



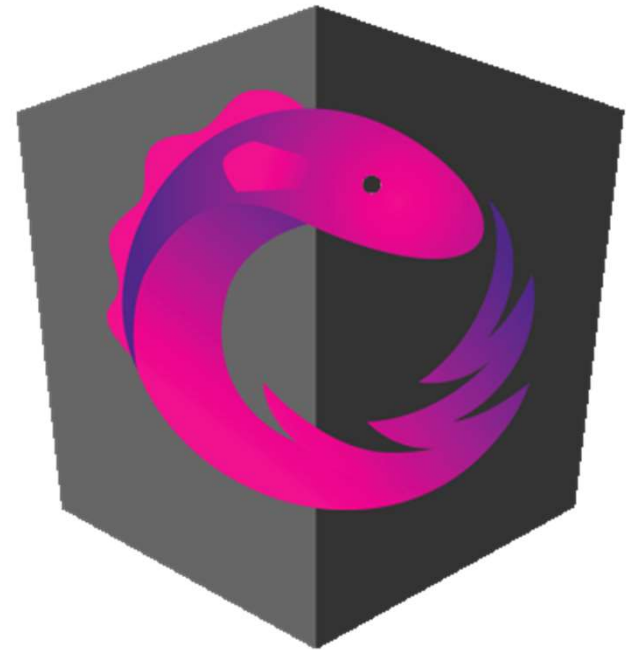
# Store introspection with `@ngrx/store-devtools`



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# What is @ngrx/store-devtools?

- Analyzing, inspection and debugging your State Management Store
- Time Travelling options



<https://ngrx.io/guide/store-devtools>

The screenshot shows the NgRx website with a purple header. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with items like 'Introduction', '@ngrx/store', 'Getting Started', 'Installation', 'Architecture', 'Actions', 'Reducers', 'Selectors', 'Advanced', 'Recipes', 'Configuration', 'Testing', '@ngrx/store-devtools' (highlighted with a red circle), 'Overview', 'Installation', 'Instrumentation', 'Recipes', '@ngrx/effects', '@ngrx/router-store', '@ngrx/entity', '@ngrx/data', '@ngrx/schematics', and 'Recipes'. The main content area is titled '@ngrx/store-devtools' and includes a description: 'Store Devtools provides developer tools and instrumentation for Store.' It has sections for 'Installation' and 'Setup'. The 'Setup' section includes instructions for instrumentation with the Chrome / Firefox Extension and a code snippet for 'app.module.ts' showing how to import and configure StoreDevtoolsModule. The right sidebar shows a table of contents for '@ngrx/store-devtools' with links to 'Installation' and 'Setup'.

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## @ngrx/store-devtools

Store Devtools provides developer tools and instrumentation for Store.

### Installation

Detailed installation instructions can be found on the [Installation](#) page.

### Setup

Instrumentation with the Chrome / Firefox Extension

1. Download the [Redux Devtools Extension](#)
2. In your AppModule add instrumentation to the module imports using `StoreDevtoolsModule.instrument`:

```
app.module.ts
```

```
1. import { StoreDevtoolsModule } from '@ngrx/store-devtools';
2. import { environment } from '../environments/environment'; //
   Angular CLI environment
3.
4. @NgModule({
5.   imports: [
6.     StoreModule.forRoot(reducers),
7.     // Instrumentation must be imported after importing
       StoreModule (config is optional)
8.     StoreDevtoolsModule.instrument({
9.       maxAge: 25, // Retains last 25 states
10.      logOnly: environment.production, // Restrict extension to
        log-only mode
```

## Two Parts

*1. Chrome/Firefox Extension/Add-On*

*2. Installation in your project*



# 1. Install in Chrome

One-time installation of Redux DevTools Extension



chrome web store



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## Redux DevTools

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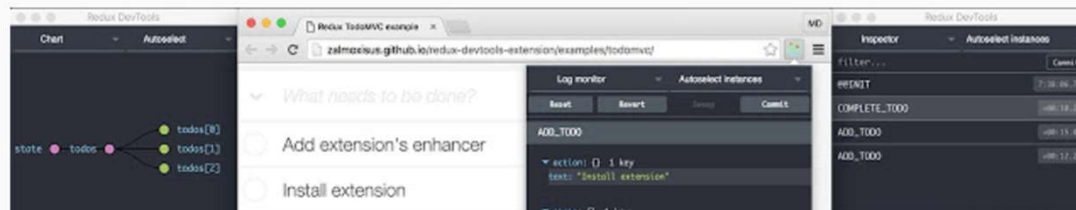
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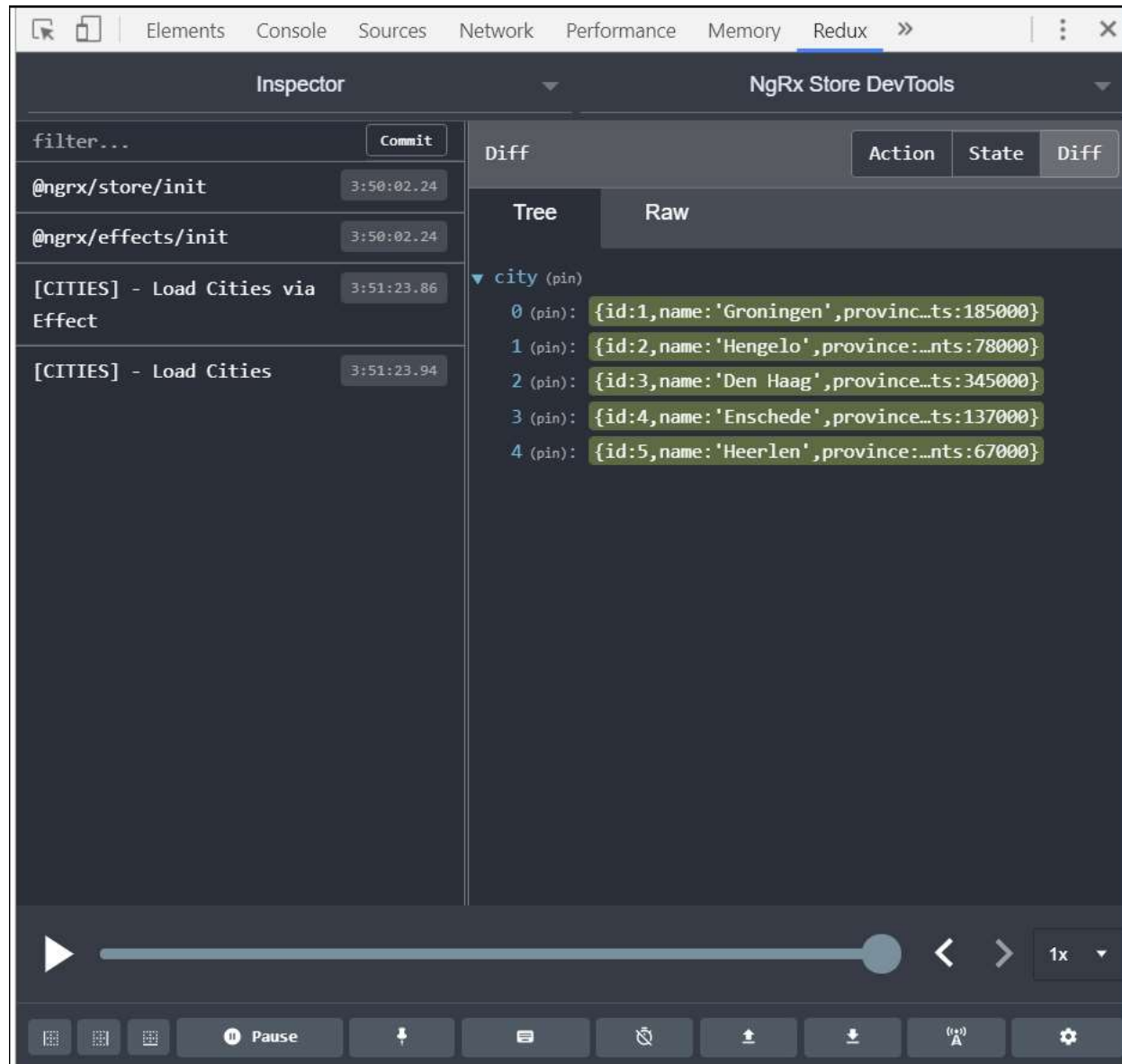
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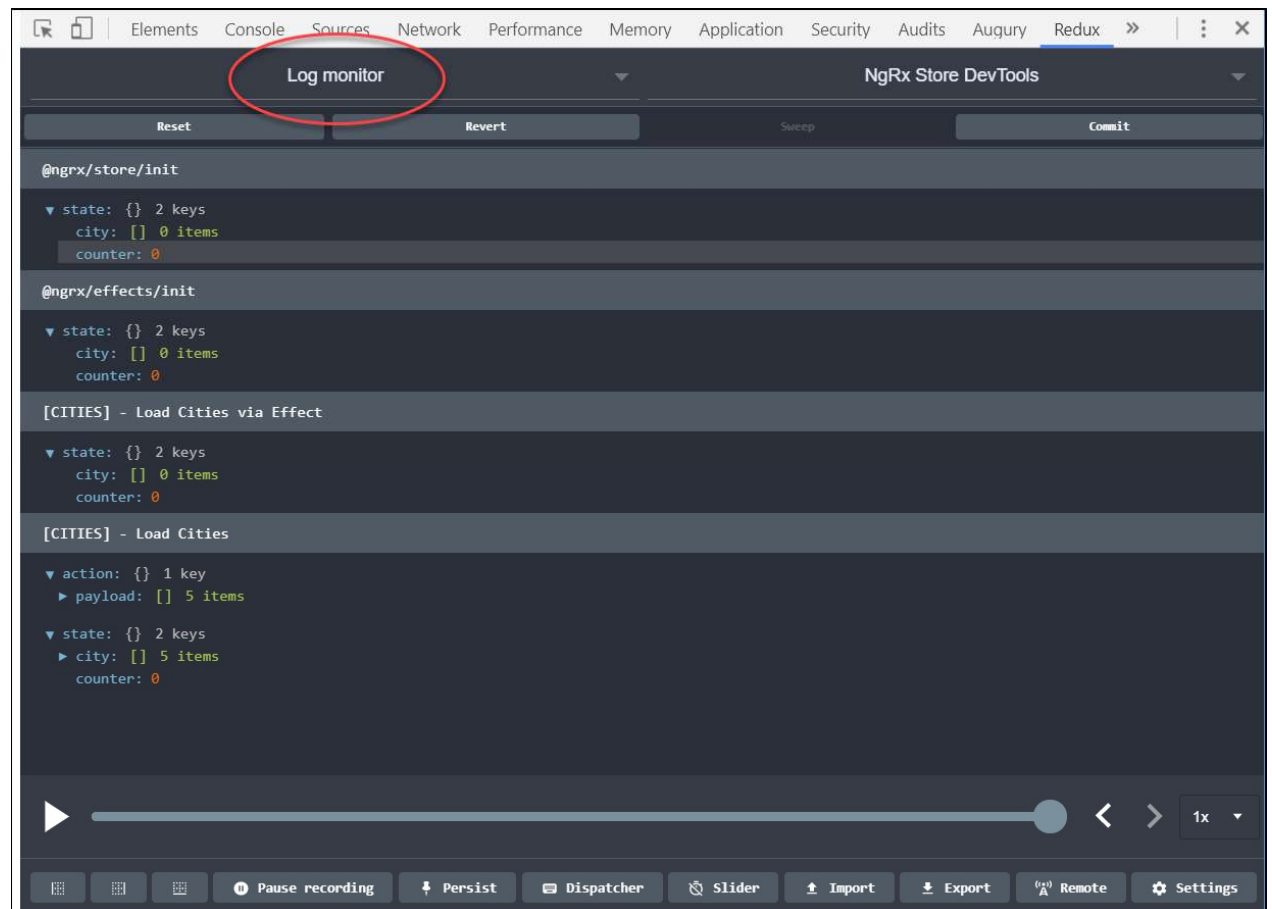
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# Chrome Extension



# Options

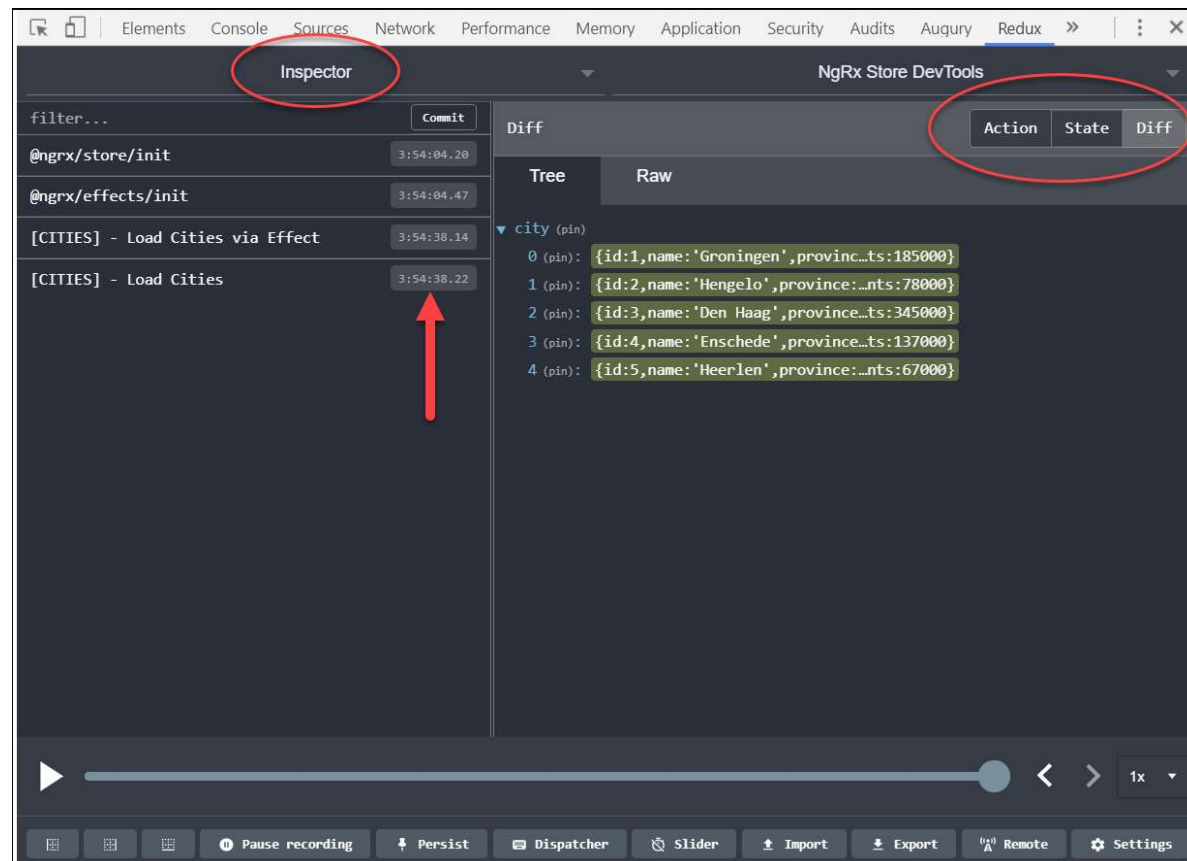
- Log Monitor
  - Log actions from/to the store and see changes in Real Time
  - Reset/Revert actions





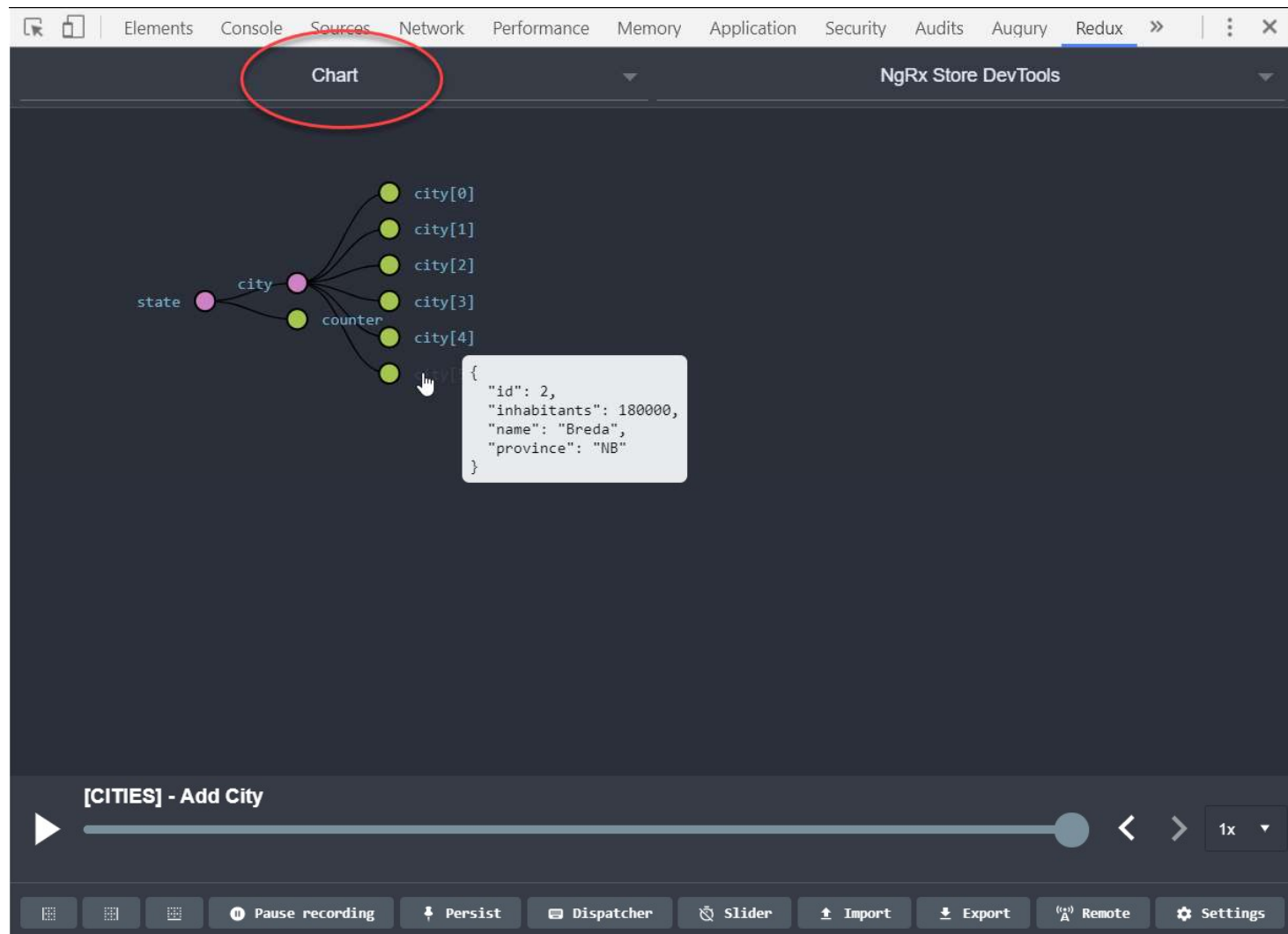
# Inspector

- Filter Actions
- Jump/Skip actions
- Inspect `Action`, `State` or `Diff` compared to previous State



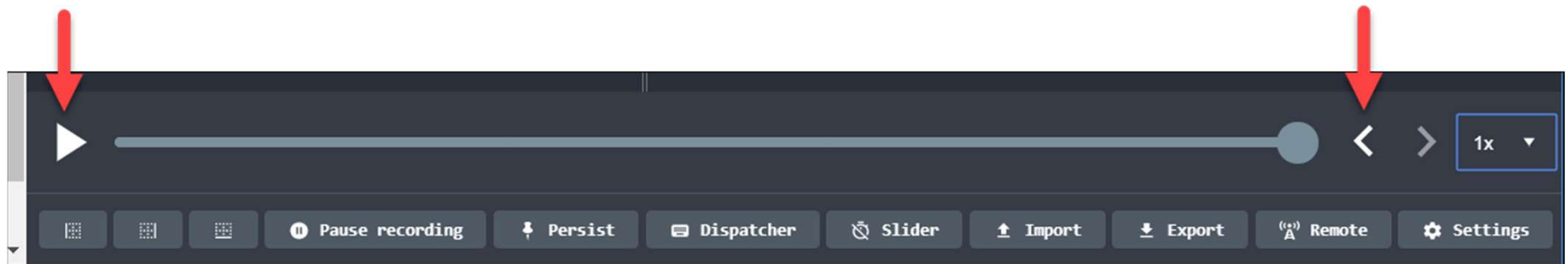
# Chart

- Inspect flowchart of Actions, flow of data through the Store



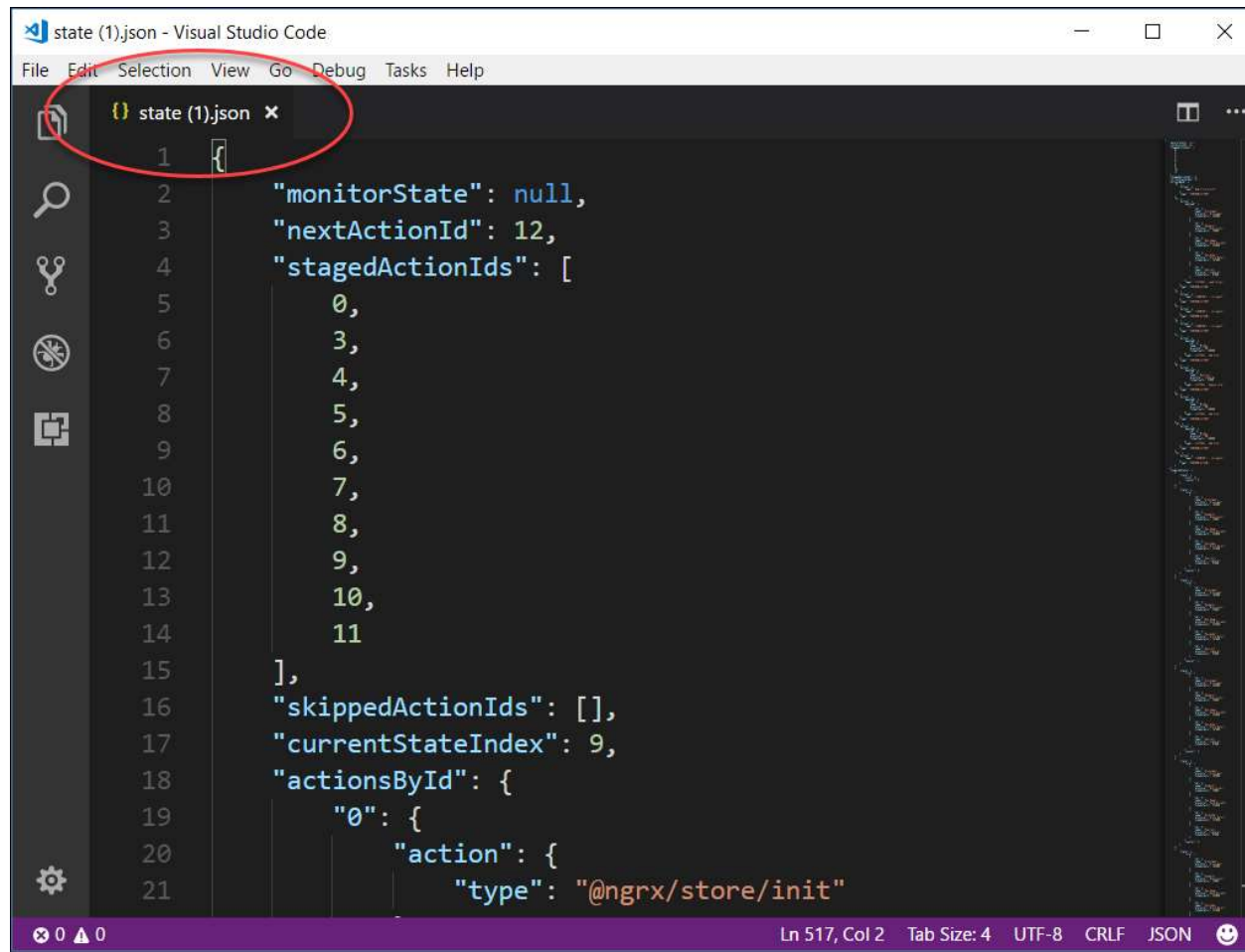
# Slider

- (Re)play various actions and see changes in app and in state
- Jump to begin/end of timeline



# Import/export State

- Save State changes to .json-file and import them to replay steps



The screenshot shows the Visual Studio Code editor with a file named 'state (1).json' open. The file contains a JSON object representing state data. The file name in the tab bar is circled in red. The JSON content is as follows:

```
1 {  
2   "monitorState": null,  
3   "nextActionId": 12,  
4   "stagedActionIds": [  
5     0,  
6     3,  
7     4,  
8     5,  
9     6,  
10    7,  
11    8,  
12    9,  
13    10,  
14    11  
15  ],  
16  "skippedActionIds": [],  
17  "currentStateIndex": 9,  
18  "actionsById": {  
19    "0": {  
20      "action": {  
21        "type": "@ngrx/store/init"22      }  
23    }  
24  }
```



## 2. Installation

Install in Google Chrome *and* in project

# Installation in Project

```
npm install @ngrx/store-devtools --save
```

OR:

```
ng add @ngrx/store-devtools
```




```
18   "@angular/forms": "~8.2.9",  
19   "@angular/platform-browser": "~8.2.9",  
20   "@angular/platform-browser-dynamic": "~8.2.9",  
21   "@angular/router": "~8.2.9",  
22   "@ngrx/store": "^8.3.0",  
23   "@ngrx/store-devtools": "^8.3.0",  
24   "bootstrap": "^4.3.1",  
25   "jquery": "^3.4.1",  
26   "..." : "..."
```

# Installation in app.module.ts

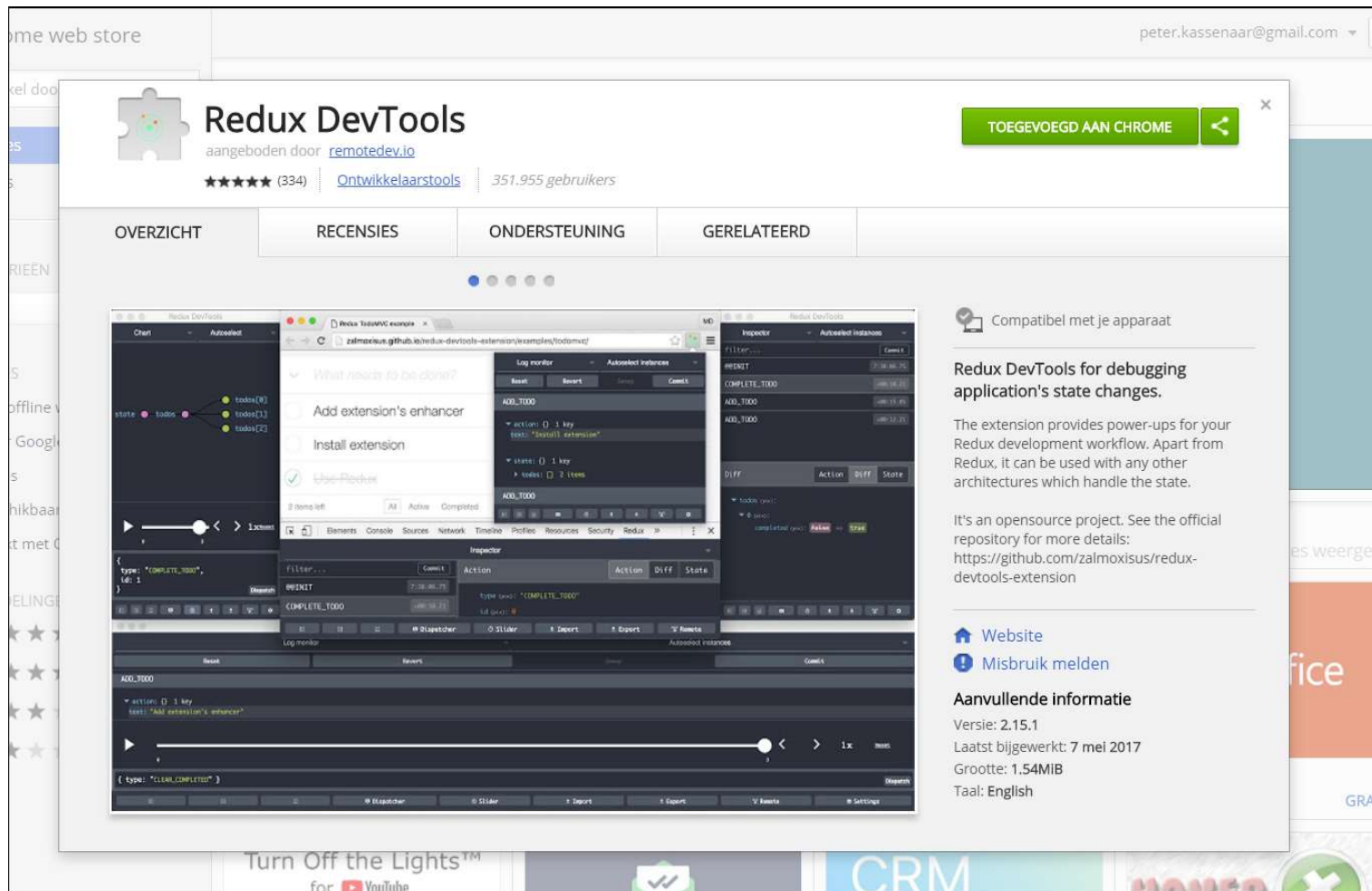
```
// app.module.ts
import {StoreDevtoolsModule} from '@ngrx/store-devtools';

@NgModule({
  ...
  imports      : [
    ...
    StoreDevtoolsModule.instrument({
      maxAge: 10}) // Redux Devtools debugging in Chrome
  ],
})
export class AppModule {
}
```



# Install Redux DevTools

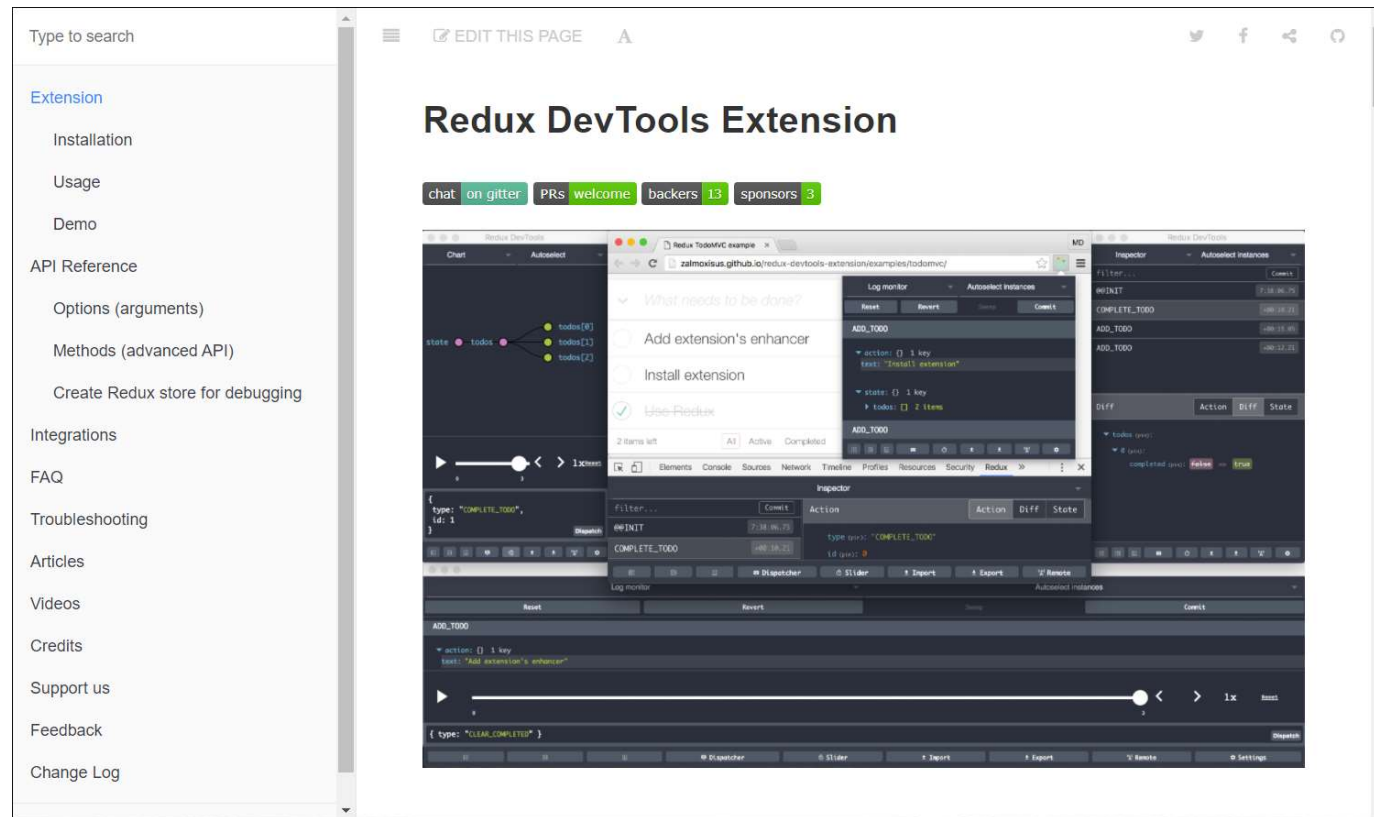
- Add from `chrome://extensions`





# More info

- <http://extension.remotedev.io/>
- NOT specific to Angular – to be used with all Redux-like stores!



# Workshop

- Use your own project, or start from one of the Store projects, for example `/200-ngrx-simple-store`
- Add Redux DevTools extension to Chrome (one-off action)
- Add `@ngrx/store-devtools` to current project via `npm` or `ng add`
- Activate devtools in `app.module.ts`
- Experiment with different views
  - Log Monitor
  - Inspector
  - Chart
- Export a State Tree to `.json` file, reload the project and import it again. See how this works

