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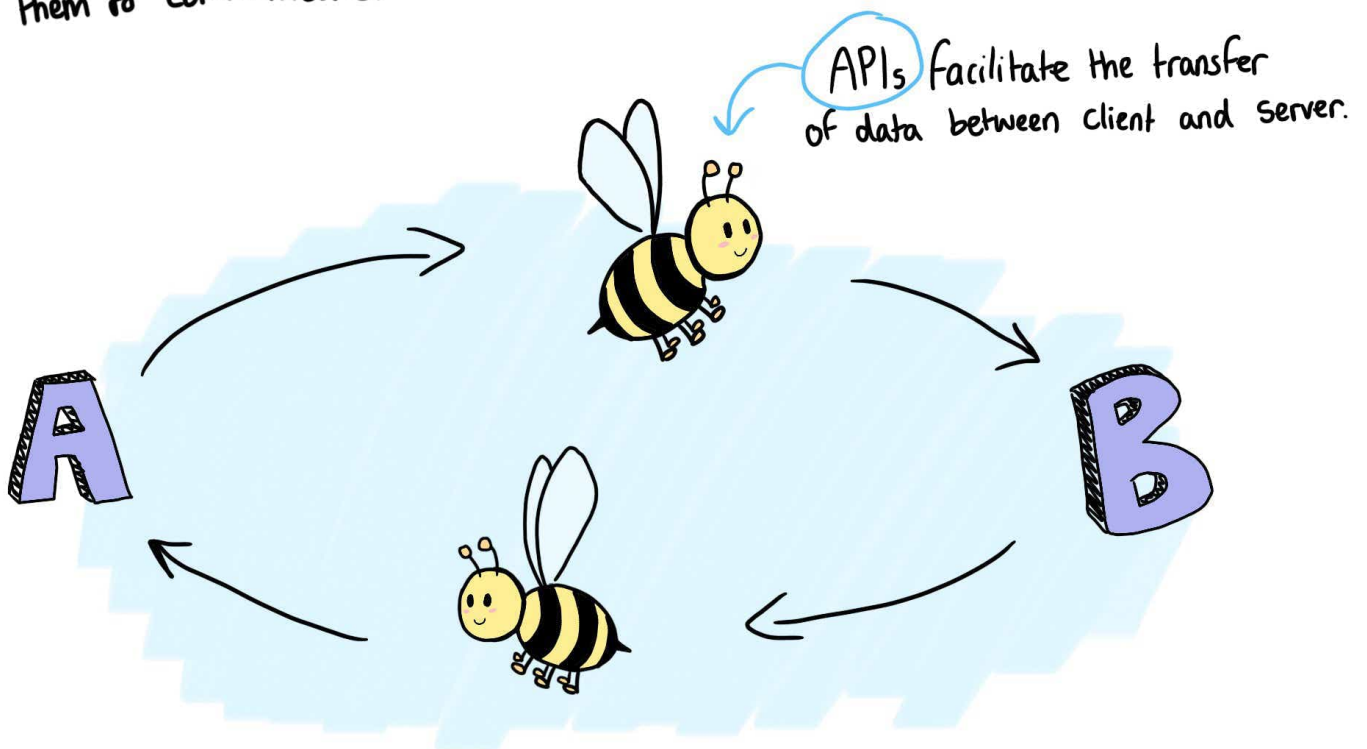
Microservices

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APIs

Firstly, an API (Application Programming Interface) is the intermediary between two programs that enables them to communicate.



On the other hand, a microservice is an architectural style.

Microservices
Focus on maintaining several independent services that work collectively to create an application.

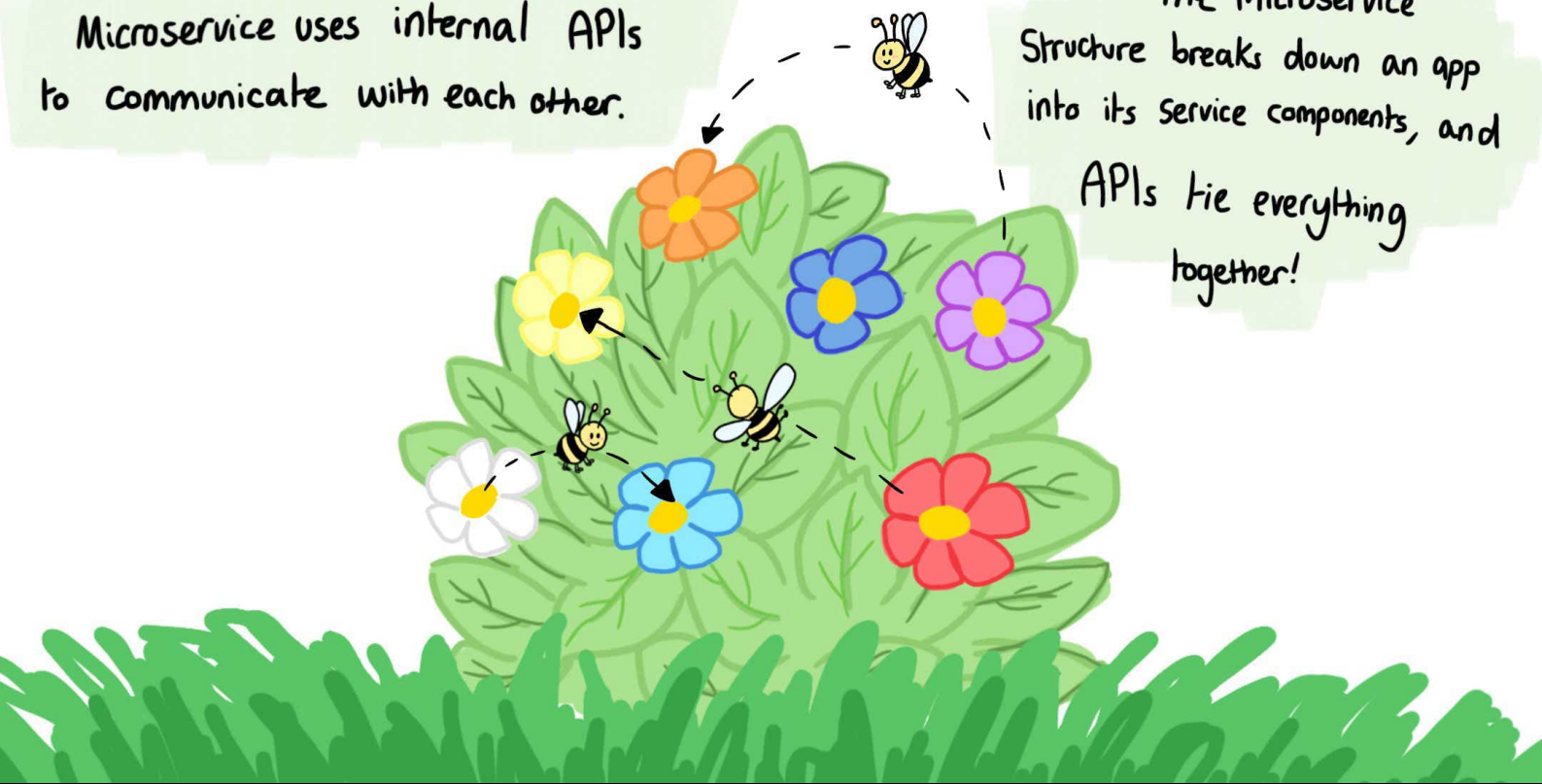
Each Service is independently deployable, and has a purpose of its own.



How do they work together?

Each individual service within a Microservice uses internal APIs to communicate with each other.

The Microservice Structure breaks down an app into its service components, and APIs tie everything together!



Microservices create robust and flexible apps. If one service is compromised, it will only affect that service, and not the entire app.

They are also scalable, so new modules can be added to the app as it grows.

