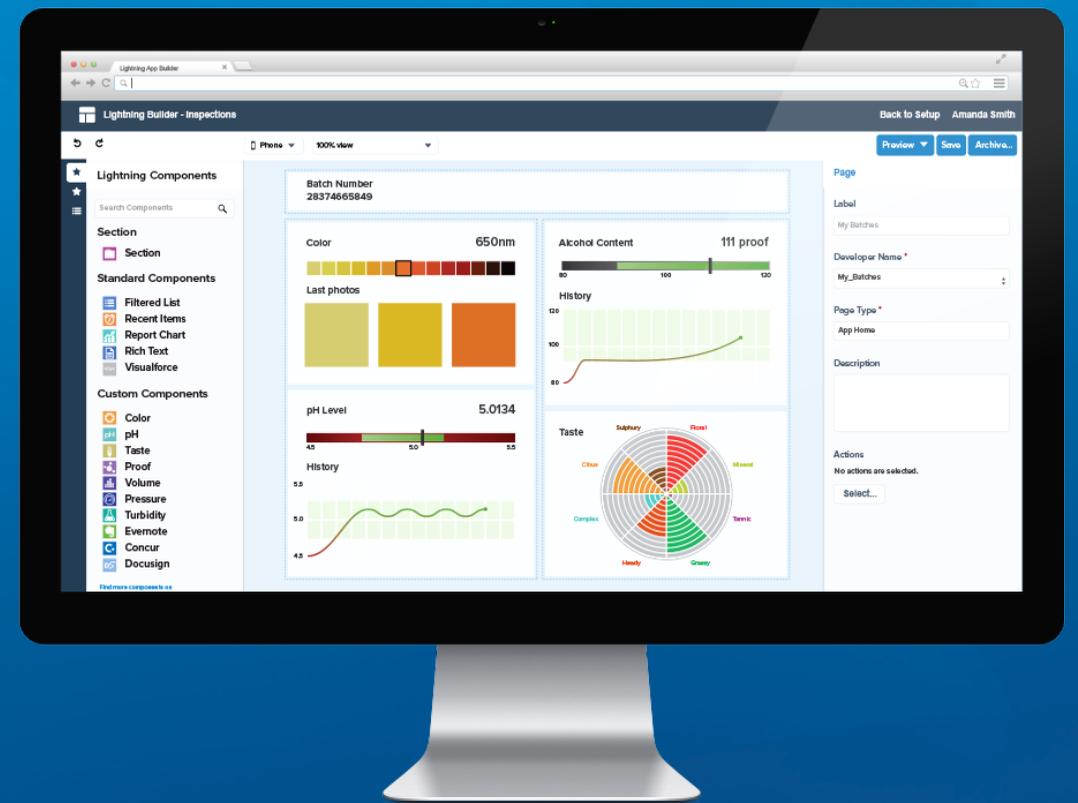


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Get started using Lightning components!

Step 1: Sign up for a Developer Edition Environment

1. Go to: <http://bit.ly/lightningcomponents>
2. Fill out the form, noting the following:
 - a. Make sure to use an email address you can easily check right now.
 - b. The username is in the form of an email address, but it doesn't have to be the same as your email address. *your.name@DF14.com* is a perfectly good username, even if it isn't your actual email address.

Step 2: Create a Namespace

Every Lightning component is prefixed by a namespace, so the first thing you need to do is register for a unique namespace.

1. Click **Setup | Create | Packages** and then click **Edit**.
2. Click **Continue**.
3. Type a namespace and then click **Check Availability** to see if it's unique.
4. Click **Review My Selections** and then **Save**.

Step 3: Enable Lightning Components

1. From Setup, click **Develop | Lightning Components**.
2. Select the **Enable Lightning Components** checkbox and click **Save**.

Step 4: Create a Lightning App

Bundles are like folders that hold related files. The first bundle you'll create is an app bundle.

1. In your Developer Edition (DE) environment, Click **<your_name>** and then **Developer Console**.
2. Select **File | New | Lightning Application**.
3. Name it **HelloWorld** and click **Submit**.

Step 5: Edit the App

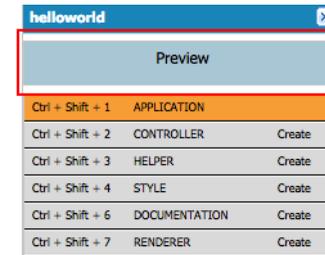
1. If **HelloWorld.app** isn't open, click **APPLICATION** in the sidebar.
2. Add some HTML, such as **My First Lightning App!**

```
<aura:application>
  <h1>My first Lightning app!</h1>
</aura:application>
```

3. Save the app.

Step 6: Test the App

In the Developer Console, click the **Preview** button on the sidebar to open the app.



You should see your app running.

Step 7: Create a Component

As you just saw, you can place markup directly inside the app. However, putting it in a component allows you to reuse it across different apps.

1. Select **File | New | Lightning Component**.
2. Type **hello** and then click **Submit**.
3. Add the following code and then **Save**.

```
<aura:component>
  <h1>Hello World!</h1>
</aura:component>
```

Step 8: Embed the Component in the App

1. In the Developer Console, open **HelloWorld.app**.
2. Add code to use your **hello** component.

```
<aura:application>
  <jam:hello />
</aura:application>
```

3. Make sure to replace the **jam** namespace with your own namespace. Then **Save**.
4. Click the **Preview** button on the sidebar to view the updated app.