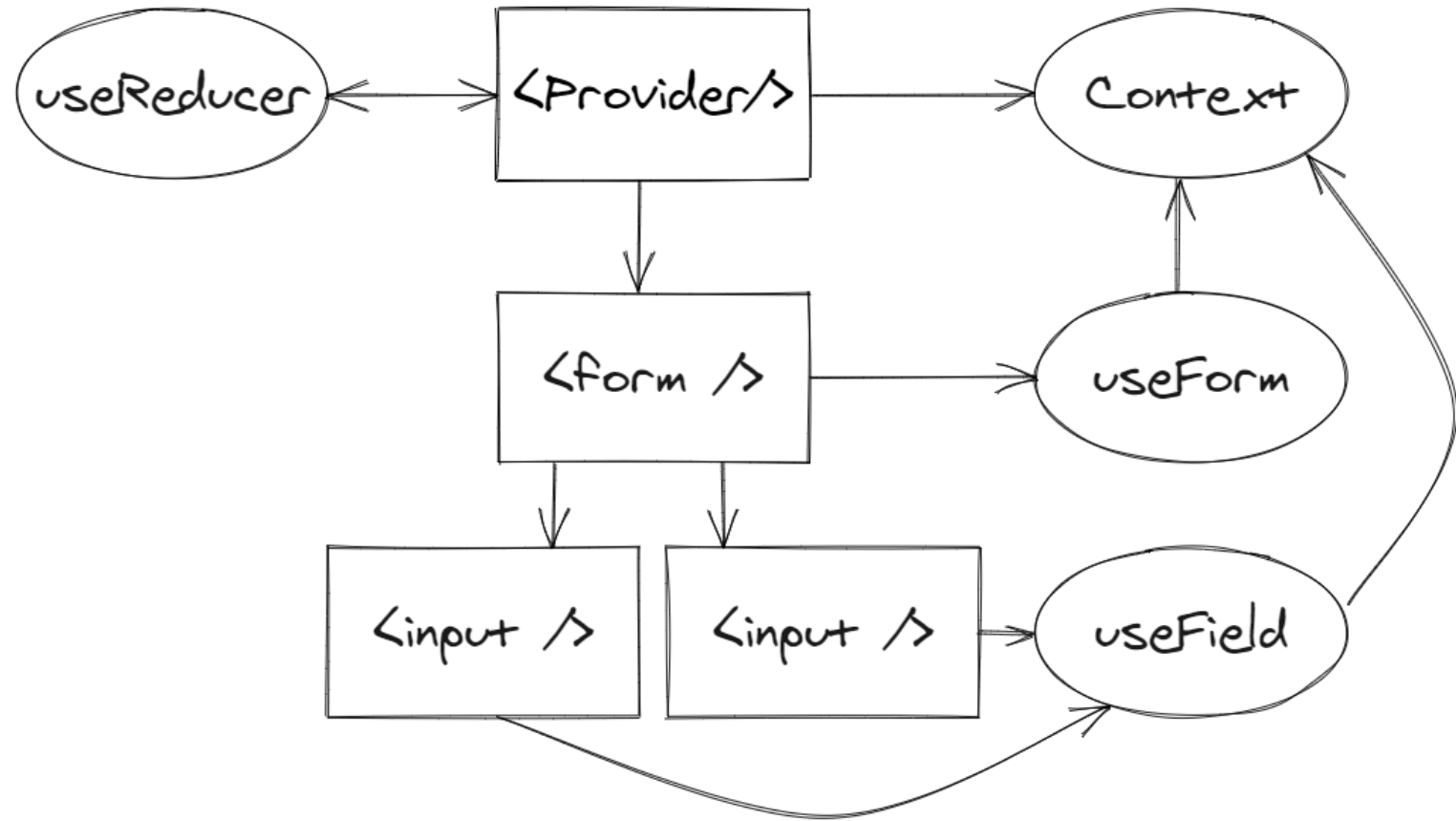
# Kimrof Example

```
TS UserEditor.tsx M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > TS UserEditor.tsx > ...

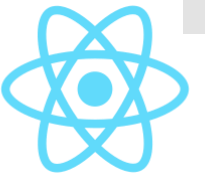
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1 import React, { ReactElement } from "react"
2 import { KimrofLabeledField, useKimrof, useKimrofForm } from "../kimrof"
3
4 export function UserEditor(): ReactElement {
5   const {
6     metadata: { isDirty, isValid },
7   } = useKimrof()
8   const formProps = useKimrofForm()
9
10  return (
11    <form className="person-editor" { ... formProps}>
12      <h2>Kimrof User Editor</h2>
13      <KimrofLabeledField label="Firstname:" name="firstname" />
14      <KimrofLabeledField label="Surname:" name="surname" />
15      <KimrofLabeledField label="Email:" name="email" />
16      <KimrofLabeledField label="Address:" name="address" />
17      <KimrofLabeledField label="Phone:" name="phone" />
18      <button className="btn btn-primary" disabled={!isDirty || !isValid}>
19        Save
20      </button>
21    </form>
22  )
23 }
```



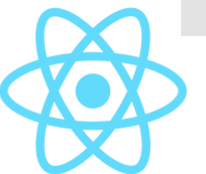
# Kimrof Structure



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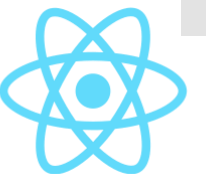


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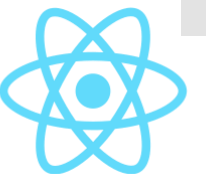


# Context and Provider

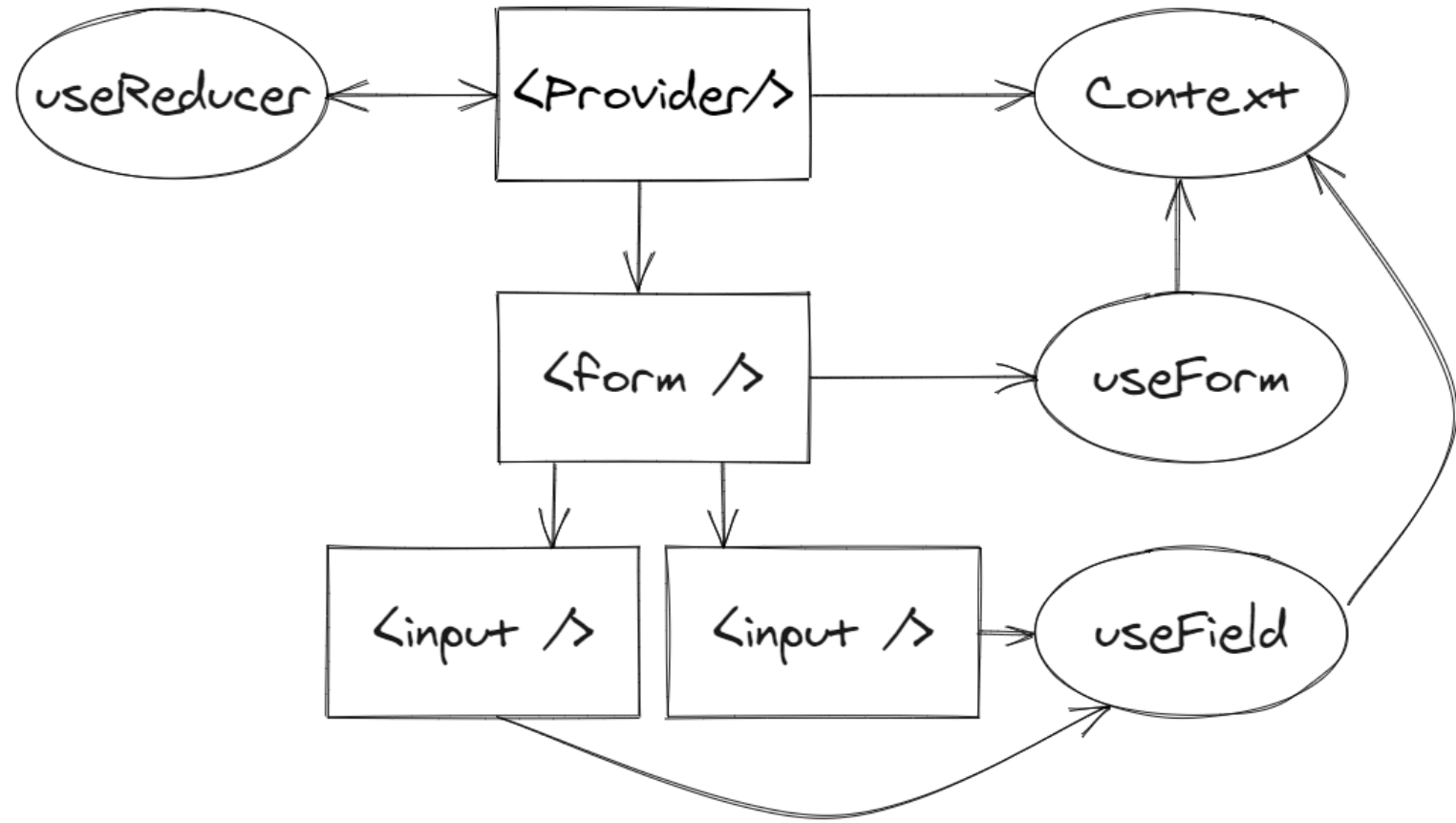


# Context and Provider

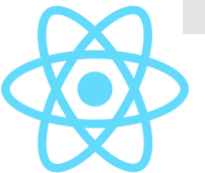
- The provider component will **manage the internal state**
  - The object to edit
  - Updates to it's properties
  - Validity/dirty states
  - Form submission
- The context will **make this available**
  - To the various hooks



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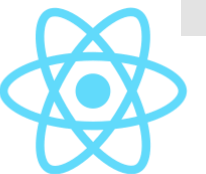


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# The kimrofContext

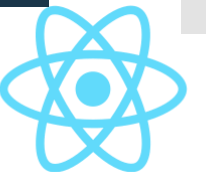
```
TS KimrofContext.ts 2, M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS KimrofContext.ts > ...
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1 import React, { createContext } from "react"
2
3 import { KimrofObject, KimrofProperty } from "../Types"
4
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5 export interface KimrofContext {
6   values: KimrofObject
7 }
8
9 export const kimrofContext = createContext<KimrofContext>({
10   values: {},
11 })
```



# The Kimrof provider

```
TS Kimrof.tsx 1, M X
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS Kimrof.tsx > ...

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1 // Kimrof = Formik reversed :-)
2
3 import React, { ReactElement, ReactNode, useMemo } from "react"
4
5 import { KimrofObject, KimrofProperty } from "../Types"
6 import { KimrofContext, kimrofContext } from "../KimrofContext"
7
You, seconds ago | 1 author (You)
8 interface Props<TData> {
9   children: ReactNode
10  initialValues: TData
11 }
12
13 export function Kimrof<TData extends KimrofObject>({
14   children,
15   initialValues,
16 }: Props<TData>): ReactElement {
17   const values = initialValues
18
19   const context: KimrofContext = useMemo(() => ({ values }), [values])
20
21   return (
22     <kimrofContext.Provider value={context}>{children}</kimrofContext.Provider>
23   )
24 }
```

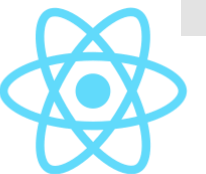


# Adding the provider

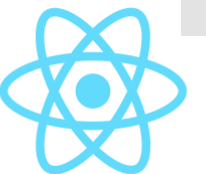


```
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src > kimrof-user-editor > TS KimrofUserEditor.tsx > ...

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1 import React, { ReactElement } from "react"
2
3 import { initialPerson } from "../utils"
4 import { IndexedPerson } from "../types/IndexedPerson"
5
6 // Kimrof = Formik reversed :-)
7 import { UserEditor } from "../UserEditor"
8 import { Kimrof } from "../kimrof"
9
10 export function KimrofUserEditor(): ReactElement {
11   return (
12     <Kimrof initialValues={initialPerson as IndexedPerson}>
13       <UserEditor />
14     </Kimrof>
15   )
16 }
```



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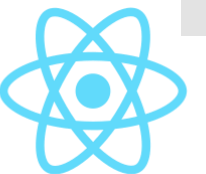


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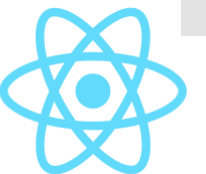


# Displaying the values

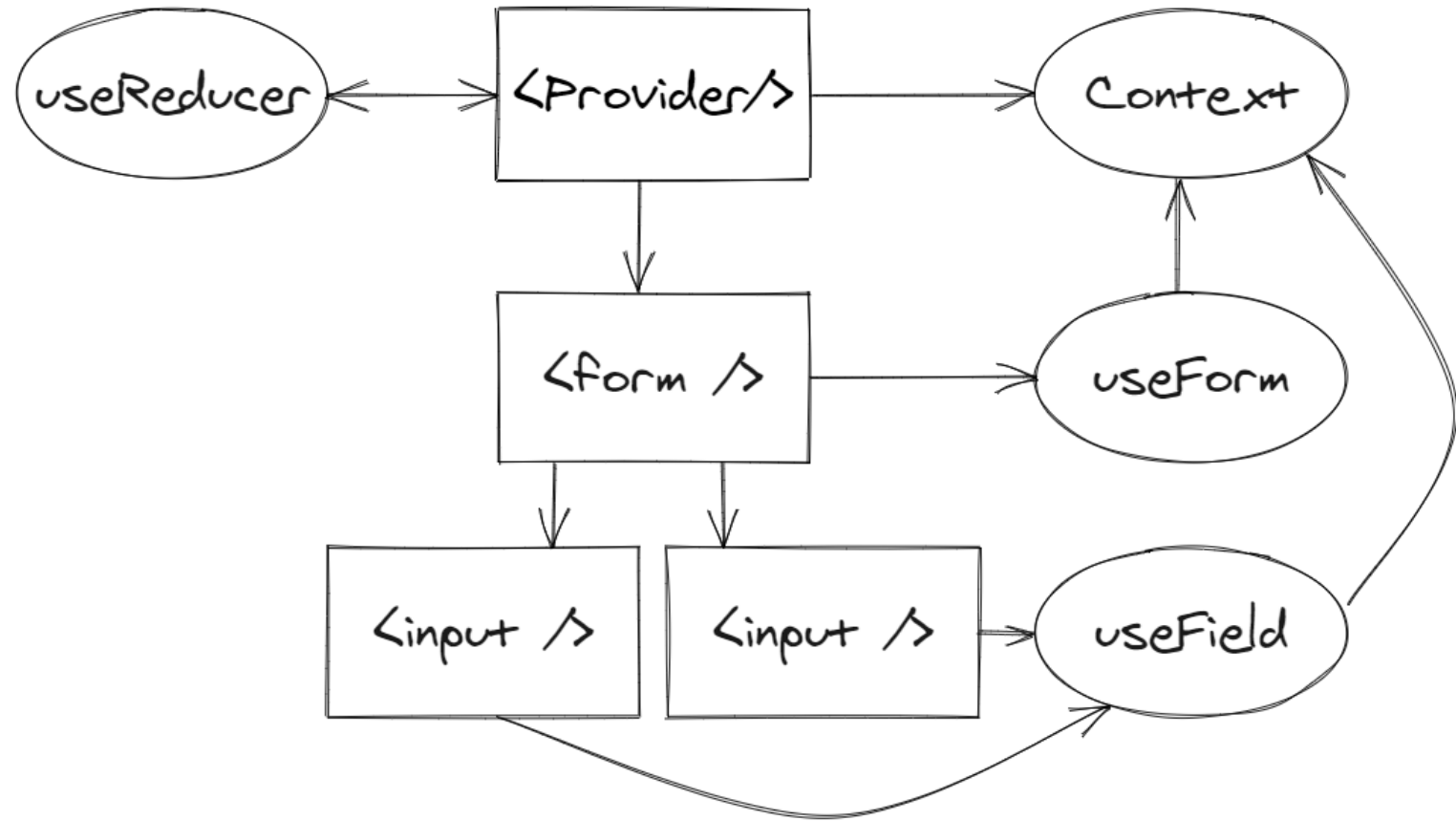


# Displaying the form values

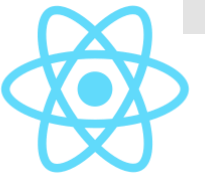
- The **useKimrofField()** hook allows **input components** to work
  - Returns an object with a value and onChanged prop
- **Spread the result** into any HTML `<input />`



# Kimrof Structure



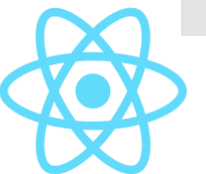
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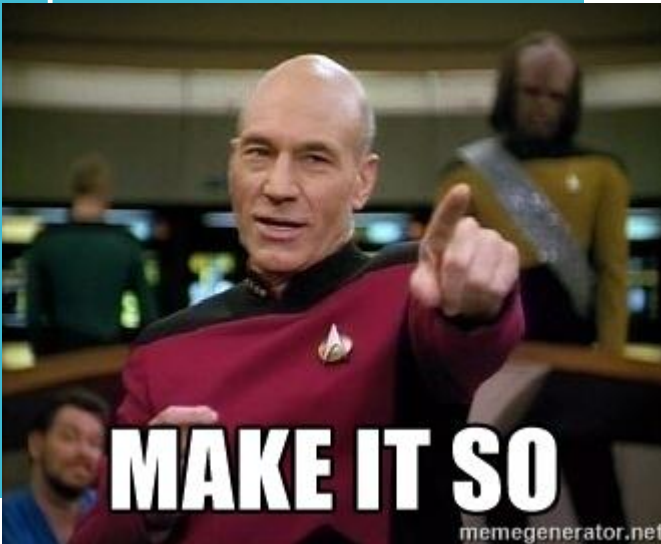
# The useKimrofField() hook

```
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src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS useKimrofField.ts > ...

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1 import { ChangeEvent, useCallback, useContext } from "react"
2
3 import { kimrofContext } from "../KimrofContext"
4
5 export function useKimrofField(name: string) {
6   const { values } = useContext(kimrofContext)
7
8   const onChange = useCallback((e: ChangeEvent<HTMLInputElement>) => {
9     // TODO
10   }, [])
11
12   return {
13     value: values[name],
14     onChange,
15   } as const
16 }
```

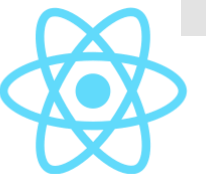


# The KimrofLabeledField component

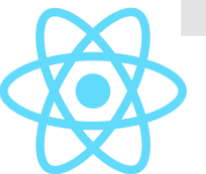


```
TS KimrofLabeledField.tsx M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS KimrofLabeledField.tsx > ...

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1 import React, { ComponentProps, ReactElement } from "react"
2
3 import { LabeledInput } from "../components"
4 import { useKimrofField } from "./useKimrofField"
5
6 type LabeledInputProps = ComponentProps<typeof LabeledInput>
7
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8 interface Props extends Omit<LabeledInputProps, "onChange" | "value"> {
9   name: string
10 }
11
12 export function KimrofLabeledField(props: Props): ReactElement {
13   const fieldProps = useKimrofField(props.name)
14
15   return <LabeledInput { ... props } { ... fieldProps } />
16 }
```



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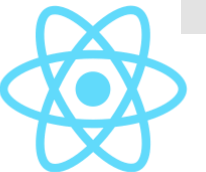


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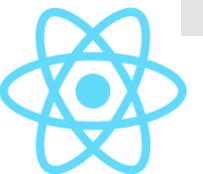


# Editing data



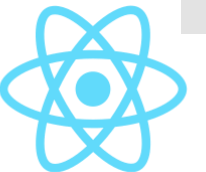
# Editing data

- The **Kimrof state** is maintained with a **useReducer() hook**
  - Supports a set-property action for when an edit is made
- Add the **onChange handler** to the useKimrofField() hook
  - Dispatch the set-property action when a change is detected



# The kimrofReducer()

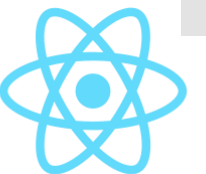
```
TS kimrofReducer.ts M X
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS kimrofReducer.ts > ...
20 export function kimrofReducer(
21   state: ReducerState,
22   action: SomeAction
23 ): ReducerState {
24   switch (action.type) {
25     case "set-property":
26       return {
27         ...state,
28         metadata: { ...state.metadata, isDirty: true },
29         values: {
30           ...state.values,
31           [action.payload.name]: action.payload.value,
32         },
33       }
34   }
35
36   return state
37 }
```



# The KimrofContext

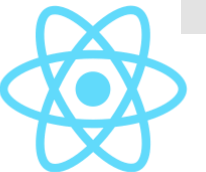
```
TS KimrofContext.ts 1, M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS KimrofContext.ts > ...

You, seconds ago | 1 author (You)
1  import React, { createContext } from "react"
2
3  import { KimrofObject, KimrofProperty } from "./Types"
4
You, seconds ago | 1 author (You)
5  export interface KimrofContext {
6    values: KimrofObject
7    setFieldValue: (name: string, value: KimrofProperty) => void
8  }
9
10 export const kimrofContext = createContext<KimrofContext>({
11   values: {},
12   setFieldValue: () => void null,
13 })
```



# The Kimrof Provider

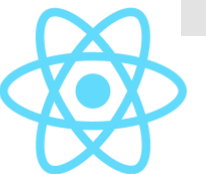
```
TS Kimrof.tsx M X
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS Kimrof.tsx > ...
14 export function Kimrof<TData extends KimrofObject>({
15   children,
16   initialValues,
17 }: Props<TData>): ReactElement {
18   const [{ values }, dispatch] = useReducer(kimrofReducer, {
19     values: initialValues,
20     metadata: { isDirty: false, isValid: true },
21   })
22
23   const context: KimrofContext = useMemo(
24     () => ({
25       values,
26       setFieldValue: (name: string, value: KimrofProperty) => {
27         dispatch({ type: "set-property", payload: { name, value } })
28       },
29     }),
30     [values]
31   )
32
33   return (
34     <kimrofContext.Provider value={context}>{children}</kimrofContext.Provider>
35   )
36 }
```



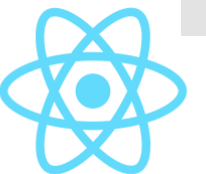
# The useKimrofField() hook



```
TS useKimrofField.ts M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS useKimrofField.ts > ...
5  export function useKimrofField(name: string) {
6    const { values, setFieldValue } = useContext(kimrofContext)
7
8    const onChange = useCallback(
9      (e: ChangeEvent<HTMLInputElement>) => {
10        setFieldValue(e.target.name, e.target.value)
11      },
12      [setFieldValue]
13    )
14
15    return {
16      value: values[name],
17      onChange,
18    } as const
19  }
```



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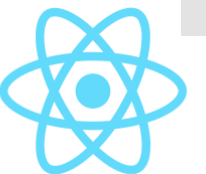


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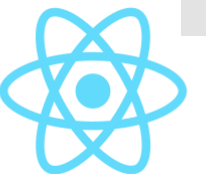


# Submitting the form data

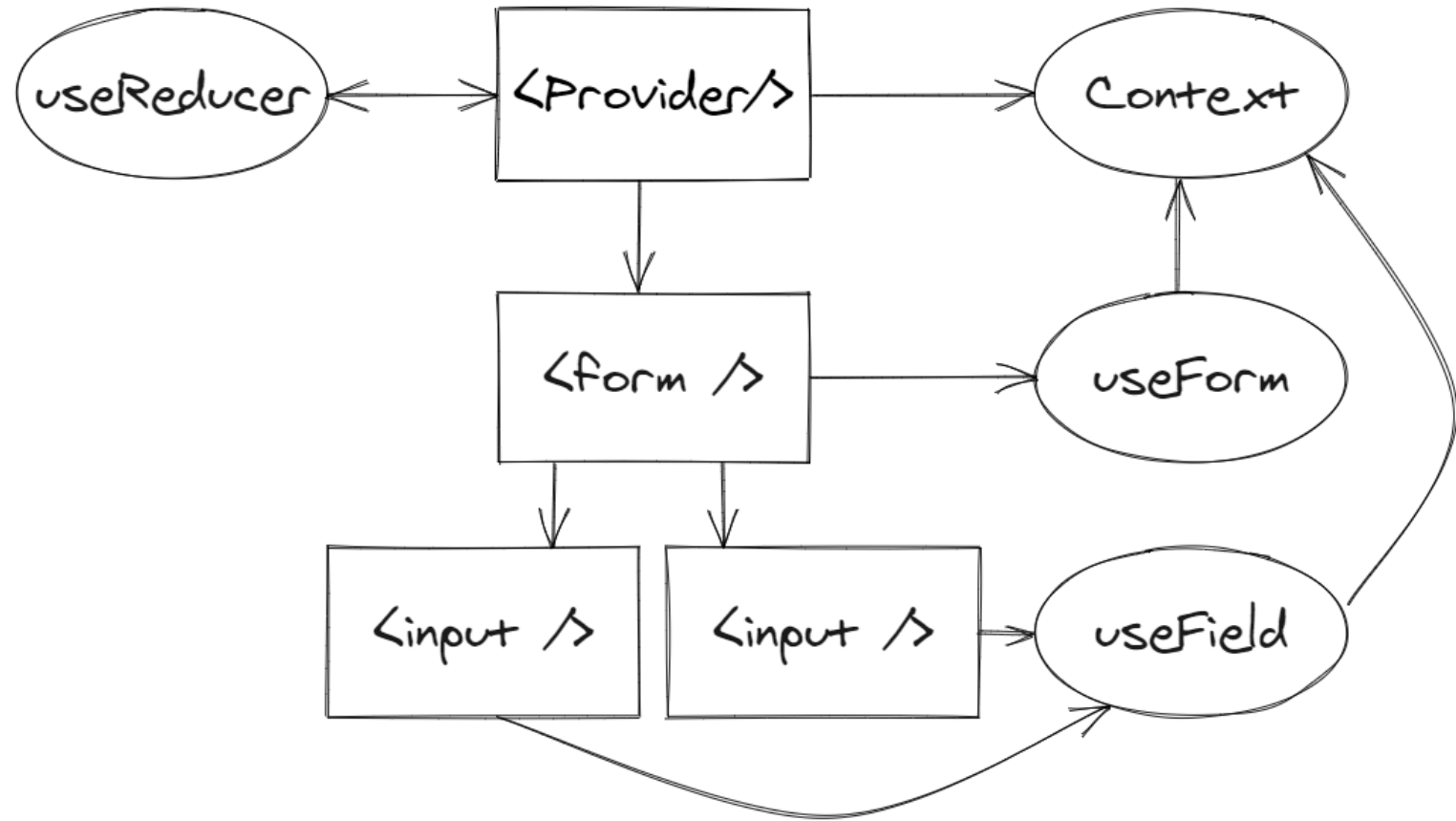


# Submitting the form data

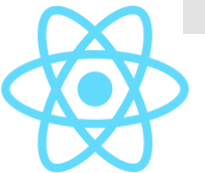
- The **useKimrofForm()** hook allows a form to be **submitted**
  - Returns an object with an onSubmit prop
  - **Spread the result** into the HTML <form />
- The **useKimrof()** hook returns values and metadata
  - The dirty and valid flags



# Kimrof Structure

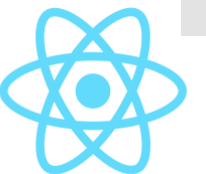


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# The kimrofContext

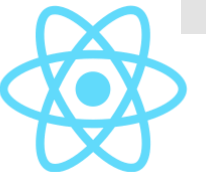
```
TS KimrofContext.ts 1, M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS KimrofContext.ts > ...
6  export interface KimrofContext {
7    values: KimrofObject
8    metadata: Metadata
9    submitForm: () => void
10   setFieldValue: (name: string, value: KimrofProperty) => void
11 }
12
13 export const kimrofContext = createContext<KimrofContext>({
14   values: {},
15   metadata: { isDirty: false, isValid: true },
16   submitForm: () => void null,
17   setFieldValue: () => void null,
18 })
```



# The Kimrof provider

```
TS Kimrof.tsx M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS Kimrof.tsx > Kimrof

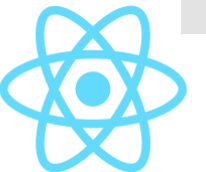
9 interface Props<TData> {
10   children: ReactNode
11   initialValues: TData
12   onSubmit: (values: TData) => void
13 }
14
15 export function Kimrof<TData extends KimrofObject>({
16   children,
17   initialValues,
18   onSubmit,
19 }: Props<TData>): ReactElement {
20   const [{ values, metadata }, dispatch] = useReducer(kimrofReducer, {
21     values: initialValues,
22     metadata: { isDirty: false, isValid: true },
23   })
24
25   const context: KimrofContext = useMemo(
26     () => ({
27       values,
28       metadata,
29       submitForm: () => onSubmit(values as TData),
30       setFieldValue: (name: string, value: KimrofProperty) => {
31         dispatch({ type: "set-property", payload: { name, value } })
32       },
33     }),
34     [values, metadata, onSubmit]
35   )
```



## Adding the onSubmit handler to KimrofUserEditor

```
TS KimrofUserEditor.tsx M X
src > kimrof-user-editor > TS KimrofUserEditor.tsx > ...

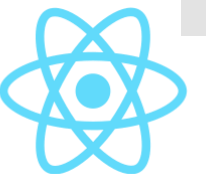
10 export function KimrofUserEditor(): ReactElement {
11   return (
12     <Kimrof
13       initialValues={initialPerson as IndexedPerson}
14       onSubmit={(person) => alert(JSON.stringify(person, null, 2))}
15     >
16       <UserEditor />
17     </Kimrof>
18   )
19 }
```



# The useKimrofForm() hook

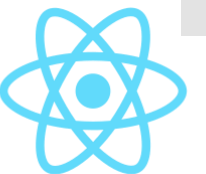
```
TS useKimrofForm.ts M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS useKimrofForm.ts > ...

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1  import { useCallback, useContext } from "react"
2
3  import { kimrofContext } from "../KimrofContext"
4
5  export function useKimrofForm() {
6    const { submitForm } = useContext(kimrofContext)
7
8    const onSubmit = useCallback(
9      (e: React.FormEvent) => {
10        e.preventDefault()
11        submitForm()
12      },
13      [submitForm]
14    )
15
16    return {
17      onSubmit,
18    } as const
19  }
```



# The useKimrof() hook

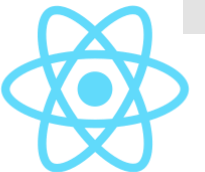
```
TS useKimrof.ts M X
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS useKimrof.ts > ...
You, seconds ago | 1 author (You)
1 import { useContext } from "react"
2 import { kimrofContext } from "../KimrofContext"
3
4 export function useKimrof() {
5   const { values, metadata } = useContext(kimrofContext)
6
7   return { values, metadata } as const
8 }
```



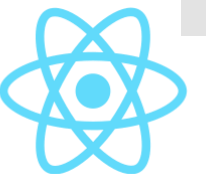
# Updating the UserEditor



```
TS UserEditor.tsx M X
src > kimrof-user-editor > TS UserEditor.tsx > ...
1 import React, { ReactElement } from "react"
2 import { KimrofLabeledField, useKimrof, useKimrofForm } from "../kimrof"
3
4 export function UserEditor(): ReactElement {
5   const formProps = useKimrofForm()
6   const {
7     values,
8     metadata: { isDirty },
9   } = useKimrof()
10
11   return (
12     <form className="person-editor" { ... formProps }>
13       <h2>Kimrof User Editor</h2>
14       <KimrofLabeledField label="Firstname:" name="firstname" />
15       <KimrofLabeledField label="Surname:" name="surname" />
16       <KimrofLabeledField label="Email:" name="email" />
17       <KimrofLabeledField label="Address:" name="address" />
18       <KimrofLabeledField label="Phone:" name="phone" />
19       <button className="btn btn-primary" disabled={!isDirty}>
20         Save
21       </button>
22       <hr />
23       <pre>{JSON.stringify(values, null, 2)}</pre>
24     </form>
25   )
26 }
```



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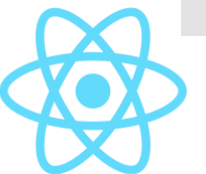


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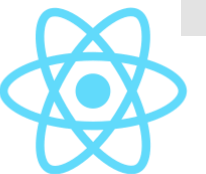


# Form Validation



# Form Validation

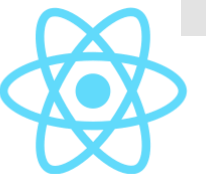
- Validate data as it is entered
  - By calling a passed validation function
- Using the `useThrottle()` hook
  - Prevent slow validation from blocking the user



## Adding validation to the KimrofUserEditor

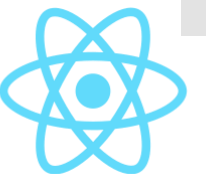
```
TS KimrofUserEditor.tsx M X
src > kimrof-user-editor > TS KimrofUserEditor.tsx > ...

2
3 import { initialPerson } from "../utils"
4 import { IndexedPerson } from "../types/IndexedPerson"
5
6 // Kimrof = Formik reversed :-)
7 import { UserEditor } from "./UserEditor"
8 import { Kimrof } from "./kimrof"
9 import { validatePerson } from "./validatePerson"
10
11 export function KimrofUserEditor(): ReactElement {
12   return (
13     <Kimrof
14       initialValues={initialPerson as IndexedPerson}
15       onSubmit={(person) => alert(JSON.stringify(person, null, 2))}
16       validate={validatePerson}
17     >
18       <UserEditor />
19     </Kimrof>
20   )
21 }
```



# KimrofContext.ts

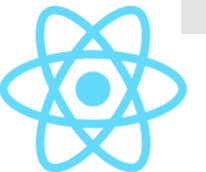
```
TS KimrofContext.ts 1, M X
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS KimrofContext.ts > ...
6  export interface KimrofContext {
7    values: KimrofObject
8    errors: KimrofErrors
9    metadata: Metadata
10   submitForm: () => void
11   setFieldValue: (name: string, value: KimrofProperty) => void
12 }
13
14 export const kimrofContext = createContext<KimrofContext>({
15   values: {},
16   errors: {},
17   metadata: { isDirty: false, isValid: true },
18   submitForm: () => void null,
19   setFieldValue: () => void null,
20 })
```



# kimrofReducer.ts

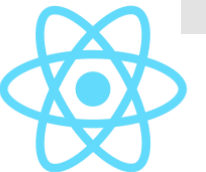
```
TS kimrofReducer.ts M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS kimrofReducer.ts > kimrofReducer

8  interface ValidationResultAction {
9      type: "validation-result"
10     payload: KimrofErrors
11 }
12
13 type SomeAction = SetPropertyAction | ValidationResultAction
14
    You, seconds ago | 1 author (You)
15 export interface Metadata {
16     isDirty: boolean
17     isValid: boolean | null
18 }
19
    You, seconds ago | 1 author (You)
20 interface ReducerState {
21     values: KimrofObject
22     errors: KimrofErrors
23     metadata: Metadata
24 }
```



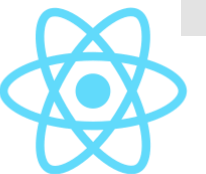
# kimrofReducer.ts

```
TS kimrofReducer.ts M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS kimrofReducer.ts > ...
26 export function kimrofReducer(
27   state: ReducerState,
28   action: SomeAction
29 ): ReducerState {
30   switch (action.type) {
31     case "set-property":
32       return {
33         ...state,
34         metadata: { ...state.metadata, isValid: null, isDirty: true },
35         values: {
36           ...state.values,
37           [action.payload.name]: action.payload.value,
38         },
39       }
40     case "validation-result":
41       return {
42         ...state,
43         metadata: {
44           ...state.metadata,
45           isValid: Object.keys(action.payload).length === 0,
46         },
47         errors: action.payload,
48       }
49   }
50
51   return state
52 }
```



# Kimrof.tsx

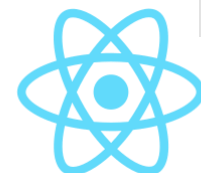
```
TS Kimrof.tsx M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS Kimrof.tsx > ...
48   const validateValues = useCallback(() => {
49     if (validate) {
50       const errors = validate(values as TData)
51       dispatch({ type: "validation-result", payload: errors })
52     }
53   }, [validate, values])
54
55   useThrottle(validateValues, 100)
56
57   return (
58     <kimrofContext.Provider value={context}>{children}</kimrofContext.Provider>
59   )
60 }
```



# UserEditor.tsx

```
TS UserEditor.tsx M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > TS UserEditor.tsx > ...

 4 export function UserEditor(): ReactElement {
 5   const formProps = useKimrofForm()
 6   const {
 7     values,
 8     metadata: { isDirty, isValid },
 9   } = useKimrof()
10
11   return (
12     <form className="person-editor" { ... formProps}>
13       <h2>Kimrof User Editor</h2>
14       <KimrofLabeledField label="Firstname:" name="firstname" />
15       <KimrofLabeledField label="Surname:" name="surname" />
16       <KimrofLabeledField label="Email:" name="email" />
17       <KimrofLabeledField label="Address:" name="address" />
18       <KimrofLabeledField label="Phone:" name="phone" />
19       <button className="btn btn-primary" disabled={!isDirty || !isValid}>
20         Save
21       </button>
22       <hr />
23       <pre>{JSON.stringify(values, null, 2)}</pre>
24     </form>
25   )
26 }
```

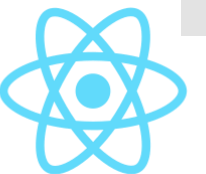


useKimrofField.ts



```
TS useKimrofField.ts M x
src > kimrof-user-editor > kimrof > TS useKimrofField.ts > ...

5  export function useKimrofField(name: string) {
6    const { values, errors, setFieldValue } = useContext(kimrofContext)
7
8    const onChange = useCallback(
9      (e: ChangeEvent<HTMLInputElement>) => {
10        setFieldValue(e.target.name, e.target.value)
11      },
12      [setFieldValue]
13    )
14
15    return {
16      value: values[name],
17      error: errors[name],
18      onChange,
19    } as const
20  }
```



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