

Building Fabric.app in Swift

Intro

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Outline

- What is Fabric.app?
- Tools used
- Architecture
- Better with Swift
- Error reporting

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OVERVIEW ACTIVITY

ANALYTICS

Active users right now  compared to yesterday

2.7k ▲ 6.2%

Crash free users  ≈ 0%

99.3% Dec 26 Jan 26

Daily active users  -2.1%

245.9k Dec 26 Jan 26

TOP VERSIONS

1.2.0 (354)

Crash-free users: 99.6%

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OVERVIEW ACTIVITY

 Issue Velocity Alert Just now

An issue in SFSafariViewController.m line 1337 is affecting 2.83% of sessions in the past hour. The issue was first seen January 27, 2016

 Top Issues Summary An hour ago

7.8% of our users were affected by 1 issue on Wednesday, Jan 27 UTC

 New Note 7 hours ago

Josh added a note to an issue in Atomic.swift line 54: "Fixed this issue in build 1.2.0 (358)"

 New Issue 7 hours ago

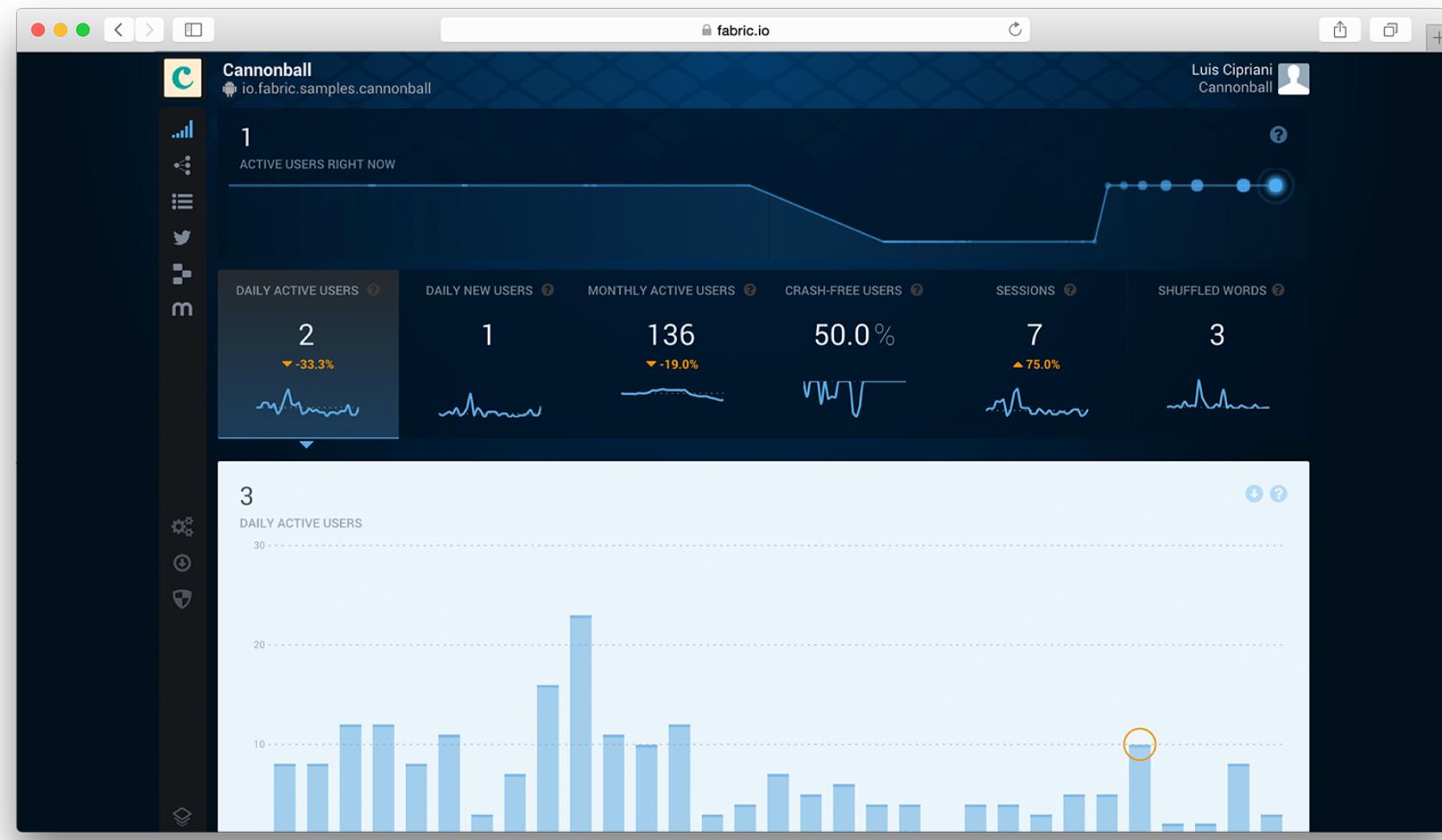
New issue detected in Atomic.swift line 54

 Stability Alert 12 hours ago

Crash free users dropped by 6.5% in the past 24 hours. At 86.72%, it is significantly below where it was this time yesterday

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What is Fabric.app?



What is Fabric.app?



Tools

Dependency management

Dependency management

- SSL Pinning
- Keychain
- IPassword integration
- Graphs
- Networking, caching

Dependency management

- CocoaPods
- Carthage

CocoaPods

- More widely adopted
- Less work to integrate frameworks
- Easily link some frameworks only in Debug

Carthage

→ Precompilation == Speed

Swift Package Manager

Interface Builder

AutoLayout

AutoLayout

```
Oct 17 11:01:52 Jeffs-iPhone SpringBoard[11069] <Warning>: Unable to simultaneously satisfy constraints.  
Probably at least one of the constraints in the following list is one you don't want. Try this: (1) look at each constraint and try to figure out  
which you don't expect; (2) find the code that added the unwanted constraint or constraints and fix it. (Note: If you're seeing  
NSAutoresizingMaskLayoutConstraints that you don't understand, refer to the documentation for the UIView property translatesAutoresizingMaskIntoConstraints)  
(  
    "<>NSLayoutConstraint:0x131668130 UILabel:0x1316852a0'SIRI SUGGESTIONS'.leading == SPUISearchTableHeaderView:0x1316b3150.leadingAnchor>",  
    "<>NSLayoutConstraint:0x1316c39b0 H:[UILabel:0x1316852a0'SIRI SUGGESTIONS']-(NSSpace(8))-[UIButton:0x1316c0b10>Show More]>",  
    "<>NSLayoutConstraint:0x1316c3a00 SPUISearchTableHeaderView:0x1316b3150.trailingAnchor == UIButton:0x1316c0b10>Show More.trailingAnchor>",  
    "<>NSLayoutConstraint:0x131403e30 UILabel:0x131687e10>Show More.width <= UIButton:0x1316c0b10>Show More.width>",  
    "<>NSLayoutConstraint:0x1316845e0 'UIView-Encapsulated-Layout-Width' H:[SPUISearchTableHeaderView:0x1316b3150(0)]>"  
)  
  
Will attempt to recover by breaking constraint  
<NSLayoutConstraint:0x131403e30 UILabel:0x131687e10>Show More.width <= UIButton:0x1316c0b10>Show More.width>
```

Storyboards

UIStoryboard

```
class UIStoryboard {
    func instantiateViewControllerWithIdentifier(_ identifier: String) -> UIViewController
}
```

UIStoryboard

```
let vc = mainStoryboard.instantiateViewControllerWithIdentifier("ApplicationOverviewID") as! ApplicationOverviewVC  
vc.userSession = ...  
vc.applicationID = ...
```

UIStoryboard

```
final class ApplicationOverviewVC {  
    // I hope you like "!"s...  
    var userSession: UserSession!  
    var applicationID: String!  
  
    func viewDidLoad() {  
        super.viewDidLoad()  
  
        self.userSession.foo()  
    }  
}
```

~~Storyboards~~

```
final class ApplicationOverviewVC {
    let userSession: UserSession
    let applicationID: String

    init(userSession: UserSession, applicationID: String) {
        self.userSession = userSession
        self.applicationID = applicationID

        super.init(nibName: ..., bundle: ...)
    }

    func viewDidLoad() {
        super.viewDidLoad()

        // Compile-time guarantee of object fully initialized
        self.userSession.foo()
    }
}
```

Fastlane

Fastlane

Fabric app



Standard Setup

- Deploy updates through Crashlytics Beta.
- Submit to the AppStore with screenshots and metadata.
- Code generation for xib names, identifiers, etc using `R.swift`

- <https://github.com/fastlane/examples>

ReactiveCocoa

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```
self.accountService.muteAllNotifications(untilTime: date)
```

ReactiveCocoa

```
self.accountService.muteAllNotifications(untilTime: date)
    .continueWhenApplicationIsBackgrounded(taskName: "Muting notifications")
```

Tools

Architecture

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FabricAPI.framework

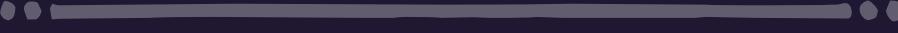
TARGETS

-  Fabric
-  FabricTests
-  FabricUITests
-  FabricAPI
-  FabricAPITests

Architecture

- ~~Massive View Controllers~~
- View Models
- Glue-code View Controllers
- Table View Data sources

Architecture



GenericTableViewDataSource

Architecture

GenericTableViewDataSource

```
protocol TableSectionType {  
    associatedtype AssociatedTableRowType: TableRowType  
  
    var rows: [AssociatedTableRowType] { get }  
  
    var title: String? { get }  
}  
  
protocol TableRowType { }
```

Architecture

GenericTableViewDataSource

```
final class GenericTableViewDataSource<Elements,  
    SectionType: TableSectionType,  
    RowType: TableRowType  
    where SectionType.AssociatedTableRowType == RowType,  
    SectionType: Equatable,  
    RowType: Equatable>: NSObject, UITableViewDataSource
```

Architecture

GenericTableViewDataSource

```
enum ProjectIssueRow: TableRowType, Equatable {
    case Loading
    case NoIssues
    case ErrorLoadingIssues
    case ProjectIssue(Issue)
}

return GenericTableViewDataSource(
    tableView: tableView,
    tableViewData: observableProperty, // Observable<Elements>
    computeSections: { elements in ... }, /// Pure function from `Elements` to `[SectionType]`
    configureRow: { row, indexPath in ... } /// Function from `RowType` to `UITableViewCell`
)
```

Better with Swift

Better with Swift

- Nullability
- Type-safe JSON parsing
- Code generation

Nullability



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Follow

Optionals are great because we can make things non-optional. Just because we have optionals in Swift shouldn't mean we have ? everywhere.

RETWEETS

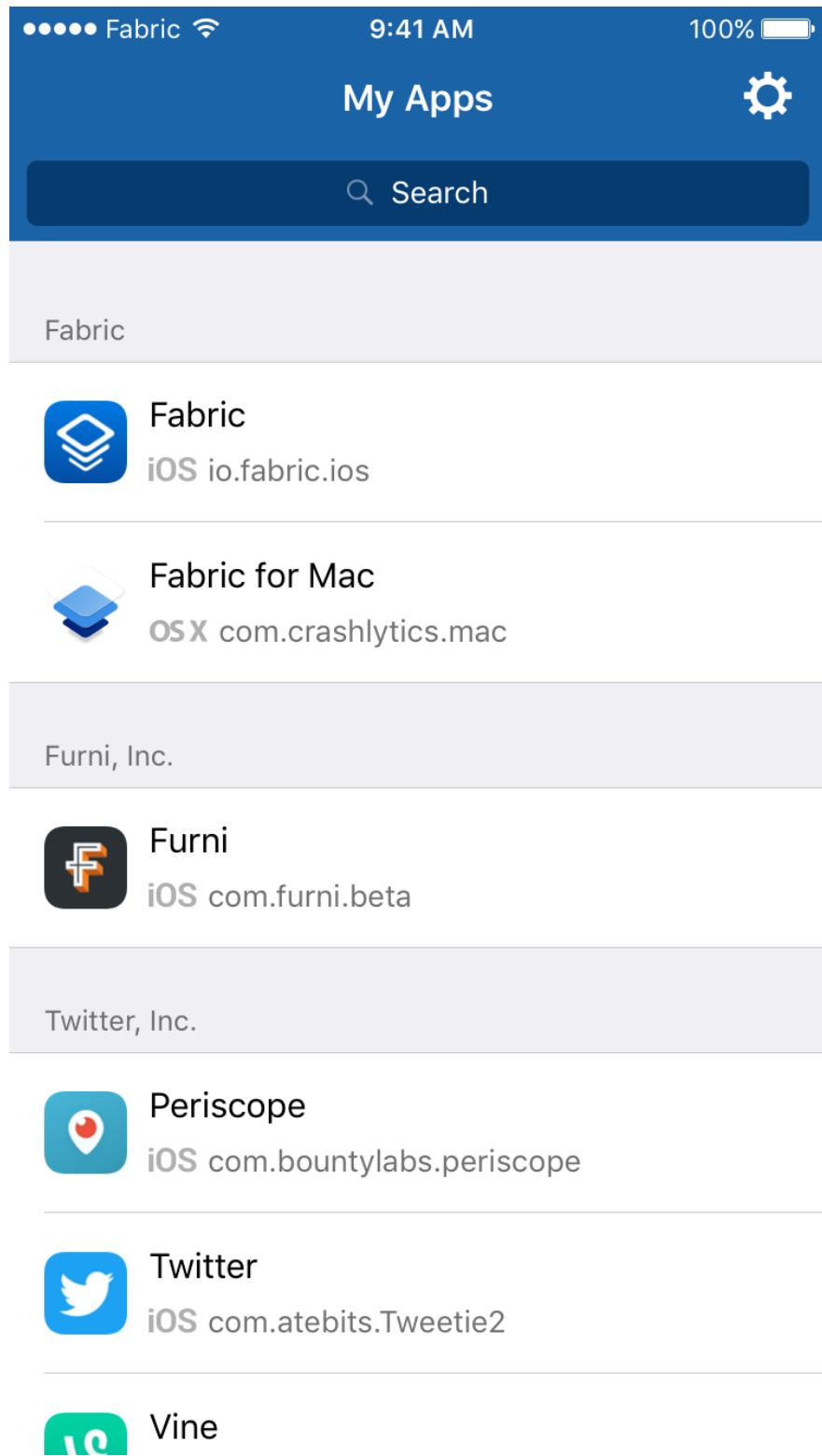
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Nullability

```
final class ApplicationListViewController: BaseFabricTableViewController
```

Nullability

```
final class ApplicationListViewController: BaseFabricTableViewController {  
    override viewDidLoad() {  
        super.viewDidLoad()  
  
        let session = UserSession.currentUserSession  
  
        if let session = session {  
            session.requestApplications()...  
        }  
        // or...  
        session!.requestApplications()...  
    }  
}
```

Nullability

```
final class ApplicationListViewController: BaseFabricTableViewController {
    init(viewModel: ApplicationListViewModel)
}

final class ApplicationListViewModel {
    init(fabricAPI: AuthenticatedFabricAPI)
}

public final class AuthenticatedFabricAPI {
    public init(authResponse: AuthResponse)
}

public final class AuthResponse {
    let accessToken: String
}
```



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Nullability

```
final class ApplicationListViewModel {  
    var applications: [Application]?  
}
```

Nullability

```
enum DataLoadState<T> {
    case Loading
    case Failed
    case Loaded(T)
}

final class ApplicationListViewModel {
    var applications: DataLoadState<[Application]> = .Loading
}
```

Type-safe JSON parsing

JSON Parsing Anti-Patterns

```
public struct Application {  
    public var ID: String?  
    public var name: String?  
    public var bundleIdentifier: String?  
  
    public mutating func decode(j: [String: AnyObject]) {  
        self.ID = j["id"] as? String  
        self.name = j["name"] as? String  
        self.bundleIdentifier = j["identifier"] as? String  
    }  
}
```

JSON Parsing Anti-Patterns

```
public struct Application {
    public let ID: String
    public let name: String
    public let bundleIdentifier: String

    public static func decode(j: [String: AnyObject]) -> Application? {
        guard let ID = j["id"] as? String,
              let name = j["name"] as? String,
              let bundleIdentifier = j["identifier"] as? String else { return nil }

        return Application(
            ID: ID,
            name: name,
            bundleIdentifier: bundleIdentifier
        )
    }
}
```

Type-safe JSON parsing

```
import Decodable /// https://github.com/Anviking/Decodable

public struct Application: Decodable {
    public let ID: String
    public let name: String
    public let bundleIdentifier: String

    public static func decode(j: AnyObject) throws -> Application {
        return try Application(
            ID: j => "id",
            name: j => "name",
            bundleIdentifier: j => "identifier"
        )
    }
}
```

Code Generation

Code Generation

```
// Swift < 2.2
UIBarButtonItem(barButtonSystemItem: .Done, target: self, action: Selector("buttonTapped"))

// Swift 2.2
UIBarButtonItem(barButtonSystemItem: .Done, target: self, action: #selector(ViewController.buttonTapped))
```

Code Generation

```
super.init(nibName: "ViewControllerNibName", bundle: nil)

let nib = UINib(nibName: "NibName", bundle: nil)

tableView.registerNib(nib, forCellReuseIdentifier: "ReuseIdentifier")

let cell = tableView.dequeueReusableCellWithIdentifier("ReuseIdentifier", forIndexPath: indexPath) as! MyTableViewCell

let image = UIImage(named: "ImageName")!
```

Code Generation: R.swift

<https://github.com/mac-cain13/R.swift>

```
lane :code_gen do
  root_directory = "#{File.expand_path(File.dirname(__FILE__))}/../"

  sdk_path = sh("xcodebuild -version -sdk iphoneos9.2 Path")

  sh("#{root_directory}/Pods/R.swift/rswift -p \"#{root_directory}/Fabric.xcodeproj\" -t Fabric"
end
```

Code Generation: R.swift

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- Nibs
- Reuse Identifiers
- Image names in asset catalogs
- Other file names in the bundle

Code Generation: R.swift

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```
super.init(nibResource: R.nib.myViewController)

class MyTableViewCell: UITableViewCell, ReusableNibTableViewCell {
    /// This will even fail to compile if it's not the right cell
    static let nibResource = R.nib.myTableViewCell
}

tableView.registerReusableNibCell(MyTableViewCell)

let cell = MyTableViewCell.dequeueReusableCellFromTableView(tableView, indexPath)

let image = R.imageimageName
```

Error Reporting

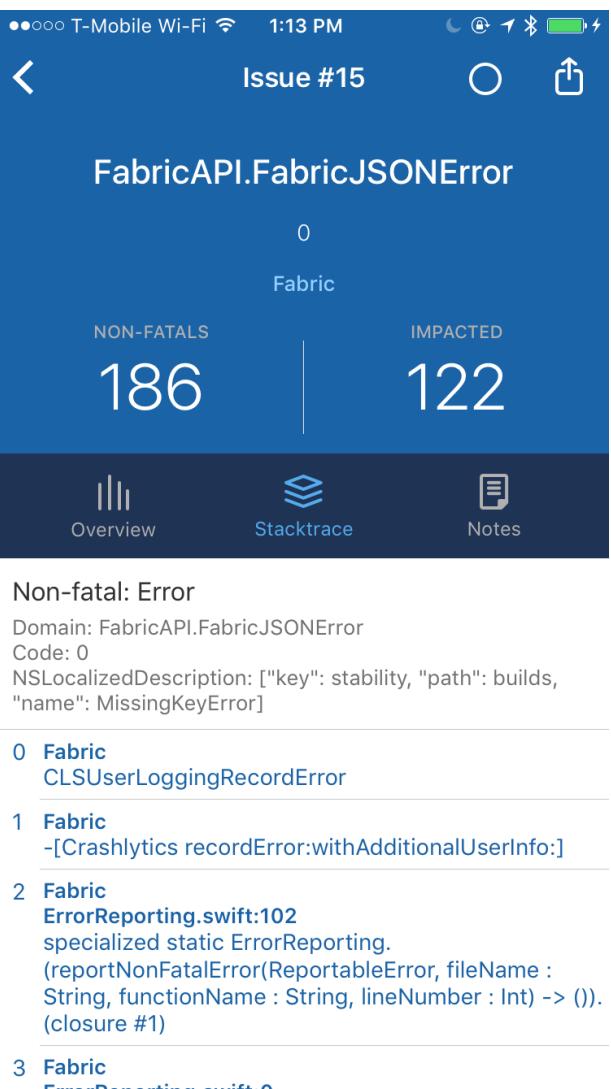
Error Reporting

```
do {
    try fileManager.createDirectoryAtPath(path, withIntermediateDirectories: true, attributes: nil)
    /**
     ...
}
catch {
    print("Error: \(error)")
}
```

Error Reporting

```
do {
    try fileManager.createDirectoryAtPath(path, withIntermediateDirectories: true, attributes: nil)
    /**
     ...
    */
} catch {
    Crashlytics.sharedInstance().recordError(error, withAdditionalUserInfo: userInfo)
}
```

Error Reporting



Questions?

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Thanks 😊