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These are my obligatory two "Swift" jokes, wanted to get those out of the way...

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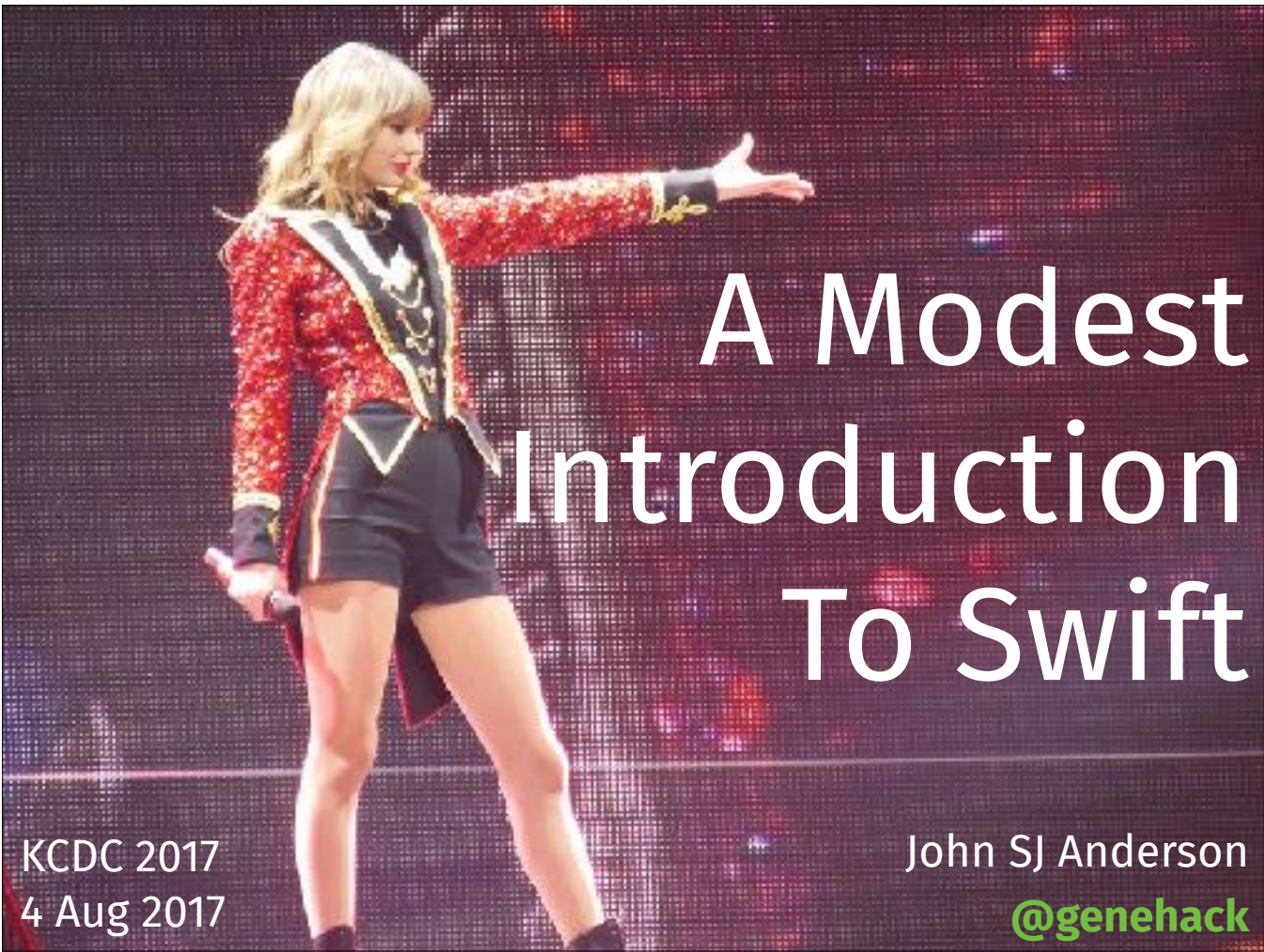
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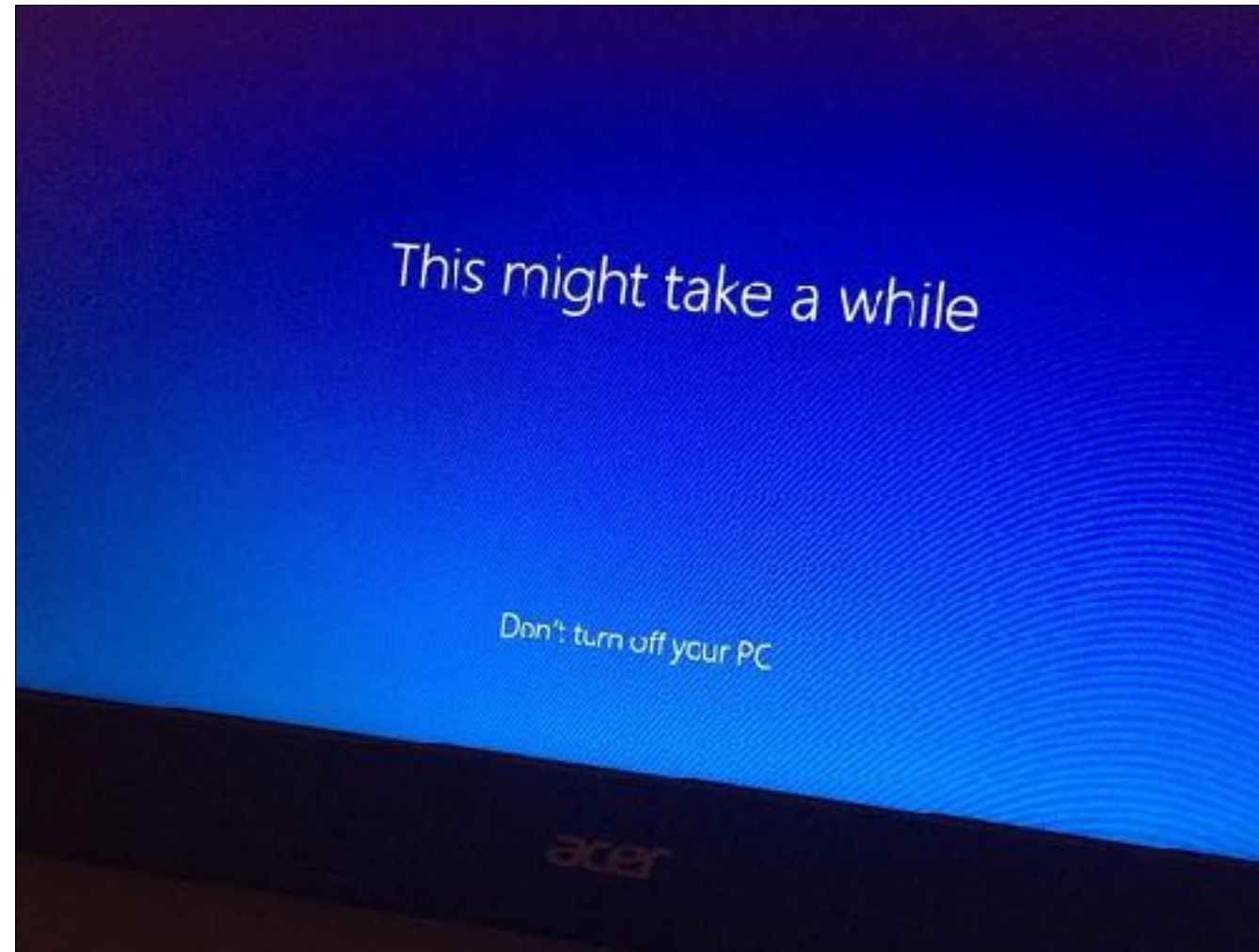
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aka **@genehack**

- VP Tech, Infinity Interactive
- Perl tribe
- Polyglot coder
- Just this guy, you know?





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Swift?

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So, what is Swift?

Introduced in 2014

Went Open Source at version 2.2

Version 3.1 just released (in March)

Version 4 coming Real Soon Now

Originally macOS only

Now on Linux too.

Releases

Swift 3.1.1

Download	Date
Xcode 8.3.2* (Toolchain) (Debugging Symbols)	April 21, 2017
Ubuntu 16.10 (Signature)	April 21, 2017
Ubuntu 16.04 (Signature)	April 21, 2017
Ubuntu 14.04 (Signature)	April 21, 2017

Android in the works!

[RFC] Port to Android #1442

 **Open** modocache wants to merge 1 commit into `apple:master` from `SwiftAndroid:master`

 Conversation **54**  Commits **1**  Files changed **53**



modocache commented 14 days ago

What's in this pull request?

This adds an Android target for the stdlib. It is also the first example of cross-compiling outside of Darwin: a Linux host machine builds for an Android target.

Port to Android #1442

 **Merged** swift-ci merged 1 commit into `apple:naster` from `SwiftAndroid:naster` on Apr 12

 Conversation 198

 Commits 1

 Files changed 34



modocache commented on Feb 25

What's in this pull request?

This adds an Android target for the stdlib. It is also the first example of cross-compiling outside of Darwin: a Linux host machine builds for an Android target.

Android ~~it doesn't work!~~ **DONE!!**

Windows too?

<https://swiftforwindows.github.io/>



Swift for Windows

Write in Swift, Run on Windows

Originally targeted macOS, iOS, watchOS, & tvOS

With expanded platform support, offers potential “single-language stack” advantages a la Node

So what's it like, man?





How many macOS / iOS users do we have here?

How many macOS / iOS *developers* do we have?

The dirty little secret of developing for Apple

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From *In The Beginning* *Was The Command Line* by Neal Stephenson

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During the late 1980's and early 1990's I spent a lot of time programming Macintoshes, and eventually decided to fork over several hundred dollars for an Apple product called the Macintosh Programmer's Workshop, or MPW. MPW had competitors, but it was unquestionably the premier software development system for the Mac. It was what Apple's own engineers used to write Macintosh code. Given that MacOS was far more technologically advanced, at the time, than its competition, and that Linux did not even exist yet, and given that this was the actual program used by Apple's world-class team of creative engineers, I had high expectations. It arrived on a stack of floppy disks about a foot high, and so there was plenty of time for my excitement to build during the endless installation process. The first time I launched MPW, I was probably expecting some kind of touch-feely multimedia showcase. Instead it was austere, almost to the point of being intimidating.

Weird Pascal-based naming & calling conventions

HANDLES?!?

ObjectiveC's “syntax”

Swift is the Mac of Apple
programming languages





Comments

```
// this is a comment
```

Comments

```
/* this is a  
multi-line  
comment */
```

Comments

```
/* this is a  
/* _nested_  
multi-line comment, */  
which is cool! */
```

Variables

```
var foo = 1  
var bar: Int  
var baz = "whee!"
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Variables

```
let bar = 1  
bar += 1  
// ^^ compile time error!
```

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```
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```

```
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```

Variables

```
let bar
```

Variables

```
let bar
```

```
// also a compile time error
```

```
/*
```

You can**NOT** have an uninitialized and untyped variable. You also can't use an uninitialized variable at all

```
*/
```

How friggin' awesome is that?



Operators

Flow Control

```
let n = 1

if n > 1 {
    print("we got a big N here")
}
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Flow Control

```
let arr = [ 1, 2, 3, 4]
var sum = 0

for elem in arr {
    sum += elem
}

// sum now is 10
```

Flow Control

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Flow Control

```
for index in 1 ... 10 {  
    # do something 10 times  
}
```


Flow Control

```
for index in 1 ... 10 {  
    # do something 10 times  
}
```

Flow Control

```
for index in 1 ..< 10 {  
    # do something 9 times  
}
```

Flow Control

```
for index in 1 ..< 10 {  
    # do something 9 times  
}
```

Flow Control

```
var countdown = 5
while countdown > 0 {
    countdown--
}
```

Flow Control

```
var countdown = 5
while countdown > 0 {
    countdown--
}
```

Flow Control

```
var countdown = 5
while countdown > 0 {
    countdown--
}
```

Flow Control

```
var countdown = 5
while countdown > 0 {
    countdown -= 1
}
```

Flow Control

```
var countUp = 0  
repeat {  
    countUp++  
} while countUp < 5
```


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```
var countUp = 0  
repeat {  
    countUp += 1  
} while countUp < 5
```

Flow Control

```
let sample = 2

switch sample {
case 0:
    print("Is 0")

case 2:
    print("Is 2")

default: // mandatory when cases not exclusive
    print("Not 0 or 2, is it.")
}
```

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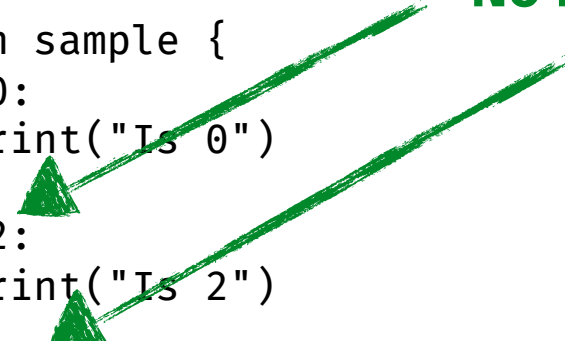
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No fallthru by default!



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Flow Control

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switch sample {
case ("foo", 2):
    print("Is foo, 2")

case ("bar", 1):
    print("Is bar")

default: // mandatory when cases not exclusive
    print(" ~\\_(ツ)_/~ ")
}
```

Flow Control

```
let sample = ("foo", 2)
```

```
switch sample {  
case ("foo", 3):  
    print("Is foo, 3")
```

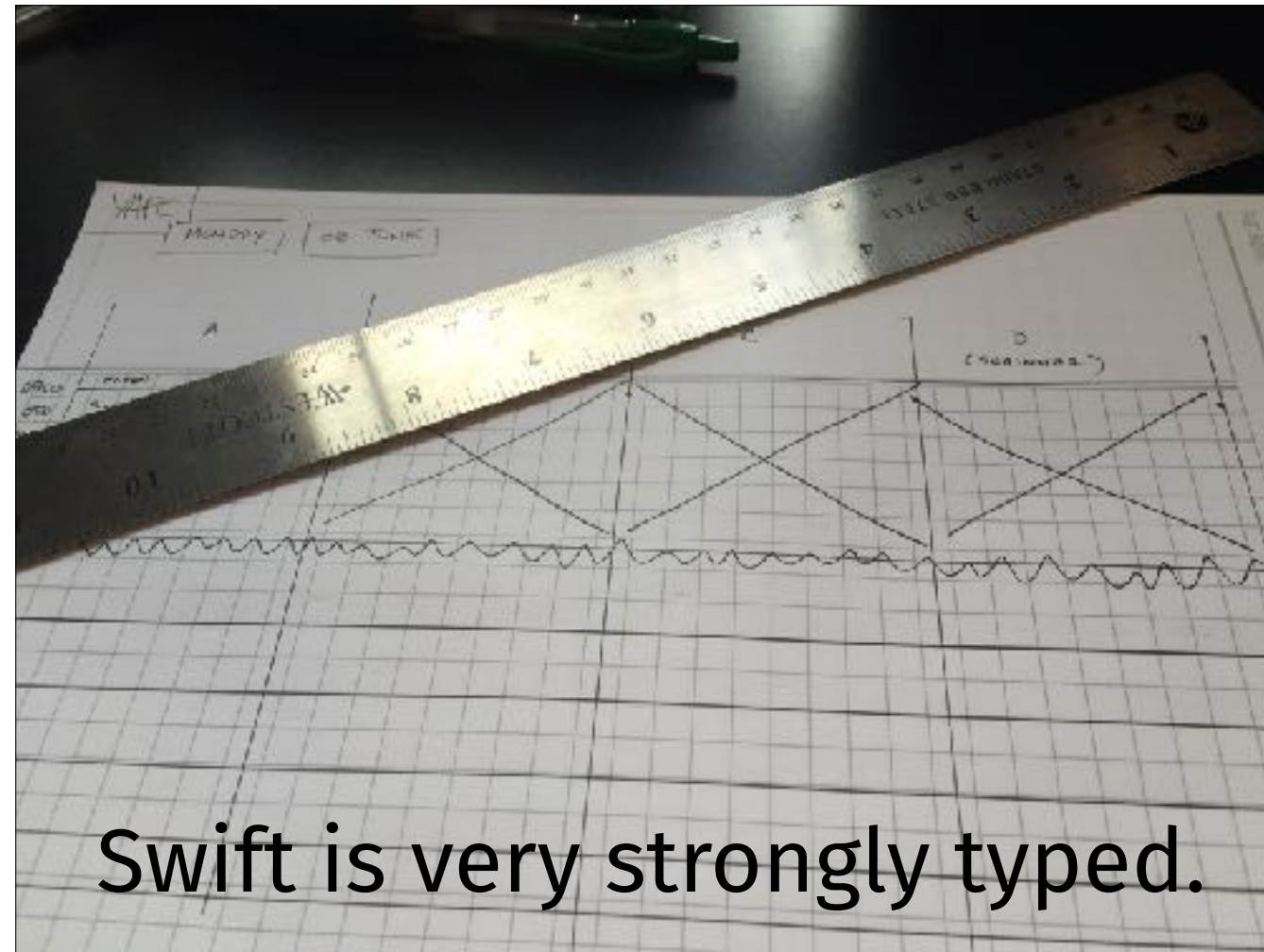
```
case (let one, let two):  
    print("Is \ \(one) and \ \(two)")  
}
```

Flow Control

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switch sample {
case ("foo", 3):
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Swift is very strongly typed.

Typing

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var bar: Int // bar is an uninit'd Int

var baz = Int()

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```
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Optional Types

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// When a variable may not have a value  
var bar: Int?
```

```
// test  
if bar != nil {  
    // has a value  
}
```

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if-var

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if var foo = bar {
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Types of Variables

Tuples

```
let tuple = ("foo", 42)
```

```
let first = tuple.0 // "foo"
```

```
let labeledTuple = (one: "foo", two: 42)
```

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var strs : [String]

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// error unless specifically
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Dictionary

```
let capitalCityStates = [  
    "Salem": "Oregon",  
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    "Topeka": "Kansas"  
]  
  
// capitalCityStates has type  
// [String:String]
```

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```

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let capitalCityStates = [  
    "Salem": "Oregon",  
    "Jeff City": 2,  
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]  
  
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// annotated with type  
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```


Sets

```
var petSet :Set = [ "cat", "dog",  
                    "fish", "dog"]
```

```
petSet.count // returns 3
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"HELLO
WORLD!"

Functions

Functions

```
func obExample () {  
    print("Hello, KCDC!")  
}
```

```
// call like:  
obExample()
```

Functions

```
func obExample (who :String) {  
    print("Hello, \(who)!")  
}
```

```
// call like  
obExample(who: "KCDC 2017")
```

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}
```

```
// call like  
obExample(who: "KCDC 2017")
```

Functions

```
func obExample (who :String) -> String {  
    return "Hello, \(who)!"  
}
```

```
// call like  
let greets = obExample(who: "KCDC")
```

```
// greets == "Hello, KCDC"
```

Functions

```
func obExample (who :String) -> String {  
    return "Hello, \(who)!"  
}
```

```
// call like  
let greets = obExample(who: "KCDC")  
  
// greets == "Hello, KCDC"
```

Functions

```
func obExample (who :String = "Swift") -> String {  
    return "Hello, \(who)!"  
}  
  
// call like  
let greets = obExample(who:"KCDC")  
// "Hello, KCDC!"  
  
let defGreets = obExample()  
// "Hello, Swift!"
```

Functions

```
func obExample (who :String = "Swift") -> String {  
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}  
  
// call like  
let greets = obExample(who:"KCDC")  
// "Hello, KCDC!"  
  
let defGreets = obExample()  
// "Hello, Swift!"
```

Functions

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}
```

```
// call like
```

```
let greets = obExample(who:"KCDC")
```

```
// "Hello, KCDC!"
```

```
let defGreets = obExample()
```

```
// "Hello, Swift!"
```

Functions

```
func obExample (who :String = "Swift") -> String {  
    return "Hello, \(who)!"  
}
```

```
// call like  
let greets = obExample(who:"KCDC")  
// "Hello, KCDC!"
```

```
let defGreets = obExample()  
// "Hello, Swift!"
```

Functions

```
func obExample (what :String = "Hello",  
               who them :String = "Swift") {  
    print("\(what), \(them)!")  
}  
  
// call like  
obExample(what: "bye") // "bye, Swift!"  
obExample(what: "bye", who: "Felicia") // "bye, Felicia!"
```


Functions

```
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}  
  
// call like  
obExample(what: "bye") // "bye, Swift!"  
obExample(what: "bye", who: "Felicia") // "bye, Felicia!"
```

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**This is already the func sig for
sorted(by:)!**

Closures

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OOP is also
well supported

Classes

```
class Dog {  
  
}
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```
class Dog {  
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just variable declarations inside the class

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Class 'Dog' has no initializers

...because you're not allowed to have uninitialized properties.

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```
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    init (name: String) {  
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    deinit () {  
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        set {  
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        self.name = name  
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Enumerations

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enum OpenSourceConfs {  
    case KCDC  
    case OpenWest  
  
    func describe() -> String {  
        switch self {  
            case .KCDC:  
                return "Hello Kansas City!"  
            case .OpenWest:  
                return "Hello Salt Lake City!"  
        }  
    }  
}  
  
var conf = OpenSourceConfs.KCDC  
conf.describe()
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enums provide a constrained set of enumerated values

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    case KCDC(String)  
    case OpenWest  
  
    func describe() -> String {  
        switch self {  
            case .KCDC(let location):  
                return "Hello \(location)!"  
            case .OpenWest:  
                return "Hello Salt Lake City!"  
        }  
    }  
}  
  
var conf = OpenSourceConfs.KCDC("Olathe")  
conf.describe()
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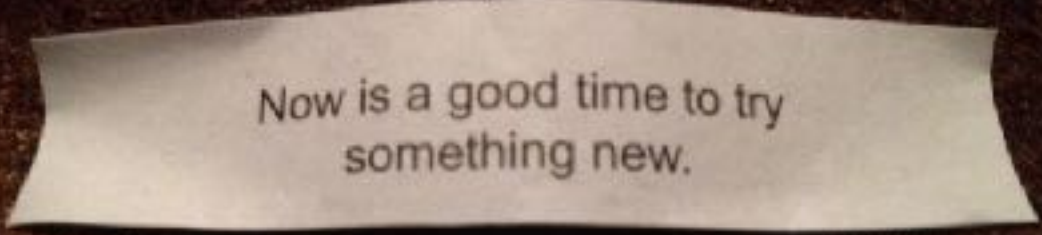
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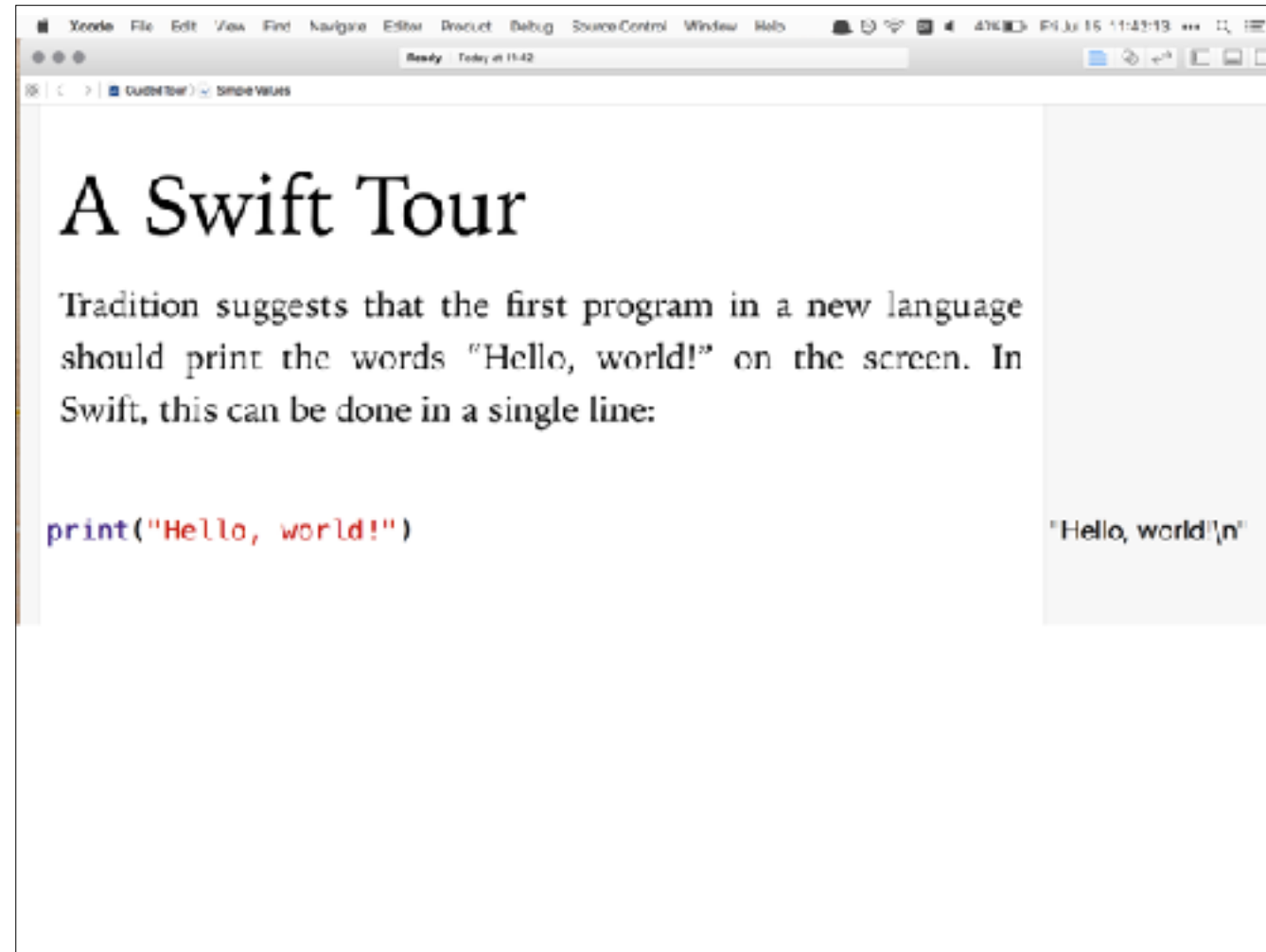
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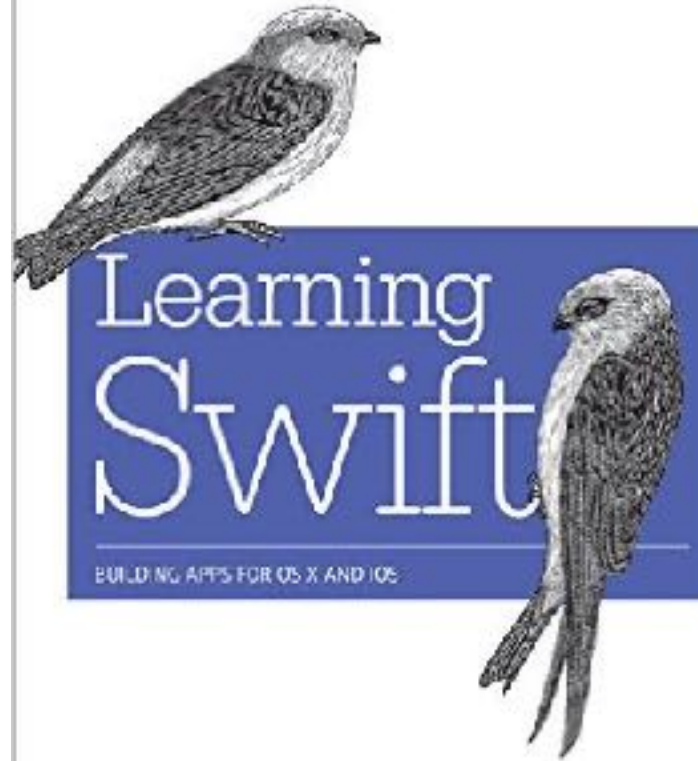
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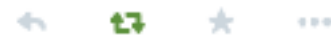


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