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Going Mobile with 2048^{FX}

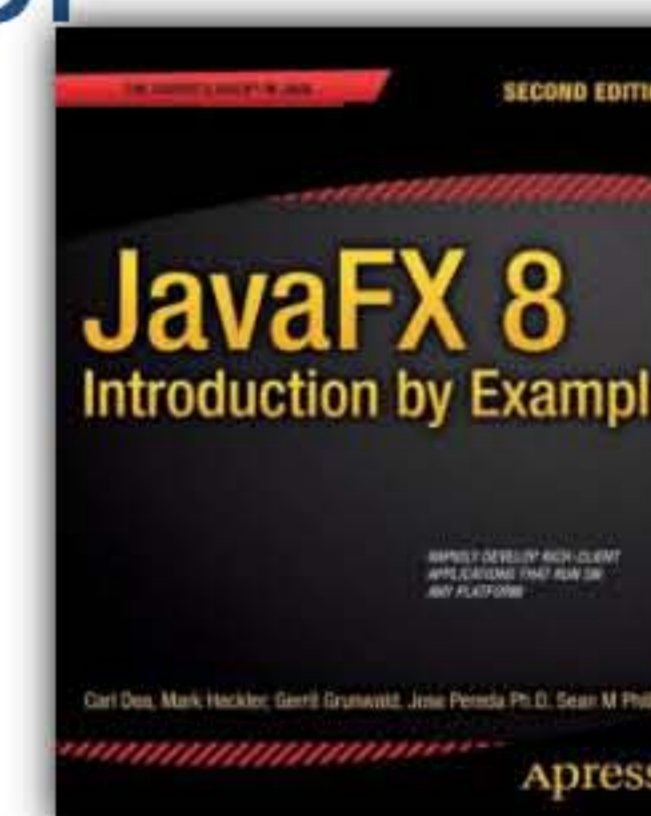


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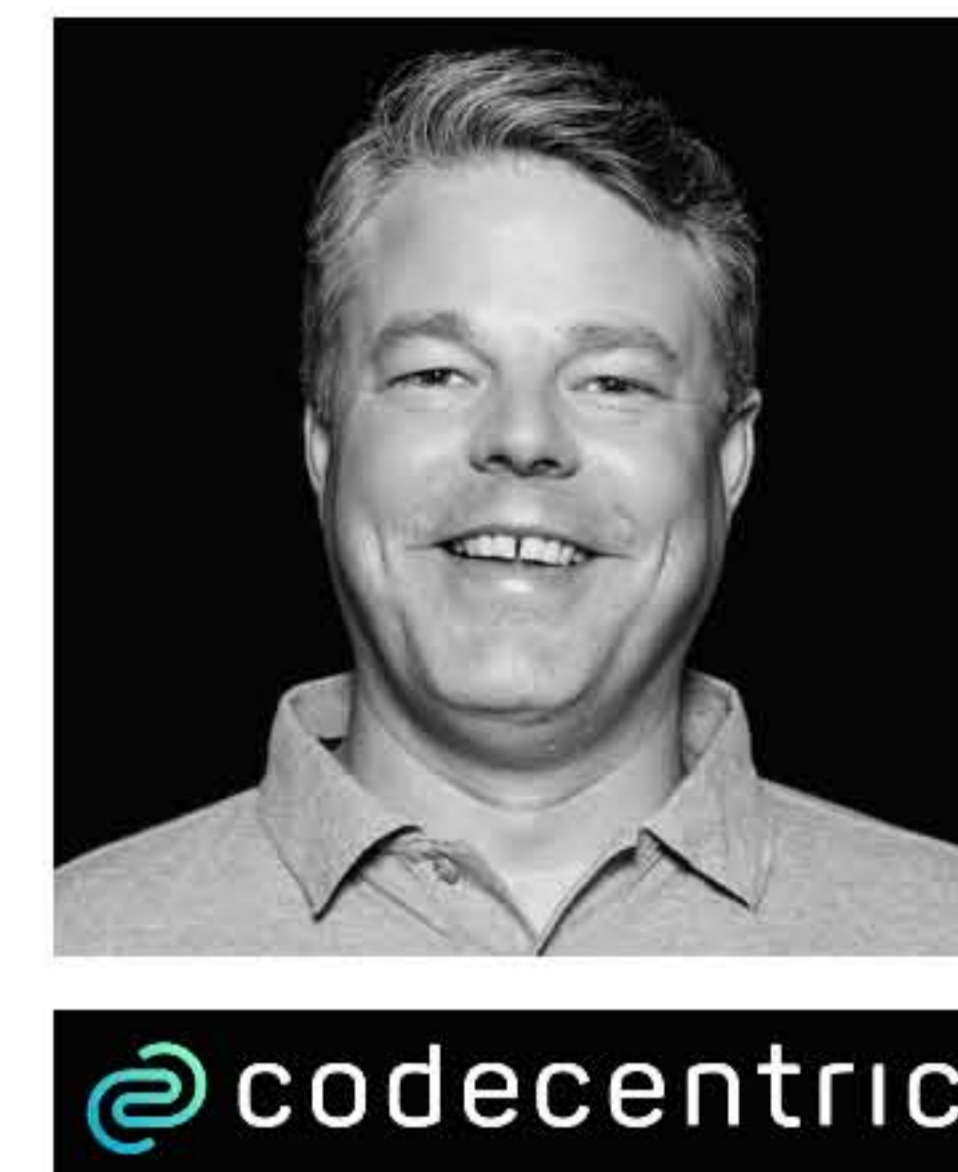


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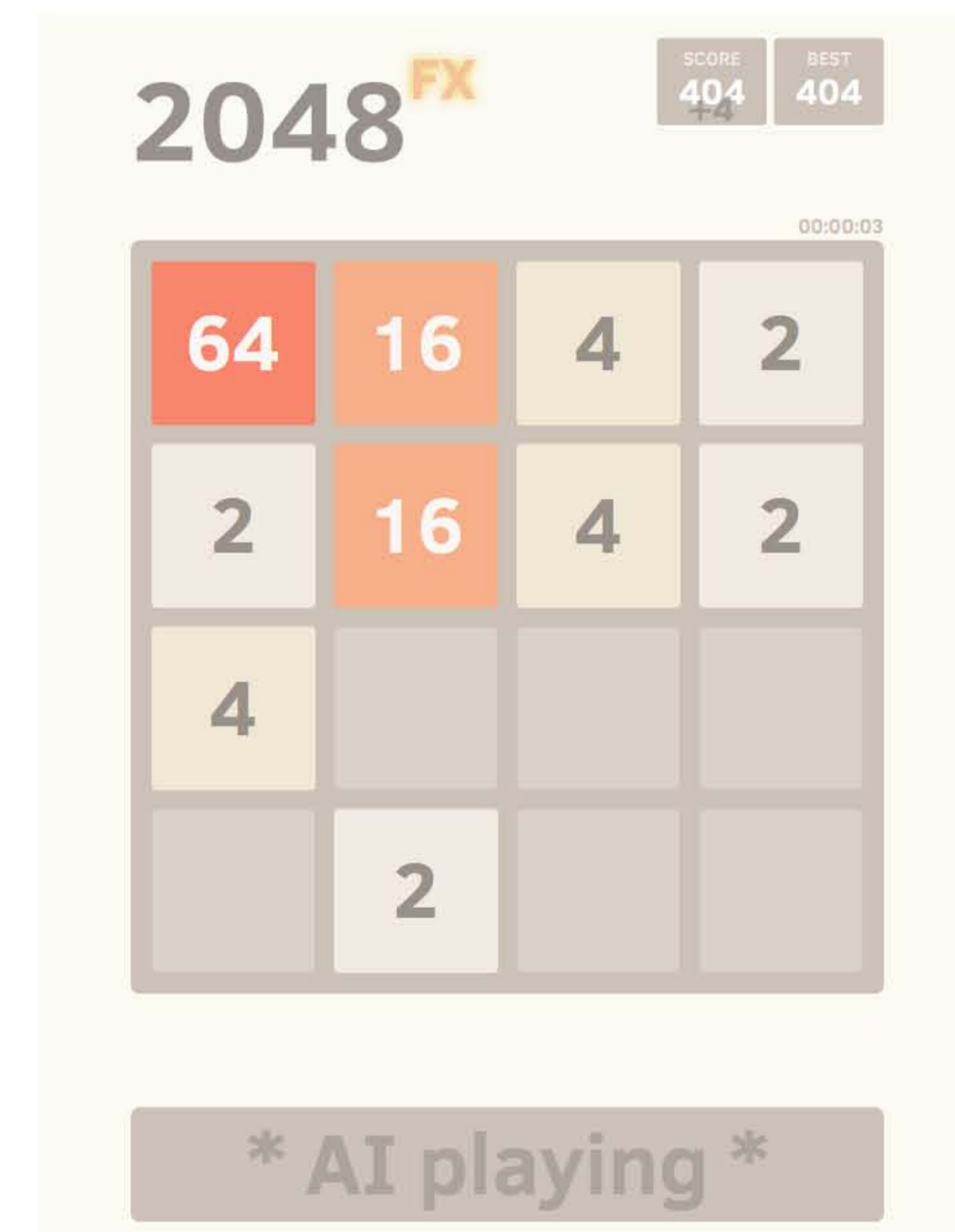
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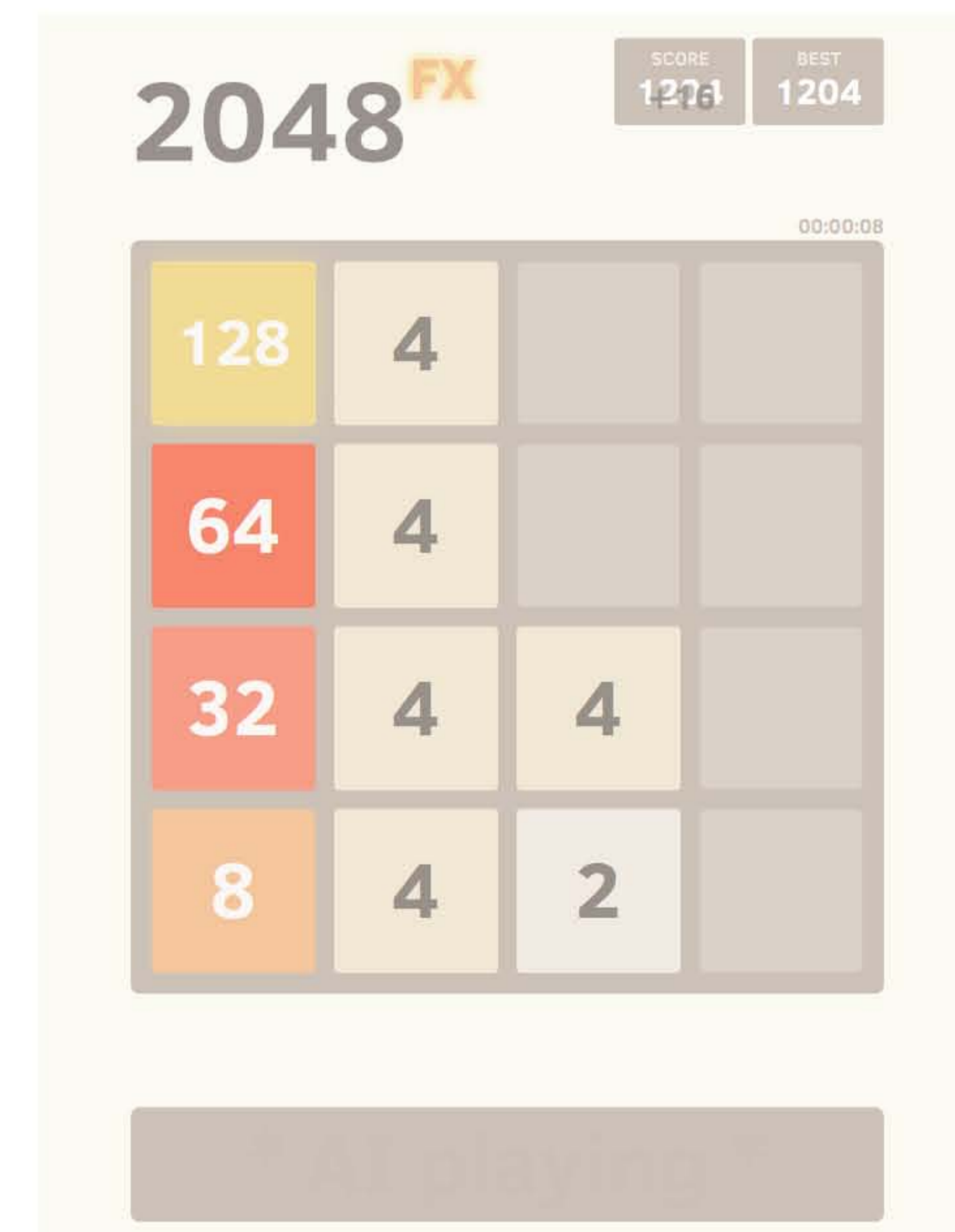
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2048 - The Game

The 2048^{FX} desktop app

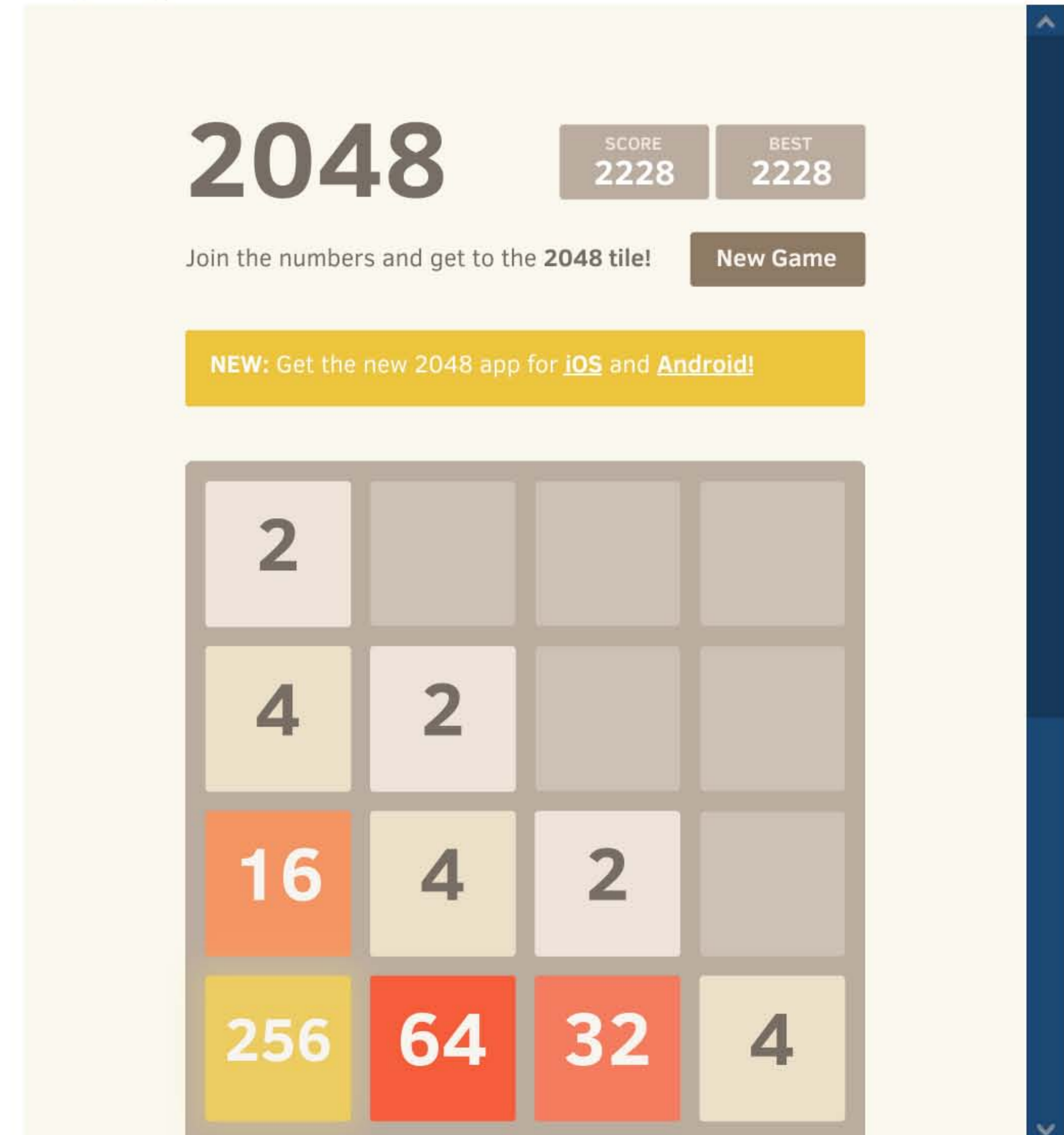


Popular Game created by Gabriele Cirulli

2048 was built using HTML, CSS and JavaScript

Released as OSS under the MIT license

- ▶ Move numbers in a 4x4 grid
- ▶ When equal numbers clash while moving the blocks (up/down/left/right), they merge and numbers are added up
- ▶ You win when you get a number in a box with **2048** (match two blocks with 1024 each)



Playing 2048

The 2048^{FX} desktop app 

2048 can be played everywhere!

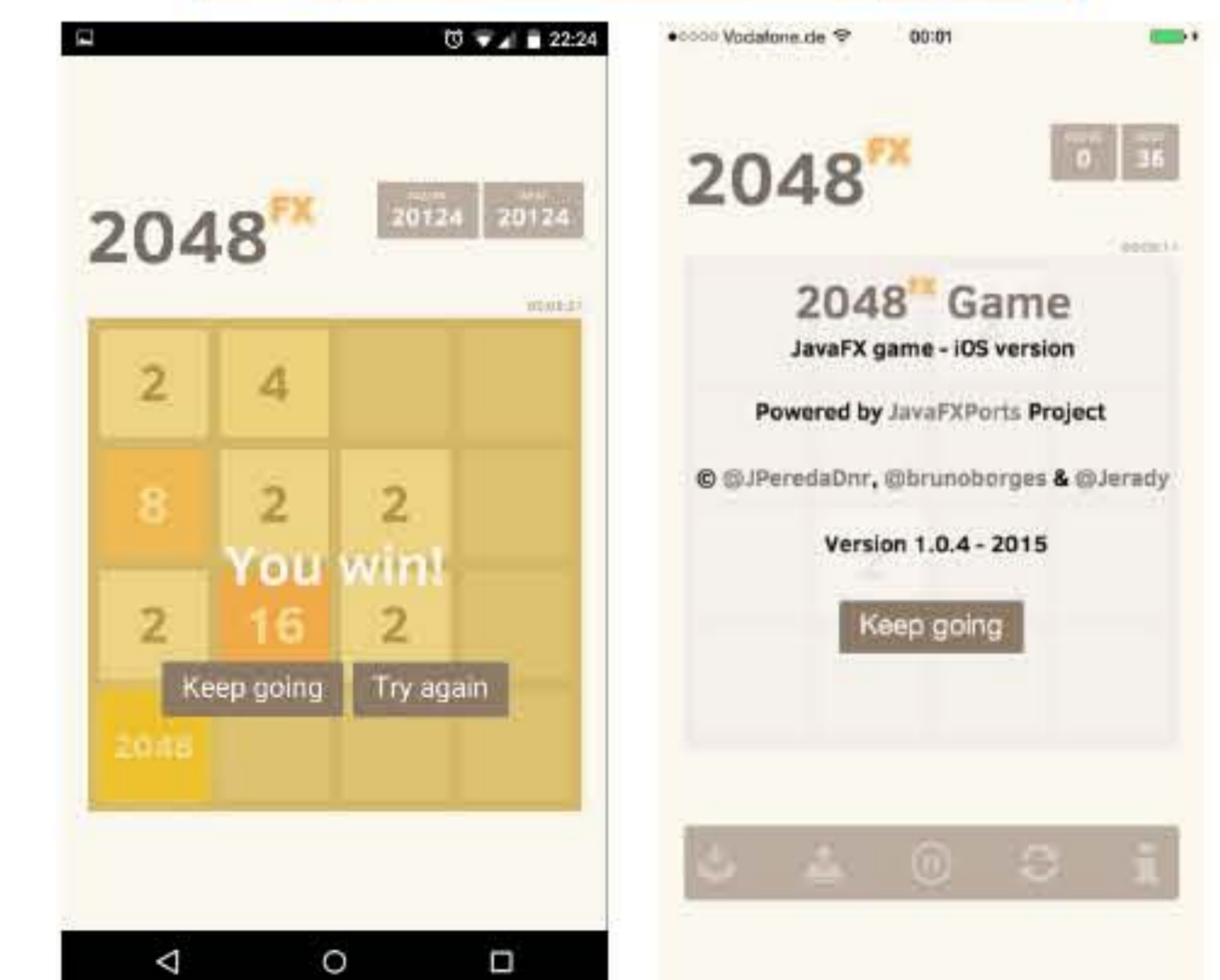
Besides the web version, Cirulli has also iOS and Android versions

With JavaFX we can play now on:

- ▶ PCs and Laptops
- ▶ Tablets and Smartphones running Java SE 8
- ▶ Raspberry Pi and embedded devices with UI support

With JavaFXPorts we can play now on:

- ▶ Tablets and Smartphones running Android
- ▶ Tablets and Smartphones running iOS



The story behind 2048^{FX}

The 2048^{FX} desktop app



Back in March 2014, Bruno Borges started a first version of the game in JavaFX

Totally addicted to the game by that time, I jumped in

The initial purpose was discovering the new features of Java 8

► <https://github.com/brunoborges/fx2048>

► Around 80 forks/stars in GitHub

► Around 100 commits

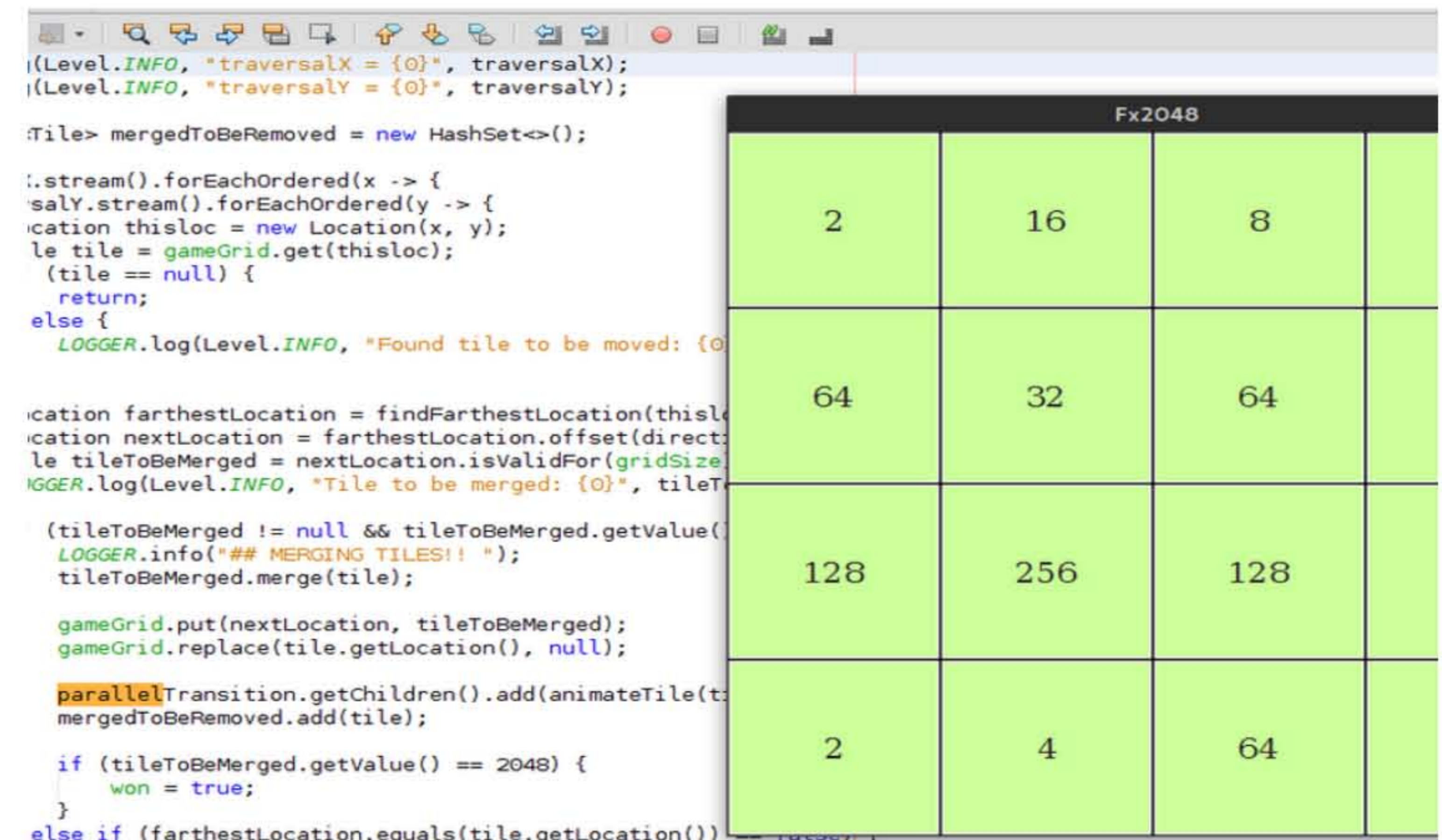
The game was ready for JavaOne 2014

We had a Conference talk and a Hands On Labs

And in January 2015 we started porting it to mobile



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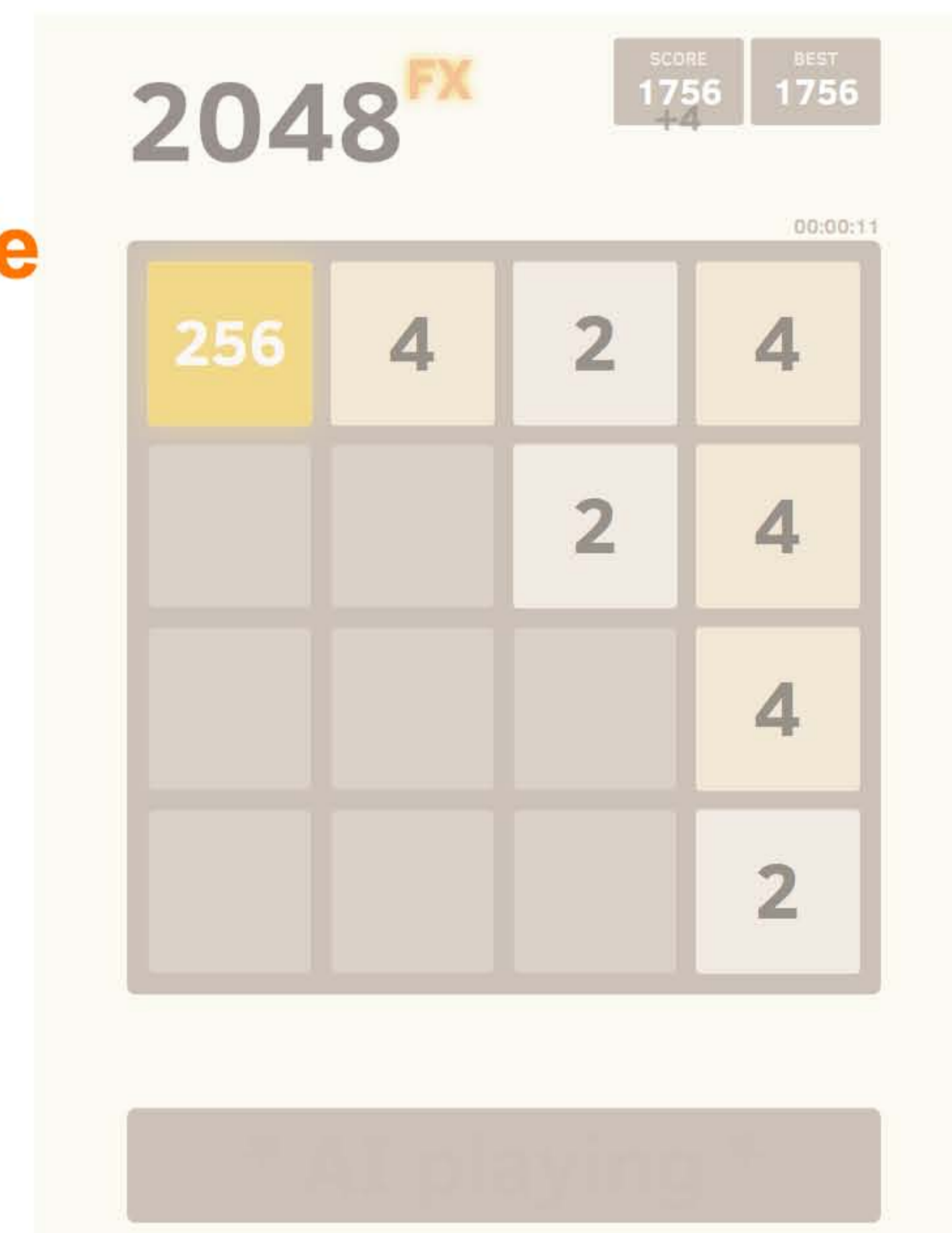
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JavaOne, Oct 2015

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Short history of JavaFXPorts

- ▶ JavaFX Script 1.1 had mobile support
- ▶ JavaFXPorts was originated at Devovx 2013
 - While waiting for Oracle to provide support for JavaFX on mobile...
 - Johan Vos started the project on Android, based on OpenJFX
 - Trillion Mobile developed RoboVM, allowing Java/JavaFX on iOS
- ▶ February 2015, agreement between LodgOn & Trillion
 - As a result: *jfxmobile-plugin*
 - Plugin gradle: **<https://bitbucket.org/javafxports/javafxmobile-plugin>**



Mean features of JavaFXPorts

- ▶ Uses OpenJFX code
 - Oracle provides code for Android & iOS
- ▶ Applies specific changes for Android & iOS
- ▶ Allows application deployment with same code-base in:
 - Desktop (Windows, Mac, Linux) and mobile&tablets (Android, iOS)
- ▶ One single gradle plugin gradle for all the tasks
- ▶ Apps can be distributed through Apple Store & Google Play
- ▶ Gluon Plugin for major IDEs



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JavaFXPorts

Published 2015-10-23

1. Overview

When you develop a JavaFX Application, the result of the Java compile process is Java Bytecode.

In order to execute this Bytecode, you need a Java Runtime Environment containing the Java Class Libraries (e.g. `java.lang.String`) and the native libraries used by the runtime. This is shown in the picture below:



2048
FX

What's needed to use JavaFXPorts

- ▶ JDK 8u60
- ▶ Gradle 2.2.1 -2.4
- ▶ Android (Platforms 21-22)
 - Android SDK: **<http://developer.android.com/sdk/index.html>**
 - From SDK Manager: SDK platform, Build-tools, Android Support Library
 - ANDROID_HOME: Store at ~/.gradle/gradle.properties
- ▶ iOS
 - Mac with MacOS X 10.9+
 - XCode 6.x or 7 (App Store)



JavaFXPorts limitations:

- ▶ JavaFXPorts is based on JDK 8u60, but Dalvik only supports Java 7
 - *Java 8: supports lambdas using Retrolambda project*
 - *Java 8: It doesn't support Streams*
 - *Java 8: Other minor API not supported*
- ▶ JavaFX 8
 - *It doesn't support (yet): Media, Printing, Dialogs*
 - *FXML: It is supported*
 - *Built-in controls: All are supported, minor adjustments*
- ▶ AOT compilation in iOS
 - *iOS port is applied in runtime, project classes and some dependencies are not visible to the compiler*
 - *forceLinkClasses loads them*



Resource links for JavaFXPorts

► Gluon

- Forums: <http://gluonhq.com/forums/forum/javafxports/>
- Commercial support: <http://gluonhq.com/open-source/javafxports/support/>

► Google Groups

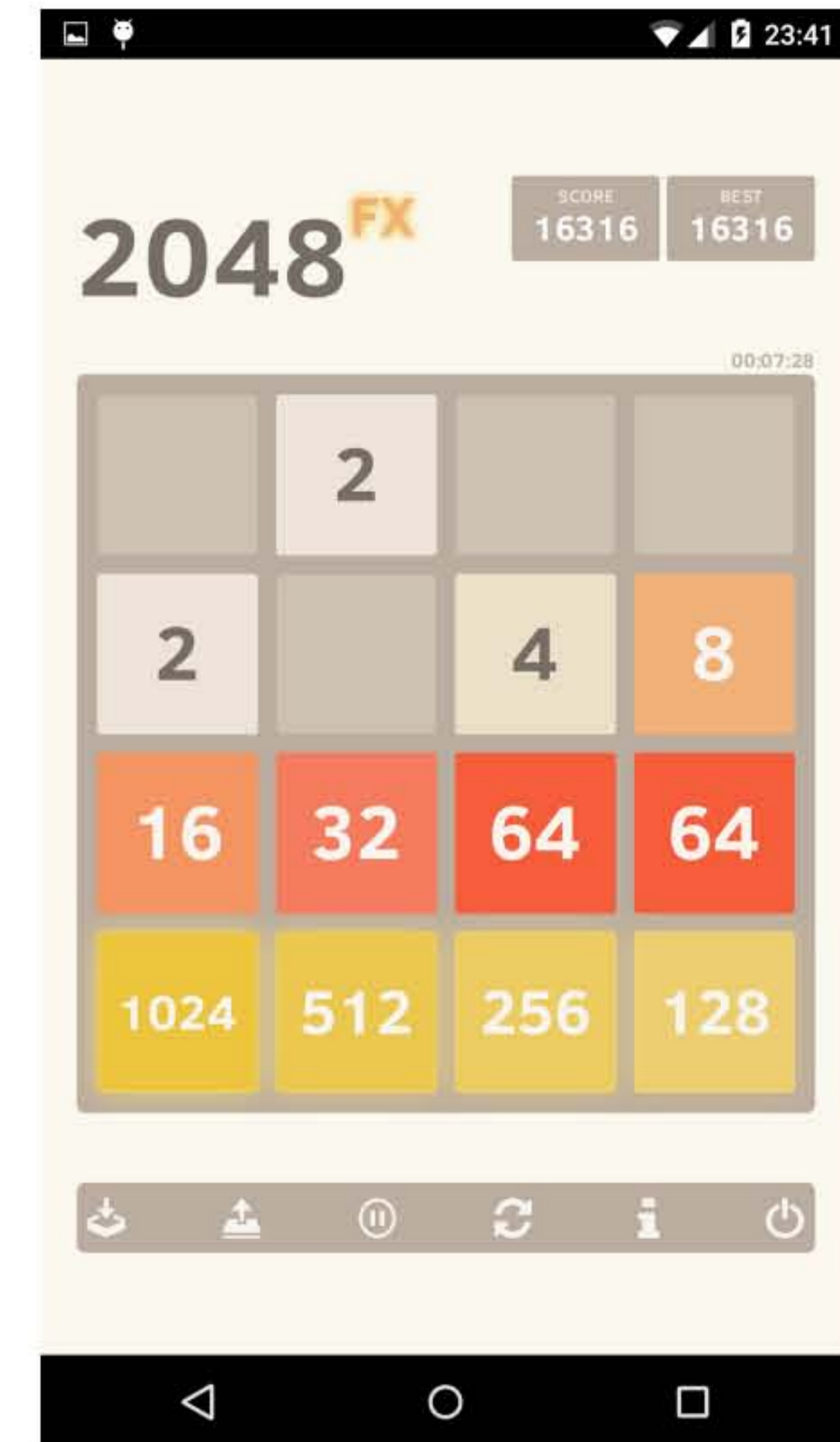
- *javafxandroid*
- *javafxports*

► StackOverflow

- tag: *javafxports*

► Available samples

- samples <https://bitbucket.org/javafxports/samples>
- repos: <https://github.com/jperedadnr>
- blog post: <http://jperedadnr.blogspot.com.es/2015/03/javafx-on-mobile-dream-come-true.html>



Run JavaFXPorts in the major IDEs

► NetBeans

- Install from NetBeans->Tools->Plugins
- Download: <http://plugins.netbeans.org/plugin/57602>

► IntelliJ IDEA

- Install from IntelliJ->Settings->Plugins
- Download: <https://plugins.jetbrains.com/plugin/7864>

► Eclipse Mars

- Download: Eclipse Marketplace
- Eclipse->Help->Install new software

► Gluon: <http://gluonhq.com/products/tools/>



Basic Sample of using the Plugin

► Update to latest version

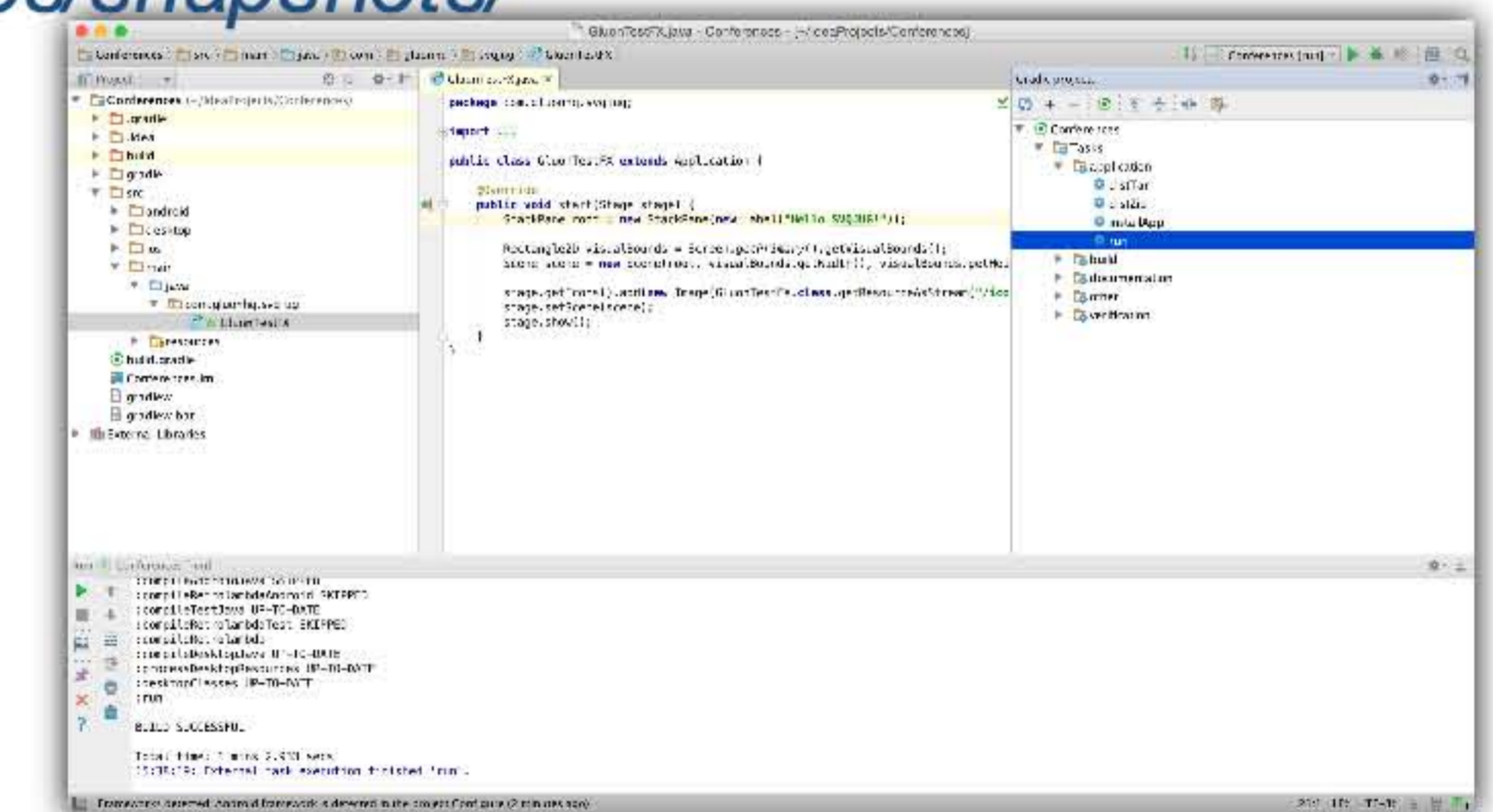
- Versión 1.0.3
- SNAPSHOTs from <https://oss.sonatype.org/content/repositories/snapshots/>

► Check the defined namespaces

- Main/Desktop/Android/iOS Java & Resources
- Check dependencies (reload/synchronize project)

► Check available tasks

- Clean, build
- android/androidInstall, ios/createlpa launchIosDevice/launchIphoneSim

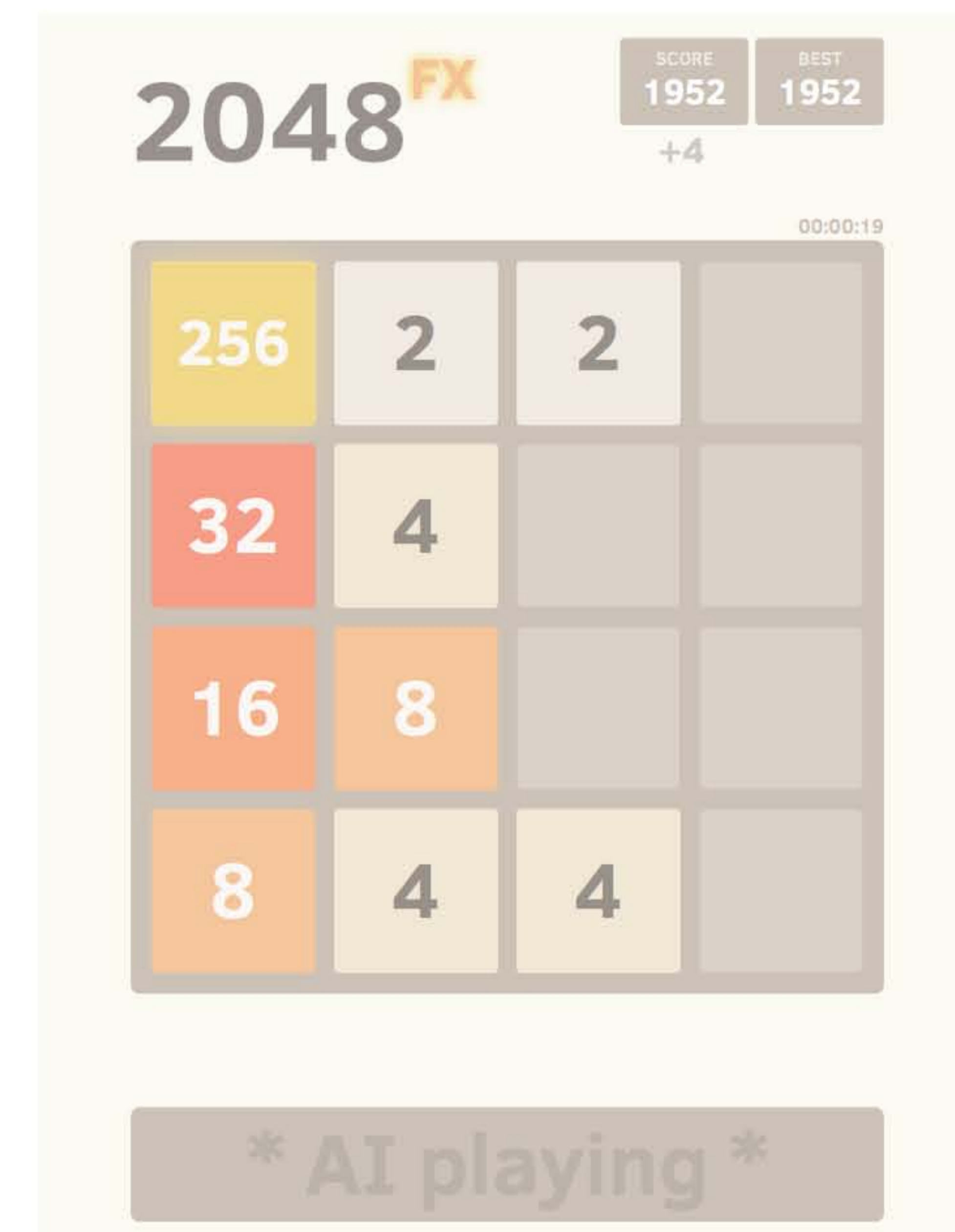


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In order to use JavaFXPorts

- ▶ Backport Streams
 - Keep Lambdas and Optionals
 - Adapt local storage: Gluon Charm-Down
- ▶ Create Gluon Project
 - Creates AndroidManifest.xml and resources
 - Creates Default-info.plist and assets
- ▶ Deploy and test
 - Desktop
 - Android & iOS



Let's play the 2048^{FX} game!

Desktop

Android

iOS

2048^{FX}

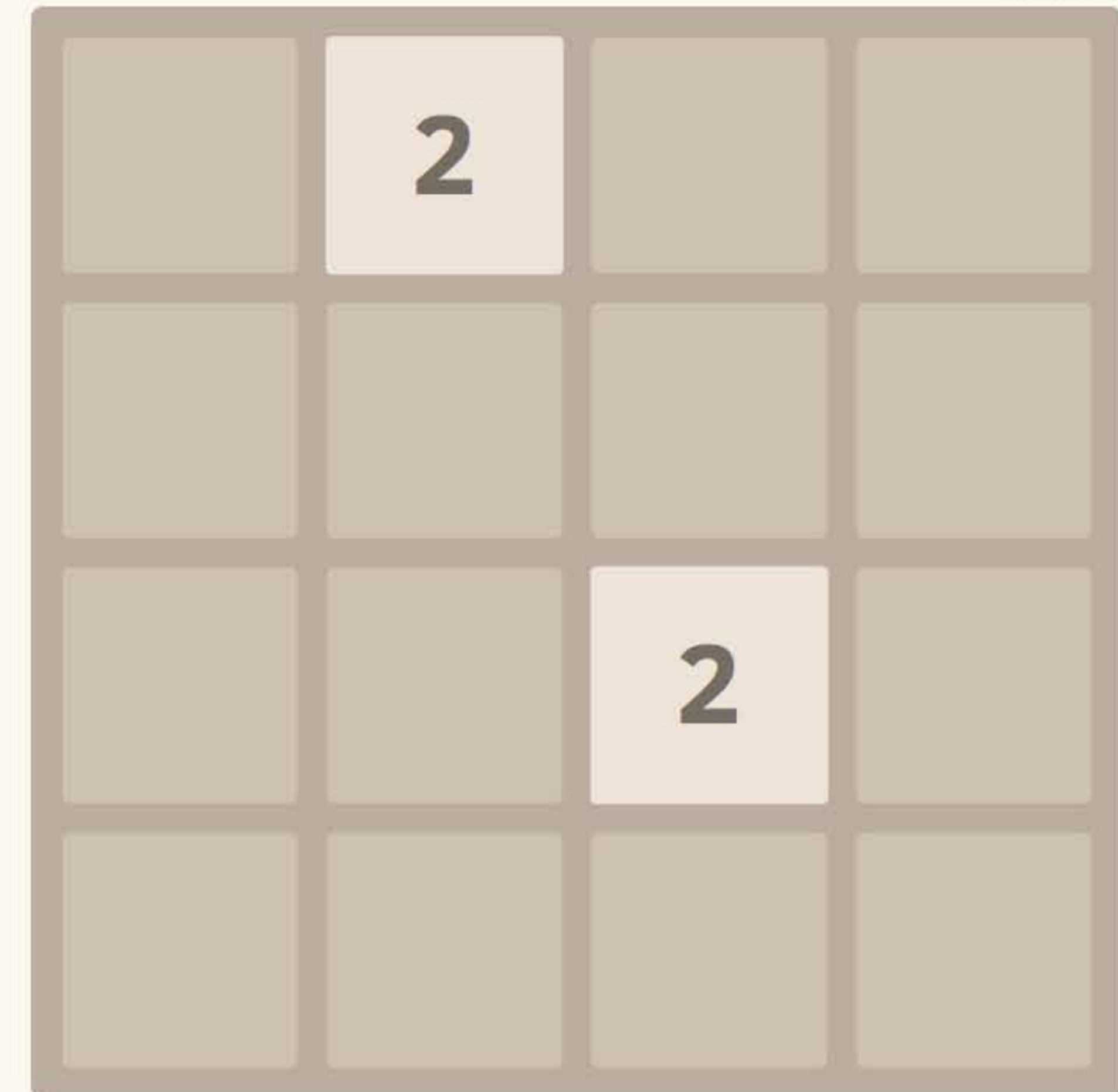
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2048^{FX}

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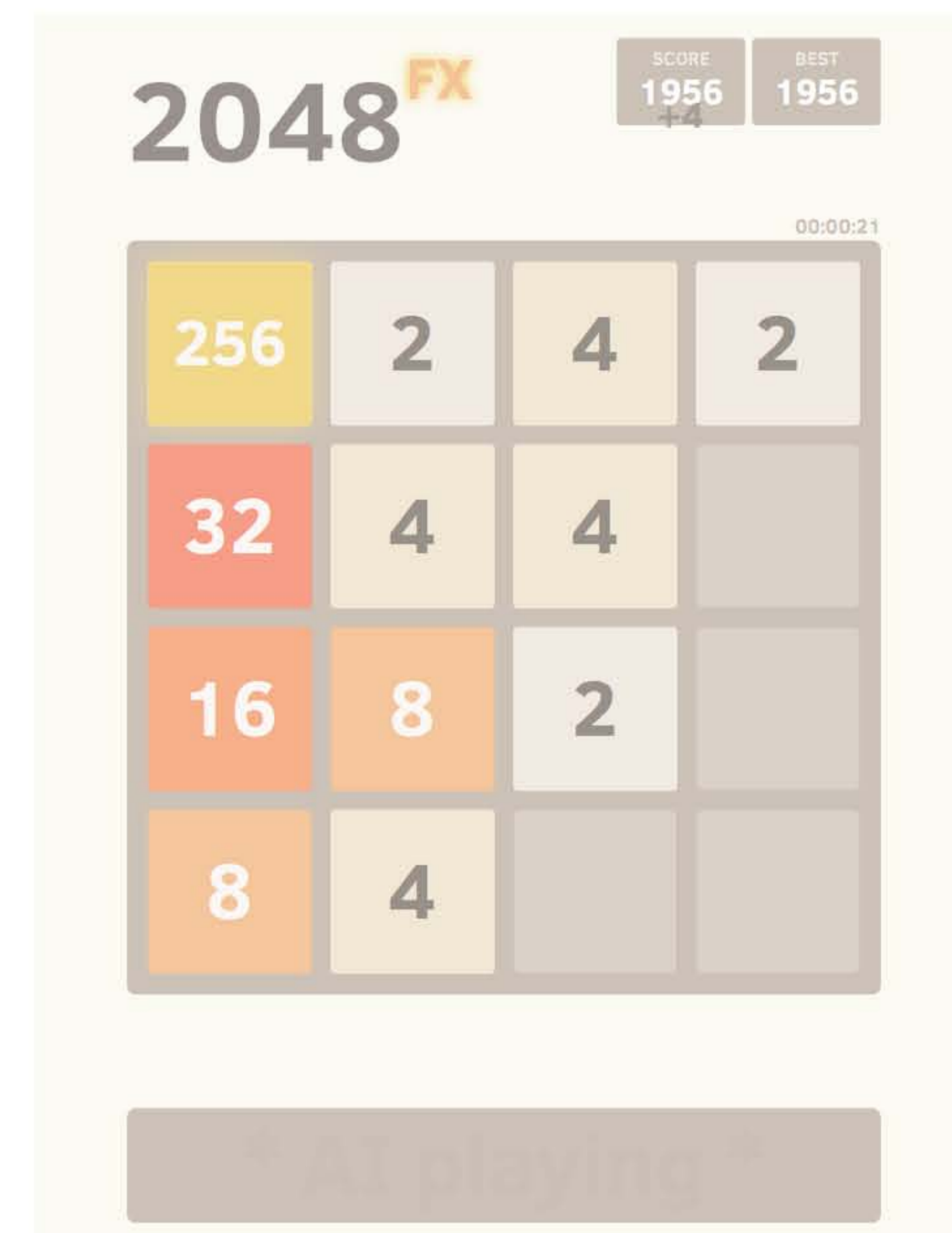
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Submitting to Google Play

▶ Android Manifest

- Version code, version name
- android:debuggable false
- permissions required (none)

▶ build.gradle

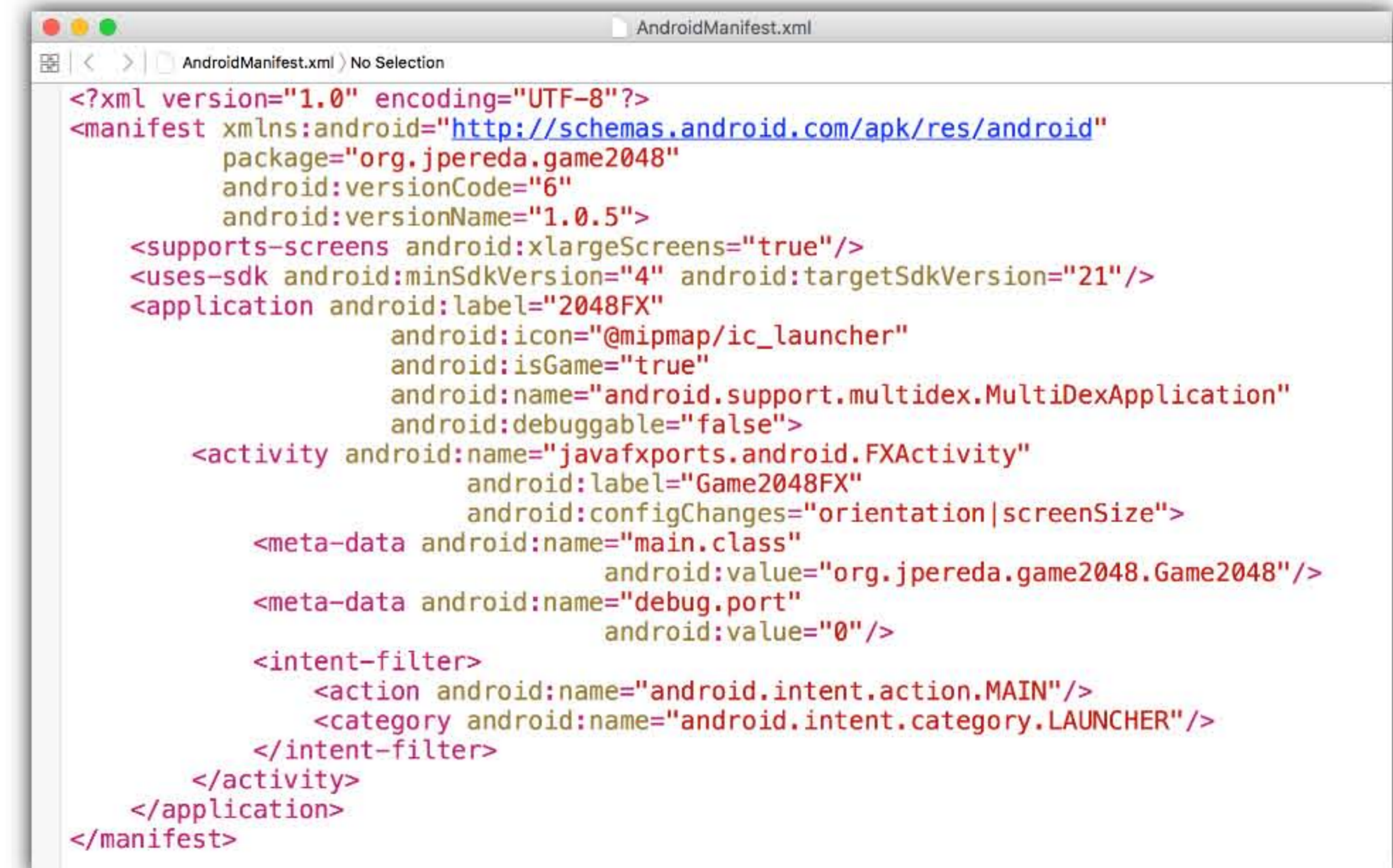
- signingConfig for release

▶ Icons

- Default or custom

▶ Google Play Developer Console

- Tester Program
- Error reports



Submitting to Apple Store

► Info.plist

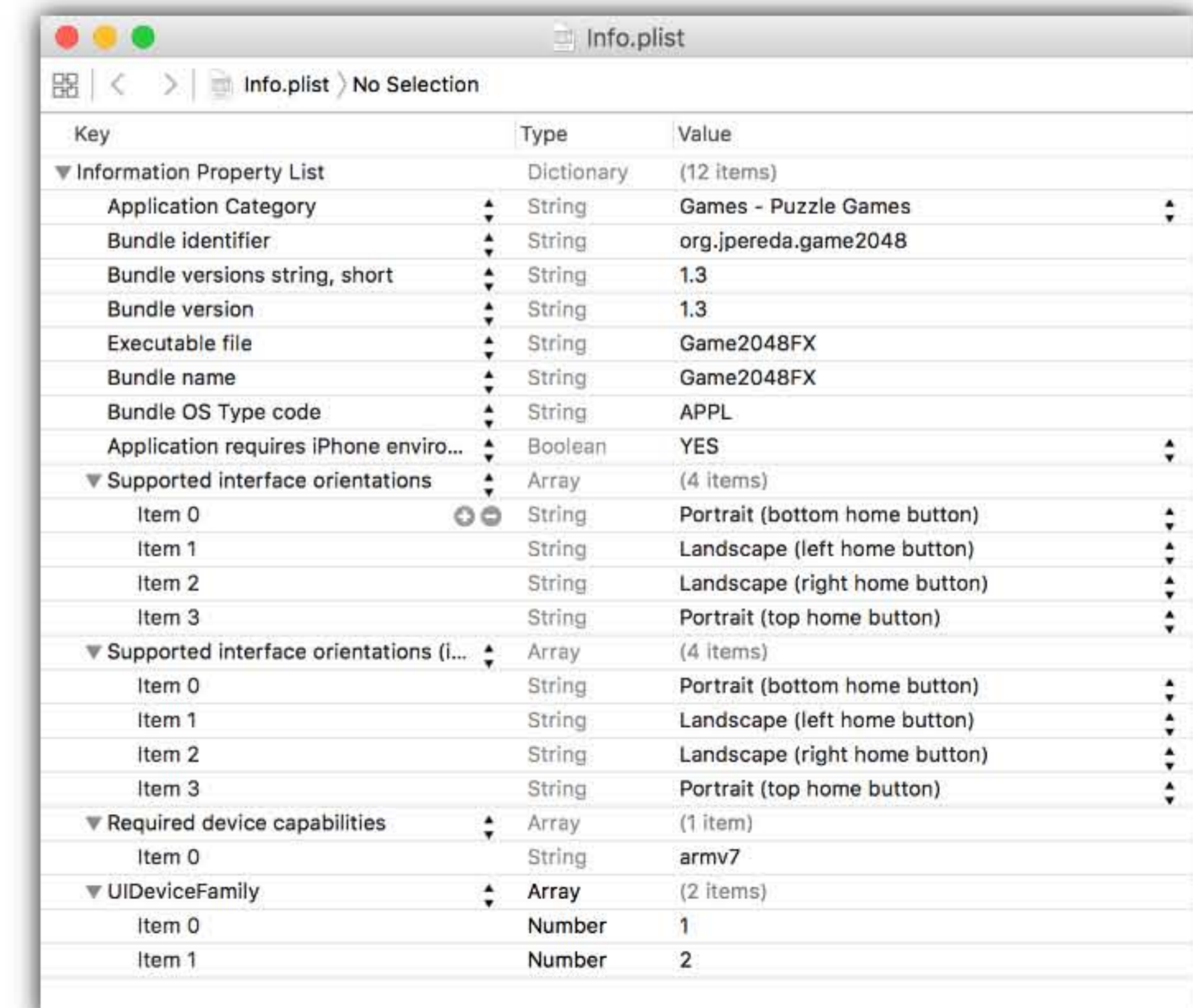
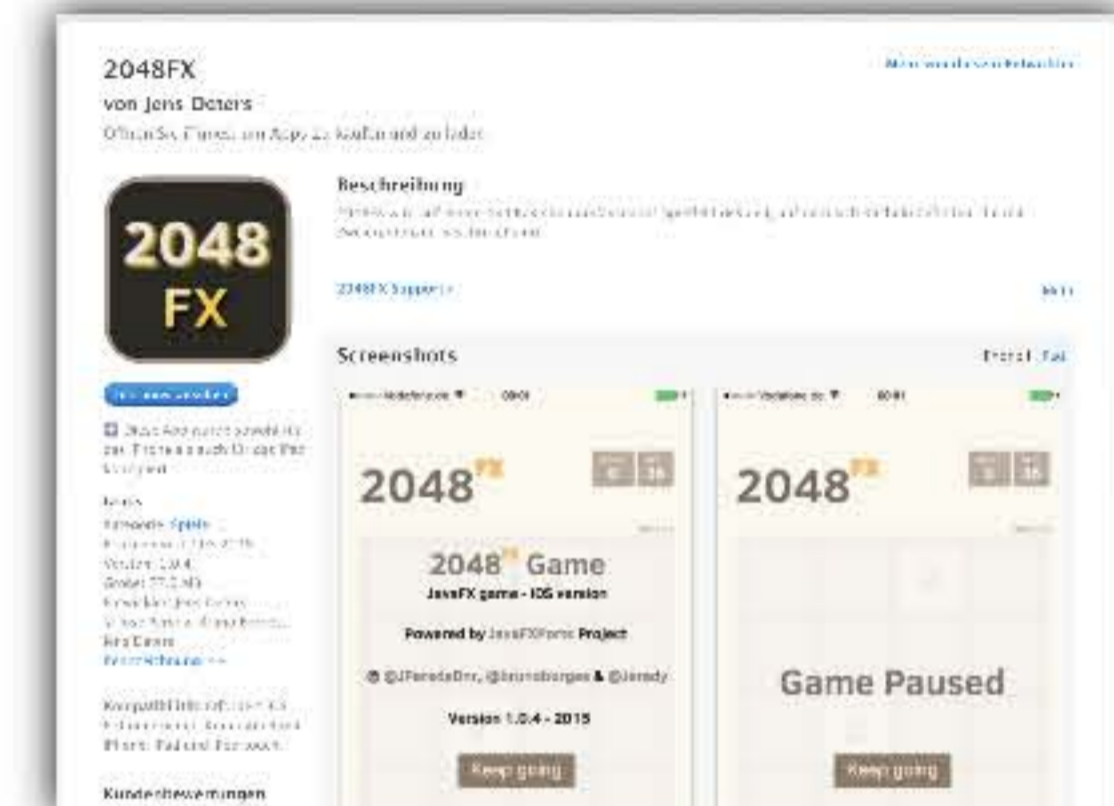
- CFBundleIdentifier
- CFBundleVersion
- CFBundleName

► Icons

- Default or custom

► build.gradle

- iosSignIdentity
- iosProvisioningProfile



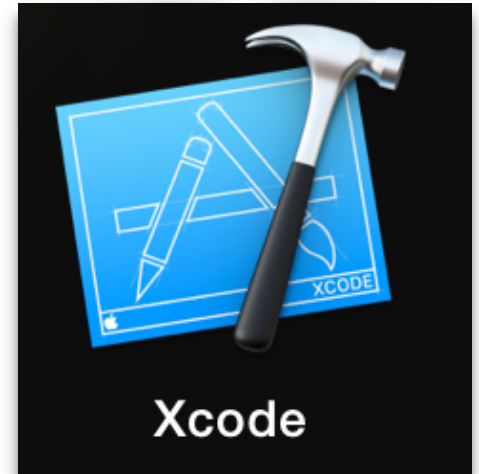
Key	Type	Value
▼ Information Property List	Dictionary	(12 items)
Application Category	String	Games - Puzzle Games
Bundle identifier	String	org.jpereda.game2048
Bundle versions string, short	String	1.3
Bundle version	String	1.3
Executable file	String	Game2048FX
Bundle name	String	Game2048FX
Bundle OS Type code	String	APPL
Application requires iPhone enviro...	Boolean	YES
▼ Supported interface orientations	Array	(4 items)
Item 0	String	Portrait (bottom home button)
Item 1	String	Landscape (left home button)
Item 2	String	Landscape (right home button)
Item 3	String	Portrait (top home button)
▼ Supported interface orientations (i...	Array	(4 items)
Item 0	String	Portrait (bottom home button)
Item 1	String	Landscape (left home button)
Item 2	String	Landscape (right home button)
Item 3	String	Portrait (top home button)
▼ Required device capabilities	Array	(1 item)
Item 0	String	armv7
▼ UIDeviceFamily	Array	(2 items)
Item 0	Number	1
Item 1	Number	2

App Store Deployment_

How to get a Java App into
Apple App Store

What you will need

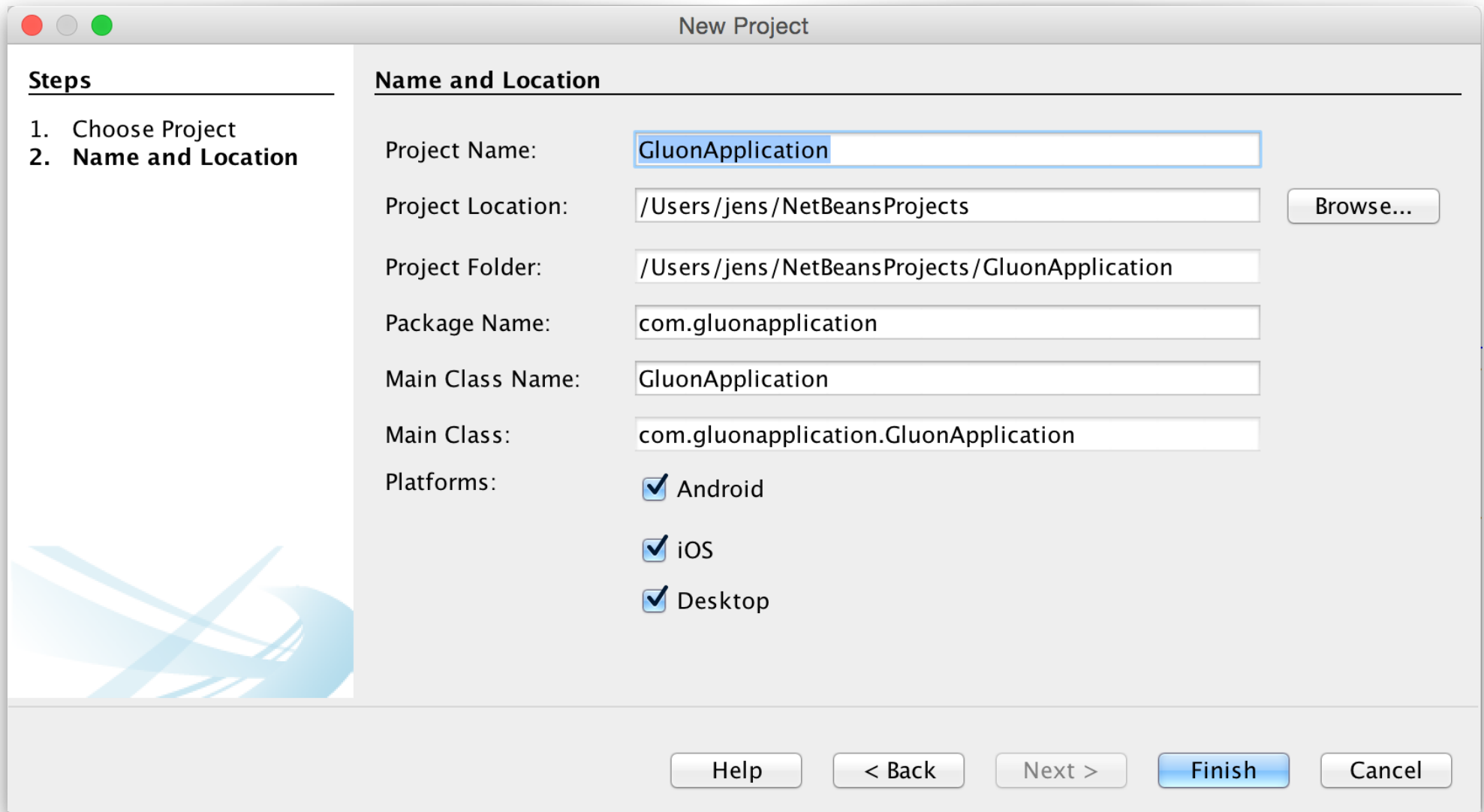
- A Mac with XCode 7 installed
- NetBeans or IntelliJ with Gluon Plugin installed



Gluon plugin for NetBeans

What you will need

- Since XCode 7:
 - Free On-Device Development
 - Everyone can run and test their own app on a device—for free.
- For App Store deployment you will need to enroll the developer program for \$99/year
- Make sure your AppleId isn't already used for other programs!



The image shows a 'New Project' dialog box with a sidebar on the left and a main configuration area on the right. The sidebar, titled 'Steps', contains two items: '1. Choose Project' and '2. Name and Location', with the second item being selected. The main area, titled 'Name and Location', contains several text input fields and a checkbox group. The fields are: 'Project Name' (containing 'GluonApplication'), 'Project Location' (containing '/Users/jens/NetBeansProjects'), 'Project Folder' (containing '/Users/jens/NetBeansProjects/GluonApplication'), 'Package Name' (containing 'com.gluonapplication'), 'Main Class Name' (containing 'GluonApplication'), and 'Main Class' (containing 'com.gluonapplication.GluonApplication'). There is a 'Browse...' button next to the 'Project Location' field. The 'Platforms' section has three checked checkboxes: 'Android', 'iOS', and 'Desktop'. At the bottom, there are five buttons: 'Help', '< Back', 'Next >', 'Finish' (highlighted in blue), and 'Cancel'.

Steps

1. Choose Project
2. **Name and Location**

Name and Location

Project Name:

Project Location:

Project Folder:

Package Name:

Main Class Name:

Main Class:

Platforms:

- ☒ Android
- ☒ iOS
- ☒ Desktop

gradle.properties

32bit

64bit

```
robovm.archs=thumbv7:arm64
robovm.arch=arm64
#org.gradle.jvmargs=-Xmx4g
#robovm.device.name=iPhone-4s
#robovm.device.name=iPhone-5
#robovm.device.name=iPhone-5s
#robovm.device.name=iPhone-6-Plus
#robovm.device.name=iPhone-6
#robovm.device.name=iPad-2
#robovm.device.name=iPad-Retina
#robovm.device.name=iPad-Air
#robovm.device.name=Resizable-iPhone
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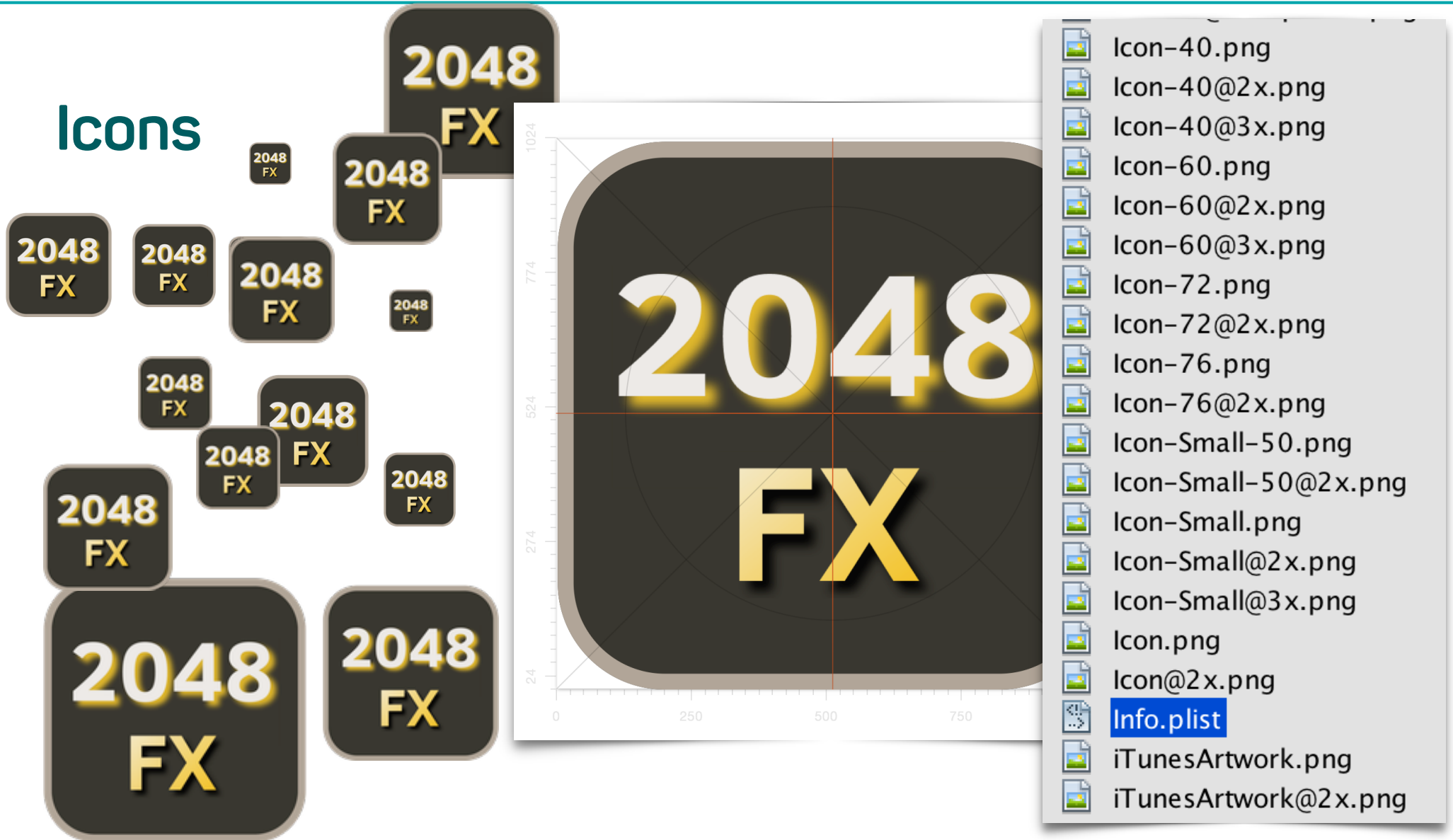
/src/ios/assets/info.plist

```
<key>MinimumOSVersion</key>
<string>8.0</string>

<key>UIRequiredDeviceCapabilities</key>
<array>
  <string>arm64</string>
</array>

<key>CFBundleShortVersionString</key>
<string>1.4</string>
```

Icons



Icons

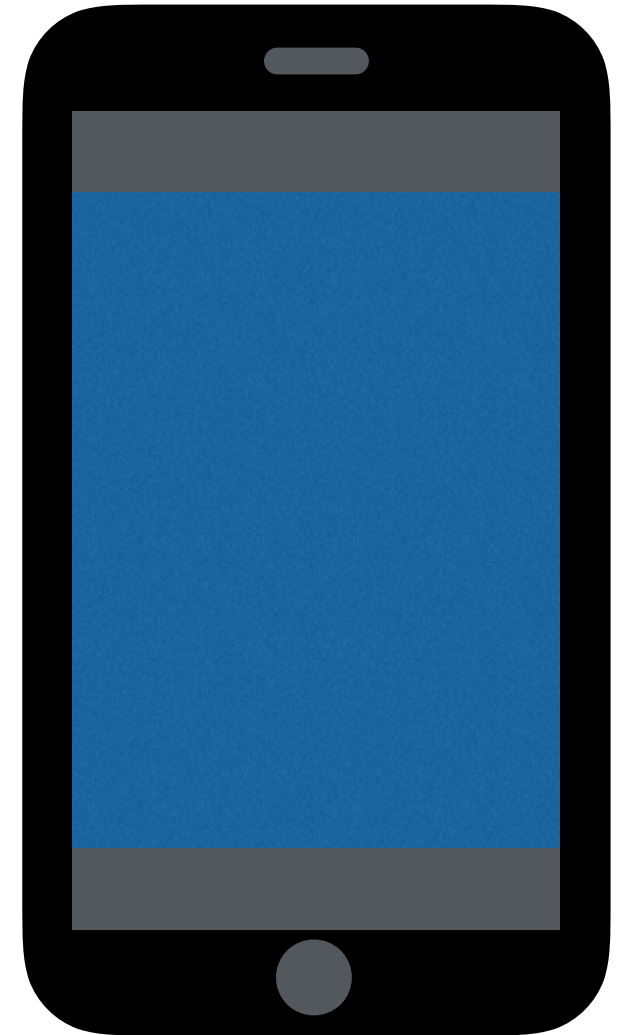
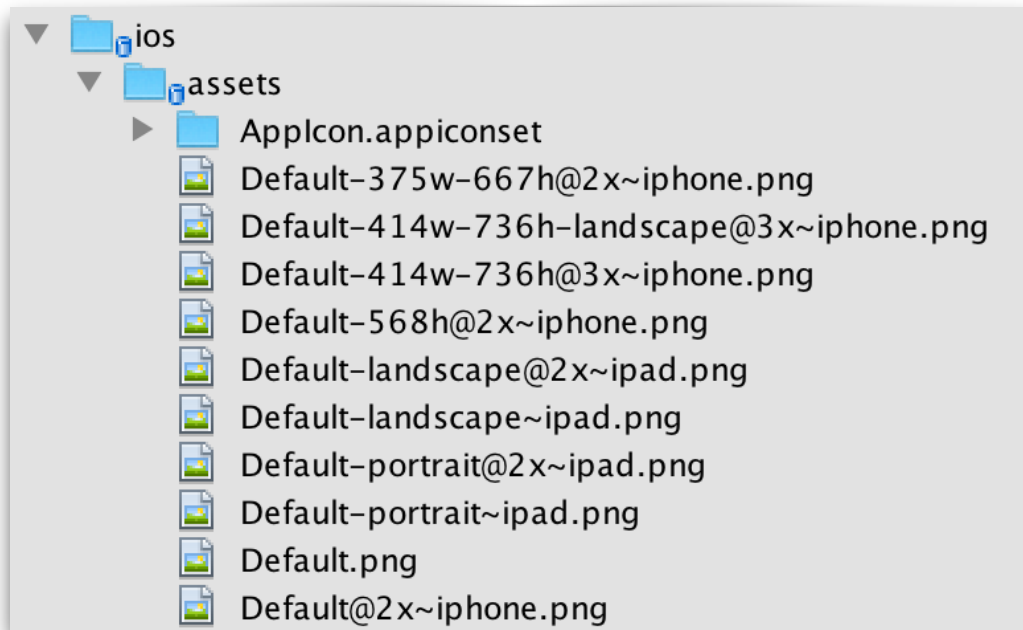
<http://appicontemplate.com>

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Mind the gap!



Submit your App for verification

- Create „*.ipa“ signed with your
- `iosSignIdentity` = "iPhone Distribution: Jens Deters (ID)"
 - can be extracted from OS X Key Store
- `iosProvisioningProfile` = 'iOS Distribution Profile for AppStore'
 - Xcode -> Preferences -> Account -> AppleID -> View Details

Submit your App for verification

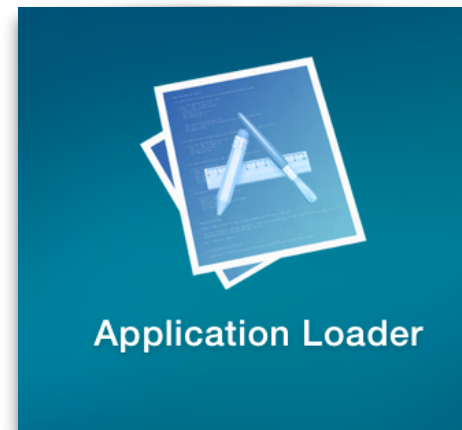
- Create signed „*.ipa“ file

```
./gradlew  
--stacktrace  
-Probovm.ipaArchs=thumbv7:arm64  
-Probovm.iosSignIdentity="<NAME>"  
-Probovm.iosProvisioningProfile="<NAME>"  
clean  
createIpa
```

```
~/NetBeansProjects/game2048fx/build/javafxports/ios/
```

Submit your App for verification

- Submit via Application Loader
- will take some iterations to fix all complains
- sit and wait



Non-public API usage:

- The app references non-public symbols in Game2048FX: `_exc_server`

If method names in your source code match the private Apple APIs listed above, altering your method names will help prevent this app from being flagged in future submissions. In addition, note that one or more of the above APIs may be located in a static library that was included with your app. If so, they must be removed.



Until they come to see us from their planet, I
wait patiently. I hear them saying: Don't call
us, we'll call you.

(Marlene Dietrich)

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Apple iTunes Connect

App Name: 2048FX
App Apple ID: 989966696
Bundle Version Short String: 1.7
Build Number: 2.2
Platform: iOS
SKU: org.jporeda.game2048

Dear Jens Detersl274001559,

Your app has been approved for distribution through Apple's TestFlight Program.



TestFlight

Externe Tests ?


Testen Sie Ihre Builds mit beliebigen Testern mithilfe der [TestFlight-App](#). Builds müssen durch die Beta-App-Prüfung genehmigt werden.

iOS

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[TestFlight](#)



2048FX

Version 1.7 (2.2)

Jens Deters|274001559

INSTALL

[Send Feedback](#)

What to Test

Release Candidate 2

Description

- minor style mods

Information

Developer	Jens Deters 274001559
Release Date	19.10.2015
Version	1.7 (2.2)
Size	60,8 MB
Expires	18.11.2015, 23:19
Compatibility	Requires iOS 8.0 or later. Compatible with iPod touch, iPhone, and iPad.

Developer Website

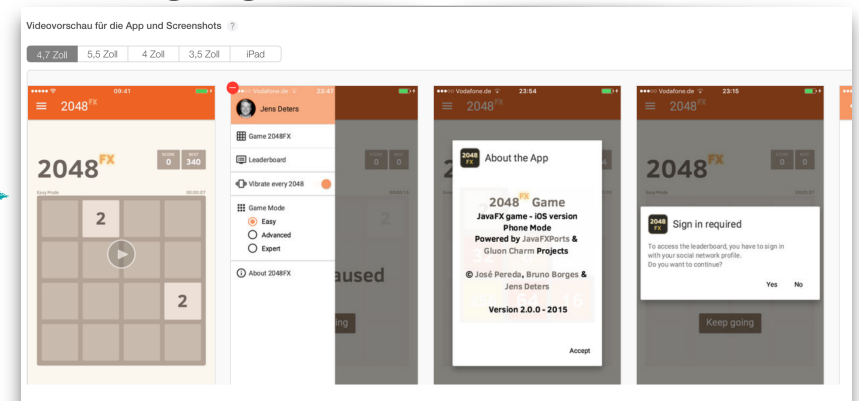
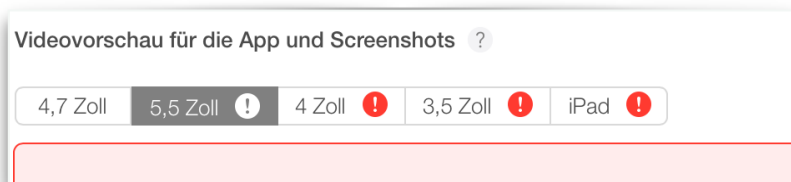
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[Notifications](#)

Stop Testing

iTunesConnect - Almost there

- Prepare App for release
 - upload a bunch of screenshots of all supported screen sizes
 - Hint: the App icon for Appstore/iTunes is assigned in iTunesConnect later
- video preview required (max length 30 secs)
- fill out all other fields like description, copyright notice, etc.





iTunes Connect

Dear Jens Detersl274001559,

The status for the following app has changed to **Waiting For Review**.

App Name: 2048FX

App Version Number: 2.0.0

App SKU: org.jpereda.game2048

App Apple ID:989966696



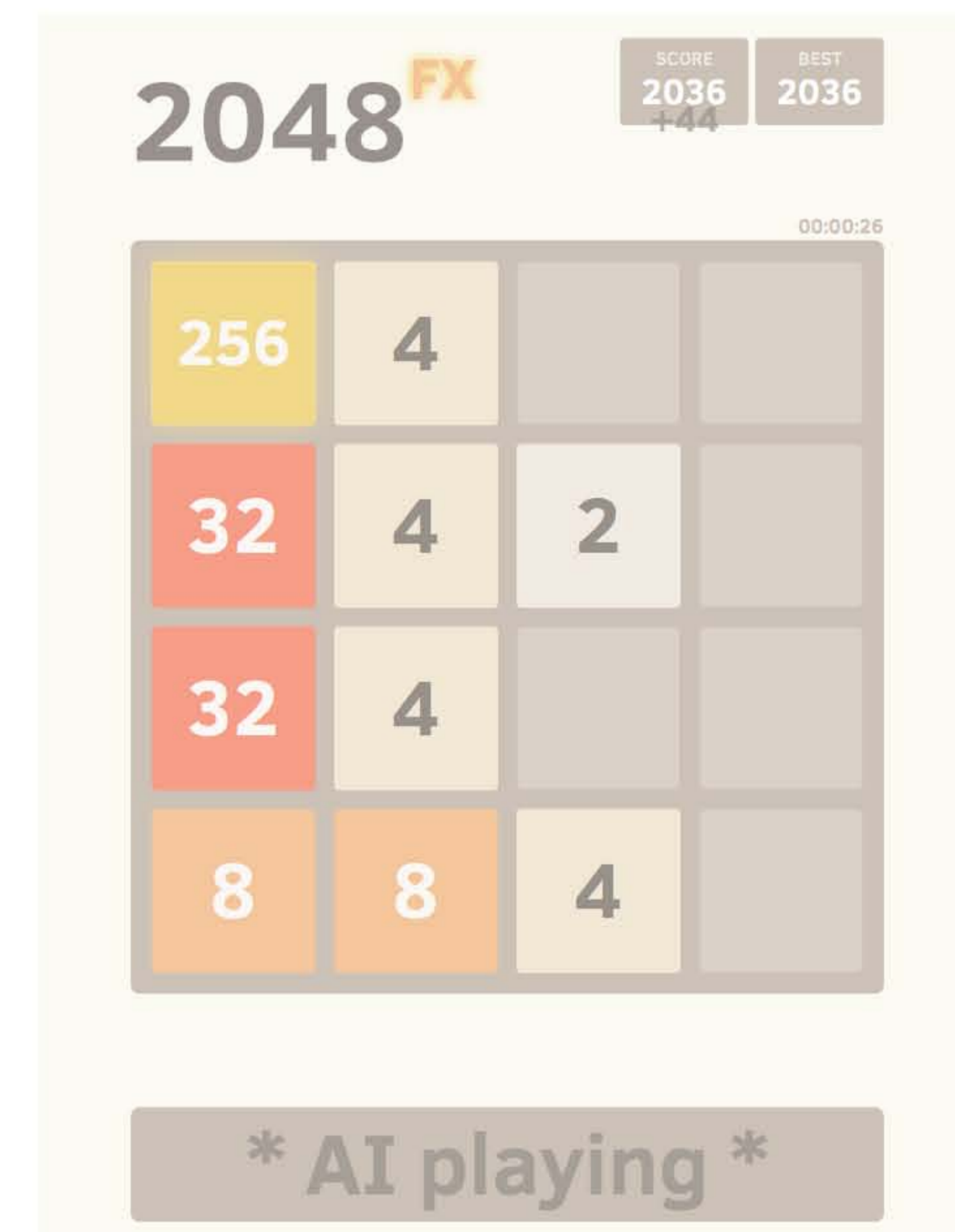
2048FX

 **iOS** 2.0.0 Warten auf Prüfung

SCREENSHOT ACCEPTED APP STORE

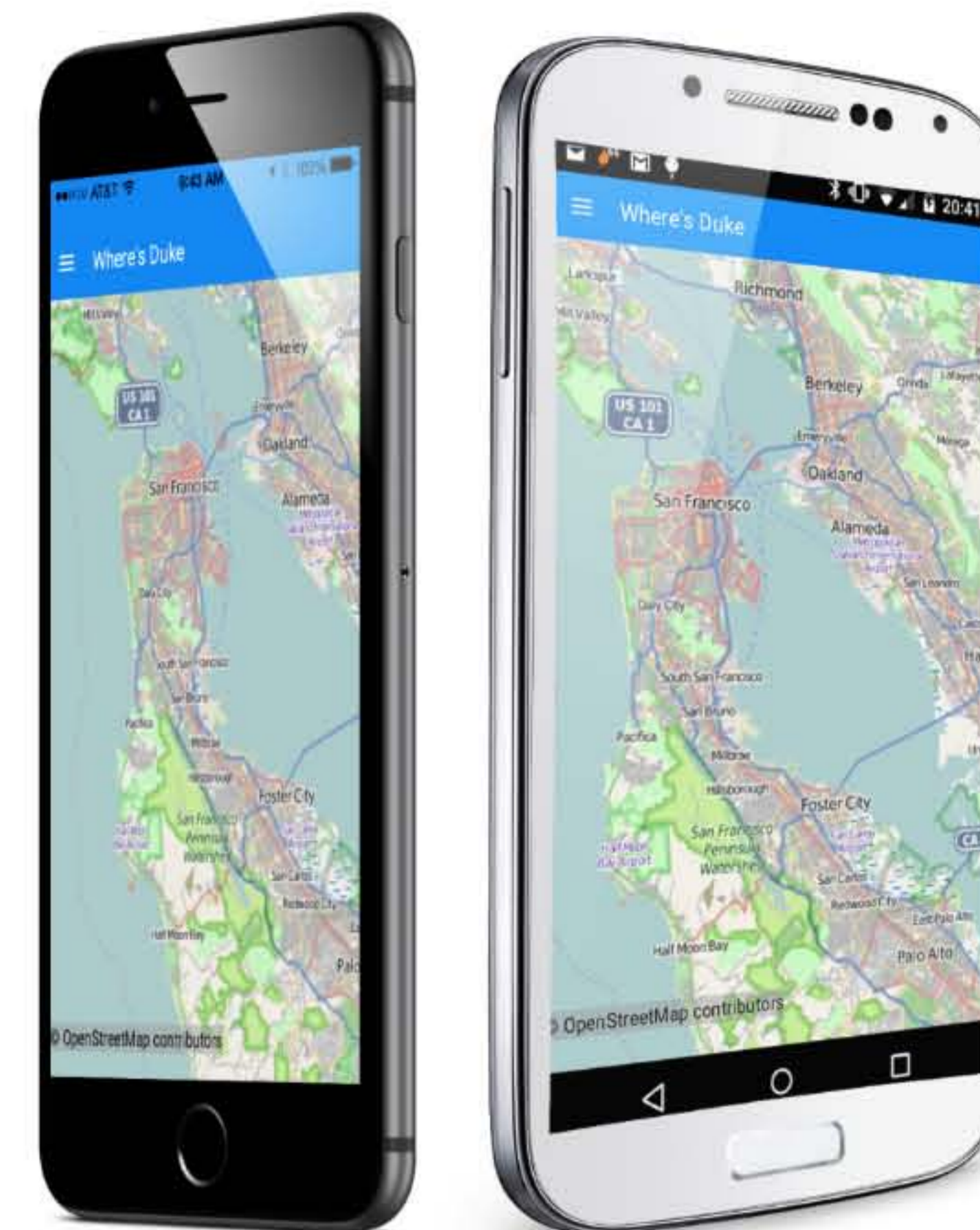
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Short story of Gluon

- ▶ Founded in February, 2015
 - By experts in Java SE/EE/Cloud, UI/JavaFX
- ▶ Main products:
 - Gluon Charm for mobile and tables
 - Consulting, training and projects
 - Open Source: JavaFXPorts, Scene Builder, JavaFX for ARM
- ▶ Gluon
 - Gluon Partner Program: <http://gluonhq.com/programs/gluon-partner/>
 - Newsletter: <http://gluonhq.com/about-us/newsletter/>



Gluon Charm main features

► Three main components

- UI for mobile (Material Design): *Charm Glisten*
- Cloud: *Charm Connect*
- Native access: *Gluon Down*

► Documentation

- <http://docs.gluonhq.com/charm/0.0.4/>

► DP4, versión 1.0 en JavaOne

► Free for open source projects

► Prices and licenses:

- <http://gluonhq.com/products/charm/buy/>

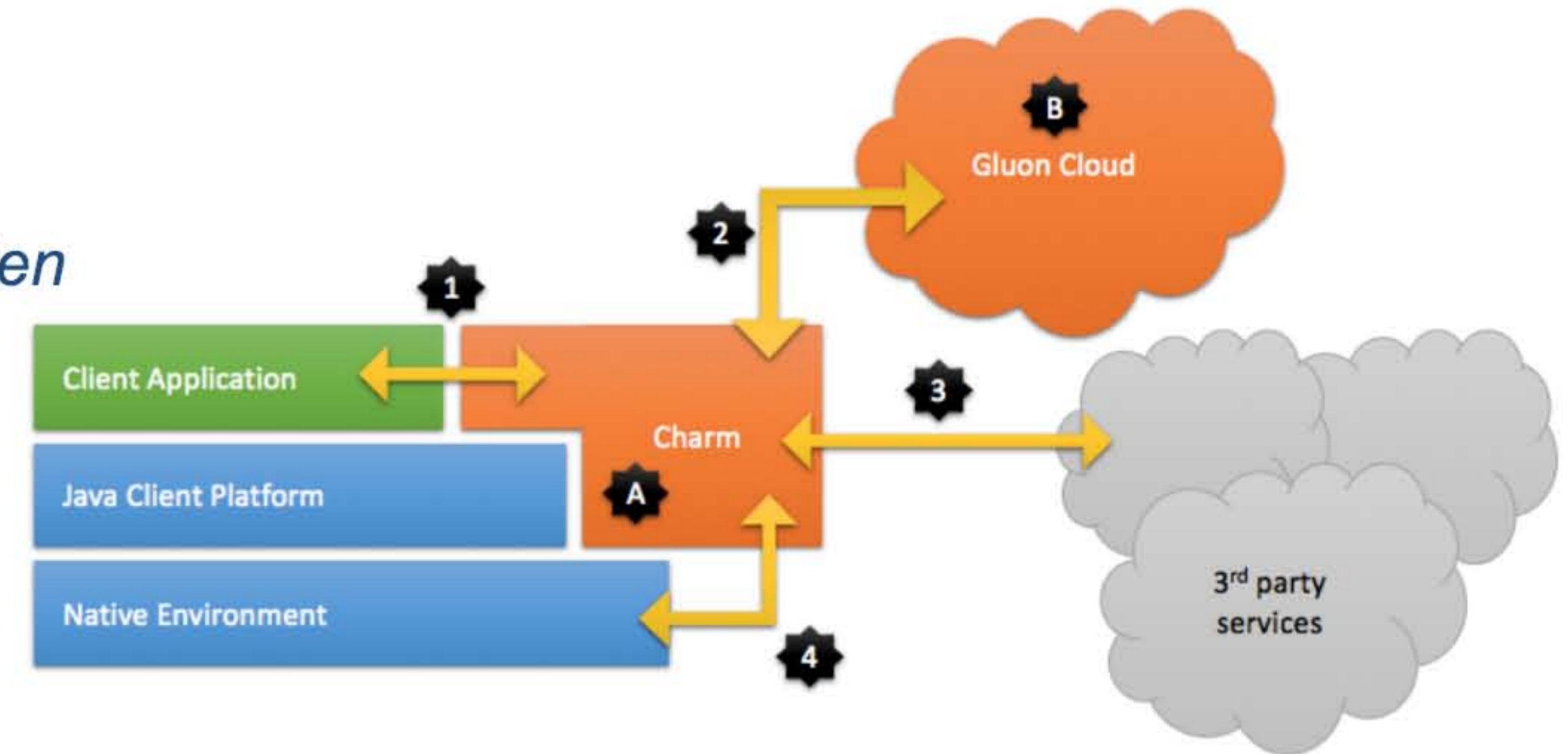




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Gluon Charm Documentation

For Gluon Charm version 0.0.3 – Published 2015-09-08

1. Gluon High-Level Architecture

Gluon provides Java Enterprise capabilities for Java Client development. With Gluon, Java Client developers use an API in a familiar language (Java) to perform familiar Enterprise operations.

GLUON consists of [A] a client component named CHARM and [B] a server component named Gluon Cloud.



Gluon Charm resources

► Gluon

- Forums: <http://gluonhq.com/forums/forum/gluon-charm/>
- Partner Program: <http://gluonhq.com/programs/gluon-partner/>

► Charm repository

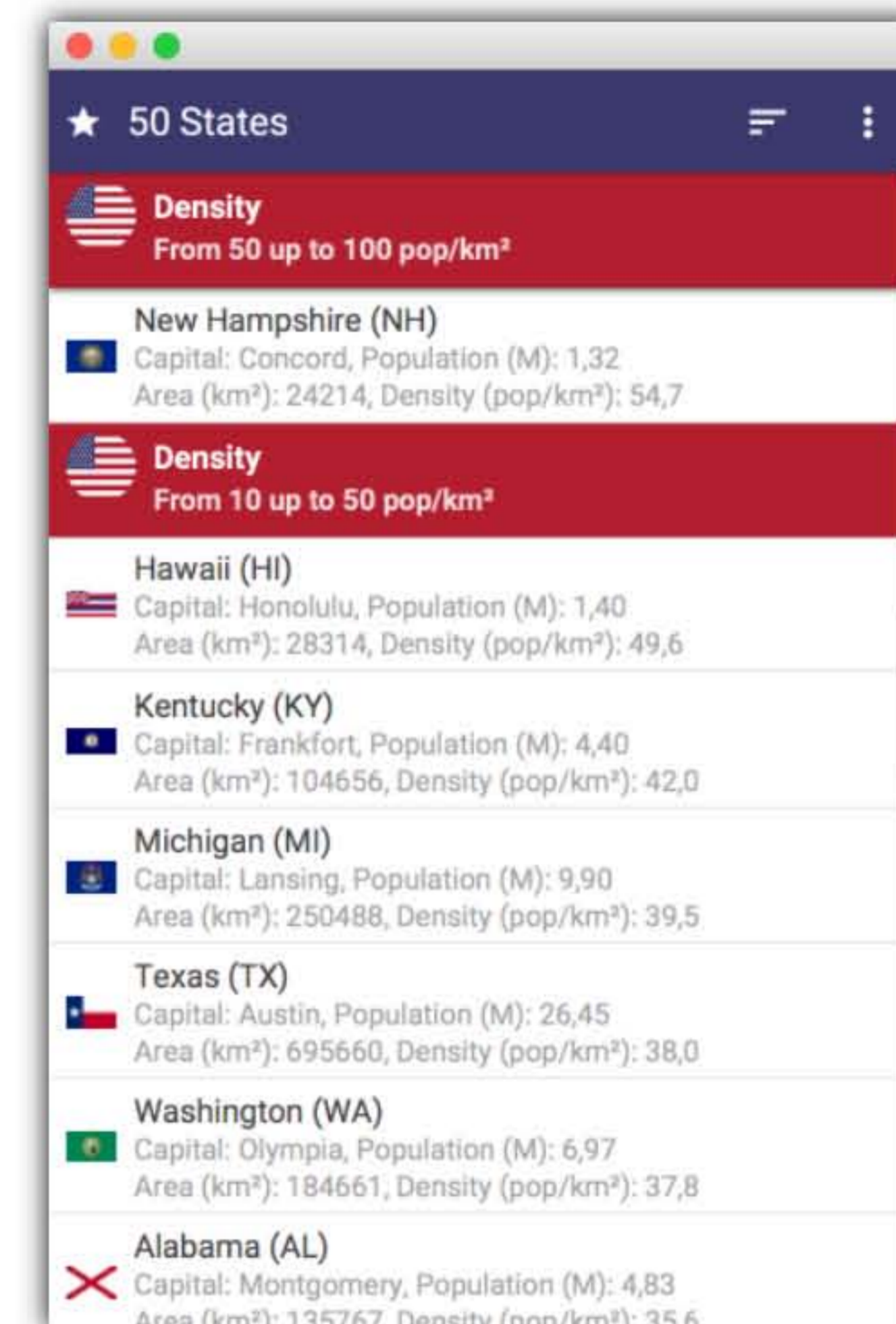
- <http://nexus.gluonhq.com/nexus/content/repositories/releases/>

► Charm JavaDoc

- <http://docs.gluonhq.com/charm/javadoc/0.0.3/>

► Available samples

- Comments: <http://gluonhq.com/comments-app-getting-started-with-gluon-charm/>
- 50 States: <http://gluonhq.com/charmlistview-new-control-in-town/>
- Repository: <https://bitbucket.org/gluon-oss/samples>



Basic use of Gluon Charm

- ▶ Create new Project, edit build.gradle
 - Plugin version 1.0.3
 - Charm dependencies DP6
- ▶ Introduce *MobileApplication*
 - Add *View*
 - Add *Swatch*
- ▶ Use FXML
 - Scene Builder (add charm-0.0.6.jar)
 - Afterburner

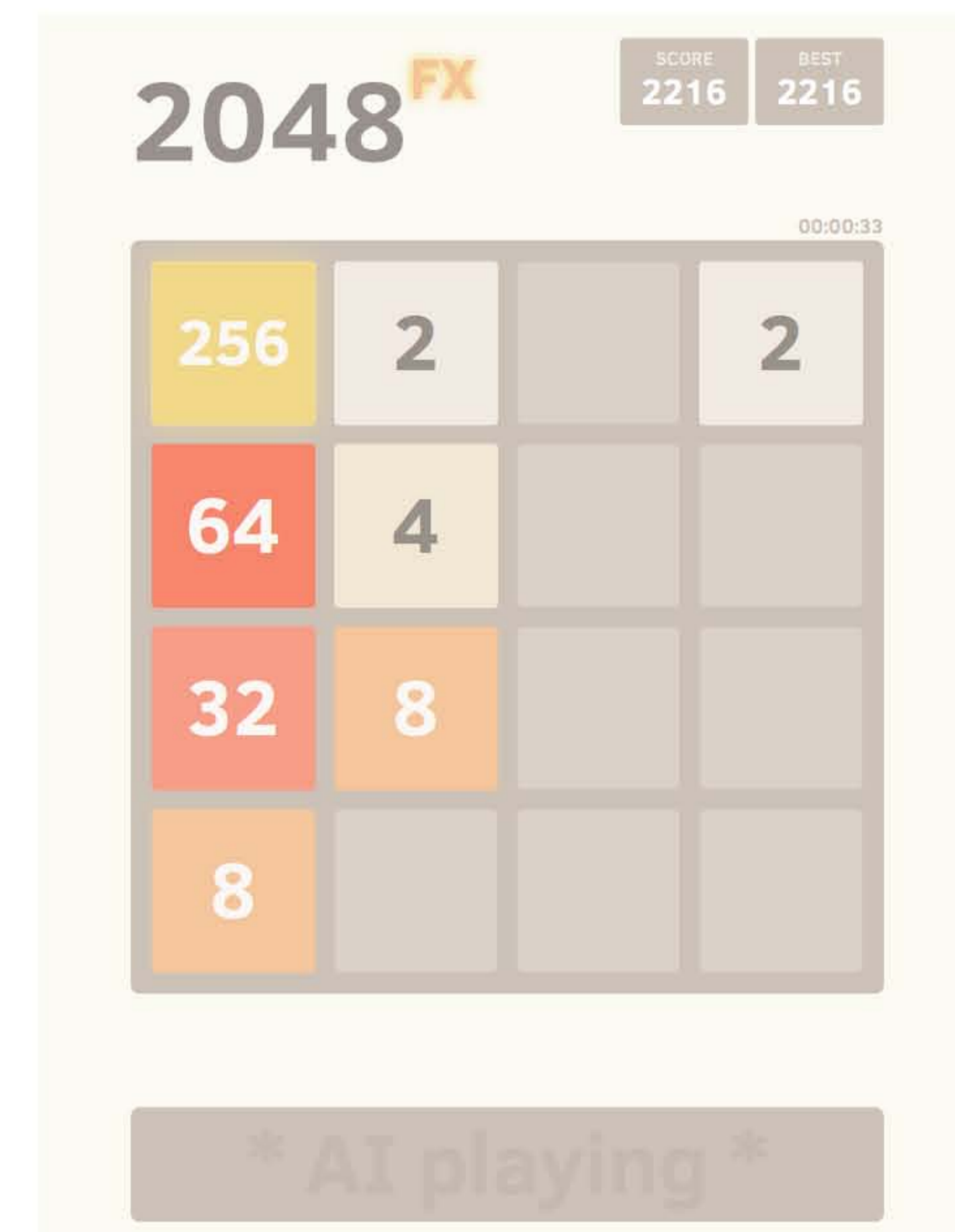


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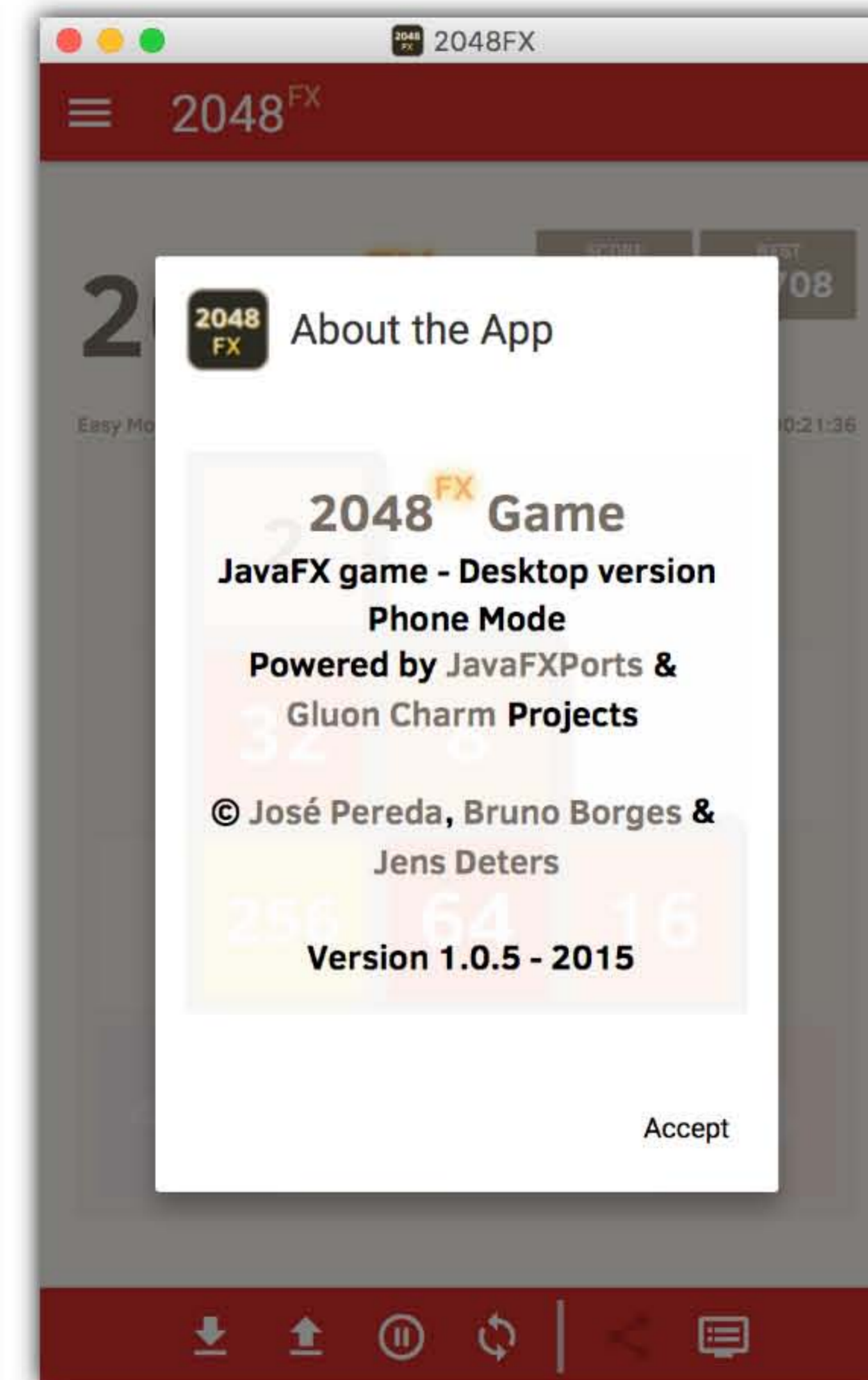
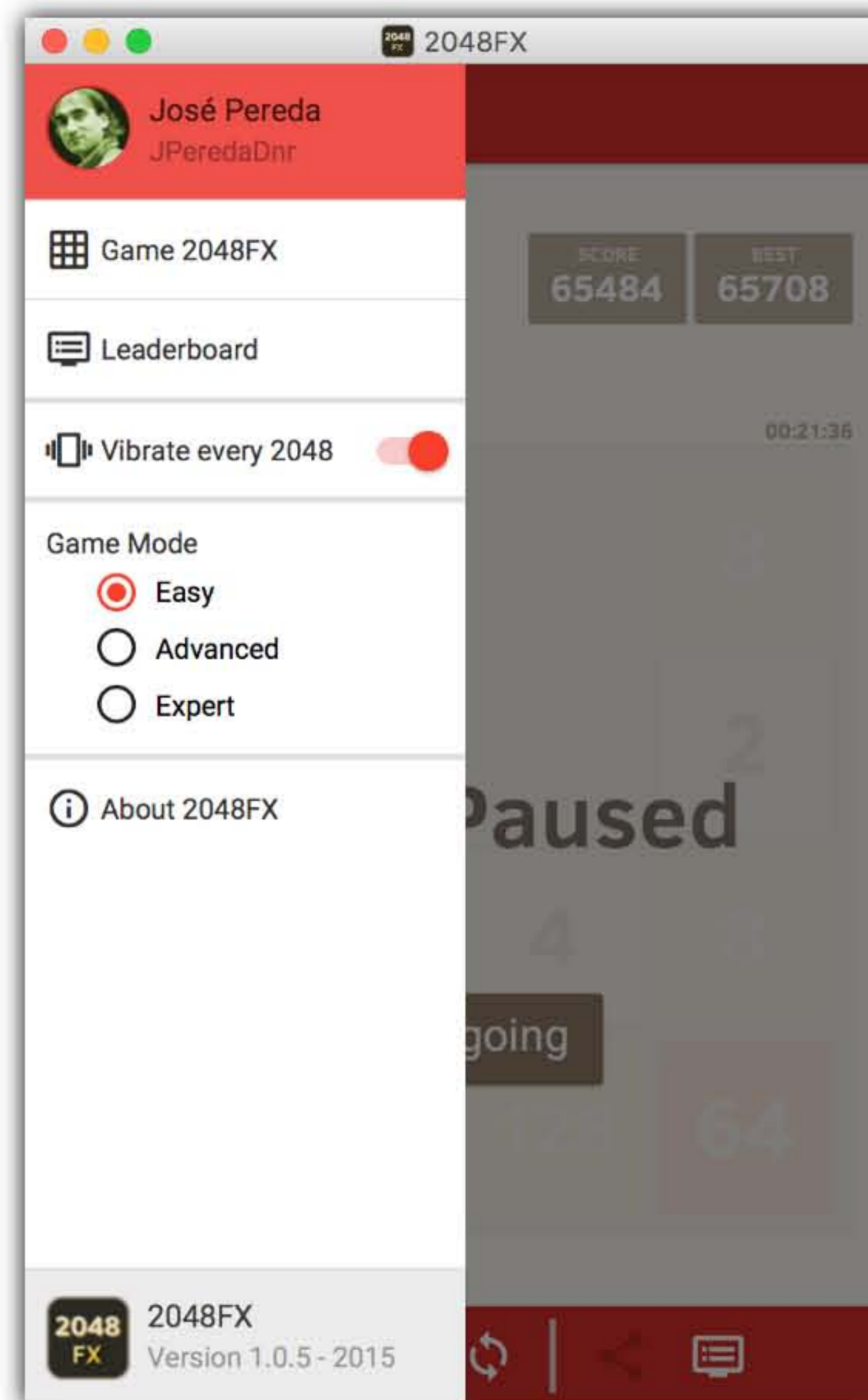
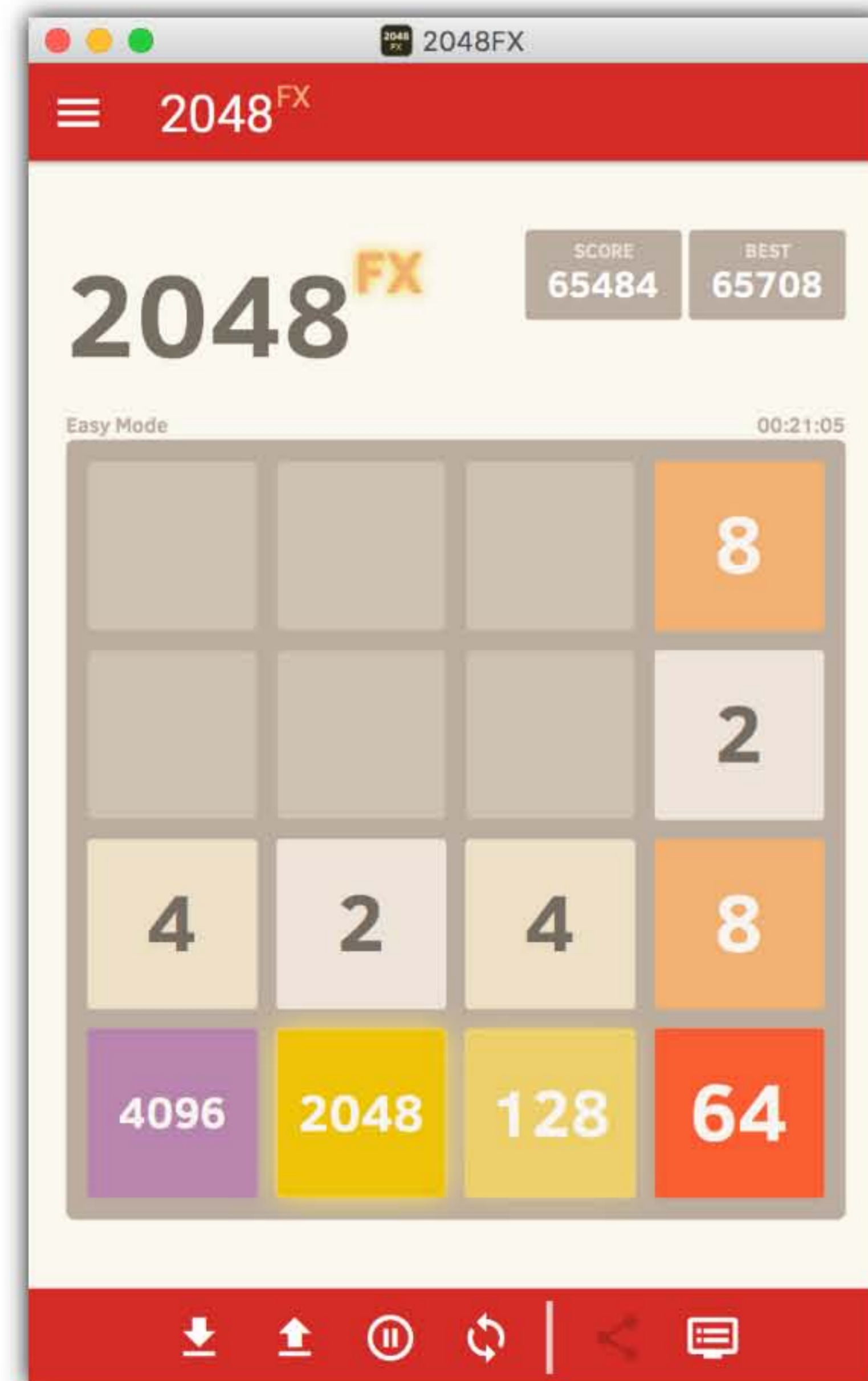
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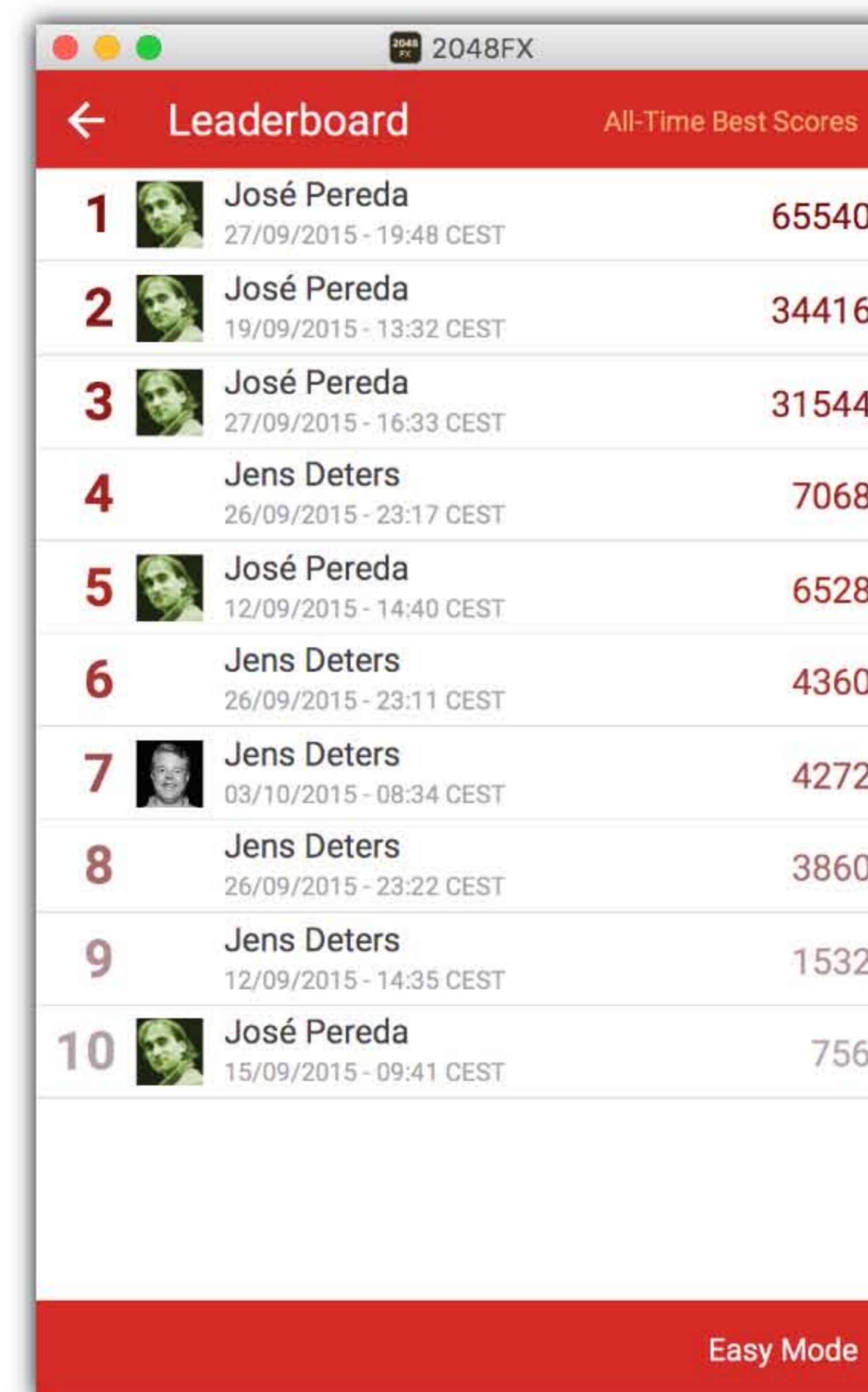
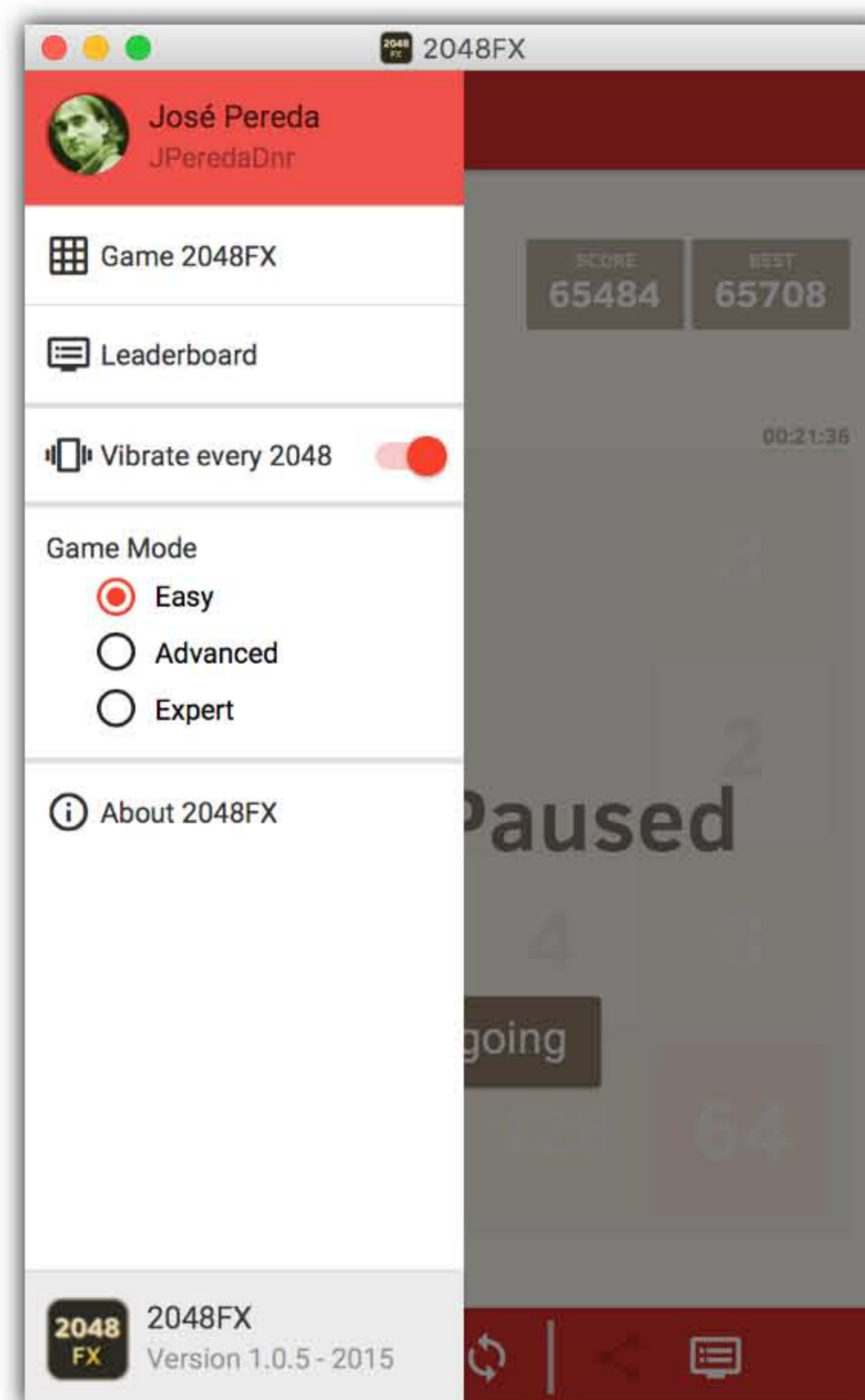
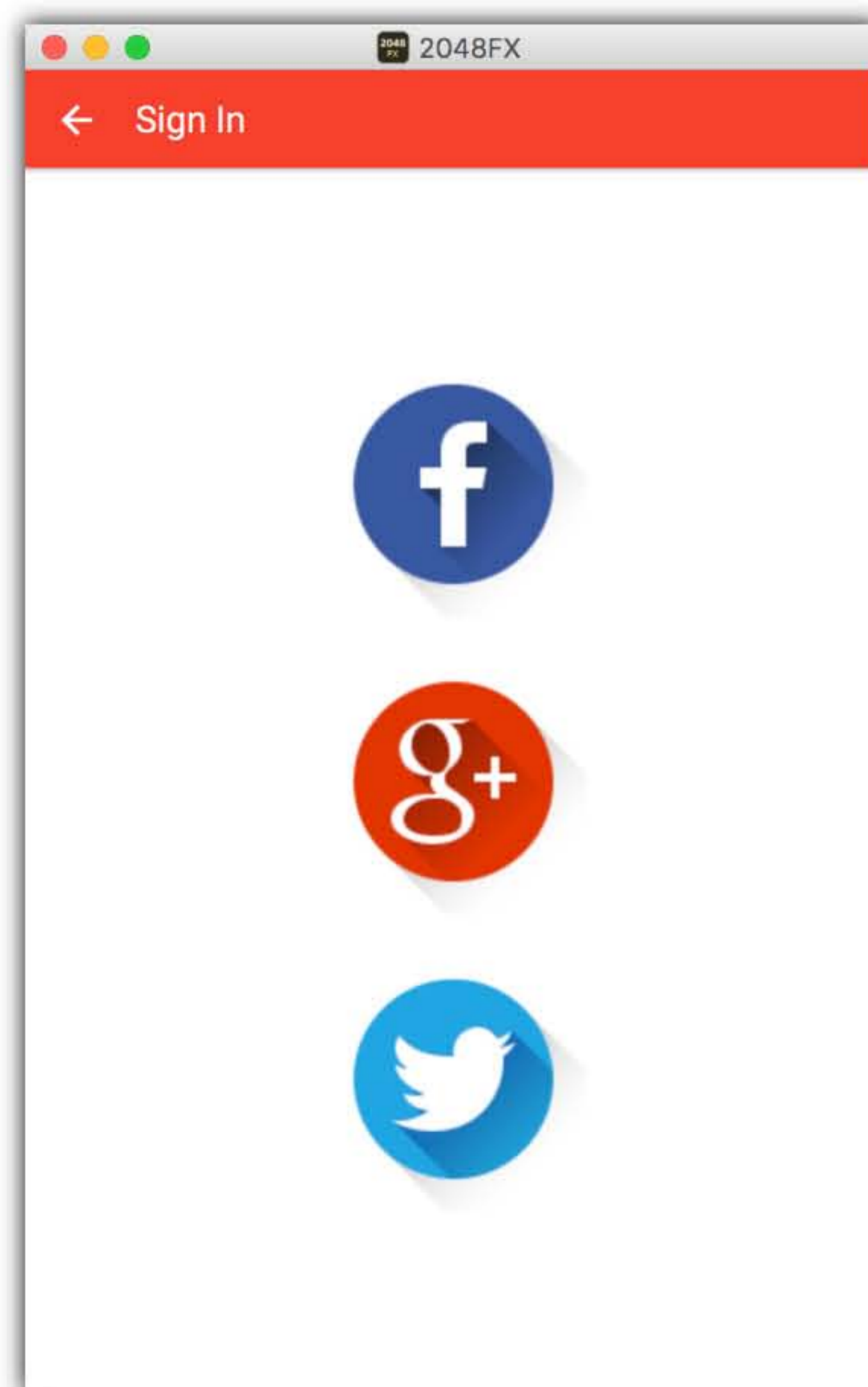
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New design of the application using Gluon Charm

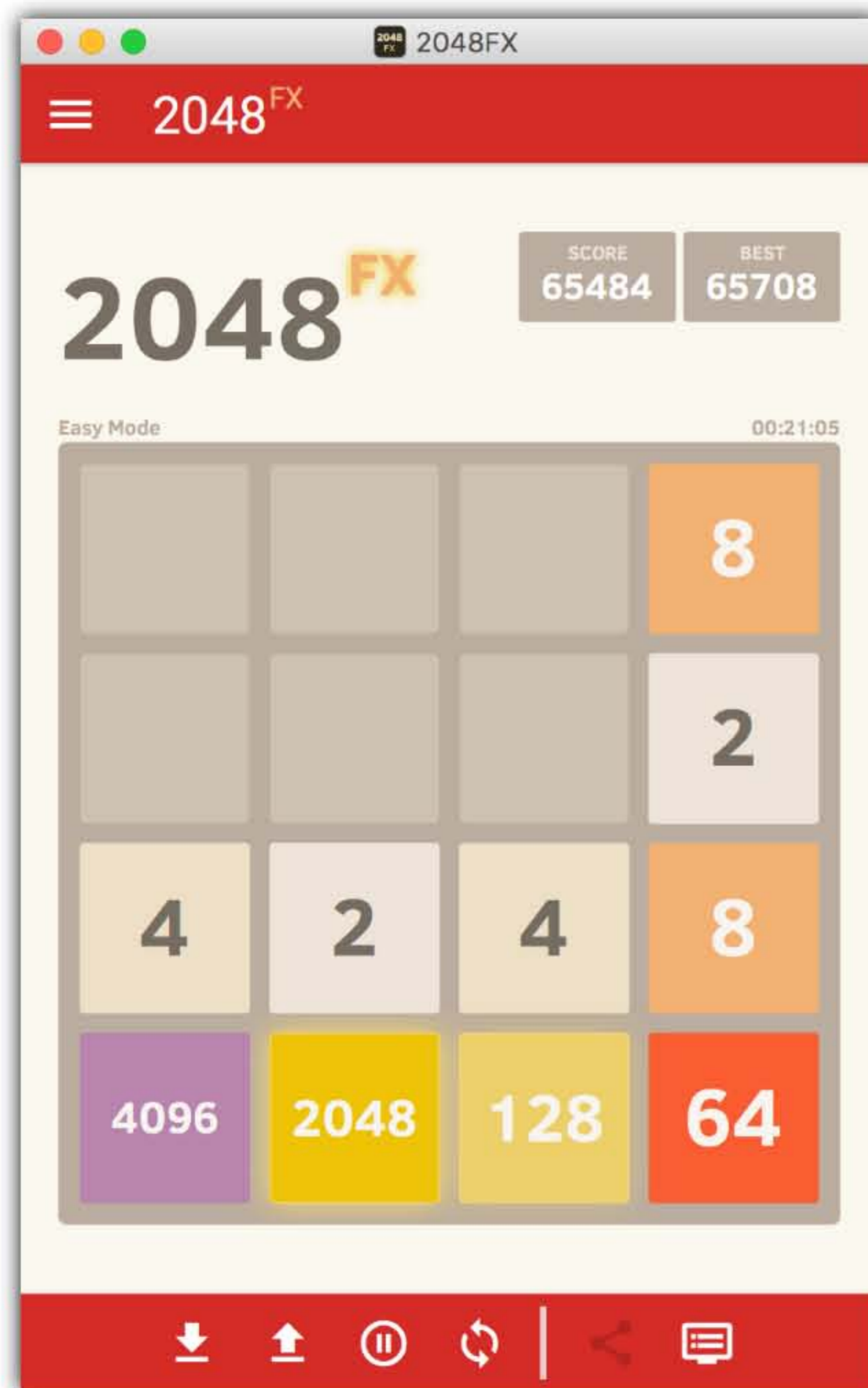


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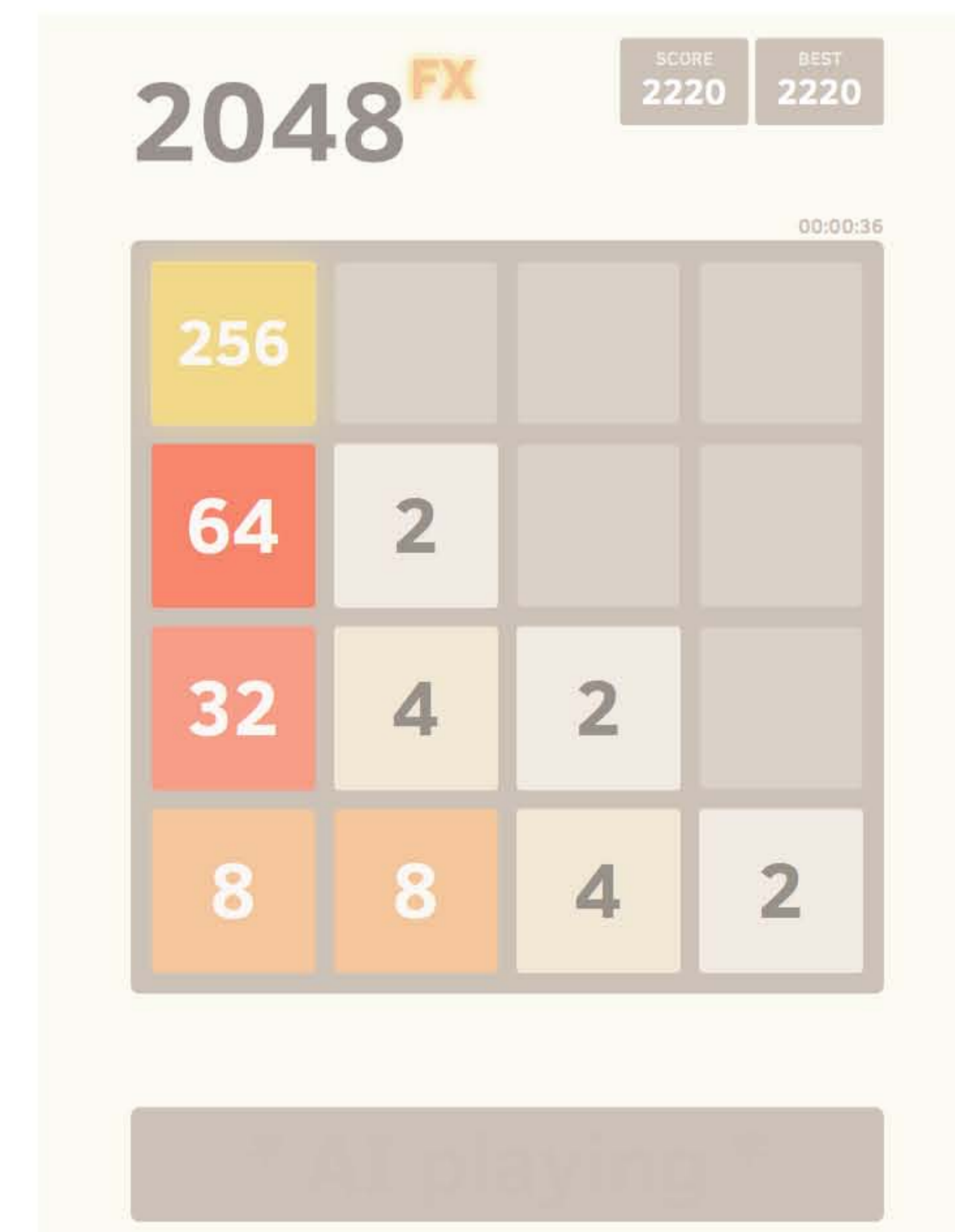
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Main Conclusions

- ▶ 2048^{FX} as a game
 - Perfect excuse to play with latest technologies:
 - Java 8 on desktop first
 - JavaFXPorts on Mobile
- ▶ JavaFXPorts
 - Allows easy deployment of Java/JavaFX projects on mobile platforms
 - Mature enough
- ▶ Gluon Charm
 - On top of JavaFXPorts, allows native UI, Cloud and native services
 - Speeds up development and time to market



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