WHAT IS GRAPHQL? THE SHORT ANSWER:

GraphQL is an alternative to REST that replaces URL references and promise chains with a simple, yet powerful, query language.

REST

```
export const getUserWithPosts = (userID: string) =>

  get(`/api/users/${userID}`).then(user =>

    get(user.posts_url).then(posts => ({ …user.data, posts: posts.data })),

  );
```