

Journée Vue.js

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Disclaimer

This presentation will present the essentials of vuejs and will not cover technical aspects.

Introduction

What is Vue.js?



The Progressive JavaScript Framework

npm v3.5.14 downloads 27M/month license MIT issues 649 open

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- An **approachable**, **performant** and **versatile** framework for building web user interfaces.
 - **Approachable**: Builds on top of standard HTML, CSS and JavaScript with intuitive API and world-class documentation.
 - **Performant**: Truly reactive, compiler-optimized rendering system that rarely requires manual optimization.
 - **Versatile**: A rich, incrementally adoptable ecosystem that scales between a library and a full-featured framework.

What is Vue.js?

Timeline



v0.6

Dec 8, 2013

Evan You releases the first version of Vue.js



v1.0 (Evangelion)

Oct 26, 2015

First stable version



v2.0 (Ghost in the Shell)

Sep 30, 2016

Major rewrite



v3.0 (One Piece)

Sep 30, 2016

Composition API & TypeScript support



Vue 2 EOL

Dec 31, 2023

End of Support



Evan You ✓

@youyuxi

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@voidzerodev / Creator @vuejs & @vite_js.
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📍 Singapore



voidzero.dev



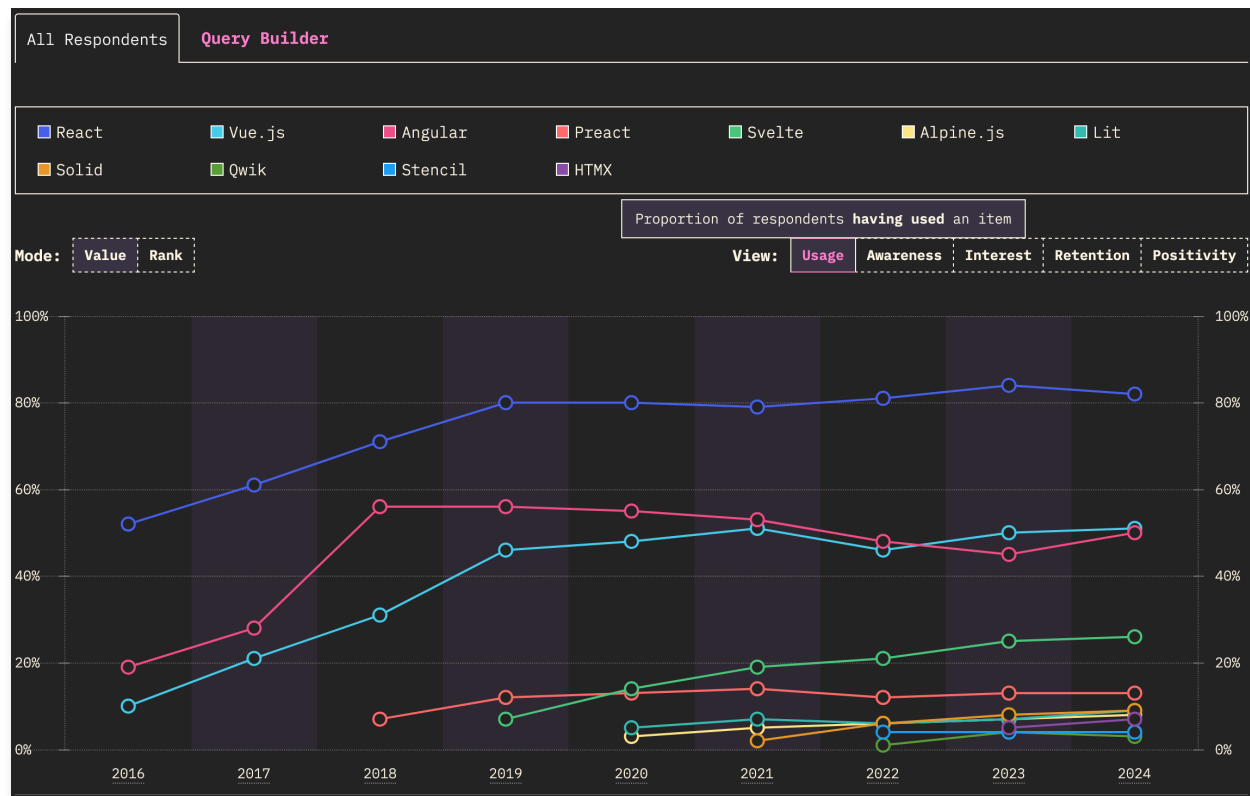
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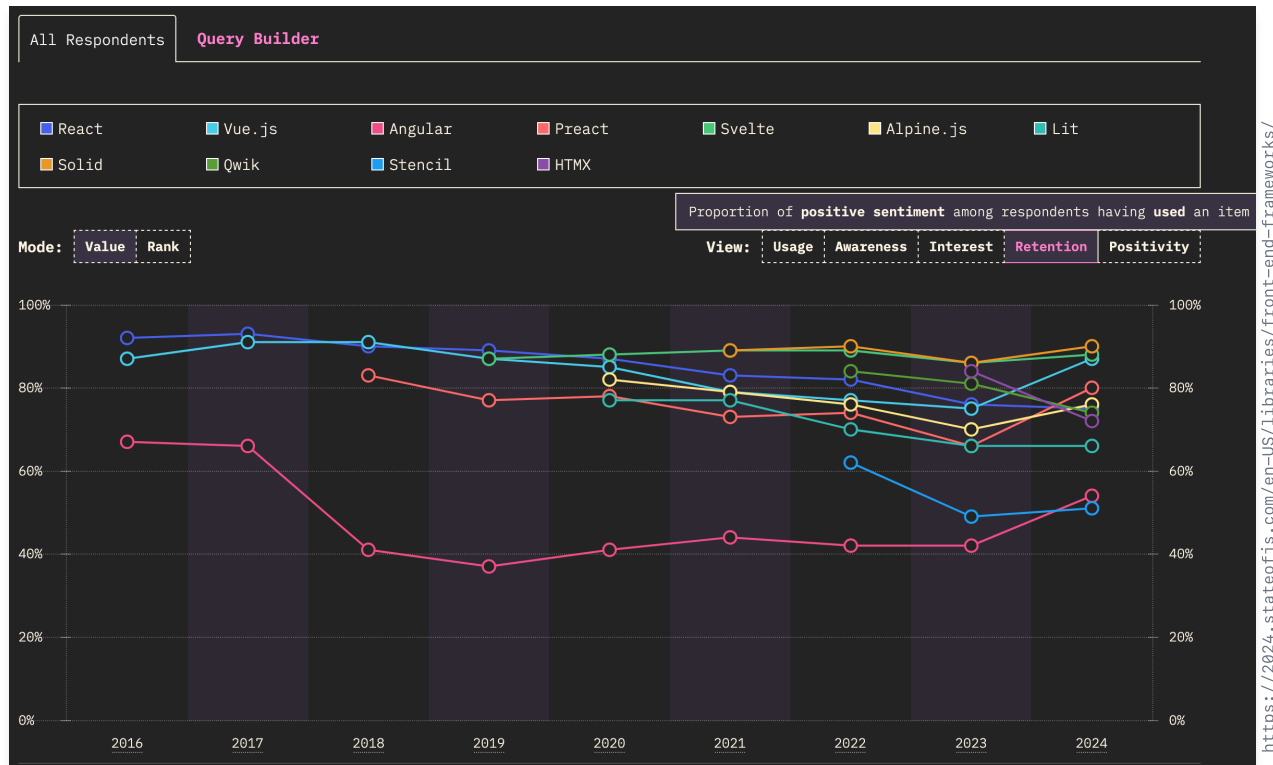
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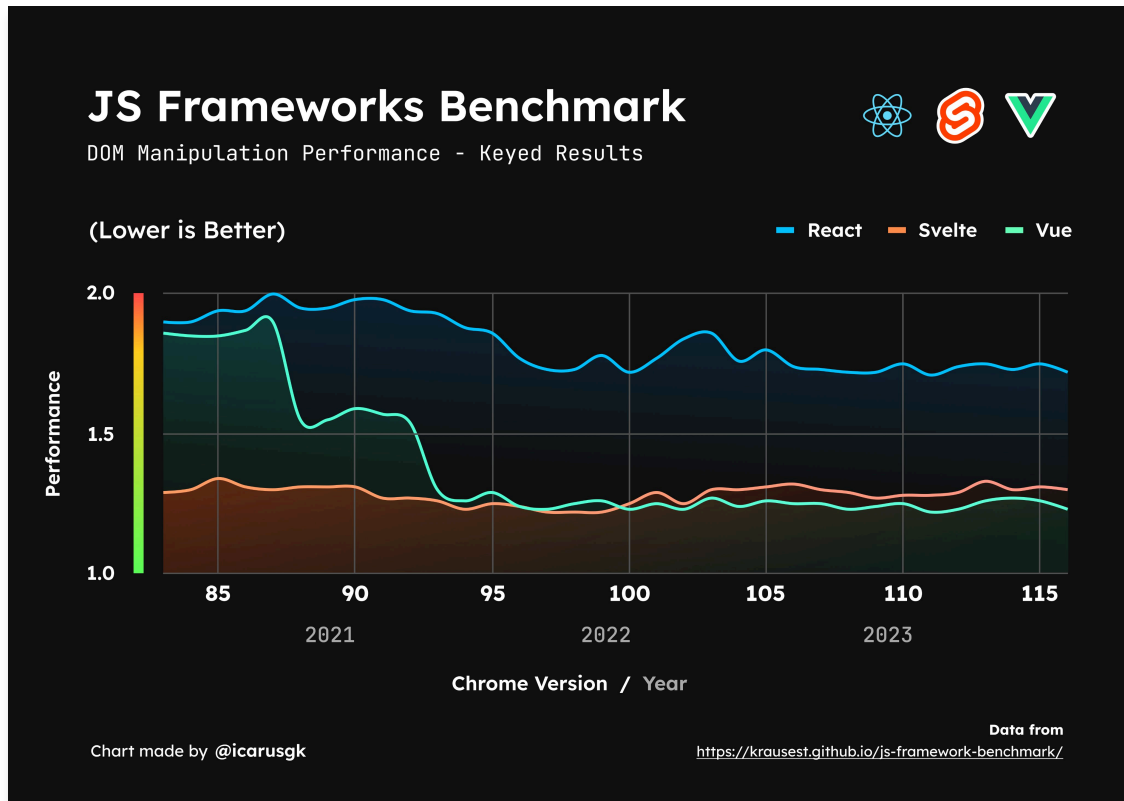
Why Vue.js?

Favourable Opinion per Framework



Why
Vue.js?

JS Frameworks Benchmarks



Setting up the Environment

Installation

Node.js

```
# Download and install nvm:  
> curl -o- https://raw.githubusercontent.com/nvm-sh/nvm/v0.40.2/install.sh | bash  
  
# in lieu of restarting the shell  
> \. "$HOME/.nvm/nvm.sh"  
  
# Download and install Node.js:  
> nvm install 24  
  
# Verify the Node.js version:  
> node -v # Should print "v24.0.2".  
> nvm current # Should print "v24.0.2".  
  
# Verify npm version:  
> npm -v # Should print "11.3.0".
```



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Vue.js

This command will install and execute `create-vue`, the official Vue project scaffolding tool.

```
> npm create vue@latest
```



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<your-project-name>

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npm install
npm run format
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You did it!

You've successfully created a project with [Vite](#) + [Vue 3](#). What's next?

[Home](#) | [About](#)



Documentation

Vue's [official documentation](#) provides you with all information you need to get started.



Tooling

This project is served and bundled with [Vite](#). The recommended IDE setup is [VSCode](#) + [Vue - Official](#). If you need to test your components and web pages, check out [Vitest](#) and [Cypress](#) / [Playwright](#). More instructions are available in [README.md](#).



Ecosystem

Get official tools and libraries for your project: [Pinia](#), [Vue Router](#), [Vue Test Utils](#), and [Vue Dev Tools](#). If you need more resources, we suggest paying [Awesome Vue](#) a visit.



Community

Got stuck? Ask your question on [Vue Land](#) (our official Discord server), or [StackOverflow](#). You should also follow the official [@vuejs.org](#) Bluesky account or the [@vuejs](#) X account for latest news in the Vue world.



Support Vue

As an independent project, Vue relies on community backing for its sustainability. You can help us by [becoming a sponsor](#).

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Vue - Official

Vue  vuejs.org |  5,057,023 installs |      (111) | Free |  Sponsor

Language Support for Vue

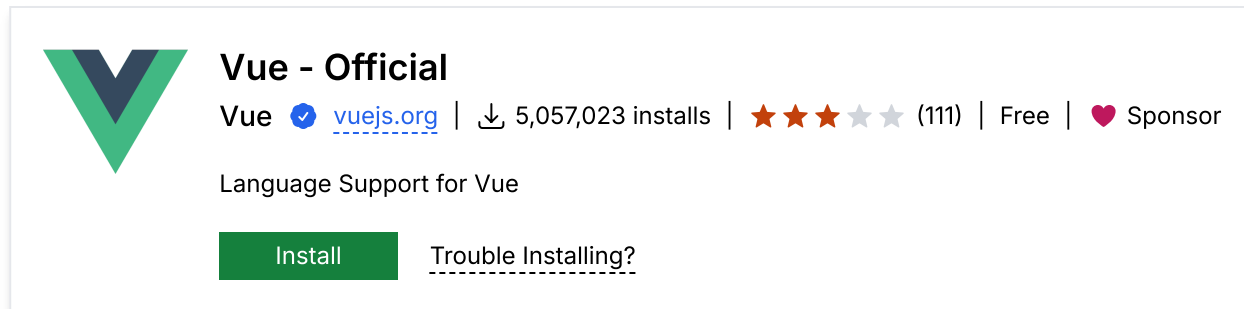
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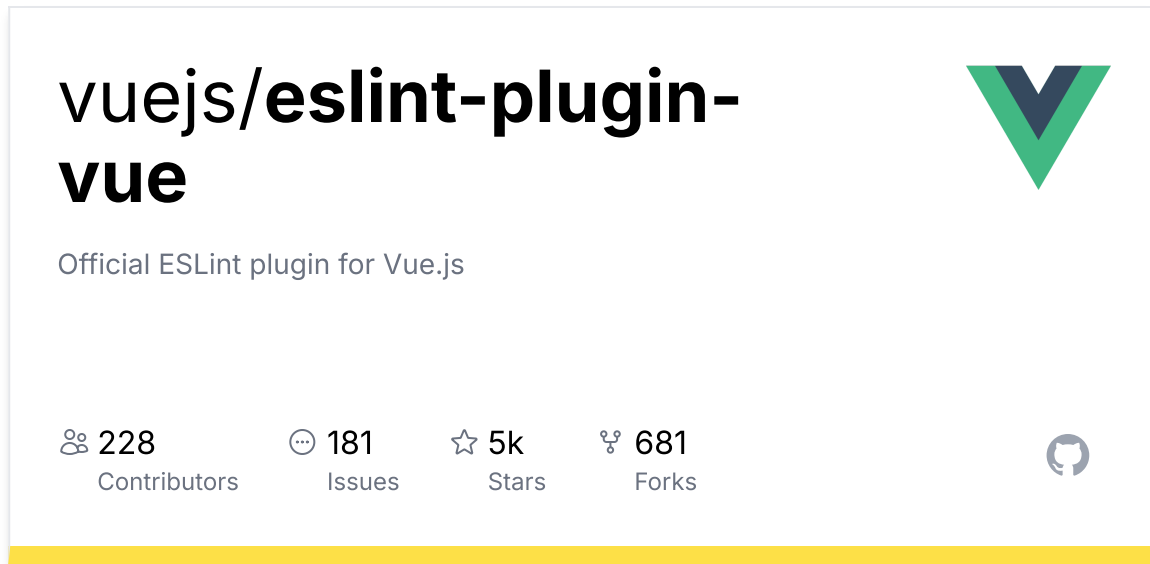
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- **WebStorm** also provides great built-in support for Vue SFCs.
- Other IDEs that support the **Language Service Protocol (LSP)** can also leverage Volar's core functionalities via LSP:
 - vim / Neovim support via **coc-volar**.

Installation

Linting

- The Vue team maintains `eslint-plugin-vue`, an ESLint plugin that supports SFC-specific linting rules.



Installation

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- The VS Code extension **ESLint** gives linter feedback right in the editor during development.



ESLint

Microsoft  microsoft.com |  42,333,852 installs |  (242) | Free

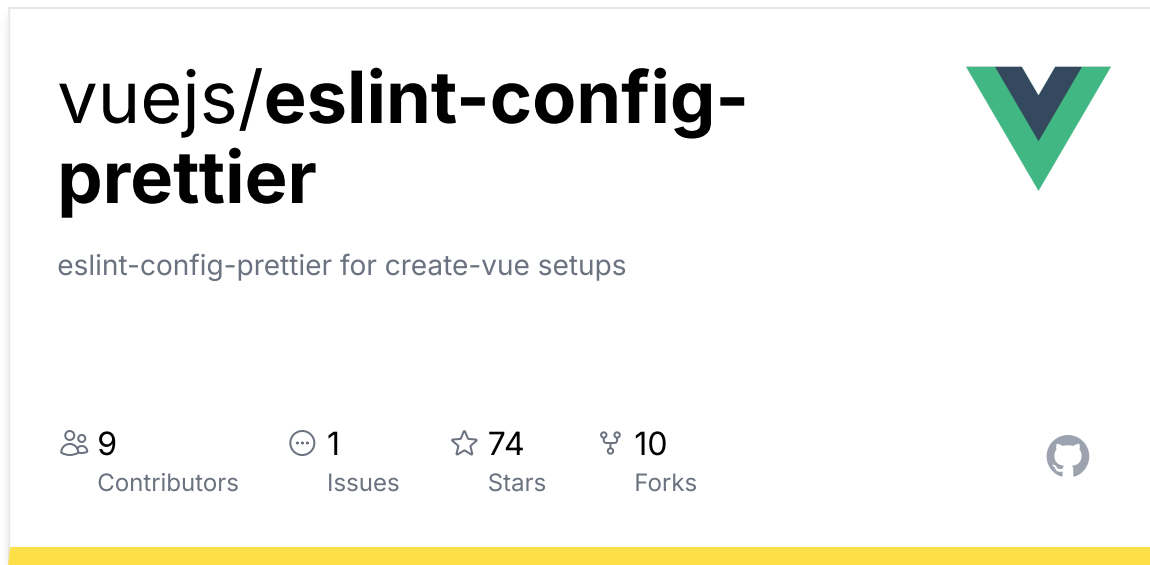
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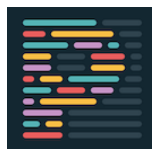
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- `Prettier` provides built-in Vue SFC formatting support.



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Formatting

- The VS Code extension **Prettier** ensures your code adheres to formatting standards without additional effort.



Prettier - Code formatter

Prettier  prettier.io |  56,160,593 installs |  (479) | Free |  Sponsor

Code formatter using prettier

Install

[Trouble Installing?](#)

Installation

Tailwind CSS

- A **utility-first CSS framework** for rapidly building custom interfaces.
- Instead of writing custom CSS, you use **predefined utility classes**.
- Designed for **developer productivity and consistency**.

```
1 <template>  
2   <div class="p-4 bg-white border-1 border-gray-9 rounded-lg">Hello</div>  
3 </template>
```

Hello



Installation

Tailwind CSS

- Install `tailwindcss` and `@tailwindcss/vite` via `npm`

```
> npm install tailwindcss @tailwindcss/vite
```

- Add the `@tailwindcss/vite` plugin to `vite.config.ts`

```
1 import { defineConfig } from 'vite'
2 import tailwindcss from '@tailwindcss/vite'
3
4 export default defineConfig({
5   plugins: [
6     tailwindcss(),
7   ],
8 })
```

- Add an `@import` to your CSS file that imports Tailwind CSS.

```
@import "tailwindcss";
```

Core Concepts

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Tradeoffs

- Slower first load (everything loads up front)
- Requires JavaScript to function properly
- SEO can be tricky without special setup

Single-File Components (SFC)

*.vue files

- A **Vue SFC** is a special file format that encapsulates the component's logic (JavaScript), template (HTML), and styles (CSS) in a single file.

```
1  <template>
2    <p class="greeting">{{ greeting }}</p>
3  </template>
4
5  <script setup>
6    import { ref } from 'vue'
7    const greeting = ref('Hello World!')
8  </script>
9
10 <style>
11 .greeting {
12   color: red;
13   font-weight: bold;
14 }
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4 </template>
5 <script setup>
6   const id="myDiv"
7 </script>
```

- Vue will keep the element's `id` attribute in sync with the component's `id` property
- If the bound value is `null` or `undefined`, then the attribute will be removed from the rendered element.

Boolean Attributes

- Boolean attributes are attributes that can indicate `true` / `false` values by their presence on an element.

```
1 <template>
2   <button :disabled="isDisabled" class="px-3 py-2 border border-black">
3     | Follow
4   </button>
5 </template>
6
7 <script setup>
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Binding Multiple Attributes

- Multiple attributes can be bind to a single element by using `v-bind` **without an argument**.

```
1  <template>
2    <div v-bind="objectOfAttrs"></div>
3  </template>
4
5  <script setup>
6    const objectOfAttrs = {
7      id: 'container',
8      class: 'wrapper',
9      style: 'background-color:green'
10   }
11 </script>
```

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9
10  <time :title="toTitleDate(date)" :datetime="date">{{ formatDate(date) }}</time>
11 </template>
```

- It is possible to call a component-exposed method inside a binding expression.

JavaScript Expressions



- Each binding can only contain one single expression, i.e., **a piece of code that can be evaluated to a value**

```
1  <template>
2    <!-- this is a statement, not an expression: -->
3    {{ var a = 1 }}
4
5    <!-- flow control won't work either, use ternary expressions -->
6    {{ if (ok) { return message } }}
7  </template>
```

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- A directive's job is to reactively apply updates to the DOM when the value of its expression changes

```
1 <template>
2   <p v-if="seen">Now you see me</p>
3 </template>
4
5 <script setup>
6   const seen=false
7 </script>
```

Directives

- Some directives can take an **argument**, denoted by a **colon** after the directive name.

```
1 <template>
2 | <a v-bind:href="url">Homepage</a>
3 </template>
4
5 <script setup>
6 | const url="https://lipn.univ-paris13.fr/"
7 </script>
```

Homepage

Directives

- It is also possible to use a JavaScript expression in a directive.

```
1 <template>
2   <a v-bind:[attrName]="url">Homepage</a>
3   <!-- <a :['' + attrName]="url"> ... </a> -->
4 </template>
5
6 <script setup>
7   const attrName="href"
8   const url="https://lipn.univ-paris13.fr/"
9 </script>
```

Homepage

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9 </script>
```

Homepage



- Dynamic arguments are expected to evaluate to a string

Template Syntax

Directives

- The `v-on` directive listens to DOM events, e.g., a click.

```
1 <template>
2   <button v-on:click="clickFn" class="btn-blue">
3     | Follow
4   </button>
5 </template>
6
7 <script setup>
8   function clickFn() {
9     | alert("clicked");
10  }
11 </script>
```

Follow

Modifiers

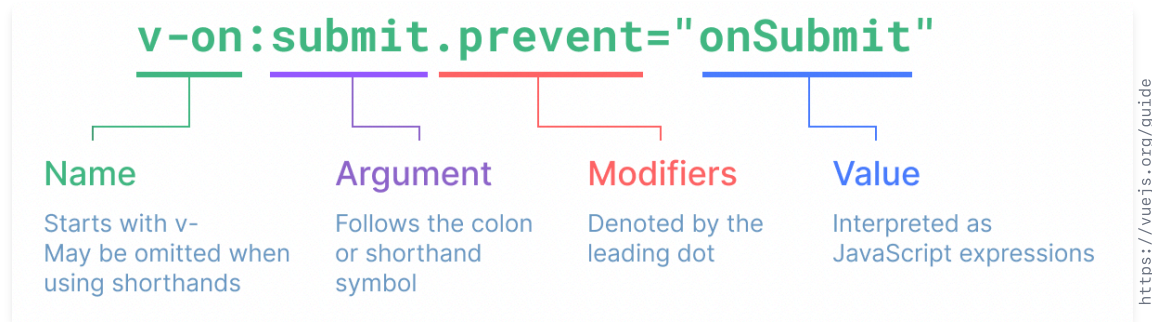
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2   export default { }
3 </script>
4
5 <template>
6   <button @click="increment">Count is: {{ count }}</button>
7 </template>
```


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```
1 <script>
2 export default {
3   // Properties returned from data() become reactive state
4   // and will be exposed on `this`.
5   data() {
6     return {
7       count: 0,
8       firstName: 'John',
9       lastName: 'Doe'
10    }
11  },
12 }
13 </script>
14
15 <template>
16   <button @click="increment">Count is: {{ count }}</button>
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```

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```
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2 export default {
3   data() { /* ... */ },
4
5   // Computed properties are special functions that automatically update when the
6   // data they depend on changes
7   methods: {
8     increment() {
9       this.count++
10    }
11  },
12 }
13 </script>
14
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2 export default {
3   data() { /* ... */ },
4   methods: { /* ... */ },
5
6   // Computed properties are values that are automatically calculated based on
7   // other data in your component
8   computed: {
9     fullName() {
10       return this.firstName + ' ' + this.lastName;
11     }
12   }
13 }
14 </script>
15
16 <template>
17   <button @click="increment">Count is: {{ count }}</button>
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3
4  // reactive state
5  const count = ref(0)
6  </script>
7
8  <template>
9    <button @click="increment">Count is: {{ count }}</button>
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3
4  /** hidden code */
5
6  // functions that mutate state and trigger updates
7  function increment() {
8    count.value++
9  }
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3
4  /** hidden code */
5
6  // computed properties
7  const fullName = computed(() => `${firstName.value} ${lastName.value}`)
8  </script>
9
10 <template>
11   <button @click="increment">Count is: {{ count }}</button>
12 </template>
```

Reactivity Fundamentals

ref()

Declaring Reactive State with `ref()`

- The recommended way to declare reactive state is using the `ref()` function

```
1 import { ref } from 'vue'
2
3 const count = ref(0)
4 console.log(count)
```

```
RefImpl: {
  "dep": {
    "computed": undefined,
    "version": 0,
    "activeLink": undefined,
    "subs": undefined,
    "map": undefined,
    "key": undefined,
    "sc": 0,
    "subsHead": undefined
  },
  "__v_isRef": true,
  "__v_isShallow": false,
  "_rawValue": 0,
  "_value": 0
}
```


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ref()

Declaring Reactive State with `ref()`

- `ref()` takes the argument and returns it wrapped within a `ref` object with a `.value` property

```
1 import { ref } from 'vue'
2
3 const count = ref(0)
4
5 count.value++
6 console.log(`count -> ${count.value}`)
```

```
count -> 1
```

Reactivity Fundamentals

ref()

Declaring Reactive State with `ref()`

- Refs can hold **any value type**, including deeply nested objects, arrays, or JavaScript built-in data structures like `Map`.
- A `ref` will make its value **deeply reactive**.

```
1 import { ref } from 'vue'
2
3 const obj = ref({
4   nested: { count: 0 },
5   arr: ['foo']
6 })
7
8 obj.value.nested.count++
9 console.log(obj.value)
```

Reactivity Fundamentals

ref()

Declaring Reactive State with `ref()`

```
1 <script setup>
2 import { ref } from 'vue'
3 const counter = ref(1)
4
5 function inc() { counter.value++ }
6 function dec() { counter.value-- }
7 </script>
8
9 <template>
10   <div class="text-lg text-white flex items-center justify-between w-full">
11     <button class="bg-red-600 p2 hover:bg-red-500" @click="dec">-1</button>
12     <span class="text-orange-400 text-4xl">{{ counter }}</span>
13     <button class="bg-green-600 p2 hover:bg-green-500" @click="inc">+1</button>
14   </div>
15 </template>
```

-1

1

+1

Reactivity Fundamentals

reactive()

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- Unlike a `ref` which wraps the inner value in a special object, `reactive()` makes an `object` itself reactive.

```
1 import { reactive } from 'vue'
2
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4
5 state.count++
6 console.log(state)
```

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- `reactive()` converts the object deeply: nested objects are also wrapped with `reactive()` when accessed.

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```
1 import { reactive } from 'vue'
2
3 const raw = {}
4 const proxy = reactive(raw)
5
6 // proxy is NOT equal to the original.
7 console.log(proxy === raw)
8
9 // calling reactive() on the same object returns the same proxy
10 // console.log(reactive(raw) === proxy)
11
12 // calling reactive() on a proxy returns itself
13 // console.log(reactive(proxy) === proxy)
```

Reactivity Fundamentals

reactive()

Limitations of `reactive()`

- **Limited value types:** it only works for object types (objects, arrays, etc). It cannot hold primitive types such as string, number or boolean.

```
1  import { reactive } from 'vue'
2  let state = reactive({ count: 0 })
3
4  // the above reference ({ count: 0 }) is no longer being tracked
5  // (reactivity connection is lost!)
6  state = reactive({ count: 1 })
```


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- **Cannot replace entire object:** we can't easily "replace" a reactive object because the reactivity connection to the first reference is lost.

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Reactivity Fundamentals

reactive()

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```
1 import { reactive } from 'vue'
2
3 const state = reactive({ count: 0 })
4
5 // count is disconnected from state.count when destructured.
6 let { count } = state
7
8 // it does not affect original state
9 count++
10
11 console.log(state)
```

```
{
  "count": 0
}
```

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```
1 import { reactive } from 'vue'
2
3 const state = reactive({ count: 0 })
4
5 // the function receives a plain number and won't be able to track changes
6 function increment(value){ value++ }
7 increment(state.count)
8
9 // we have to pass the entire object in to retain reactivity
10 // function incrementObj(obj){ obj.count++ }
11 // incrementObj(state)
12
13 console.log(state)
```

```
{
  "count": 0
}
```

Computed Properties computed()

Don't repeat yourself (DRY Principle)

- We don't want to repeat ourselves if we need to include a calculation in the template more than once.

```
1 <script setup>
2 import { ref } from 'vue'
3 const newItem = ref("")
4 </script>
5
6 <template>
7 <div class="flex items-center">
8   <input v-model="newItem" placeholder="Enter your text..."
9     | | | | class="flex-grow p-3 border border-gray-300 rounded-md"/>
10   <span class="ml-4 text-sm text-gray-500">{{ newItem.length }}</span>
11 </div>
12 </template>
```

Enter your text...

0

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Computed Properties computed()

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- A **computed property** automatically tracks its reactive dependencies.

```
1 <script setup>
2 import { ref, computed } from 'vue'
3 const newItem = ref("")
4 const counter = computed(() => newItem.value.length)
5 </script>
6
7 <template>
8 <div class="flex items-center">
9   <input v-model="newItem" placeholder="Enter your text..."
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5 </script>
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7 <template>
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12 </div>
13 </template>
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Computed Caching vs. Methods

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```
1 <script setup>
2 import { ref, computed, getCurrentInstance } from 'vue'
3
4 // Used to force a re-render
5 const { proxy } = getCurrentInstance()
6 const forceRender = () => proxy.$forceUpdate()
7
8 const now = computed(() => new Date().toISOString()) // Computed property
9 const getNow = () => new Date().toISOString() // Method
10 </script>
11
12 <template>
13   <div class="flex justify-center items-center space-x-6">
14     <span><strong>Computed time:</strong> {{ now }}</span>
15     <span><strong>Method time:</strong> {{ getNow() }}</span>
16     <button @click="forceRender" class="btn-blue">
17       Refresh
18     </button>
19   </div>
20 </template>
```

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Watchers

What is a watcher?

- A watcher triggers a callback **whenever** a reactive state changes
- Useful when you want to perform **side effects** (e.g., react to props or route changes)

```
1 <template>
2   <button @click="count++" class="btn-blue">Count + 1</button>
3 </template>
4
5 <script setup>
6   import { ref, watch } from 'vue'
7   const count = ref(0)
8
9   watch(count, (newVal, oldVal) => {
10     alert(`Count changed from ${oldVal} to ${newVal}`)
11   })
12 </script>
```

Count + 1

Watchers

Watch Source Types

- The first argument of the `watch` function can be different types of reactive "sources":
 - a ref (including computed refs),
 - a reactive object,
 - a getter function, or
 - an array of multiple sources

```
1 <script setup>
2 import { ref, watch } from 'vue'
3 const x = ref(0)
4
5 // a ref
6 watch(x, (newX) => {
7   console.log(`x is ${newX}`)
8 })
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2 import { ref, watch } from 'vue'
3 const x = ref(0)
4 const y = ref(0)
5
6 // getter
7 watch(
8   () => x.value + y.value,
9   (sum) => {
10     console.log(`sum of x + y is: ${sum}`)
11   }
```

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```
1 <script setup>
2 import { ref, watch } from 'vue'
3 const x = ref(0)
4 const y = ref(0)
5
6 // array of multiple sources
7 watch([x, () => y.value], ([newX, newY]) => {
8   console.log(`x is ${newX} and y is ${newY}`)
9 })
10 </script>
```


Watch Source Types

- `watch()` does **not** detect changes in properties of reactive objects.

```
1 <script setup>
2 import { reactive, watch } from 'vue'
3 const obj = reactive({ count: 0 })
4
5 // this won't work because we are passing a number to watch()
6 watch(obj.count, (count) => {
7   console.log(`Count is: ${count}`)
8 })
9 </script>
```

Watch Source Types

- `watch()` does **not** detect changes in properties of reactive objects.

```
1 <script setup>
2 import { reactive, watch } from 'vue'
3 const obj = reactive({ count: 0 })
4
5 // instead, use a getter
6 watch(
7   () => obj.count,
8   (count) => {
9     console.log(`Count is: ${count}`)
10  }
11 )
12 </script>
```

Watch Source Types

- When directly watching a reactive object, the watcher is automatically in `deep mode`

```
1 <script setup>
2 import { reactive, watch } from 'vue'
3 const state = reactive({ count: 0 })
4
5 watch(state, () => {
6   /* triggers on deep mutation to state */
7 })
8 </script>
```

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```
1 <script setup>
2 import { reactive, watch } from 'vue'
3 const state = reactive({ count: 0 })
4
5 watch(
6   () => state,
7   (newValue, oldValue) => {
8     // newValue === oldValue
9   },
10  { deep: true }
11 )
12 </script>
```

Watchers

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- By default, the callback of a `watch` won't be called until the watched source has changed
- We can force a watcher's callback to be executed immediately by passing the `immediate: true` option

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3 </template>
4
5 <script setup>
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8
9   watch(count,
10    (newVal, oldVal) => { alert(`Count changed from ${oldVal} to ${newVal}`) },
11    { immediate: true })
12 </script>
```

Watchers

Once Watchers

- If you want the callback to trigger **only once** when the source changes, use the `once: true` option.

```
1 <template>
2   <button @click="count++" class="btn-blue">Count + 1</button>
3 </template>
4
5 <script setup>
6   import { ref, watch } from 'vue'
7   const count = ref(0)
8
9   watch(count,
10     (newVal, oldVal) => { alert(`Count changed from ${oldVal} to ${newVal}`) },
11     { once: true })
12 </script>
```

Count + 1

List Rendering

Directive `v-for`

- The `v-for` directive is used to render a list of items based on an array

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex justify-between items-start">
3     <ul>
4       <li v-for="item in items" class="my-0!">
5         {{ item.name }}
6       </li>
7     </ul>
8     <button @click='items.push({name: `Item ${items.length + 1}`})'
9       class="btn-blue">Add</button>
10  </div>
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List Rendering

Directive `v-for`

- It supports an optional second alias for the `index` of the current item.

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex justify-between items-start">
3     <ul>
4       <li v-for="(item, index) in items" class="my-0!">
5         {{ index }}: {{ item.name }}
6       </li>
7     </ul>
8     <button @click='items.push({name: `Item ${items.length + 1}`})'
9       class="btn-blue">Add</button>
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- You can use destructuring on the `item` alias.

```
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5         {{ index }}: {{ name }}
6       </li>
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```

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List Rendering

Directive `v-for`

- You can also use `v-for` to iterate through the properties of an object

```
1 <template>
2   <ul>
3     <li v-for="(value, key, index) in book" class="my-0!">
4       {{ index }}. <strong>{{ key }}:</strong> {{ value }}
5     </li>
6   </ul>
7 </template>
8 <script setup>
9   import { reactive } from 'vue'
10  const book = reactive({
11    title: 'The Algorithm Design Manual',
12    author: 'Steven S. Skiena',
13    publishedAt: '2021-07-10'
14  })
15 </script>
```

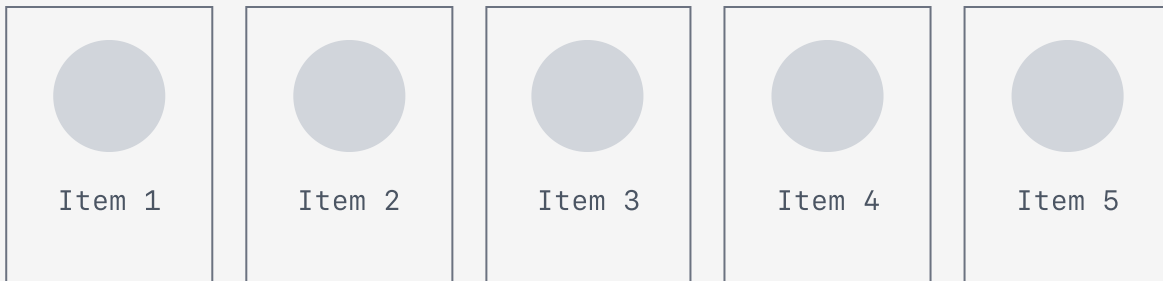
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List Rendering

Directive `v-for`

- It can also take an integer to repeat the template n times using the range `1...n`

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="grid grid-cols-5 gap-4">
3     <div v-for="n in 5" :key="n" class="p-4 border border-gray-500 text-center">
4       <div class="w-14 h-14 mx-auto bg-gray-300 rounded-full mb-2"></div>
5       <p class="text-sm text-gray-600">Item {{ n }}</p>
6     </div>
7   </div>
8 </template>
```



List Rendering

Directive `v-for`

- Directives are attached to a single element. We can use the `<template>` element as an invisible wrapper.

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex items-center space-x-4">
3     <template v-for="user in users" :key="user.id">
4       
5       <span class="text-xs text-gray-700">{{ user.name }}</span>
6     </template>
7   </div>
8 </template>
9 <script setup>
10  const users = [
11    { id: 1, name: 'Bob', avatar: 'https://placeholder.co/100x100?text=Bob' },
12    { id: 2, name: 'Eve', avatar: 'https://placeholder.co/100x100?text=Eve' },
13  ];
14 </script>
```

Bob

Bob

Eve

Eve

Conditional Rendering

Directive `v-if`

- The block is rendered if the directive's expression is a **truthy** value.
- The `v-else` and `v-else-if` directives can also be used.

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex justify-between items-center">
3     <span v-if="status === 'success'">Operation was successful!</span>
4     <span v-else-if="status === 'error'">An error has occurred.</span>
5     <span v-else>No status provided.</span>
6     <div class="space-x-1">
7       <button class="btn-blue" @click="status = 'success'">Success</button>
8       <button class="btn-blue" @click="status = 'error'">Error</button>
9     </div>
10  </div>
11 </template>
12 <script setup>
13   import { ref } from 'vue'
14   const status = ref("")
15 </script>
```

Conditional Rendering

Directive `v-show`

- Unlike `v-if`, `v-show` will always be rendered and remain in the DOM. It only toggles the `display` CSS property of the element
- It doesn't support the `<template>` element, nor does it work with `v-else`.

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex justify-between items-center">
3     <button class="btn-blue" @click="isVisible = !isVisible">Toggle</button>
4     <span v-show="isVisible">Hello! This message is visible.</span>
5   </div>
6 </template>
7 <script setup>
8   import { ref } from 'vue'
9   const isVisible = ref(true)
10 </script>
```

Toggle

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- So prefer `v-show` if you need to toggle something very often, and prefer `v-if` if the condition is unlikely to change at runtime.

Class Bindings

Binding HTML Classes

- Special enhancements when `v-bind` is used with `class` and `style`.
- We can pass an object to `v-bind:class` to dynamically toggle classes.

```
1 <template>
2   <ul>
3     <li v-for="{ label, purchased, highPriority } in items" class="my-0!"
4       :class="{ 'line-through': purchased, 'text-red': highPriority }">
5       {{ label }}
6     </li>
7   </ul>
8 </template>
9 <script setup>
10   const items = [ { label: "1kg coffee", purchased: false, highPriority: true },
11                   { label: "20 cups", purchased: true, highPriority: false } ]
12 </script>
```

- 1kg coffee
- ~~20 cups~~

Binding HTML Classes

- The bound object doesn't have to be inline

```
1 <template>
2   | <span :class="classObject">Hello World!</span>
3 </template>
4 <script setup>
5   | const classObject = {'font-bold': true, 'text-red': false}
6 </script>
```

Hello World!

Binding HTML Classes

- We can also bind to a computed property that returns an object.

```
1 <template>
2   | <span :class="classObject">Hello World!</span>
3 </template>
4 <script setup>
5   | import { ref, computed } from 'vue'
6   | const isActive = ref(true)
7   | const classObject = computed(() => ({'font-bold': isActive.value }))
8 </script>
```

Hello World!

Binding to Arrays

- `:class` can be bind to an array to apply a list of classes

```
1 <template>
2   |   <span :class="[activeClass, errorClass]">Hello World!</span>
3 </template>
4 <script setup>
5   |   import { ref, computed } from 'vue'
6   |   const activeClass = ref('font-bold')
7   |   const errorClass = ref('text-red')
8 </script>
```

Hello World!

Binding to Arrays

- It's also possible to use the object syntax inside the array syntax

```
1 <template>
2   |   <span :class="[ { [activeClass]: isActive }, errorClass]">Hello World!</span>
3 </template>
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9 </script>
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Hello World!

Binding to Objects

- `:style` property supports binding to JavaScript object values.

```
1 <template>
2   |   <span :style="{ 'font-size': fontSize + 'px' }">Hello World!</span>
3 </template>
4 <script setup>
5   |   import { ref, computed } from 'vue'
6   |   const fontSize = ref(18)
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- `:style` directives can also coexist with regular `style` attributes.

```
1 <template>
2   |   <span style="color: red" :style="'font-size: 18px'">Hello World!</span>
3 </template>
```

Hello World!

Style Bindings

Binding to Arrays

- `:style` can be bind to an array of multiple style objects

```
1 <template>
2   <span :style="[baseStyle, activeStyle]">Hello World!</span>
3 </template>
4 <script setup>
5   import { reactive } from 'vue';
6
7   const baseStyle = reactive({
8     color: 'blue',
9   });
10
11   const activeStyle = reactive({
12     fontWeight: 'bold',
13     fontSize: '14px'
14   });
15 </script>
```

Hello World!

Event Handling

Listening to Events

- The `v-on` directive is used to listen to DOM events and run some JavaScript when they're triggered.
- **Inline handlers:** Inline JavaScript to be executed when the event is triggered.

```
1 <template>
2   <button @click="count++" class="btn-blue">Count is: {{ count }}</button>
3 </template>
4
5 <script setup>
6   import { ref } from 'vue'
7   const count = ref(0)
8 </script>
```

Count is: 0

Event Handling

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- **Method handlers:** A property name or path that points to a method defined on the component.

```
1 <template>
2   <button @click="increment" class="btn-blue">Count is: {{ count }}</button>
3 </template>
4
5 <script setup>
6   import { ref } from 'vue'
7   const count = ref(0)
8
9   function increment () {
10    |   count.value++
11    | }
12 </script>
```

Count is: 0

Event Handling

Listening to Events

- A method handler automatically receives the native DOM Event object that triggers it

```
1 <template>
2   <button @click="click" class="btn-blue">Click {{ tag }}</button>
3 </template>
4
5 <script setup>
6   import { ref } from 'vue'
7   const tag = ref("")
8
9   function click(event){
10    | tag.value = event.target.tagName
11    | }
12 </script>
```

Click

Event Handling

Listening to Events

- Instead of binding directly to a method name, we can also call methods in an inline handler.

```
1 <template>
2   <button @click="say('hello')" class="btn-blue">Say Hello</button>
3 </template>
4
5 <script setup>
6   import { ref } from 'vue'
7
8   function say (message) {
9     alert(message)
10  }
11 </script>
```

Say Hello

Event Handling

Listening to Events

- If you need to access the original DOM event in an inline handler:
 1. you can pass it into a method using the special `$event` variable
 2. or use an inline arrow function

```
1 <template>
2   <!-- using $event special variable -->
3   <button @click="say('hello', $event)" class="btn-blue">$event</button>
4
5   <!-- using inline arrow function -->
6   <button @click="(event) => say('hello', event)" class="btn-blue ml-2">function</
7 </template>
8 <script setup>
9   import { ref } from 'vue'
10  function say (message, event) {
11    if (event) { event.preventDefault() }
12    alert(message)
13  }
14 </script>
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<!-- the click event will be triggered at most once -->
<a @click.once="doThis"></a>
```

Event Handling

Event Modifiers: `.stop`

The click event's propagation will be stopped: `event.stopPropagation()`

```
1 <template>
2   <div @click="parentClick" class="block-indigo space-x-4">
3     <span class="font-semibold">Parent Div</span>
4     <button @click.stop="buttonClick" class="btn-blue">Child Button</button>
5   </div>
6 </template>
7
8 <script setup>
9   function parentClick() { alert('Parent div clicked!'); }
10  function buttonClick() { alert('Button clicked!'); }
11 </script>
```

Parent Div

Child Button

Event Modifiers: `.self`

Only triggers the handler if the event was fired on the element itself.

```
1 <template>
2   <div v-if="isOpen"
3     @click.self="closeModal"
4     class="fixed inset-0 bg-black bg-opacity-50 flex items-center justify-center"
5     >
6     <div class="bg-white p-10 rounded-lg"
7       >
8       <p>Click outside this box to close the modal.</p>
9       <button class="bg-blue-500 text-white px-4 py-2"
10        >Close</button>
11     </div>
12   </div>
13 </template>
```

Click outside this box to close the modal.

Close

```
12 <script setup>
13 import { ref } from 'vue';
14
15 const isOpen = ref(true);
16 const closeModal = () => isOpen.value = false
17 </script>
```

Event Handling

Event Modifiers: `.once`

The handler will be triggered only once. Vue automatically removes the listener after the first trigger.

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex flex-col items-center justify-center space-y-6">
3     <button @click.once="visible = !visible" class="btn-blue">
4       Click Me
5     </button>
6     <div v-if="visible">🎉 You clicked the button!</div>
7   </div>
8 </template>
9
10 <script setup>
11   import { ref } from 'vue';
12   const visible = ref(false);
13 </script>
```

Click Me

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- The `.passive` modifier is typically used with touch event listeners for improving performance on mobile devices.

Event Handling

Event Modifiers: `.capture`

Adds the event listener in capture mode instead of the default `bubbling` (i.e., child → parent).

```
1 <template>
2   <div @click.capture="handleParentClick" class="block-indigo space-y-2">
3     <p class="font-bold text-lg text-blue-800">Parent Div (click capture)</p>
4     <button @click="handleChildClick" class="btn-blue">Child Button</button>
5   </div>
6 </template>
7
8 <script setup>
9   const handleParentClick = () => alert('✅ Parent clicked (captured first)')
10  const handleChildClick = () => alert('🟡 Child clicked')
11 </script>
```

Parent Div (click capture)

Child Button

Event Handling

Keys Modifiers

- Vue allows adding key modifiers for `@` when listening for key events.

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="bg-white p-3 w-full space-y-2">
3     <input v-model="text" @keyup.esc="clear" placeholder=""
4       | | | | class="w-full border border-gray-400 p-2 focus:outline-none"/>
5     <p> Press <strong>Enter</strong> to submit, <strong>Esc</strong> to clear</p>
6   </div>
7 </template>
8
9 <script setup>
10 import { ref } from 'vue';
11
12 const text = ref('');
13 function clear() { text.value = ''; }
14 </script>
```

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```
<!-- Alt + Enter -->
<input @keyup.alt.enter="clear" />

<!-- Ctrl + Click -->
<div @click.ctrl="doSomething">Do something</div>
```

Event Handling

Keys Modifiers

- The `.exact` modifier allows control of the exact combination of system modifiers needed to trigger an event.

```
1 <template>
2 <div class="flex gap-3 justify-center">
3   <!-- this will fire even if Alt or Ctrl is also pressed -->
4   <button @click.shift="onClick" class="btn-blue">Shift</button>
5
6   <!-- this will only fire when Shift and no other keys are pressed -->
7   <button @click.shift.exact="onClick" class="btn-blue">Shift Exact</button>
8
9   <!-- this will only fire when no system modifiers are pressed -->
10  <button @click.exact="onClick" class="btn-blue">No Modifiers</button>
11 </div>
12 </template>
13 <script setup>
14 const onClick = () => alert("Hello !")
15 </script>
```

Shift

Shift Exact

No Modifiers

Event Handling

Mouse Button Modifiers

- Vue provides the ability to restrict event handlers to only trigger on specific mouse buttons: `.left`, `.right`, `.middle`

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex items-center space-x-4">
3     <button class="btn-blue w-60"
4       @click.left="message = 'Left click detected!'"
5       @click.middle="message = ' Middle click detected!'"
6       @click.right.prevent="message = 'Right click detected!'"
7     > Click with mouse buttons </button>
8     <div v-show="message"> {{ message }} </div>
9   </div>
10 </template>
11
12 <script setup>
13 import { ref } from 'vue';
14 const message = ref('');
15 </script>
```

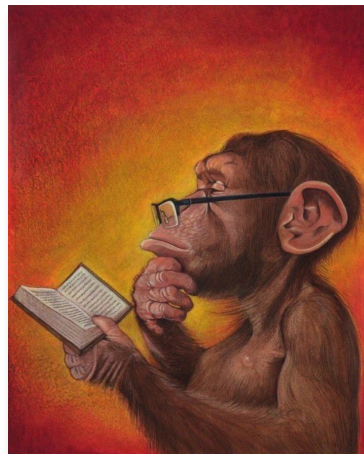
Click with mouse buttons

Input Bindings

Two-way binding

- How can we synchronize the value of `<input>` elements with corresponding variables in JavaScript ?

```
<template>  
  <input type="text" id="firstname" name="firstname">  
</template>
```



<https://x.com/niggativebts/status/1388948646964703239>

Input Bindings

Two-way binding

- Using `v-bind` and `v-on` together, we can create two-way bindings on form input elements

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex items-center">
3     <input :value="text" class="flex-grow input-full" placeholder="Write here ..."
4       | | | | @input="event => text = event.target.value"/>
5     <span class="ml-4 text-sm text-gray-500">{{ text.length }}</span>
6   </div>
7 </template>
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11 </script>
```

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Input Bindings

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- `v-model` works not only on text inputs, but also on other input types such as checkboxes, radio buttons, and select dropdowns.

Input Bindings

Value Binding

- For radio, checkbox and select options, the `v-model` binding values are usually static strings (or booleans for checkbox)

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex items-center justify-between bg-white p-3 shadow-md w-full">
3     <label class="flex items-center space-x-2">
4       <!-- `toggle` is either true or false -->
5       <input type="checkbox" v-model="agreed" />
6       <span>I agree to the terms</span>
7     </label>
8     <span class="text-sm text-gray-400">{{ agreed }}</span>
9   </div>
10 </template>
11 <script setup>
12   import { ref } from 'vue'
13   const agreed = ref(false)
14 </script>
```

☐ I agree to the terms

false

Input Bindings

Value Binding

- `v-bind` can be used to bind the value to a dynamic property

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12 import { ref } from 'vue'
13 const agreed = ref('no')
14 const valueT = ref('yes')
15 const valueF = ref('no')
16 </script>
```

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no

Input Bindings

Modifiers

- You can trim automatically whitespaces from user input (`.trim`) or typecast automatically as a number (`.number`)
- By default, `v-model` updates the data on every **input event**. `.lazy` modifies this behaviour to update only after the **change event**

```
1 <template>
2   <div class="flex flex-col bg-white p-3 shadow-md space-y-2">
3     <input v-model.lazy="text" type="text" class="input-full" />
4     <span class="text-sm">Lazy value: <strong>{{ text }}</strong></span>
5   </div>
6 </template>
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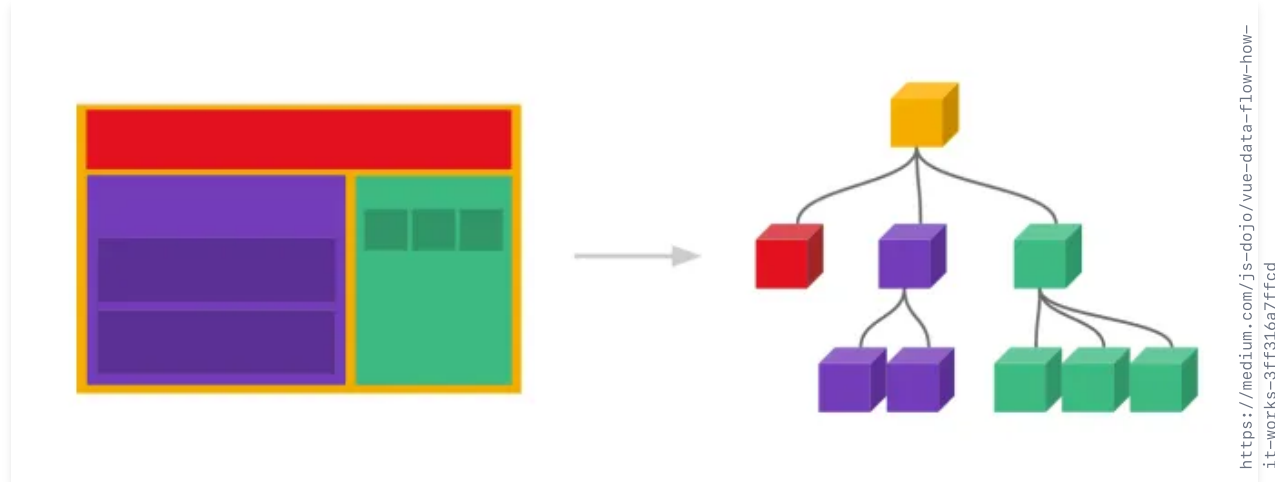


Reusable Components

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What is a component?

- Vue allows to split an app into **independent** and **reusable** pieces.
- A **component** encapsulates its own *structure*, *style*, and *behavior*



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- Multiple components can be exported from the same file

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```
1  <script setup>
2    defineProps({
3      id: Number,
4      title: String,
5    })
6  </script>
```

```
1  <BlogPost v-bind="post" />
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<script setup>
  defineProps({
    // `null` and `undefined` values will allow any type
    propA: null,
    propB: undefined,
  })
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    propC: Number,
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    propD: [String, Number],
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    propE: {
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      required: true
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    type: [String, null],
    required: true
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      default: 100
    },
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  propH: {
    type: Function,
    default() {
      return 'Default function'
    }
  }
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<script setup>
defineProps({
  // Object with a default value
  propI: {
    type: Object,
    // Object or array defaults must be returned from a function.
    default(rawProps) {
      return { message: 'hello' }
    }
  },
},
```

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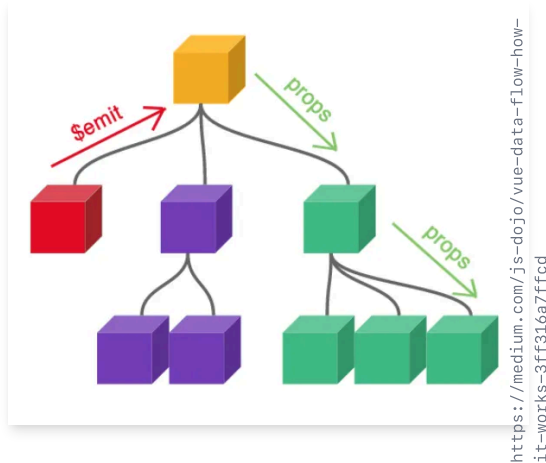
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<script setup>
defineProps({
  // Custom validator function
  // full props passed as 2nd argument in 3.4+
  propJ: {
    validator(value, props) {
      return ['success', 'warning', 'danger'].includes(value)
    }
  },
},
```

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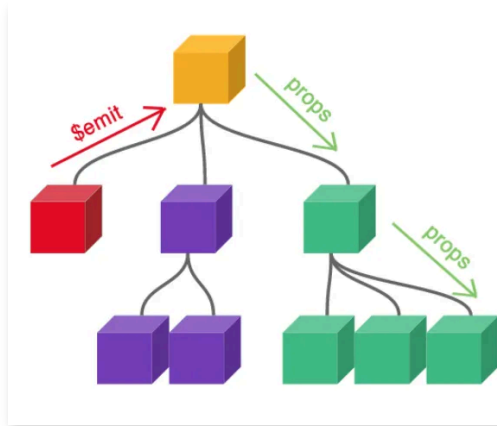
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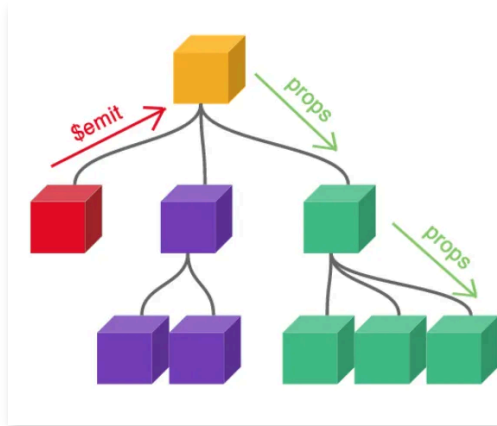
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  <button @click="$emit('btn-clicked')">
    Click
  </button>
</template>
```

Reusable Components

Listening to Events

- The `defineEmits` macro can be used to declare emitted events
- The `defineEmits` macro **cannot** be used inside a function, it must be placed directly within `<script setup>`
- It returns an emit function that is equivalent to the `$emit` method
- The first argument to `emit()` is the event name. Any additional arguments are passed on to the event listener.

```
<template>
  <button class="btn-blue" @click="handleBtn">Click</button>
</template>
<script setup>
  const emit = defineEmits(['btn-clicked'])
  const handleBtn = () => emit('btn-clicked', 1, 'hello')
</script>
```

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<script setup>
  const emit = defineEmits({
    click: null, // No validation
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    // Validate submit event
    submit: ({ email, password }) => email && password
  })

  function submitForm(email, password) {
    emit('submit', { email, password })
  }
</script>
```

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5 </template>
```

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Project (Tasks App)

Goal

Build a **Task Manager App** using **Vue.js 3**, designed to help users manage their daily tasks.

Features

- Add a new task
- List tasks
- Delete a task
- Toggle task completion
- Filter tasks (all/todo/done)

Suggested Component Structure

- `TaskList.vue` – Displays the list of tasks
- `AddTaskForm.vue` – Input form to add new tasks
- `FilterButton.vue` – Filter buttons
- `Card.vue` – Reusable component using `<slot>`

Project - Tasks App

My Task Manager

Add

3 of 4 tasks completed

alltododone

☒ Write the slides 

☒ Buy the train tickets 

☒ Configure the laptop 

☐ Ask for some feedback 

