

## W4 PRACTICE

### *Observers, ListenableBuilder*



#### *Learning objectives*

- ✓ Understand **notifications principles** with the Observer Design Pattern
- ✓ No AI tools allowed to solve this practice



#### *How to submit?*

- ✓ Create a new GitHub repository W4-PRACTICE with the starter code
- ✓ Then commit your different exercises



#### *How to work?*

- 1 - Implement the view small components (generic or screen local)
- 2 - Implement the view data layout
- 3 - Work on the view data (initial status: initState () - getters)
- 4 - Work on the actions



#### *Resources*

##### **OBSERVER PATTERN**

<https://refactoring.guru/design-patterns/observer>

##### **LISTENABLE BUILDER**

<https://docs.flutter.dev/learn/pathway/tutorial/listenable-builder>

##### **LOCAL OR GLOBAL STATES**

<https://docs.flutter.dev/data-and-backend/state-mgmt/ephemeral-vs-app>

# TASK-001 – The Color App

💡 For this exercise, we provide the **starter code**:

```
/lib/1_color_app
```

**Q1** - Adapt the code to remove all state drilling and use a **ChangeNotifier** and **ListenableBuilders**

- ✓ You can create a ColorService which extends or implements **ChangeNotifier**
- ✓ You can instantiate this color service **globally**



**Q2 – BONUS** – Extensible Approach

The color statistics app should be designed to support **easy extension** when introducing **new colors**.

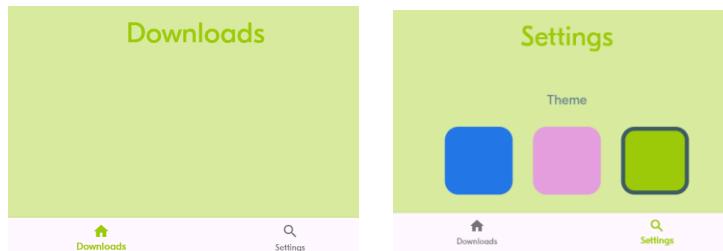
- ✓ You can – *as example* - organize the app data around a unique map<ColorType, int>
- ✓ Whenever a **new color type is added**, the views shall handle this color, without any code update

# TASK-002 – Downloader – Color Theme

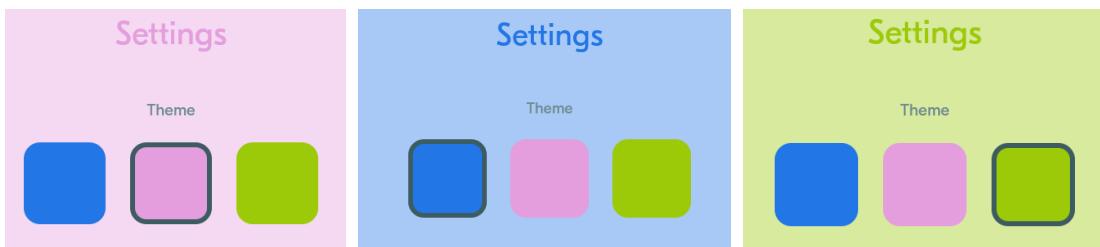
💡 For this exercise, we provide the **starter code**:

```
/lib/2_download_app
```

The downloader app is composed of 2 views (the downloads and settings).



For this exercise, you will work on the settings, which allows user to change **dynamically the app color theme**:



⚠️ Theme color is composed of:

- A main color
- A background color (derived from the main color)

💡 Theme color is defined in: `ui/providers/theme_color_provider.dart`

**Q1** - Adapt the code to listen to theme color changes

- ✓ When clicking on a color theme button, the whole app should be updated: the views colors, the menu color, etc.

# TASK-002 – Downloader – Downloads

💡 For this exercise, we provide the **starter code**:

```
/lib/downloader_app
```

For this exercise, you will work on the **download page**, which allows the user to download some resources:



Each DownloadTile must support exactly **three states**:

### 1. notDownloaded

- Download has not started yet

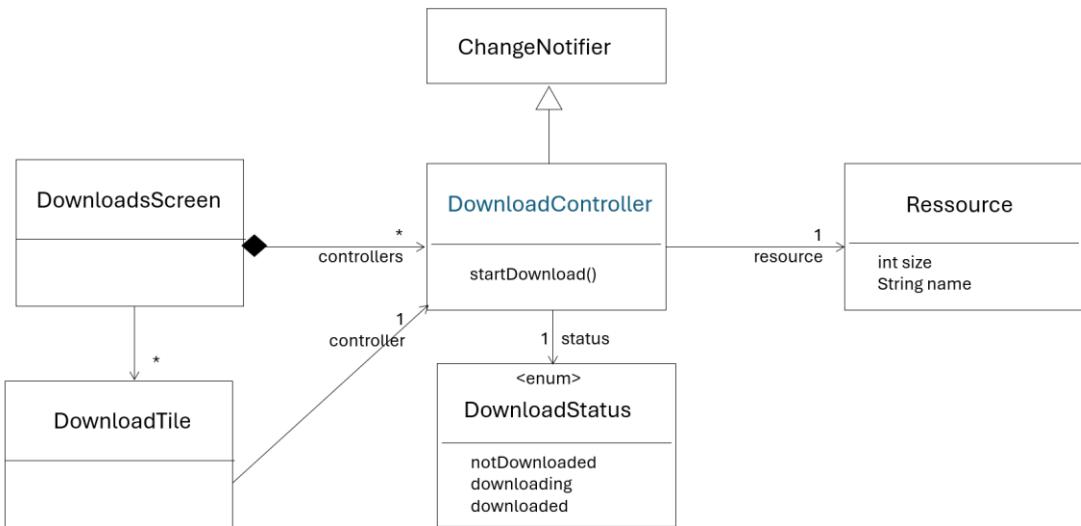
### 2. downloading

- Download is currently in progress
- Progress value evolves from 0% to 100%
- Progress shall also display the current downloaded size (% of the total size of the resource)

### 3. downloaded

- Download is complete

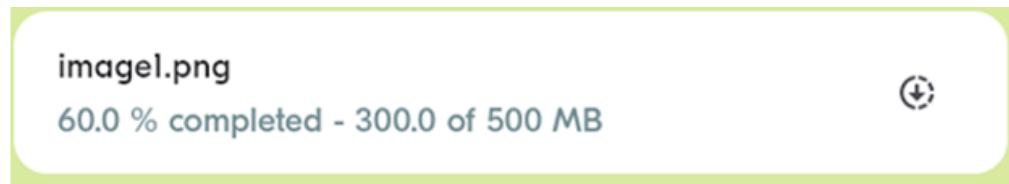
## A – Understand the architecture



*Overview of the architecture*

We follow the controller-view architecture:

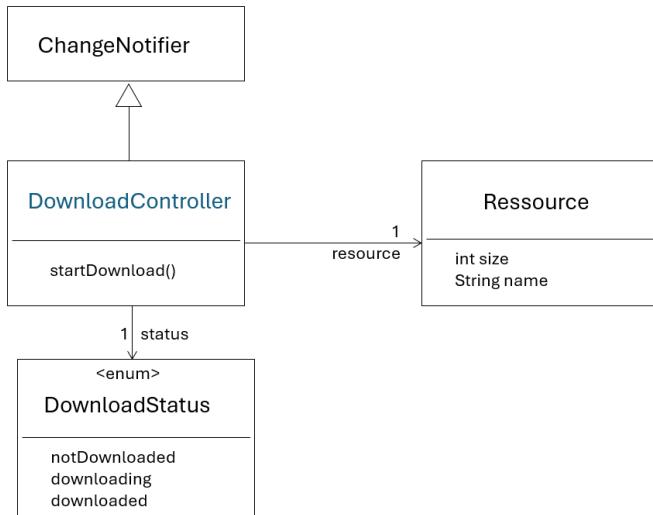
- **DownloadTile** are dummy and just display the information on the related Download:



- **DownloadTile** are created with a **DownloadController**, which contains the download data and actions:

```
class DownloadController extends ChangeNotifier {  
  
    DownloadController(this.ressource);  
  
    // DATA  
    Ressource ressource;  
    DownloadStatus _status = DownloadStatus.notDownloaded;  
    double _progress = 0.0;           // 0.0 → 1.0  
  
    // GETTERS  
    DownloadStatus get status => _status;  
    double get progress => _progress;  
  
    // ACTIONS  
    void startDownload() async { ...  
}
```

- Each **DownloadController**:
  - o is **listenable**
  - o Contains the **information on the resource** to download
  - o Contain the **download status** and **progress**



### Q1 – Create the download tiles

- ✓ Complete the code on **download\_tile.dart** to display the download information and interact with the download controller.

### Q2 – Display all Download tiles

- ✓ Complete the code on **downloads\_screen.dart** to display 1 download tile for each controller created

### Q2 – implement the startDownload method on the controller

- ✓ Complete the code on **download\_controller.dart** to start the download

1 – set status to downloading

2 – Loop 10 times and increment the download progress (0 -> 0.1 -> 0.2 )

Wait 1 second :

```
await Future.delayed(const Duration(milliseconds: 1000));
```

3 – set status to downloaded