

FRAMEWORK ORIENTED PROGRAMMING

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NSBUDAPEST





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CONTEXT

Before 2008

OSX - 1 TARGET

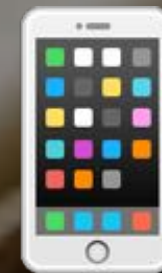


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2008



LAUNCHES IPHONE SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT KIT



(Developers move to iOS. New platform, frameworks,... New exciting area)

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After 2008



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CONTEXT

2011

COCOAPODS RELEASED

Dependency Resolving + Integration + Community 🎉

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X TARGETS (EXTERNAL)



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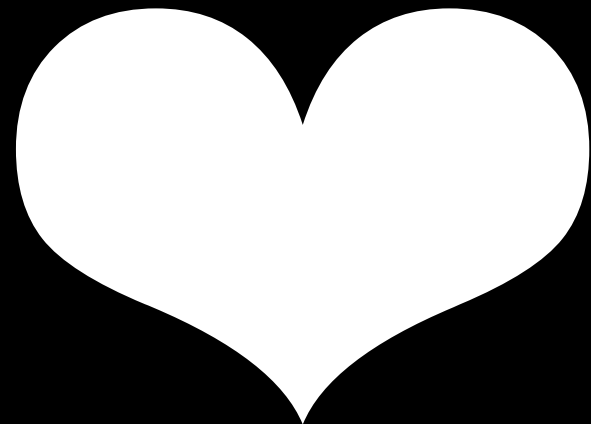
- 1 TARGET

HOW TO REUSE CODE?

(ACROSS PLATFORMS)

Frameworks



SWIFT 
DYNAMIC FRAMEWORKS

EMBEDDED RESOURCES

(IMAGES, FONTS, ...)

DYNAMICALLY LINKED
(NO DUPLICATED SYMBOLS)

SWIFT CODE

FRAMEWORK ORIENTED PROGRAMMING

Reusable & platform independent code

GITHUB

An aerial photograph of a city, likely Los Angeles, with a large white star painted on the ground. The star is centered in the upper half of the image. The city's grid pattern is visible below the star. The text is overlaid on the image.

BEST PRACTICES

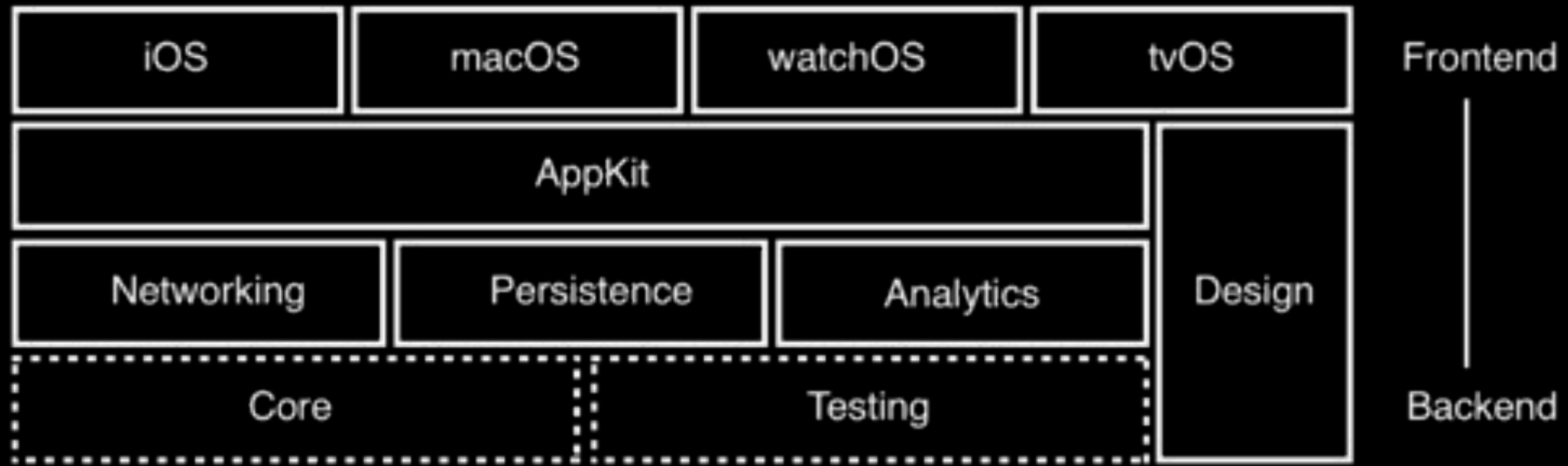
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ADVICES

EXAMPLES

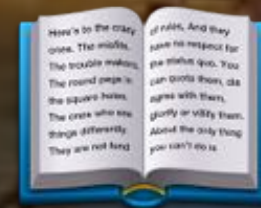
FRAMEWORKS STACK

SoundCloud Approach



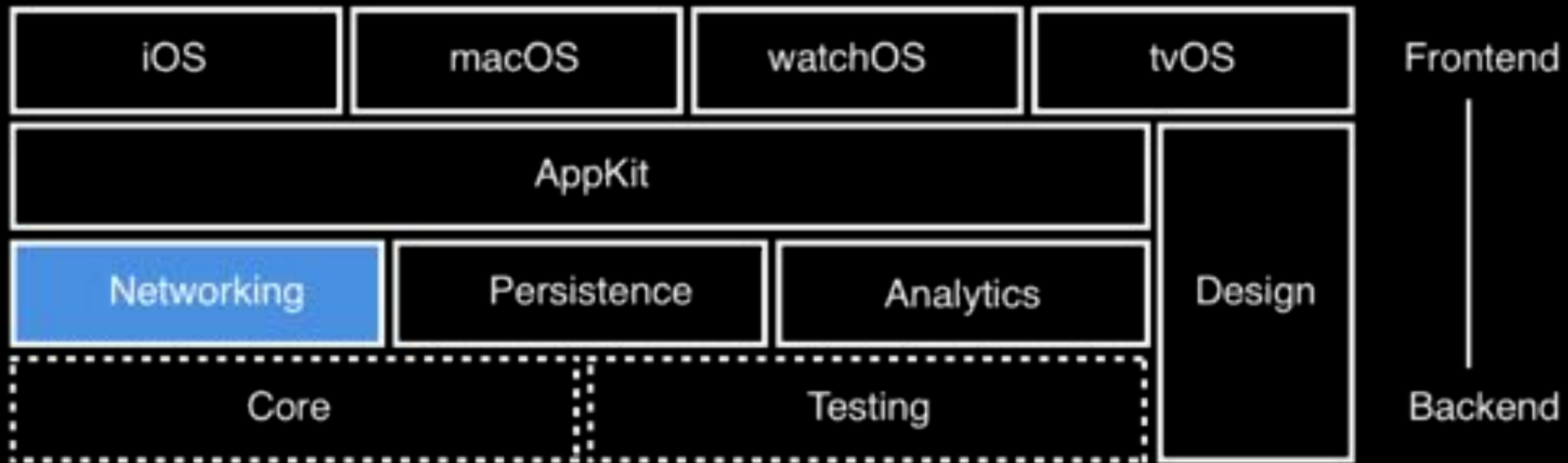
PRINCIPLES

Some theory



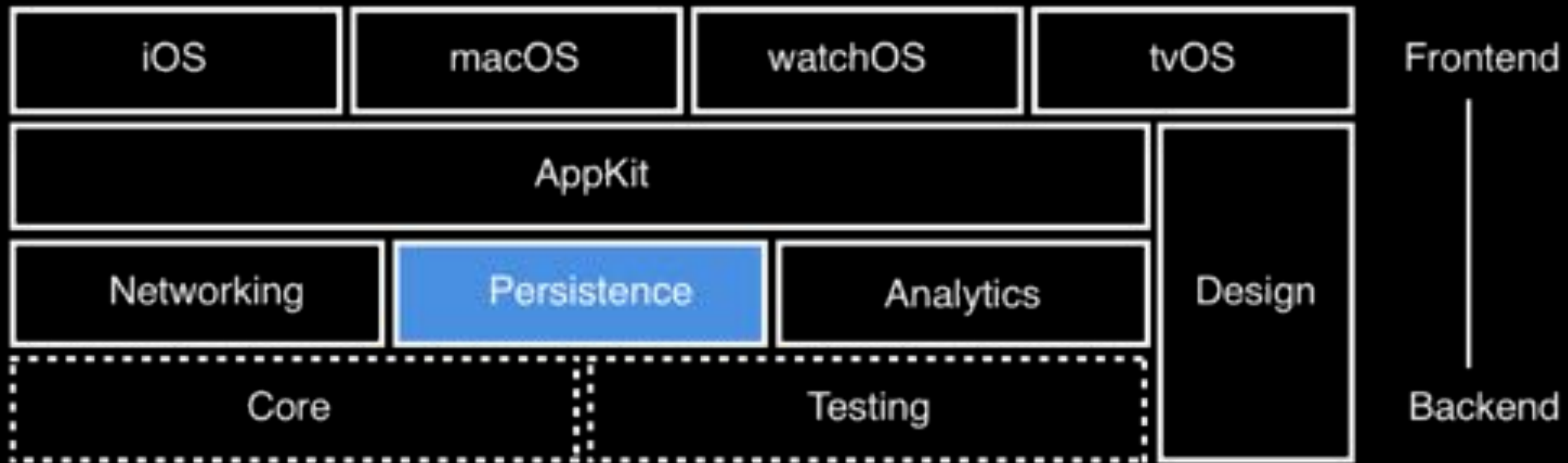
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SOLID INSPIRED



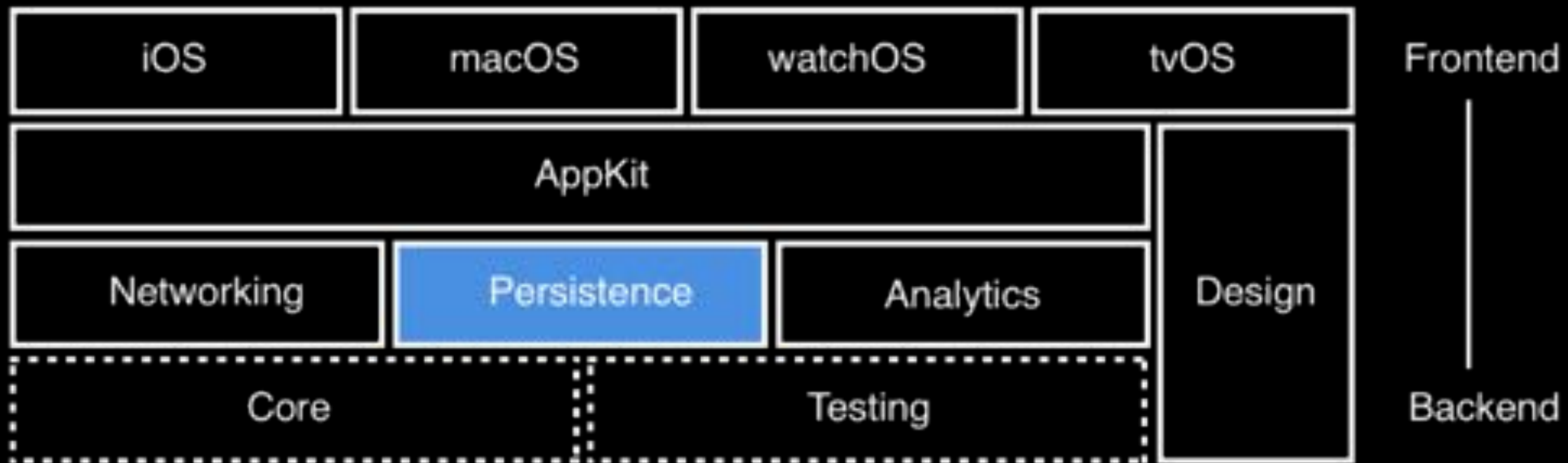
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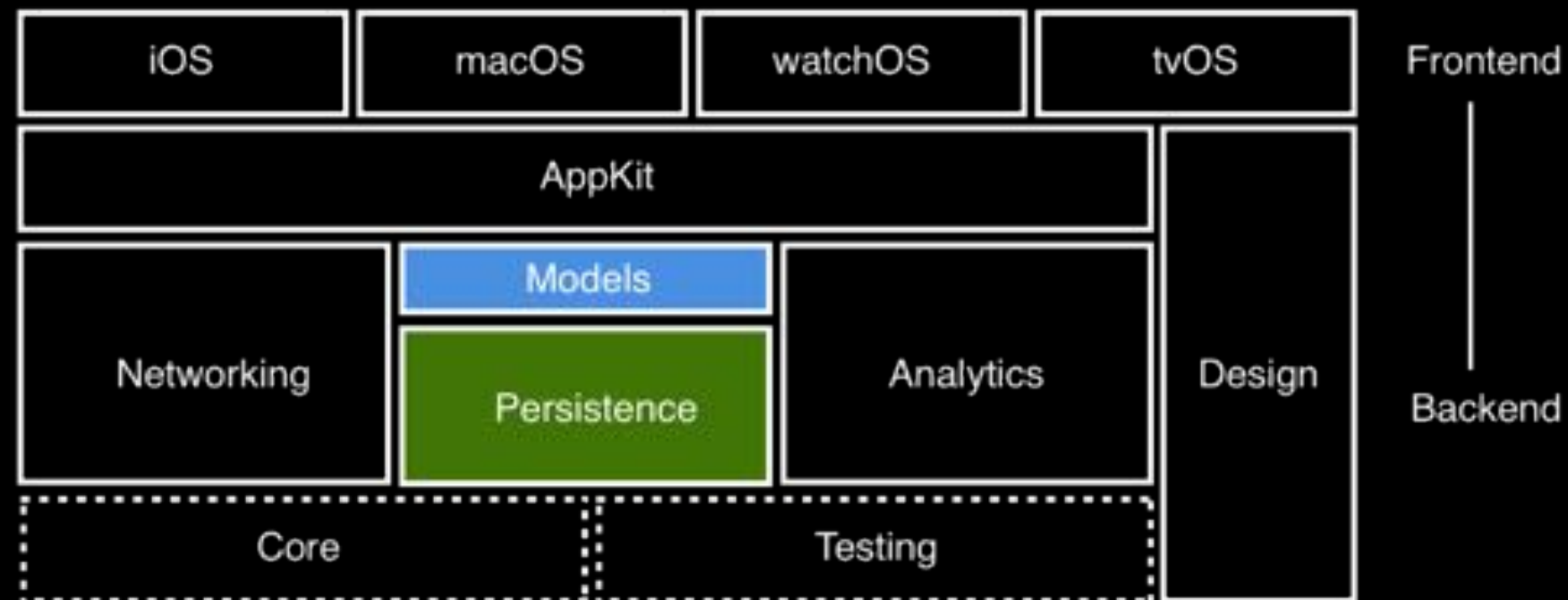
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START FROM A HIGH LEVEL



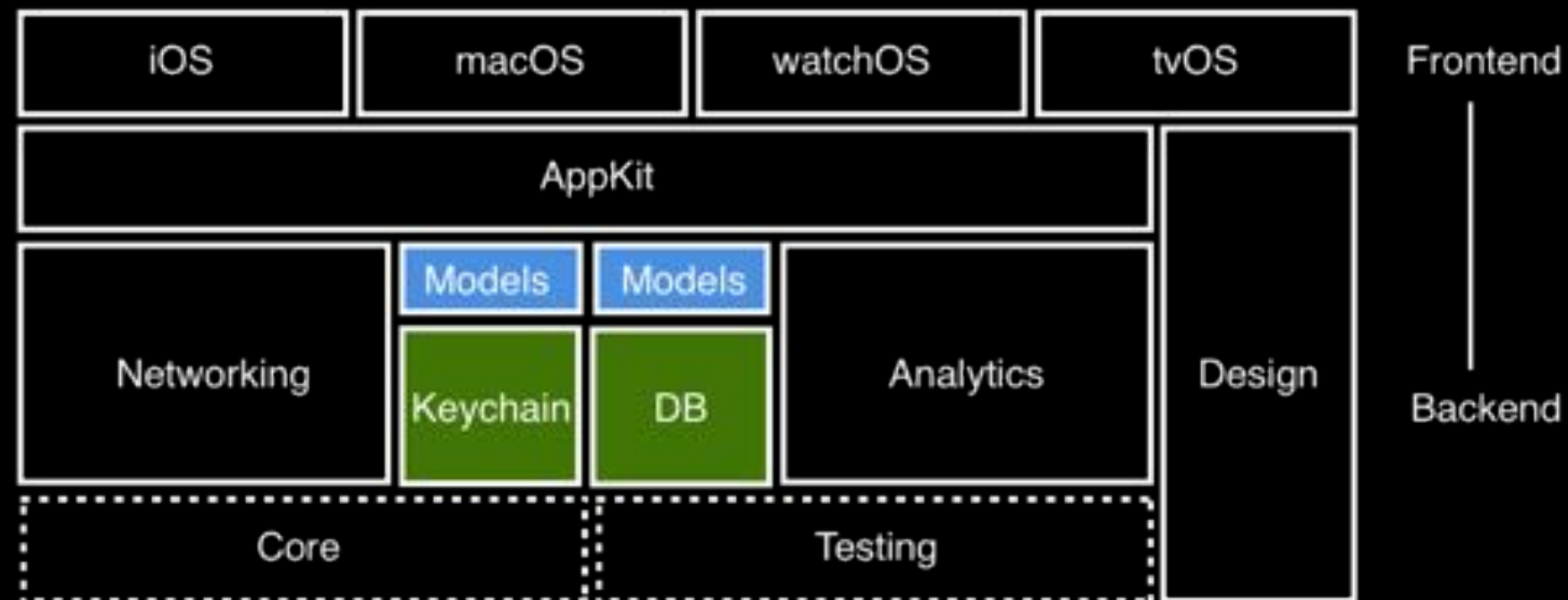
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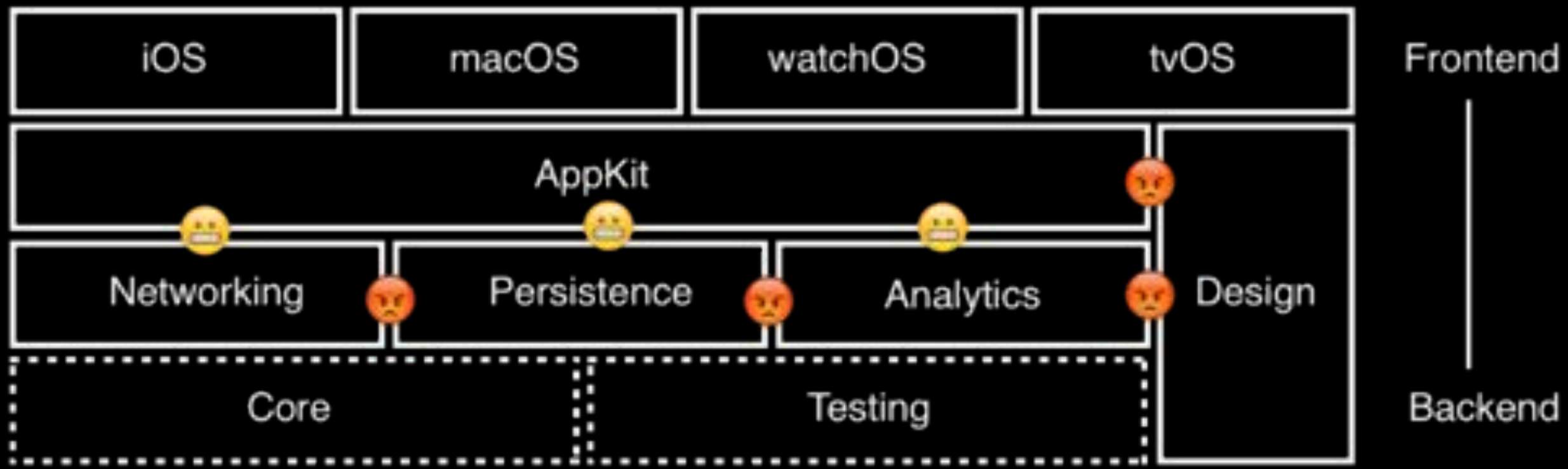
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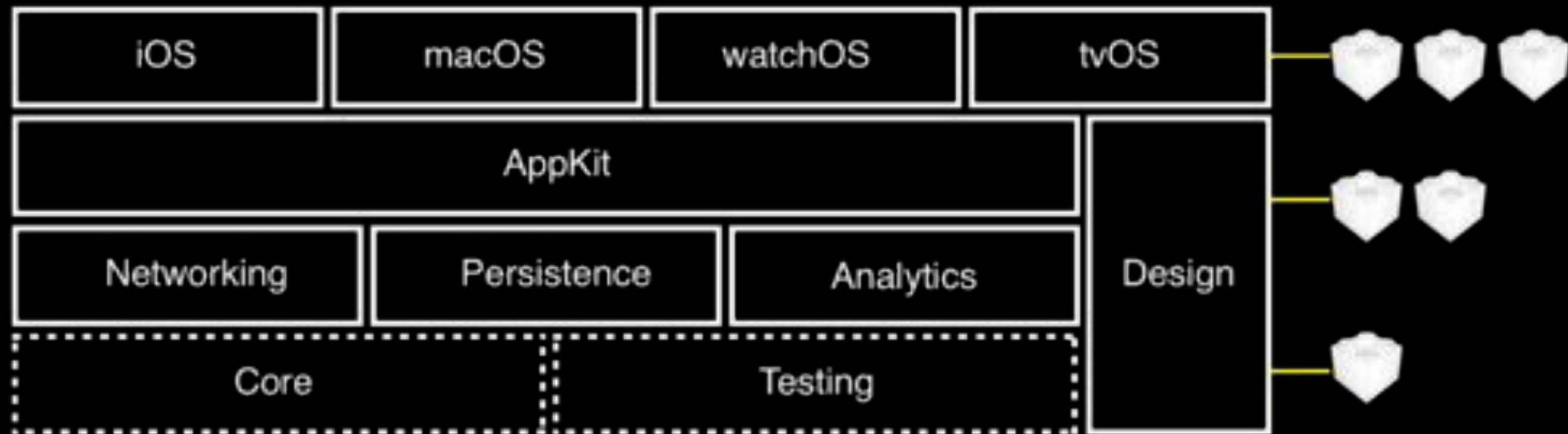
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(OVER HORIZONTAL)

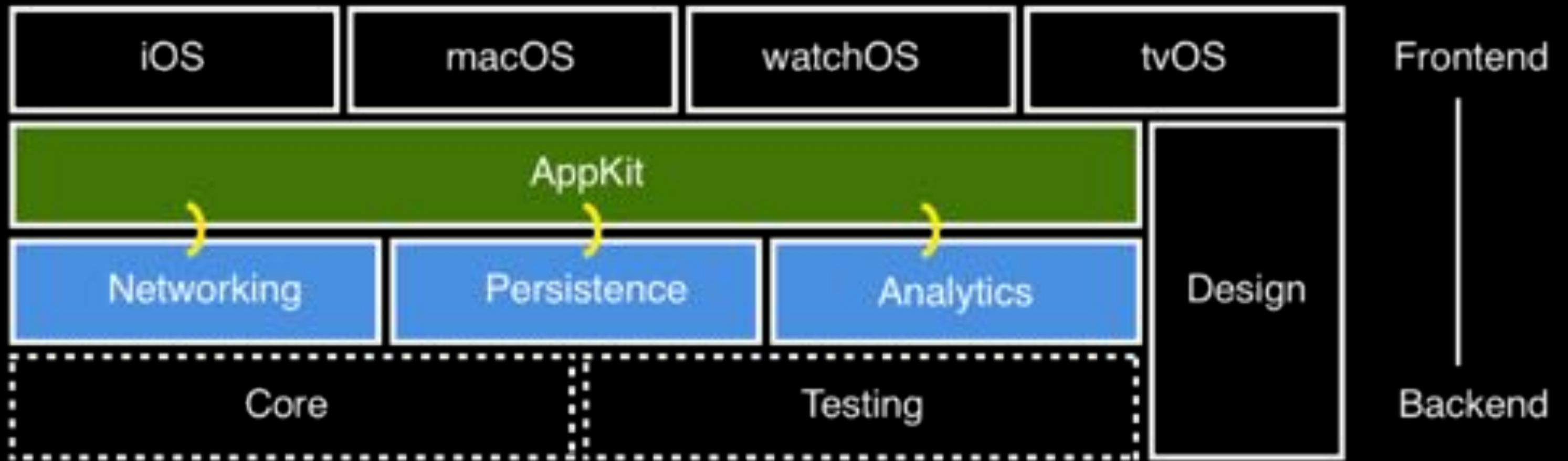


3. LOWER IN THE STACK

FEWER EXTERNAL DEPENDENCIES



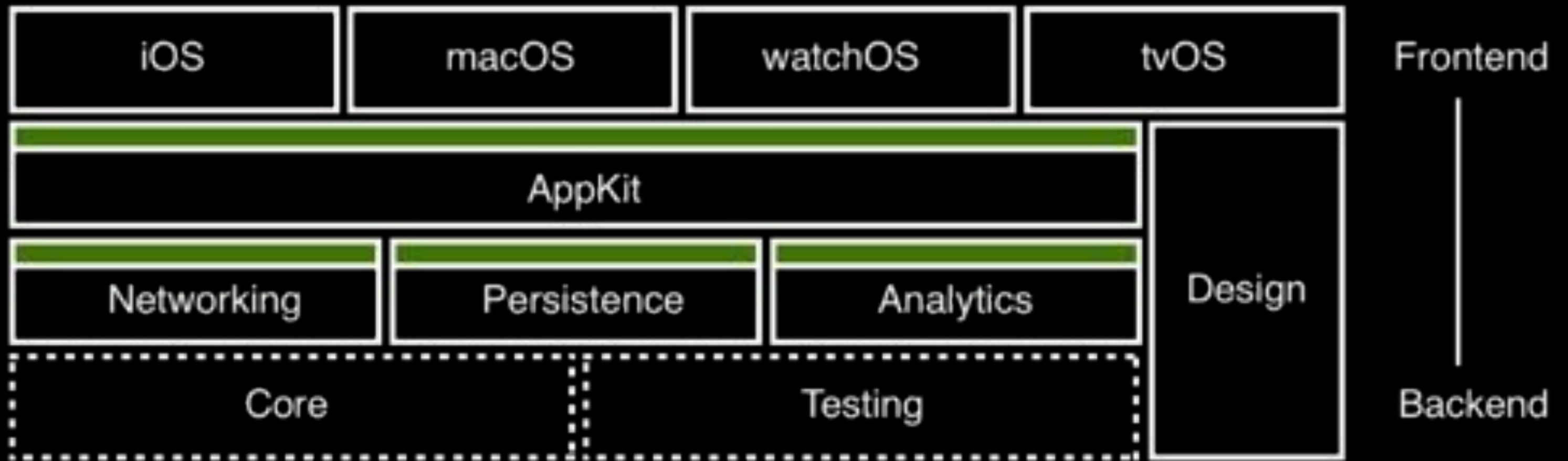
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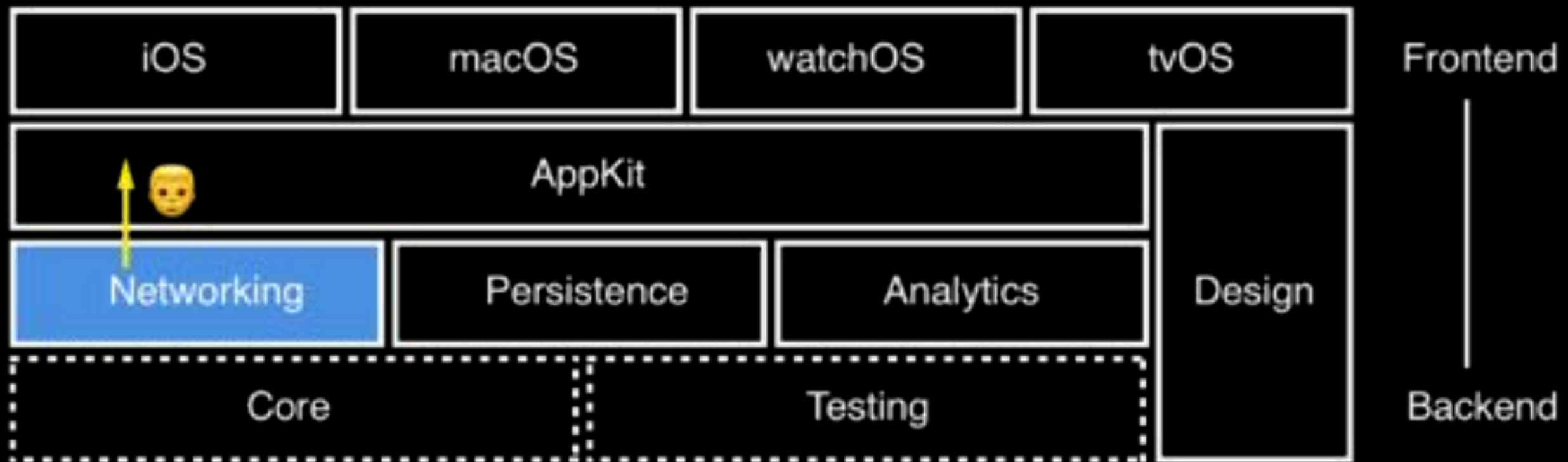


5. INTERNAL BY DEFAULT



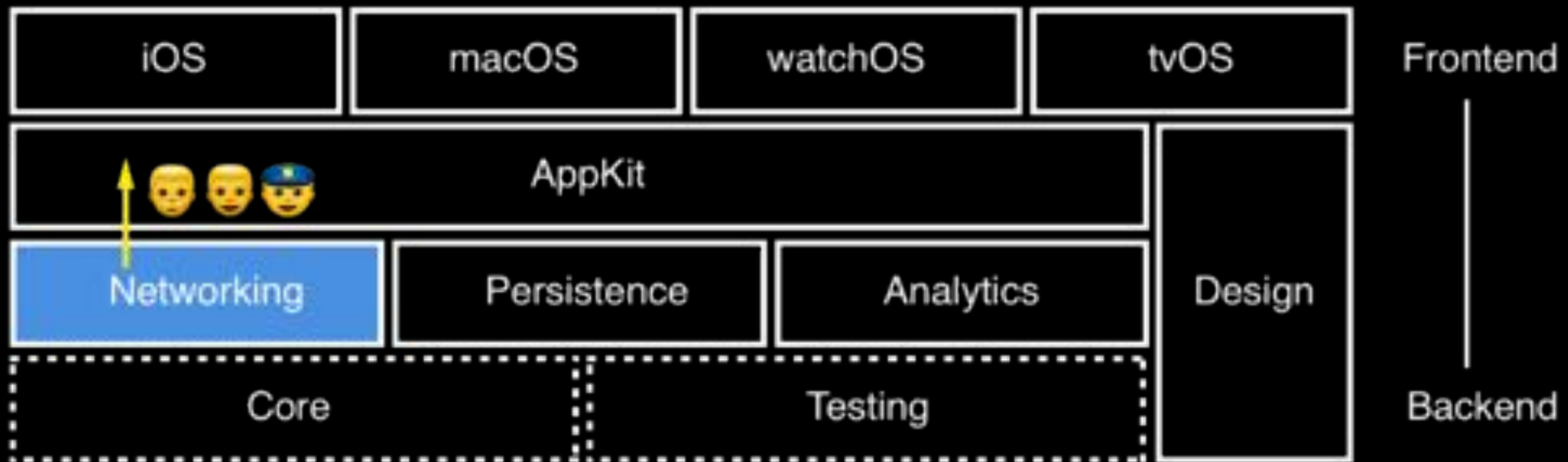
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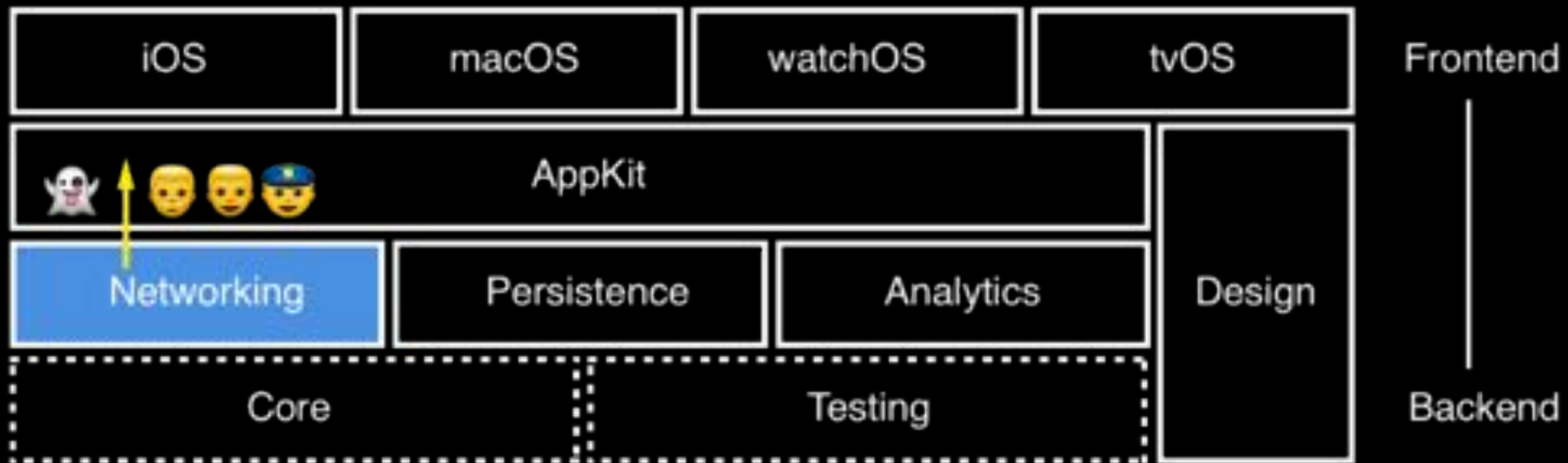
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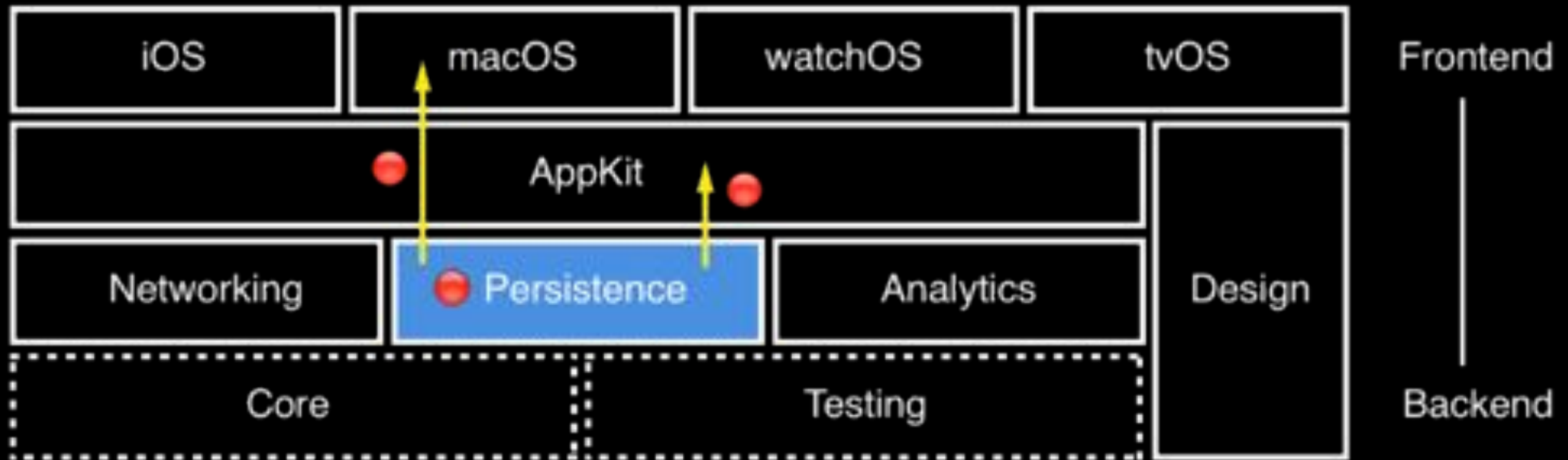
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```
final class Person {  
    let name: String  
}
```

```
class Alien: Person { // Compiler complains  
}
```

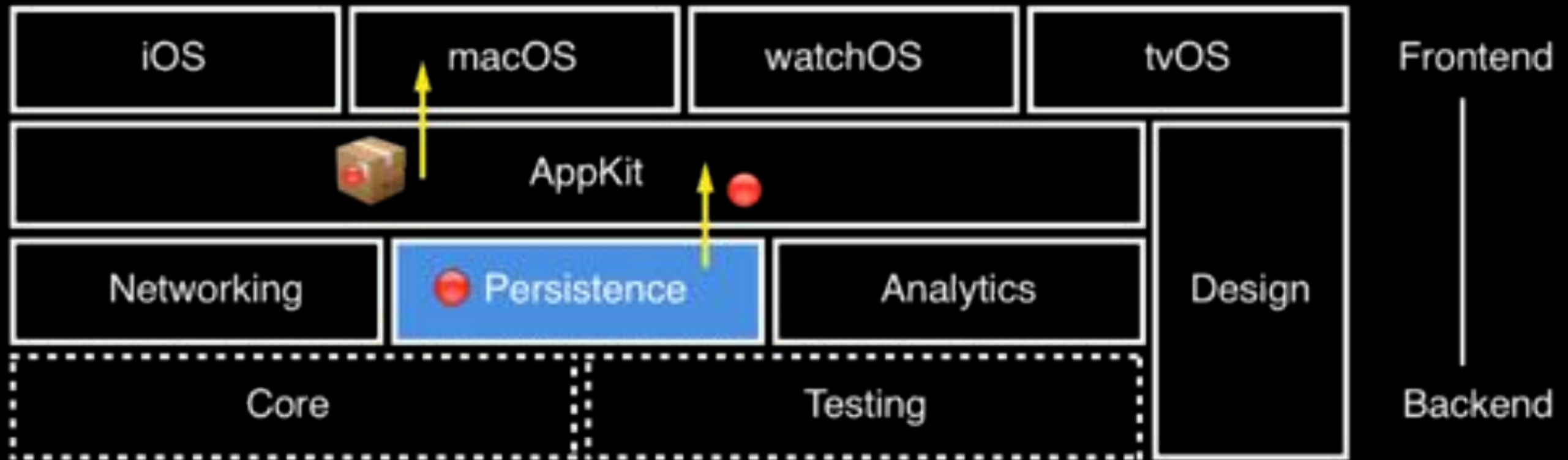
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```
// Persistence
class Author: NSManagedObjectModel {
    let name: String
}
class Track: NSManagedObjectModel {
    let author: Author
}

// ListenersKit
struct StreamTrackEntity {
    let name: String
    let authorName: String
}
```

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```
struct StreamTrackEntityAdapter {  
    func adapt(track: Track) -> StreamTrackEntity {  
        return StreamTrackEntity(name: track.name, authorName: track.author.name)  
    }  
}
```

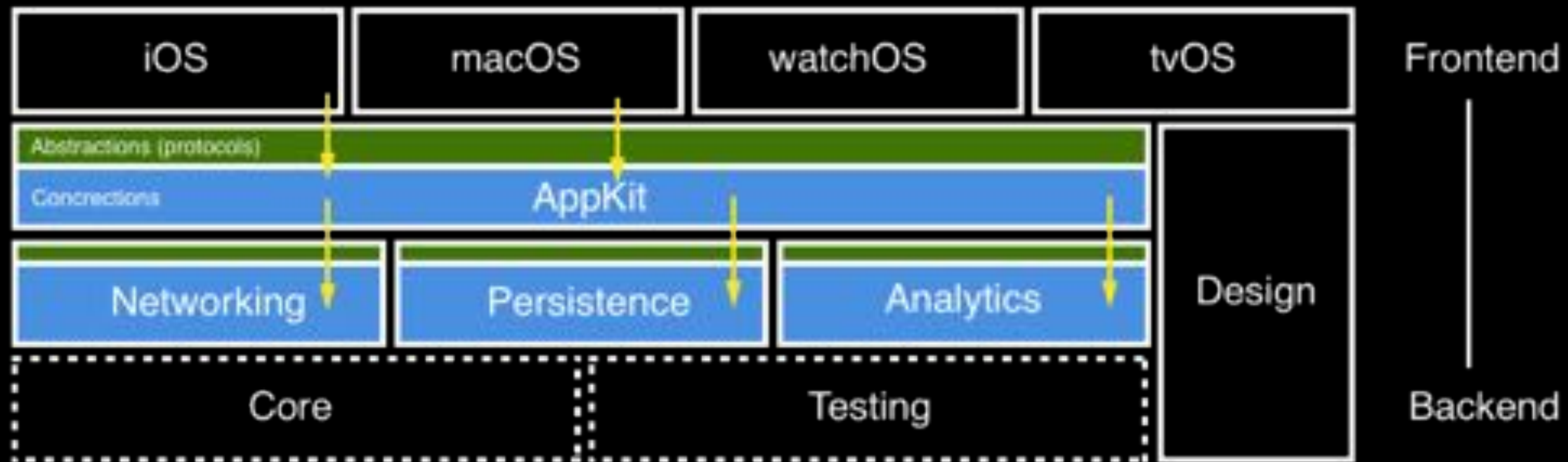
8. PLATFORM ABSTRACTION

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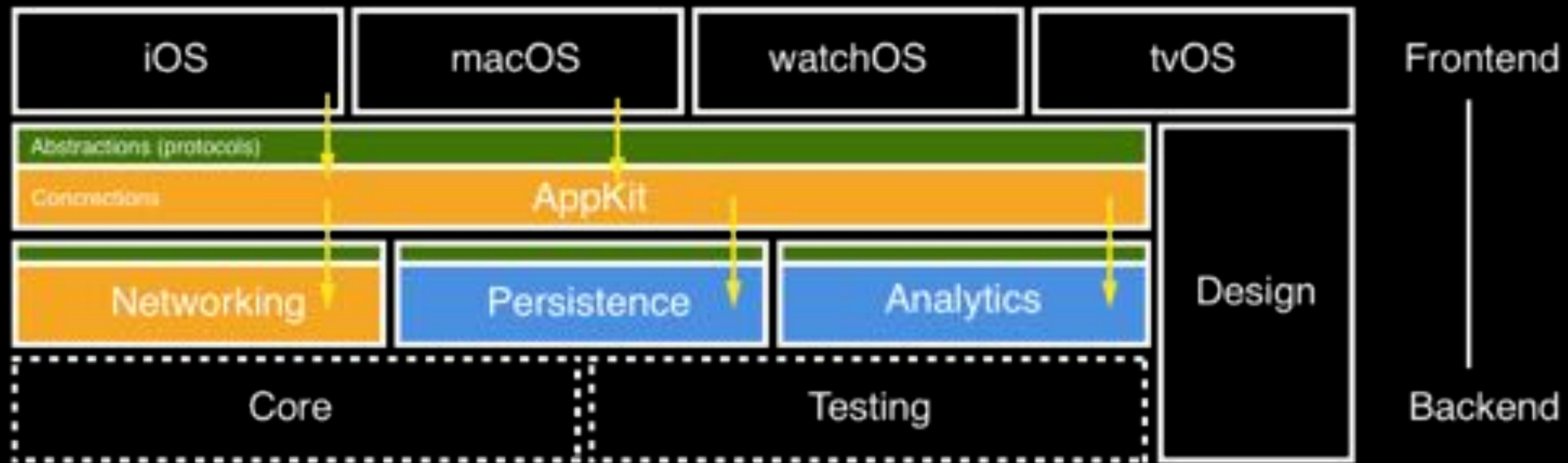
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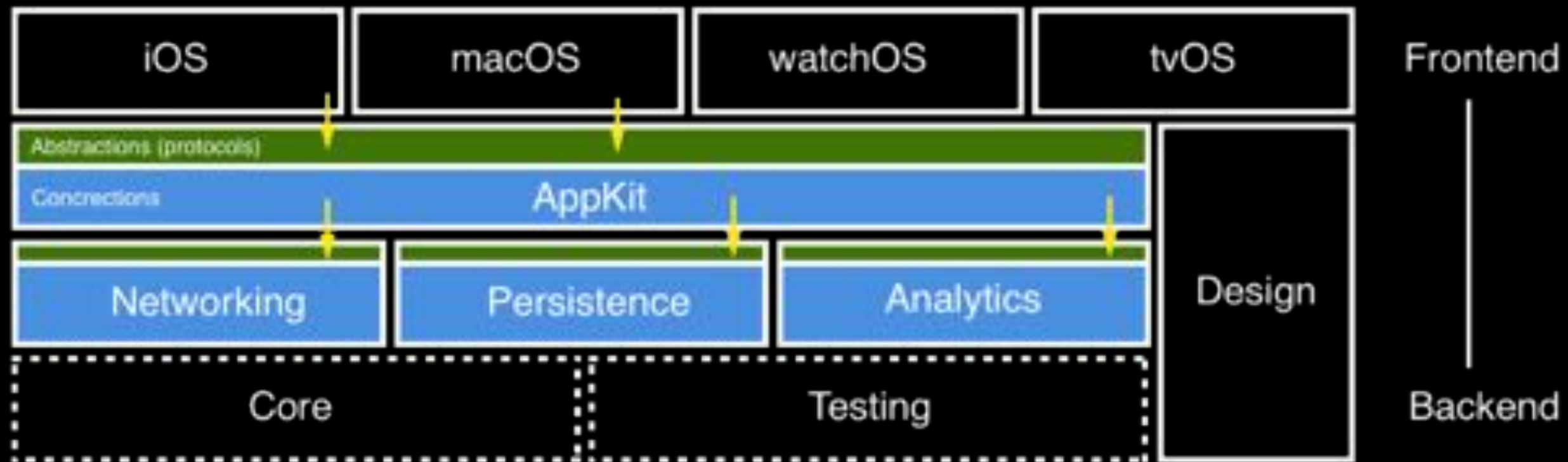
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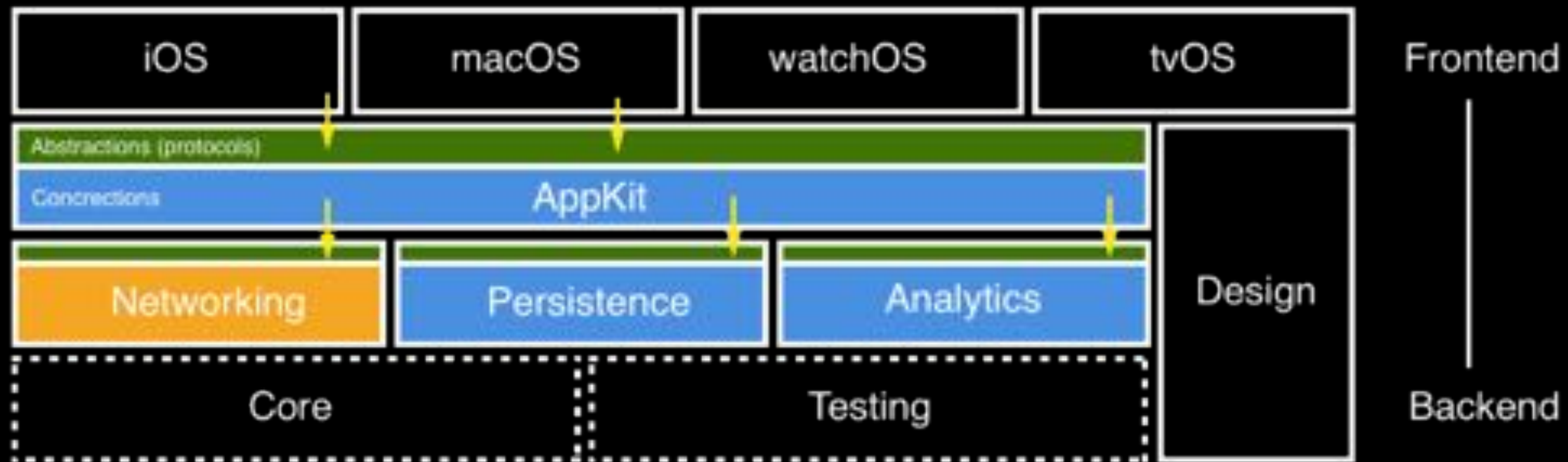
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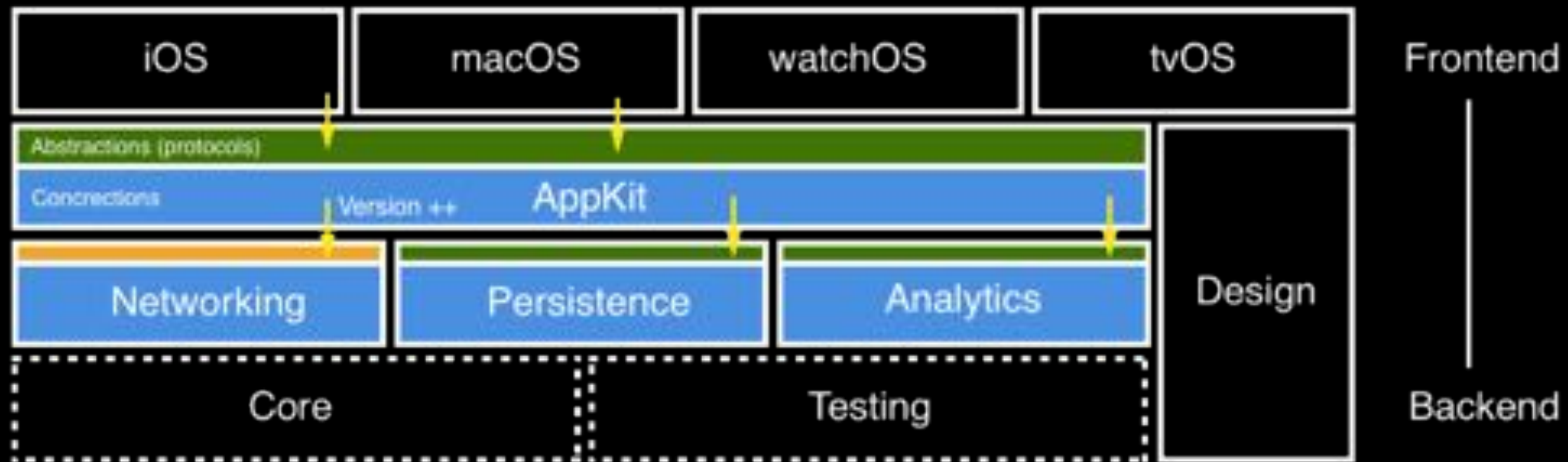
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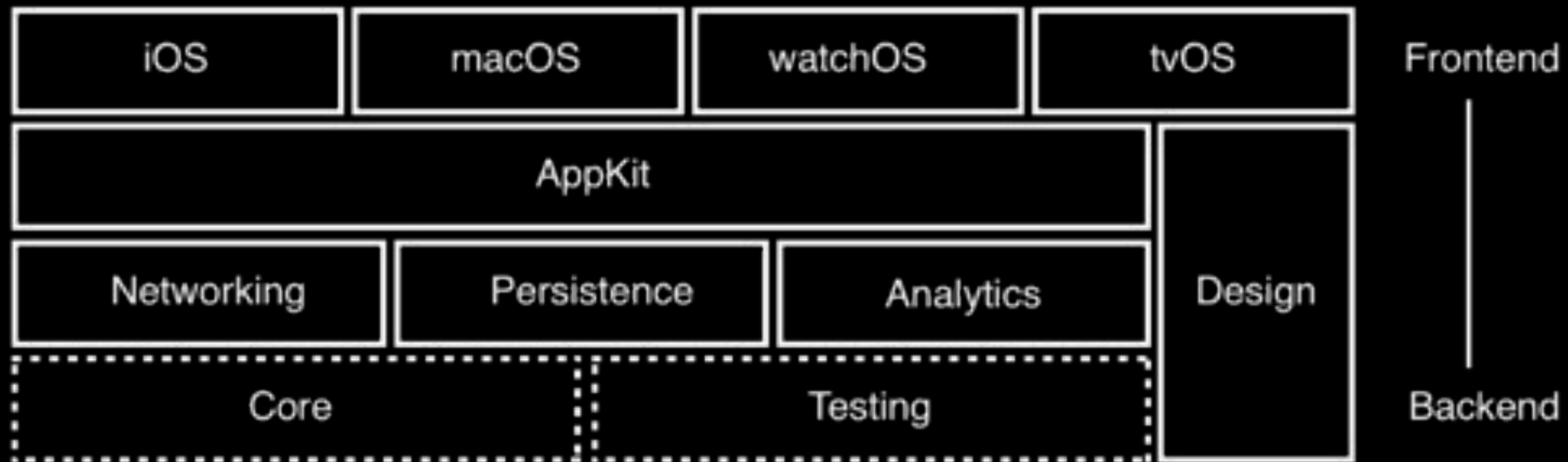
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10. CORE/TESTING

(AKA YOUR PROJECT FOUNDATION FRAMEWORKS)



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- ▶ Extensions
 - ▶ Logging
 - ▶ Analytics
- ▶ Architectural components (e.g. Reactive)



ADVANTAGES

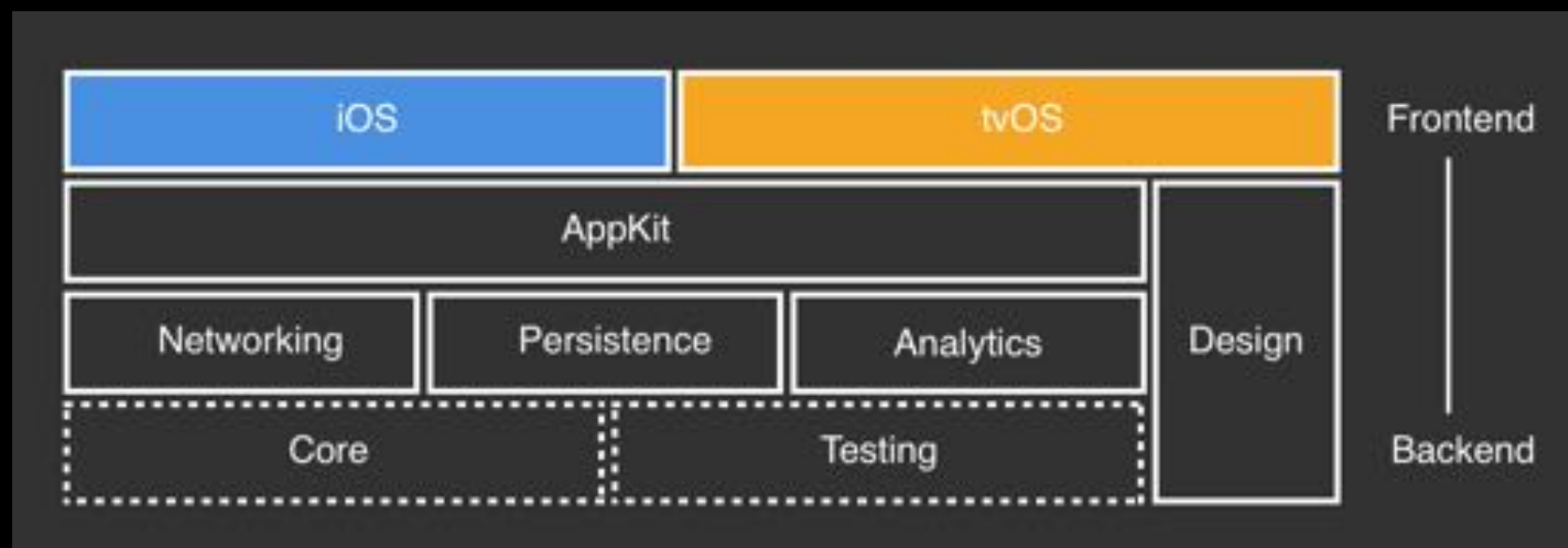
MULTIPLATFORM APPS

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EXPERIMENTATION

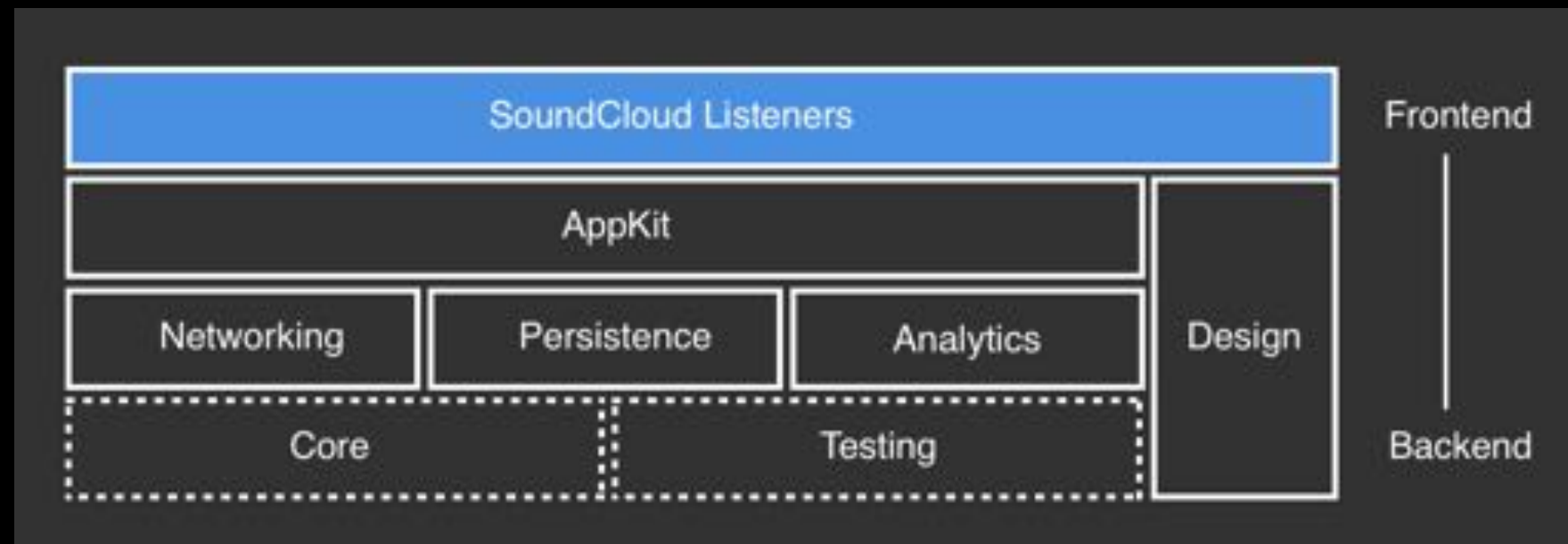
- ▶ Prototyping
- ▶ Playgrounds

```
import MyAppKit
requestFactory.request(path: "/myPath/").subscribeNext { response in
    // yai!
}
```

NEW PRODUCTS

With similar core needs

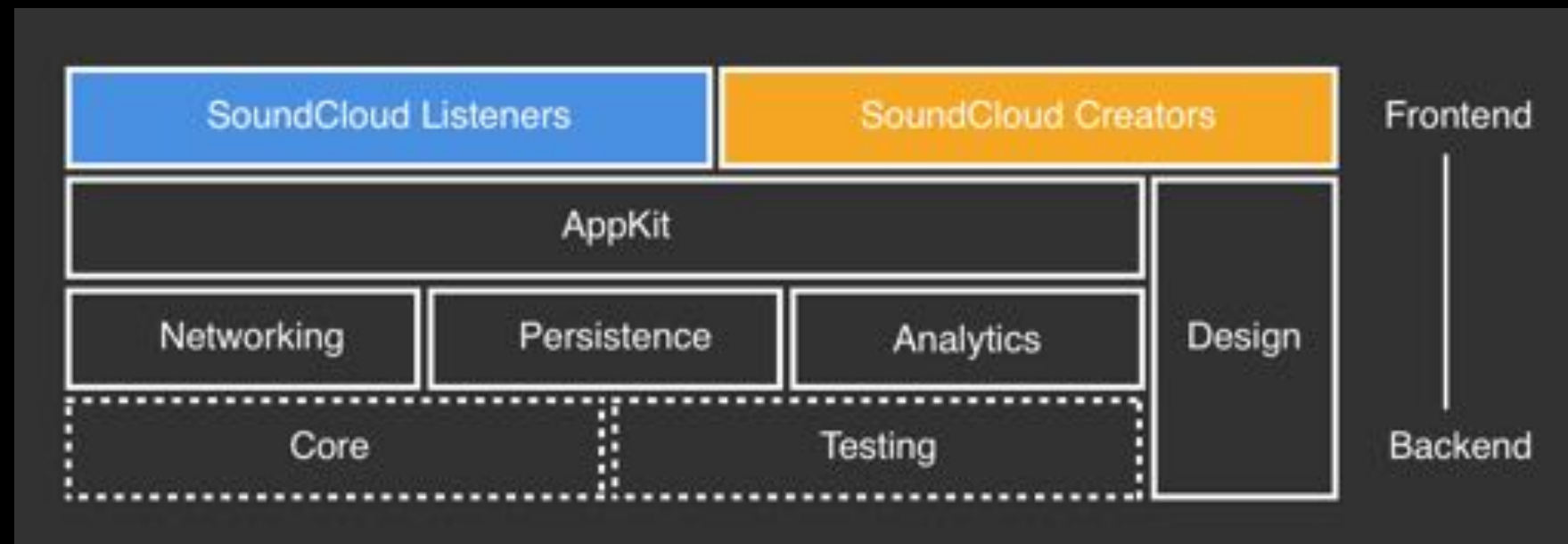
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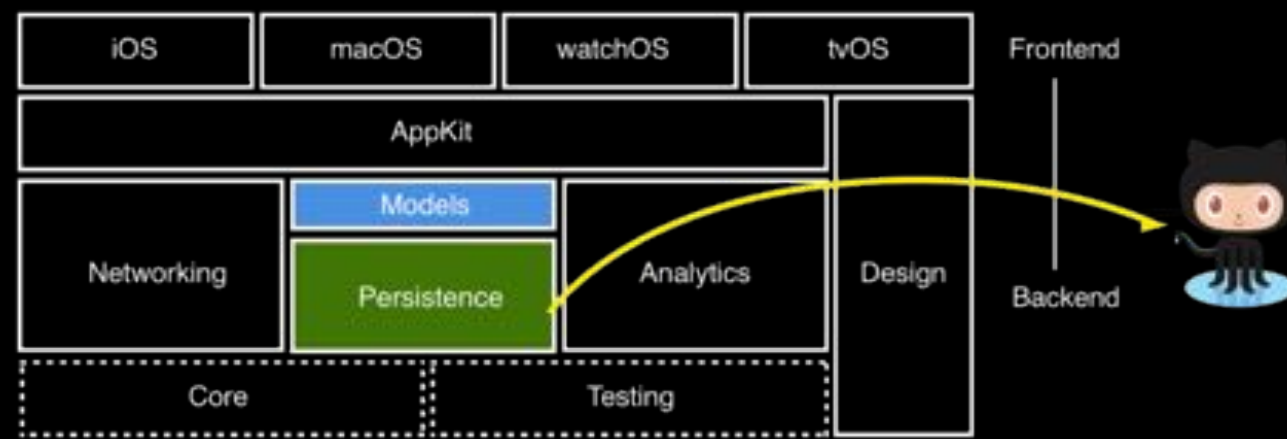
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OPEN SOURCE

And benefit from the community

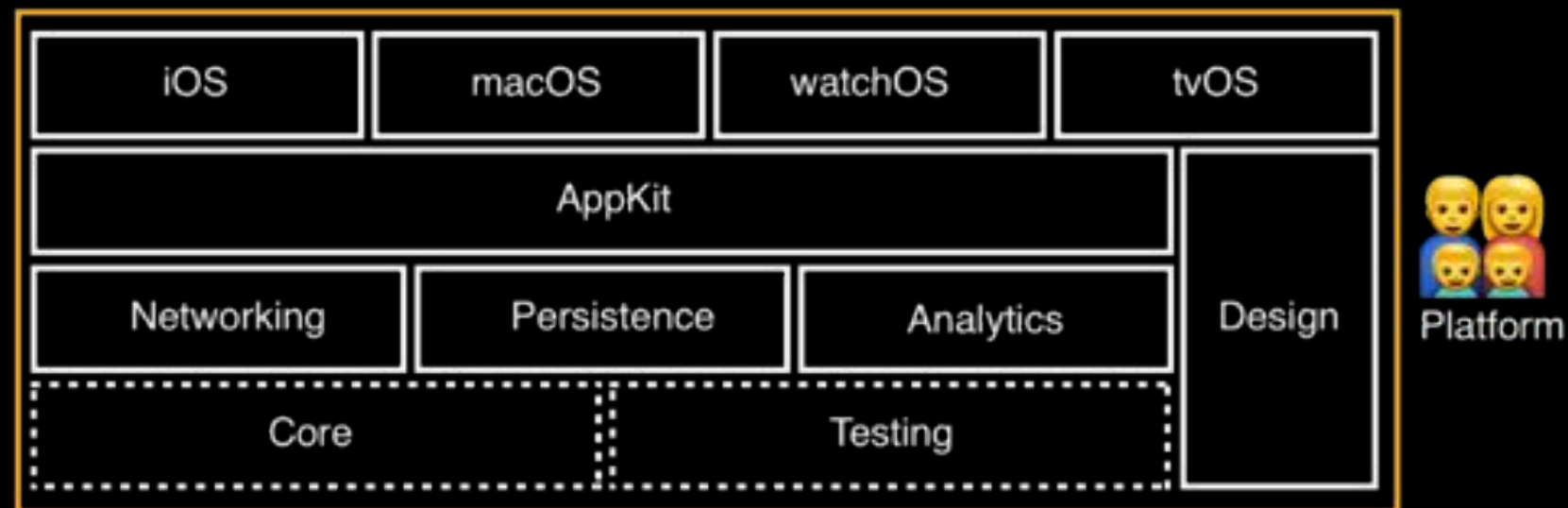
BUILD PIECES OF CODE THAT YOU'D BE PROUD OF OPEN SOURCING



SPECIALIZED TEAMS

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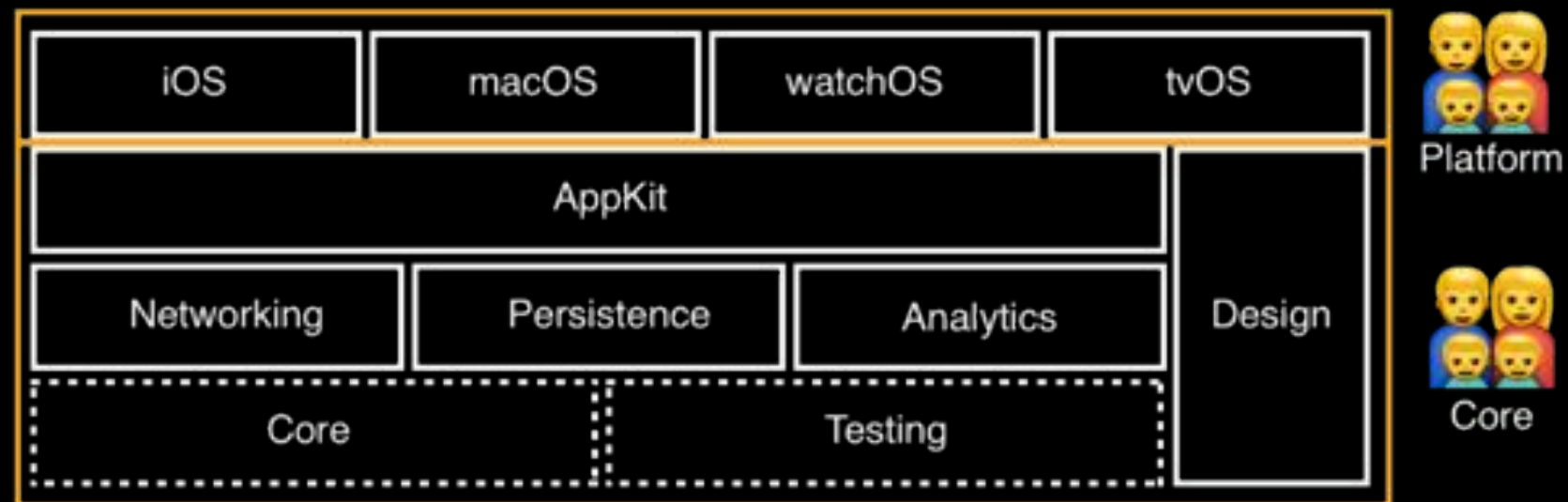
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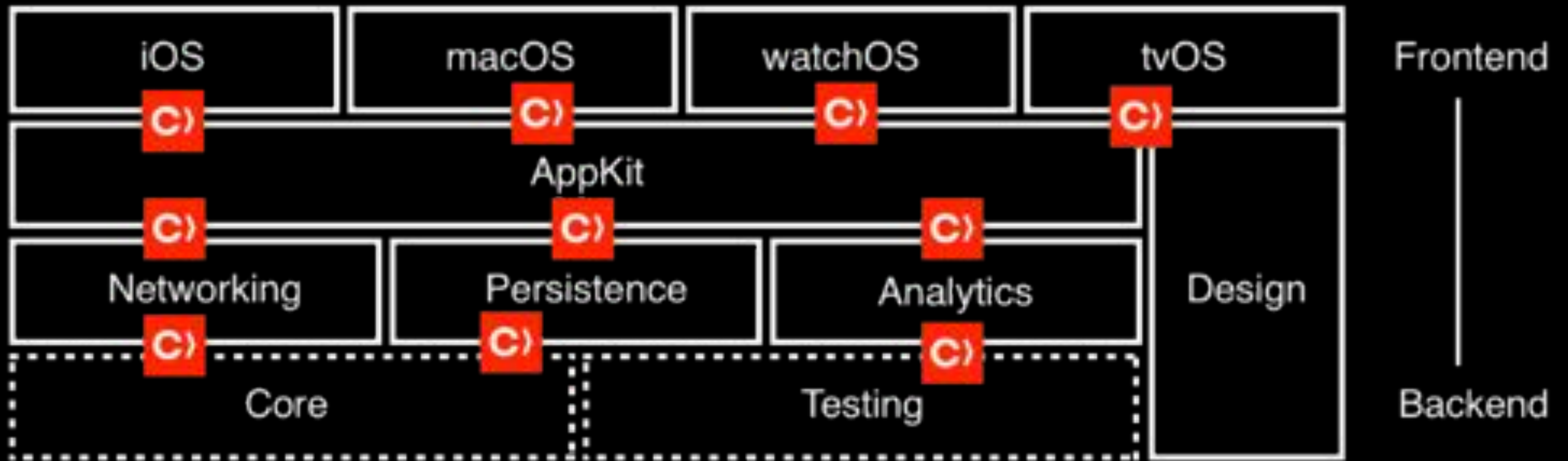
HOW TO?



There are multiple options

(I'LL SHOW YOU SOME)




CocoaPods



CocoaPods

- ▶  Easy setup (each Framework .podspec)
- ▶  Same setup for local/external dependencies
 - ▶  It sucks if you don't version
- ▶  Fully frameworks approach (load time)

Manual

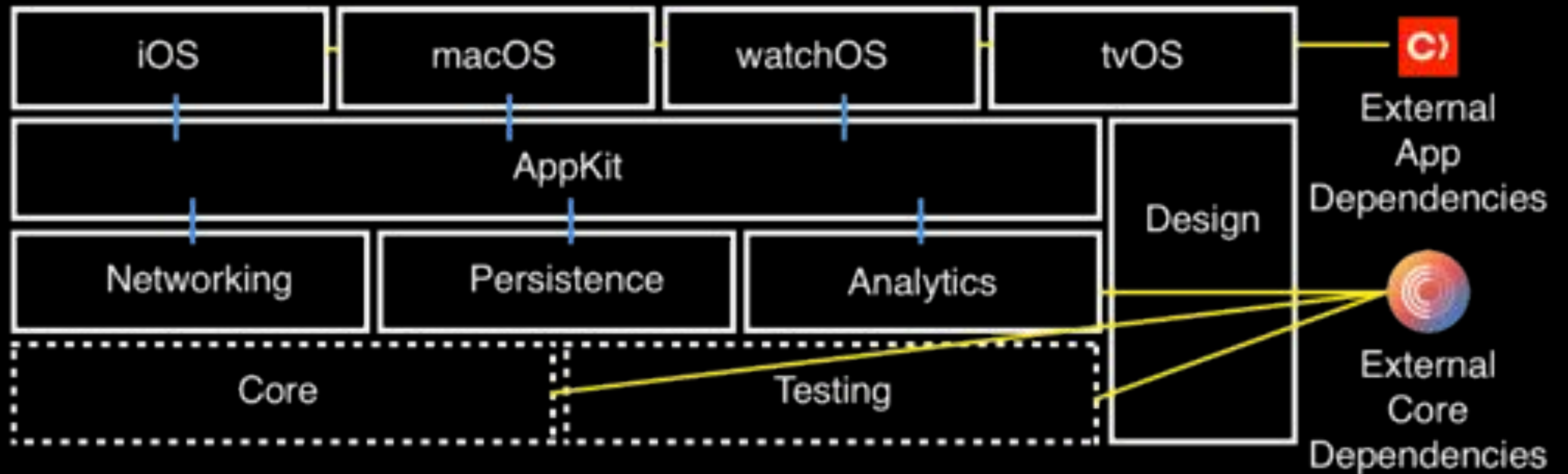
- ▶  More control over the workspace
- ▶  Custom setup (you design it)
- ▶  Cumbersome setup (Build Settings)

External dependencies can be checked out with Carthage/Git
Submodules




XCONFIG

AND MAKING YOUR FRAMEWORK
MULTIPLATFORM

Hybrid



Hybrid

- ▶  CocoaPods resolves/integrates app dependencies
- ▶  Carthage resolves frameworks dependencies
 - ▶  Custom stack setup



OPEN QUESTIONS

VERSIONING?

GIT REPO PER FRAMEWORK?

- 1. Keep it in the same repository (fast iterations)**
- 2. Move it once it consolidates (sporadic changes)**
- 3. Then version it! (snapshots in time)**

EXTERNAL DEPENDENCIES?

HOW TO FETCH THEM?

- ▶ **If CocoaPods for local: Use it also for external**
- ▶ **If manual setup: Use Carthage or Git Submodules**

STATIC OR DYNAMIC?



- ▶ Objective-C & not shared - *Static*
- ▶ Objective-C && shared - *Dynamic*
 - ▶ Swift - *Dynamic*

HOW MANY DYNAMIC FRAMEWORKS?

THE MORE, THE WORSE LOADING TIME

WILL 🍏 IMPROVE IT? 🤔

- ▶ No more than 6 - (WWDC2016:406)
- ▶ Group dependencies in Framework (Manual setup)

Testing.framework

Quick.{swift,h,m}

Nimble.{swift,h,m}

OHHTTPStubs.{swift,h,m}

Core.framework

RxSwift{.swift}

**MIGRATE FROM EXISTING
PROJECT?**

- ▶ Start with *Core/Testing*
- ▶ Move *Foundation* components down.
- ▶ Continue building layers progressively.

You'll figure out how coupled your code is 😂

DOWNSIDERS



LACK OF DOCUMENTATION

(TARGETS CONFIGURATION)

Tip: Use CocoaPods and copy the configuration

STORYBOARDS/XIBS IN FRAMEWORKS

Sucks 🥲

TIP: KEEP THEM IN THE APPLICATION TARGET

FRAMEWORKS CODE RECOGNITION

Sucks even more 🤔

**SOME EXTERNAL
DEPENDENCIES
ARE DISTRIBUTED AS PLATFORM BINARIES**


```
## XCConfig
```

```
LD_RUNPATH_SEARCH_PATHS[sdk=macosx*] = $(inherited) Fabric/OSX
```

```
LD_RUNPATH_SEARCH_PATHS[sdk=appletv*] = $(inherited) Fabric/tvOS
```

```
LD_RUNPATH_SEARCH_PATHS[sdk=iphone*] = $(inherited) Fabric/iOS
```

**SOME EVEN DON'T PROVIDE
BINARIES FOR ALL THE
PLATFORMS**

PROXY THEM USING MACROS

MACROS!

```
#if !os(watchOS)
  import Fabric
#end
```

```
def log(message: String) {
  #if !os(watchOS)
    // Log using Fabric
  #end
}
```

APIs

MIGHT DIFFER BETWEEN PLATFORMS

- ▶ **NSFetchedResultsController** not for macOS
- ▶ **NSIndexPath** for watchOS has no row/section

PROXY THEM
ALSO USING MACROS!

The background of the image is a close-up, slightly blurred view of green grass. The blades of grass are thin and elongated, creating a dense, textured pattern. The lighting is soft, highlighting the natural green color of the grass.

CONCLUSIONS

Very time-saver
FOR MULTI-PLATFORM PROJECTS

AIMS LESS COUPLED CODE

(defined boundaries)



SETUP REQUIRES SOME

Xcode Build Settings knowledge

(UNLESS YOU USE COCOAPODS) 🤪

MINIMIZE DEPENDENCIES

6 DEPENDENCIES

(KISS)

USE YOUR COMMONSENSE
WHEN DESIGNING YOUR STACK

USE YOUR COMMONSENSE

Don't be a Javascript developer



AND REMEMBER

THE STACK DEPENDS ON YOUR NEEDS

IS IT A COMPANY OR A FREELANCE PROJECT?

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HOW MANY PEOPLE IN THE TEAM?

REFERENCES

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 - ▶ The Unofficial Guide to xcconfig files
 - ▶ WWDC: Optimizing App Startup Time
 - ▶ Static & Dynamic libraries
- ▶ pepibumur/framework-oriented-programming

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