# INTENTS AND START ACTIVITY FOR RESULT

## **TOPICS**

- Intents
  - Start activity
  - Start activity for results
  - Examples

#### TYPE OF INTENTS

- Intents are objects of the android.content.Intent
- We can add data to the intent (using Bundle).
- android provide two type of Intents
- Explicit intents: specify the component to start by name
- Implicit intents: do not name a specific component, but instead declare a general action to perform

#### **EXPLICIT INTENTS**

to Start activity or service

To start an activity or Service use the methods

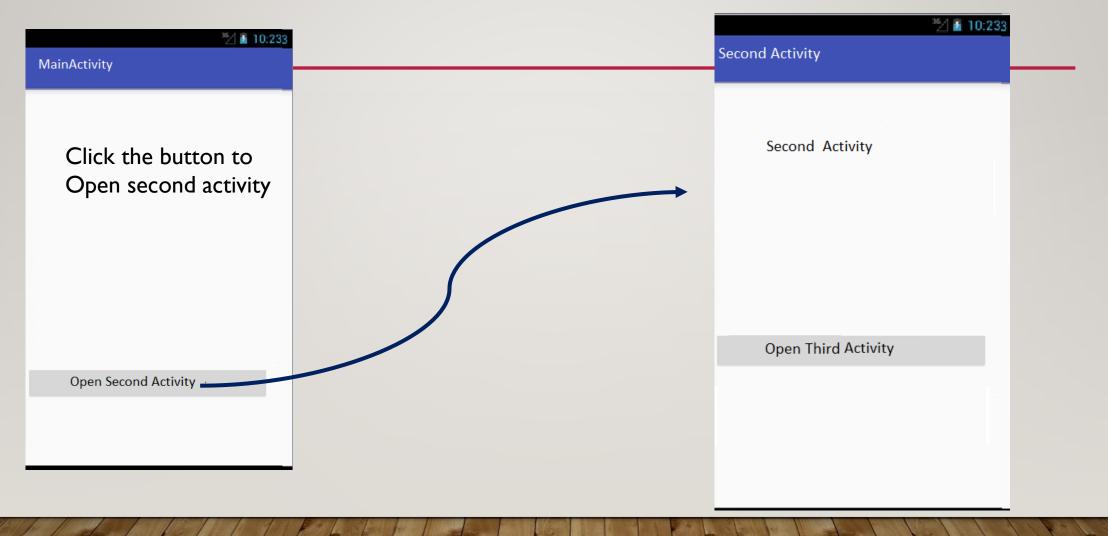
- startActivity/startActivityForResult to launch an Activity
- startService to start a background service

## **EXAMPLE**

- Explicit intents
- Using start Activity method

```
public void goToActivity2(View view) { //
Intent intent = new Intent(this,SecondActivity.class);
startActivity (intent);
}
```

## **EXAMPLE: START ACTIVITY**

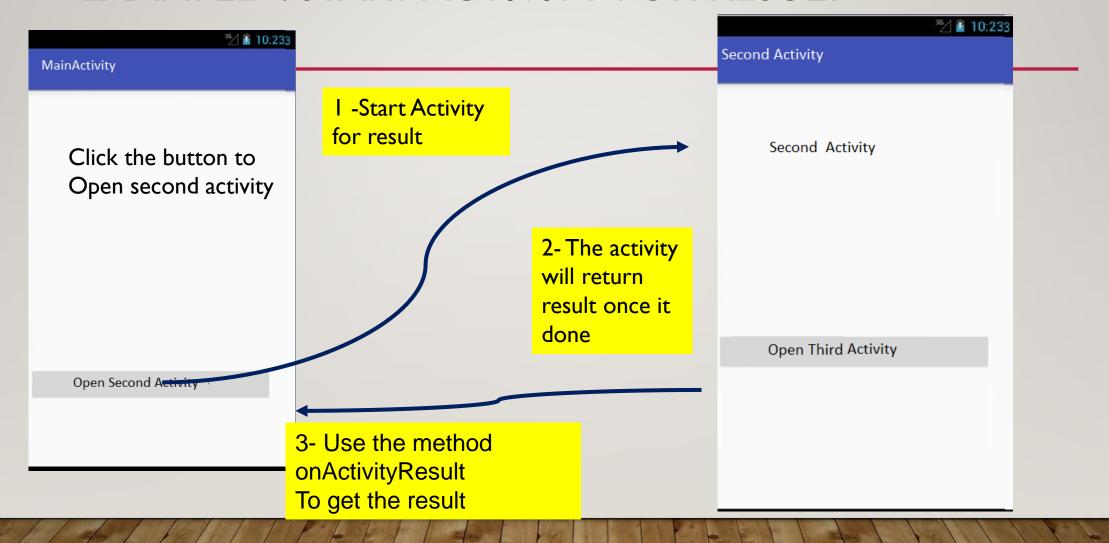


## **EXAMPLE**

- Explicit intents
- Using start Activity For Result method

```
int RequestCode = 100;
public void goToActivity2(View view) { //
Intent intent = new Intent(this,SecondActivity.class);
startActivityForResult (intent , RequestCode);
}
```

## **EXAMPLE: START ACTIVITY FOR RESULT**



```
// Call Back method to get the result form second rActivity
@Override
protected void onActivityResult(int requestCode, int resultCode, Intent data)
{

super.onActivityResult(requestCode, resultCode, data);
/* check if the Request Code is 100 (same as what is passed) */
if(requestCode==100)
{

String result=data.getStringExtra("result");
textView.setText(result); // display the result

}

/* display the result
```

#### TAKING PHOTO

- Taking photo using implicit Intent
- Launch the intent using startActivity for result
- Override onActivityResult()
- \*get the Bitmap image in the extras, under the key "data".
- \* Retrieve image and displays it in an Image view

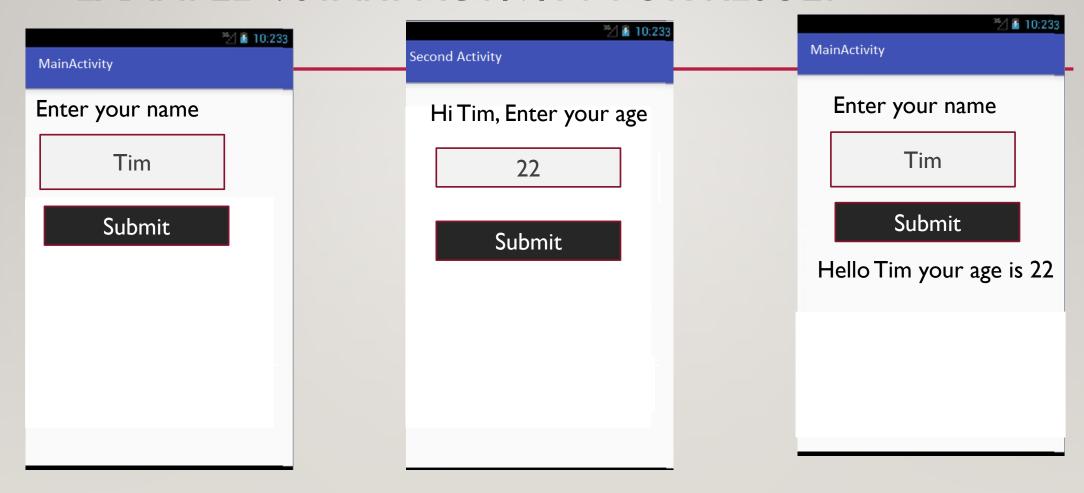
# TAKING PHOTO (IMPLICITLY INTENT)

```
val REQUEST_IMAGE_CAPTURE = 1
private fun dispatchTakePictureIntent() {
  val takePictureIntent = Intent(MediaStore.ACTION_IMAGE_CAPTURE)
  try {
    startActivityForResult(takePictureIntent, REQUEST_IMAGE_CAPTURE)
  } catch (e: ActivityNotFoundException) {
    // display error state to the user
```

## ON ACTIVITY RESULT

```
override fun onActivityResult(requestCode: Int,
   resultCode: Int, data: Intent?) {
  if (requestCode == REQUEST_IMAGE_CAPTURE &&
       resultCode == RESULT_OK) {
    val imageBitmap = data.extras.get("data") as Bitmap
    imageView.setImageBitmap(imageBitmap)
```

## **EXAMPLE: START ACTIVITY FOR RESULT**



## **REFERENCES**

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