

Elm |> Real Life

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Pure Functional

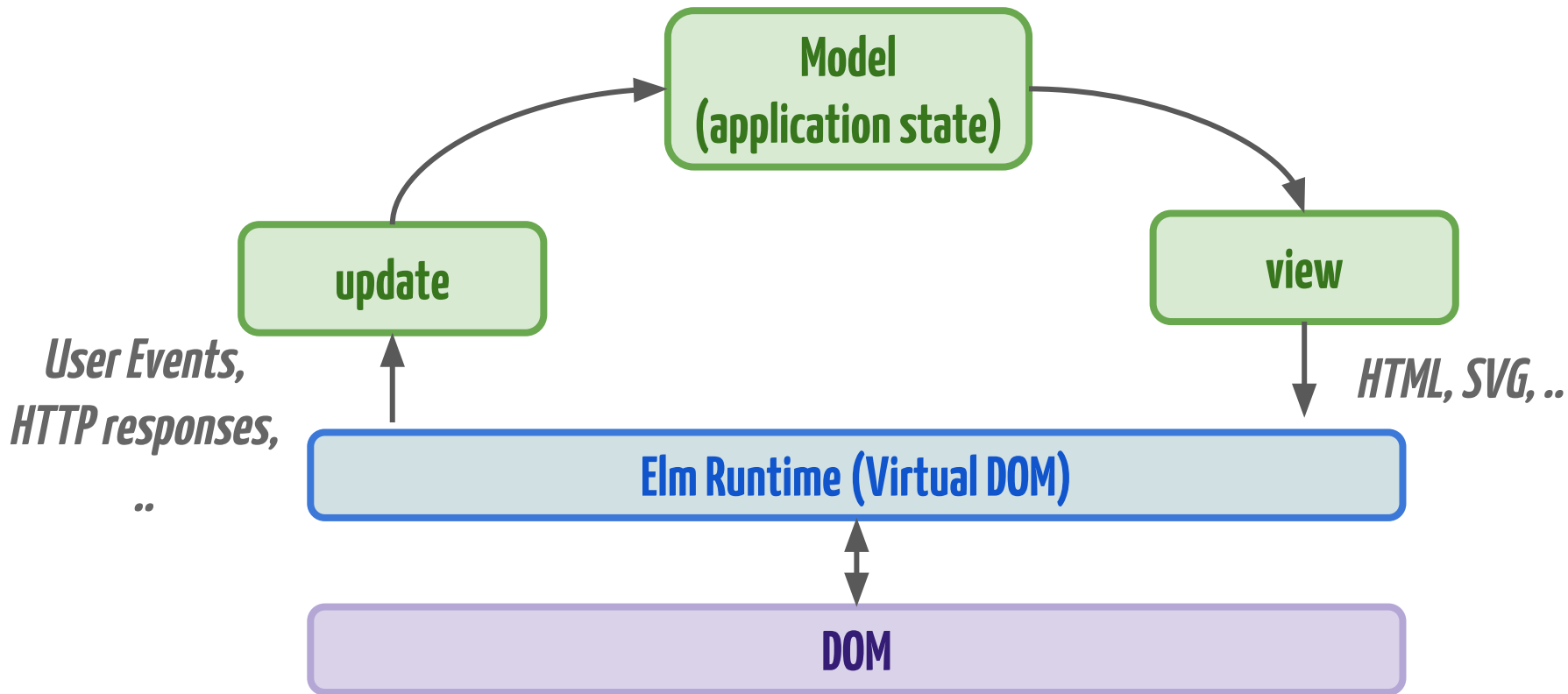
- Immutable data, only pure functions, ...
- ML family syntax (*Haskel for kids*)

```
view : List Article -> Html Msg
view articles =
  let
    viewArticle article =
      div [ class "article" ] [ text article.title ]
  in
  Html.ul
    [ class "article-list" ]
    (List.map viewArticle articles)
```

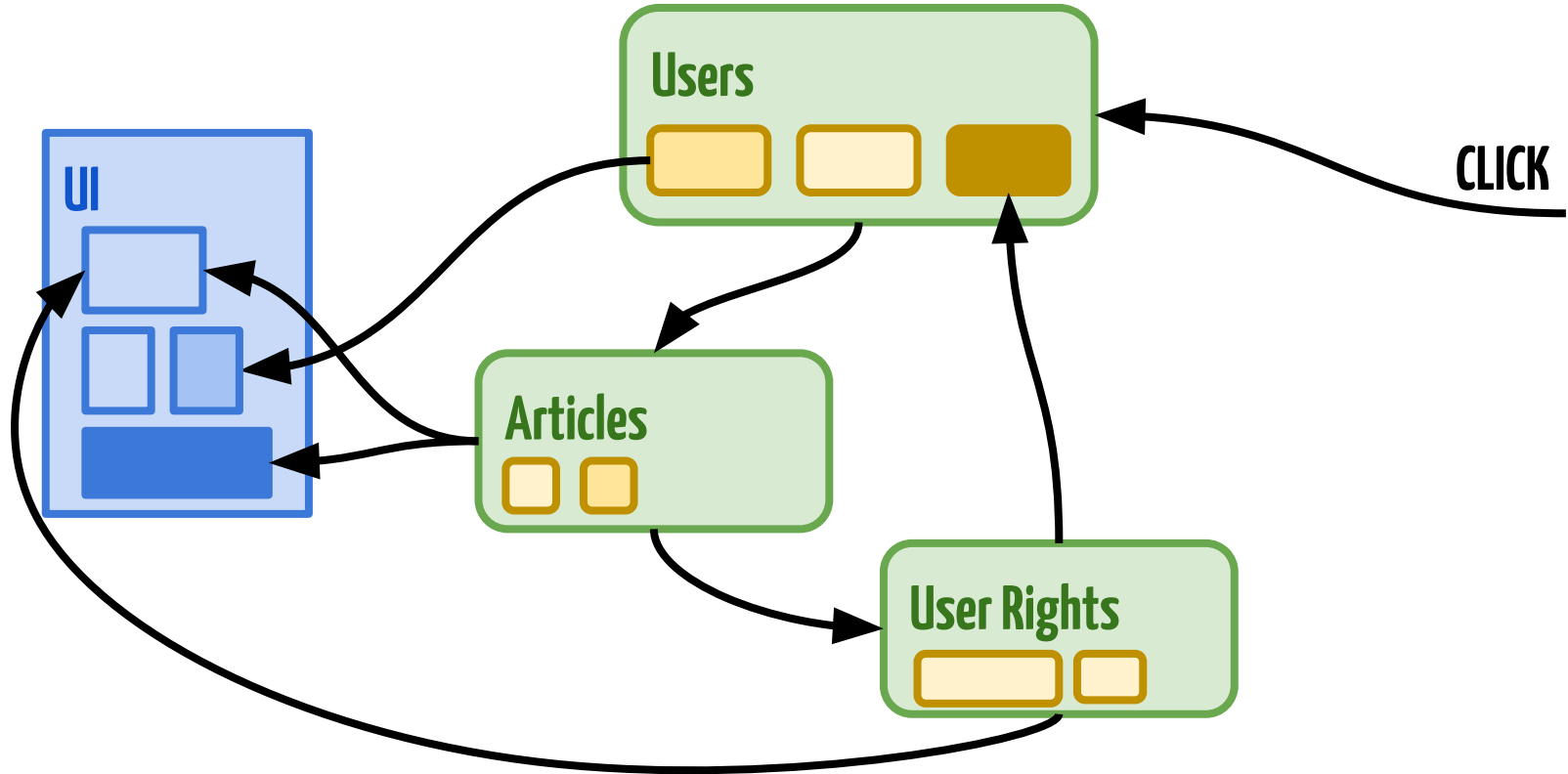
Syntax

- Types: String, Int, Boolean, Lists, Records
- Type aliases
- Custom Types
- Pattern matching (if-else, case)
- Functions

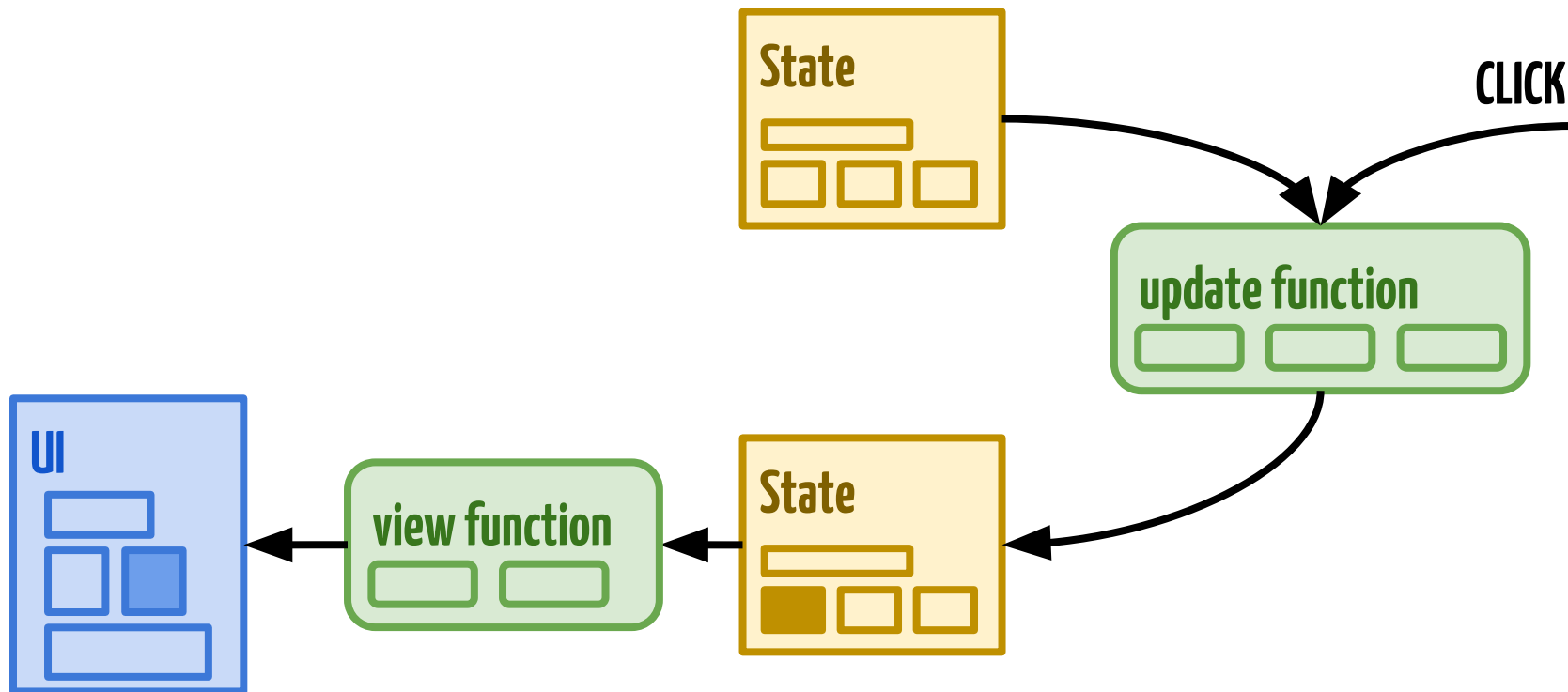
Model – Update – View



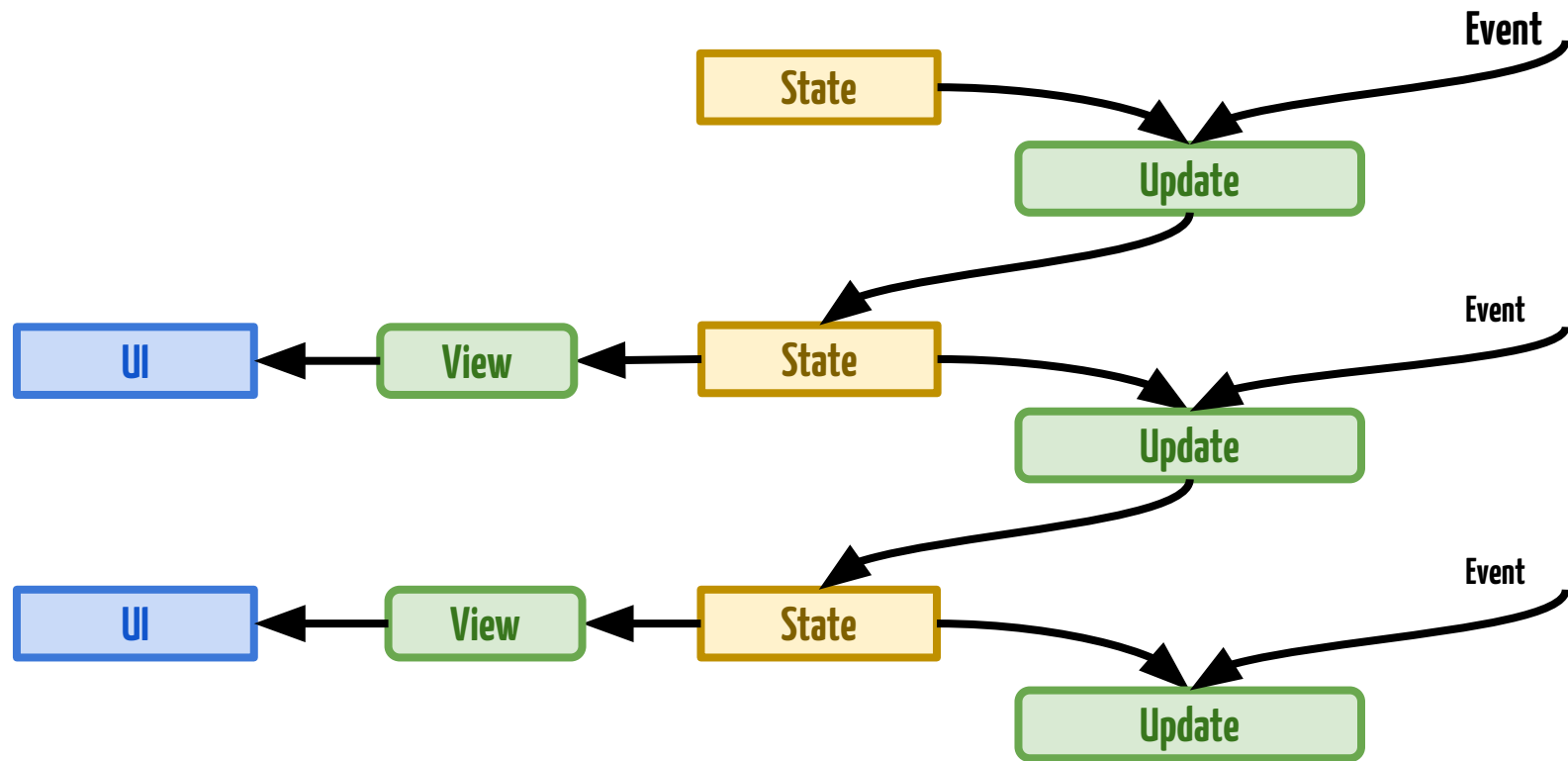
Inside *common application*TM



Inside Elm Application



Elm Application Timeline



Demo!

1. Hello World
2. Update Model
3. Decomposition
4. Commands
5. Decoders
6. Tasks
7. JavaScript Interoperability – Ports & WebComponents
8. Unit tests

Interoperability with JavaScript – Ports (1)

Elm

```
port setProfile : String -> Cmd msg

update : Msg -> Model -> ( Model, Cmd Msg )
update msg model =
    case msg of
        SetProfile ->
            ( model, setProfile "pythagoras" )
        ..
```

JavaScript

```
var app = Elm.Main.init({
  node: document.getElementById('elm')
});

app.ports.setProfile.subscribe(function(id) {
  console.log("Elm is asking for saving Profile with id: " + id)
  localStorage.setItem("profile", id);
});
```

Interoperability with JavaScript – Ports (2)

Elm

```
port onLastAccess : (String -> msg) -> Sub msg

subscriptions : Model -> Sub Msg
subscriptions _ =
    onLastAccess OnLastAccess

type Msg
    = OnLastAccess String

update : Msg -> Model -> ( Model, Cmd Msg )
update msg model =
    case msg of
        OnLastAccess lastAccess ->
            ( { model | lastAccess = lastAccess }, Cmd.none )
        ..
```

JavaScript

```
app.ports.onLastAccess.send(lastAccess);
```

WebComponents – Dispatch Custom Events

```
class CustomEditor extends HTMLElement {  
  constructor() {  
    const shadow = this.attachShadow({ mode: 'open' })  
    const input = document.createElement("input")  
    shadow.appendChild(input)  
  
    const _this = this  
    input.addEventListener("input", function () {  
      _this.dispatchEvent(new CustomEvent("editorChanged", { detail: input.value }));  
    })  
  }  
}  
  
customElements.define('custom-editor', CustomEditor)
```

```
<custom-editor></custom-editor>
```

WebComponents – Handle Custom Events

```
node "custom-editor"  
  [ property "editorValue" (Encode.string model.greetings)  
    , on "editorChanged" editorChangedDecoder  
  ]  
  []
```

```
editorChangedDecoder : Decode.Decoder Msg  
editorChangedDecoder =  
  Decode.map EditorChanged <|  
    Decode.at [ "detail" ] <|  
      Decode.string
```

```
input.addEventListener("input", function () {  
  _this.dispatchEvent(new CustomEvent("editorChanged", { detail: input.value }));  
})
```



Tooling

- **Elm-Format** – Accepted by community as *the only one proper format* (used in 99% packages)
- **Elm Analyse** – Static analyze tool
- **Elm debugger** – Just compile with `--debug`
- Elm-monitor - Monitor your Elm program with redux-devtools
- IDEs support
 - **Intellij IDEA** – Refactoring, Find usages, Code completion, Type Inference and Type Checking
 - **Visual Studio Code**
 - **Atom**
 - **Vim**

Ecosystem

package.elm-lang.org

- [vega-lite](#)
- [elm-graphql](#)
- [Elm Bootstrap](#)
- [elm-mdl](#) - Material Design Library
- feathericons.com