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Implementing AutoFill Credential Provider Extensions

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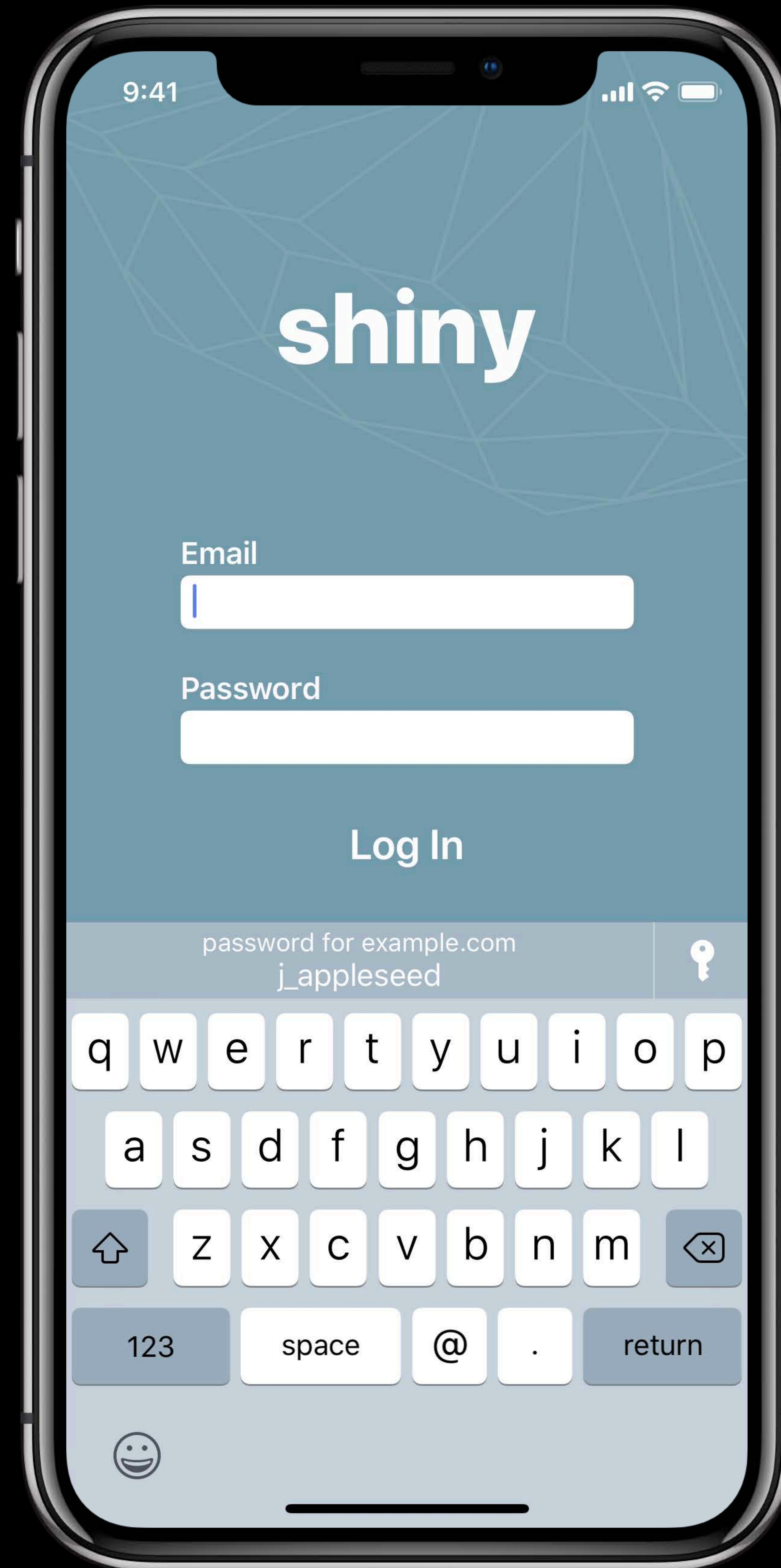
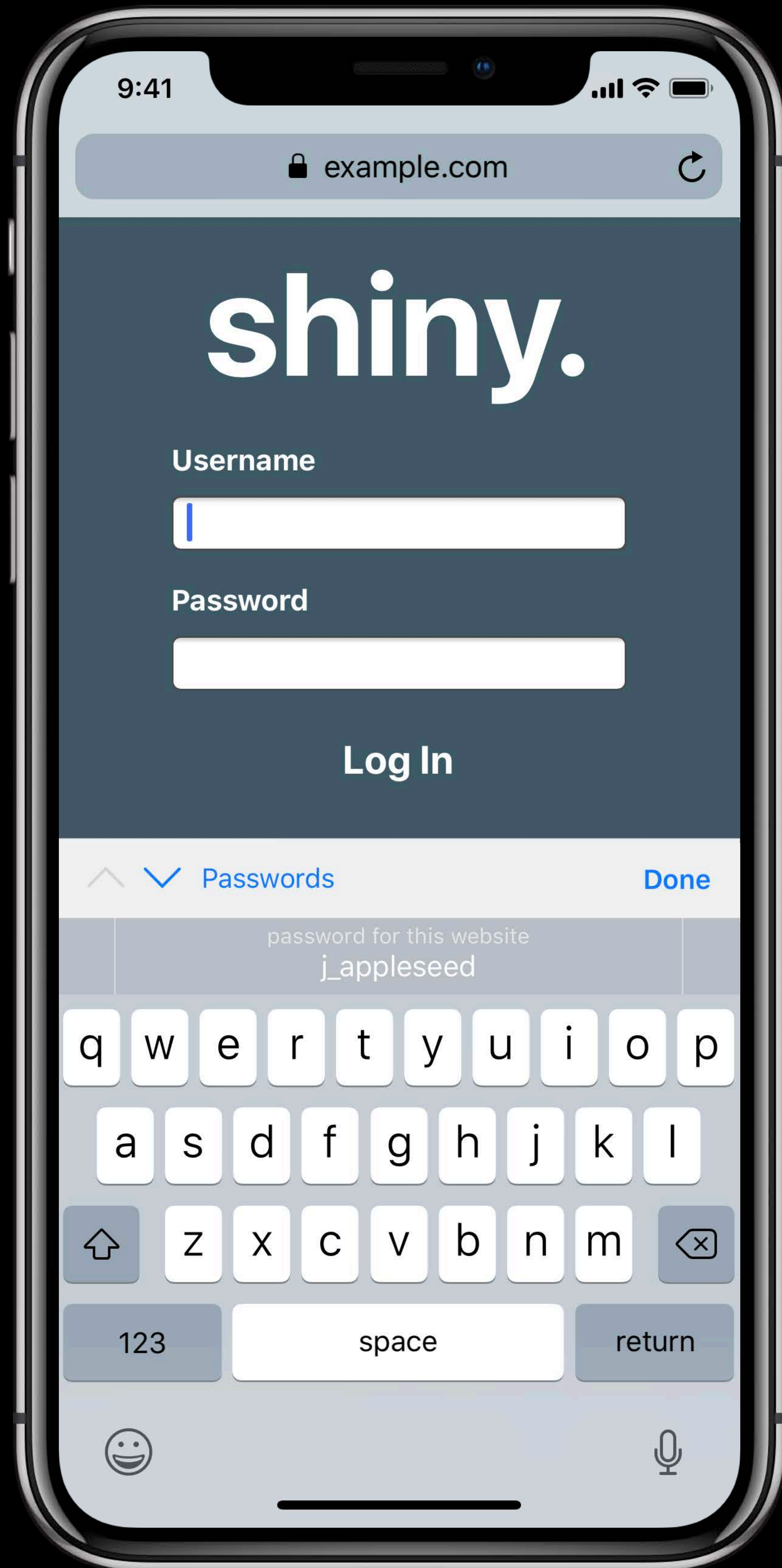
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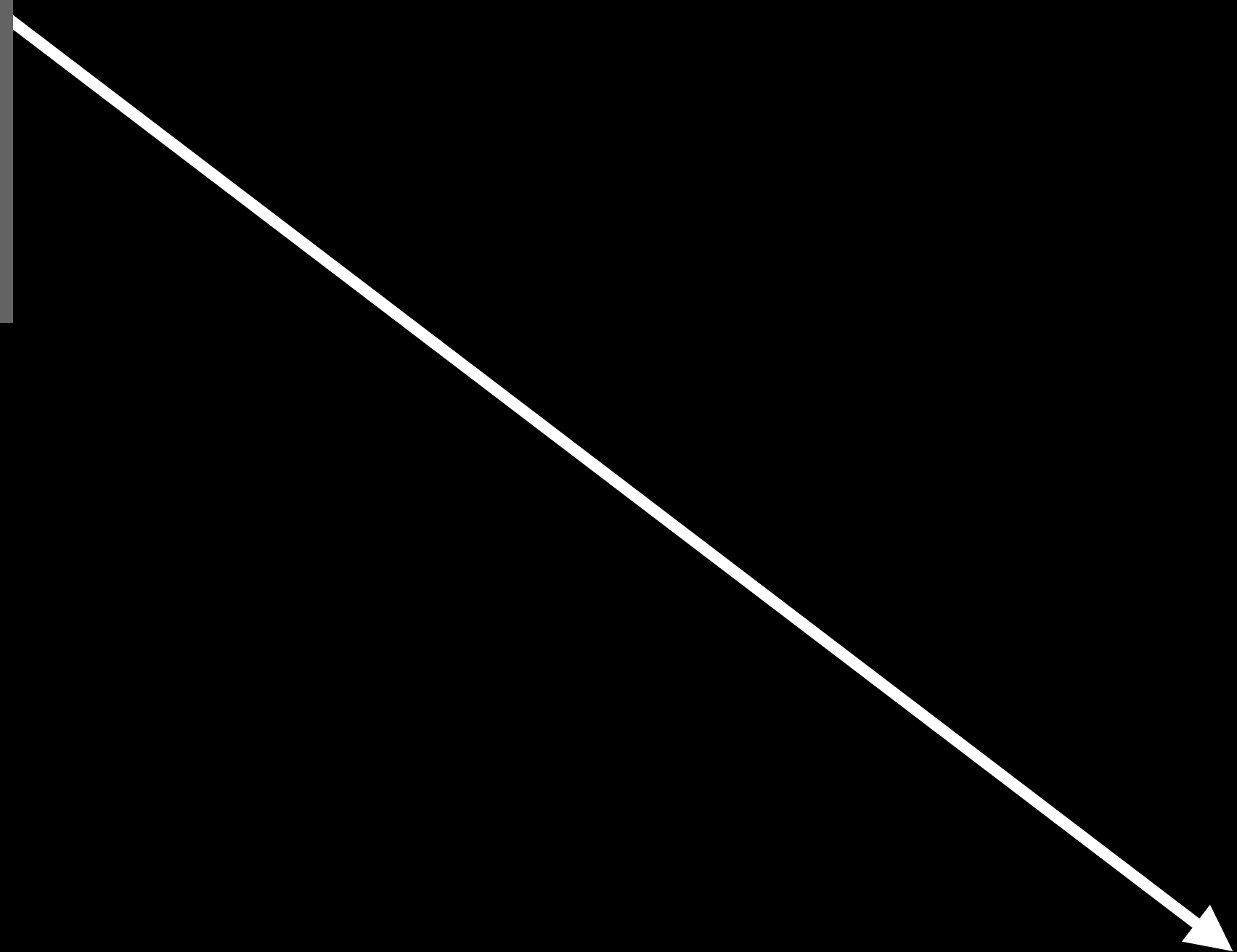
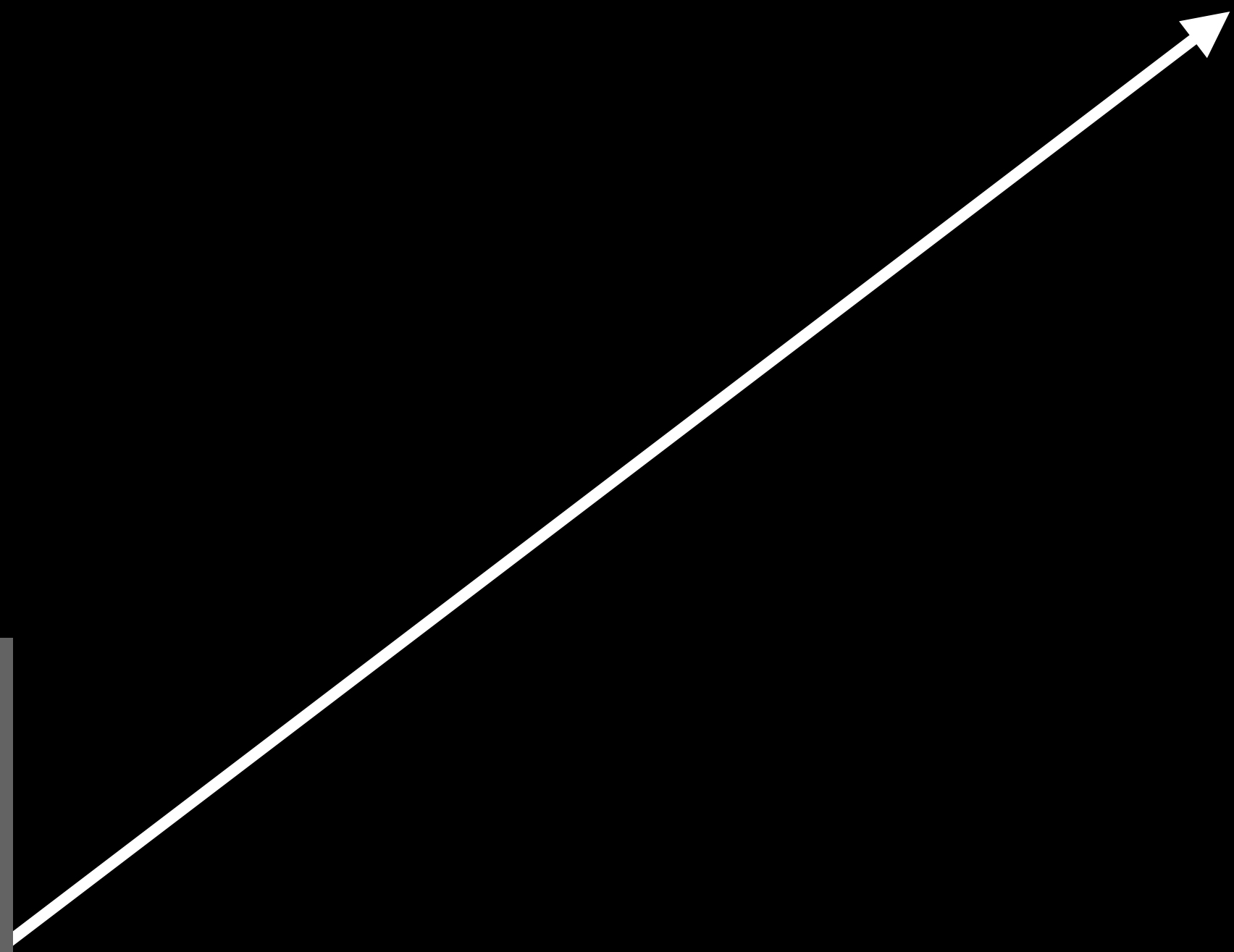
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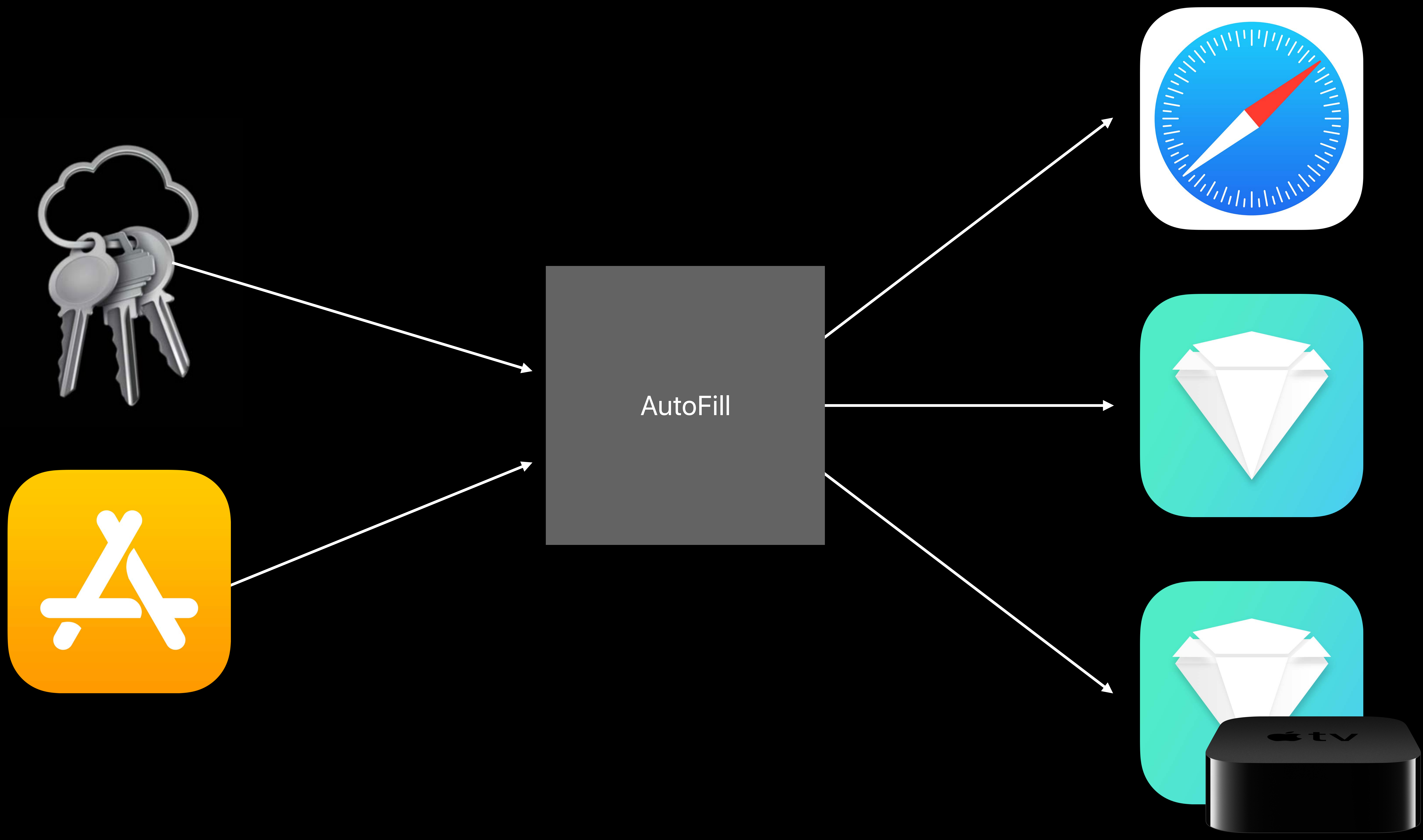


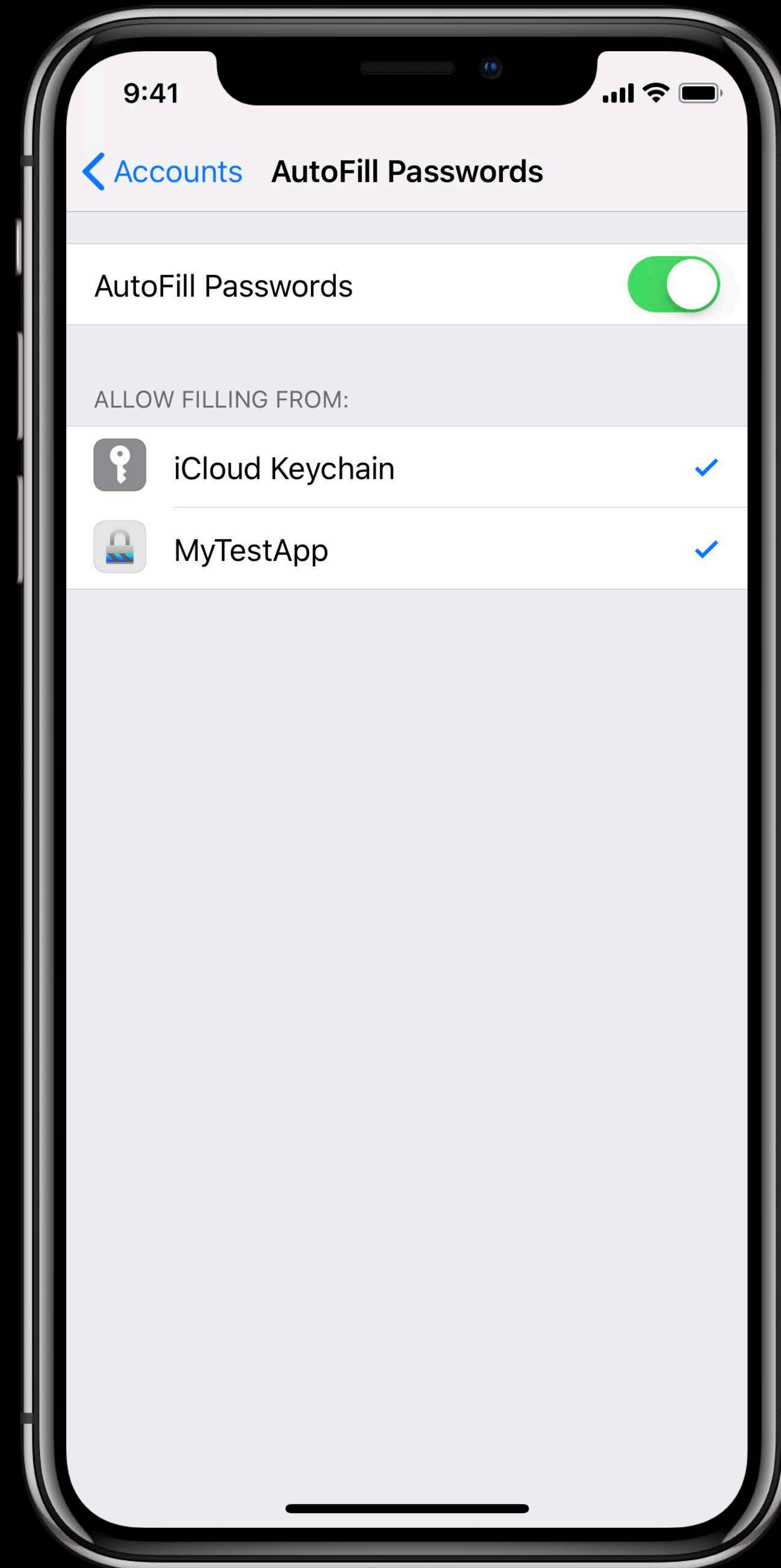
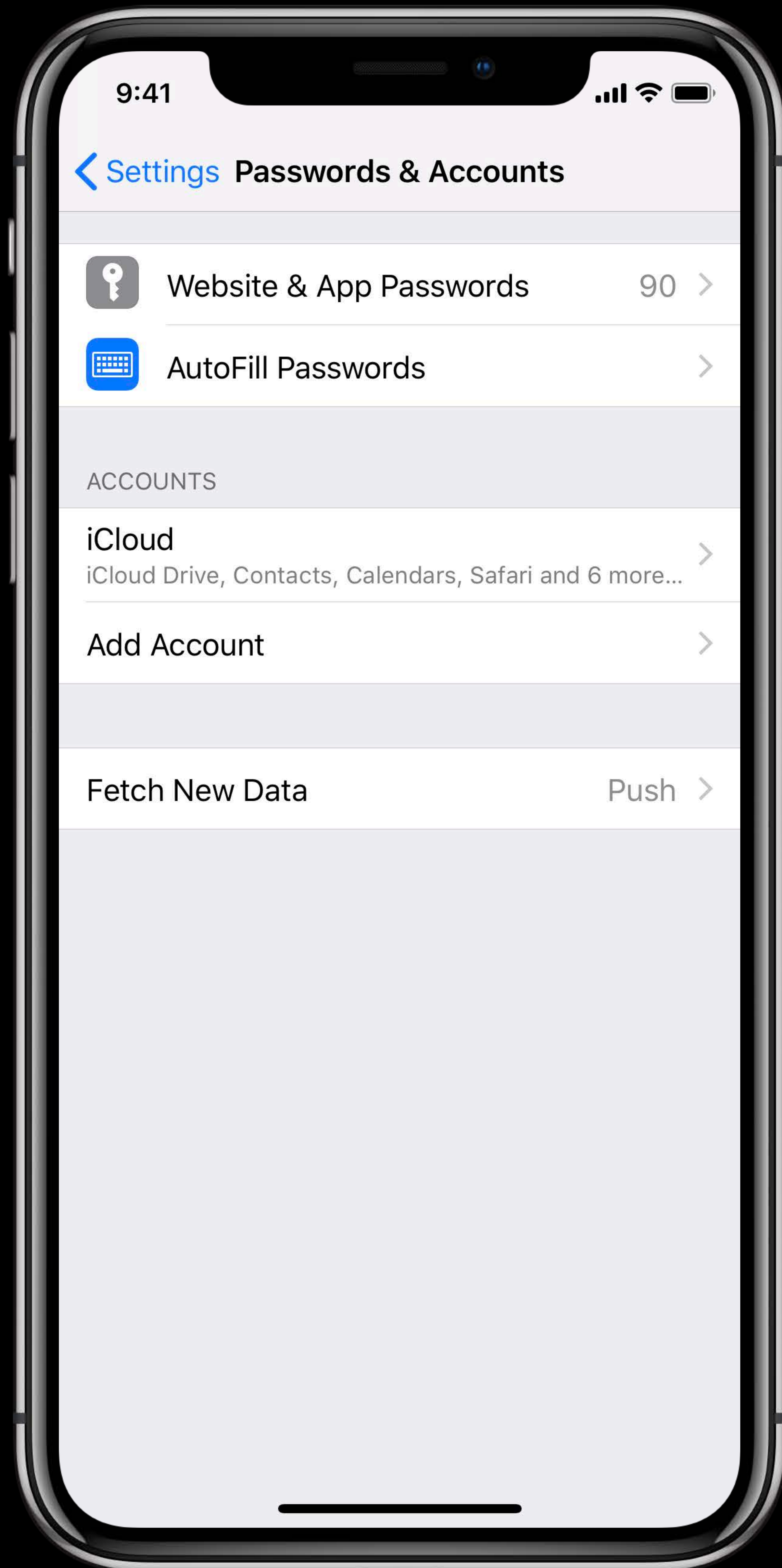


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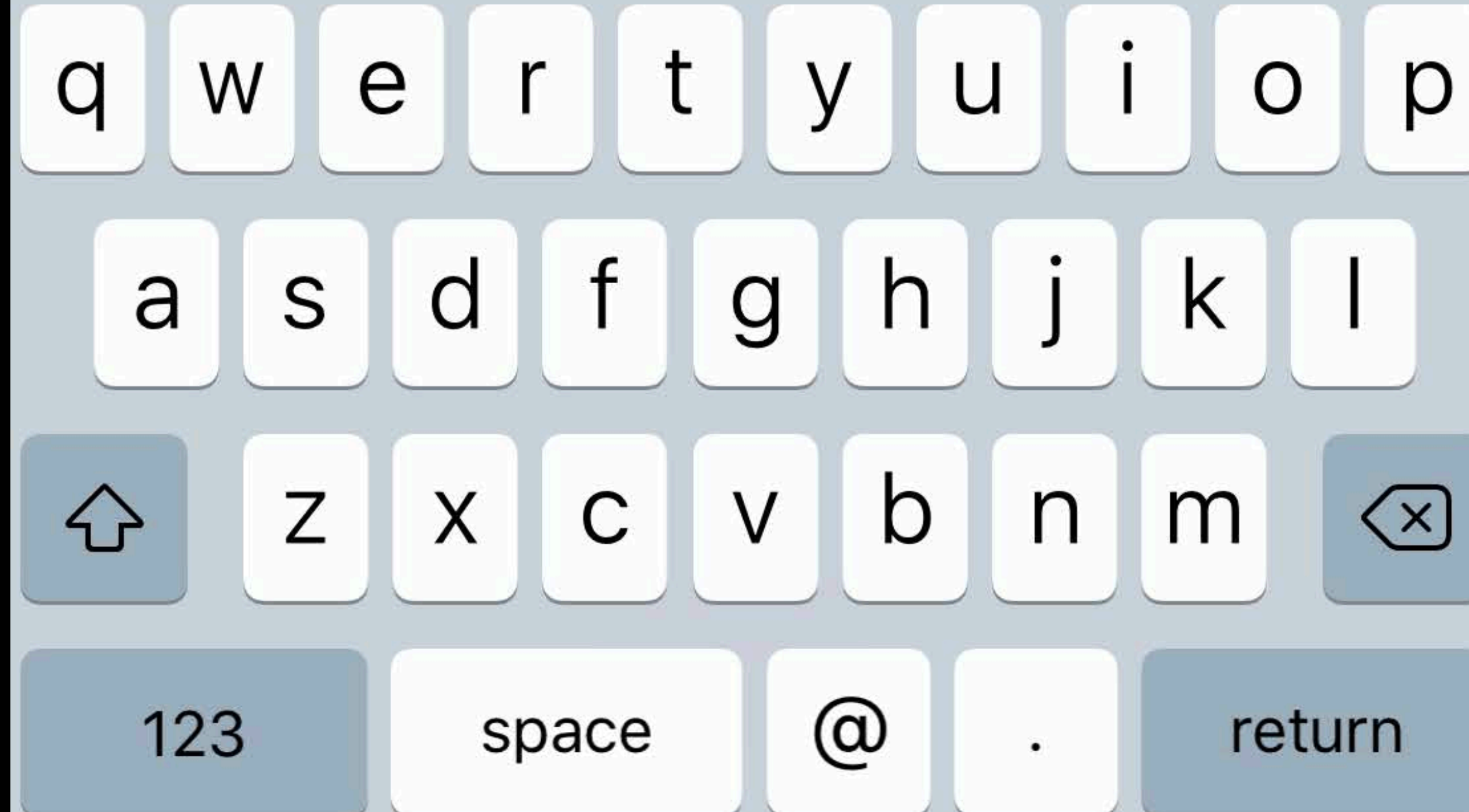
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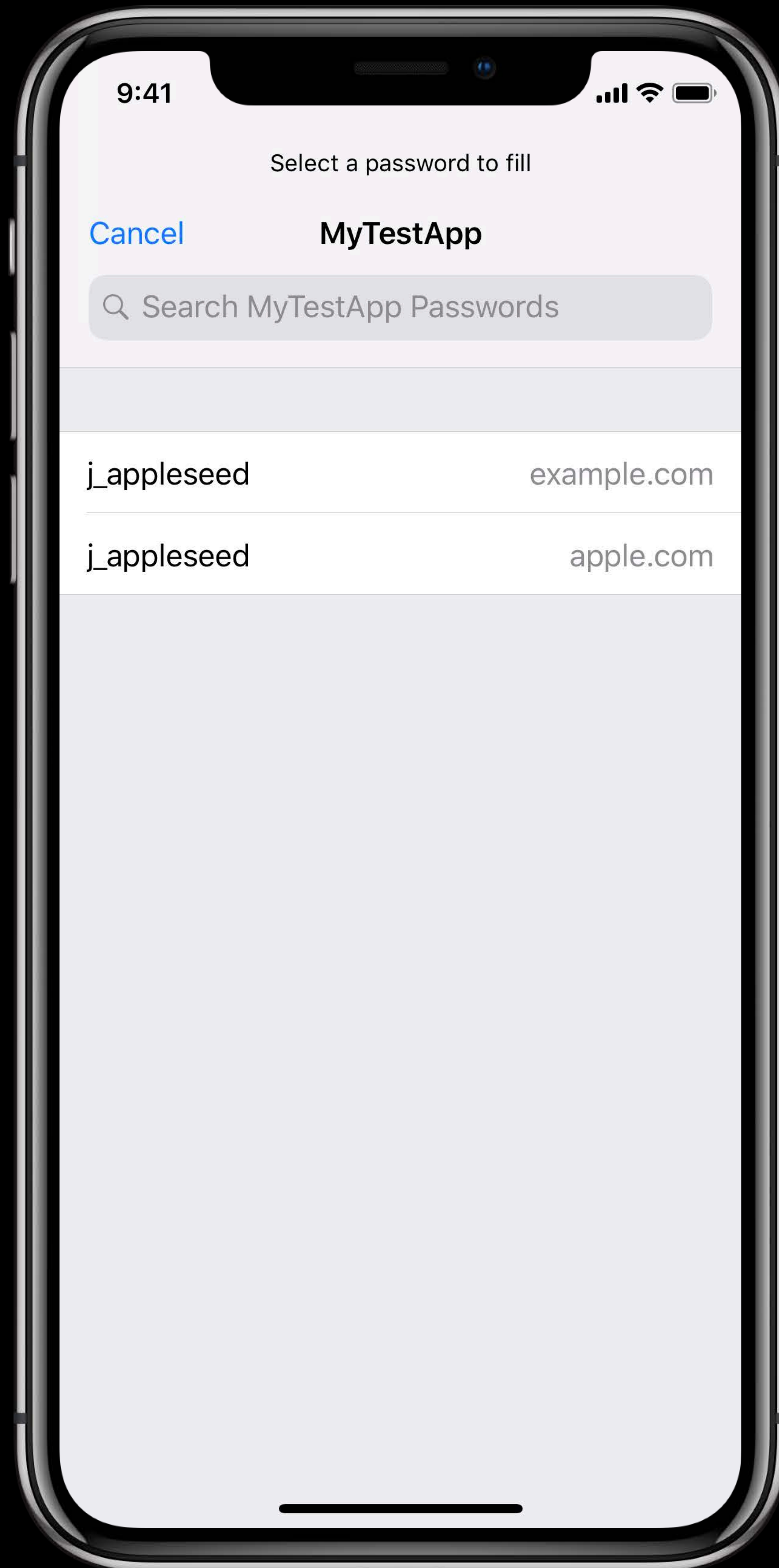
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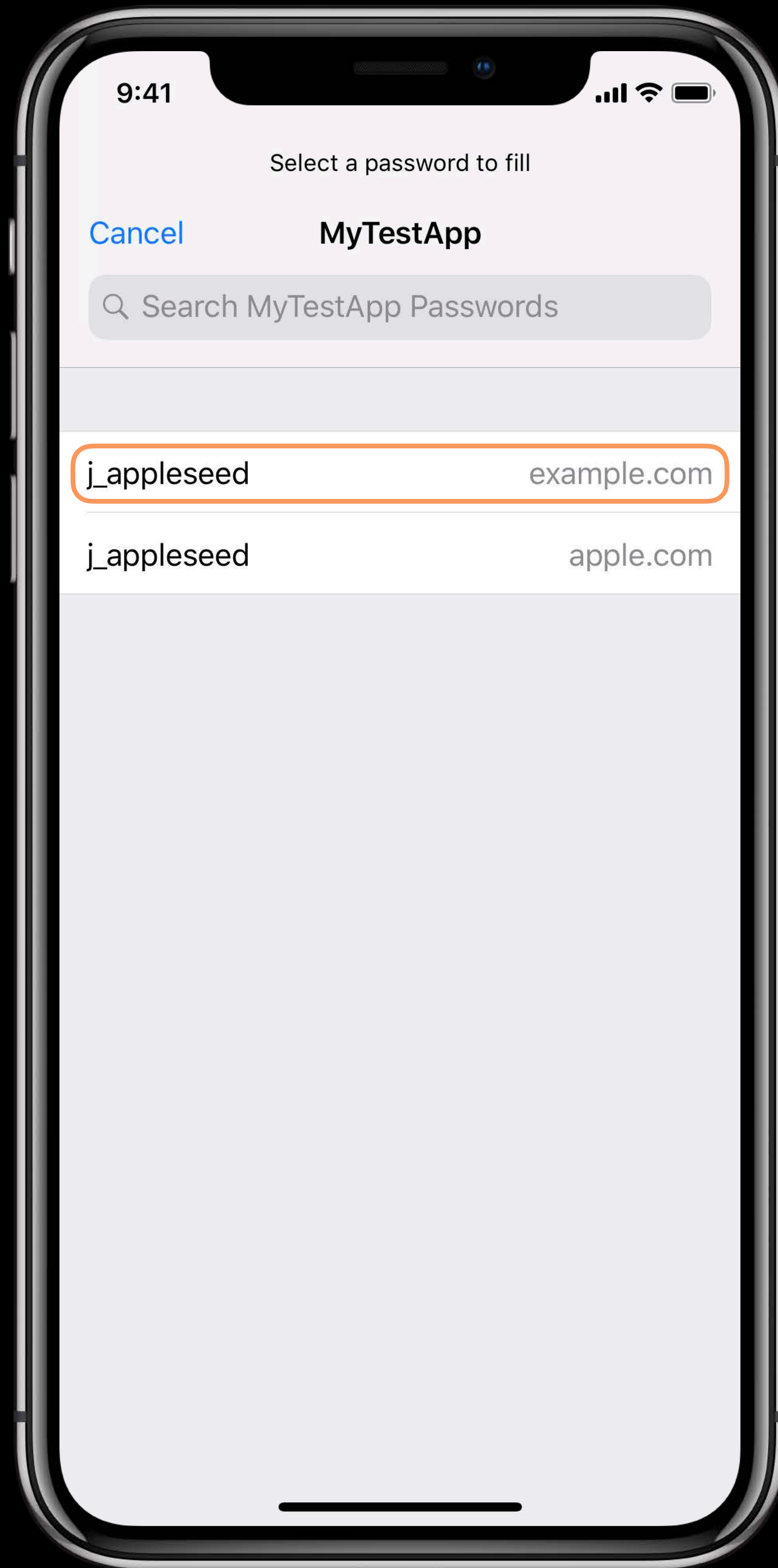
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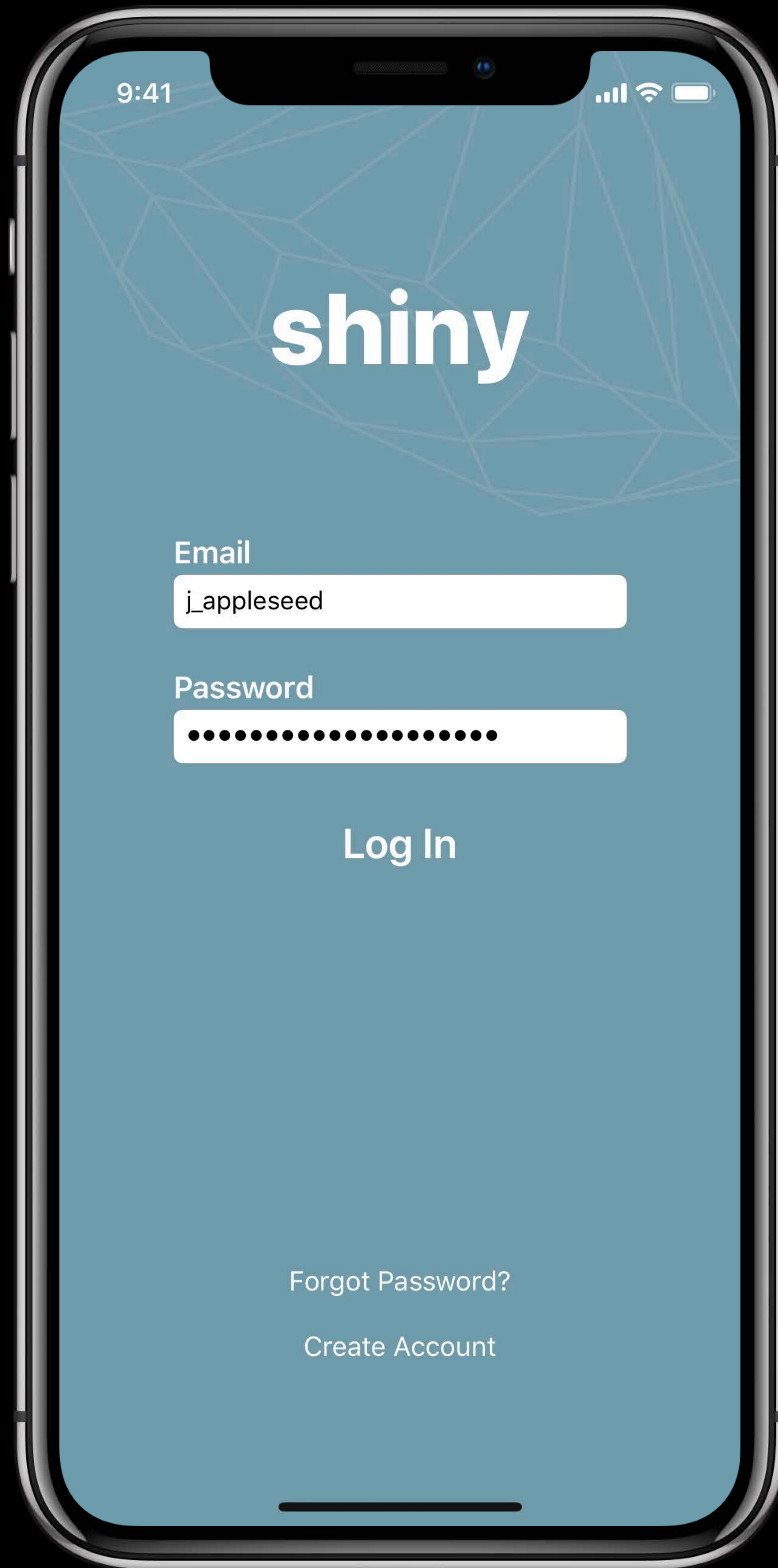
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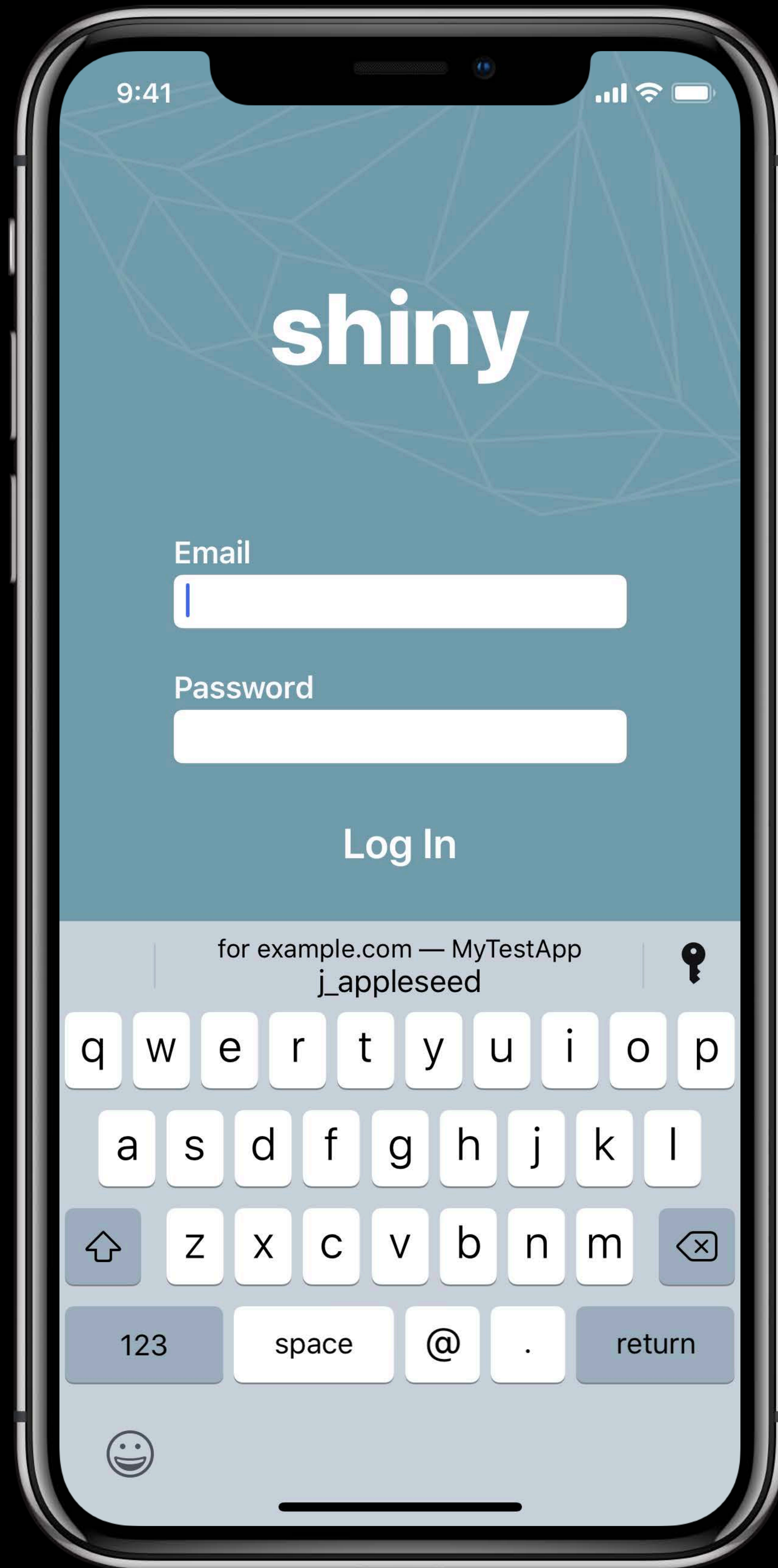








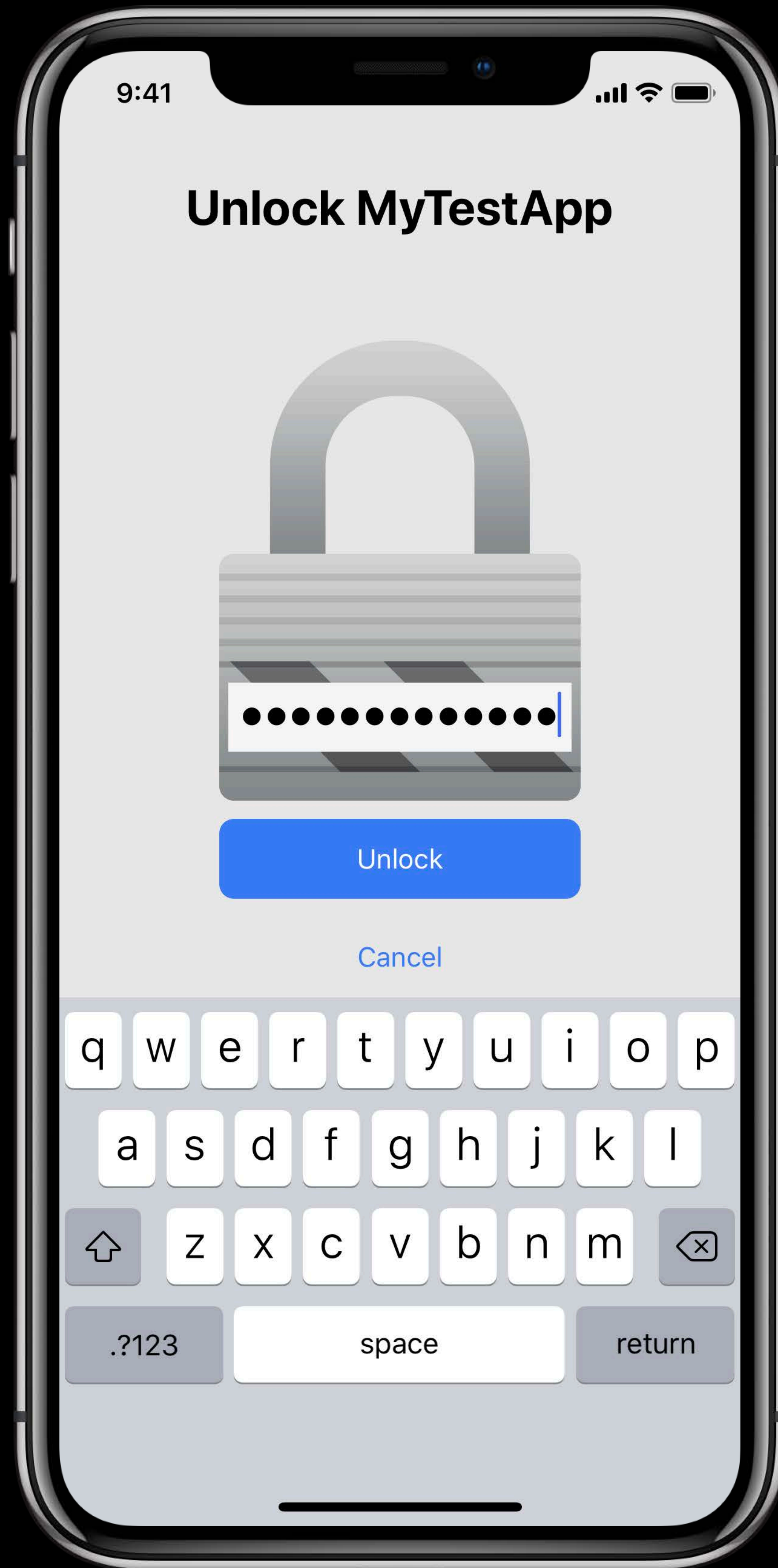
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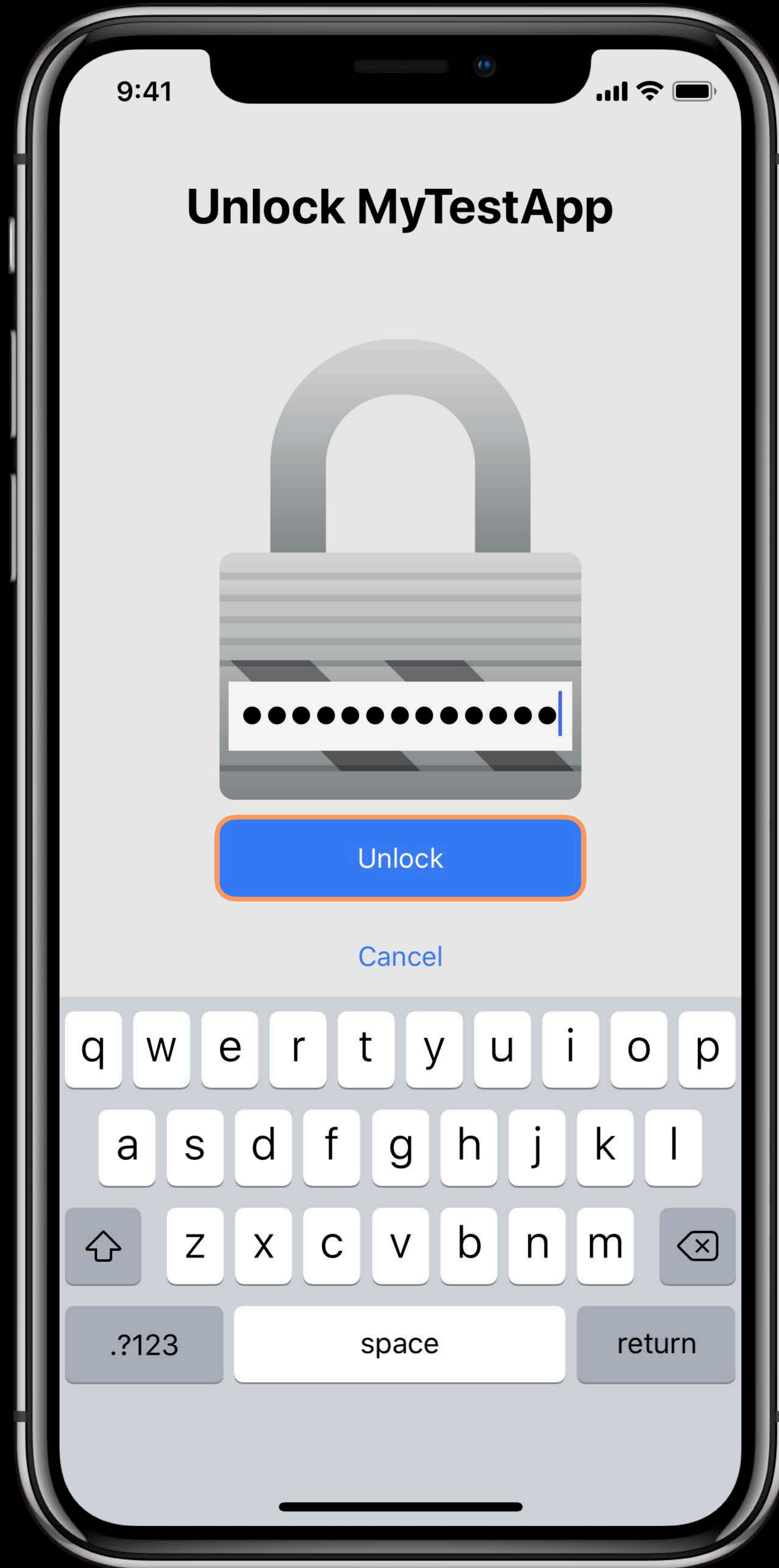
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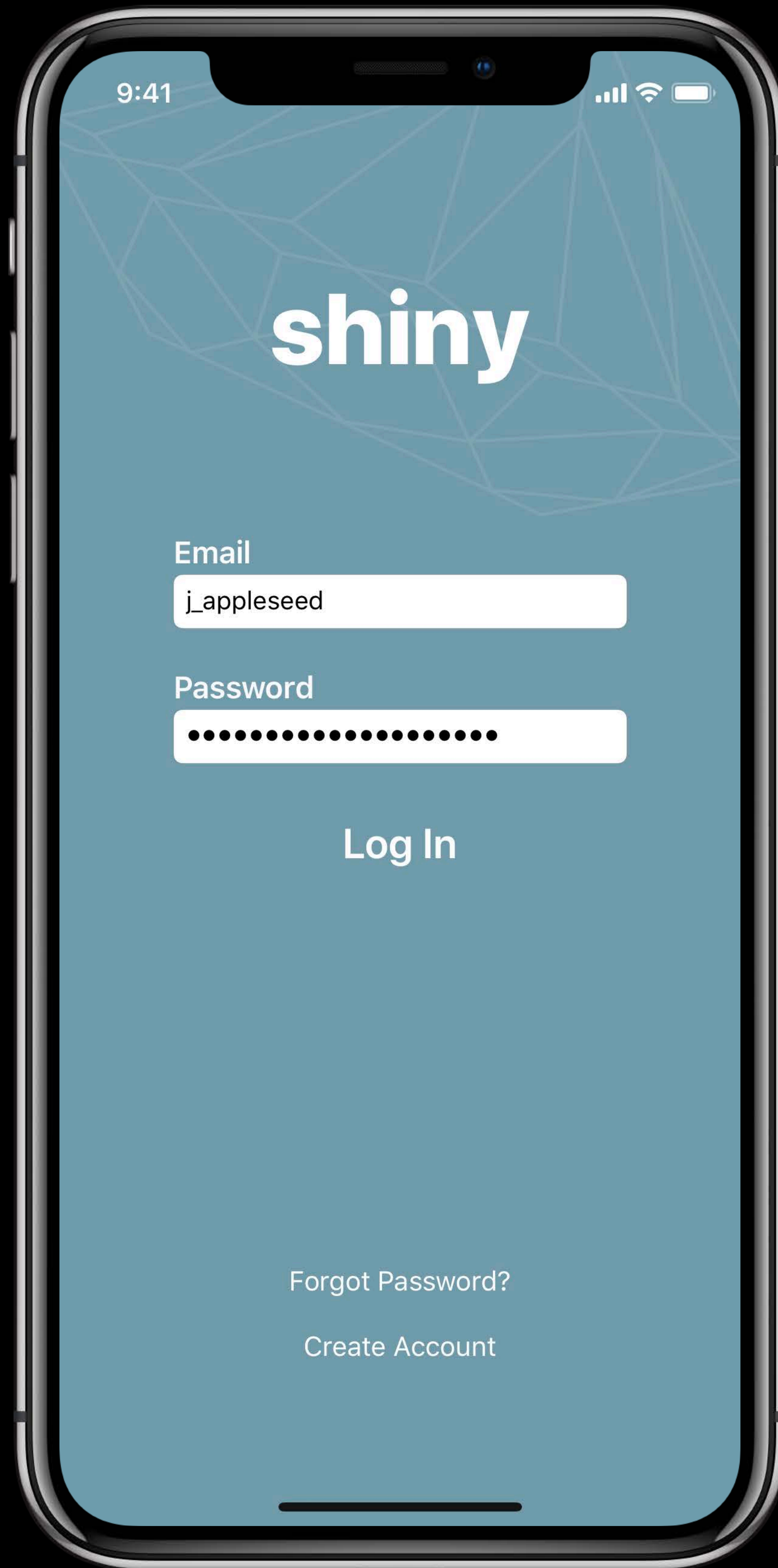
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Configure Your Project

Enable the 'AutoFill Credential Provider' capability

The screenshot shows the Xcode interface for configuring the 'MyTestApp' project. The 'Capabilities' tab is selected, displaying a list of capabilities with their respective toggle switches:

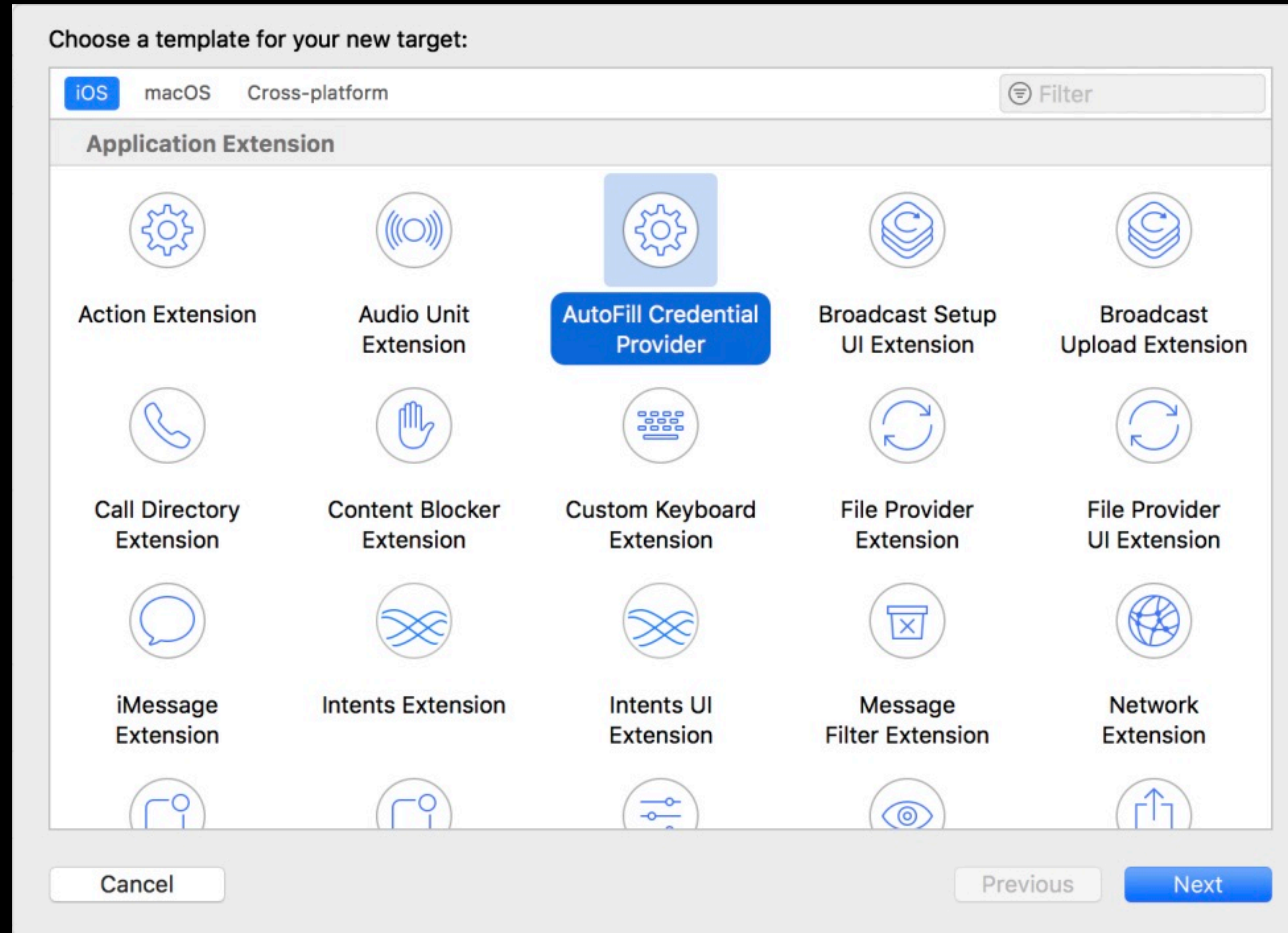
- Access WiFi Information**: OFF
- App Groups**: OFF
- AutoFill Credential Provider**: ON

Below the 'AutoFill Credential Provider' section, the following steps are listed:

- Steps: ✓ Add the AutoFill Credential Provider feature to your App ID.
- ✓ Add the AutoFill Credential Provider entitlement to your entitlements file
- ✓ Link AuthenticationServices.framework

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Add an AutoFill Credential Provider extension



```
import AuthenticationServices
```

```
class CredentialProviderViewController: ASCredentialProviderViewController {
```

```
}
```

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ASCredentialServiceIdentifier

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```
class ASCredentialServiceIdentifier: NSObject {  
  
    enum IdentifierType {  
        case domain  
        case URL  
    }  
  
    var identifier: String { get }  
    var type: ASCredentialServiceIdentifierType { get }  
}
```

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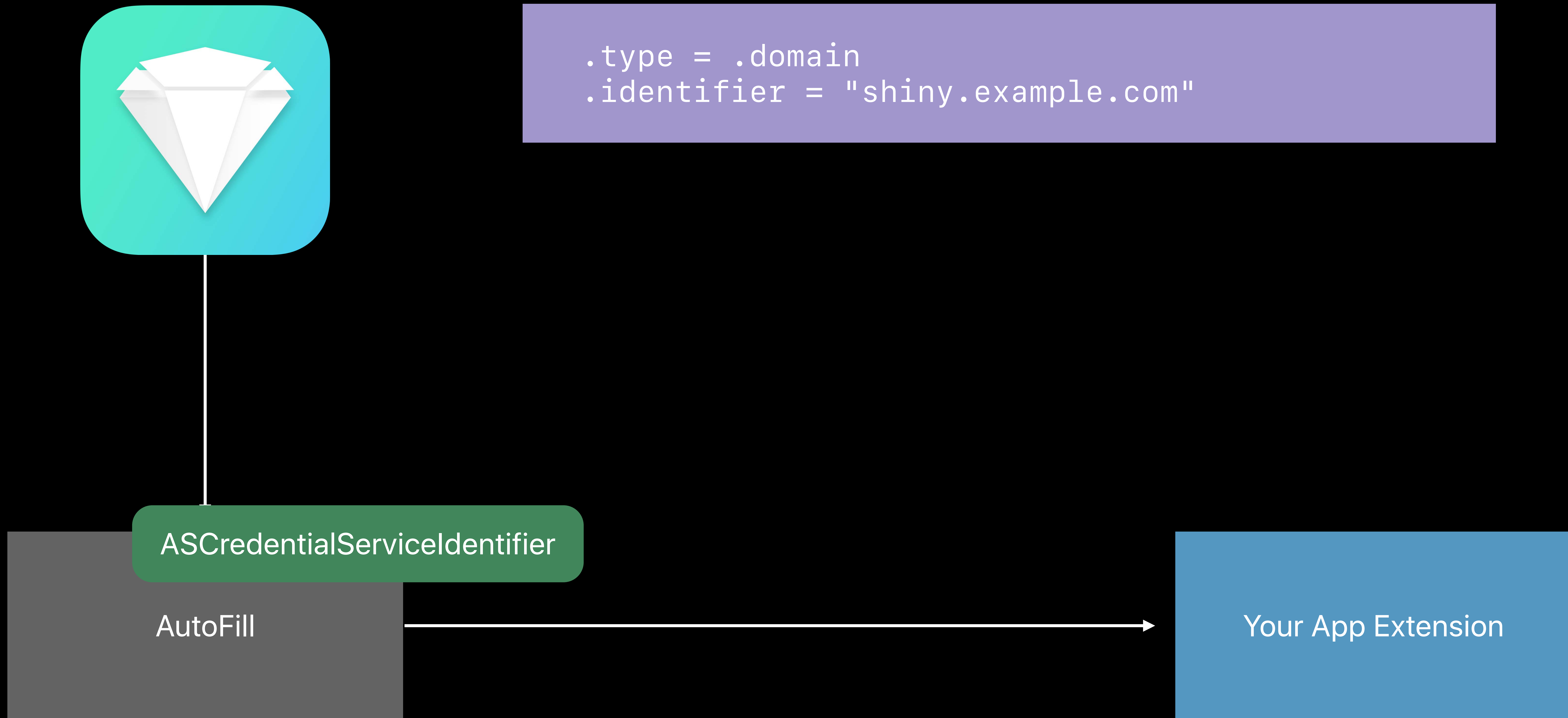


```
.type = .domain  
.identifier = "shiny.example.com"
```

ASCredentialServiceIdentifier

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```
class ASCredentialProviderViewController
  : UIViewController {

  func prepareCredentialList(for serviceIdentifiers:
    [ASCredentialServiceIdentifier]) {

    // Show the credential list UI

  }

}
```

ASCredentialServiceIdentifier

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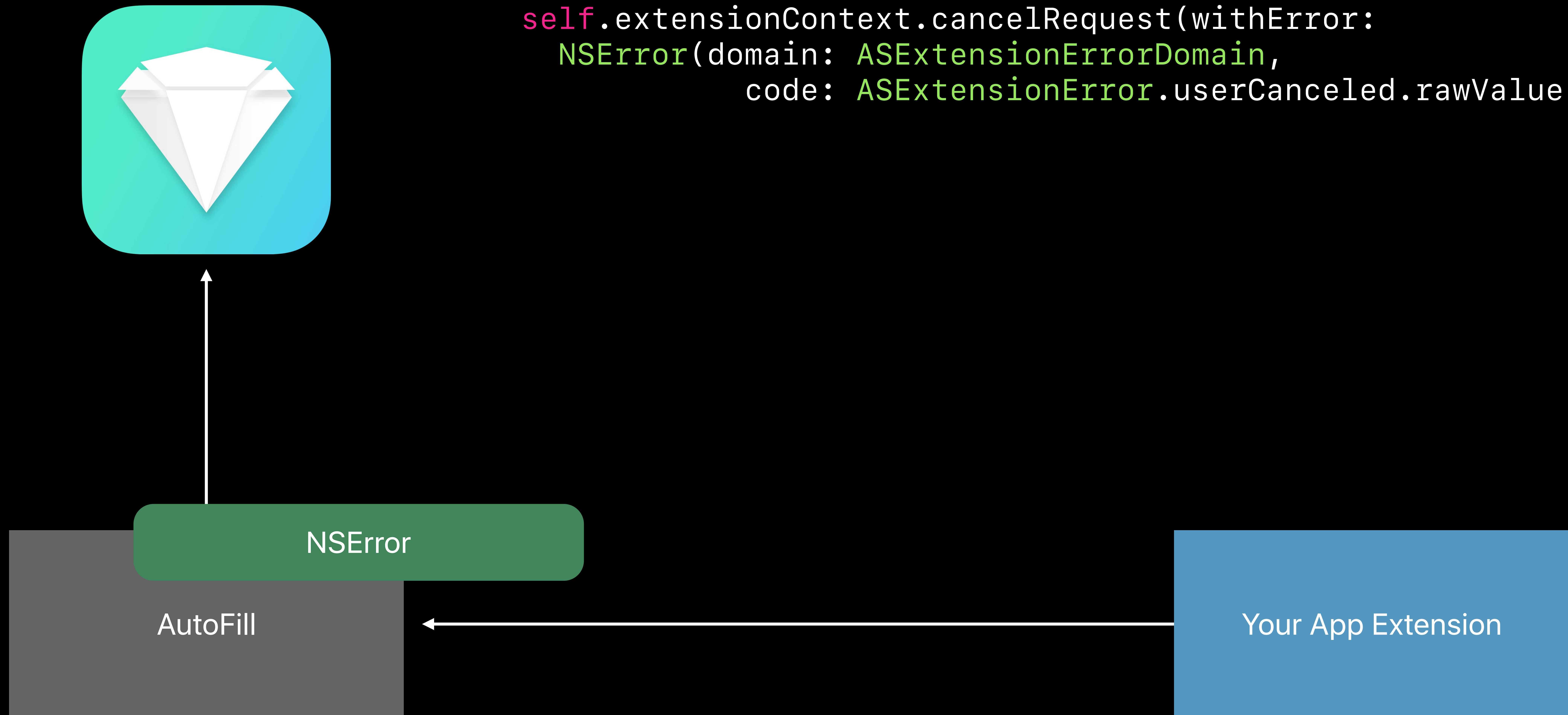


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NSError

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ASPasswordCredential

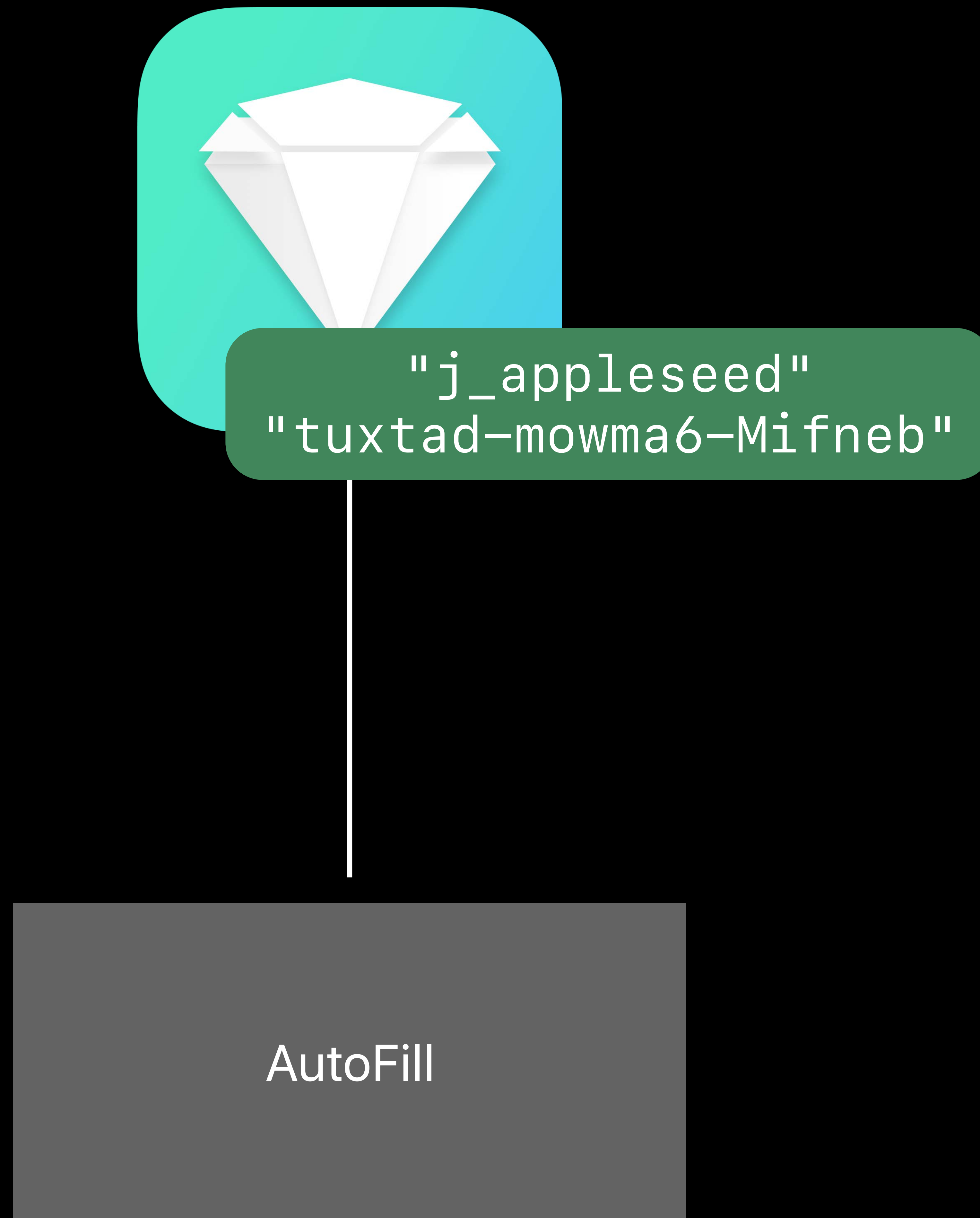
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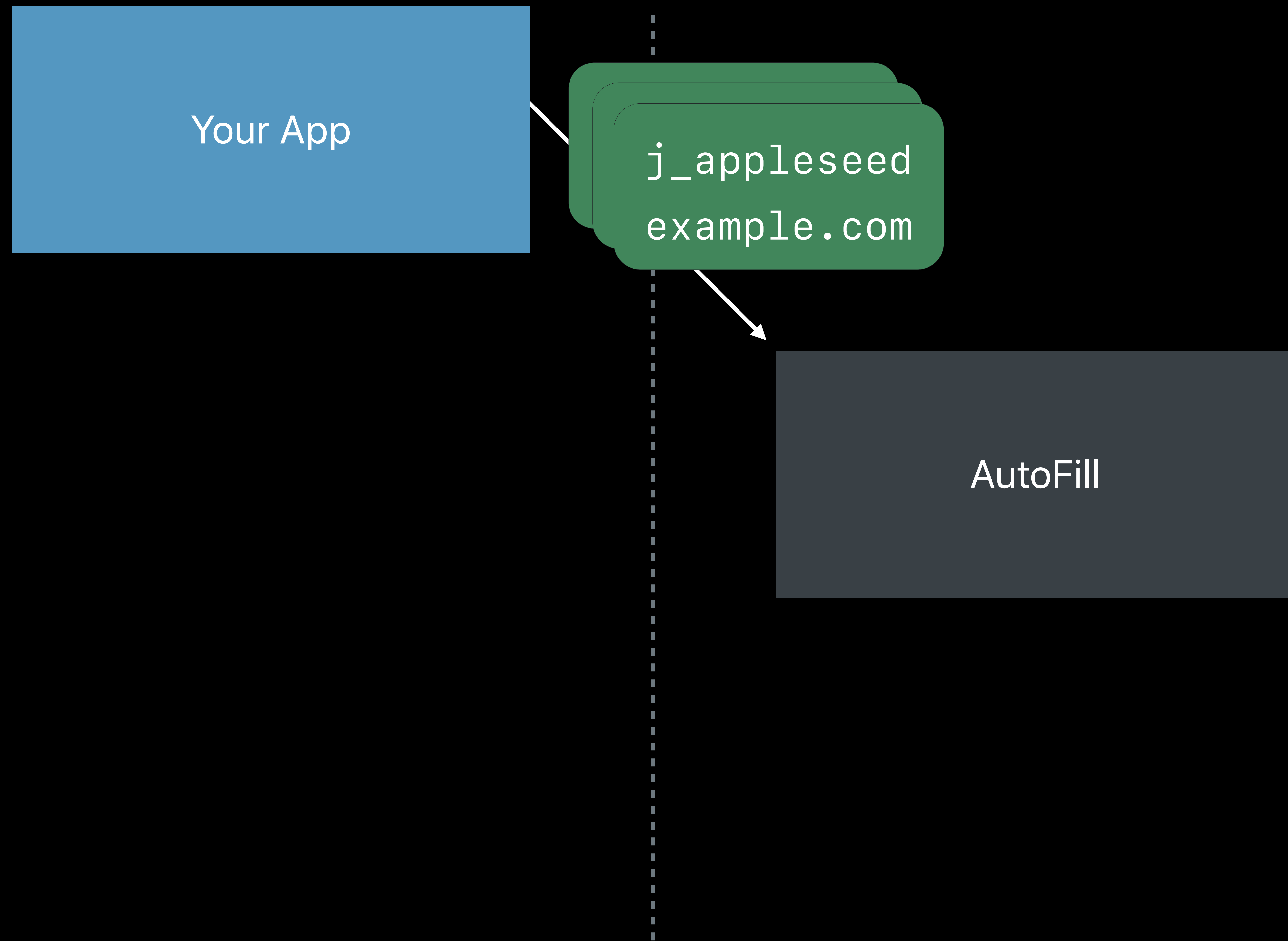
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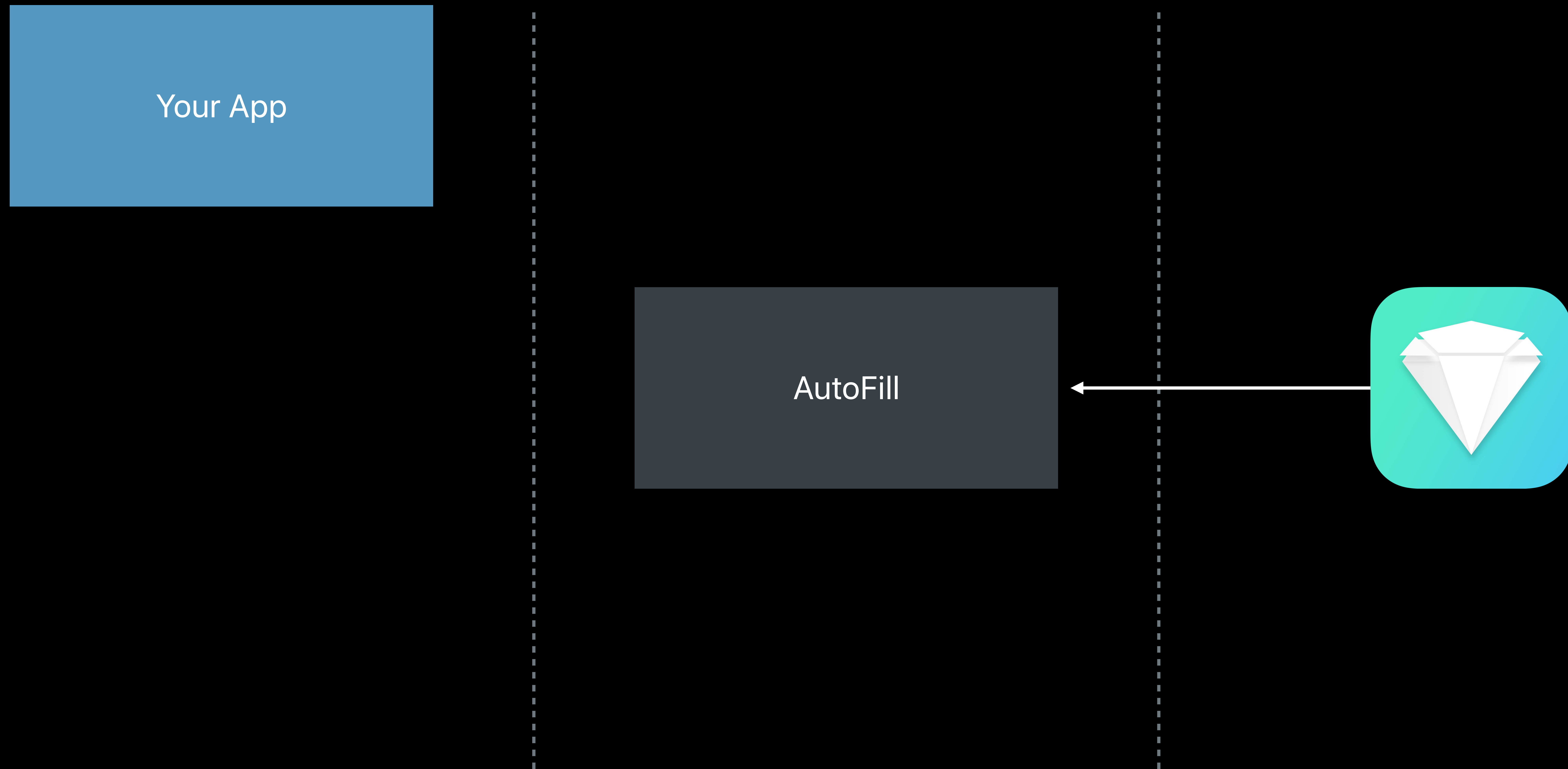
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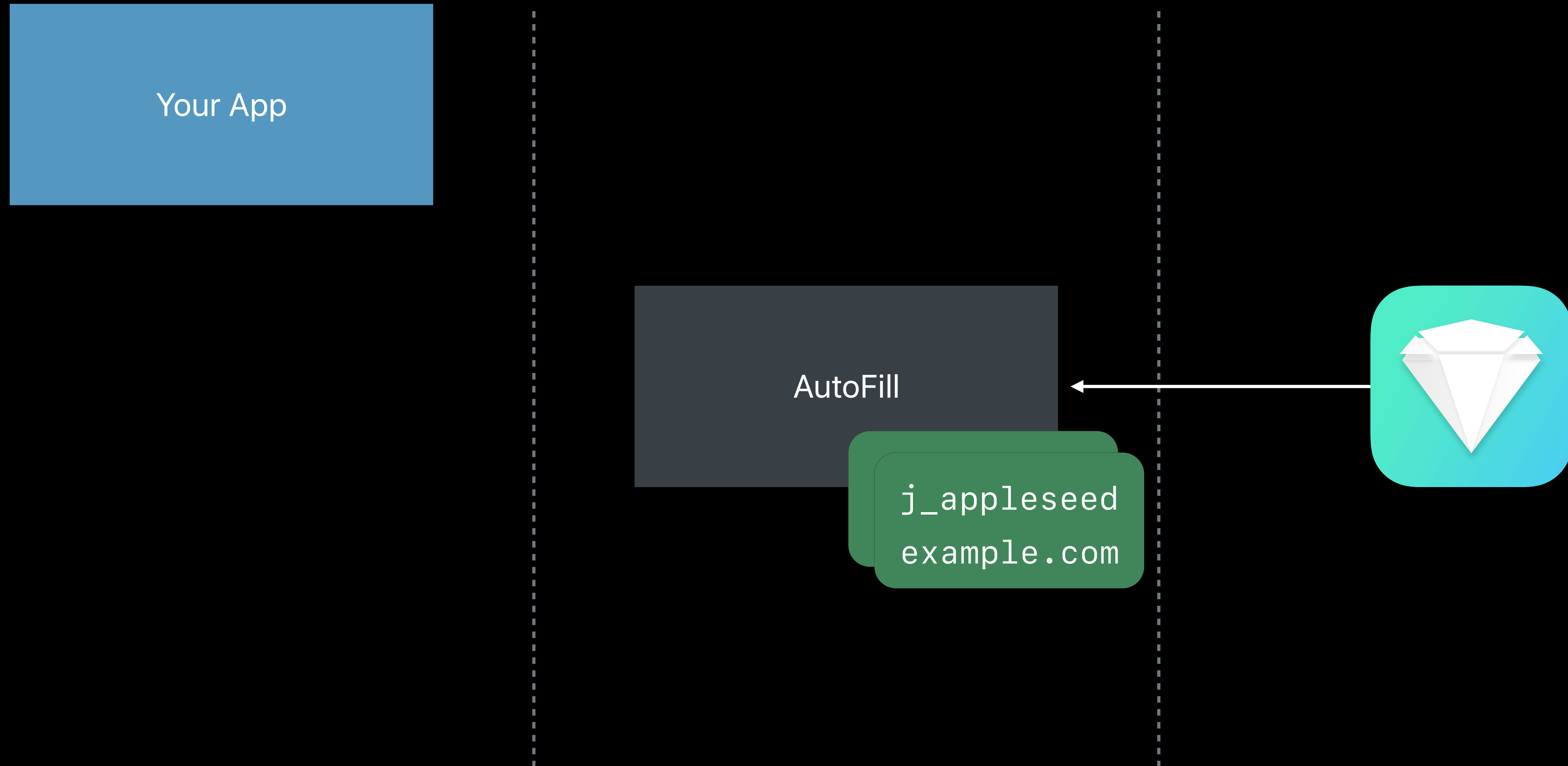
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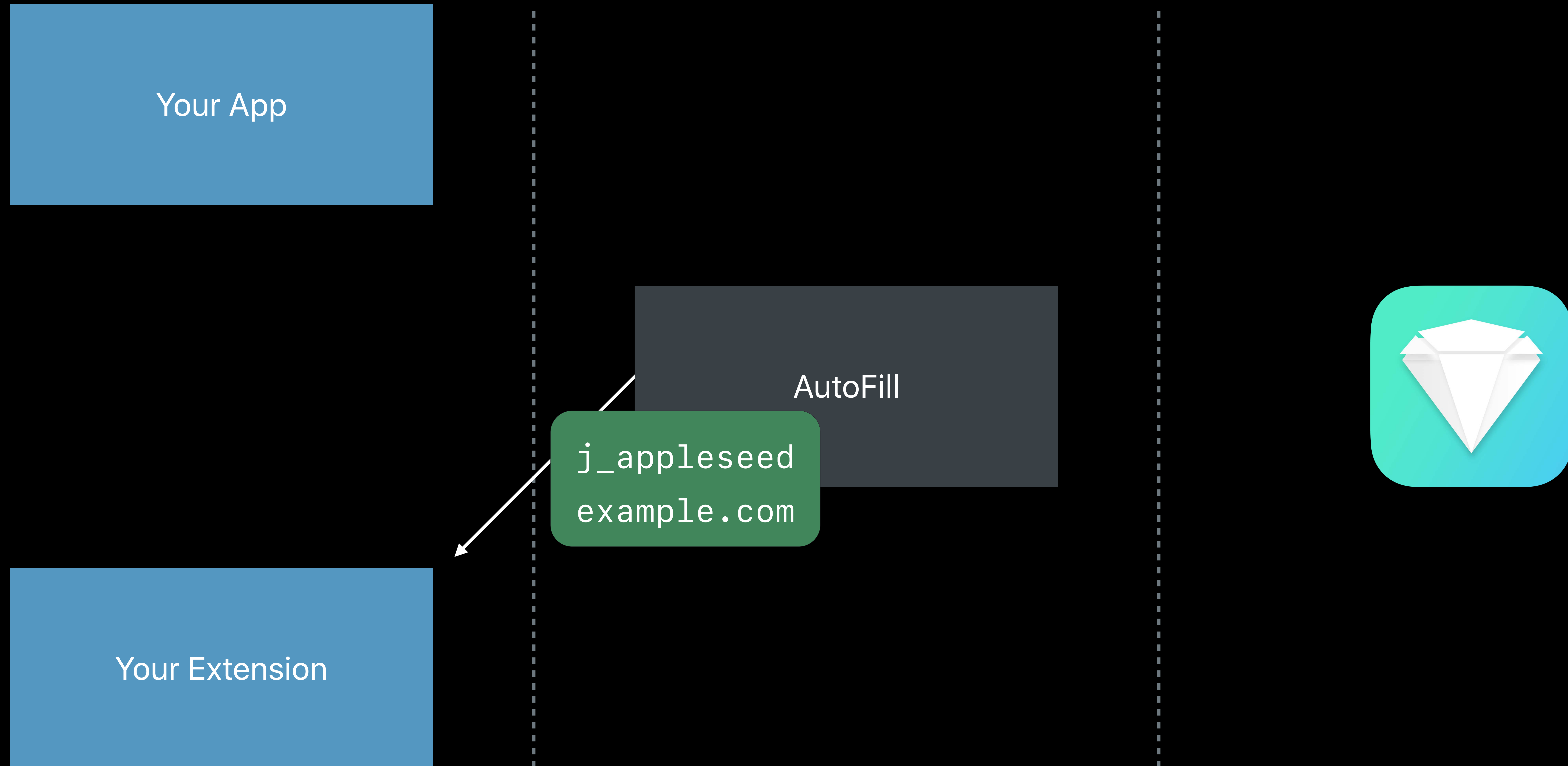
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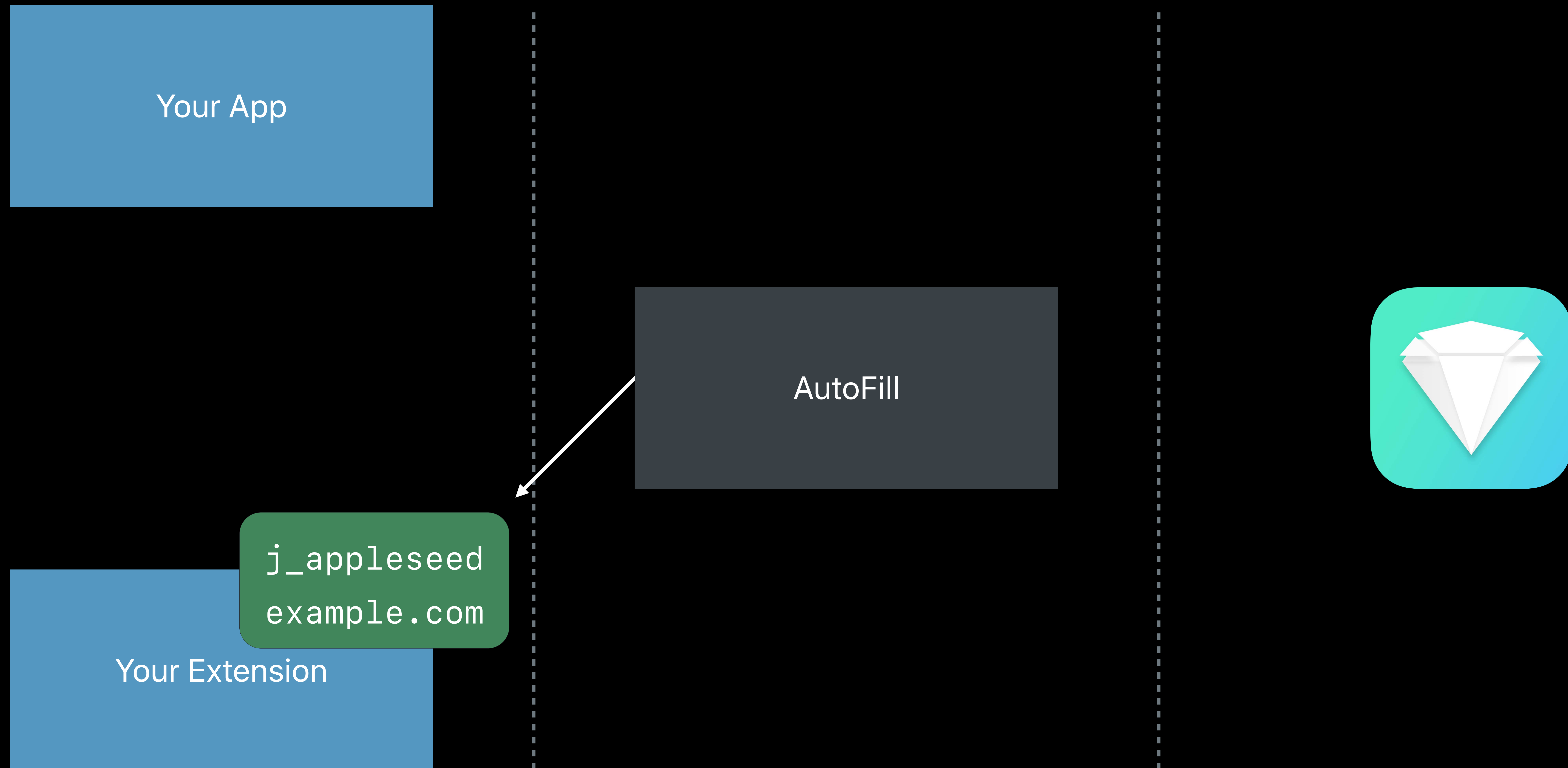
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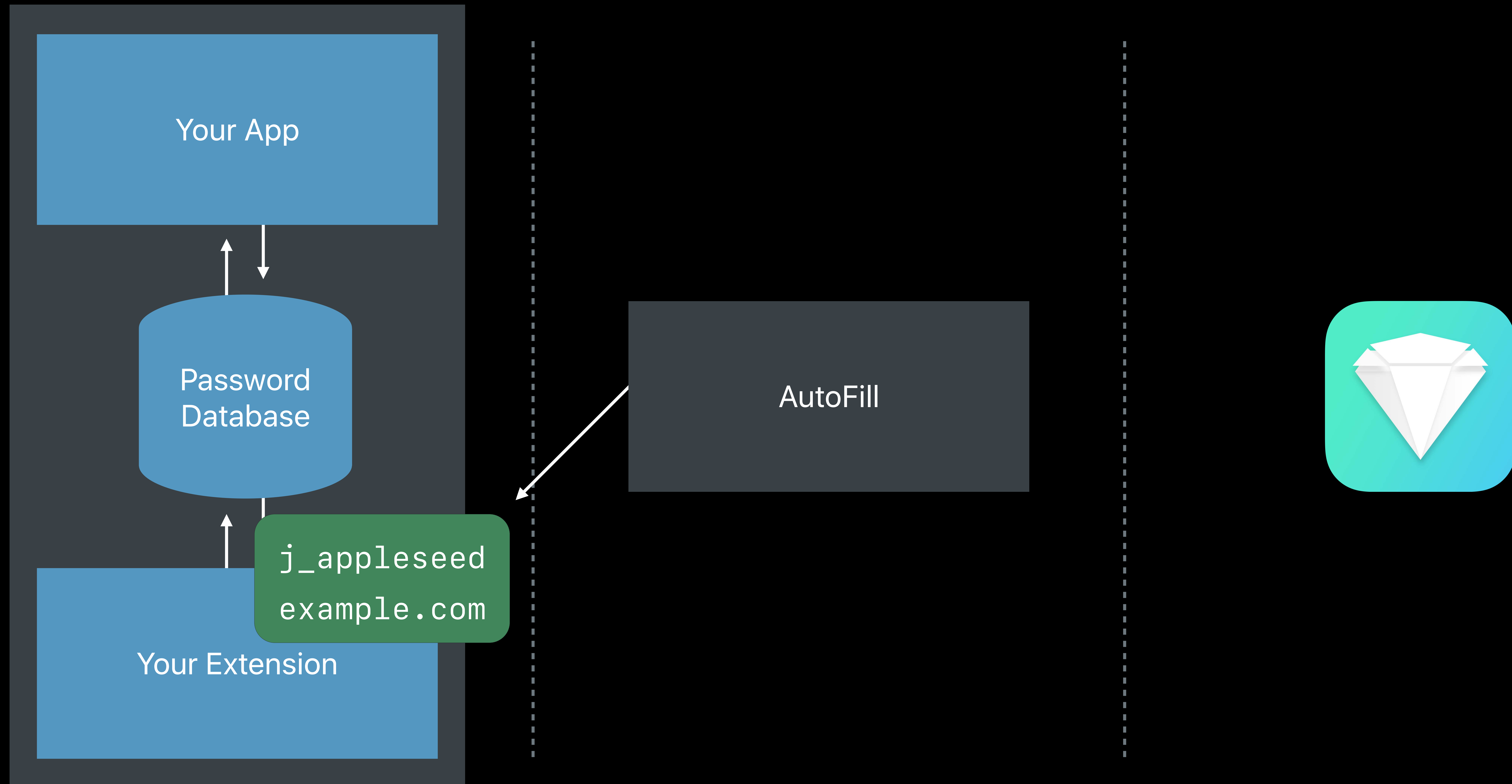
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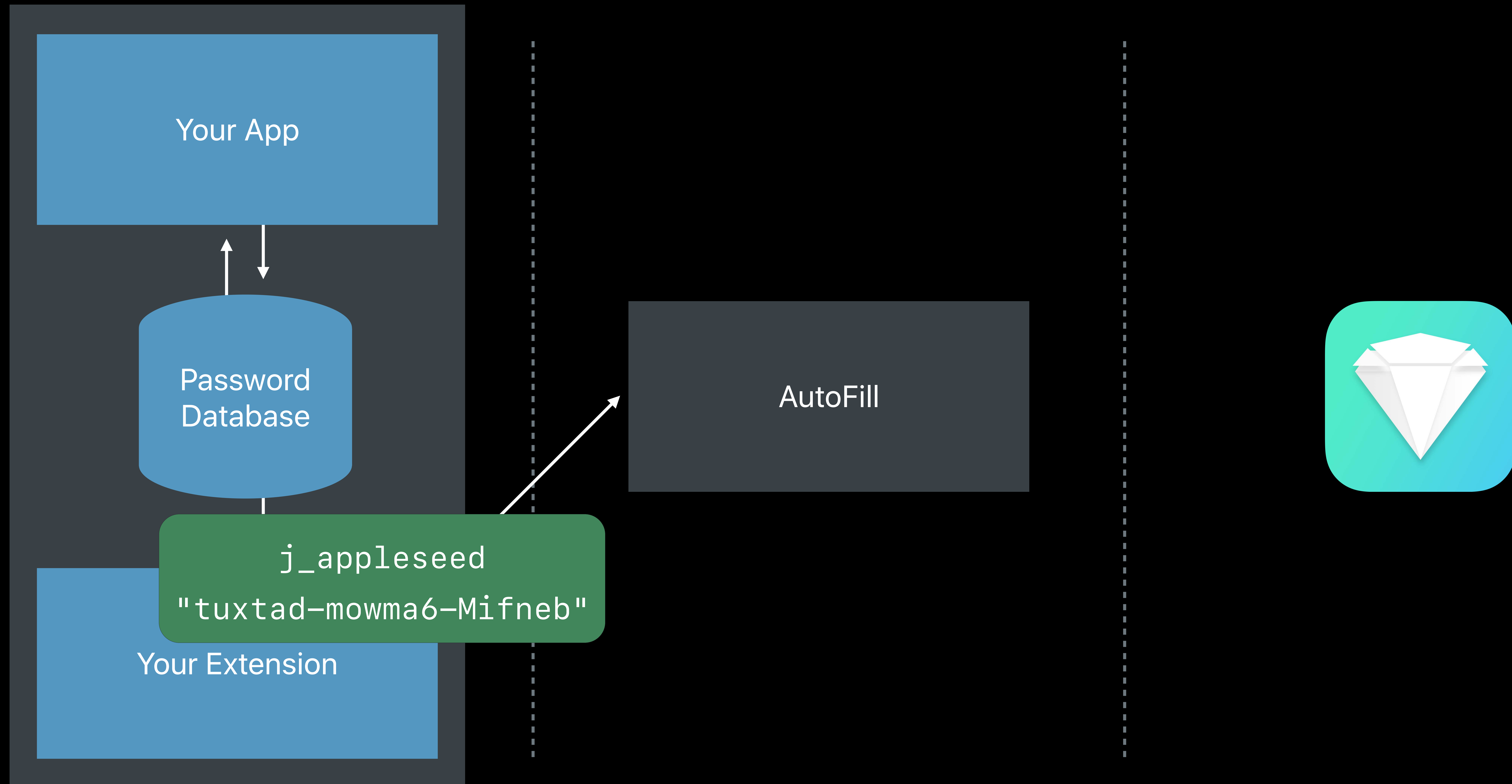
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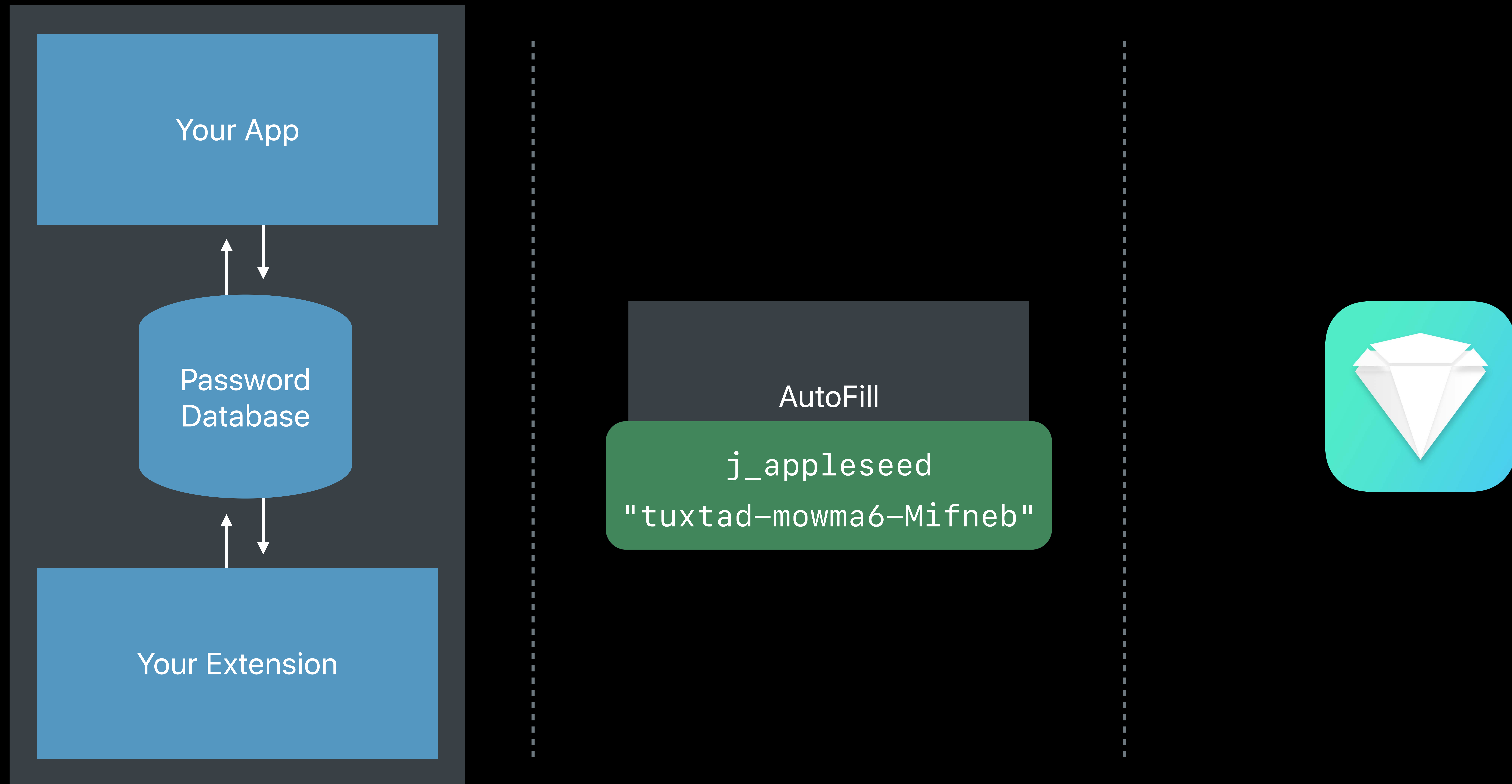
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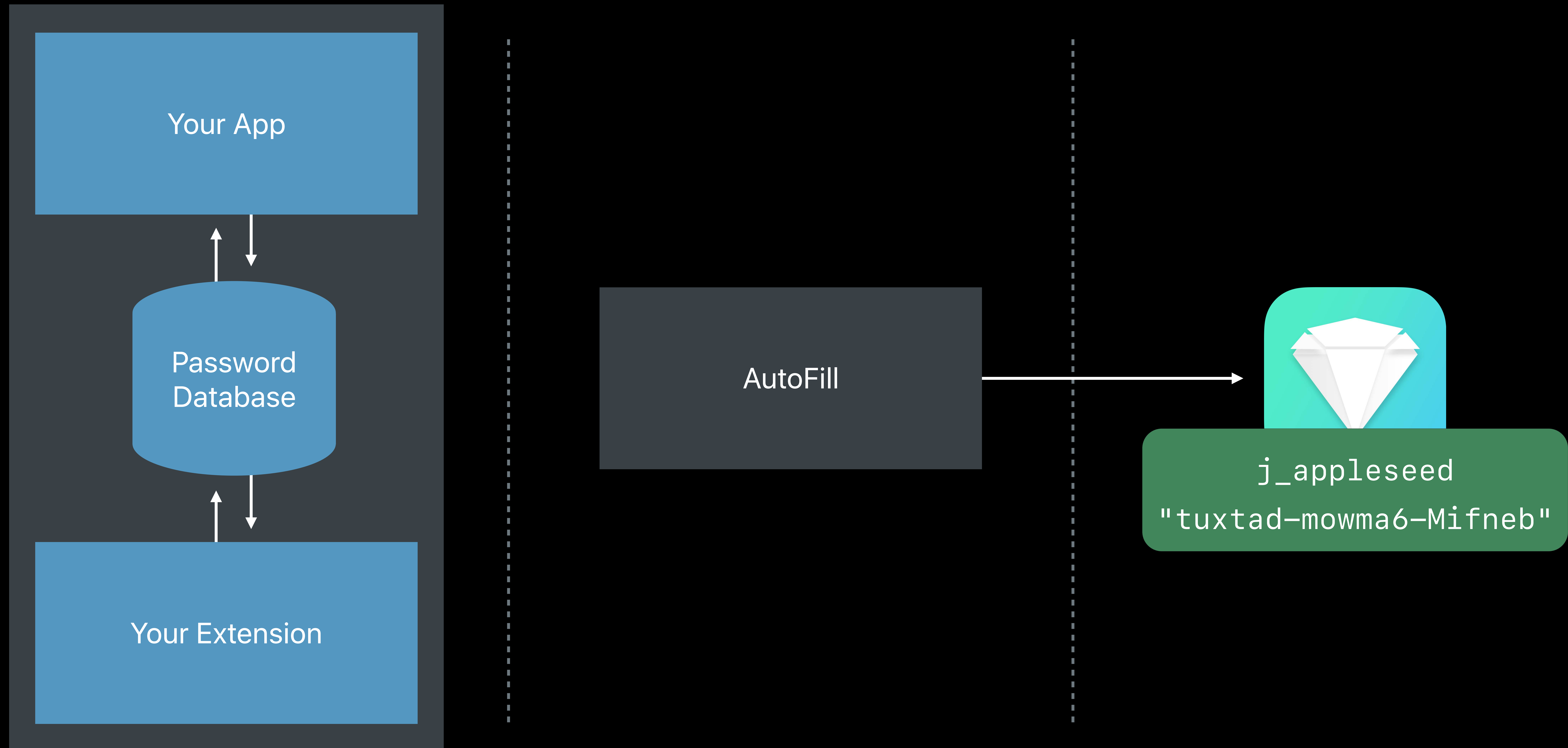
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What you need to do

Provide credential identities to AutoFill

Return passwords from extension

Show custom authentication UI (optional)

Show Credentials in the QuickType Bar

Provide credential identities to AutoFill

```
class ASPasswordCredentialIdentity: NSObject, NSCopying, NSSecureCoding {
    var serviceIdentifier: ASCredentialServiceIdentifier { get }
    var user: String { get }
    var recordIdentifier: String? { get }
    var rank: Int
    init(serviceIdentifier: ASCredentialServiceIdentifier, user: String,
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}
}
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Use the credential identity store

Secure, never leaves device

Writable only by your app and extensions

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Modifiable only when extension is enabled

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- New credentials are available
- Credentials are modified

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Use the credential identity store

Update the store as needed

- New credentials are available
- Credentials are modified
- Credentials are no longer available

```
class ASCredentialIdentityStore: NSObject {  
  
    class var shared: ASCredentialIdentityStore { get }  
  
    func replaceCredentialIdentities(with newCredentialIdentities:  
        [ASPasswordCredentialIdentity], completion: ((Bool, Error?) -> Void)?)  
  
    func removeAllCredentialIdentities(_ completion: ((Bool, Error?) -> Void)?)  
  
    func saveCredentialIdentities(_ credentialIdentities: [ASPasswordCredentialIdentity],  
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ASCredentialIdentityStore can help

```
class ASCredentialIdentityStore: NSObject {  
    func getState(_ completion: @escaping (ASCredentialIdentityStoreState) -> Void)  
}  
}
```

```
class ASCredentialIdentityStoreState: NSObject {  
    var isEnabled: Bool { get }  
    var supportsIncrementalUpdates: Bool { get }  
}
```

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class ASCredentialIdentityStore: NSObject {
```

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    func getState(_ completion: @escaping (ASCredentialIdentityStoreState) -> Void)
```

```
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```

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Email

Password

Log In

for example.com — MyTestApp
j_appleseed



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```
class CredentialProviderViewController: ASCredentialProviderViewController {  
  
    override func provideCredentialWithoutUserInteraction(for  
        credentialIdentity: ASPasswordCredentialIdentity) {  
  
        // Look up the password for the selected credential identity  
        let credential: ASPasswordCredential = /* ... */  
        self.extensionContext.completeRequest(withSelectedCredential: credential,  
                                              completionHandler: nil)  
    }  
}
```

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class CredentialProviderViewController: ASCredentialProviderViewController {  
  
    override func provideCredentialWithoutUserInteraction(for  
        credentialIdentity: ASPasswordCredentialIdentity) {  
  
        // Tell the system to display your UI  
        self.extensionContext.cancelRequest(withError:  
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    }

    override func prepareInterfaceToProvideCredential(for
        credentialIdentity: ASPasswordCredentialIdentity) {

        // Set up UI for allowing the user to fill the provided credential
    }
}
```

```
class CredentialProviderViewController: ASCredentialProviderViewController {  
  
    private func userDidAuthenticateForYourExtension() {  
  
        let credential: ASPasswordCredential = /* ... */  
        self.extensionContext.completeRequest(withSelectedCredential: credential,  
                                              completionHandler: nil)  
  
    }  
  
}
```

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Provide passwords from your extension

Respond to the initial request quickly

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- Except simulator and debug builds

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Best practices

Keep the credential identity store up-to-date

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Avoid expensive setup in every `viewDidLoad()`

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Your extension may require additional setup after being enabled

- Provide credential identities for QuickType
- Sign user into online service
- Get user authentication or confirmation for QuickType

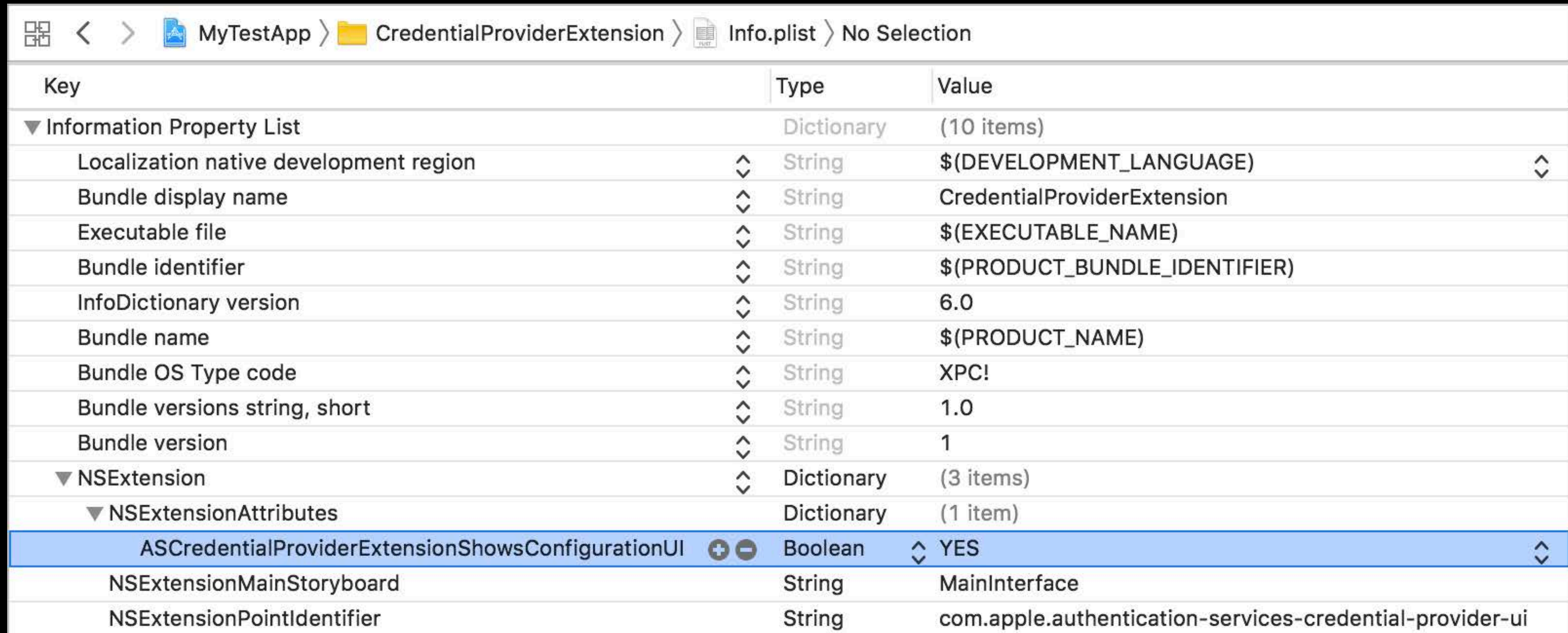
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AuthenticationServices provides API for this

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The screenshot shows the Xcode interface for editing the Info.plist file of a credential provider extension. The breadcrumb path is: MyTestApp > CredentialProviderExtension > Info.plist > No Selection. The table below lists the keys and their values, with the 'ASCredentialProviderExtensionShowsConfigurationUI' key highlighted in blue.

Key	Type	Value
▼ Information Property List	Dictionary	(10 items)
Localization native development region	String	\$(DEVELOPMENT_LANGUAGE)
Bundle display name	String	CredentialProviderExtension
Executable file	String	\$(EXECUTABLE_NAME)
Bundle identifier	String	\$(PRODUCT_BUNDLE_IDENTIFIER)
InfoDictionary version	String	6.0
Bundle name	String	\$(PRODUCT_NAME)
Bundle OS Type code	String	XPC!
Bundle versions string, short	String	1.0
Bundle version	String	1
▼ NSExtension	Dictionary	(3 items)
▼ NSExtensionAttributes	Dictionary	(1 item)
ASCredentialProviderExtensionShowsConfigurationUI	Boolean	YES
NSExtensionMainStoryboard	String	MainInterface
NSExtensionPointIdentifier	String	com.apple.authentication-services-credential-provider-ui

```
class CredentialProviderViewController: ASCredentialProviderViewController {  
  
    func prepareInterfaceForExtensionConfiguration() {  
  
        // Present appropriate Settings UI  
  
    }  
  
}
```

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class CredentialProviderViewController: ASCredentialProviderViewController {  
  
    func prepareInterfaceForExtensionConfiguration() {  
  
        // Present appropriate Settings UI  
  
    }  
  
    private func myWorkIsDone() {  
  
        // Call this to dismiss the extension UI when the user is done  
        self.extensionContext.completeExtensionConfigurationRequest()  
  
    }  
  
}
```

Best Practices

Extension Development

Best practices

```
class ASCredentialProviderViewController {  
    func prepareCredentialList(for:)  
  
    func prepareInterfaceToProvideCredential(for:)  
  
    func prepareInterfaceForExtensionConfiguration()  
  
}
```

Use separate view controllers

Present or use view controller containment

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Best practices

Extensions should be lightweight

Use App Groups, shared keychains

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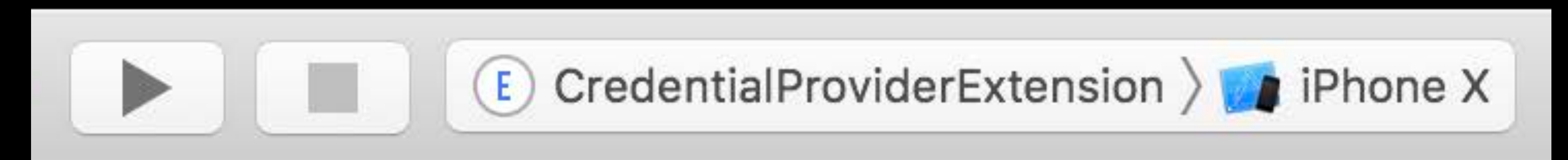
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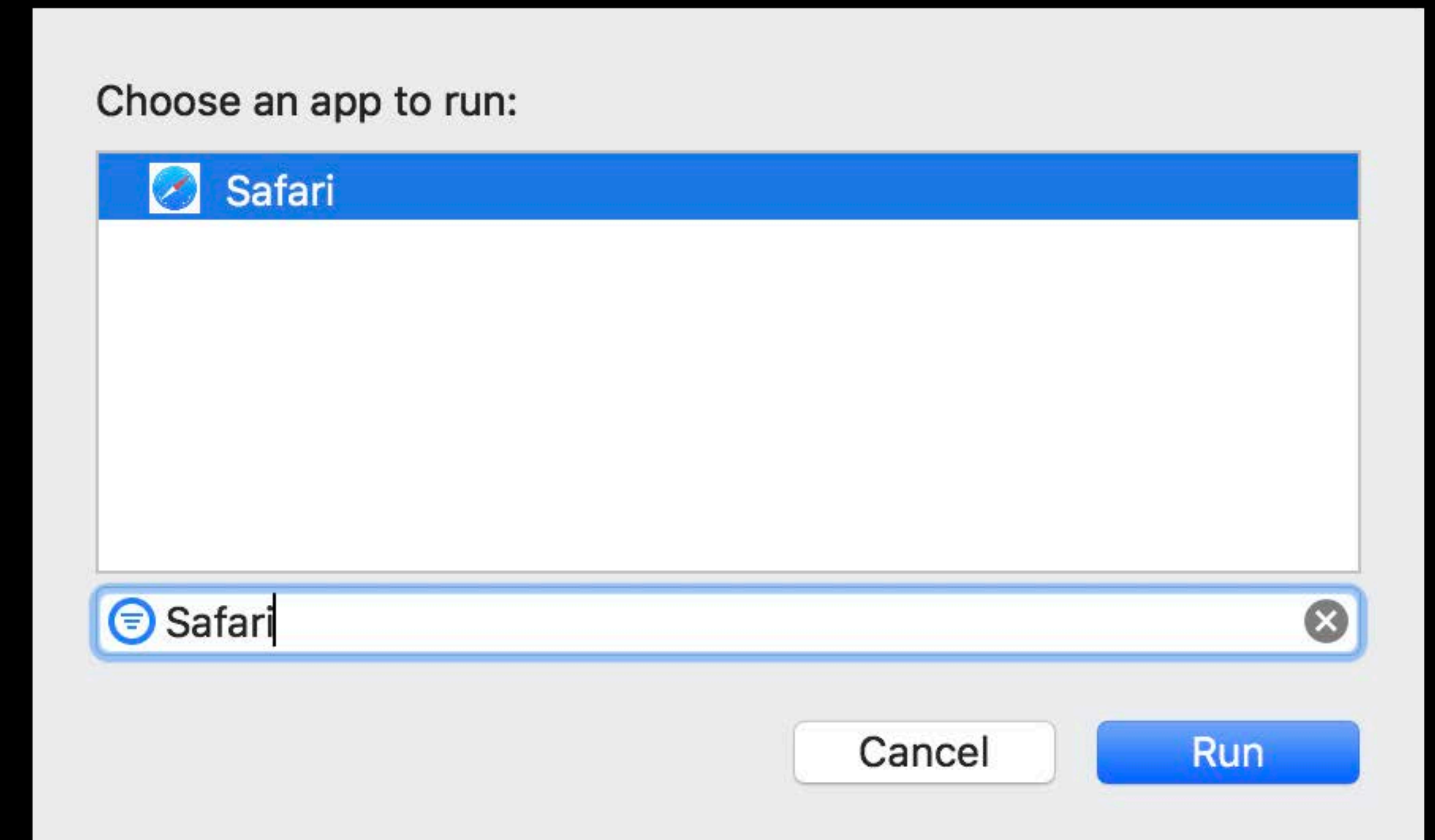


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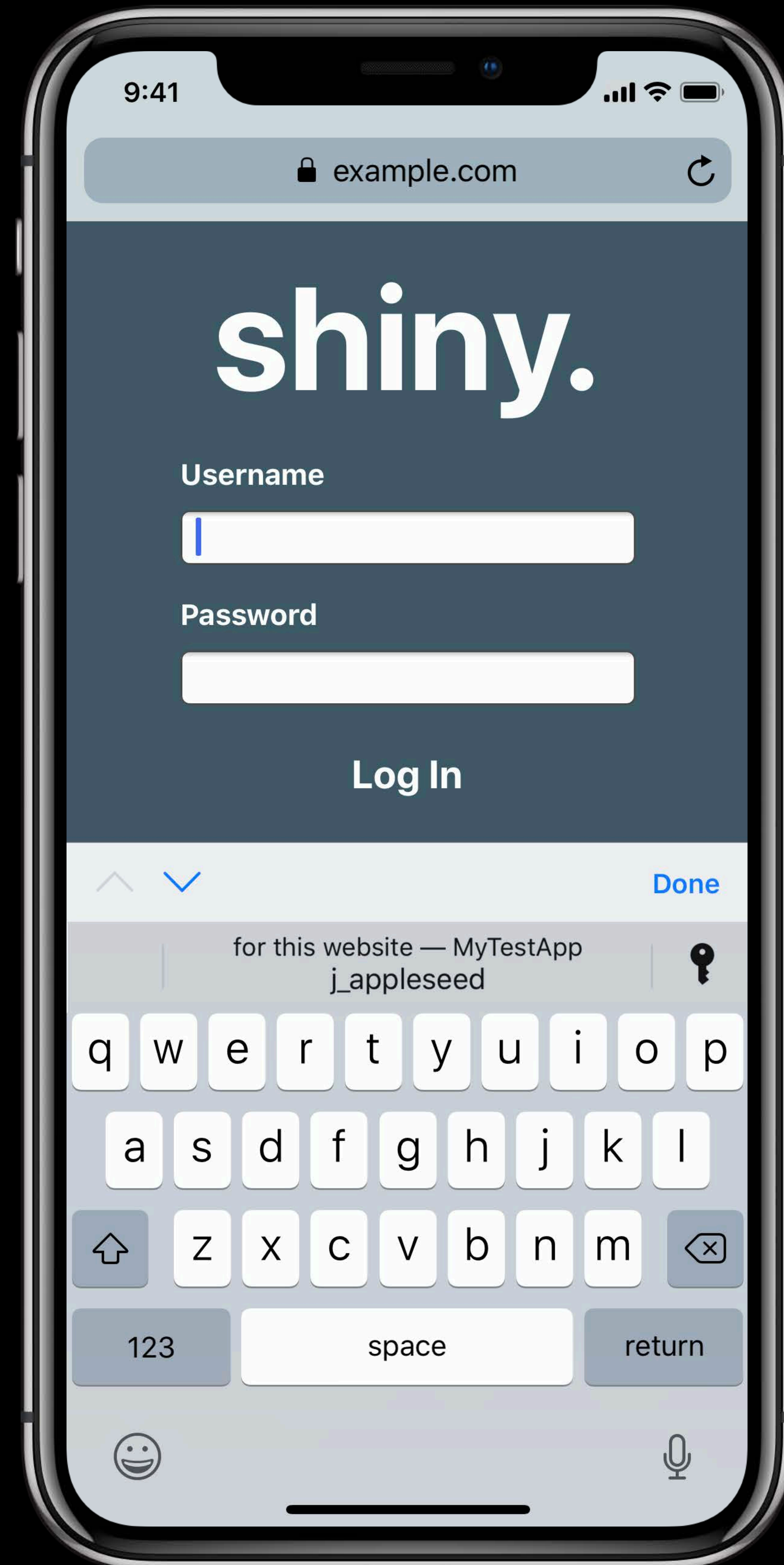


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Use "Debug > Attach to Process" for other cases

Summary

Password manager apps can integrate with Password AutoFill

Show the user's list of credentials

Suggest the user's credentials in the QuickType bar

Configure your app extension within Settings

More Information

<https://developer.apple.com/wwdc18/721>

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