What's New in Foundation for Swift

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Swift API design guidelines

Improved Objective-C import

New value types

New Swift-specific API

API Design Guidelines







Cocoa SDK





Consistent Experience

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Huge number of features

Widespread adoption

Battle-tested implementation

Consistent naming conventions

Continuous development

Consistent Experience

| Libraries | Language | |
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| Huge number of features | Generics | |
| Widespread adoption | Built-in support for mutation | |
| Battle-tested implementation | Protocol extensions | |
| Consistent naming conventions | Function overloading | |
| Continuous development | Default argument values | |

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Turned attention to Foundation

Unique spot in the SDK

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Low level

Used everywhere

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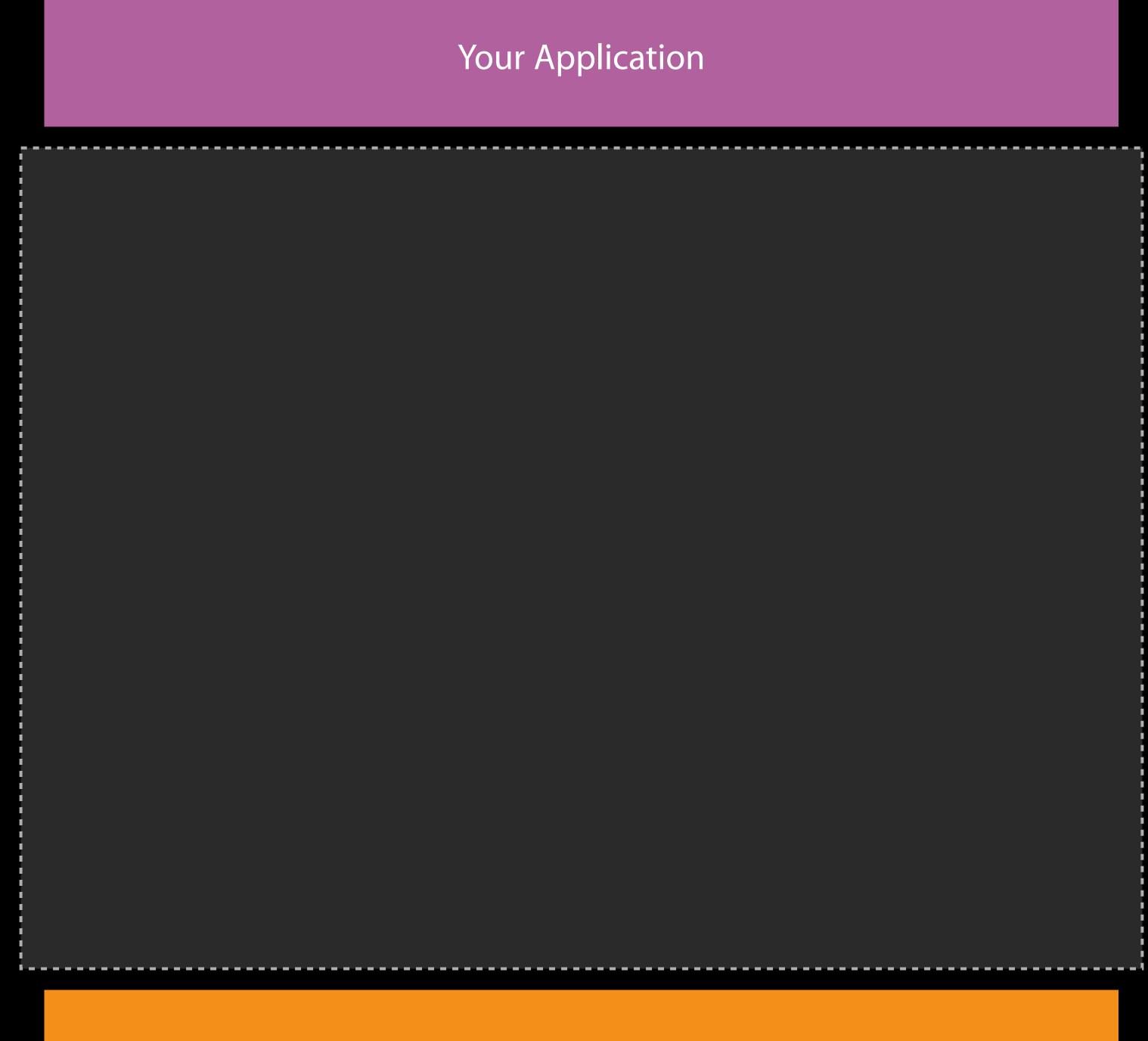
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High level

• Establishes common types and design patterns

Cocoa SDK

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|-----------|-----------|----------|
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Leverage point

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Evolution over revolution

Foundation Evolution

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SE-0069 Mutability and Foundation Value Types

Foundation Evolution

SE-0069 Mutability and Foundation Value Types

SE-0086 Drop NS Prefix in Swift Foundation

Foundation API Improvements

Value semantics

Further naming improvements

Adoption of standard library protocols

Additional type safety

Swift-specific features

Copy content on assignment or when passed as parameter

```
let start = CGPoint(x: 1, y: 2)
var end = start
end.x += 8
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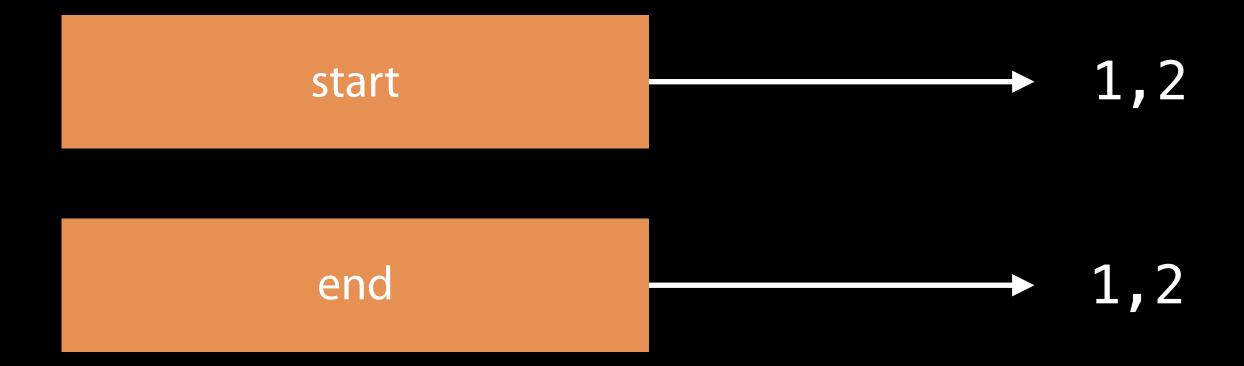
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start 1,2

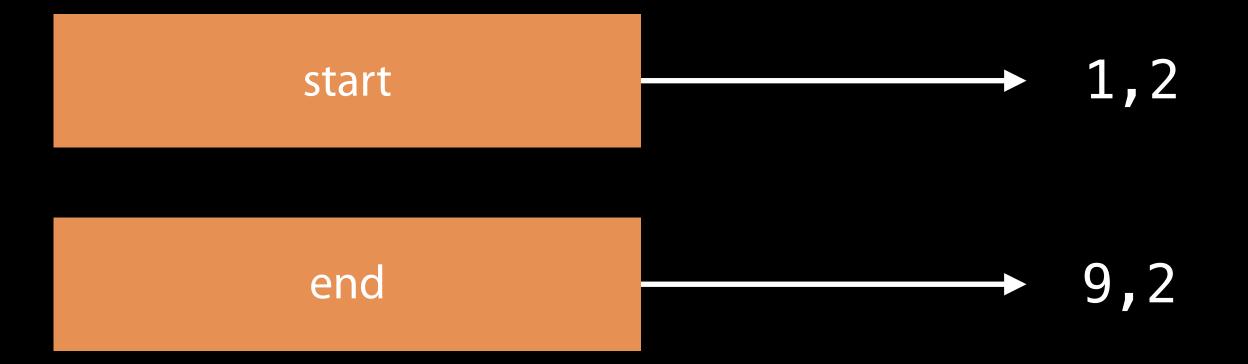
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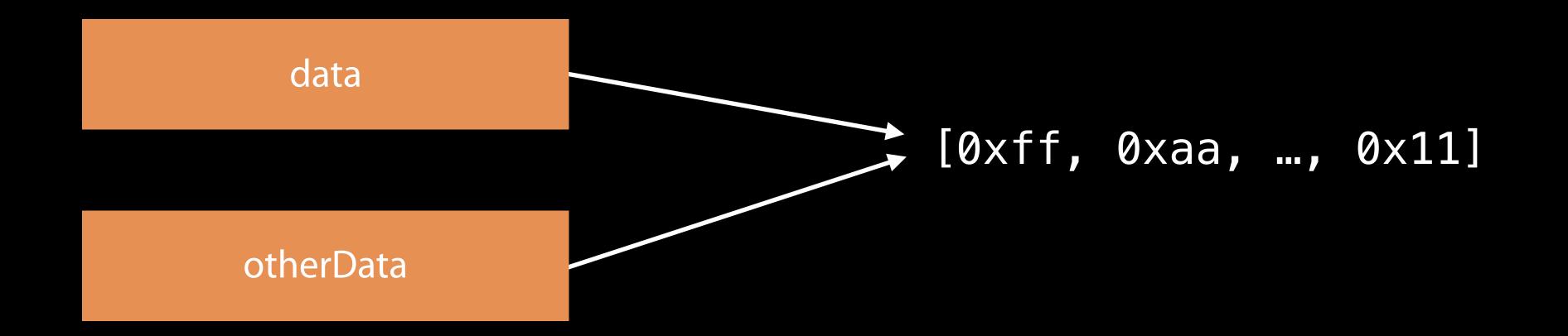
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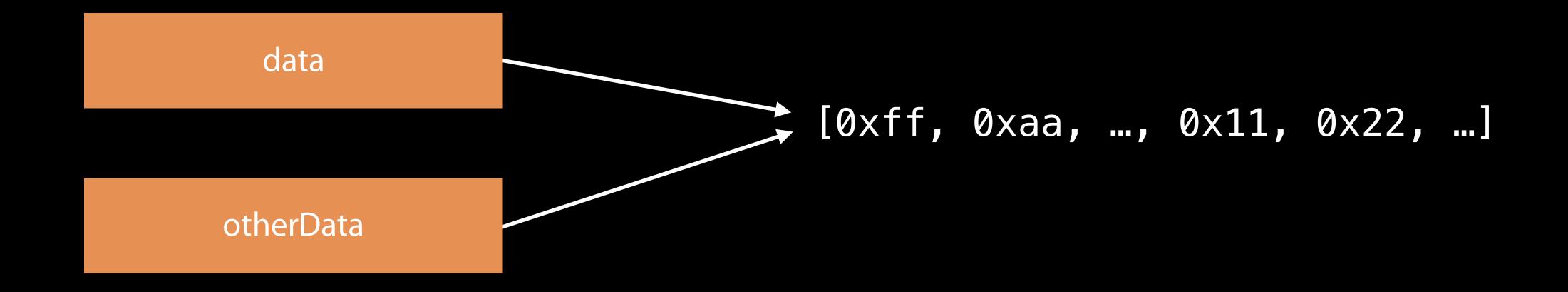
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var otherData = data
otherData.append(NSData(withContentsOf: file2)
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Object identity vs. stored contents

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URLSession.delegate

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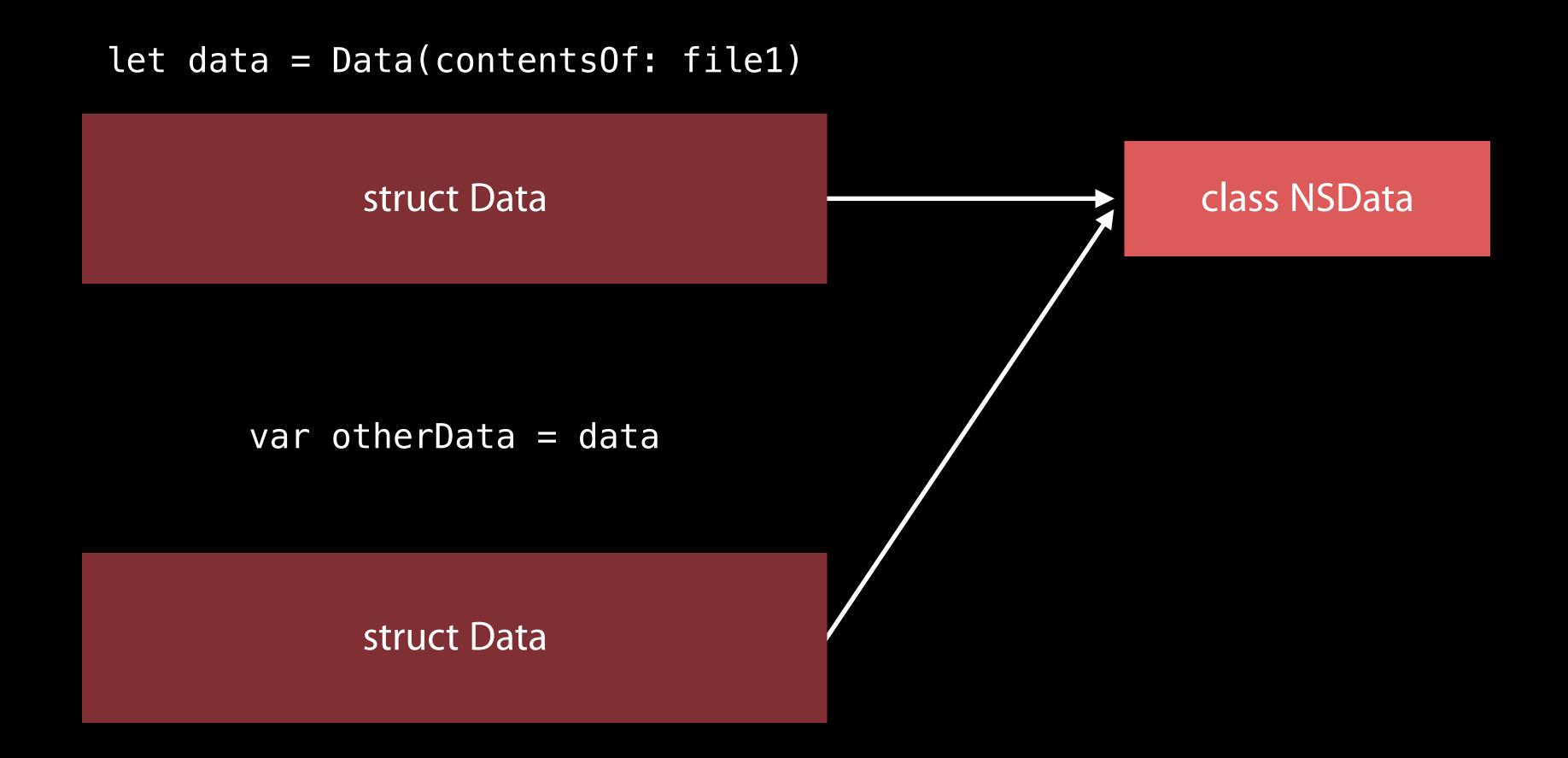
Data

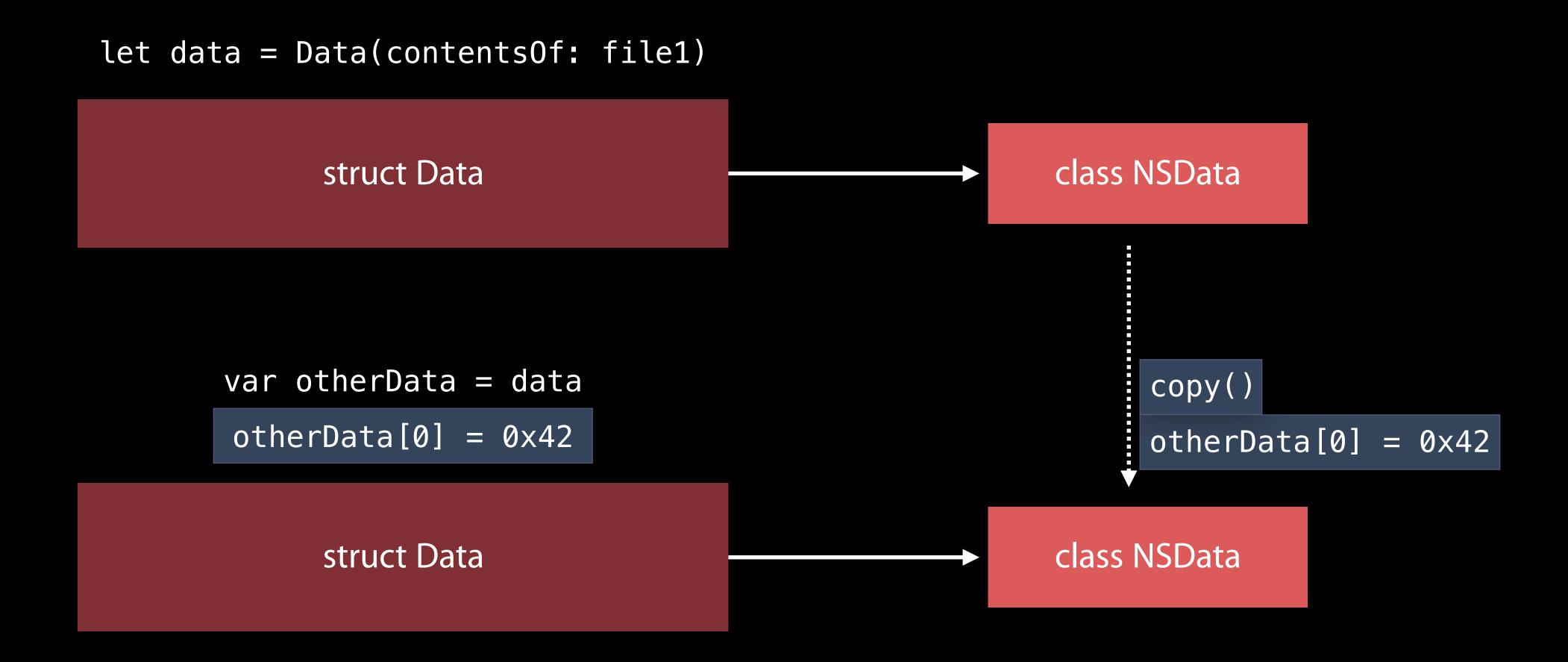
```
public struct Data: Equatable, Hashable, RandomAccessCollection, MutableCollection
```

```
let data = Data(contents0f: file1)
```

struct Data







let data = Data(contents0f: file1) class NSData struct Data var otherData = data copy() otherData[0] = 0x42otherData[0] = 0x42class NSData struct Data

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class NSData



otherData[1] = 0x43

otherData[2] = 0x44

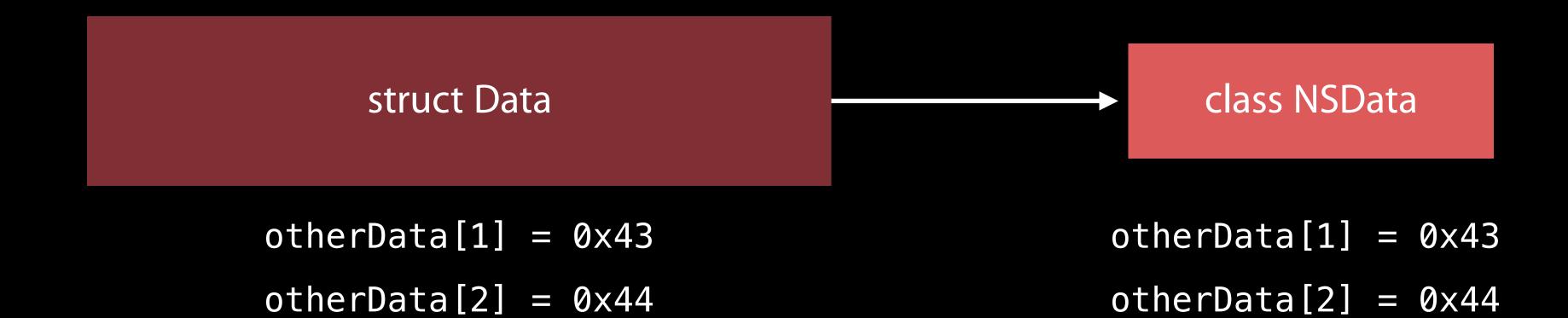
class NSData

otherData[1] = 0x43

otherData[2] = 0x44

let data = Data(contents0f: file1)





Building Better Apps with Value Types in Swift

WWDC 2015

New Value Types



AffineTransform

CharacterSet

Data

Date

DateComponents

DateInterval (new)

Decimal (improved)

IndexPath

IndexSet

Measurement (new)

Notification

PersonNameComponents

URL

URLComponents

URLRequest

URLQueryltem

UUID

API Exploration

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Objective-C constants namespace by convention

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```
typedef NS_ENUM(NSUInteger, NSNumberFormatterStyle) { ... }
typedef NS_ENUM(NSUInteger, NSNumberFormatterPadPosition) { ... }
typedef NS_ENUM(NSUInteger, NSNumberFormatterPadPosition) { ... }
typedef NS_ENUM(NSUInteger, NSNumberFormatterRoundingMode) { ... }
```

Objective-C constants namespace by convention

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typedef NS_ENUM(NSUInteger, NSNumberFormatterStyle) { ... }
typedef NS_ENUM(NSUInteger, NSNumberFormatterBehavior) { ... }
typedef NS_ENUM(NSUInteger, NSNumberFormatterPadPosition) { ... }
typedef NS_ENUM(NSUInteger, NSNumberFormatterRoundingMode) { ... }

// Swift 2.2
public enum NSNumberFormatterStyle : UInt { ... }
public enum NSNumberFormatterBehavior : UInt { ... }
public enum NSNumberFormatterPadPosition : UInt { ... }
public enum NSNumberFormatterPadPosition : UInt { ... }
```



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```
// Swift 3
public class NumberFormatter {
   public enum style { ... }
   public enum behavior { ... }
   public enum padPosition { ... }
   public enum roundingMode { ... }
}
```

Strongly Typed String Enumerations

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NSNotificationName const NSProcessInfoThermalStateDidChangeNotification;
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NSURLResourceKey const NSURLCreationDateKey;
NSURLResourceKey const NSURLVolumeMaximumFileSizeKey;
```





```
// Objective-C
extern NSNotificationName const MyUserBecameActiveNotification;
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```
// Swift 3
public extension Notification.Name {
   public static let userLoggedOut = Notification.Name("UserLoggedOut")
}
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public static let userLoggedOut = Notification.Name("UserLoggedOut")

let n = Notification(name: _userLoggedOut, object: nil)



String enumerations are extensible

public extension Notification Name {

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// Objective-C (conventional class properties)
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Objective-C class properties appear as Swift class properties

```
// Swift 2.2
public class NSUserDefaults {
  public class func standardUserDefaults() -> NSUserDefaults
}
```



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public class NSUserDefaults {
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```
// Swift 3 (almost)
public class UserDefaults {
   public class var standardUserDefaults: UserDefaults
}
```



Objective-C class properties appear to Swift class properties

```
// Swift 2.2
public class NSUserDefaults {
  public class func standardUserDefaults() -> NSUserDefaults
}
```

```
// Swift 3
public class UserDefaults {
   public class var standard: UserDefaults
}
```

Date

Measurement

URLComponents

// Value Types: Date

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// Swift 2.2

func whenToLeave() -> NSDate { ... }
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let date = whenToLeave()
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func whenToLeave() -> NSDate { ... }

let date = whenToLeave()

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Allocation Count: 1

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Allocation Count: 2

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// Date as a Value Type

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// Swift 3
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// Swift 3
func whenToLeave() -> Date { ... }
var date = whenToLeave()
```

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```
NEW
```

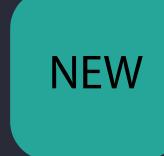
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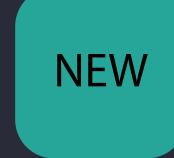
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date.addTimeInterval(-5.0 * 60.0)
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func whenToLeave() -> Date { ... }
let when = whenToLeave().addingTimeInterval(-5.0 * 60.0)
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Protocol Conformance



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CharacterSet and IndexSet conform to SetAlgebra

Protocol Conformance



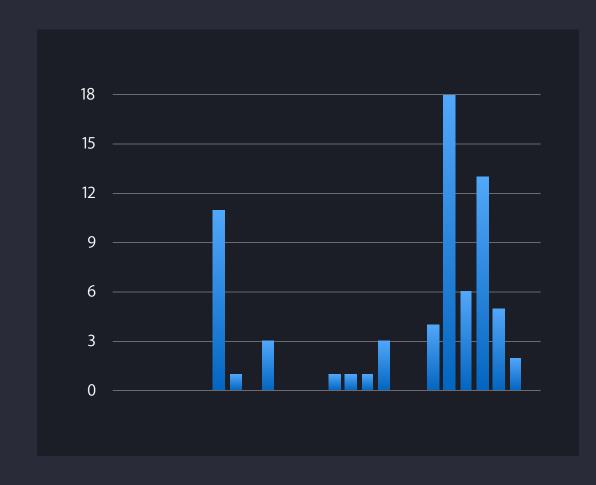
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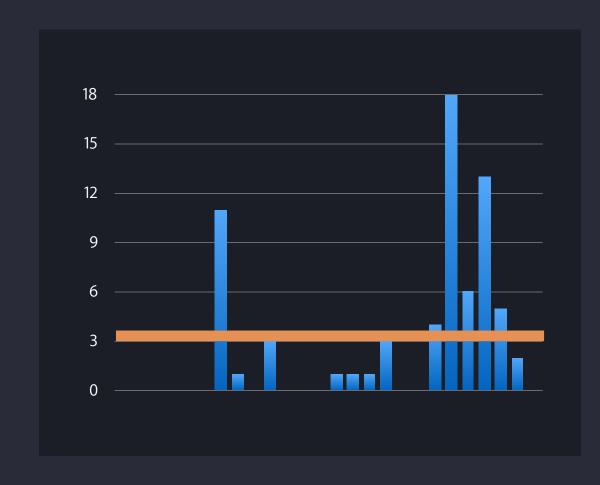
Data conforms to

- MutableCollection with ElementType = UInt8
- RandomAccessCollection

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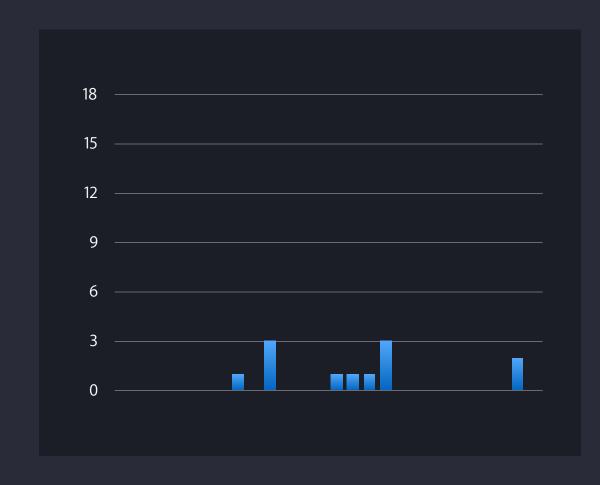




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             "l0cy4gVGhlIHJlYmVscy4gVGhlIHRyb3VibGVtYWtlcnMu"
let data = Data(base64Encoded: base64)!
var byteHistogram = Array<Int>(repeating: 0, count: 256)
for byte in data {
   byteHistogram[Int(byte)] += 1
let lessCommonBytes = rawData.filter { (byte : UInt8) in
   return byteHistogram[Int(byte)] <= 3</pre>
```



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for byte in data {
   byteHistogram[Int(byte)] += 1
                                                               [72, 39, 111, 67, 97, 122, 121, 79]
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struct MutableRandomAccessSlice<Data>

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var subdata = lessCommonBytes[0..<8]</pre>
subdata[2] = 42
```

```
[72, 39, 111, 67, 97, 122, 121, 79]
[72, 39, 42, 67, 97, 122, 121, 79]
```

// Value Types and Inheritance

```
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```

class AllOnesData : NSData {

```
// Value Types and Inheritance

class AllOnesData : NSData {
    override func getBytes(_ buffer: UnsafeMutablePointer<Void>, length: Int) {
        memset(buffer, 1, length)
    }
    ...
}
```

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try url.setResourceValues(newValues)
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struct URLResourceValues





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    ...
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Bridging Two strategies

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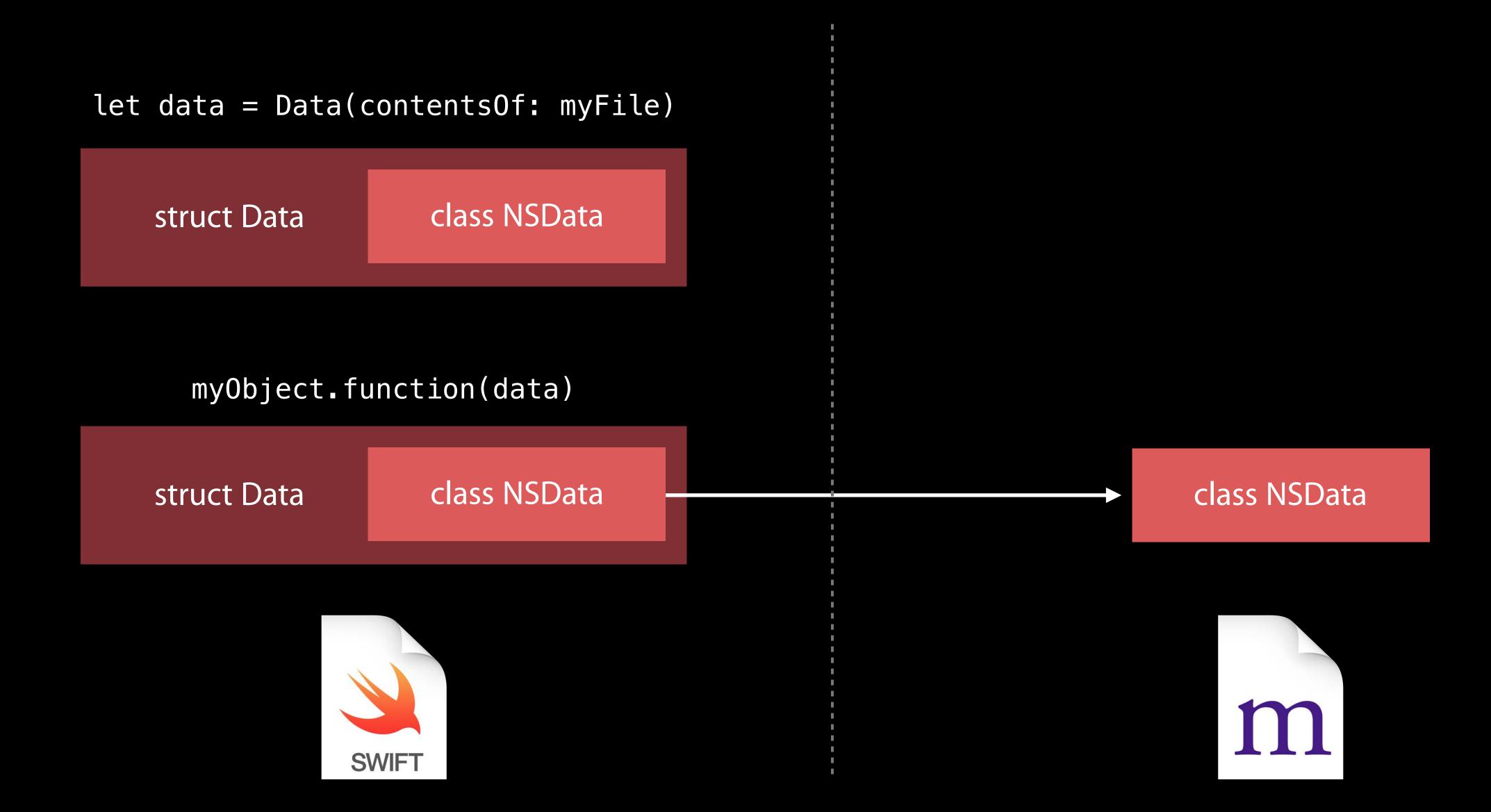
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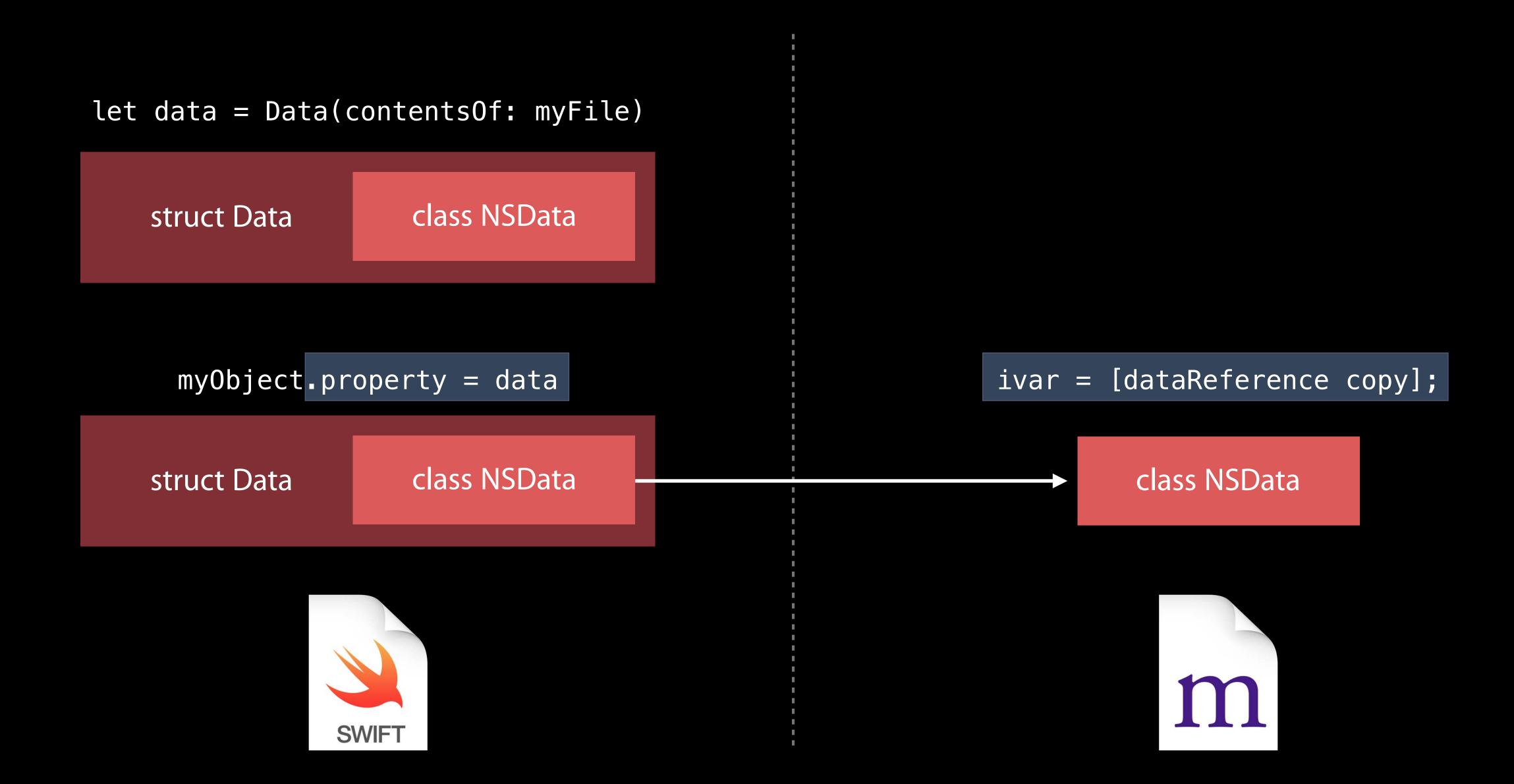
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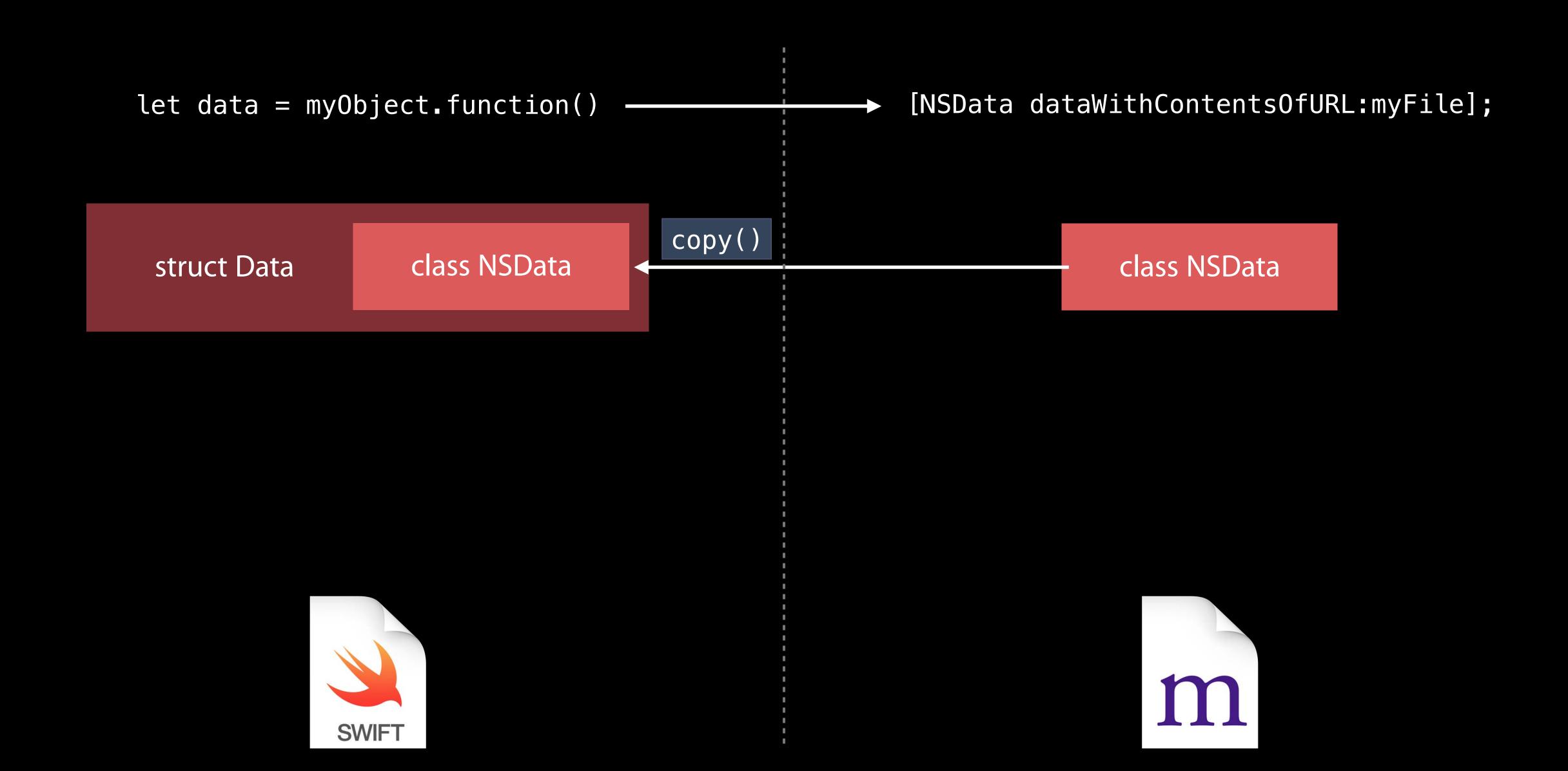


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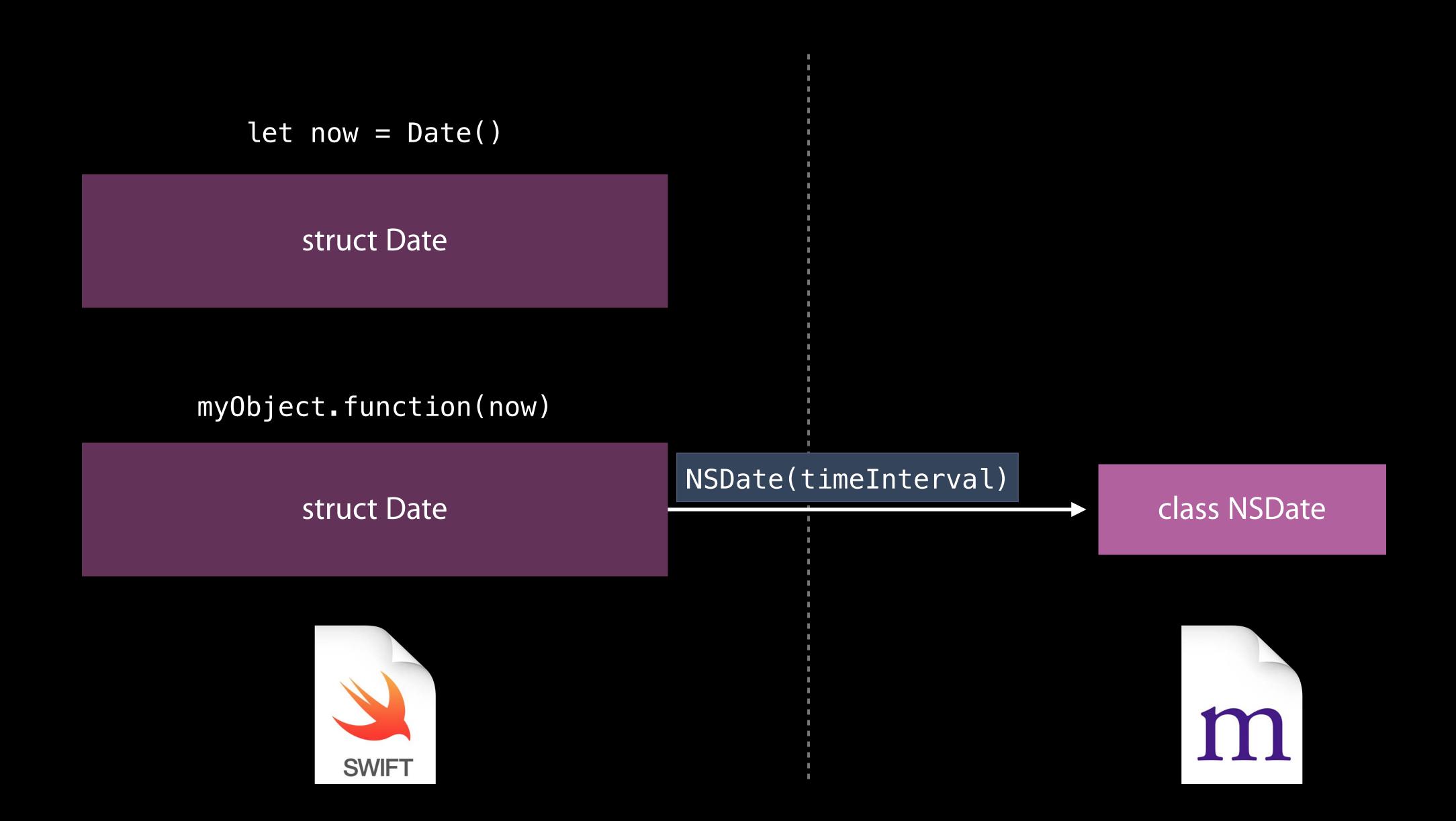
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