In the next lecture, we'll add Flutter Firebase packages (`cloud_firestore`).

To **follow along smoothly**, make sure you use the **same version as I use** in the lectures: **0.13.x**, **NOT 0.14.x or higher**.

Also make sure you're **using Flutter < version 2 for now** (see instructions below)!

Later in this module, I'll explain how to upgrade to the latest versions of the Firebase packages and to Flutter > version 2!

Downgrading Flutter:

To temporarily downgrade to Flutter 1.x, locate your Flutter SDK location. That's the place where you moved the `"flutter"` folder after you downloaded + extracted it in the first course section (when we installed Flutter).

Then follow these steps:

1   Rename that `"flutter"` folder (or however it's named on your system) to `"flutter-temp"` or something like that.

2   Go to this website: https://docs.flutter.dev/development/tools/sdk/releases
     Download version `1.22.6` from the list of versions (in the "*Stable channel*" for your operating system) from this page.

Flutter SDK releases

The Stable channel contains the most stable Flutter builds. See Flutter's channels for details.

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Stable channel (macOS)

Select from the following scrollable list:

2.0.1	x64	c5a4b40	04/03/2021	2.12.0
2.0.0	x64	60bd88d	03/03/2021	2.12.0
1.22.6	x64	9b2d32b	25/01/2021	-
1.22.5	x64	7891006	10/12/2020	-
1.22.4	x64	1aafb3a	13/11/2020	2.10.4
1.22.3	x64	8874f21	30/10/2020	2.10.3
1.22.2	x64	84f3d28	16/10/2020	2.10.2

3   Extract the downloaded Flutter SDK package and move it into the place where you previously had your Flutter SDK folder (i.e, where you had the `"flutter"` folder before you renamed it to `"flutter-temp"`).
With this step, you essentially replaced your Flutter SDK with this older one.

If you run `flutter --version`, it should (maybe after downloading some tools), you should see that you're using Flutter version 1.22.6.

If you want to go back to the latest version you had installed, simply rename `"flutter"` to `"flutter-old"` and `"flutter-temp"` back to `"flutter"`.