THE KOTLIN PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE

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CODE EXAMPLES

HELLO, WORLD!

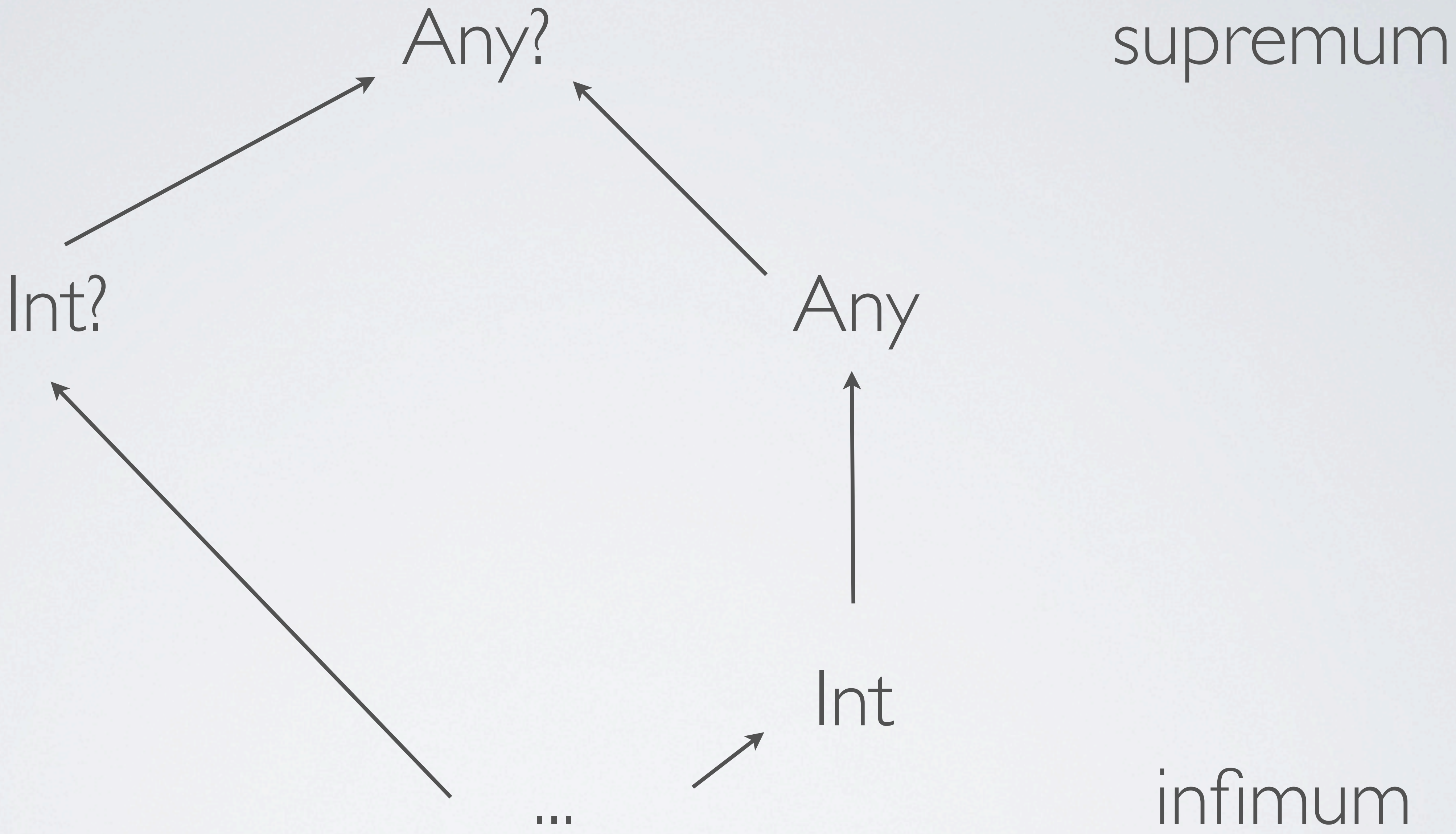
```
package hw.simple

fun main(args : Array<String>) : Unit {
    println("Hello, World!");
}

fun println(str : String) /* : Unit */ {
    System.out?.println(str);
}
```

HELLO, <NAMES>!

TYPES HIERARCHY



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