PWAs in 2021

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Phone
Internet

“There’s an app for that.”

Mobile websites were
less usable



Websites were less capable

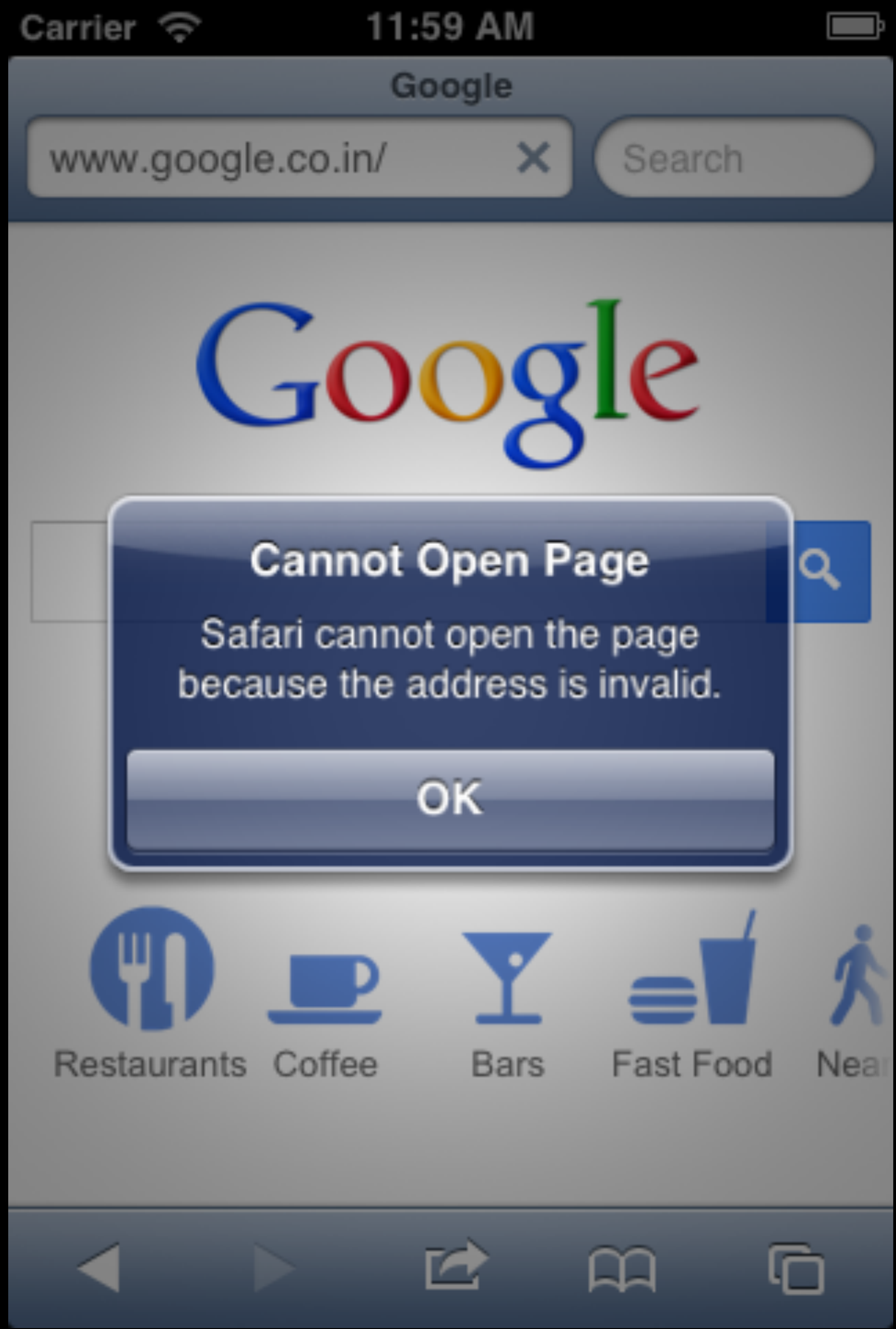


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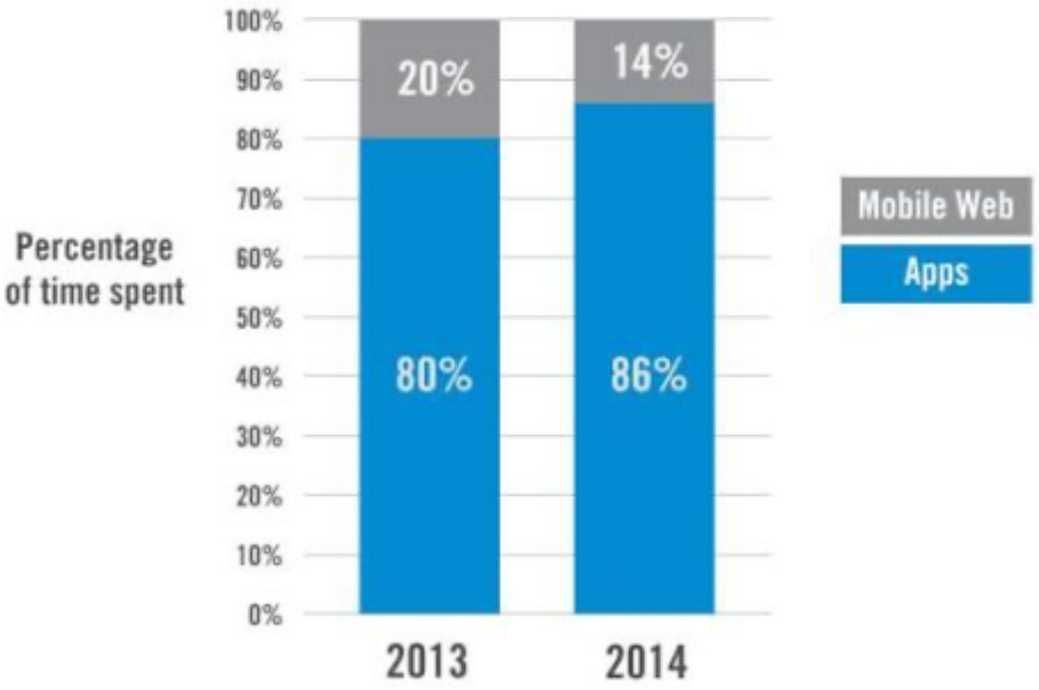
Websites were harder to access



Websites had no offline support



On mobile, people spent more time on apps compared to the web



Graph from https://www.flurry.com/blog/apps-solidify-leadership-six-years-into-the-mobile

Rise of the
“mobile-first” apps



Websites in 2016

✅ Broad reach

Mobile Apps in 2016

✅ More usable

✅ More capable

✅ Easier to access

✅ Available offline

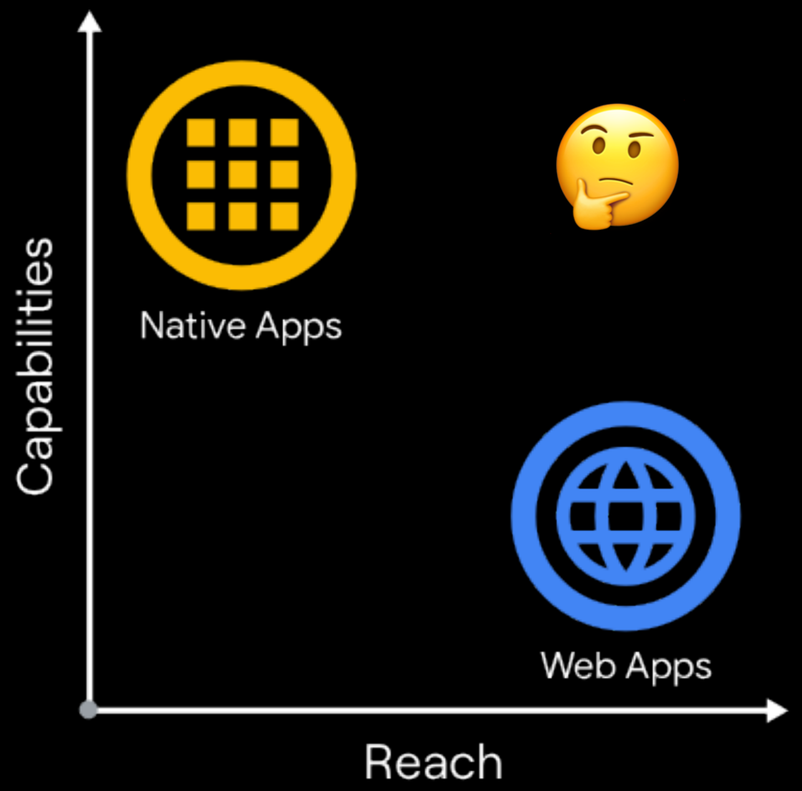


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Progressive Web Apps use modern web capabilities to deliver an app-like user experience. They evolve from pages in browser tabs to immersive, top-level apps, maintaining the web's low friction at every moment.

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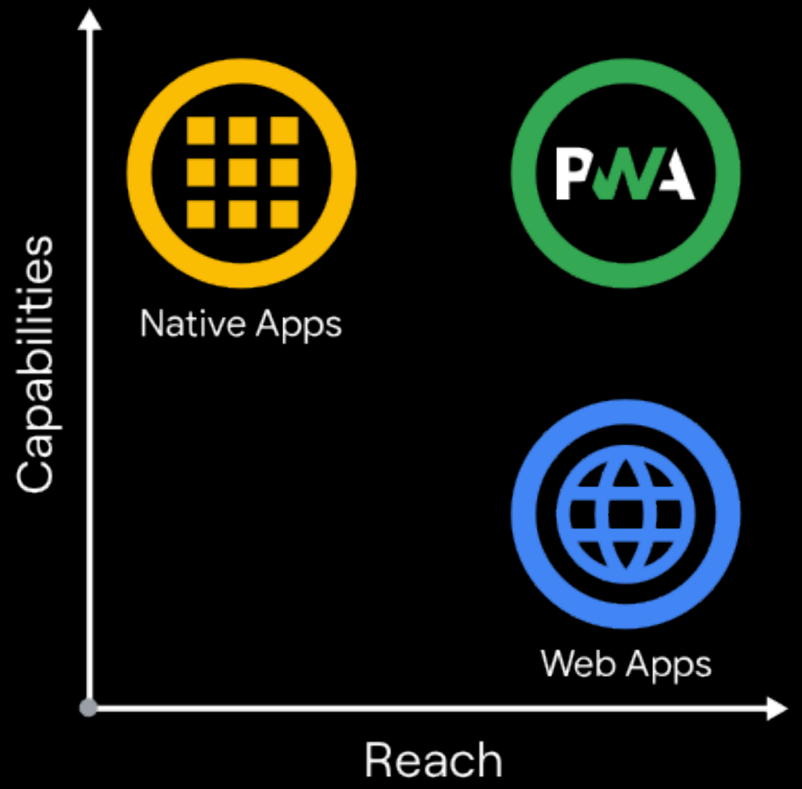


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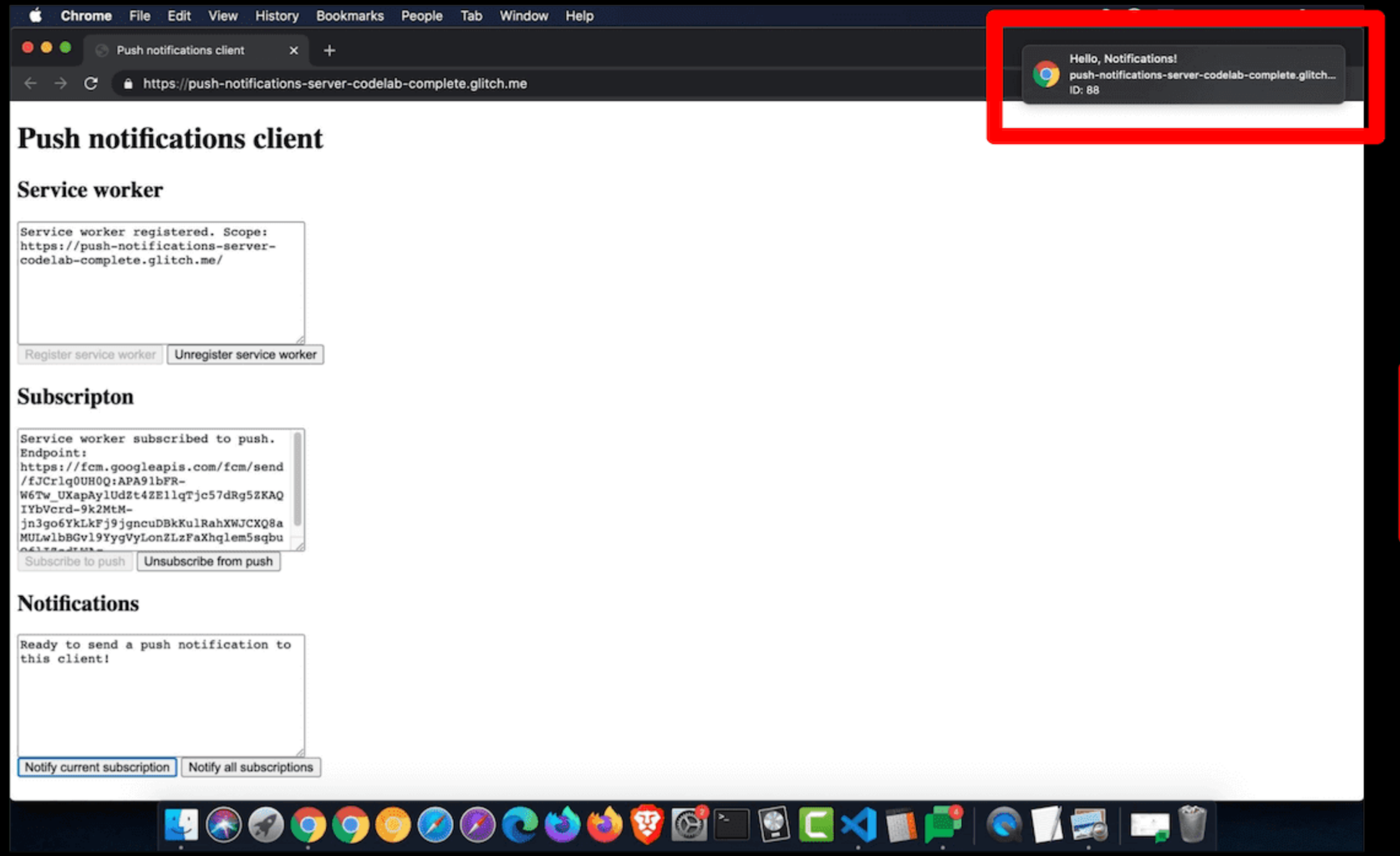


Reliable



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Capable — uses modern APIs to deliver an app-like experience



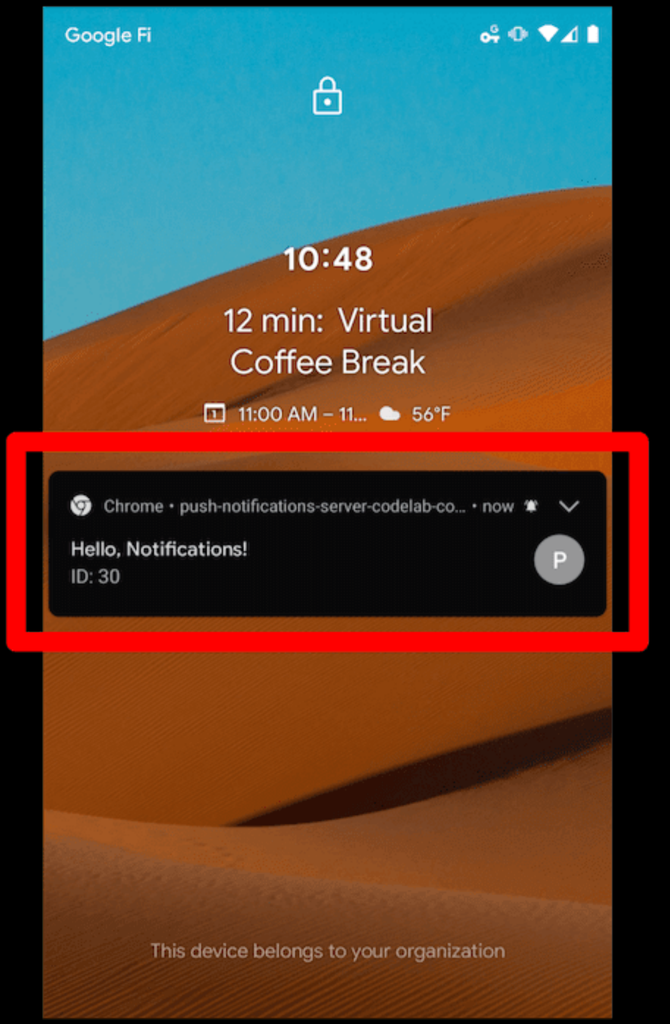
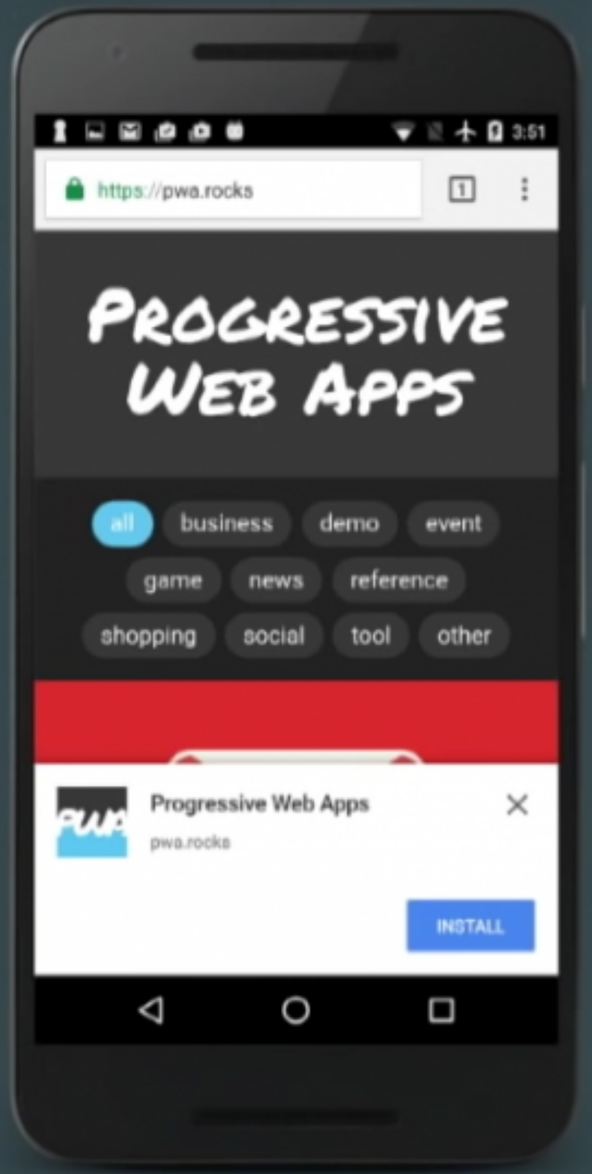


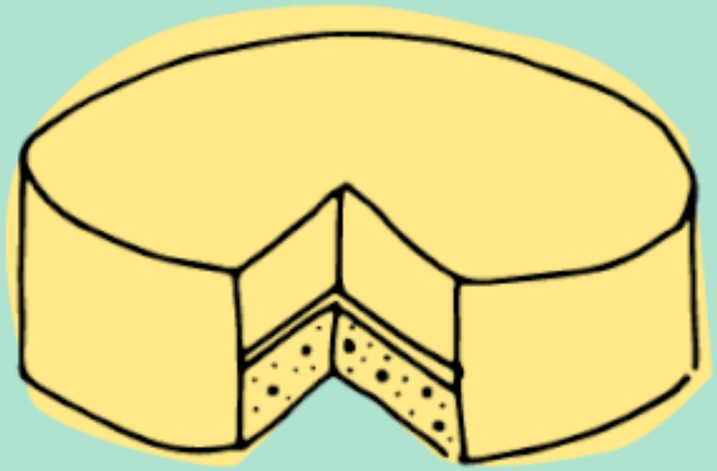
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Reliable — works well regardless of network

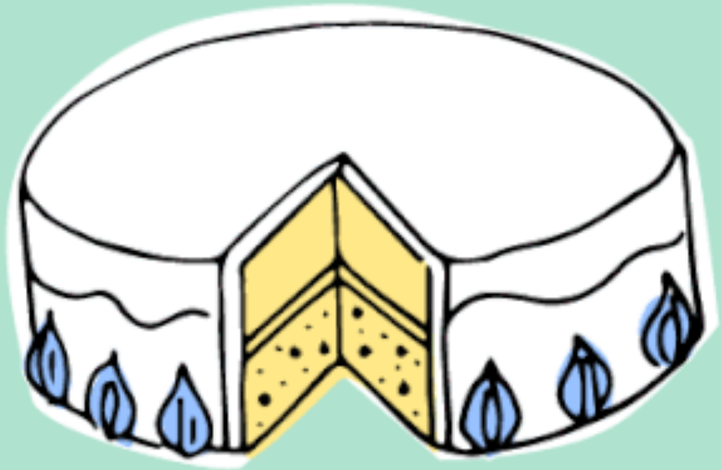

OFFLINE

Installable — can be installed to the device and used outside the browser


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INSTALL



Standard website





Fully capable, reliable,
and installable PWA

Image from https://www.shopify.com/partners/blog/what-is-progressive-enhancement-and-why-should-you-care

How did PWAs fare in 2016?

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Critical capabilities

Push notifications & badging

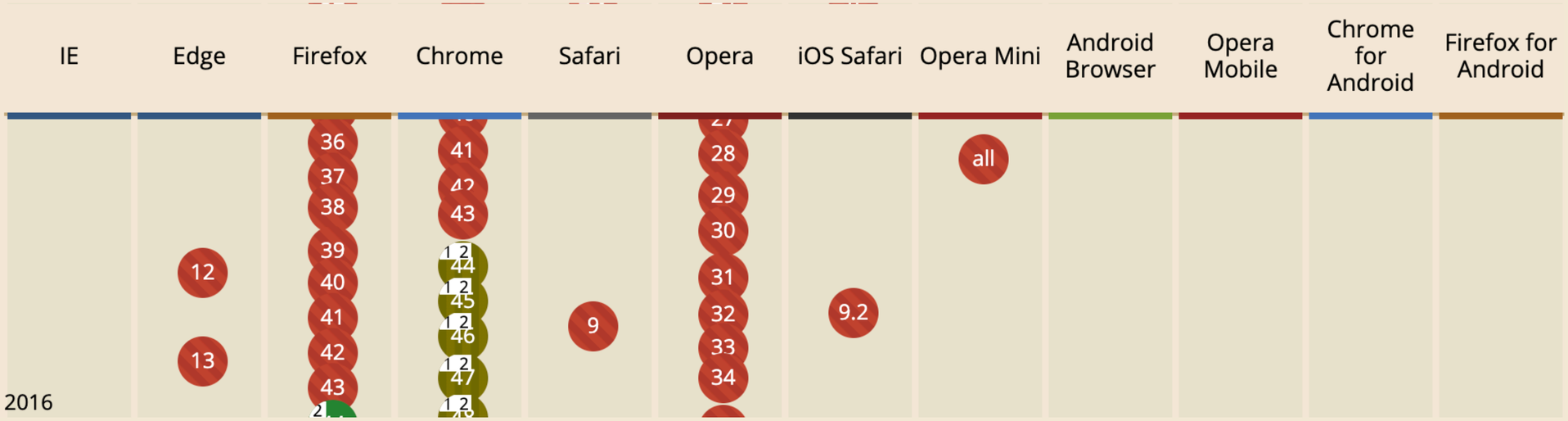
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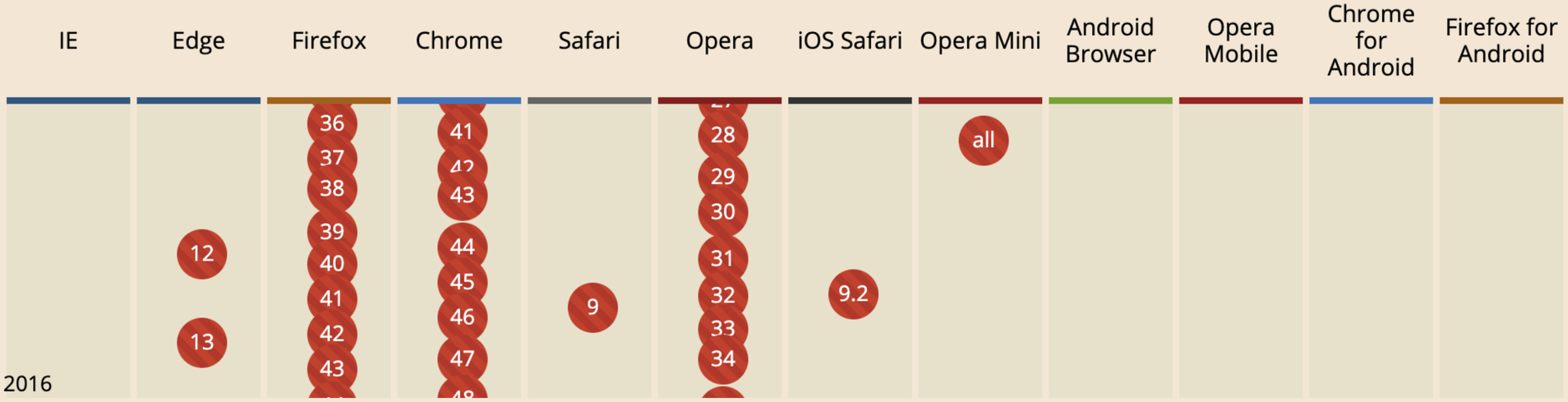
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Background Sync API - UNOFF

Provides one-off and periodic synchronization for Service Workers with an onsync event.

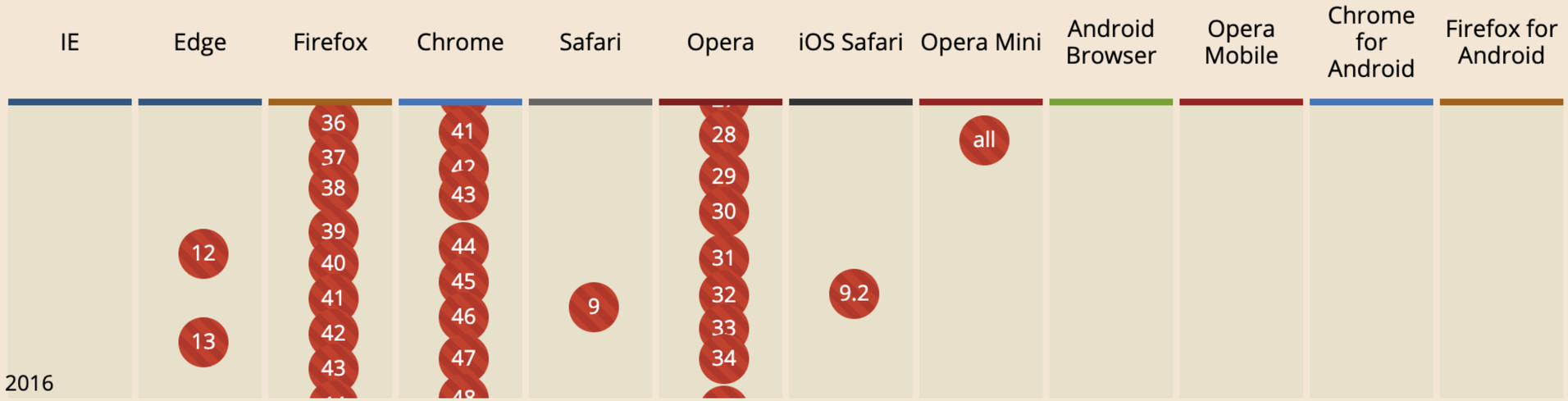
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File System Access API - UNOFF

API for manipulating files in the device's local file system (not in a sandbox).

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    // do awesome thing

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    // same old thing

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A service worker is a script that your browser runs in the background, separate from a web page, opening the door to features that don't need a web page or user interaction

https://developers.google.com/web/fundamentals/primers/service-workers

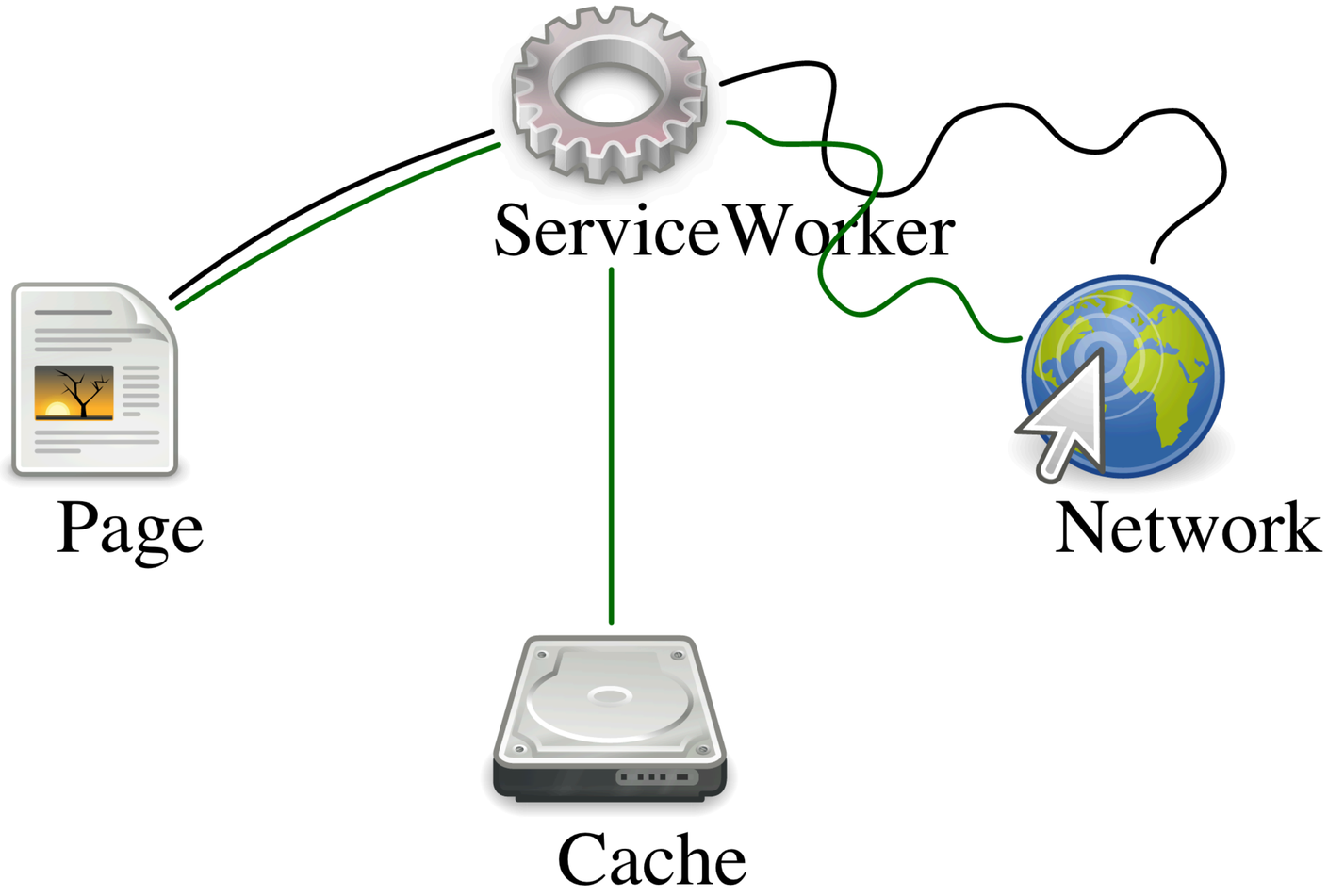


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Service Workers - CR

Method that enables applications to take advantage of persistent background processing, including hooks to enable bootstrapping of web applications while offline.

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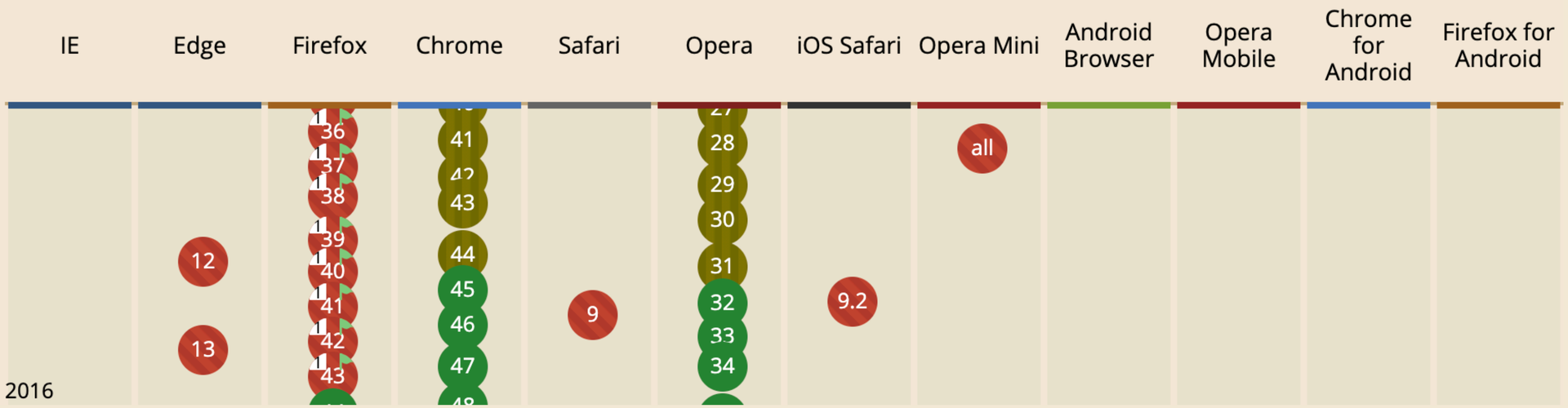
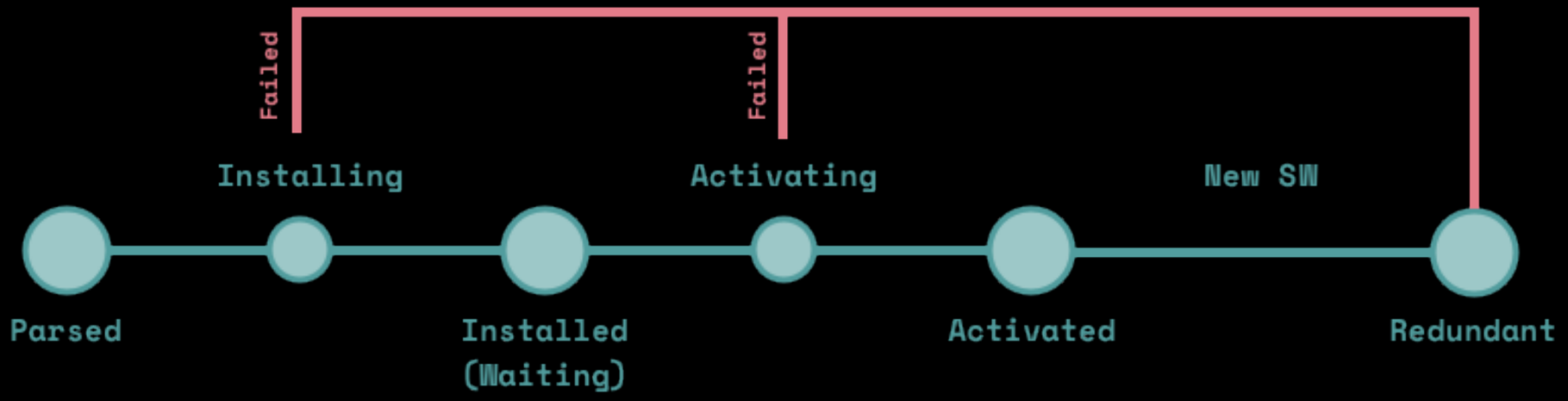
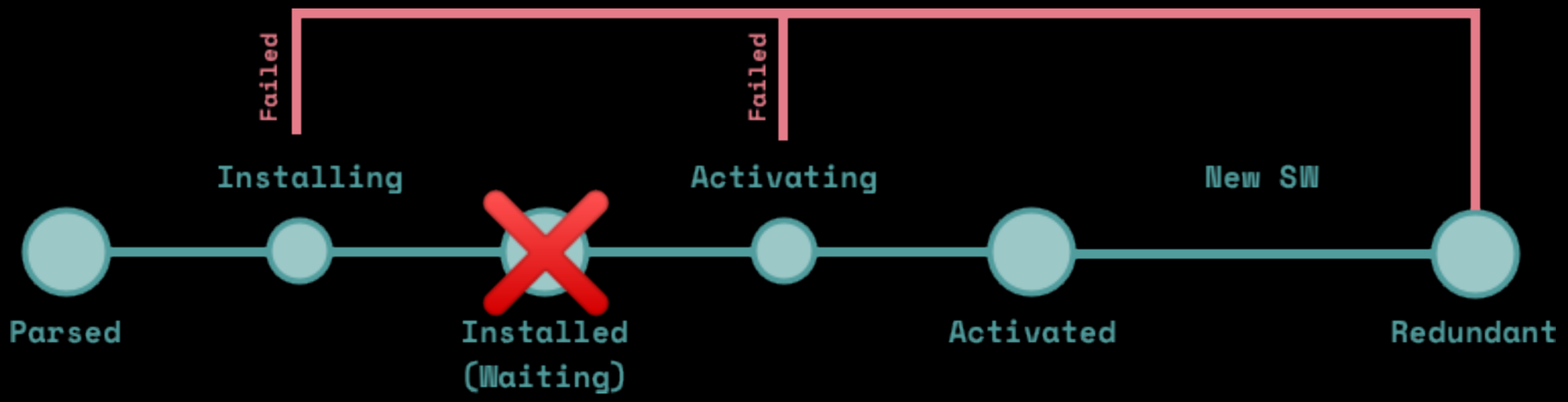




Image from https://explore.easyprojects.net/blog/how-to-deal-with-difficult-team-members


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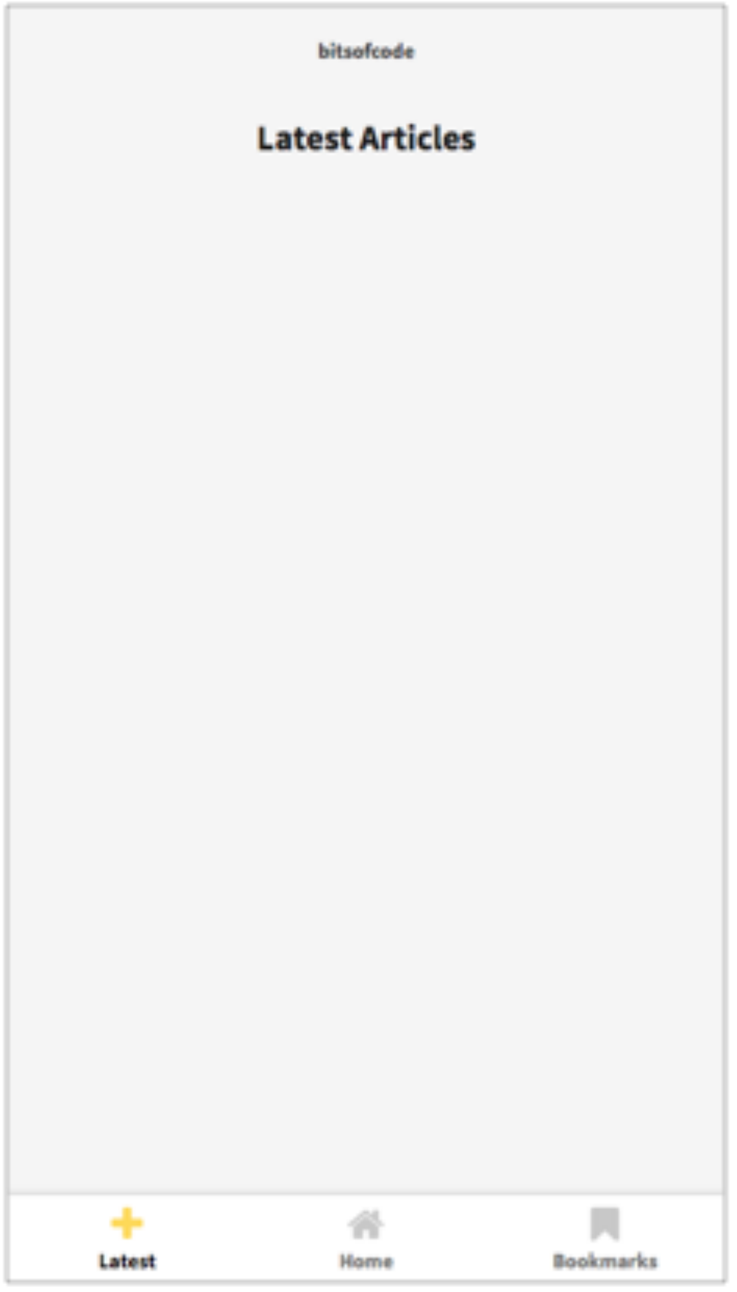
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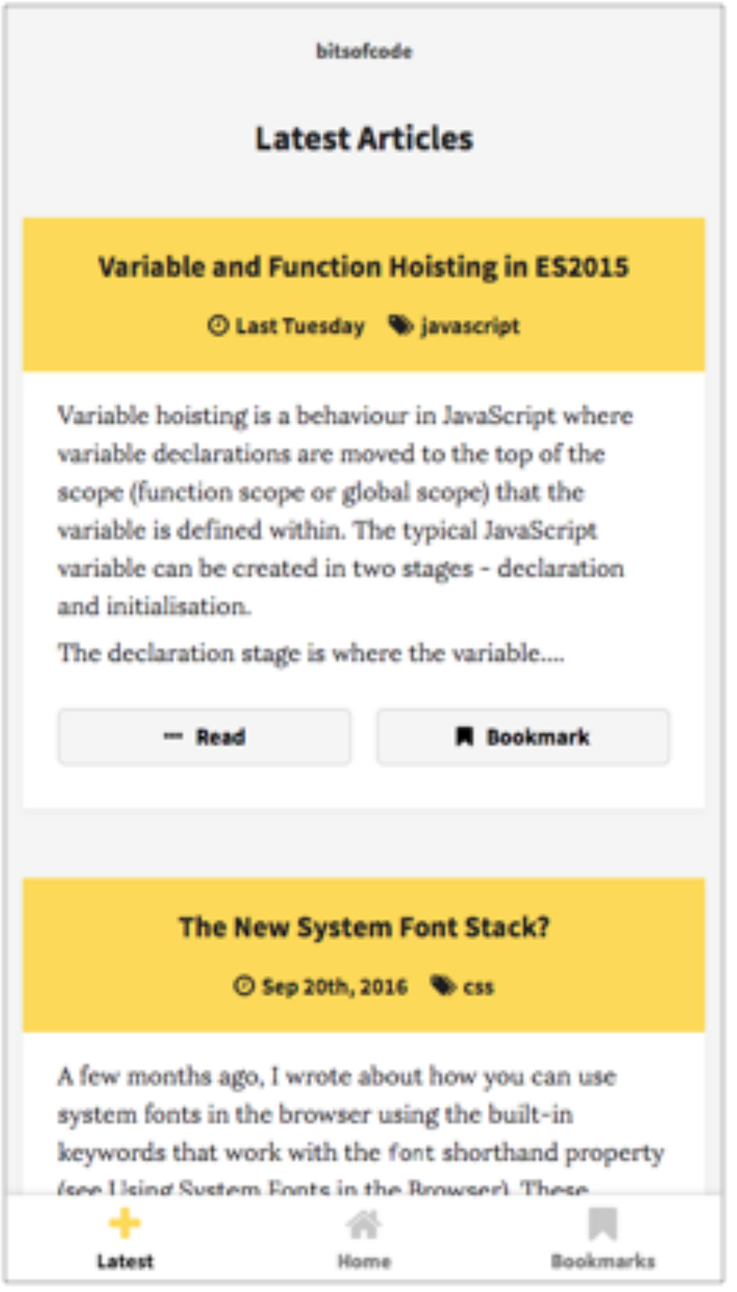


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The app "shell" is the minimal HTML, CSS and JavaScript required to power the user interface and when cached offline can ensure instant, reliably good performance to users on repeat visits. This means the application shell is not loaded from the network every time the user visits. Only the necessary content is needed from the network.

https://developers.google.com/web/fundamentals/architecture/app-shell


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Variable and Function Hoisting in ES2015
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Variable hoisting is a behaviour in JavaScript where variable declarations are moved to the top of the scope (function scope or global scope) that the variable is defined within. The typical JavaScript variable can be created in two stages - declaration and initialisation.
The declaration stage is where the variable....
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Sep 20th, 2016
css
A few months ago, I wrote about how you can use system fonts in the browser using the built-in keywords that work with the font shorthand property
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App shell

```
<main>

        <h2>Latest Articles</h2>

        <section id="excerpts">

            <!-- loading icon -- >

        </section>

</main>
```

Respond with cached page

```
self.addEventListener('fetch', (event) => {

    event.respondWith(

        caches.match(event.request)

            .then((cachedResponse) => cachedResponse || fetch(event.request))

    );

});
```

Add content to app shell

```
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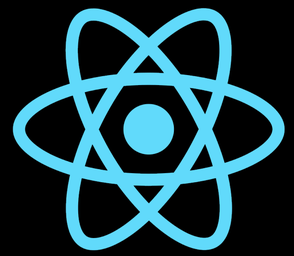
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PWA









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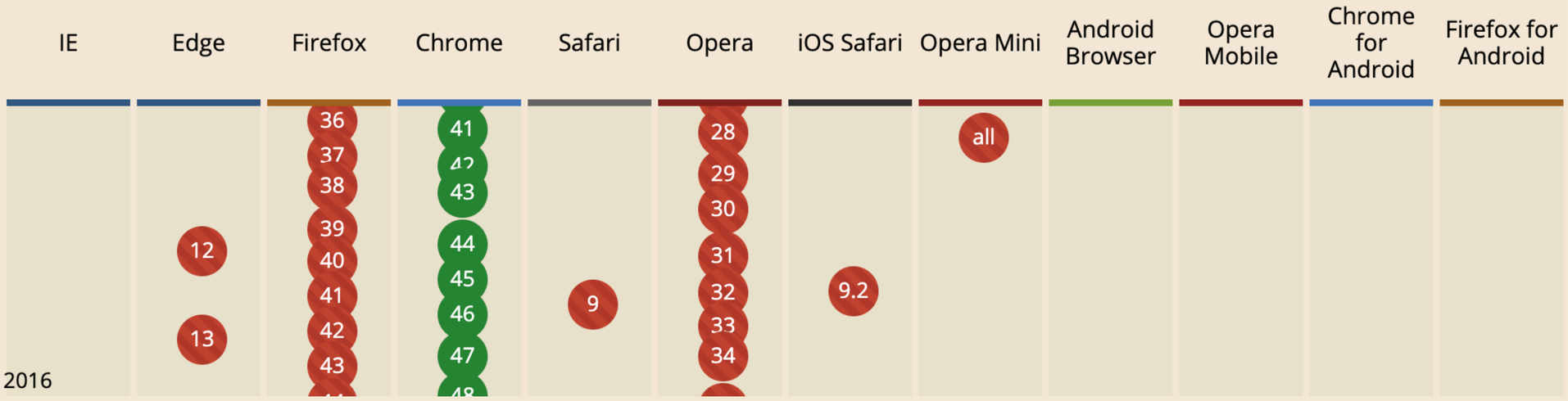
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Add to home screen (A2HS) - WD

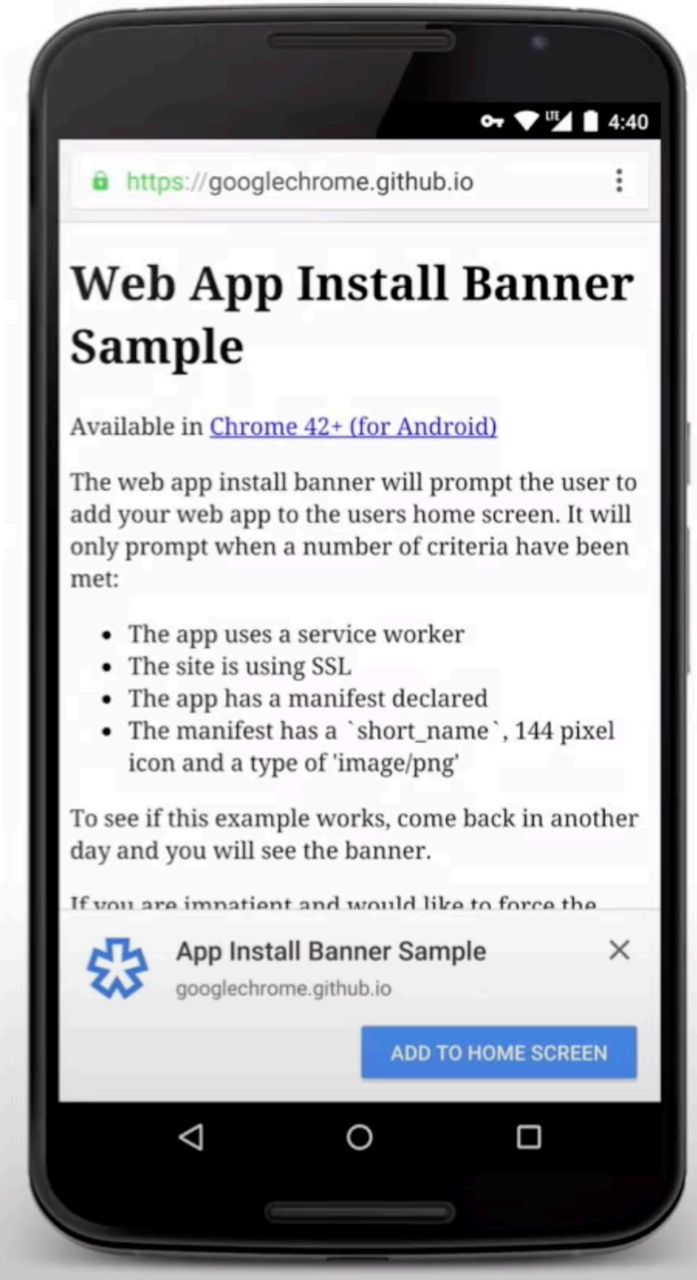
The ability for a user to "install" a website and use it as if it was a natively installed app. To enable this behaviour, a website must serve a valid Web App Manifest and load it's assets through a Service Worker.

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Requirements for “Add to Home Screen”

1. A manifest.json file
2. A service worker
3. Visit frequency heuristics 🤔



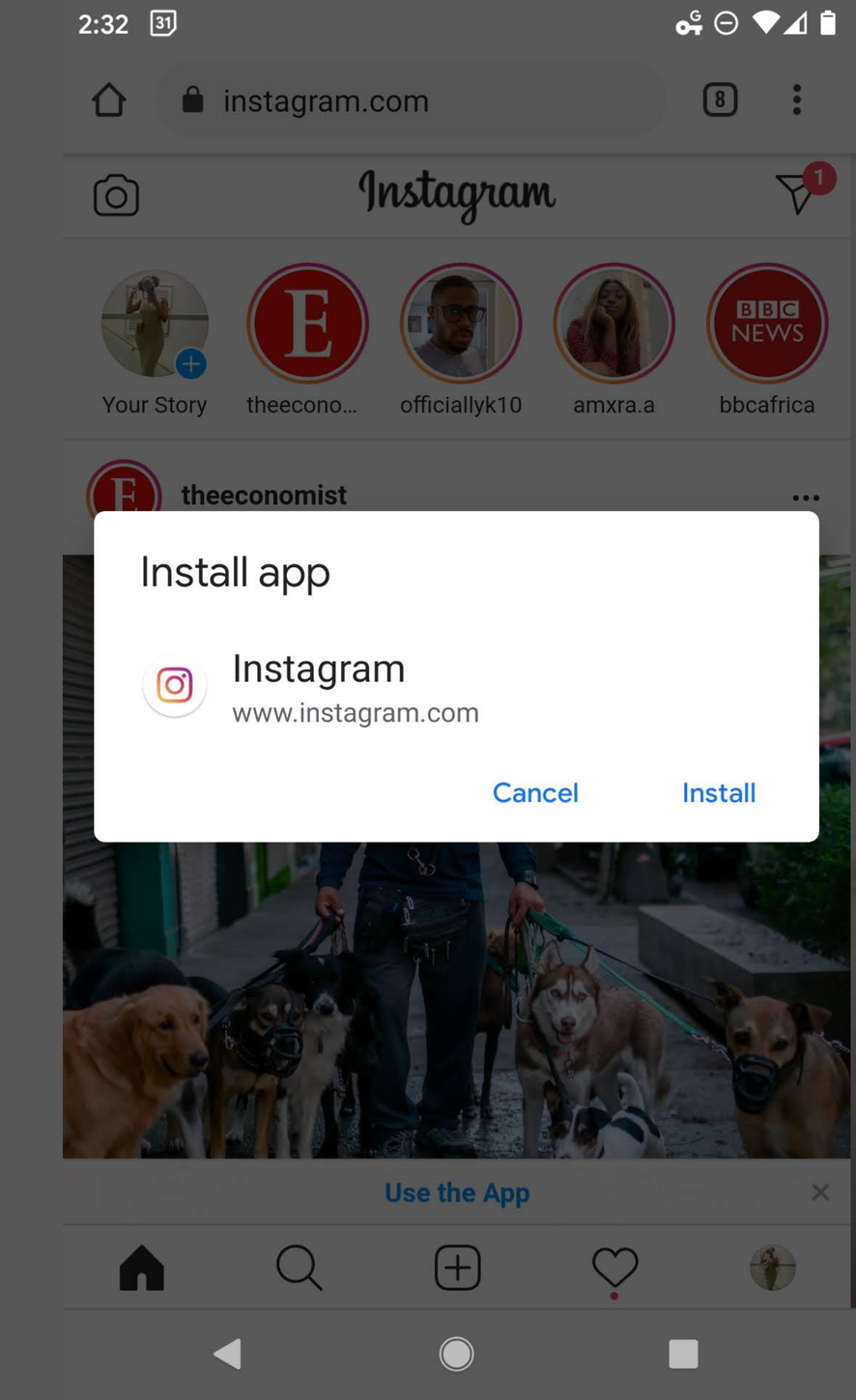
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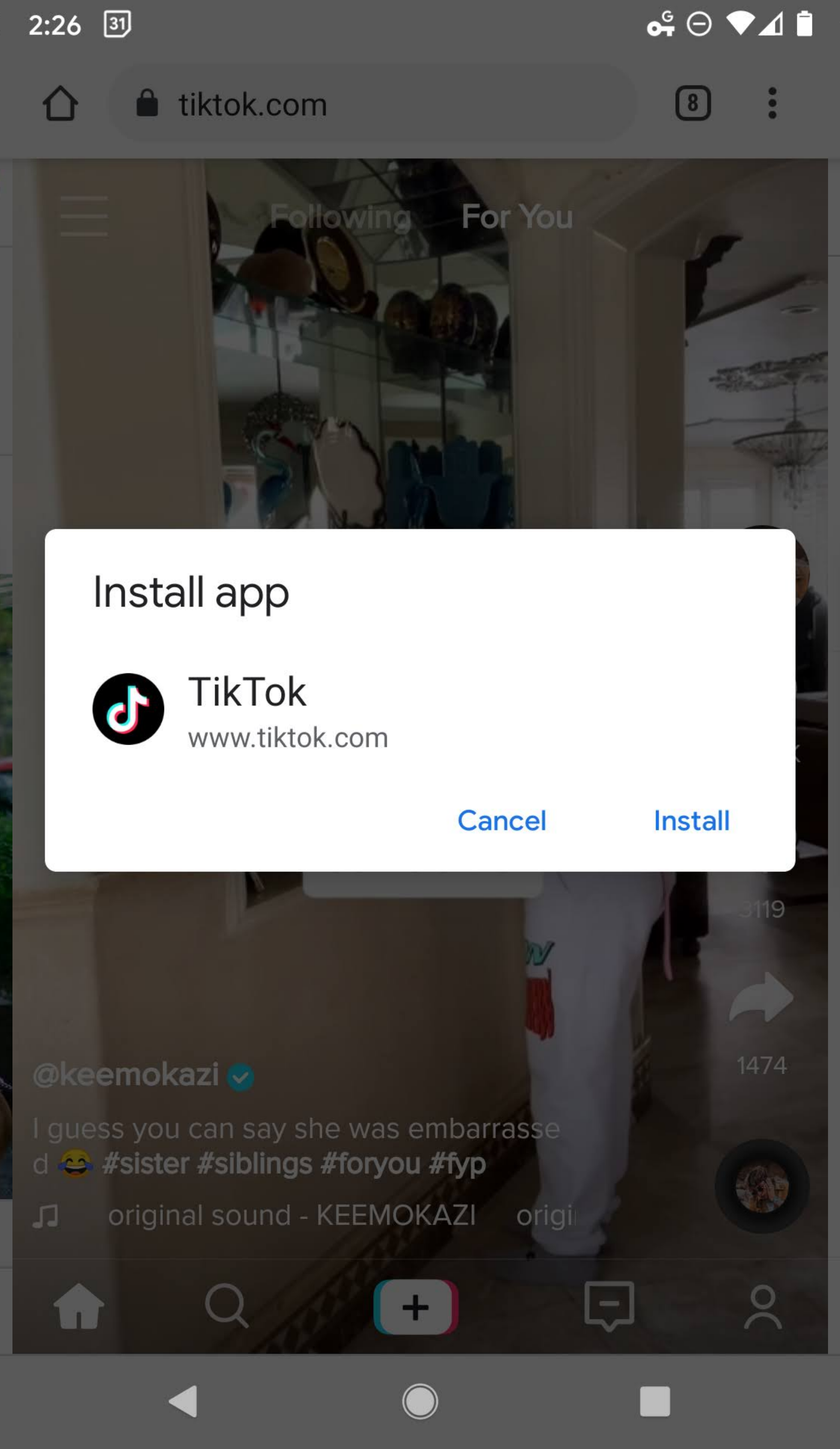
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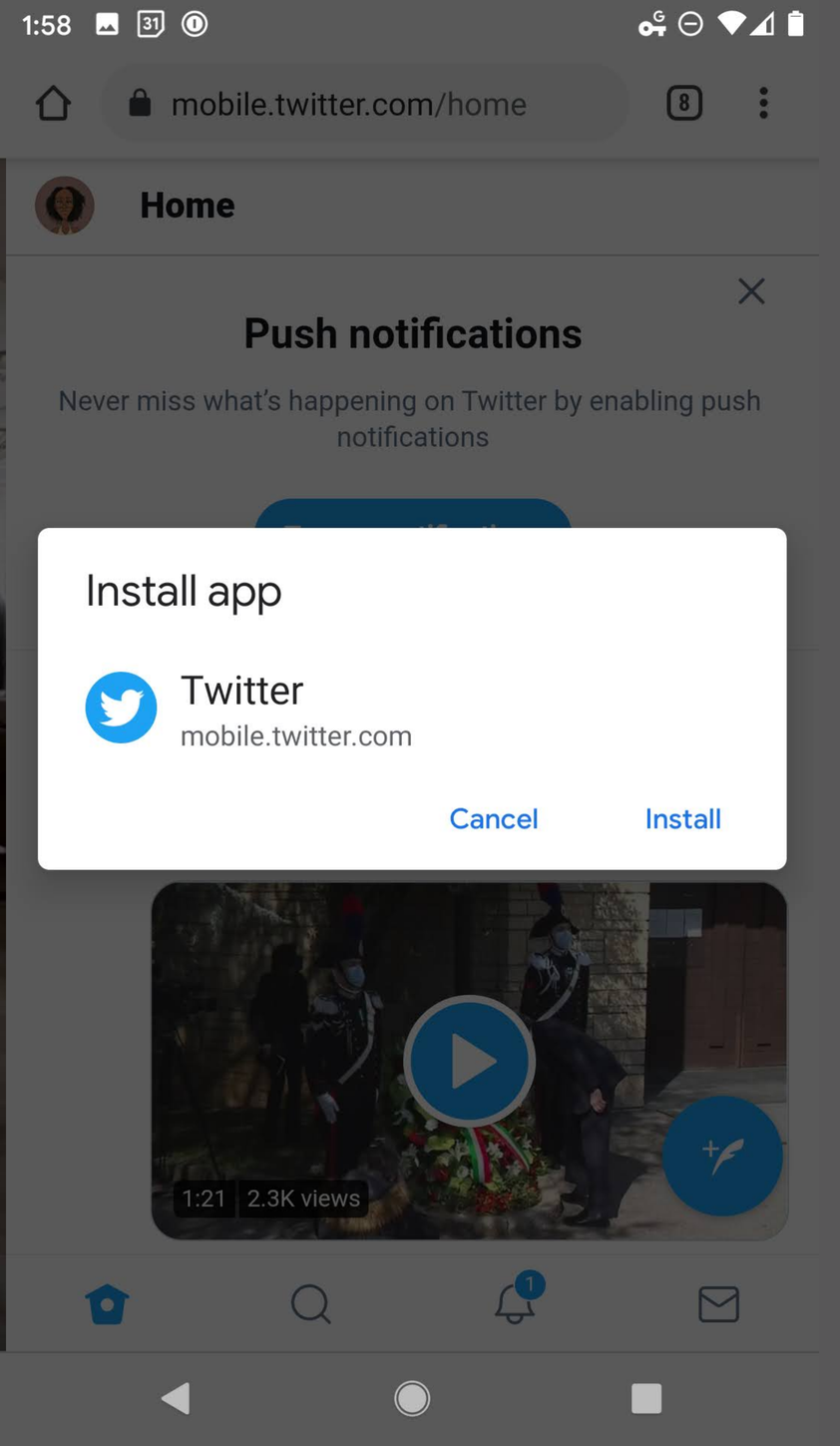
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~1,500,000 websites may be installable on mobile home screens, offering an app experience

https://fırt.dev/pwa-2021

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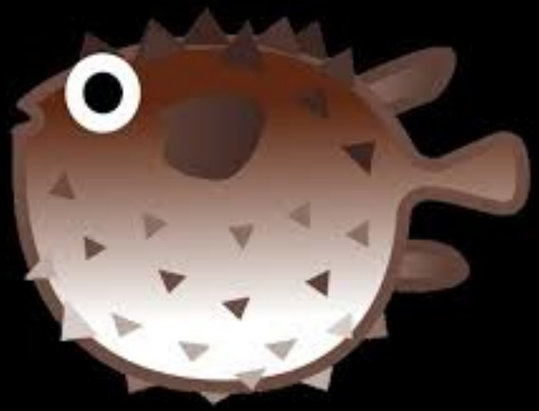
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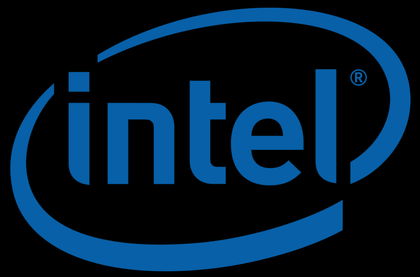
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Project Fugu is an effort to close gaps in the web's capabilities by enabling new classes of applications to run on the web

http://www.chromium.org/teams/web-capabilities-fugu

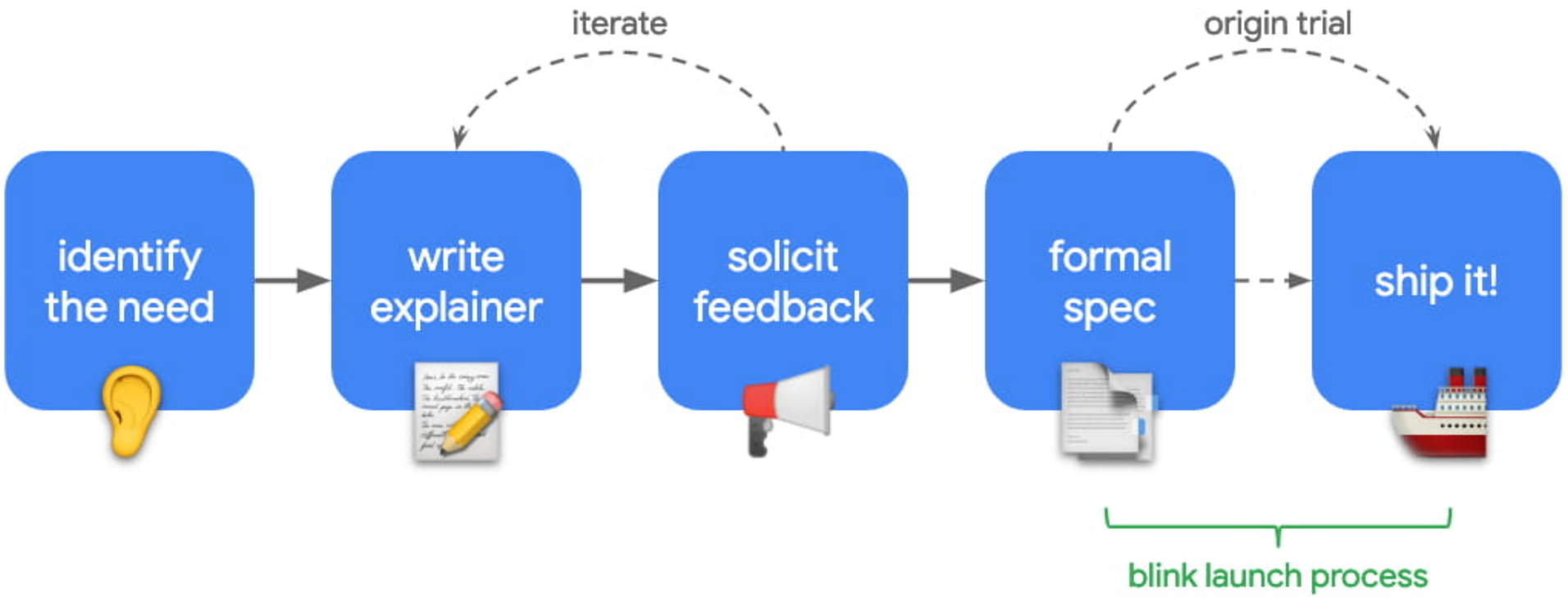


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What has been shipped? 🚀

Critical capabilities

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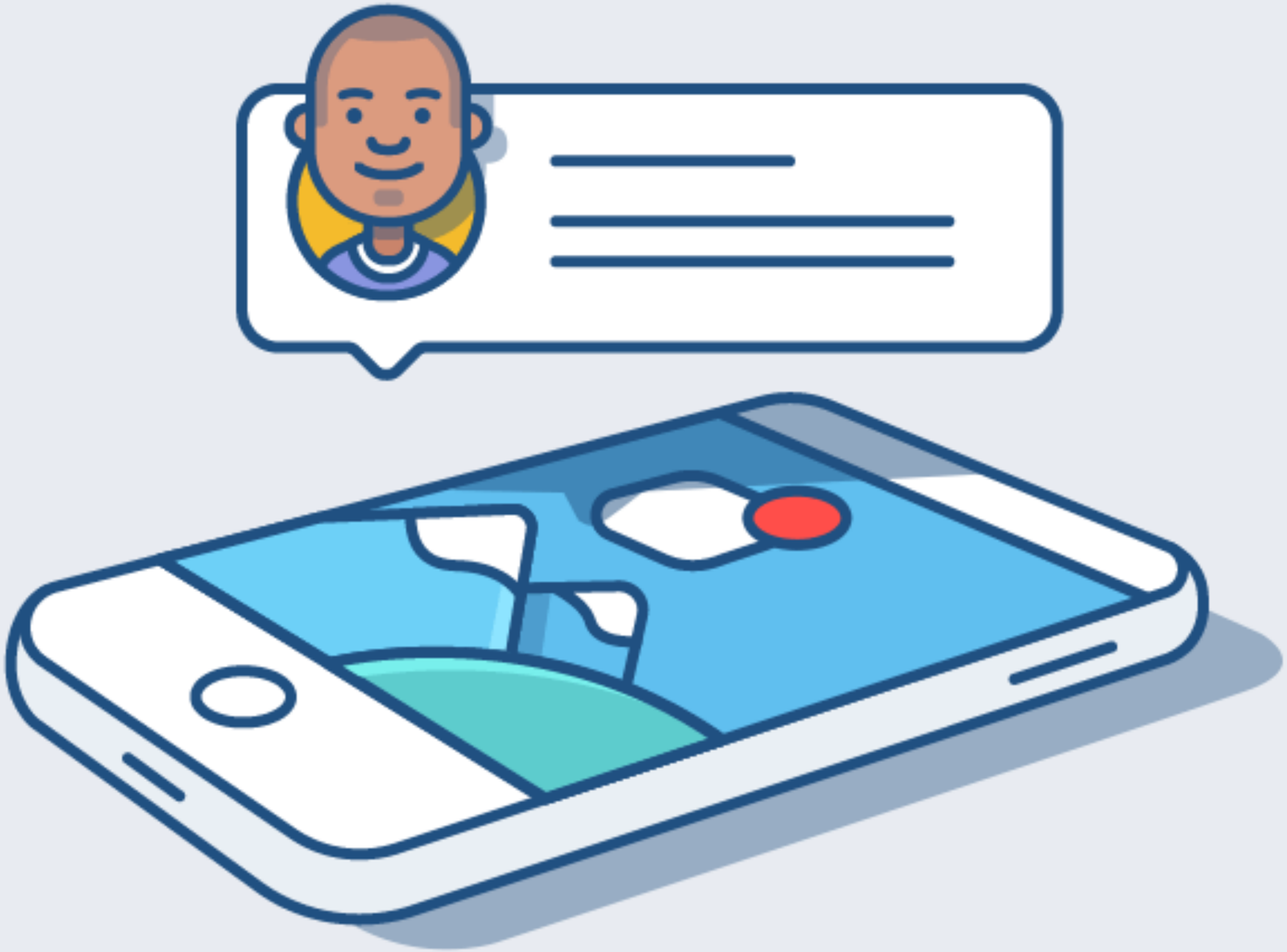


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APIs

Notifications API — display of notification message

Push API — allows browsers to receive messages from a server

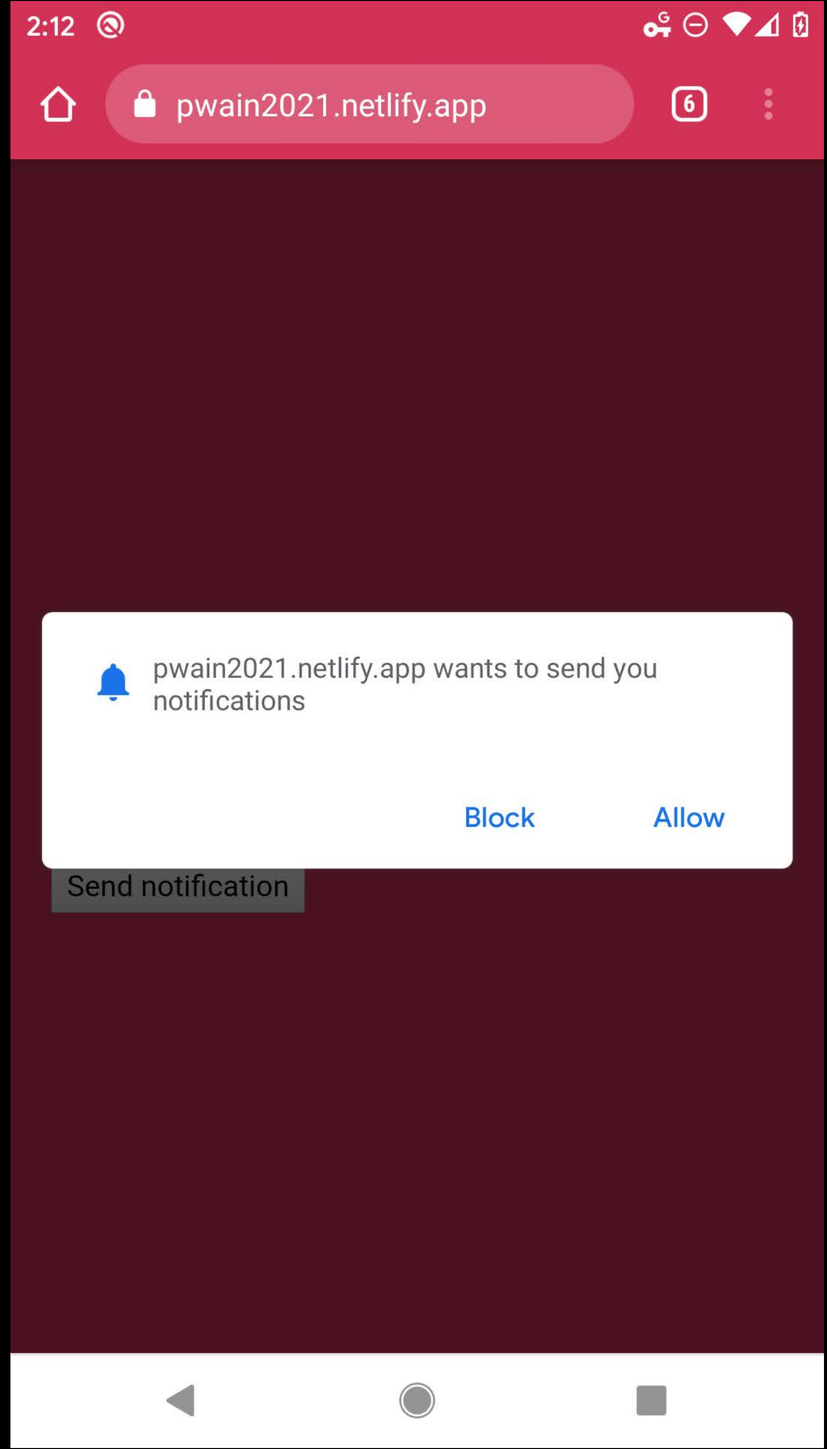
App Badging API — display badge on app icon

Request permission to display push notifications

```
if ('Notification' in window) {

    Notification.requestPermission();

}
```



Display notification

```
navigator.serviceWorker.ready.then((registration) => {

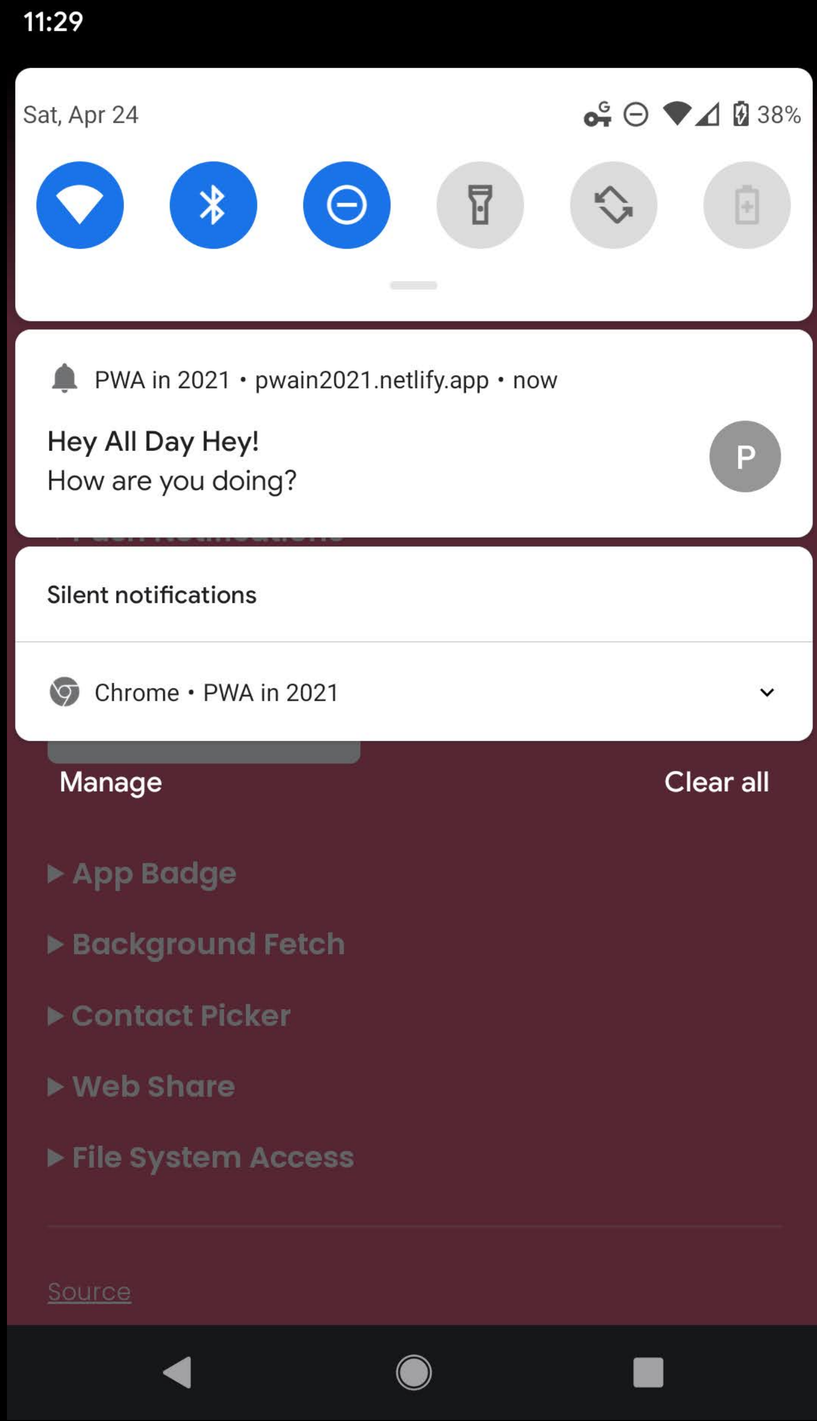
    registration.showNotification(

        'Hey All Day Hey!',

        { body: 'How are you doing?' }

    );

});
```





1. Get Permission to Send Push Messages



2. Get PushSubscription



3. Send PushSubscription to Your Server

Image from https://web.dev/push-notifications-overview/

Get and send PushSubscription to server

```
const registration = await navigator.serviceWorker.register('/service-worker.js');

const pushSubscription = await registration.pushManager.subscribe({

    userVisibleOnly: true,

    applicationServerKey: /* VAPID key */

 });

saveToServer(pushSubscription);
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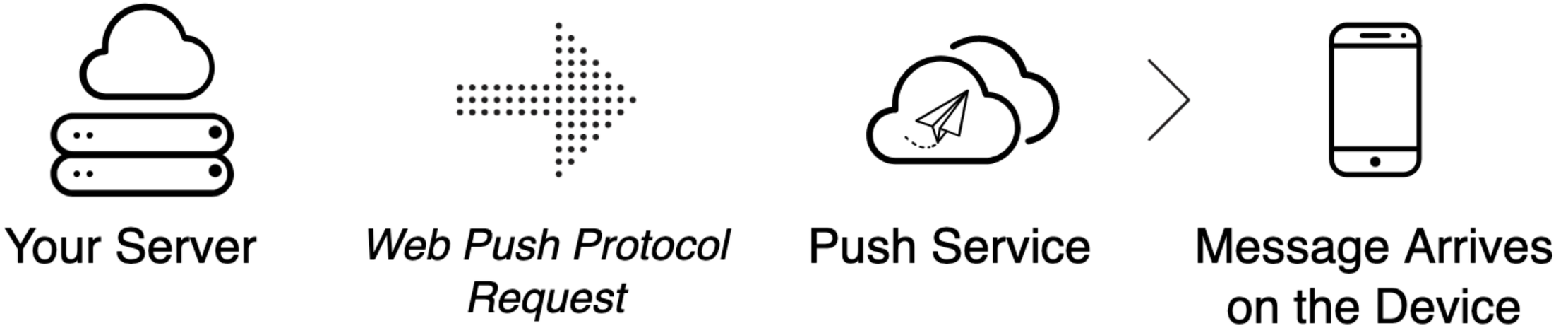


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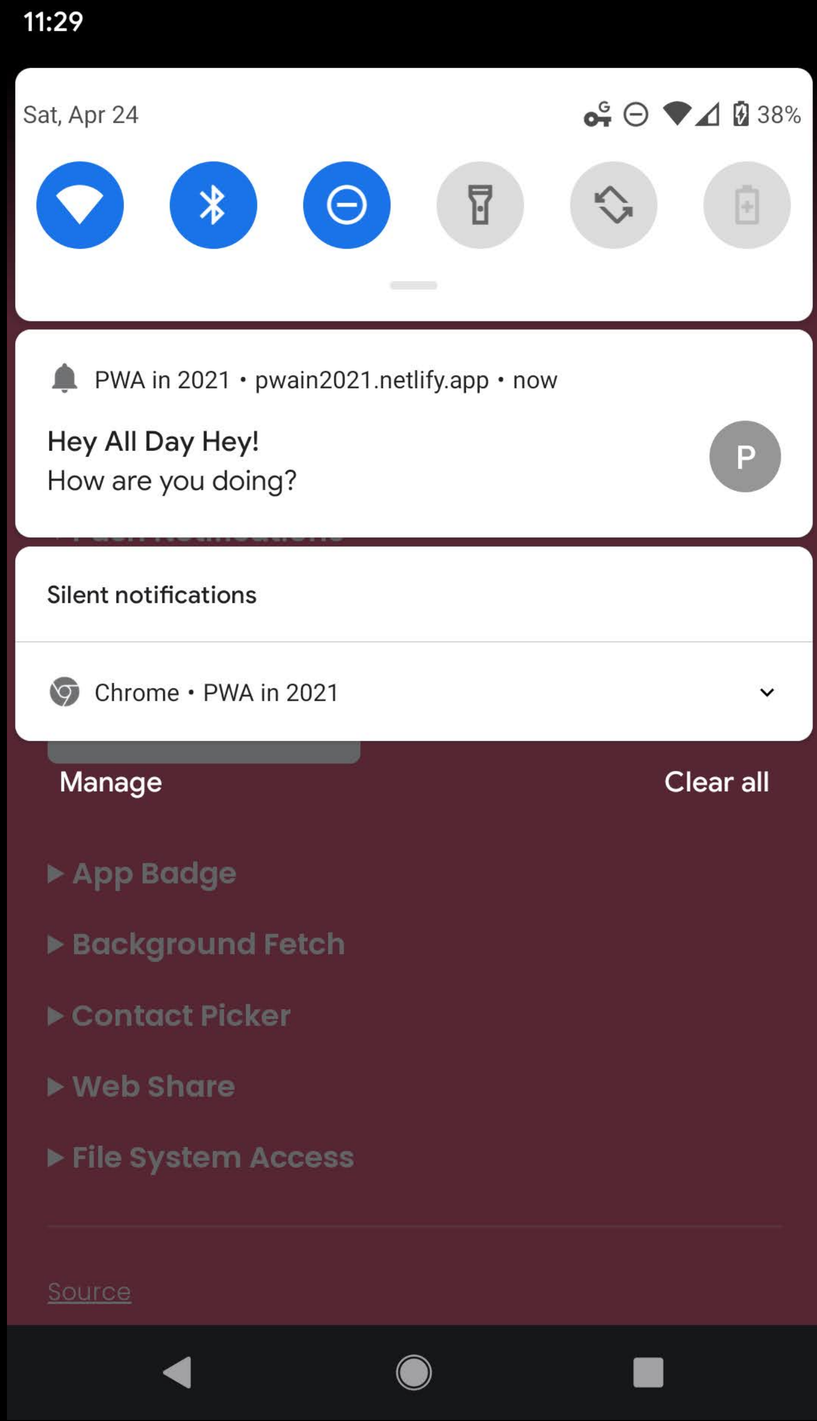
Receive notification in service worker

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self.addEventListener('push', function(event) {


});
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Display notification

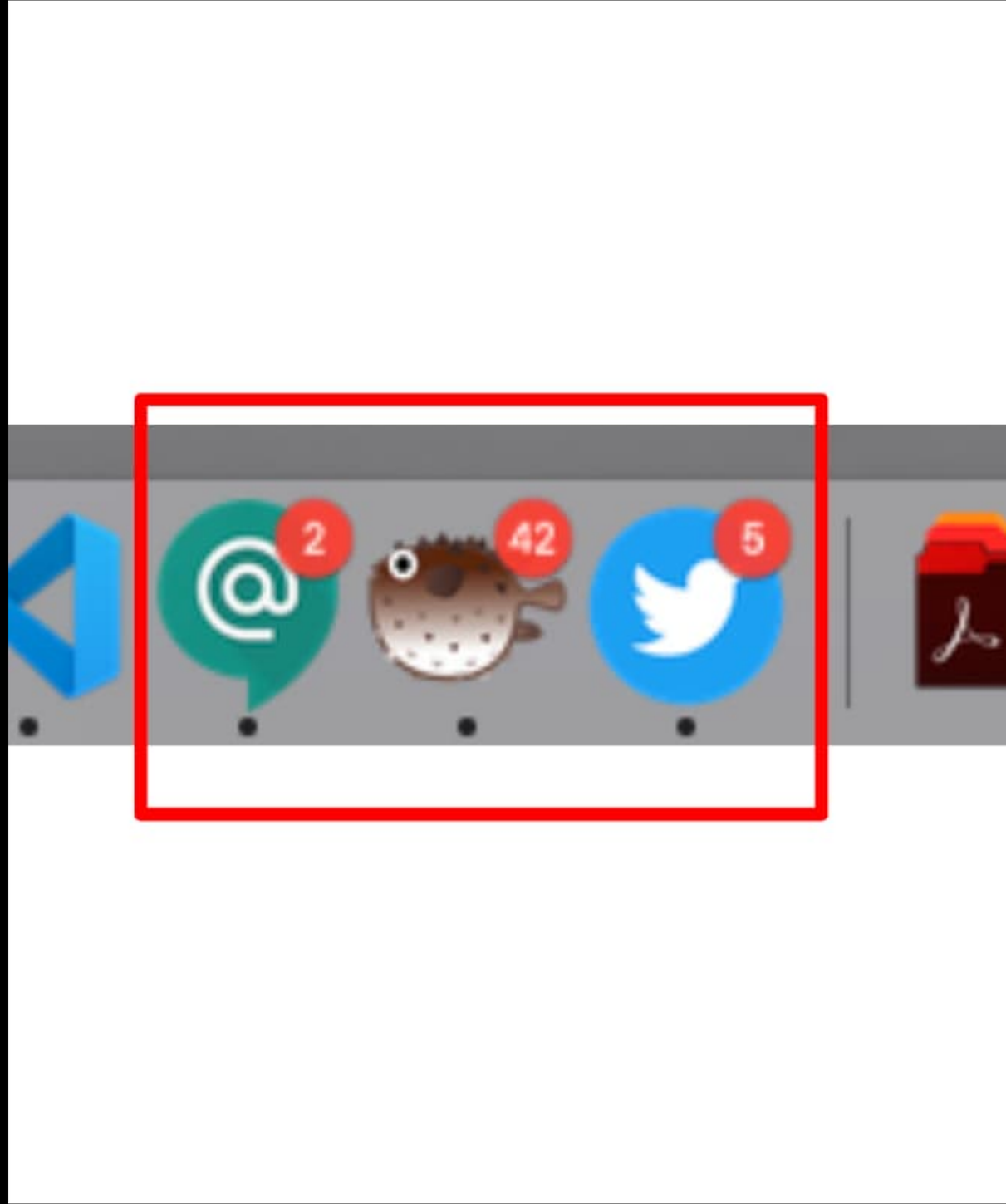
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    );
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```



Set app badge

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navigator.setAppBadge(badgeNumber);

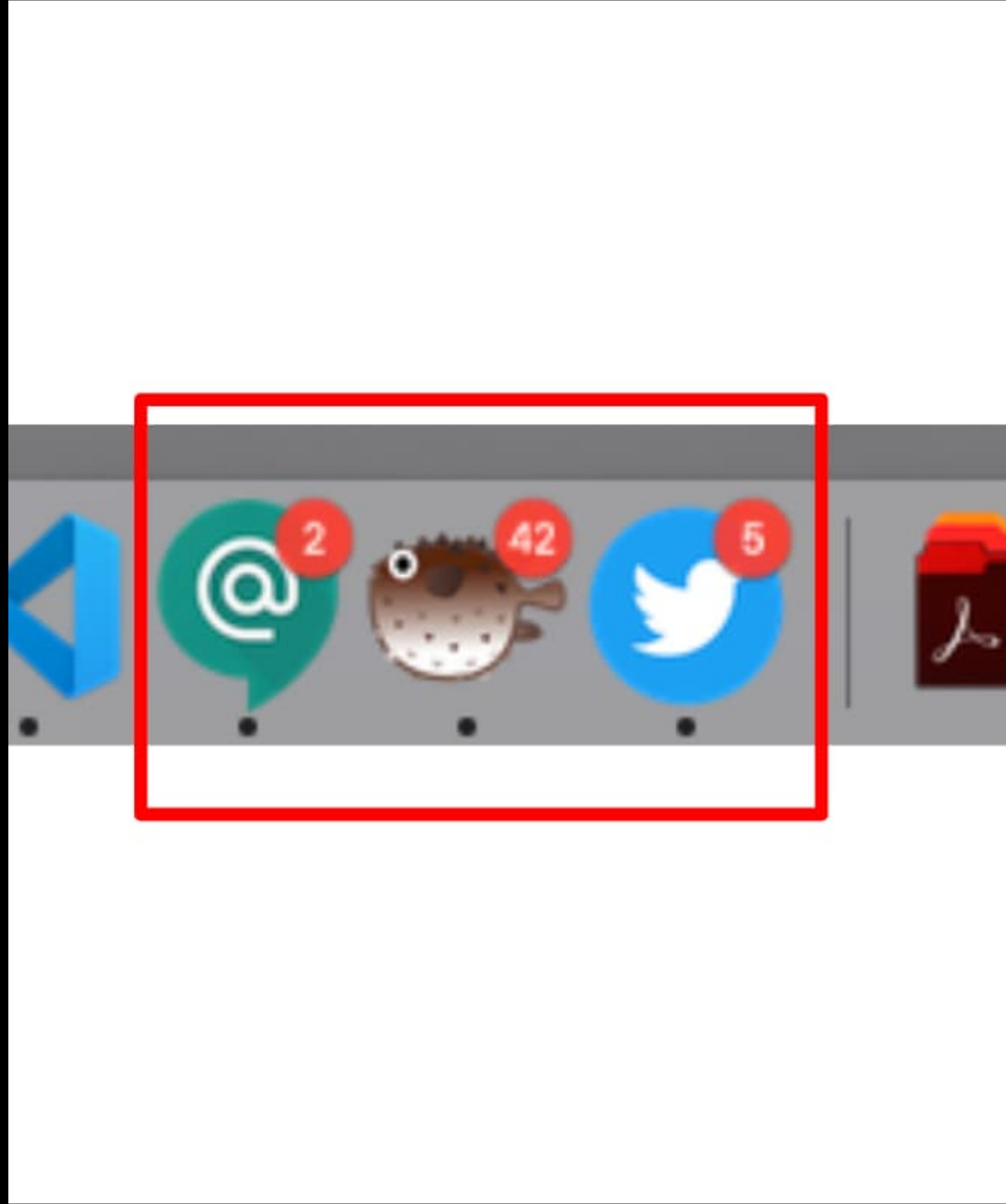
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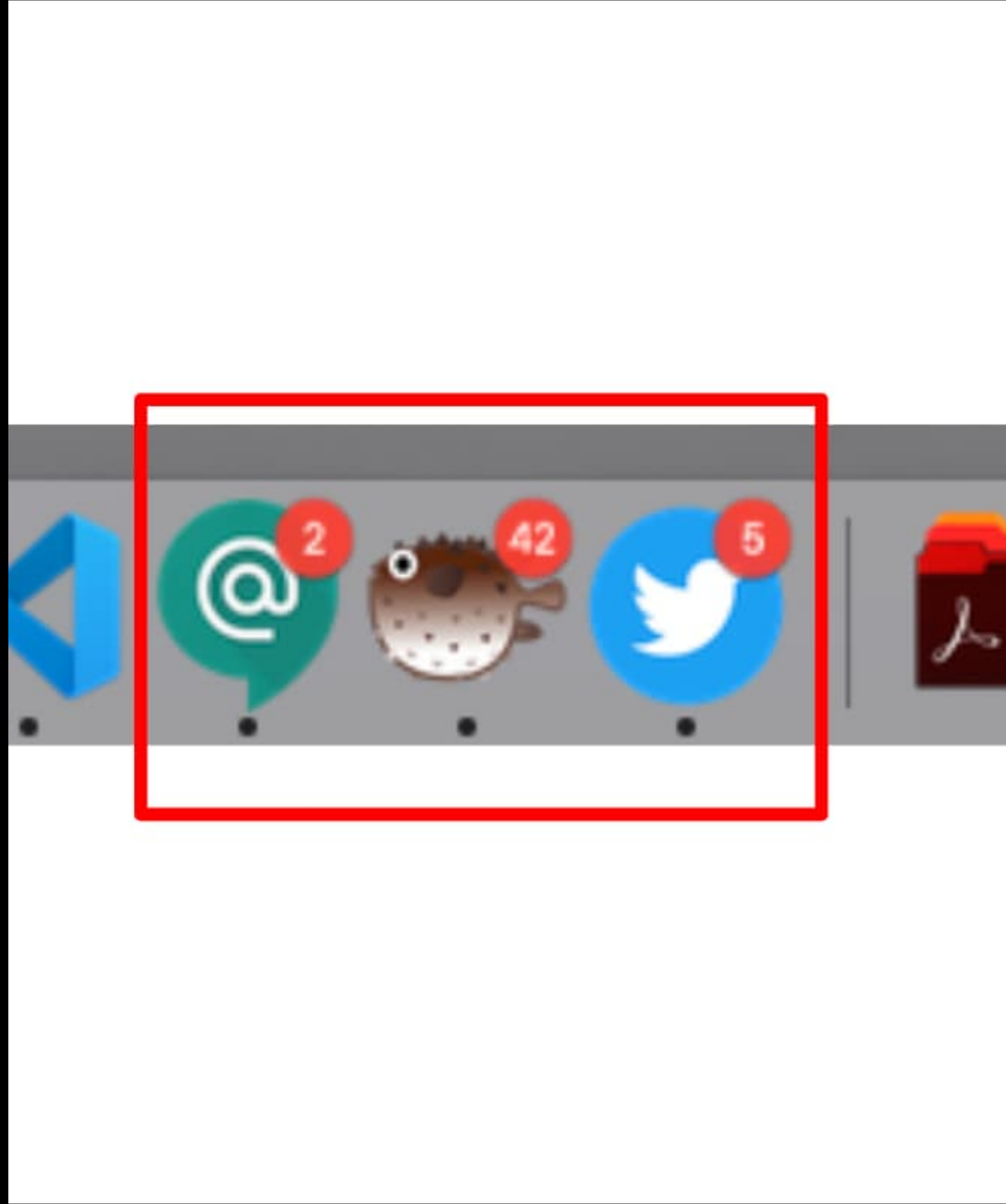
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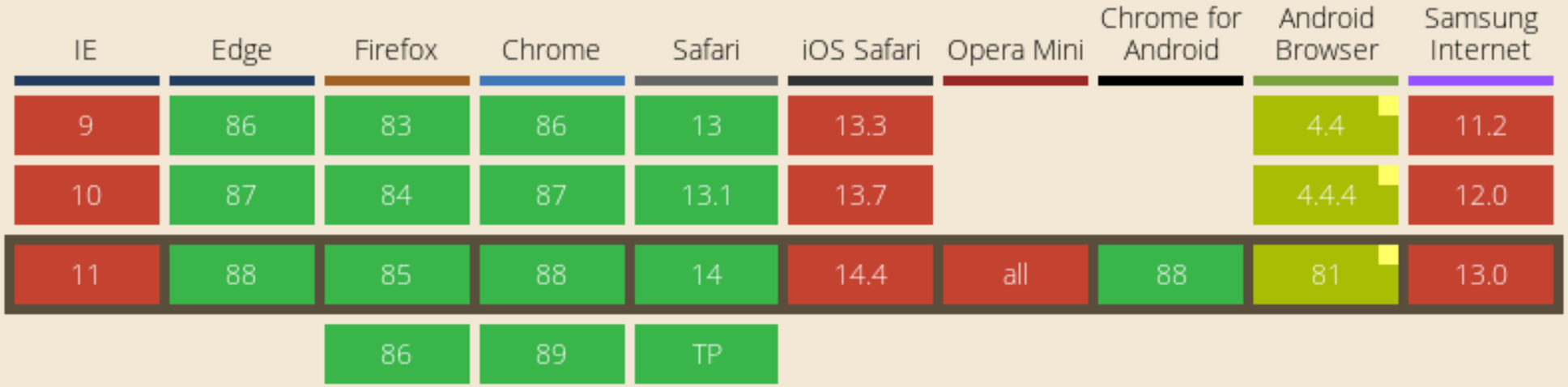
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Web Notifications

Method of alerting the user outside of a web page by displaying notifications (that do not require interaction by the user).



✓ ✗ Partial Support Prefixed

Global: 76.07% + 0.49% = **76.56%**

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✓ ✗ Partial Support



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https://developer.apple.com/videos/play/wwdc2013/614/

Navigator API: setAppBadge

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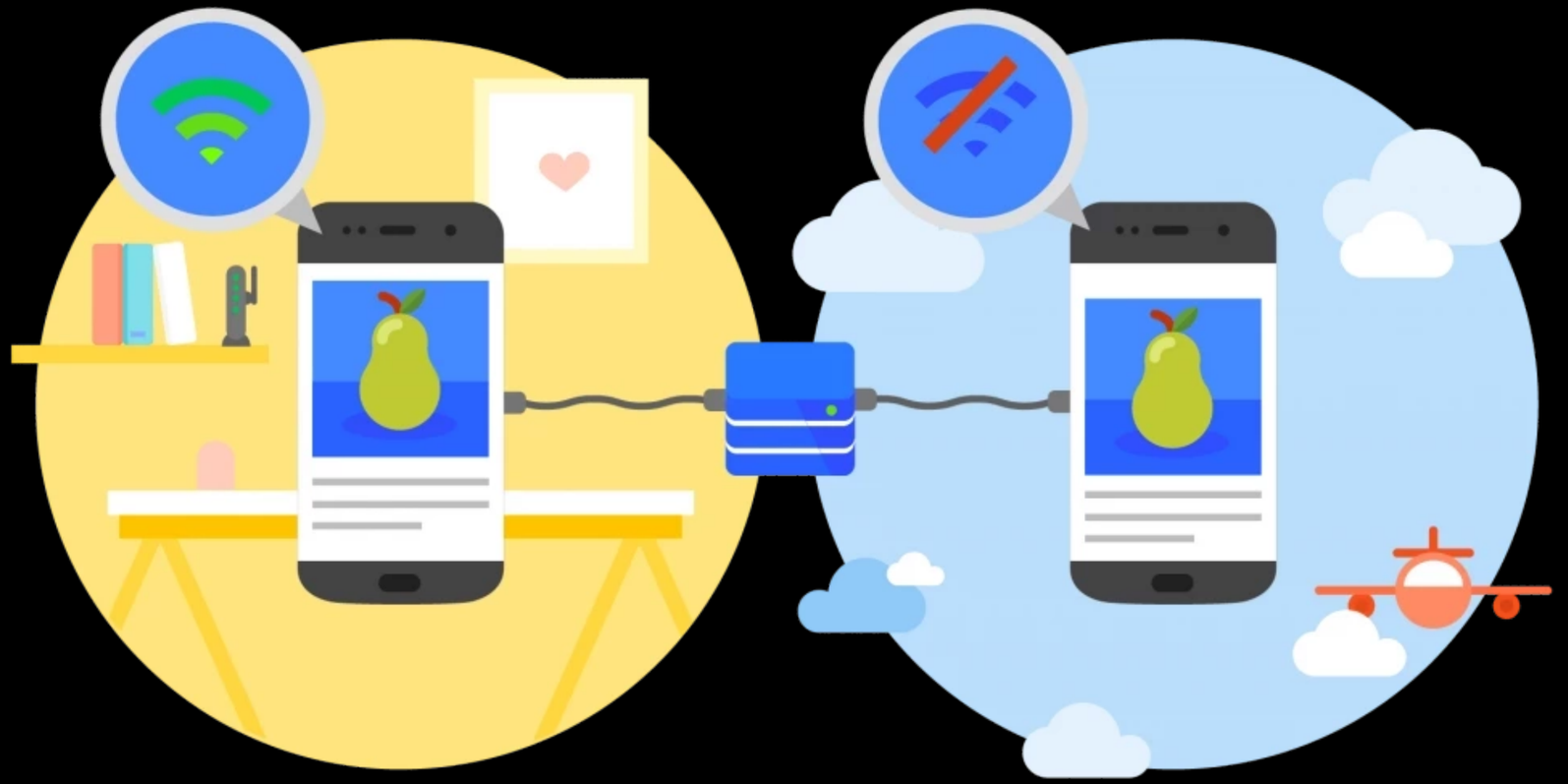


Image from https://robert-askam.co.uk/posts/how-do-make-a-post-request-to-a-server-using-background-sync-and-service-workers

APIs

Background Sync API — defer actions until stable connection

Background Fetch API — perform fetches in the background

Periodic Background Sync API — sync data in the background


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Register a sync task

```
navigator.serviceWorker.ready.then(async (registration) => {

    await registration.sync.register('send-chat-message');

});
```

Detect connectivity

```
self.addEventListener('sync', function(event) {


});
```

Complete task

```
self.addEventListener('sync', function(event) {

    if (event.tag == 'send-chat-message') {

        event.waitUntil( /* send chat message */ );

    }

});
```



Start a background fetch

```
navigator.serviceWorker.ready.then(async (registration) => {
    const videoFetch = await registration.backgroundFetch.fetch('video-fetch', ['/video.mp4'], {
        title: 'Funny Video',
        icons: [{ sizes: '300x300', src: '/thumbnail.png', type: 'image/png', }],
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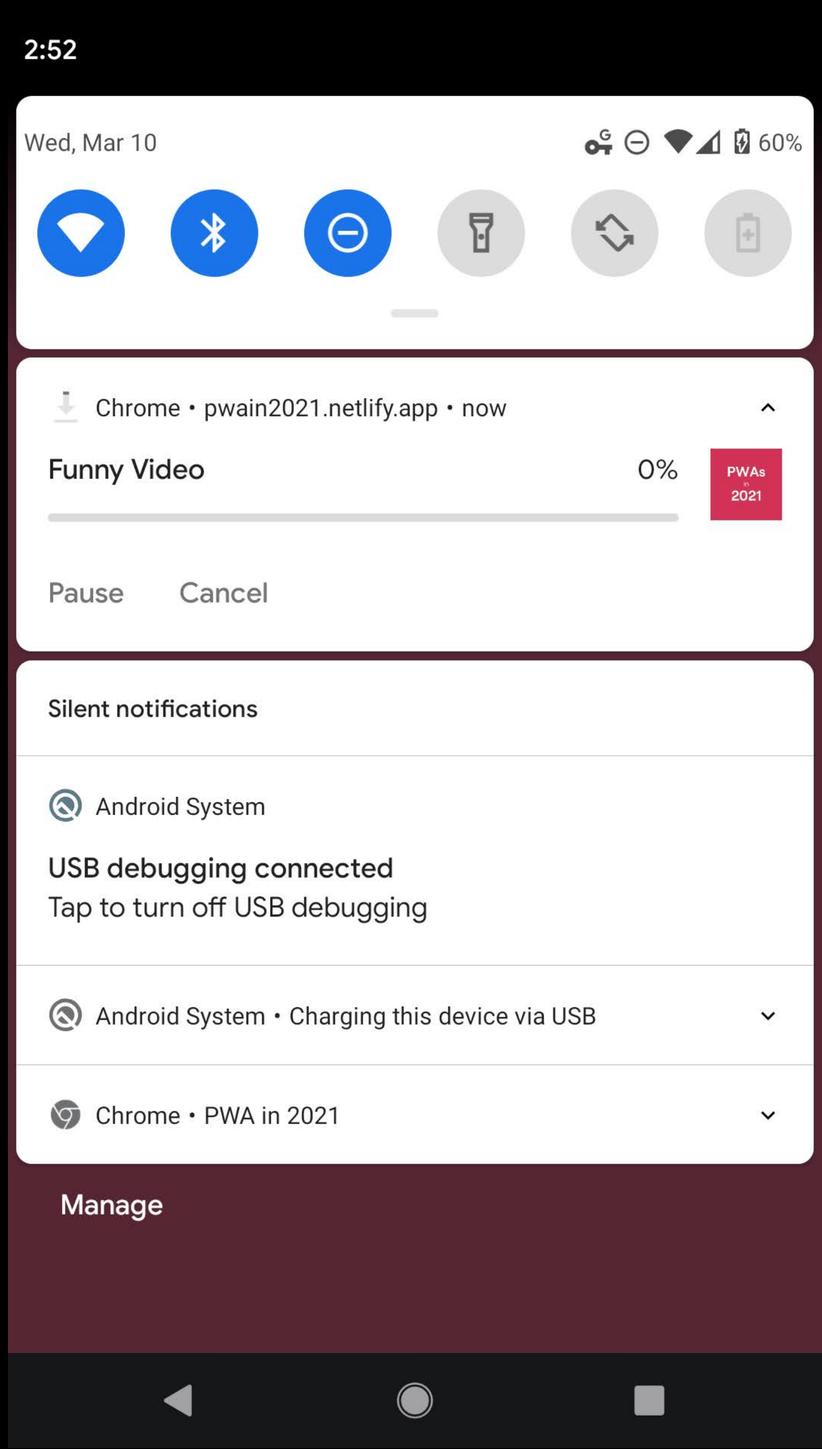
Track progress

```
videoFetch.addEventListener('progress', () => {

    const percent = Math.round(videoFetch.downloaded /
videoFetch.downloadTotal * 100);

    console.log(`Download progress: ${percent}%`);

});
```



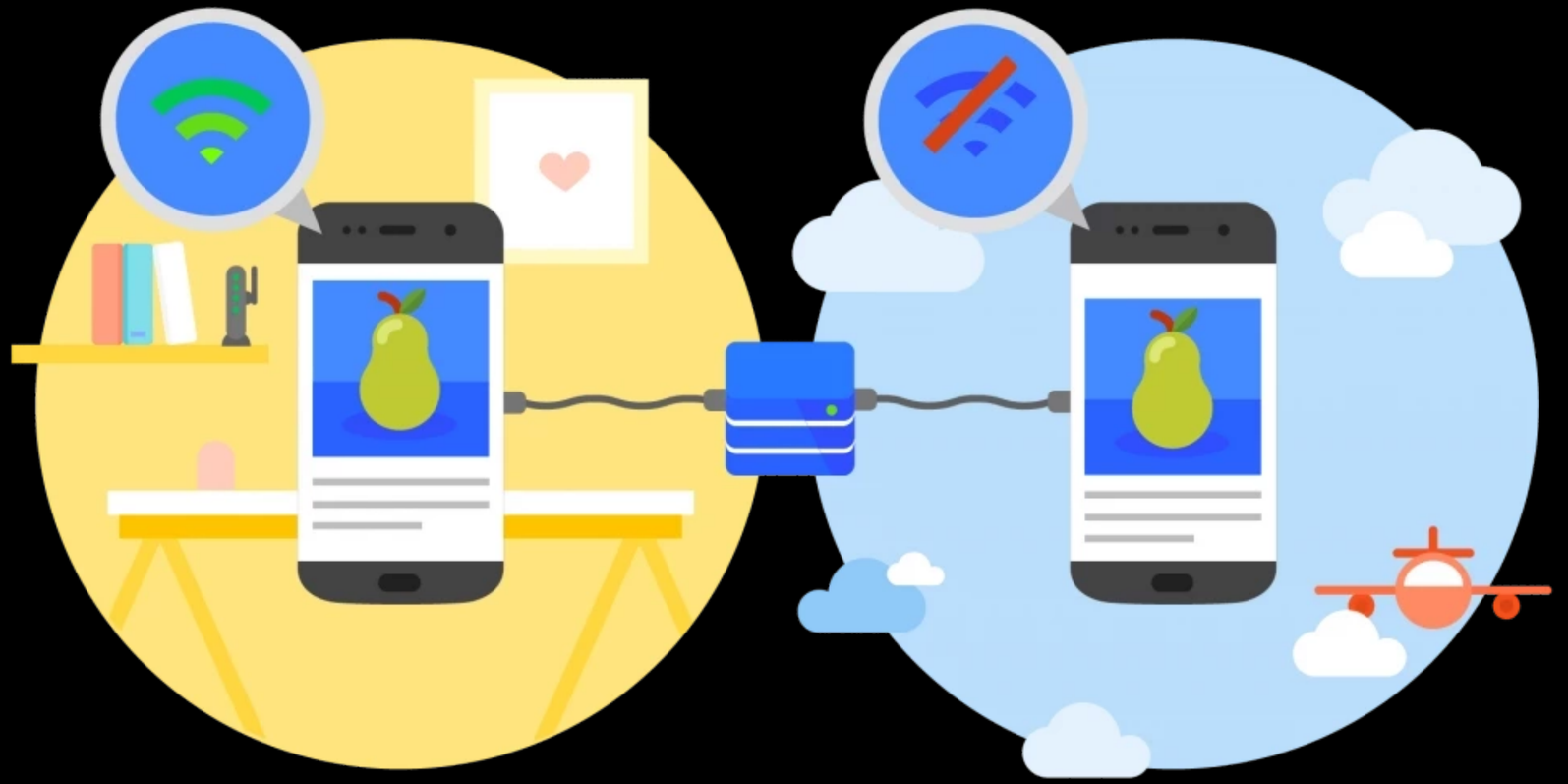
Service worker events

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self.addEventListener(‘backgroundfetchsuccess' () ⇒ /* */ );

self.addEventListener(‘backgroundfetchfailure' () ⇒ /* */ );

self.addEventListener(‘backgroundfetchabort' () ⇒ /* */ );

self.addEventListener(‘backgroundfetchclick’ () ⇒ /* */ );
```



Register a periodic sync task

```
navigator.serviceWorker.ready.then(async (registration) => {

    await registration.periodicSync.register('chat-sync', {

        minInterval: 24 * 60 * 60 * 1000, // Once a day

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Complete task

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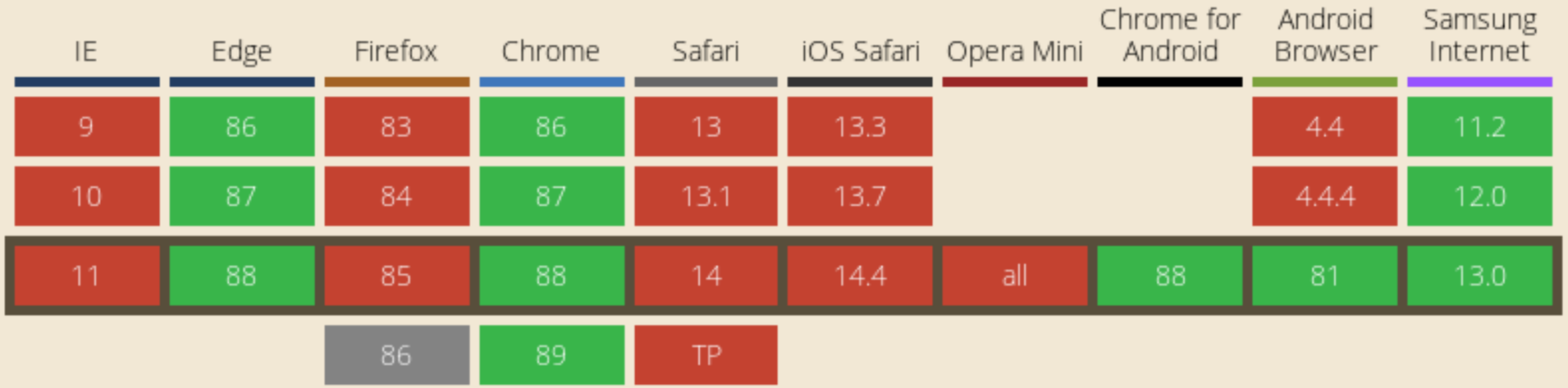
        event.waitUntil( /* fetch and update chat messages */ );

    }

});
```

Background Sync API

Provides one-off and periodic synchronization for Service Workers with an onsync event.



✓ ✗ ? Partial Support

Global: 72.7% + 0% = **72.70%**

BackgroundFetchEvent API

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PeriodicSyncEvent API

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(Some) APIs

Contact Picker API

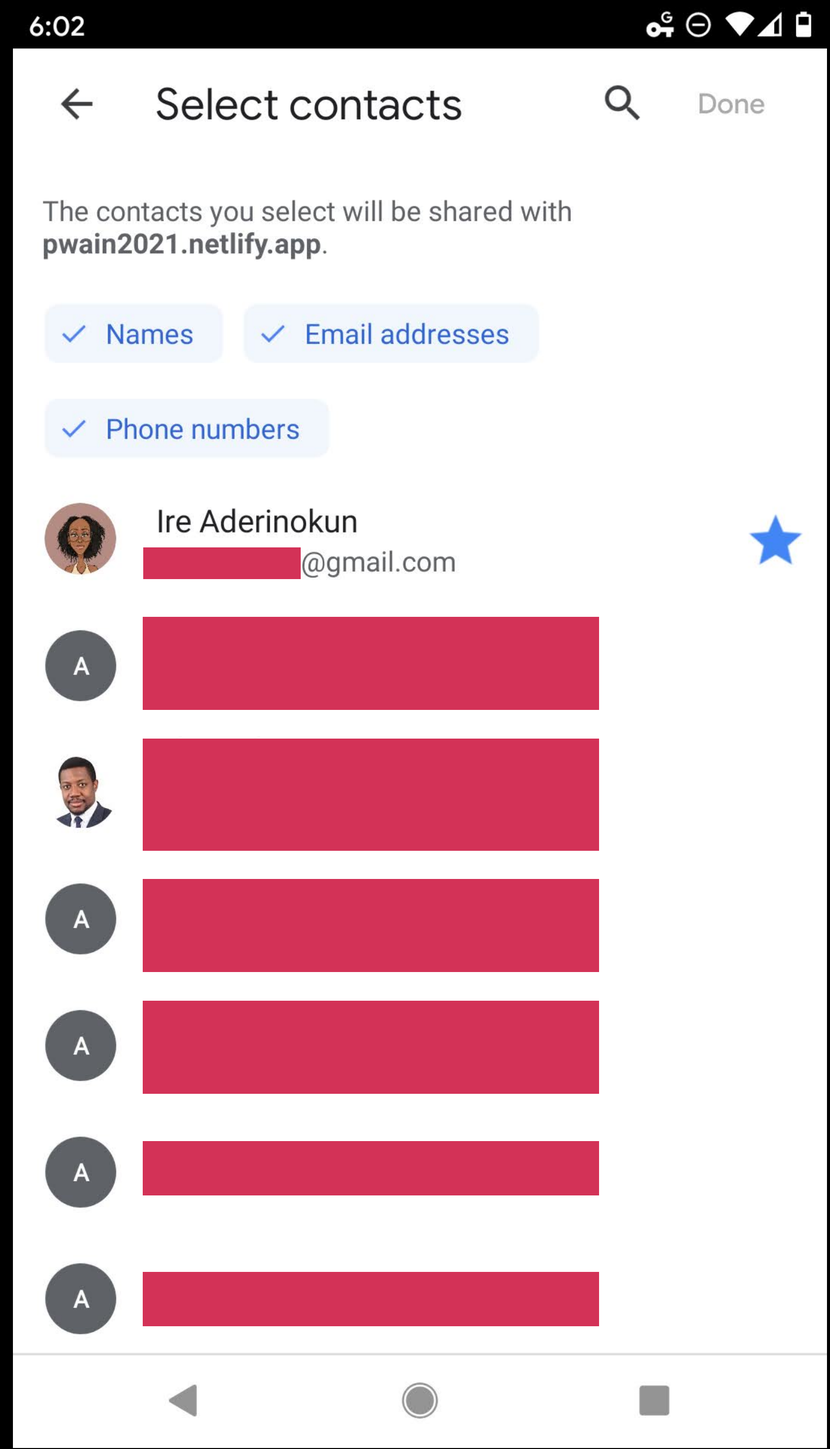
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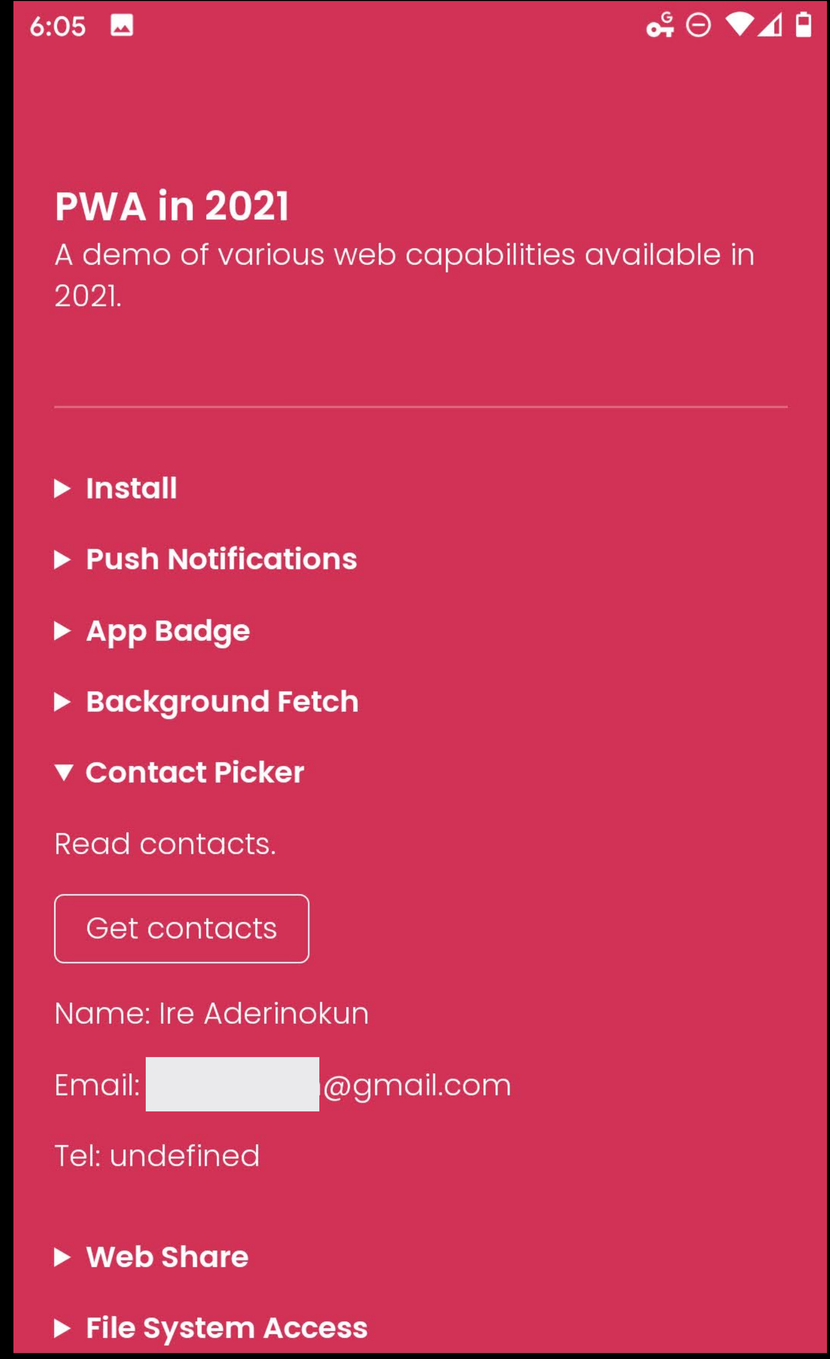
    const contacts = await navigator.contacts.select(

        ['name', 'email', ‘tel', 'icon'],

        {multiple: true}

    );

}
```



Navigator API: contacts

Usage % of all users ?

Global 39.69%

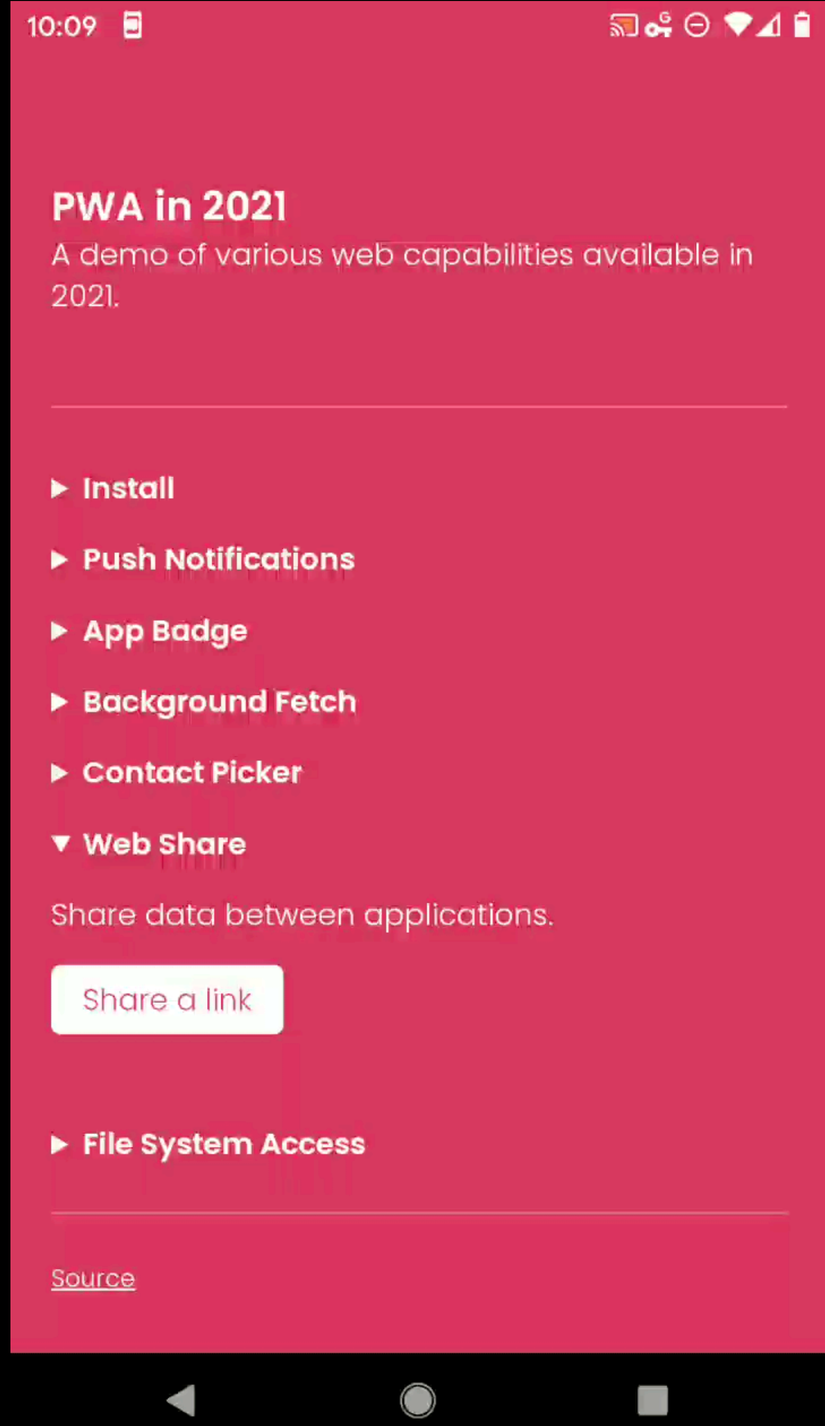
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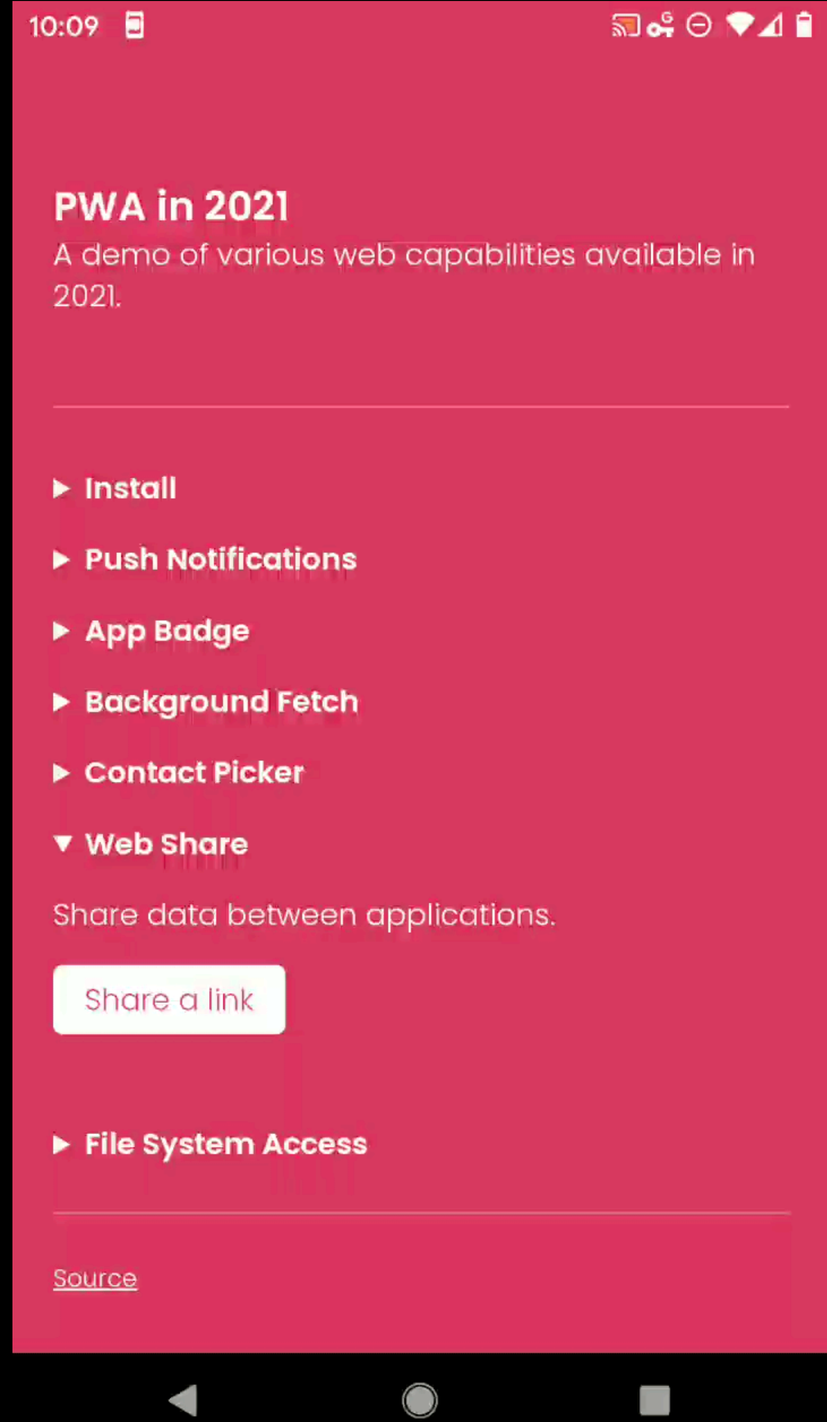
```
if (navigator.share) {


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Web Share API

```
if (navigator.share) {
    navigator.share({
        title: ‘An Event Apart Spring Summit',
        text: 'Check out An Event Apart\’s latest conference!’,
        url: 'https://aneventapart.com/event/spring-summit-2021',
    });
}
```



Web Share Target API

```
"share_target": {

    "action": “/share-target.html”,

    "method": "GET",

    "params": {

        "title": "title",

        "text": "text",

        "url": "url"

    }

}
```



Web Share Target API

```
window.addEventListener('DOMContentLoaded', () => {

    const { searchParams } = new URL(window.location);

    const title = searchParams.get('title');

    const text = searchParams.get('text');

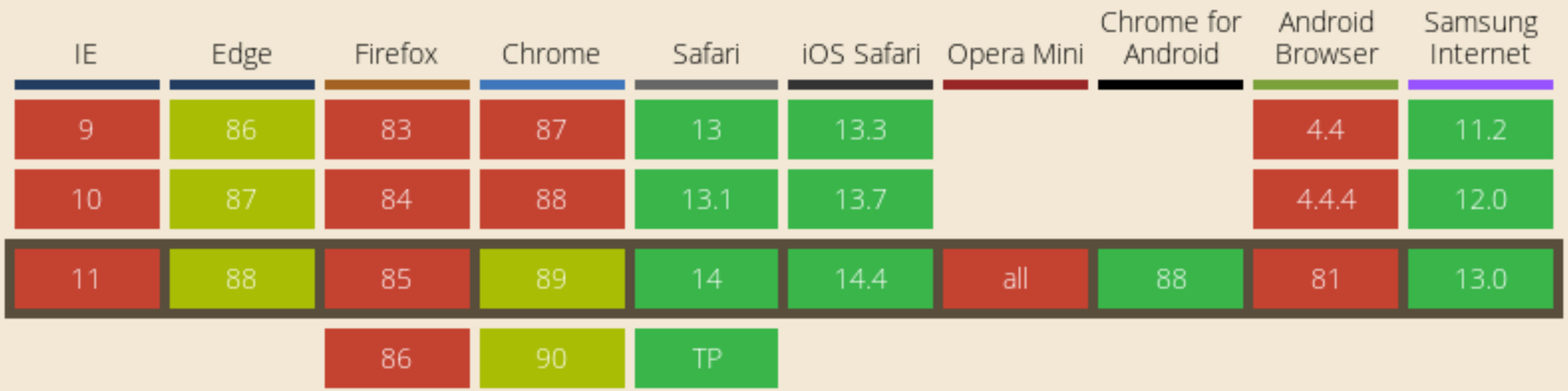
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Web Share API

A way to allow websites to invoke the native sharing capabilities of the host platform



✓ ✗ Partial Support

Global: 57.58% + 3.47% = **61.05%**

Web Share Target





File System Access API

```
if ('showOpenFilePicker' in window) {


}
```

Read a local file

```
let fileHandle;

document.getElementById('open-file-picker').addEventListener('click', async () => {

    [fileHandle] = await window.showOpenFilePicker();

    const file = await fileHandle.getFile();

    const contents = await file.text();

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Save to a local file

```
document.getElementById('save-file').addEventListener('click', async () ⇒ {

    const writable = await fileHandle.createWritable();

    await writable.write(/* new contents */);

    await writable.close();

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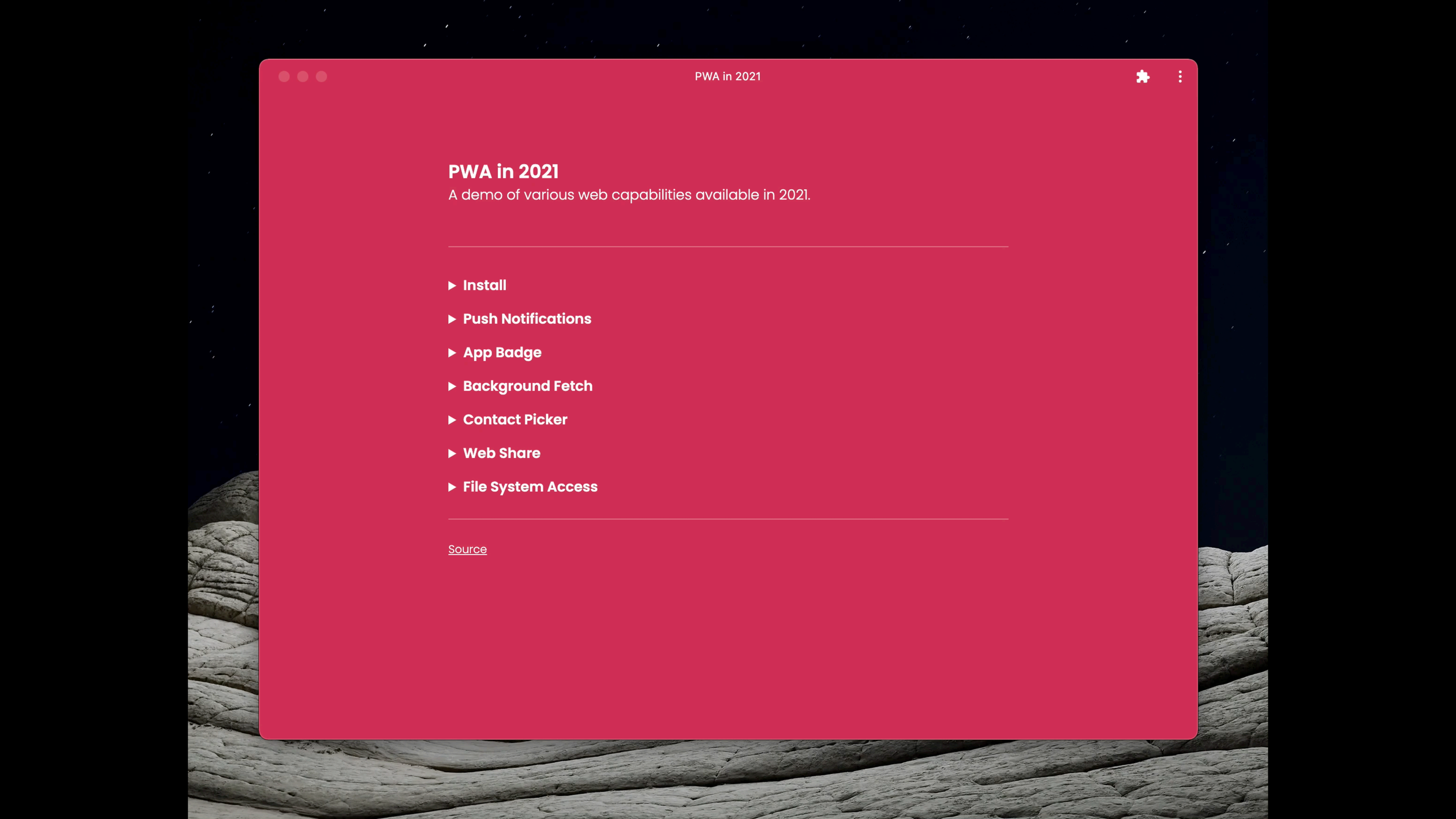
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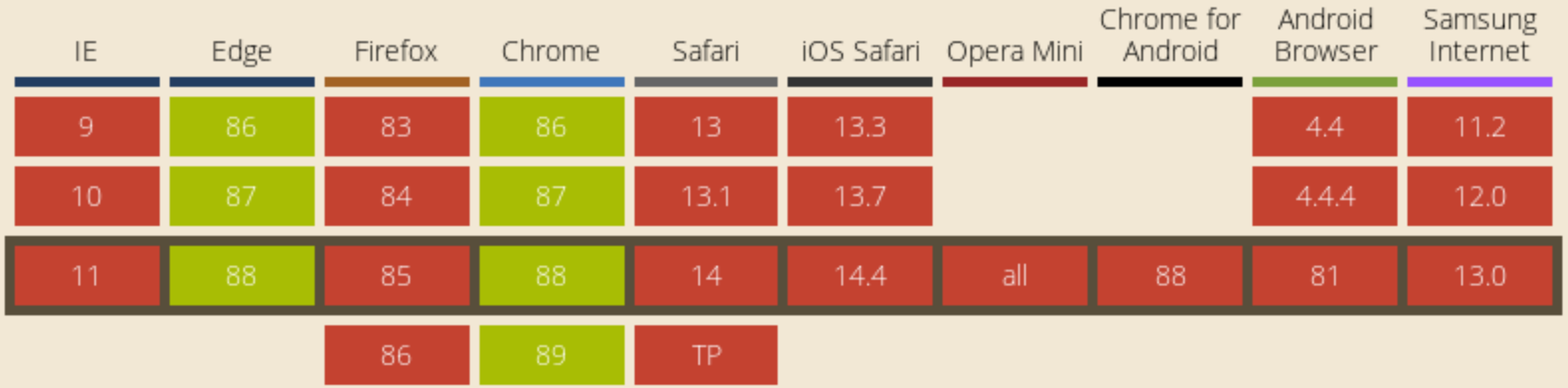
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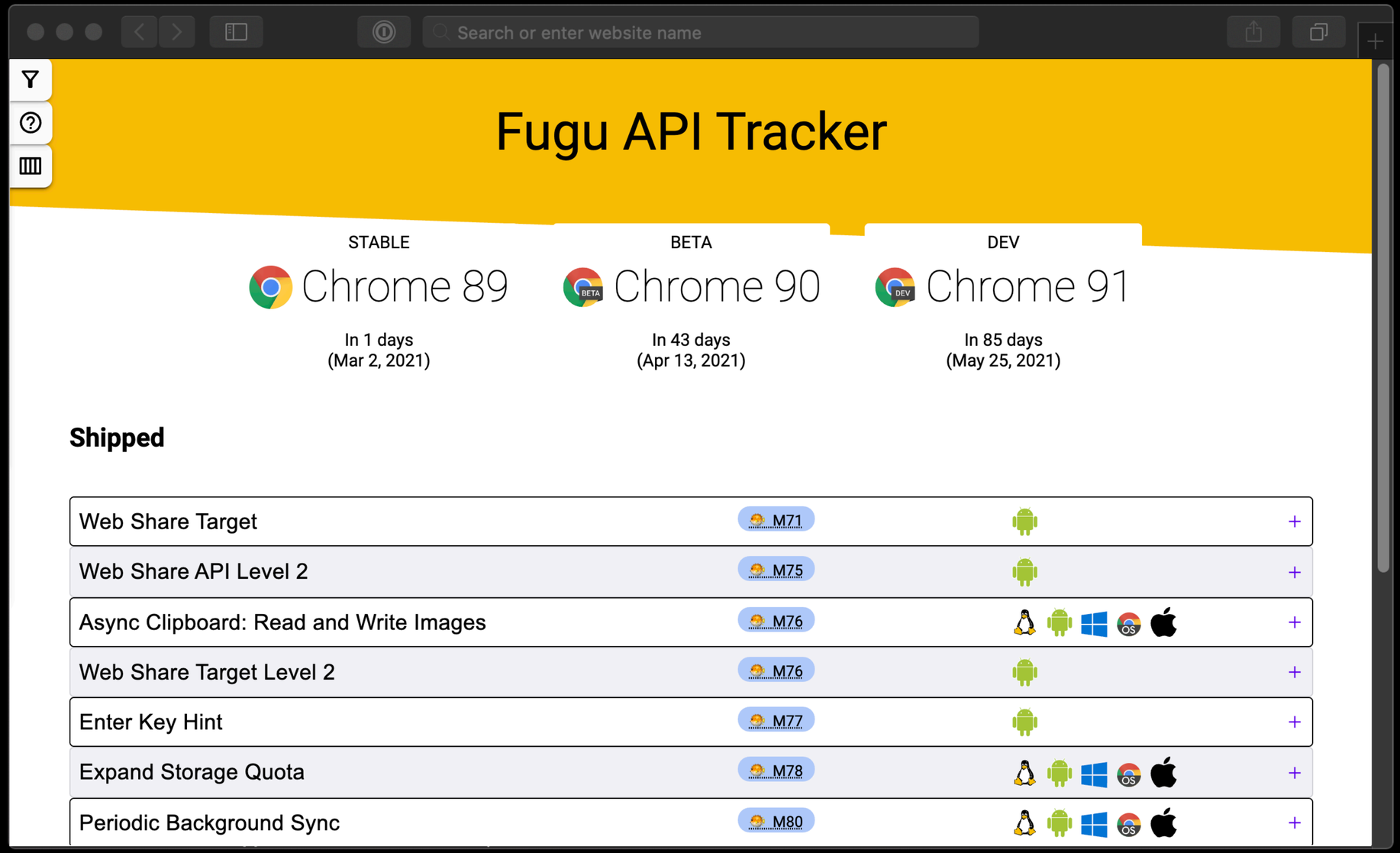
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API for manipulating files in the device's local file system (not in a sandbox).



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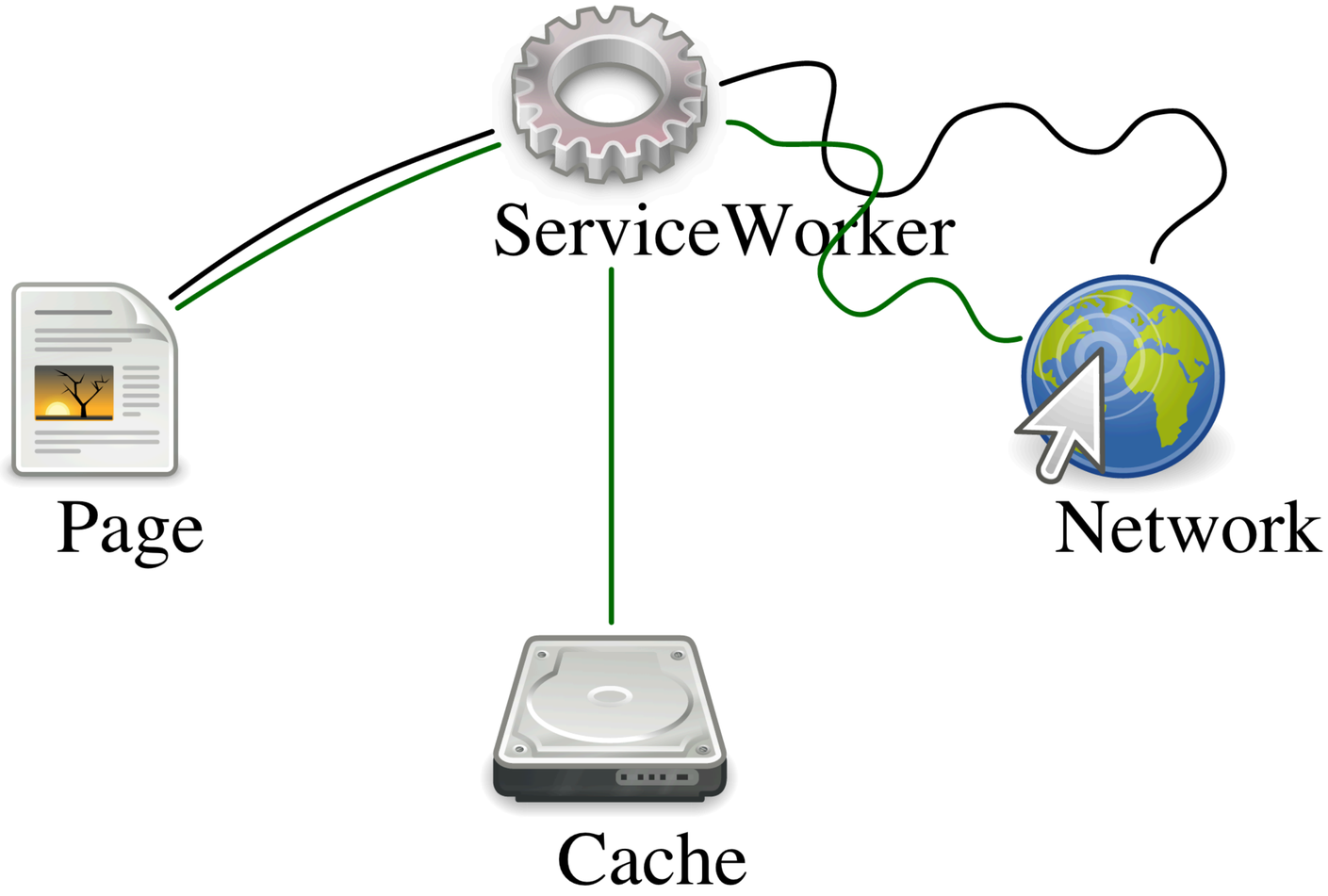
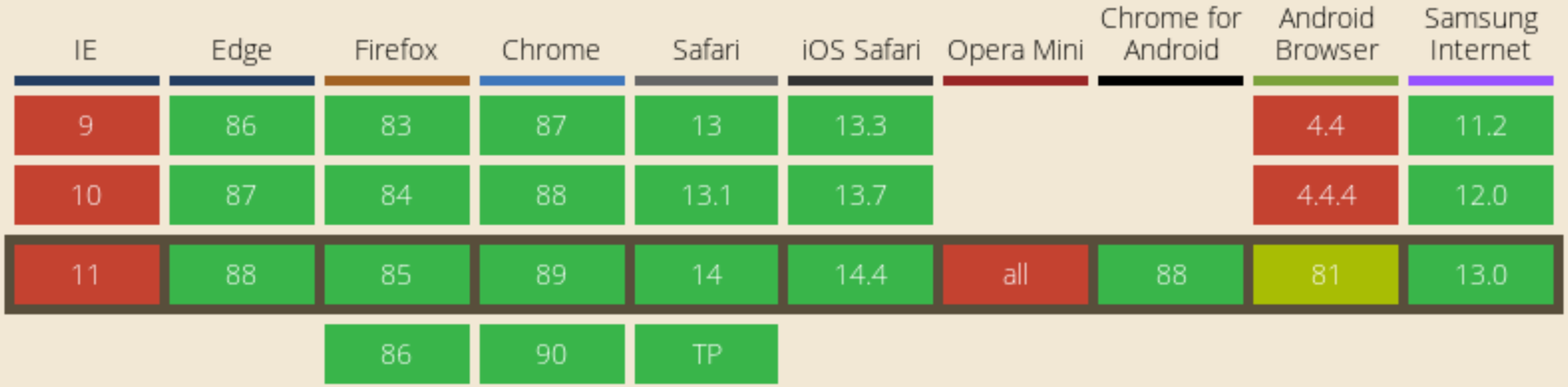


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Service Workers

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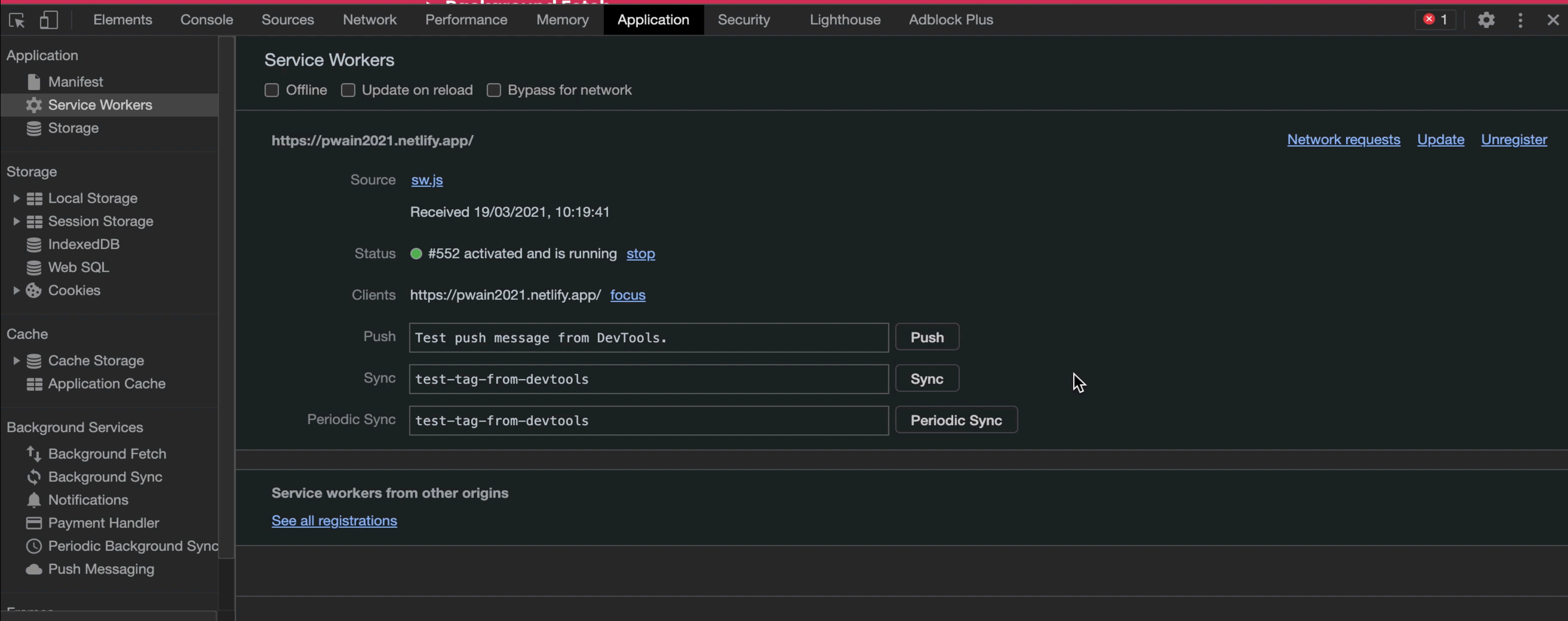
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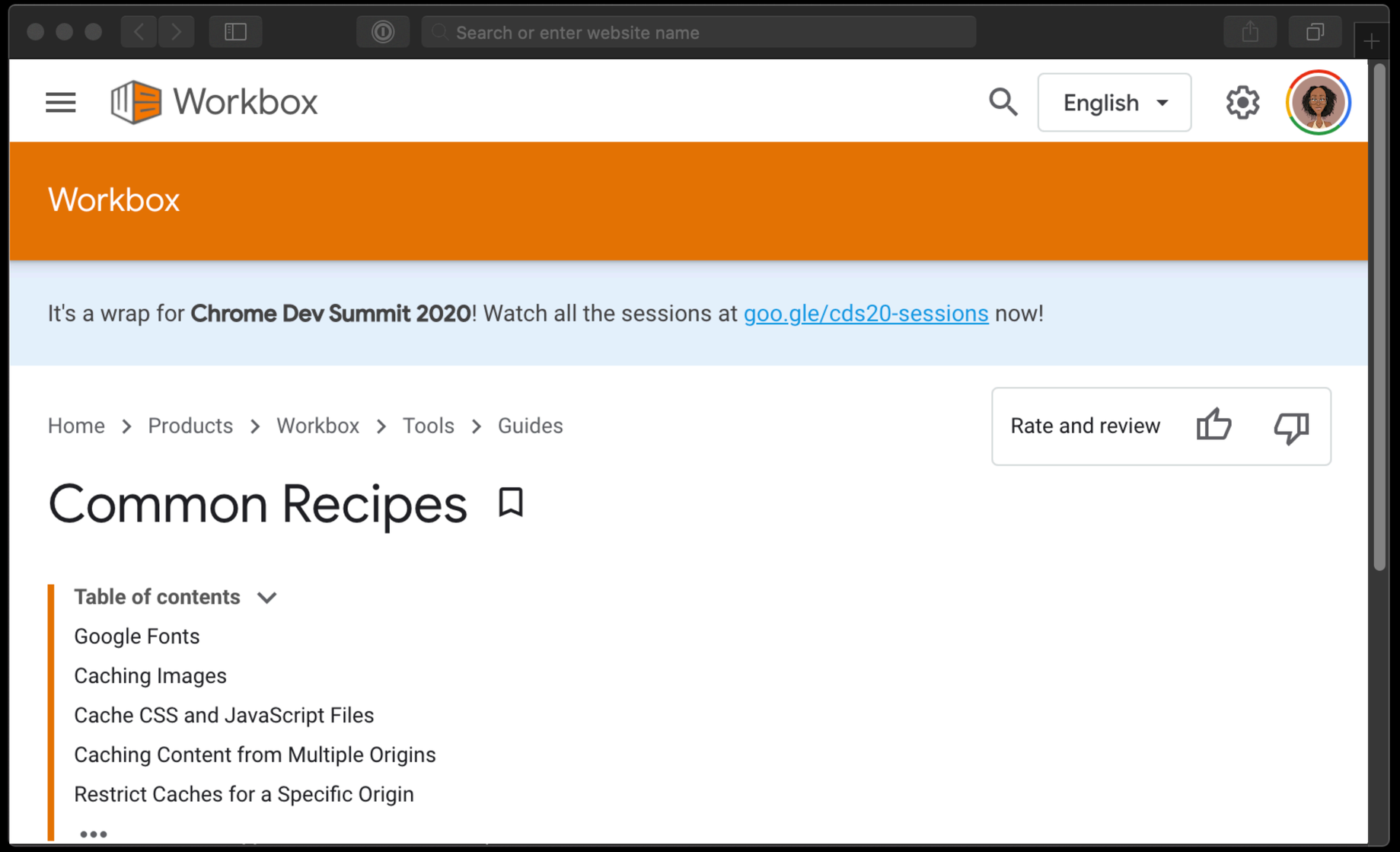
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Workbox



https://developers.google.com/web/tools/workbox/guides/common-recipes

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Serve offline page

```
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const navigationHandler = async (params) => {

    try {

        return await networkOnly.handle(params);

    } catch (error) {

        return caches.match(FALLBACK_HTML_URL, { cacheName: CACHE_NAME });

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registerRoute( new NavigationRoute(navigationHandler) );
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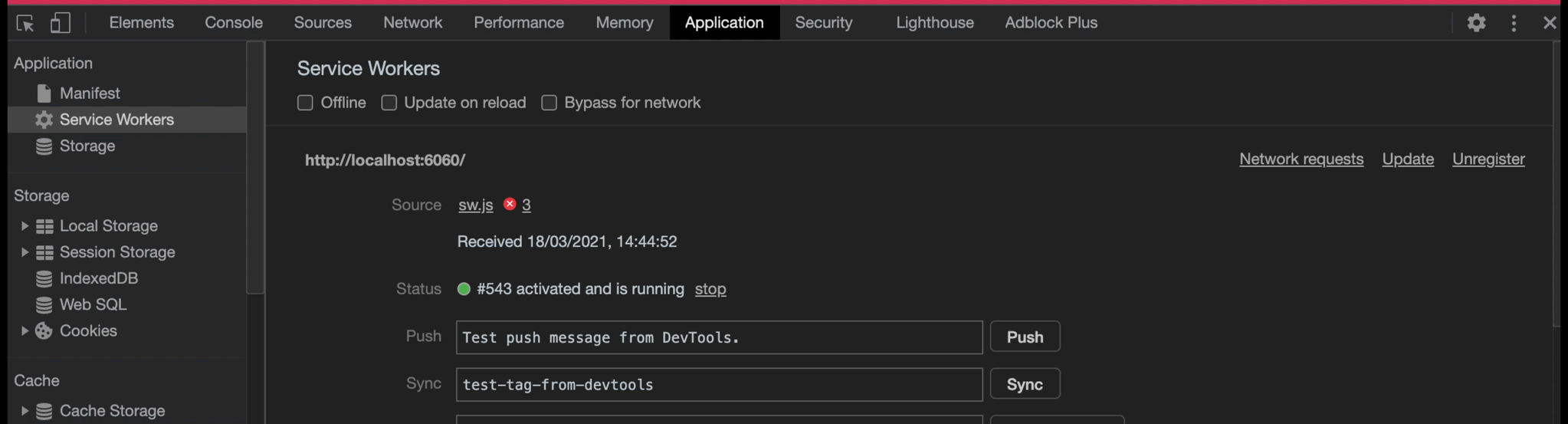
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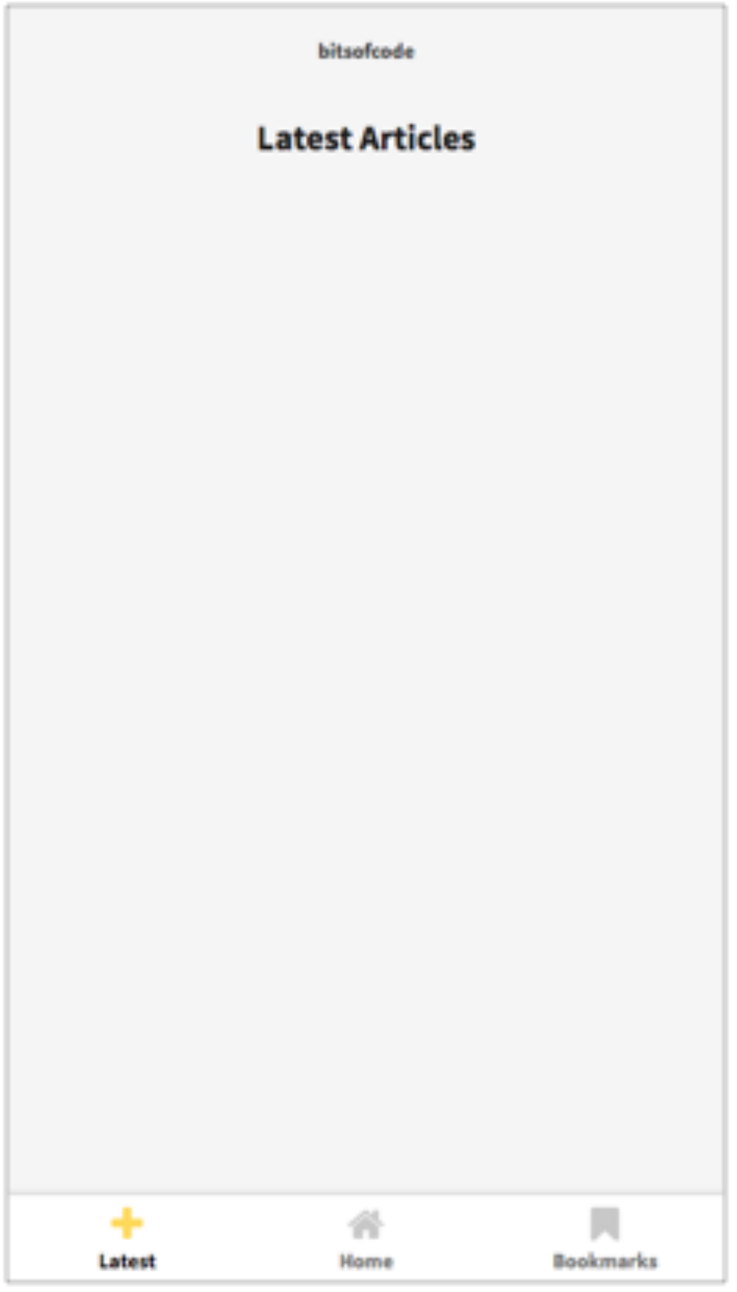
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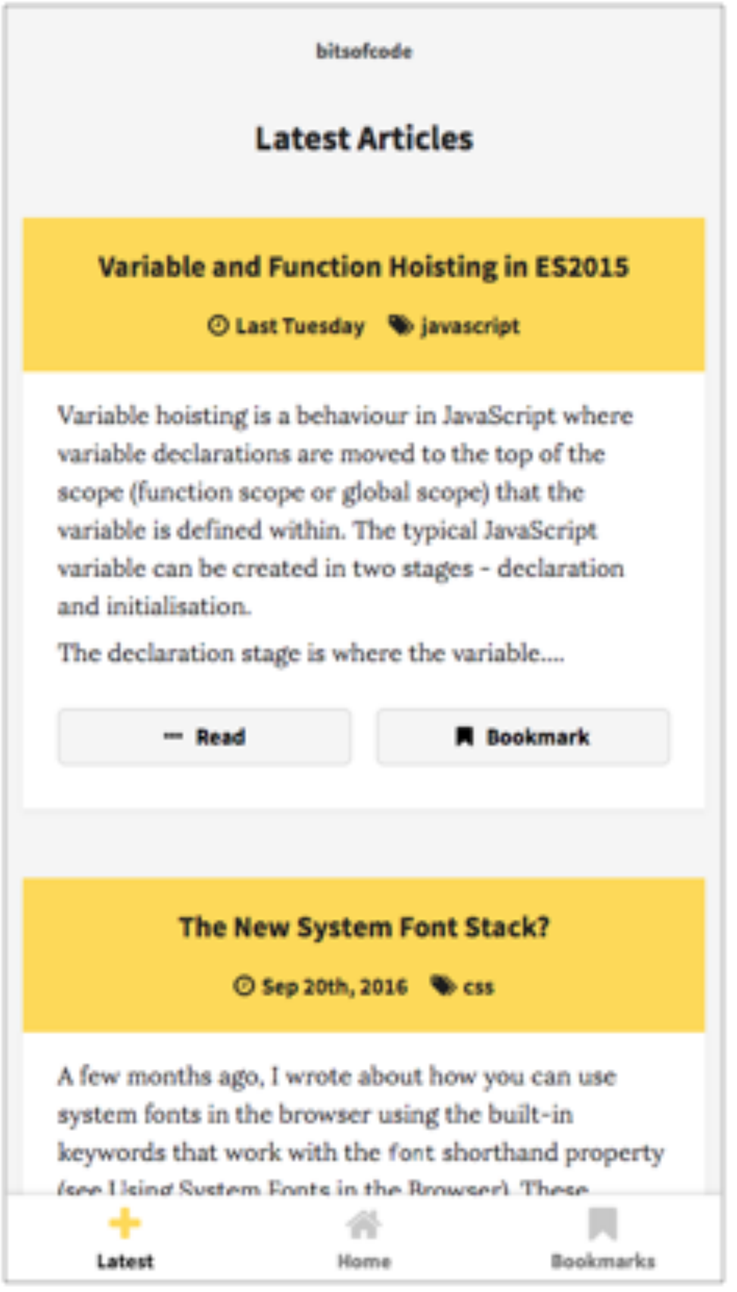
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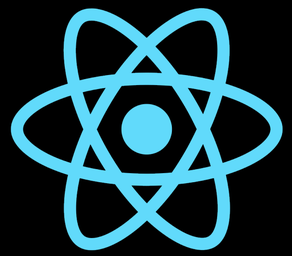

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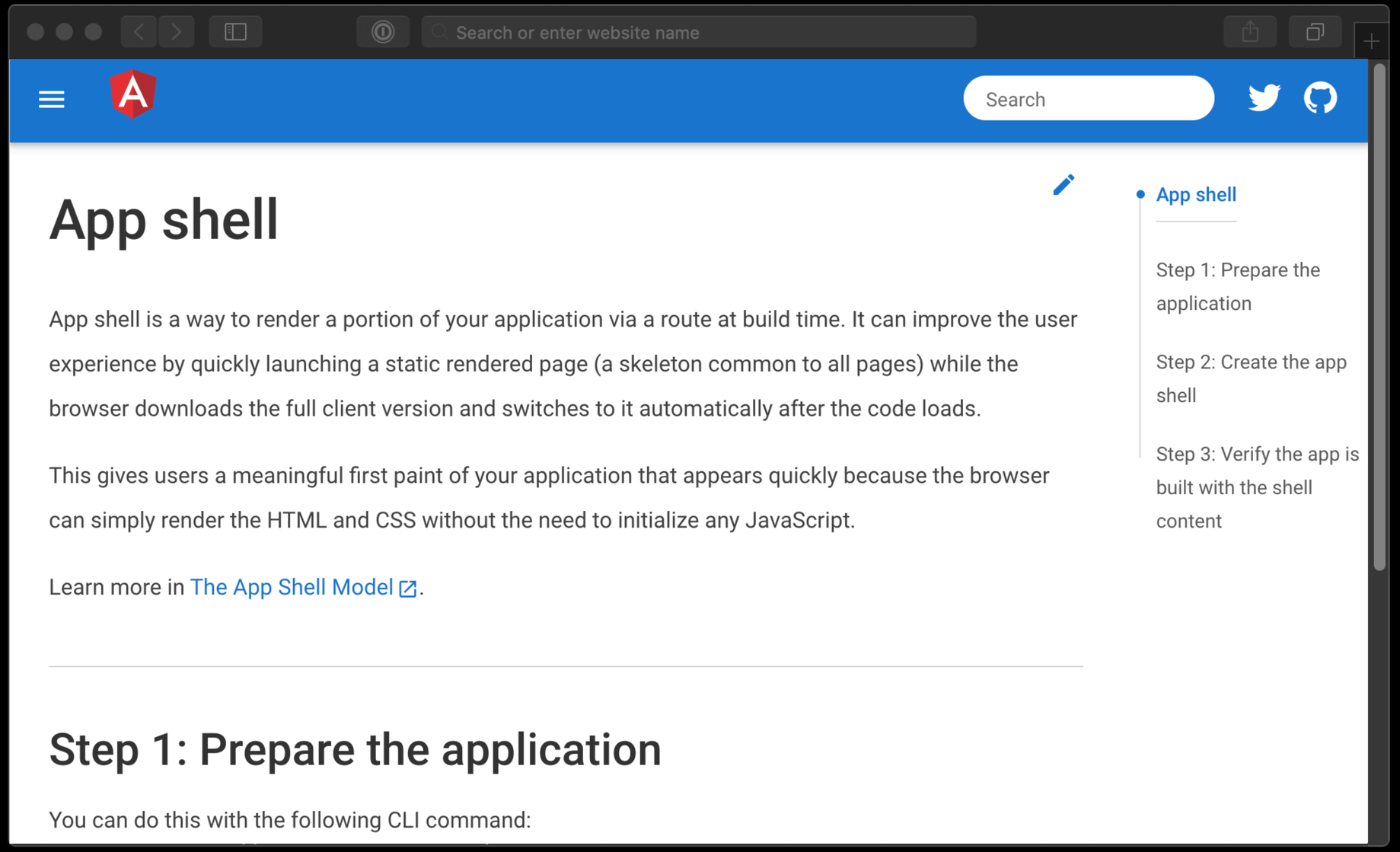

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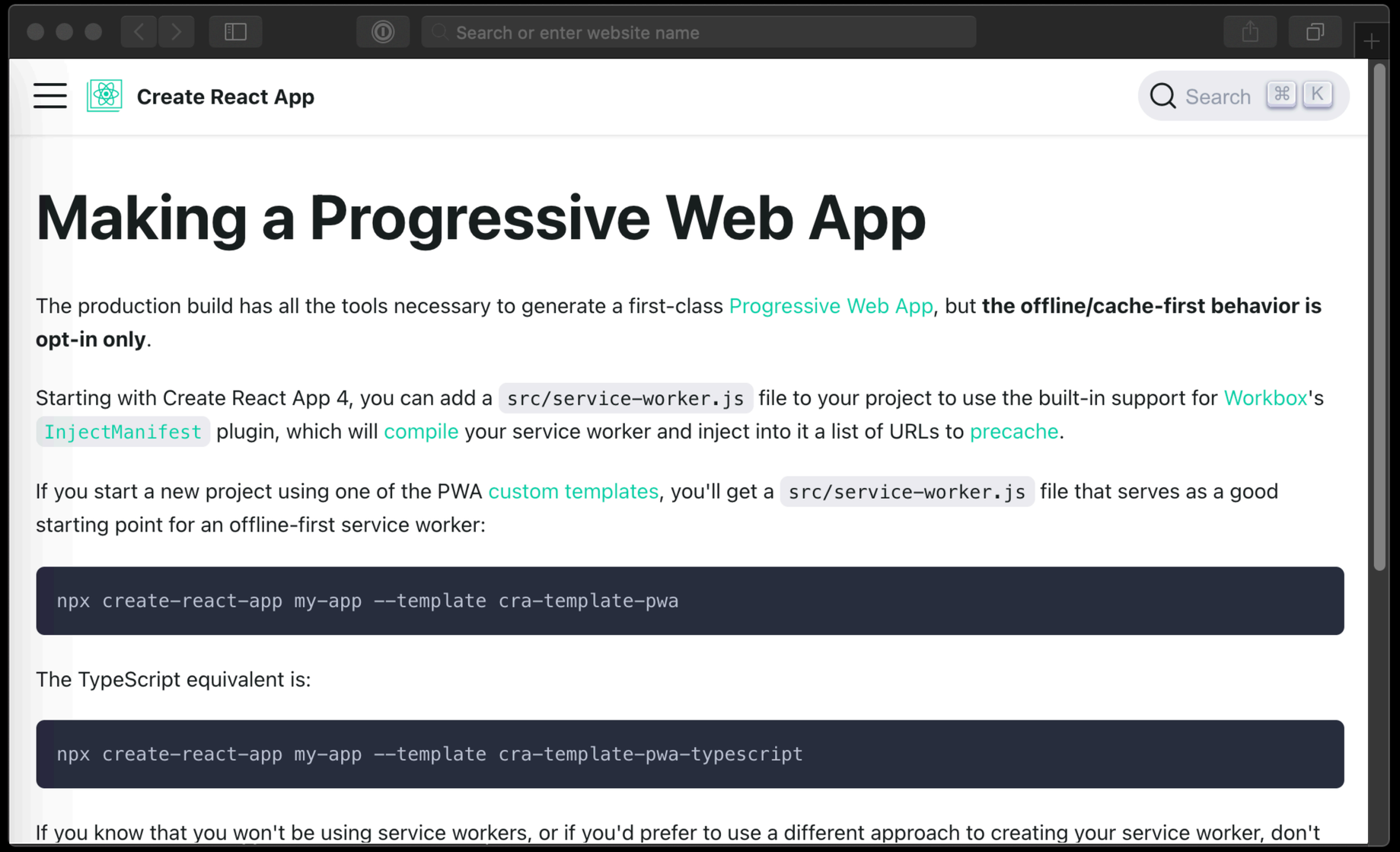








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Vue CLI

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> pwa plugin for vue-cli

The service worker added with this plugin is only enabled in the production environment (e.g. only if you run `npm run build` or `yarn build`). Enabling service worker in a development mode is not a recommended practice, because it can lead to the situation when previously cached assets are used and the latest local changes are not included.

Instead, in the development mode the `noopServiceWorker.js` is included. This service worker file is effectively a 'no-op' that will reset any previous service worker registered for the same host:port combination.

If you need to test a service worker locally, build the application and run a simple HTTP-server from your build directory. It's recommended to use a browser incognito window to avoid complications with your browser cache.

https://cli.vuejs.org/core-plugins/pwa.html

Capable 🙂

Reliable 😀

Installable

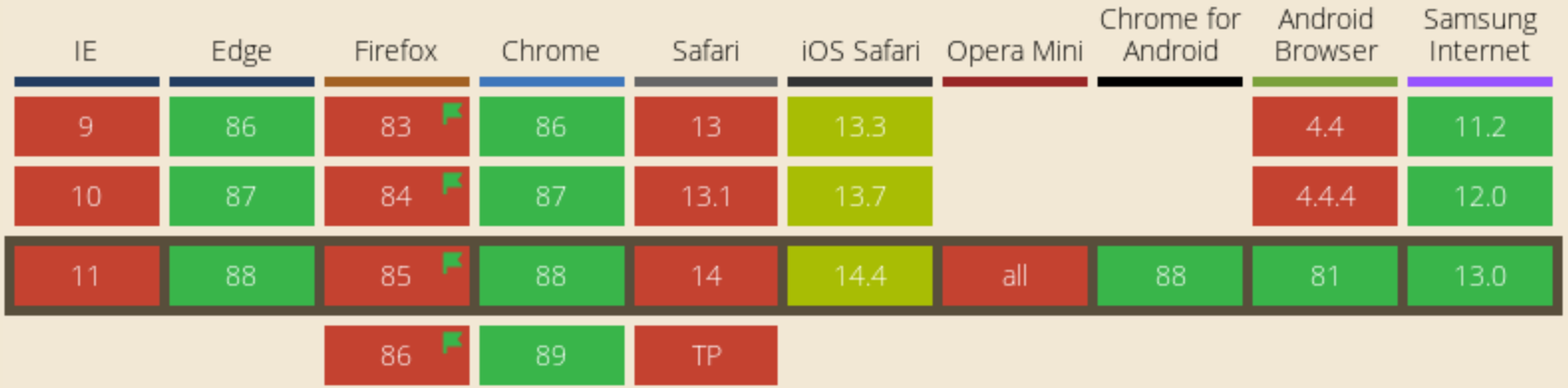
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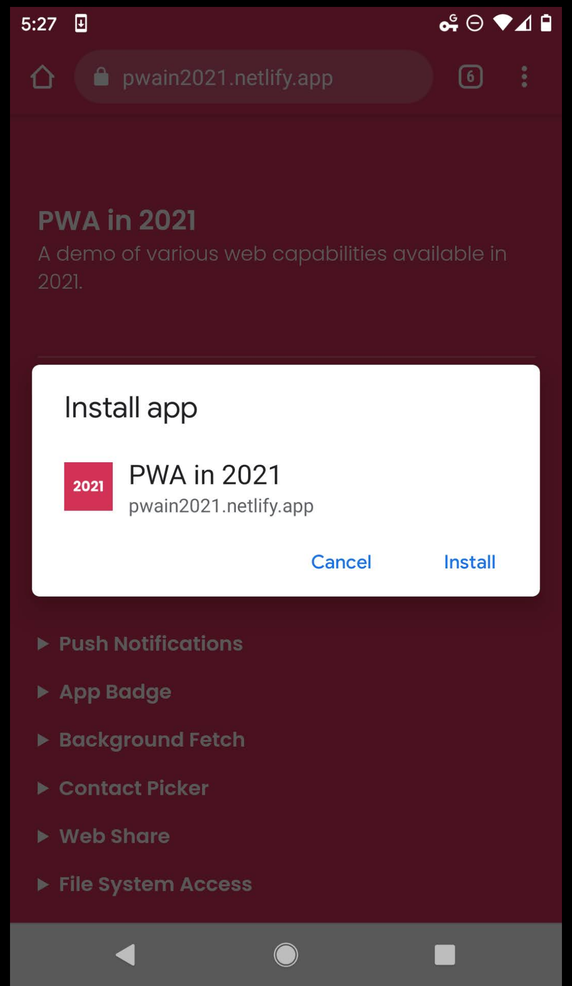
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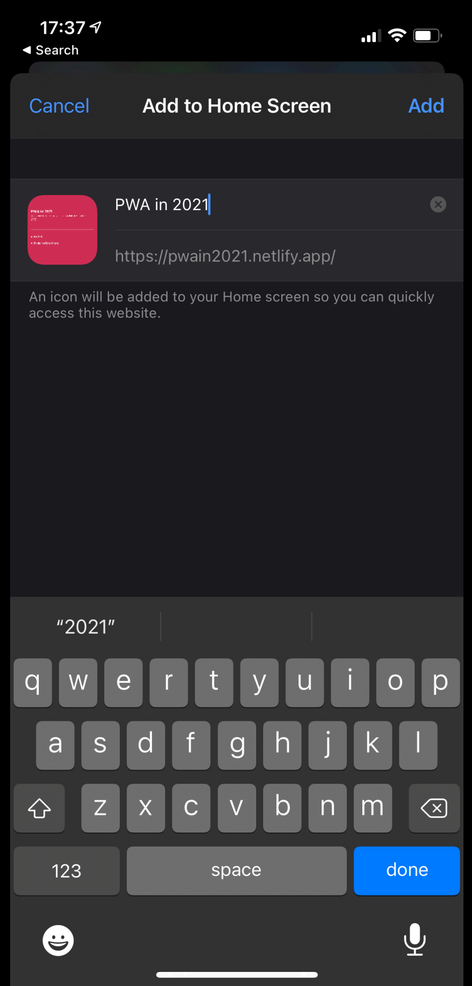
Add to home screen (A2HS)

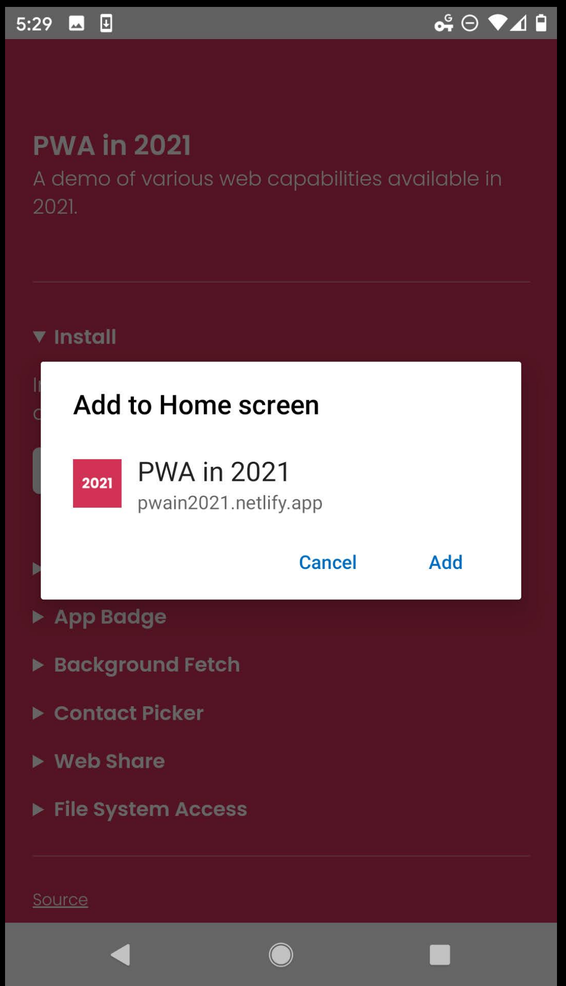
The ability for a user to "install" a website and use it as if it was a natively installed app. To enable this behaviour, a website must serve a valid Web App Manifest and load it's assets through a [Service Worker] (https://caniuse.com/#feat=serviceworkers).



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Add to Home Screen
Add
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An icon will be added to your Home screen so you can quickly access this website.
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Requirements for “Add to Home Screen”

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1. Web app manifest

```
{

    "name": "PWA in 2021",

    "short_name": "PWA in 2021",

    "description": "A demo of what we can do with PWAs in 2021",

    "scope": "/",

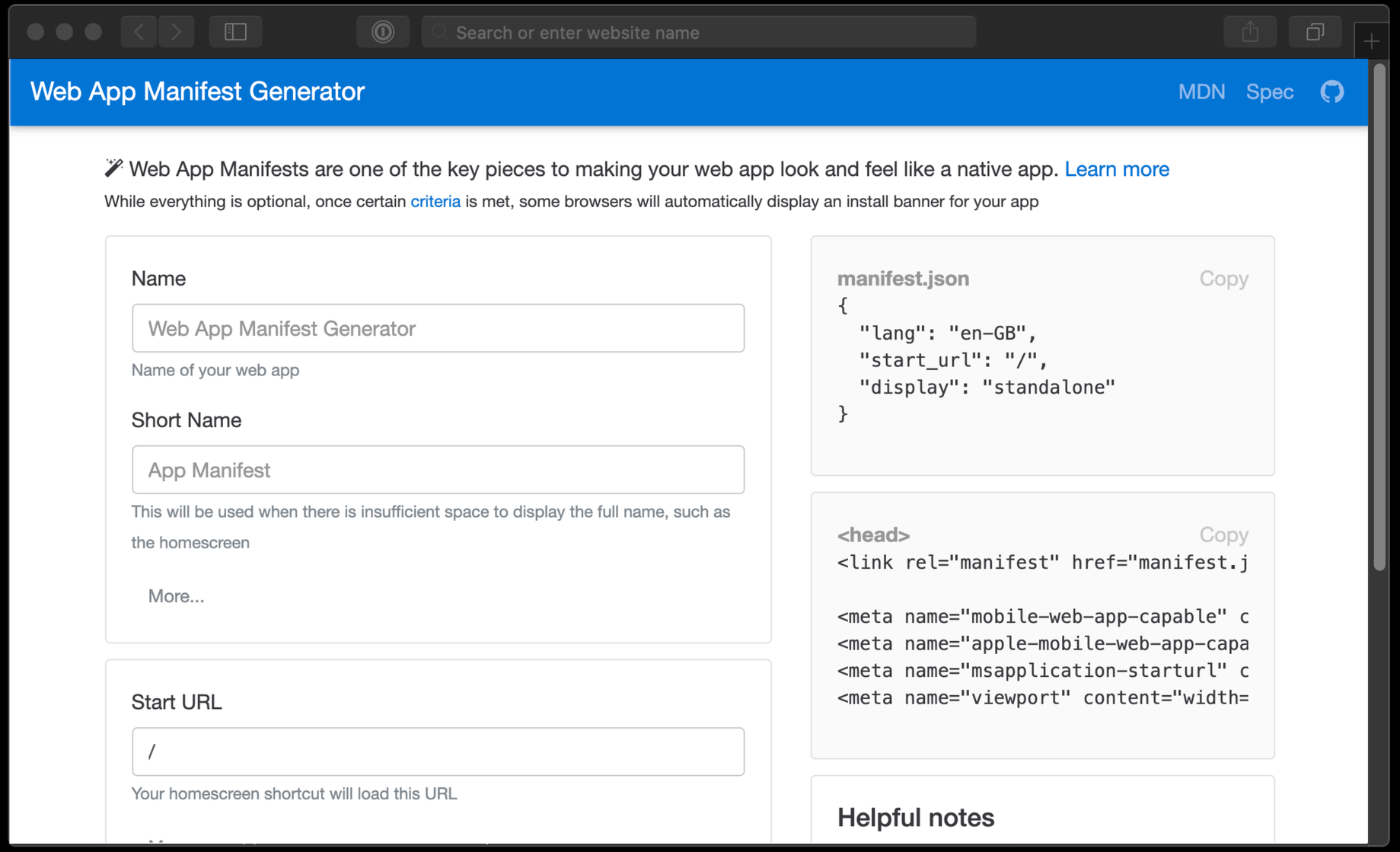
    "display": "standalone",

    "background_color": "#ffff",

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    "start_url": "/",

}
```



https://tomitm.github.io/appmanifest/

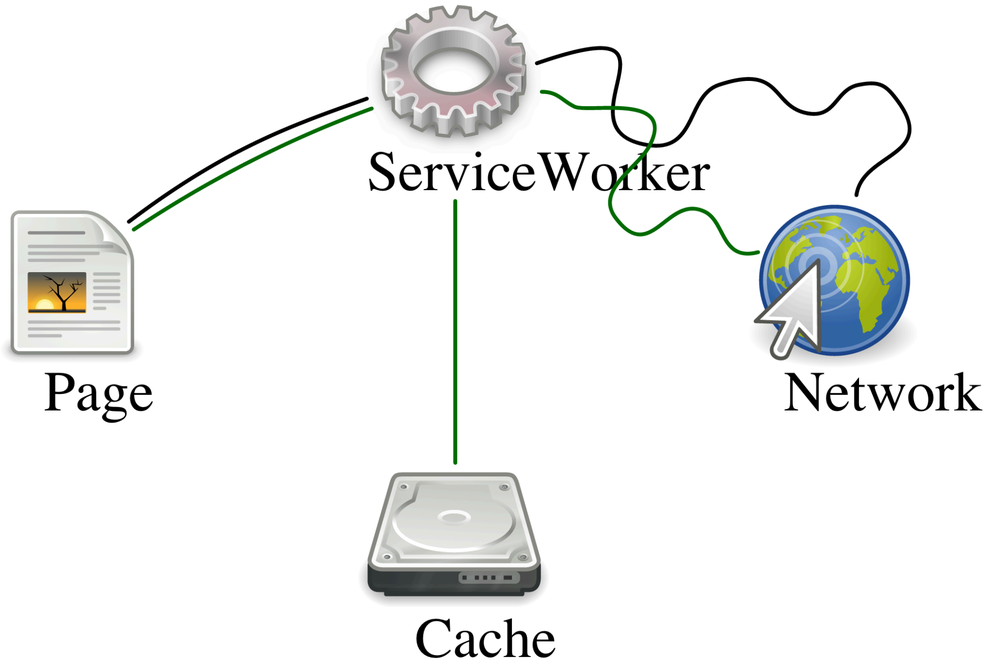
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3. Service worker (which returns a response when offline) *
4. ~~User engagement heuristic~~

More control over “Install” flow

Detect if PWA can be installed

```
window.addEventListener('beforeinstallprompt', (e) => {


});
```

Save install prompt event

```
let installPrompt;

window.addEventListener('beforeinstallprompt', (e) => {

    e.preventDefault();

    installPrompt = e;

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Show a custom install prompt

```
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window.addEventListener('beforeinstallprompt', (e) => {

    e.preventDefault();

    installPrompt = e;

    showCustomInstallPrompt();

});
```

Trigger install prompt

```
customInstallButton.addEventListener('click', async (e) => {

    installPrompt.prompt();

    const { outcome } = await installPrompt.userChoice;

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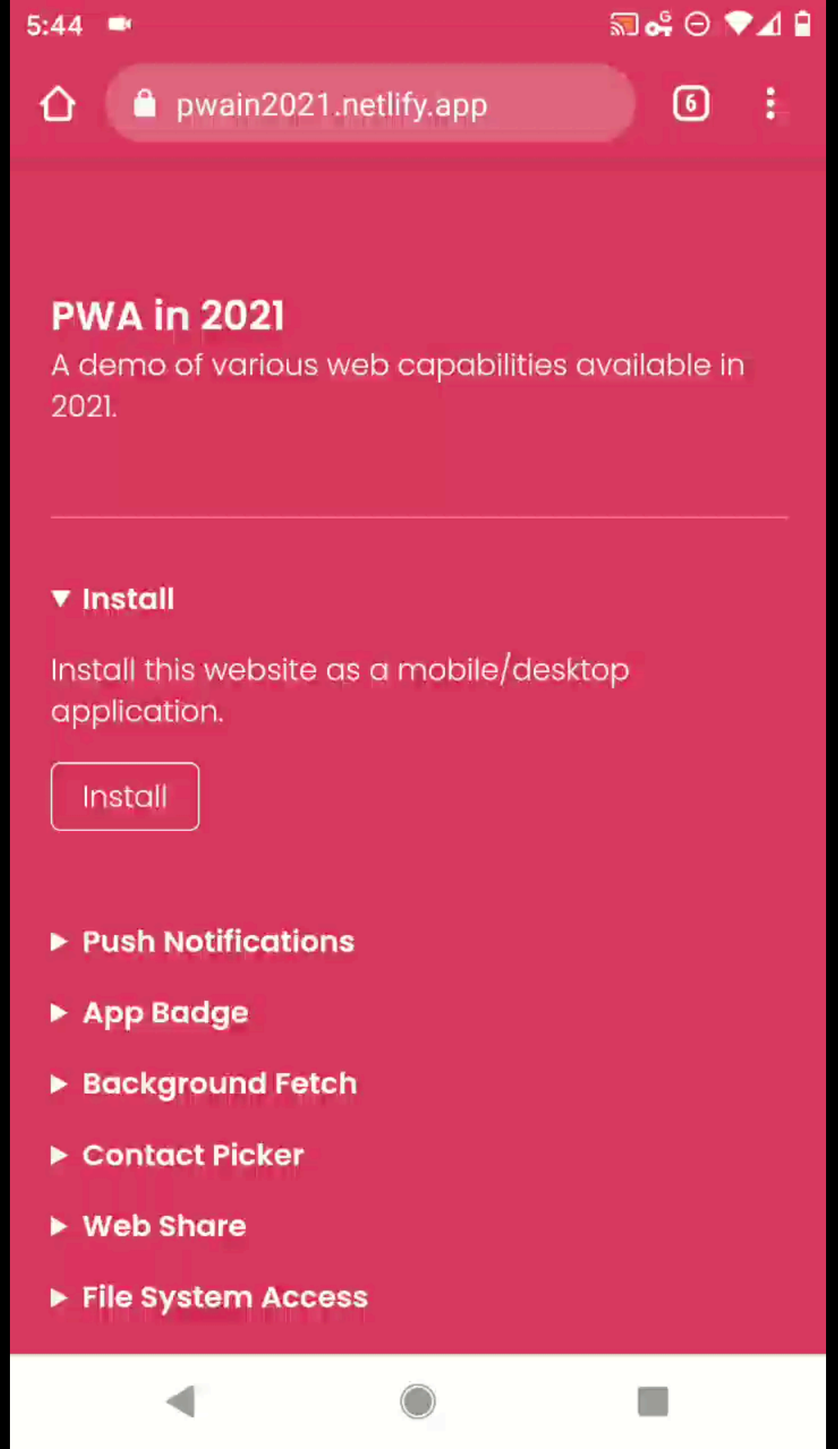
});
```

Cleanup

```
window.addEventListener('appinstalled', () => {



});
```


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A demo of various web capabilities available in 2021.
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Install this website as a mobile/desktop application.
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Add to Homescreen == Install

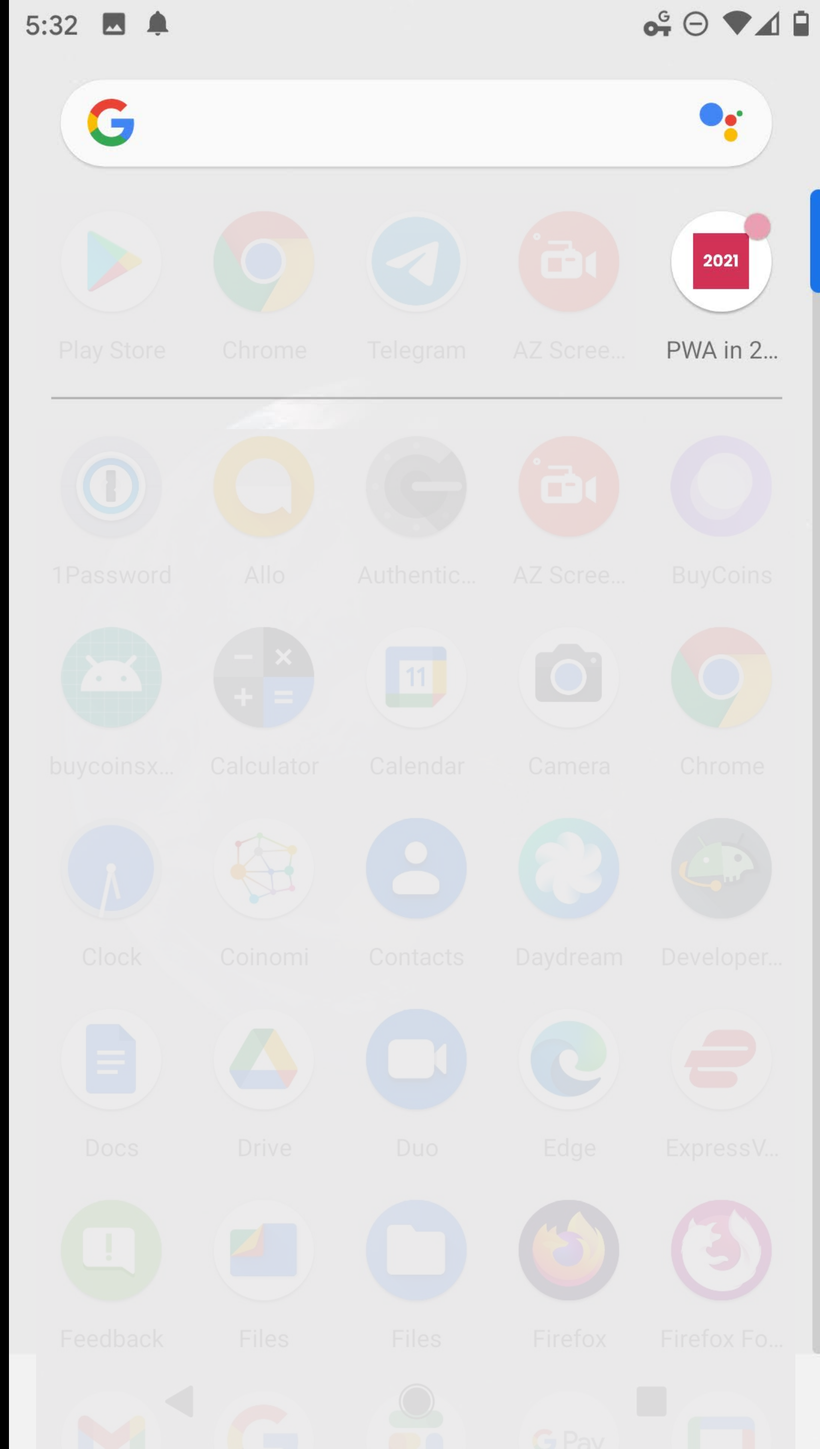
WebAPK

A WebAPK is an Android Application Package (APK) automatically generated from a PWA and installed to the device.

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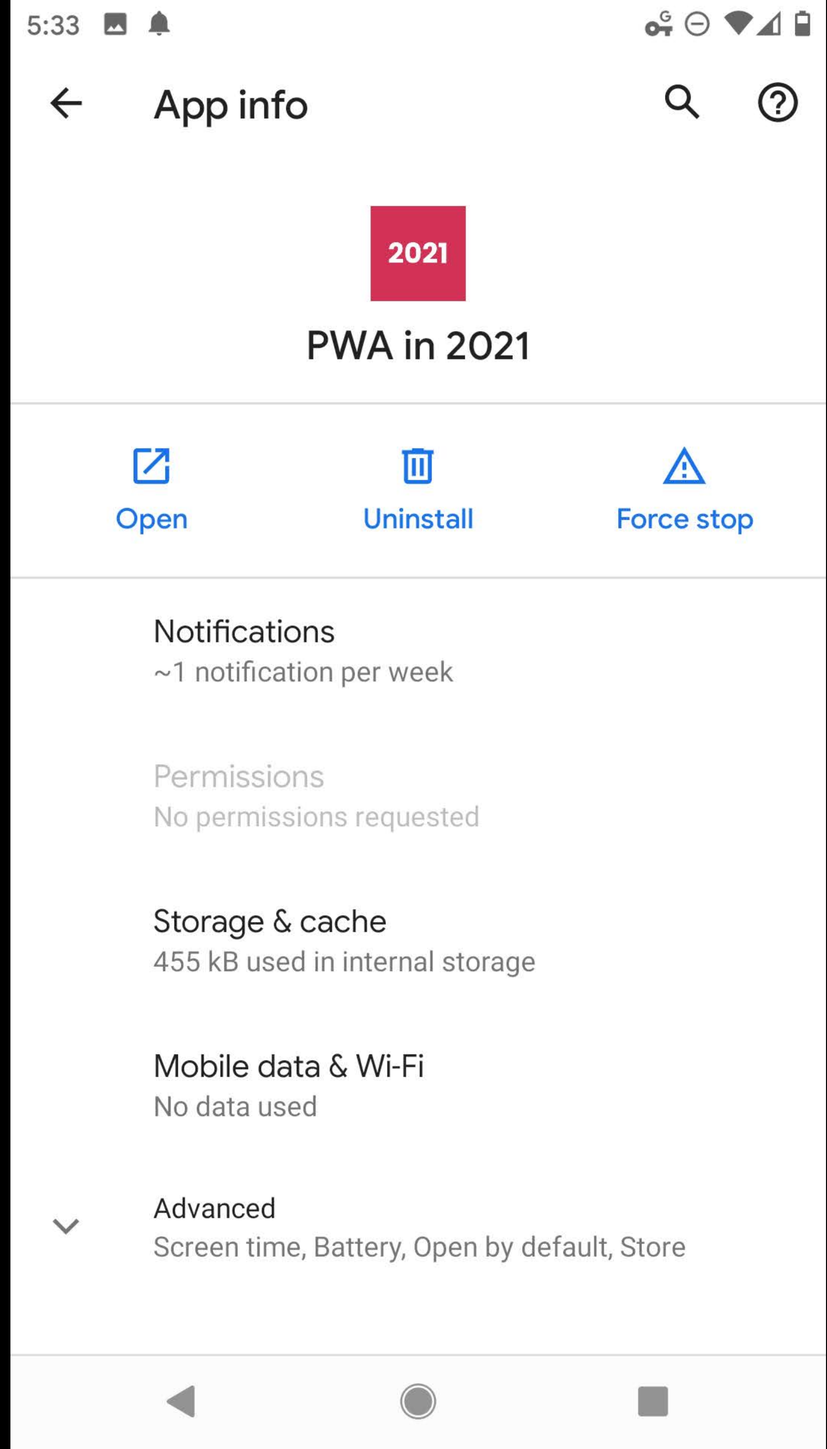
✅ In the app drawer



Benefits of WebAPK

✅ In the app drawer

✅ In app settings



Benefits of WebAPK

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✅ In app settings

✅ Includes intent filters

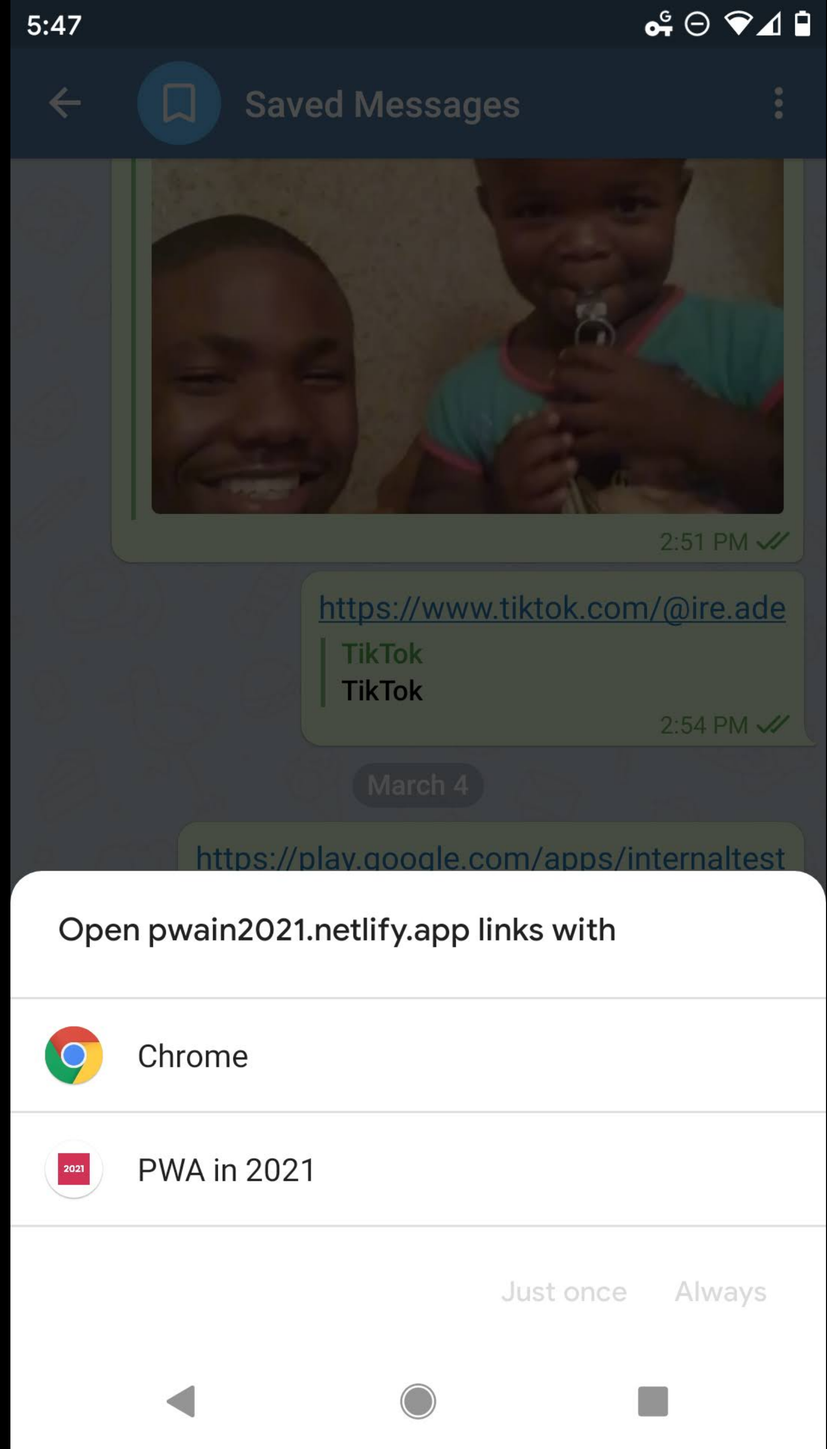




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Trusted Web Activity is a way to open your PWA from your Android app using a protocol based on Custom Tabs

https://developers.google.com/web/android/trusted-web-activity

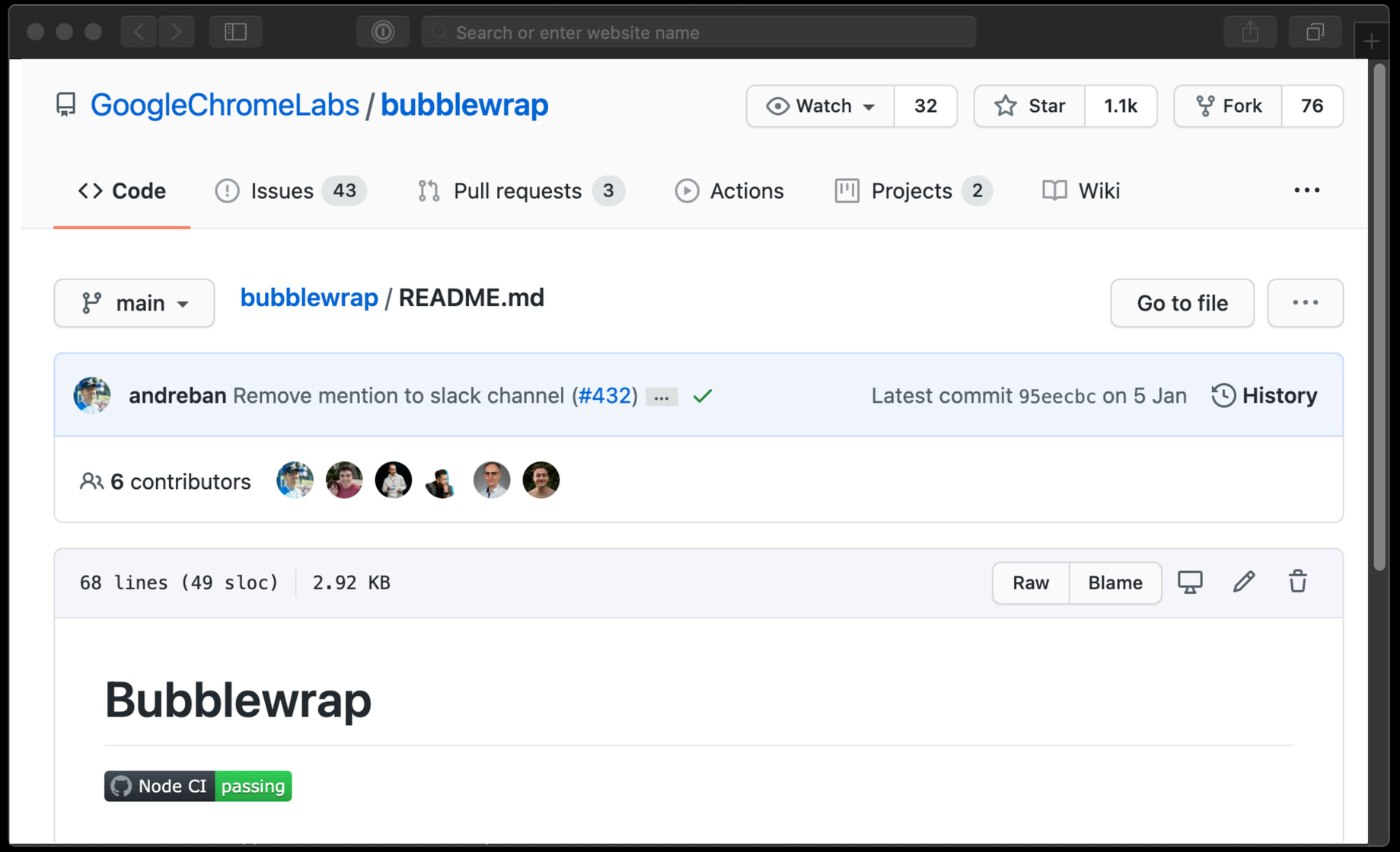

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https://github.com/GoogleChromeLabs/bubblewrap

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What’s next?

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(Some) Upcoming APIs

Local font access

Tabbed application mode

Detecting orientation change events

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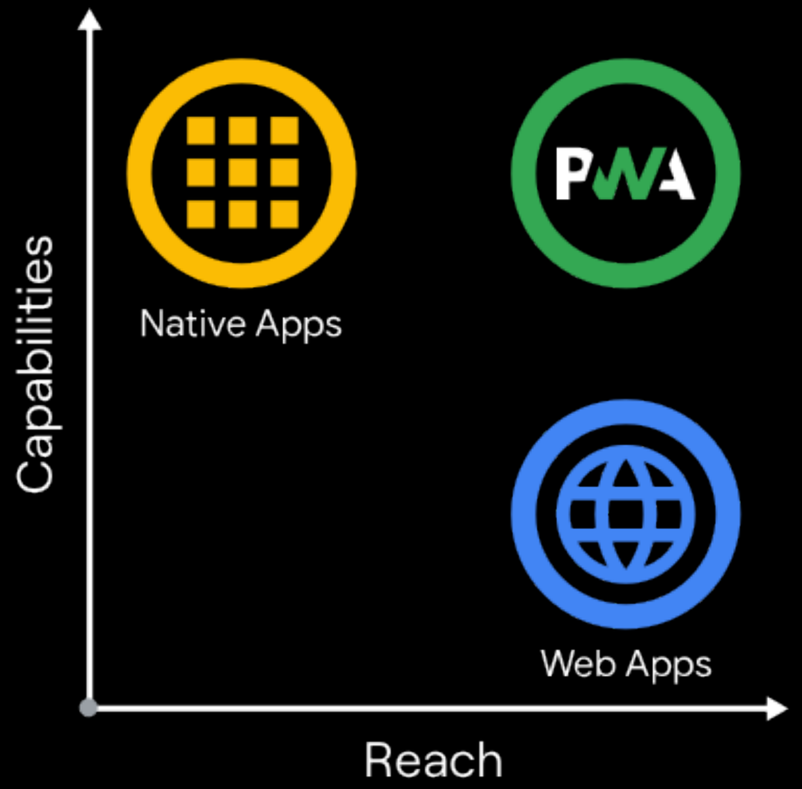
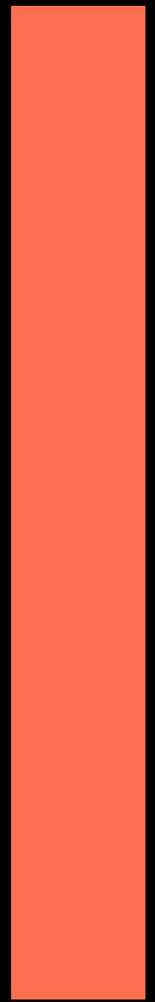


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