Commands and Queries



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Overview



Commands and Queries

CQRS Architectures

Pros and Cons

Demo



Command-Query Separation

Command

Does something

Should modify state

Should not return a value



Command-query Separation

Command

Does something

Should modify state

Should not return a value

Query

Answers a question

Should not modify state

Should return a value



Command-query Separation Exceptions

Pop a stack

Remove item (command)

Return top item (query)

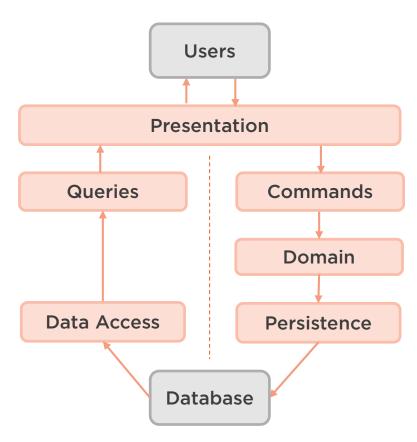
Create a new record

Create record (command)

Return new ID (query)



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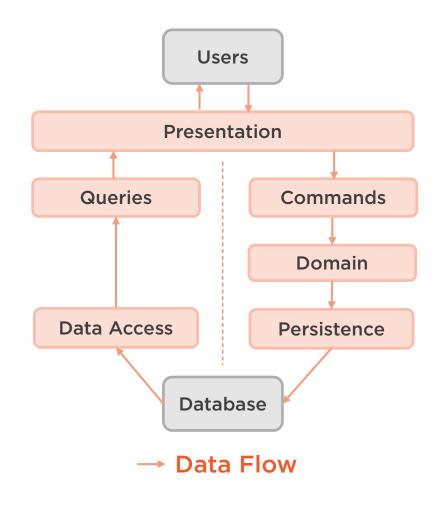
Single-database CQRS

Single database

Commands use domain

Queries use database

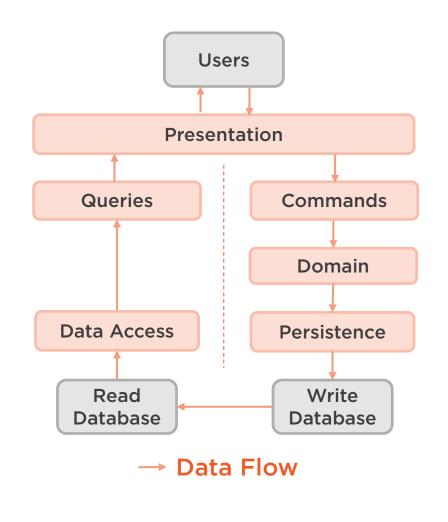
Simplest of the three





Two-database CQRS

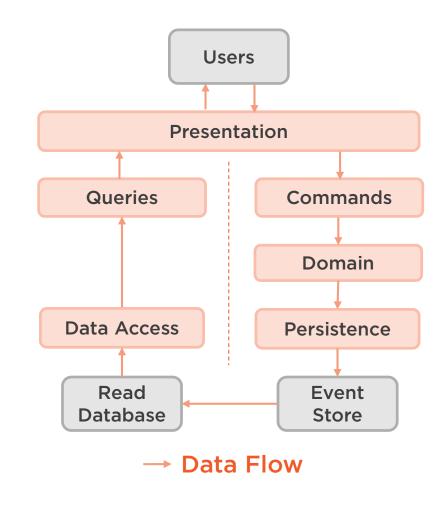
Read and write databases
Commands use write DB
Queries use read DB
Eventual consistency
Orders of magnitude faster





Event Sourcing CQRS

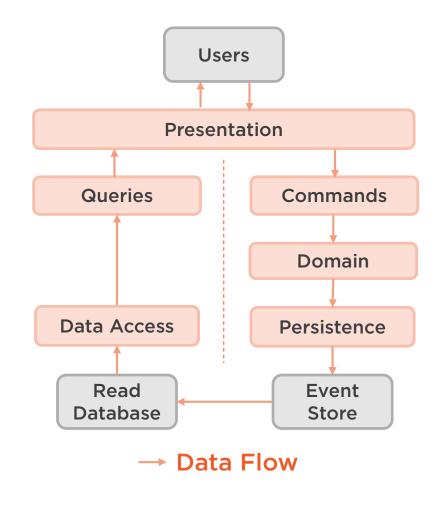
Store events
Replay events
Modify entity
Store new event
Update read database





Event Sourcing CQRS

Complete audit trail
Point-in-time reconstruction
Replay events
Multiple read database
Rebuild production database





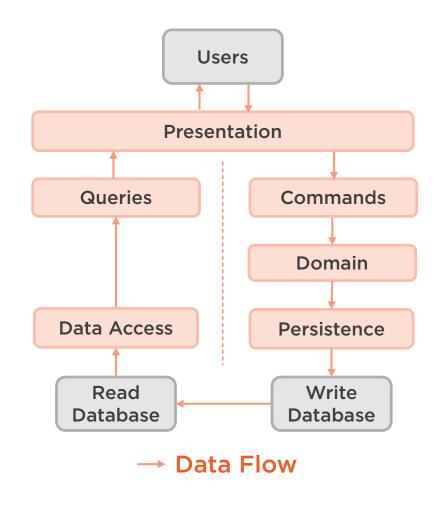
Why Use CQRS?

Pros

More efficient design

Optimized performance

Event sourcing benefits





Why Use CQRS?

Pros Cons

More efficient design Inconsistent across stacks

Optimized performance More complex

Event sourcing benefits Event sourcing costs



Set Up



Show SalesController Class



Show IGetSalesListQuery Interface



Show SalesListItemModel



Show GetSalesListQuery Class



Show Unprojected Lazy Query



Show Unprojected Lazy Query



Show Projected Query



Show GetSaleDetailsQuery



Wrap Up



Summary



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