

Testing Components That Use Hooks



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Overview



Strategy for testing components with hooks

Testing components with AJAX effects

Testing components with state





Strategy

Test components with hooks as you
test components without hooks



Testing Components with AJAX Effects

Integrated test

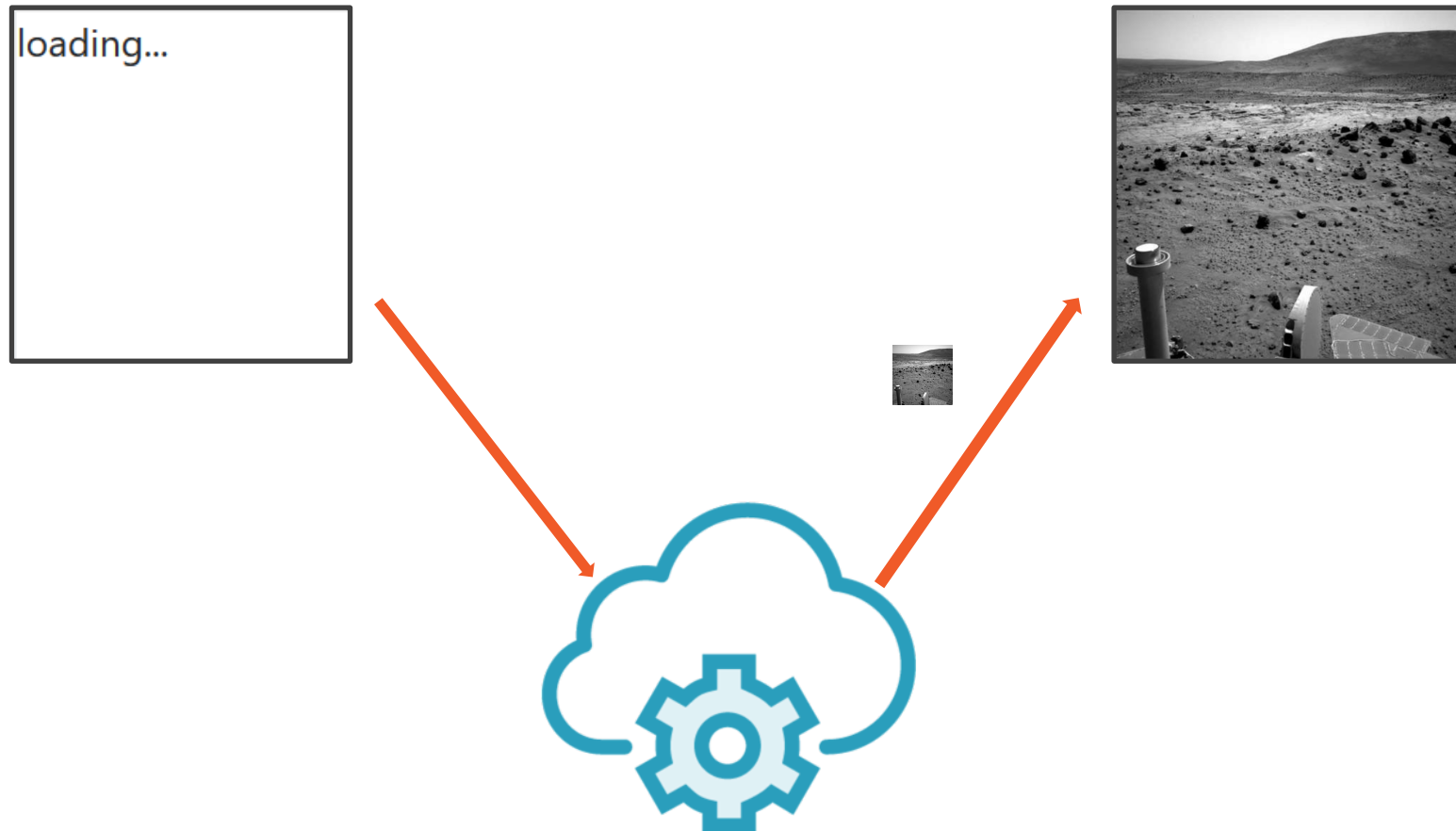
Allow the component to make
AJAX requests

Isolated test

Fake the external service



The RandomImage Component



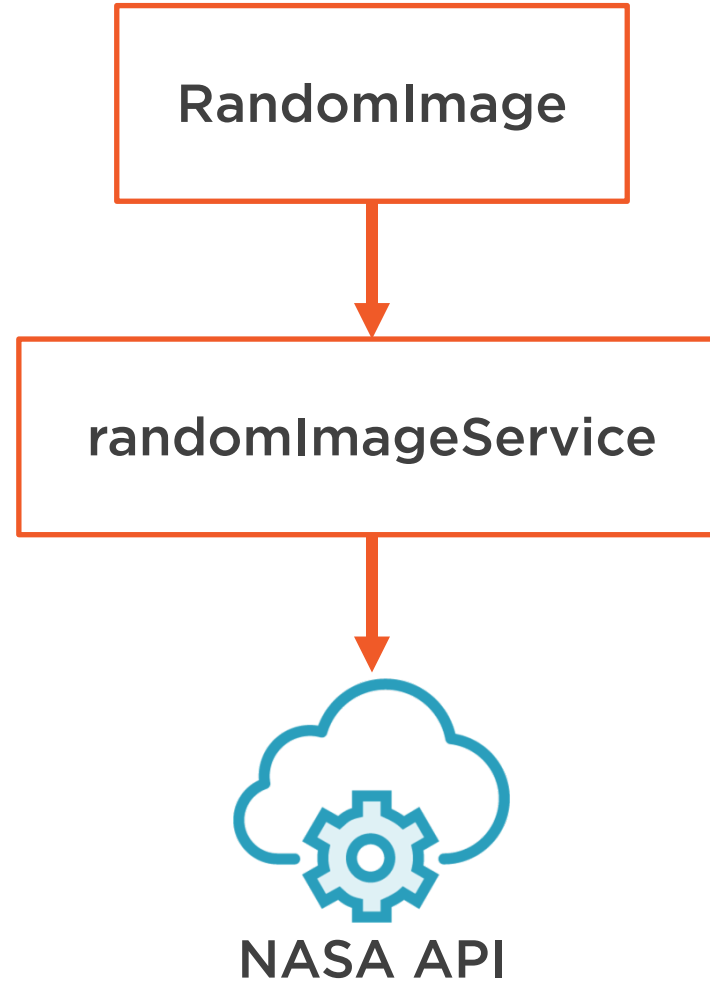
Demo



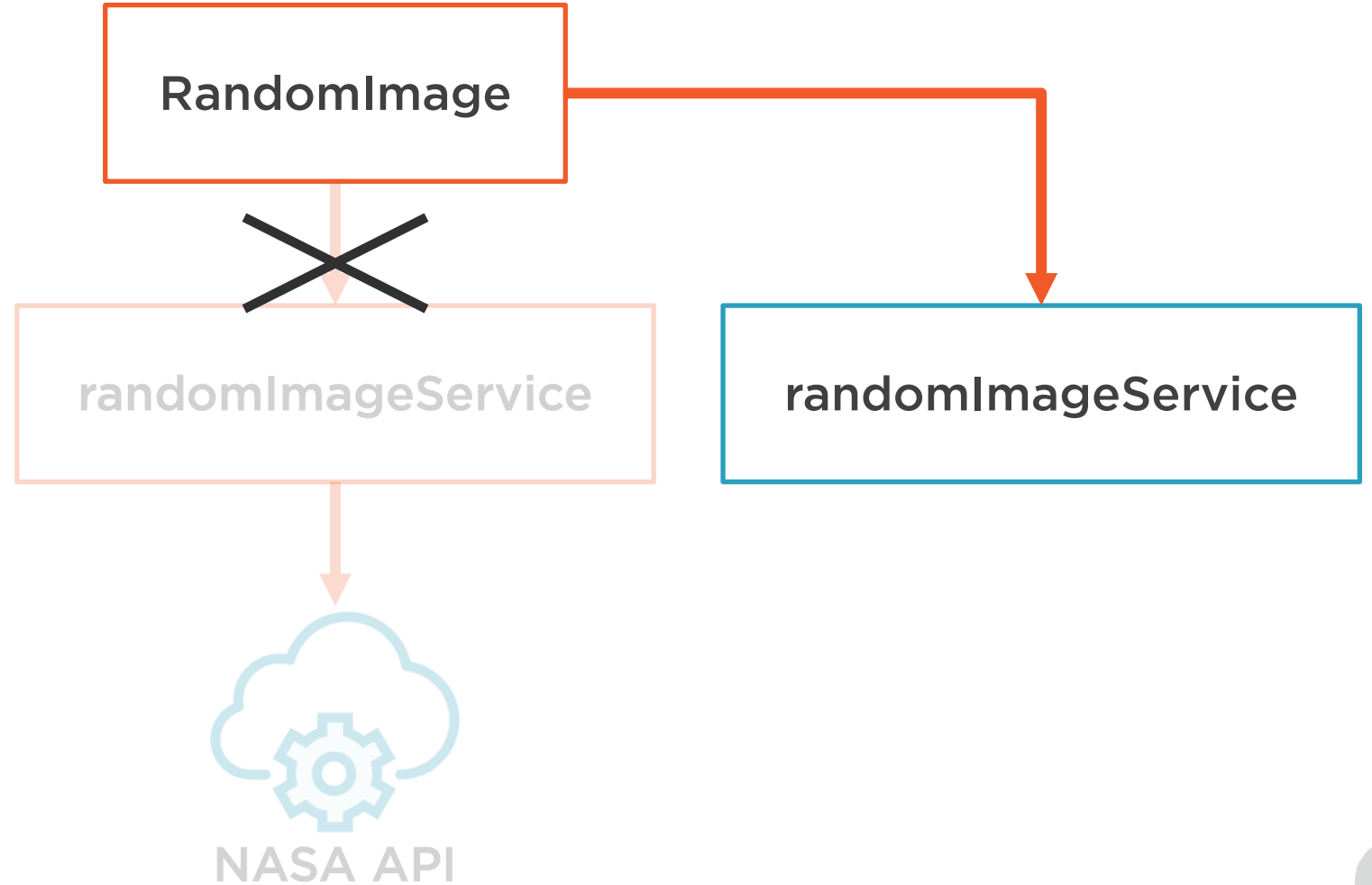
RandomImage Integrated Test



Isolating RandomImage



Isolating RandomImage




```
import * as ris
  from './randomImageService';

jest.mock('./randomImageService');

ris
  .getRandomImageUrl
  .mockResolvedValue(
    'http://foo.com/cat.jpg');

ris
  .someOtherFunc
  .mockImplementation((a, b) => a + b);

ris
  .someOtherFunc
  .mockReturnValue(7);
```

- ◀ Step 1: Import the module to be mocked
- ◀ Step 2: Tell jest to mock the module
- ◀ Step 3: Configure the mock behaviour



Demo



RandomImage Isolated Test



Testing Components With State



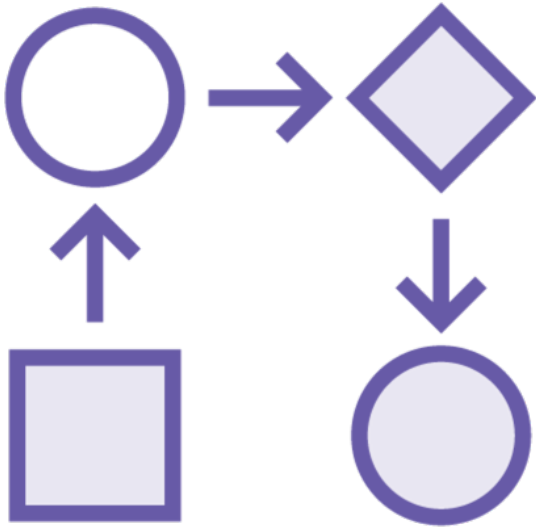
Demo



Stateful List Component Test



Testing Components with a Reducer



Same as testing state

Option to test the reducer function



Demo



Reducer List Component Test



Overview



Hooks don't change the testing strategy

Use mocking to break dependencies

