

# Coroutines

**Light-weight Threads**

**Like threads, Coroutines can run in parallel, wait for each other, and communicate with each other**

**Coroutine != Thread**

**Coroutines are very very cheap-almost free. Create thousand of them without any memory issue. “Best for modern applications”**

# **How to use Coroutines?**



**Unlike threads, for coroutines the application by default does not wait for it to finish its execution**

**What is 'Suspend' modifier?**

**What are suspending functions?**

# Suspending Function

- 1 A Function with a '**Suspend**' modifier is known as suspending function
- 2 The suspending functions are **only** allowed to be called from a coroutine or from another suspending function
- 3 They **cannot** be called from outside a coroutine



**GlobalScope.launch() is non-blocking in nature whereas runBlocking() blocks the thread in which it operates**

# Summary

- 1 What are coroutines?
- 2 Threads vs Coroutines
- 3 Integrate coroutines to project
- 4 What are suspending functions?
- 5 Create coroutines: `GlobalScope.launch{}` and `runBlocking {}`

# **Keep track of threads**

# **Kotlin Coroutine Builders: launch, async, and runBlocking along with GlobalScope companion object**

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# **What are Coroutine Builders?**

**Coroutine builders are used for creating coroutines**

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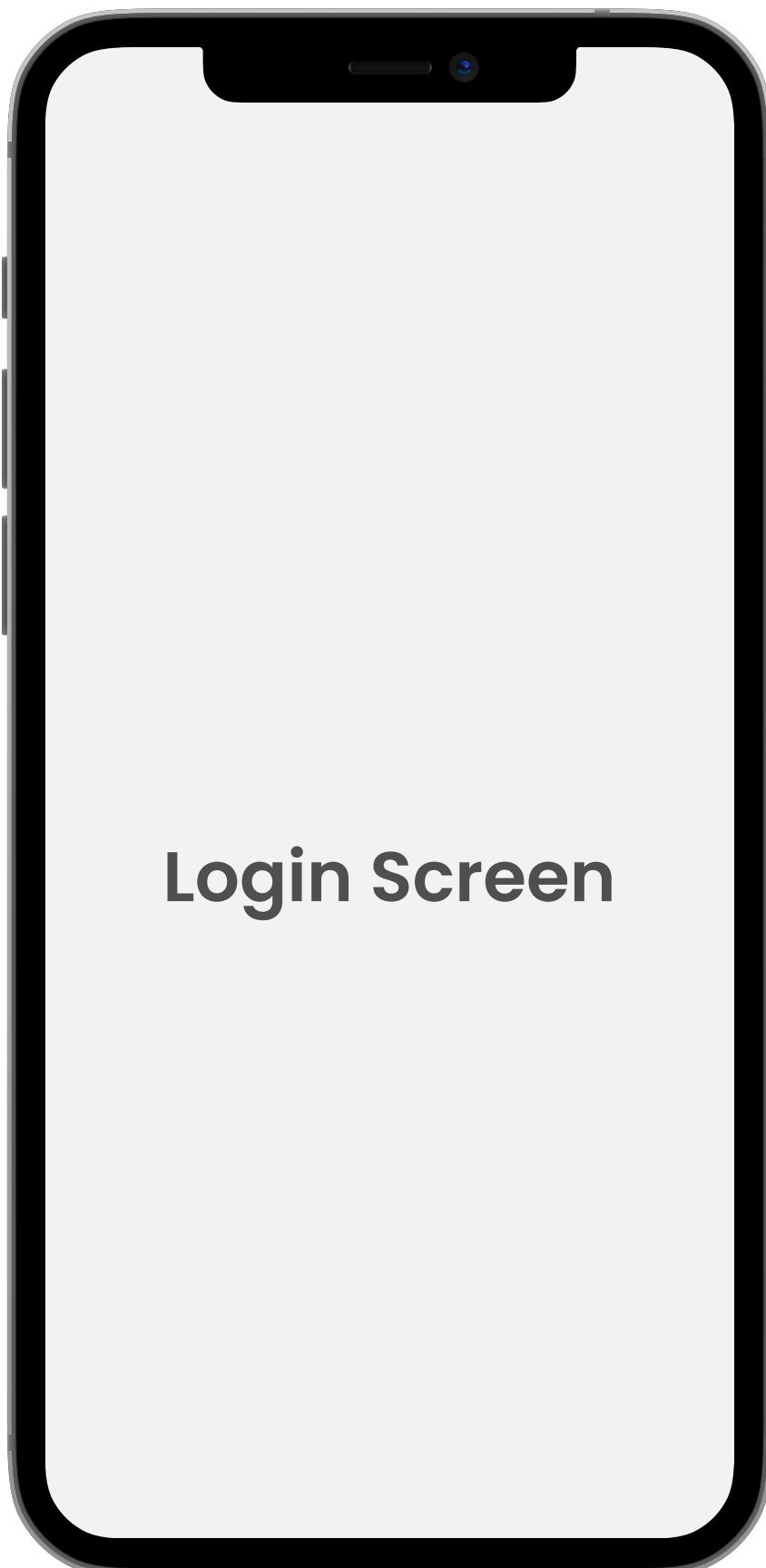
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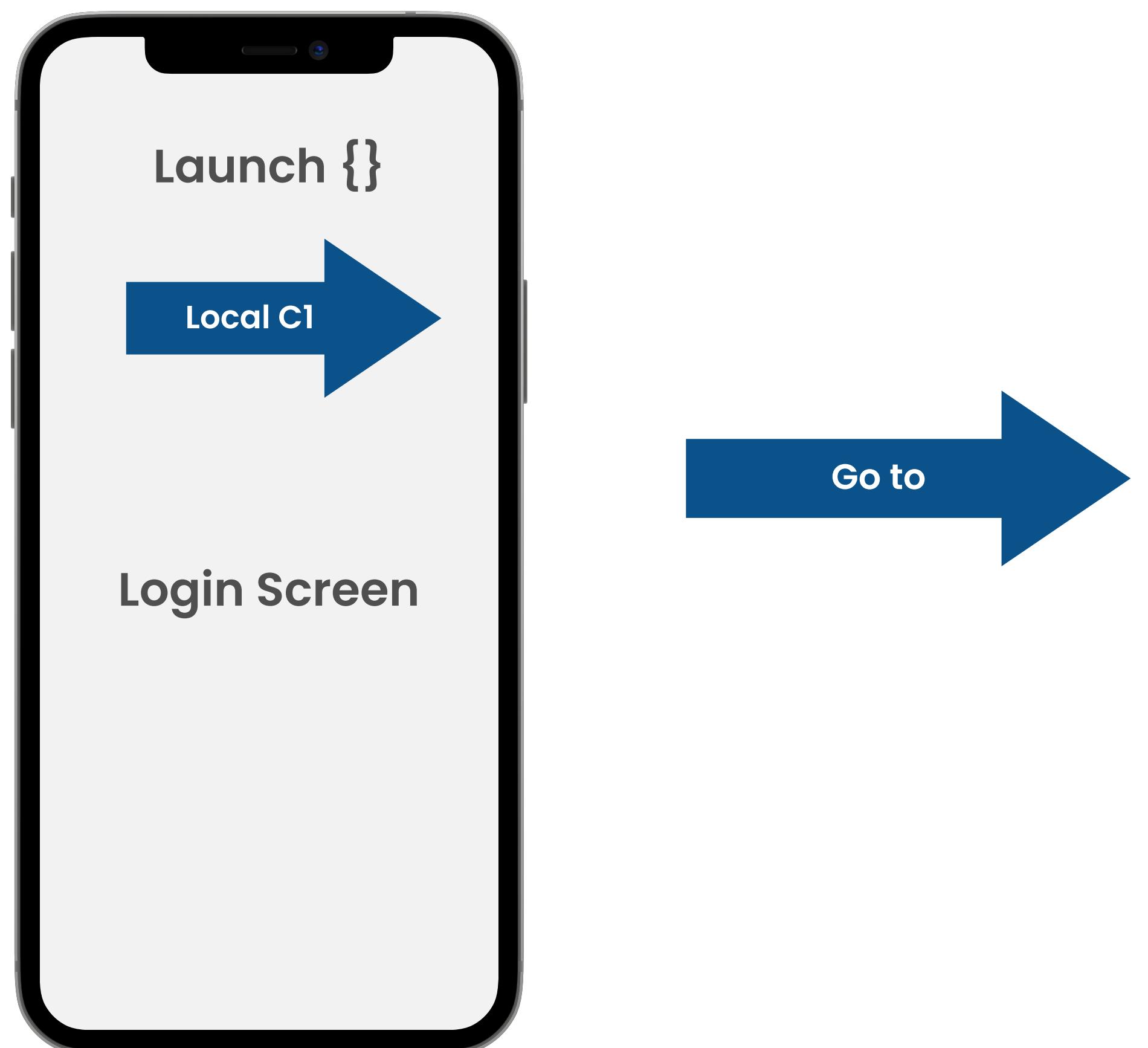
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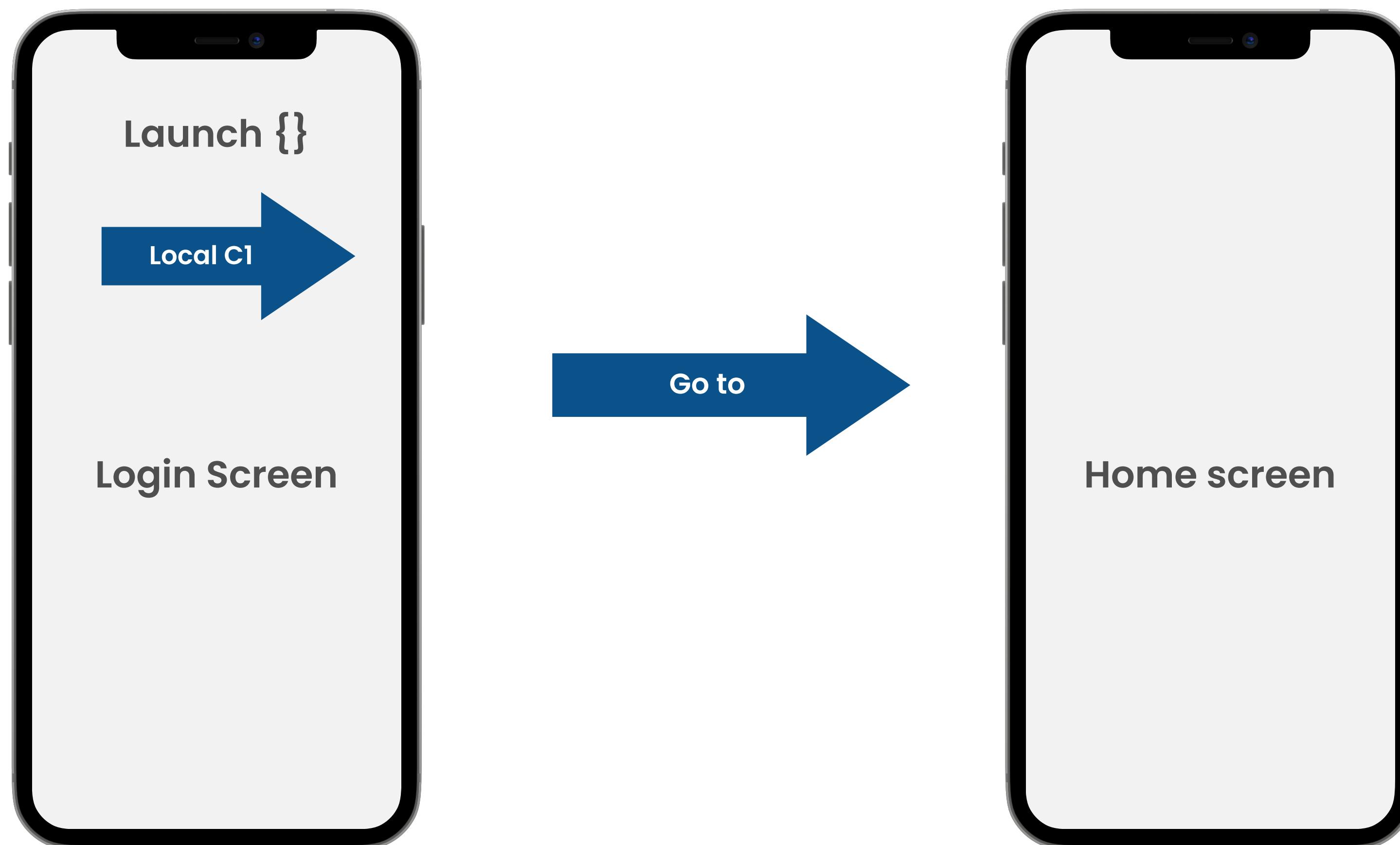
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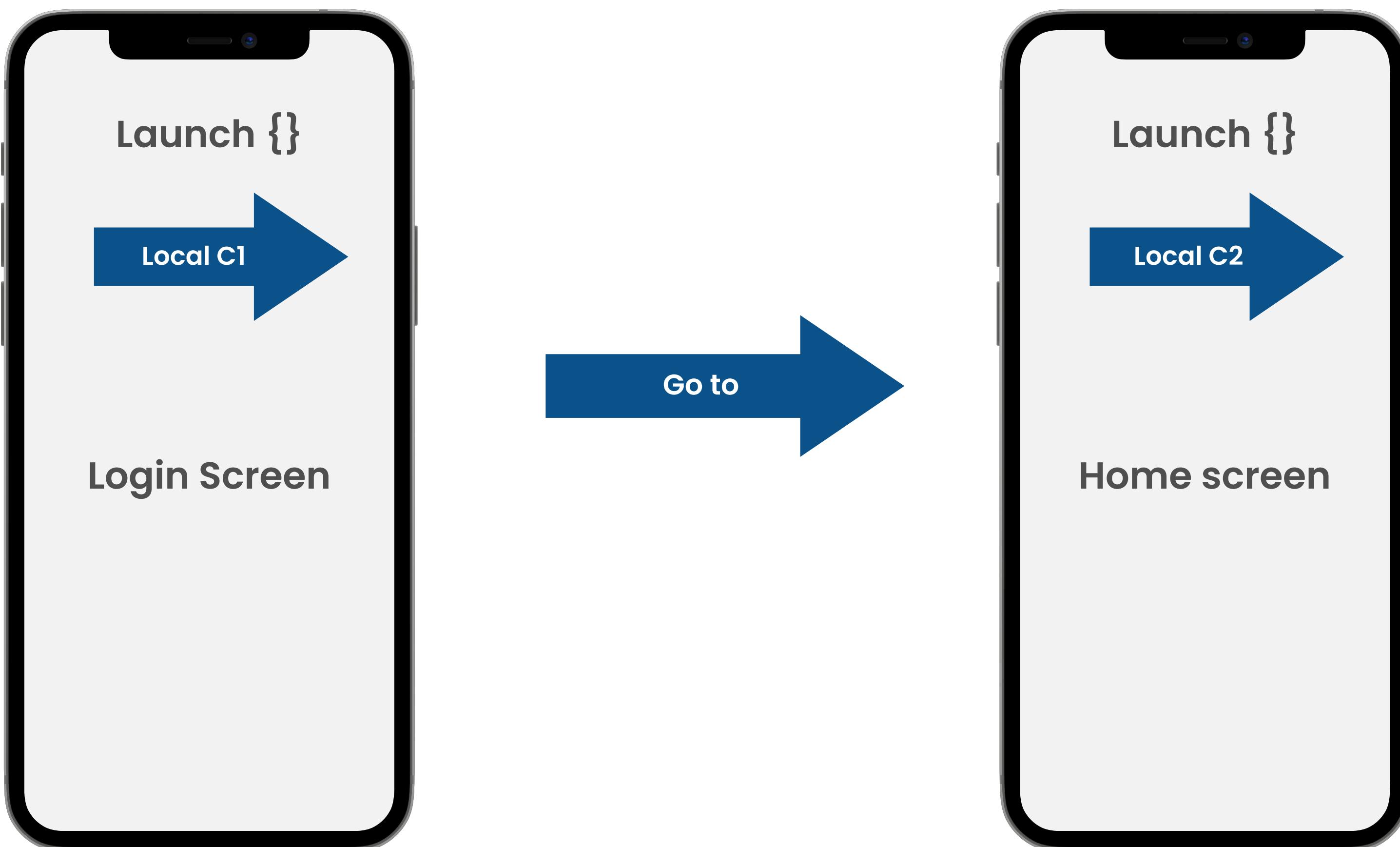
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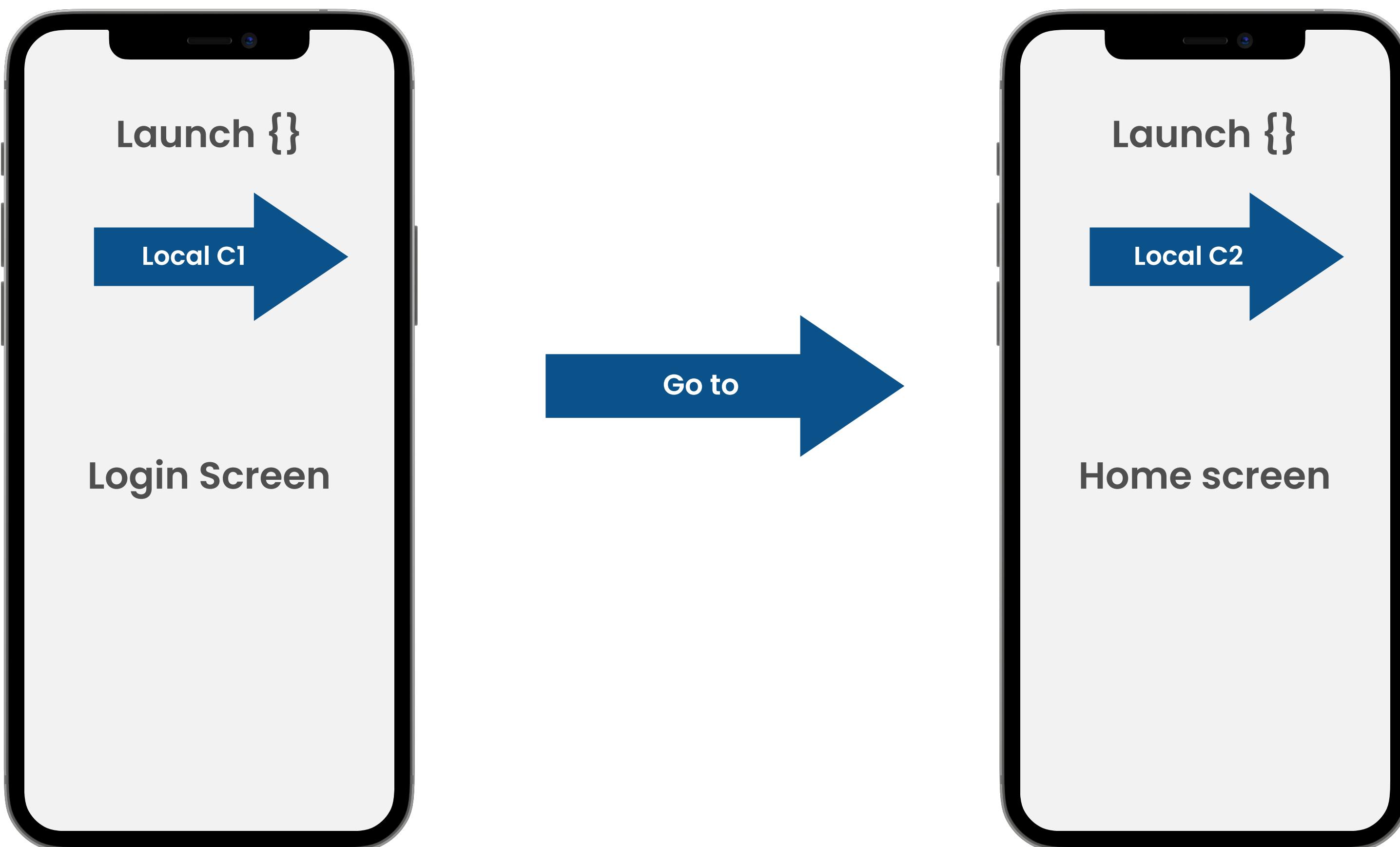
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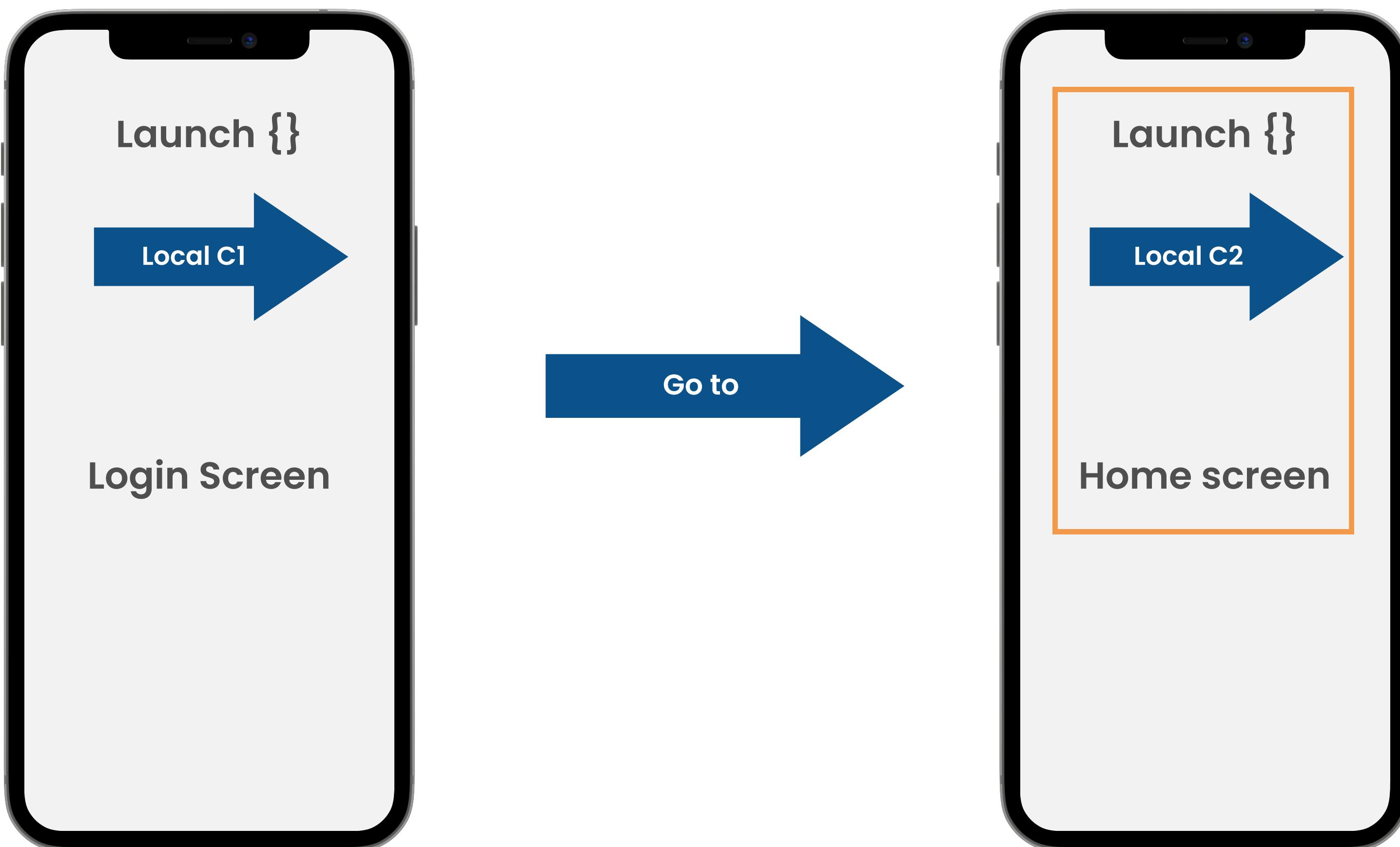
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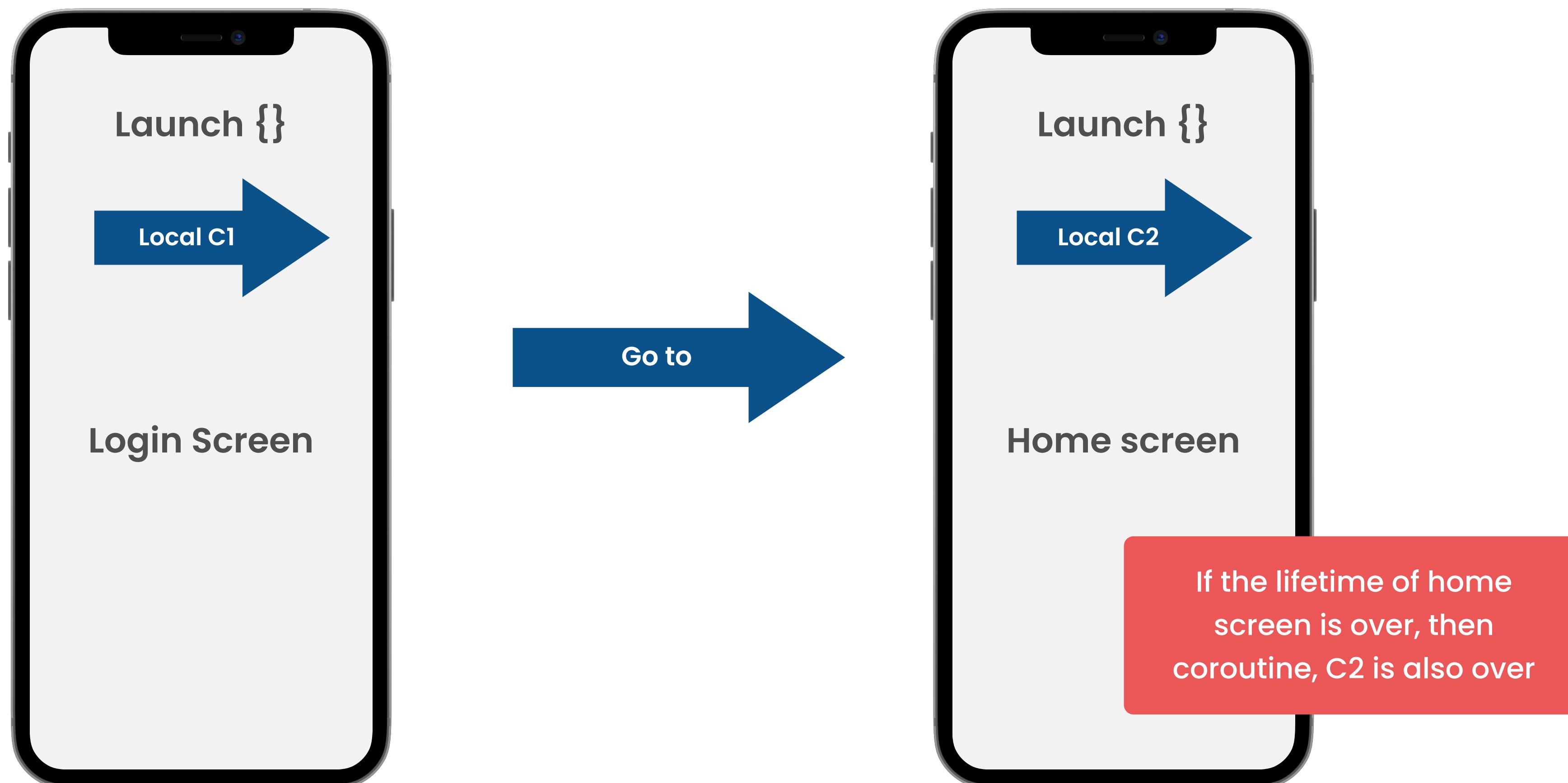
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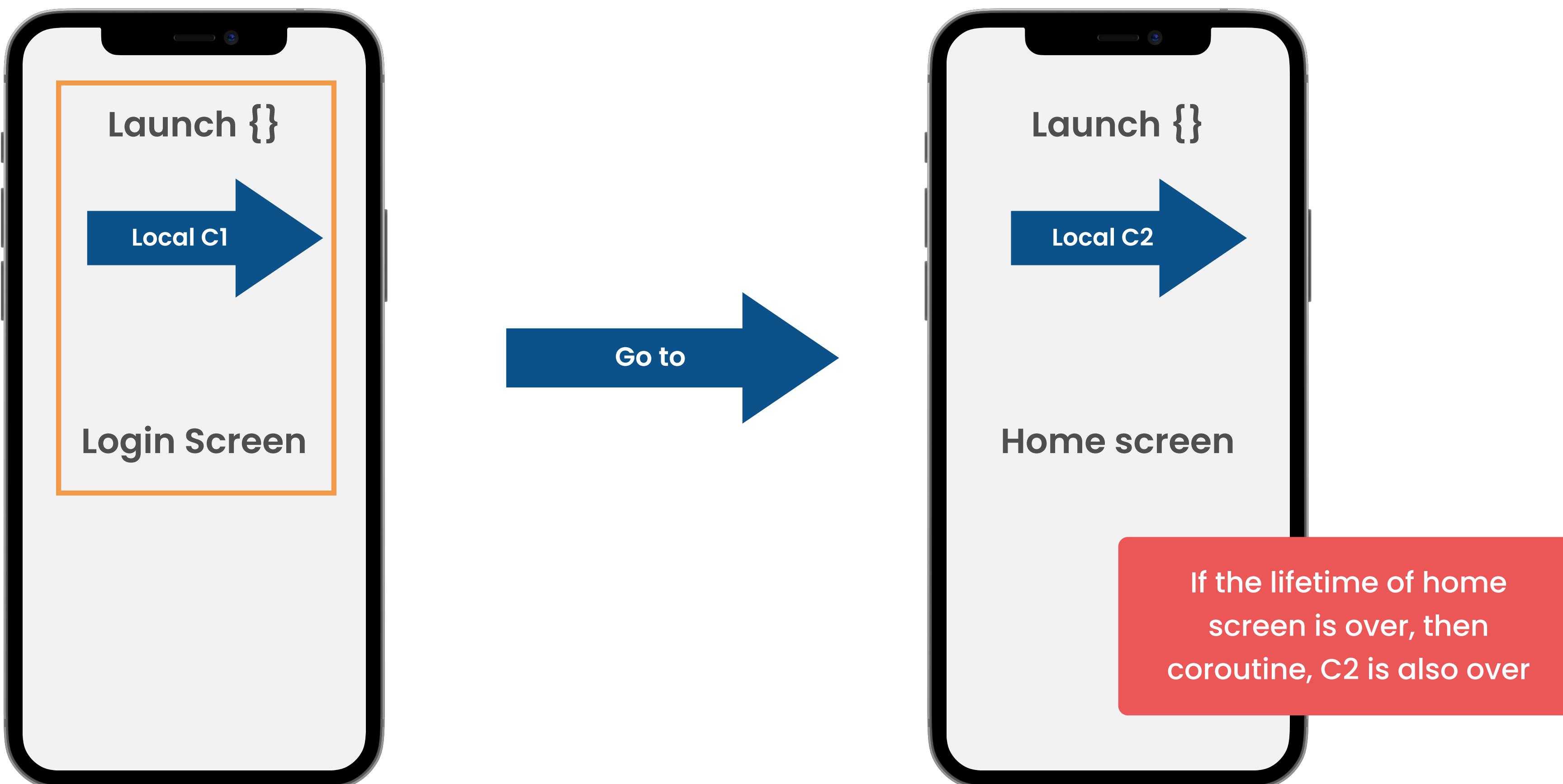
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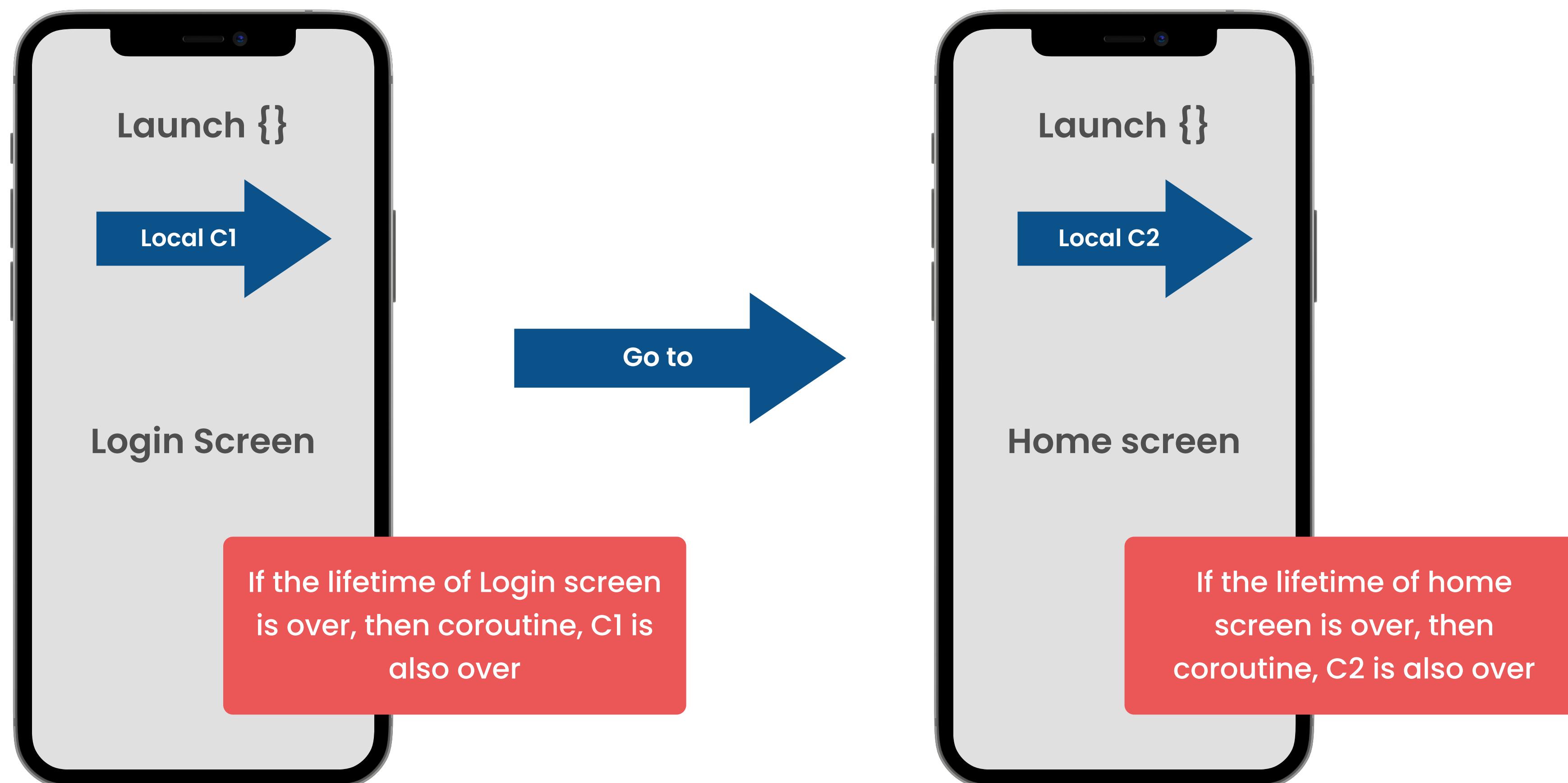
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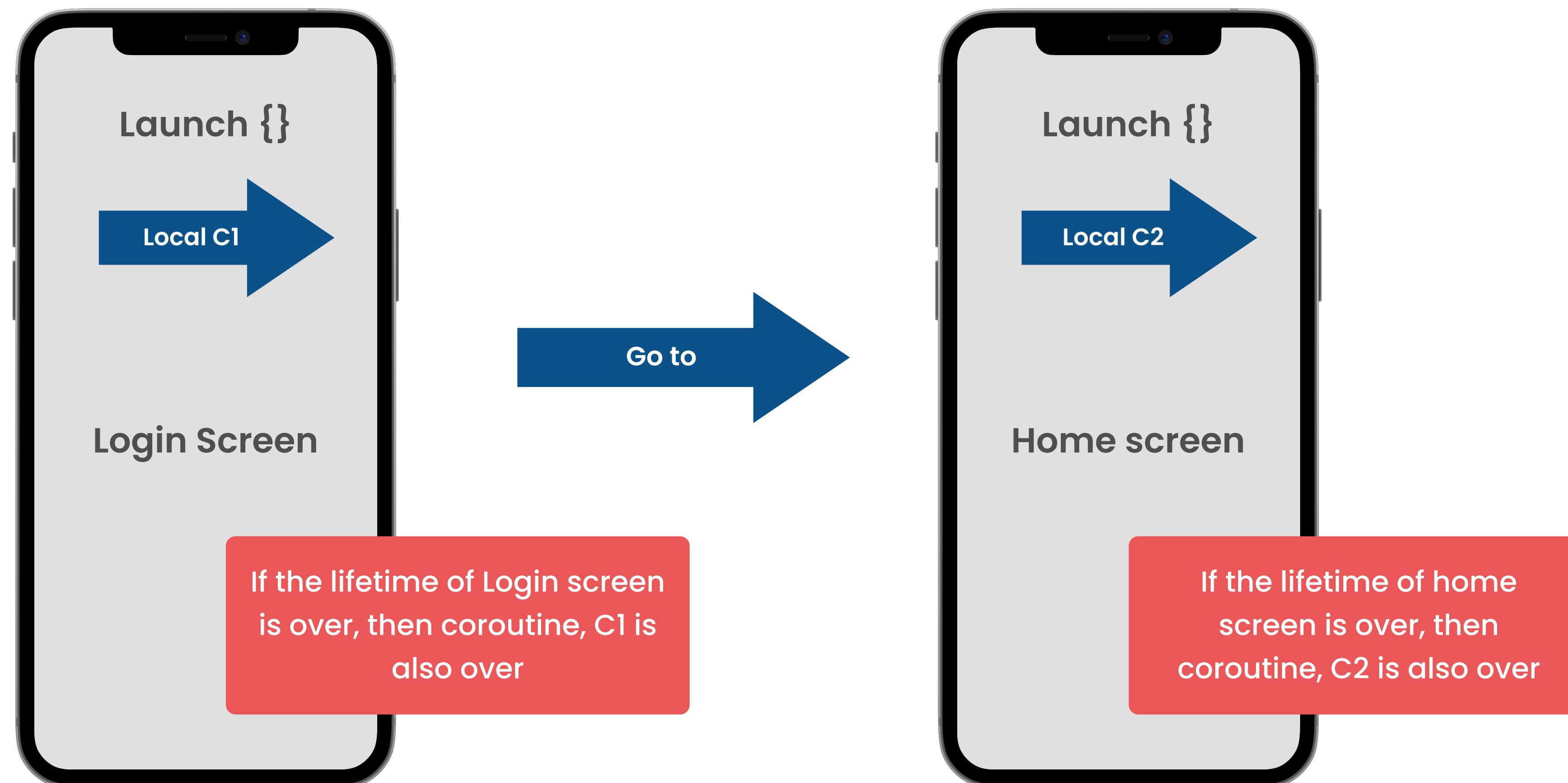


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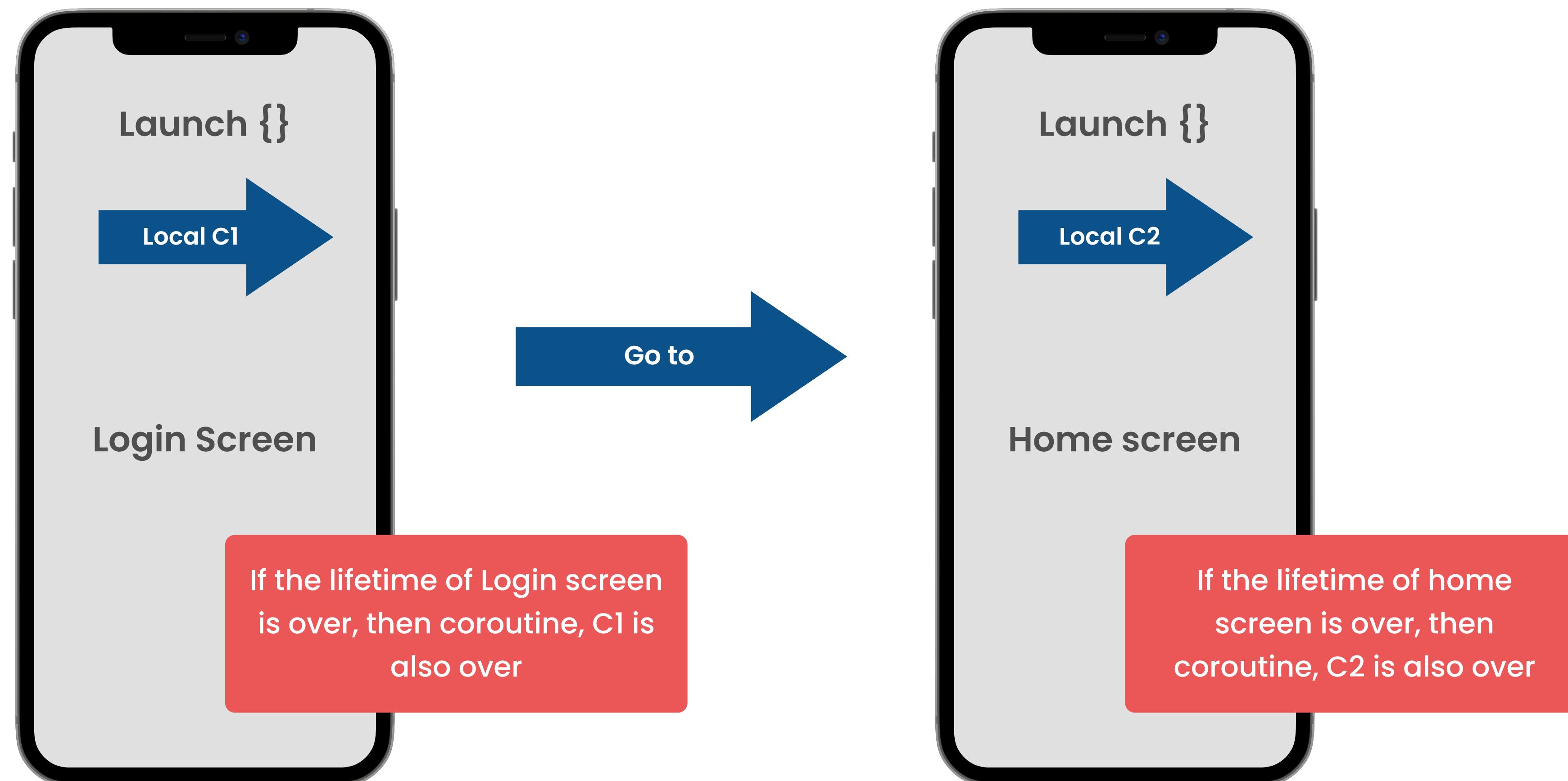
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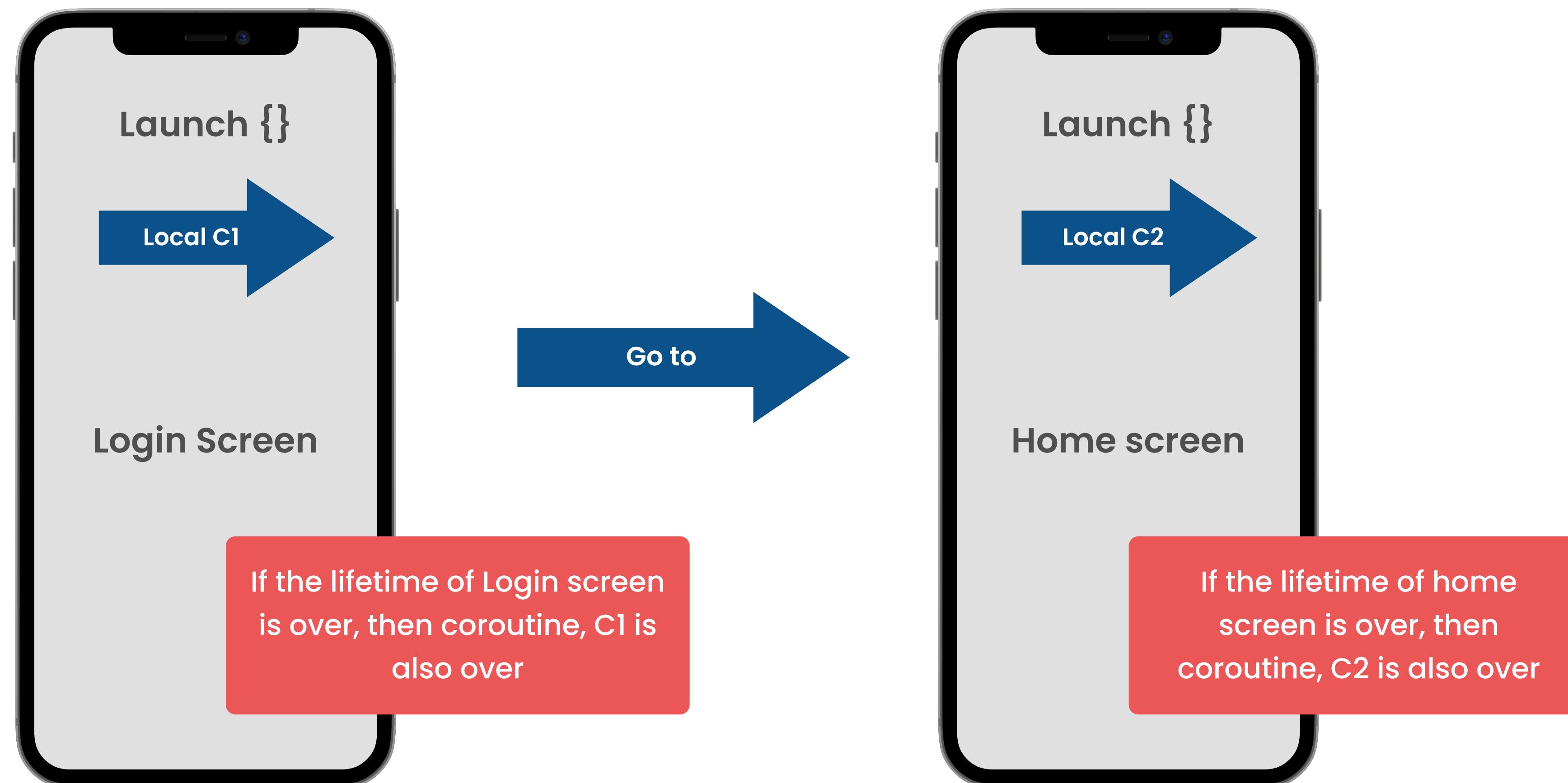
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Global Coroutines are top-level coroutines and survive the entire life of the application.



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