

# Formation



# 01

## TOUR D'HORIZON

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Aujourd'hui, la mobilité est le fait d'avoir accès à l'information de manière **continue** et sans rupture des usages.

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## Quelques chiffres

# 63

63 % des salariés sont en situation de mobilité au moins une fois par semaine

# 4/10

4 emails sur 10 sont ouverts depuis un Smartphone

# 52

52 % des utilisateurs utilisent 3 devices pour travailler

# 90

90 % des entreprises auront 2 ou 3 OS mobiles à gérer en 2017

# 80

+ 80% des employés utilisent des applications SaaS non-approuvées par l'entreprise

## Les enjeux pour l'entreprise

### **Augmenter la productivité**

Application pensée pour l'utilisateur

Augmentation de la réactivité et accélération des échanges

Adéquation aux nouveaux modes de travail : nomadisme, valorisation, ...

### **Aider à la prise de décision**

### **Innover dans les usages**

### **Contrôler l'explosion des usages de manière simple et rationalisé**

### **S'adapter au nouveau cycle de vie des applications**

# Les devices actuels

Phone



Phablet



Tablette



2-en-1s  
(Tablette / Portable)



Portable  
Classique



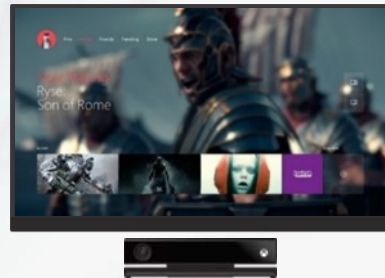
PC de  
bureau



Mur tactile



TV



VR / AR



IoT



Wearable



### Ecosystème le plus réduit :

- 26 devices
  - Fragmentation des versions OS faible
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### Une version majeure par an de l'OS

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### Dernières nouveautés à fort impact :

- Stilet
  - Multi-fenêtrage
  - Téléphone de grande taille
  - 3D Touch
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### Nécessite pour développer :

- Un mac
- Xcode (Une maj mineure par mois)
- ObjectiveC ou Swift



Google

## Ecosystème extrêmement vaste :

600+ nouveaux modèles  
de téléphones en 1 an

Fragmentation des version OS forte  
(4% avec pre-Android 4.1 et  
seulement 7% sur Android 6.0)

Form factor et  
qualité du matériel  
très variable

**Parc utilisateurs : 1.5 Milliard d'activations**





## Microsoft

- Avec Windows 10, Microsoft refond son écosystème pour unifier tous les devices.
- Windows 10 déployé sur 300 millions de devices en un an. Objectif : 1 milliard en 2018
- OS tablette très utilisée en entreprise
- OS le plus utilisé en device hybride
- OS pensé pour l'entreprise et retro-compatible



## Le nouveau Microsoft

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Microsoft ouvre ces outils : open source et cross-platform.

L'objectif est de faire tomber les barrières techniques pour proposer ses services au plus grand nombre.

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Office téléchargé 340 millions de fois sur iOS et Android

25% des machines Azure utilise Linux

Bash est intégré à Windows 10

SQL Server For Linux

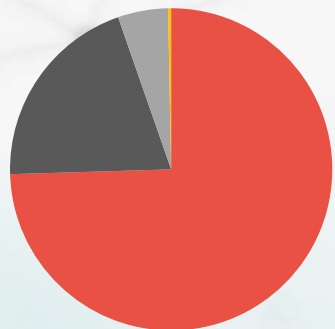
.Net devient Cross-platform

Visual Studio Code : Php, Python, Ruby, C++, Html5, Node.JS, ...

Acquisition de Xamarin et mise à disposition du code source

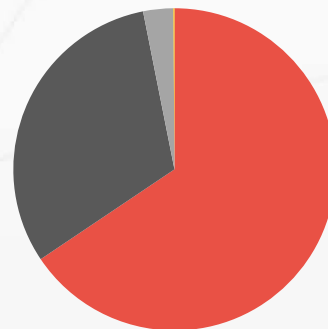
## Part de marché (Mars 2016)

### En France :



Android 74 %  
iOS 20%  
Windows 5 %  
BlackBerry 0,3 %

### Etats-Unis:



Android 65 %  
iOS 31%  
Windows 3 %  
BlackBerry 0,1 %

- L'usage du mobile a dépassé celui du PC en 2014
- Part de marché en entreprise très difficilement mesurable

## Les nouveautés techniques



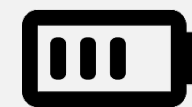
Toujours connecté



Biométrie



BlueTooth LE



Autonomie



Résistance



VR et AR



Machine Learning



Bot et AI

# 02

## PRESENTATION DES TECHNOLOGIES DE CROSS-PLATFORM

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## 'Write once, Run anywhere'

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Les applications 'Cross-platform' sont des applications ayant un rendu et des fonctionnalités identiques à celles développées nativement, mais qui ont été écrites avec un seul et même code source.

## Pourquoi utiliser le cross platform?

### Réduire le temps

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Développement  
Maintenance  
Evolution

### Fiabiliser l'applicatif

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Un seul code métier  
plutôt que 3

### Rationaliser l'équipe

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Réutiliser le savoir faire  
de ces équipes ( C# ou  
JS)

Equipe unique

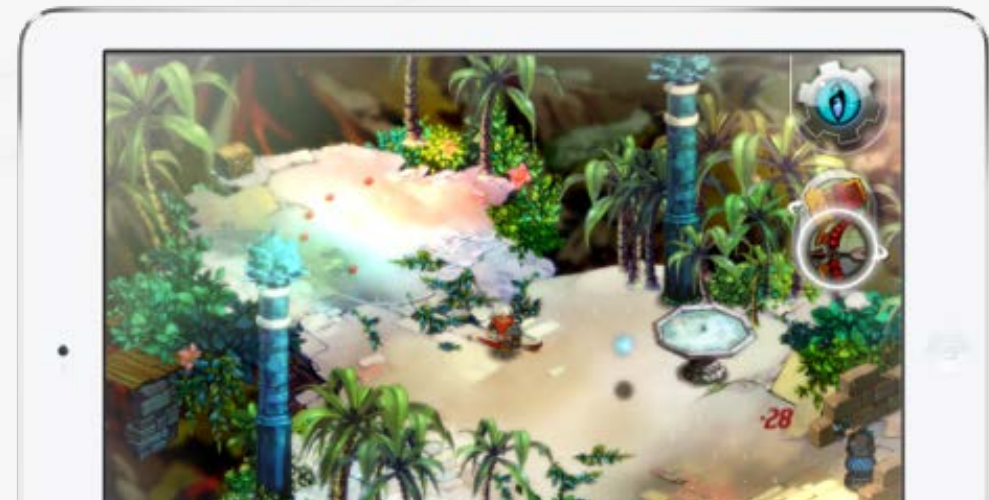




## Xamarin ?

La possibilité de développer sur toutes les plateformes mobiles majeures :

- l'ergonomie et l'expérience de chaque plateforme
- les performances natives de chaque plateforme
- partager du code entre les plateformes
- C# & .Net Framework



# Xamarin, l'histoire

**2000**

Ximian  
Founded

**2001**

Mono  
Started

**2003**

Ximian  
Acquired  
by Novell

**2009**

First iOS product  
(now  
Xamarin.iOS)  
launches

**2011**

Xamarin  
Founded  
  
First  
Release of  
Xamarin.Android

**2012**

First  
release of  
Xamarin.Mac  
  
Launch  
Partner  
Program

**2013**

Xamarin 2.0  
  
Component  
Store  
  
Evolve 2013  
  
Xamarin Test  
Cloud  
  
Microsoft  
Partnership

**2014**

Xamarin.Forms  
  
Xamarin.Insight  
  
Xamarin University

**2016**

Microsoft  
  
Open source

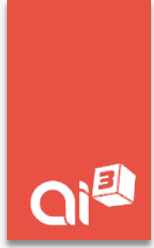
Le concept

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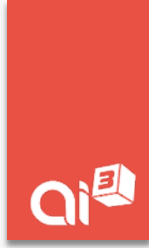
Xamarin utilise C#/.Net pour contrôler les objets natifs des plateformes

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La couverture de l'API iOS, Android et Windows est de 100%  
L'IHM rendue est native

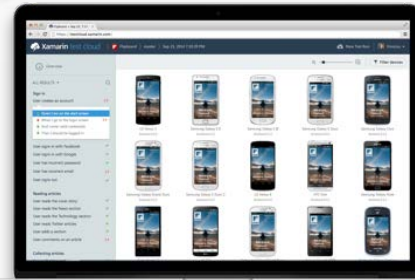
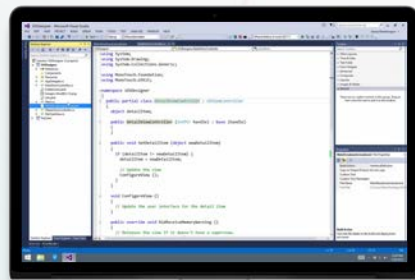
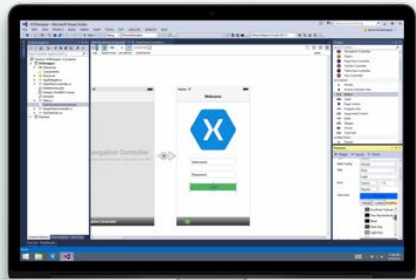


# Xamarin



# Xamarin Platform

- v Xamarin platform lets you develop, test, and monitor your released application for iOS, Android, and Windows



Xamarin Development Platform



Xamarin Test Cloud



HOCKEYAPP

Design

Develop

Integrate

Test

Monitor

# Building mobile apps

- ▼ There are three common ways to create mobile applications, each with specific strengths and weaknesses

Silo

Black Box

Xamarin

# Silo approach




- v Can write the same application multiple times using the vendor's tools



iOS App

Obj-C  
Swift  
XCode

A purple rectangular box representing the iOS development silo. It features the Apple logo at the top, followed by the text 'iOS App'. Below that, it lists the programming languages 'Obj-C' and 'Swift', and the development tool 'XCode'.

Android App

Java  
Eclipse  
A. Studio

A green rectangular box representing the Android development silo. It features the Android robot logo at the top, followed by the text 'Android App'. Below that, it lists the programming language 'Java' and the development tools 'Eclipse' and 'A. Studio'.

Windows App

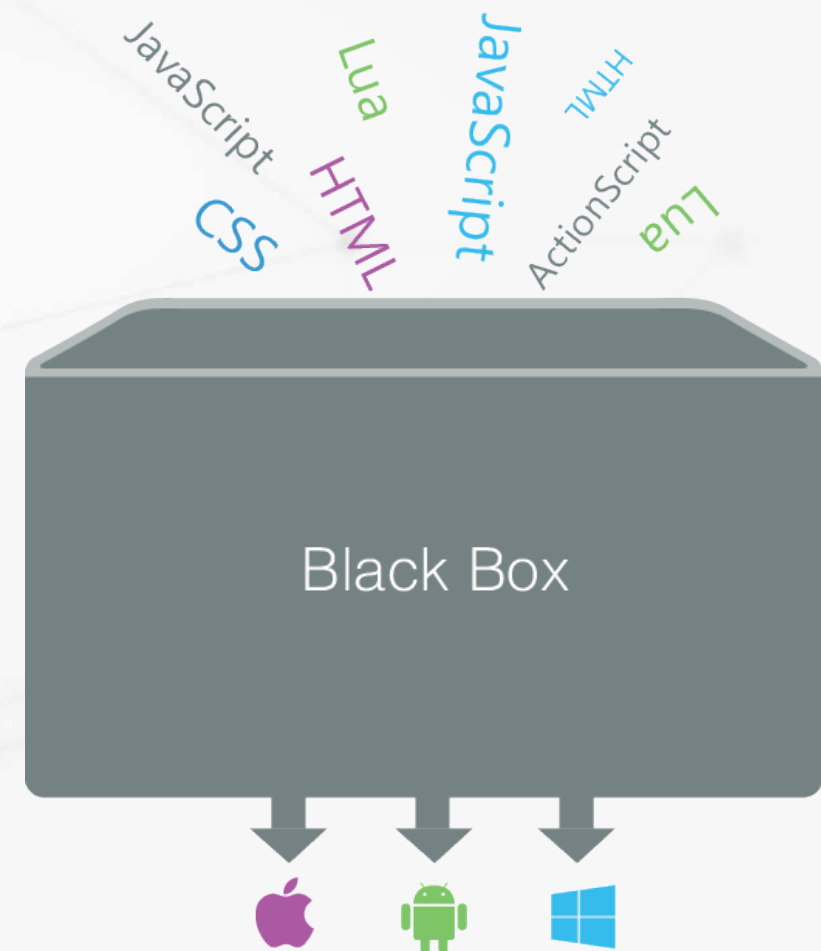
C#  
Visual  
Studio

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# Black Box approach

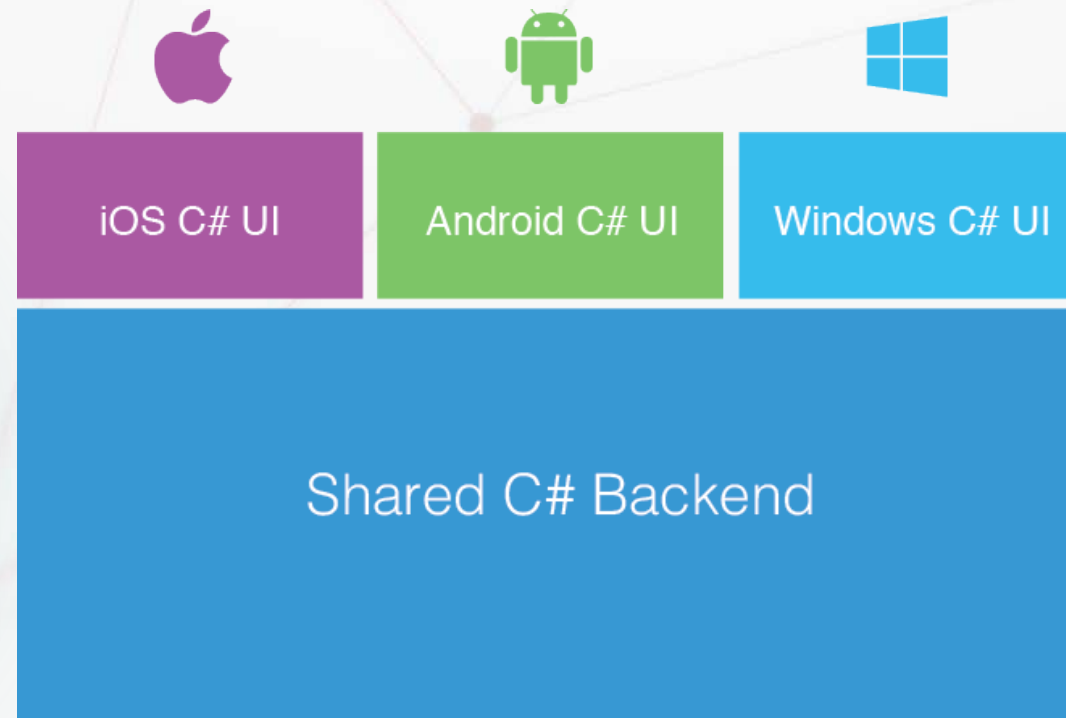
- v Can use high-level tools that convert a single code base to an app for each platform





# Xamarin approach

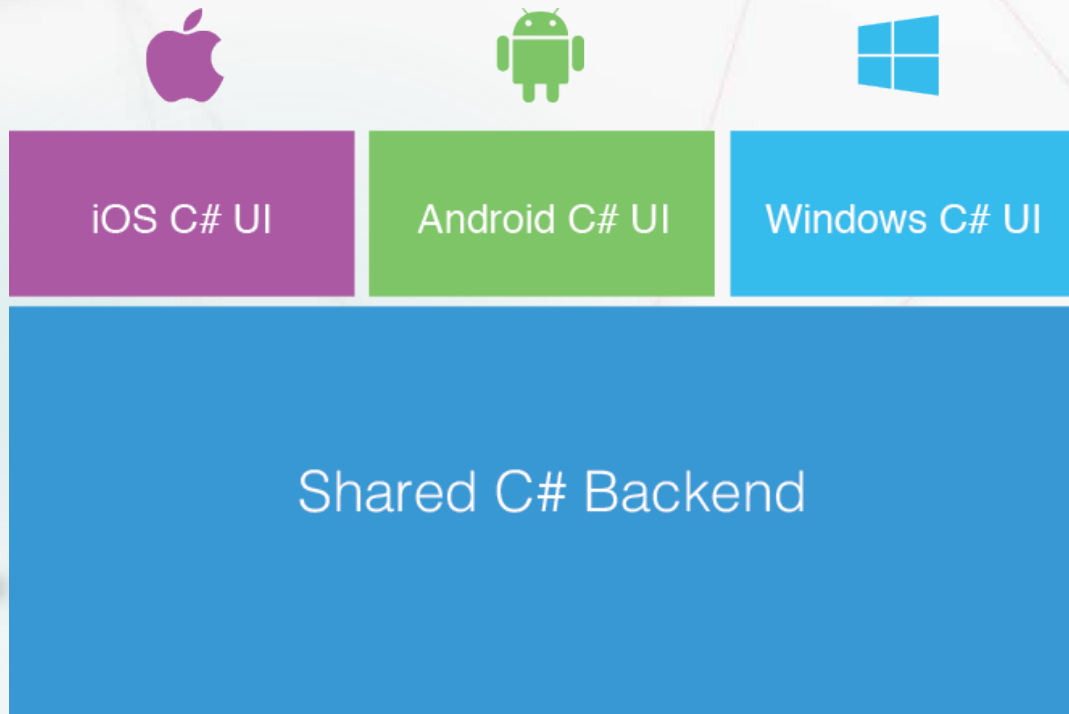
- Can build native apps using C# and .NET, sharing the business logic but leveraging each platform's benefits and paradigms



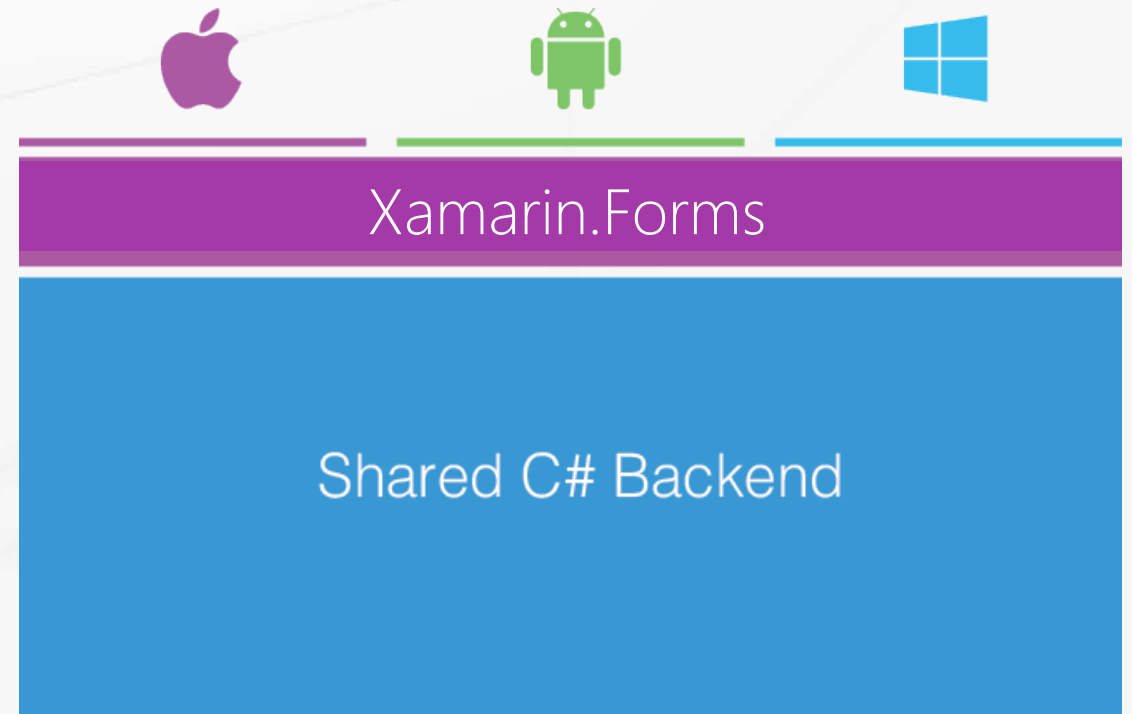
Traditional Xamarin approach

# Xamarin approach

- v Xamarin.Forms enables even more code-sharing through a shared UI definition when deep platform integration is unnecessary



Traditional Xamarin approach



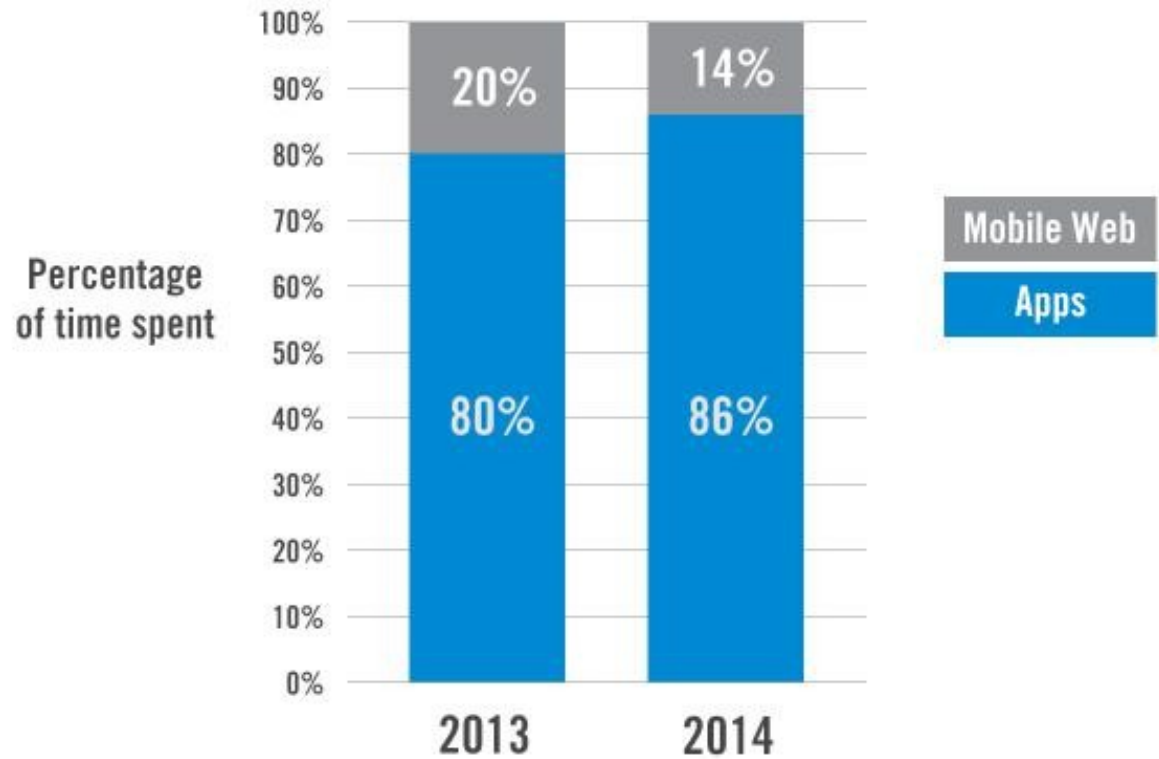
Xamarin.Forms approach



# Why Native apps?

- v Native apps can integrate better with the platform, are faster, more power efficient, and visually look better
- v Plus, users *like* them better!

## Apps Continue to Dominate the Mobile Web





Anything you can do in Objective-C, Swift, or Java can be done in C# (or F#) with Xamarin

# Re-use

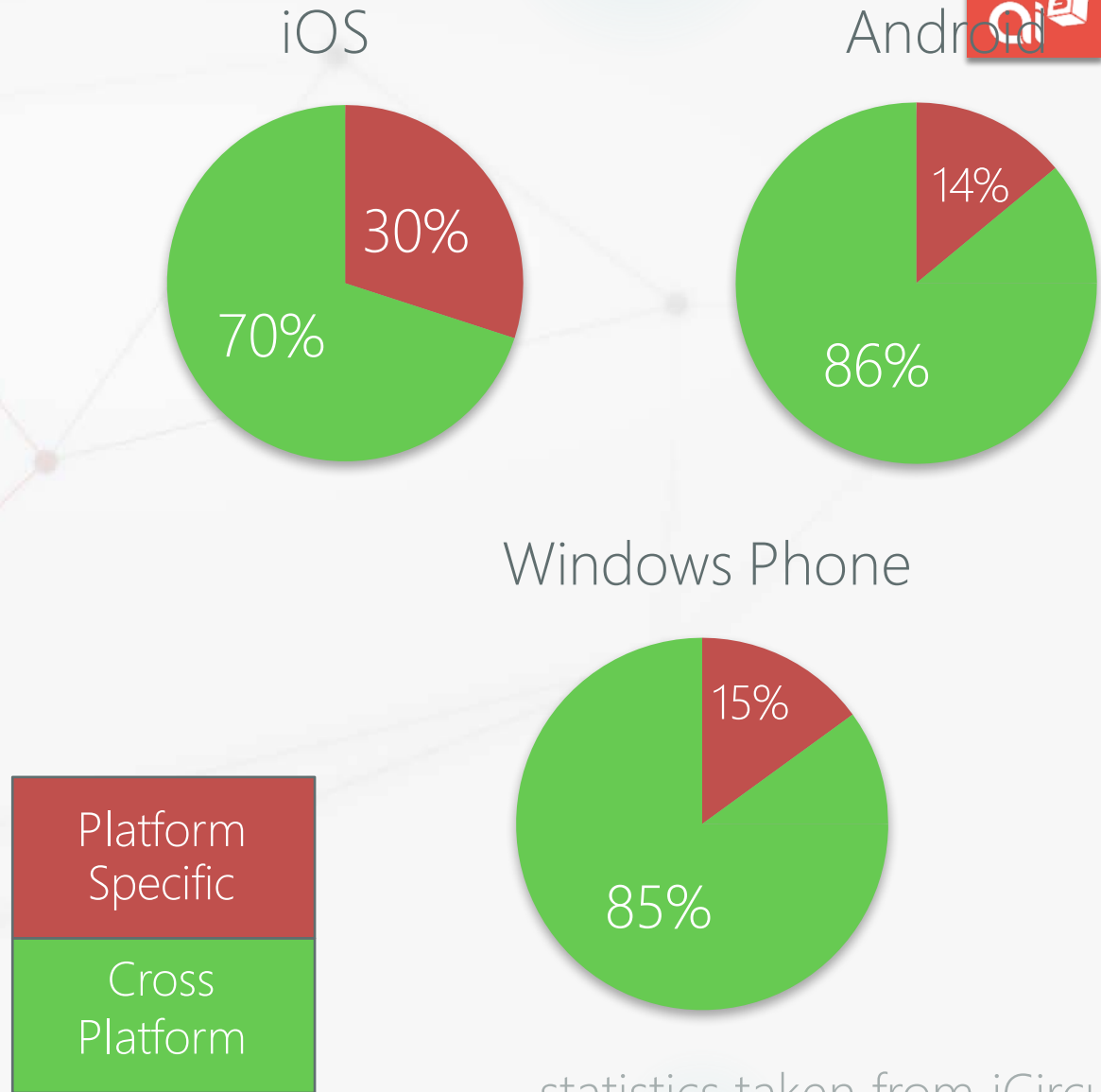
# Sharing code

- v One of the main reasons to use Xamarin is the possibility of sharing a significant portion of your code across all your supported platforms



# Sharable Code

- v Xamarin applications are *native* and therefore will *always* include some platform-specific code

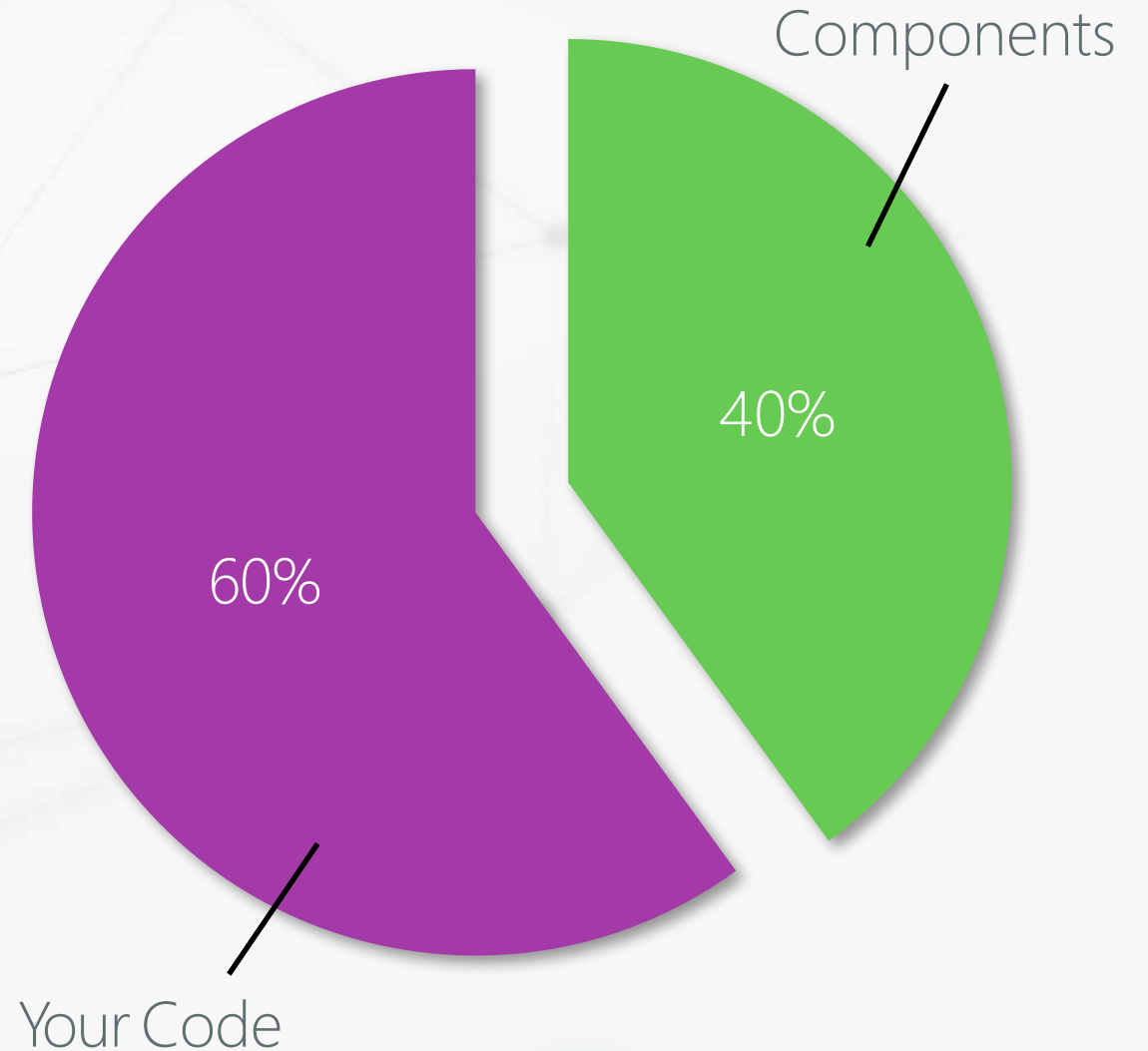


statistics taken from iCircuit



# Sharable code

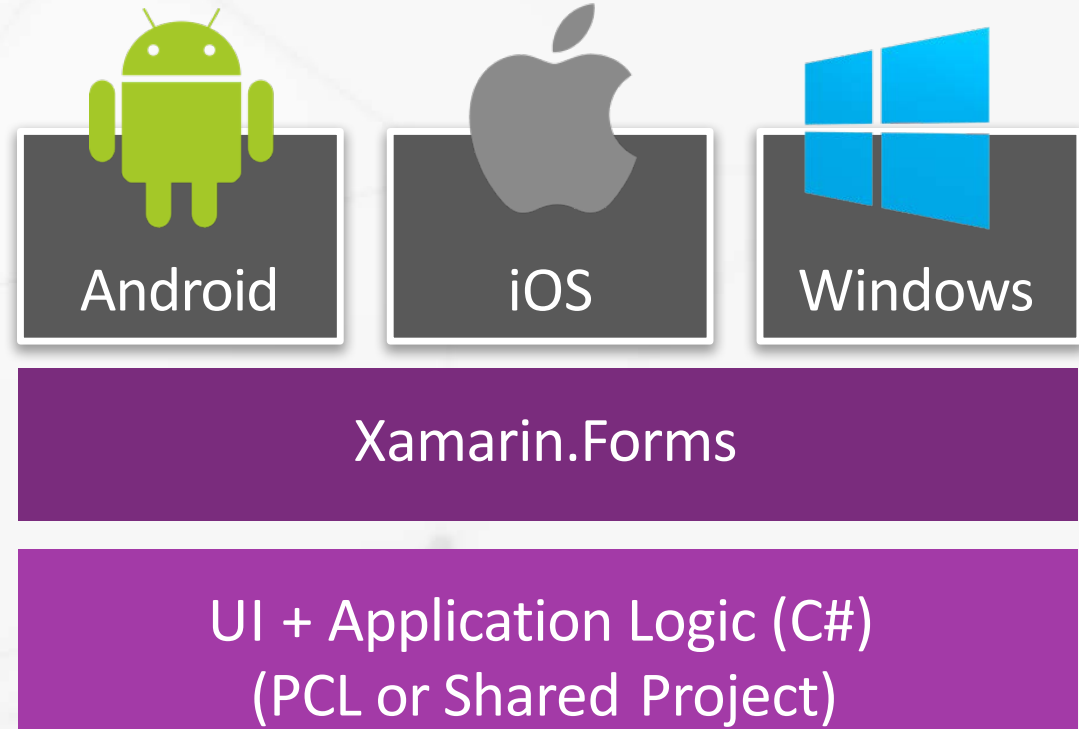
- Sharable code is split between reusable components and platform-independent code





# Xamarin.Forms

- v Xamarin.Forms provides **shared set of UI controls** to design the user interface
- v Renders **native UI** on iOS, Android and Windows



# Data Access (Database)

- ▼ SQLite support available for iOS, Android and Windows
- ▼ Can also store in the cloud – Azure Mobile Services, Amazon, Dropbox, etc.



# Web Services

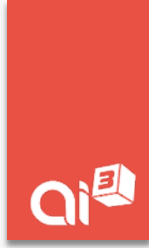
- v Use **HttpClient** for REST services, can then process with
  - **System.Xml / System.Json**
  - LINQ to XML
  - Json.NET component
- v Use WCF or **.asmx** for SOAP



# Xamarin.\* Libraries

- v Open-Source, Cross-Platform APIs available from [Github.com/Xamarin](https://github.com/Xamarin)
  - Xamarin.Social
  - Xamarin.Auth
  - Xamarin.Mobile
- v Check out .NET Foundation for more great open source libraries like MailKit and Rx





# Using Nuget in Visual Studio

- Can add Nuget components in Visual Studio using References folder

The screenshot shows the NuGet Package Manager window in Visual Studio. On the left, the 'References' folder is expanded, and the 'Manage NuGet Packages...' option is highlighted. A purple arrow points from this option to the NuGet Package Manager window. The window title is 'NuGet Package Manager: App1'. It has tabs for 'Browse', 'Installed', and 'Updates'. The 'Browse' tab is active, showing a search for 'xamarin' with 'Include prerelease' checked. The package source is set to 'nuget.org'. The search results list several packages, including 'Xamarin.Forms' (455K downloads, v2.1.0.6513-pre4), 'xamstore-xamarin.mobile' (v0.7.1), 'xamstore-xamarin.inappbilling' (v1.5.0), and 'Xamarin.Estimate.Android' (v0.9.1). The details for 'Xamarin.Forms' are shown on the right, including the version 'Latest prerelease 2.1.0.6513-pre4' and an 'Install' button. The description for 'Xamarin.Forms' is 'Build native UIs for iOS, Android, and Windows Phone from a single, shared C# codebase'.

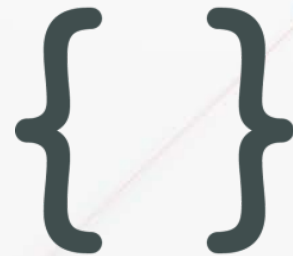
Can search, update components and even revert to older revisions

# Where can I use shared code?

- Anytime you are writing code which does not depend on a specific platform feature, it is potentially sharable, particularly if it:



Talks to a web service



Parses a data format



Uses a database



Performs processing or logic

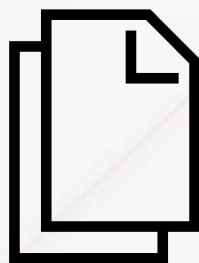
Create shared classes + methods and then use them from your platform-specific code to maximize the shareable surface area

## When is code *NOT* sharable?

- v If the code you are writing depends on device or platform-specific APIs, or APIs not available in your project, then you will need to isolate its use or provide some kind of *abstraction* to use it from your shared code



Access system information



Use files and folders on the device



Access personal information



Use external devices

# Préparer votre environnement



# Installation

Modifying — Visual Studio Enterprise 2017 — 15.9.15

## Workloads

## Individual components

## Language packs

## Installation locations

Azure Data Lake, or Hadoop.

applications, including Python, R and F#.



### Office/SharePoint development

Create Office and SharePoint add-ins, SharePoint solutions, and VSTO add-ins using C#, VB, and JavaScript.



## Mobile & Gaming (5)



### Mobile development with .NET

Build cross-platform applications for iOS, Android or Windows using Xamarin.



### Mobile development with JavaScript

Build Android, iOS and UWP apps using Tools for Apache Cordova.



### Game development with C++

Use the full power of C++ to build professional games powered by DirectX, Unreal, or Cocos2d.



### Game development with Unity

Create 2D and 3D games with Unity, a powerful cross-platform development environment.



### Mobile development with C++

Build cross-platform applications for iOS, Android or Windows using C++.



## Installation details

- > Visual Studio core editor
- > .NET desktop development
- > Universal Windows Platform development
- > ASP.NET and web development
- > Azure development
- > Data storage and processing

### Mobile development with .NET

Included

- ✓ Xamarin
- ✓ .NET Framework 4.6.1 development tools
- ✓ C# and Visual Basic
- ✓ .NET Portable Library targeting pack

Optional

- ✓ Xamarin Profiler
- Android SDK setup (API level 27)
- Google Android Emulator (API Level 27)
- ✓ Xamarin Workbooks
- ✓ Intel Hardware Accelerated Execution Manager (...)
- ✓ Universal Windows Platform tools for Xamarin
- Architecture and analysis tools

Location

# Création d'un nouveau projet

The image shows the 'New Project' dialog in Visual Studio. The left sidebar lists various project types, with 'Cross-Platform' highlighted. The main area shows the 'Mobile App (Xamarin.Forms)' template selected, with a description: 'Type: Visual C# A multiproject template for building apps for iOS, Android, and Windows with Xamarin and Xamarin.Forms.'

A sub-dialog titled 'New Cross Platform App - App5' is open, showing three template options: 'Blank', 'Master-Detail', and 'Tabbed'. The 'Blank' template is selected. Below the templates, there are two sections highlighted with red boxes:

- Platform**:
  - Android
  - iOS
  - Windows (UWP)
- Code Sharing Strategy ?**:
  - .NET Standard
  - Shared Project

The 'Name' field at the bottom left contains 'App5'. At the bottom right, there are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

# Projet Xamarin

The screenshot displays the Microsoft Visual Studio interface for a Xamarin project named 'App5'. The Solution Explorer on the left shows the project structure:

- Solution 'App5' (4 projects)
  - App5
  - App5.Android**
  - App5.iOS
  - App5.UWP (Universal Windows)

The main workspace shows the 'Debug' configuration selected, with the target device set to 'HUAWEI WAS-LX1A (Android 8.0 - API 26)'. The 'Run' button (a green play icon) is highlighted with a red box, and the text 'Exécuter le projet' is overlaid on it. To the right, the 'Android' and 'iOS' platform selection buttons are also highlighted with red boxes.

# Application – Point d'entrée

```
public partial class App : Application
{
    public App()
    {
        InitializeComponent();
        MainPage = new NavigationPage(page);
    }

    protected override void OnStart()
    {}

    protected override void OnSleep()
    {}

    protected override void OnResume()
    {}
}
```

# Atelier

- Créer un nouveau projet Xamarin
- Exécuter votre projet

# Xamarin XAML

# Creating Pages in Code



- v Significant portion of code behind tends to be in UI creation: setup and layout
- v Mixing of UI and behavior in one file can make both design and behavior harder to understand / evolve
- v Prohibits designer role involvement
  - developer is forced to do everything

```
MainPage.cs
MainPage ▶ MainPage0
108     return button;
109     }
110 }
111
112 Button CreateNumberButton(string str, int row, int col)
113 {
114     Button button = new Button() {
115         Text = str,
116         BackgroundColor = Color.White,
117         TextColor = Color.Black,
118         Font = Font.SystemFontOfSize(36),
119         BorderRadius = 0,
120     };
121     Grid.SetRow(button, row);
122     Grid.SetColumn(button, col);
123     button.Clicked += OnSelectNumber;
124     return button;
125 }
126
127 void OnSelectNumber(object sender, EventArgs e)
128 {
129     Button button = (Button)sender;
130     string pressed = button.Text;
131
132     if (this.resultText.Text == "0" || currentState < 0) {
133         this.resultText.Text = "";
134         if (currentState < 0)
135             currentState *= -1;
136     }
137
138     this.resultText.Text += pressed;
139
140     double number;
141     if (double.TryParse(this.resultText.Text, out number)) {
```

# Working in Markup

- v HTML has taught us that markup languages are a great way to define user interfaces because they are:
  - Toolable
  - Human readable
  - Extensible





# Extensible Application Markup Language



- v XAML was created by Microsoft specifically to describe UI

XAML

Xamarin Forms + XAML  
= Sweetness!

# Microsoft XAML vs. Xamarin.Forms



Xamarin.Forms conforms to the XAML 2009 specification; the differences are really in the controls and layout containers you use

```
<Page x:Class="App2.MainPage"
      xmlns="http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2006/xaml/presentation"
      xmlns:x="http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2006/xaml">

  <StackPanel Margin="50" VerticalAlignment="Center">
    <TextBox PlaceholderText="User name" />
    <PasswordBox PlaceholderText="Password" />
    <Button Background="#FF77D065"
            Content="Login"
            Foreground="White" />
  </StackPanel>

</Page>
```

Microsoft XAML (WinRT)

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ContentPage xmlns="http://xamarin.com/schemas/2014/forms"
             xmlns:x="http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2009/xaml"
             x:Class="Test.MyPage">

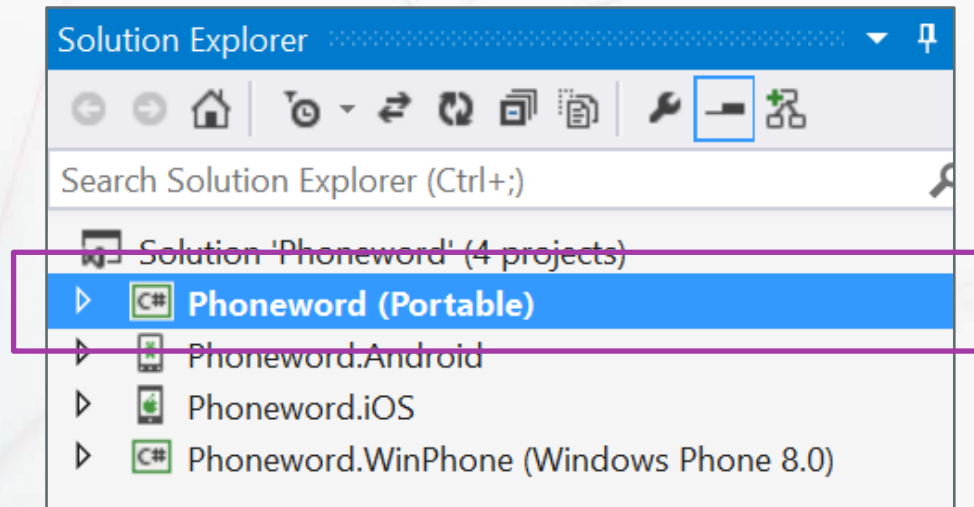
  <StackLayout Spacing="20"
              Padding="50" VerticalOptions="Center">
    <Entry Placeholder="User Name" />
    <Entry Placeholder="Password"
           IsPassword="True" />
    <Button Text="Login" TextColor="White"
           BackgroundColor="#FF77D065" />
  </StackLayout>

</ContentPage>
```

Xamarin.Forms

# Where do the XAML pages go?

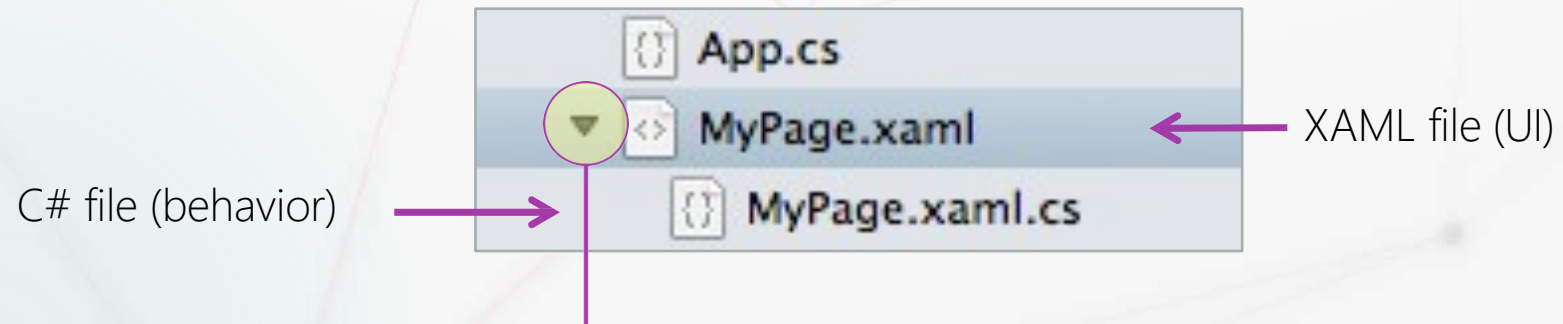
You should always add the XAML content to the *platform-independent* part of your application – this is **shared UI and code** for all your target platforms



# What gets created?



XAML pages have two related files which work together to define the class



C# file (behavior)

XAML file (UI)

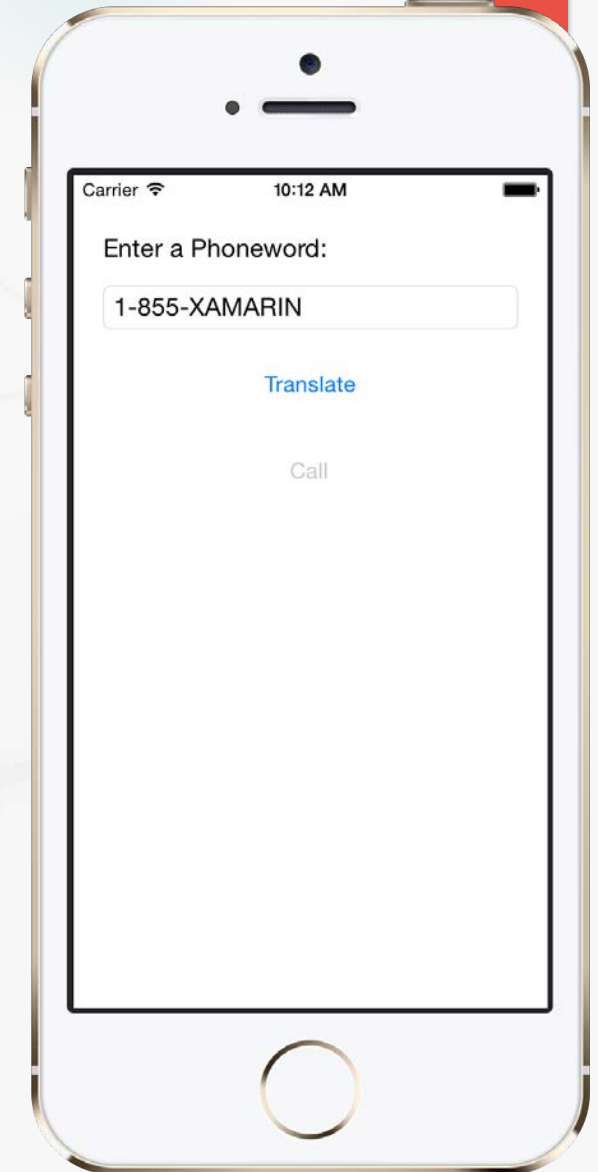
Disclosure arrow *collapses* the C# file and indicates these files go together

# Describing a screen in XAML

XAML is used to construct object graphs, in this case a visual **Page**

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" ?>
<ContentPage ...>
  <StackLayout Padding="20" Spacing="10">
    <Label Text="Enter a Phoneword:"/>
    <Entry Placeholder="Number" />
    <Button Text="Translate" />
    <Button Text="Call" IsEnabled="False" />
  </StackLayout>
</ContentPage>
```

XML based: case sensitive, open tags must be closed, etc.



# Describing a screen in XAML

Element tags  
create objects

```
<?xml version= 1.0 encoding= UTF-8 ?>
<ContentPage >
  <StackLayout Padding= 20 Spacing= 10 >
    <Label Text= Enter a Phoneword: />
    <Entry Placeholder= Number />
    <Button Text= Translate />
    <Button Text= Call IsEnabled= False />
  </StackLayout>
</ContentPage>
```

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```

Attributes set  
properties or  
events

# Describing a screen in XAML

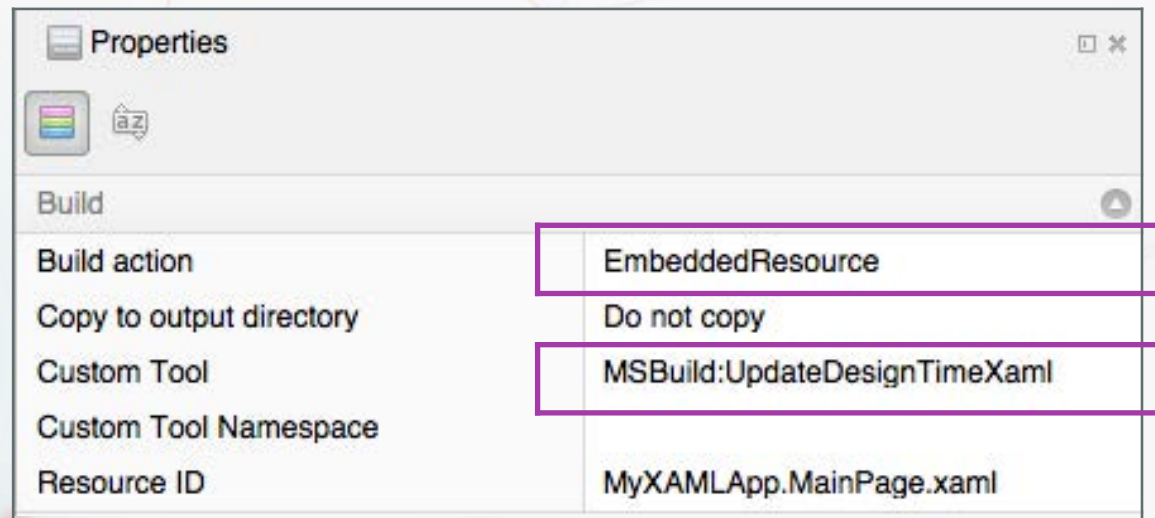
Child nodes  
used to  
establish  
relationship

```
<?xml version= 1.0 encoding= UTF-8 ?>
<ContentPage ... >
  <StackLayout Padding= 20 Spacing= 10 >
    <Label Text= Enter a Phoneword: />
    <Entry Placeholder= Number />
    <Button Text= Translate />
    <Button Text= Call IsEnabled= False />
  </StackLayout>
</ContentPage>
```



# XAML build type

- ✓ XAML files are stored as *embedded resources* and have a special build type of **MSBuild:UpdateDesignTimeXaml**



# XAML + Code Behind



- v XAML and code behind files are tied together

```
<?xml version= 1.0 encoding= UTF-8 ?>  
<ContentPage x:Class= Phoneword.MainPage ...
```

```
namespace Phoneword  
{  
    public partial class MainPage : ContentPage  
    {  
        ...  
    }  
}
```

x:Class identifies the full name of the class defined in the code behind file

# XAML initialization



- v Code behind constructor has call to **InitializeComponent** which is responsible for loading the XAML and creating the objects

```
public partial class MainPage : ContentPage
{
    public MainPage ()
    {
        InitializeComponent ();
    }
}
```

implementation of method generated by XAML compiler as a result of the **x:Class** tag— added to hidden file (same partial class)

# Property Conversions



- v XML attributes only allow for string values – works fine for intrinsic types

```
<Label Text= This is a Label isVisible= True Opacity= 0.75  
FontAttributes= Bold,Italic FontSize= Large  
Margin= 5,20,5,0 TextColor= #fffc0d34 />
```

Text is a **string** which is just set directly

# Property Conversions



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<Label Text= This is a Label IsVisible= True Opacity= 0.75  
FontAttributes= Bold,Italic FontSize= Large  
Margin= 5,20,5,0 TextColor= #fffc0d34 />
```

**IsVisible** is a **bool** which is converted from the value using **Boolean.TryParse**

# Property Conversions



- XML attributes only allow for string values – works fine for intrinsic types

```
<Label Text= This is a Label isVisible= True Opacity= 0.75  
FontAttributes= Bold,Italic FontSize= Large  
Margin= 5,20,5,0 TextColor= #fffc0d34 />
```

**Opacity** is a **double** which is converted from the value using **Double.TryParse**

# Property Conversions



- XML attributes only allow for string values – works fine for intrinsic types

```
<Label Text= This is a Label  isVisible= True  Opacity= 0.75  
      FontAttributes= Bold,Italic  FontSize= Large  
      Margin= 5,20,5,0  TextColor= #fffc0d34  />
```

Enumerations are parsed with **Enum.TryParse** and support **[Flags]** with comma-separated values

# Property Conversions



- v XML attributes only allow for string values – works fine for intrinsic types

```
<Label Text= This is a Label isVisible= True Opacity= 0.75  
FontAttributes= Bold,Italic FontSize= Large  
Margin= 5,20,5,0 TextColor= #fffc0d34 />
```

**Margin** is a **Thickness** object, you can specify as a single number, two numbers, or four numbers (L,T,R,B)



# Property Conversions

- XML attributes only allow for string values – works fine for intrinsic types

```
<Label Text= This is a Label isVisible= True Opacity= 0.75  
FontAttributes= Bold,Italic FontSize= Large  
Margin= 5,20,5,0 TextColor= #fffc0d34 />
```

Colors can be specified as a known value (e.g. "Red", "Green", ...) or as a hex value (RGB or aRGB)

# Setting Complex Properties

- v When a more complex object needs to be created and assigned, you can use the *Property Element* syntax
- v This changes the style to use an element tag (create-an-object) as part of the assignment

```
<BoxView Color= Transparent >  
  <BoxView.GestureRecognizers>  
    <TapGestureRecognizer  
      NumberOfTapsRequired= 2  
    .. />  
  </BoxView.GestureRecognizers>  
</BoxView>
```

Property value is set as a child tag of the `<Type.PropertyName>` element

# Setting Attached Properties

- v Attached Properties provide runtime "attached" data for a visual element
- v Used by layout containers to provide container-specific values on each child

```
<Grid>  
  <Label Text= Position />  
  <Entry Grid.Column= 1 />  
</Grid>
```

Set in XAML with **OwnerType.Property="Value"** form, can also use property-element syntax for more complex values

# Content Properties

- v Some types have a *default* property which is set when child content is added to the element
- v This is the *Content Property* and is identified through a **[ContentAttribute]** applied to the class

```
<ContentPage ... >  
  <Label>  
    This is the Text  
  </Label>  
</ContentPage>
```

These create  
the same UI

```
<ContentPage ... >  
  <ContentPage.Content>  
    <Label>  
      <Label.Text>  
        This is the Text  
      </Label.Text>  
    </Label>  
  </ContentPage.Content>  
</ContentPage>
```

# Identifying Types



- v XAML creates objects when it encounters an element tag, XML namespaces are used to correlate .NET types to tags

Default namespace includes most of the Xamarin.Forms types you use

```
<ContentPage
  xmlns= http://xamarin.com/schemas/2014/forms
  xmlns:x= http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2009/xaml >

  <StackLayout ... />

</ContentPage>
```

A diagram consisting of two purple arrows. One arrow points downwards from the text 'Default namespace includes most of the Xamarin.Forms types you use' to the 'xmlns=' attribute in the XAML code. The other arrow points upwards from the 'xmlns:x=' attribute in the XAML code to the text 'x: namespace includes XAML types and known CLR types (Int32, String, etc.)'.

x: namespace includes XAML types and known CLR types (**Int32**, **String**, etc.)

# Custom Types



- XAML can create any public object, including ones with parameterized constructors – you just need to tell it where the type lives

Must supply the namespace, and *possibly* the assembly, the type is defined in

```
<scg:List x:TypeArguments= x:String  
  xmlns:scg= clr-namespace:System.Collections.Generic;assembly=mcorlib >  
  <x:String>One</x:String>  
  <x:String>Two</x:String>  
  <x:String>Three</x:String>  
</scg:List>
```

**xmlns** definition can be placed on a single element, or a parent element to use with any children

# Naming Elements in XAML



- v Use **x:Name** to assign field name
  - allows you to reference element in XAML and code behind
- v Adds a private field to the XAML-generated partial class (.g.cs)
- v Name must conform to C# naming conventions and be unique in the file

MainPage.xaml

```
<Entry x:Name= PhoneNumber  
Placeholder= Number />
```

```
public partial class MainPage : ContentPage  
{  
    private Entry PhoneNumber;  
  
    private void InitializeComponent() {  
        this.LoadFromXaml(typeof(MainPage));  
        PhoneNumber = this.FindByName<Entry>( "PhoneNumber");  
    }  
}
```

MainPage.xaml.g.cs

# Working with named elements



- v Can work with named elements as if you defined them in code, but keep in mind the field is not set until *after* **InitializeComponent** is called

Can wire up events, set properties, even add new elements to layout

```
public partial class MainPage : ContentPage
{
    public MainPage () {
        InitializeComponent ();
        PhoneNumber.TextChanged += OnTextChanged;
    }

    void OnTextChanged(object sender, TextChangedEventArgs e) {
        ...
    }
}
```



# Sharing elements



Generated field is always private, but **Page** owner can wrap in a public property to allow external access

```
public partial class MainPage : ContentPage
{
    public Entry PhoneNumberEntry
    {
        get { return this.PhoneNumber; }
    }
    ...
}
```

should *not* provide a setter – replacing the field's value will not change the actual element on the screen

# Handling events in XAML



- Can also wire up events in XAML – event handler *must be defined* in the code behind file and have *proper signature* or it's a runtime failure

```
<Entry Placeholder= Number TextChanged= OnTextChanged />
```

```
public partial class MainPage : ContentPage
{
    ...
    void OnTextChanged(object sender, TextChangedEventArgs e)
    ...
}
}
```

# Handling events in code behind



- ▼ Many developers prefer to wire up all events in code behind by naming the XAML elements and adding event handlers in code
  - Keeps the UI layer "pure" by pushing all behavior + management into the code behind
  - Names are validated at compile time, but event handlers are not
  - Easier to see how logic is wired up
- ▼ Pick the approach that works for your team / preference

# Using device-specific values

- ▶ XAML is a static (compile-time) definition of the UI; can provide different
- ▶ values for each platform just like we do in code with **Device.OnPlatform**
  - ▶ **x:TypeArguments** used for generic instantiation

```
<OnPlatform x:TypeArguments= Thickness  
            iOS= 0,20,0,0   Android= 0   WinPhone= 0   />
```

▶ can then supply different platform-specific value for property

# Using Markup Extensions



- Markup Extensions are identified by "{extension\_here}" curly braces

parser expects to find a class named **BindingExtension** that implements **IMarkupExtension** when it encounters the curly brace as the first character

```
<StackLayout BindingContext= {Binding Details} >  
  <Label Text="{ }{Want a Curly Brace Here!}" />  
  ...  
</StackLayout>
```

literal curly braces need to be escaped properly to avoid a parser error

# Reading static properties



- ✓ A very useful markup extension is **x:Static** which lets you get the value of public static fields or properties

```
public static class Constants
{
    public static string Title = "Hello, Forms";
    public static Thickness Padding = new Thickness(5, Device.OnPlatform(20, 0, 0), 5, 0);
    public static Font Font = Font.SystemOfSize(24);
    public static Color TextColor = Color.Yellow;
}
```

```
<ContentPage ... Padding= {x:Static me:Constants.Padding} >
  <Label Text= {x:Static me:Constants.Title}
    Font= {x:Static me:Constants.Font}
    TextColor= {x:Static me:Constants.TextColor} />
</ContentPage>
```

# Other built-in Markup Extensions

- v Use resource values with `{StaticResource}` and `{DynamicResource}`
- v Supply a `null` value with `{x:Null}`
- v Lookup a `Type` with `{x>Type}`
- v Create an array with `{x:Array}`
- v Create data bindings with `{Binding}`

```
<ListView SelectedItem= {x:Null} >  
  <ListView.ItemsSource>  
    <x:Array Type= {x>Type x:Int32} >  
      <x:Int32>10</x:Int32>  
      <x:Int32>20</x:Int32>  
      <x:Int32>30</x:Int32>  
    </x:Array>  
  </ListView.ItemsSource>  
</ListView>
```

# ContentView structure



- ContentView combines a piece of XAML with code behind behavior - just like **ContentPage**, can name elements, wire up events, etc.

```
1 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
2 <ContentView xmlns="http://xamarin.com/schemas/2014/forms"
3     xmlns:x="http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2009/xaml"
4     x:Class="Phoneword.PhoneView">
5
6     <!-- Content goes here -->
7
8 </ContentView>
```

Can be placed into a separate class library if desired

```
1 using Xamarin.Forms;
2
3 namespace Phoneword
4 {
5     public partial class PhoneView : ContentView
6     {
7         public PhoneView()
8         {
9             InitializeComponent();
10        }
11    }
12 }
```



# Using a ContentView



v **ContentView** is not displayed on it's own - must be added to a **Page**

```
1 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
2 <ContentPage xmlns="http://xamarin.com/schemas/2014/forms"
3     xmlns:x="http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2009/xaml"
4     xmlns:local="clr-namespace:Phoneword;assembly=Phoneword"
5     x:Class="TestApp.MainPage">
6
7     <local:PhoneView PhoneNumber="1-800-XAMARIN"
8         PhoneNumberChanged="OnPhoneNumberChanged" />
9
10 </ContentPage>
11
```

**ContentView** can expose it's own properties and events to provide customization or "hooks" into the logic

# XAML resources



- By default, your XAML files are included as a plain-text resource in the generated assembly which is parsed at runtime to generate the page

```
private void InitializeComponent()  
{  
    this.LoadFromXaml(typeof(MainPage));  
}
```

This **Page** method looks up the embedded resource by name, parses it, and creates each object found; it returns the root created object

# Compiling XAML

- v XAML can be optionally compiled to intermediate language (IL)
  - Provides compile-time validation of your XAML files
  - Reduces the load time for pages
  - Reduces the assembly size by removing text-based .xaml files



# Enabling XAMLC

- ▼ XAMLC (the XAML compiler) is disabled by default to ensure backwards compatibility; can be enabled through a .NET attribute

```
using Xamarin.Forms.Xaml;  
[assembly: XamlCompilationAttribute( XamlCompilationOptions.Compile)]
```

↑  
Can enable the compiler for all XAML files in the assembly

# Enabling XAMLC



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```
using Xamarin.Forms.Xaml;  
  
[XamlCompilationAttribute(XamlCompilationOptions.Compile)]  
public partial class MainPage : ContentPage {
```

... or on a specific XAML-based class

# What does it do?



- v Attribute presence causes MSBuild command to be run which parses the XAML and generates **InitializeComponent** to create the page in code

```
private void InitializeComponent()
{
    Label label = new Label();
    StackLayout stackLayout = new StackLayout();
    stackLayout.SetValue(VisualElement.BackgroundColorProperty,
        new ColorTypeConverter().ConvertFrom("Red"));
    stackLayout.SetValue(Layout.PaddingProperty,
        new ThicknessTypeConverter().ConvertFrom("10"));
    stackLayout.SetValue(StackLayout.SpacingProperty, 5);
    label.SetValue(Label.TextProperty, "Hello, Forms");
    stackLayout.Children.Add(label);
    ...
    this.Content = stackLayout;
}
```

# Disabling XAMLC



- v Attribute also lets you disable XAMLC for a specific class

```
using Xamarin.Forms.Xaml;  
  
[XamlCompilationAttribute(XamlCompilationOptions.Skip)]  
public partial class DetailsPage : ContentPage {
```

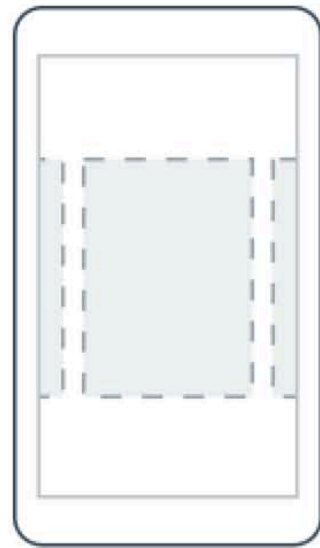
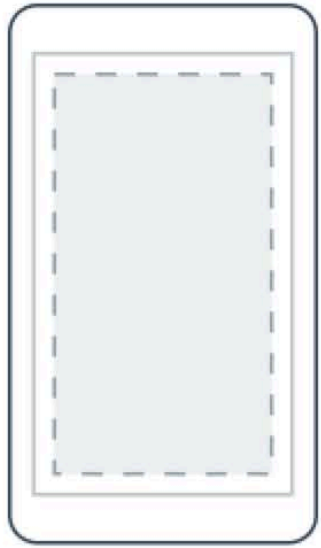
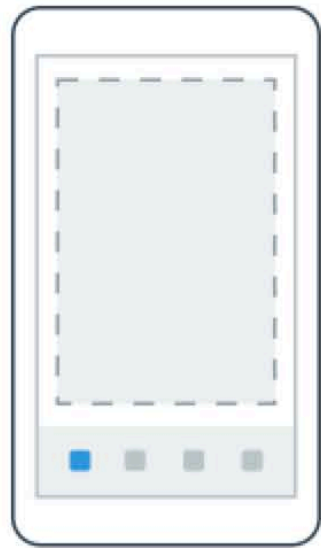
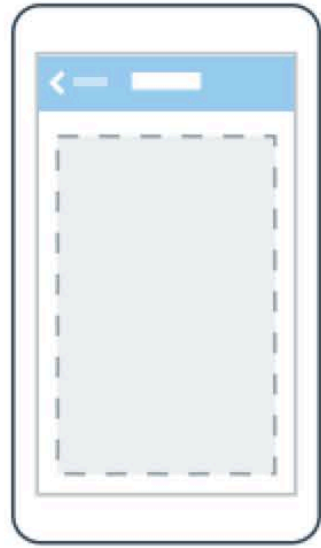
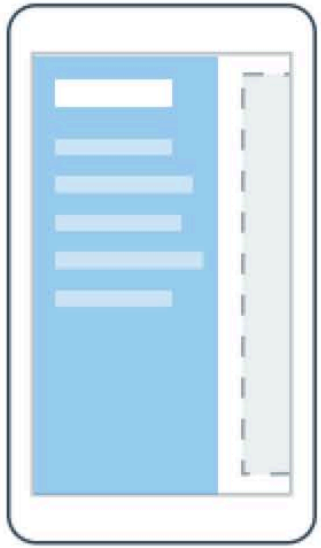
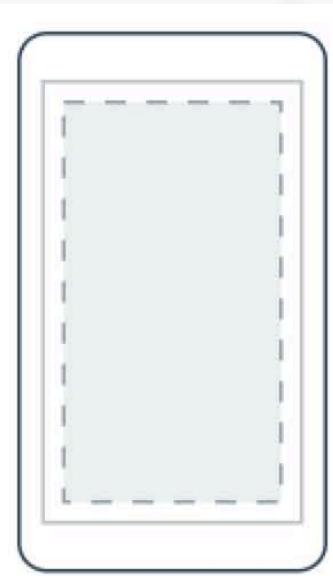
Specify Skip to turn off compiler for this specific page; goes back to using **LoadFromXaml**

# Layout

PAGE, LAYOUT, POSITIONNEMENT



# Pages



ContentPage

MasterDetailPage

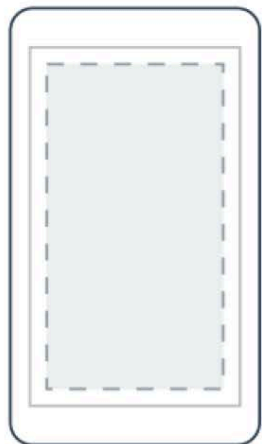
NavigationPage

TabbedPage

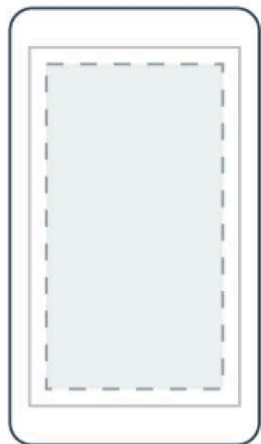
TemplatedPage

CarouselPage

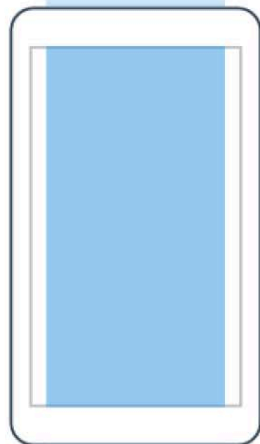
# Layouts



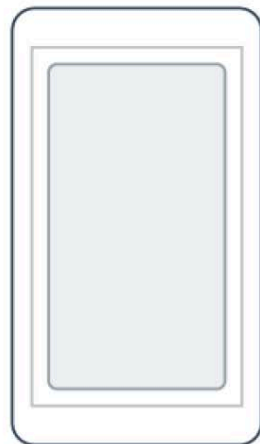
ContentPresenter



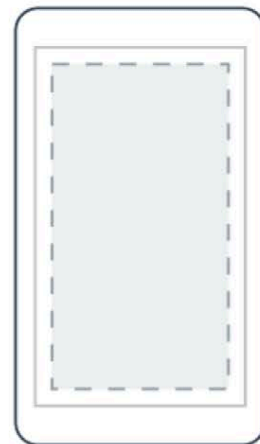
ContentView



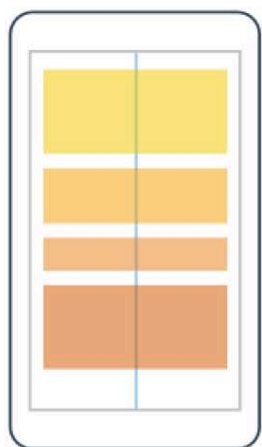
ScrollView



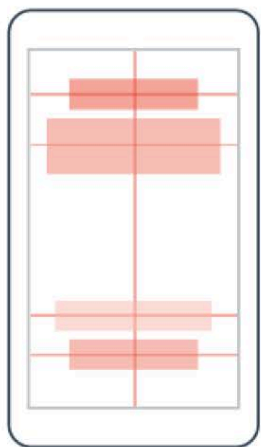
Frame



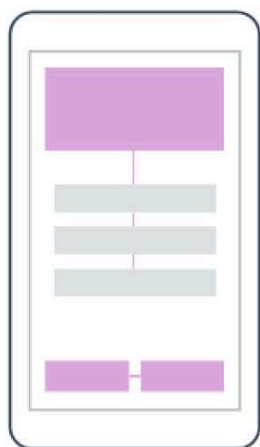
TemplatedView



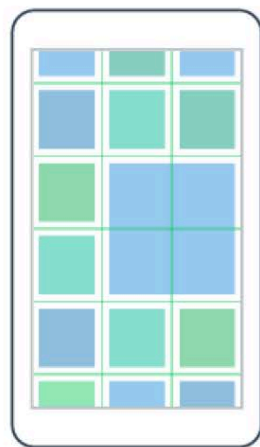
StackLayout



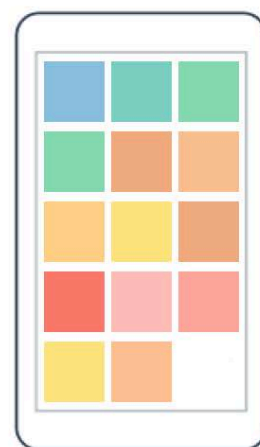
AbsoluteLayout



RelativeLayout



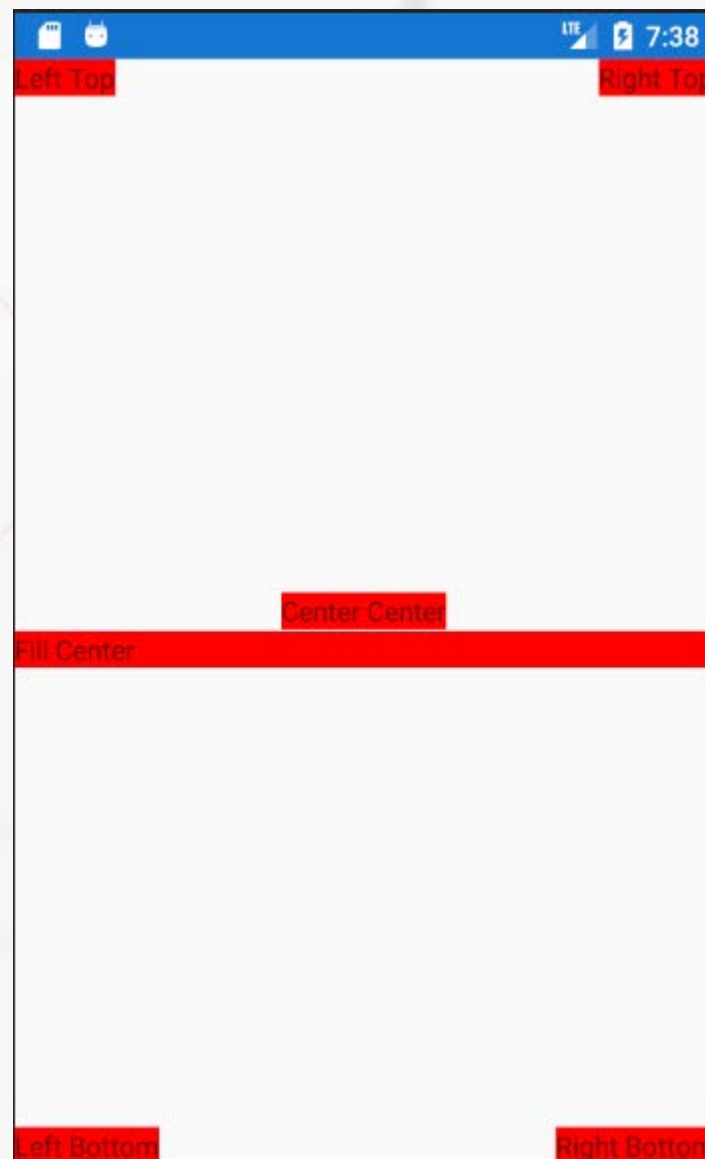
Grid



FlexLayout

# Alignements

```
<Grid>  
  <Label Text="Left Top"  
    HorizontalOptions="Start"  
    VerticalOptions="Start"  
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>  
  
  <Label Text="Right Top"  
    HorizontalOptions="End"  
    VerticalOptions="Start"  
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>  
  
  <Label Text="Left Bottom"  
    HorizontalOptions="Start"  
    VerticalOptions="End"  
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>  
  
  <Label Text="Right Bottom"  
    HorizontalOptions="End"  
    VerticalOptions="End"  
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>  
  
  <Label Text="Center Center"  
    HorizontalOptions="Center"  
    VerticalOptions="Center"  
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>  
  
  <Label Text="Fill Center"  
    HorizontalOptions="Fill"  
    VerticalOptions="Center"  
    Margin="0, 40, 0, 0"  
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>  
  
</Grid>
```



# Marge et padding

```

<Sta>
  <Label Text="Left Top"
    HorizontalOptions="Start"
    VerticalOptions="Start"
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>

  <Label Text="Right Top"
    HorizontalOptions="End"
    VerticalOptions="Start"
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>

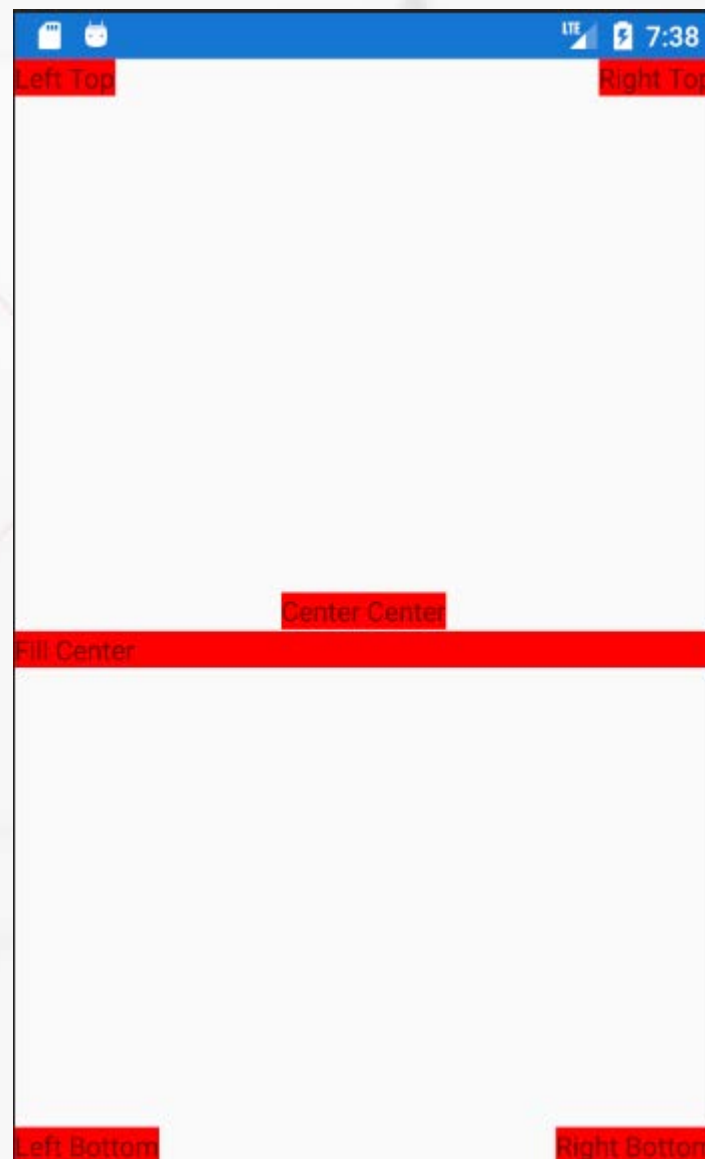
  <Label Text="Left Bottom"
    HorizontalOptions="Start"
    VerticalOptions="End"
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>

  <Label Text="Right Bottom"
    HorizontalOptions="End"
    VerticalOptions="End"
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>

  <Label Text="Center Center"
    HorizontalOptions="Center"
    VerticalOptions="Center"
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>

  <Label Text="Fill Center"
    HorizontalOptions="Fill"
    VerticalOptions="Center"
    Margin="0, 40, 0, 0"
    BackgroundColor="Red"/>
</Grid>

```



# Dimensionnement

- Eviter de définir des hauteurs et des largeurs fixe
  - Préférez les alignements et le padding
- WidthRequest et HeightRequest

# Interface utilisateurs

PRÉSENTATION D'UNE PARTIE DES VIEWS DE XAMARIN.FORMS

# Label

```
<Label Text="This is underlined text." TextDecorations="Underline" />  
<Label Text="This is text with strikethrough." TextDecorations="Strikethrough" />  
<Label Text="This is underlined text with strikethrough." TextDecorations="Underline,  
Strikethrough" />
```

This is underlined text.

~~This is text with strikethrough.~~

~~This is underlined text with strikethrough.~~

iOS

This is underlined text.

~~This is text with strikethrough.~~

~~This is underlined text with strikethrough.~~

Android

This is underlined text.

~~This is text with strikethrough.~~

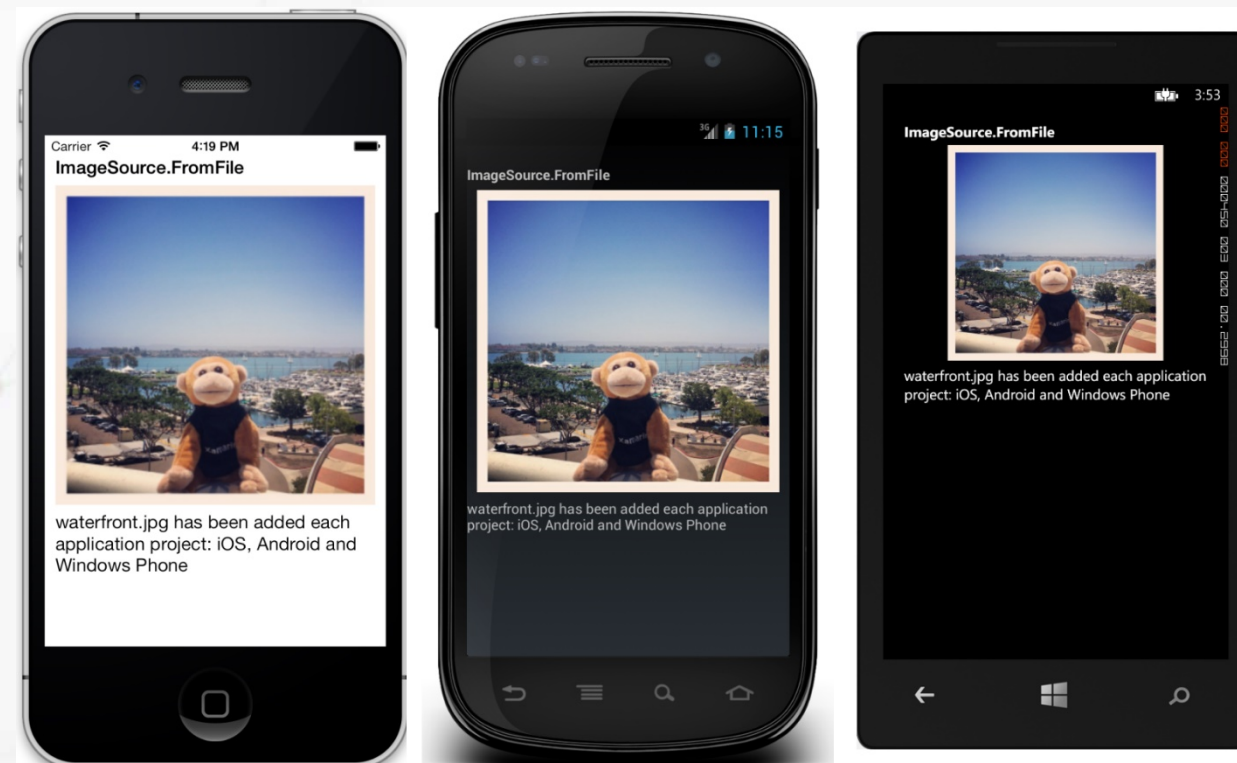
~~This is underlined text with strikethrough.~~

UWP

# Images

```
<Image Source="waterfront.jpg"  
Aspect="AspectFit|Fill|AspectFill" />
```

- Chargement depuis :
  - Image locale,
  - Une image en ressource
  - Une Uri
  - Un Stream





# Button

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```
<StackLayout>
```

```
<Label x:Name="label"  
  Text="Click the Button below"  
  FontSize="Large"  
  VerticalOptions="CenterAndExpand"  
  HorizontalOptions="Center" />
```

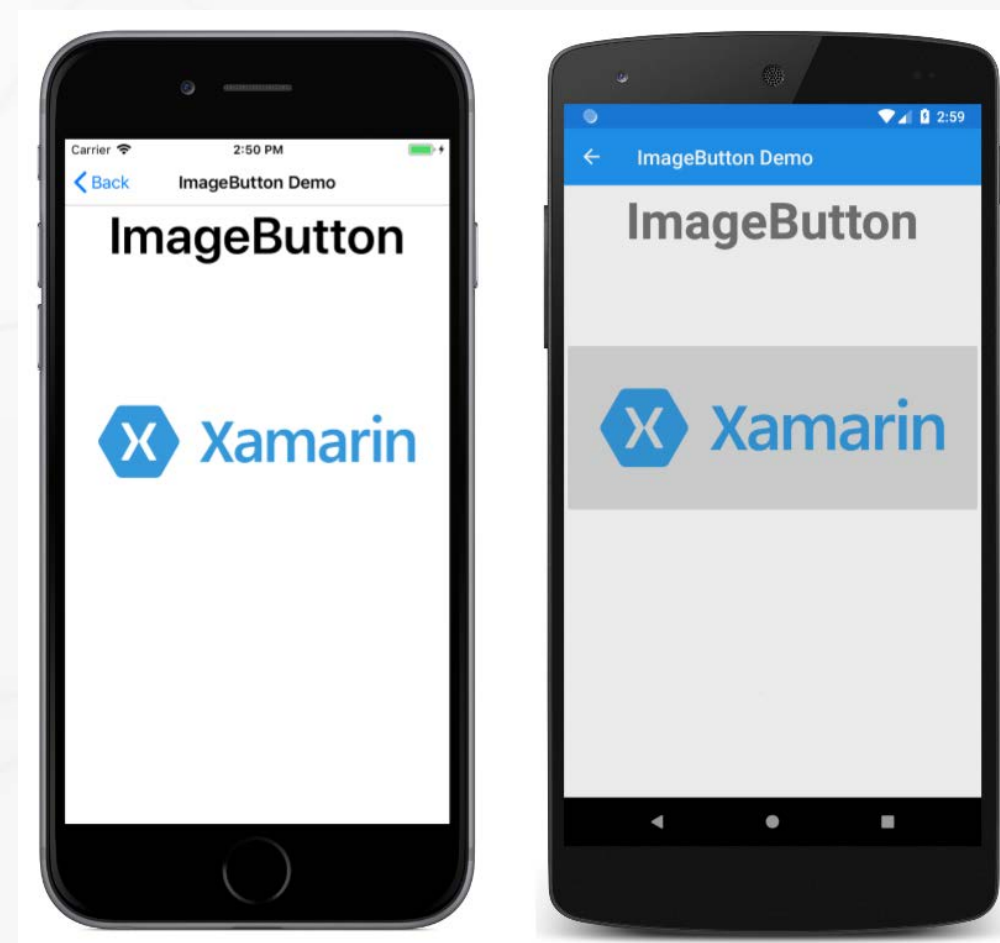
```
<Button Text="Click to Rotate Text!"  
  VerticalOptions="CenterAndExpand"  
  HorizontalOptions="Center"  
  Clicked="OnButtonClicked" />
```

```
</StackLayout>
```



# ImageButton

```
<ImageButton Source="XamarinLogo.png" />
```

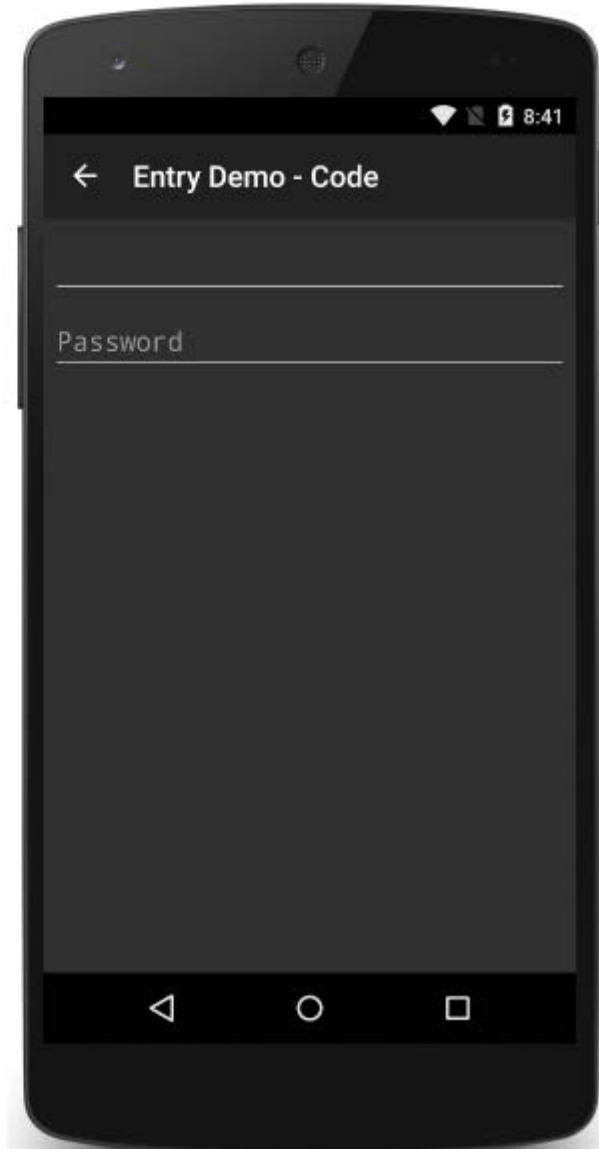
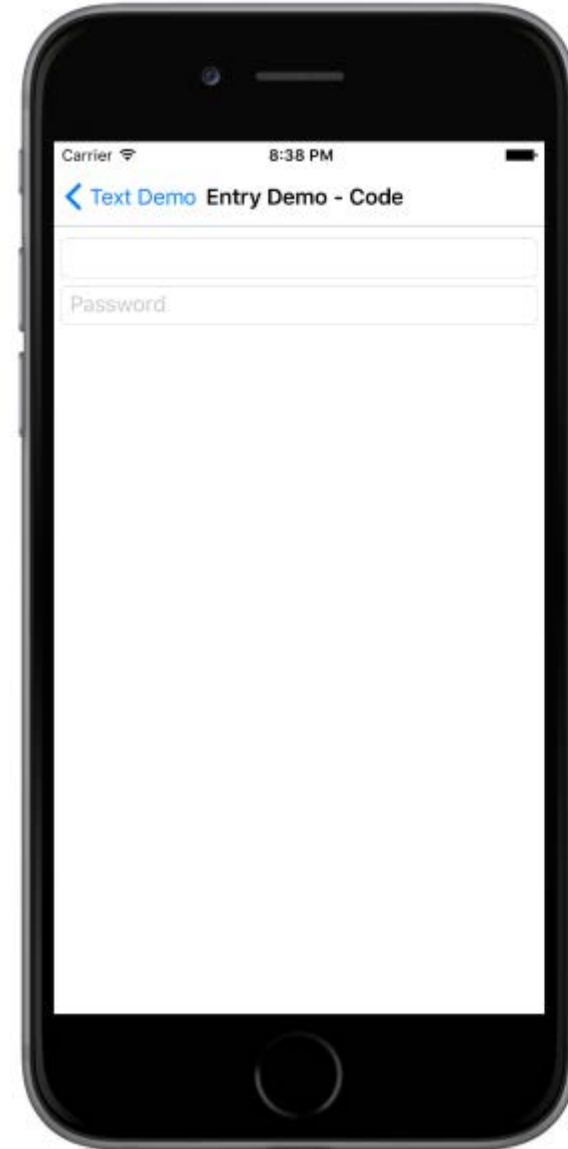


# Entry

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```
<Entry />  
<Entry IsPassword="true" Placeholder="Password"  
>
```

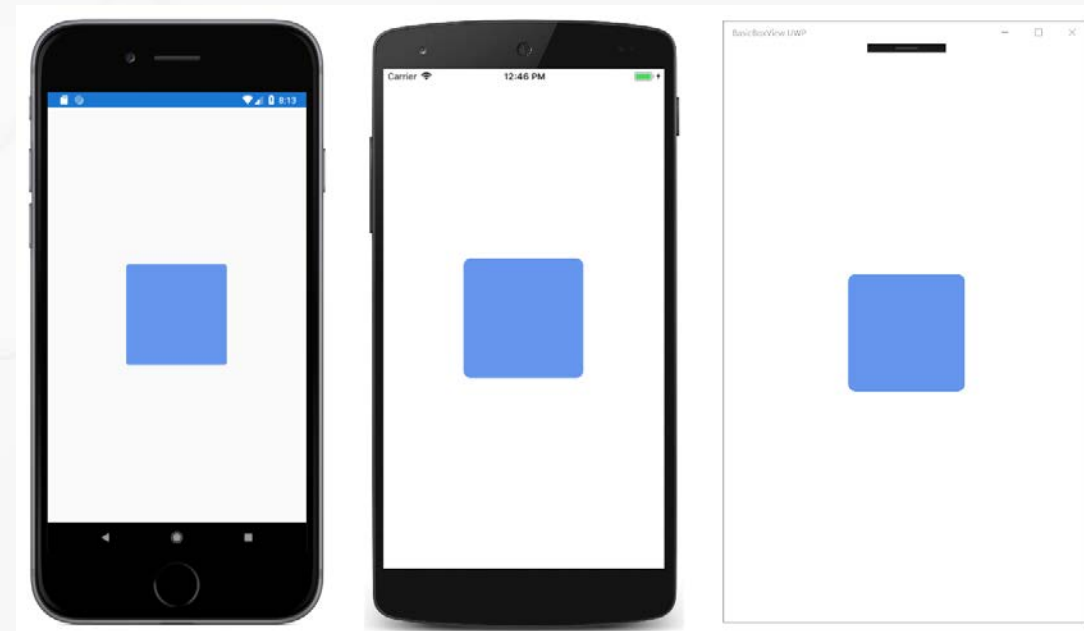


# BoxView

```
<ContentPage>
```

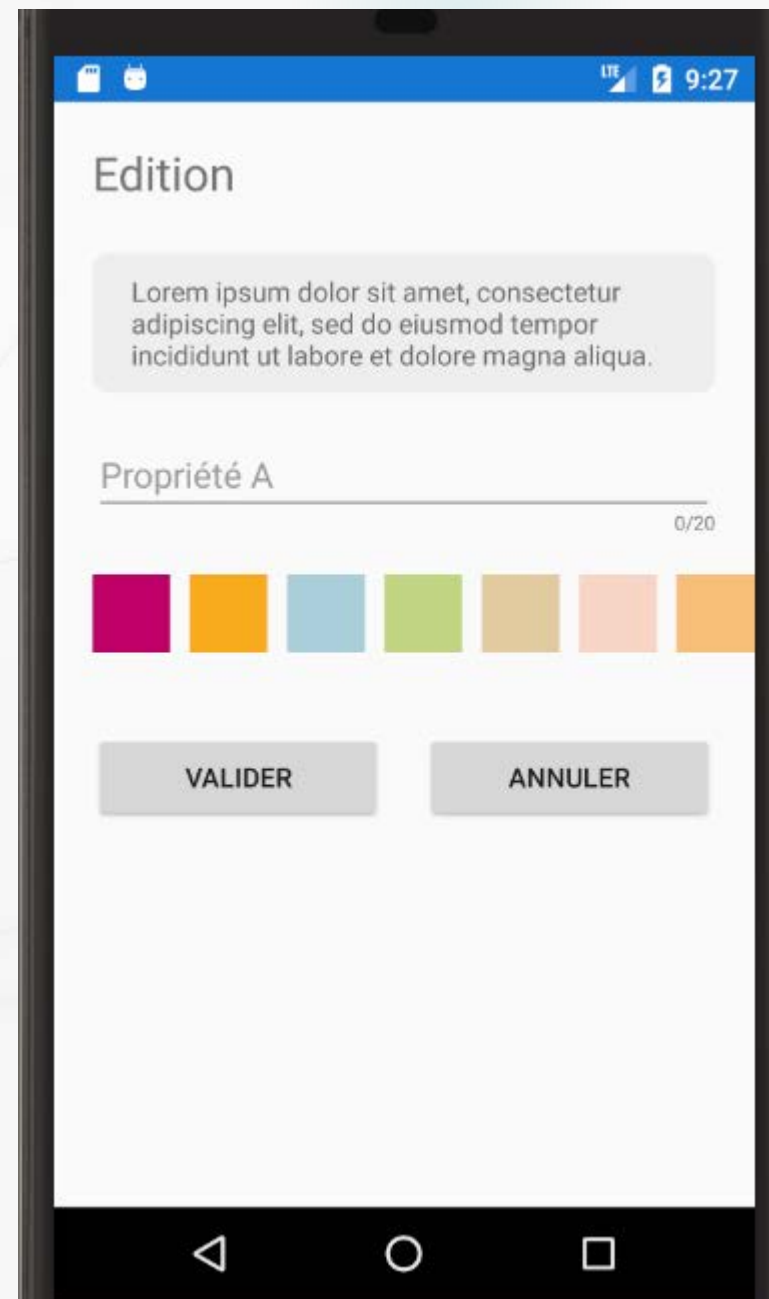
```
  <BoxView Color="CornflowerBlue"  
    BorderRadius="10"  
    WidthRequest="160"  
    HeightRequest="160"  
    VerticalOptions="Center"  
    HorizontalOptions="Center" />
```

```
</ContentPage>
```



# Atelier Layouting

- Utiliser les différentes notions suivantes:
  - StackLayout
  - Grid
  - ScrollView
  - BoxView
  - Button
  - Entry



# CheckBox

```
<CheckBox />
```



```
<CheckBox IsChecked="true" />
```



# Switch

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```
<Switch IsToggled="true"/>
```



iOS



Android

# ProgressBar

```
<ProgressBar Progress="0.5" />
```

iOS



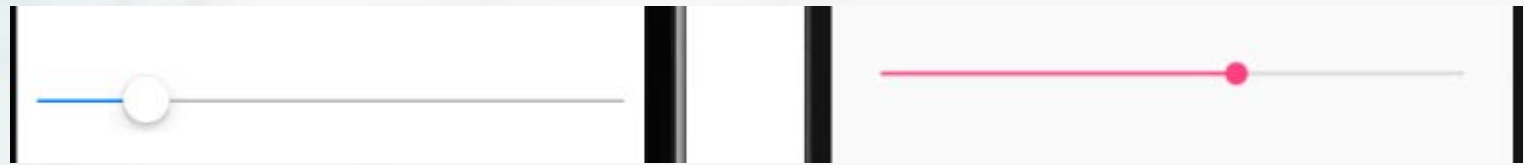
Android





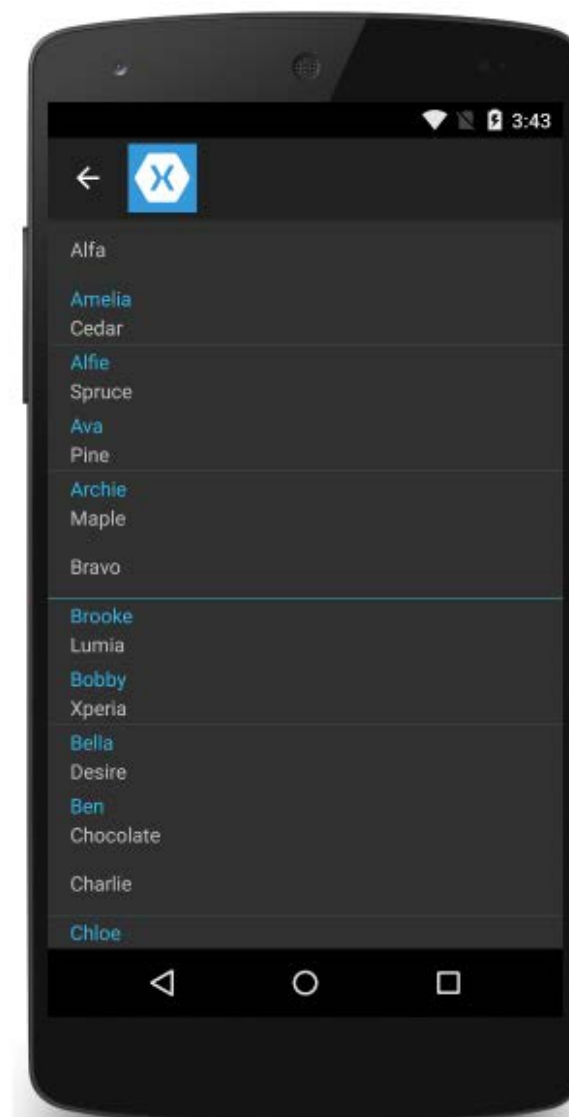
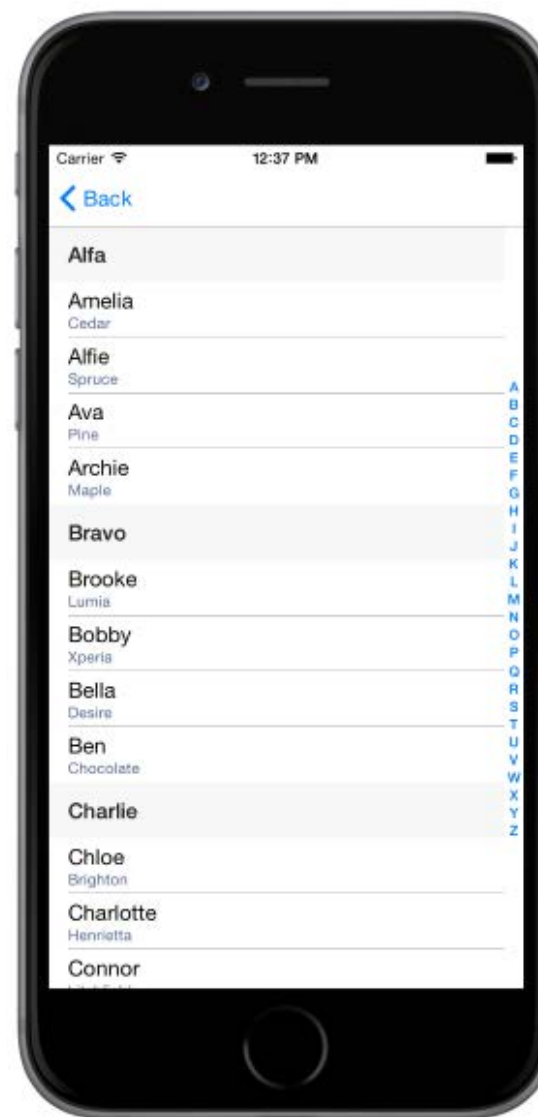
# Slider

```
<Slider Value=«50» Minimum=« 0 »  
Maximum=« 100 » />
```



# ListView

- Affichage de liste scrollable
  - Texte,
  - Image / Texte,
  - Personnalisé
- Sélection d'une ligne
- Click sur une ligne
- Header / Footer



# TableView

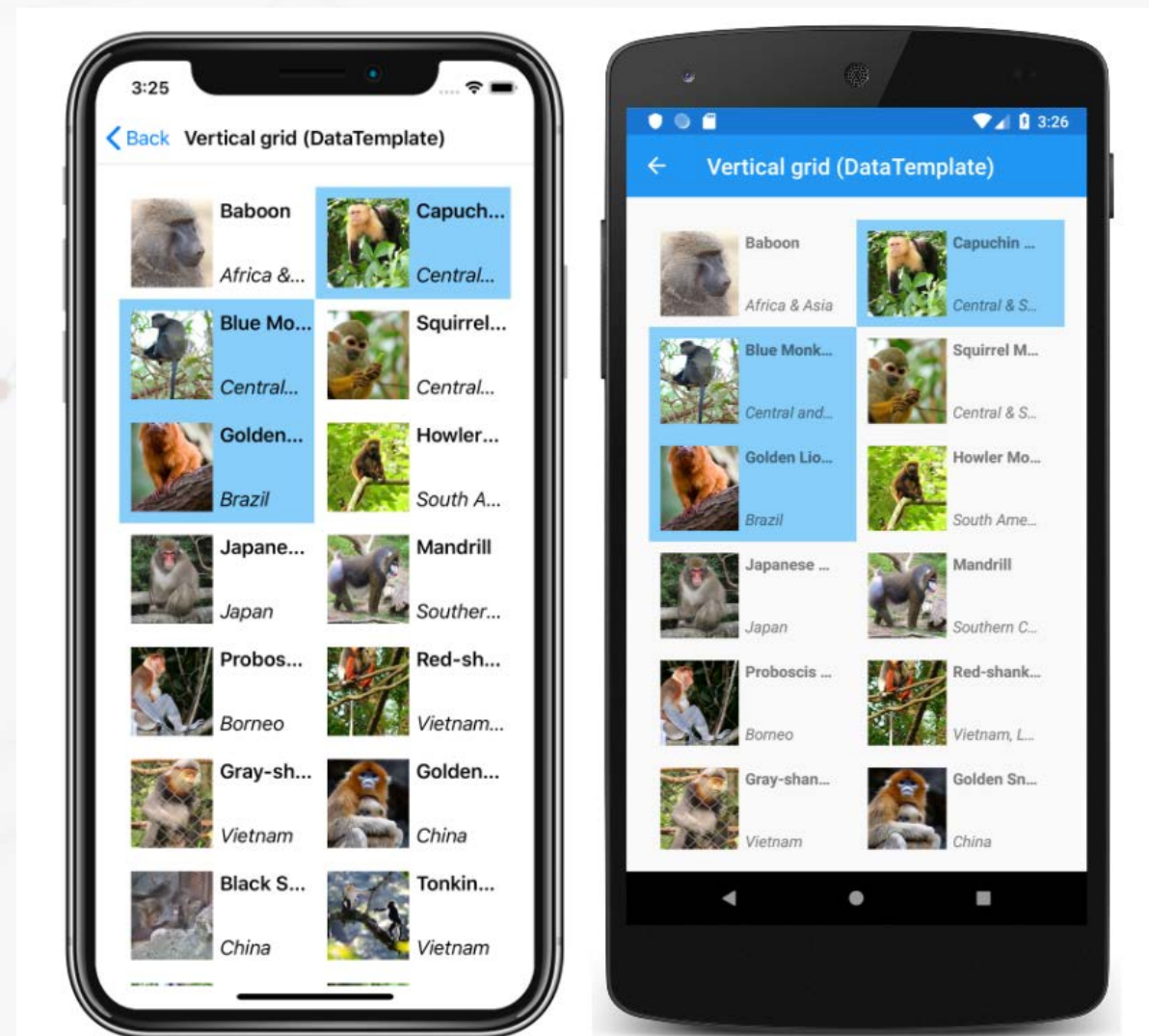
```
<TableView Intent="Settings">
  <TableRoot>
    <TableSection Title="Ring">
      <SwitchCell Text="New Voice Mail" />
      <SwitchCell Text="New Mail"
On="true" />
    </TableSection>
  </TableRoot>
</TableView>
```



# CollectionView



- Remplaçante de la ListView
  - Plus flexible
  - Plus performante



# ActivityIndicator

```
<ActivityIndicator IsRunning="true" />
```



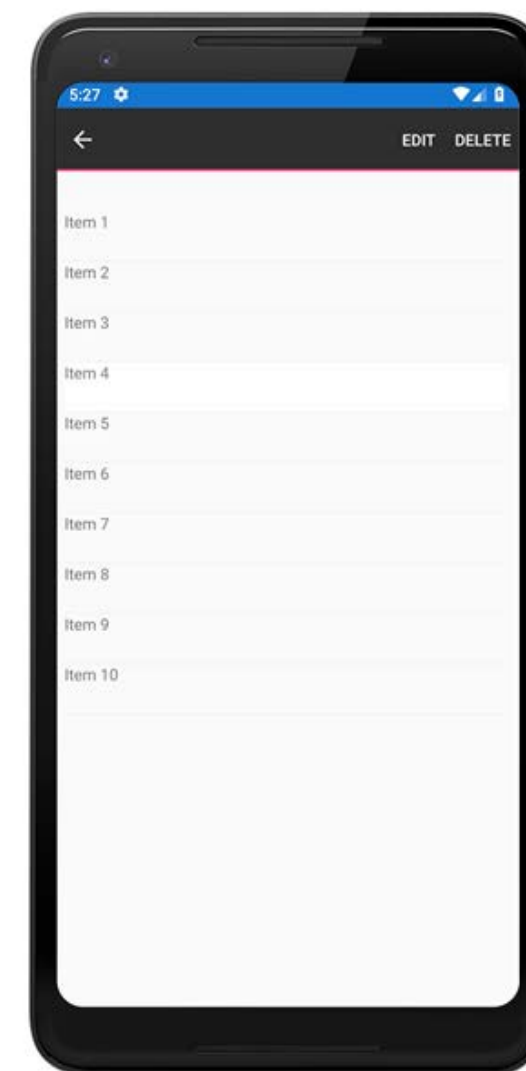
iOS



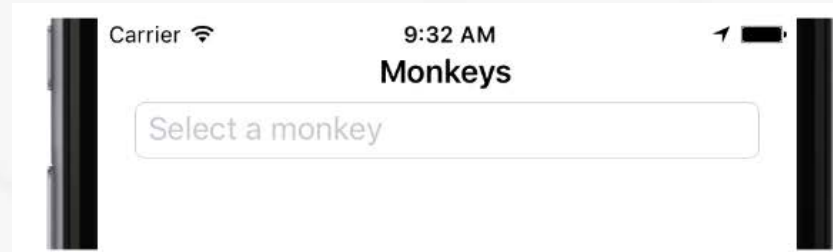
Android

# MenuItem

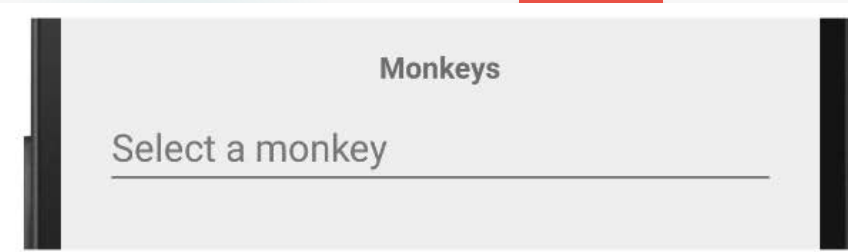
```
<ListView>
  <ListView.ItemTemplate>
    <DataTemplate>
      <ViewCell>
        <ViewCell.ContextActions>
          <MenuItem Text="Context Menu
Option" />
        </ViewCell.ContextActions>
        <Label Text="{Binding .}" />
      </ViewCell>
    </DataTemplate>
  </ListView.ItemTemplate>
</ListView>
```



# Picker

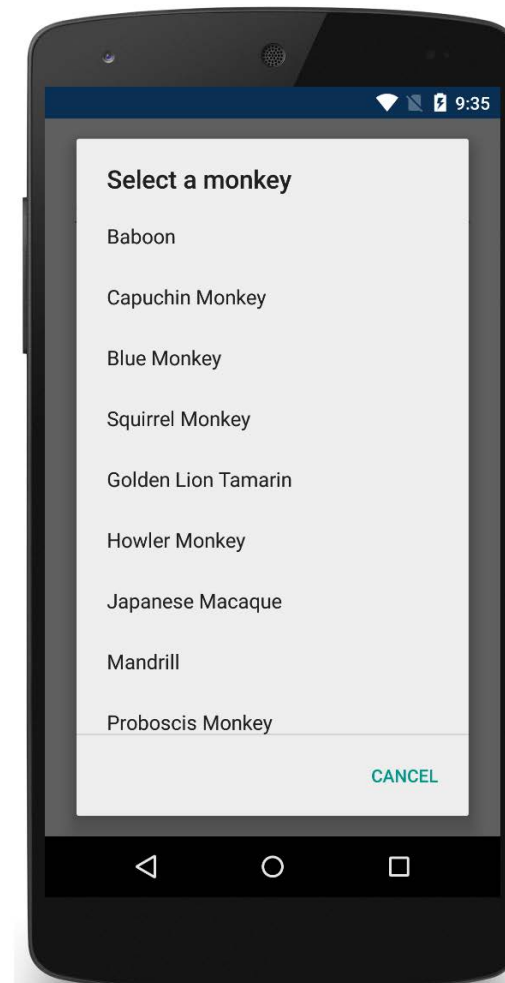
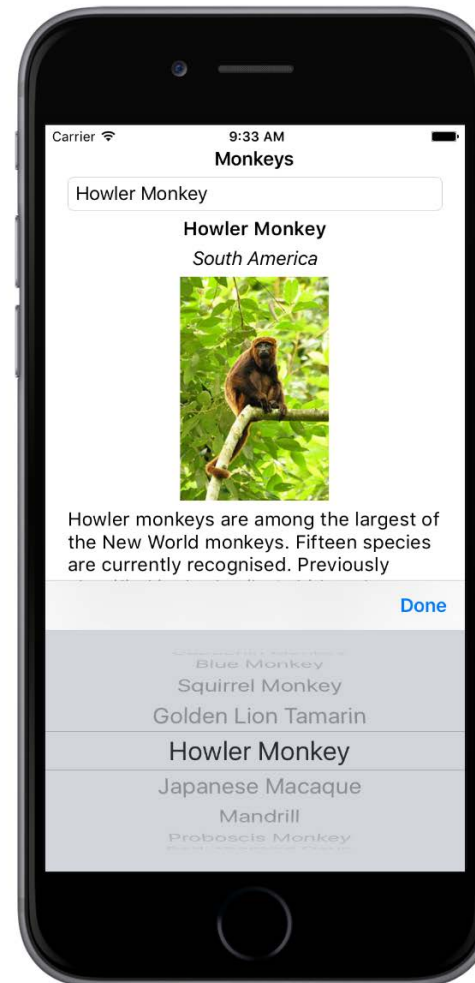


iOS



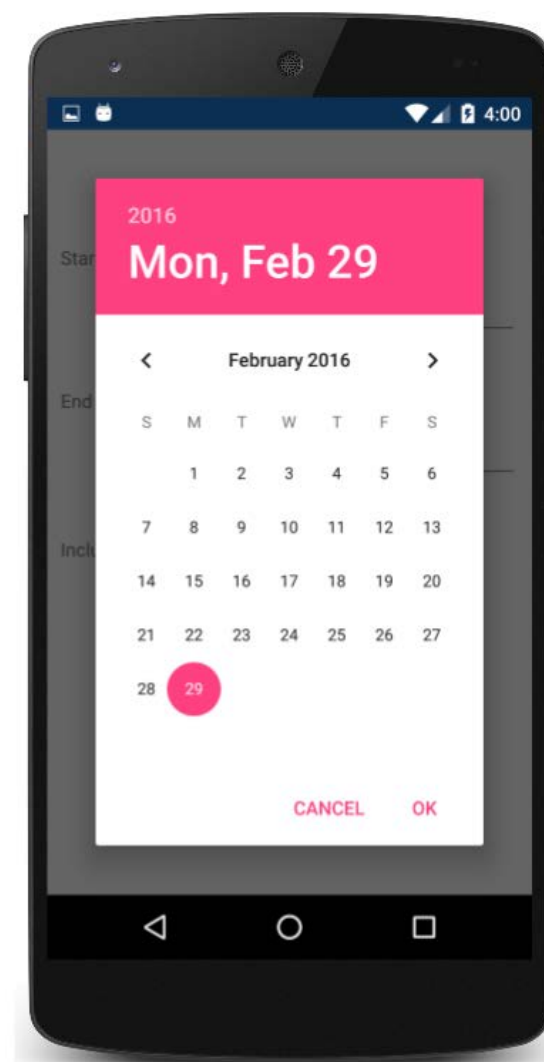
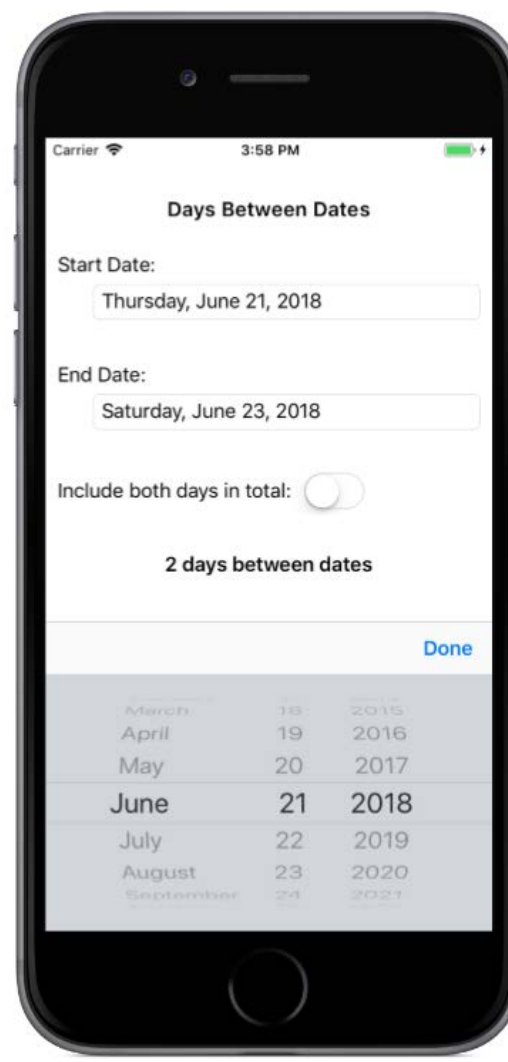
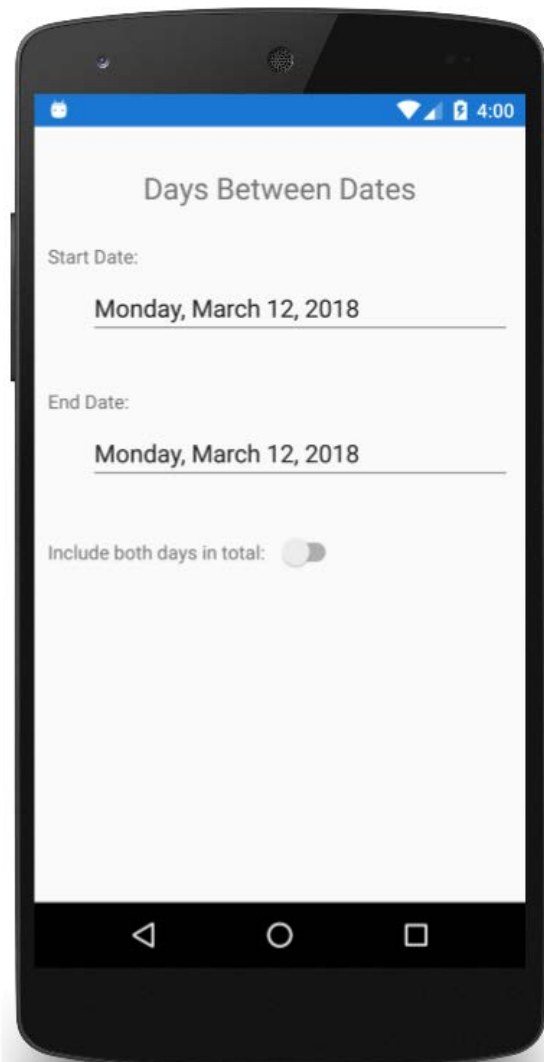
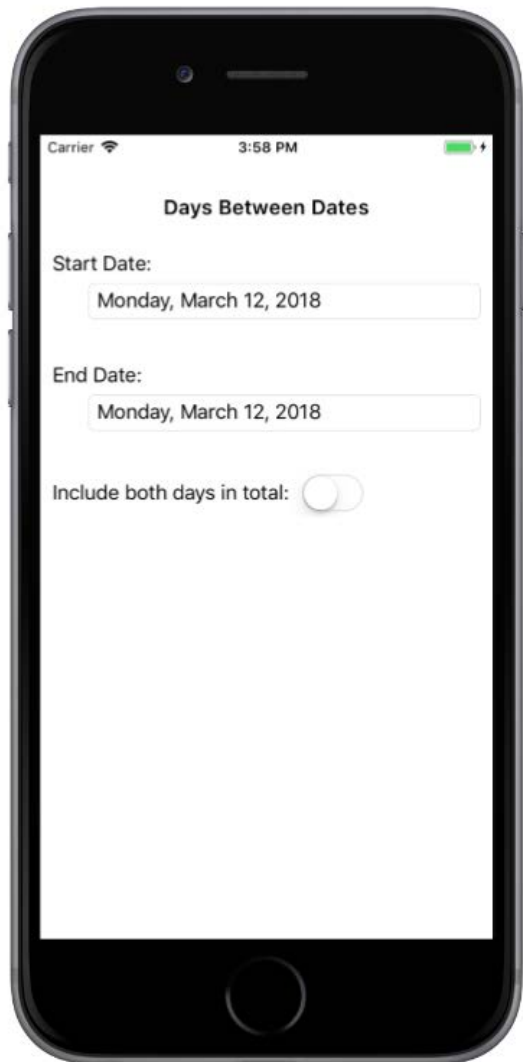
Android

```
<Picker Placeholder="select a monkey">>
```



# DatePicker / TimePicker

```
<DatePicker MinimumDate="01/01/2018"  
MaximumDate="12/31/2018"  
Date="06/21/2018" />
```

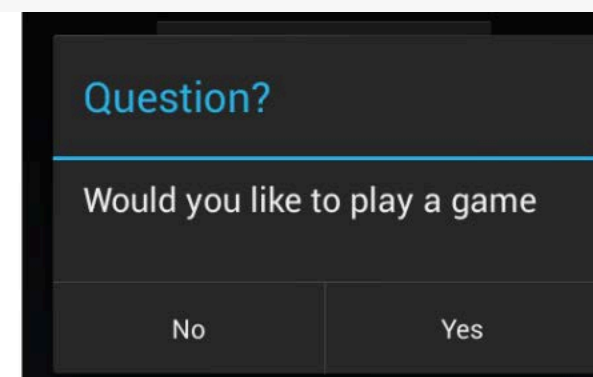
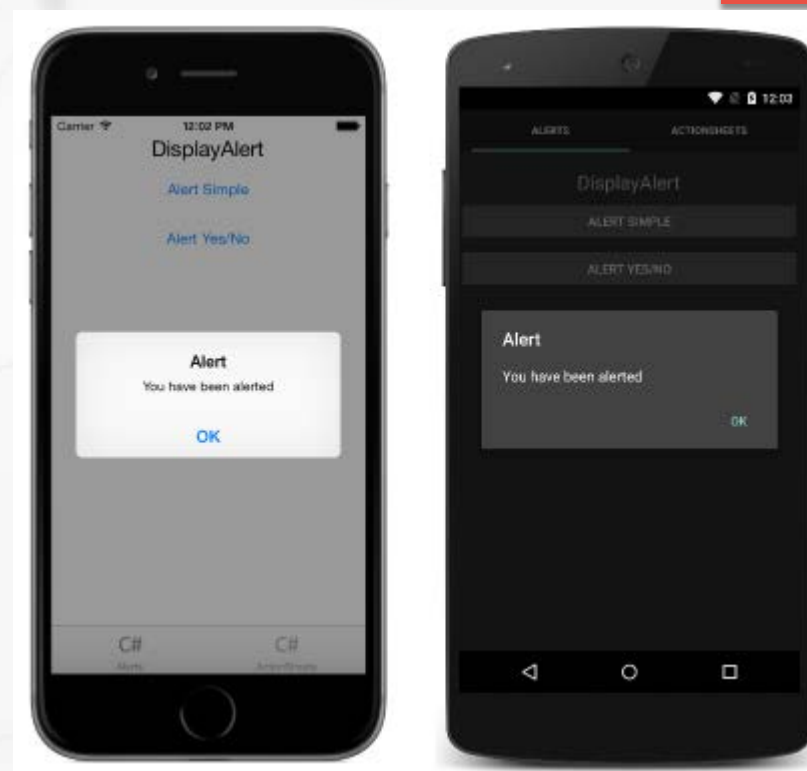




# Pop-ups

```
DisplayAlert ("Alert", "You have been alerted", "OK");
```

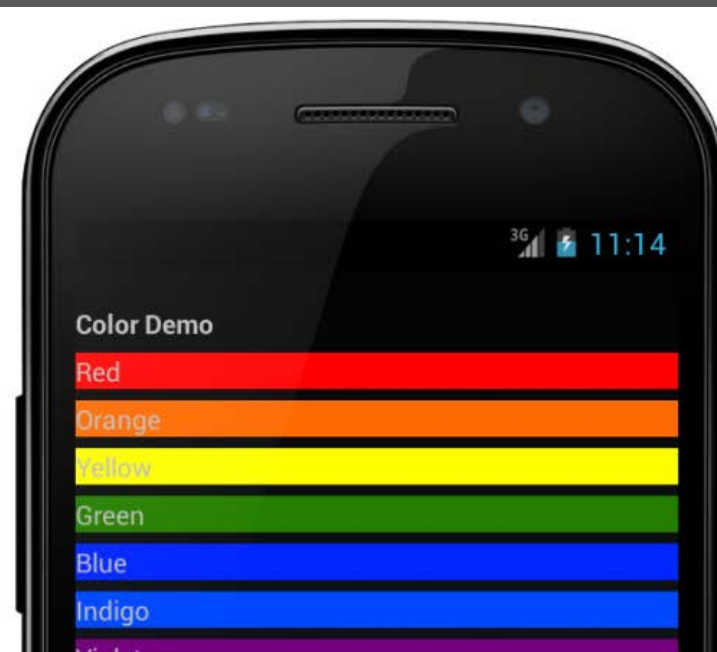
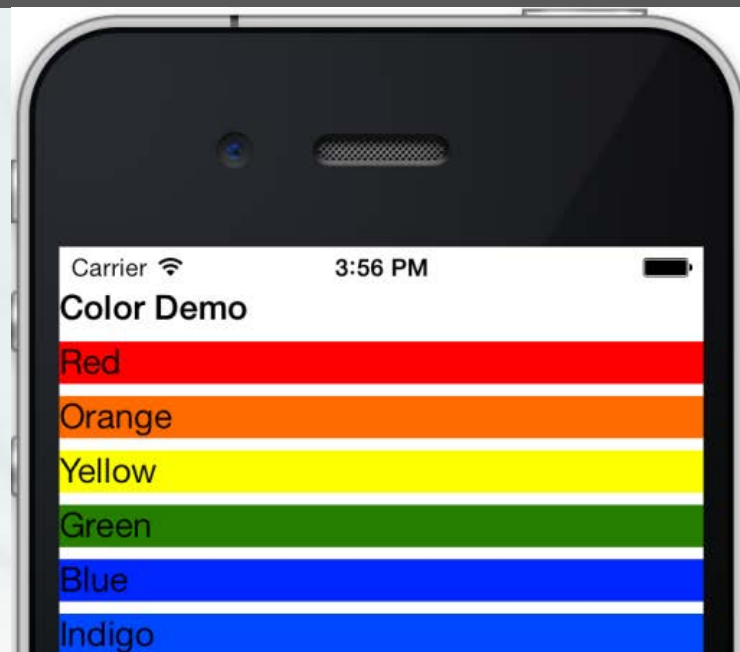
```
bool answer = await DisplayAlert ("Question?", "Would  
you like to play a game", "Yes", "No");
```



# Couleurs

```
var red      = new Label { Text = "Red",      BackgroundColor = Color.Red };
var orange   = new Label { Text = "Orange", BackgroundColor = Color.FromHex("FF6A00") };
var yellow   = new Label { Text = "Yellow", BackgroundColor = Color.FromHsla(0.167, 1.0, 0.5, 1.0) };
var green    = new Label { Text = "Green",  BackgroundColor = Color.FromRgb (38, 127, 0) };
var blue     = new Label { Text = "Blue",   BackgroundColor = Color.FromRgba(0, 38, 255, 255) };
var indigo   = new Label { Text = "Indigo", BackgroundColor = Color.FromRgb (0, 72, 255) };
var violet   = new Label { Text = "Violet", BackgroundColor = Color.FromHsla(0.82, 1, 0.25, 1) };

var transparent = new Label { Text = "Transparent", BackgroundColor = Color.Transparent };
var @default    = new Label   { Text = "Default",   BackgroundColor = Color.Default };
var accent      = new Label   { Text = "Accent",    BackgroundColor = Color.Accent };
```

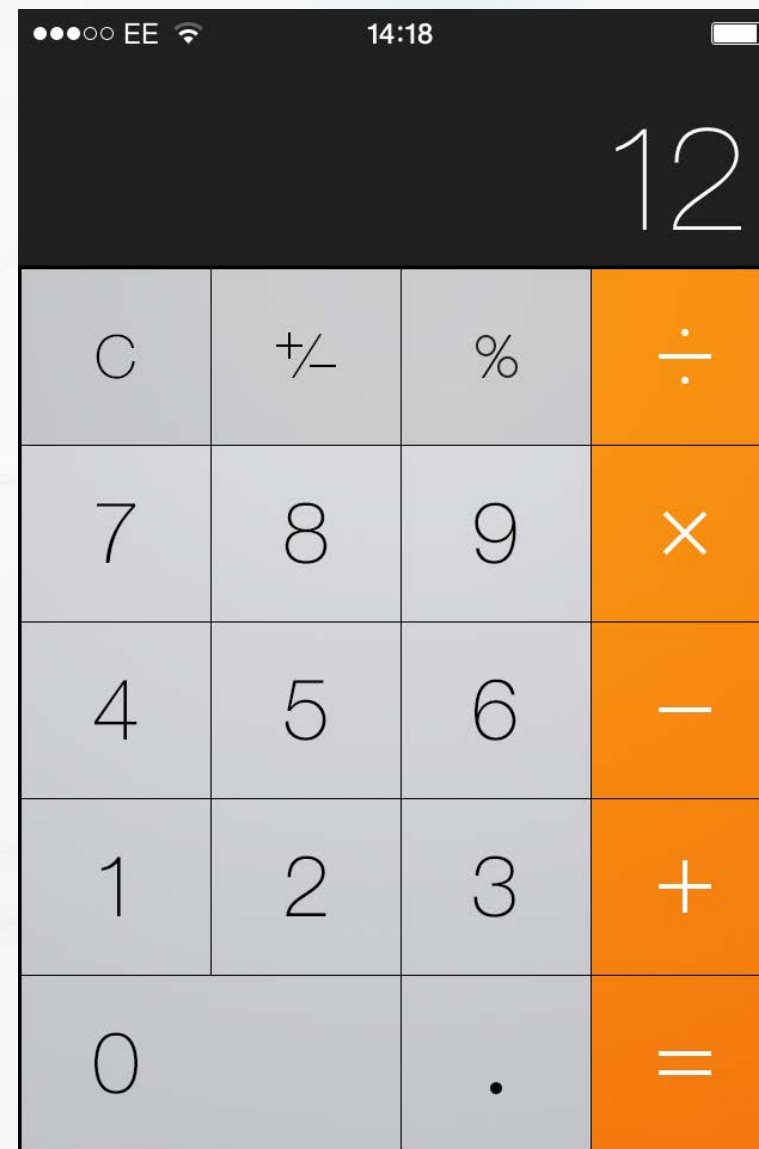


# SkiaSharp

- Librairie de dessin
- Permet de créer des visuels très complexes
- Graphique, ombrage, effet visuel ...

# Atelier Layout + Code métier

- Créer un projet
- Créer une page
- Mettre en place les contrôles
- Ajouter le code métier (4 opérations)



# Avoid duplicate XAML with Resources

# Motivation

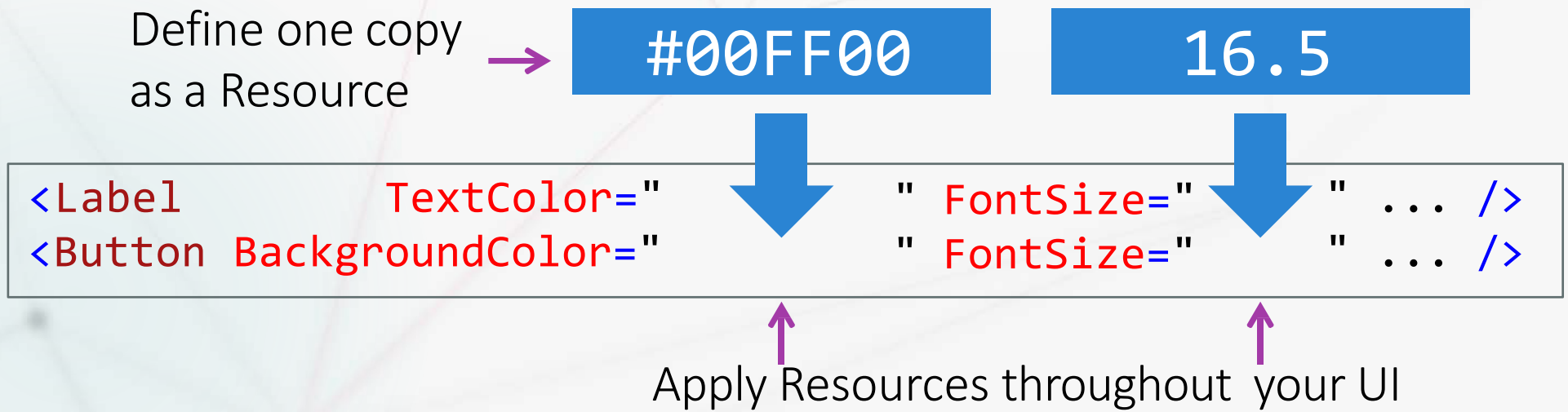
- v Duplicate XAML values are error prone and difficult to maintain

```
<StackLayout BackgroundColor="#FFFFFF">  
  <Label TextColor="#00FF00" FontSize="16.5" />  
  <Entry BackgroundColor="#FFFFFF" />  
  <BoxView BackgroundColor="#00FF00" />  
  <Button BackgroundColor="#00FF00" FontSize="16.5" />  
</StackLayout>
```

Common to use the same colors and sizes across the UI

# What is a Resource?

- ▼ A *Resource* is an object that can be used in multiple places in your UI



# What is a ResourceDictionary?

- ▼ **ResourceDictionary** is a key/value dictionary that is customized for use with UI Resources

Mostly has  
standard  
dictionary  
operations



```
public sealed class ResourceDictionary : ...  
{ ...  
    public object this[string index] { get; set; }  
  
    public void Add(string key, object value);  
    public void Add(Style implicitStyle);  
}
```



Some added UI-specific functionality



# Page-level Resources



- ✓ Every page can have a resource dictionary, must be set in code or XAML

You must create the dictionary

```
<ContentPage ... >
  <ContentPage.Resources>
    ><ResourceDictionary>
      ...
    </ResourceDictionary>
  </ContentPage.Resources>
</ContentPage>
```

Assign the dictionary you create to the page's **Resources** property

# Creating Resources



- Resources created in XAML must use the XAML-language keyword `x:Key` to set the key

Create inside  
the page's  
dictionary

```
<ContentPage ... >  
  <ContentPage.Resources>  
    <ResourceDictionary>  
      <Thickness x:Key="myKey">10,20,40,80</Thickness>  
    </ResourceDictionary>  
  </ContentPage.Resources>  
</ContentPage>
```

Value

Key



Choose Resource names based on use, not value; e.g. use `bgColor`, not `redColor`.

# Using static Resources



- v The **StaticResource** markup extension retrieves a resource, the value is applied once when the target object is created

Define

```
<ContentPage ... >  
  <ContentPage.Resources>  
    <ResourceDictionary>  
      <Thickness x:Key="myKey" >10,20,40,80</Thickness>  
    </ResourceDictionary>  
  </ContentPage.Resources>
```

Use

```
<StackLayout Padding="{StaticResource myKey}" >  
  ...  
</StackLayout>  
</ContentPage>
```

# XAML intrinsic types

- ✓ The XAML spec defines many types you can use for XAML Resources

String and Double are useful since many UI properties use those types

```
<ResourceDictionary>
  → <x:String x:Key="...">Hello</x:String>
    <x:Char x:Key="...">X</x:Char>
    <x:Single x:Key="...">31.4</x:Single>
  → <x:Double x:Key="...">27.1</x:Double>
    <x:Byte x:Key="...">8</x:Byte>
    <x:Int16 x:Key="...">16</x:Int16>
    <x:Int32 x:Key="...">32</x:Int32>
    <x:Int64 x:Key="...">64</x:Int64>
    <x:Decimal x:Key="...">12345</x:Decimal>
    <x:TimeSpan x:Key="...">1.23:5959</x:TimeSpan>
    <x:Boolean x:Key="...">True</x:Boolean>
</ResourceDictionary>
```

# Platform dependencies



- ✓ Can use **OnPlatform** objects in your resource dictionaries to handle platform-specific values

```
<ResourceDictionary>  
  <OnPlatform x:Key="textColor"  
    x:TypeArguments="Color"  
    iOS="Red"  
    Android="Blue"  
    WinPhone="Green" />  
</ResourceDictionary>
```

```
<Label TextColor="{StaticResource textColor}" ... />
```

# How to update Resources



- ✓ Can update resource values from code, useful when you download new values or let the user select preferred colors, font sizes, etc.

Define a  
default  
in XAML

```
<ResourceDictionary>  
→ <Color x:Key="bg">Blue</Color>  
</ResourceDictionary>
```

Update  
to new  
value

```
void OnChangeColor()  
{  
→ this.Resources["bg"] = Color.Green;  
}
```

# Using dynamic Resources



- ▼ The **DynamicResource** markup extension retrieves a resource when the target object is created and updates it as the value changes

BackgroundColor  
set to Blue initially



```
<ResourceDictionary>
  <Color x:Key="bg">Blue</Color>
</ResourceDictionary>

<StackLayout BackgroundColor="{DynamicResource bg}">
  ...
</StackLayout>
```

BackgroundColor  
changes to Green



```
void OnChangeColor()
{
  this.Resources["bg"] = Color.Green;
}
```

# Key not found is OK



- DynamicResource leaves the property unset if the key is not found, it is not an error and no exception is generated

Key not defined

No value assigned to BackgroundColor

```
<ContentPage ... >  
  <ContentPage.Resources>  
    <ResourceDictionary>  
  </ResourceDictionary>  
  </ContentPage.Resources>  
  
  <StackLayout BackgroundColor= "{DynamicResource bg}" >  
    ...  
  </StackLayout>  
  
</ContentPage>
```



# Applying Resources in code

- Resources can be set in code using **SetDynamicResource**, allows logic to apply different resources based on runtime knowledge

```
var name = new Label { Text = "Name" };  
  
if (Device.OS == TargetPlatform.iOS)  
{  
    name.SetDynamicResource(Label.TextColorProperty, "hlColor");  
}
```

The **BindableProperty** to assign

The Resource key to apply

# Create consistent UI with Styles

# Motivation [repeated code]

- Resources let you avoid duplicate values, but you still have to set each property individually which creates clutter and yields repeated code

The property settings must be repeated on each view

```
<Button
  BackgroundColor= {StaticResource highlightColor}
  BorderColor      = {StaticResource edgeColor}
  BorderRadius     = {StaticResource edgeRadius}
  BorderWidth     = {StaticResource edgeSize}
  TextColor       = {StaticResource textColor}
  Text            = OK />
```

OK

```
<Button
  BackgroundColor= {StaticResource highlightColor}
  BorderColor      = {StaticResource edgeColor}
  BorderRadius     = {StaticResource edgeRadius}
  BorderWidth     = {StaticResource edgeSize}
  TextColor       = {StaticResource textColor}
  Text            = Cancel />
```

Cancel

# Motivation [efficiency]

- Resource lookup can increase the startup time of your app since the lookup takes longer than assigning a literal value

```
<Button  
  TextColor="{StaticResource textColor}"  
  ... />
```

↑  
Slower

```
<Button  
  TextColor="White"  
  ... />
```

↑  
Faster

# What is a Setter?

- v A **Setter** is a container for a property/value pair

```
<Setter Property="TextColor" Value="White" />
```

↑  
A bindable  
property

↑  
A value appropriate  
for the property

# What is a Style?

- ▶ A **Style** is a collection of setters for a particular type of view
  - ▶ **TargetType** must be set (or runtime exception)

```
<Style TargetType="Button">  
  <Setter Property="BackgroundColor" Value="#2A84D3" />  
  <Setter Property="BorderColor" Value="#1C5F9B" />  
  <Setter Property="BorderRadius" Value="10" />  
  <Setter Property="BorderWidth" Value="3" />  
  <Setter Property="TextColor" Value="White" />  
</Style>
```

The properties must be members of the  
TargetType class (or runtime exception)

# Styles as Resources



- v Styles are shareable, so they are generally defined as Resources

```
<ContentPage.Resources>
  <ResourceDictionary>
    → <Style x:Key="MyButtonStyle" TargetType="Button">
      ...
    </Style>
  </ResourceDictionary>
</ContentPage.Resources>
```

Define in a  
dictionary

# Using a Style

- ▼ Styles are set on a control through the **Style** property, this applies all the setters in the style to that control

```
<Button Text="OK" Style="{StaticResource MyButtonStyle}" />  
<Button Text="Cancel" Style="{StaticResource MyButtonStyle}" />
```

↑  
The **Style** property is defined in the **VisualElement** base class so it is available in all views



# Combining Styles and Resources

- ✓ Can use a resource as the **Value** for a setter, this lets it share a value with other styles

```
<Color x:Key="bgColor">White</Color>
<Color x:Key="fgColor">Black</Color>

<Style TargetType="Button" x:Key="AllButtons">
  <Setter Property="BackgroundColor" Value="{StaticResource bgColor}" />
  <Setter Property="TextColor" Value="{DynamicResource fgColor}" />
  ...
</Style>
```

Can use either static or dynamic lookup

# Implicit Styles



- v Styles can be automatically applied to all controls of a target type by omitting **x:Key** and placing the style into an accessible dictionary

```
<ContentPage.Resources>
  <ResourceDictionary>
    → <Style TargetType="Button">
      <Setter Property="BackgroundColor" Value="Blue" />
      <Setter Property="BorderColor" Value="Navy" />
      ...
    </Style>
  </ResourceDictionary>
</ContentPage.Resources>
```

The target type is still specified and is matched exactly, this style will be applied to all buttons in this page

# Overriding a setter

- v Styles provide the *default* values, explicit property values on the control are applied *after* the style and take precedence

```
<Style x:Key= MyButtonStyle TargetType= Button >  
  <Setter Property= BackgroundColor Value= Red />  
</Style>
```

```
<Button  
  Style="{StaticResource MyButtonStyle}"  
  BackgroundColor= Blue ✓  
  Text= "Cancel"  
  ... />
```



Value set directly overrules the style value

Background is blue, not red

# Ancestor targeting

- v A **Style** can target a base type of the object to which it is applied

This style targets `VisualElement`



```
<Style x:Key="MyVisualElementStyle" TargetType="VisualElement">  
  <Setter Property="BackgroundColor" Value="#2A84D3" />  
</Style>
```

```
<Button Style="{StaticResource MyVisualElementStyle}" ... />
```



Can apply to a button since the **Button** class is derived from **VisualElement**

# Creating a Style in code

- v Styles can be created in code to allow runtime customizations

```
var s = new Style(typeof(Button));
```

```
s.Setters.Add(new Setter {Property = Button.BackgroundColorProperty, Value = Color.Red});  
s.Setters.Add(new Setter {Property = Button.BorderRadiusProperty, Value = 4});
```



Can then apply **Style** to a **Button** directly, or add it to the resources to apply in XAML

# Motivation [repeated code]

- v Styles often have duplicate Setters which are then hard to maintain

Repeated

```
<Style x:Key= MyButtonStyle TargetType= Button >
  <Setter Property= BackgroundColor Value= Blue />
  <Setter Property= BorderColor Value= Navy />
  <Setter Property= BorderWidth Value= 5 />
</Style>

<Style x:Key= MyEntryStyle TargetType= Entry >
  <Setter Property= BackgroundColor Value= Blue />
  <Setter Property= TextColor Value= White />
</Style>
```

# Motivation [customization]



- ▼ A provided Style might need some adjustment to meet your needs

```
<Style x:Key= MyButtonStyle TargetType= Button >  
  <Setter Property= BackgroundColor Value= Blue />  
  ...  
</Style>
```

Color might not be right for current use

```
<Button Style= "{StaticResource MyButtonStyle}" Text= OK BackgroundColor= Purple />  
<Button Style= "{StaticResource MyButtonStyle}" Text= Cancel BackgroundColor= Purple />
```



It is tedious to manually set properties that don't fit the current situation

# Style inheritance



- ✓ A style can inherit from a base style

Base's **TargetType** must be the same or a base class

```
<Style x:Key="MyButtonStyle" TargetType="Button" >
  ...
</Style>

<Style x:Key="DiscoButtonStyle" TargetType="Button" BasedOn="{StaticResource MyButtonStyle}" >
  ...
</Style>
```

Indicates which style  
this will inherit from

Only **StaticResource** is  
allowed to set the base style



# Inherited properties



- ▼ The new style can modify existing property values and/or add new ones

```
<Style x:Key= MyButtonStyle TargetType= Button >
  <Setter Property= BackgroundColor Value= Blue />
  <Setter Property= BorderColor Value= Navy />
</Style>

<Style x:Key= "DiscoButtonStyle" TargetType= Button BasedOn= {StaticResource MyButtonStyle} >
  <Setter Property= "BackgroundColor" Value= Purple />
  <Setter Property= "Rotation" Value= 30 />
</Style>
```

Add new setter

Replace inherited setter

# Motivation



- You will often need to share resources across multiple pages of your app; however, page-level resources are only available on one page

```
<ContentPage ... >  
  <ContentPage.Resources>  
    <ResourceDictionary>  
      <Font x:Key="codeFont" FontFamily="..." />  
    </ResourceDictionary>  
  </ContentPage.Resources>  
  ...  
  <Label Font="{StaticResource codeFont}" />  
  ...  
</ContentPage>
```

```
<ContentPage ... >  
  ...  
  ...  
  ...  
  ...  
  ...  
  ...  
  <Button Font="{StaticResource codeFont}" />  
  ...  
</ContentPage>
```



Resources defined in one page are not available in a different page

# Available dictionaries



- v **VisualElement** and **Application** have built-in resource dictionaries – these are initialized to **null** by default

```
public class VisualElement : ...
{
    ...
    public ResourceDictionary Resources
    {
        get;
        set;
    }
}
```

Pages, layouts, and views  
inherit from **VisualElement**

```
public class Application : ...
{
    ...
    public ResourceDictionary Resources
    {
        get;
        set;
    }
}
```

Your app class inherits  
from **Application**

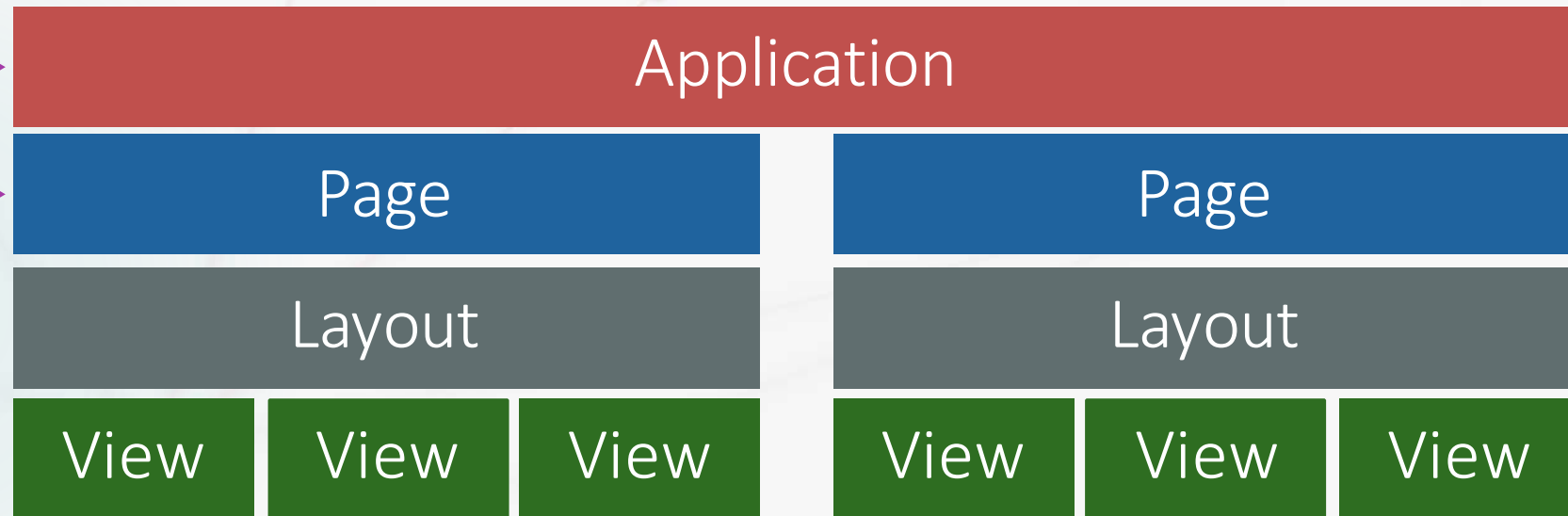
# Resource scope



- Resources can be defined at different levels so they are scoped to a specific usage area in the application

App-wide resources here →

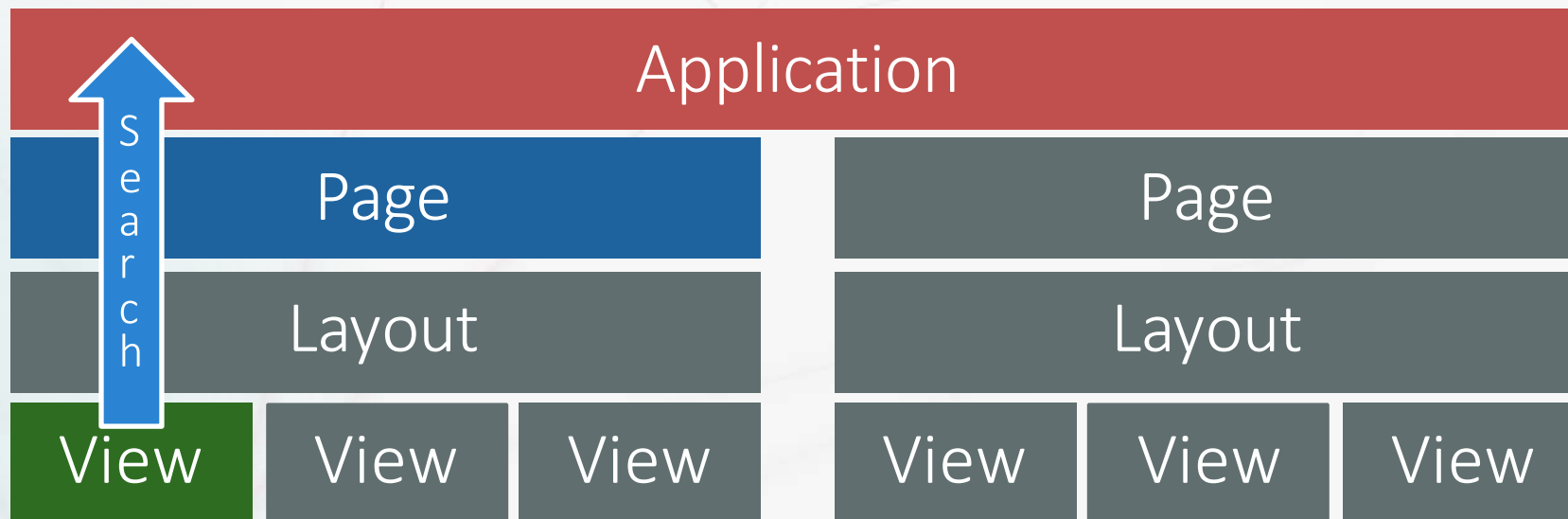
Page-specific resources here →



# Lookup rules



- ▼ Dictionaries are searched starting at the point a resource is applied, then up the visual tree to the Page, and finally to the App



Apply a resource to a view, lookup will proceed up the hierarchy

Place resources close to where they are used to minimize lookup cost



# Defining application-level resources



- You code **App.xaml** and **App.xaml.cs** files in order to get an application-wide resource dictionary

## App.xaml

```
<Application
  xmlns = "http://xamarin.com/schemas/2014/forms"
  xmlns:x= "http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2009/xaml"
  x:Class= "MyApp.App" >

  <Application.Resources>
    <ResourceDictionary>
      <Font x:Key="codeFont" FontFamily="Courier New" />
    </ResourceDictionary>
  </Application.Resources>

</Application>
```

## App.xaml.cs

```
namespace MyApp
{
  public partial class App : Application
  {
    public App()
    {
      InitializeComponent();
      MainPage = new MyPage();
    }
  }
}
```

# Using application-level resources



- ✓ Can use either **StaticResource** or **DynamicResource** to apply an application-level resource

```
<ContentPage ...>  
...  
<Label Font="{StaticResource codeFont}" />  
...  
</ContentPage>
```

```
<ContentPage ...>  
...  
<Button Font="{StaticResource codeFont}" />  
...  
</ContentPage>
```

The resource will be available in all pages of the app

# Duplicate keys



- Keys can be repeated in different dictionaries, the first matching key on the search path is used

```
<Application.Resources>  
  <ResourceDictionary>  
    <x:String x:Key= msg >Two</x:String>  
  </ResourceDictionary>  
</Application.Resources>
```

App.xaml

```
<ContentPage.Resources>  
  <ResourceDictionary>  
    <x:String x:Key= msg >One</x:String>  
  </ResourceDictionary>  
</ContentPage.Resources>
```

MainPage.xaml

Text set  
to One →

```
<Label Text= {StaticResource msg} >
```



# Guideline for global styles



- Use explicit styles at the application level and then put an implicit style in each page that uses **BasedOn**

Application

```
<Style TargetType= Button x:Key= gsk"> . . </Style>
```

Explicit Style at the app level



Page

```
<Style TargetType= Button BasedOn= {StaticResource gsk} />
```

Implicit Style on each Page,  
based on the app Style

No added Setters

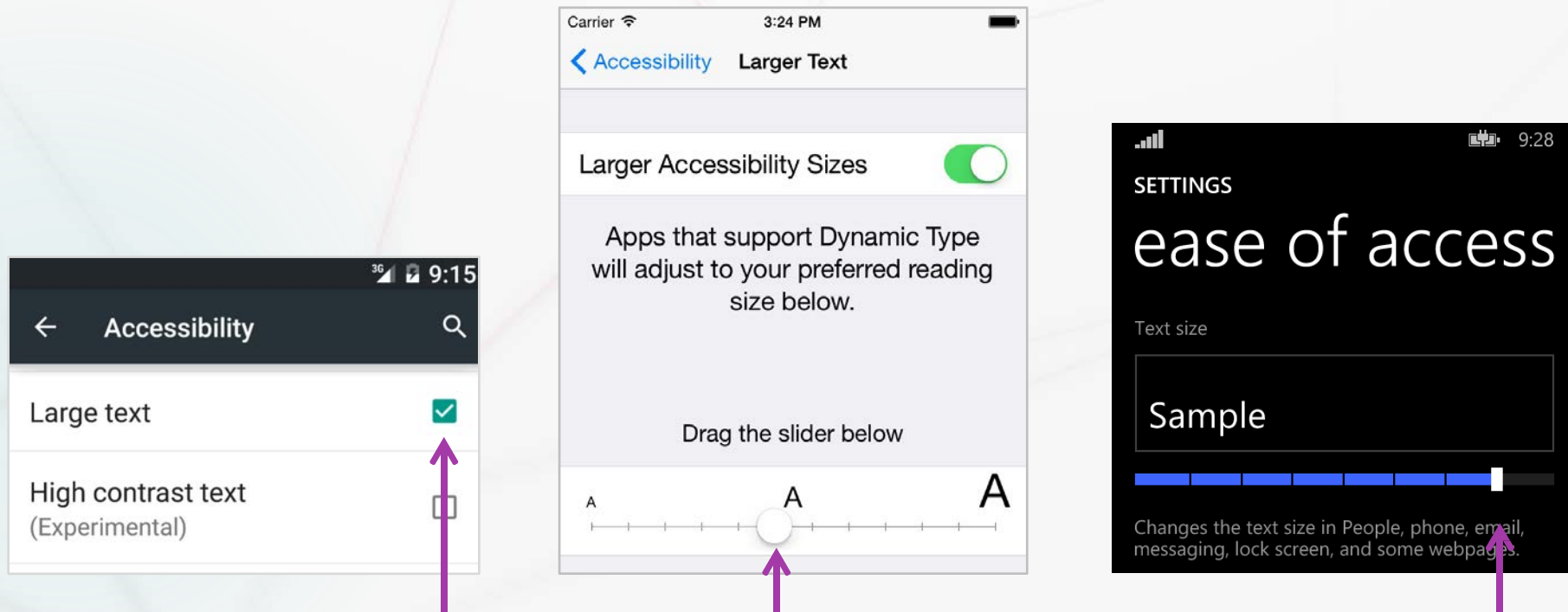


This approach makes it clear which implicit Styles will be applied on each page

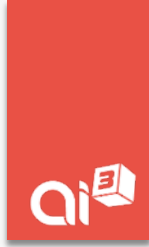


# Why using device appearance ?

- Apps should respect the user's device-wide preferences for appearance and accessibility; ideally, apps update their UI when settings change



Apps should try to use the text size the user requested



# Control Template

# ControlTemplate



- Fonctionnalité avancée XAML
- Uniquement disponible sur certains contrôles
  - ContentView, ContentPage
- Un ControlTemple permet de modifier l'apparence d'un contrôle
  - Le contenu reste inchanger
- Eviter le copier/coller
- ContentPresenter

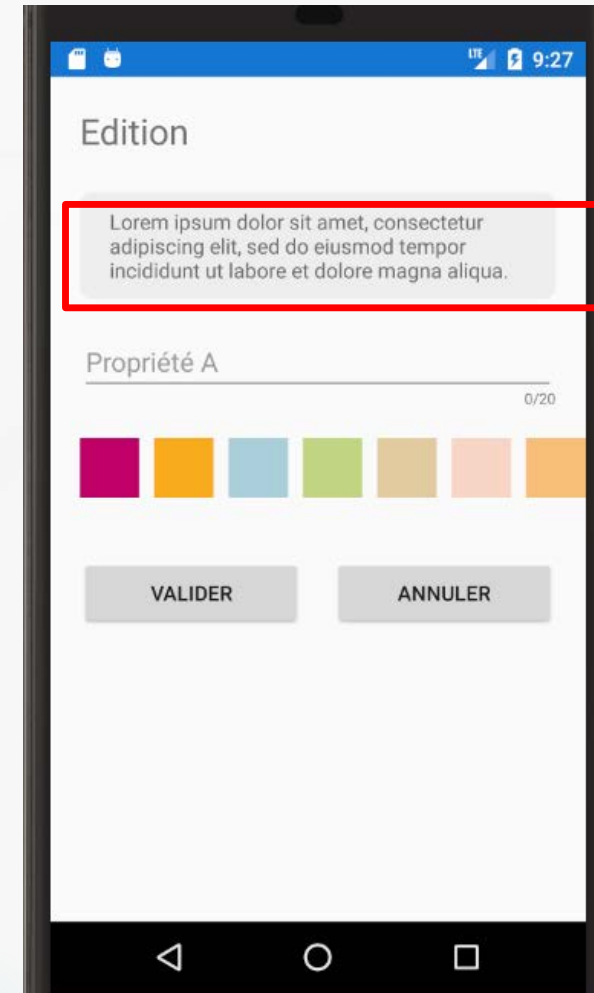
```
<ContentView ControlTemplate="{StaticResource HelpTextControlTemplate}">  
</ContentView>
```

# ControlTemplate



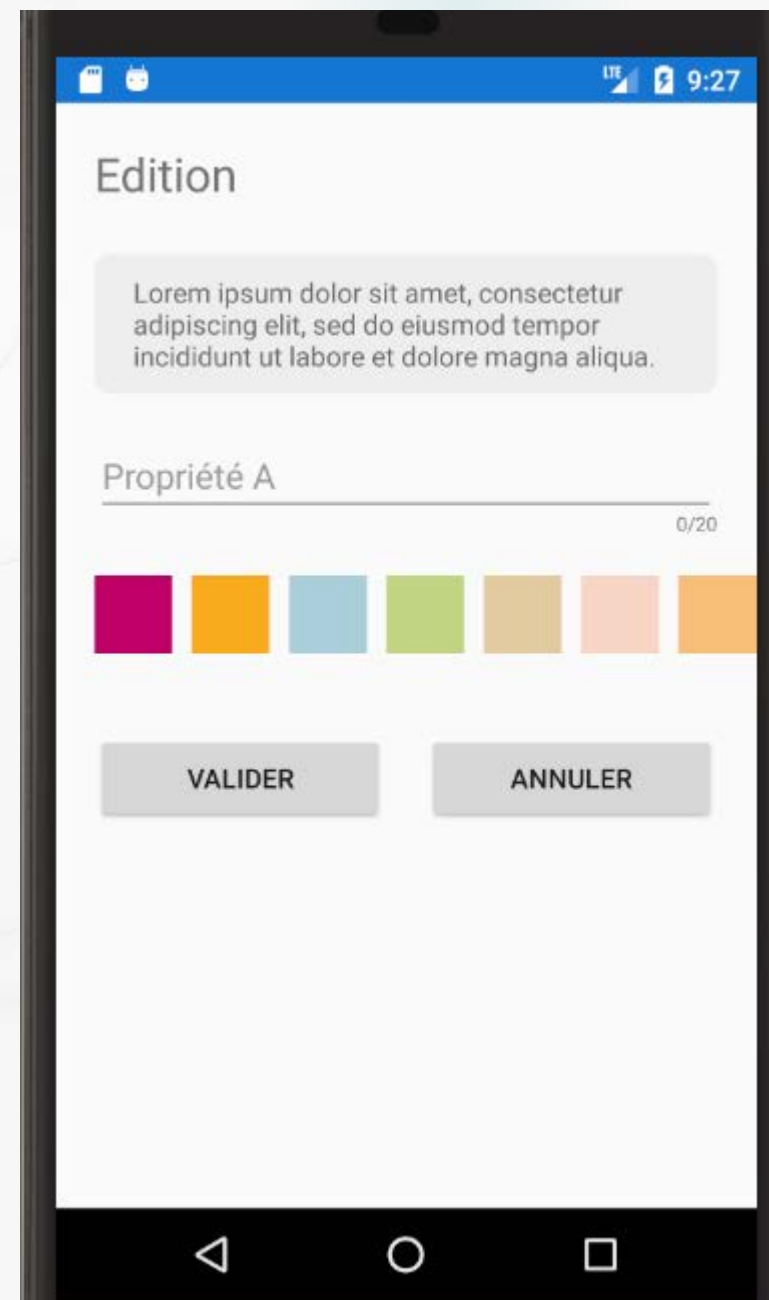
```
<Grid>  
  <BoxView BackgroundColor="{StaticResource LightGrayColor}"  
    CornerRadius="8" />  
  <Label Text="..."  
    LineBreakMode="WordWrap"  
    Margin="20, 10"/>  
</Grid>
```

```
<ControlTemplate x:Key="MonControlTemplate">  
  <Grid>  
    <BoxView BackgroundColor="{StaticResource LightGrayColor}"  
      CornerRadius="8" />  
    <ContentPresenter Padding="20, 10" />  
  </Grid>  
</ControlTemplate>  
  
<ContentView ControlTemplate="{StaticResource MonControlTemplate}">  
  <Label Text="..." LineBreakMode="WordWrap"/>  
</ContentView>
```



# Atelier Style

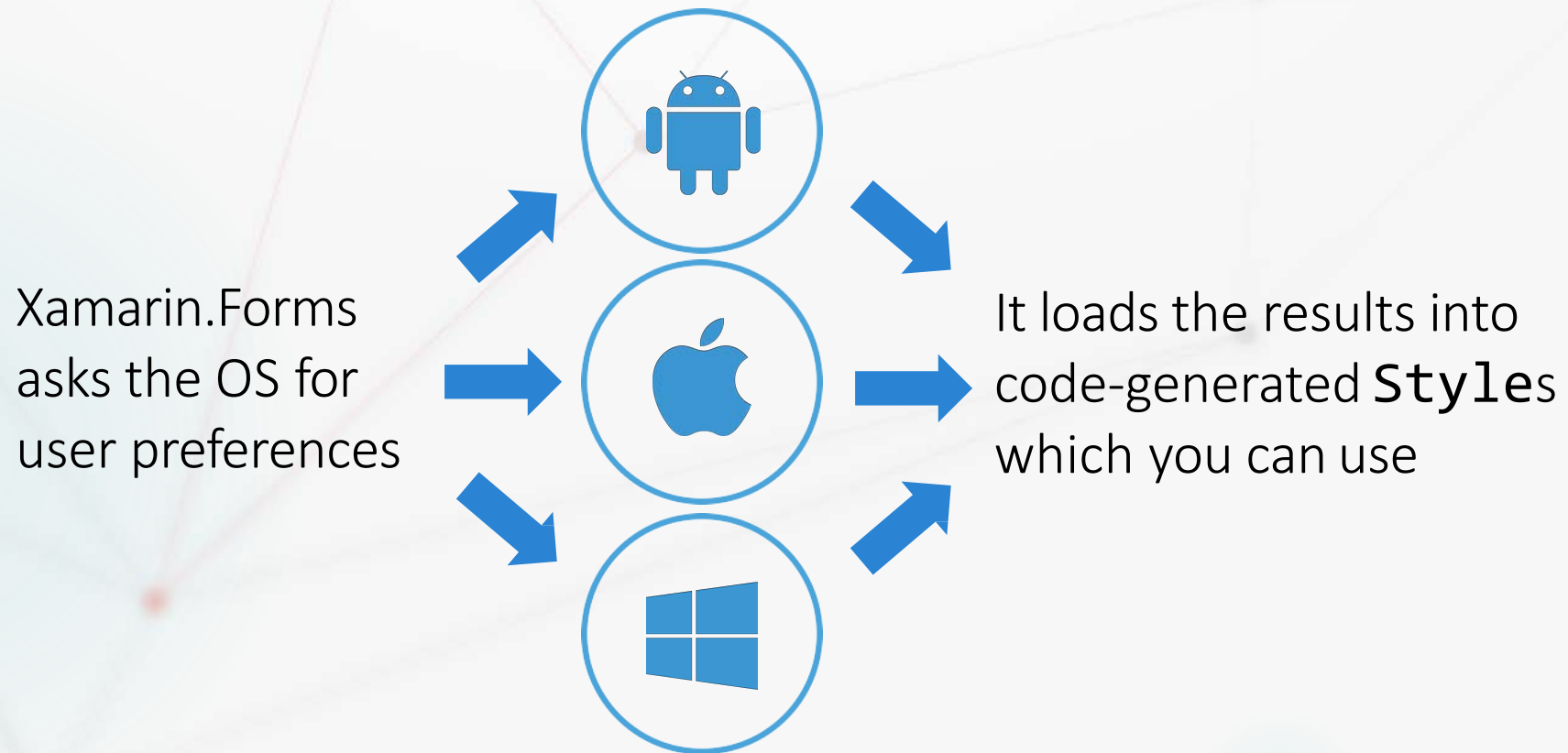
- Reprendre l'atelier Layout et inclure :
  - Resource
  - Style
  - ControlTemplate



# What is a built-in Style?



- ✓ Xamarin.Forms maps the user's device-wide preferences to Styles, it keeps those Styles updated as the user changes their settings



Built-in Styles are under development, please expect changes and additions.

# Implementation



- v The built-in styles are provided as **Style** objects in **Device.Styles**

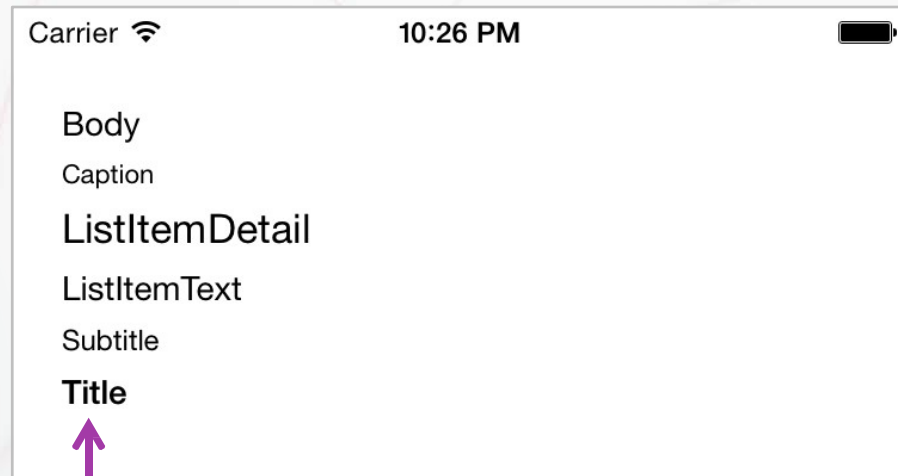
```
public static class Styles
{ ...
  public static readonly Style BodyStyle;
  public static readonly Style CaptionStyle;
  public static readonly Style ListItemDetailTextStyle;
  public static readonly Style ListItemTextStyle;
  public static readonly Style SubtitleStyle;
  public static readonly Style TitleStyle;
}
```

↑  
Styles are for common UI like titles, body text, and lists



# Targets

- v The built-in Styles use a **TargetType** of **Label**



The Styles have setters for common properties such as fonts and colors

# Resource keys



- Symbolic constants from **Device.Styles** identify the built-in Styles in XAML

```
public static class Styles
{
    public static readonly string BodyStyleKey = "BodyStyle";
    public static readonly string CaptionStyleKey = "CaptionStyle";
    public static readonly string ListItemDetailTextStyleKey = "ListItemDetailTextStyle";
    public static readonly string ListItemTextStyleKey = "ListItemTextStyle";
    public static readonly string SubtitleStyleKey = "SubtitleStyle";
    public static readonly string TitleStyleKey = "TitleStyle";
}
```

You use these in your XAML

# Using a built-in Style



- v Must use **DynamicResource** to access a built-in Style

```
public static class Styles
{
    ...
    public static readonly string TitleStyleKey = "TitleStyle";
}
```

Use the predefined string resource key

```
<Label Text="Welcome" Style="{DynamicResource TitleStyle}" />
```



**DynamicResource** is required because these styles are generated via code and can change at runtime if the user changes their preferences

# Customizing built-in Styles

- ▼ **BaseResourceKey** lets you use a built-in Style as a base, it performs a dynamic lookup which keeps the property values synchronized to the user preferences

```
<Style BaseResourceKey="TitleStyle" TargetType="Label" x:Key="MyTitleStyle" >  
  ...  
</Style>
```

Property identifies the Resource to use as the **BasedOn** style  
(i.e. you are supplying a key that will be used for Resource lookup)

# Binding & MVVM

# Binding

- Le Binding est une notion centrale pour les applications XAML
  - On les utilise PARTOUT !
- Un binding est une liaison entre :
  - Une propriété d'un objet (la source de données)
  - Une propriété d'un contrôle (Page, Layout, View...)

```
<Entry Text="....." />
```

```
public class MaClasse  
{  
    public string Name { get; set; }  
}
```

# Binding

- Toutes les propriétés des contrôles sont « bindables »

```
<Entry Text="{Binding Name}" />

<ListView ItemsSource="{Binding ListeElements}"
           SelectedItem="{Binding ElementSelectionne, Mode=TwoWay}" />

<Button IsEnabled="{Binding IsBusy}" />

<Label Text="{Binding ErrorMessage}" IsVisible="{Binding IsBusy}"
```

- La propriété `BindingContext` permet de définir la source de données d'un contrôle (héritage)

```
var maSourceDeDonnees = new Book();
maSourceDeDonnees.Author = "AZZSD QsdQSD";

monText.BindingContext = maSourceDeDonnees;
```

# Et comment on utilise tout ça ?

- Explication par l'exemple
  - MVVM
  - Comment marche le binding bidirectionnel ?
  - Utilisation des commandes
  - Dependency Property
  - Découpage d'une application
  - ...



# Binding bi-directionnel

- Mode de Binding `<Entry Text="{Binding FirstName, Mode=TwoWay}" >`
- La source de données **doit** implémenter l'interface `INotifyPropertyChanged`

```
public class ViewModelBase : INotifyPropertyChanged
{
    public event PropertyChangedEventHandler PropertyChanged;

    protected void OnPropertyChanged([CallerMemberName] string propertyName = null)
    {
        PropertyChanged?.Invoke(this, new PropertyChangedEventArgs(propertyName));
    }
}

public class MonViewModel : ViewModelBase
{
    private string _firstName;

    public string FirstName
    {
        get { return _firstName; }
        set
        {
            if (_firstName != value)
            {
                _firstName = value;
                OnPropertyChanged();
            }
        }
    }
}
```

# Source Binding

- Utiliser un autre élément comme source de données

```
<Entry x:Name="monEntry">
```

```
<Label Text="{Binding Text, Source={Reference monEntry}}" />
```



# DependencyProperty

- Seule les DependencyProperty sont bindables

```
public static readonly BindableProperty BorderWidthProperty =  
BindableProperty.Create("BorderWidth", typeof(int), typeof(SliderImage), 1, BindingMode.OneWay,  
null);
```

```
public int BorderWidth  
{  
    get { return (int)GetValue(BorderWidthProperty); }  
    set { SetValue(BorderWidthProperty, value); }  
}
```

- Ecrire un Binding en C#

```
<Label IsVisible="{Binding HasError, Mode=OneWay}" />
```

```
_label.SetBinding(IsVisibleProperty, new Binding("HasError", BindingMode.OneWay));
```

# Converter

```
public class StringToBooleanConverter : IValueConverter
{
    public object Convert(object value, Type targetType, object parameter, CultureInfo culture)
    {
        if (value == null)
            return false;

        return String.IsNullOrEmpty((string)value) == false;
    }

    public object ConvertBack(object value, Type targetType, object parameter, CultureInfo culture)
    {
        throw new NotImplementedException();
    }
}
```

```
<tc:StringToBooleanConverter x:Key="StringToBooleanConverter" />
```

```
<Label Text="{Binding Message}"
        IsVisible="{Binding Message, Converter={StaticResource StringToBooleanConverter}}" />
```

# Les commandes

- Les commandes sont des DependencyProperty qui sont appelées lorsqu'un évènement est appelé

```
<Button Text="Valider" Command="{Binding SaveCommand}" />
```

```
public class MonViewModel
{
    public string FirstName { get; set; }

    public ICommand SaveCommand { get; private set; }

    public MonViewModel()
    {
        SaveCommand = new Command(Save, CanSave);
    }

    private void Save(object obj)
    {
        // ...
    }

    private bool CanSave(object arg)
    {
        return string.IsNullOrEmpty(FirstName) == false;
    }
}
```

La classe Xamarin.Forms.Command est l'implémentation par défaut de Xamarin de l'interface System.Windows.Input.ICommand

# Définir un paramètre à une commande

- Les commandes peuvent avoir un paramètre

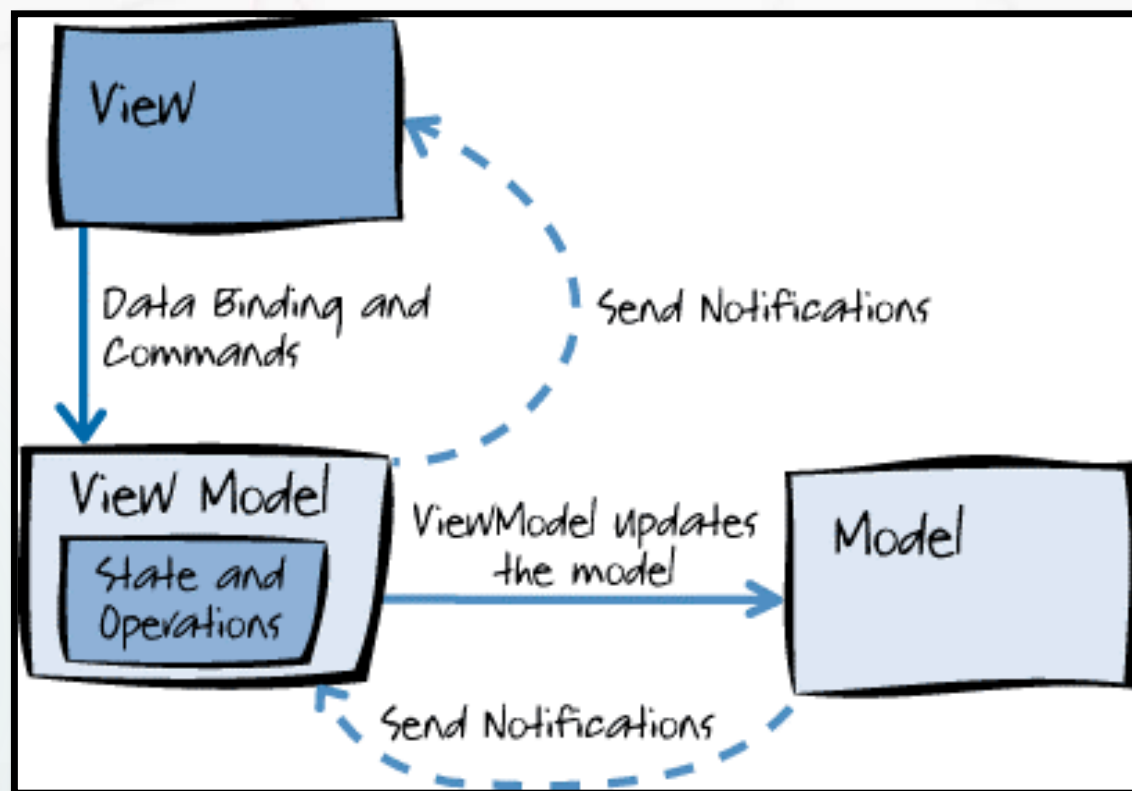
```
<ListView x:Name="maListe">
    <!--...-->
</ListView>

<Button Text="Supprimer"
        Command="{Binding RemoveCommand}"
        CommandParameter="{Binding SelectedItem, Source={Reference maListe}}" />
```

```
private void Remove(object selectedItem)
{
    // ...
}
```

Le paramètre est la valeur de la propriété CommandParameter, donc l'élément sélectionné de la liste

# Pattern MVVM



# Utiliser un package MVVM

- MVVM Light
- MvvmCross



# Atelier Binding et MVVM

- Créer un formulaire de Login en MVVM
  - Deux champs de saisie : Login et Password
  - Un bouton « Se connecter »
  - Un message d'erreur si le login ou le password ne sont pas correctement renseignés
  - Pour simuler que tout ce passe bien, on affichera un message dans une popup.

# Affichage de liste

- Il existe plusieurs manières d'afficher une liste d'éléments :
  - ListView (prochainement remplacée par CollectionView)
  - BindableLayout
  - Contrôle personnalisé
- ListView vs BindableLayout
  - ListView
    - Avantages : groupe, sélection, évènement tap, virtualisation, interaction, reload, header, footer
    - Inconvénients : performances, Stack uniquement customisation graphique
  - BindableLayout
    - Avantages : très léger, flexible, marche avec tous les types de Layout
    - Inconvénients : pas de virtualisation, pas de sélection, pas d'évènement tap

# Utilisation d'une ListView

```
<ListView ItemsSource="{Binding Employes}"
    SelectionMode="None">
    <ListView.ItemTemplate>
        <DataTemplate>
            <TextCell Text="{Binding FirstName}" />
        </DataTemplate>
    </ListView.ItemTemplate>
</ListView>
```

```
<ListView ItemsSource="{Binding Employes}"
    SelectionMode="None">
    <ListView.ItemTemplate>
        <DataTemplate>
            <ViewCell>
                <StackLayout>
                    <Label Text="{Binding FirstName}" />
                    <Label Text="{Binding LastName}" />
                </StackLayout>
            </ViewCell>
        </DataTemplate>
    </ListView.ItemTemplate>
</ListView>
```

```
public class EmployeeListViewModel : ViewModelBase
{
    private List<Employee> _employees;

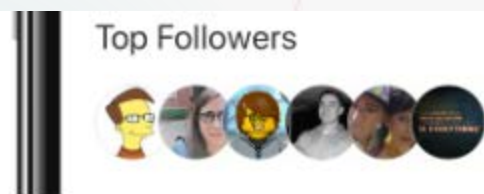
    public List<Employee> Employes
    {
        get { return _employees; }
        private set { Set(ref _employees, value); }
    }

    public EmployeeListViewModel()
    {
        var employees = new List<Employee>();
        employees.Add(new Employee { FirstName = "Lois",...});
        employees.Add(new Employee { FirstName = "Cyril",... });
        employees.Add(new Employee { FirstName = "Guillaume",... });
        employees.Add(new Employee { FirstName = "Anael", ... });
        employees.Add(new Employee { FirstName = "Julien", ... });

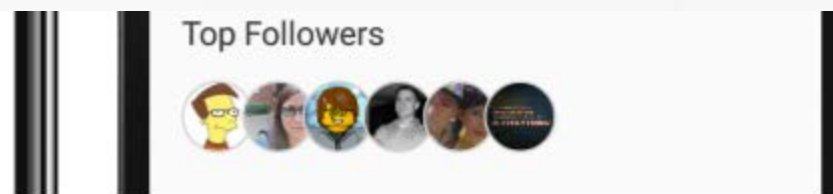
        Employes = employees;
    }
}
```

# Utilisation du BindableLayout

```
<StackLayout BindableLayout.ItemsSource="{Binding User.TopFollowers}" Orientation="Horizontal">
  <BindableLayout.ItemTemplate>
    <DataTemplate>
      <controls:CircleImage Source="{Binding}"
        Aspect="AspectFill" WidthRequest="44" HeightRequest="44" />
    </DataTemplate>
  </BindableLayout.ItemTemplate>
</StackLayout>
```



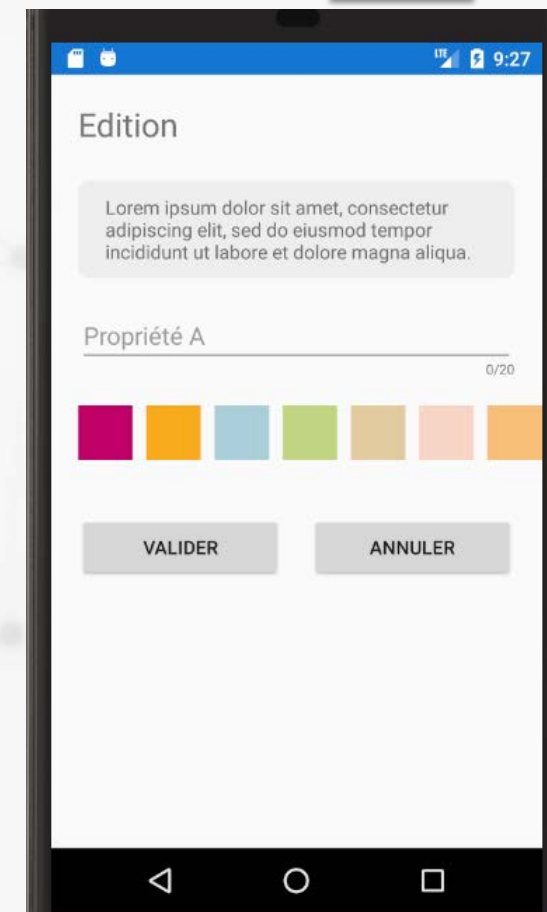
iOS



Android

# Atelier

- Reprendre l'atelier Layout
- Utiliser un BindableLayout pour afficher la liste des Couleurs

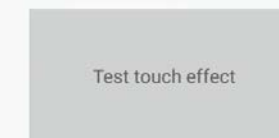
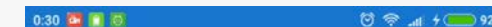
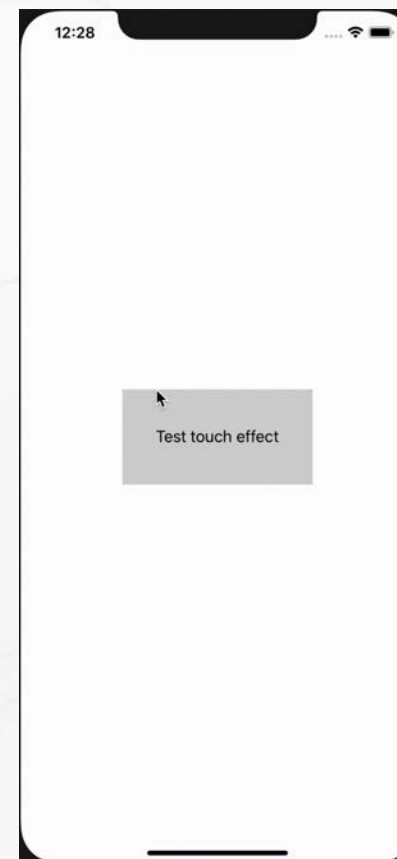


# XamEffects

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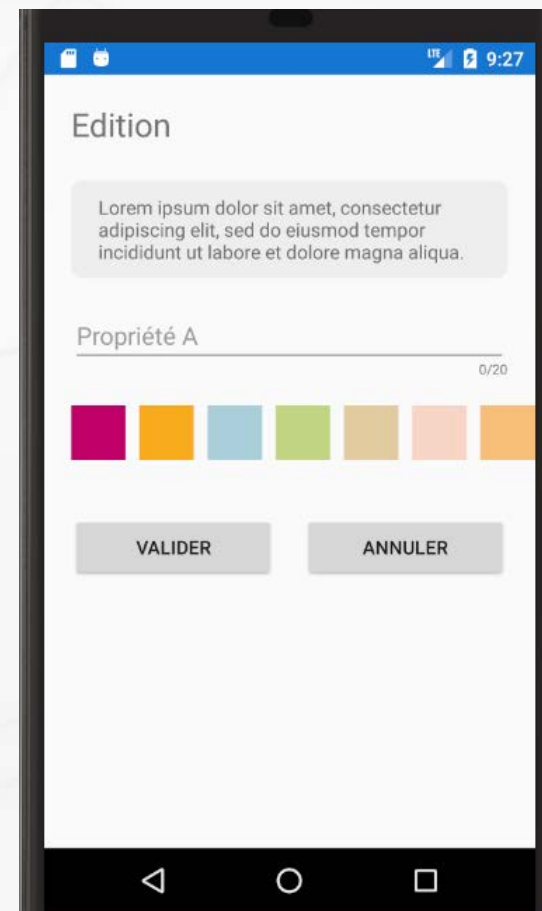
- Package nugget XamEffects
- Permet d'ajouter de gérer le Tap et le feedback utilisateur
  - iOS et Android

```
<ContentPage xmlns="http://xamarin.com/schemas/2014/forms"
  xmlns:x="http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2009/xaml"
  xmlns:local="clr-namespace:XamEffects.Sample"
  xmlns:xe="clr-namespace:XamEffects;assembly=XamEffects"
  x:Class="XamEffects.Sample.MainPage">
  <Grid HorizontalOptions="Center"
    VerticalOptions="Center"
    HeightRequest="100"
    WidthRequest="200"
    BackgroundColor="LightGray"
    xe:TouchEffect.Color="Red">
    <Label Text="Test touch effect"
      HorizontalOptions="Center"
      VerticalOptions="Center"/>
  </Grid>
</ContentPage>
```



# Démo

- Ajouter la sélection sur le BindableLayout





# Navigation

# Navigation hiérarchique

- Xamarin propose un service de navigation via les NavigationPage

```
MainPage = new NavigationPage(new MainPage());
```

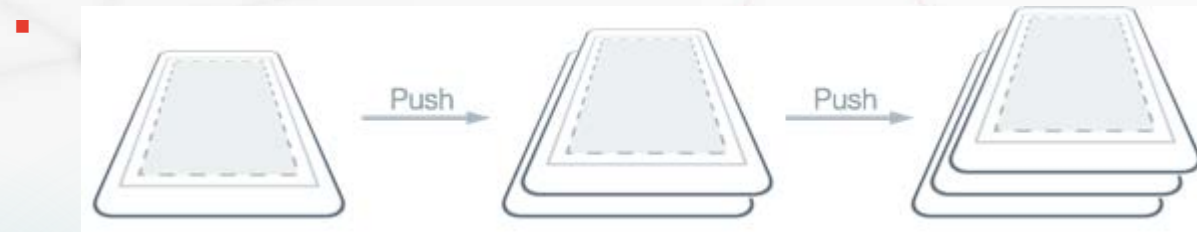
- La NavigationPage permet de
  - Naviguer entre les pages
  - Gère le Back
  - Ajoute un header



# Naviguer

- Naviguer vers une page

```
App.Current.MainPage.Navigation.PushAsync (new MaPage())
```



- Revenir à la page précédente

```
App.Current.MainPage.Navigation.PopAsync (...)
```



# Atelier

- Reprendre l'atelier précédent
- Créer deux nouvelles pages
  - Une page avec une ListView que vous remplissez avec des Employes (nom/prénom)
    - Lorsque l'utilisateur clique sur un employé, l'application navigue vers la page d'édition
  - Une page avec l'édition d'un employé (nom/prénom et un bouton enregistrer)
    - Le Back retour à la liste
- Discussion & problématiques
  - Il manquerait pas une Commande ?
  - Comment naviguer depuis un ViewModel
  - Comment passer des paramètres lors de la navigation

# Créer un service de navigation

- Customiser la ListView
- ViewModel First

# Xamarin Essential

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## ▪ Fournit un tas de fonctionnalités cross-plateforme

Accelerometer – Retrieve acceleration data of the device in three dimensional space.

App Information – Find out information about the application.

Barometer – Monitor the barometer for pressure changes.

Battery – Easily detect battery level, source, and state.

Clipboard – Quickly and easily set or read text on the clipboard.

Color Converters – Helper methods for System.Drawing.Color.

Compass – Monitor compass for changes.

Connectivity – Check connectivity state and detect changes.

Detect Shake – Detect a shake movement of the device.

Device Display Information – Get the device's screen metrics and orientation.

Device Information – Find out about the device with ease.

Email – Easily send email messages.

File System Helpers – Easily save files to app data.

Flashlight – A simple way to turn the flashlight on/off.

Geocoding – Geocode and reverse geocode addresses and coordinates.

Geolocation – Retrieve the device's GPS location.

Gyroscope – Track rotation around the device's three primary axes.

Launcher – Enables an application to open a URI by the system.

Magnetometer – Detect device's orientation relative to Earth's magnetic field.

MainThread – Run code on the application's main thread.

Maps – Open the maps application to a specific location.

Open Browser – Quickly and easily open a browser to a specific website.

Orientation Sensor – Retrieve the orientation of the device in three dimensional space.

Phone Dialer – Open the phone dialer.

Platform Extensions – Helper methods for converting Rect, Size, and Point.

Preferences – Quickly and easily add persistent preferences.

Secure Storage – Securely store data.

Share – Send text and website uris to other apps.

SMS – Create an SMS message for sending.

Text-to-Speech – Vocalize text on the device.

Unit Converters – Helper methods to convert units.

Version Tracking – Track the applications version and build numbers.

Vibrate – Make the device vibrate.

# Xamarin.Essentials.AppInfo

```
...public static class AppInfo
{
    ...public static string PackageName { get; }
    ...public static string Name { get; }
    ...public static string VersionString { get; }
    ...public static Version Version { get; }
    ...public static string BuildString { get; }

    ...public static void ShowSettingsUI();
}
```



# Etat de la connexion

- Permet de connaitre l'état de la connexion Data

```
if (Xamarin.Essentials.Connectivity.NetworkAccess == NetworkAccess.Internet)
{
    // Internet
}
```

- Permet de savoir lorsque l'état de la connexion Data change

```
Xamarin.Essentials.Connectivity.ConnectivityChanged += Connectivity_ConnectivityChanged;

private void Connectivity_ConnectivityChanged(object sender,
Xamarin.Essentials.ConnectivityChangedEventArgs e)
{
    if (e.NetworkAccess == Xamarin.Essentials.NetworkAccess.None)
    {
        // Not Internet
    }
}
```

# Device Information

```
...public static class DeviceInfo  
{  
    ...public static string Model { get; }  
    ...public static string Manufacturer { get; }  
    ...public static string Name { get; }  
    ...public static string VersionString { get; }  
    ...public static Version Version { get; }  
    ...public static DevicePlatform Platform { get; }  
    ...public static DeviceIdiom Idiom { get; }  
    ...public static DeviceType DeviceType { get; }  
}
```

iOS, Android ...

Phone / Tablet / TV / Desktop / Watch

# En vrac

- Ouvrir le navigateur

```
Launcher.OpenAsync("http://www.ai3.fr")
```

- Envoyer un mail

```
Email.ComposeAsync("Sujet", "Bonjour, ...")
```

- Exécuter une action sur le ThreadPrincipal

```
MainThread.BeginInvokeOnMainThread(() => MonAction())
```

- Appeler un numéro, envoyer des sms

```
PhoneDialer.Open("0642515648");  
Sms.ComposeAsync(...)
```

- Ajouter / Modifier des préférences

```
Preferences.Set("PreviousLoggedInUser", "Cyril");  
var previousUser = Preferences.Get("PreviousLoggedInUser");
```

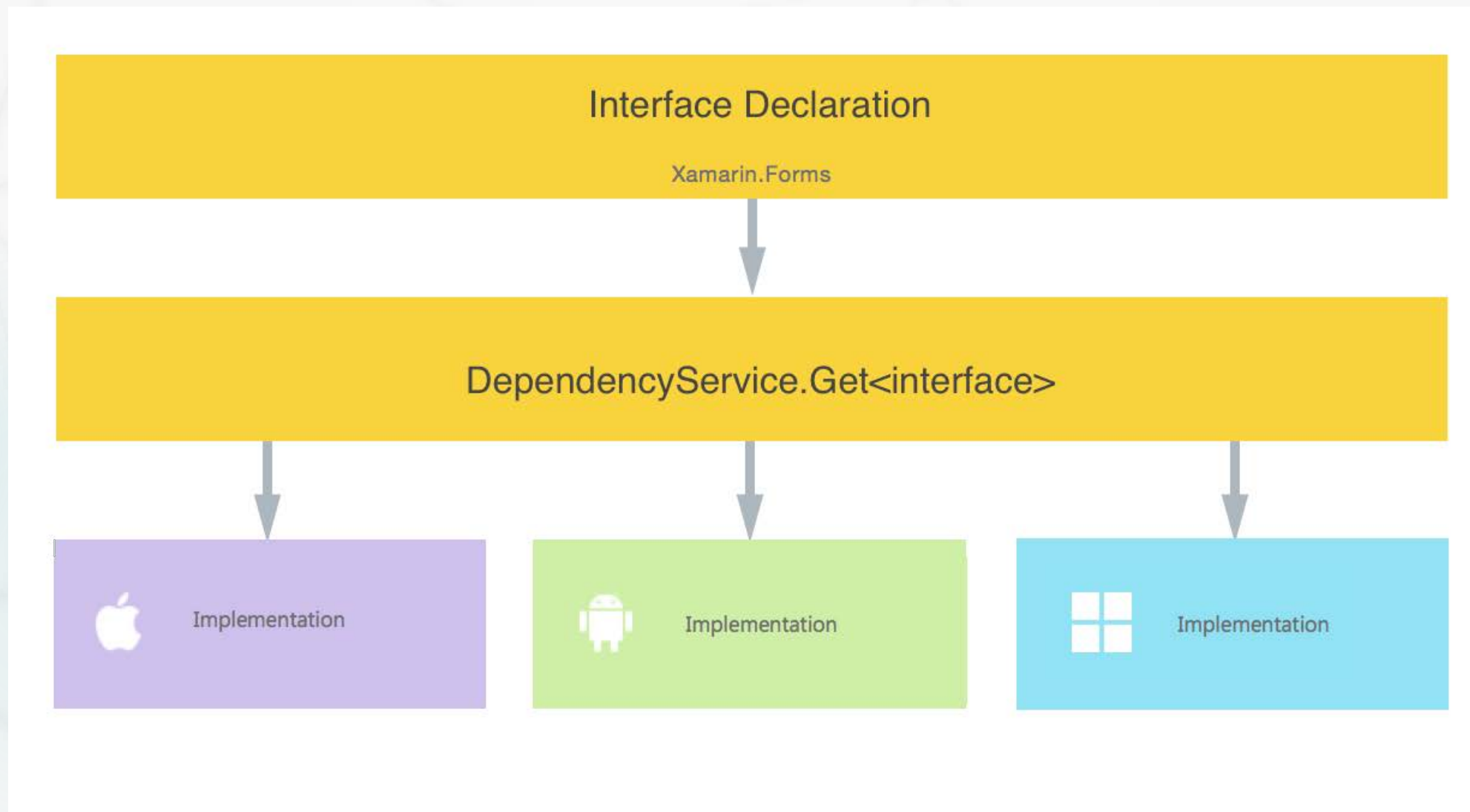
- SecureStorage, Location, Niveau de batterie, Boussole, Lampe torche, Vibration ....

# Atelier

- Reprendre l'atelier sur la navigation
- Dans la page de Login
  - Enregistrer le userName dans les Préférences
  - Au chargement, remplir le champs userName avec celui enregistré dans le Préférences.

# Injection de dépendances

# Architecture



```
public interface ITextToSpeech
{
    void Speak(string text);
}
```

*PCL*

```
[assembly: Xamarin.Forms.Dependency(typeof(TextToSpeechImplementation))]
namespace App6.UWP
{
    public class TextToSpeechImplementation : ITextToSpeech
    {
        public TextToSpeechImplementation() { }

        public async void Speak(string text)
        {
            //
        }
    }
}
```

*Windows*

```
private void Usage(string result)
{
    DependencyService.Get<ITextToSpeech>().Speak("My result is : " + result);
}
```

*PCL*

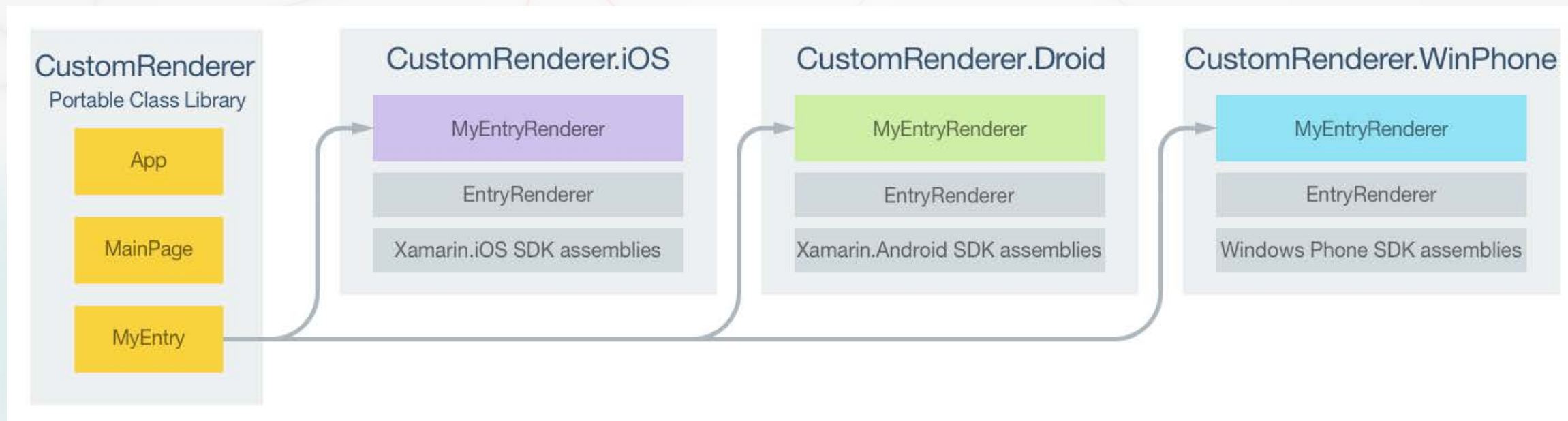
# Custom Renderer



# Custom Renderer

Views	Renderer	iOS	Android	Android (AppCompat)	Windows Phone 8	WinRT / UWP
<a href="#">ActivityIndicator</a>	ActivityIndicatorRenderer	UIActivityIndicator	ProgressBar		ProgressBar	ProgressBar
<a href="#">BoxView</a>	BoxRenderer (iOS and Android) BoxViewRenderer (Windows Phone and WinRT)	UIView	ViewGroup		Rectangle	Rectangle
<a href="#">Button</a>	ButtonRenderer	UIButton	Button	AppCompatButton	Button	Button
<a href="#">CarouselView</a>	CarouselViewRenderer	UIScrollView	RecyclerView		FlipView	FlipView
<a href="#">DatePicker</a>	DatePickerRenderer	UITextField	EditText		DatePicker	DatePicker
<a href="#">Editor</a>	EditorRenderer	UITextView	EditText		TextBox	TextBox
<a href="#">Entry</a>	<a href="#">EntryRenderer</a>	UITextField	EditText		PhoneTextBox/PasswordBox	TextBox
<a href="#">Image</a>	ImageRenderer	UIImageView	ImageView		Image	Image

# Exemple CustomEntry



# Exemple CustomEntry

```
using Xamarin.Forms.Platform.Android;

[assembly: ExportRenderer (typeof(MyEntry), typeof(MyEntryRenderer))]
namespace CustomRenderer.Android
{
    class MyEntryRenderer : EntryRenderer
    {
        protected override void OnElementChanged (ElementChangedEventArgs<Entry> e)
        {
            base.OnElementChanged (e);

            if (Control != null) {
                Control.SetBackgroundColor (global::Android.Graphics.Color.LightGreen);
            }
        }
    }
}
```

# Asynchronisme

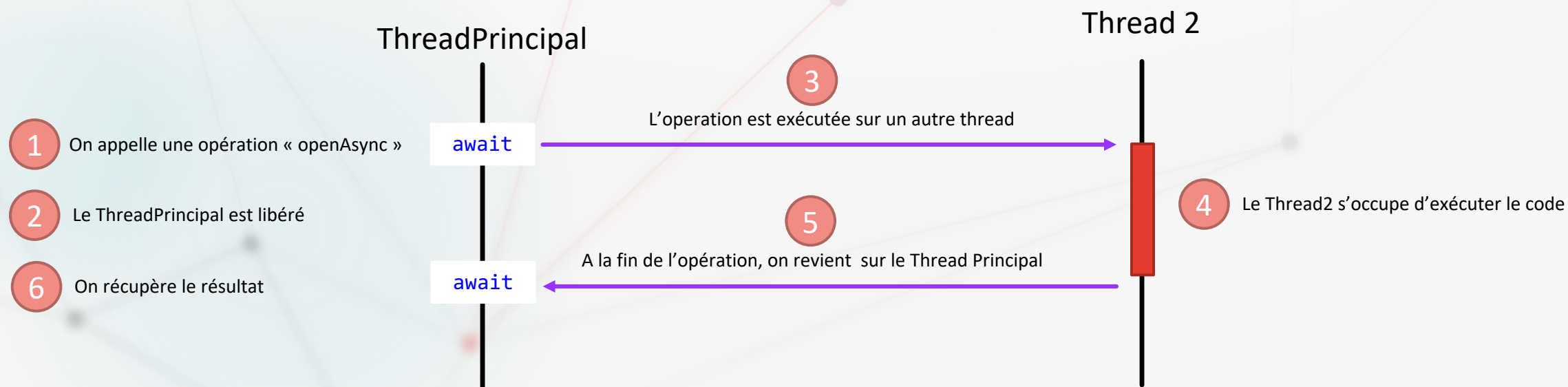
# Asynchronisme

- Une application s'exécute sur un thread : le thread principal
- Toute opération qui bloque ou ralentit le thread principal va inévitablement bloquer l'interface utilisateur
  - L'application se fige voir peut planter
  - Expérience utilisateur catastrophique
- L'asynchronisme
  - Si une opération pénalise le thread principal, alors on l'exécute sur un autre Thread
  - Exemple faire une requête Web peut prendre plusieurs secondes
  - D'une manière générale toutes les entrées/sorties sont problématiques
  - La plupart des développeurs ne sont pas sensibles à cette problématique

# Async / Await : le rêve !

- Les mots clés async/await :
  - Simplifient la vie des développeurs en « asynchronisant » certaines tâches
  - .NET Standard toutes les I/O utilisent ce mécanisme (HTTP, File, Stream...)

```
var response = await client.GetAsync($"http://www.monapi.com/api/employe/{employeeId}");
```



# Async / Await : la réalité

- NON ! Les mots-clé `async/await` ne permettent pas de lancer une opération en `async`
- Ils permettent de simplifier l'appel à une opération `async`
  - Masque le changement de contexte, la gestion des erreurs et le retour sur le `ThreadPrincipal`
  - Rend la programmation linéaire (évite les callbacks liés à l'utilisation de `thread`)
  - L'opération n'est en fait asynchrone que lorsque le développeur lance une `System.Threading.Task`

# Démo

- Await Async



# Les bonnes pratiques

```
public async Task<TResult> AsyncRun<TResult>(Func<TResult> action)
{
    IsBusy = true;
    try
    {
        return await Task.Run(() =>
        {
            return action();
        });
    }
    catch (Exception ex)
    {
        // Gérer les erreurs ici !
        return default(TResult);
    }
    finally
    {
        IsBusy = false;
    }
}
```

Gérer l'état Busy

Utiliser une Task afin de garantir que tout le traitement est async

Intercepter les exceptions

```
var result = await AsyncRun(() =>
{
    Thread.Sleep(1000);
    return true;
});
```

# Attention

- Il est interdit de modifier l'interface utilisateur depuis un autre Thread que le thread principal

```
var result = await AsyncRun(() =>
{
    Thread.Sleep(1000);
    IsBusy = false;
    return true;
});
```

Si la propriété IsBusy est bindé, votre application peut lever une erreur fatale

- Deux solutions
  - Mettre à jour les propriétés de ViewModel après le traitement asynchrone
  - Utiliser `Xamarin.Essentials.MainThread.BeginInvokeOnMainThread( () => IsBusy = false);`

# Gestion des fichiers

# Limites du Storage

- Votre application s'exécute dans une SandBox
  - Elle ne peut pas accéder n'importe quoi
  - Nécessite des permissions spécifiques
- Chemin d'accès au Storage réservé à l'Application
  - `Xamarin.Essentials.FileSystem.AppDataDirectory`
  - `Xamarin.Essentials.FileSystem.CacheDirectory`
- Ouvrir un asset de votre application
  - `Xamarin.Essentials.FileSystem.OpenAppPackageFileAsync(...)`
  - Android : `AndroidAsset`
  - iOS : `BundledResource`
  - UWP : `Content`
- Ouvrir une ressource de votre application
  - `EmbeddedResource`

# System.IO

- .NET standard

```
// Ecrire un fichier
File.WriteAllText(fileName, text);

// Lire un fichier
string text = File.ReadAllText(fileName);

// Vérifier qu'un fichier existe
bool doesExist = File.Exists(fileName);

// Lister les fichiers d'un répertoire
string[] files = Directory.GetFiles(folder);

// Créer un répertoire
Directory.CreateDirectory(folder);
```

# Stream, Writer, Reader

- Aucun changement par rapport à une application Framework .NET
  - FileStream
  - MemoryStream
  - StreamWriter / StreamReader
  - BinaryWriter / BinaryReader

# Json

- Package nugget Json.NET – Newtonsoft

```
// Sérialise un objet en json
var monObjet = new Employe { ... };
var json = Newtonsoft.Json.JsonConvert.SerializeObject(monObjet);

// Désérialise un objet
var employe = Newtonsoft.Json.JsonConvert.DeserializeObject<Employe>(json);
```

# HttpService



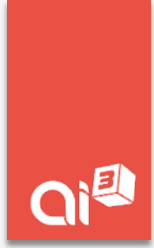
# System.Net.Http

- .NET standard

```
using (var client = new System.Net.Http.HttpClient())
{
    client.DefaultRequestHeaders.Add("bearer", accessToken);

    using (var response = await client.GetAsync($"http://www.monapi.com/api/employee/{employeeId}"))
    {
        if (response.IsSuccessStatusCode)
        {
            var json = await response.Content.ReadAsStringAsync();
            return JsonConvert.DeserializeObject<Employee>(json);
        }
    }
}
```

```
using (var client = new System.Net.Http.HttpClient())
{
    var json = JsonConvert.SerializeObject(employee);
    var content = new StringContent(json, Encoding.UTF8, "application/json");
    using (var response = await client.PostAsync("http://www.monapi.com/api/employee", content))
    {
        return response.IsSuccessStatusCode;
    }
}
```



iOS

# Reminder: development setup

- You must have the following to build iOS apps:



Mac running OS X



with the latest version of Xcode



Xamarin tools on all your development machines (both Mac and Windows)

# What is included in Xamarin.iOS?

- v Xamarin.iOS includes both **compile-time** and **runtime** components



C# compiler for Mac



Native compiler and linker



Runtime services (GC, type checking, etc.)



Core .NET Libraries

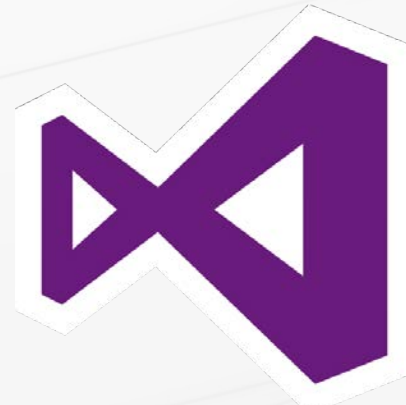
# Choose your IDE



- v Xamarin allows you to build iOS applications using C# / .NET with either



Visual Studio on Windows



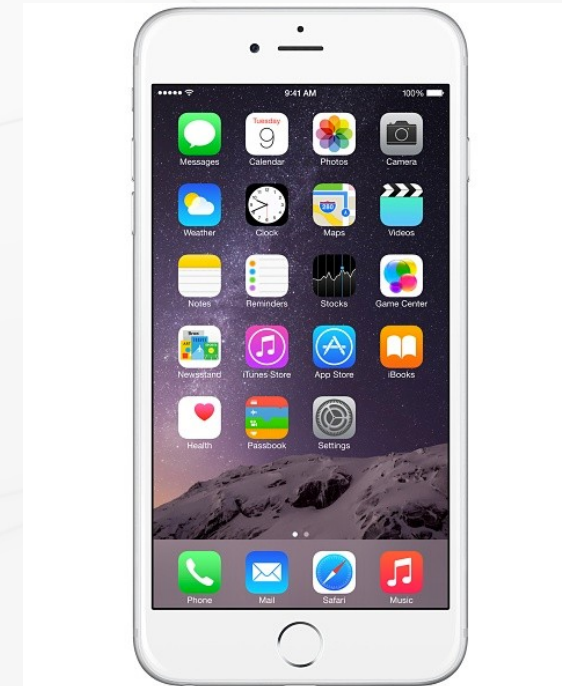
Visual Studio on Mac OS X



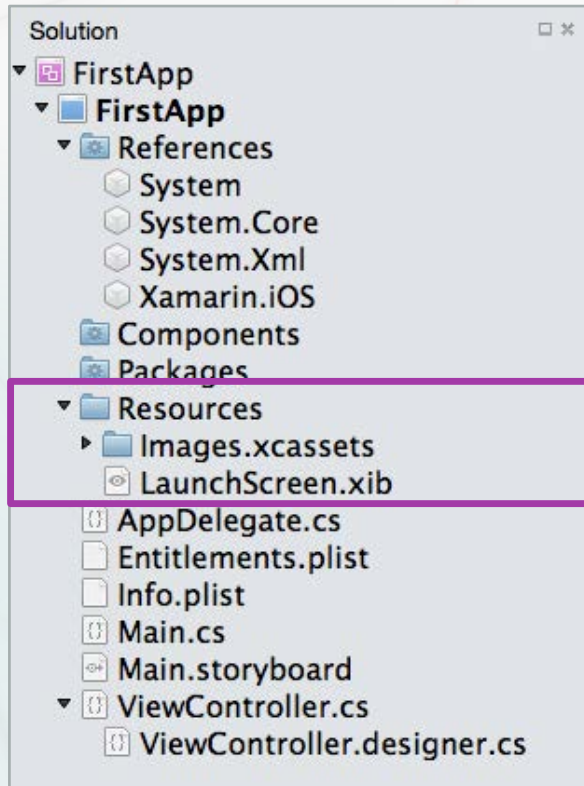
Note: even though Xamarin Studio is installed and runs on Windows, it does *not* support iOS application development

# What about deploying to a device?

- ▼ To test on a device, you will need to register each device and get a set of signing certificates from Apple
- ▼ Must have a registered developer Apple account to deploy to a device
- ▼ Watch the lightning lecture on provisioning an iOS device for testing



# Let's explore the created project



✓ Resources folder contains additional assets needed at runtime such as images

✓ Files in this folder should have a build action of **BundleResource** and are included with the generated application package to be installed on a device

✓ Template creates some icon assets and a launch screen displayed while the app starts

# Let's explore the created project



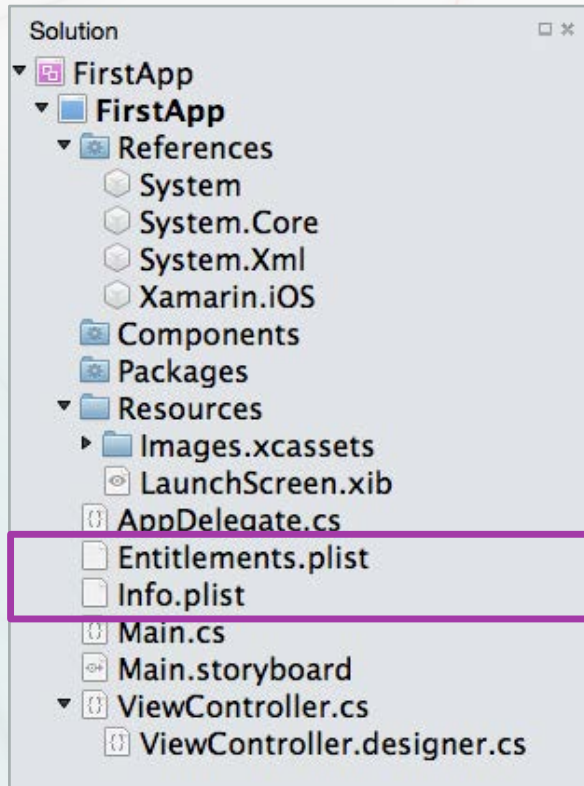
✓ **AppDelegate.cs** is responsible for creating the main window and listening to operating system events

✓ Contains a class implements that derives from iOS **UIApplicationDelegate**

✓ Must override virtual methods in class to process received operating system events



# Let's explore the created project



v iOS uses *property list* files to store application metadata as key/value pairs

- **Entitlements.plist** lists external Apple services your app wants to interact with such as in-app purchases, HealthKit or push notifications
- **Info.plist** identifies app icons, version number, app name and other app details

v Both IDEs include a GUI editor for these files to edit the most common settings

# Let's explore the created project

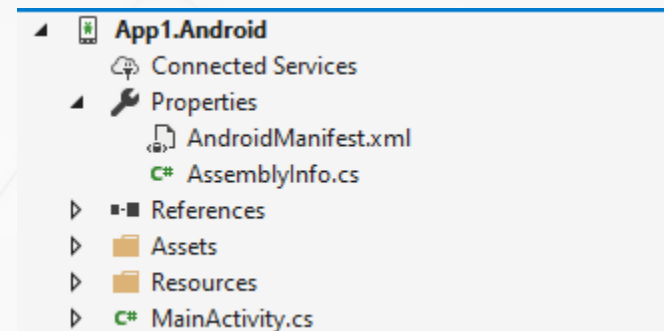


- ✓ **Main.cs** contains the main entry point for the application in the form of a standard .NET `static void Main()`
- ✓ It starts up the iOS UI framework (UIKit) and identifies the App Delegate, which will in turn bring up the initial screen for the application
- ✓ Be cautious about adding code into the **Main** method – iOS has time limits on app launches!

# Android

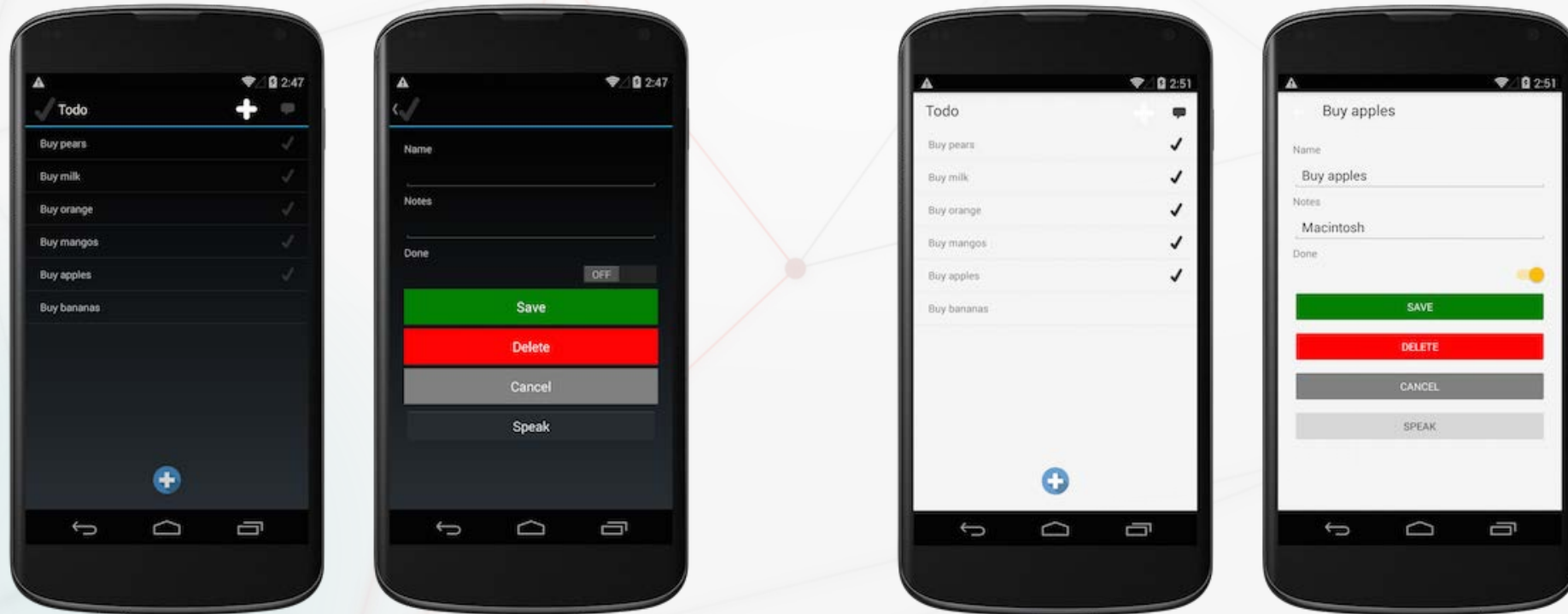
# Android project

- Manifeste
- MainActivity

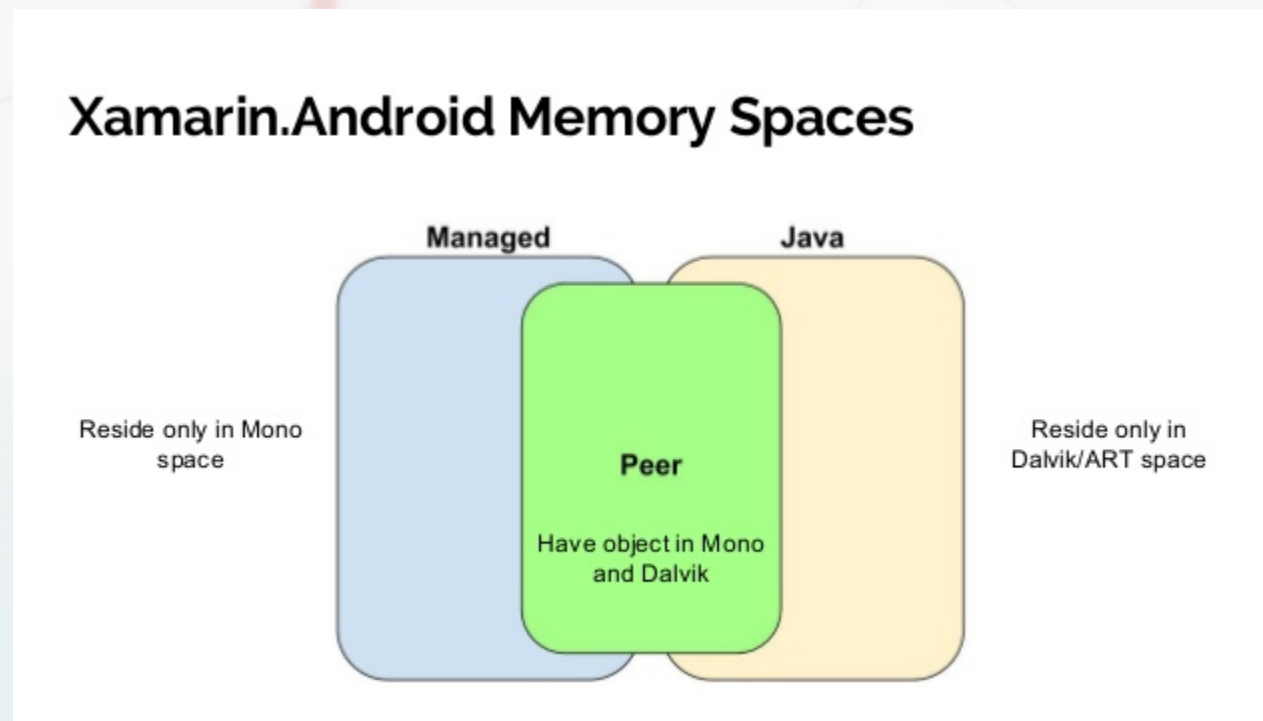


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    <uses-permission android:name="android.permission.ACCESS_NETWORK_STATE" />
</manifest>
```

# App Compat



# Gestion de la mémoire



- Attention à la gestion des images!
- Penser à les traiter

# Windows

# App center