Swift 2 Homeworks

or: How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love Swift



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Introduction

"Ladies and gentleman, by way of introduction, this is a document about a modern programming language, a safe, fast and interactive one, about Swift 2."

"S for Swift" by Orson Welles1

In the folder you downloaded, you can find some exercises made during the Object Oriented Programming course of Politecnico of Turin (Computer Engineering - 2014/15). I modified and adapted the exercises, originally made in Java 8, to be resolved in Swift 2.

What do you need

Collection... I mean... list of stuff that you probably need:

- Personal computer
- Apple OSX (if you own a Mac, or if you're are a illegal nerd), or a distribution of Linux
- Xcode 7.x (or later)
- A brain

If you never wrote code in Swift, but you attended or you're attending an object oriented course, I suggest you to read Developers' documentation here and to watch WWDC2014 videos recorded by Apple for developers. Videos and documentation are free.

How to resolve the exercises²

Each folder represent an exercise. Inside them you can find another folder (containing the source code), an Xcode project file and a PDF file called **Requirements**.

In the PDF you can find a list of requirements. The order of requirements let you "easily" resolve the exercise.

Clicking on <name_of_the_exercise>.xcodeproj, Xcode will be lunched automatically. In the left part of the interface (Project Navigator), you will find two types of code files:

- main.swift in witch you can find a simple "client" code, made for testing your project thanks a series of prints in the console
- <name_of_the_class>.swift inside <name_of_exercise> folder. Here you can find the real exercise.

¹ Orson Welles, in another dimension, is a very famous programmer.

² ...without copying the solution from another source.

To resolve the exercise you must fill the spaces in witch the label **// TODO:** is present. You can also create variables or constants inside the classes (**Remember**: in Swift constants are very important and you should use them when it is possible).

You <u>CANNOT</u> change the name of the functions (or methods) or the return type but you <u>CAN</u> create new files and new classes if necessary.

Attention: I used a beta version of Xcode and Swift 2 to adapt the exercises (Xcode 7 beta 4). Something may change in future releases. For this reason, these exercises are not backward compatible with previous versions of Xcode and Swift.

let sortedExercises: [Exercise]

This is an "array" of sorted-by-difficulty exercises (the sorting algorithm is subjective):

- University: introduction of basic aspects of the language and classes
- **Diet**: introduction to closures
- Schools: complex closures
- Clinic: introduction to error handling
- Social: "complex" error handling (originally made to introduce GUIs in Java8)
- Airline: error handling, enumerations, closures, tuples and NSDate.

Build, run and...

...if there are mistakes in the requirements or in the code, please, tell mi via GitHub or via e-mail.

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