



Introduction to Redux

What is Redux ?

- **Redux** is an open-source JavaScript library for managing application state.
- commonly used with libraries such as React or Angular for building user interfaces.
- Similar to (and inspired by) Facebook's Flux architecture
- was created by Dan Abramov and Andrew Clark.



Do I need Redux?

3 Principles

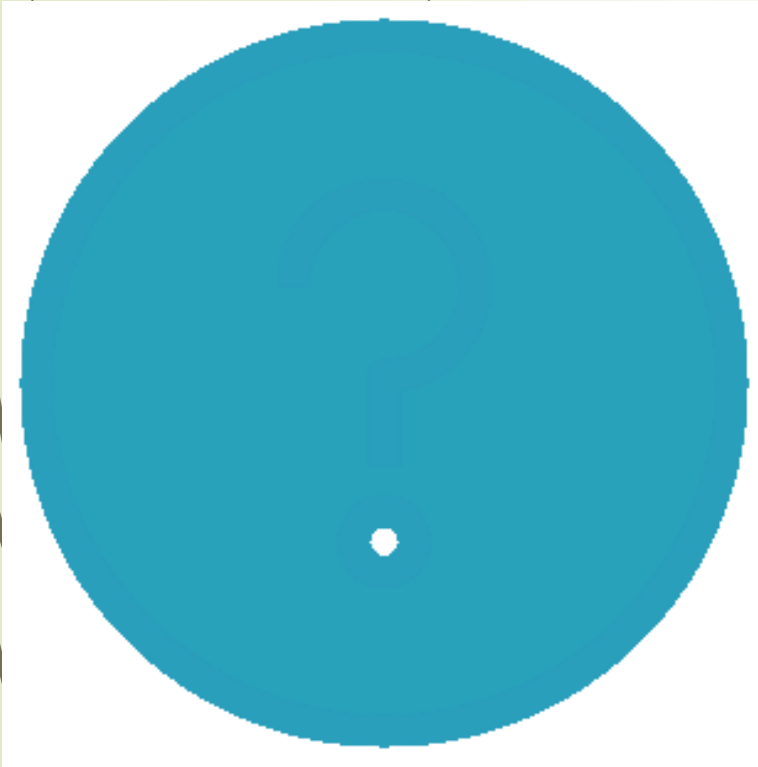
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Redux Flow



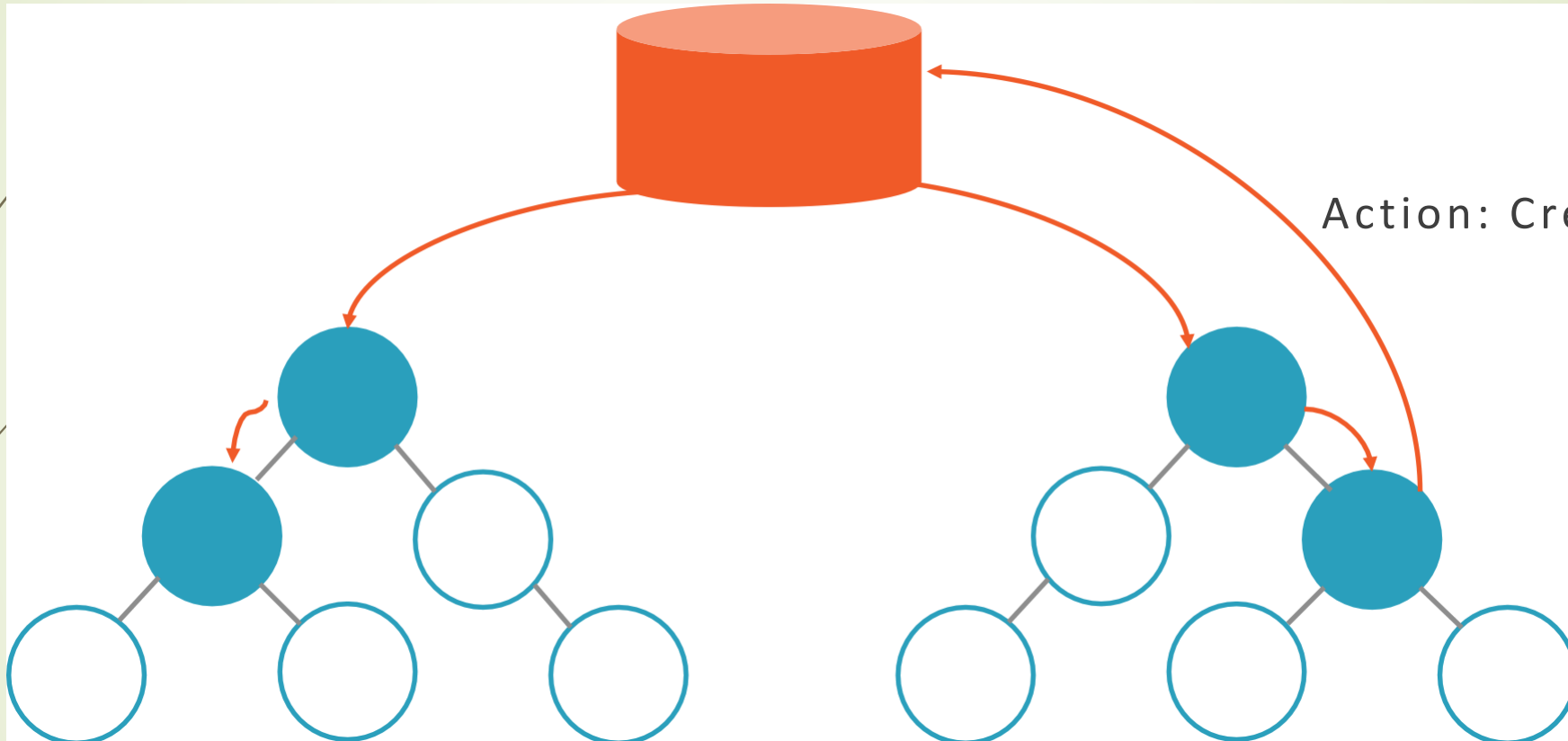
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When Do I Need Redux?



- Complex data flows
- Inter-component communication
- Non-heirarchical data
- Many actions
- Same data used in multiple places

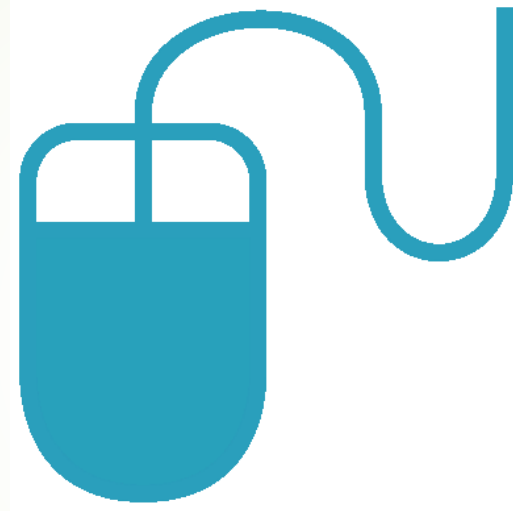
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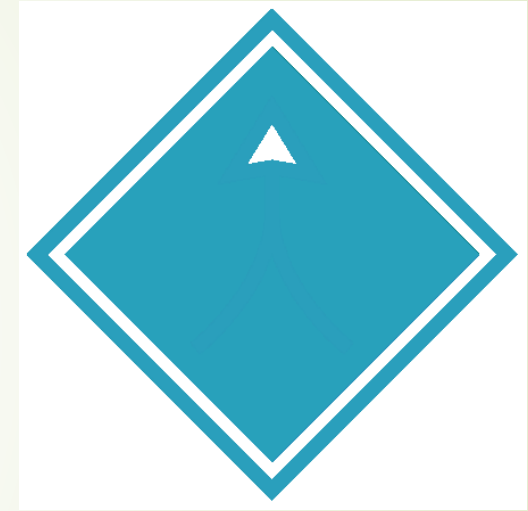
Redux: 3 Principles



One immutable store



Actions trigger changes



Reducers update state

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Data down. Actions up.

Flux and Redux: Similarities



Unidirectional Flow



Actions



Stores

Redux: New Concepts



Reducers



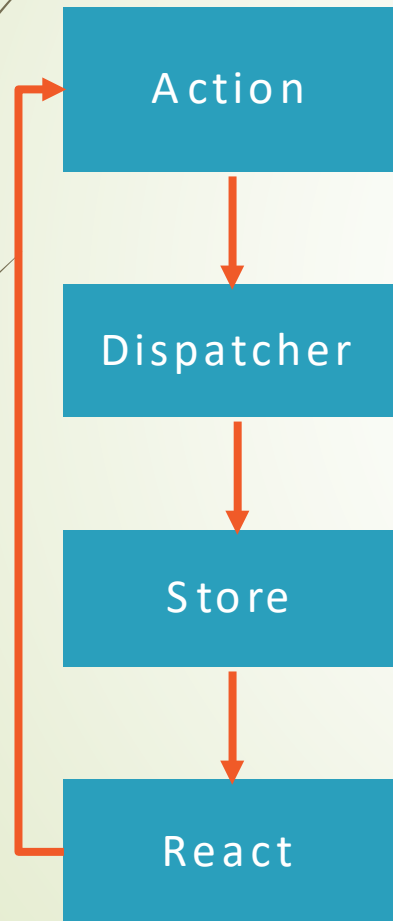
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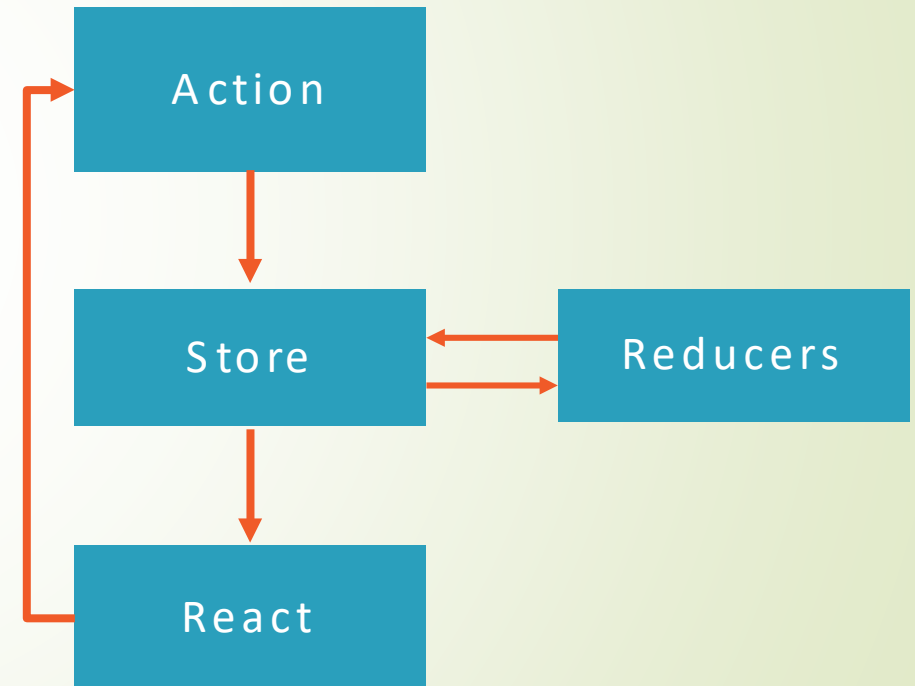
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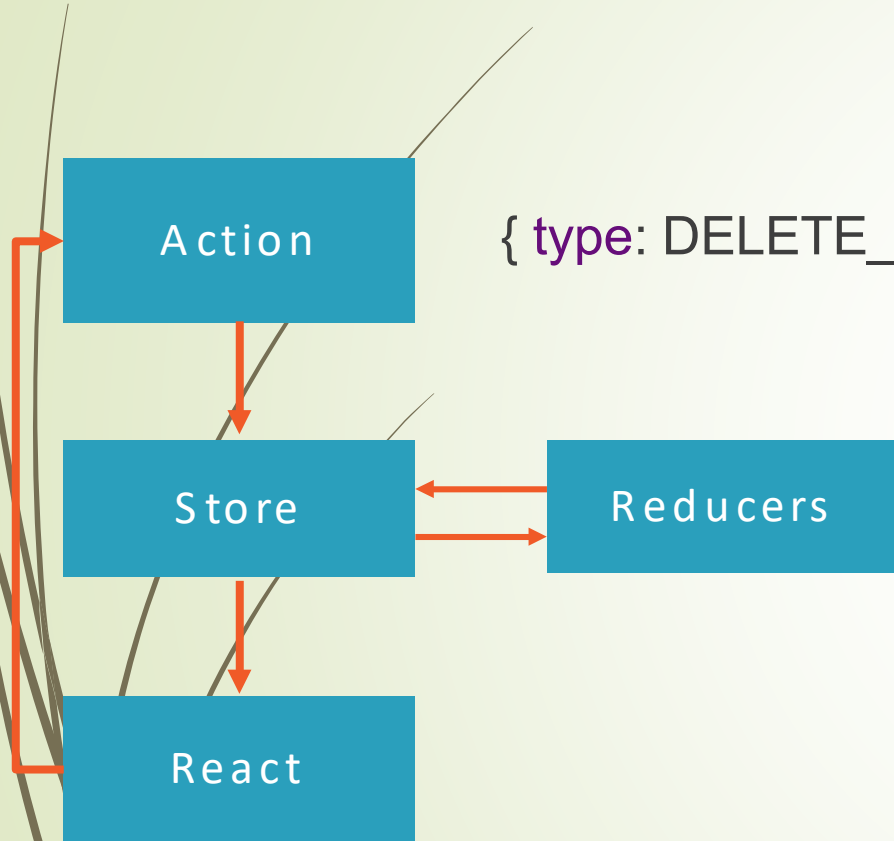
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State is immutable

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{ type: DELETE_COURSE, id: 5 }

```
function appReducer(state = defaultState, action) {  
  switch(action.type) {  
    case DELETE_COURSE:  
      //return new state  
  }  
}
```

Notified via React-Redux