What is a framework?

Covered in this lecture:

What frameworks are good for

- A programming framework is a predefined structure that programmers can use to build upon, by changing existing code or adding code of their own to create a product
- Most of the time, what you're trying to create has already been done before
- There is no point starting from scratch every time you build something
- Frameworks help speed up the process of creating your product
- They help you set up the basic folder structure and link everything together for you so that you can spend time working on the parts that are unique
- It's like using a template and changing only the parts you need to be different