

Understanding Heart and Body Status from a Smartphone

– Introduction to programming on Android –



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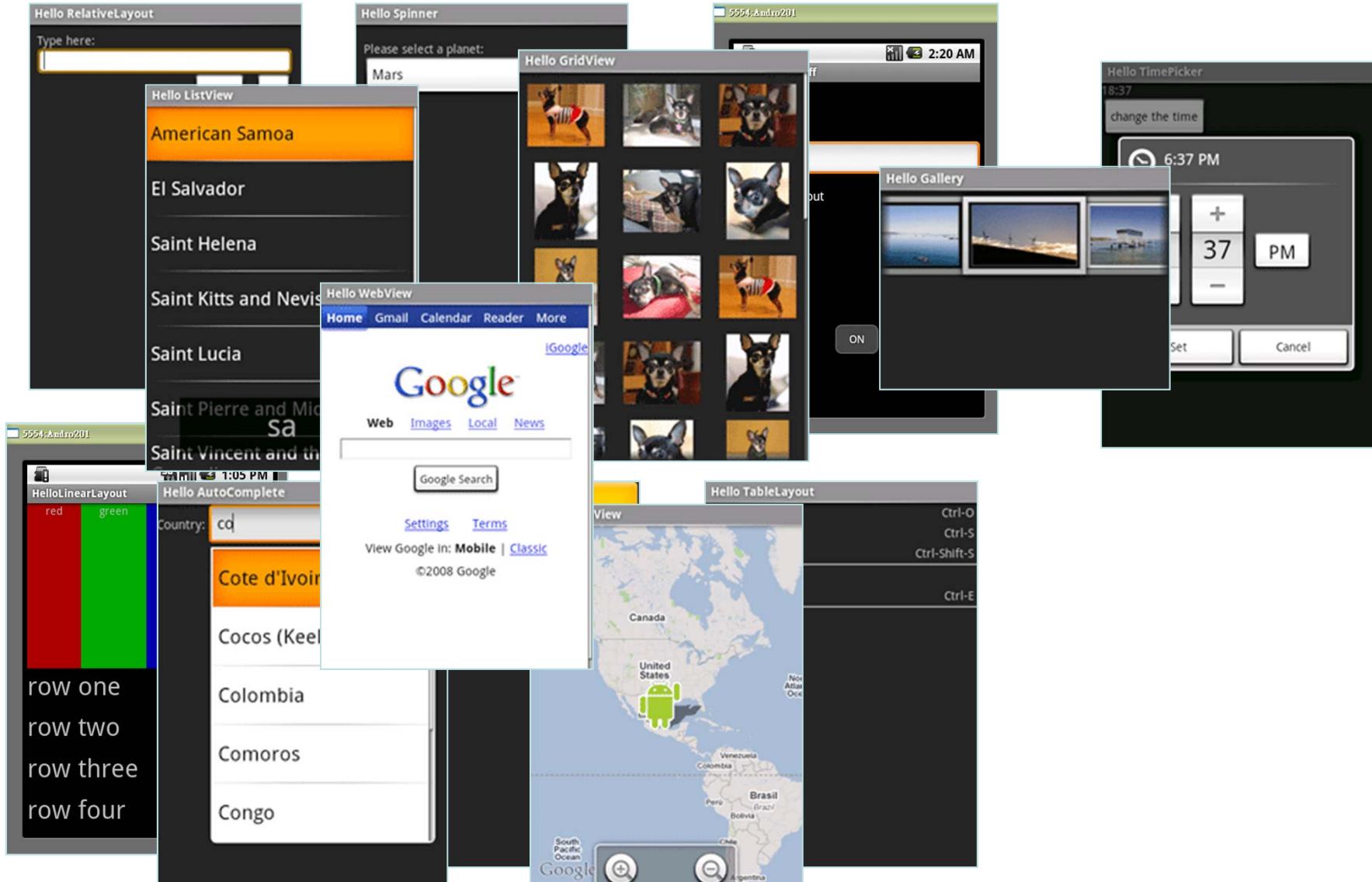
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User Interface

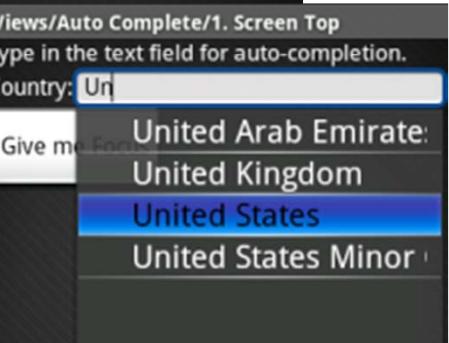
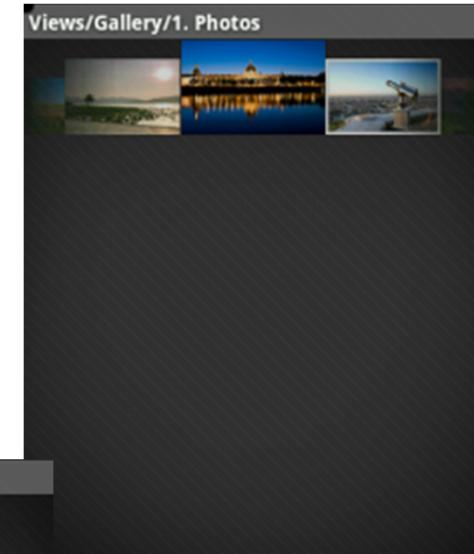


Life cycle of Applications

- Life cycle not directly controlled by application
 - System can kill an application to free up memory
 - Control through `onCreate()`, `onPause()`,
`onStop()` ... methods
 - Android has different types of processes, visible
processes, service processes, background
processes ...
 - Services can be used for long-lived background
processes
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Android Application Anatomy

- **Activity**
- **View**
- **Intent, IntentFilter, IntentReceiver**
- **Service**
- **Content provider**

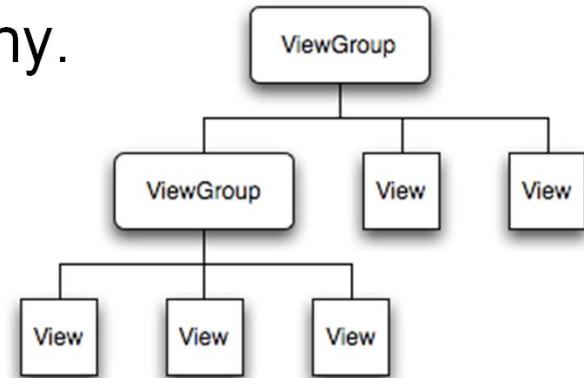


Android components: Activities

- ❖ Displays a **user interface** component and responds to system/user.
- ❖ When an application has a user interface, it contains one or more “Activities”.
- ❖ An existing “Activity” can be replaced with a new one that fulfill the same contract (intent).
- ❖ Each “Activity” can be invoked from other applications.
- ❖ Adding a new “Activity” in an Android project
 - The new Java class must extend the framework “Activity” class.
 - Created “Activity” must be defined into the application’s Manifest.xml.

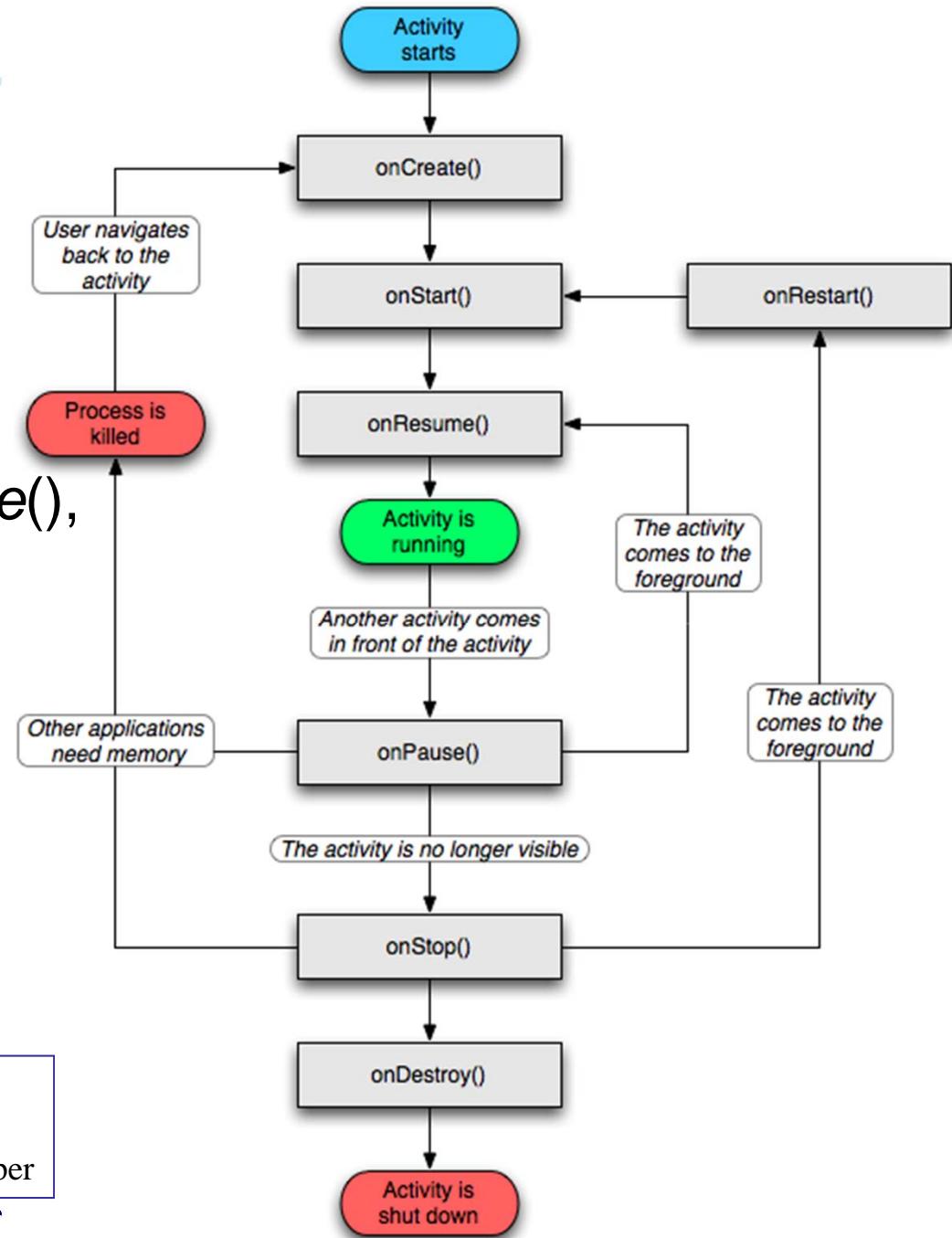
Android components: Activity (cont'd)

- Each **Activity** is given a default window to draw in. Typically, the window fills the screen, but it might be smaller than the screen and float on top of other windows.
- The visual content (a rectangular window) of is provided and controlled by a hierarchy of **Views**
 - Objects derived from the base View class.
 - Ready-made views: buttons, text fields, scroll bars, menu items, check boxes, images and more.
- A **View** hierarchy is placed within an activity's window by the **Activity.setContentView()** method. The content view is the View object at the root of the hierarchy.



Activity control loop

- Life cycle not directly controlled by application
- System can kill an application to free up memory.
- Control through `onCreate()`, `onPause()`, `onStop()` ... methods



Colored ovals: states of the activity

Grey rectangles: callback methods written by developer

An Example

```
public class LifeCycleTest extends Activity {
    private static final String TAG = "ActivityLifeTest";

    public void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState) {
        super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
        setContentView(R.layout.main);
        Log.v(TAG, "onCreate");

        Uri uri = Uri.parse("http://maps.google.com/maps?f=d&saddr=" +
            "=startLat%20startLng&daddr=endLat%20endLng&hl=en");
        Intent it = new Intent(Intent.ACTION_VIEW, uri);
        startActivity(it);
    }

    public void onStart() {
        super.onStart();
        Log.v(TAG, "onStart");
    }

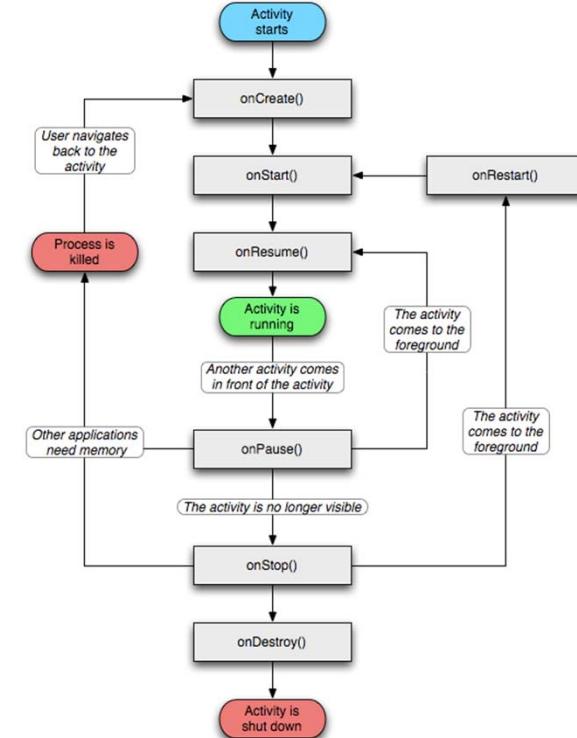
    public void onResume() {
        super.onResume();
        Log.v(TAG, "onResume");
    }

    public void onPause() {
        super.onPause();
        Log.v(TAG, "onPause");
    }

    public void onStop() {
        super.onStop();
        Log.v(TAG, "onStop");
    }

    public void onRestart() {
        super.onRestart();
        Log.v(TAG, "onReStart");
    }

    public void onDestroy() {
        super.onDestroy();
        Log.v(TAG, "onDestroy");
    }
}
```



Views in Android

- Most activities will present a ‘view’ to the user, either to display some graphics, or to get some user-input.
- Each activity can create (instances) of one or more views.
- Each view has some graphical objects that either fill the complete screen, or a part of the screen.
- Each object in a view, i.e. the layout, is also described in XML

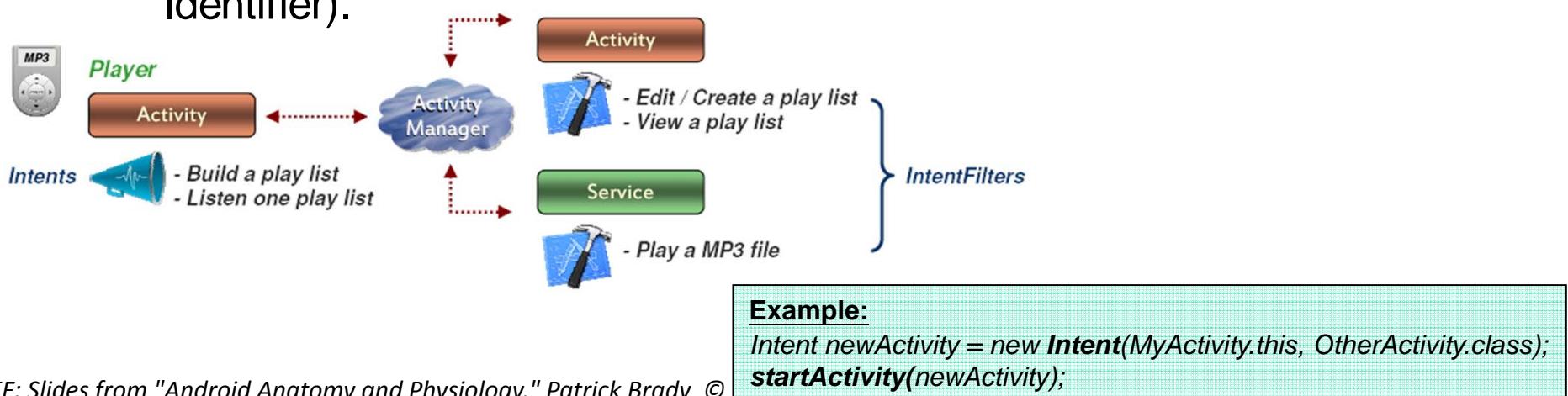
Notepad app
(layout of Note-Editor)



```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<view xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
    class="com.example.android.notepad.NoteEditor$LinedEditText"
    android:id="@+id/note"
    android:layout_width="fill_parent"
    android:layout_height="fill_parent"
    android:background="@android:color/transparent"
    android:padding="5dip"
    android:scrollbars="vertical"
    android:fadingEdge="vertical"
    android:gravity="top"
    android:textSize="22sp"
    android:capitalize="sentences"
/>
```

Intents/Intent Filters

- ❖ Provide a **late runtime (asynchronous) binding** between the code in different applications (for activities, services, and broadcast receivers)
- ❖ **Intents**: Simple message objects that represent an intention to do something
- ❖ **Intent Filters**: A declaration of capacity and interest in offering assistance to those in need
- ❖ An “intent” is made up a number of pieces of information describing the action or the service. (Specifically for activities and services)
 - **action** -- The general action to be performed, such as ACTION_VIEW, ACTION_EDIT, ACTION_MAIN, etc.
 - **data** -- The data to operate on, such as a person record in the contacts database, expressed as a URI (Universe Resource Identifier).



REF: Slides from "Android Anatomy and Physiology," Patrick Brady ©

Android components: Services

- Service is an activity that runs in the background
→ no visual interface
- Each activity is derived from base class **Service**
- For long-running background tasks
- Example:

A common example of a service is an mp3 player that may run in the background as the user may be involved with some activity of another (e.g. web browser.)

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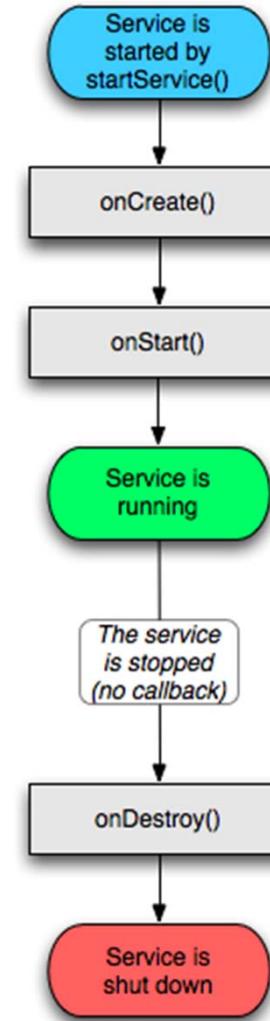
Service control loop

NOTE:

Typically, a service may be created, say, by an activity;
Alternatively, a service may be started and running in some other context, and can announce its interface to other activities – in this case, the activity may just connect itself to the service, in Android, this is called “bind”-ing to the service.

Colored ovals: states of the service

Grey rectangles: callback methods written by developer



Android components: Broadcast receivers

- Broadcast receivers are similar to interrupt handlers in normal OS
 - BRs run in the background, listening for interrupts generated by other apps
 - An application may have one or more BR's to handle interrupts.
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- Examples of interrupts:
 - Incoming phone call
 - User changed language setting
 - Battery is low
 - User has transited from one time zone to different one

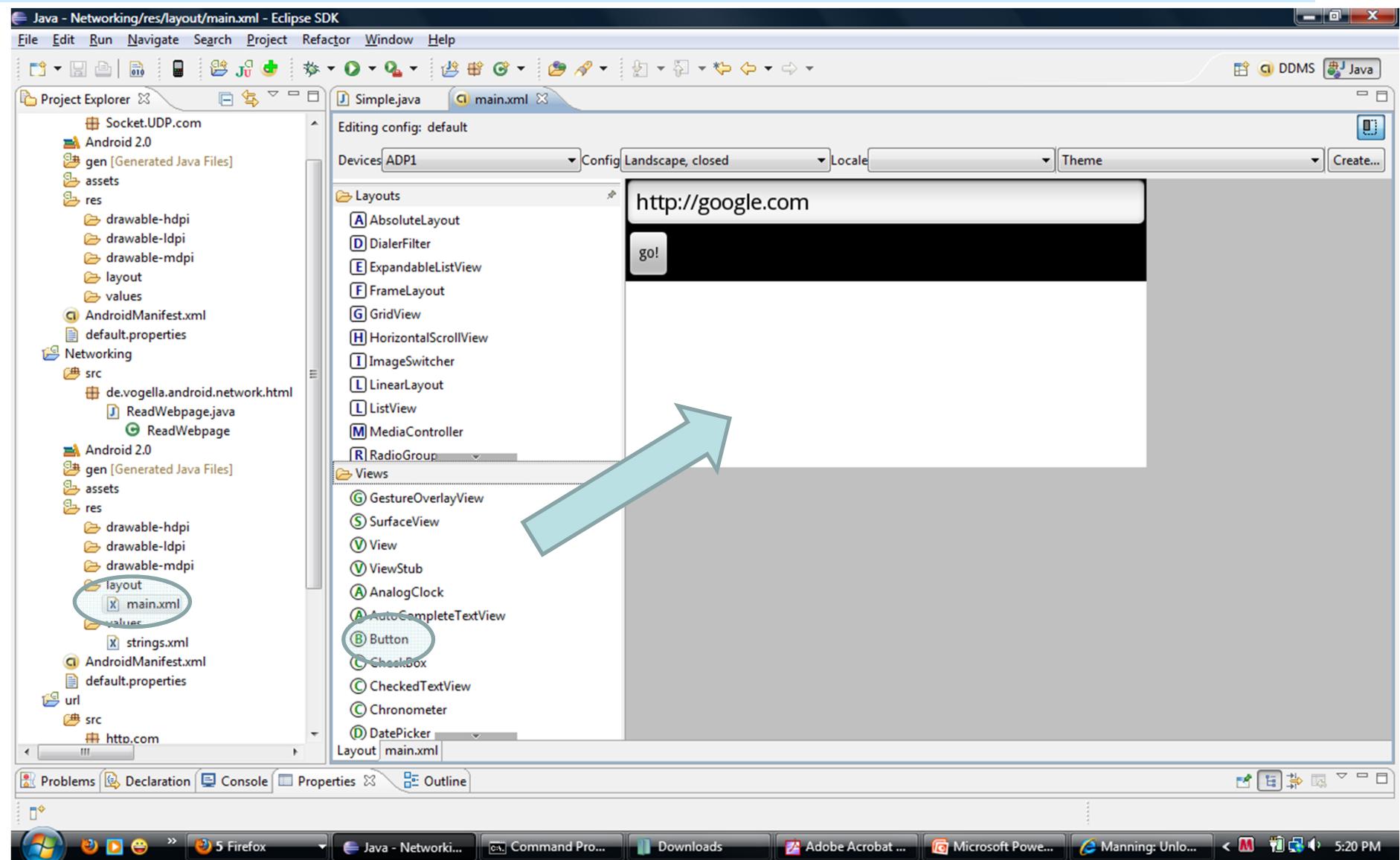
Android components: Content providers

- Content providers make some subset of an application's data available to other apps when requested
- Content providers are the only mechanism for apps to share data.

Android application process

- Process can be multi-threaded
 - Android apps do not have a C-style “main”.
 - Activities, services, broadcast receivers: activated by messages called intents.
- Depending on the state of the application, and the user’s actions, the app may start (or terminate) some activity, or service, etc.
 - Before Android can start an application component, it must know
 - the name, location, and input types of the component are defined in the manifest

Layout Edition with Eclipse



Link Activity and View

- View object may have an integer ID associated with it

```
    android:id="@+id/my_button"
```

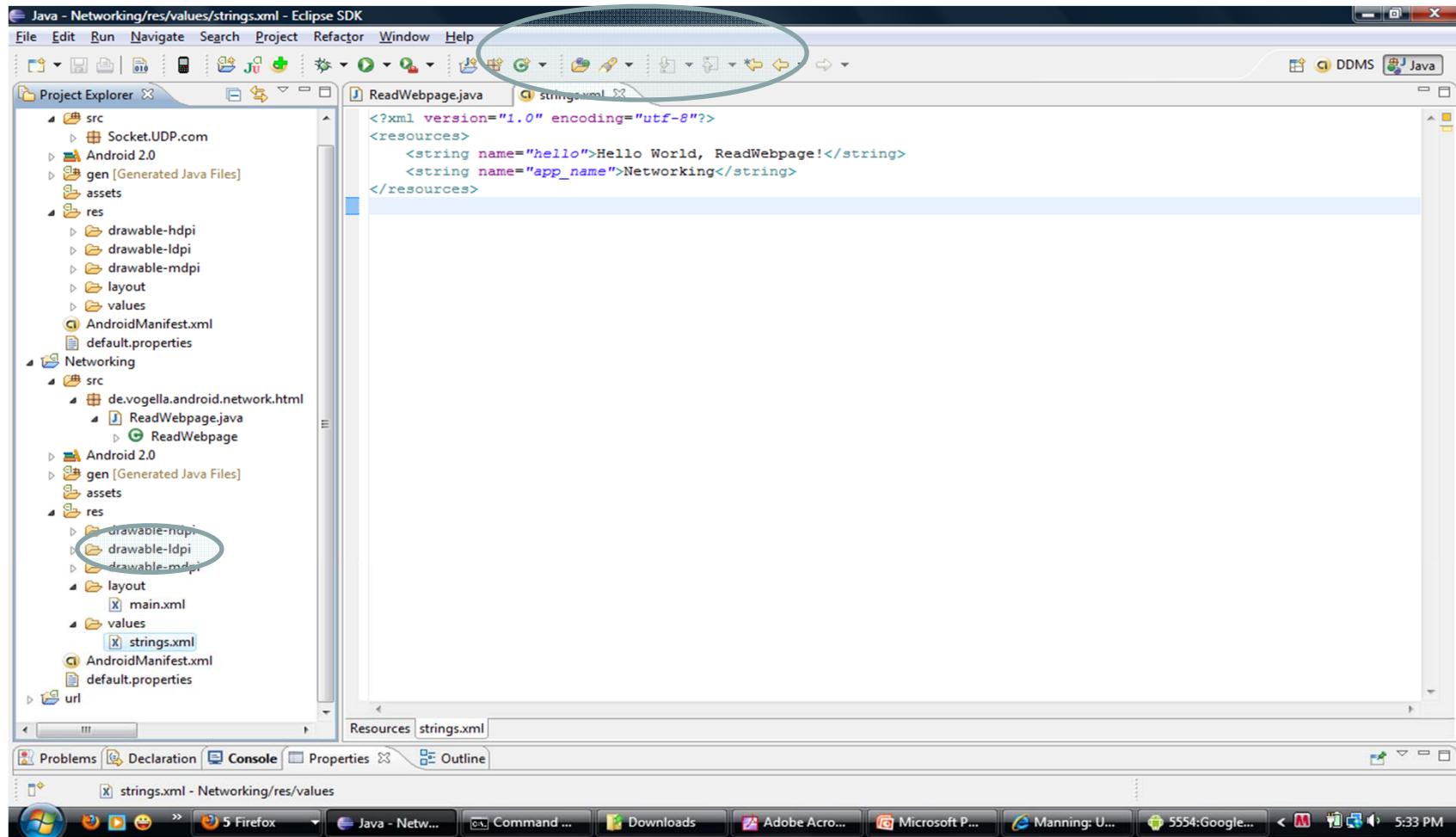
- To get the reference of the view object in activity

```
Button myButton =  
    (Button) findViewById(R.id.my_button);
```

Adding Event to View Object

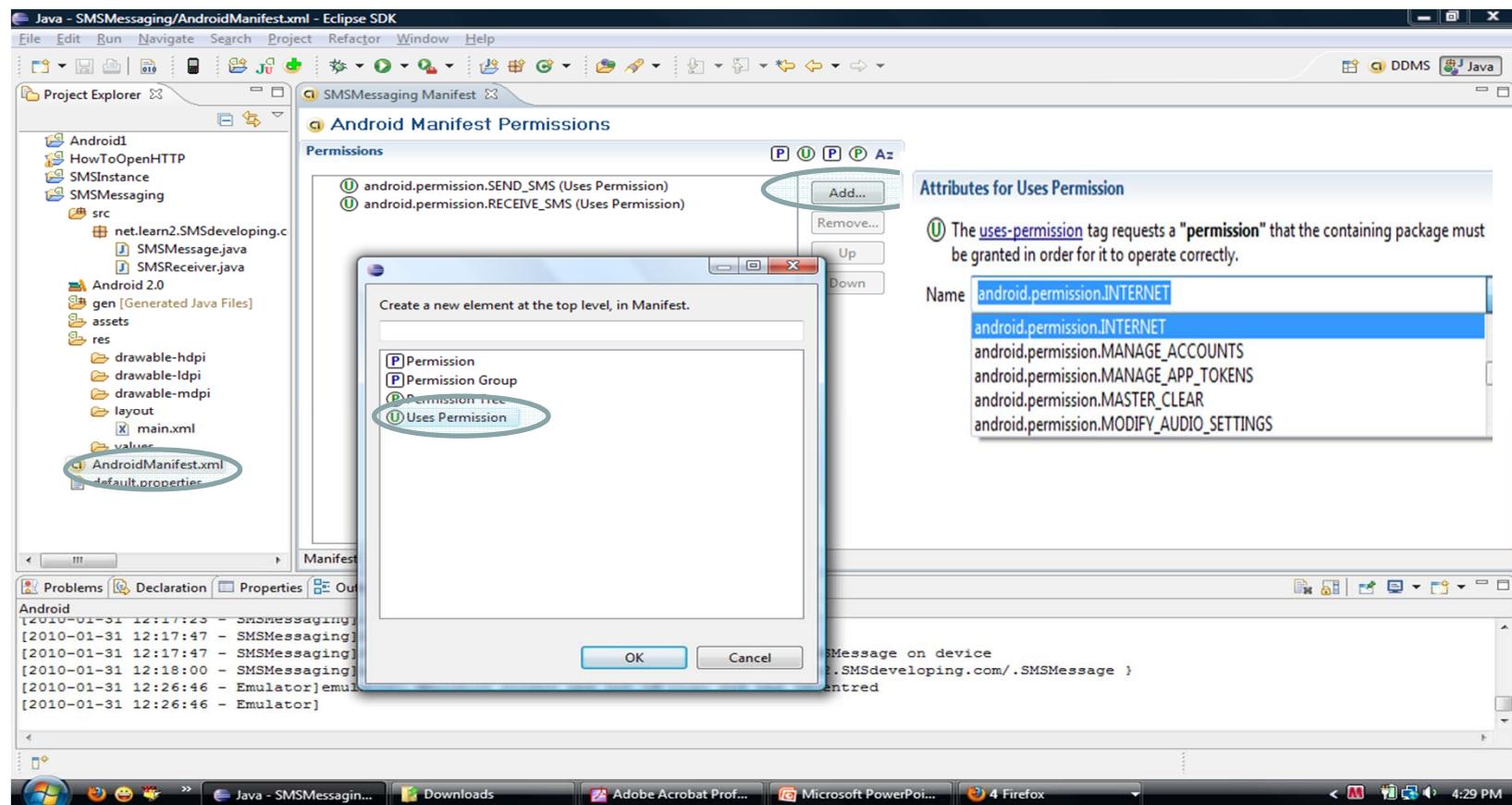
- `View.OnClickListener()`
 - Interface definition for a callback to be invoked when a view is clicked.
- `onClick(View v)`
 - Called when a view has been clicked. Inside this function you can specify what actions to perform on a click.

Strings.xml



AndroidManifest.xml

- Used for security
- Define permissions, e. g.
`<uses-permission android:name="android.permission.RECEIVE_SMS" />`
- Give other Activities access



A real word example I

```
<manifest
    xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
    package="com.greenliff.translator">
    <application android:icon="@drawable/logo">
        <activity android:label="@string/settings"
            android:name="Settings">
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
        <activity android:label="@string/app_name"
            android:name="Translate">
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
                <category
                    android:name="android.intent.category.LAUNCHER" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
        <activity android:label="@string/ocr" android:name="OCR">
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
    </application>
</manifest>
```

A real word example II

Activity



```
<manifest xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
    package="com.greenliff.translator">
    <application android:icon="@drawable/logo">
        <activity android:label="@string/settings" android:name="Settings">
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
        <activity android:label="@string/app_name"
            android:name="Translate">
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
                <category android:name="android.intent.category.LAUNCHER" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
        <activity android:label="@string/ocr" android:name="OCR">
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
    </application>
</manifest>
```

A real word example III

Activity

```
<manifest xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
    package="com.greenliff.translator">
    <application android:icon="@drawable/logo">
        <activity android:label="@string/settings" android:name="Settings">
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
        <activity android:label="@string/app_name" android:name="Translator"> Launch
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
                <category android:name="android.intent.category.LAUNCHER" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
        <activity android:label="@string/ocr" android:name="OCR">
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
    </application>
</manifest>
```

Launch

A real word example IV

An XML snipped of the main Activity

```
<ScrollView xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"  
    android:layout_width="fill_parent"  
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"  
    android:scrollbars="vertical">  
    <LinearLayout xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"  
        android:id="@+id/linLayout"  
        android:orientation="vertical"  
        android:layout_width="fill_parent"  
        android:layout_height="wrap_content">  
        <TextView  
            android:layout_width="fill_parent"  
            android:layout_height="wrap_content"  
            android:background="@drawable/blue"  
            android:text="@string/translate_to_1"/>  
        <EditText  
            android:id="@+id/toTranslate"  
            android:layout_width="fill_parent"  
            android:layout_height="wrap_content"  
            android:background="@android:drawable/editbox_background"  
            android:layout_below="@id/linLayout"  
            android:hint="Type here..."/>  
    ....
```

Text reference



A real word example V

An XML snipped of the main Activity

```
<ScrollView xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"  
    android:layout_width="fill_parent"  
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            android:layout_height="wrap_content"  
            android:background="@android:drawable/editbox_background"  
            android:layout_below="@id/linLayout"  
            android:hint="Type here..."/>  
    ....
```

The image shows several annotations with yellow arrows pointing to specific attributes in the XML code:

- A yellow arrow points to the attribute `android:id="@+id/linLayout"`. To its right, the word "Id" is written in red.
- A yellow arrow points to the attribute `android:text="@string/translate_to_1"`. To its right, the words "Text reference" are written in red.

GUI Development

- Could also be developed purely in Java
- XML cannot be debugged
- Not all the attributes can be defined in XML



A real word example VII

A code snipped of the Translate Activity

```
@Override  
public void onCreate(Bundle icicle) {  
    super.onCreate(icicle);  
    Window wp = getWindow();  
    mContext = wp.getContext();  
    setTheme(android.R.style.Theme_Light);  
    setContentView(R.layout.main);  
    mLayout = (LinearLayout) this.findViewById(R.id.linLayout);  
    mToTranslate = (EditText) this.findViewById(R.id.toTranslate);  
    setShowLanguages();  
  
    mEnge = (LinearLayout) this.findViewById(R.id.enge);  
    LANGUAGE_LAYOUT[0] = mEnge;  
    de2en = (Button) this.findViewById(R.id.de2en);  
    de2en.setOnClickListener(new View.OnClickListener() {  
        public void onClick(View view) {  
            if(!connect()) {  
                notLoggedInAlert();  
            } else {  
                doConnect("de2en@bot.talk.google.com");  
                rearrange(mEnge);  
            }  
        }  
    });  
....
```

A real word example VIII

A code snipped of the Translate Activity

Set layout



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    super.onCreate(icicle);  
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setContentView(R.layout.main);  
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        }  
    });  
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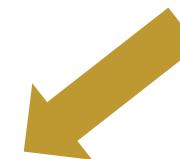
A real word example IX

A code snipped of the Translate Activity

Set layout



Find elements



Add behavior



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public void onCreate(Bundle icicle) {  
    super.onCreate(icicle);  
    Window wp = getWindow();  
    mContext = wp.getContext();  
    setTheme(android.R.style.Theme_Light);  
    setContentView(R.layout.main);  
    mLayout = (LinearLayout) this.findViewById(R.id.linLayout);  
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    setShowLanguages();  
  
    mEnge = (LinearLayout) this.findViewById(R.id.enge);  
    LANGUAGE_LAYOUT[0] = mEnge;  
    de2en = (Button) this.findViewById(R.id.de2en);  
    de2en.setOnClickListener(new View.OnClickListener() {  
        public void onClick(View view) {  
            if(!connect()) {  
                notLoggedInAlert();  
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                rearrange(mEnge);  
            }  
        }  
    });  
....
```

Trends

- Speech recognition
- Accelerometer
- Magnetic compass
- Location self-awareness
- Locating others
- Sensing the environment



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Questions?



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Questions?

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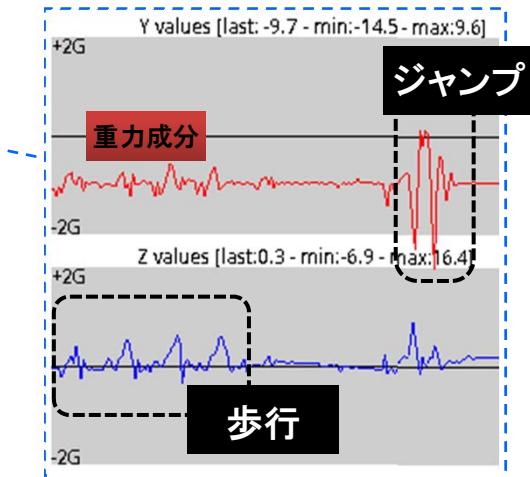
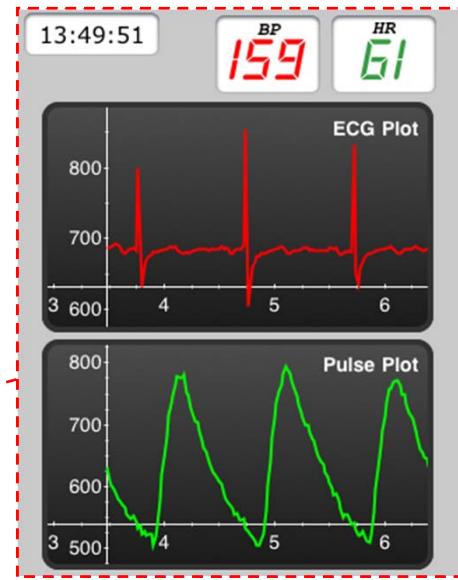
スマートフォン搭載センサを
活用してみる

他の無線センサを
接続する

例:心電センサからの心拍数と血圧計算
加速度センサの信号と体動による変化

□ Embedded sensors

- ✓ Automatic motion detection from accelerometers (sit, walk, run)
- ✓ Speaking/Listening time count from microphone
- ✓ Location sensitive (GPS) sensing application
- ✓ ...



□ Outside sensors (wireless)

- ✓ Simple stress checker from ECG and/or Pulse
- ✓ Chewing real-time counting from bone-conduction microphone
- ✓ ...