# Implementing State Management



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## Module Overview



#### State management building block

#### Dapr components

- Switch between backing stores

#### **Sidecar API URLs**

#### Dapr SDKs

- Simplified access to the sidecar

#### Implement a shopping basket



# Dapr State Management Building Block

key: value

"UserName": "Mark"



# When should I use the Dapr state management building block?

#### What if I already have a database?

Dapr does not force you to use its building blocks

#### **Key-value pairs**

- e.g. preferences, configuration, session state
- Database might be overkill
- Simple, cheap, fast backing stores

#### GloboTicket shopping basket

Only requires short-term retention



# Benefits of Dapr State Management

**Swappable Backend Stores** 

e.g. Redis, MongoDb etc. Multiple State Stores

Simple API

HTTP request to get and set state

Isolated state by default

Can also be shared

Time to Live (TTL)

Concurrency

Querying

**Bulk Operations** 

**Encryption** 





# Using the Dapr state management building block

- Direct access with HTTP requests



# Dapr Component Definitions



# By default, "dapr run" will use the global components



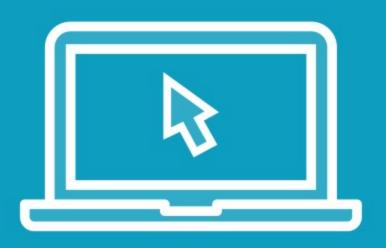
## Dapr State Store URLs

http://localhost:3500/v1.0/state/statestore 3500 is the default Dapr sidecar port **Environment variable: DAPR HTTP PORT** Versioned APIs allow for backwards compatibility If you can make HTTP requests you can use Dapr Dapr SDKs make it even easier



# Dapr client SDKs simplify accessing Dapr building blocks

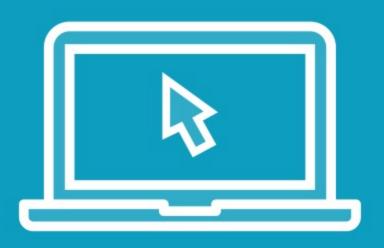




# Scripts to start GloboTicket in self-hosted mode

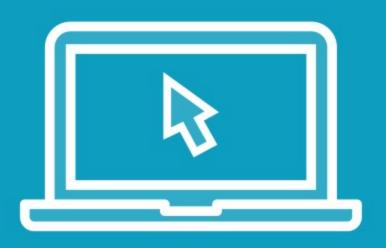
- Uses "dapr run"





#### Running GloboTicket in self-hosted mode

- Frontend and catalog microservices

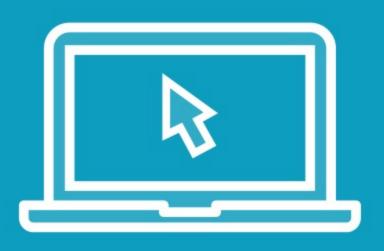


Use the Dapr state store in GloboTicket to implement the shopping basket



Testing the Dapr state store





Switch to a different backend store for state management

#### Summary



#### Dapr state management building block

#### Dapr components

- Global components

#### Pluggable backend state stores

- e.g. Redis and Azure Blob Storage

.NET Dapr SDK

GloboTicket demo application



# Dapr State Management Building Block



# Up Next: Invoking Services

