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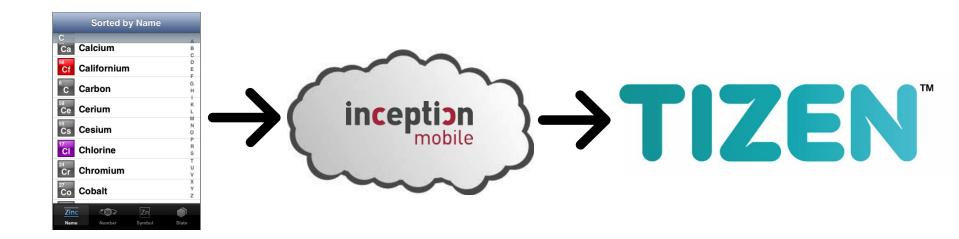
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Porting from iOS...



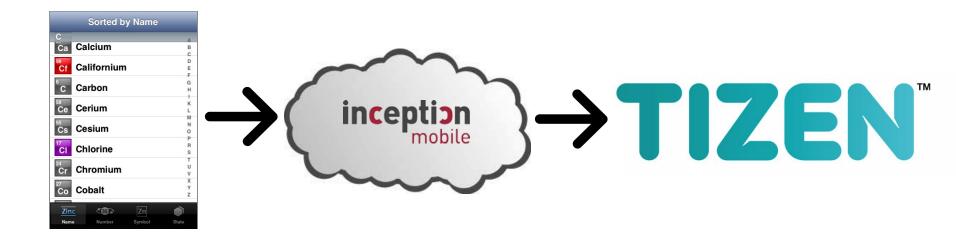
- Is uninteresting, difficult, and error prone
- Don't do it!



Porting from iOS...



"The rest is details..."



Overview

- API support
 - Monetization
- Tooling (building, simulation, debugging, deployment)
- Fragmentation
 - Extensions (hardware buttons, NFC, etc.)
 - Screen size differences
- Third party support
- Customization



But first...

- NOT HTML5/Web based
 - 100% native (i.e. ObjC/C/C++)
- Port apps based on Objective-C and that use native iOS APIs
- Nothing wrong with web/html5/java/air etc
- NOT a VM/Emulator
 - Performance matters
 - 100% native
- Primarily for phone/tablet apps
 - No reason that other Tizen platforms won't work



API Support

- All popular API sets are covered:
- UIKit (UIView, UITableView, UIButton, UIScrollView, ...)
- OpenGL
- CoreAnimation
- CoreData
- Multimedia
- Location
- Social
- Payments (more on this...)



Monetization

- StoreKit APIs are transparently mapped onto target platform payment APIs
- iAds mapped onto any supported ad SDK



Simulation

- On-device debugging sucks
- Windows / Visual Studio based environment
- Configurable
- Demo!



Platform-Specific Extensions

- Custom classes/events from Inception's Runtime
 - Back button or menu buttons
 - NFC
- Changes made inline with remainder of iOS codebase

```
#ifdef STARBOARD_TARGET_TIZEN
    // Tizen-specific code here
#endif
```



Third-Party Libraries

• ... because no app is an island

Option 1:

- "Build It Yourself"
- If source is available (Facebook SDK for iOS), build with Inception Mobile tools and deploy with your application

• Option 2:

- Trampoline calls from iOS libs to native Tizen version
- Inception Mobile provides a bridge system and glue layers for popular libraries



Third-Party Libraries

• Option 3:

- "Just Use The Library"
- Binary compatibility means Inception Mobile can load/link and run iOS targeted ".a" files
- With permission from the library developers



Customization and Themes

- Theme engine for UIKit elements
- App can look/feel/behave like a "native" app



Summary

- Most of porting is fundamentally uninteresting and unnecessary
- Objective-C as first-class development language on Tizen
 - (and Android, Windows, BB10)
- "It just works"
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