CrystalExpress Integration Guide

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1. Before SDK integration

- Make sure you have get CrystalExpress.plist from Intowow. It will look like this.
 - If you don't have Crystal_Id , please contact Intowow to request one for you app.

2. How to integrate CrystalSDK lib to project?

2.1 Using Cocoapods

- We strongly recommand you to use Cocoapods to integrate with CrystalExpress.
- Add the following code in Podfile pod "CrystalExpressSDK", '~> 1.1'
- pod update or pod install
- · Open workspace that pod generate for you, you're ready to use CrystalExpress
- Here's a sample project

2.2 Manual integration

- 1. In project build phases "Link Binary With Libraries", add libCrystalSDK-release-x.x.x.a static library
- 2. Add header file to your project
- 3. Make sure you have the following frameworks added in Build phases
 - Securty.framework
 - o CFNetwork.framework
 - MessageUI.framework
 - MobileCoreServices.framework
 - SystemConfiguration.framework
 - AdSupport.framework
 - libz.dylib
 - libc++.dylib
 - CoreTelephony.framework
 - CoreMedia.framework
 - libsqlite3.dylib
 - · AVFoundation.framework
 - o libicucore.dylib
- 4. Add -Objc in TARGETS -> Build Settings -> Linking -> Other Linker Flags
- 5. Add the following files to your project -> Supporting Files

- o kinesis-2013-12-02.json
- o cognito-identity-2014-06-30.json
- o sts-2011-06-15.json
- CrystalExpress.plist
- 6. You can now start using CrystalExpress lib.

3. CrystalExpress APIs

• We describe CrystalExpress APIs in detail here, start at general APIs, and following with different types of ADs.

3.1 General AD serving APIs

I2WAPI.h

```
// initialize I2WAPI with whether to enable verbose log
+ (void)initWithVerboseLog:(BOOL)enableVerbose;
// return whether CrystalExpress is ready for AD serving
+ (BOOL)isAdServing;
// tell CrystalExpress it's time to refresh ads (including delete useless ad creatives)
+ (void)refreshI2WAds;
// trigger background fetch task
+ (void)triggerBackgroundFetchOnSuccess:(void (^)())success
                                 onFail:(void (^)())fail
                               onNoData:(void (^)())noData;
// set active placement, this affect AD prefetch priority
+ (void)setActivePlacement:(NSString *)placement;
#pragma mark - track API
// track customized event
+ (void)trackCustomEventWithType:(NSString *)type props:(NSDictionary *)props;
// update geolocation infomation
+ (void)updateUserLastLocation:(NSDictionary *)location;
#pragma mark - deep link
// handle CrystalExpress related deeplink url
+ (void)handleDeepLinkWithUrl:(NSURL *)url sourceApplication:(NSString *)sourceApplication;
#pragma mark - AD related
+ (void)getSplashADWithPlacement:(NSString *)placement
                           place:(int)place
                            type:(CESplashType)splashType
                         onReady:(void (^)(ADView *adView, BOOL fitsMultiOffer))ready
                       onFailure:(void (^)(NSError *error))failure;
+ (void)getBannerADWithPlacement:(NSString *)placement
                         onReady:(void (^)(ADView *))ready
                       onFailure:(void (^)(NSError *))failure;
+ (void)getStreamADWithPlacement:(NSString *)placement
                       helperKey:(NSString *)helperKey
                           place:(int)place
                         onReady:(void (^)(ADView *adView))ready
                       onFailure:(void (^)(NSError *error))failure
             onPullDownAnimation:(void (^)(UIView *))animation;
+ (void)getContentADWithPlacement:(NSString *)placement
                             isPreroll:(BOOL)isPreroll
                               onReady:(void (^)(ADView *))ready
                             onFailure:(void (^)(NSError *))failure
                   onPullDownAnimation:(void (^)(UIView *))animation;
```

3.2 Splash AD

- We provided a helper class to make integration more easier, via SplashADHelper, you can request different format of Splash ADs
- SplashADHelper will call delegate function and return a ready SplashADInterfaceViewController for you to present.

SplashADHelper.h

```
@protocol SplashADHelperDelegate <NSObject>
@required
- (void)SplashADDidReceiveAd:(NSArray *)ad viewController:(SplashADInterfaceViewController *)
vc;
// SplashADHelper call this function while encounter error, such as fail to find available s
plash ADs
- (void)SplashADDidFailToReceiveAdWithError:(NSError *)error viewController:(SplashADInterfa
ceViewController *)vc;
@end
// We have predefined different modes for Splash AD viewcontroller
// CE_SPLASH_MODE_HYBRID --> You might get a multi/single offer Splash AD
// CE_SPLASH_MODE_MULTI_OFFER --> You will get a multioffer Splash AD
// CE_SPLASH_MODE_SINGLE_OFFER --> You will get a singleoffer Splash AD
typedef NS_ENUM(NSUInteger, CESplashMode) {
    CE_SPLASH_MODE_UNKNOWN,
    CE_SPLASH_MODE_HYBRID,
    CE_SPLASH_MODE_MULTI_OFFER,
    CE_SPLASH_MODE_SINGLE_OFFER,
};
@interface SplashADHelper : NSObject
@property (nonatomic, weak) id<SplashADHelperDelegate> delegate;
// request SplashAD with placement name and mode
- (void)requestSplashADWithPlacement:(NSString *)placement mode:(CESplashMode)splashMode;
end
```

SplashADInterfaceViewController

The splash AD view controller are the member of SplashADInterfaceViewController.

```
@class SplashADInterfaceViewController;

// By register the SplashADViewControllerDelegat, you can get different stage of splash even ts

@protocol SplashADViewControllerDelegate <NSObject>
@optional
- (void)SplashAdWillDismissScreen:(SplashADInterfaceViewController *)vc;
- (void)SplashAdWillPresentScreen:(SplashADInterfaceViewController *)vc;
- (void)SplashAdDidDismissScreen:(SplashADInterfaceViewController *)vc;
- (void)SplashAdDidDismissScreen:(SplashADInterfaceViewController *)vc;
@end
```

3.3 Content AD

- Utilize ContentADHelper class to request content AD and manage AD
- Init helper by giving a AD placement name.
- preroll can prepare 1 Article AD in advance. Use this function in ViewDidLoad or other pre-stage, giving helper more time to prepare a AD.
- Once the positon of ad is decided, call setScrollOffsetWithKey to update the AD's scroll offset.
- Call requestADWithContentId: (NSString *)articleId with article_ld to get a AD UIView.
- Update the scroll view bounds while scroll view did scroll like the following code.

```
#pragma mark - scrollview delegate
- (void)scrollViewDidScroll:(UIScrollView *)scrollView
{
    [_contentADHelper updateScrollViewBounds:[scrollView bounds] withKey:_articleId];
}
```

 Check ad should start / stop while your UI is in stable status, such as scroll view end decerlating, view controller appear/disappear.

• If content AD formats including pulldown card, set onPullDownAnimation block to update scroll view while pulldown animating is happened.

```
// set animation for pulldown card, need to update the module offset below the AD
__weak typeof(self) weakSelf = self;
[_contentADHelper setOnPullDownAnimation:^(UIView *view) {
    float offset = weakSelf.AdOffset + view.frame.size.height;
    [weakSelf updateBottomContentFromOffset:offset];
}];
```

Complete API

```
#pragma mark - ContentADHelper.h

@interface ContentADHelper : NSObject
// pulldown animation block
@property (nonatomic, copy) void (^onPullDownAnimation)(UIView *adView);

- (instancetype)initWithPlacement:(NSString *)placement;
- (void)preroll;
- (ADView *)requestADWithContentId:(NSString *)articleId;
- (void)setScrollOffsetWithKey:(NSString *)key offset:(int)offset;
- (void)checkAdStartWithKey:(NSString *)key ScrollViewBounds:(CGRect)bounds;
- (void)updateScrollViewBounds:(CGRect)bounds withKey:(NSString *)key;
@end
```

3.4 Stream AD

- Utilize StreamADHelper class to request stream AD and manage AD.
- Init helper by giving a AD placement name.
- Set delegate for the helper instance.
- preroll can prepare 1 stream AD in advance. Use this function in ViewDidLoad or other pre-stage, giving helper more time to prepare a AD.
- Call updateVisiblePosition: (UITableView *)tableView once the initial tableview source is ready.

• Set active status based on the view controller is showing to user.

```
[_streamHelper setActive:YES];
```

- Call requestADAtPosition: (int)position cell position to get a AD UIView.
- Sync helper while scrollViewDidScroll:(UIScrollView *)scrollView event happened.

```
- (void)scrollViewDidScroll:(UIScrollView *)scrollView
{
    [_streamHelper scrollViewDidScroll:scrollView tableView:[self tableView]];
}
```

• Call scrollViewStateChanged if scrollview status change, this give helper a chance to check AD should trigger start/stop event.

```
- (void)viewWillAppear:(BOOL)animated
{
    [super viewWillAppear:animated];
    [_streamHelper setActive:YES];
    [_streamHelper scrollViewStateChanged];
}
- (void)viewDidDisappear:(BOOL)animated
{
    [super viewDidDisappear:animated];
    [_streamHelper setActive:NO];
    [_streamHelper scrollViewStateChanged];
}
- (void)scrollViewDidEndDragging:(UIScrollView *)scrollView willDecelerate:(BOOL)decelerate
{
    if (decelerate == NO) {
        [_streamHelper scrollViewStateChanged];
    }
}
- (void)scrollViewDidEndDecelerating:(UIScrollView *)scrollView
{
        [_streamHelper scrollViewStateChanged];
}
```

- Implement StreamADHelperDelegate functions
- _ (int)onADLoaded:(UIView *)adView atPosition:(int)position need to update table view to insert AD cell. Return the real position inserted in table view, or -1 if fail.
- While in preroll, there's no need to insert AD in another main loop

```
- (int)onADLoaded:(UIView *)adView atPosition:(int)position isPreroll:(B00L)isPreroll
    // Don't place ad at the first place!!
   position = MAX(1, position);
    if ([_dataSource count] >= position) {
        if (isPreroll) {
            NSMutableDictionary *adDict = [[NSMutableDictionary alloc] init];
            [adDict setObject:[NSNumber numberWithInt:adView.bounds.size.height] forKey:@"he
ight"];
            NSArray *indexPathsToAdd = @[[NSIndexPath indexPathForRow:position inSection:0]];
            [[self tableView] beginUpdates];
            [_dataSource insertObject:adDict atIndex:position];
            [[self tableView] insertRowsAtIndexPaths:indexPathsToAdd
                                    withRowAnimation:UITableViewRowAnimationNone];
            [[self tableView] endUpdates];
        } else {
            dispatch_async(dispatch_get_main_queue(), ^(){
                NSMutableDictionary *adDict = [[NSMutableDictionary alloc] init];
                [adDict setObject:[NSNumber numberWithInt:adView.bounds.size.height] forKey:
@"height"];
                NSArray *indexPathsToAdd = @[[NSIndexPath indexPathForRow:position inSection:
0]];
                [[self tableView] beginUpdates];
                [_dataSource insertObject:adDict atIndex:position];
                [[self tableView] insertRowsAtIndexPaths:indexPathsToAdd
                                        withRowAnimation:UITableViewRowAnimationNone];
                [[self tableView] endUpdates];
            });
        return position;
    } else {
        return -1;
```

• If stream AD formats including pulldown card, set onADAnimation: (UIView *)adView atPosition: (int)position block to update scroll view while pulldown animating is happened.

```
- (void)onADAnimation:(UIView *)adView atPosition:(int)position
{
    [UIView animateWithDuration:1.0 delay:0.0 options:UIViewAnimationOptionAllowUserInteract
ion animations:^{
         [[self tableView] beginUpdates];
         [[_dataSource objectAtIndex:position] setObject:[NSNumber numberWithInt:adView.bounds
.size.height] forKey:@"height"];
        [[self tableView] endUpdates];
    } completion:^(BOOL finished) {
    }];
}
```

• Implement checkIdle to tell helper whether it is a good timing to start/stop AD, trigger AD in stable state will improve the user experience.

```
- (B00L)checkIdle
{
    return (![[self tableView] isDecelerating] && ![[self tableView] isDragging]);
}
```

Complete API

```
#pragma mark - StreamADHelper.h
@class ADView;
@protocol StreamADHelperDelegate <NSObject>
- (int)onADLoaded:(UIView *)adView atPosition:(int)position;
// callback on pull down animation happen
- (void)onADAnimation:(UIView *)adView atPosition:(int)position;
// callback to check whether the view is in idle state
- (B00L)checkIdle;
@end
@interface StreamADHelper: NSObject
@property (nonatomic, assign) BOOL isActiveSection;
@property (nonatomic, weak) id<StreamADHelperDelegate> delegate;
// init helper with placement name
- (instancetype)initWithPlacement:(NSString *)placement;
- (void)preroll;
// request stream ad at stream position
- (UIView *)requestADAtPosition:(int)position;
// update current table view visible cell
- (void)updateVisiblePosition:(UITableView *)tableView;
- (NSOrderedSet *)getLoadedAds;
// force all loaded ad stop
- (void)stopADs;
// set helper active state, ad will only play in active helper
- (void)setActive:(B00L)isActive;
// check whether the position is an AD
- (BOOL)isAdAtPos:(int)pos;
#pragma mark - event listener
// scroll view did scroll event hook
- (void)scrollViewDidScroll:(UIScrollView *)scrollView tableView:(UITableView *)tableView;
- (void)scrollViewStateChanged;
@end
```

- Flip AD is one of the splash series AD.
- Utilize FlipDynamicADHelper class to request flip AD and manage AD.
- Init helper by giving a AD placement name.
- setActive to trigger helper prefetch current placement group's AD.
- Get flip AD view by calling requestADAtPosition: (int)position
- Call onPageSelectedAtPositoin: (int)position to trigger decision of AD start/stop, we suggest to call this function while your UI is in stable status to improve the UX.

```
- (void)viewDidAppear:(B00L)animated
{
    [super viewDidAppear:animated];
    [_flipADHelper onPageSelectedAtPositoin:(int)_curIndex];
}
- (void)viewDidDisappear:(B00L)animated
{
    [super viewDidDisappear:animated];
    [_flipADHelper onPageSelectedAtPositoin:-1];
}
- (void)scrollViewDidEndDecelerating:(UIScrollView *)scrollView
{
    CGFloat pageWidth = CGRectGetWidth([scrollView frame]);
    NSUInteger page = floor((scrollView.contentOffset.x - pageWidth / 2) / pageWidth) + 1;
    [_flipADHelper onPageSelectedAtPositoin:(int)page];
}
```

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Call onStop to stop current AD while the view controller is disappear.

```
- (void)viewDidDisappear:(B00L)animated
{
    [_flipAdHelper onStop];
}
```

3.6 Banner AD

- Utilize BannerADHelper class to request banner AD and manage AD.
- Init helper by giving a AD placement name.
- · Get banner AD view by calling

```
- (void)requestADonReady:(void (^)(ADView *))ready onFailure:(void (^)(NSError *))failure
```

```
[_bannerAdHelper requestADonReady:^(ADView *adView) {
    [self didReceiveBannerAd:adView];
} onFailure:^(NSError *error) {
    NSLog("Fail to get banner AD due to %@", error);
}];
```

- Call onStart to start AD.
- Call onStop to stop AD.

Complete API

4. Register background task

• In AppDelegate.m, register a background task will allow CrystalExpress SDK able to fetch ads while app enter background mode.

```
- (void)applicationDidEnterBackground:(UIApplication *)application
{
    // register bgTask while enter background mode
    __block UIBackgroundTaskIdentifier bgTask = [application beginBackgroundTaskWithExpirationHandler:^{
            [application endBackgroundTask:bgTask];
            bgTask = UIBackgroundTaskInvalid;
        }];
}
```

5. Register background fetch

- 1. In project settings, Target -> Capabilities -> Turn Background Modes to **ON**, Check **Background Fetch**
- 2. In AppDelegate.m add function like the following code:

```
- (void)application:(UIApplication *)application performFetchWithCompletionHandler:(void (^)(
UIBackgroundFetchResult))completionHandler
{
    [I2WAPI triggerBackgroundFetchOnSuccess:^{
        completionHandler(UIBackgroundFetchResultNewData);
    } onFail:^{
        completionHandler(UIBackgroundFetchResultFailed);
    } onNoData:^{
        completionHandler(UIBackgroundFetchResultNoData);
    }];
}
```

6. AD Preview

In Demo App, you can utilize deeplink to do AD preview, sample url link like follows:

crystalexpress://adpreview?adid={number}

7. Tracking behavior

- We show CrystalExpress tracking message details in this section, incliding the message meaning, the message send timing and its example message log
- We divide tracking message into some categories as the following
- · Each category has several types of messages, represent different meaning

7.1 CATEGORY_APP (App Level Message)

REGISTER

o send while first time initialize CrystalExpress

```
{"time":1430892319244,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"APP","nt":2,"type":"register","version":4,"props ":{"ov":"8.2","av":"1.0.2","ot":1,"dm":"Simulator","sv":10010002,"mf":"Apple Inc.","idfa":"BA4 EF51EFC2E44B89FDC07664427DB7A"}}
```

UPGRADE

· send while app version upgrade

```
{"time":1430892465825,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"APP","nt":2,"type":"upgrade","version":4,"props":{"ov":"8.2","av":"1.0.2","ot":1,"dm":"Simulator","sv":10010002,"mf":"Apple Inc.","idfa":"BA4EF51EFC2E44B89FDC07664427DB7A"}}
```

OPEN

send while app enter foreground

```
{"time":1430892674811,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"APP","nt":2,"type":"open","version":4}
```

• CLOSE

send while app enter background or terminate

```
{"time":1430892719706,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"APP","nt":2,"type":"close","version":4,"props":{
    "duration":45011}}
```

BACKGROUND_FETCH

send while app is triggered by ios background fetch

```
{"time":1430892735224,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"APP","nt":2,"type":"background_fetch","version":
4}
```

7.2 CATEGORY_ADREQ (AD Request)

- AD_REQUEST
 - o send while request an AD

```
{"time":1430892933014,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"ADREQ","nt":2,"type":"ad_request","version":4,"p
rops":{"requests":{"OPEN_SPLASH":{"1":1}}}}
```

7.3 CATEGORY_AD (AD Level Message)

- FETCH
 - · send while successfully fetch an AD creatives from server

```
{"time":1430877242249,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"AD","nt":2,"type":"fetch","version":4,"props":{"item_id":1176}}
```

IMPRESSION

o send while an AD is viewed by user

```
{"time":1430893382649,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"AD","nt":2,"type":"impression","version":4,"prop
s":{"item_id":1865,"place":1,"placement":"STREAM"}}
```

• CLICK

send while user click on AD engage area

```
{"time":1430893518315,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"AD","nt":2,"type":"click","version":4,"props":{"
item_id":1865,"place":1,"placement":"STREAM"}}
```

VIDEO VIEW

• send while user had watched a video AD, or a video AD is play to the end.

```
{"time":1430893420791,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"AD","nt":2,"type":"video_view","version":4,"prop
s":{"place":1,"percentage":6,"engaged":false,"item_id":1818,"duration":1535}}
```

• REMOVE

send while SDK delete an AD's creative

```
{"time":1430877239787,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"AD","nt":2,"type":"remove","version":4,"props":{
    "item_id":2332}}
```

MUTE

send while user mute a video AD

```
{"time":1430893473329,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"AD","nt":2,"type":"mute","version":4,"props":{"i
tem_id":1865,"place":1,"placement":"STREAM"}}
```

UNMUTE

send while user unmute a video AD

```
{"time":1430893471095,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D","crystal_
id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"AD","nt":2,"type":"unmute","version":4,"props":{
"item_id":1865,"place":1,"placement":"STREAM"}}
```

REPLAY

· send while user click on video replay button

```
[TRCKER] {"time":1430893735319,"device_id":"5D03C597duck21E3duck4E2Fduck8D53duck2E4FABF5374D",
"crystal_id":"2a317bd038f742a082ee284b478a8e37","cat":"AD","nt":2,"type":"replay","version":4,
"props":{"item_id":1799,"place":1,"placement":"OPEN_SPLASH"}}
```

8. Trouble shooting

- · Request AD but nothing happened?
 - open the verbose log while initialize I2WAPI
 - · check the log while request AD
- [NSArrayI enumFromString:]: unrecognized selector sent to instance 0x78e37970
 - If you crash on log like this, add | -0bjc | in TARGETS -> Build Settings -> Linking -> Other Linker Flags

// this means your crystal_id is not correct, change it in CrystalExpress.plist
error:[Request failed: not found (404)], please reverify your crystal_id is set correct