Mobile app development – week 14

- Handling pictures in Tingle Jonas Specht
- Lifecycle --- chapter 3 in the textbook Activities
 Fragments
- Examination
 Mandatory reading
 Exam questions
 Advice
- On Danish oral examinations (for newcomers)

June 15,17:00: Extra "class" ("spørgetime") in Aud 2 June 22 – June 28: Examination – schedule in learnIT



Lifecycle of an Activity

Why not just a main()?

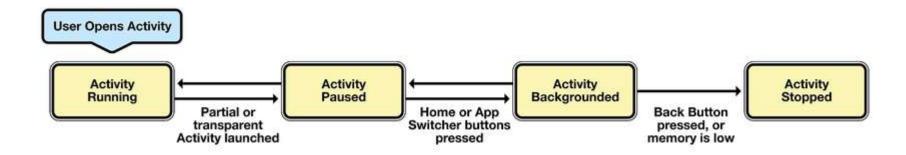
typically many apps coexist

one may interupt another (e.g. phone call)

Android system may kill an app

different UI in landscape and portrait

=>
 listeners (button, location change, ...)
 several states of an app



App starting methods

OnCreate ---- create and prepare to display creating views, initializing variabeles starting background thread



OnStart --- becoming visible refreshing views

OnRestart --- prepare to display

OnResume --- starting interacting listening for GPS updates, display dialogs, starting animations

http://stackoverflow.com/questions/8515936/android-activity-lifecycle-what-are-all-these-methods-for

App stopping methods

OnPause --- stop interacting saving persistent data, dismissing dialogs, clean up

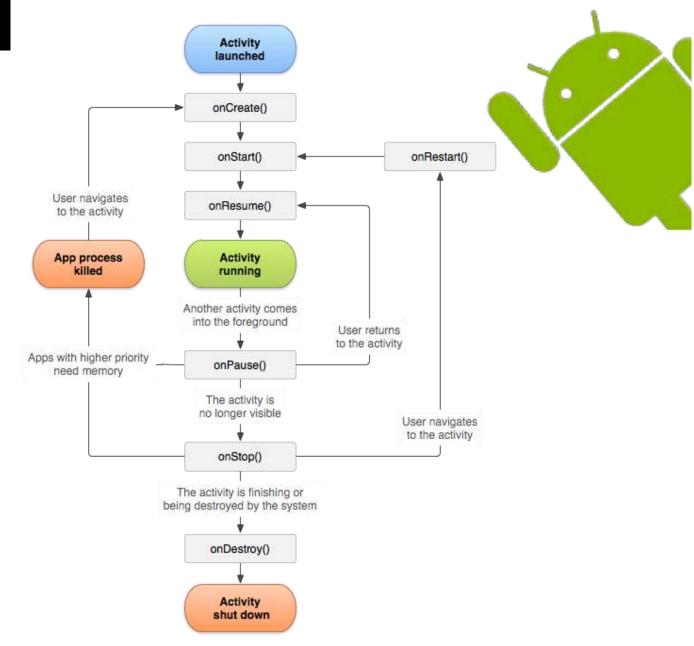
OnStop --- becoming invisible stop listening for GPS

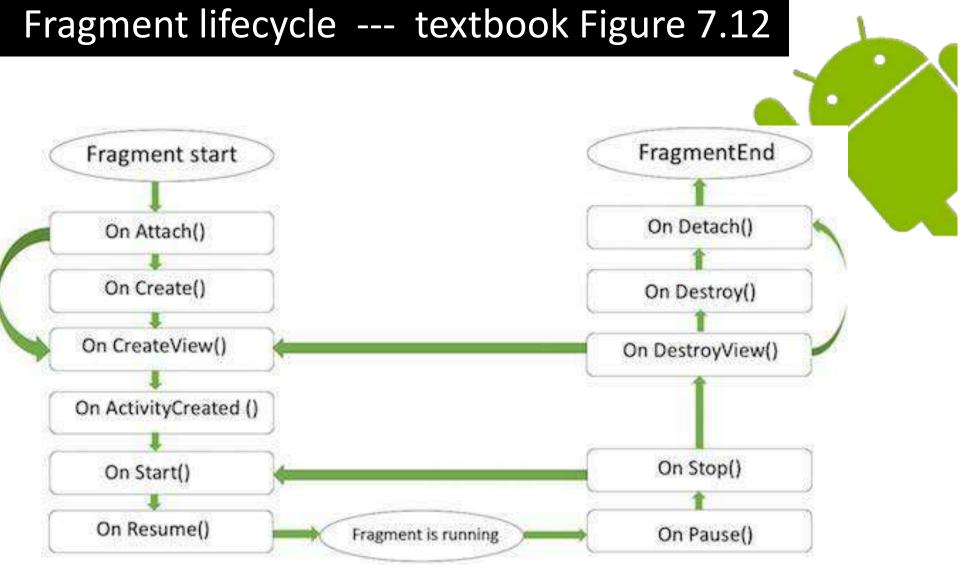
OnDestroy --- dying may not be called !!!

Do chapter3 // experiment with the code in learnIT (ActivityDemo)

Activity states

http://developer.android.com/guide/c omponents/activities.htm





http://www.tutorialspoint.com/android/android_fragments.htm

Second Mandatory Assignment





resubmission before May 19 24:00 (May 20 (00:00))

Examination

The exam questions (10) and list of mandatory reading are in readIT

prepare a short presentation for each question

Schedule will be announced in learnIT (next week)

Use learnIT forum to help each other

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Examination --- 30 minutes

- 1. Draw one of the announced questions
- 2. Present what you know

use your own words be concrete use examples e.g. from your assignment

- 3. Questions or interuptions listen to the question (no panic)
- 4. External examiner says OK (done)
- 5. Grading (wait outside)
- 6. You get the grade

