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Course Goals



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- Learn what Cypress is
 - And what it can do for you
- Understand what the best practices are
 - And what not to do
- See how Cypress differs from other End to End testing tools
 - · Like Selenium etc.



Why this course?

- Cypress is not hard to use most of the time
 - Not knowing the best practices can trip you up
- Going beyond the basics can be tough



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What is Cypress

And why use it?







Pro's Con's

Cypress



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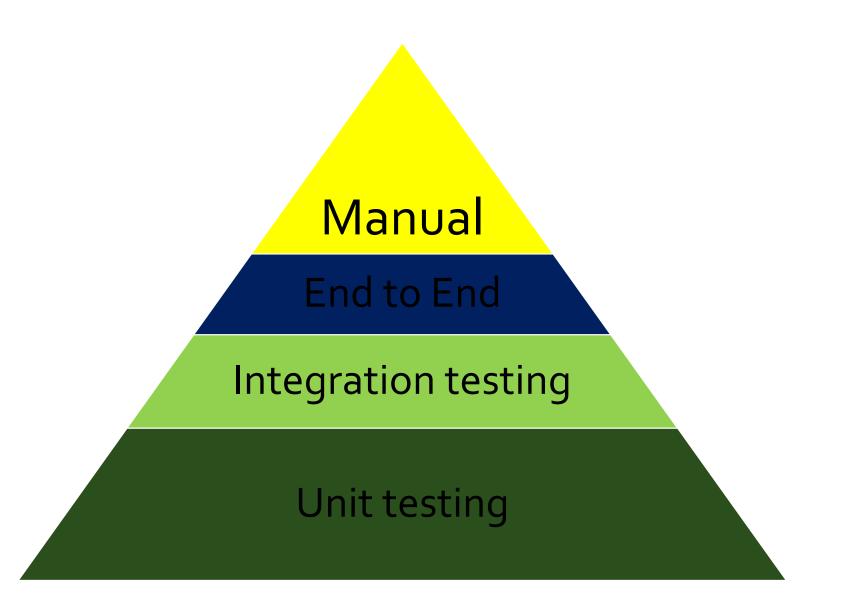
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What is end to end testing



The traditional testing pyramid





Unit Testing & Code Coverage

File	 % Stmts	 % Branch	 % Funcs	 % Lines	 Uncovered Lines	
All files	98.92	94.36	99.49	100		
yargs	99.17	93.95	100	100		
index.js	100	100	100	100	1	I
yargs.js	99.15	93.86	100	100	ĺ	ĺ
yargs/lib	98.7	94.72	99.07	100	Ì	İ
command.js	99.1	98.51	100	100	İ	İ
completion.js	100	95.83	100	100	İ	İ
obj-filter.js	87.5	83.33	66.67	100	İ	İ
usage.js	97.89	92.59	100	100	İ	İ
validation.js	100	95.56	100	100	İ	İ

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Both windows are fine



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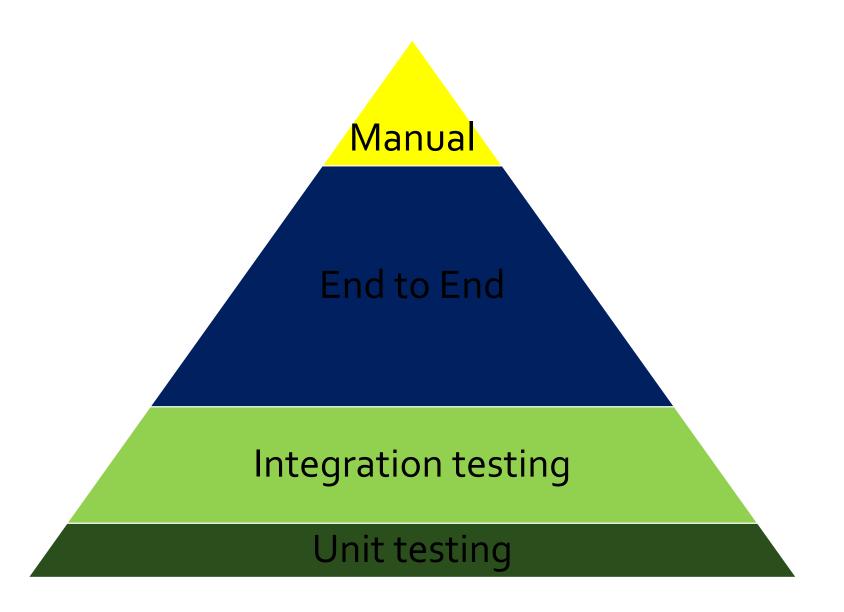
A sturdy latch



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A better testing pyramid for the web









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Personal introduction





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Happily married





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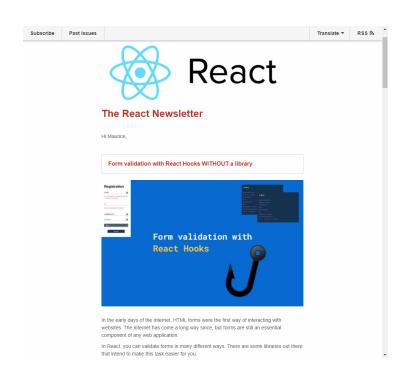
Since 1995







The React Newsletter







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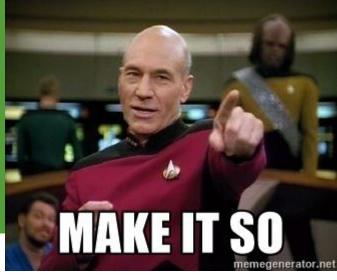
Prerequisites

Install Node & NPM

Install the GitHub starter repository



Following Along



• Slides:

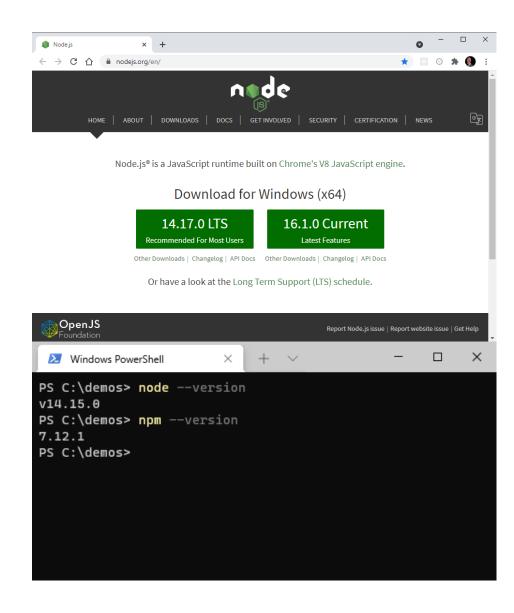
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/// <reference types="cypress" />
3 context('Block Buster Film Reviews', ()⇒{
    it('Has the correct title', () ⇒{
      cy.visit('/')
      cy.get('h1').should('contain.text', 'Block Buster Film Reviews')
    it('Can open The Shawshank Redemption', () ⇒ {
      cy.visit('/top-rated-movies')
      cy.get('#movie-278 a:first').click()
      cy.get('h1').should('contain.text', 'The Shawshank Redemption (1994)')
    it('The Shawshank Redemption has the expected cast', () ⇒ {
      cy.visit('/movie/278')
      cy.get('.col-md-8 > .mvcast-item > #cast-504 > p').should('have.text', '... Andy Dufresne')
      cy.get('.col-md-8 > .mvcast-item > #cast-192 > p').should('have.text', '... Ellis Boyd "Red" Redding'
      cy.get('.col-md-8 > .mvcast-item > #cast-192 > .cast-left').should('contain.text', 'Morgan Freeman')
    it('Can navigate to Morgan Freeman', () ⇒ {
      cy.visit('/movie/278')
      cy.get('.col-md-8 > .mvcast-item > #cast-192 a').click()
     cy.get('h1').should('contain.text', 'Morgan Freeman')
```



Install Node.js



- Minimal:
 - Node version 12





Type it out by hand?

"Typing it drills it into your brain much better than simply copying and pasting it. You're forming new neuron pathways. Those pathways are going to help you in the future. Help them out now!"



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