



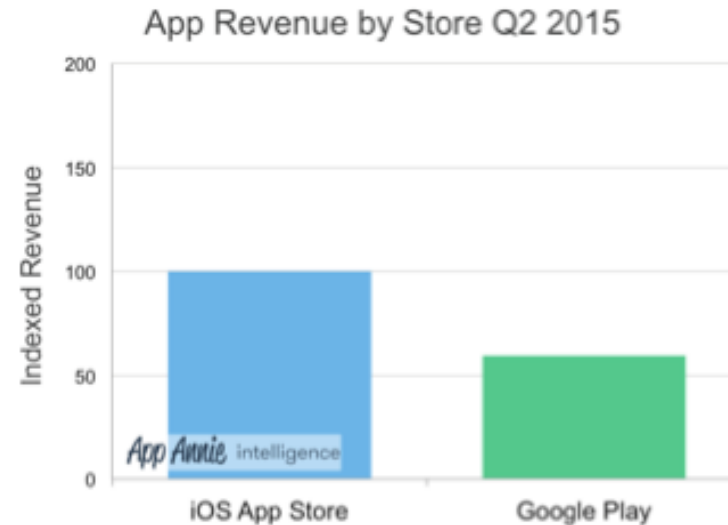
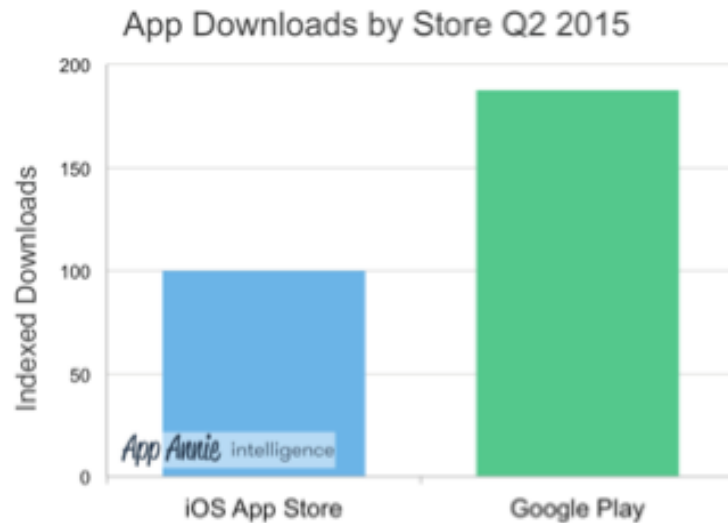
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**iOS** Application  
Development & **Swift**  
Programming Language

# Outlines

- Basic understanding about iOS App Development
- Development environment: Xcode IDE
- Foundations and Tools
- Introduction of Swift programming language

# What is iOS App Development? Why you should care?



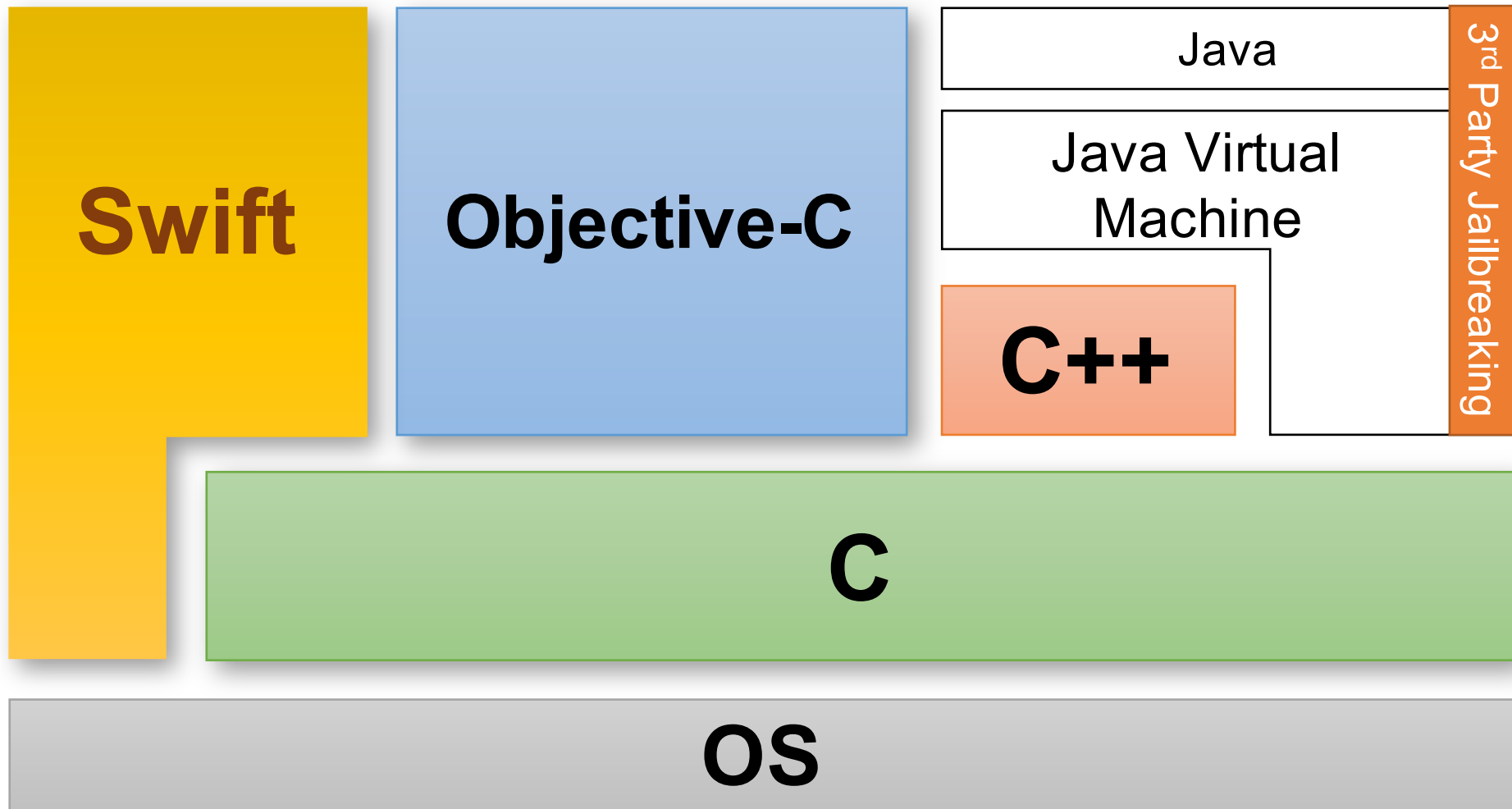
Why iOS apps have higher revenue?

1. iOS-device users are willing to pay for apps
2. Billing issue in developing countries for Google Play store
3. Less pirate apps in iOS (close platform)

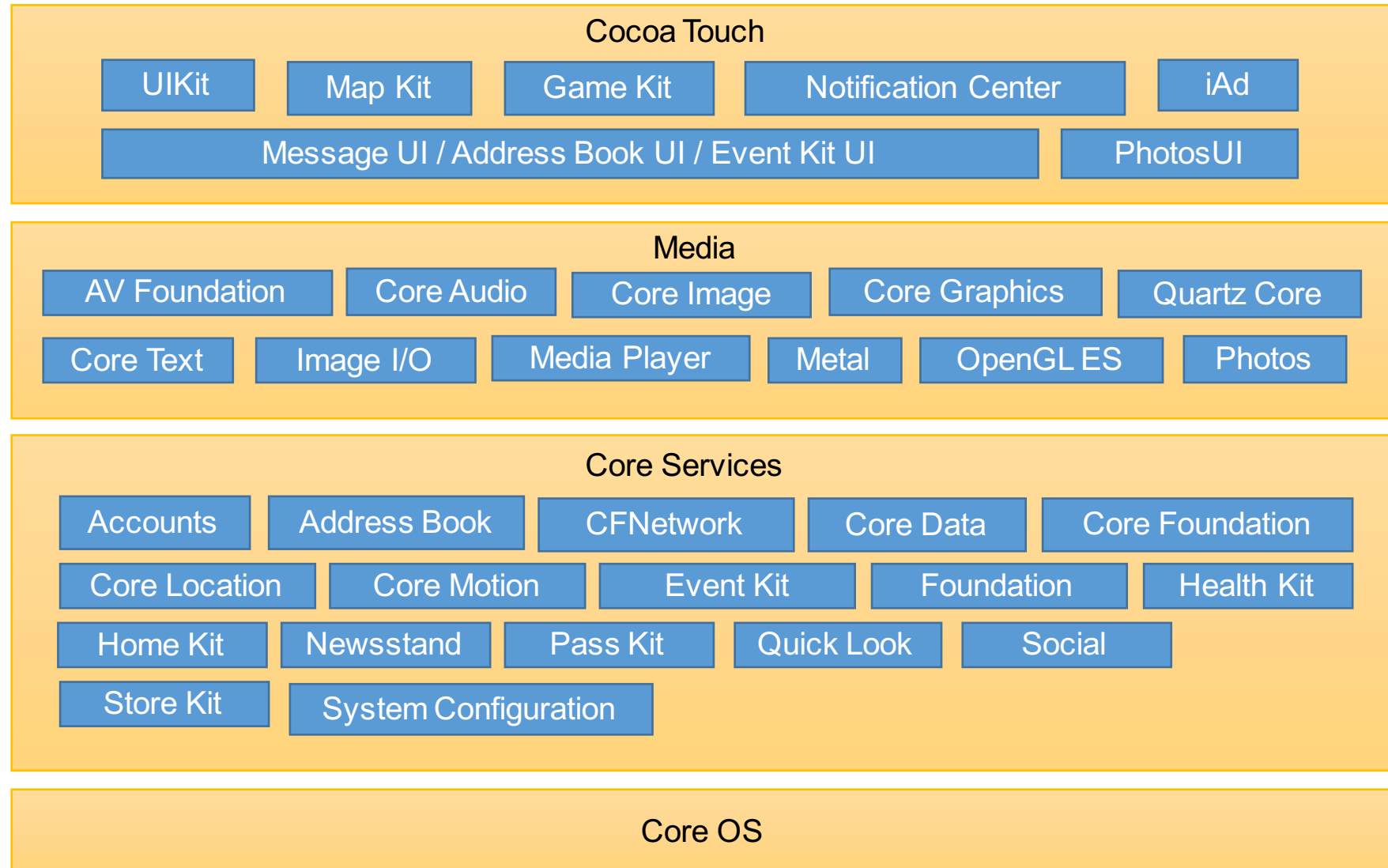
# What is iOS?

- Previously—iPhone OS
- Unix-based operating system.  
Subset of **Mac OS X** (based on NeXTSTEP Unix OS, 1989~1997).
- First smartphone OS with **multi-touch** graphical user interface
- Latest version: iOS 9
- iOS Devices: iPod, iPod Touch, iPhone, iPad etc.
- Highly integrated (hardware + software)
- Security reason; Applications run individually, cannot interact with each other easily (iOS 7-)

# iOS Application Compiler Architecture



# iOS Software Stack



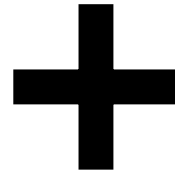
# iOS Versions and Compatibility

iOS ver.	Devices							
	Media Player			Smart Phone			Tablet	
	iPod Touch 3	iPod Touch 4	iPod Touch 5~	iPhone 3GS	iPhone 4	iPhone 4S~	iPad	iPad 2~
~ 5.1.1	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ 6.1.6		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
~ 7.1.2			✓		✓	✓		✓
~ 8.4.1			✓			✓		✓
9.0 ~			✓			✓		✓

# Tools Required for iOS App Development



Mac OS compiler



Xcode IDE



# Developer Program

Apple Developer Program

Overview What's Included How it Works [Enroll](#)

## How the Program Works

### Getting Started

If you're new to development on Apple Platforms, you can get started with our [tools and resources for free](#). If you're ready to build more advanced capabilities and distribute your apps on the App Store, enroll in the Apple Developer Program. The cost is **99 USD** per membership year.

[Get started with enrollment >](#)

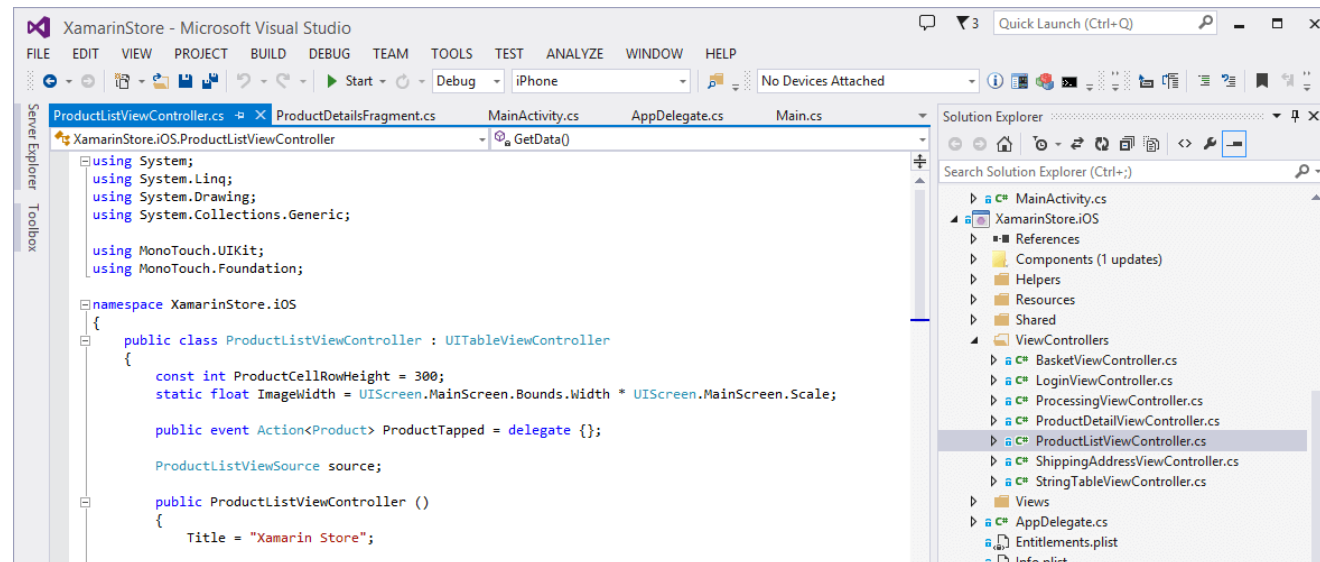
*If you want to distribute your app to App Store*

# Development Types

	Apple ID	Individual	Organisation	Enterprise Program
Xcode Developer Tools	Ⓞ	Ⓞ	Ⓞ	Ⓞ
Xcode Beta	Ⓞ	Ⓞ	Ⓞ	Ⓞ
Test on Device	Ⓞ	Ⓞ	Ⓞ	Ⓞ
App Store Distribution		Ⓞ	Ⓞ	
In-house App Distribution				Ⓞ
Team Management			Ⓞ	Ⓞ
Cost	<b>Free</b>	99 USD	99 USD	299 USD
Requirement	13+	18+	DUNS Number	DUNS Number

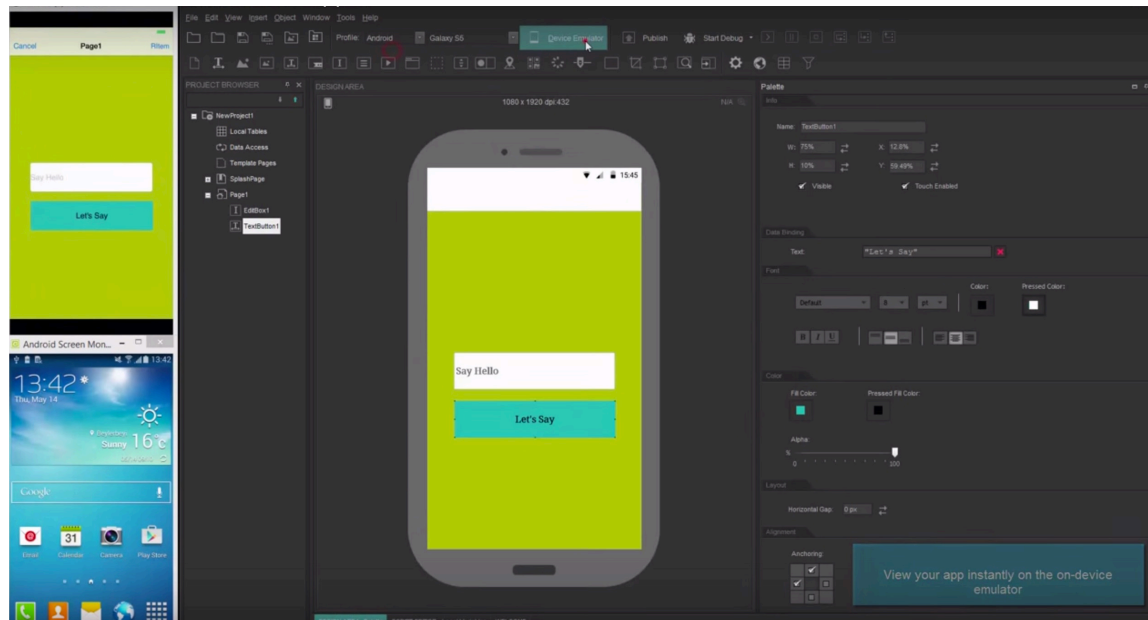
# Alternative Development Environment (1)

- <http://xamarin.com/platform>
- Previous **Mono Touch**
- **C#**
- Write once, deploy on Android, iOS, Windows Phone
- **Still requires a Mac OS computer/compiler**



# Alternative Development Environment (2)

- <http://www.smartface.io/>
- JavaScript
- Write once, deploy on Android, iOS,
- **Still requires a Mac OS computer for App Distribution**



Source: <http://www.smartface.io/developer/guides/get-started/hello-world/>

# Alternative Development Environment (3)

- Cloud Service
  - Example: <https://virtualmacosx.com/>



**\*Own a Shared Mac Server**  
why rent when you can own

• Equity  
• **Capital**  
• Asset Control  
• **Power**  
• Compliance

**\$14.75**  
starting from

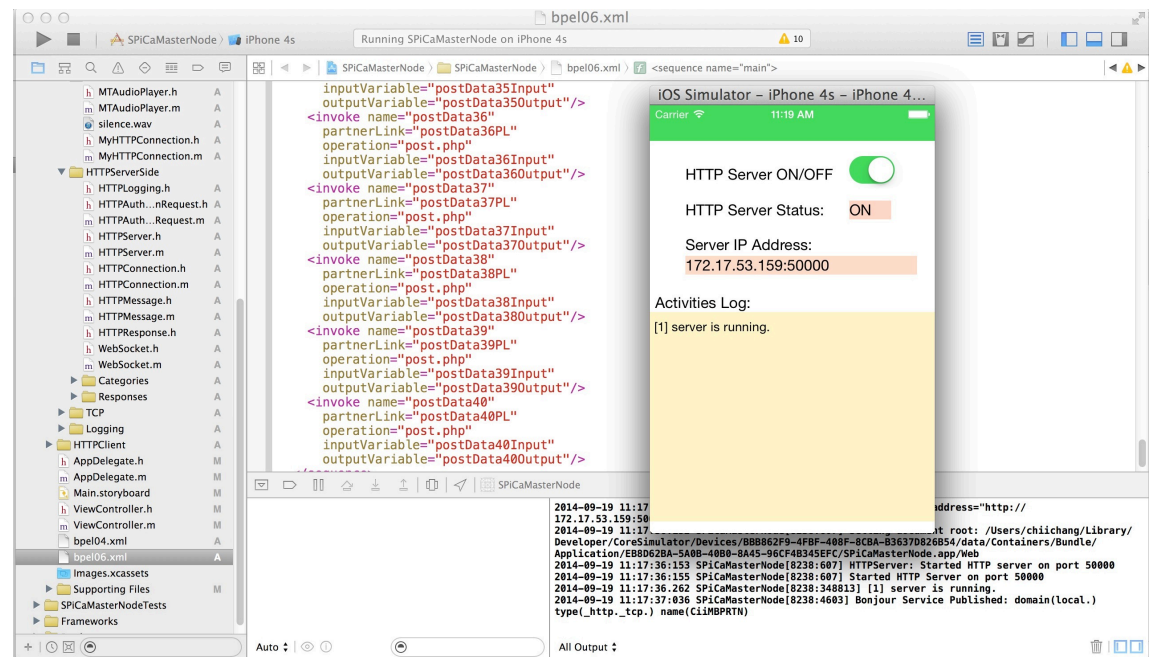
- Apple Branded Mac Servers
- Tier 3 Datacenters
- Xeon Processors / ECC DDR3 RAM
- Shared Resources 4GB/2CPU
- Install your own Software (BYOL)
- Complete the *Pay as you Go* term and pay only hosting fees!
- Cancel Anytime

\*Fractional ownership starting @ just \$4.75 per month + \$10.00 hosting fees

# iOS Device Simulator

- Simulator ≠ Emulator
- Simulator:
  - Share hardware resources
  - Subset of current OS
  - Fast
- Emulator:
  - Virtual machine
  - Different OS
  - Slow

**Demo**  
Hello World



iPhone 4S Simulator

# Development Environment: Xcode

The image shows the Xcode IDE interface. On the left is the 'Files' pane showing a project structure with folders like 'HelloWorldSwift' and files like 'ViewController.swift'. The main area is 'Coding', displaying Swift code for a 'ViewController' class with methods 'viewDidLoad()' and 'didReceiveMemoryWarning()'. At the bottom left is 'Thread tracking (e.g. for debug)'. At the bottom right is 'Console output'. On the far right is the 'UI Setting' and 'UI Components' pane, which lists various UI elements like 'GLKit View Controller', 'Object', 'Collection View Controller', 'AVKit Player View Controller', 'Label', 'Button', 'Segmented Control', 'Text Field', 'Slider', 'Switch', and 'Activity Indicator View'.

Files

Coding

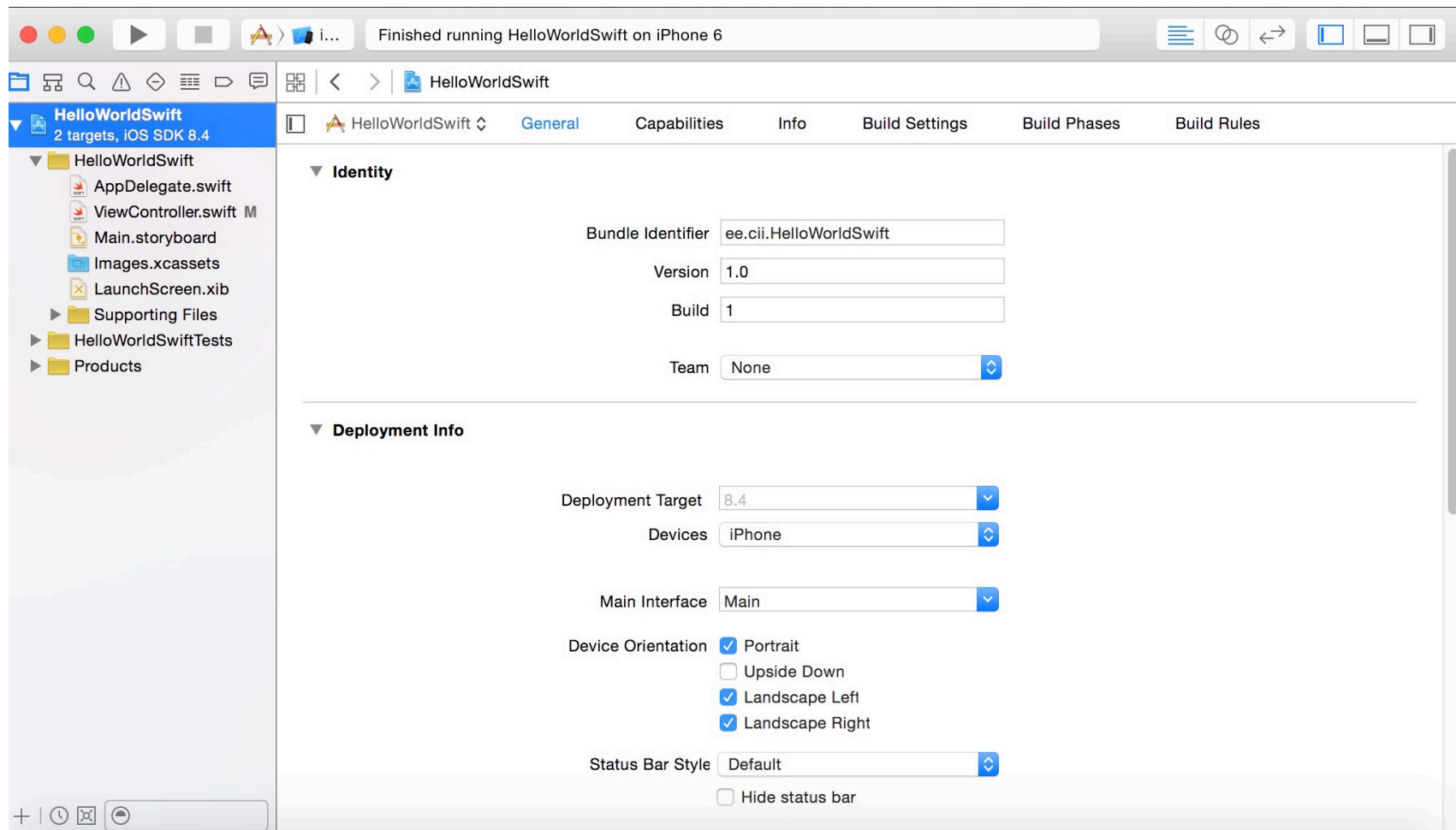
Thread tracking (e.g. for debug)

Console output

UI Setting

UI Components

# Application Project



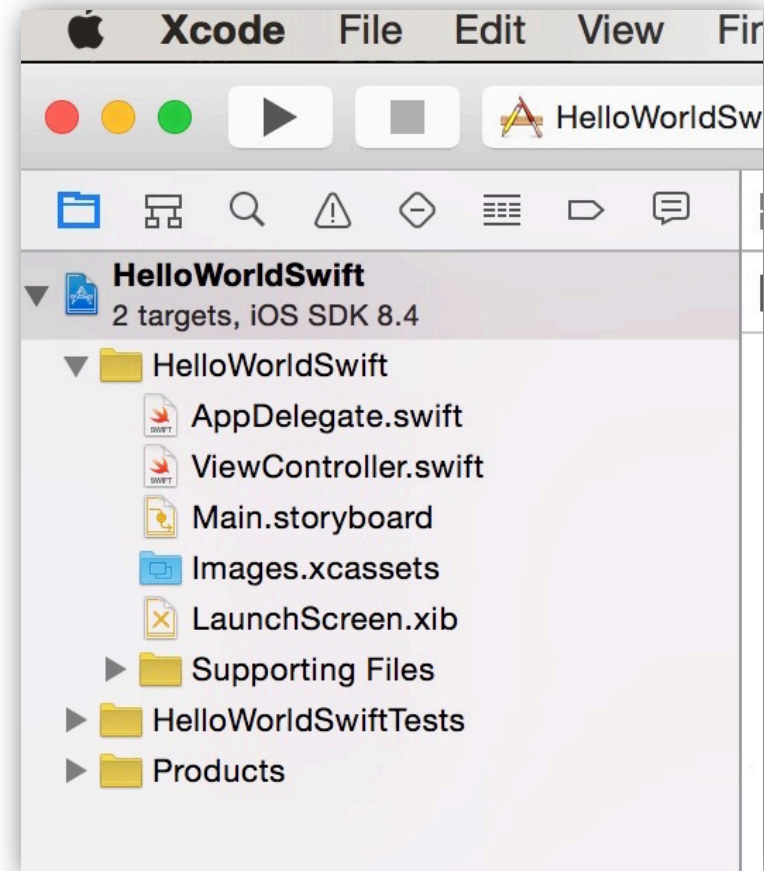
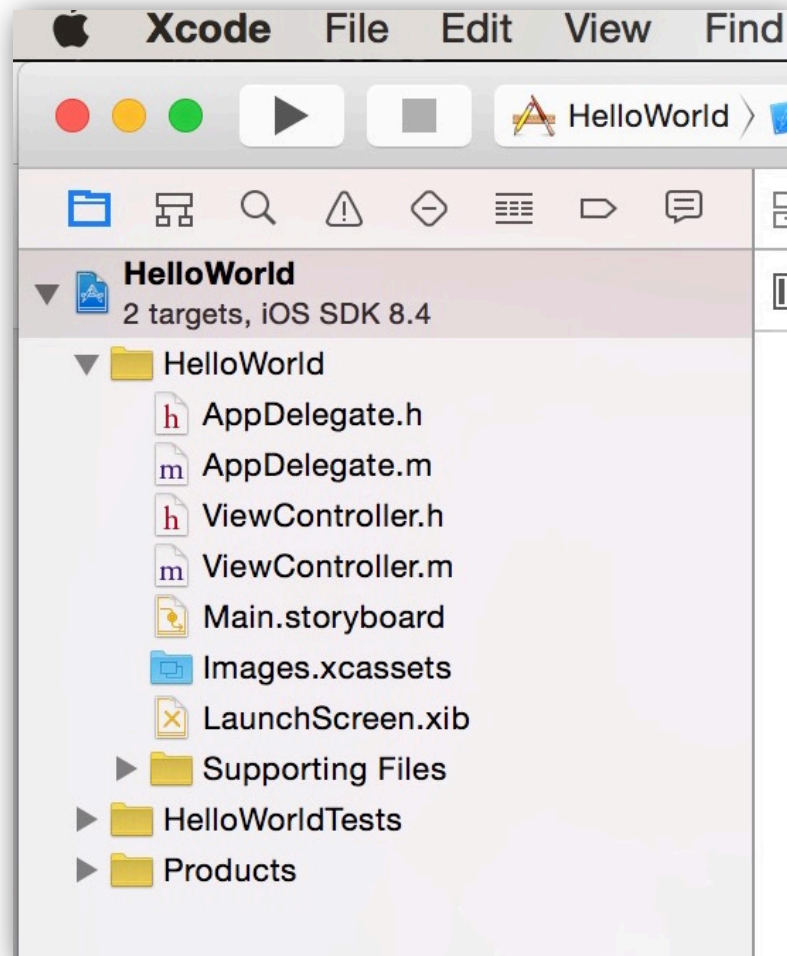


# Programming Language

- Objective-C
- Swift
- C (limited usage)
- C++ (uncommon)

# File Structure of iOS App (1/2)

- Objective-C vs. Swift



# Objective-C Class

The screenshot shows the Xcode IDE with the following components:

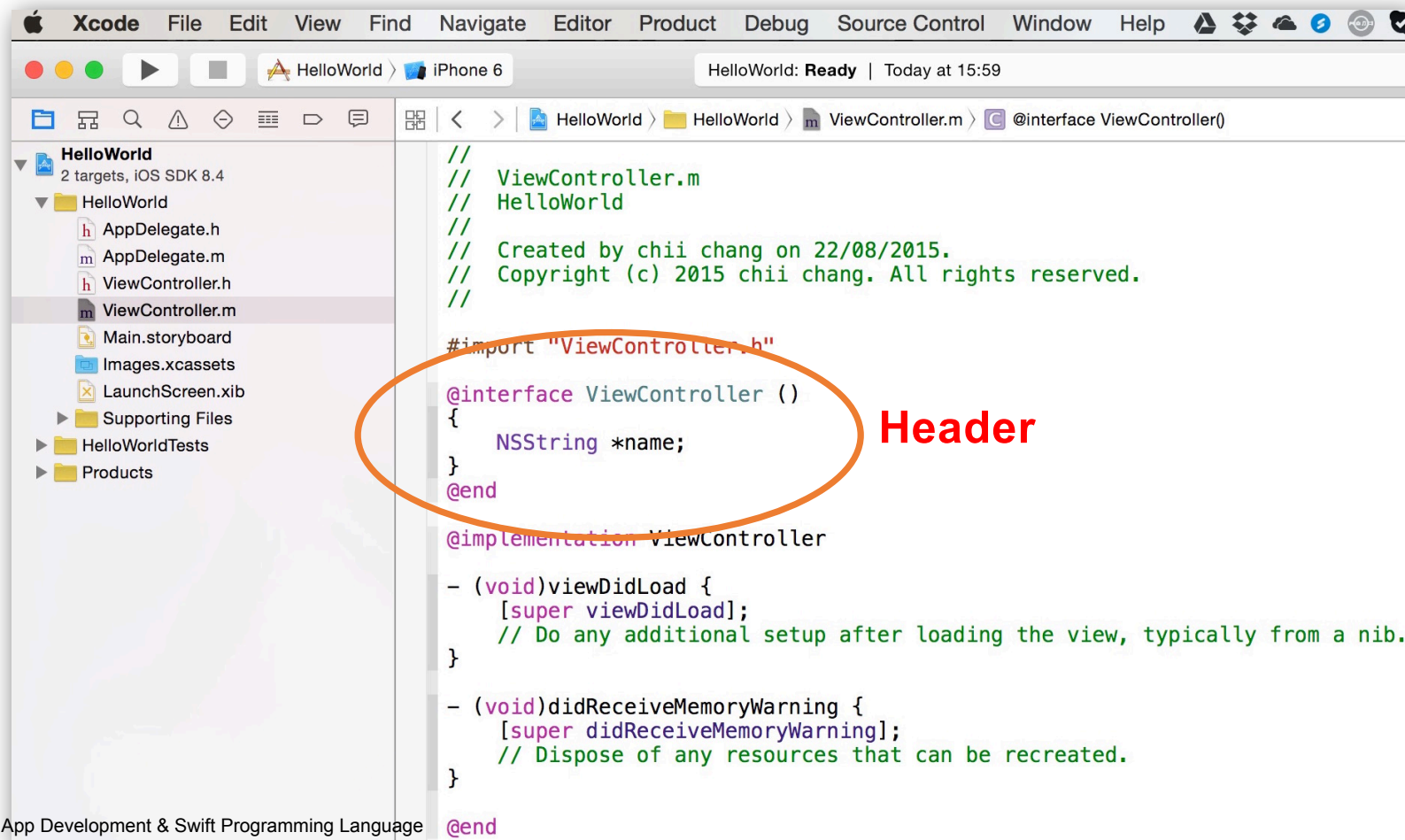
- Toolbar:** Standard Xcode navigation and editing tools.
- Project Navigator (Left):** Shows the 'HelloWorld' project with files like AppDelegate.h, AppDelegate.m, ViewController.h, ViewController.m, Main.storyboard, Images.xcassets, LaunchScreen.xib, Supporting Files, HelloWorldTests, and Products.
- Editor (Middle):** Displays the source code for 'ViewController.h' and 'ViewController.m'.
  - ViewController.h:** Contains header comments, an import for `<UIKit/UIKit.h>`, and an `@interface` block for `ViewController` inheriting from `UIViewController`. It declares a `NSString *name;` property and ends with `@end`.
  - ViewController.m:** Contains implementation comments, an import for `"ViewController.h"`, and an `@implementation` block for `ViewController`. It implements `viewDidLoad` (calling `[super viewDidLoad]` and adding setup) and `didReceiveMemoryWarning` (calling `[super didReceiveMemoryWarning]` and disposing of resources). It ends with `@end`.

**Header**

**Method**

# File Structure of iOS App (2/2)

- Header description can be included in the method file (in Objective-C)



```

//
//  ViewController.m
//  HelloWorld
//
//  Created by chii chang on 22/08/2015.
//  Copyright (c) 2015 chii chang. All rights reserved.
//

#import "ViewController.h"

@interface ViewController ()
{
    NSString *name;
}
@end

@implementation ViewController

- (void)viewDidLoad {
    [super viewDidLoad];
    // Do any additional setup after loading the view, typically from a nib.
}

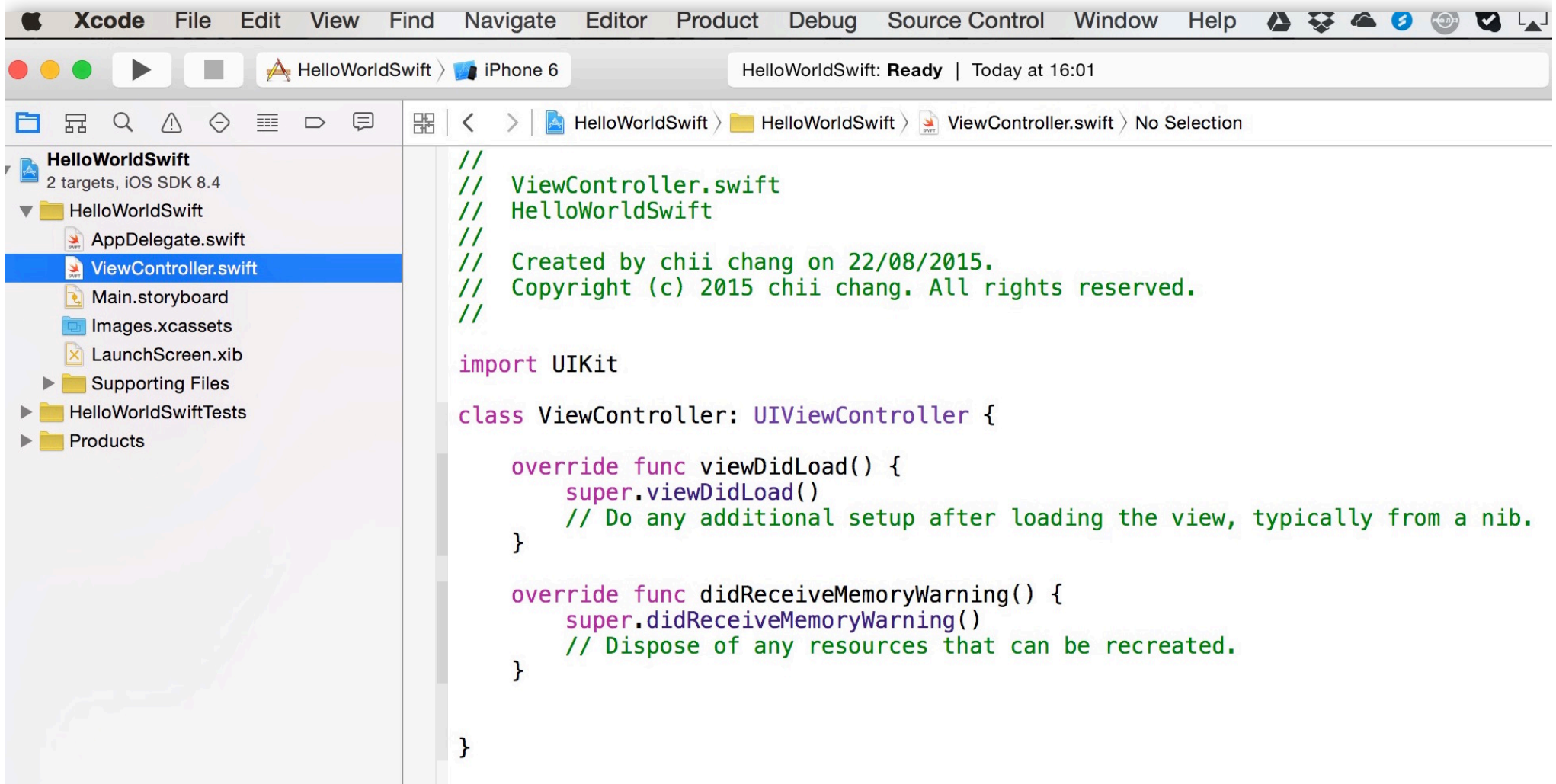
- (void)didReceiveMemoryWarning {
    [super didReceiveMemoryWarning];
    // Dispose of any resources that can be recreated.
}

@end

```

**Header**

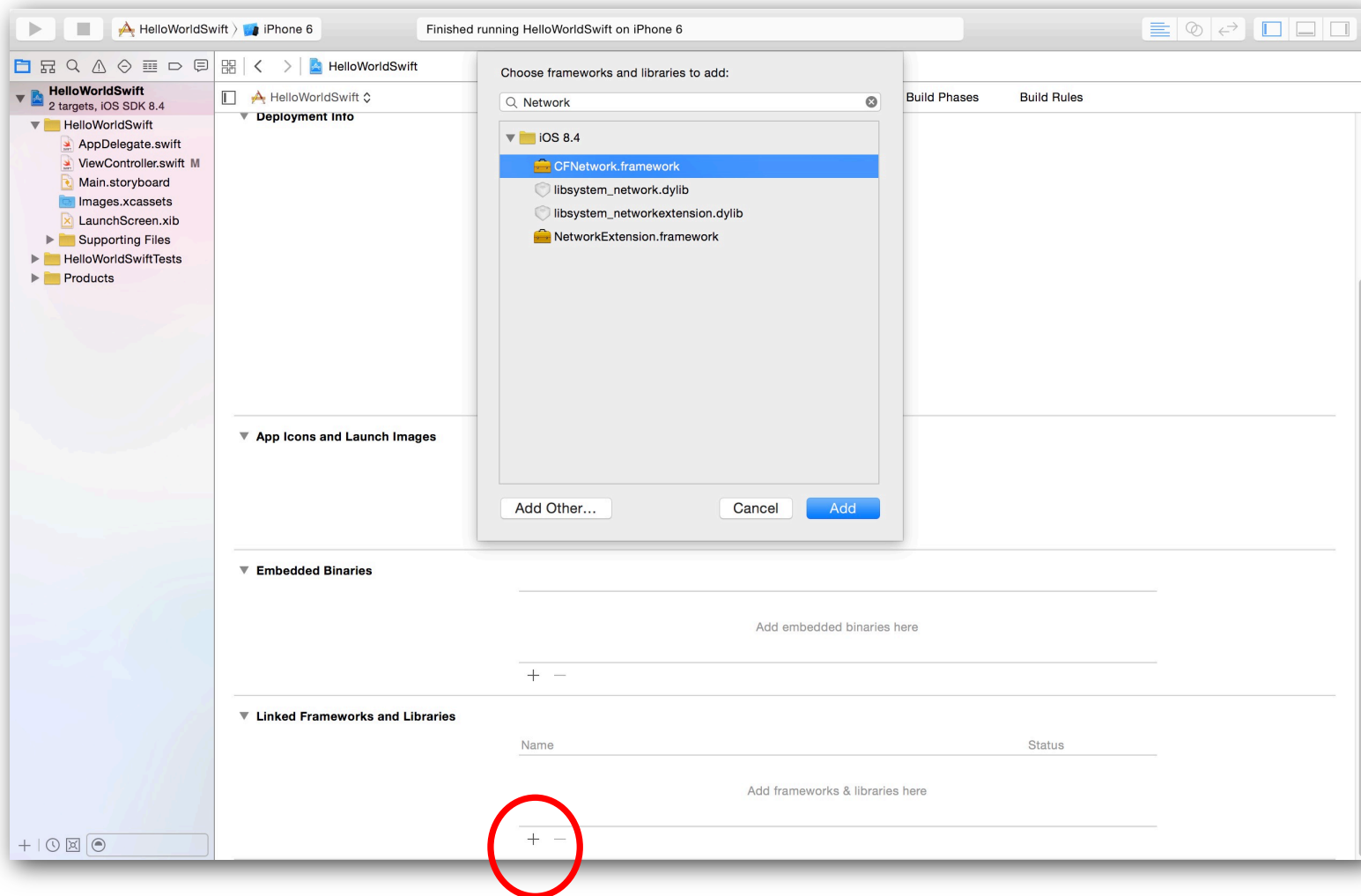
# Swift Class



```
//  
// ViewController.swift  
// HelloWorldSwift  
//  
// Created by chii chang on 22/08/2015.  
// Copyright (c) 2015 chii chang. All rights reserved.  
//  
  
import UIKit  
  
class ViewController: UIViewController {  
  
    override func viewDidLoad() {  
        super.viewDidLoad()  
        // Do any additional setup after loading the view, typically from a nib.  
    }  
  
    override func didReceiveMemoryWarning() {  
        super.didReceiveMemoryWarning()  
        // Dispose of any resources that can be recreated.  
    }  
  
}
```

# Application Settings

## - Linked Framework and Libraries



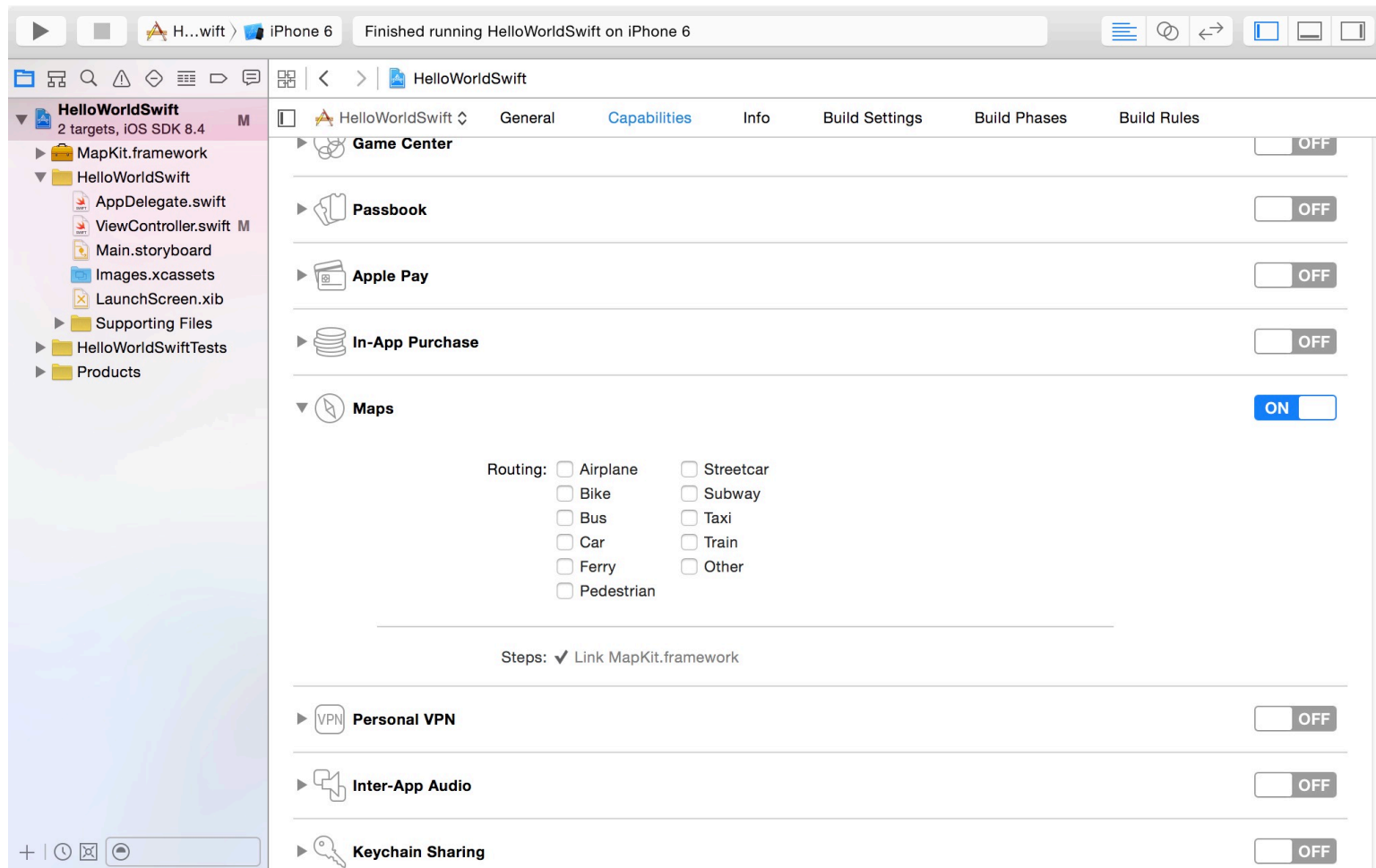
# Importing 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Resources?

## **Demo**

Bridging Objective-C class with Swift class

# Application Settings

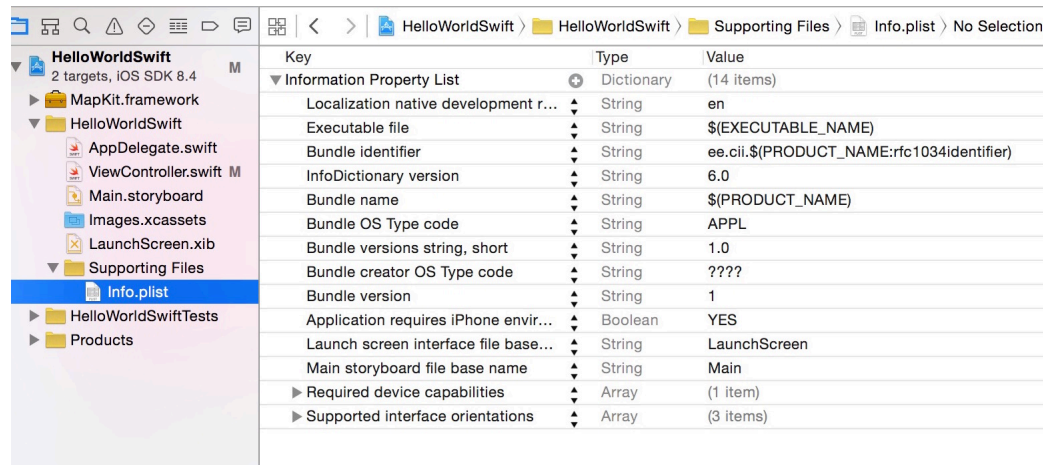
## - Media Kit





# Application Settings

## - Property List (plist) and Permission



### Example: Location Tracking Permission

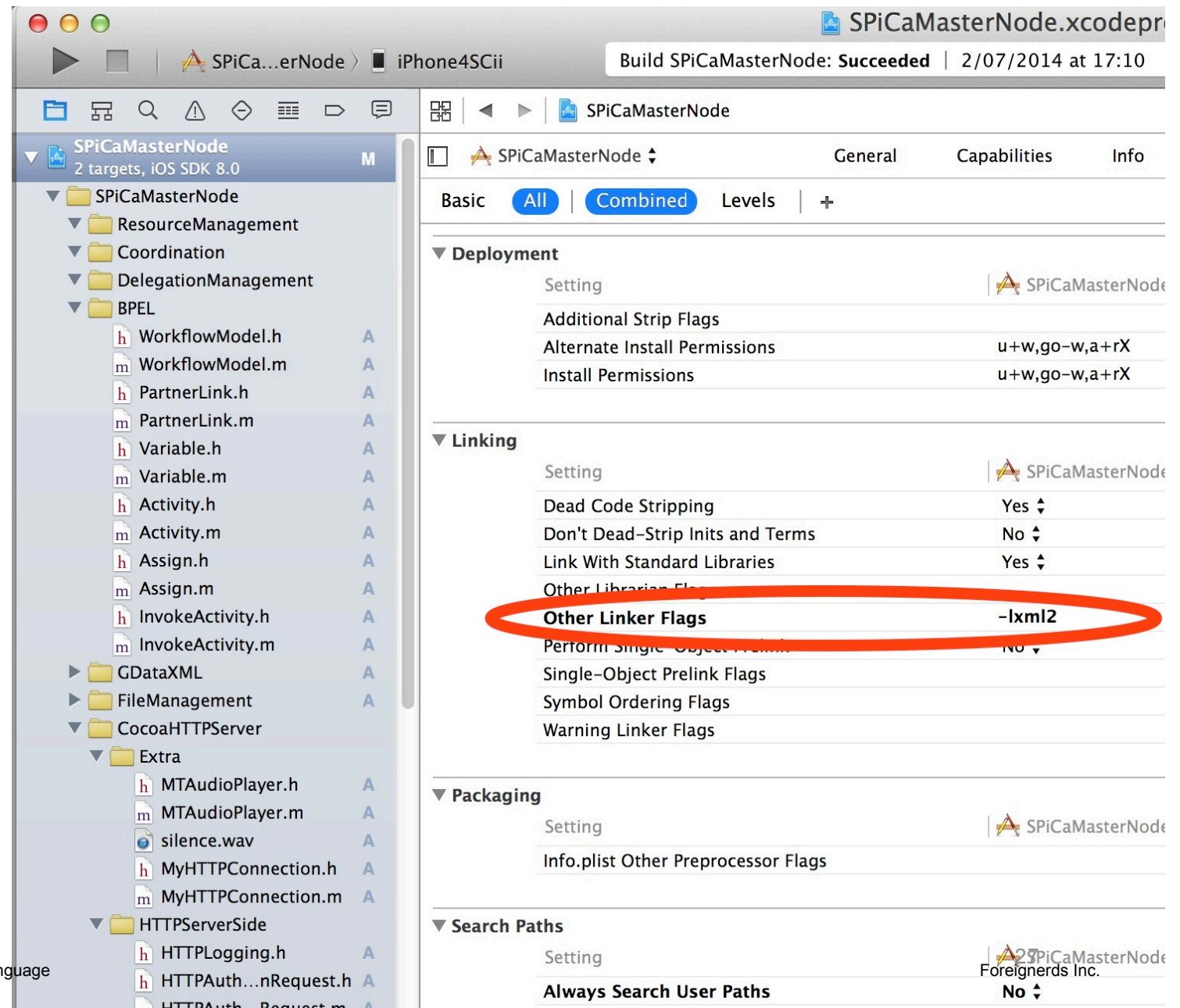
Application requires iPhone envir...	Boolean	YES
Launch screen interface file base...	String	LaunchScreen
Main storyboard file base name	String	Main
▶ Required device capabilities	Array	(1 item)
▶ Supported interface orientations	Array	(3 items)

Source: <http://willd.me/posts/getting-started-with-ibeacon-a-swift-tutorial>

# Application Settings

## - Flag

- Example, using GDataXML (of Gdata API)



# Application Settings

## – Search Path

Build SPiCaMasterNode: **Succeeded** | 2/07/2014 at 17:10

SPiCaMasterNode

General Capabilities Info **Build Settings** Build Phases Build Rules

Basic **All** | **Combined** Levels | +

Property list Output Encoding **Property list Output Encoding**

Public Headers Folder Path SPiCaMasterNode.app/Headers

Strings file Output Encoding binary ↕

**Wrapper Extension** **app**

**Search Paths**

Setting | SPiCaMasterNode

**Always Search User Paths** **No** ↕

Framework Search Paths

**Header Search Paths** **/usr/include/libxml2 /Applications/Xcode.app/Contents/Developer/Toolchains/XcodeDefault.xctoolchain...**

Library Search Paths

Rez Search Paths

Sub-Directories to Exclude in Recursive Searches

Sub-Directories to Include in Recursive Searches

User Header Search Paths

**Testing**

Setting

Test Host

Treat missing baselines as test failures

**Versioning**

Setting

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Current Project Version

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# Application Settings

## – Individual Class Setting (disable ARC)

### Disable “Automatic Reference Counting (ARC)”

The screenshot shows the Xcode interface for a project named 'SPiCaMasterNode'. The 'Build Phases' tab is active, displaying a list of source files. The file 'GDataXMLNode.m' is selected, and its compiler flags are shown as '-fno-objc-arc'. A callout box highlights the text '-fno-objc-arc'.

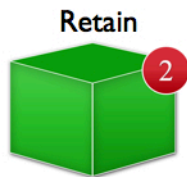
Name	Compiler Flags
HTTPRedirectResponse.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
DDLog.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
HTTPClient.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
DDTTYLogger.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
Activity.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
WorkflowModel.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
DispatchQueueLogFormatter.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
ViewController.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
WebSocket.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
InvokeActivity.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
HTTPFileResponse.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
<b>GDataXMLNode.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode</b>	<b>-fno-objc-arc</b>
DDAbstractDatabaseLogger.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
Variable.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
HTTPDynamicFileResponse.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
HTTPAsyncFileResponse.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
HTTPDataResponse.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
AppDelegate.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
MTAAudioPlayer.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
main.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
HTTPServer.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
DDASLLogger.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
PartnerLink.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
DDFileLogger.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
FileHandler.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	
DDRanae.m ...in SPiCaMasterNode	

# Automatic Reference Counting (ARC)

## Manual Reference Counting



```
MyClass *obj1 = [[MyClass alloc] init];
```



```
MyClass *obj2 = [obj1 retain];
```



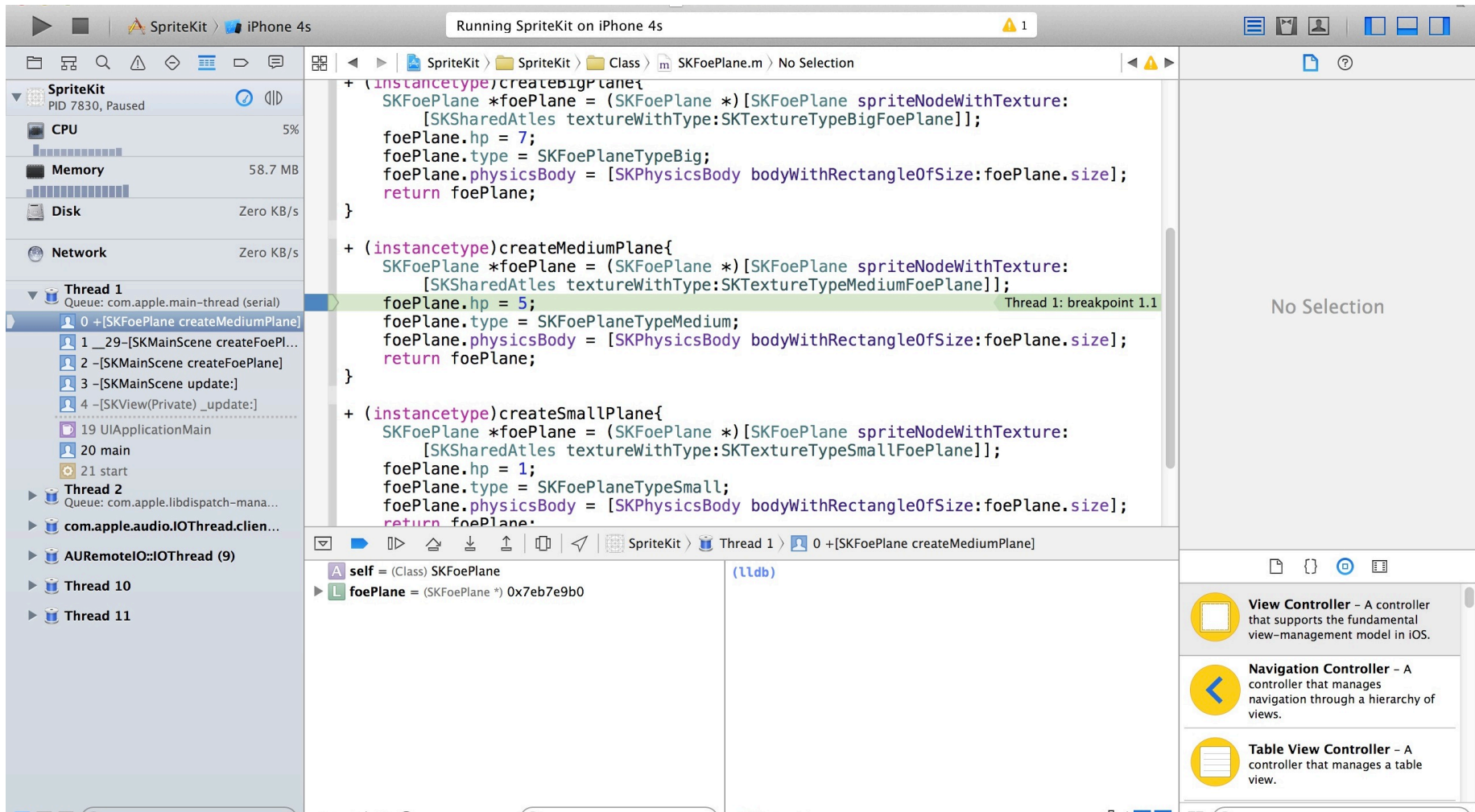
```
[obj2 release];
```



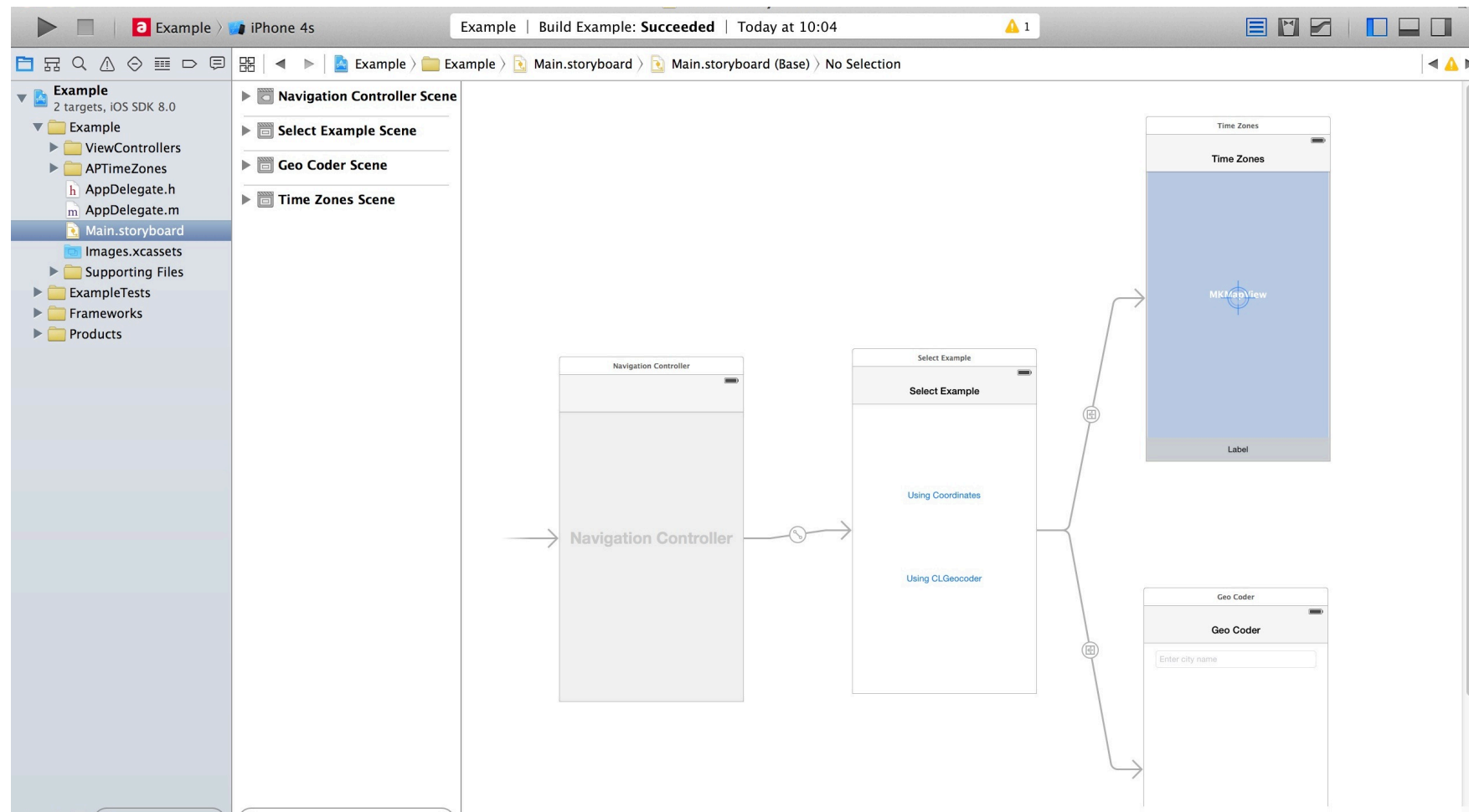
```
[obj1 release];
```

<http://blog.teamtreehouse.com/ios-5-automatic-reference-counting-arc>

# Debug



# Storyboard



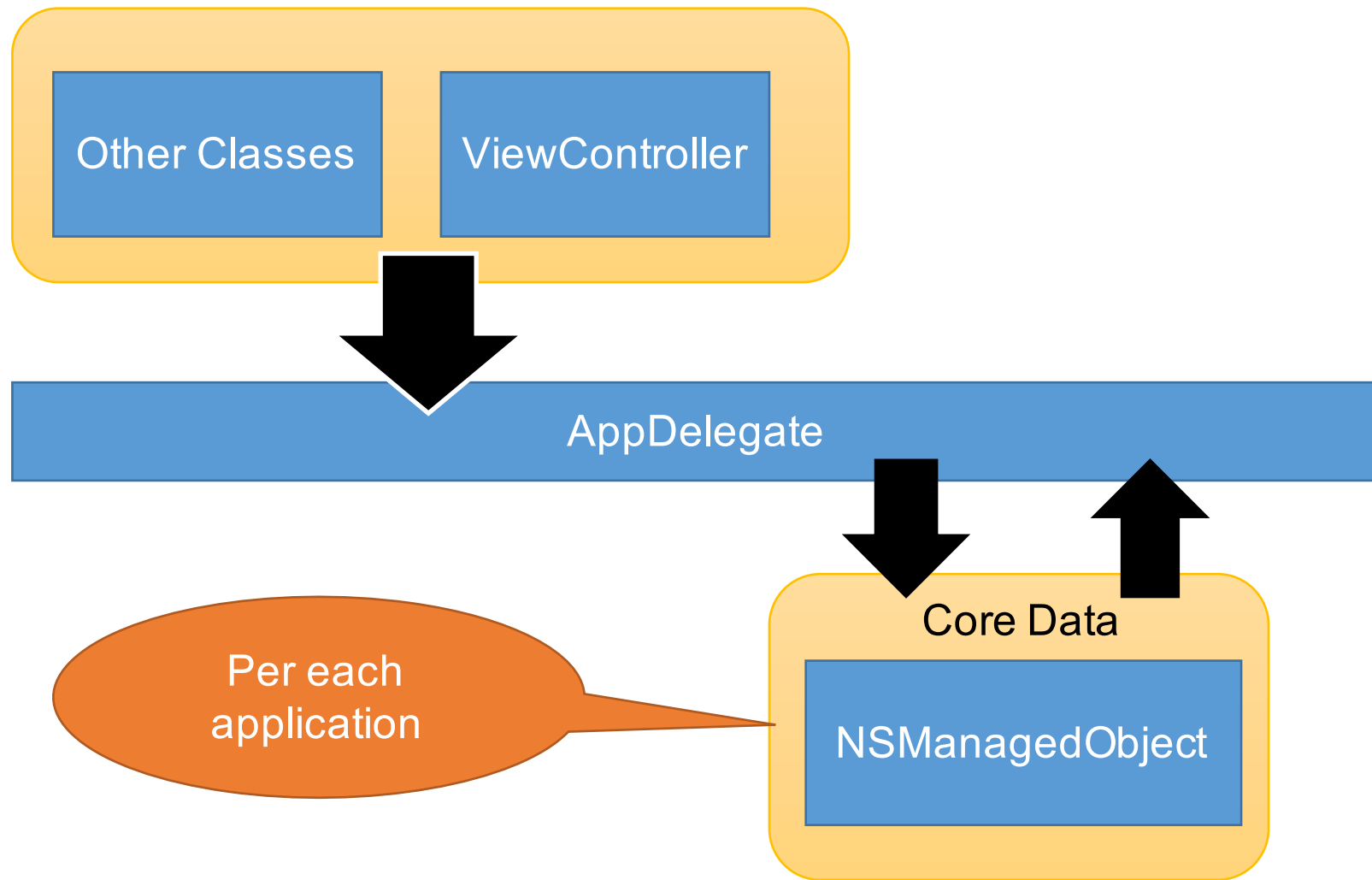
# Basic Graphical User Interface

- Layout
- Linking GUI objects to classes (drag and drop) in Objective-C

## DEMO



# Inbuilt Database: Core Data



Detail in later slides

# Accessing File System?

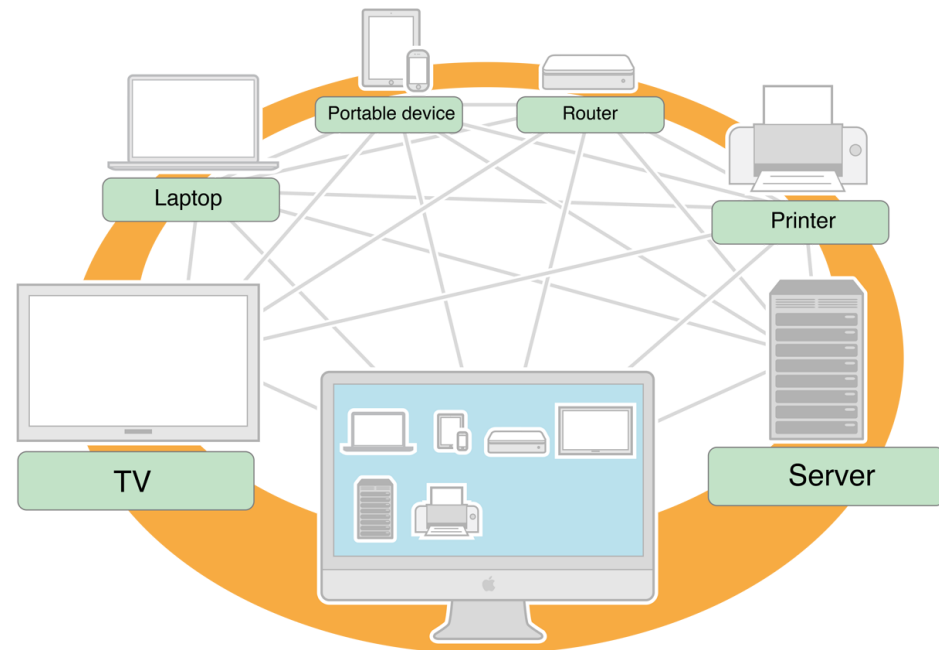
- By default, an application can only access its corresponding directories
- Example in Objective-C:

```
+ (void) saveFile: (NSData *) aData withFileName: (NSString *) fileName andFileType: (NSString *) fileType
{
    NSString *docDir =
    [NSSearchPathForDirectoriesInDomains (NSDocumentDirectory,
    NSUserDomainMask, YES) objectAtIndex:0];
    NSString *ffPath = [NSString
    stringWithFormat:@"%s/%s.%s", docDir, fileName, fileType];
    [aData writeToFile:ffPath atomically:YES];
}
```

# Zero-configuration: Bonjour

- Multicast DNS (mDNS)
- Included in foundation library: **NSNetService**; **CFNetServices**

“Bonjour is a suite of protocols for zero-configuration networking over IP that Apple has submitted to the IETF as part of the ongoing standards-creation process.”  
—(Mac Developer Library)

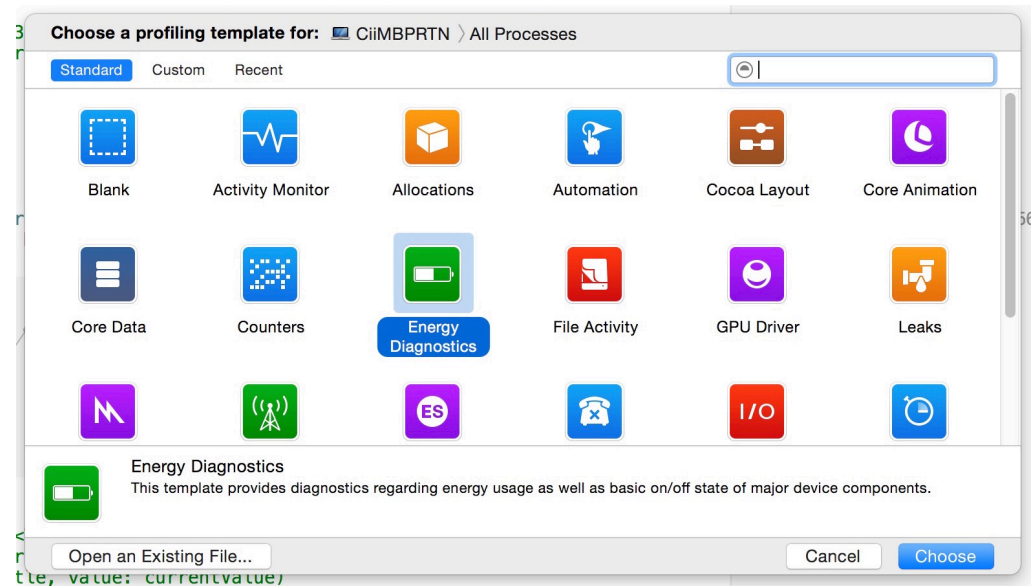
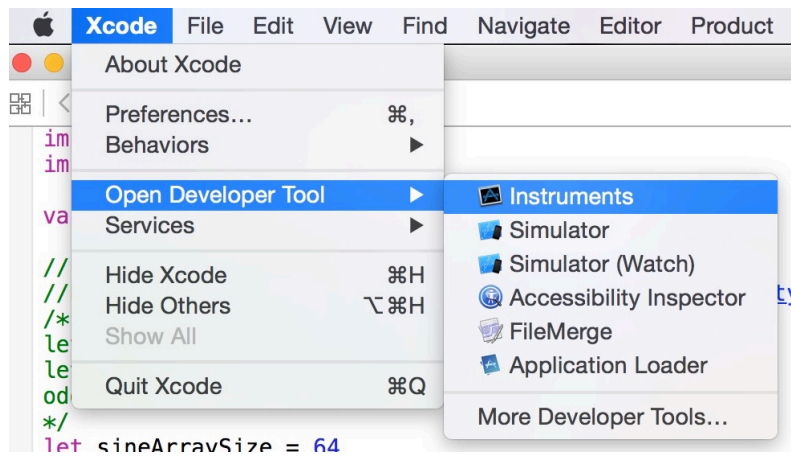


Source:

<https://developer.apple.com/library/mac/documentation/Cocoa/Conceptual/NetServices/Introduction.html>

# Instruments

- Demo

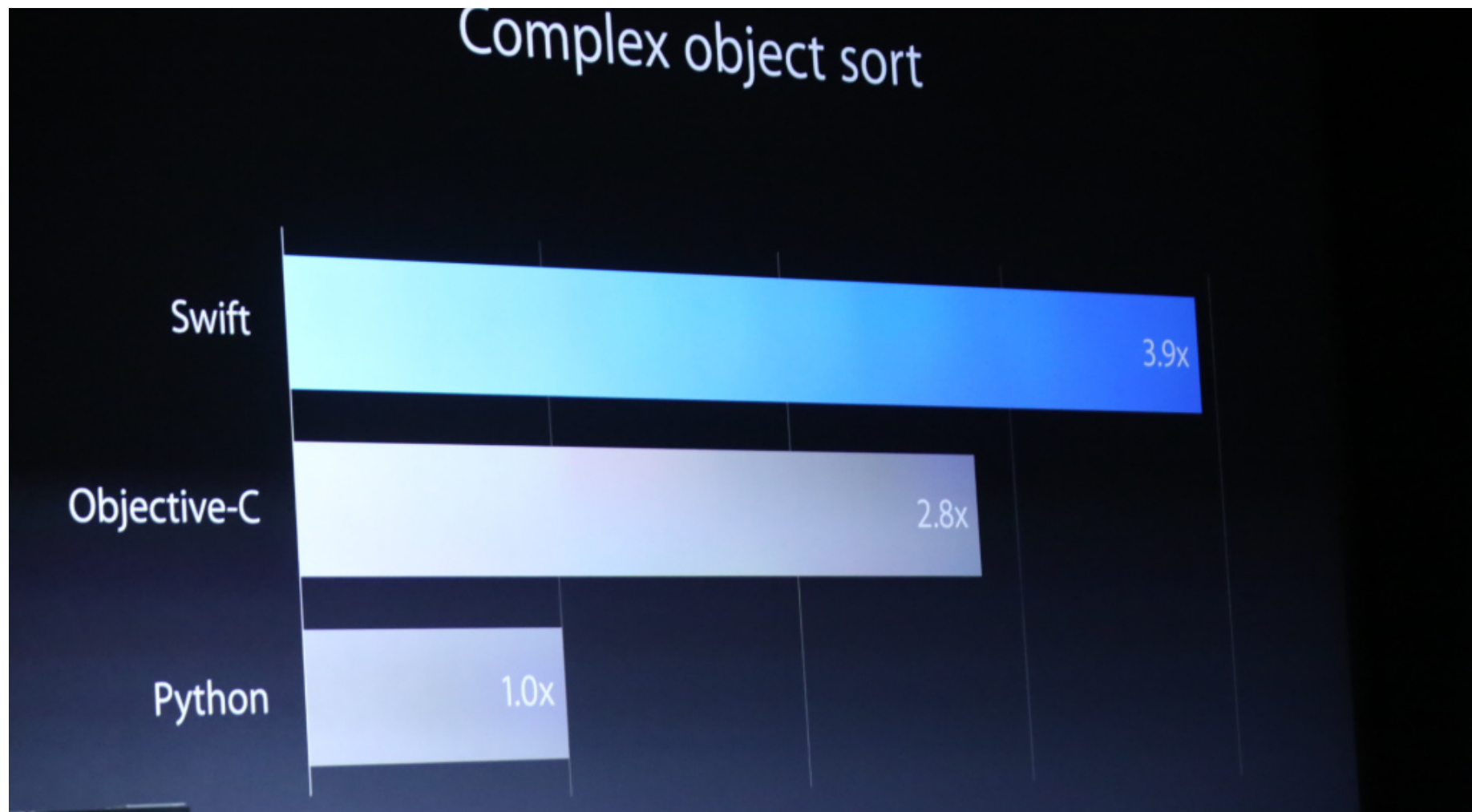


# Programming Languages for iOS App Development

- Objective-C (ObjC)
  - Programming language for NeXTSTEP OS (1980s)
  - from NeXT inc. founded by Steve Jobs in 1985 – 1996 (Acquired by Apple Computer)
- **Swift**
  - Ver. 1 introduced in 2014;
  - Now: **Swift 2, Open Source** in fall 2015, introduced in WWDC 2015<sup>1</sup>
- C++
  - See <http://www.raywenderlich.com/62989/introduction-c-ios-developers-part-1>

<sup>1</sup> <https://developer.apple.com/swift/blog/?id=29>

# Swift has better performance



# Demo: Playground

# Swift: Basic Syntax

- **NS\***; e.g. **NSURL**, **NSURLRequest**, **NSURLSession** or **NSURLConnection** etc.
- 'NS' stands for 'NeXTSTEP';
- No Semicolon required
- Type safe

Example of 'Type Safe':

```
let url = NSURL(string:  
"http://www.stackoverflow.com" )
```

```
var v1 = 123
```



# Java, Objective-C, Swift (without importing extra libraries)

- Java

```
java.lang.String gender = new String("Male");
```

or

```
java.lang.String gender = "Male";
```

- Objective-C

```
NSString *gender = [[NSString alloc] initWithString:@"Male"];
```

or

```
NSString *gender = @"Male";
```

- Swift

```
let gender = "Male" // Constant; Cannot be changed
```

or

```
var gender = "Male" // Can be changed
```

or

```
var gender: String? = "Male"
```

# Demo

# Swift: Basic Syntax

- 'Let' (constant value) and 'Var' (variable)

```
let person = "Peter"
```

```
var man = "Peter"
```

```
man = "Ken" // this is ok
```

```
person = "Ken" // this is an error
```

```
Let  $\pi$  = 3.14159265359
```

```
let 🐱 = "cat"
```

```
print(🐱) //display "cat"
```

# Swift: Basic Syntax

- Array

```
var a2 = ["cat", "mouse", "dog"]  
print(a2[1]) //display "mouse"
```

- Dictionary (Hashmap)

```
var animalList = [{"🐱": "cat", "🐶": "dog", "🐭": "mouse"}]  
print(animalList["🐶"]!) //display "dog"
```

# Swift: Basic Syntax

- Dictionary (Hashmap)

```
var animalList: [Character: String] = [:]
```

```
animalList["🐱"] = "cat"
```

```
animalList["🐶"] = "dog"
```

```
animalList["🐭"] = "mouse"
```

```
print(animalList["🐶"]!) //display "dog"
```

# Swift: Basic Syntax

- Loop

```
for i in 0...3 //display      Same as
{              0              for var i = 0; i<=3; ++i {
    print(i)   1              print(i)
              2              }
              3
```

```
for j in 0..<3 // display
{
    print(j)   0
              1
              2
}
```

# Swift: Basic Syntax

```
If let actualNumber = Int(possibleNumber) {  
    print("\(possibleNumber) has an  
integer value of \(actualNumber)")  
} else {  
    print("\(possibleNumber) could not be  
converted to an integer")  
}
```

Source: “The Swift Programming Language (Swift 2)”

# Swift: Tuples

```
let http404Error = (404, "Not Found" )
```

```
// http404Error is of type (Int, String), and  
equals (404, "Not Found")
```

From: Apple Inc. "The Swift Programming Language." iBooks. <https://itun.es/au/jEUH0.I>

# Swift: Functions

```
func greet(name: String, day: String) -> String
{
    return "Hello \(name)! Today is \(day)."
```

```
greet( "Peter" , day: "Monday" )
//display "Hello Peter! Today is Monday."
```



# Swift: Protocol

- 'Protocol' (in Swift) is similar to 'Interface' in Java

```
protocol ExampleProtocol {
    var simpleDescription: String { get }
    mutating func adjust()
}

class SimpleClass: ExampleProtocol {
    var simpleDescription: String =
        "A very simple class."
    var anotherProperty: Int = 69105
    func adjust() {
        simpleDescription += " Now 100% adjusted."
    }
}
```

From: Apple Inc. "The Swift Programming Language."

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# More GUI

## Demo

Navigation Control, Image View, Table View,  
Web View, MapView

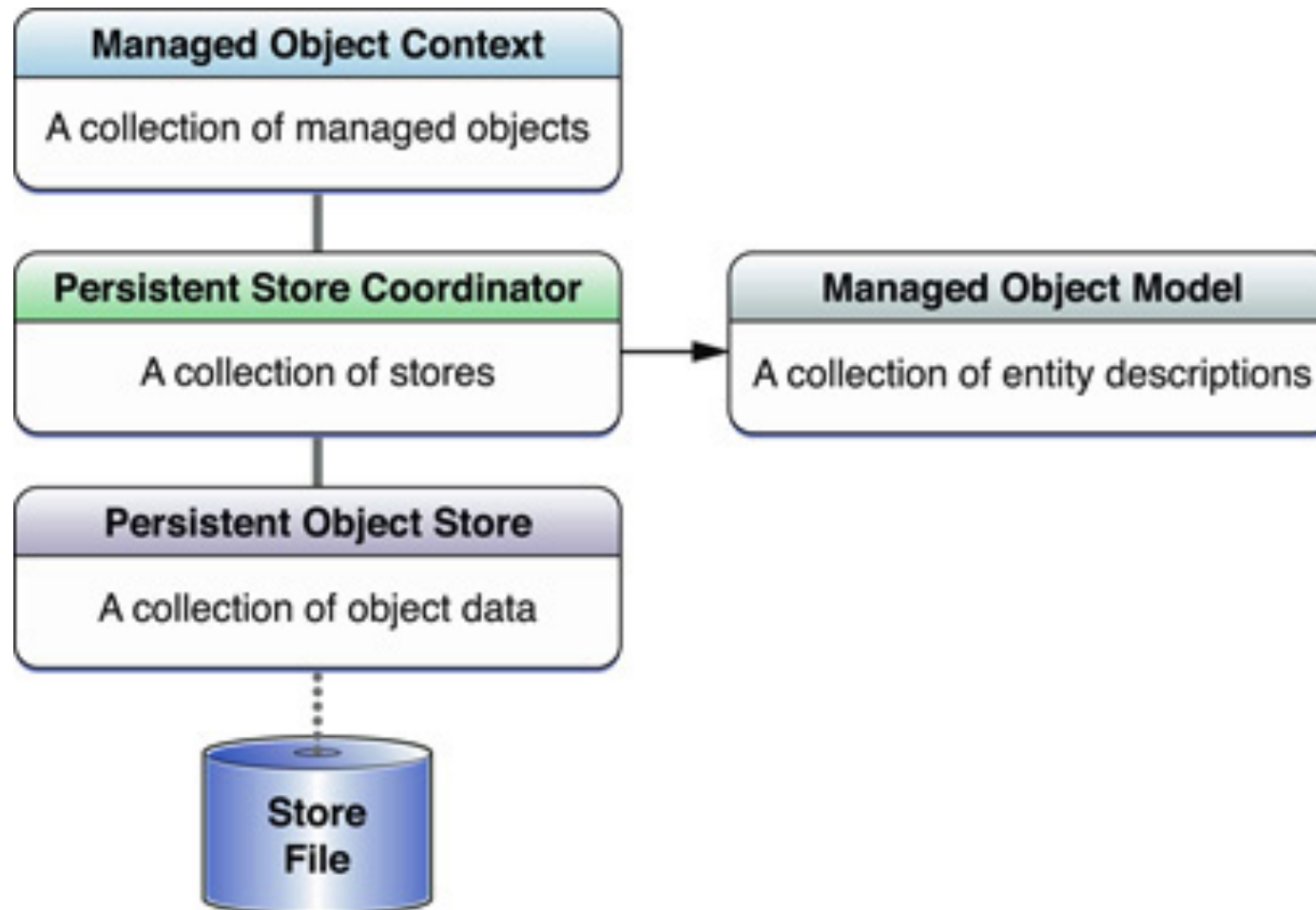
in **Swift**

[Partial Source code]

**Core Data Example:** <https://github.com/BNakum/Tutorials>  
from <http://agstya.com/core-data-tutorial-in-swift-2-0/>

**TableView Example:** <http://kodu.ut.ee/~chang/table.zip>

# Swift: Core Data



[source] <https://developer.apple.com/library/ios/documentation/DataManagement/Devpedia-CoreData/coreDataStack.html>

# Swift: Core Data

```
let appDelegate =  
UIApplication.sharedApplication().delegate as!  
AppDelegate
```

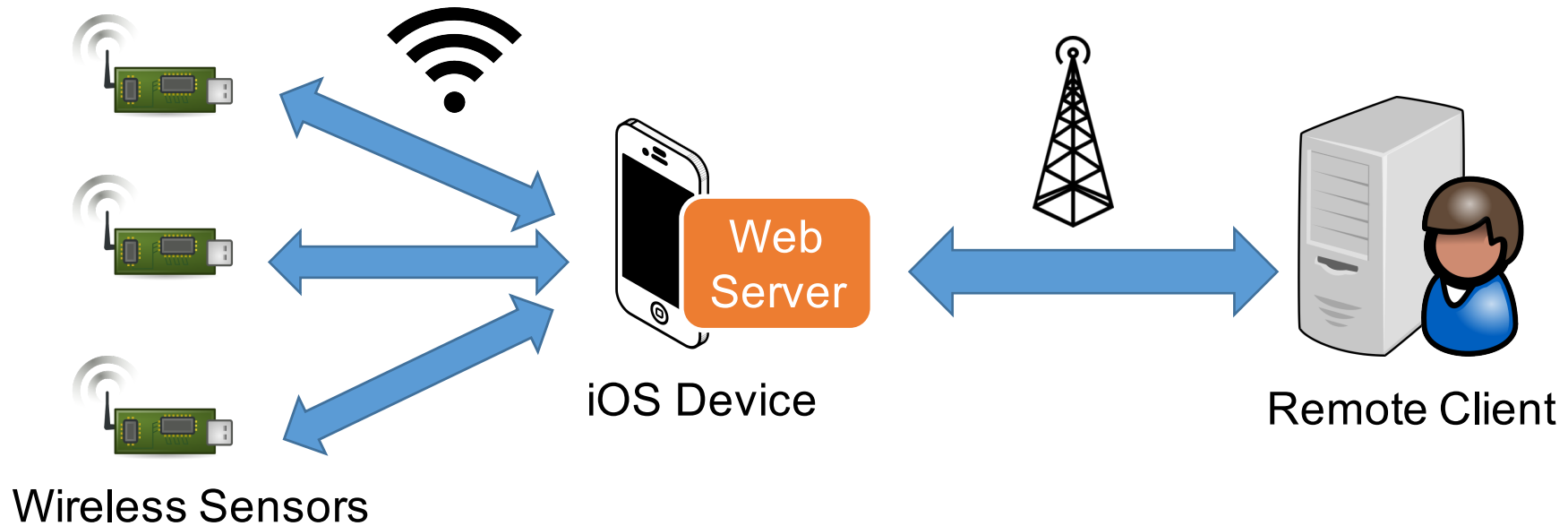
```
let managedContext =  
appDelegate.managedObjectContext
```

```
//fetch all data
```

```
let fetchRequest = NSFetchRequest(entityName:  
"TheEntityName" )
```

## Demo

# Mobile Web Service Provisioning



## Demo

File Upload Service hosted on iPhone

# Interesting Tools

- <https://developer.apple.com/videos/wwdc/2015/>
- Mobile Web Server: CocoaHTTPServer  
<https://github.com/robbiehanson/CocoaHTTPServer>
- GData Objective-C Client <https://code.google.com/p/gdata-objectivec-client/>
- RESTKit <https://github.com/RestKit/RestKit>
- AFNetworking <https://github.com/AFNetworking/AFNetworking>
  
- RESTful BPEL workflow execution engine  
by Mobile & Cloud Lab

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