

Angular 7

RxJS

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Data flows

500 BC

Heraclitus of Ephesus

“everything flows”

21st century

reactive programming

asynchronous data streams

Rx - Reactive Extensions

implementations:

- JS, Scala, Java, .NET, Go, Python and more....
- RxJS 6

→ [RxJS API](#)

Stream sources

- HTTP responses / Websocket messages
- Promises callbacks
- Reactive forms changes
- DOM events (keyup, click, ...)
- Router navigation events
- timers, static values, and more...

Observable\$

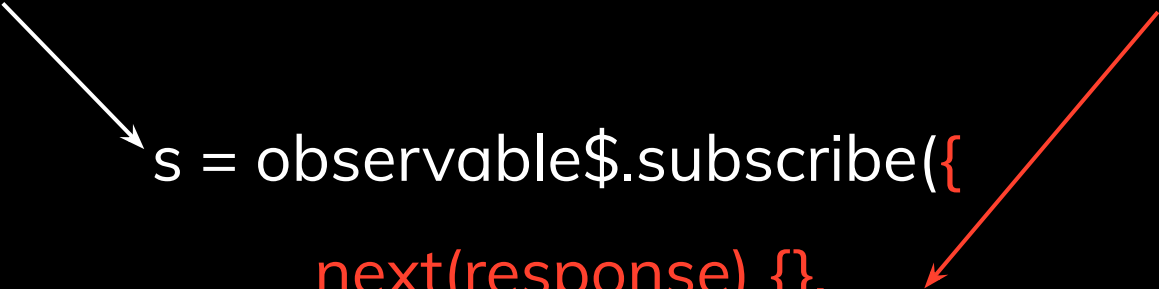


Observer

- **subscribe** starts emitting values from stream
- **unsubscribe** cancels emitting
- values can flow through **pipe** with **operators**

Subscription

Observer



```
s = observable$.subscribe(  
  next(response) {},  
  error(err) {},  
  complete() {}  
  );
```

Consuming data stream

- subscribe

```
chatService.message$.subscribe(m => {  
    this.messages.push(m);  
})
```

- AsyncPipe - automatic subscribe and unsubscribe in template

```
<li *ngFor="let u of users$ | async">
```

Operators

standalone functions for creating Observable

- Creation / Join from, fromEvent, of, interval, forkJoin, ...

used **inside pipe** - return **new** Observable based on input Observable

- Transformation map, switchMap, ...
- Filtering filter, debounceTime, distinctUntilChanged, ...
- Multicasting share, ...
- Helpers tap, delay, catchError, ...

Using operators

```
chatService.message$.pipe(  
  tap(m => console.log(m)),  
  map(m => {  
    m.text = m.text.replace(':', '😄');  
    return m;  
  })  
)  
).subscribe(m => { ... });
```

Operator - pure function

```
let variable;  
dataStream$.pipe(  
  operator1(x => {}),  
  operator2(),  
  ...,  
).subscribe(result => {});
```



variable = x

don't perform side-effects inside operators!

unsubscribe

interval: **Subscription**;

```
this.interval = interval(1000).subscribe(x => {  
    chatService.sendMessage(`spam ${x}`);  
});
```

```
this.interval.unsubscribe();
```



Subject:

- is an Observable
- is an Observer
- can multicast to many Observers

Problems with promises

- cascade requests
- parallel requests
- multiple requests errors
- result only in one place

Rx solution

switchMap / combineLatest
forkJoin
catch in observer
Subject / share

Sharing data stream

- **Subject** - connection state change available in 3 components
`connectionState$ = new BehaviorSubject<State>(State.none);`
- **share()** - connection success and errors handled in 2 places
`connect$ = combineLatest(user$, room$).pipe(
 share()
);`

Cascade requests

switchMap

```
from(getUser()).pipe(  
    switchMap(user => user.getRoom()  
).subscribe(room => {} )
```

combineLatest

```
user$ = from(getUser())  
room$ = user$.pipe(  
    switchMap(user => user.getRoom()));  
combineLatest(user$, room$)  
    .subscribe([user, room] => {} )
```

Service, dependency injection

```
@Injectable({ providedIn: 'root' })
```

```
export class ChatService { }
```

```
export class MessagesComponent {
```

```
  constructor(private chatService: ChatService) { }
```

```
}
```


NgRx - Reactive State for Angular

inspired by Redux

- actions, reducers, selectors, store
- isolated side-effects

→ ngrx.io

Custom operator

```
const emoji = () => (source: Observable<Message>) =>
  new Observable(observer => {
    return source.subscribe({
      next(m) { m.text = m.text.replace(':', '😄'); observer.next(m); },
      error(err) { ... },
      complete() { ... }
    });
  });
```

Rx and DOM events in Angular

```
@ViewChild('chatInput') chatInput: ElementRef;  
  
ngAfterViewInit() {  
    const keyStream$ = fromEvent(this.chatInput.nativeElement, 'keydown');  
    keyStream$.pipe(throttleTime(600)).subscribe(() => {  
        chatService.sendTypingNotification();  
    });  
}
```

Homework

- discover samples on StackBlitz from [RxJS API](#) and experiment!
- show typing indicator in users component

THANK YOU