

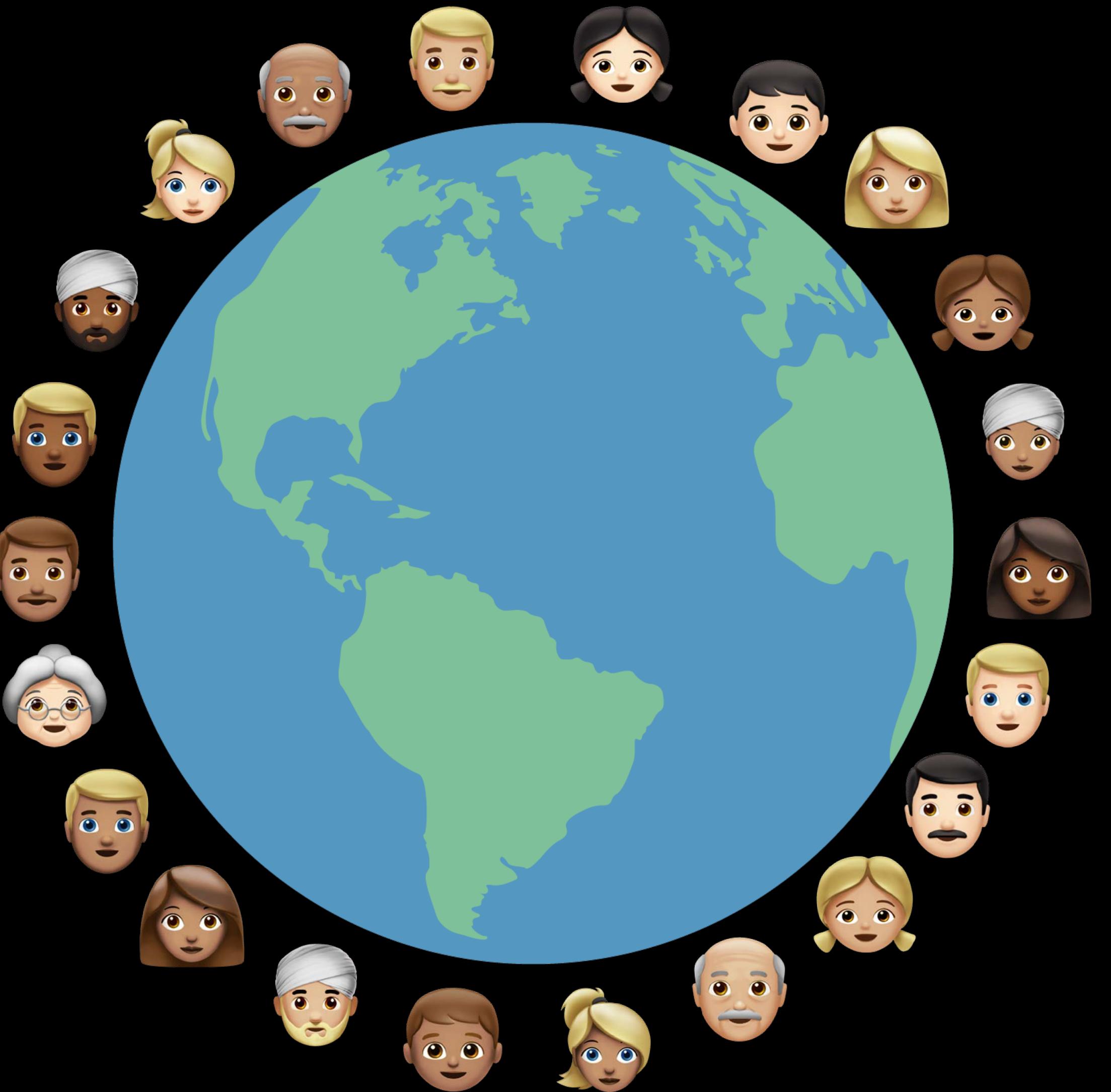
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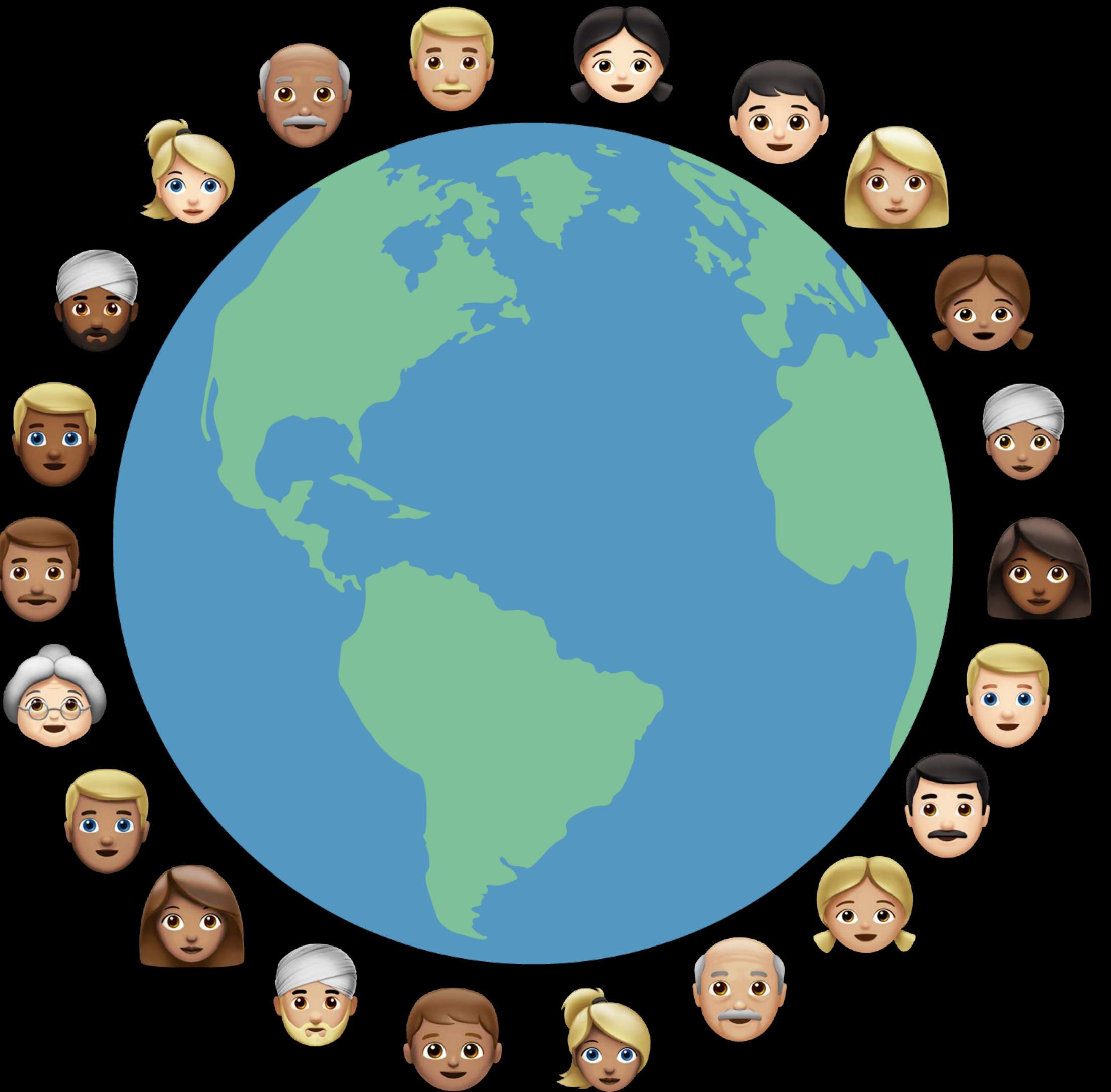
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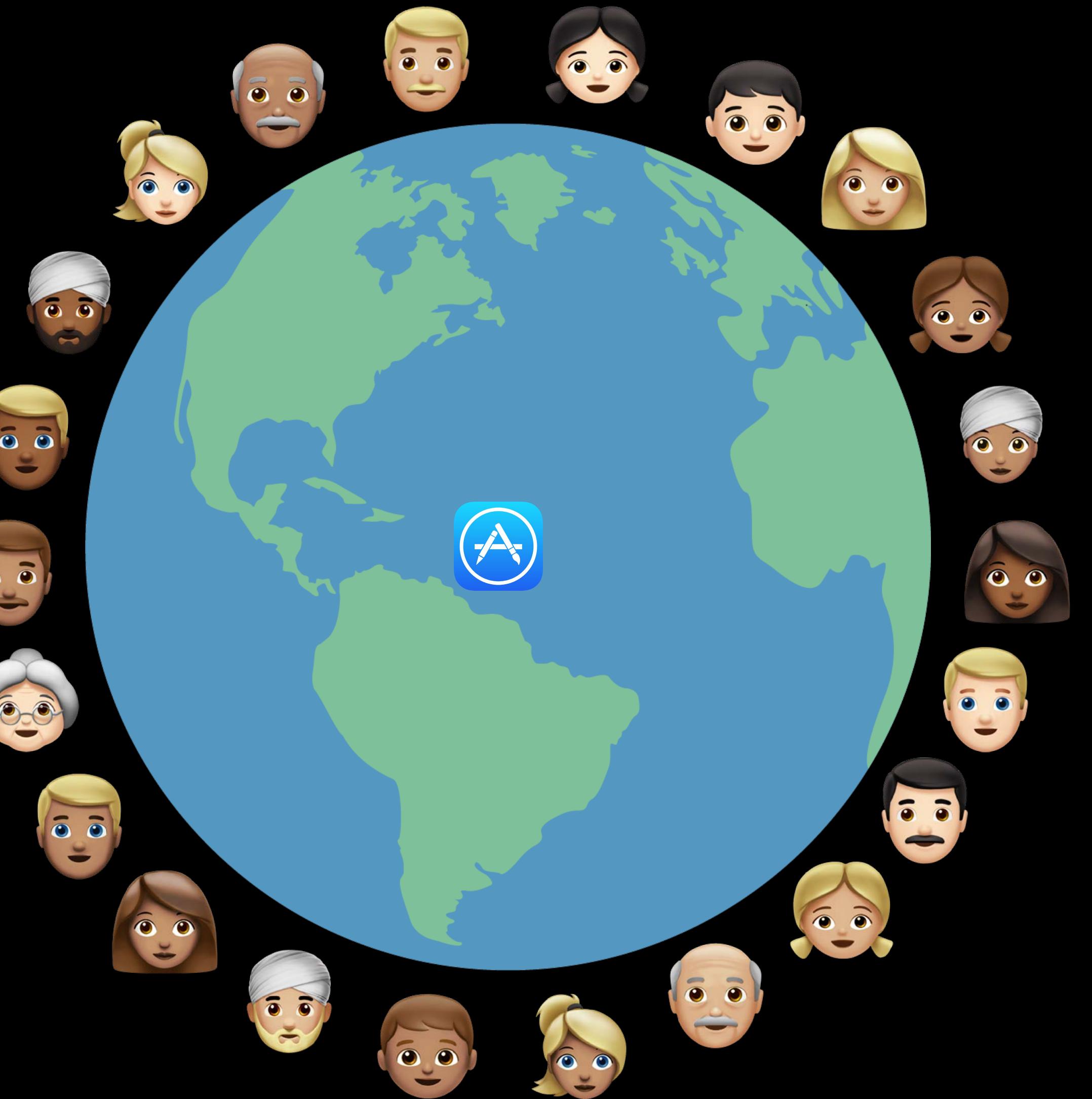
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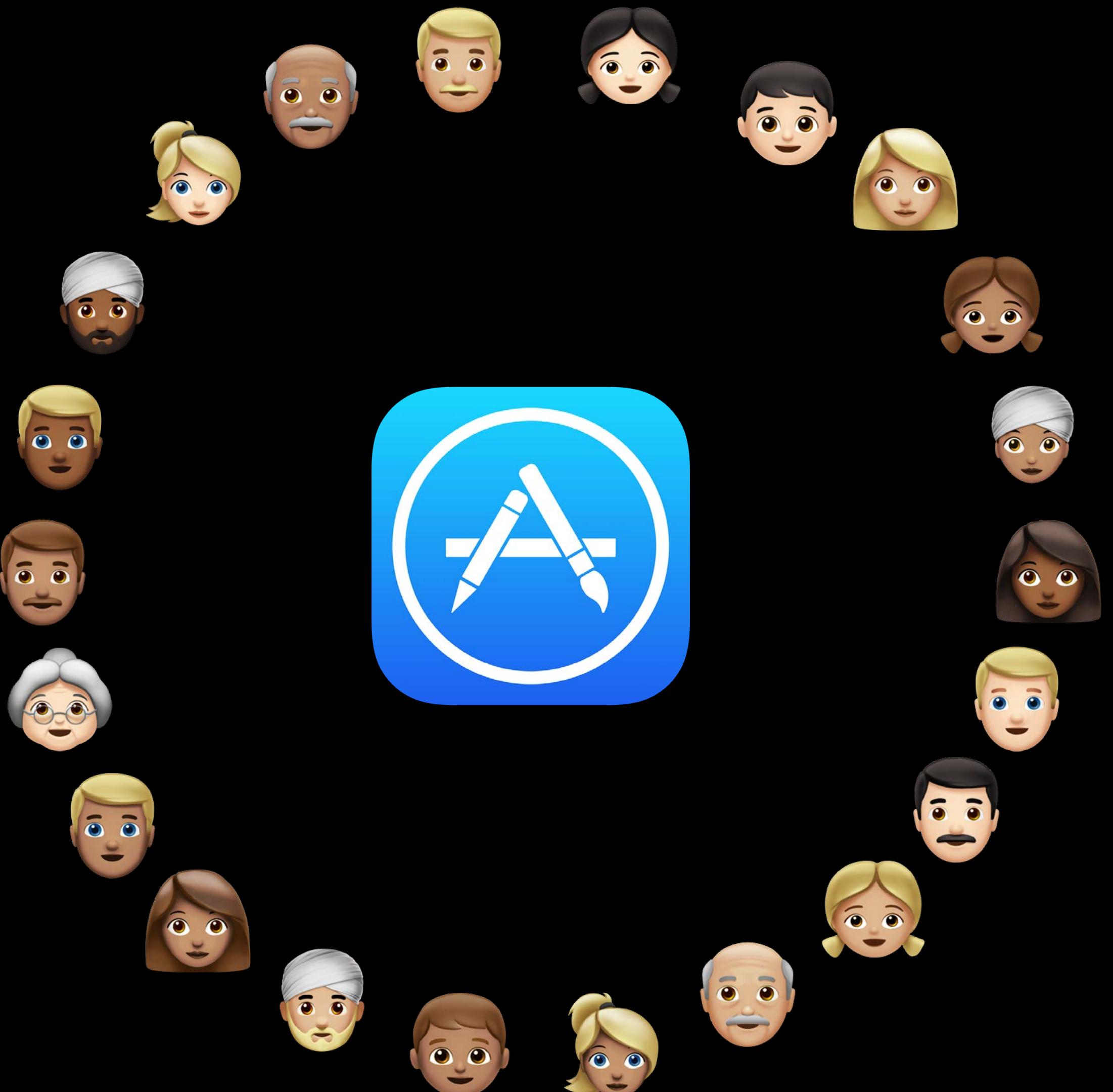
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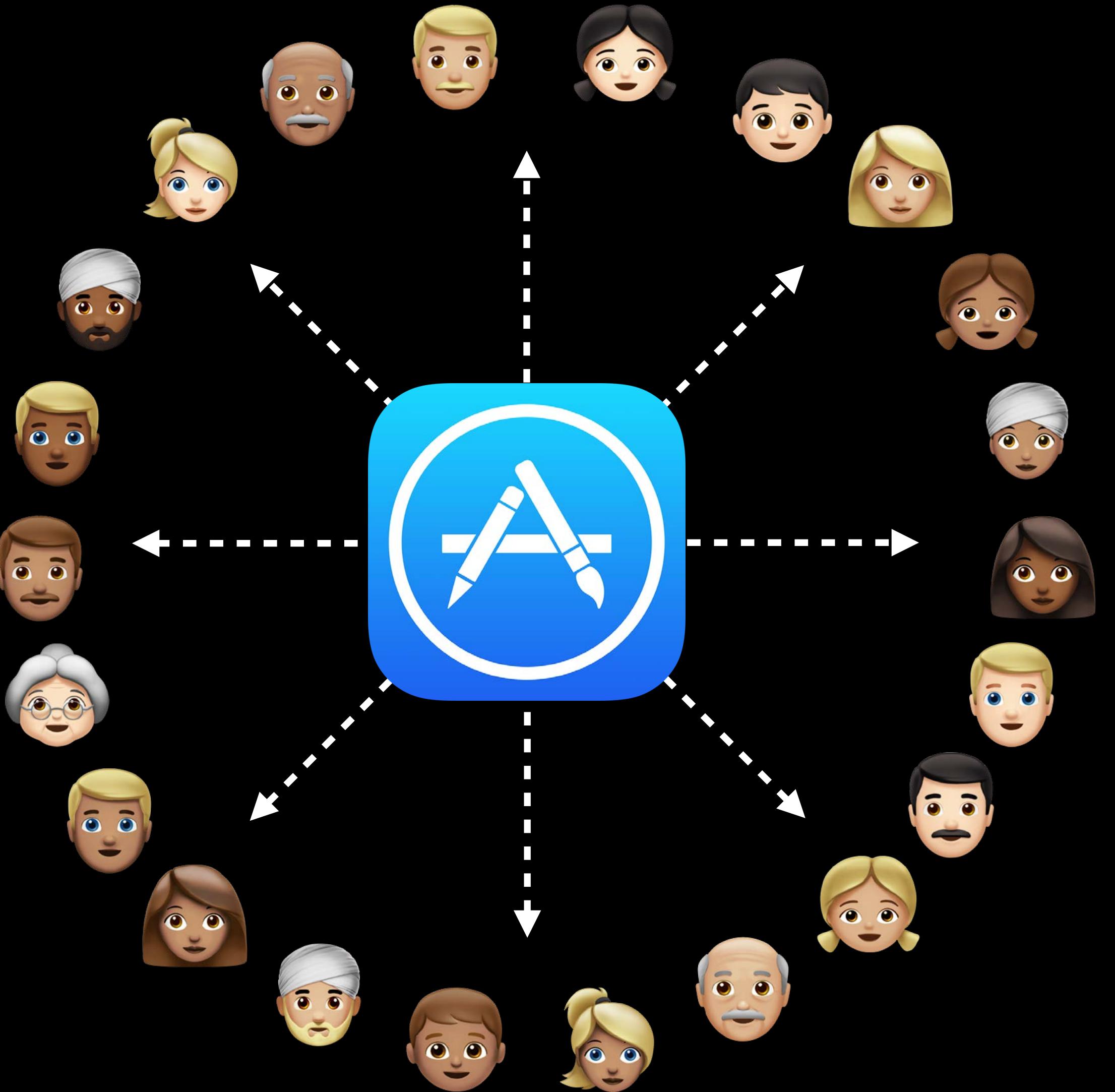
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## fr.lproj/Localizable.strings

```
/* Title label's text */
"International Facts" = "Faits Internationaux";

/* Label prompting a user to choose a territory */
"Territory" = "Territoire";
```

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## Static analyzer

The screenshot shows the Xcode interface with the "Build Settings" tab selected. On the left, there are sections for "PROJECT" (InternationalFacts) and "TARGETS" (InternationalFacts, InternationalFactsU...). The main area displays "Static Analyzer - Issues - Apple APIs" settings. The table lists seven issues with their current status:

Setting	Value
Improper Handling of CFError and NSError	Yes
Missing Localizability	Yes
Missing Localization Context Comment	Yes
Misuse of Collections API	Yes
Misuse of Grand Central Dispatch	Yes
Suspicious Conversions of NSNumber and CFNumberRef	Yes (Aggressive)

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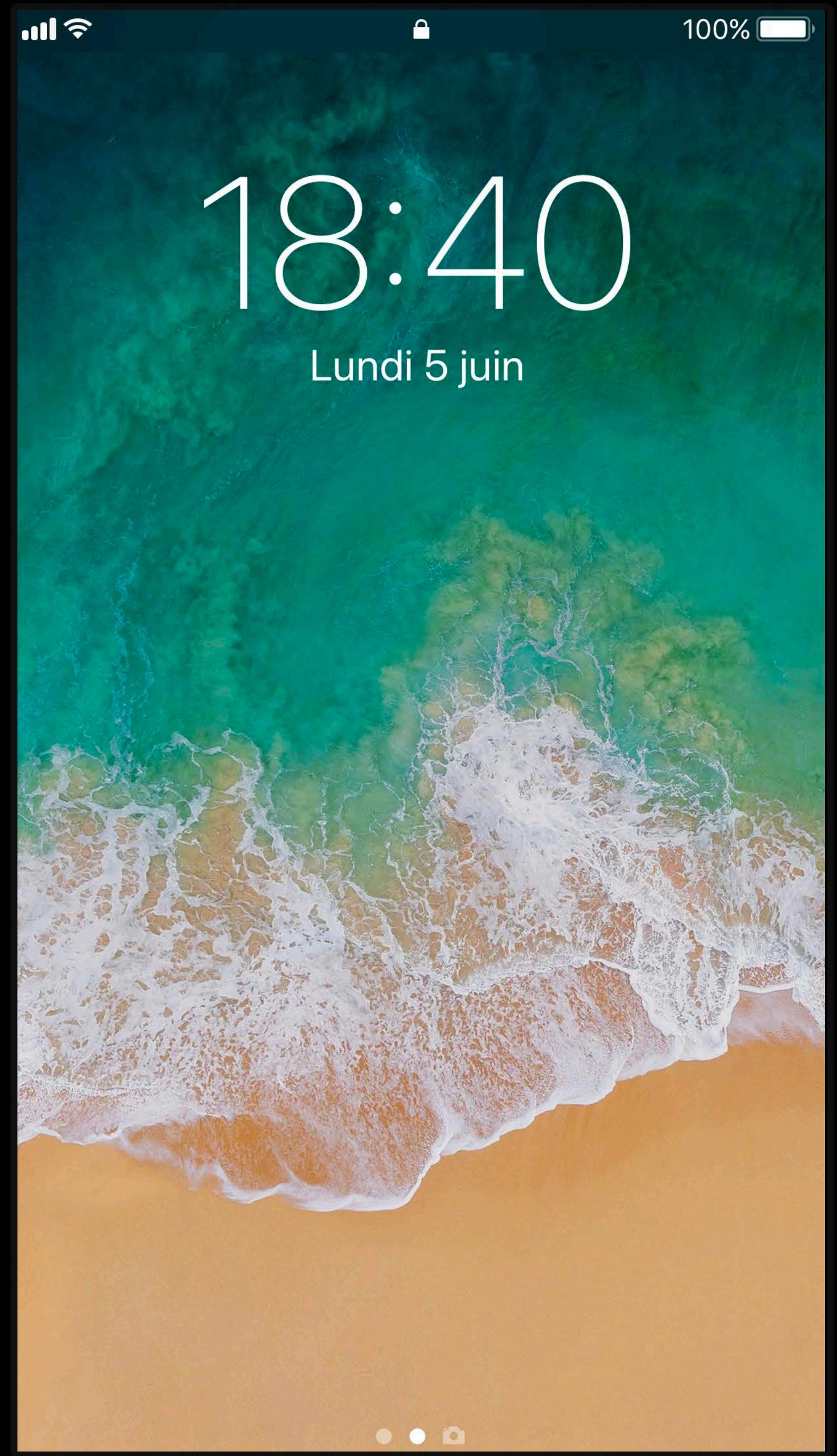
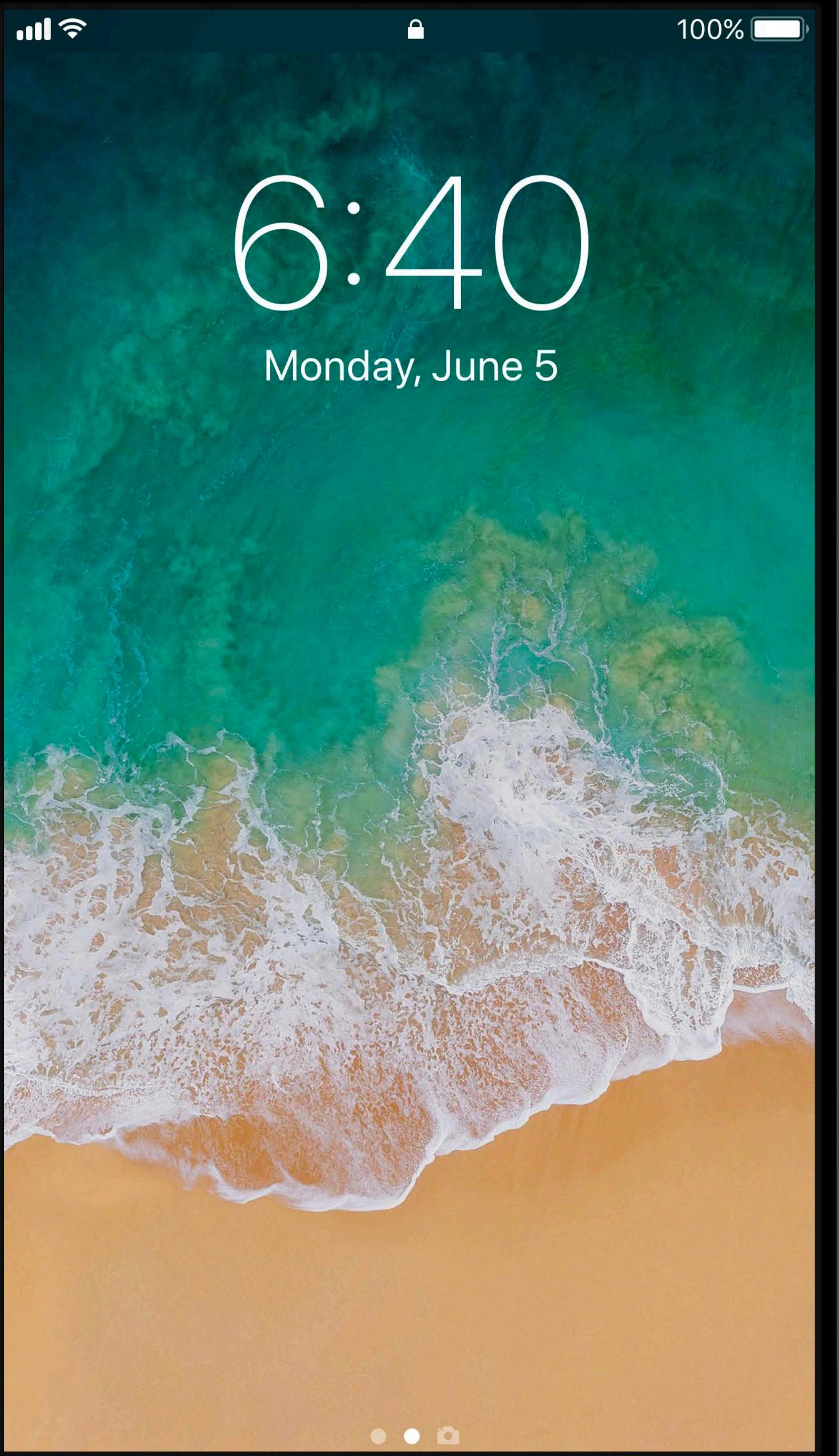
## Static analyzer

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    cell.textLabel.text = @"Details";  User-facing text should use localized string macro  
  
    return cell;  
}
```

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**Énergie au repos** **2 672 kcal** 06/06 à 00:44

**Heures debout** **1 h** 05/06 à 19:00

**Énergie en activité** **12,8 kcal** 05/06 à 18:44

### Signes vitaux

**Rythme cardiaque** **63 bpm** 05/06 à 18:44

Aujourd'hui Données Santé Sources Fiche médicale

# Formatters

NSDateFormatter

NSDateComponentsFormatter

NSDateIntervalFormatter

PersonNameComponentsFormatter

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EnergyFormatter

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MeasurementFormatter

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Measurements and Units

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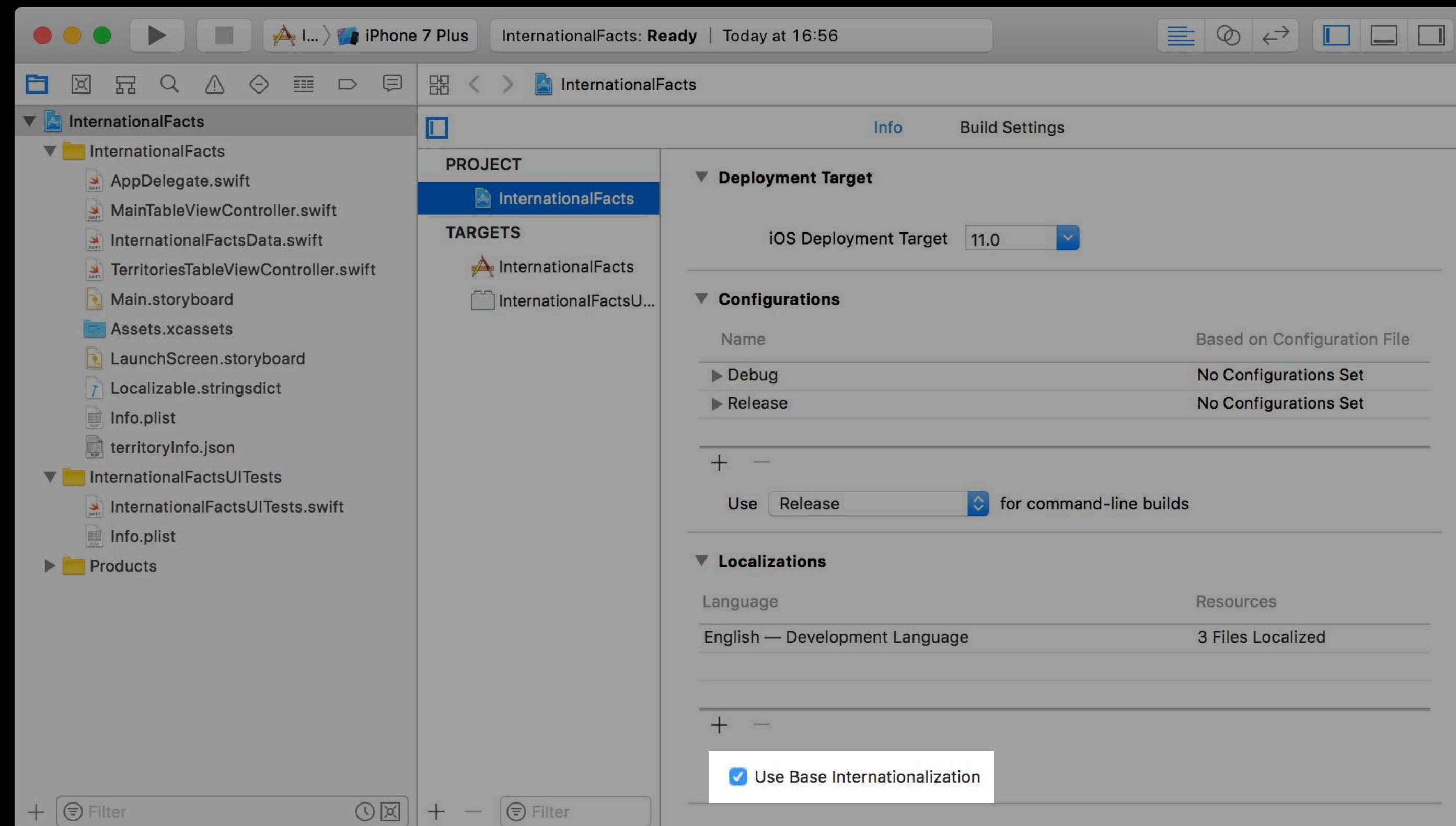
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## Base internationalization

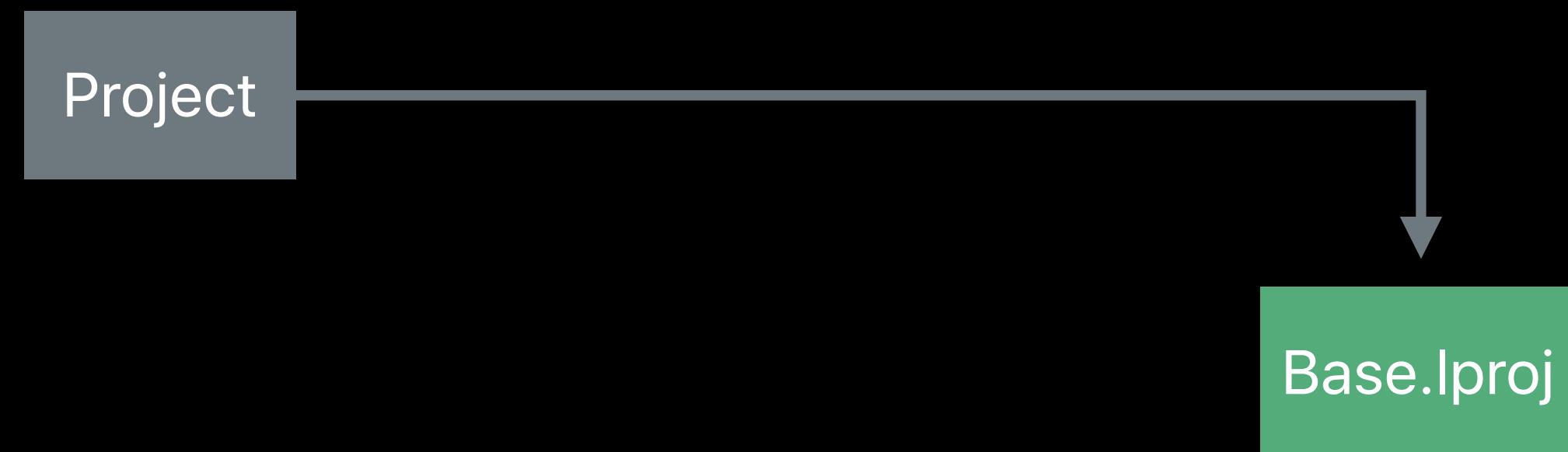


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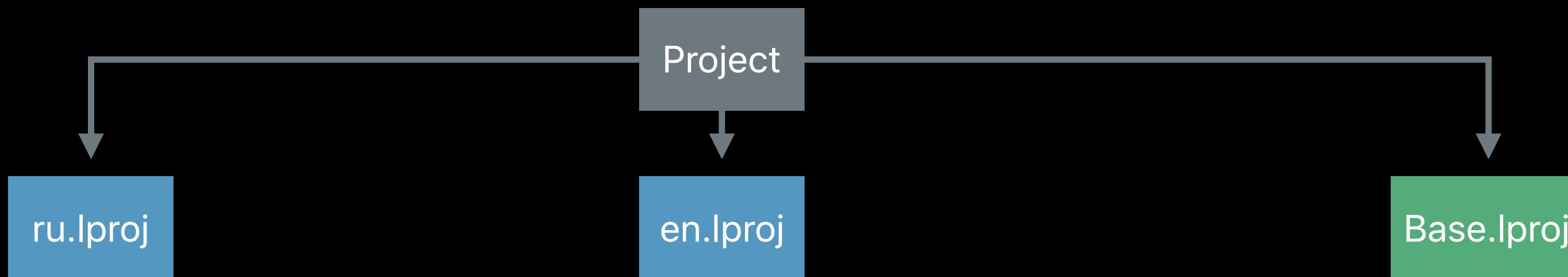
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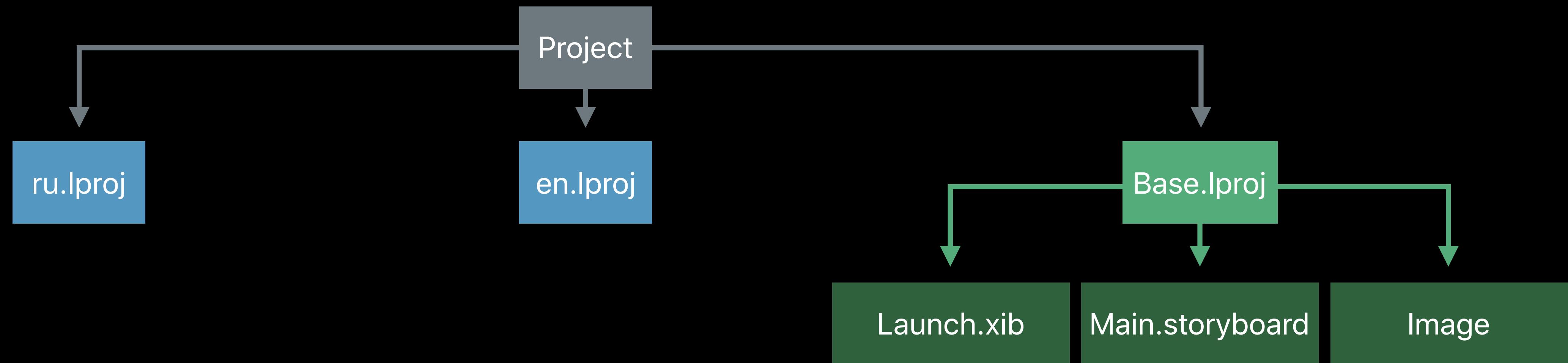
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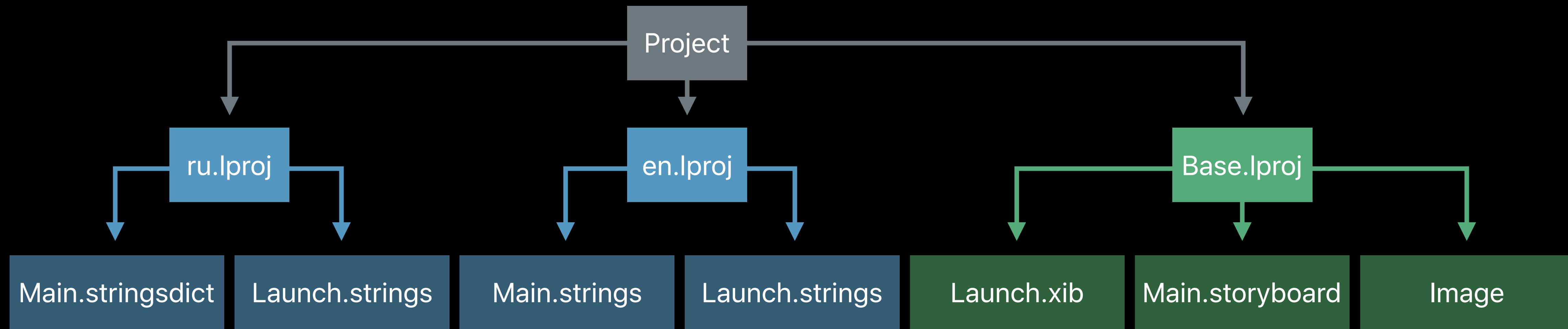
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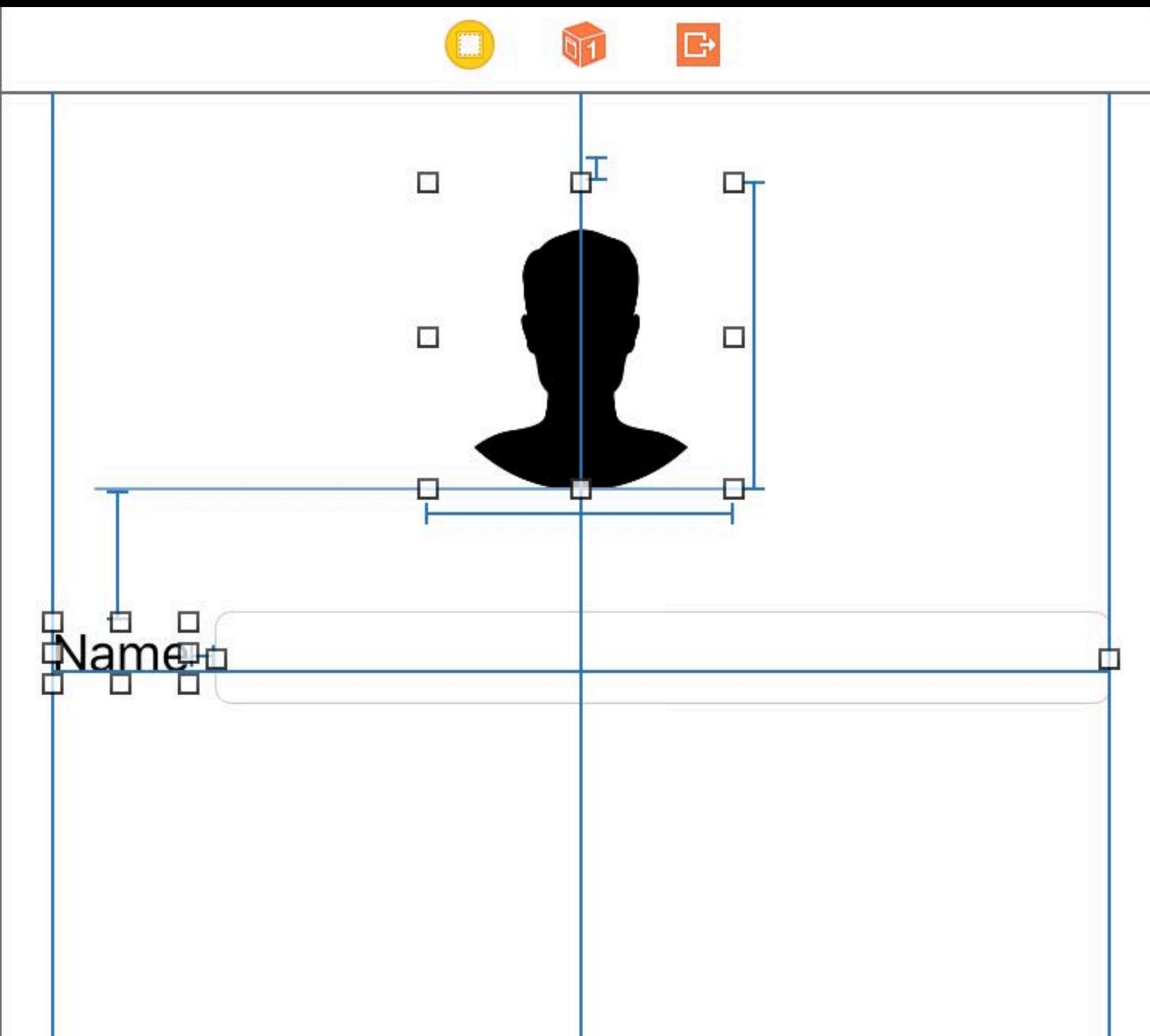


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## Auto Layout



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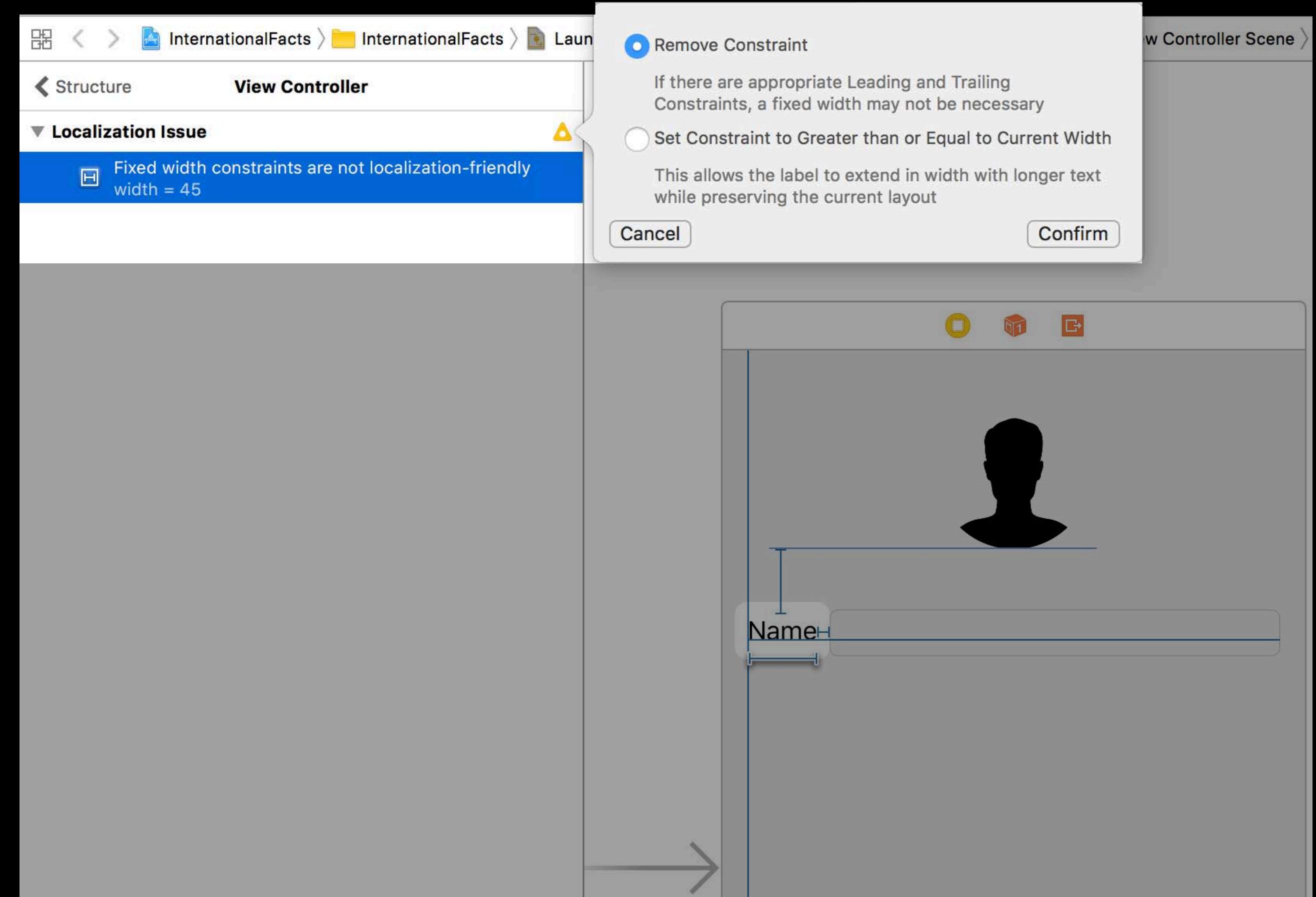
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## Localization warnings

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## Pseudolocalization

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Default

Lorem Ipsum

Double Length

Lorem Ipsum Lorem Ipsum

Accented Latin

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Affixed Strings

[#Lorem Ipsum#]

Right to Left

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# *Demo*

Prepare your app for localization

Aya Siblini, Software Engineer

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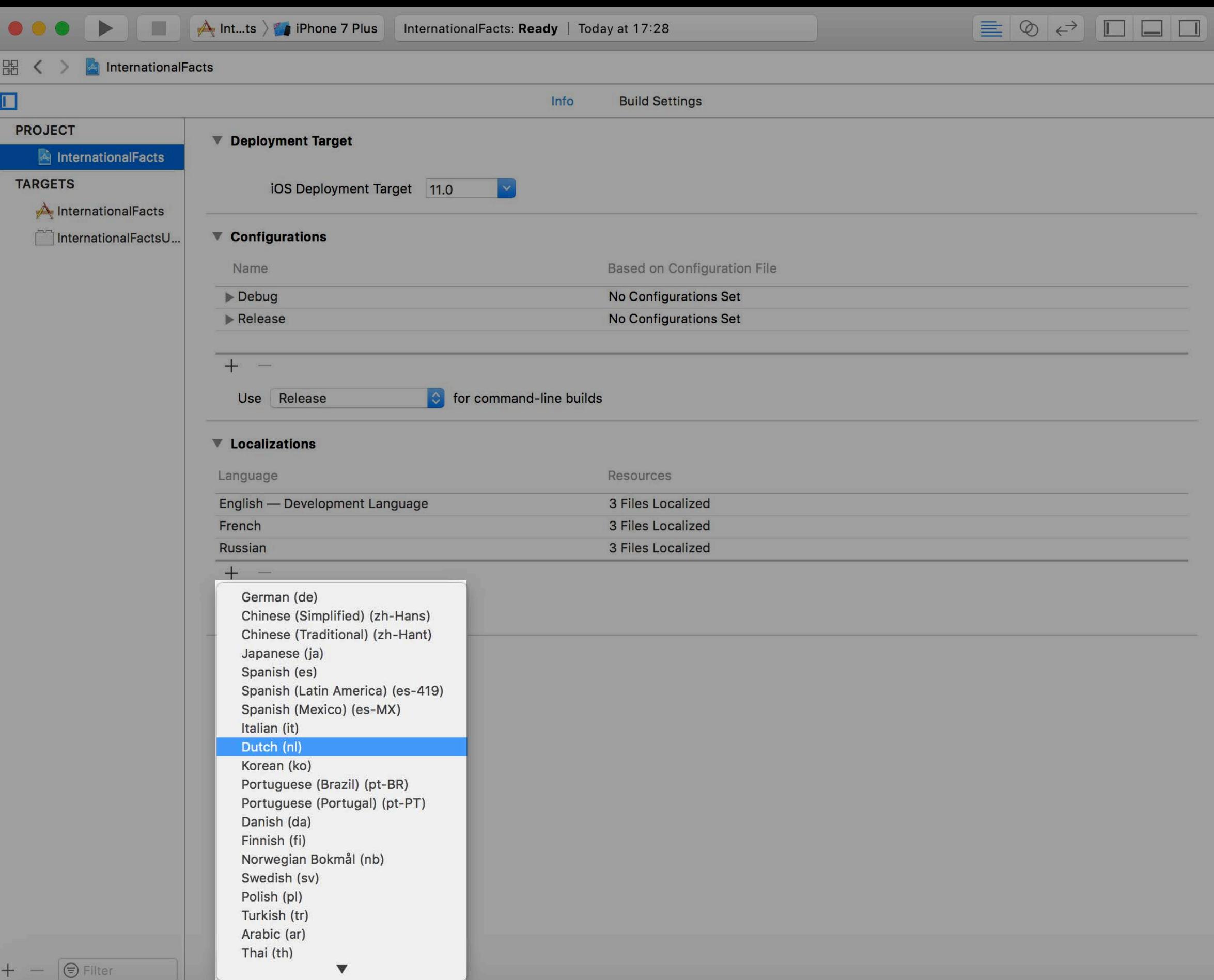
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Validate your strings and UI

# Localization Workflow

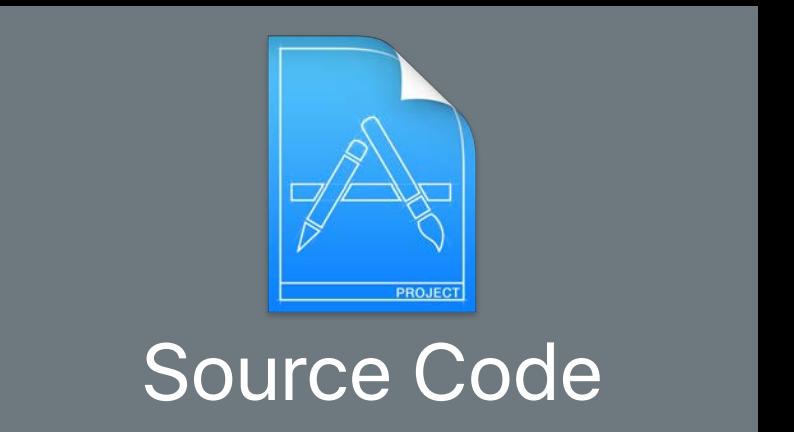
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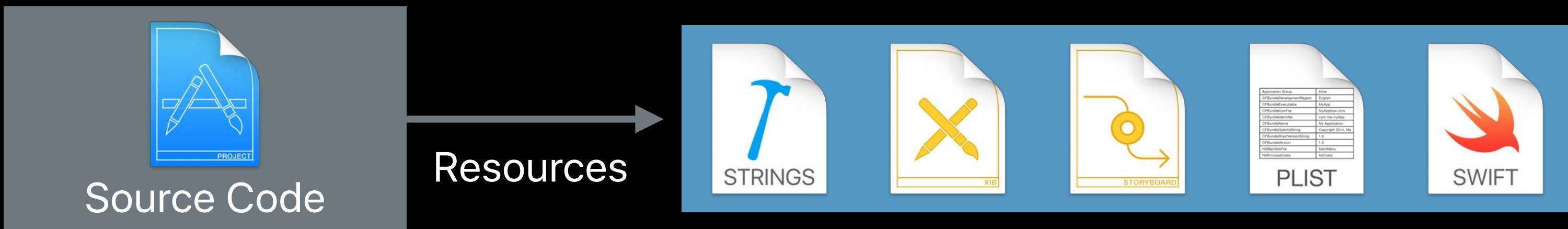


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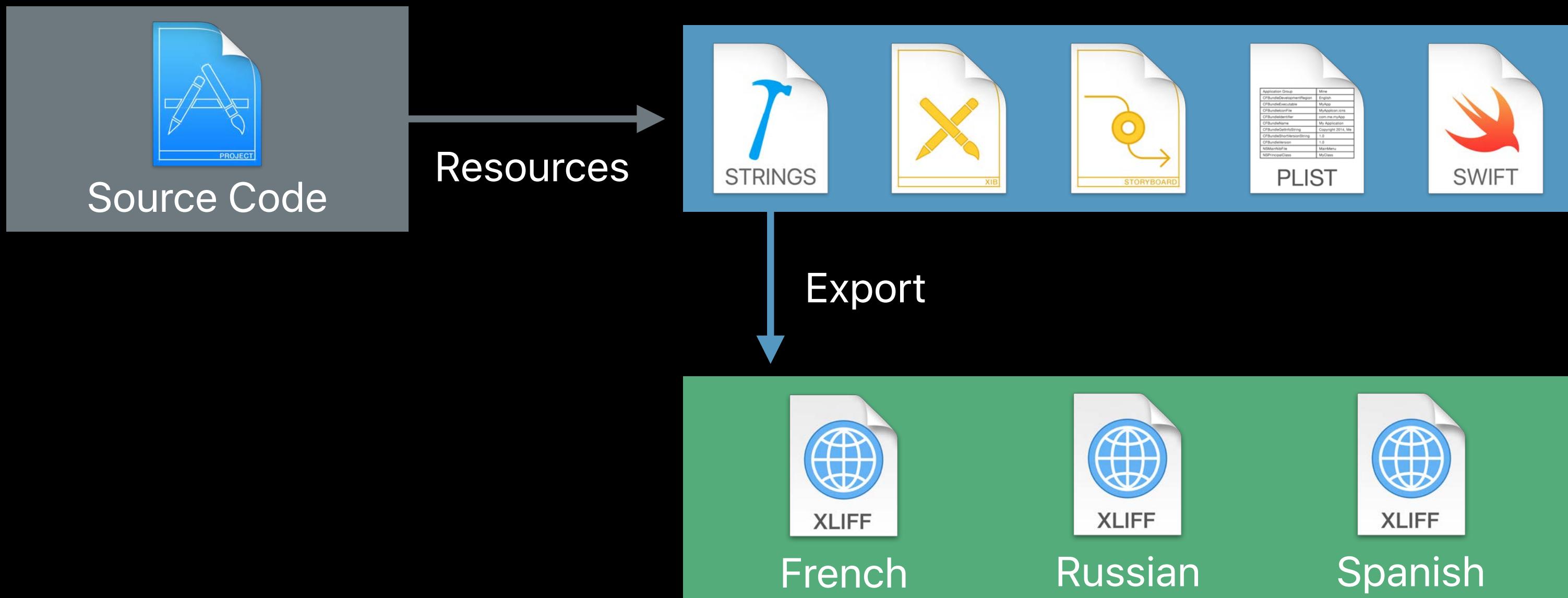
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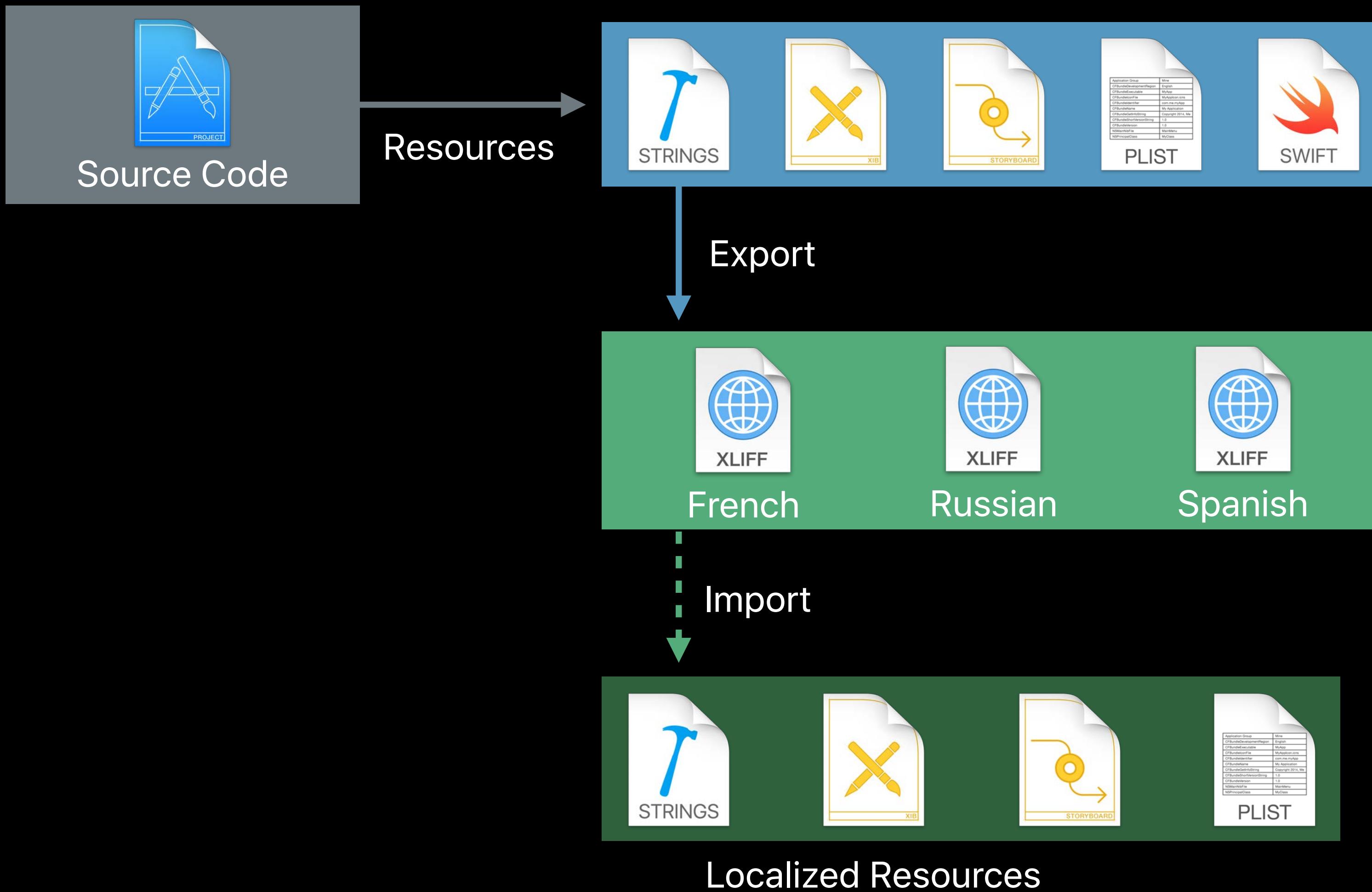
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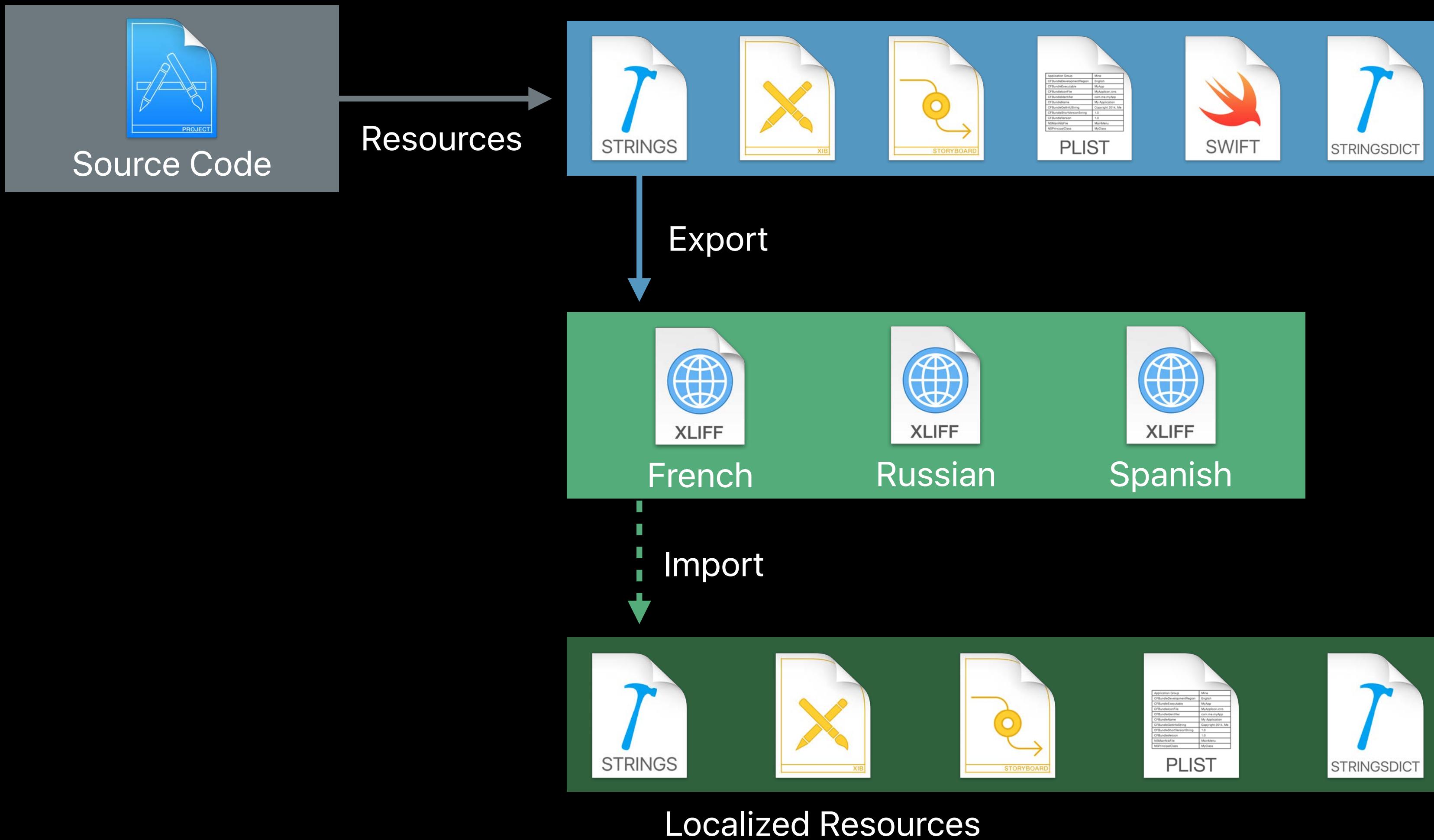
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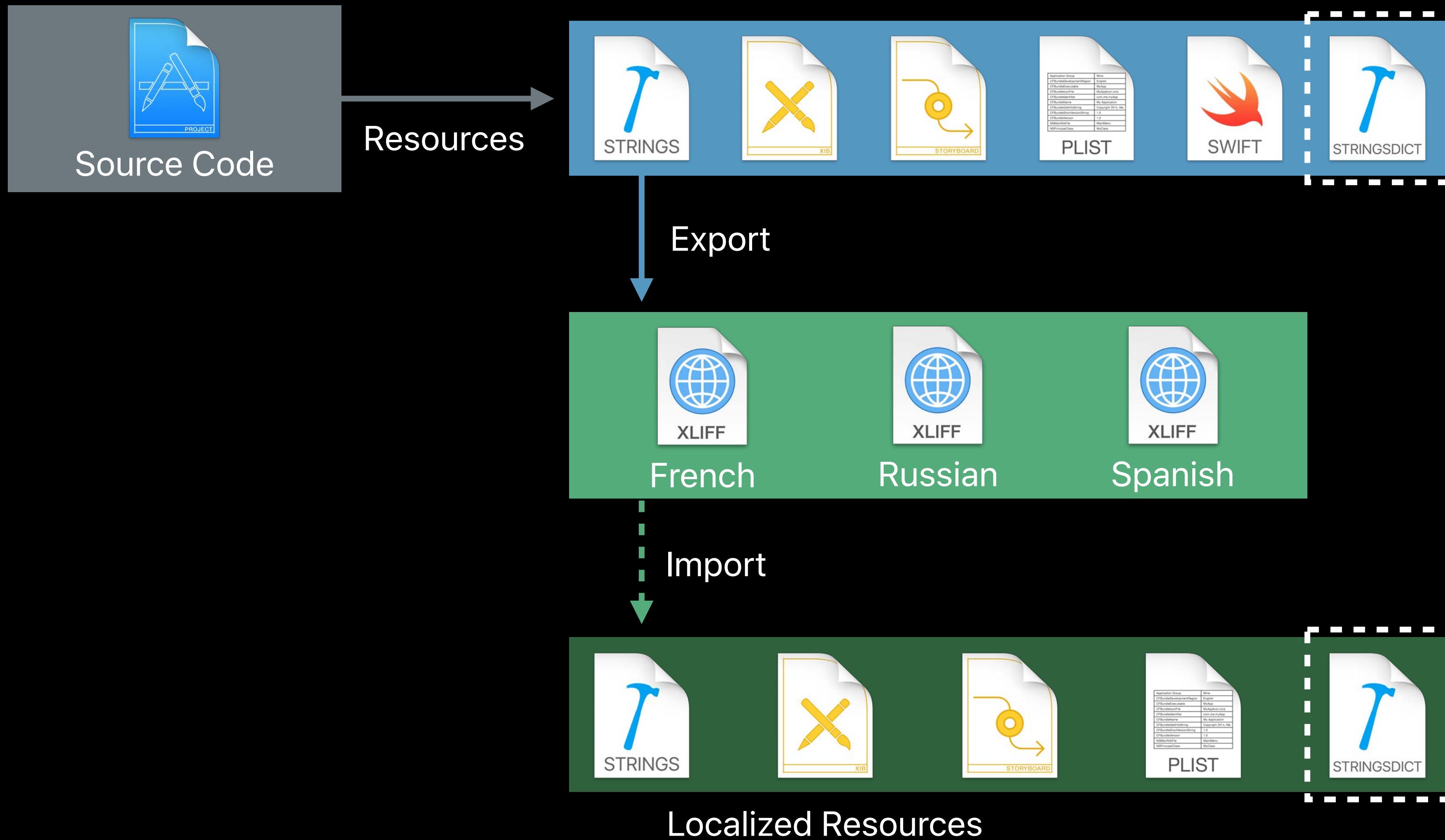
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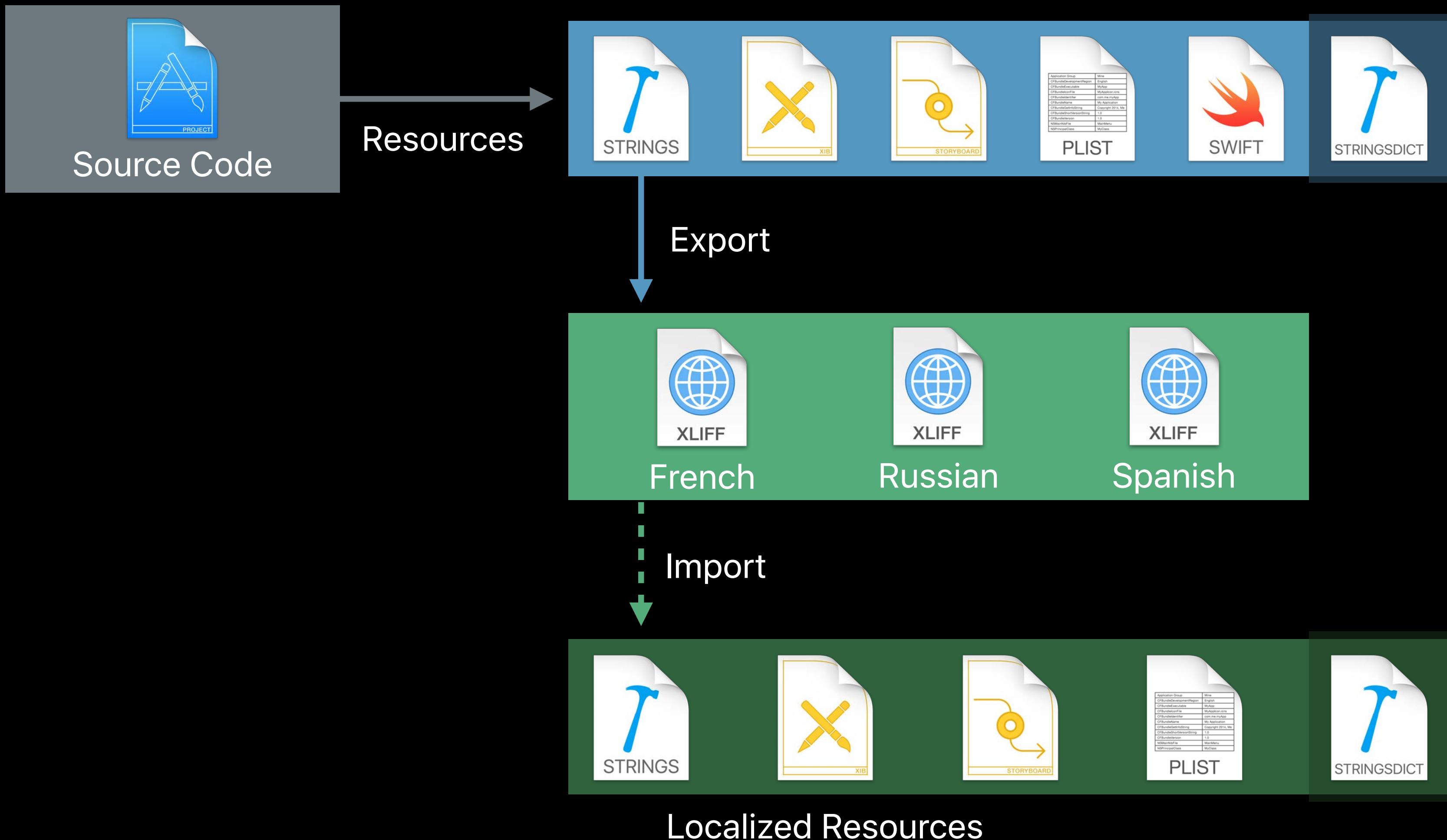


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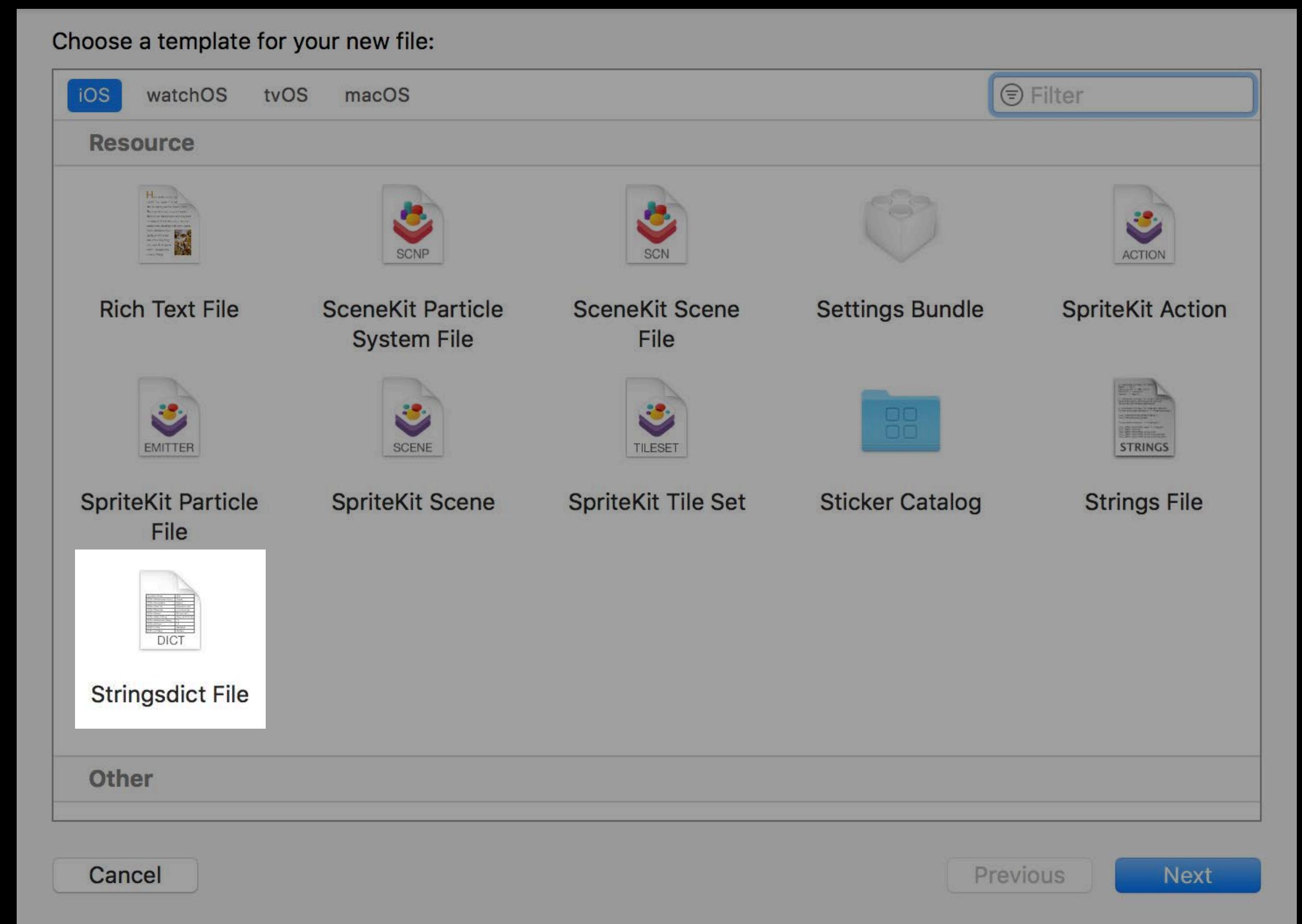
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English

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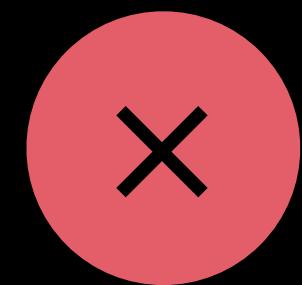
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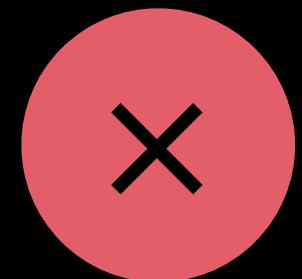
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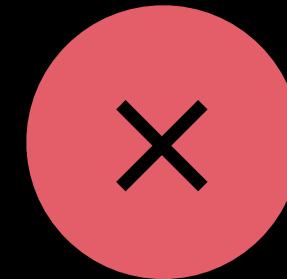
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### International Facts



Territory [United States >](#)

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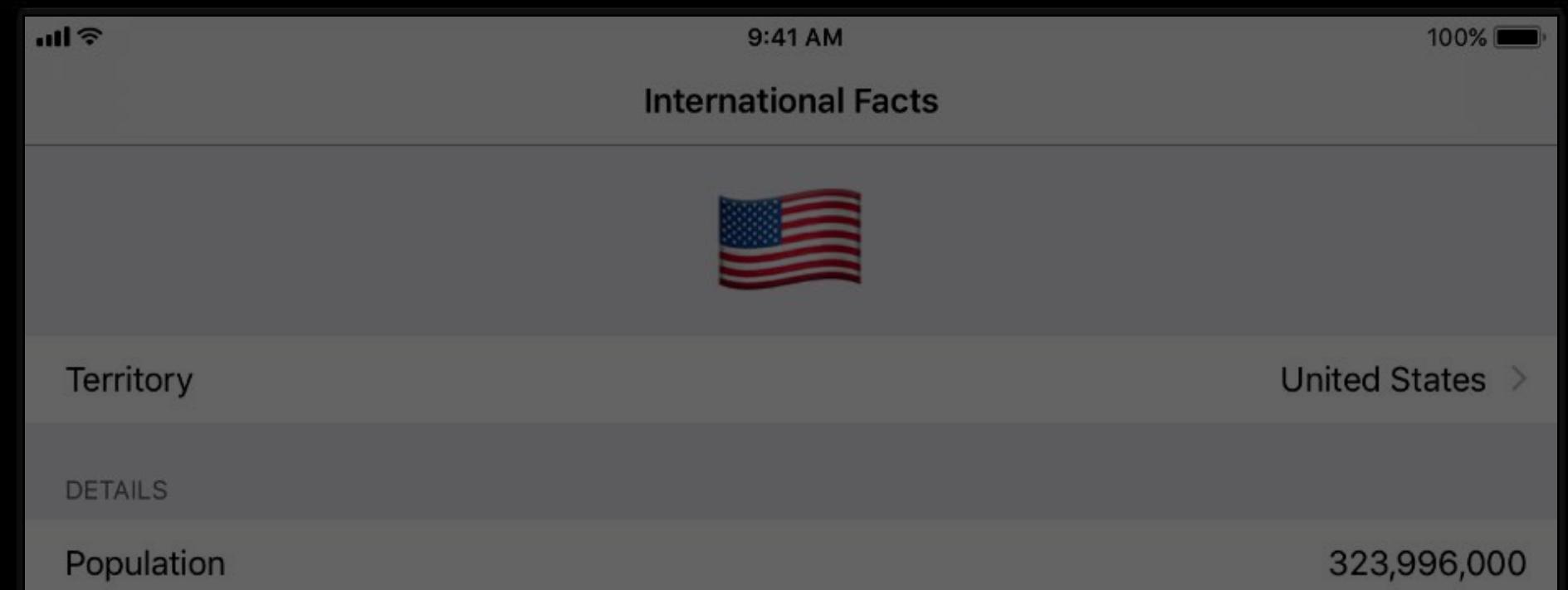
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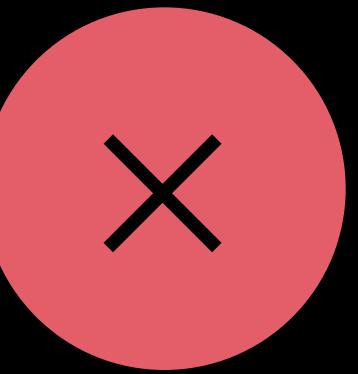
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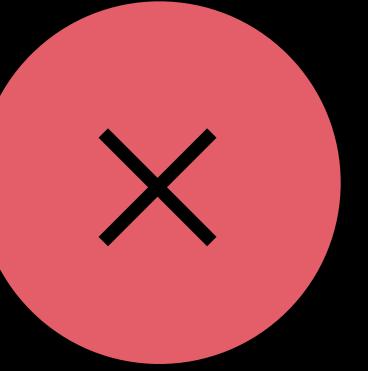
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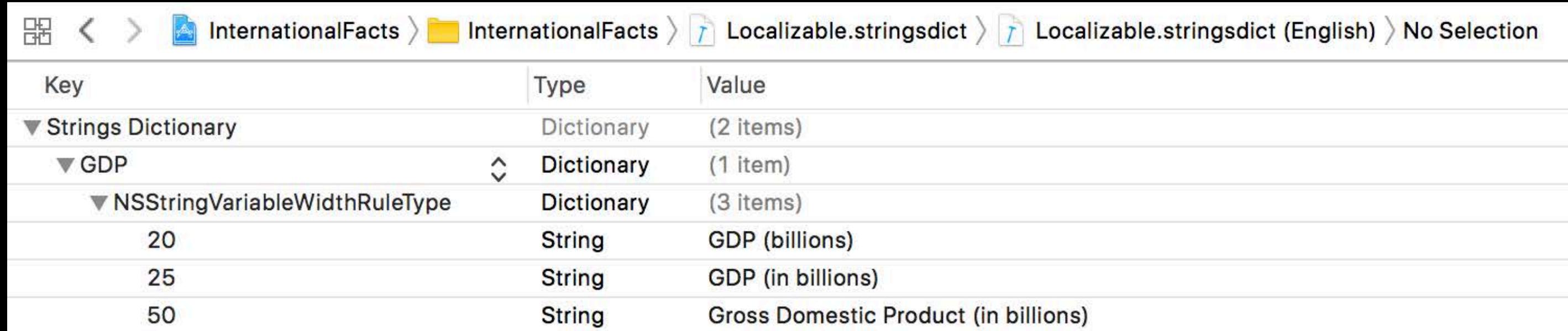
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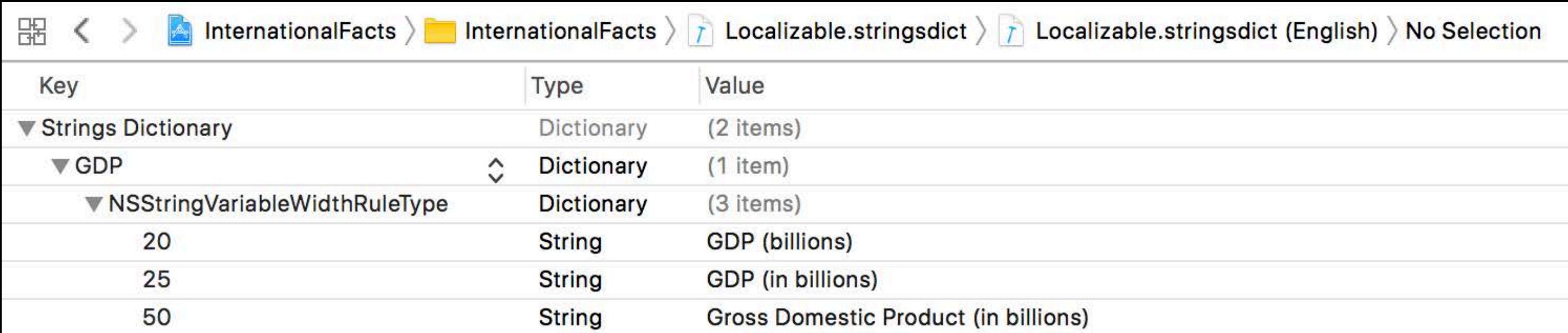
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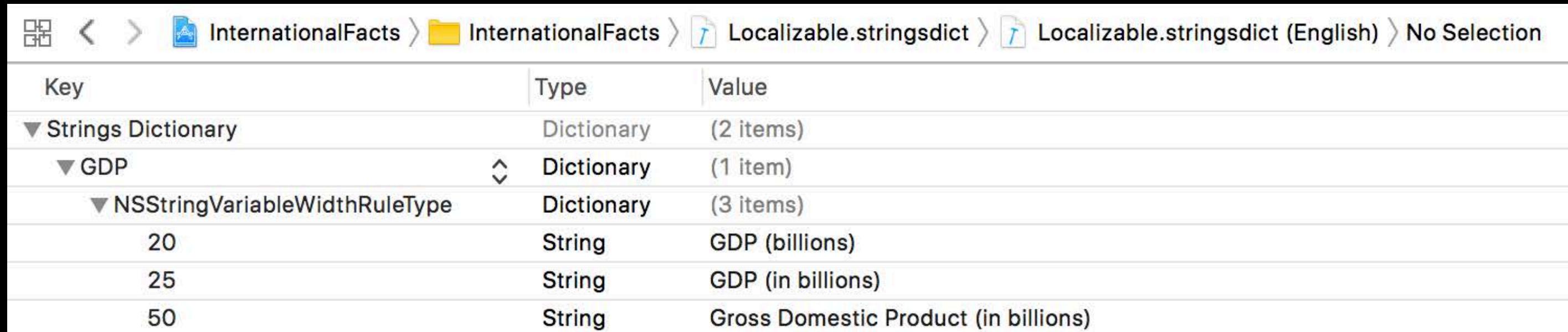
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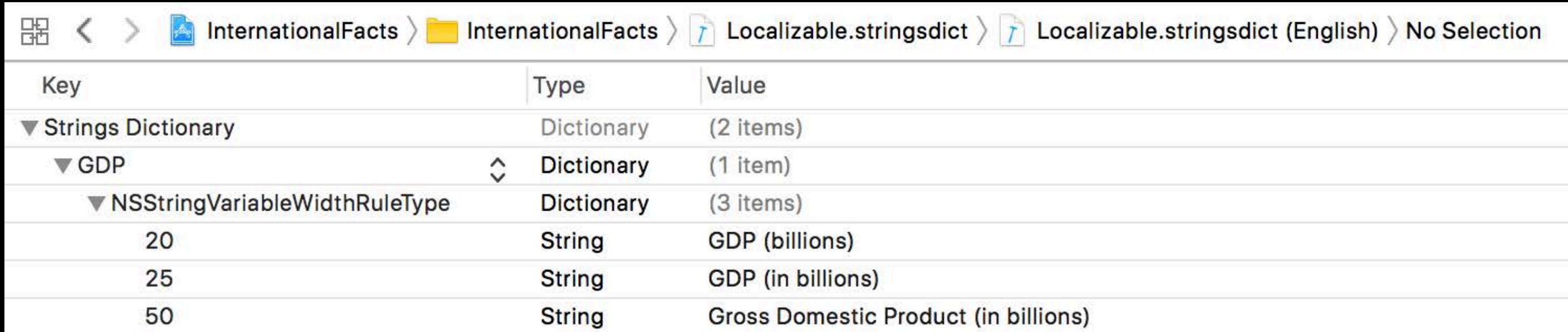
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label.text = NSLocalizedString("GDP", comment: "A territory's GDP (Gross Domestic Product)")
```

```
let widthFormattedString = string.variantFittingPresentationWidth(20)
```

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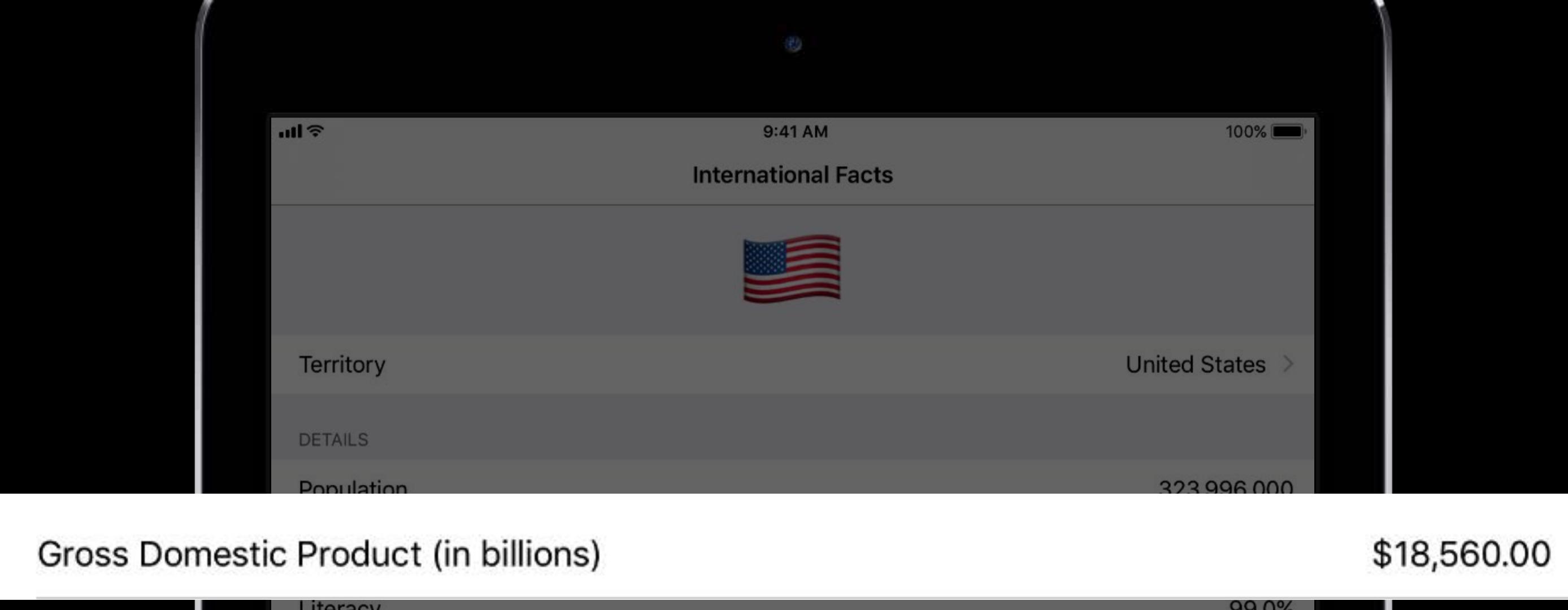
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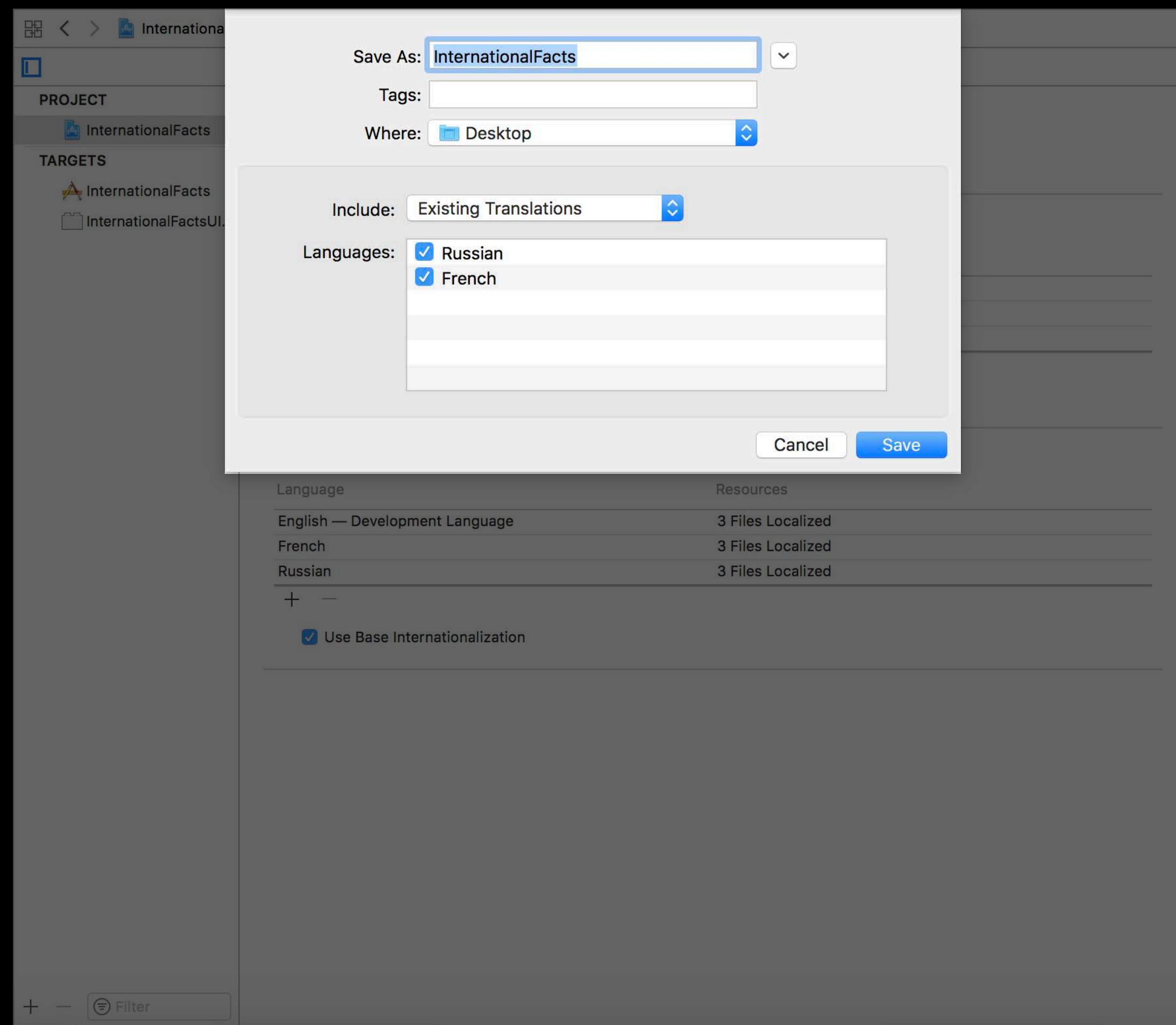
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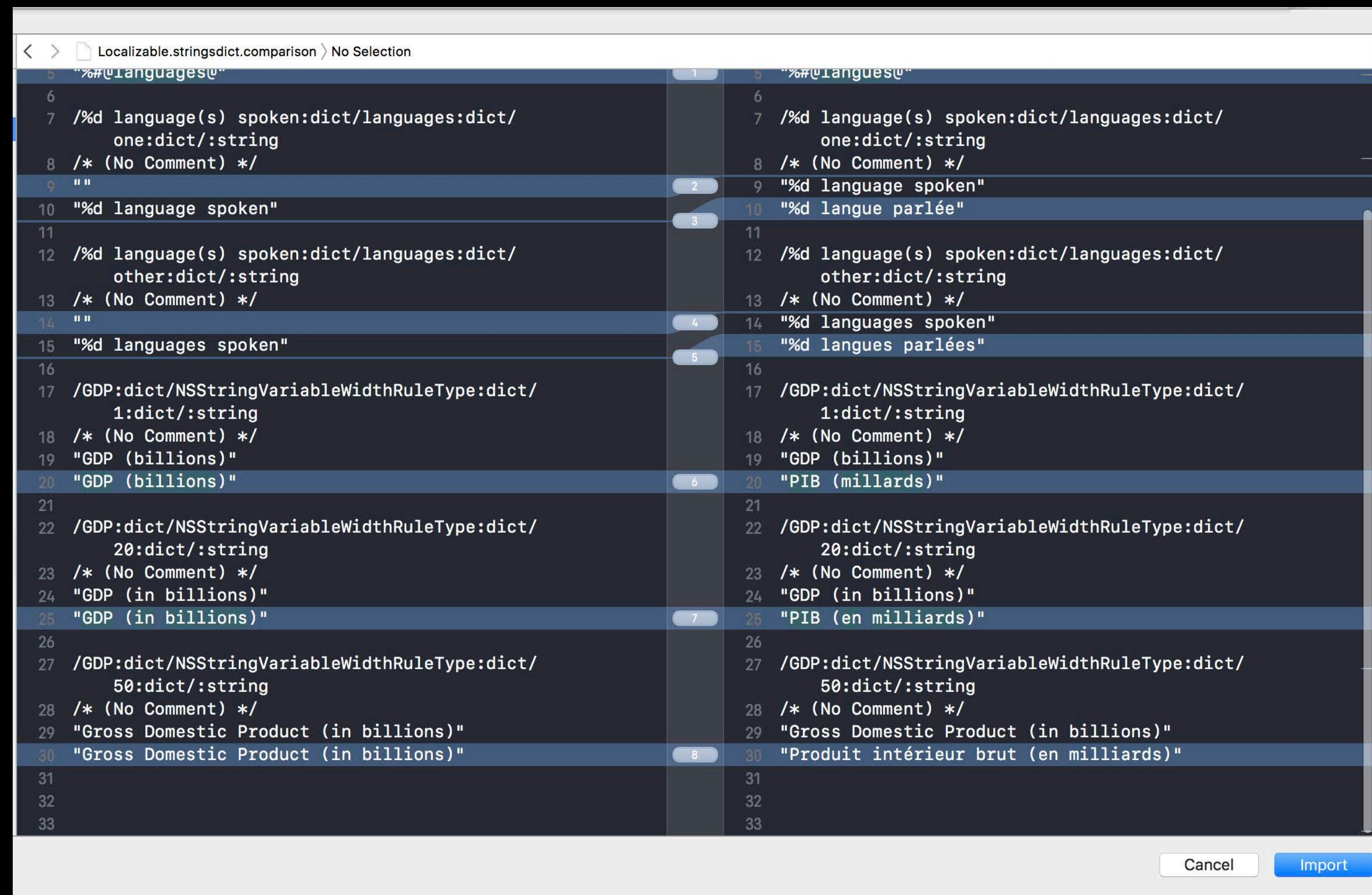
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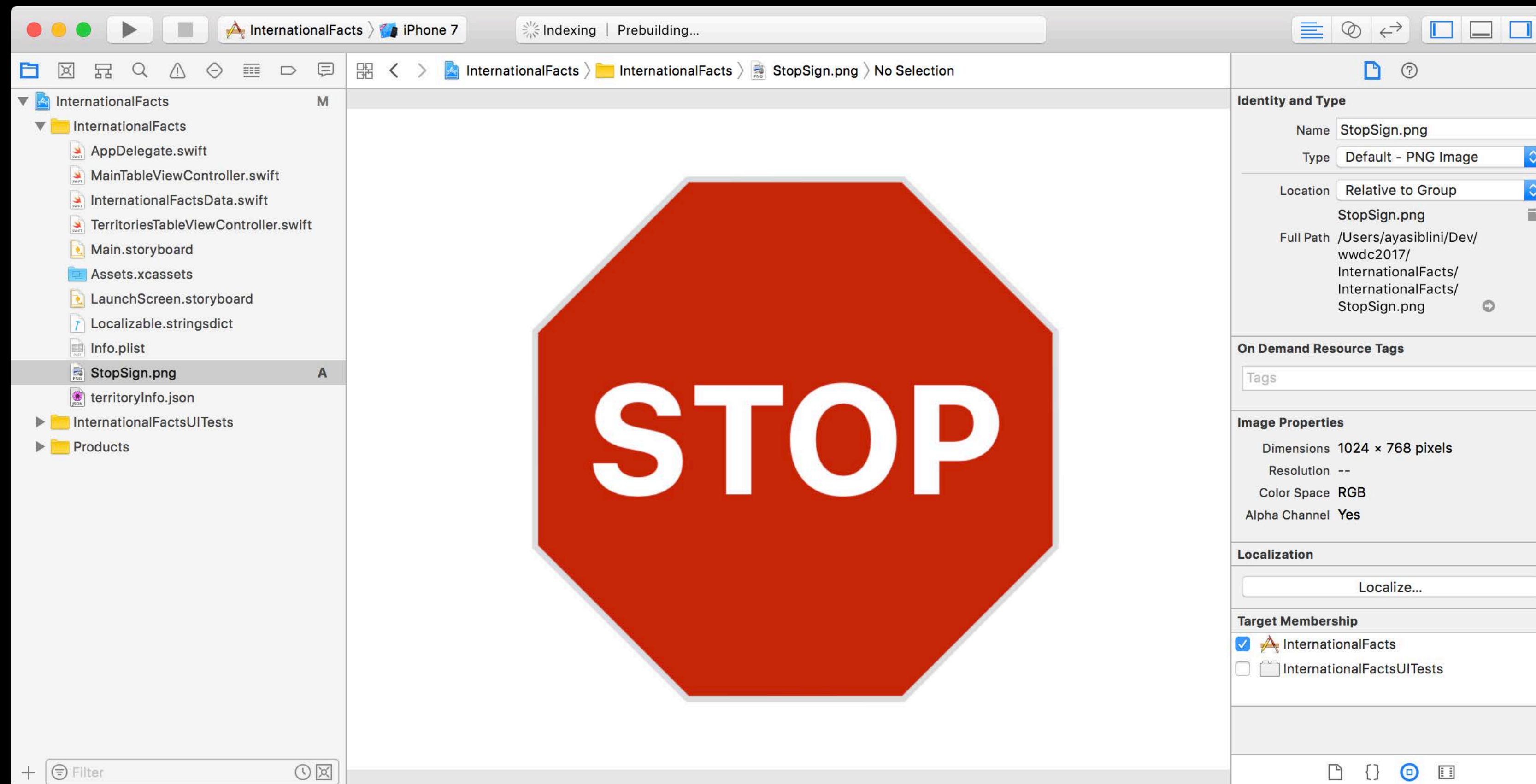
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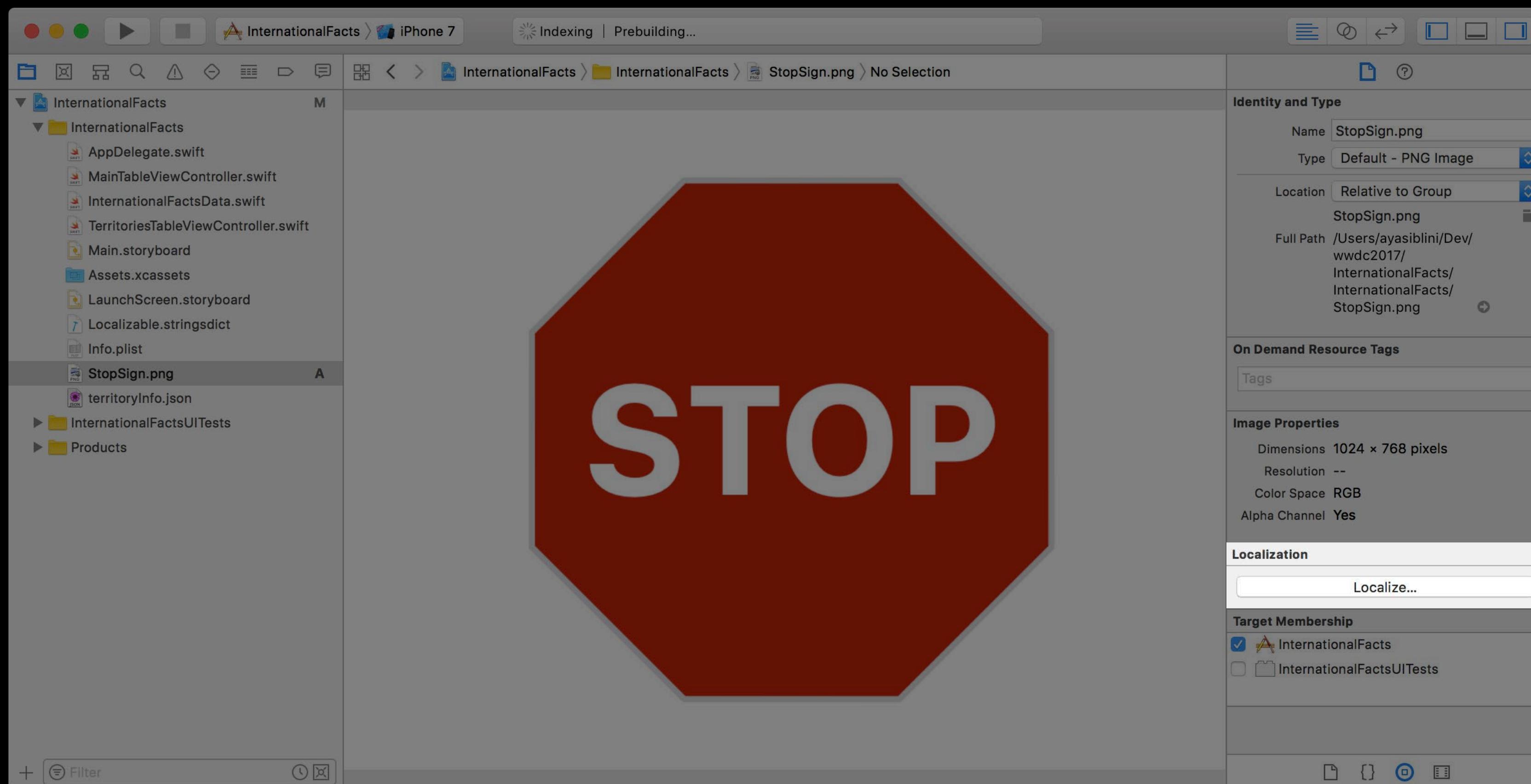
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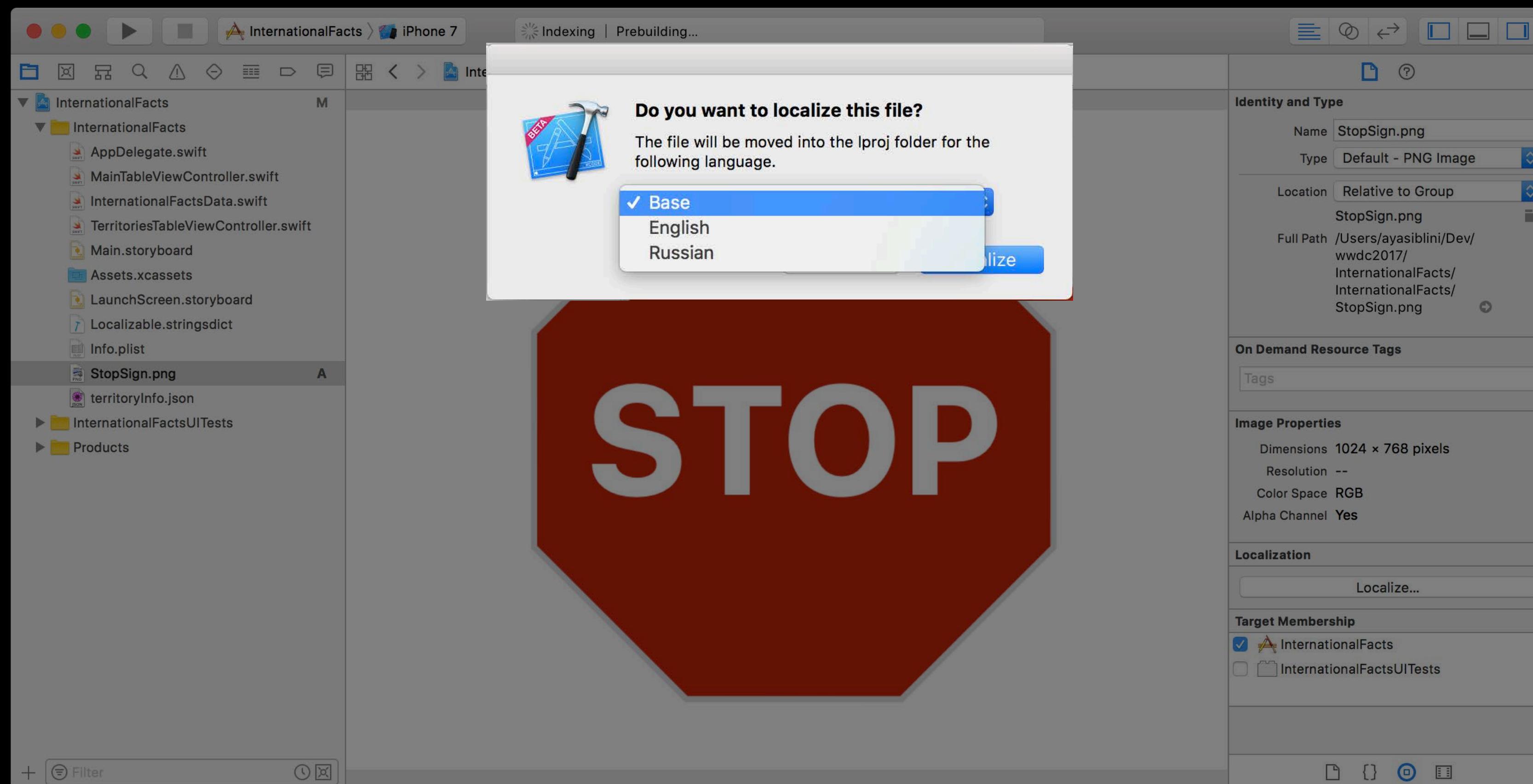
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Chris Hanson, Software Engineer

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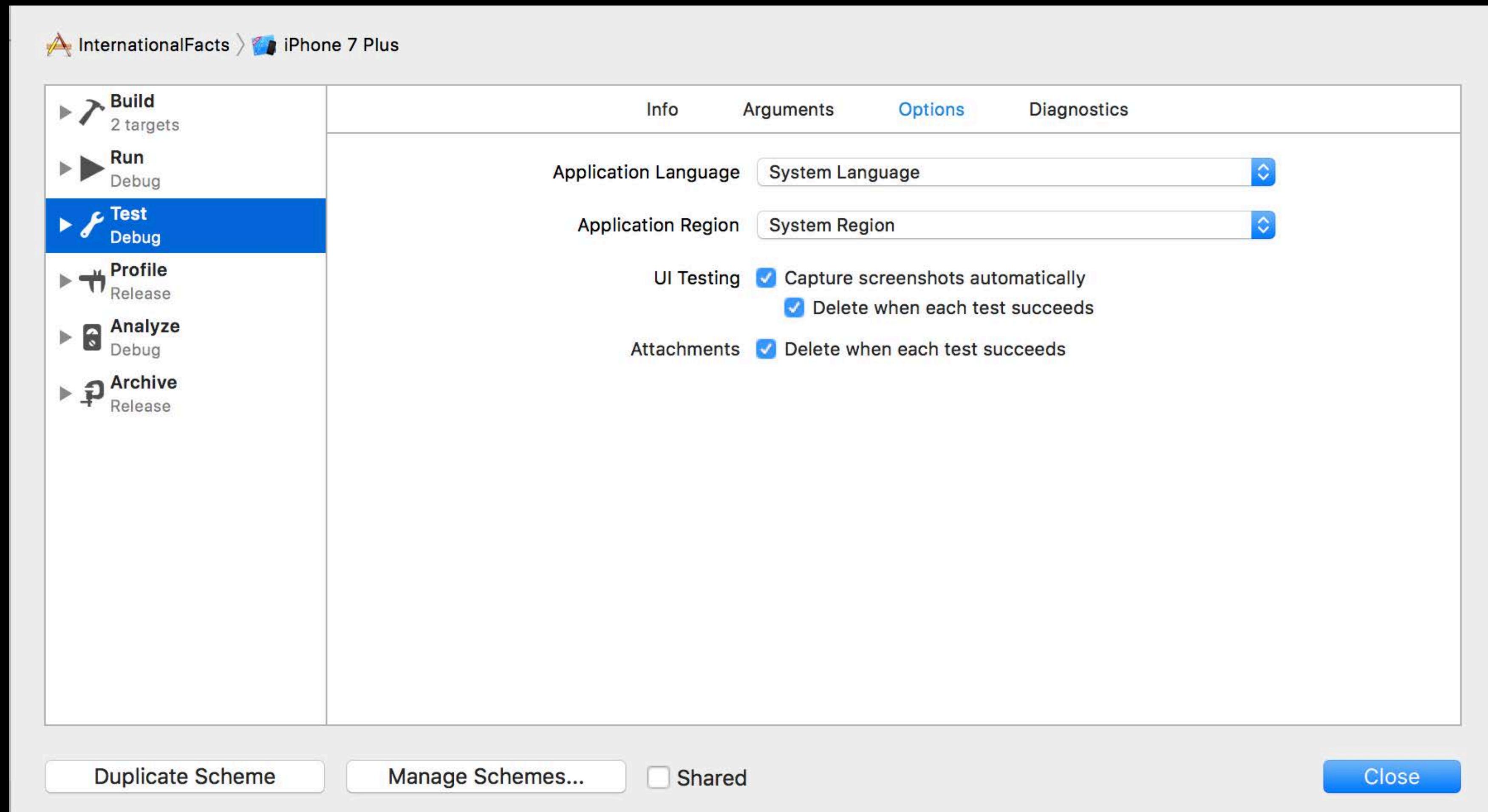
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## XCTest

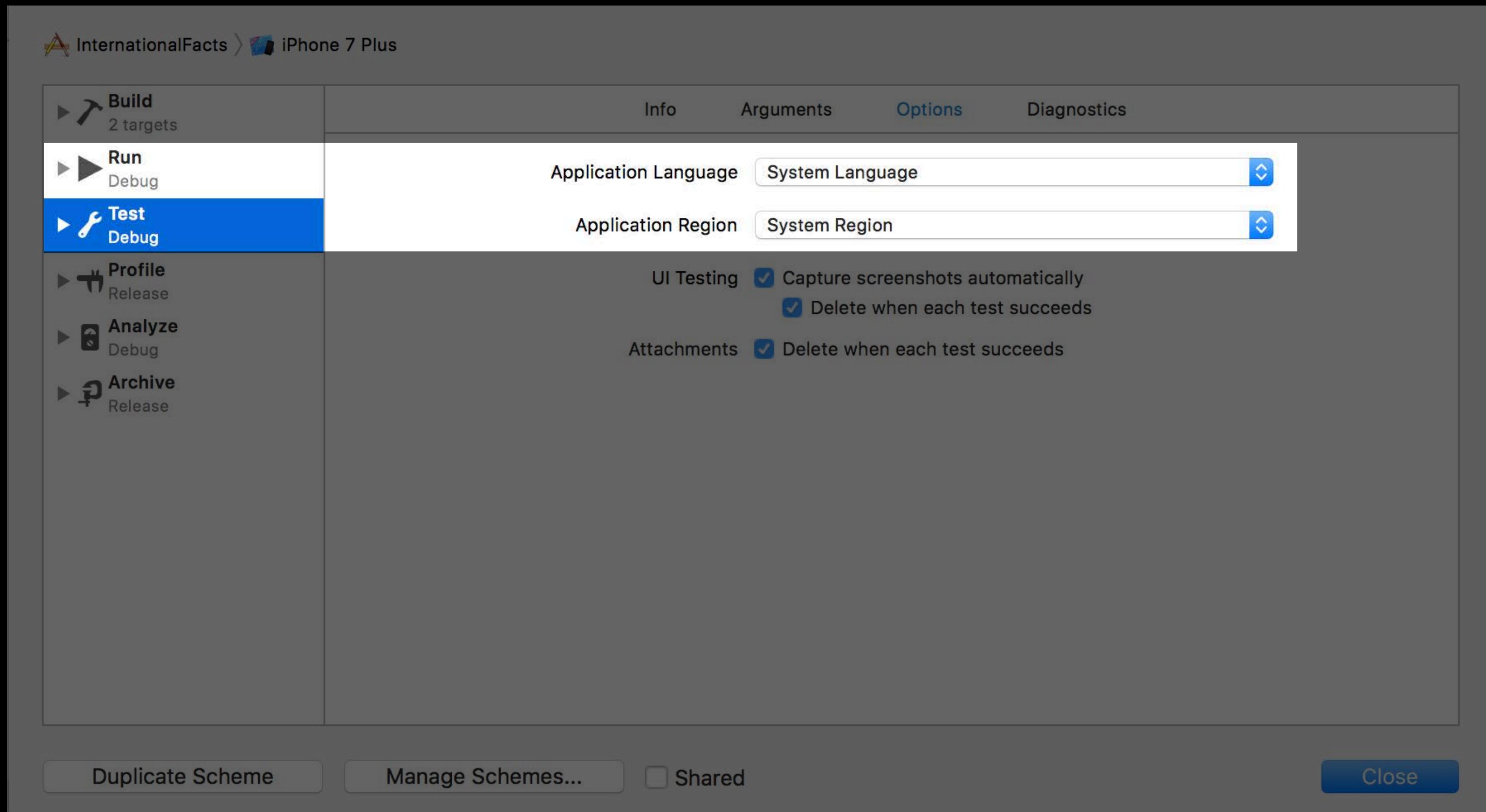
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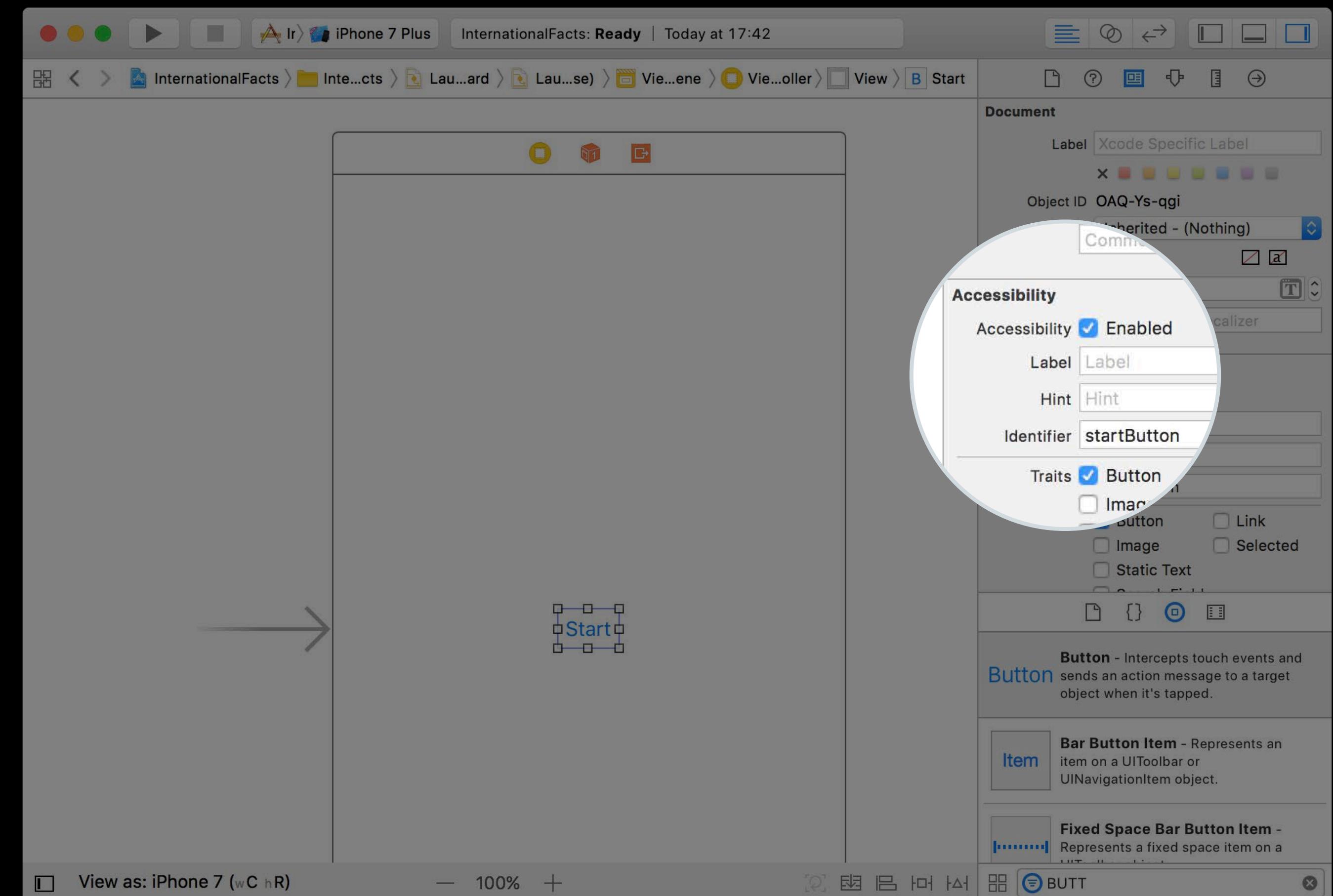
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Set accessibilityIdentifier

```
button.accessibilityIdentifier = "startButton"
```

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Use accessibility identifiers

Use `XCTAttachment` to collect screenshots

Get full coverage of UI for all localizations

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Use `XCTest` to test your localized app

## More Information

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