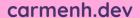


Untangling Your Dependencies





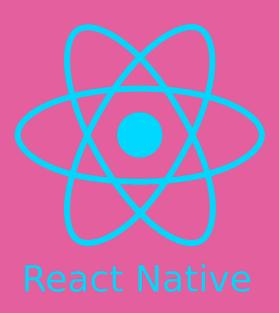
A Pattern for a Well-Knitted JavaScript Project





"I have a client looking for a React Native dev. Remote, freelance, good rate, could end up being a retainer situation."

- Vienna Freelancer's Slack group









```
./node_modules/.bin/react-native run-ios
2.6.6
Scanning folders for symlinks in
   /Users/ramonh/coding/big-project/mobile/node_modules (13ms)
Found Xcode workspace BigProject.xcworkspace
Could not find iPhone 6 simulator
```

```
FAILURE: Build failed with an exception.
* What went wrong:
Execution failed for task ':app:preDebugBuild'.
> Android dependency 'com.google.android.gms:play-services-measurement-base'
 has different version for
 the compile (16.3.0) and runtime (17.1.0) classpath. You should manually set
 the same version via DependencyResolution
* Trv:
Run with -- stacktrace option to get the stack trace. Run with -- info or -- debug option to g
et more log output. Run with -- scan to get full insights.
* Get more help at https://help.gradle.org
BUILD FAILED in 1m 32s
389 actionable tasks: 389 executed
```

I joined a very long time after the last commit had been made!

"I'll have to upgrade the heck out of this."

- Me, with no plan. So innocent, so young.





React Native 0.74.1







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What's the best practices for managing dependencies?

my favourite What's the best practices for managing dependencies?



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Head of Dev. Ed., DevCraft Academy

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Dependencies are every bit as critical to software as the code we write.



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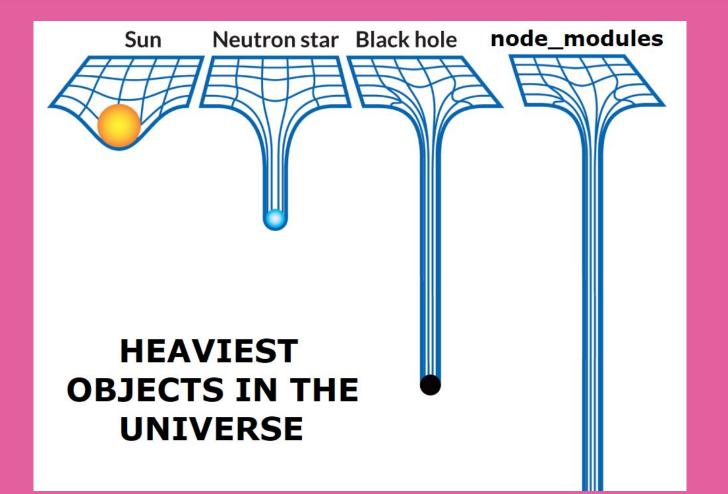














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"Art is never finished, only abandoned."

- Leonardo da Vinci

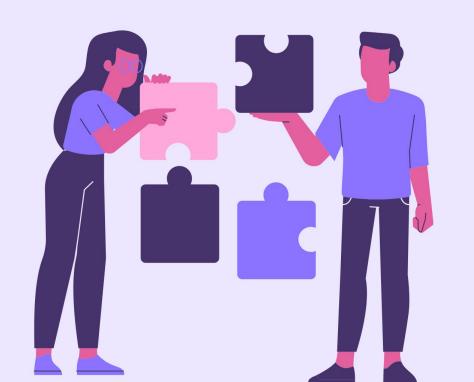
1. Weaving the dependency landscape

What kind of dependencies are there?

dependencies



devDependencies



direct dependencies

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direct dependencies

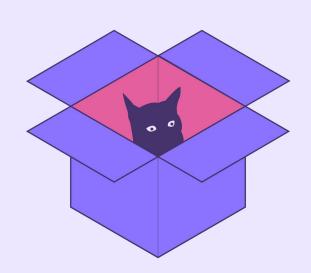
transitive dependencies

dependencies



devDependencies





Peer Dependencies





package.json

```
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Zellij (profound-capsicum) Tab #1
 vim package.json -
     "name": "fancy-charts",
     "version": "1.0.0",
     "peerDependencies": {
      "chart.js": "^3.x.x"
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```

package-lock.json

```
Zellij (curious-diplodocus) Tab #1 Tab #2
    vim package-lock.json
                                "engines": {
                                    "node": ">=8"
                           "node modules/yocto-queue": {
                               "version": "0.1.0",
                                "resolved": "https://registry.npmjs.org/yocto-queue/-/yocto-queue-0.1.0.tgz",
                               "integrity": "sha512-rVksvsnNCdJ/ohGc6xgPwyN8eheCxsiLM8mxuE/t/m0VqJewPu01miLpTHQiRgTKCLexL4MeAFVagts7HmNZ2Q==",
                                    "node": ">=10"
                                "funding": {
                                     "url": "https://github.com/sponsors/sindresorhus"
                           "node modules/yup": {
                               "version": "1.3.3",
                                "resolved": "https://registry.npmjs.org/yup/-/yup-1.3.3.tgz",
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                                "dependencies": {
                                   "property-expr": "^2.0.5",
                                   "tiny-case": "^1.0.3",
                                    "toposort": "^2.0.2",
                                    "type-fest": "^2.19.0"
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                                "version": "2.19.0",
                                "resolved": "https://registry.npmjs.org/type-fest/-/type-fest-2.19.0.tgz",
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2. Remember: You're one stitch in a large chain

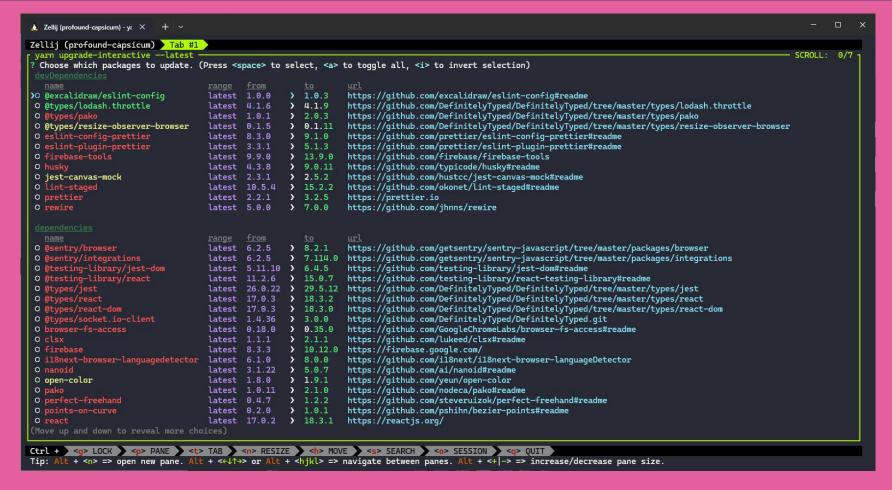
You are not alone.

npx npm-check-updates

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https://react-native-community.github.io/upgrade-helper

What's your app name?	What's your app package?	
RnDiffApp	com.rndiffapp	
What's your current react-native version?	To which version would you like to upgrade?	
0.55.4	V 0.74.1	V
◯ Useful content for upgrading	Show me how to upgrade!	^

Breaking the problem down.

```
X 💮 ~/coding/excalidraw / master ± npm update react
npm ERR! code ERESOLVE
npm ERR! ERESOLVE could not resolve
npm ERR!
npm ERR! While resolving: react-dom@17.0.2
npm ERR! Found: react@15.0.2
npm ERR! node_modules/react
npm ERR!
           react@"15.0.2" from the root project
           peer react@"*" from @testing-library/react@11.2.6
npm ERR!
           node_modules/@testing-library/react
npm ERR!
             @testing-library/react@"11.2.6" from the root project
npm ERR!
npm ERR!
npm ERR! Could not resolve dependency:
npm ERR! peer react@"17.0.2" from react-dom@17.0.2
npm ERR! node_modules/react-dom
npm ERR!
           react-dom@"17.0.2" from the root project
npm ERR!
           peer react-dom@"*" from @testing-library/react@11.2.6
           node_modules/@testing-library/react
npm ERR!
npm ERR!
             @testing-library/react@"11.2.6" from the root project
npm ERR!
npm ERR! Conflicting peer dependency: react@17.0.2
npm ERR! node_modules/react
npm ERR!
           peer react@"17.0.2" from react-dom@17.0.2
npm ERR!
           node_modules/react-dom
npm ERR!
            react-dom@"17.0.2" from the root project
npm ERR!
            peer react-dom@"*" from @testing-library/react@11.2.6
           node_modules/@testing-library/react
npm ERR!
               @testing-library/react@"11.2.6" from the root project
npm ERR!
npm ERR!
npm ERR! Fix the upstream dependency conflict, or retry
npm ERR! this command with --force or --legacy-peer-deps
npm ERR! to accept an incorrect (and potentially broken) dependency resolution.
```

- Get the iOS build running
- Get the Android build running

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Greenhouse, Game & Watch (1982)



The trick is: Staying focussed on one task at a time!

4. Picking the right knitting needles

The right tools for the job!



yarn vs npm vs pnpm







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npm why

```
~/client-work/craftstrom/app // main // npm why dequal
dequal@2.0.3 dev
node modules/dequal
  dequal@"^2.0.3" from aria-query@5.3.0
  node modules/aria-query
    aria-query@"^5.3.0" from eslint-plugin-jsx-a11y@6.8.0
    node modules/eslint-plugin-jsx-a11v
      dev eslint-plugin-jsx-a11y@"^6.8.0" from the root project
      peer eslint-plugin-jsx-a11y@"^6.5.1" from eslint-config-airbnb@19.0.4
      node modules/eslint-config-airbnb
        dev eslint-config-airbnb@"^19.0.4" from the root project
  dequal@"^2.0.3" from axobject-query@3.2.1
  node modules/axobject-query
    axobject-query@"^3.2.1" from eslint-plugin-jsx-a11y@6.8.0
    node modules/eslint-plugin-jsx-a11v
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      peer eslint-plugin-jsx-a11y@"^6.5.1" from eslint-config-airbnb@19.0.4
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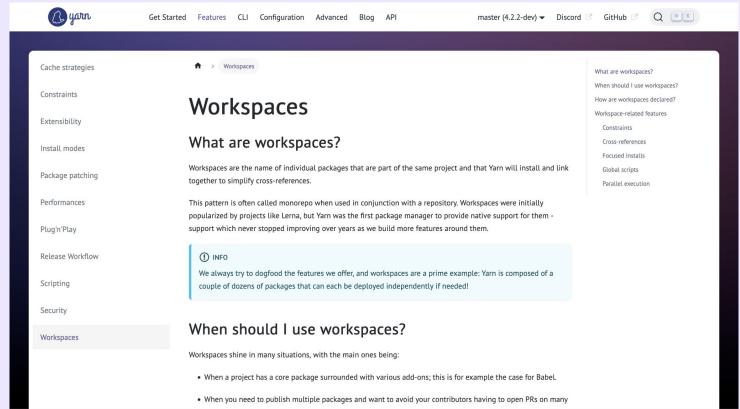
What about my own box of shared wools?

What about monorepos?



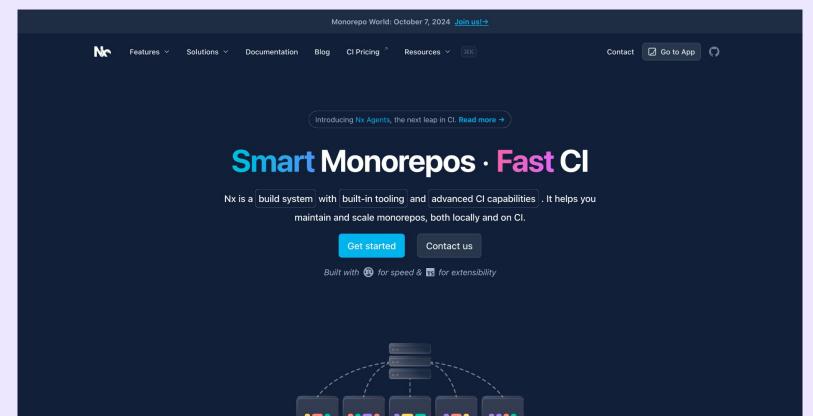


Yarn Workspaces









npm shrinkwrap

npm-shrinkwrap.json is a file created by npm shrinkwrap. It is identical to package-lock.json, with one major caveat: Unlike package-lock.json, npm-shrinkwrap.json may be included when publishing a package.

The recommended use-case for <code>npm-shrinkwrap.json</code> is applications deployed through the publishing process on the registry: for example, daemons and command-line tools intended as global installs or <code>devDependencies</code>. It's strongly discouraged for library authors to publish this file, since that would prevent end users from having control over transitive dependency updates.

https://docs.npmjs.com/cli/v10/commands/npm-shrinkwrap

moderate severity vulnerability

npm audit

```
# npm audit report
follow-redirects <=1.15.5
Severity: moderate
follow-redirects' Proxy-Authorization header kept across hosts - https://github.com/advisories/GHSA-cxjh-pqwp-8mfp
fix available via `npm audit fix`
```

Dependency Management (Automation) Tools

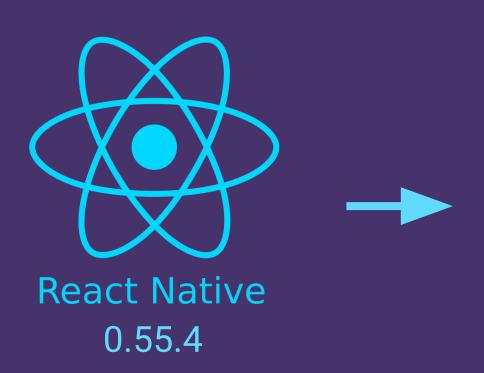


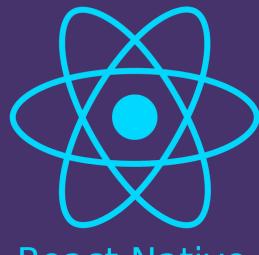




5. One big stitch in time saves over 9 (thousand)

Making large version upgrades



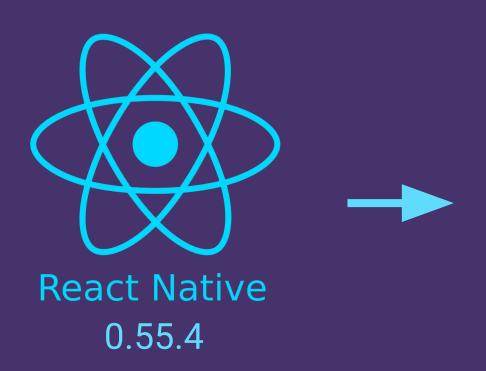


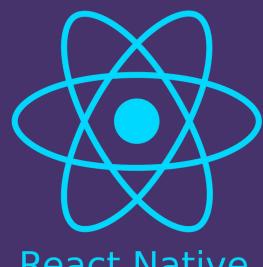
React Native 0.59.0



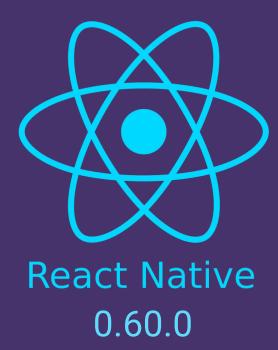


React Native uses JSC (JavaScriptCore) to power your application. JSC on Android was a few years old, which meant that a lot of modern JavaScript features weren't supported. Even worse, it performed poorly compared iOS's modern JSC. With this release, that all changes.



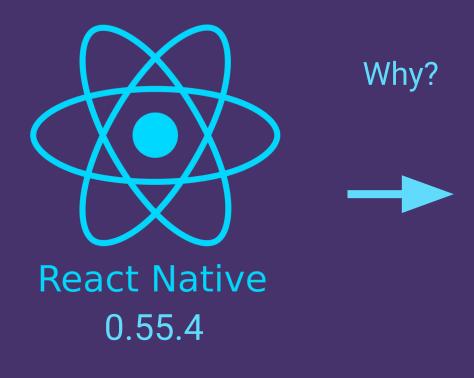


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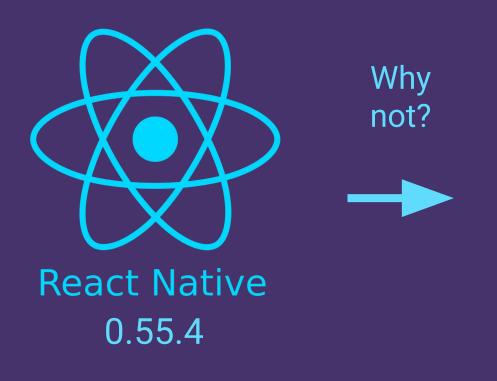


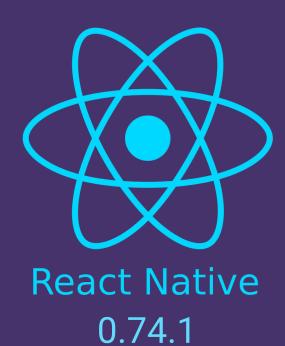
Native Modules are now Autolinked

The team working on the React Native CLI has introduced major improvements to native module linking called autolinking! Most scenarios will not require the use of react-native link anymore. At the same time, the team overhauled the linking process in general. Be sure to react-native unlink any preexisting dependencies as mentioned in the docs above.









- Stability
- Future-Proofing
- Y'all are gonna have to do it eventually

- Martin Fowler https://martinfowler.com/bliki/FrequencyReducesDifficulty.html

6. Experimenting with Stitches

Keeping a work-in-progress version control branch

bleeding-edge branches

https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Git-Branching-Branching-Workflows

Tiny, likely broken commits

- Clear, defined history
 - Easy to rebase!





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7. Knowing where to draw lines

72 packages in package.json

I did not update them all!

42.6.7 Major Minor Patch **API-breaking Bugfixes**

New features

Not now !== never

7 lessons learned

- Weaving the dependency landscape
- Remember: You're one stitch in a large chain
- Untangling the inevitable knots
- Picking the right knitting needles
- One big stitch in time saves over 9 (thousand)
- Making experimental stitches
- Knowing where to draw lines

We've all been there before, and likely will again.

So am I done?

So am I done?

Absolutely not!

"Software is never finished. Only abandoned."

- Leonardo da Vinci, probably, if he were doing this today

Resources:

- https://nx.dev/features/automate-updating-dependencies
- https://classic.yarnpkg.com/lang/en/docs/dependency-types/
- https://yarnpkg.com/cli/upgrade-interactive
- https://react-native-community.github.io/upgrade-helper
- https://docs.npmjs.com/cli/v10/commands/npm-shrinkwrap
- https://martinfowler.com/bliki/FrequencyReducesDifficulty.html
- https://docs.npmjs.com/cli/v10/commands/npm-dedupe
- https://pnpm.io/workspaces



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Thank you, Friends!

