

How to set a button on the screen?

- Solution 1:
 - In the XML file, with the help of the design tool for a WYSIWYG effect
- Solution 2:

In the Java code, for dynamic design

 - **`new Button(getApplicationContext())`**
 - Properties are set using methods such as `setText`, `setBackgroundColor...`
 - Layout parameters are defined with **`LayoutParams`** objects
 - *`theLayout.addView(theButton, theParams)`*

How to attach action to a button?

- Solution 1:

1. In the XML file: define the “**onClick**” property of the button to the name of the method to call (“*myMethod*” for instance)
2. In the Java file: code the “**public void myMethod(View v)**”
v indicates the View which was clicked

- Solution 2:

In the Java file:

1. Retrieve a reference to the button defined in the XML file (use the **findViewById** method)
2. Attach an **OnClickListener** to the button (method **setOnClickListener**)
3. Define the **onClick(View v)** method for the class which implements the **OnClickListener** interface