

The Typescript Sandwich 🥪

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- 🍞 GraphQL Objects
- 🍷 Resolvers
- 🍞 GraphDB Objects

Gradius is more like a Monte Cristo

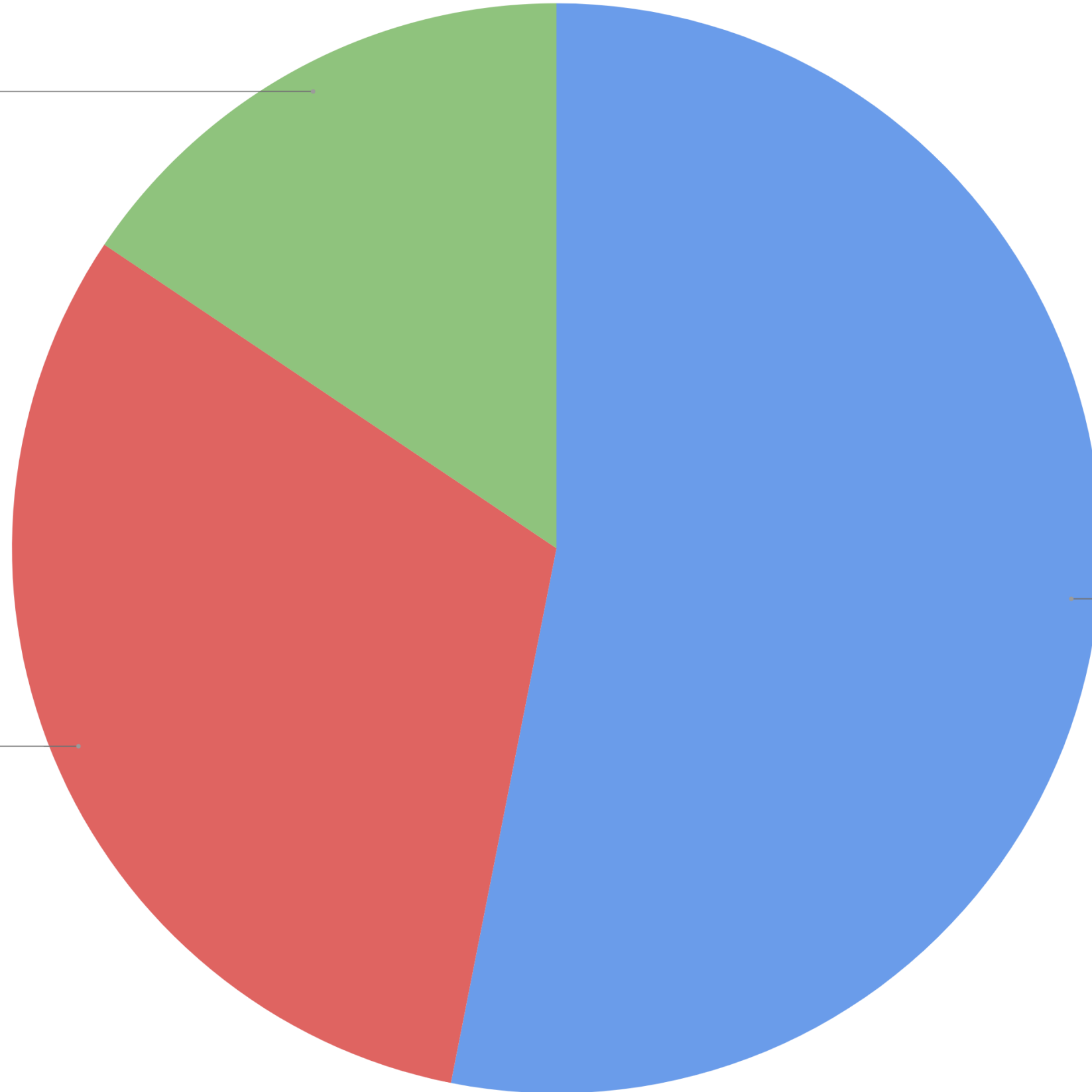
- 🍞 GraphQL Input Objects
- 🍷 Resolvers
- 🍷 GraphQL Objects
- 🍷 Resolvers
- 🍞 GraphQL Output Objects

Count of Each Type

graphdb
15.6%

graphql
31.3%

resolver
53.1%



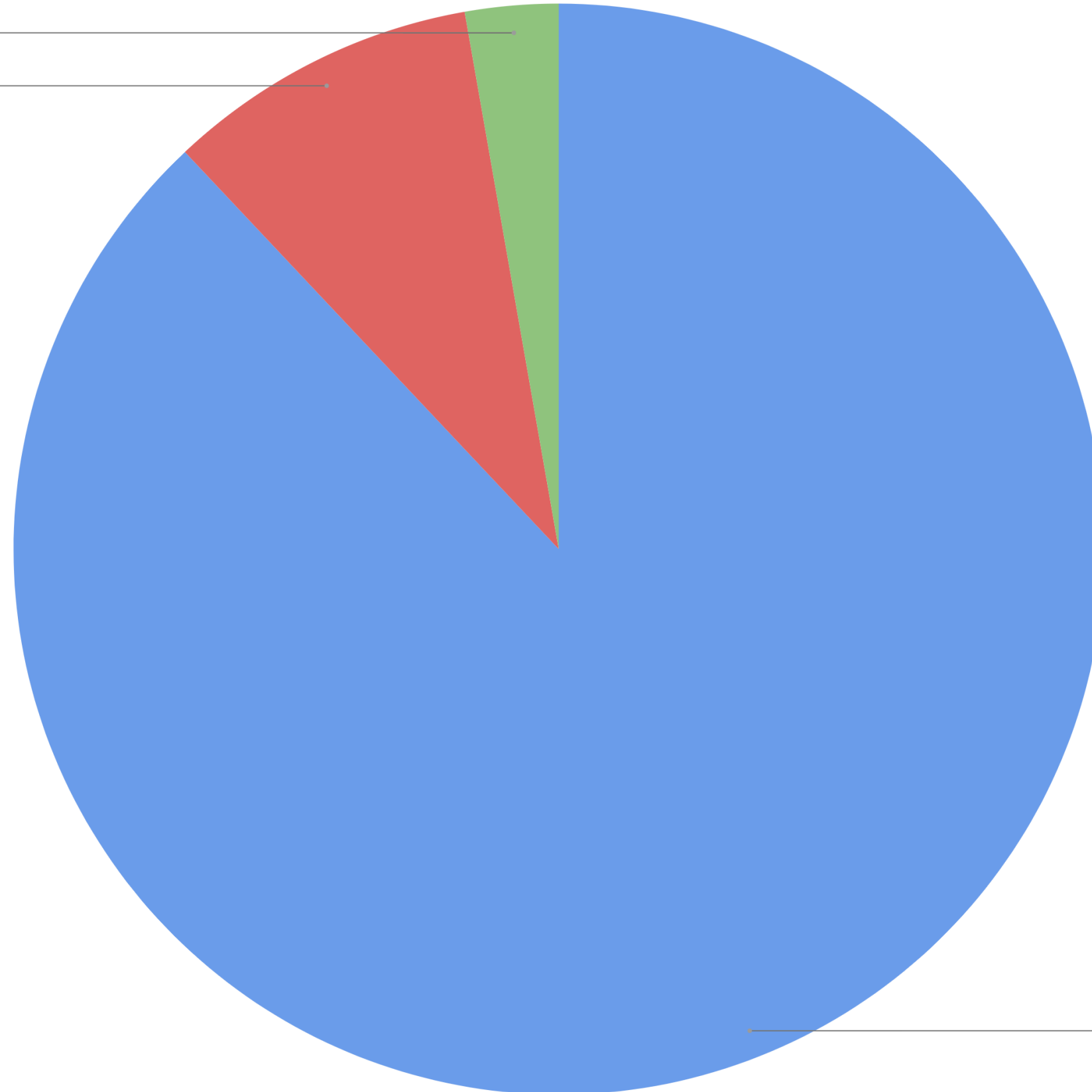
Size of Each Type

graphdb

2.8%

graphql

9.3%



resolver
88.0%



Less 🐛 in our 🍖 the better

Lets make Resolvers
Typescript?


```
export async function updateCarouselZone(
  input,
  { skipAsyncEvents } = {}
) {
  const { id } = input
  const zone = await graph.CarouselZone.FIND(id, BadRequestError)
  const updatedZone = await graph.CarouselZone.update(input)
  if (!skipAsyncEvents) {
    await indexNodeAsync(zone)
  }
  return { zones: updatedZone }
}
```

```
export async function updateCarouselZone(  
  input: any,  
  { skipAsyncEvents } = { skipAsyncEvents?: bool }  
) {  
  const { id }: { id: string|number } = input  
  const zone: any = await graph.CarouselZone.FIND(id, BadRequestError)  
  const updatedZone: any = await graph.CarouselZone.update(input)  
  if (!skipAsyncEvents) {  
    await indexNodeAsync(zone)  
  }  
  return { zones: updatedZone }  
}
```



Not helpful

Type the Data in 🐦

Type the Data out 🐧

Chase the 🐛

Data In 🐦

GraphQLInput Objects

```
input UpdateCarouselZoneInput {  
  id: ID!  
  title: String  
  description: String  
  display: ZoneDisplayType  
  clientMutationId: String  
}
```

GraphQLInput Objects

```
interface UpdateCarouselZoneInput {  
  id: GUID  
  title?: string  
  description?: string  
  display?: 'FULL_BLEED' | 'INLINE'  
  clientMutationId?: string  
}
```

GraphQLOutput Objects

```
type CarouselZone implements Node & Zone {  
  /* mix of code and data */  
}
```

```
type UpdateCarouselZonePayload {  
  zone: CarouselZone!  
  clientMutationId: String  
}
```


GraphQLOutput Objects

```
interface CarouselZone {  
  id: GUID  
  [key: string]: any // to type another day  
}
```

```
interface UpdateCarouselZonePayload {  
  zone: CarouselZone  
  clientMutationId?: string  
}
```

```
export async function updateCarouselZone(
  input: UpdateCarouselZoneInput,
  { skipAsyncEvents } = { skipAsyncEvents?: bool }
): Promise<UpdateCarouselZonePayload> {
  const { id } = input // knows id is guaranteed and a GUID
  const zone: any = await graph.CarouselZone.FIND(id, BadRequestError)
  const updatedZone: any = await graph.CarouselZone.update(input)
  if (!skipAsyncEvents) {
    await indexNodeAsync(zone)
  }
  // ERROR! UpdateCarouselZonePayload requires a `zone` field not a `zones` field
  return { zones: updatedZone }
}
```

```
const { i
const zon
const upd
if (!skip
  await i
}
return { zones: updatedZone }
}
```

[ts]

Type '{ zones: any; }' is not assignable to type '{ zone: any; }'.
Object literal may only specify known properties, but 'zones' does not exist in type '{ zone: any; }'. Did you mean to write 'zone'?

(property) zones: any



Next Challenges

- Mixing of data and code in view types
- Functional approach to Resolvers
- No way to Type the data input for the GraphQL Node Objects

Next Challenges

- GraphDB needs types in JS and TS and that's annoying
- GraphDB needs more validations than types

