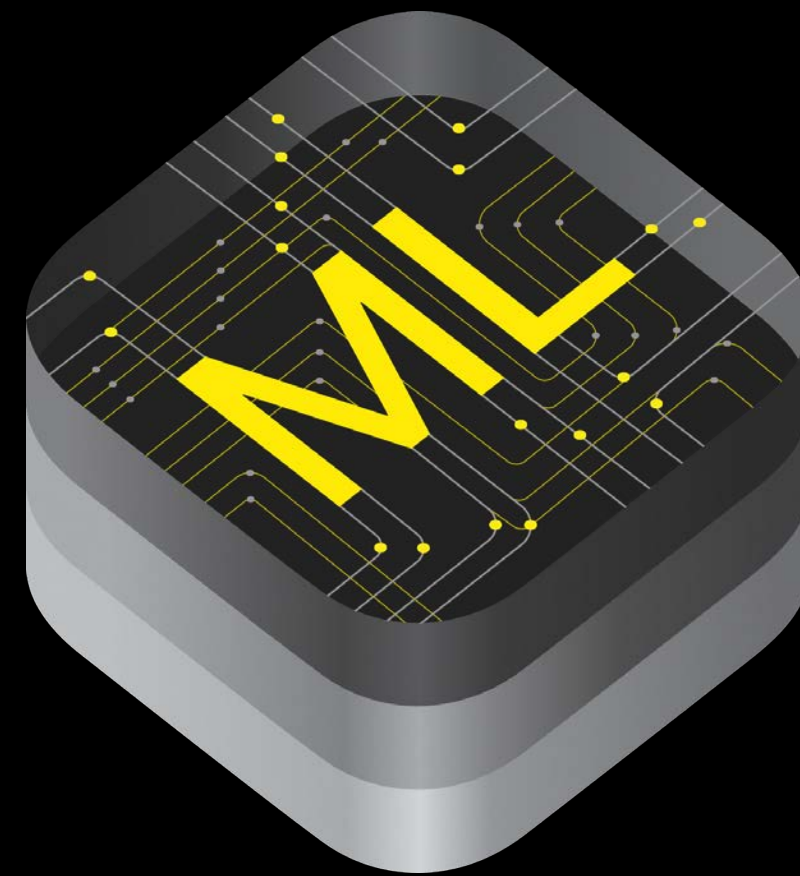


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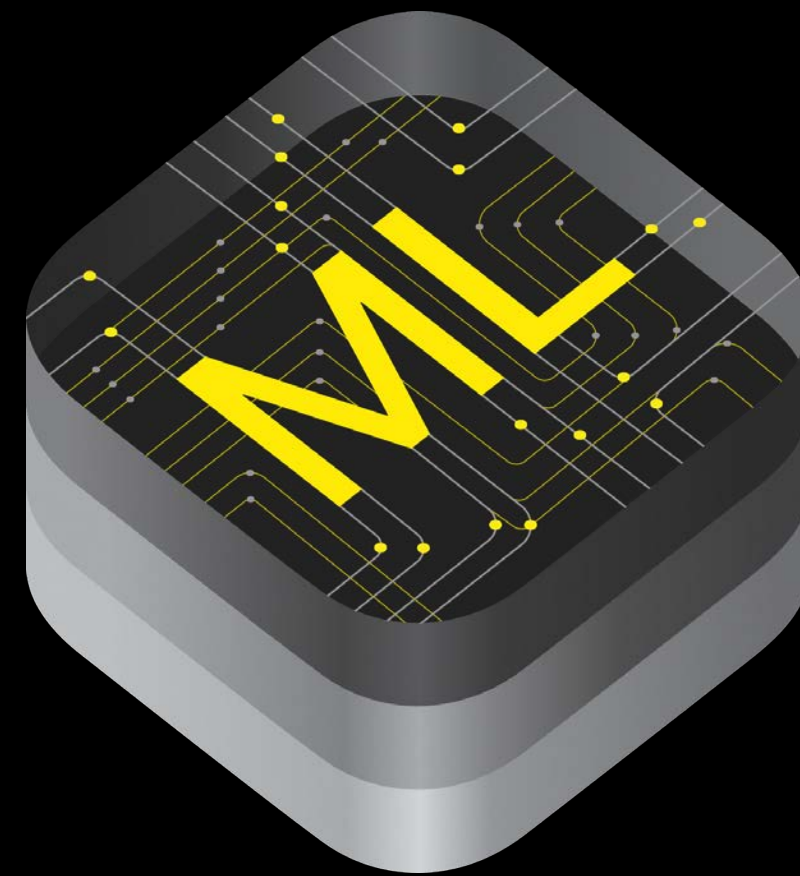
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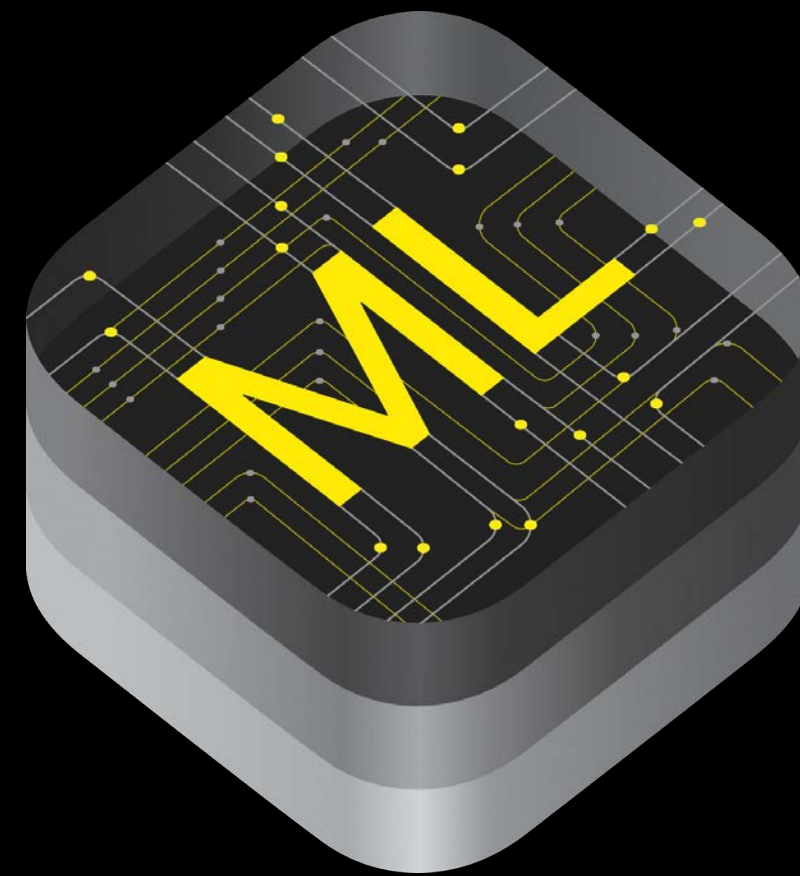


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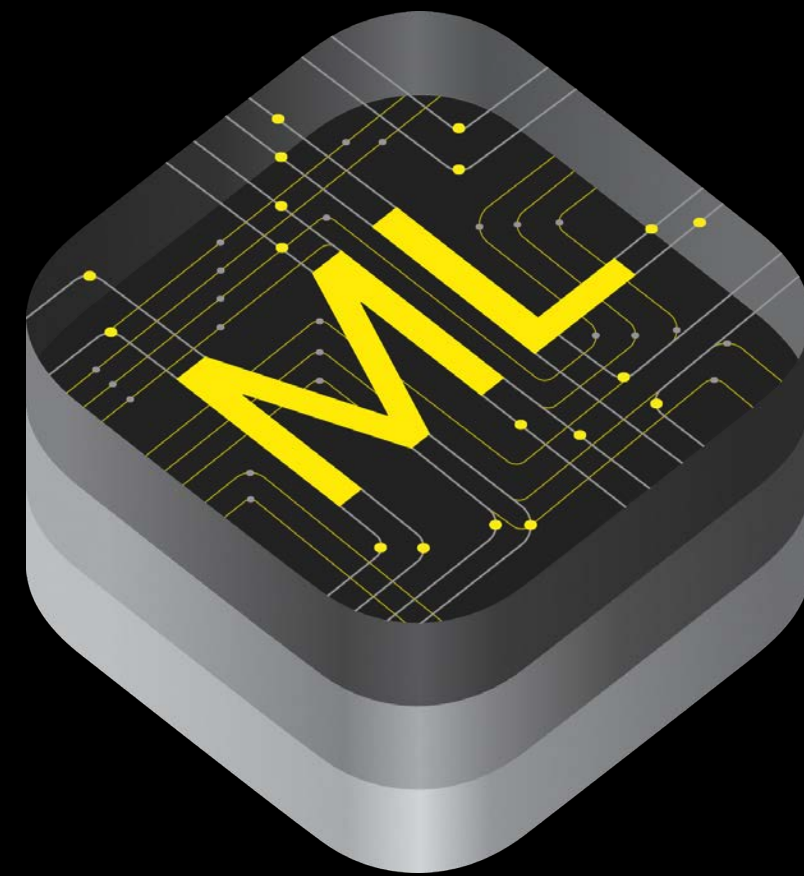
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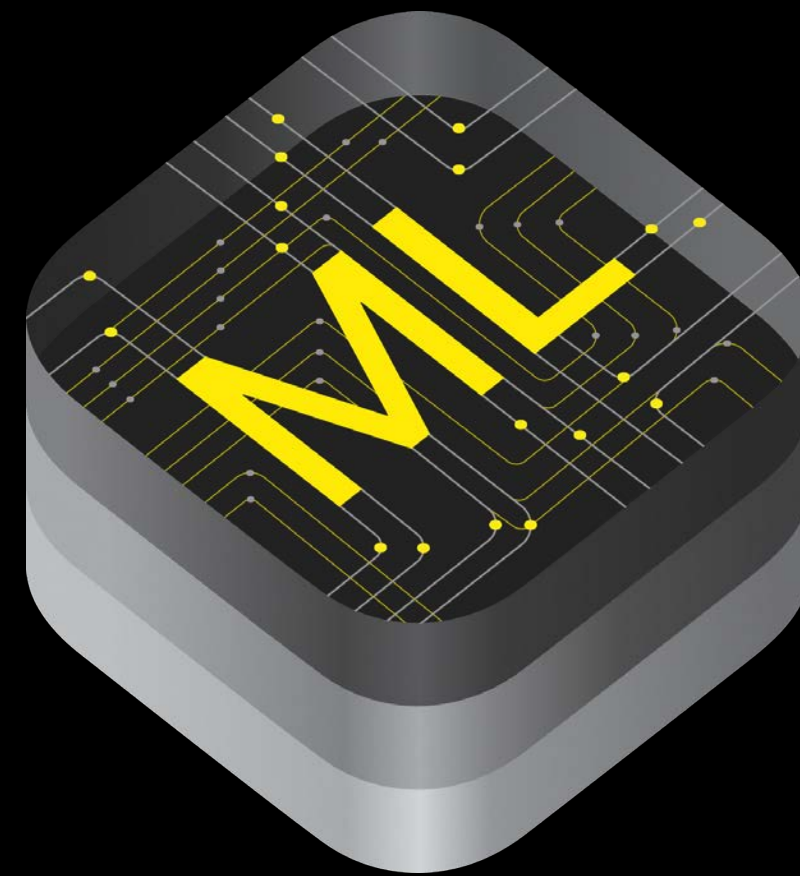


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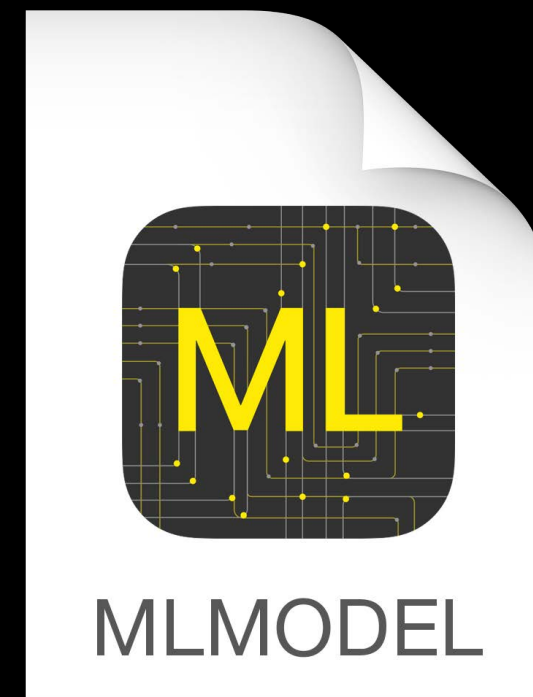


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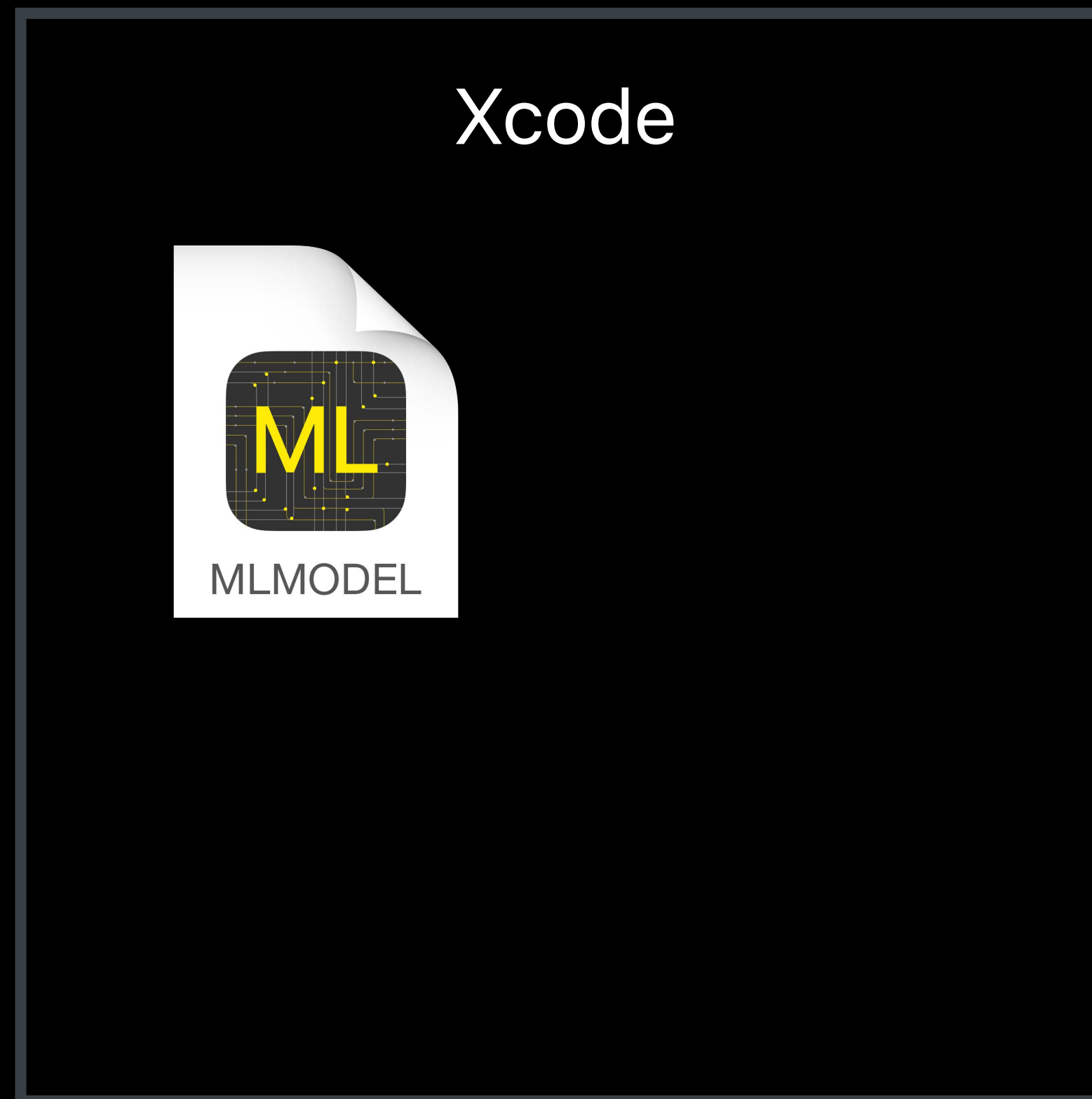
Think of models as code

# Development Flow

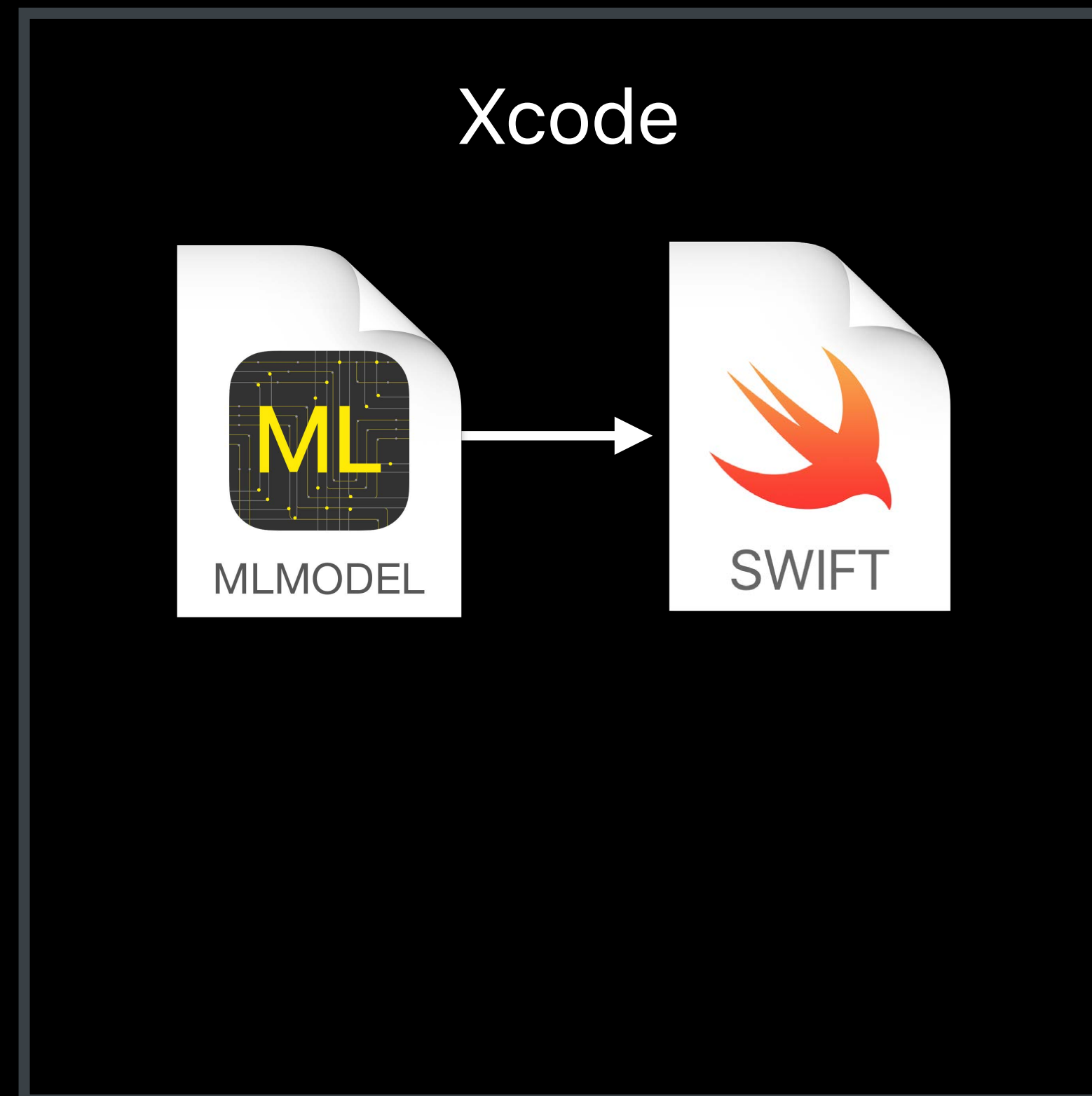




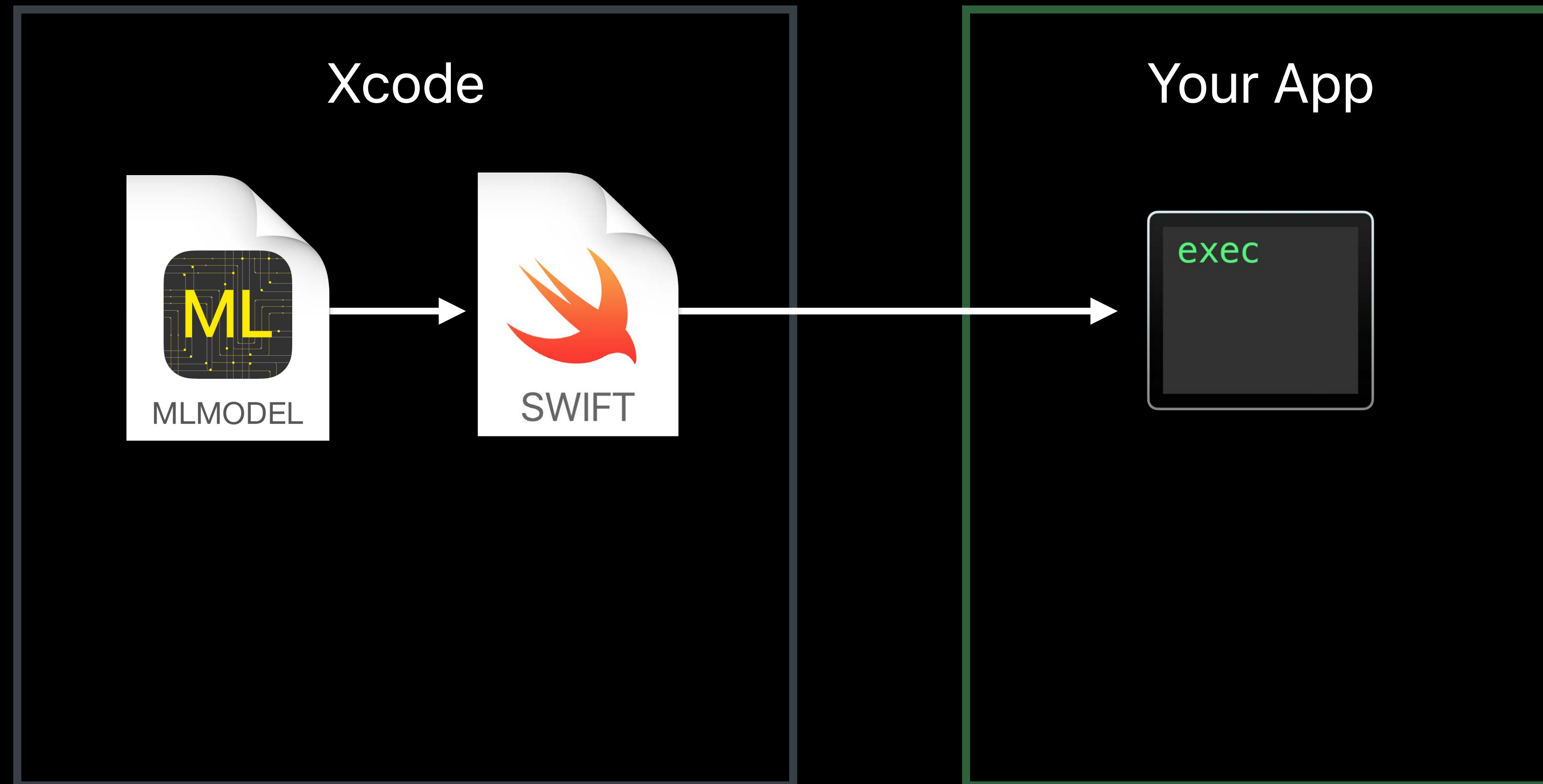
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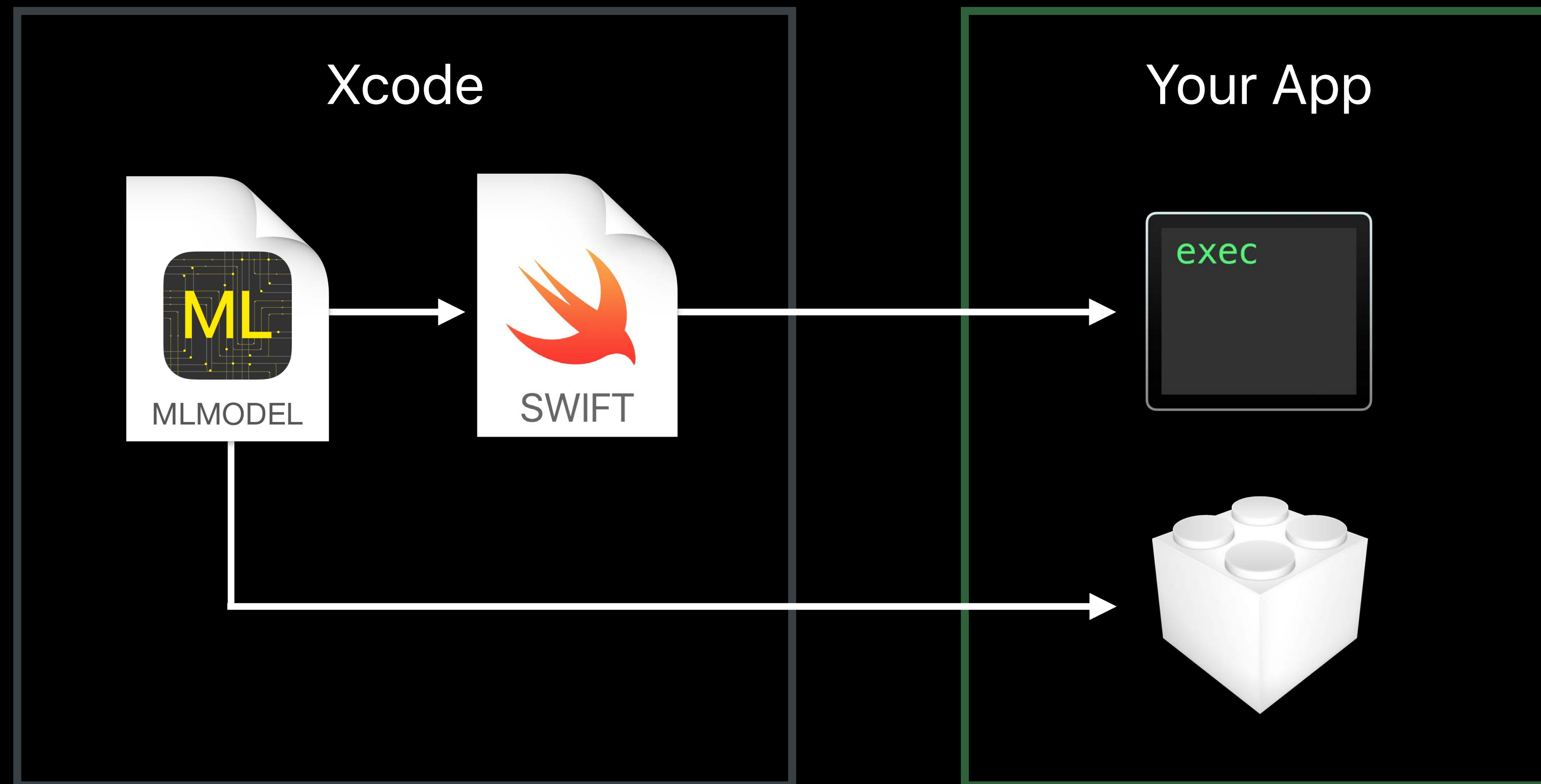
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Rose  
Confidence 95%



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```
let model = FlowerClassifier()
```

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    return prediction.flowerType  
}
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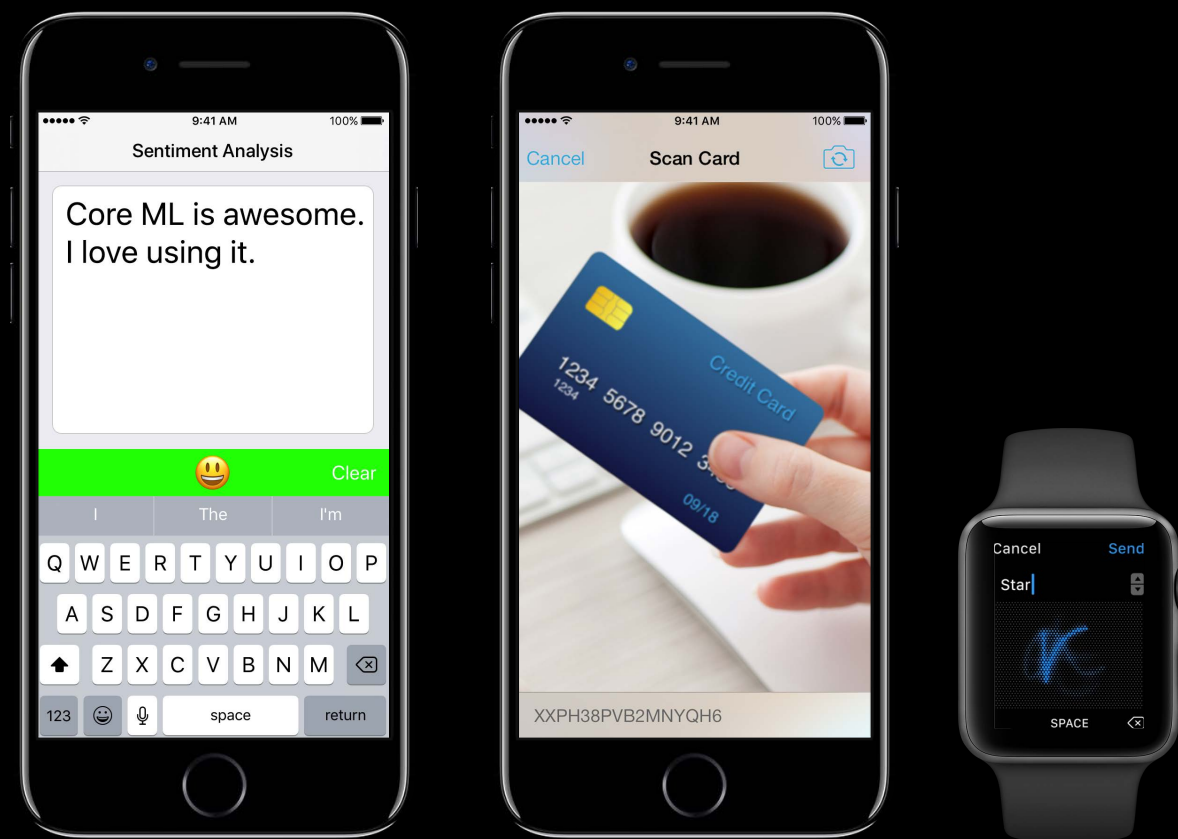
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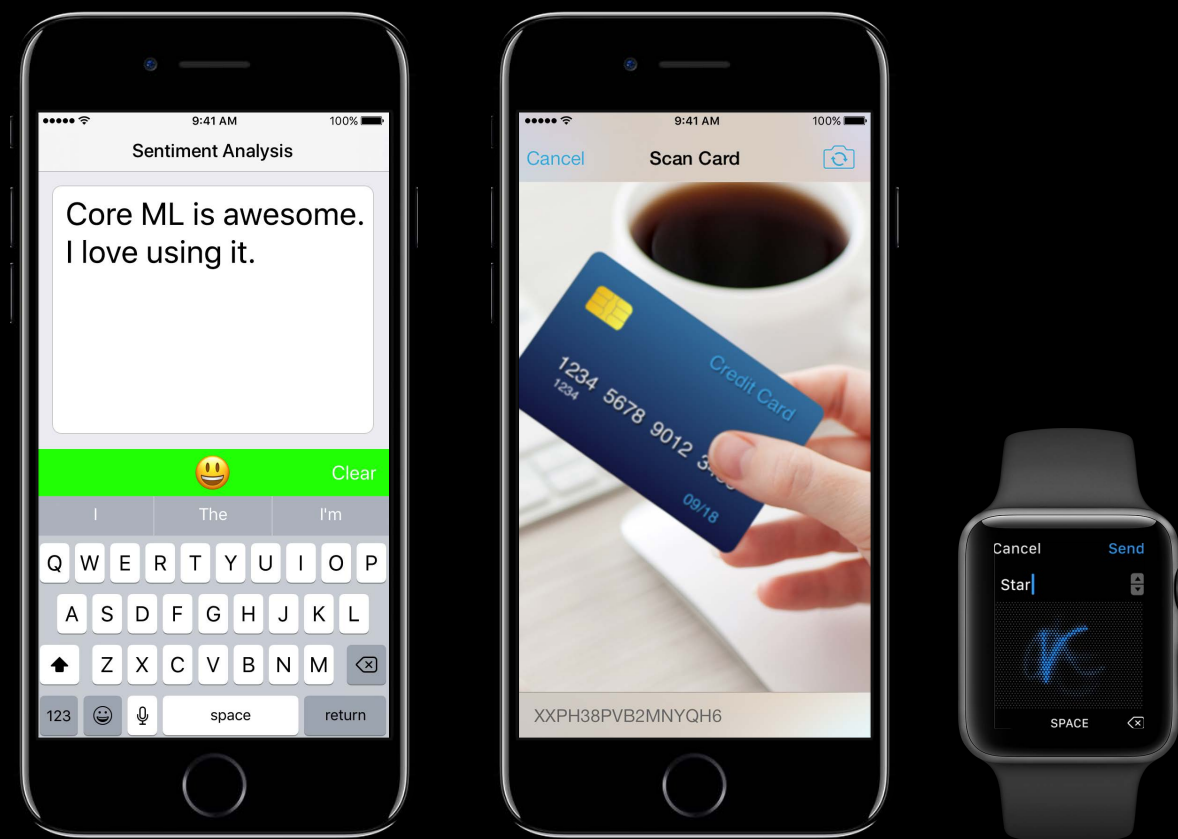
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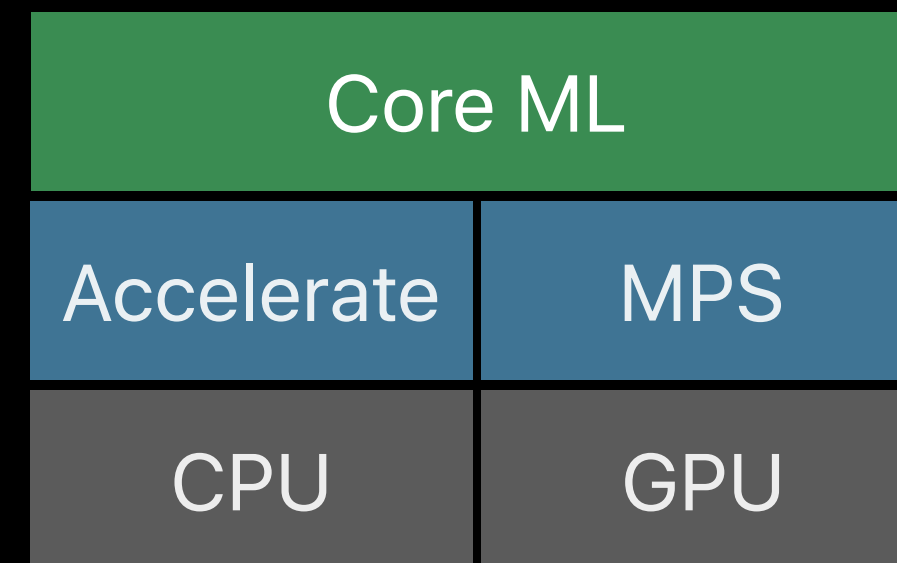


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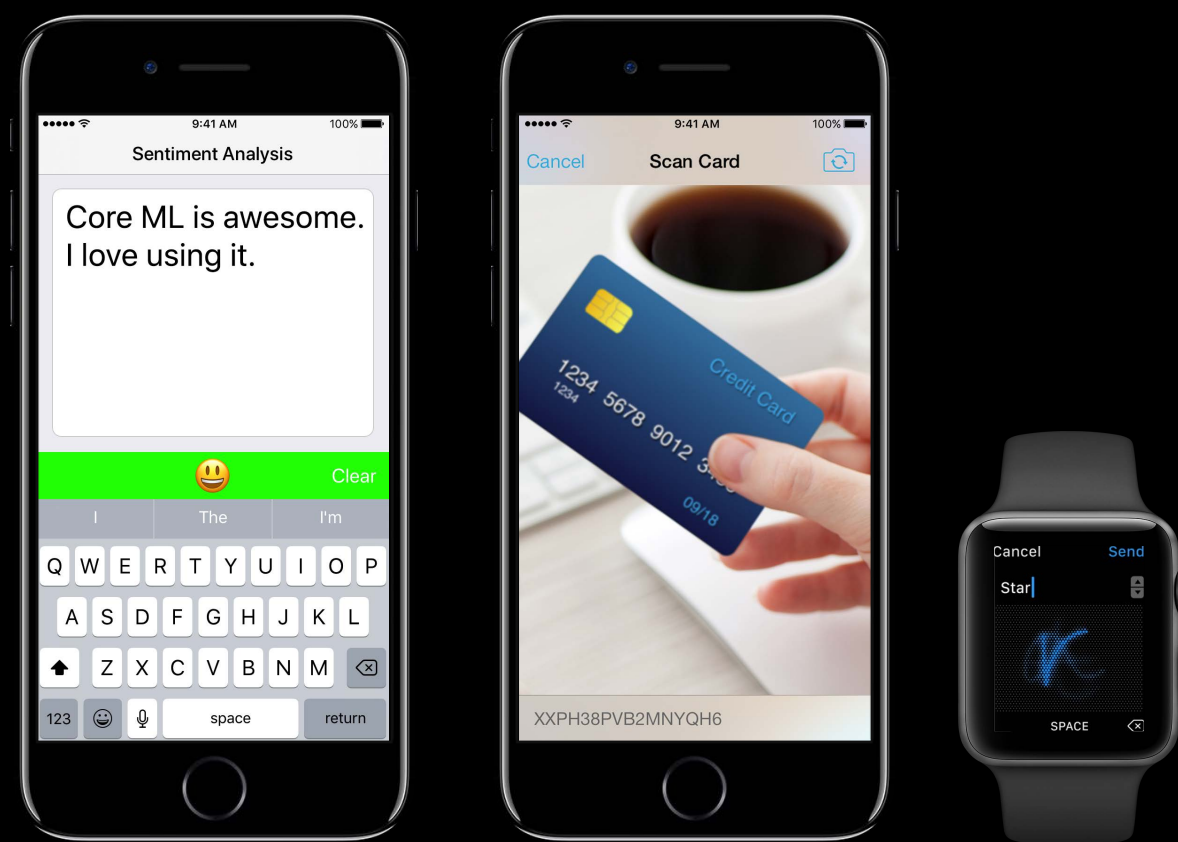


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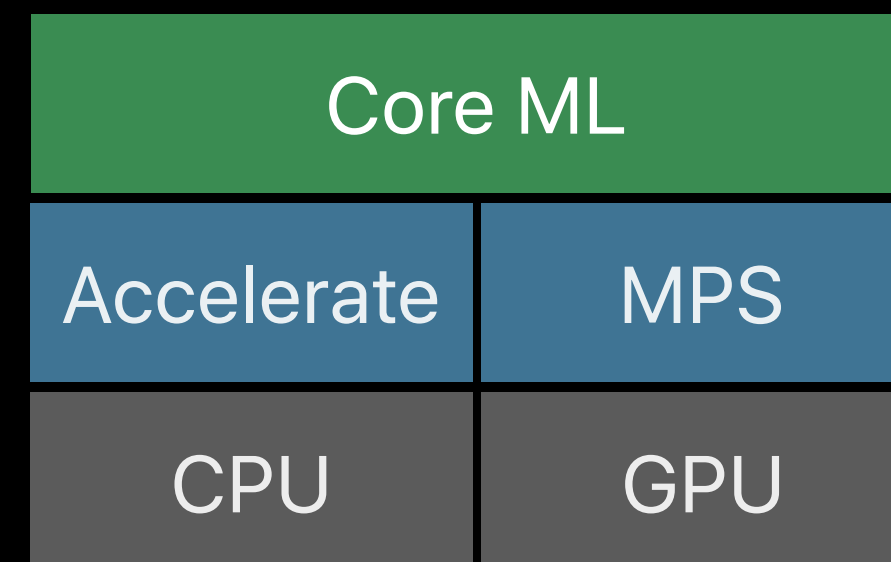


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## Use Cases



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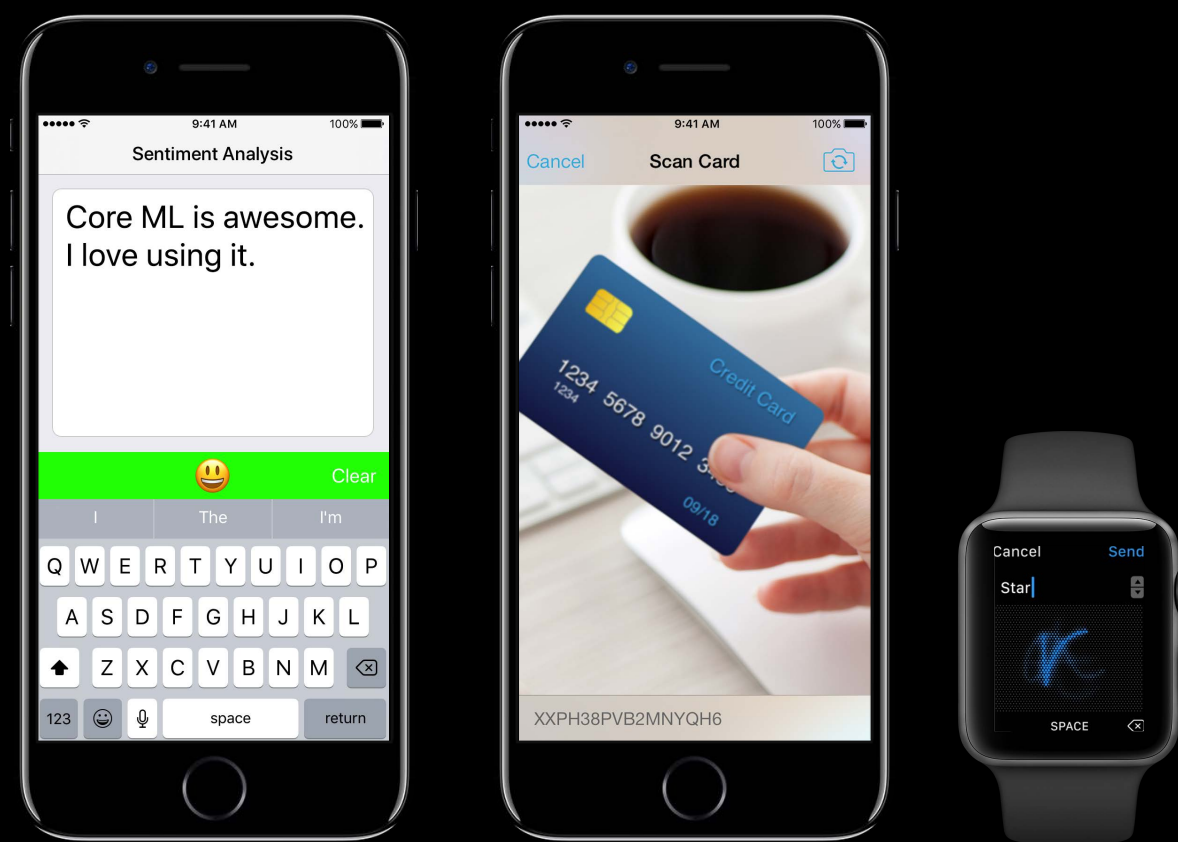


## Obtaining Models



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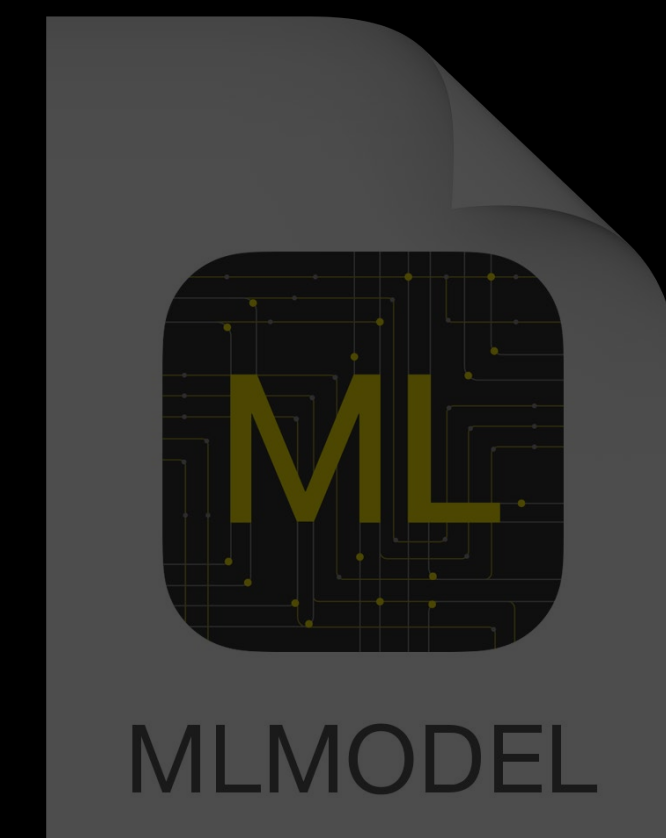
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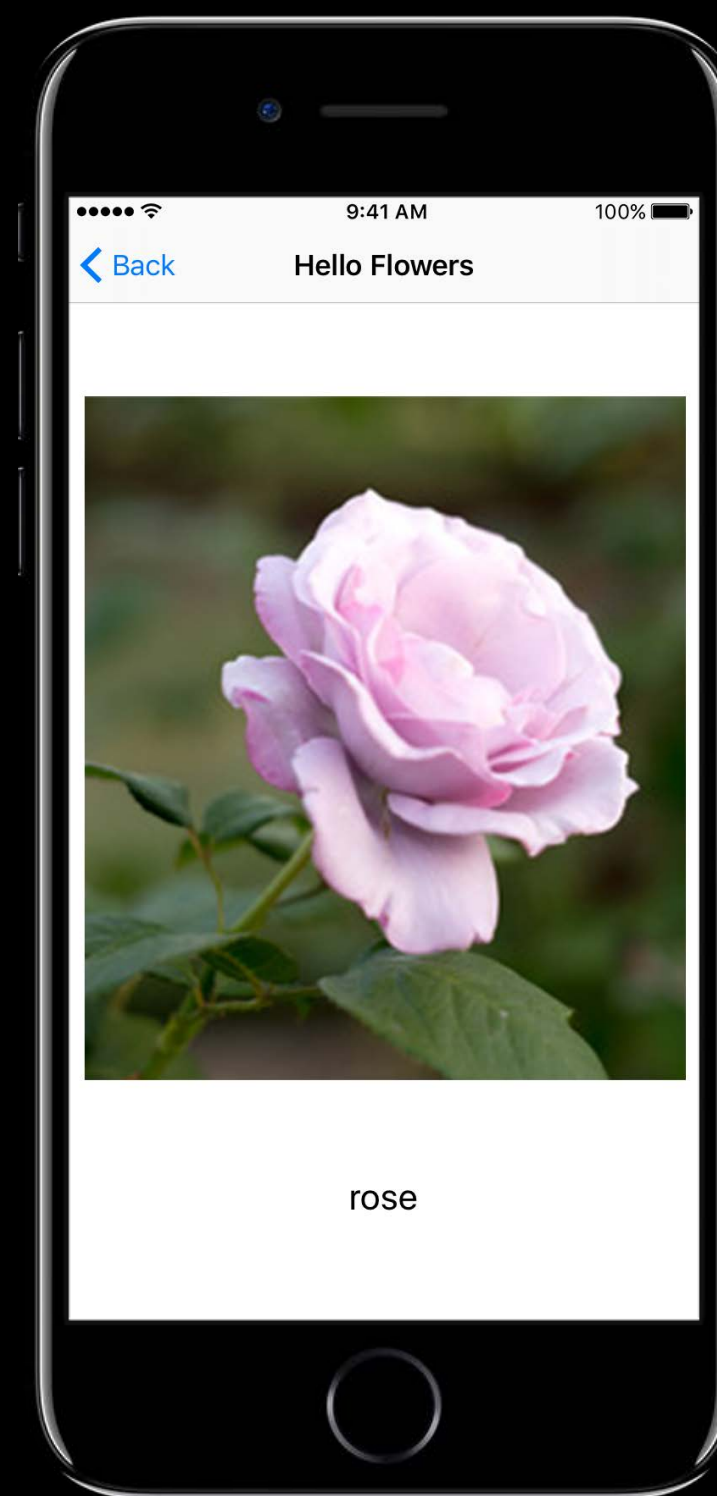


## Hardware Optimized

Core ML	
Accelerate	MPS
CPU	GPU

## Obtaining Models



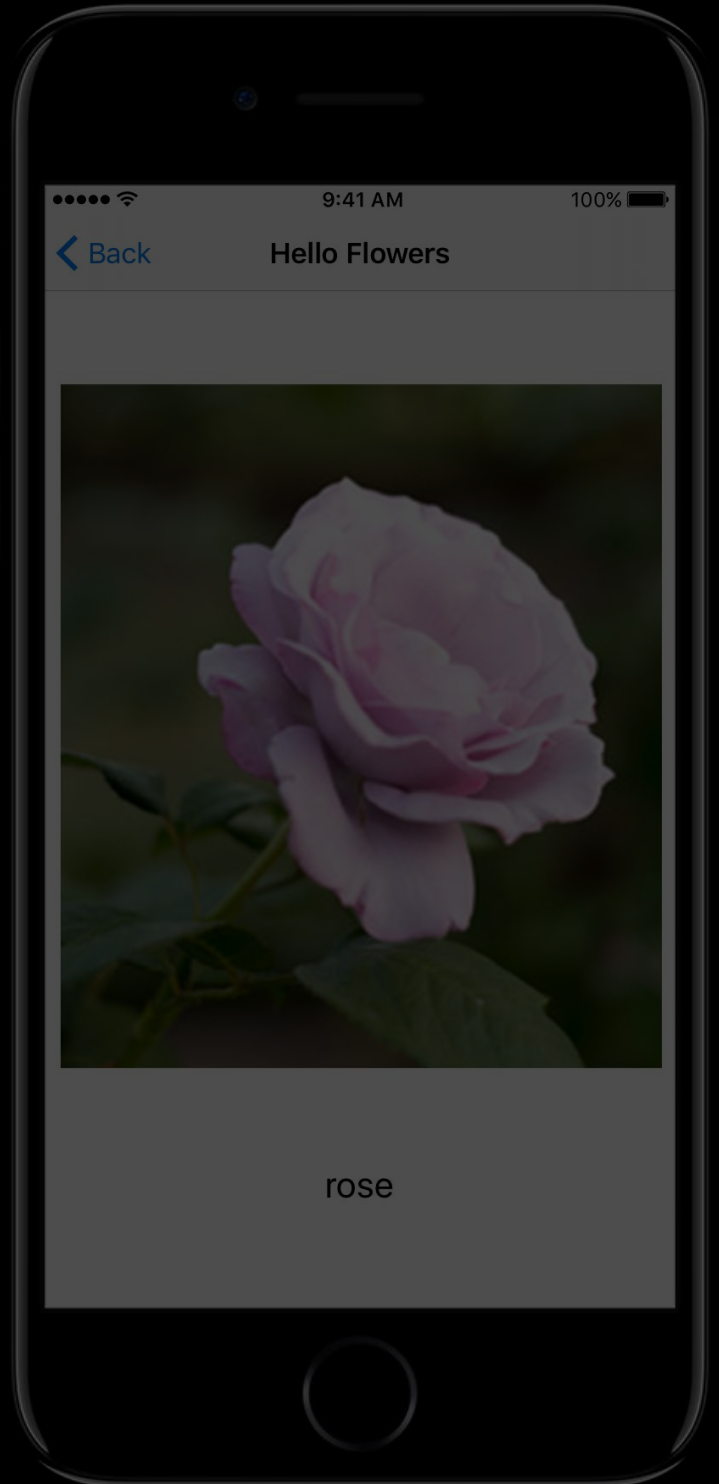


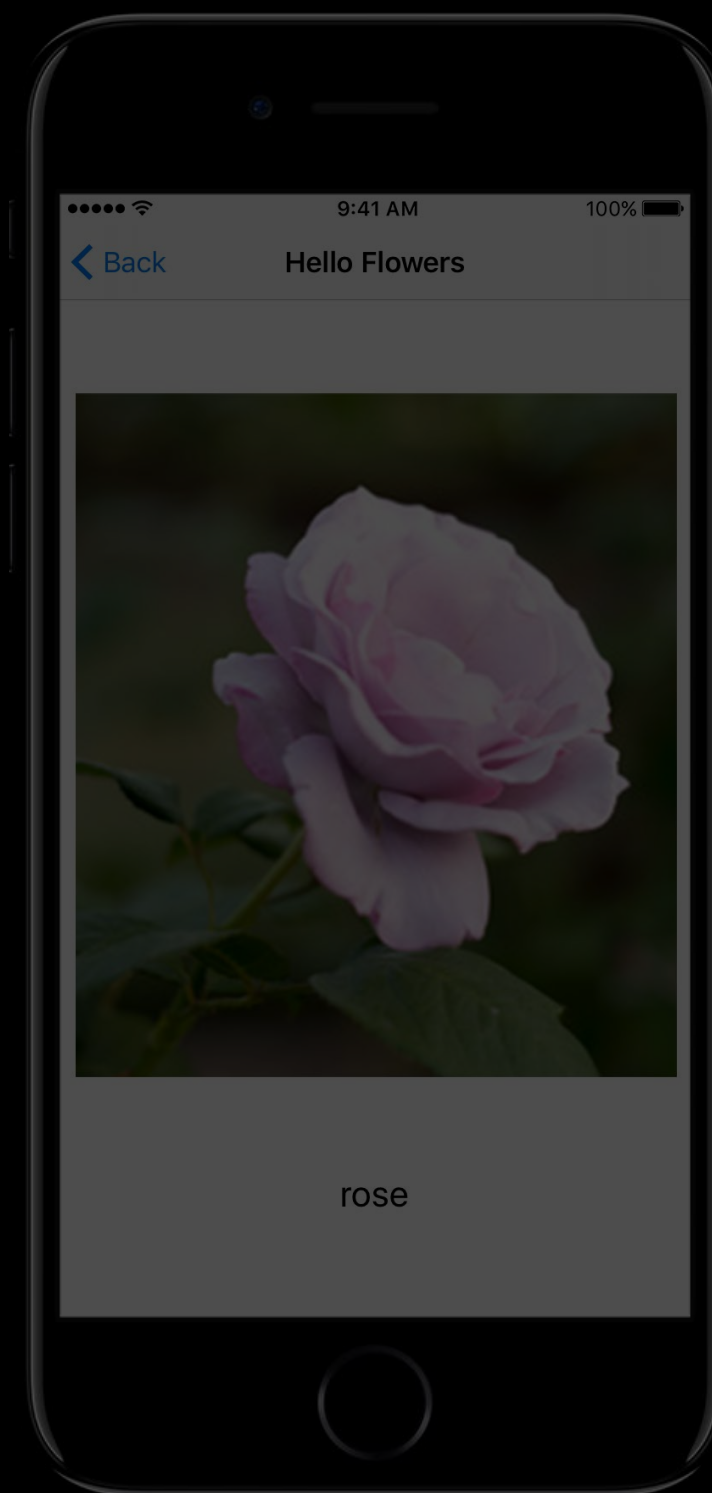
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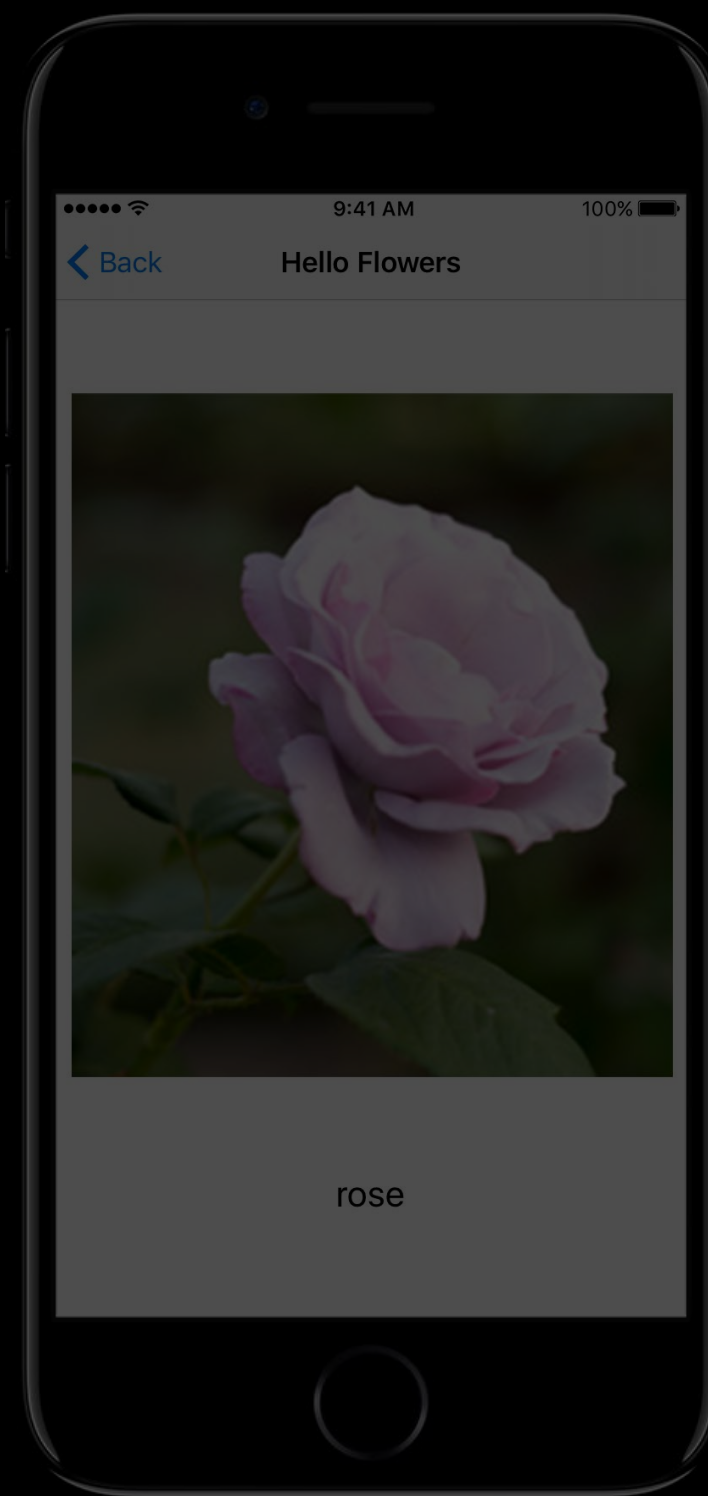
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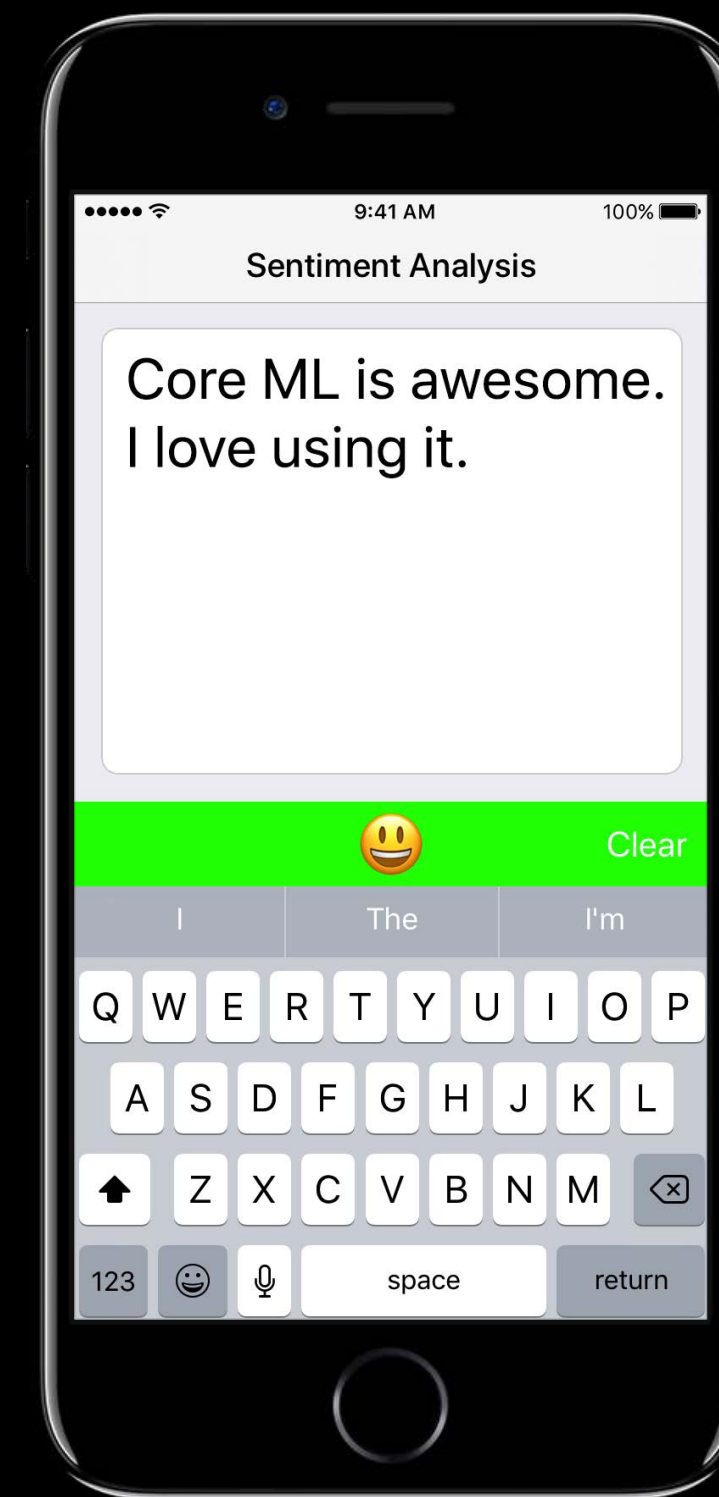
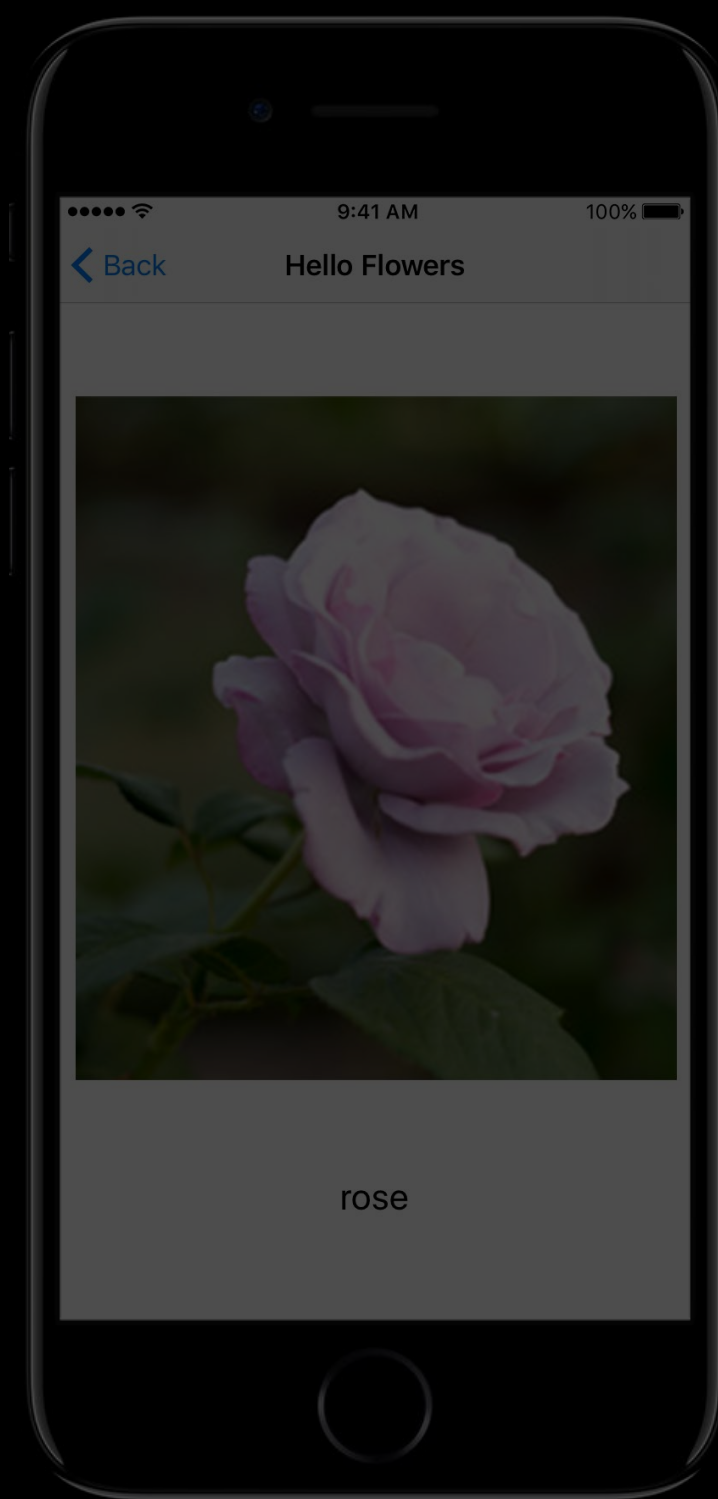


rose











Sentiment Analysis

Object Detection

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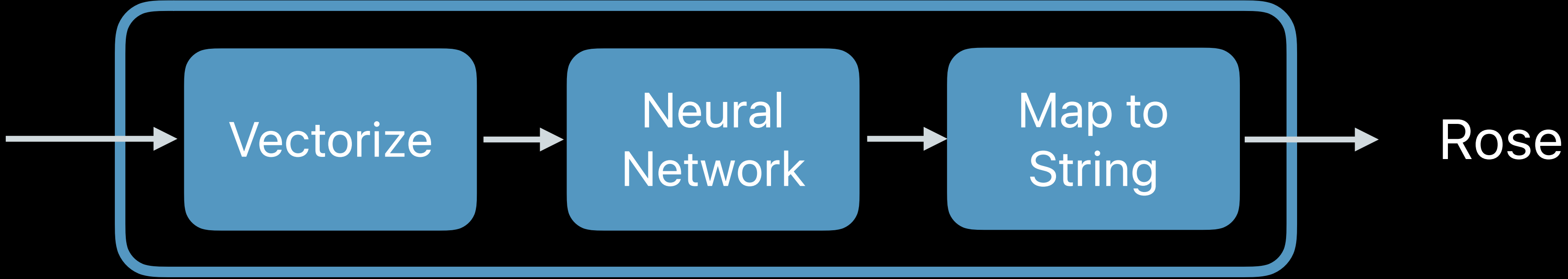
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# Pipeline



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Focus on code, not models!



# Models as Functions

Numeric

Categories

Images

Arrays

Dictionaries



"Rose"

# Numeric and Categories

[developer.apple.com/machine-learning](https://developer.apple.com/machine-learning)

Numeric

```
Double, Int64
```

Categories

```
String, Int64
```

Images

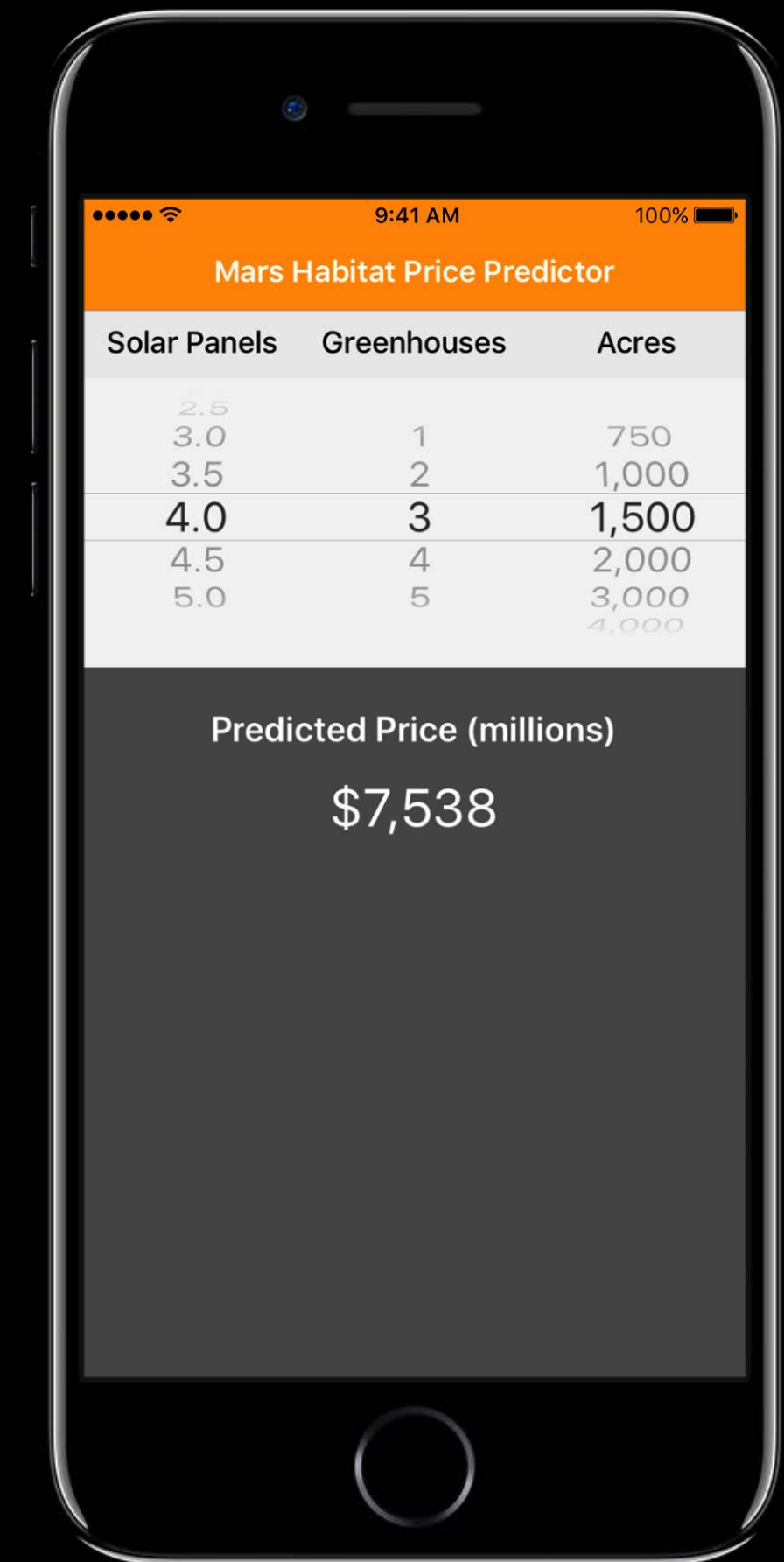
```
CVPixelBuffer
```

Arrays

```
MLMultiArray
```

Dictionaries

```
[String : Double], [Int64 : Double]
```



# Images

Numeric

```
Double, Int64
```

Categories

```
String, Int64
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Images

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CVPixelBuffer
```

Arrays

```
MLMultiArray
```

Dictionaries

```
[String : Double], [Int64 : Double]
```



# Multi-Dimensional Arrays

Numeric

```
Double, Int64
```

Categories

```
String, Int64
```

Images

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CVPixelBuffer
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Arrays

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Dictionaries

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# Dictionaries

Numeric

`Double, Int64`

Categories

`String, Int64`

Images

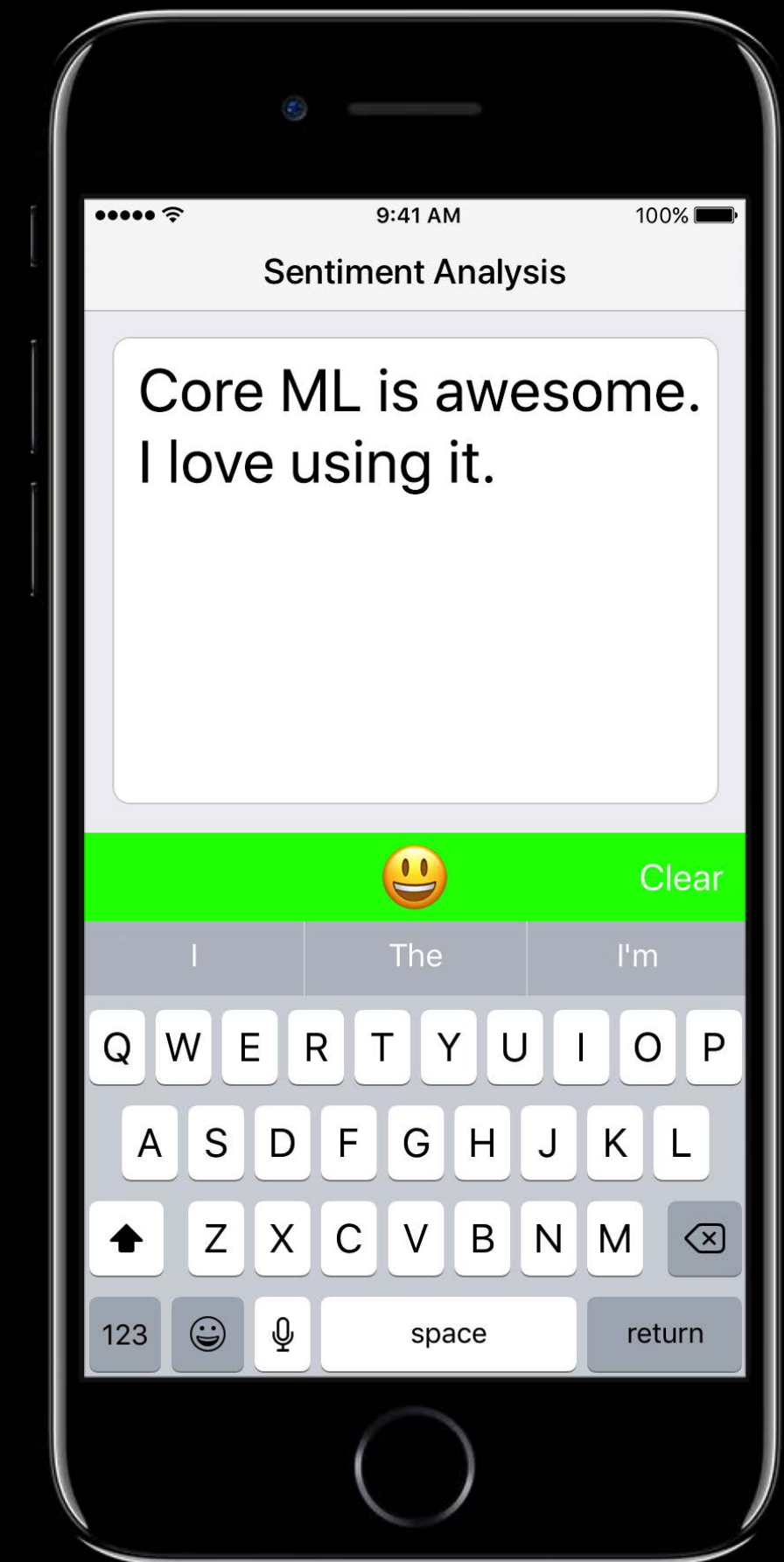
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Arrays

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Dictionaries

`[String : Double], [Int64 : Double]`



# Working with Text



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# Sentiment Analysis

Empty text input area for entering text to be analyzed.



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123



space

return

# Sentiment Analysis

CoreML is awesome.  
I love using it

😊 Clear

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## Sentiment Analysis

Today's lunch was  
terrible and  
disappointing



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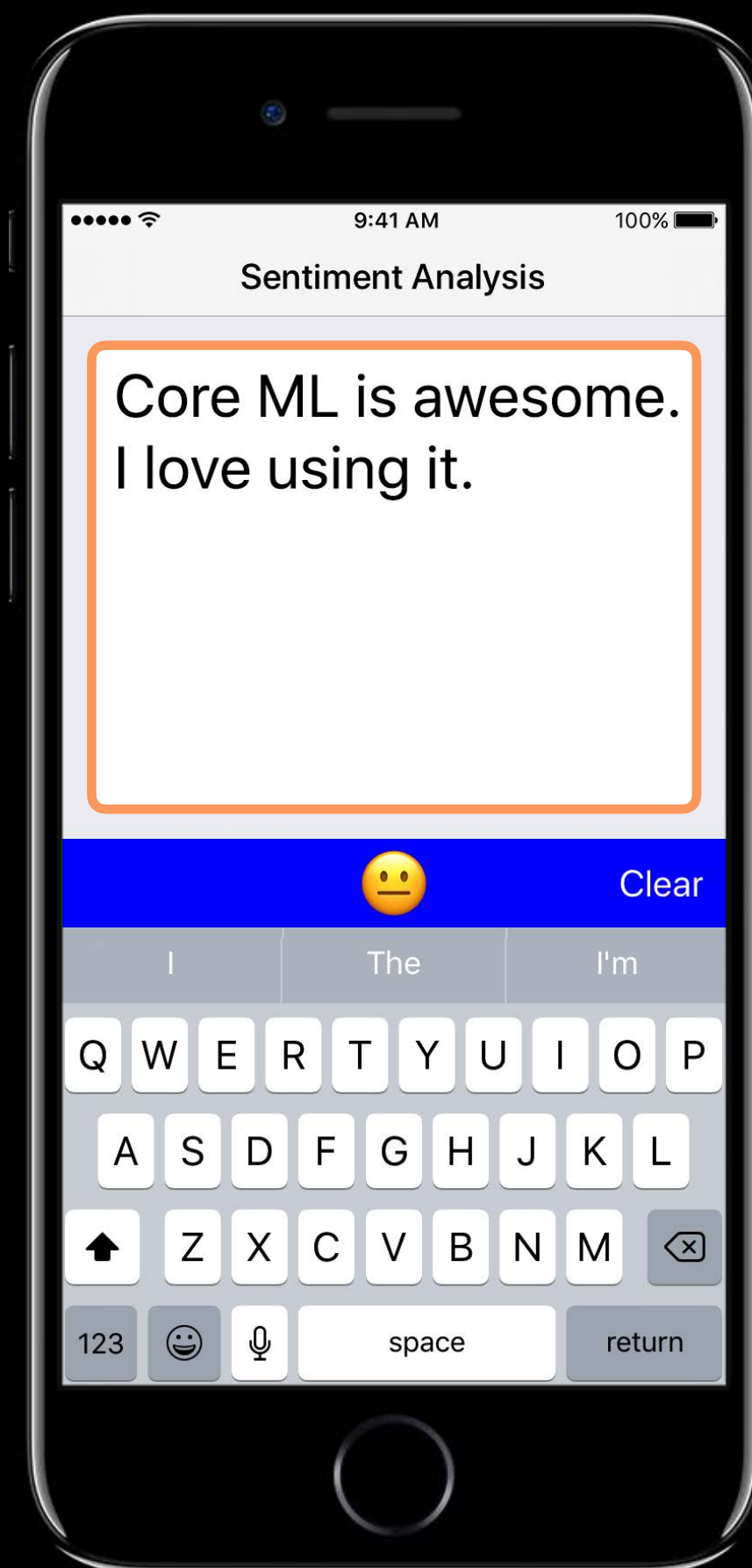
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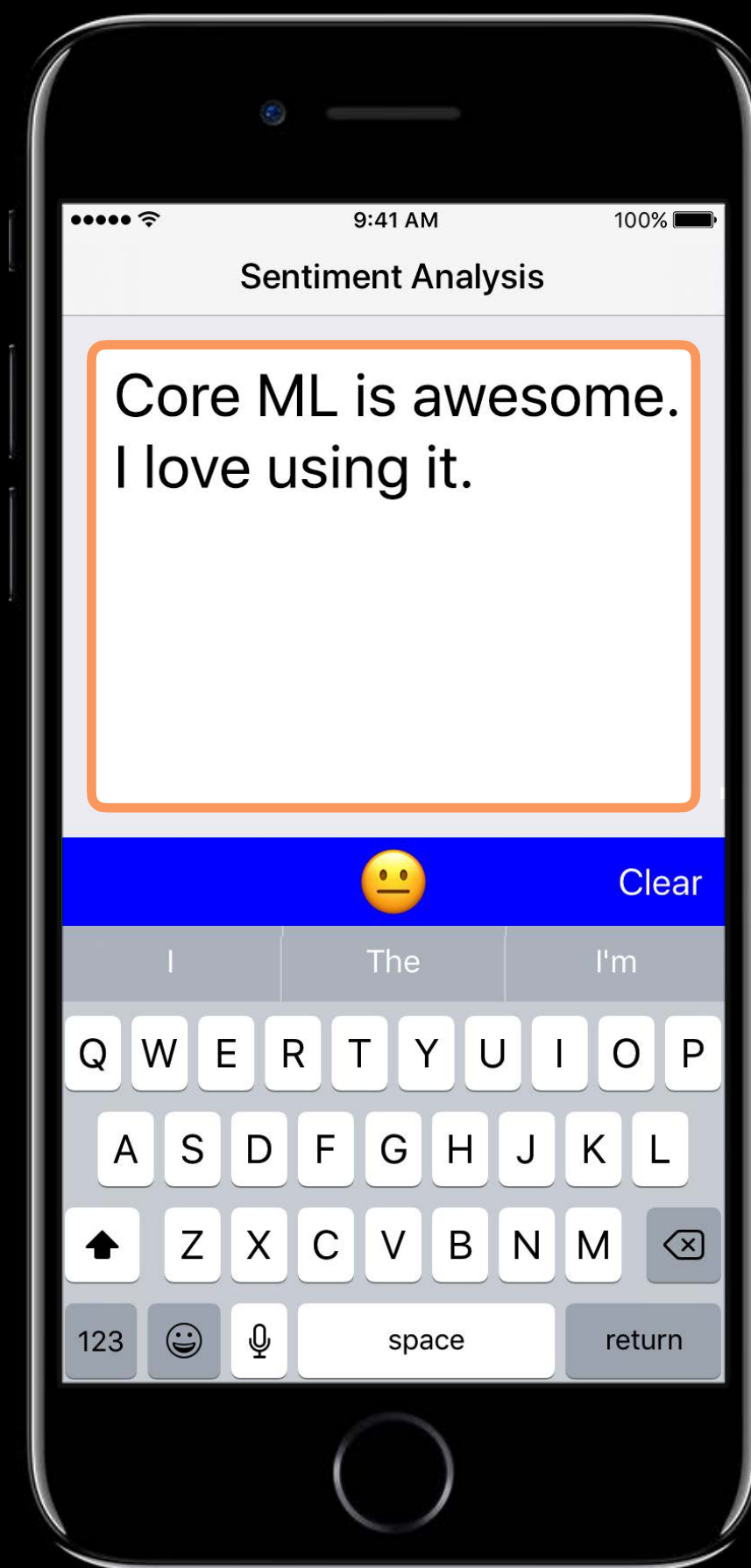
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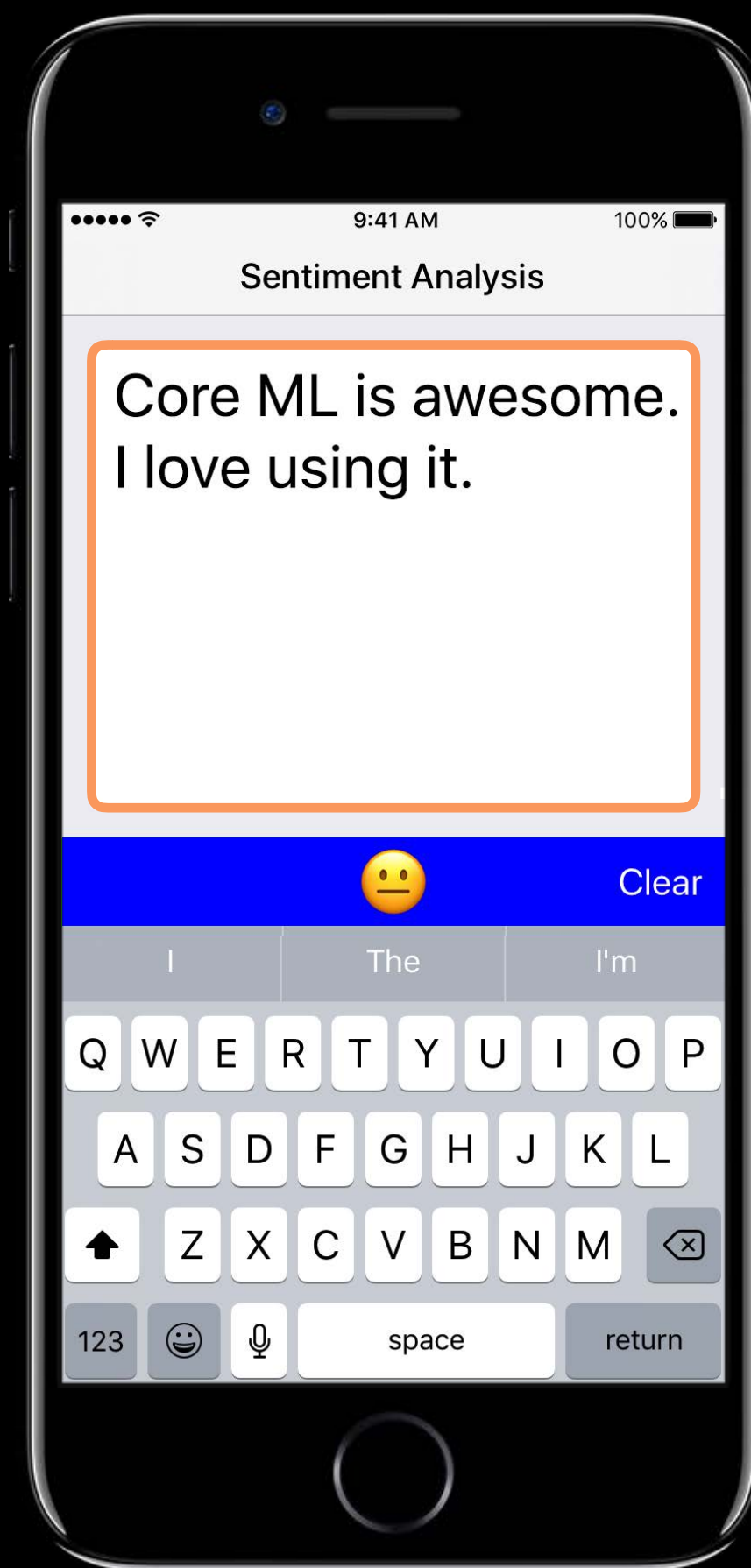
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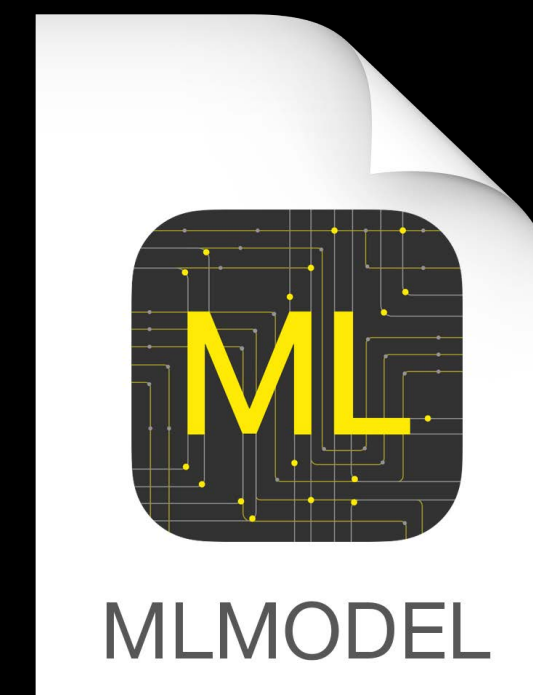
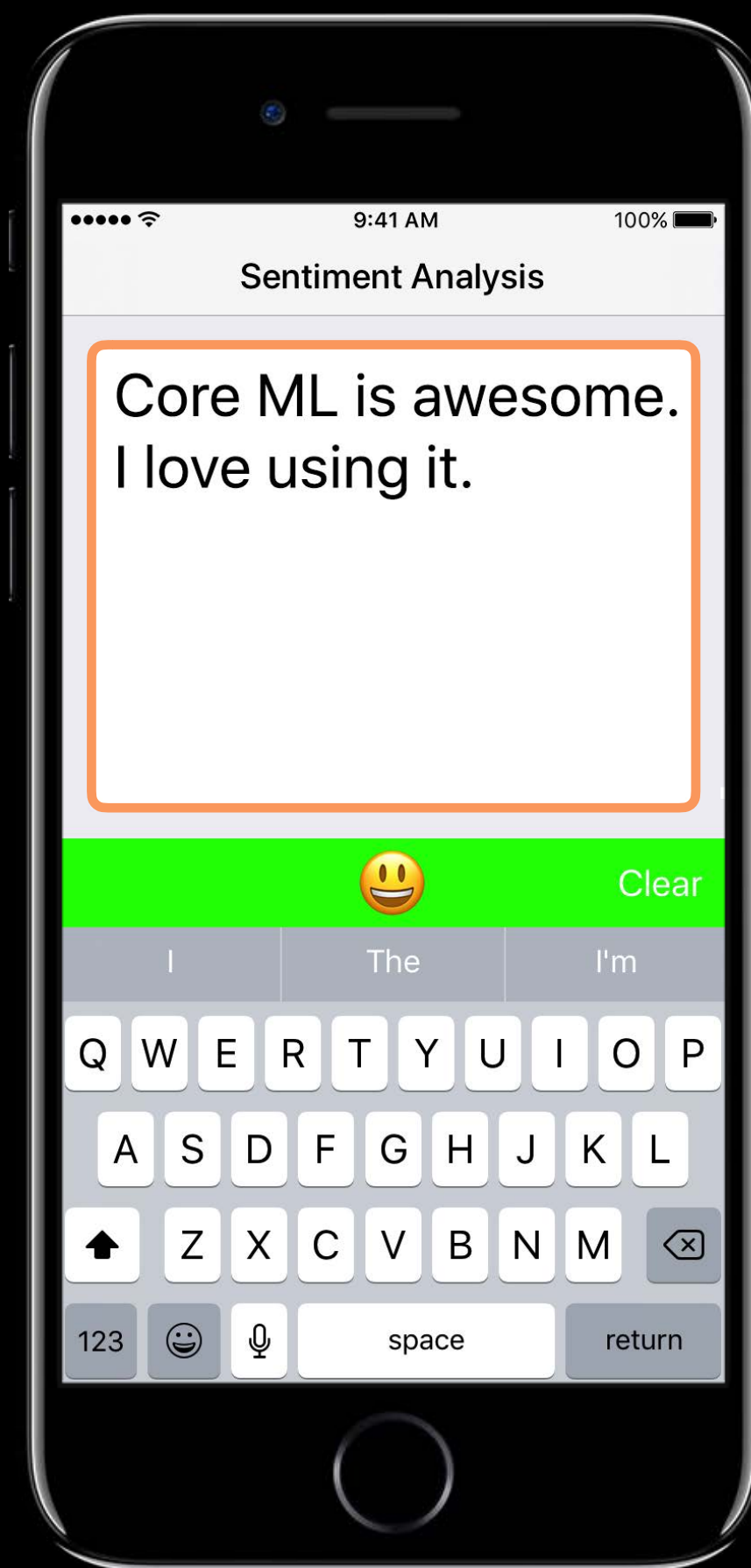
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# Using Other Formats

## Word Counts

```
{  
  "Core"      : 1,  
  "ML"       : 1,  
  "is"       : 1,  
  "awesome"  : 1,  
  "I"        : 1,  
  "love"     : 1,  
  "using"    : 1,  
  "it"       : 1,  
}
```

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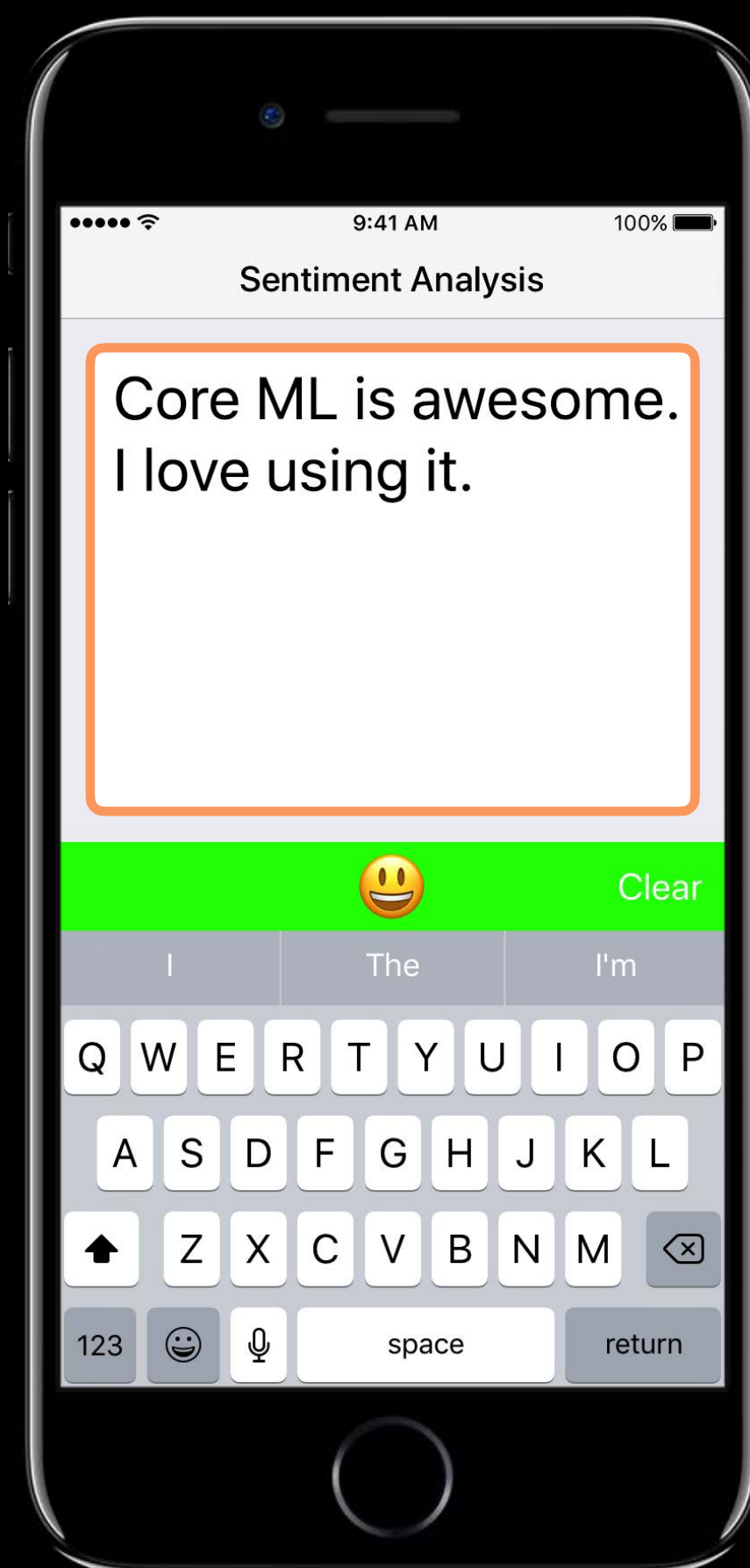
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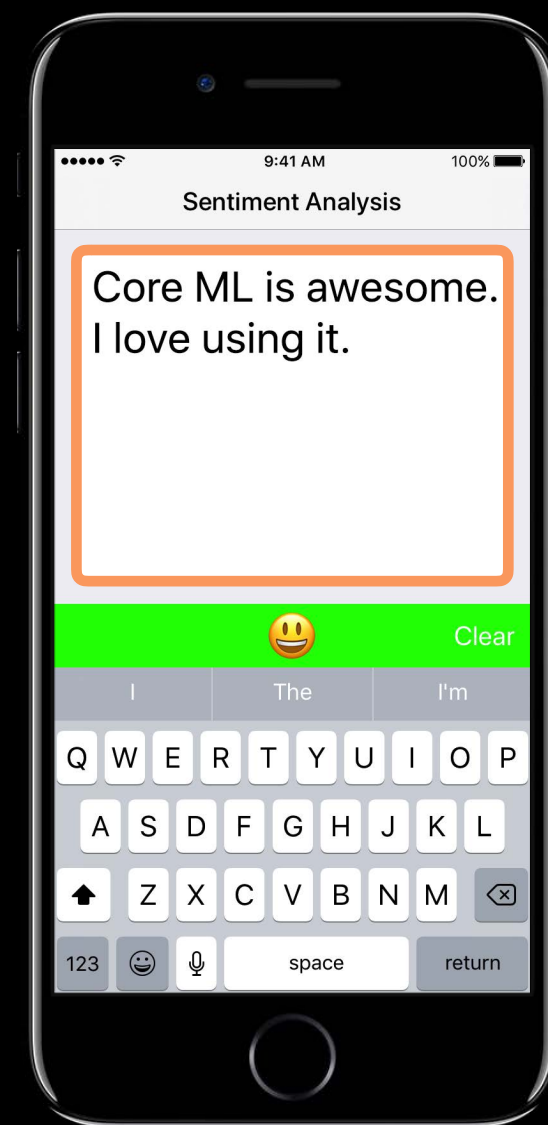
# Use NLP to Process Text



## Word Counts

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# Sentiment Analysis Application



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  "using"    : 1,  
  "it"       : 1,  
}
```



Use NLP (NSLinguisticTagger)

Use Core ML



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## Sentiment Analysis

Core ML is awesome.  
I love using it.



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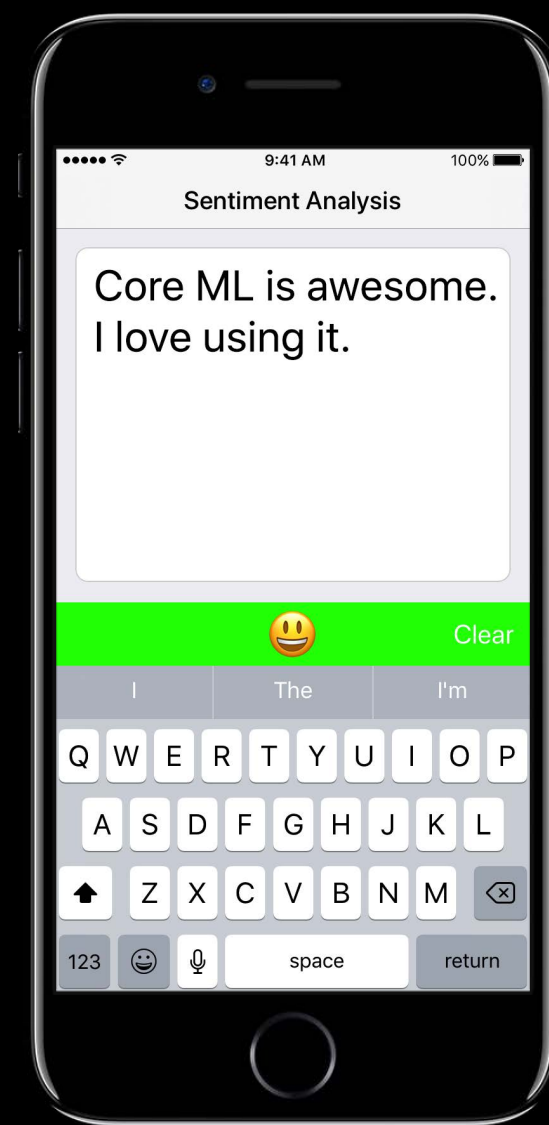
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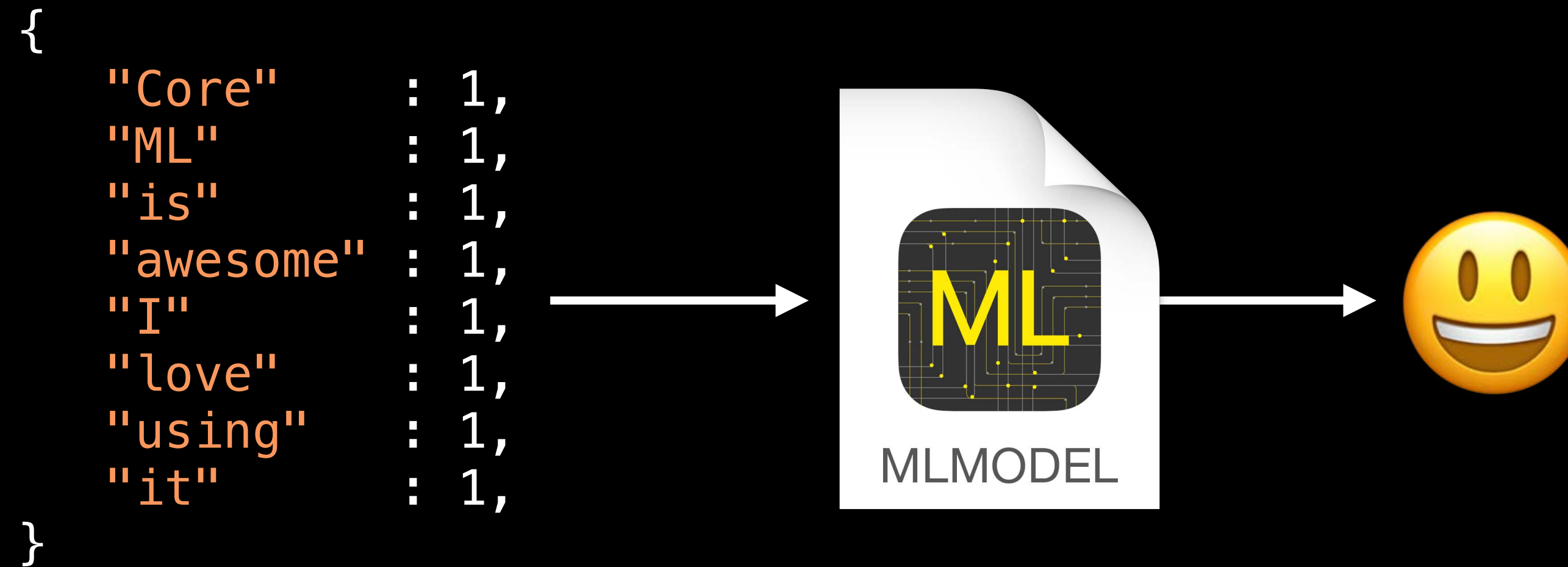
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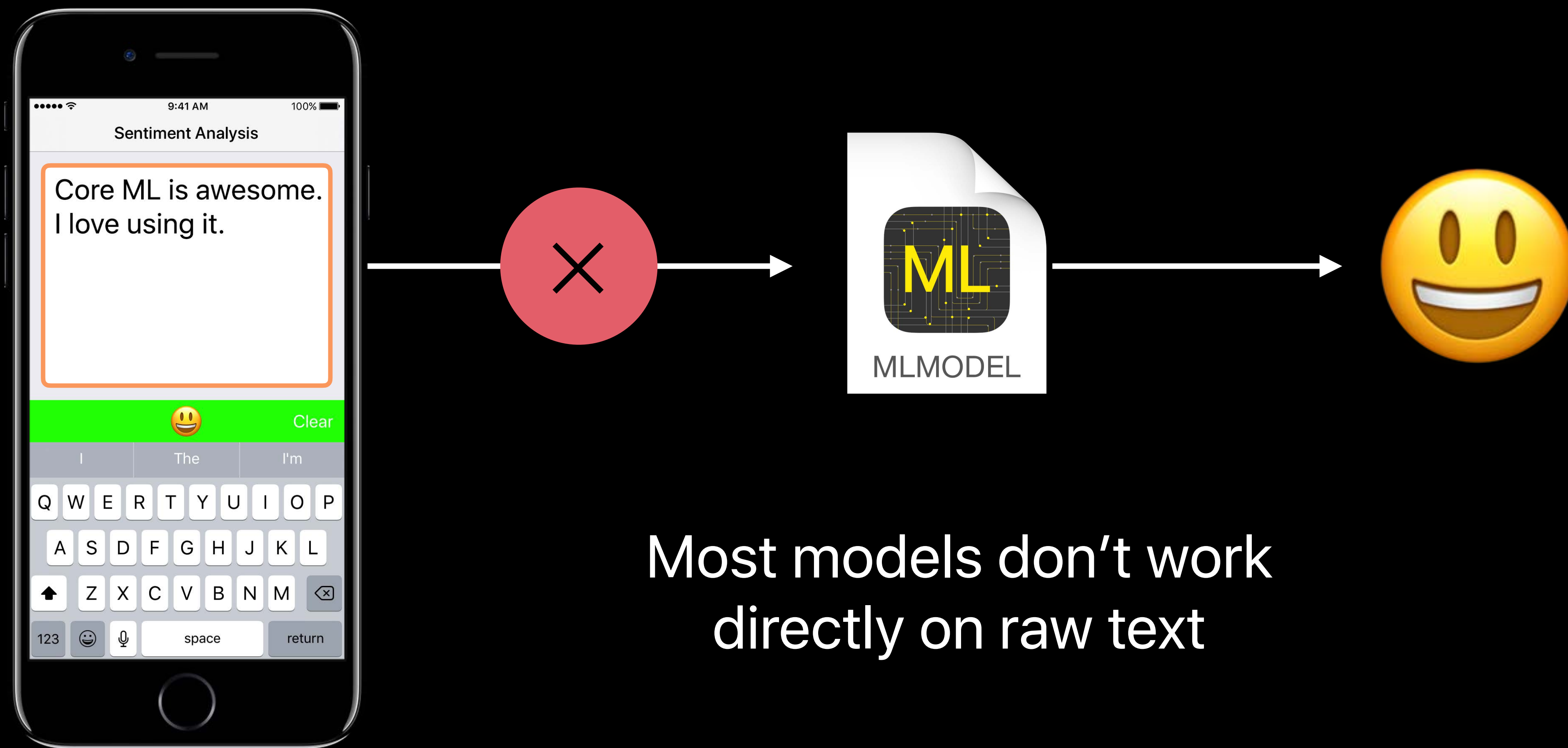
```
func tokenizeAndCountWords(rawTxt: String) -> [String : Double] {  
  // Tokenize using NSLinguisticTagger  
  ...  
  
  // Count occurrences of each token  
}
```

# Making Predictions



```
let model = SentimentAnalysis()  
if let prediction = try? model.prediction(wordCounts: counts) {  
    print("Sentiment: \(prediction.sentiment)")  
}
```

# Text Gotchas



Most models don't work directly on raw text



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[← Messages](#)

Lisa

[Details](#)

iMessage  
Today 9:41 AM

What do you think about having dinner out at Point Reyes tomorrow?



I'm not sure if Oliver will eat oysters, but he will |

[Send](#)

so

totally

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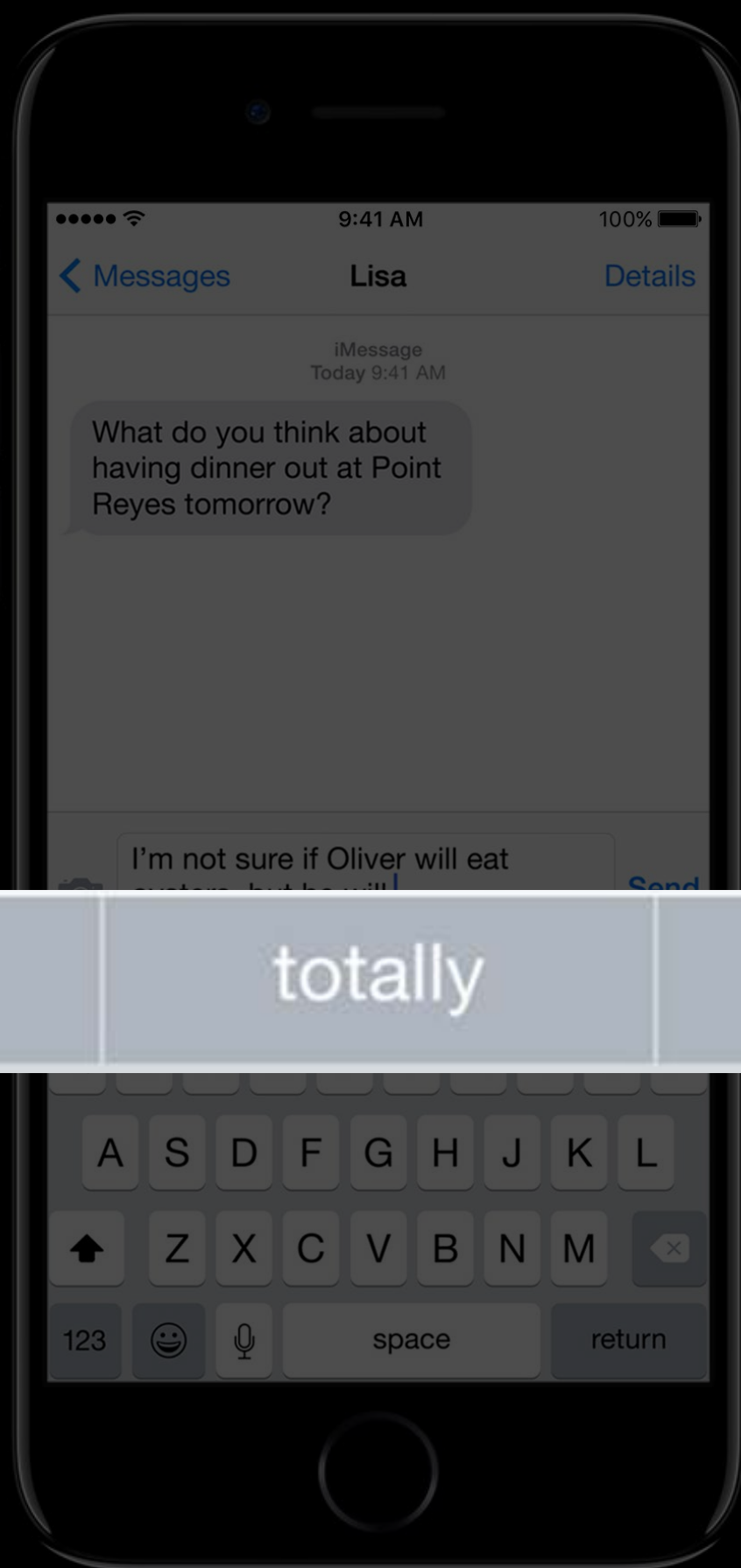


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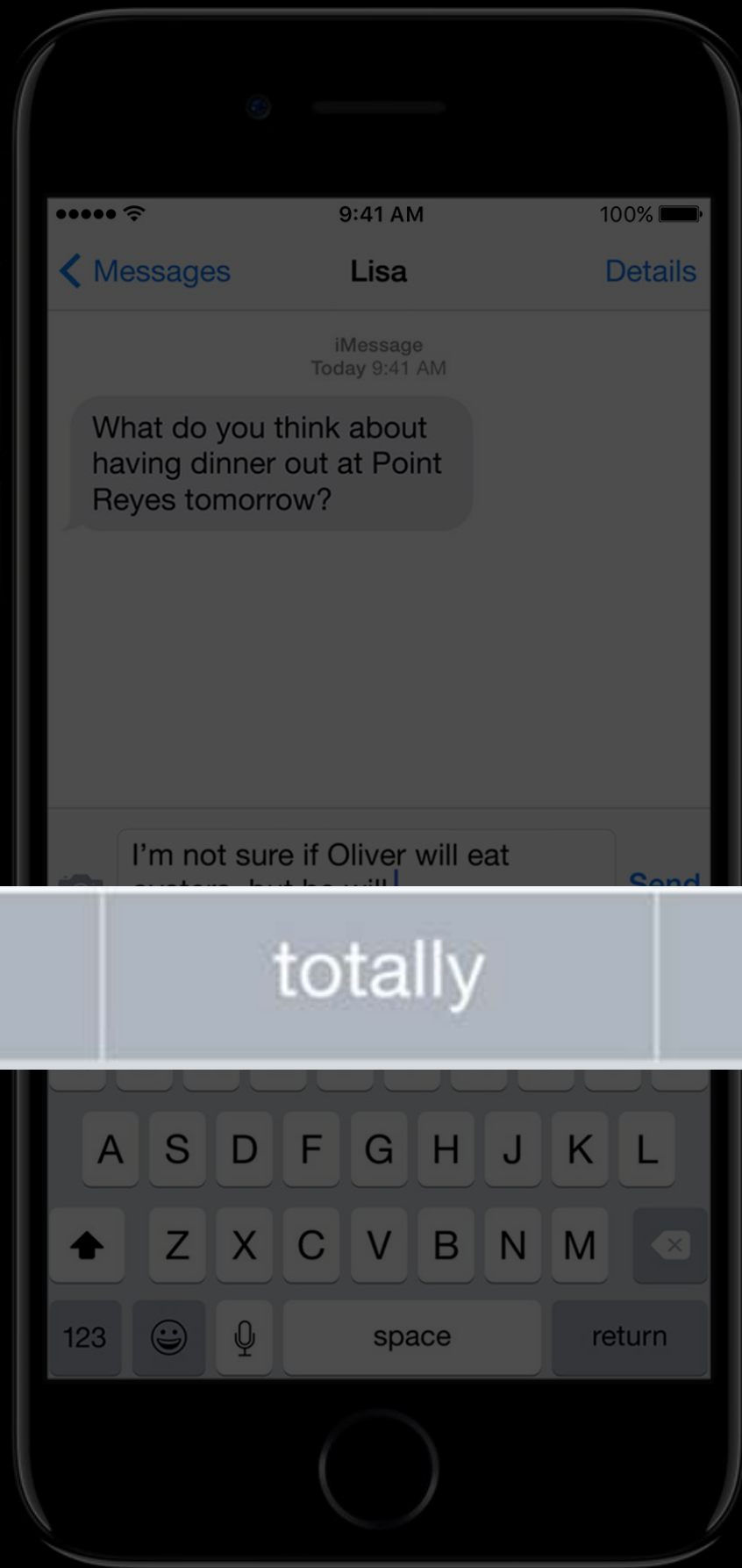
# Predictive Keyboard



I'm not sure Oliver  
will eat oysters,  
but he will



# Predictive Keyboard



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**Task** - Next word prediction



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## Shakespeare Keyboard

Shall I compare

thee

summers

day

Q W E R T Y U I O P

A S D F G H J K L

↑ Z X C V B N M

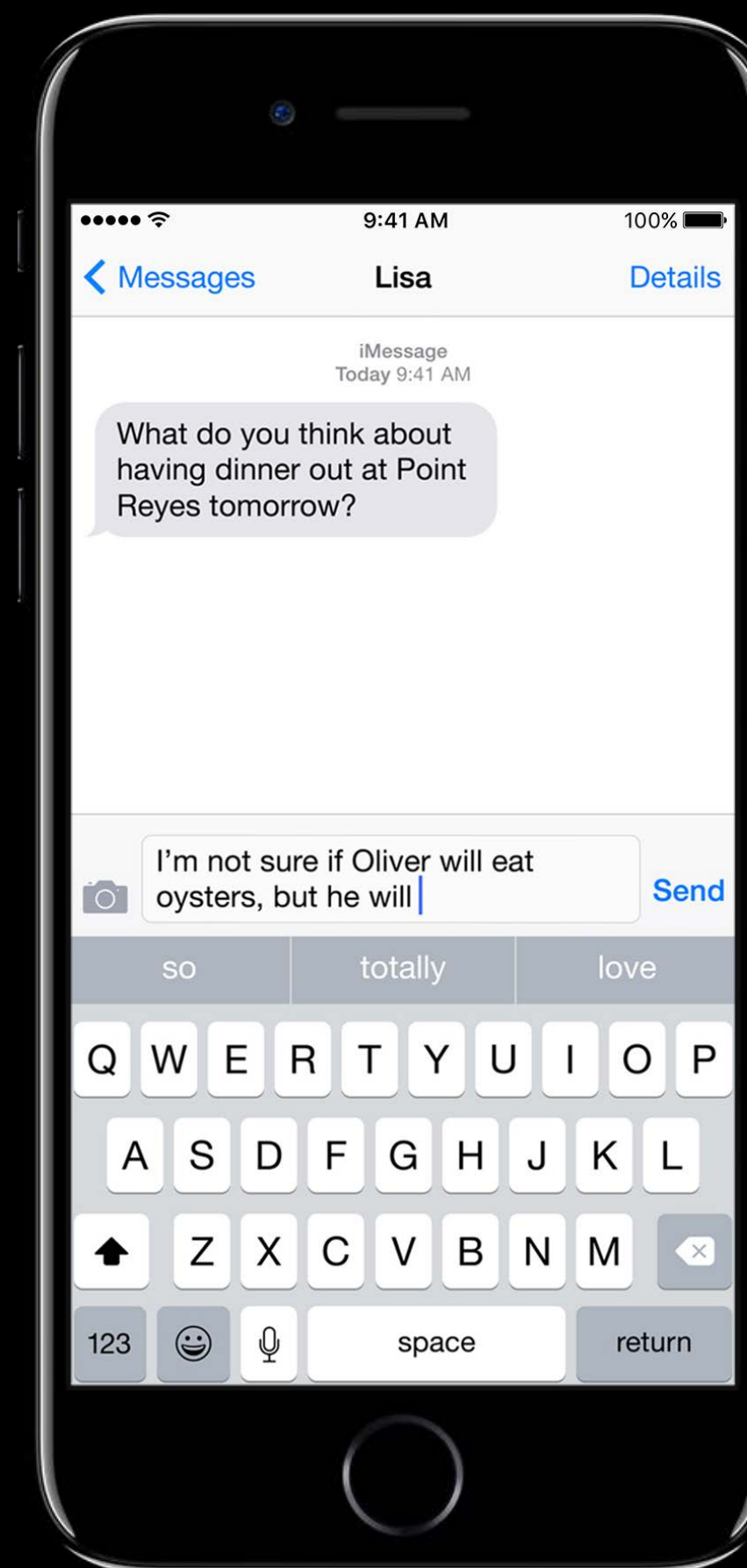
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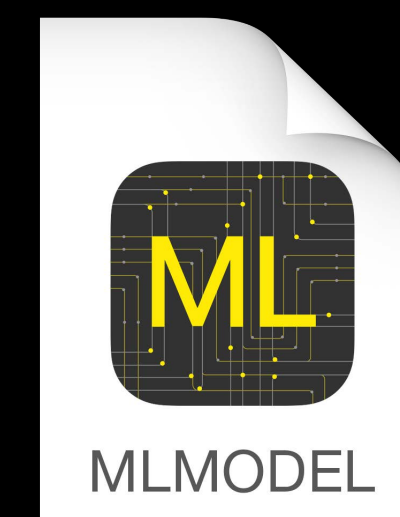
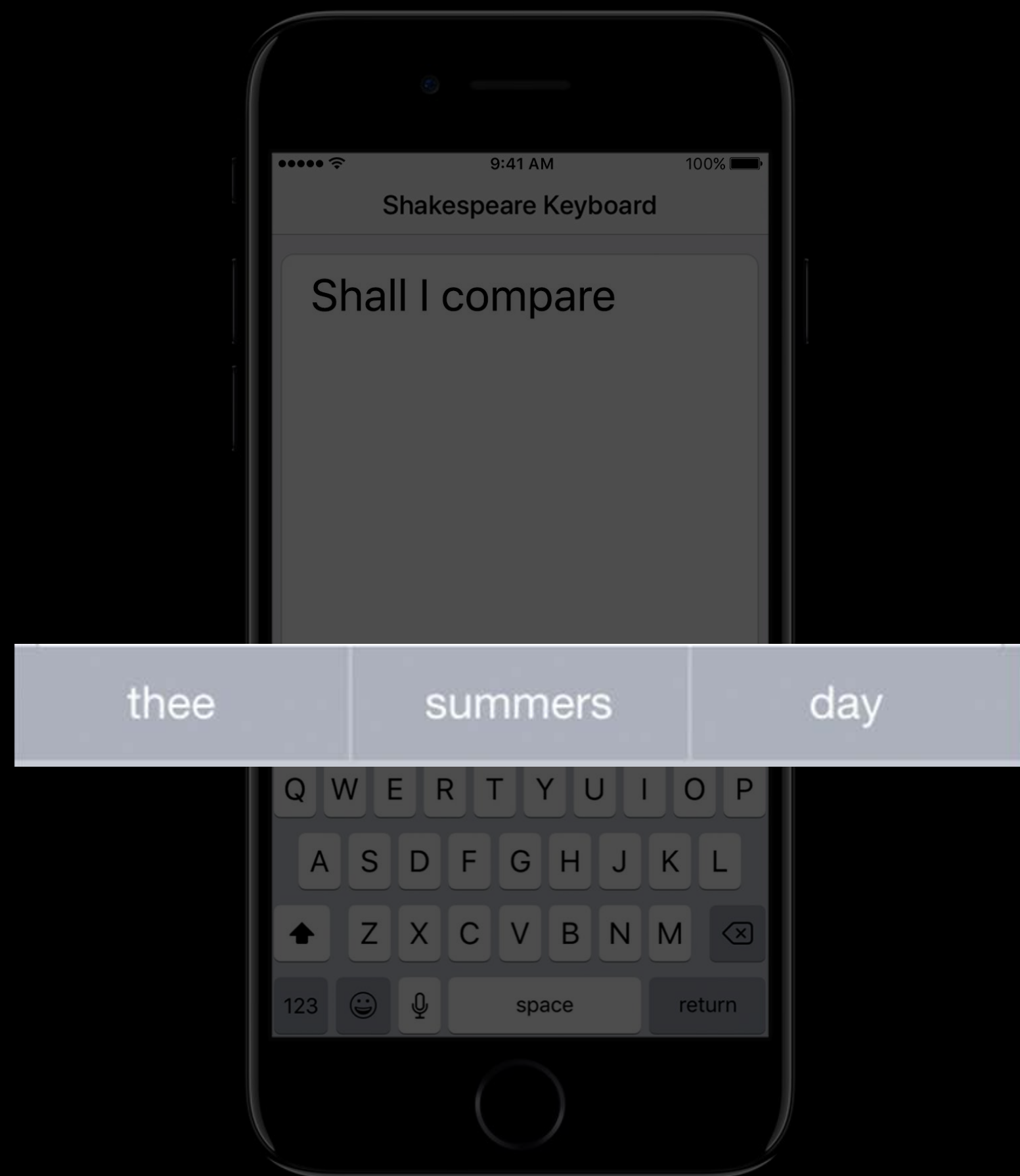
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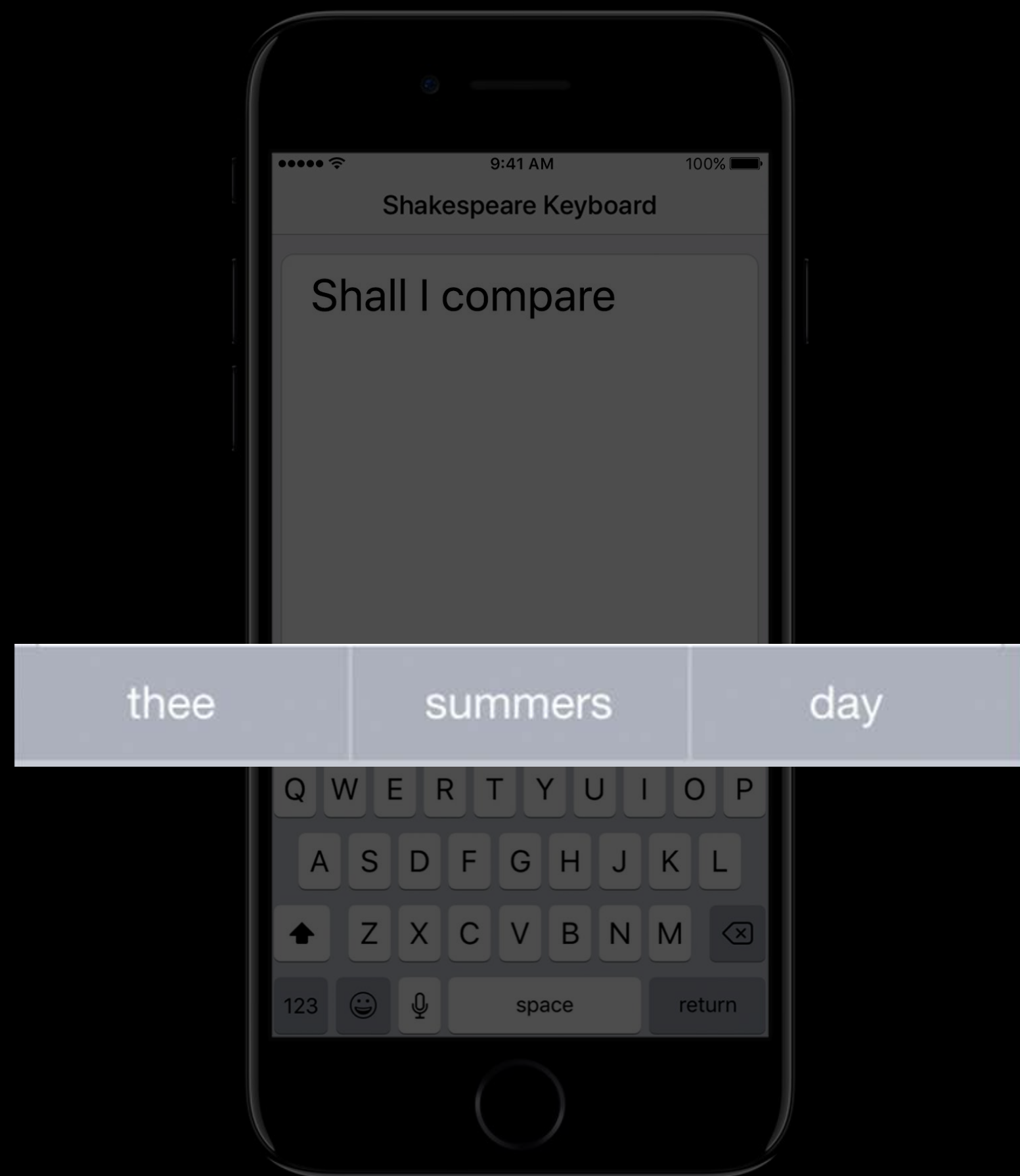
# Language Models



# Shakespeare Keyboard



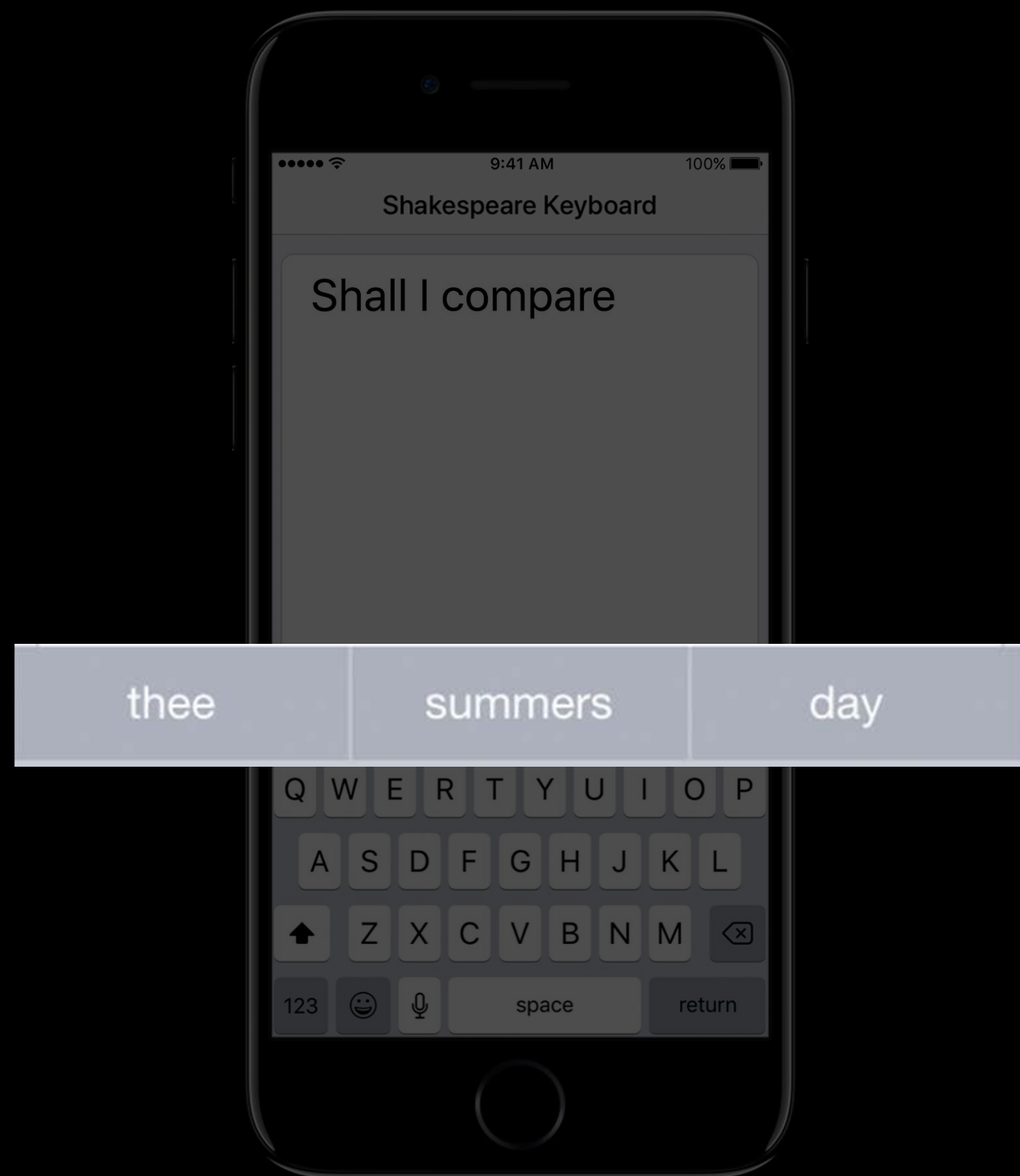
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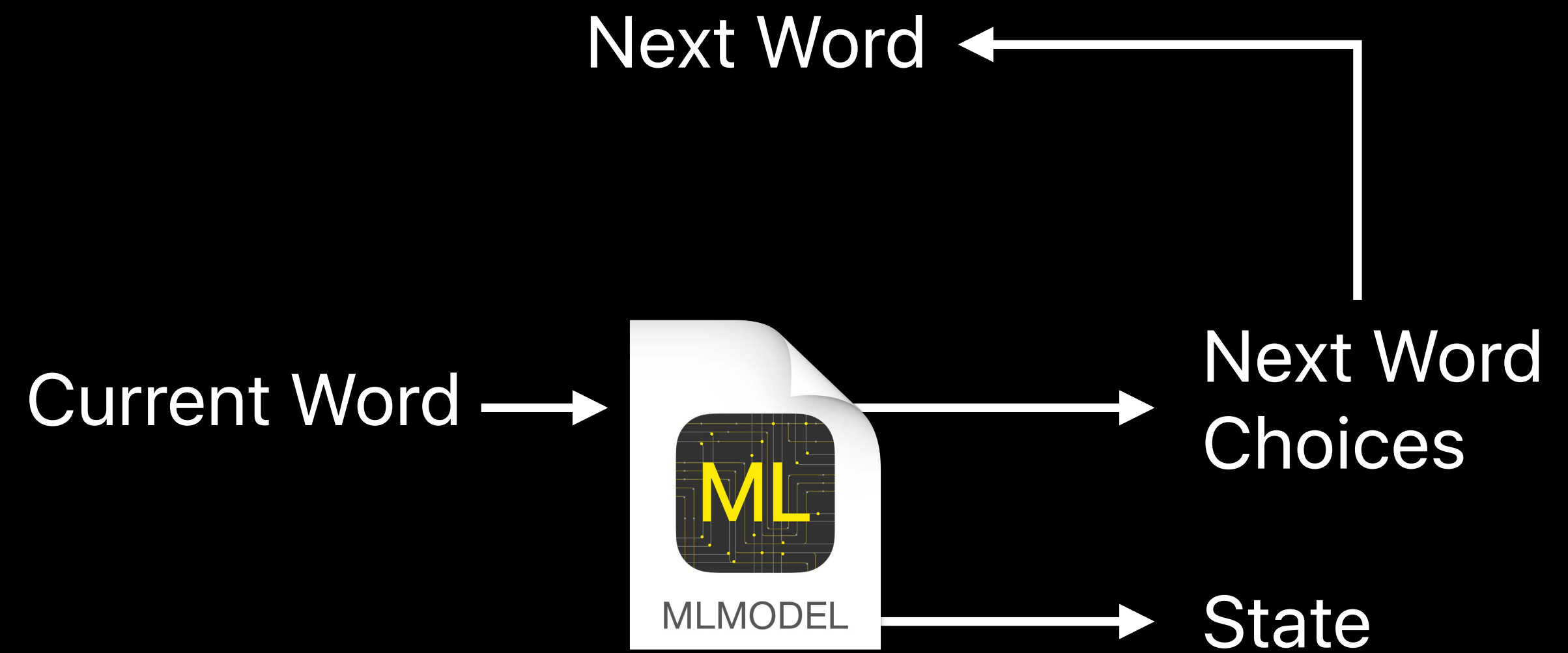
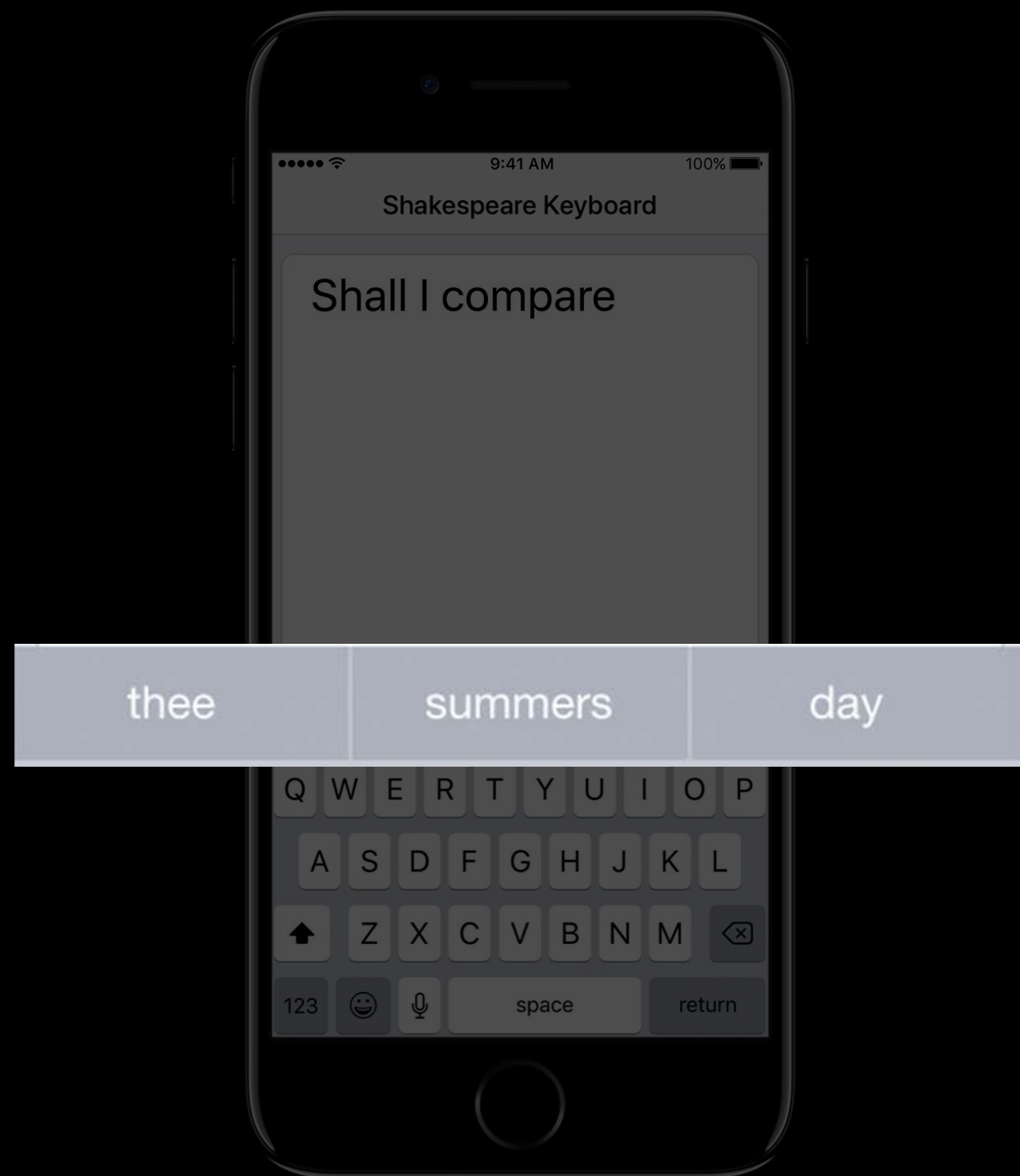
Current Word →



# Shakespeare Keyboard

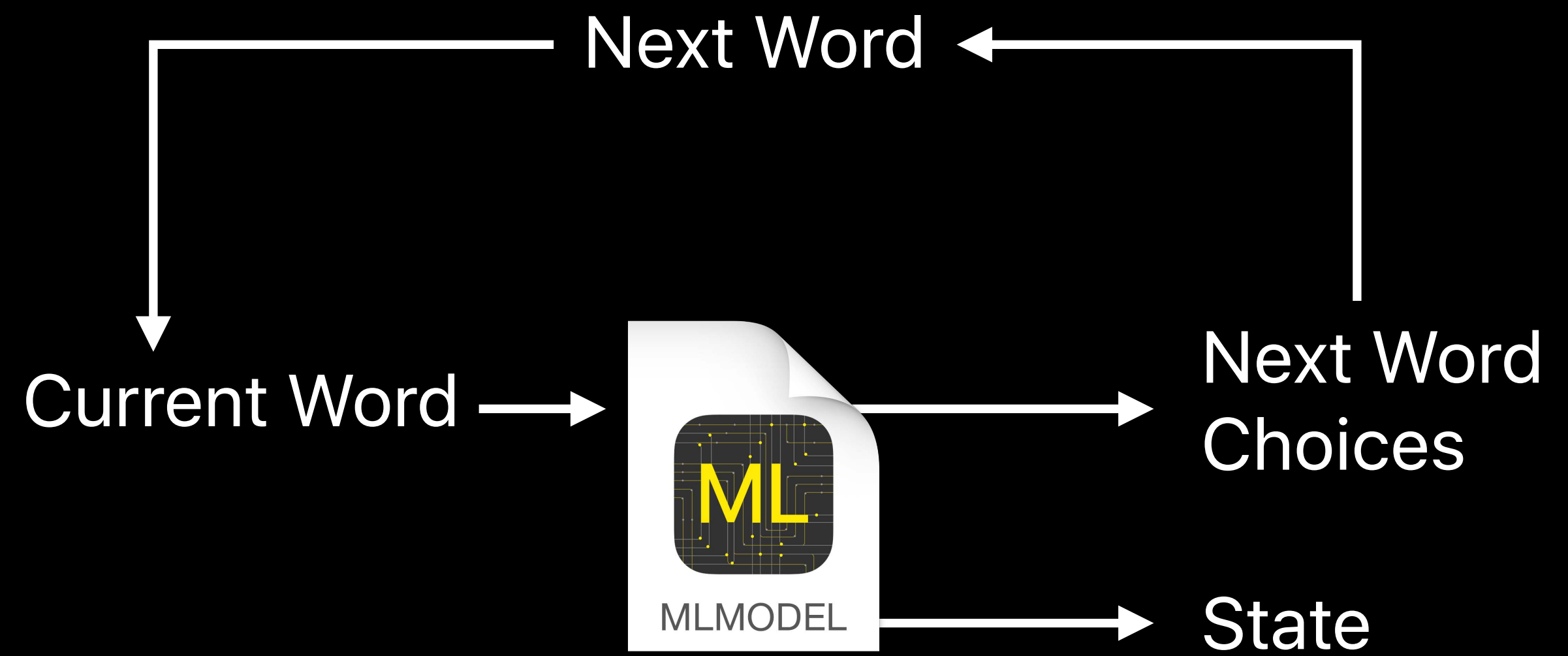
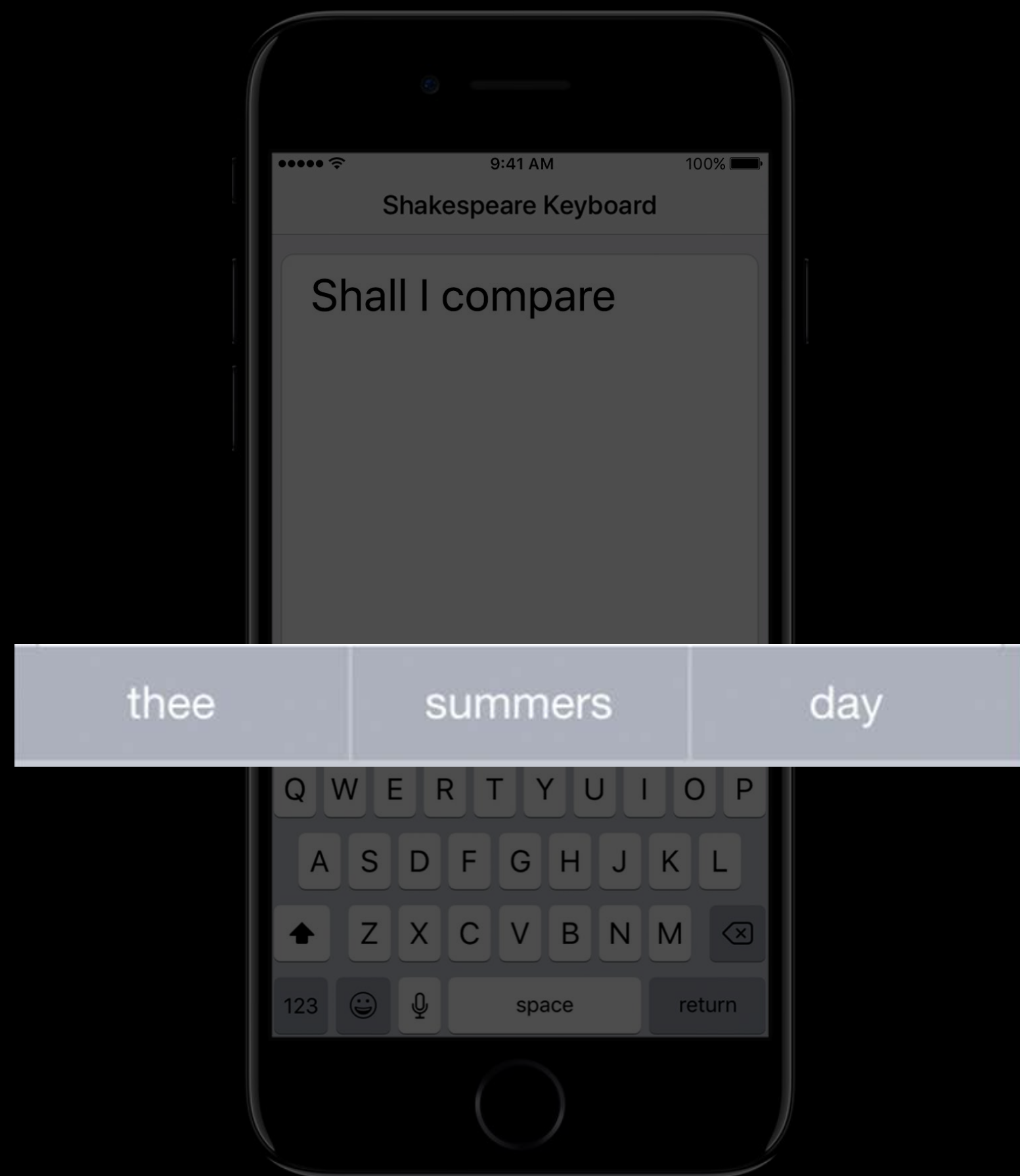


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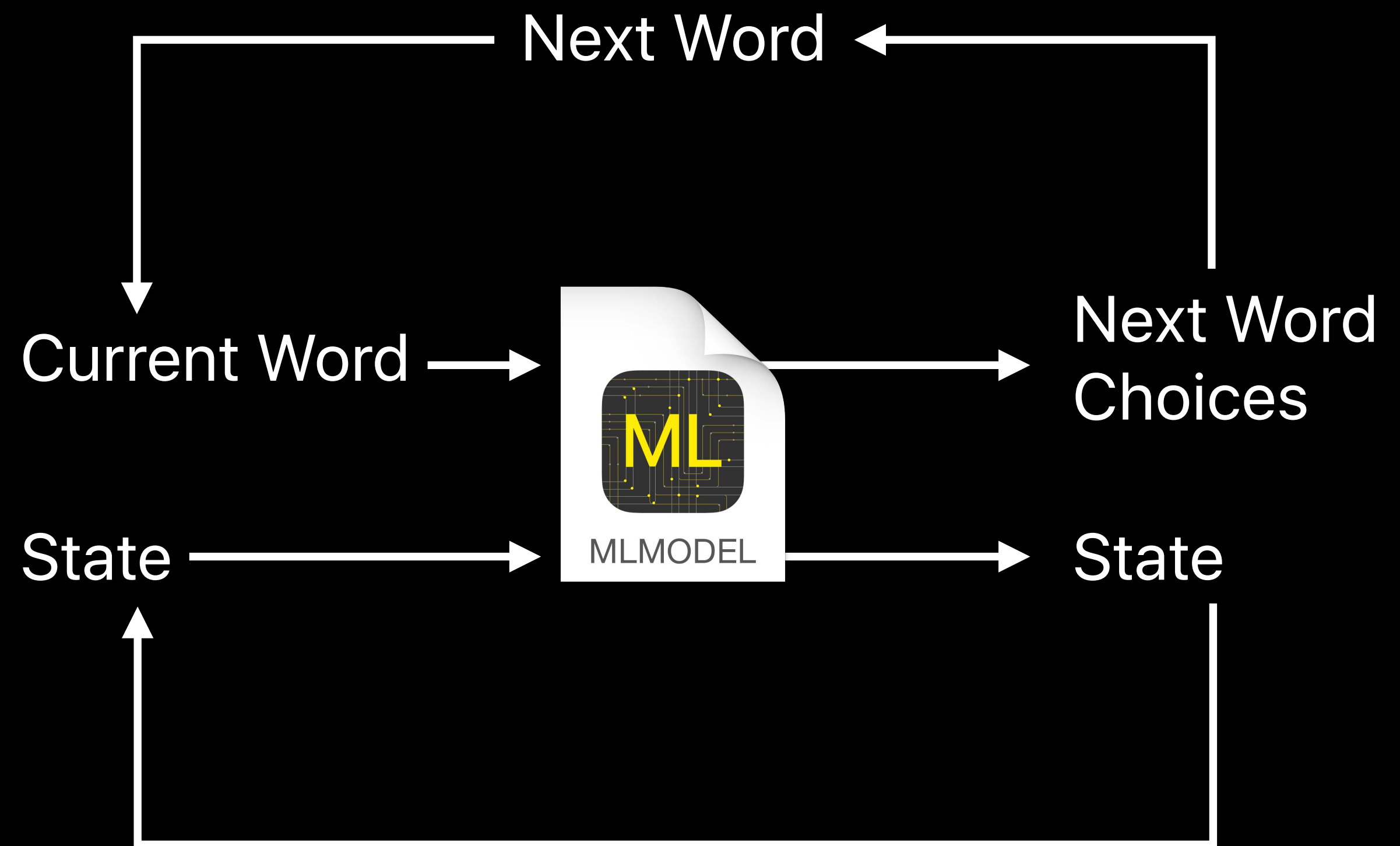
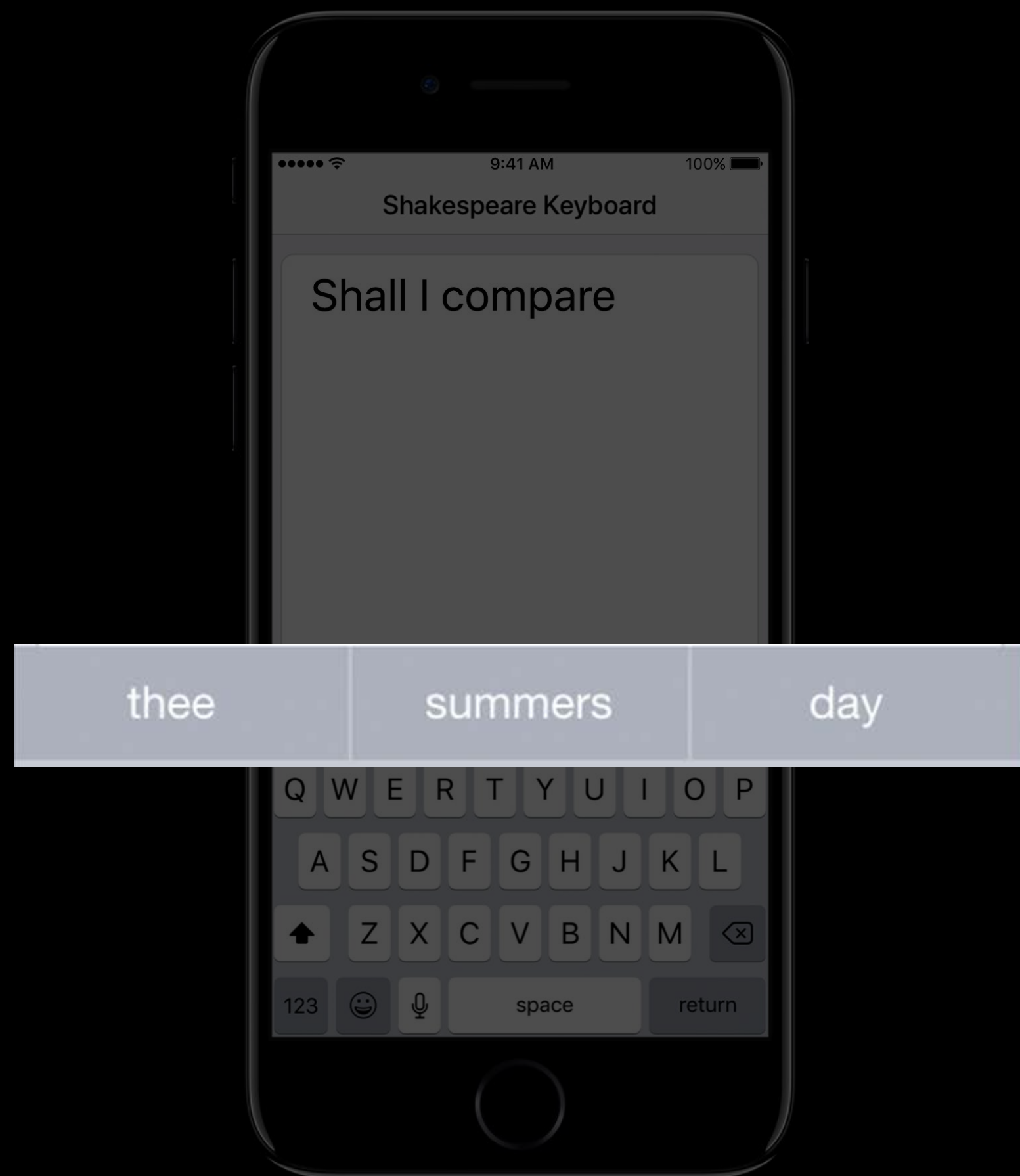




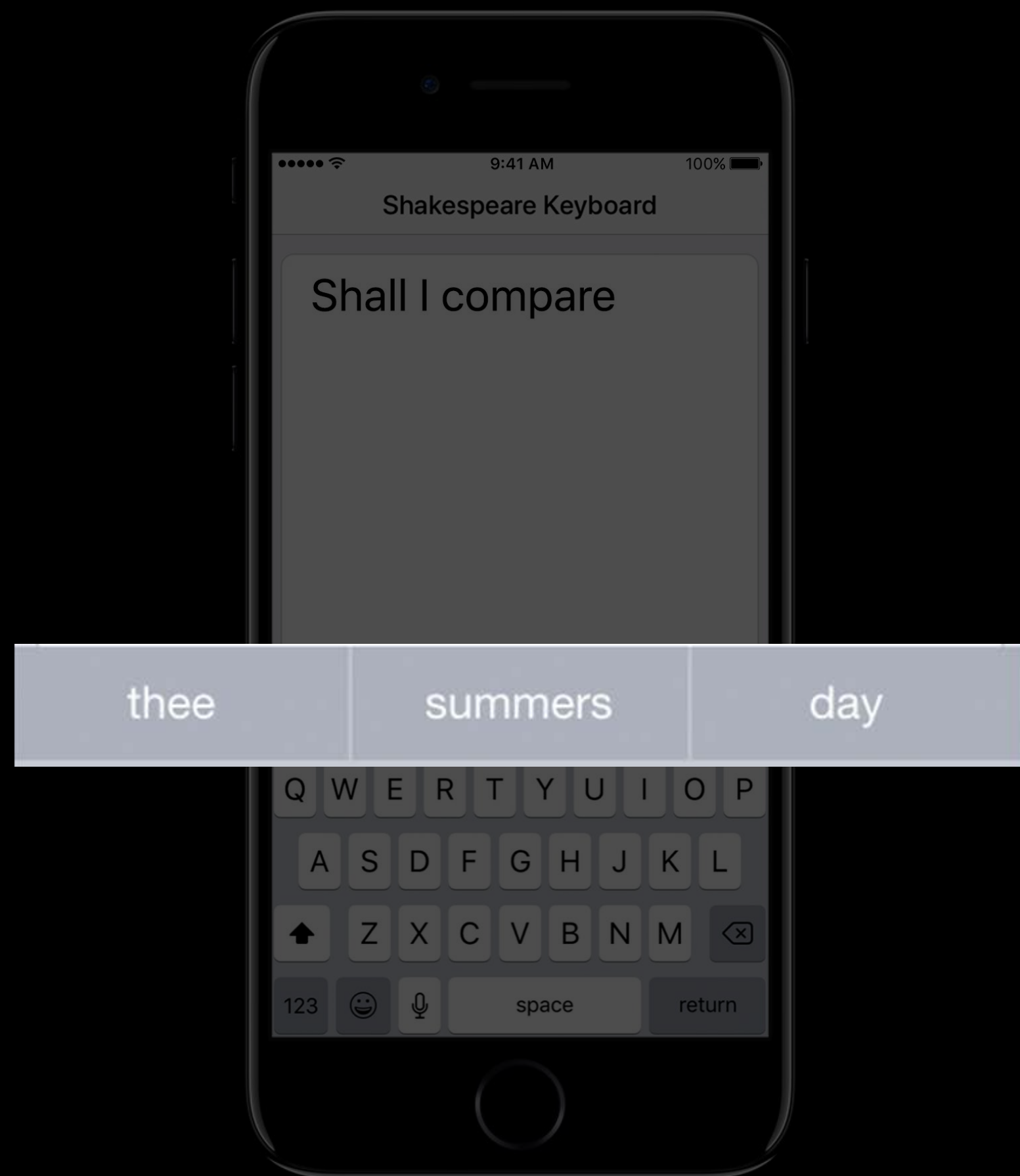
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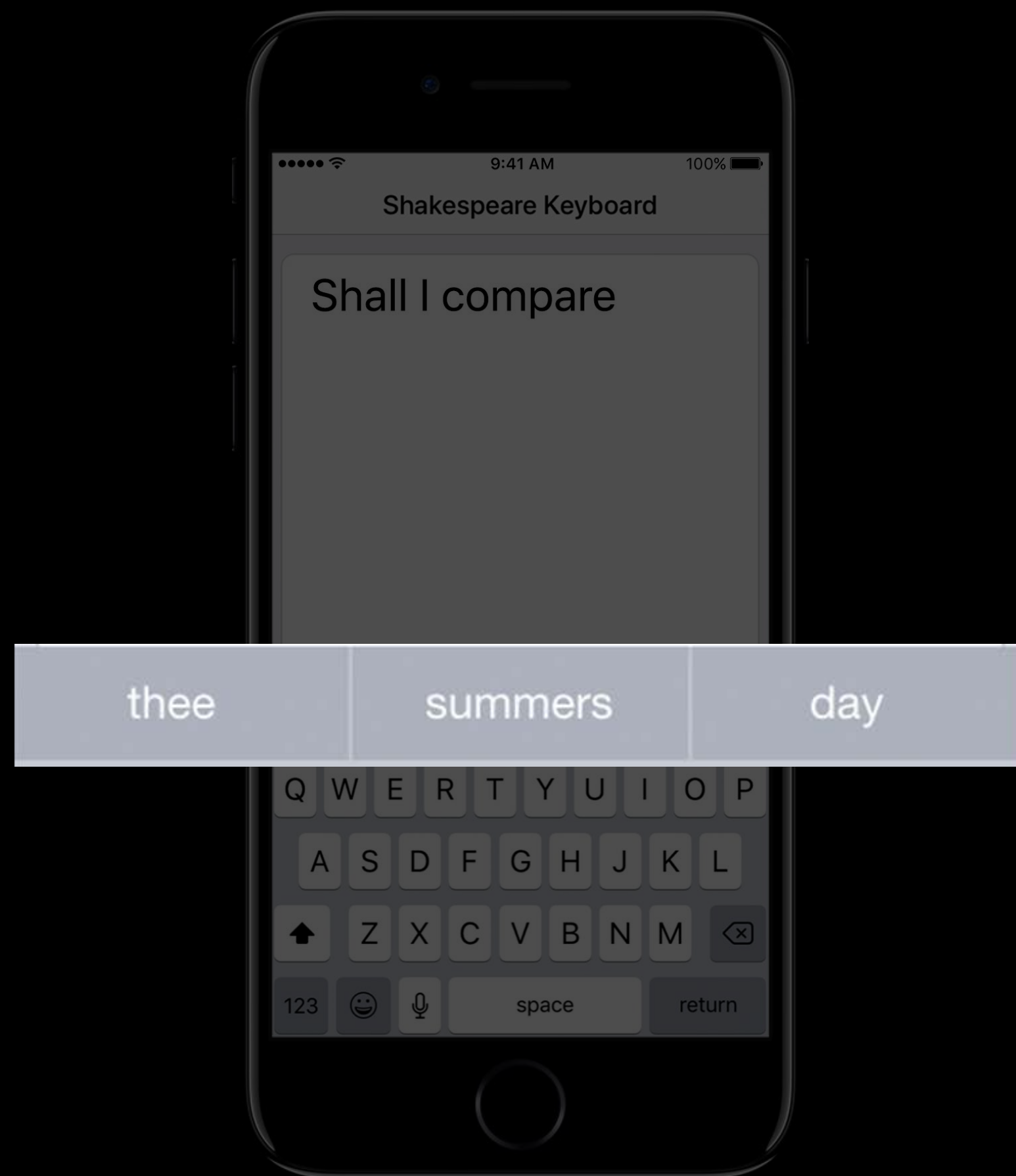


# Sample Code



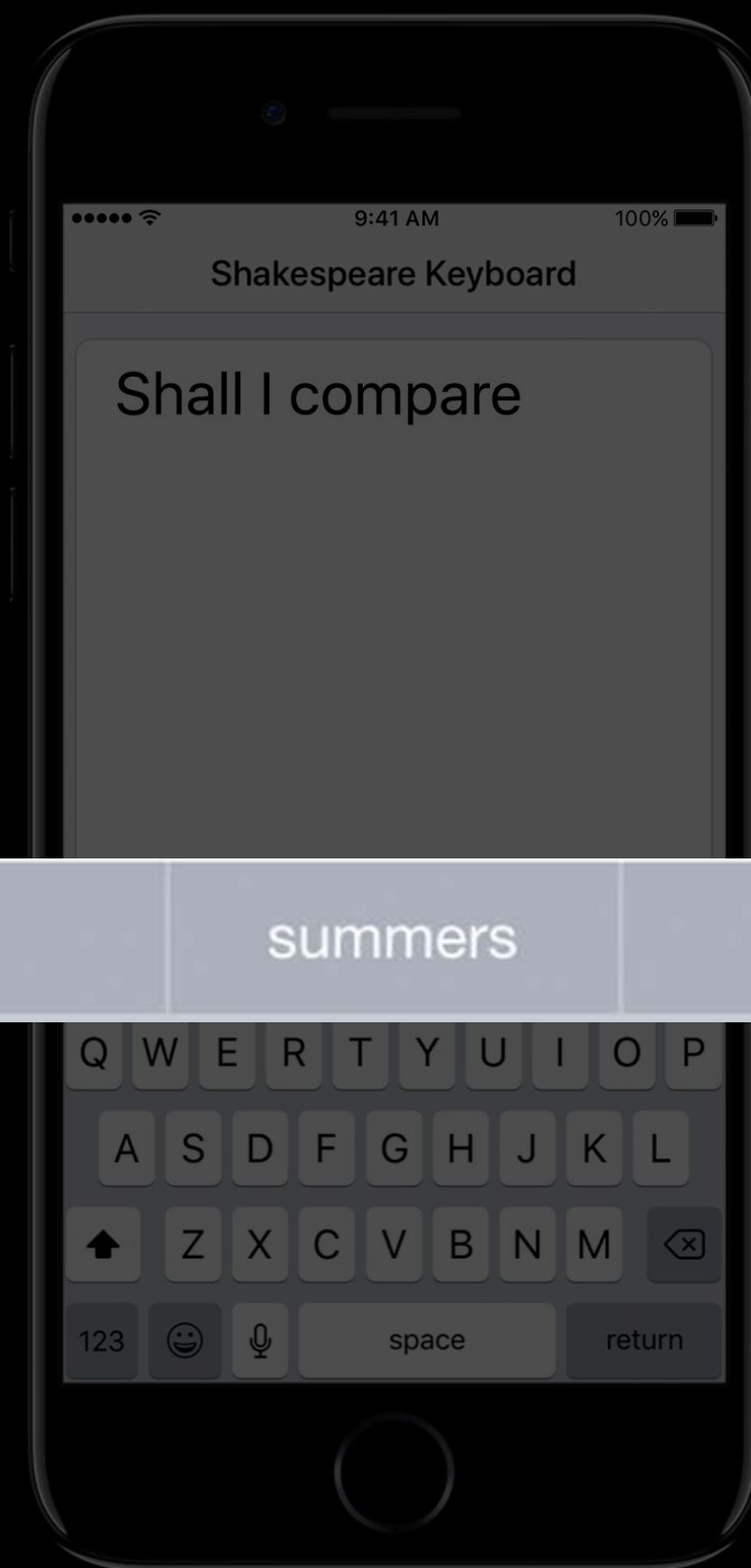
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if let output = try? model.prediction(input: input) {  
    // Send the best 3 words to the user  
    displayTopPredictions(output.nextWordProb)  
}  
  
// Update state for next prediction  
input.state = output.state  
input.currentWord = getNextWordFromUser()
```

# Sample Code



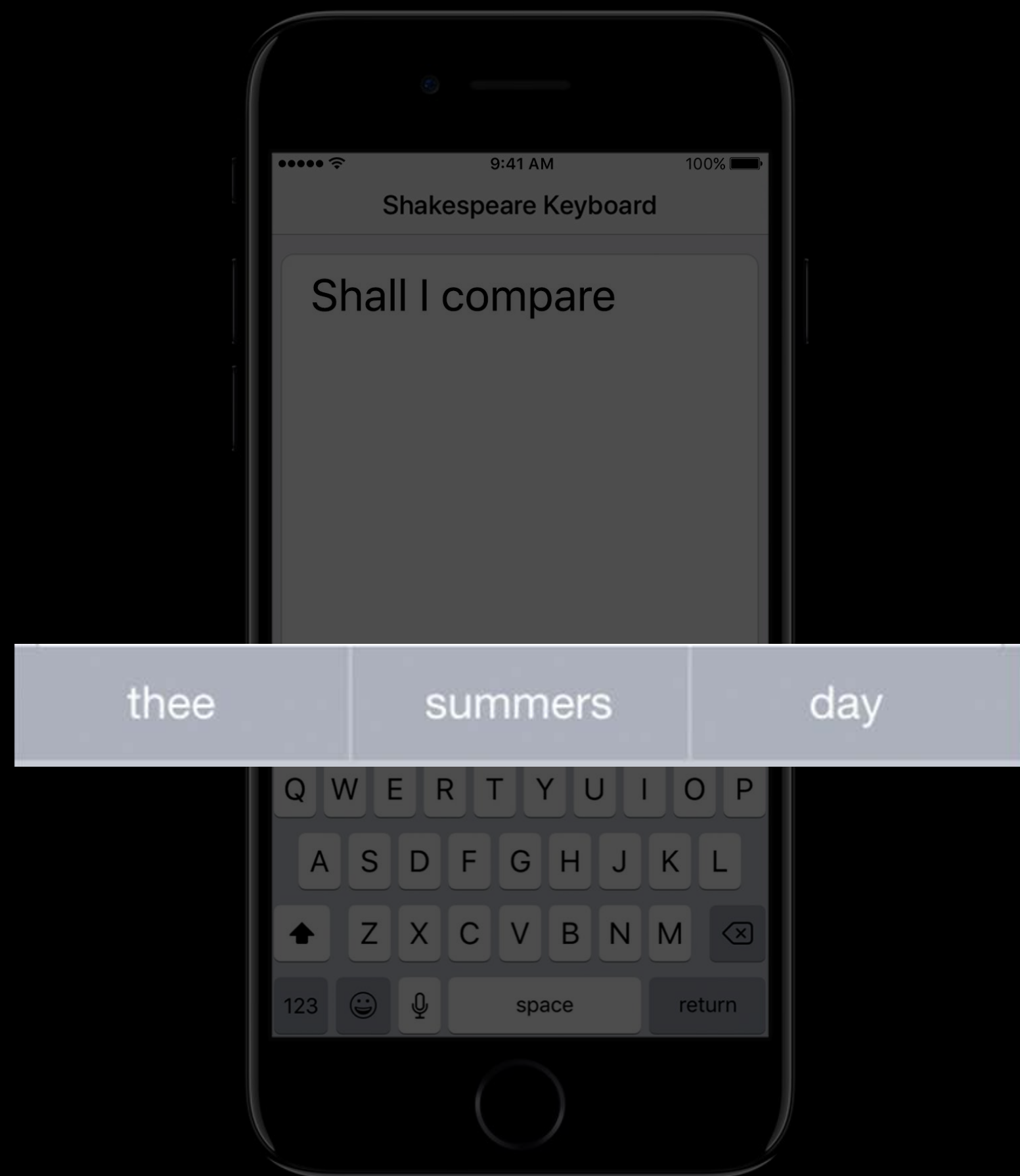
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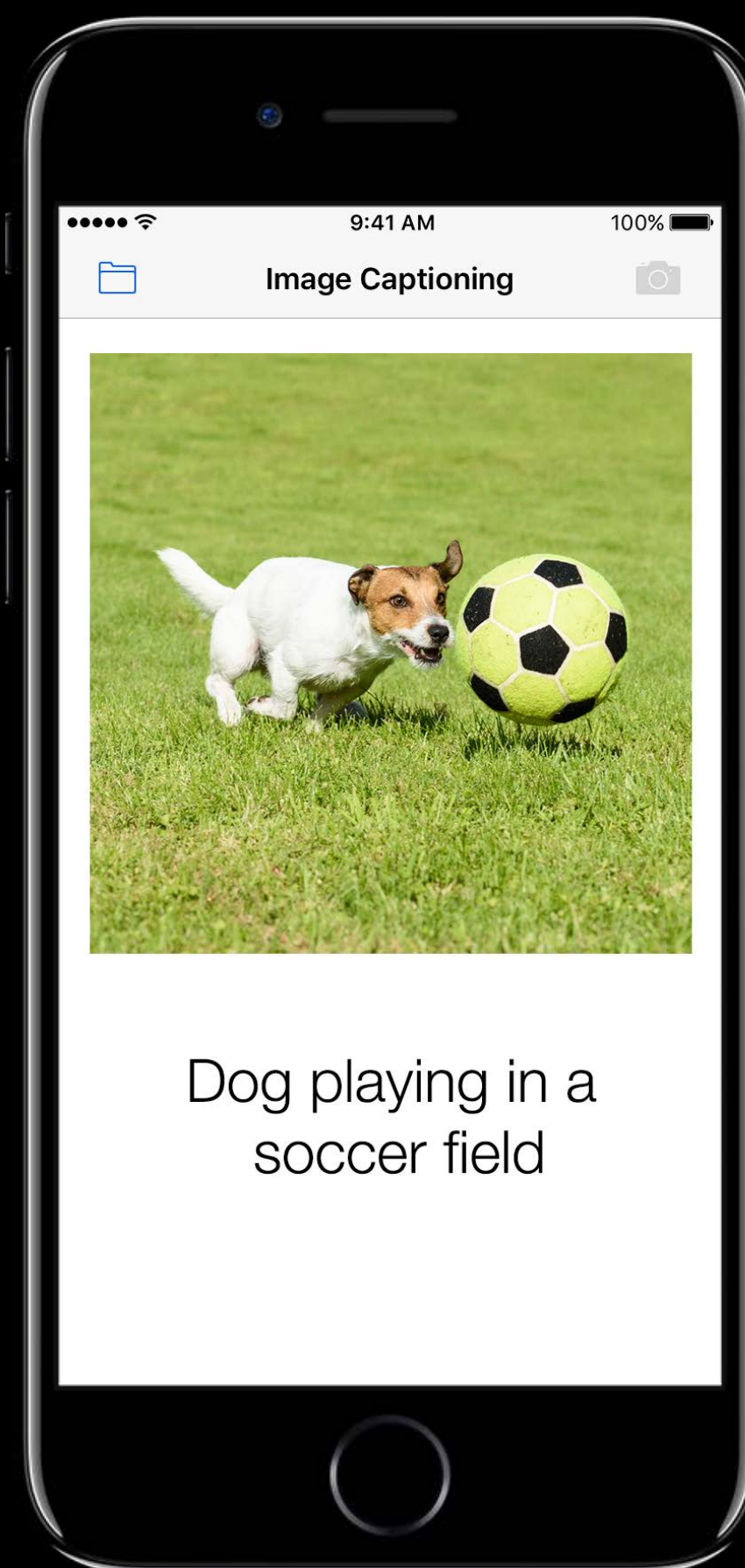
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# Come to the Labs

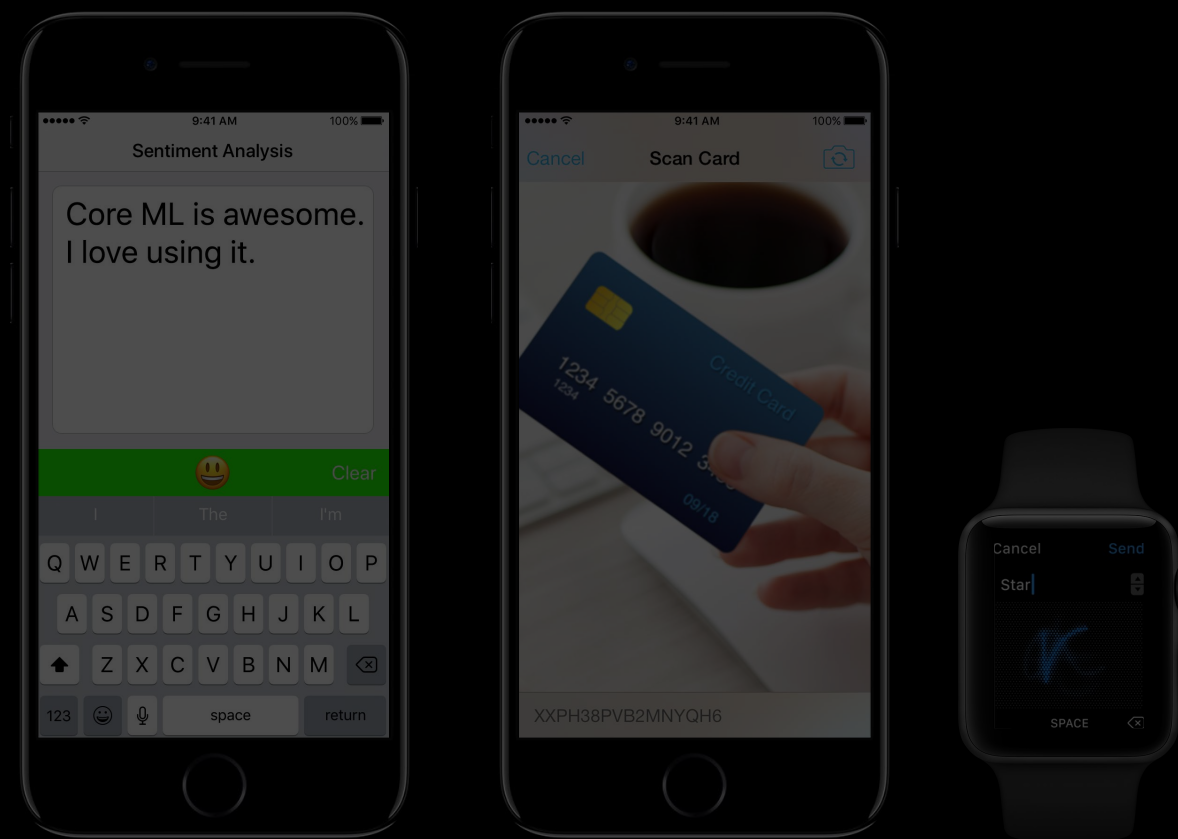


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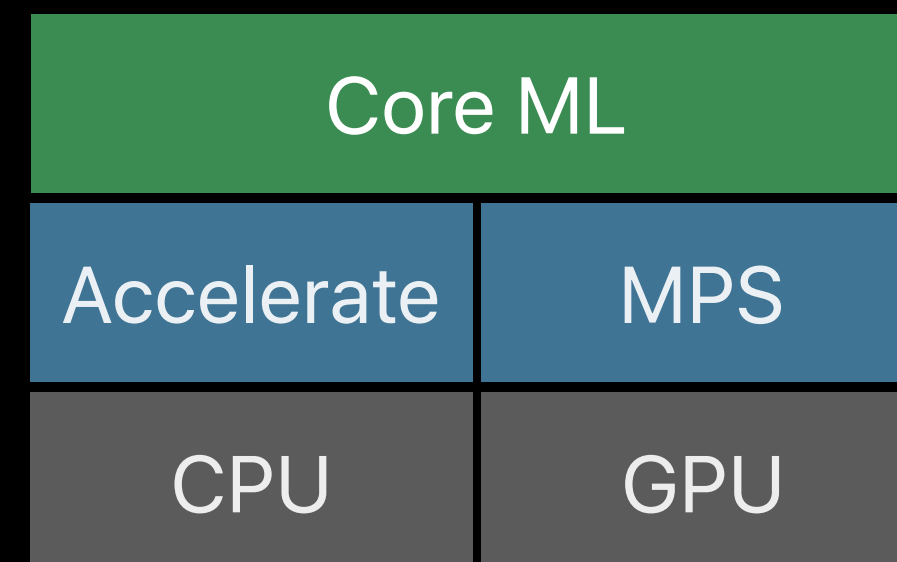
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# This Session

## Use Cases



## Hardware Optimized




## Obtaining Models







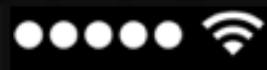
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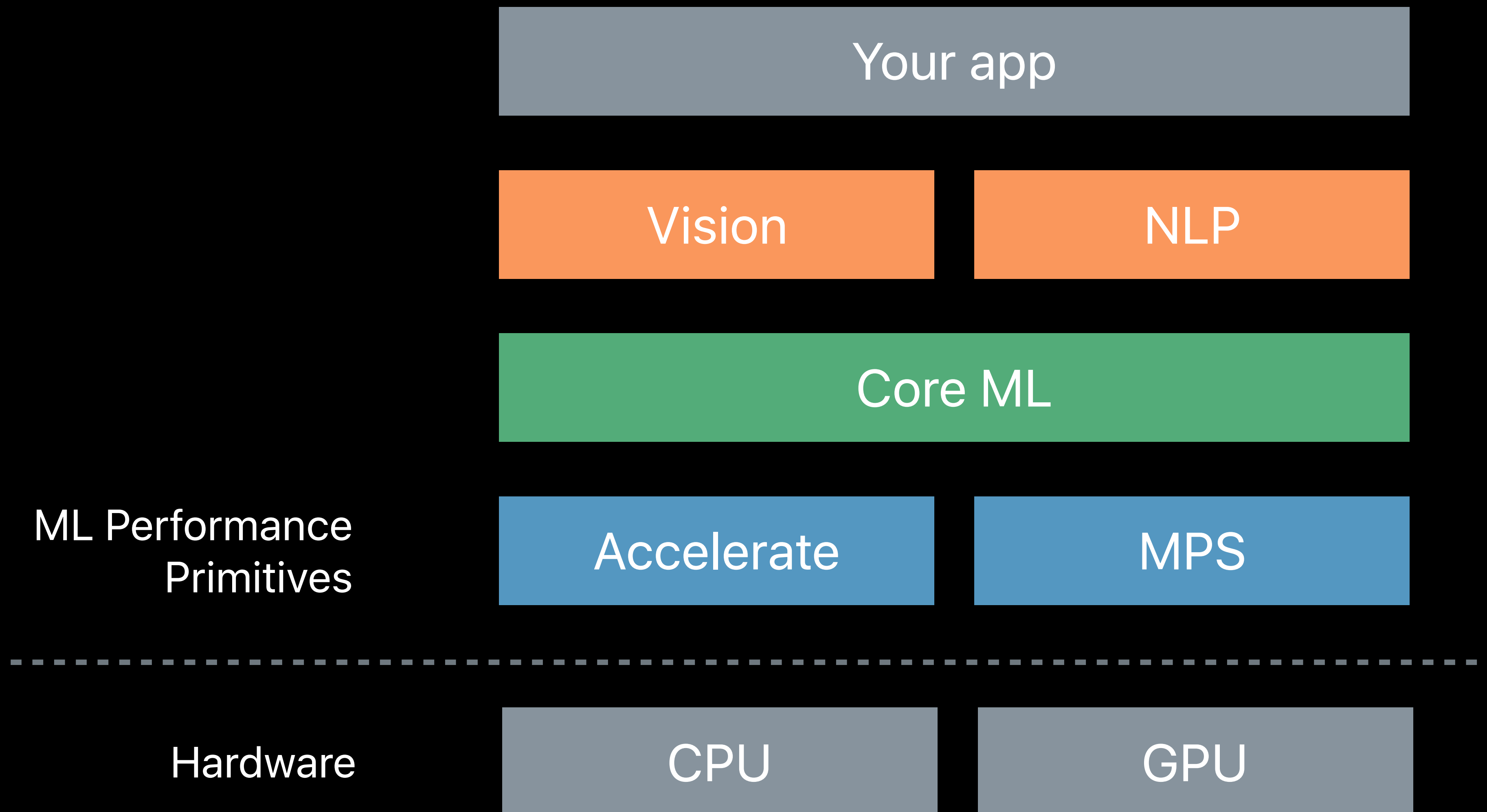
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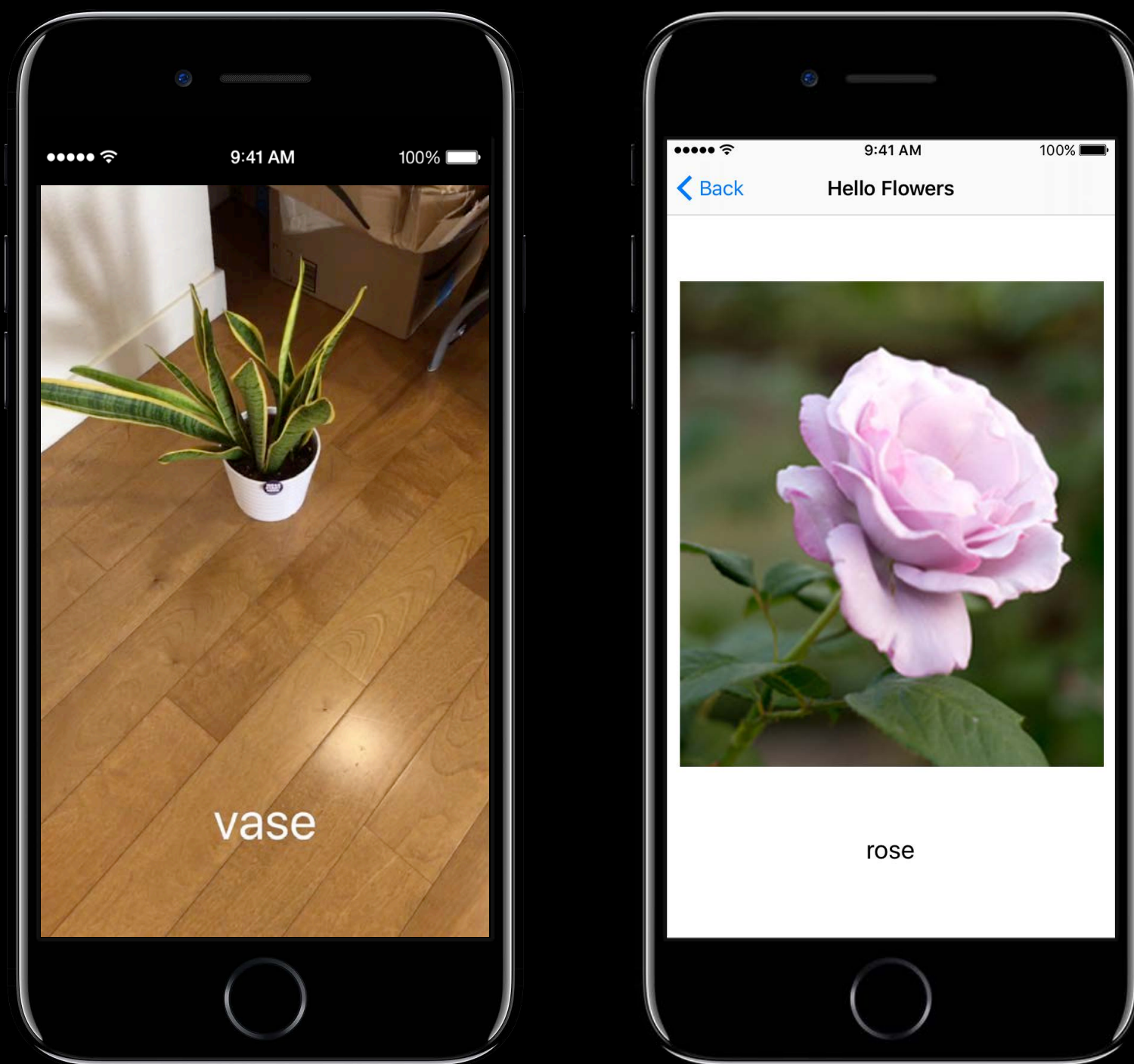
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# Built on Performance Primitives



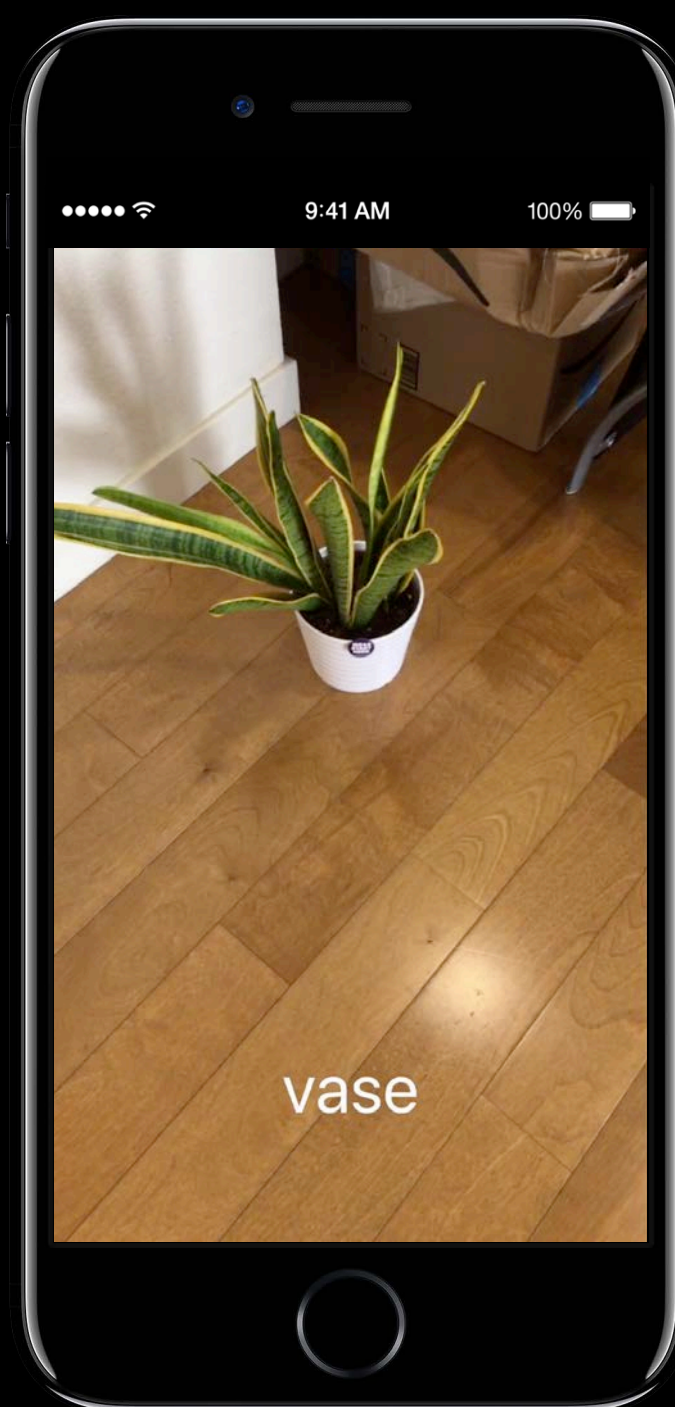
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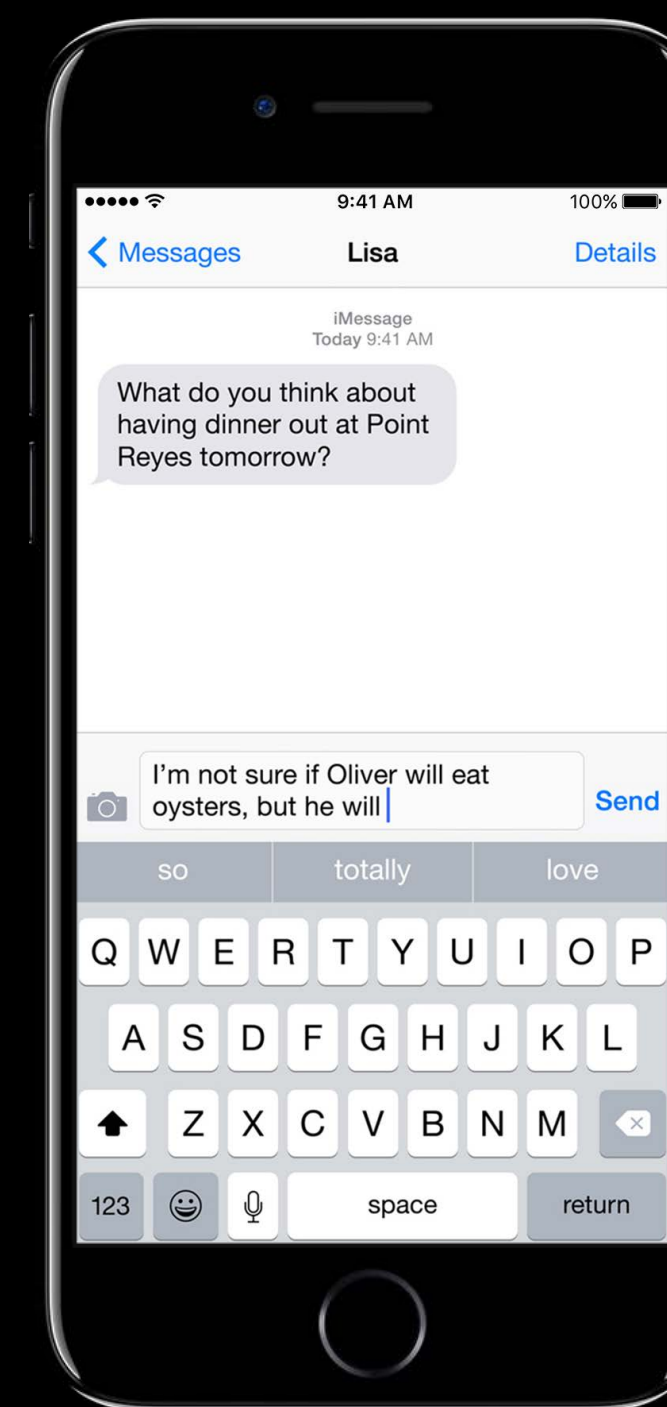
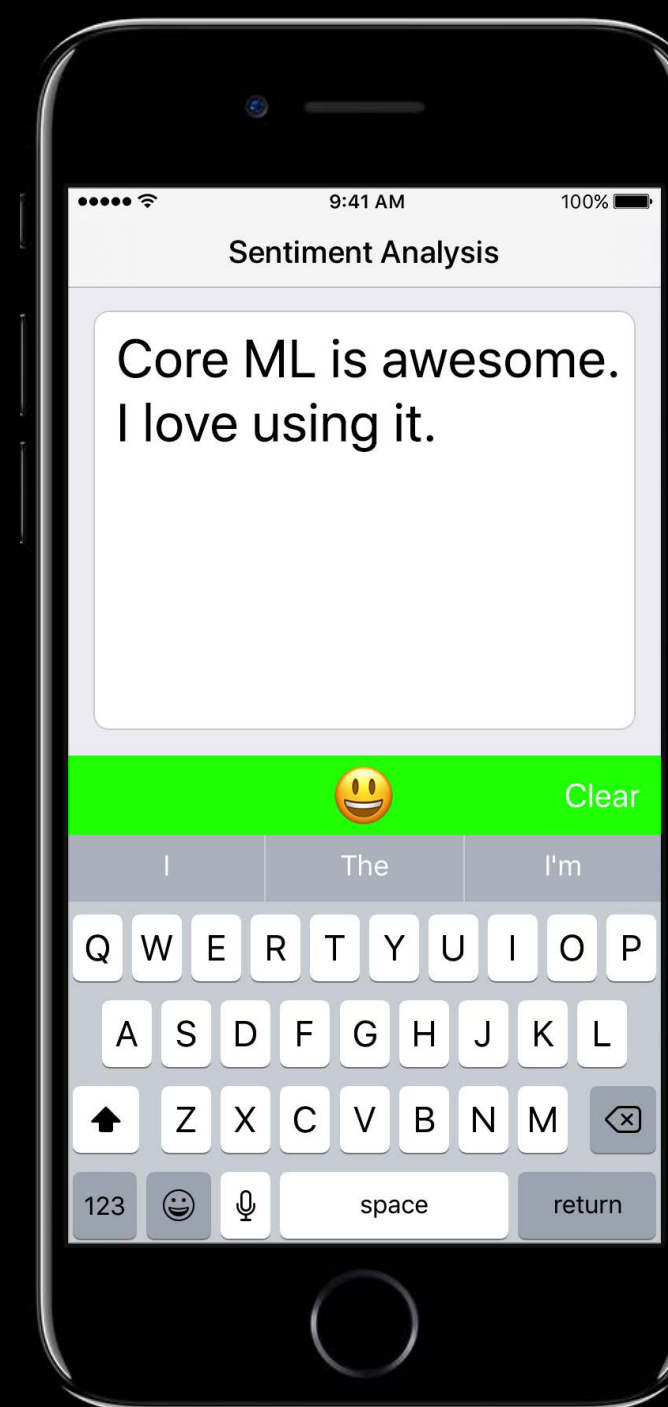
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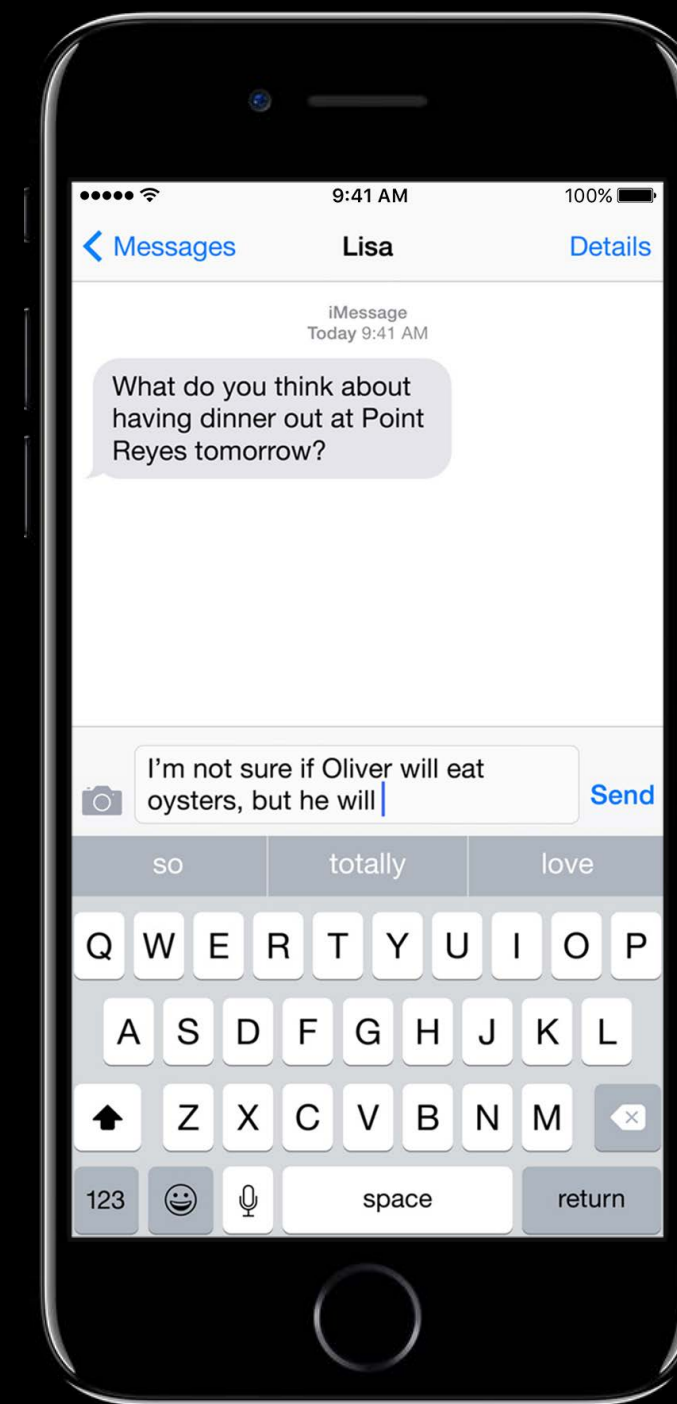
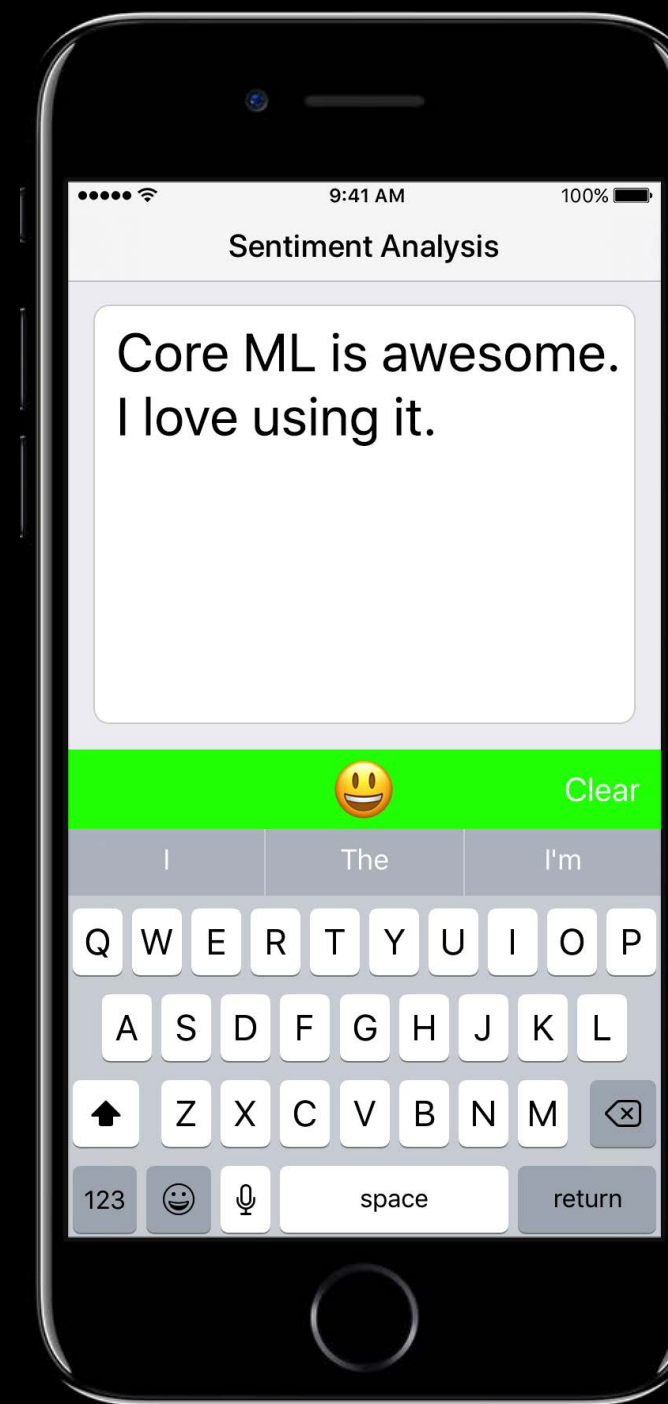
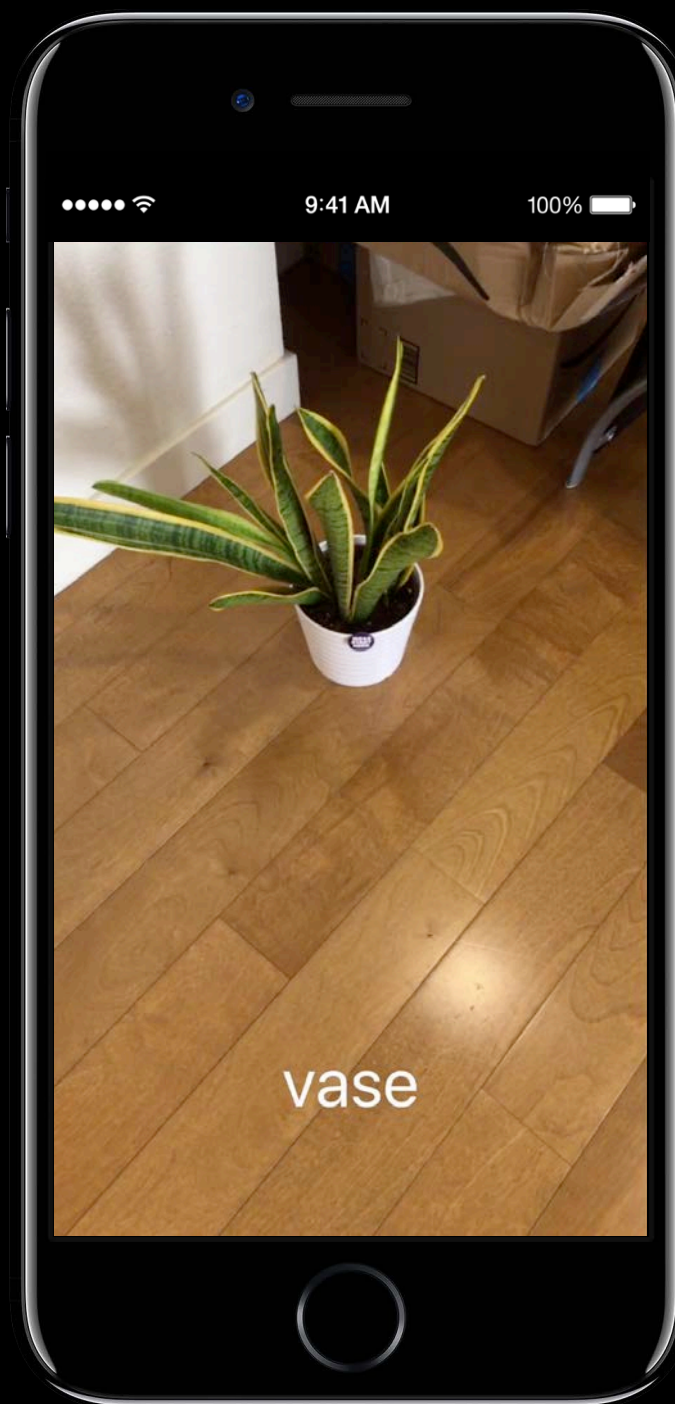
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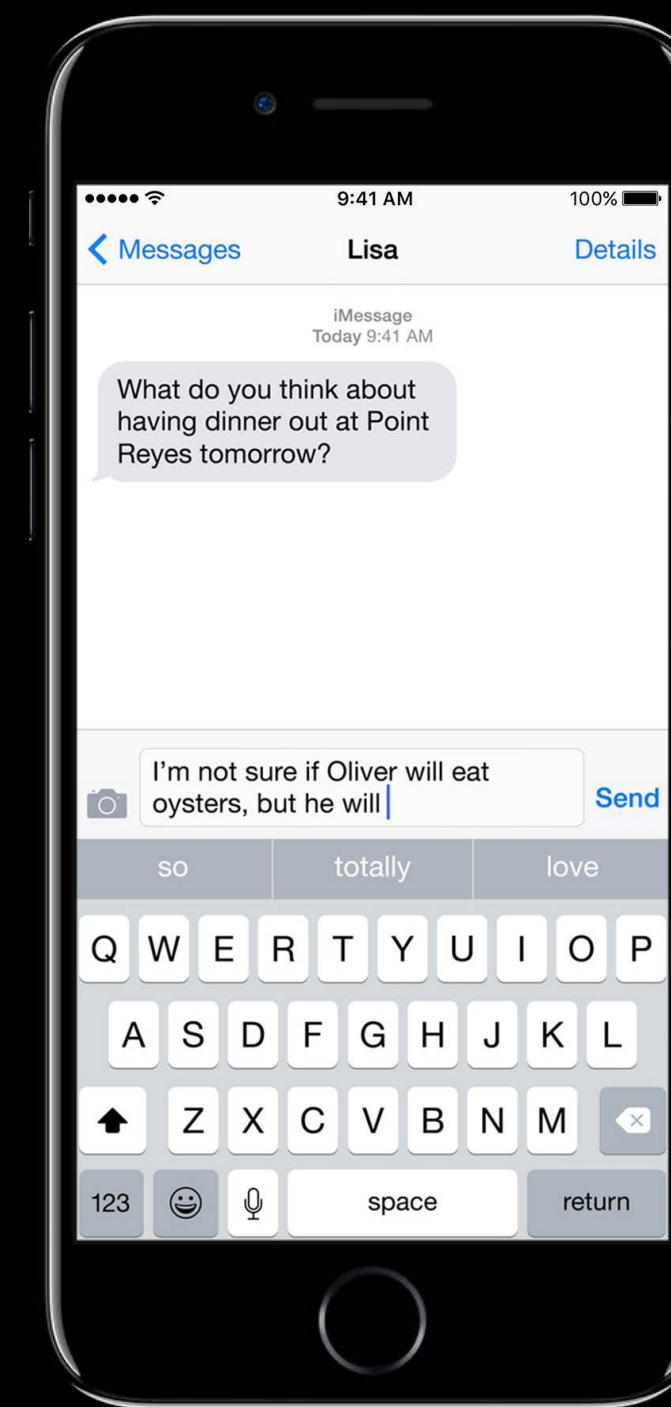
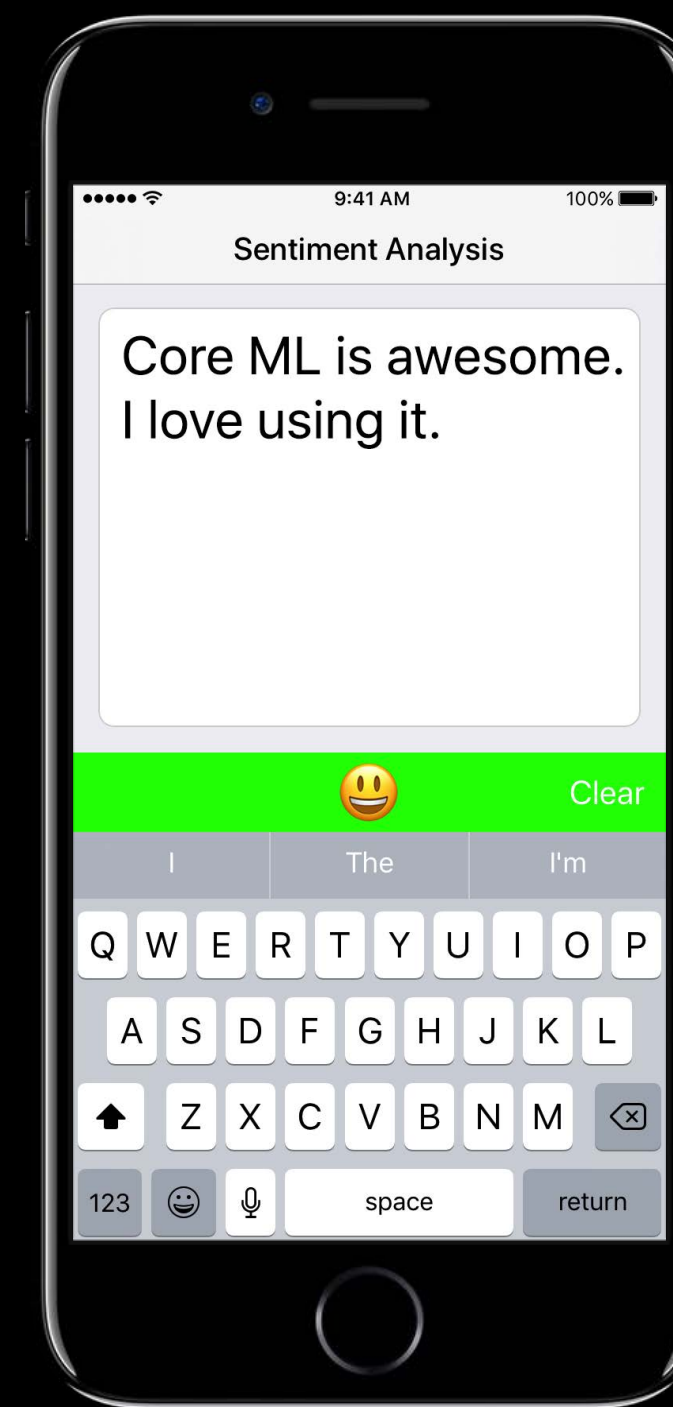
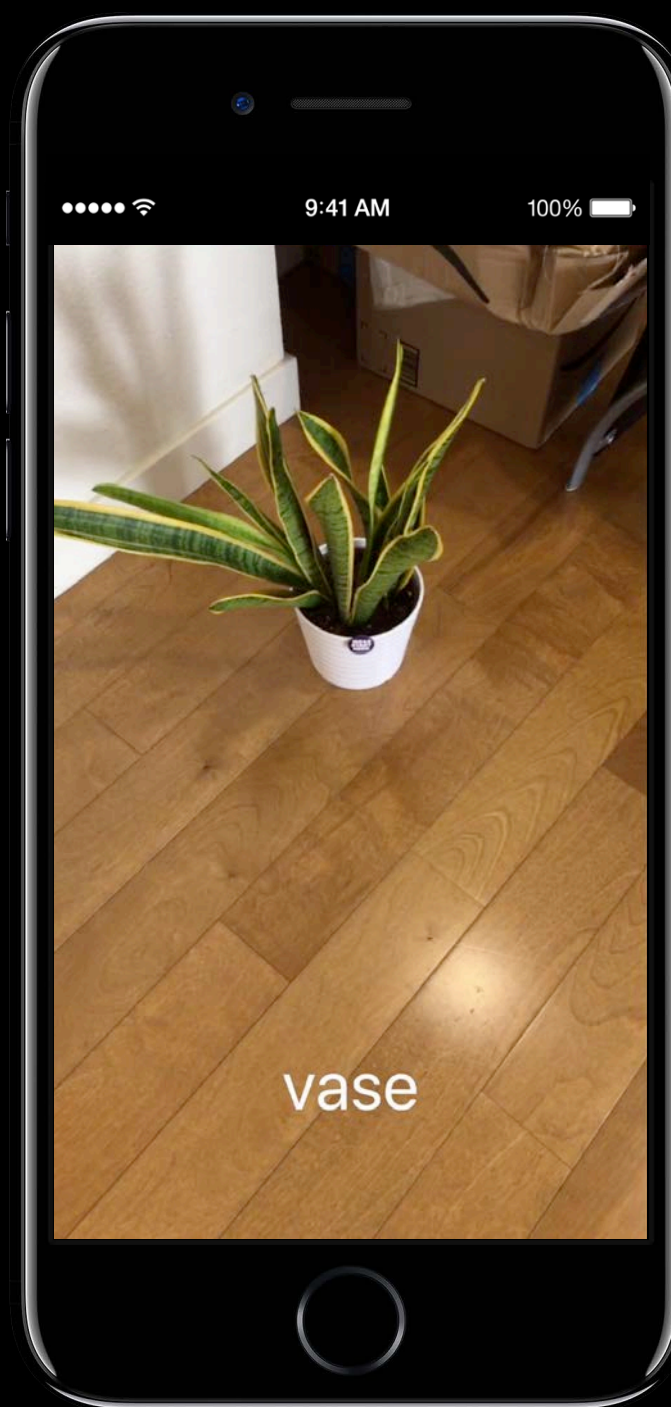
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Accelerate

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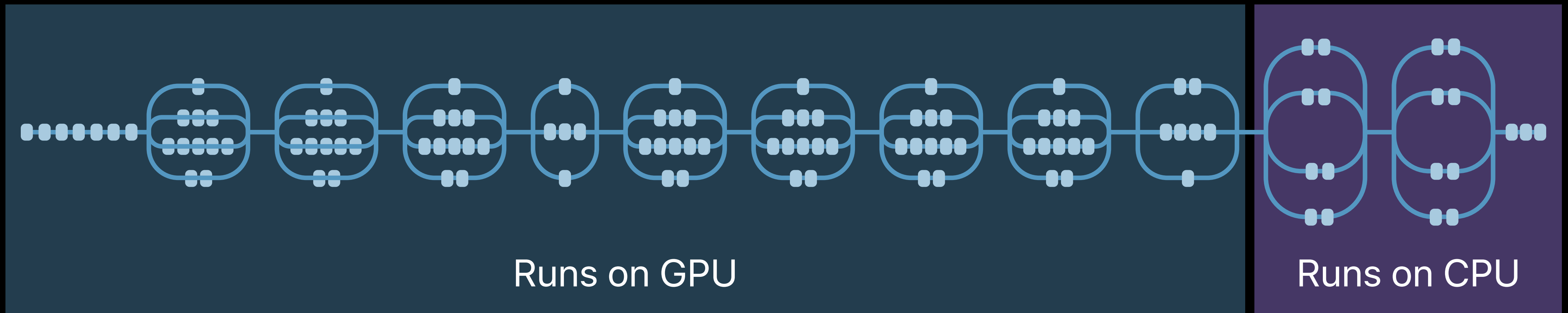
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Runs on Core ML

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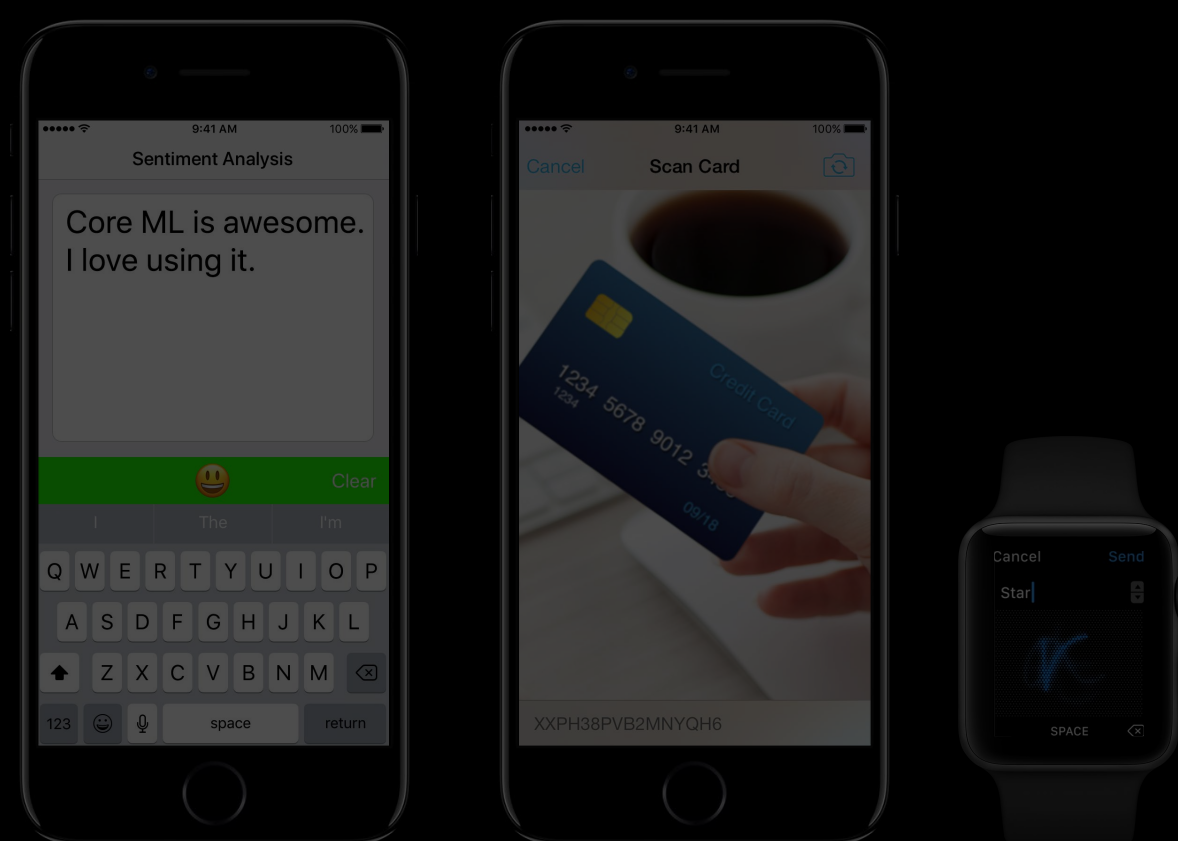


Dog playing in a soccer field



# This Session

Use Cases



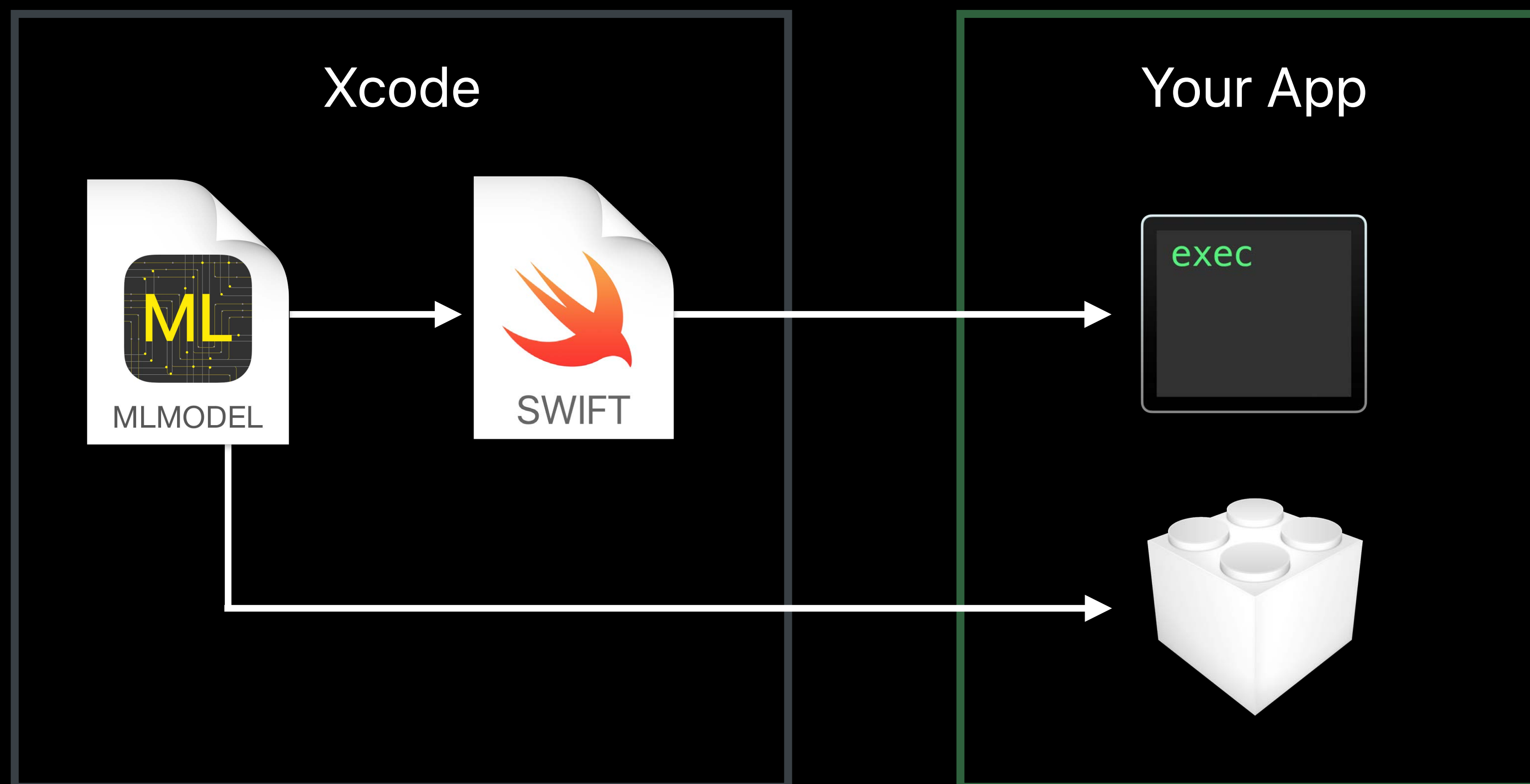
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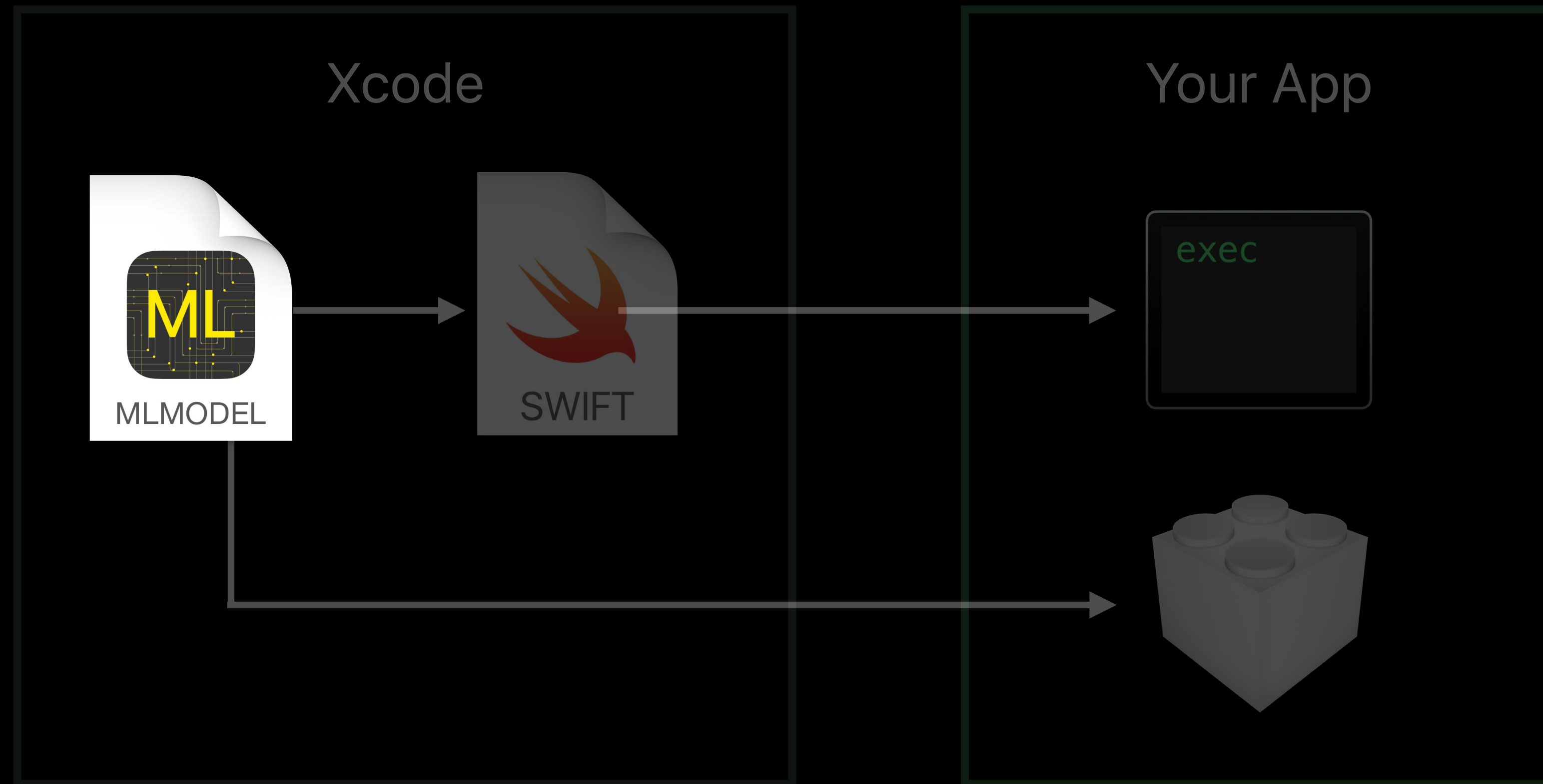


# Deploying Core ML Models



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Where do models  
come from?



# Example Models

## Task specific Core ML models

### Places205-GoogLeNet

Detects the scene of an image from 205 categories such as an airport terminal, bedroom, forest, coast, and more.

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### ResNet50

Detects the dominant objects present in an image from a set of 1000 categories such as trees, animals, food, vehicles, people, and more.

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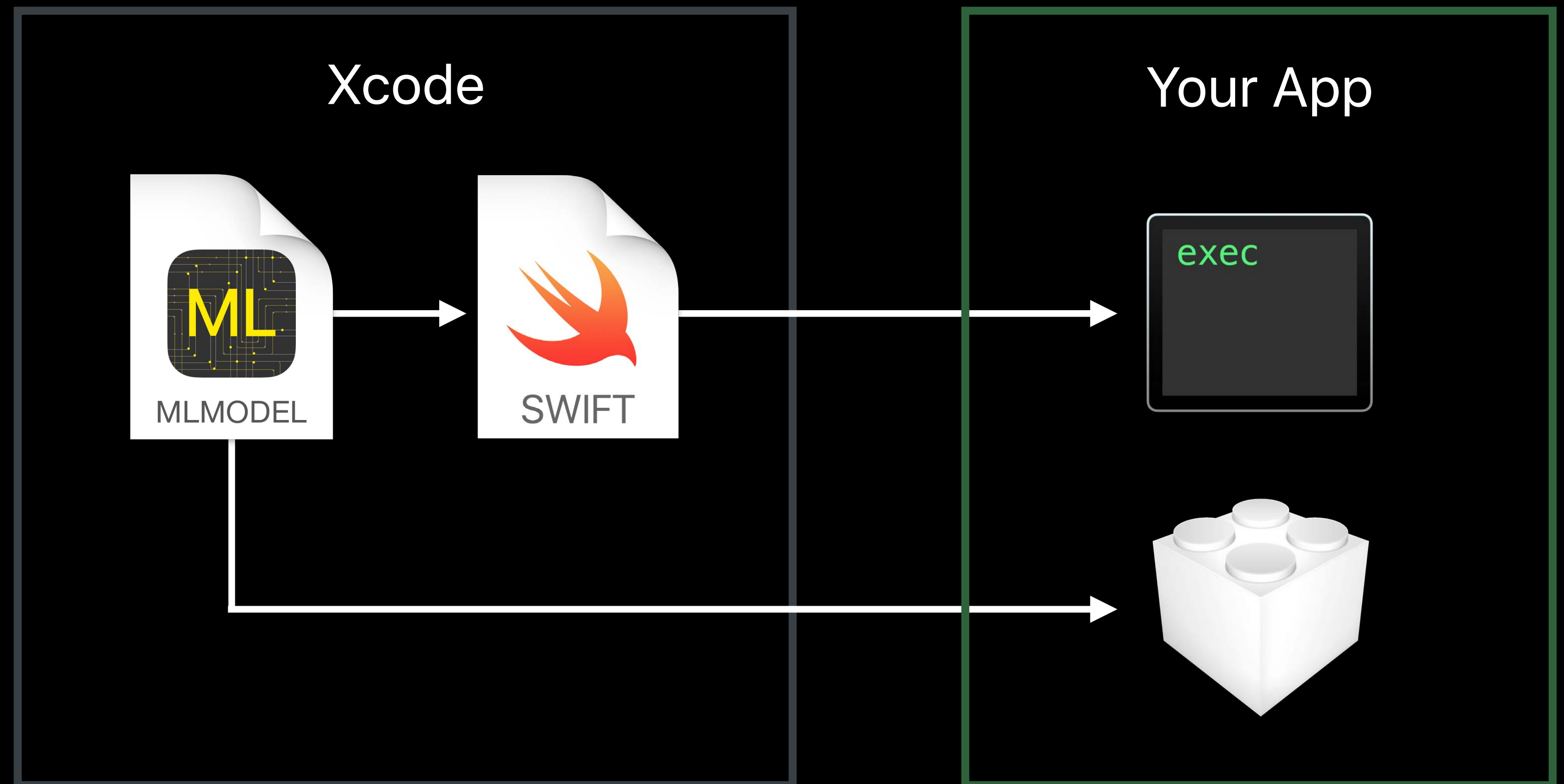
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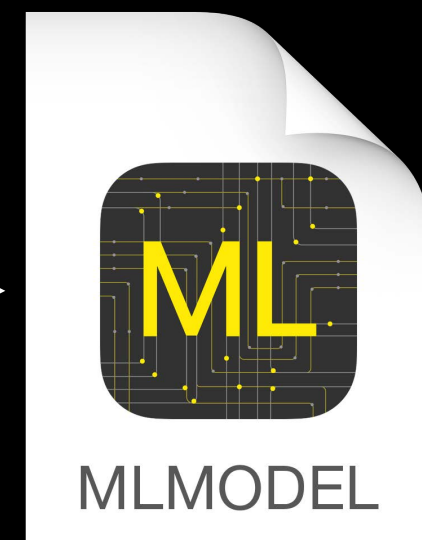
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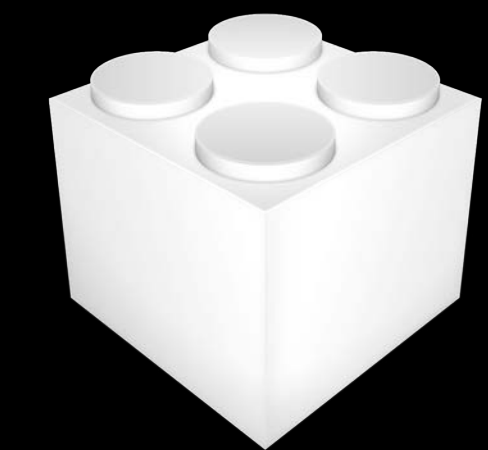


e.g. Caffe

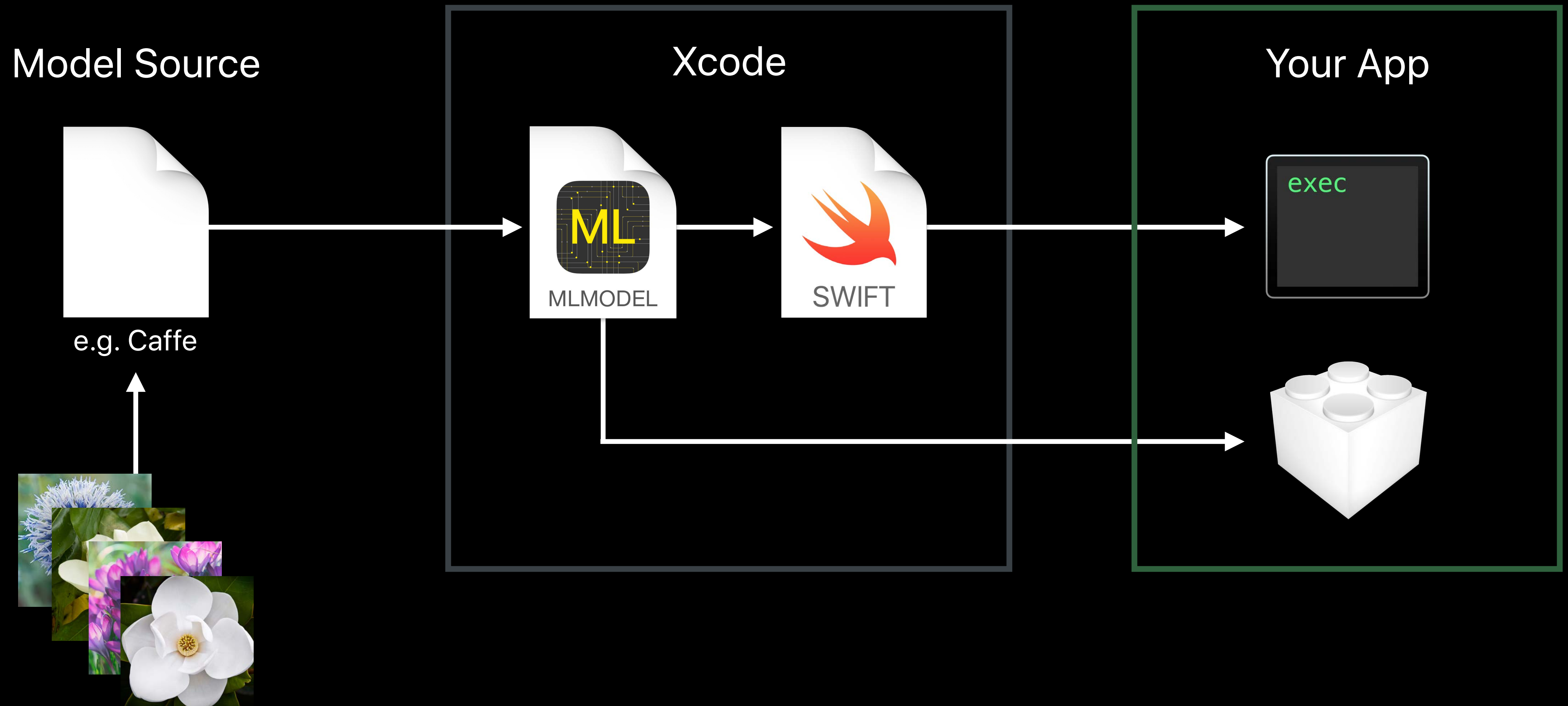
Xcode



Your App



# Conversion Workflow



# Getting Started

```
## Download and install python package  
> pip install coremltools
```



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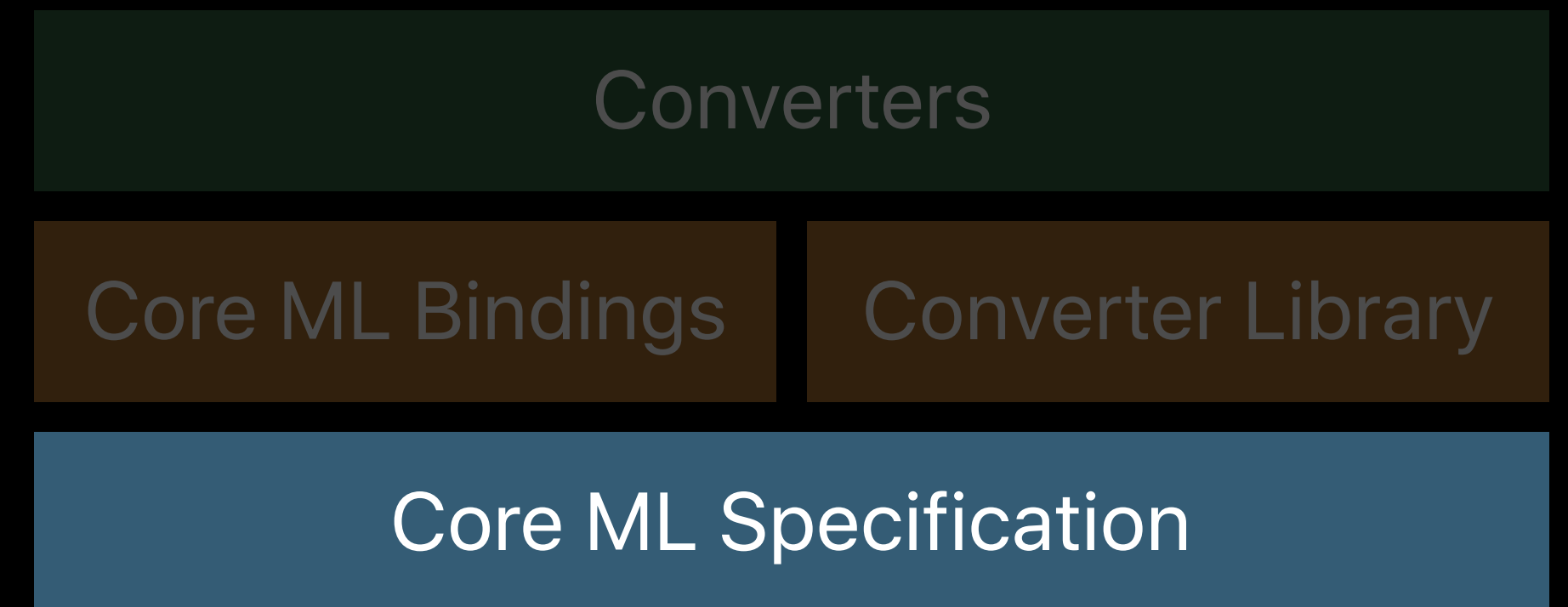
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Single document

Encapsulates

- Functional description (inputs  $\longrightarrow$  outputs)
- Trained parameters

Public format



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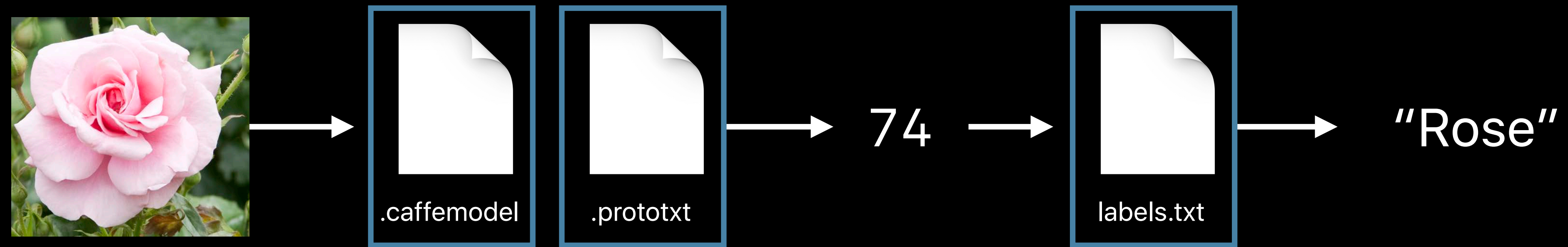
Unified APIs to convert models from various formats to Core ML

# Flower Classification in Caffe



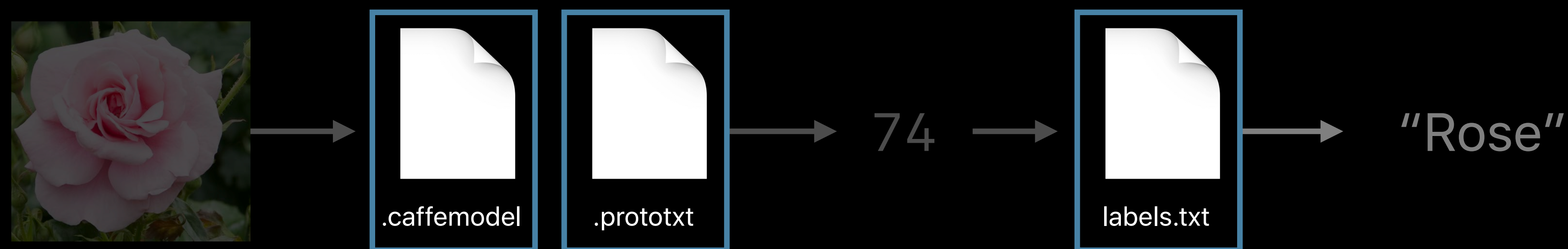
Caffe

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Needed for conversion to Core ML format



***Demo***

# Demo Summary

```
import coremltools

caffe_model = ('flowers.caffemodel', 'flowers.prototxt')
model = coremltools.converters.caffe.convert(
    caffe_model,
    image_input_names = 'data',
    class_labels = 'labels.txt')

model.save('FlowerClassifier.mlmodel')
```

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import coremltools

keras_model = 'flowers.h5'
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Neural Networks

 scikit  
*learn*

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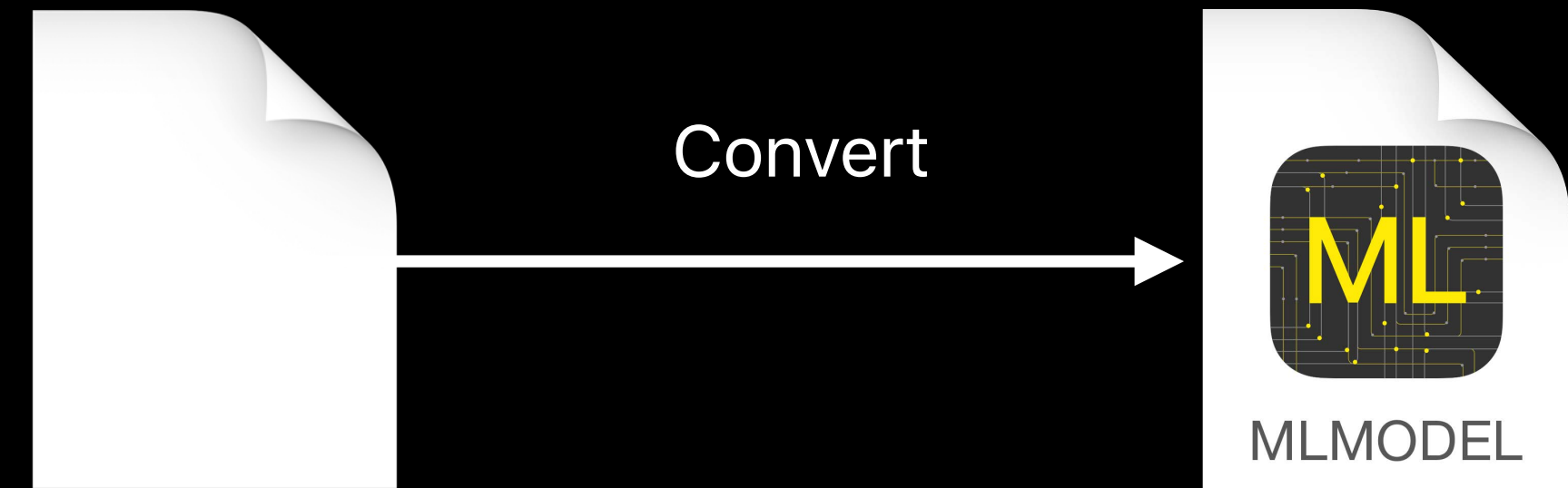
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Thursday 10:00AM

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Thursday 4:10PM

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Technology Lab D

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