

Overview of Reactive Programming Principles

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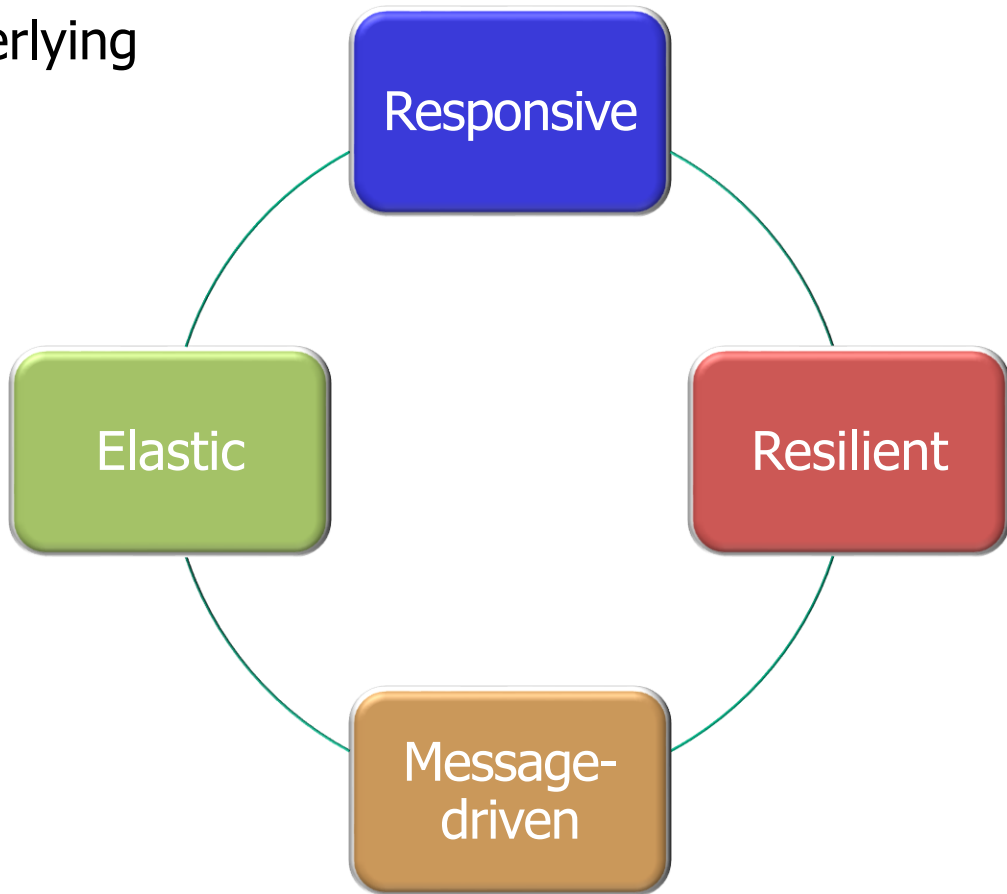
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Learning Objectives in this Part of the Lesson

- Understand the key principles underlying reactive programming



Overview of Reactive Programming

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- Reactive programming is an asynchronous programming paradigm concerned with processing data streams & propagation of changes



See en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Reactive_programming

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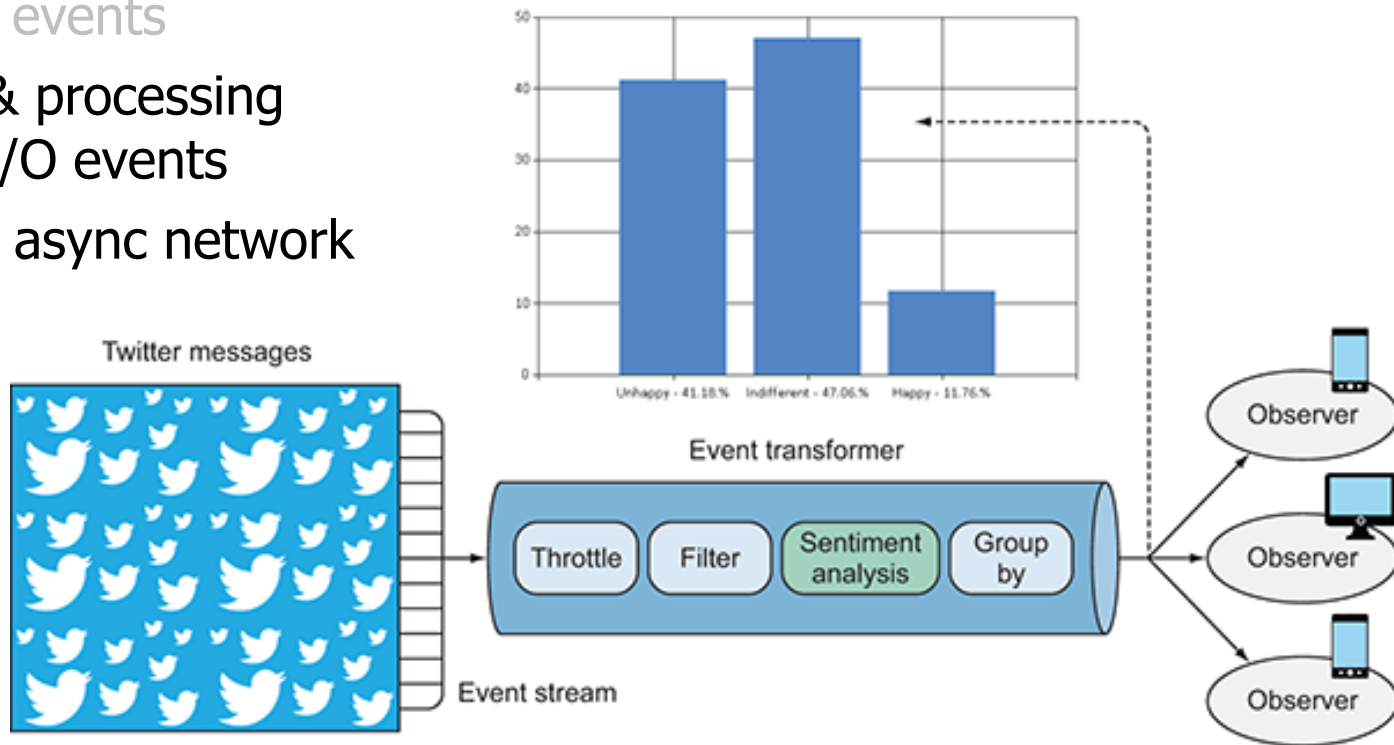
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 - Processing user events
 - e.g., mouse movement/clicks, touch events, GPS location signals, etc.



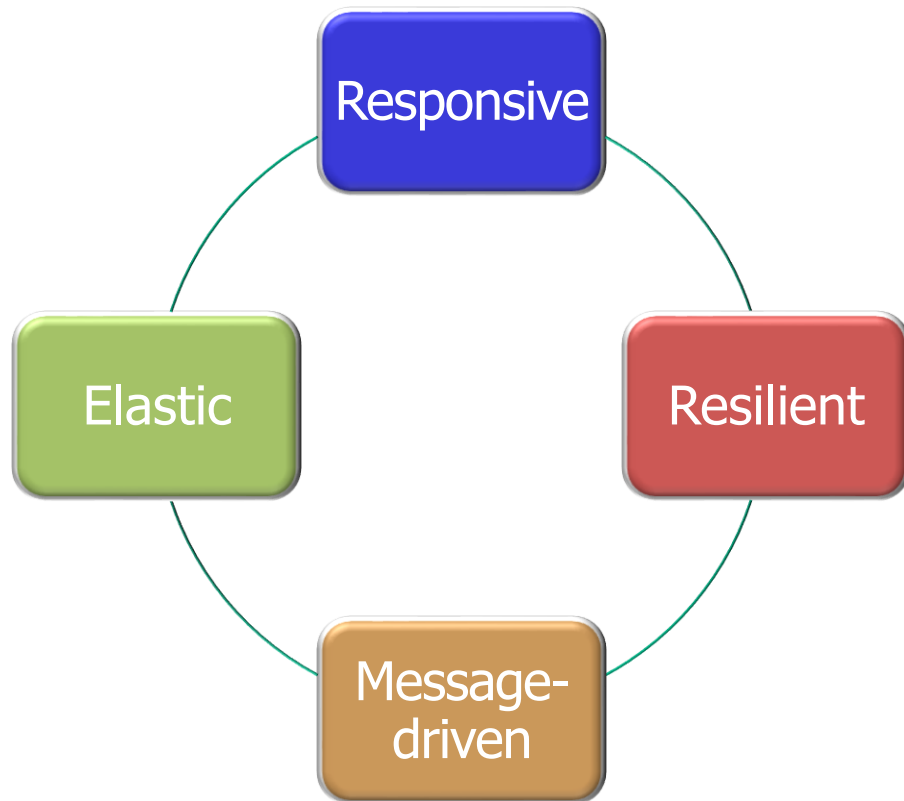
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- Reactive programming is particularly useful to support certain scenarios, e.g.
 - Processing user events
 - Responding to & processing latency-bound I/O events
 - e.g., handling async network I/O



Overview of Reactive Programming

- Reactive programming is based on four key principles



See www.reactivemanifesto.org

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- Reactive programming is based on four key principles, e.g.

- Responsive**

- Provide rapid & consistent response times



Establish reliable upper bounds to deliver consistent quality of service & prevent delays

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- **Responsive**

- **Resilient**

- The system remains responsive, even in the face of failure



Failure of some operations should not bring the entire system down

See [en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Resilience_\(network\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Resilience_(network))

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- Reactive programming is based on four key principles, e.g.

- Responsive**

- Resilient**

- Elastic**

- A system should remain responsive, even under varying workload

It should be possible to "auto-scale" performance



See en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Autoscaling

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- Reactive programming is based on four key principles, e.g.

- Responsive**

This principle is an "implementation detail" wrt the others..

- Resilient**

- Elastic**

- Message-driven**

- Asynchronous message-passing ensures loose coupling, isolation, & location transparency between components



See en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Message-oriented_middleware

End of Overview of Reactive Programming Principles