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# { Kotlin for Android developers }

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# Kotlin on

JVM + Android  
JS

In development: **Kotlin/Native**  
iOS/macOS/Windows/Linux



# Links

Kotlin

<https://kotlinlang.org>

Kotlin Koans

<https://try.kotlin.in>

**Kotlin in Action** book

by Dmitry Jemerov & Svetlana Isakova



# Sample Java App

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# Data classes

```
data class Person(  
    var firstName: String,  
    var lastName: String,  
    var age: Int  
)
```

# Java equivalent

```
package kotlindemo;

import java.util.Objects;

public class Person {
    private String firstName;
    private String lastName;
    private int age;

    public Person(String firstName, String lastName, int age) {
        this.firstName = firstName;
        this.lastName = lastName;
        this.age = age;
    }

    public String getFirstName() {
        return firstName;
    }

    public void setFirstName(String firstName) {
        this.firstName = firstName;
    }

    public String getLastName() {
        return lastName;
    }

    public void setLastName(String lastName) {
        this.lastName = lastName;
    }

    public int getAge() {
        return age;
    }

    public void setAge(int age) {
        this.age = age;
    }

    @Override
    public boolean equals(Object o) {
        if (this == o) return true;
        if (o == null || getClass() != o.getClass()) return false;
        Person person = (Person) o;
        return age == person.age &&
            Objects.equals(firstName, person.firstName) &&
            Objects.equals(lastName, person.lastName);
    }

    @Override
    public int hashCode() {
        return Objects.hash(firstName, lastName, age);
    }
}
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# Properties

```
class Person {  
    var firstName: String = ""  
}
```



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```
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    private String firstName;  
    public String getFirstName() {  
        return firstName;  
    }  
    public void setFirstName(String firstName) {  
        this.firstName = firstName;  
    }  
    public Person() { this.firstName = ""; }  
}
```



# Make val not var

```
var    mutable: String  
val immutable: String
```



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    }  
    public Person(String firstName) {  
        this.firstName = firstName;  
    }  
}
```



# Null safety

```
val canBeNull: String?  
val notNull: String
```



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```
fun nullability(str: String?) {  
    val dot = str.indexOf(".")  
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Only safe (?) or non-null asserted (!!.) calls are allowed on a nullable receiver of type String?



# Null safety

```
fun nullability(str: String?) {  
    val dot = str!!.indexOf(".")  
}
```

## Non-null asserted call

May throw `NullPointerException`

Usually a bad style,  
use only when you know what you are doing



# Null safety

```
fun nullability(str: String?) {  
    val dot = str?.indexof(".")  
}
```

## Safe call

The result will be null if str is null



# Null safety

```
fun nullability(str: String?) {  
    val dot = str?.indexOf(".") ?: 0  
}
```

## Elvis operator

The result will be 0 if `str?.indexOf()` returns null



# Null safety

```
fun nullability(str: String?) {  
    val dot = str?.indexOf(".") ?: throw Exception()  
}
```



# Type casts

```
fun cast(obj: Any) {  
    if (obj is String) {  
        val dot = obj.indexOf(".")  
    }  
}
```

Smart cast

obj is String inside ‘then’ branch



# Type casts

```
fun cast(obj: Any) {  
    val str = obj as String  
    val dot = str.indexOf(".")  
}
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# Type casts

```
fun cast(obj: Any) {  
    val str = obj as? String  
  
    Safe cast  
    str is null if obj is not a String  
  
    val dot = str.indexOf(".")  
}
```

**Safe cast**

str is null if obj is not a String



# Extension functions

```
fun Int.days(): Period = ...
```

```
fun Period.ago(): Date = ...
```

3.days().ago()

2.months().later()



# Extension properties

```
val Int.days: Period  
    get() = ...
```

```
val Period.ago: Date  
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# Lambda expressions

```
val list = listOf<Int>()
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list.filter({ it > 0 })
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```
list.filter { it > 0 }.map { it*2 }
```



# inline functions

```
inline fun <T> Iterable<T>.filter(predicate: (T) -> Boolean):  
    List<T> {  
    val result = mutableListOf<T>()  
    for (it in this) {  
        if (predicate(it)) {  
            result.add(it)  
        }  
    }  
    return result  
}
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# Anko

Anko is a Kotlin library which makes Android application development faster and easier.

<https://github.com/Kotlin/anko/>



# Anko

**Anko Commons:** a lightweight library with helpers for:  
Intents, Dialogs and toasts, Logging, Resources and  
dimensions

**Anko Layouts:** a fast and type-safe way to write dynamic Android  
layouts

**Anko SQLite:** a query DSL and parser collection for Android  
SQLite

**Anko Coroutines:** utilities based on the kotlinx.coroutines library



# Anko

```
verticalLayout {  
    val name = editText()  
    button("Say Hello") {  
        onClick { toast("Hello, ${name.text}!") }  
    }  
}
```



# Android KTX

A set of Kotlin extensions for Android app development

<https://github.com/android/android-ktx>



# Android KTX

```
sharedPreferences.edit()  
    .putBoolean("key", value)  
    .apply()
```



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sharedPreferences.edit {  
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}
```



# Android KTX

```
val spannedString = buildSpannedString {  
    bold { "Hello" }  
    italic { "KTX!" }  
}
```



# Kotlin Android Extensions



# Kotlin Android Extensions

```
apply plugin: 'kotlin-android-extensions'
```



# View binding

```
findViewById<TextView>(R.id.Label)
```



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```
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# Parcelable

```
import android.os.Parcelable  
import kotlinx.android.parcel.Parcelize  
  
@Parcelize  
data class Person(  
    var firstName: String,  
    var lastName: String,  
    var age: Int  
) : Parcelable
```



# Coroutines (Kotlin 1.1)

**Asynchronous programming made easy**

Write asynchronous code in synchronous style



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```
val team = api.team().await()
```

```
val lead = api.profile(team.lead.id).await()
```



# Multi-platform projects

**Share code between different platforms**

JVM + Android

JS

In development:

iOS/macOS/Windows/Linux **Kotlin/Native**



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# Questions?

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