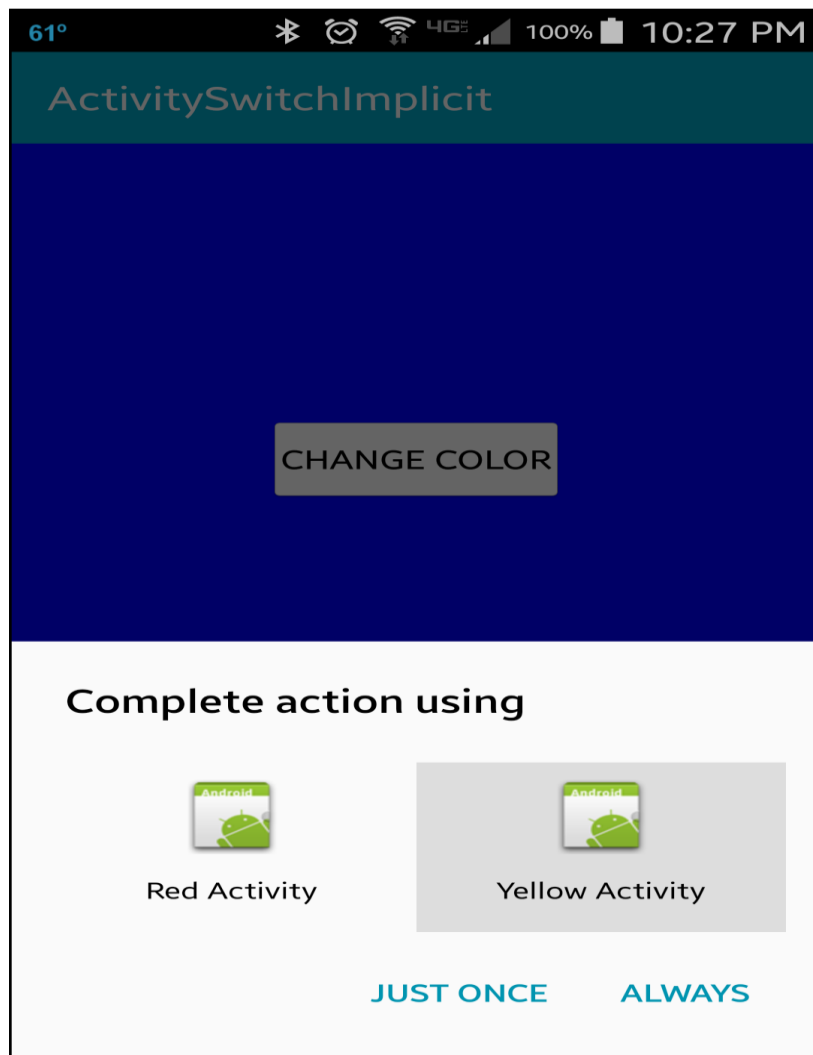
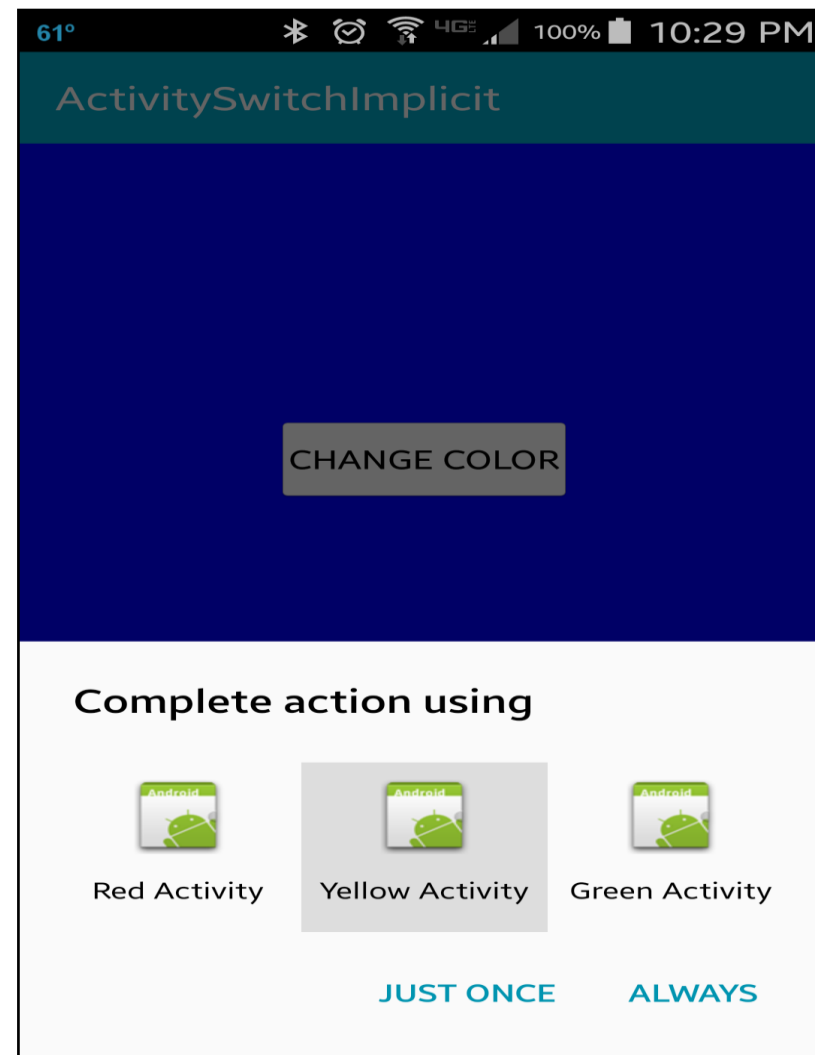


# Android – Activities (Implicit)

- This tutorial is a variation of the explicit switching of activities
- Activities are referenced implicitly, i.e., not by referencing their class object, but by an action
- An action is essentially a string
- An activity can respond to an action by defining an intent filter in `AndroidManifest.xml`
- If several activities have the same intent filter, Android will show a so-called activity chooser
- Note that this tutorial has two separate Android applications: first run `ActivitySwitchImplicit` and then install `ActivitySwitchImplicitGreen` and re-run the first app



Running ActivitySwitchImplicit without installing ActivitySwitchImplicitGreen



Running ActivitySwitchImplicit after installing ActivitySwitchImplicitGreen

# References

- [Activity](#)
- [Activity lifecycle](#)
- [Intent](#)

# Exercise

- Add another intent filter to YellowActivity for an action called ACTION\_BRIGHT\_COLOR. Add another button to BlueActivity with the title "Choose bright color" and sends the implicit action ACTION\_BRIGHT\_COLOR.