

Mobile App Development

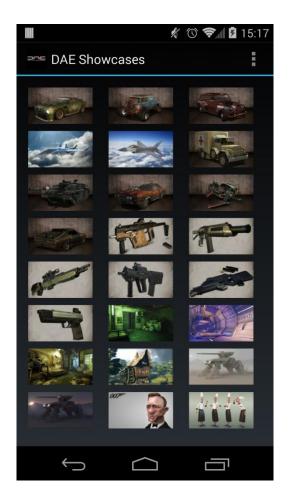
Adapters & AdapterViews

Content driven UI Elements

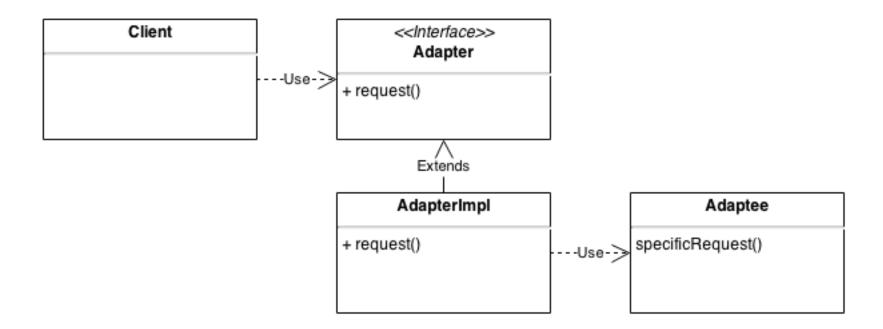
"a device that is used to connect two pieces of equipment that were not designed to be connected,

AdapterViews





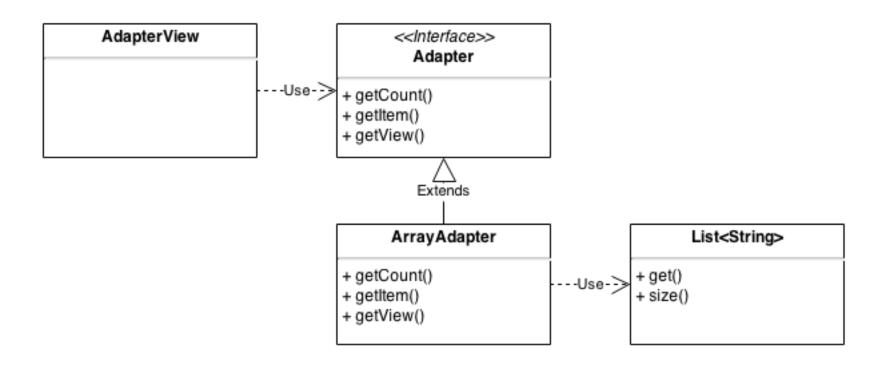
Adapter Design Pattern



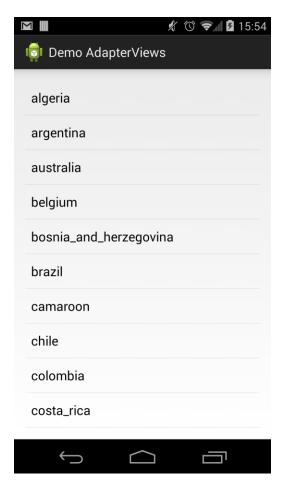


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Adapter Design Pattern

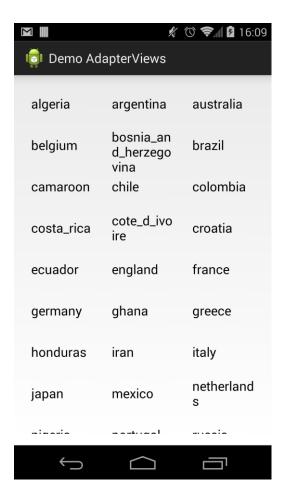


ListView & ListAdapter



```
public class MainActivity extends Activity {
    private ListView adapterView;
    private ListAdapter adapter;
    private String[] data;
    @Override
    protected void onCreate(Bundle b) {
        super.onCreate(b);
        setContentView(R.layout.cv);
        this.data = Data.getStringArray();
        this.adapter = new ArrayAdapter<String>(
            this,
            android.R.layout.simple list item 1,
            data);
        this.adapterView =
            (ListView) findViewById(R.id.av);
        this.adapterView.setAdapter(adapter);
```

GridView & ListAdapter



```
public class MainActivity extends Activity {
    private GridView adapterView;
    private ListAdapter adapter;
    private String[] data;
    @Override
    protected void onCreate(Bundle b) {
        super.onCreate(b);
        setContentView(R.layout.cv);
        this.data = Data.getStringArray();
        this.adapter = new ArrayAdapter < String > (
            this,
            android.R.layout.simple list item 1,
            data);
        this.adapterView =
            (GridView) findViewById (R.id.av);
        this.adapterView.setAdapter(adapter);
```

Custom Layouts



```
this.adapter = new ArrayAdapter<String>(
    this, R.layout.li 1, R.id.text, data);
<RelativeLayout android:layout width="match parent"</pre>
    android:layout height="48dp" >
        android:id="@+id/img"
        android:src="@drawable/belgium" />
        android:id="@+id/text"
        android:text="Country Name" />
```

ListActivity

```
public class MainActivity extends ListActivity {
   private ListView adapterView;
   private ListAdapter adapter;
   private String[] data;
    @Override
   protected void onCreate(Bundle b) {
       super.onCreate(b);
       this.data = Data.getStringArray();
       this.adapter = new ArrayAdapter<String>( this, R.layout.li 1, R.id.text, data);
       setListAdapter(this.adapter);
```

ListActivity & Custom View



```
@Override
protected void onCreate(Bundle b) {
    super.onCreate(b);
    setContentView(R.layout.activity_main_list);
    this.data = Data.getStringArray();
    this.adapter = new ArrayAdapter<String>(
        this, R.layout.li_1, R.id.text, data);
    setListAdapter(this.adapter);
}
```

Loader Framework

```
public class MainActivity extends ListActivity implements LoaderCallbacks<List<String>>{
    private static final int LOADER ID = 1;
   private ArrayAdapter<String> adapter;
    protected void onCreate(Bundle b) {
       super.onCreate(b);
        this.adapter = new ArrayAdapter < String > ( this, android.R.layout.simple list item 1);
        setListAdapter(this.adapter);
       getLoaderManager().initLoader(LOADER ID, null, this);
    public Loader<List<String>> onCreateLoader(int id, Bundle args) {
       return new StringListLoader(this);
    public void onLoadFinished(Loader<List<String>> loader, List<String> stringList) {
       this.adapter.clear();
        this.adapter.addAll(stringList);
   public void onLoaderReset(Loader<List<String>> arg0) {
        this.adapter.clear();
```

Loader Framework

```
public class StringListLoader extends AsyncTaskLoader<List<String>> {
   private List<String> mStringList;
        super(context);
   protected void onStartLoading() {
        if (mStringList == null)
            forceLoad();
   public List<String> loadInBackground() {
        mStringList = new ArrayList<String>();
        for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++)
            mStringList.add("String " + i);
       return mStringList;
```

Why Loader Framework?

```
public class MainActivity extends ListActivity {
   private static final String[] PROJECTION = new String[] { " id", "text column"};
   private static final String CONTENT URI = "content://authority/resources";
   protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState) {
       super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
       Cursor cursor = managedQuery( CONTENT URI, PROJECTION, null, null);
       String[] columns = { "text column" };
       int[] views = { android.R.id.text1 };
       SimpleCursorAdapter adapter = new SimpleCursorAdapter(this,
           android.R.layout.simple list item 1,
            cursor,
            columns,
           views);
       setListAdapter(adapter);
```

Custom Loaders: Doing work

```
public class CustomLoader extends AsyncTaskLoader<Object> {
    private Object mData;
    private CustomObserver mObserver;
   public Object loadInBackground() { return new Object(); }
   public void deliverResult(Object data) {
       if (isReset()) { releaseResources(data); return; }
        Object oldData = mData;
       mData = data;
       if (isStarted()) { super.deliverResult(data); }
       if (oldData != null && oldData != data) { releaseResources(oldData); }
```

Custom Loaders: Handling Work

```
public class CustomLoader extends AsyncTaskLoader<Object> {
   protected void onStartLoading() {
       if (mData != null) { deliverResult(mData); }
       if (mObserver == null) { mObserver = new CustomObserver(); }
       if (takeContentChanged() || mData == null) { forceLoad(); }
   protected void onStopLoading() { cancelLoad(); }
   protected void onReset() {
       onStopLoading();
       if (mData != null) { releaseResources(mData); mData = null; }
       if (mObserver != null) { mObserver = null;}
   public void onCanceled(Object data) {
       super.onCanceled(data);
       releaseResources(data);
   private void releaseResources(Object data) { /* ... */ }
```

Custom Loaders: Looking at Work

```
public class CustomObserver {
    private Loader loader;
   public CustomObserver(Loader loader) {
        this.loader = loader;
   public void onChange(boolean selfChange) {
        loader.onContentChanged();
```

Cursors

```
public interface Cursor extends Closeable {
   int getCount();
   int getColumnCount();
   int getColumnIndex(String columnName);
   int getPosition();
   boolean isFirst();
   boolean move(int offset);
   String getString(int columnIndex);
   short getShort(int columnIndex);
   void close();
   void registerContentObserver(ContentObserver observer);
   void registerDataSetObserver(DataSetObserver observer);
   void setNotificationUri(ContentResolver cr, Uri uri);
```

CursorLoader

uri	A content url. E.g. content://be.howest.admin/students
projection	List of columns to select from the content provider E.g. new String[] { BaseColumnsID, "name"}
selection	Equivalent of 'SQL WHERE' E.g. (name = ? AND active=true)
selectionArgs	Parameters for selection E.g. New String[] { "steven" }
sortOrder	Equivalent for 'SQL ORDEBY' E.g. "name ASC"

Cursors, SQL, Where, WhereArgs

- "Note: By implementing the BaseColumns interface, your inner class can inherit a primary key field called _ID that some Android classes such as cursor adaptors will expect it to have. It's not required, but this can help your database work harmoniously with the Android framework."
- Use DatabaseUtils, TextUtils, ...

```
String where = "name = ?";
String[] whereArgs = new String[] {"steven"};
where = DatabaseUtils.concatenateWhere(where, "active = ?");
whereArgs = DatabaseUtils.appendSelectionArgs(whereArgs, new String[] {"true"});
```

CursorAdapter

```
public class MainActivity extends ListActivity implements LoaderCallbacks<Cursor> {
  static final String[] CONTACTS SUMMARY PROJECTION = new String[] {
       Contacts. ID,
       Contacts.DISPLAY NAME,
       Contacts.CONTACT STATUS,
       Contacts.CONTACT PRESENCE,
        Contacts.PHOTO ID,
       Contacts.LOOKUP KEY
    };
    public Loader<Cursor> onCreateLoader(int id, Bundle args) {
        String select = "((" + Contacts.DISPLAY NAME + " NOTNULL) AND ("
            + Contacts.HAS PHONE NUMBER + "=1) AND ("
            + Contacts.DISPLAY NAME + " != '' ))";
       return new CursorLoader (this, Contacts.CONTENT URI,
            CONTACTS SUMMARY PROJECTION, select, null,
           Contacts.DISPLAY NAME + " COLLATE LOCALIZED ASC");
    public void onLoadFinished(Loader<Cursor> loader, Cursor cursor) {
        this.adapter.swapCursor(cursor);
    public void onLoaderReset(Loader<Cursor> arg0) {
       this.adapter.swapCursor(null);
```

CursorAdapter

```
public class MainActivity extends ListActivity implements LoaderCallbacks<Cursor> {
    private CursorAdapter adapter;
    protected void onCreate(Bundle b) {
       super.onCreate(b);
       this.adapter = new SimpleCursorAdapter(this,
            android.R.layout.simple list item 2, null,
           new String[] { Contacts.DISPLAY NAME, Contacts.CONTACT STATUS },
            new int[] { android.R.id.text1, android.R.id.text2 }, 0);
            setListAdapter(this.adapter);
           getLoaderManager().initLoader(LOADER ID, null, this);
```

CursorAdapter

```
<TwoLineListItem xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"</pre>
   android:layout width="match parent"
   android:layout height="wrap content"
   android:minHeight="?android:attr/listPreferredItemHeight"
    android:mode="twoLine"
   android:paddingStart="?android:attr/listPreferredItemPaddingStart"
   android:paddingEnd="?android:attr/listPreferredItemPaddingEnd">
   <TextView android:id="@android:id/text1"</pre>
        android:layout width="match parent"
        android:layout height="wrap content"
        android:layout marginTop="8dip"
        android:textAppearance="?android:attr/textAppearanceListItem" />
   <TextView android:id="@android:id/text2"</pre>
        android:layout width="match parent"
        android:layout height="wrap content"
        android:layout below="@android:id/text1"
        android:layout alignStart="@android:id/text1"
        android:textAppearance="?android:attr/textAppearanceSmall"/>
```

MatrixCursor

```
String[] columns = {
    BaseColumns._ID,
    "name",
    "active"
};

MatrixCursor cursor = new MatrixCursor(columns);

cursor.newRow()
    .add(1)
    .add("steven")
    .add(true);

cursor.addRow(new Object[] { 1, "mark", false });
```

• Don't Fight the framework, Use the framework! (there is no spoon)

SimpleAdapter

- Supports Checkable Views, TextView and ImageView
- Allows use of ViewBinder

SimpleAdapter.ViewBinder

```
public class MainActivity extends ListActivity {
    protected void onCreate(Bundle b) {
       super.onCreate(b);
        this.adapter = new SimpleAdapter( /* ... */ );
        this.adapter.setViewBinder(new ColorViewBinder());
        setListAdapter(this.adapter);
    class ColorViewBinder implements SimpleAdapter.ViewBinder {
        public boolean setViewValue(View view, Object data, String toString) {
           if(view.getId() == R.id.colorPanel) {
                view.setBackgroundColor(Color.parseColor((String)data));
                return true;
           return false;
```

ResourceCursorAdapter

```
public class CustomAdapter extends android.widget.ResourceCursorAdapter {
   public CustomAdapter(Context context) {
        super(context, R.layout.list item custom, null, 0);
   public void bindView(View view, Context ctx, Cursor c) {
        ImageView image = (ImageView) view.findViewById(R.id.image);
        image.setImageResource(c.getInt(0));
        TextView text = (TextView)view.findViewById(R.id.text);
        text.setText(c.getString(1));
        TextView description = (TextView)view.findViewById(R.id.description);
        description.setText(c.getString(2));
```

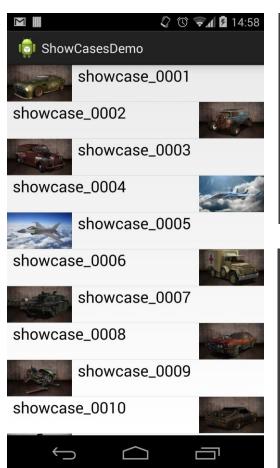
Optimizing Adapters

```
public class CustomAdapter extends ResourceCursorAdapter {
   class ViewHolder {
        public ImageView image;
        public TextView text;
       public TextView description;
       public ViewHolder(View v) {
            image = (ImageView) v.findViewById(R.id.image);
            text = (TextView) v.findViewById(R.id.text);
            description = (TextView) v.findViewById(R.id.description);
    public View newView(Context context, Cursor cursor, ViewGroup parent) {
       View v = super.newView(context, cursor, parent);
       v.setTag(new ViewHolder(v));
       return v;
    public void bindView(View view, Context ctx, Cursor c) {
       ViewHolder vh = (ViewHolder) view.getTag();
        vh.image.setImageResource(c.getInt(0));
       vh.text.setText(c.getString(1));
       vh.description.setText(c.getString(2));
```

Adapters from scratch

```
public class CustomAdapter extends BaseAdapter {
   class ViewHolder { /* ... */ }
   private List<String[]> data;
    public CustomAdapter(Context context, List<String[]> data) { this.data = data; }
   public View newView(Context context, ViewGroup parent) {
       View v = LayoutInflater.from(context).inflate(R.layout.list item custom, parent);
       v.setTag(new ViewHolder(v));
       return v;
    public void bindView(View view, String[] data) { /* ... */ }
   public View getView(int pos, View view, ViewGroup parent) {
        if(view == null) view = newView(getBaseContext(), parent);
       bindView(view, getItem(pos));
       return view;
    @Override public int getCount() { return data.size(); }
    @Override public String[] getItem(int pos) { return data.get(pos); }
    @Override public long getItemId(int pos) { return Long.parseLong( getItem(pos)[3] ); }
```

Zebra Listviews



Zebra Listviews

```
public static class ShowcaseAdapter extends BaseAdapter {
   public View getView(int i, View view, ViewGroup viewGroup) {
       if(view == null)
           switch (getItemViewType(i)) {
               view = LayoutInflater.from(mContext)
                    .inflate(R.layout.list item showcase, viewGroup, false);
                 view = LayoutInflater.from(mContext)
                    .inflate(R.layout.list item showcase alternative, viewGroup, false);
       return view;
    public int getItemViewType(int position) { return position % 2; }
    public int getViewTypeCount() { return 2; }
```

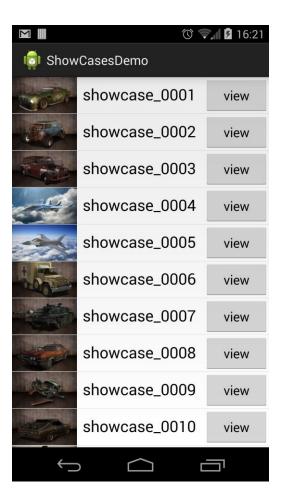
Item Clicks in AdapterViews

```
public class MainActivity extends Activity {
    private ListView mShowcaseGrid;
   private OnItemClickListener mOnItemClickListener = new OnItemClickListener() {
        @Override
        public void onItemClick(AdapterView<?> list, View item, int pos, long id) {
   };
    @Override
   protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState) {
        super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
        setContentView(R.layout.activity main list);
       mShowcaseGrid = (ListView) findViewById(R.id.listView);
       mShowcaseGrid.setAdapter(new ShowcaseAdapter(this));
       mShowcaseGrid.setOnItemClickListener(mOnItemClickListener);
```

Item Clicks in ListActivity

```
public class MainActivity extends ListActivity {
    @Override
   protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState) {
       super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
       setListAdapter(new ShowcaseAdapter(this));
   @Override
   protected void onListItemClick(ListView 1, View v, int position, long id) {
```

Lists with Clickable Elements



```
android:id="@+id/image"
android:src="@drawable/showcase no image" />
android:id="@+id/text" />
android:id="@+id/button"
android:text="view"
android:focusable="false"/>
```

Lists with Clickable Elements

```
class ViewHolder {
    public ImageView image;
    public TextView text;
    public long id;

    public OnClickListener mClickListener = new OnClickListener() {
        public void onClick(View v) { /* do something with id */ }
    };

    public ViewHolder(View view) {
        image = ((ImageView) view.findViewById(R.id.image));
        text = ((TextView) view.findViewById(R.id.text));
        ((Button) view.findViewById(R.id.button)).setOnClickListener(mClickListener);
    }
}
```

Lists with Single ChoiceMode

```
<ListView
  android:id="@+id/listView"
  android:choiceMode="singleChoice" />
```

```
public void showSelection(View v) {
    Toast.makeText(this,
        "you selected: " + mShowcaseGrid.getCheckedItemPosition(),
        Toast.LENGTH SHORT).show();
```

Lists with Multi ChoiceMode

```
<ListView
  android:id="@+id/listView"
  android:choiceMode="multipleChoice" />
```

```
public void showSelection(View v) {
    Toast.makeText(this,
        "you selected " + mShowcaseGrid.getCheckedItemCount() + " items",
        Toast.LENGTH SHORT).show();
```