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Mobile Application Development

L06: iOS Drawing and Animation

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Views

Defines a rectangular area on the screen

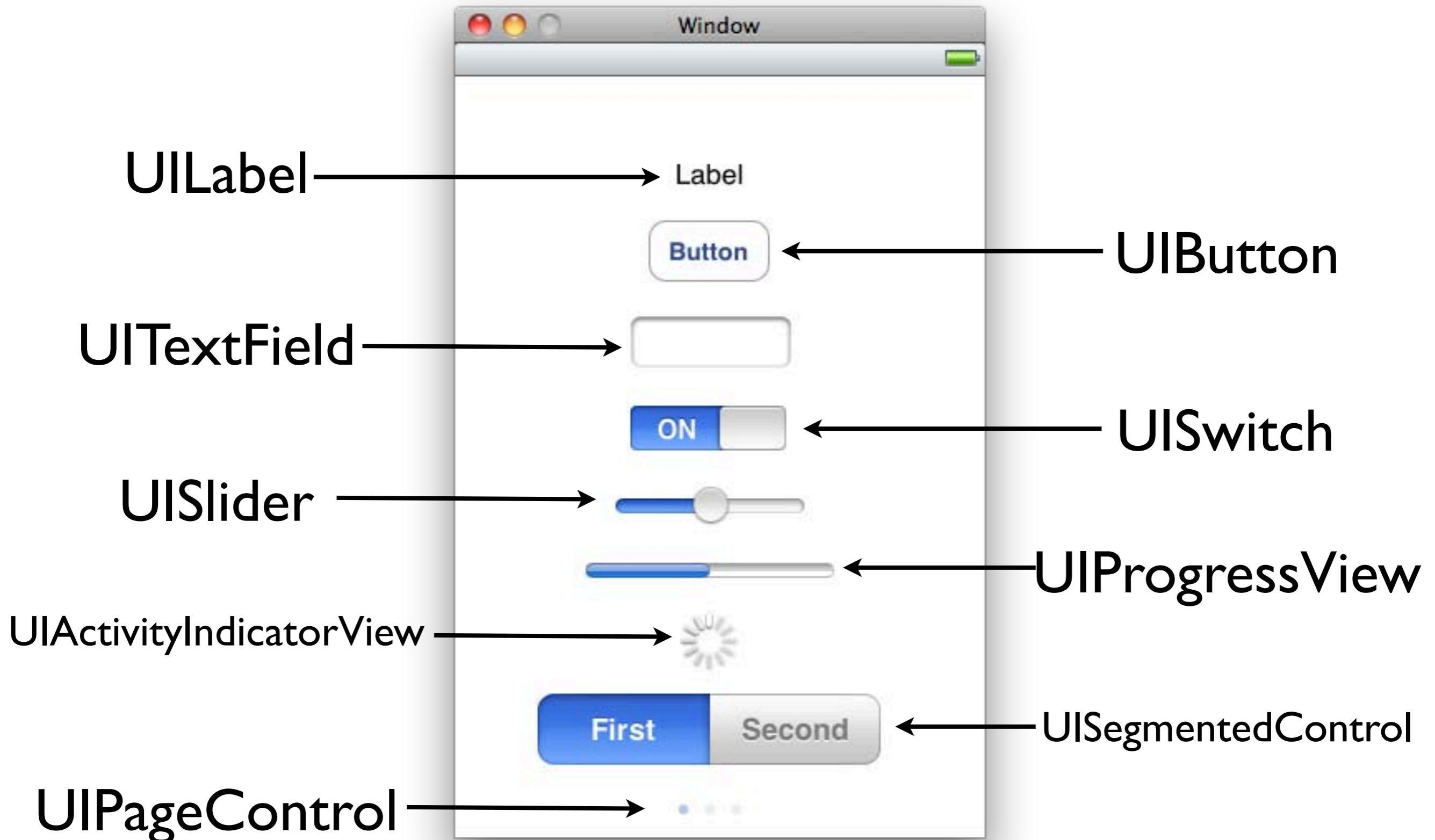
Responsibilities

Draw content

Arrange subviews

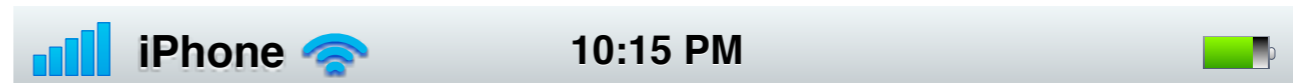
React to touch events

Simple Views



Bar Views

Status Bar



UINavigationController



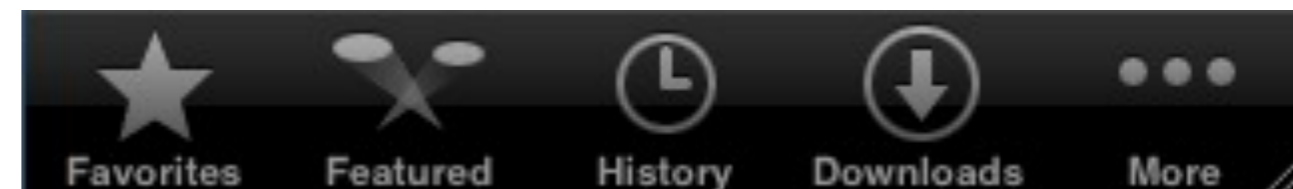
UISearchBar



UIToolbar

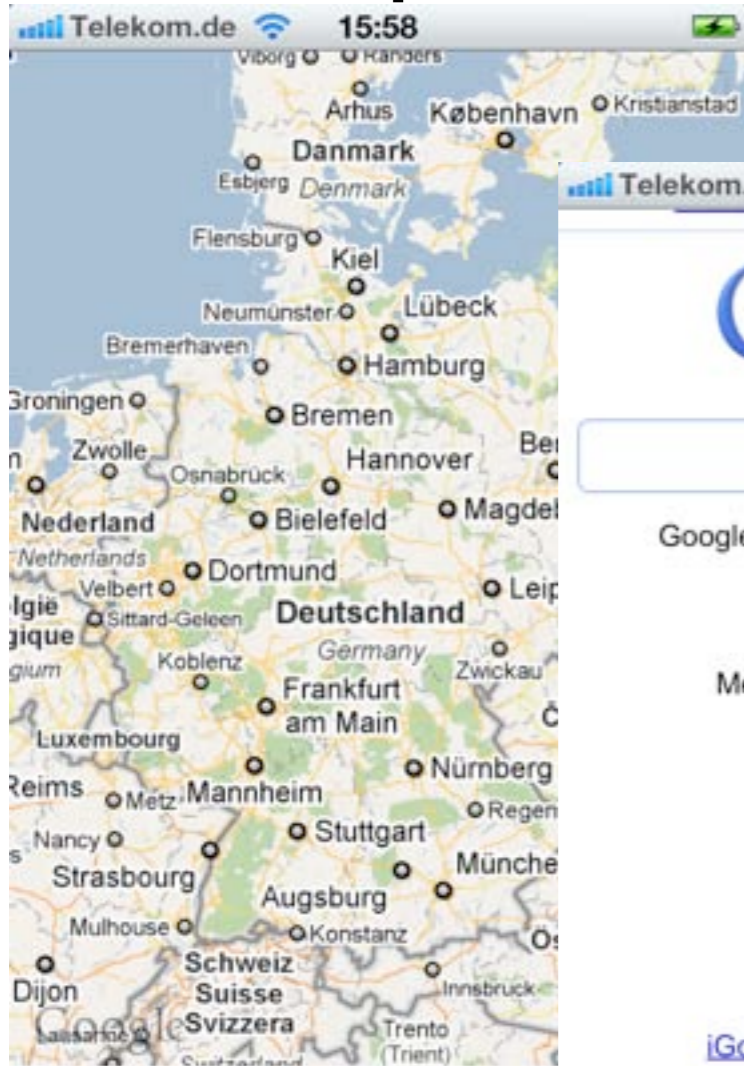


UITabBar

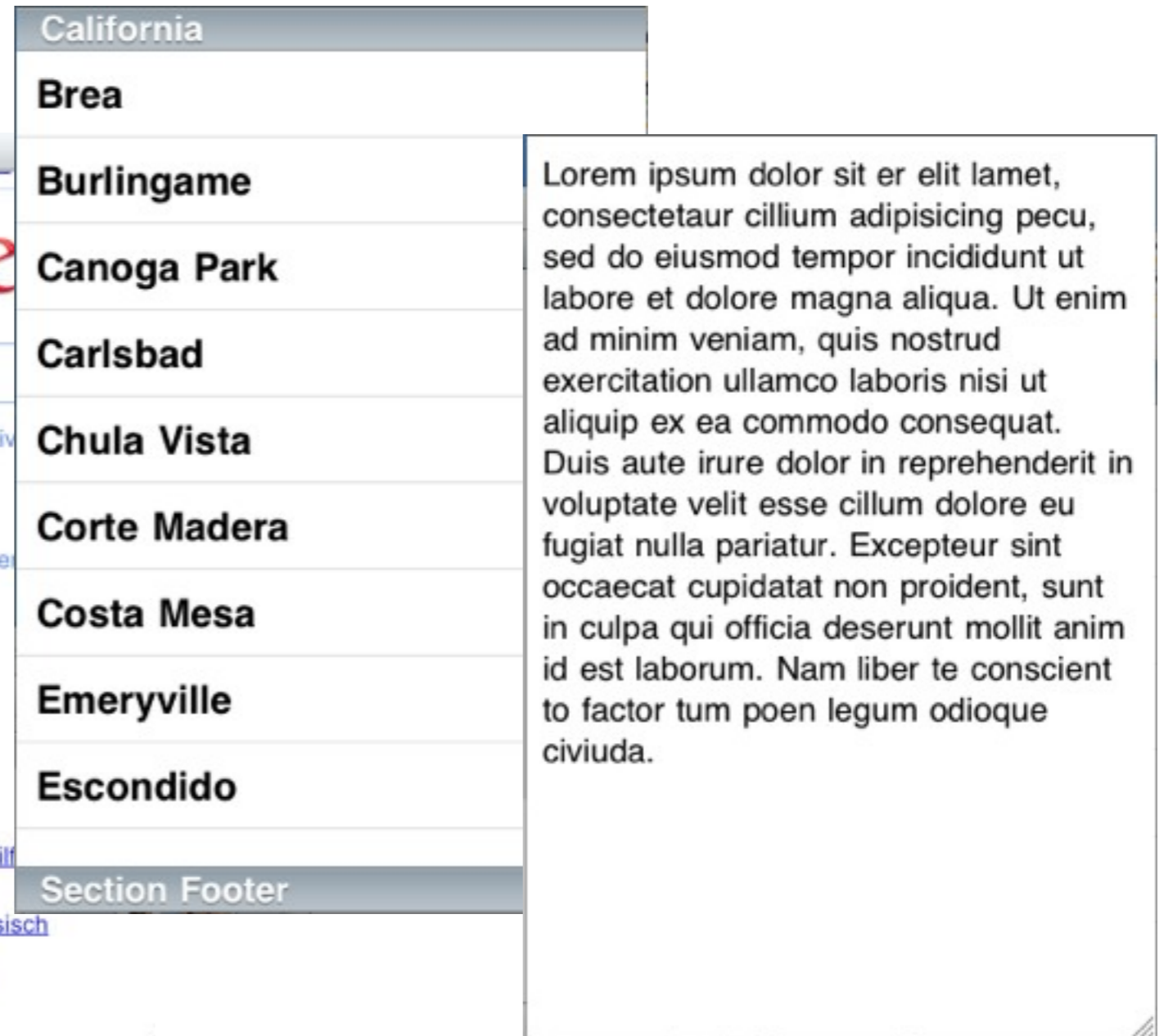


Complex Views

MKMapView



UITableView



UIWebView

UITextView

Draw content

- **How? CoreGraphics**
 - Get the graphics context
 - Configure the brush (color, line width, etc.)
 - Define a shape
 - Stroke or fill the shape
- **Where? Subclass UIView**
 - override - (void)drawRect:(CGRect)rect
 - For redraw: [view setNeedsDisplay]

Drawing Example

```
- (void)drawRect:(CGRect)rect {  
  
    // Get the graphics context  
    CGContextRef context = UIGraphicsGetCurrentContext();  
  
    // Set stroke and fill color  
    [[UIColor whiteColor] set];  
  
    // Define a line as the shape to be drawn  
    CGContextMoveToPoint(context, 10.0, 30.0);  
    CGContextAddLineToPoint(context, 310.0, 30.0);  
  
    // Stroke the line  
    CGContextStrokePath(context);  
  
}
```


Layout (Sub-) Views

- Where?
 - In the interface description (.xib)
 - In a View Controller (e.g., loadView)
 - In a View (initWithFrame:)
- How?
 - Manage the view hierarchy (subviews, superviews)
 - Manage the frame and bounds

Frame vs. Bounds



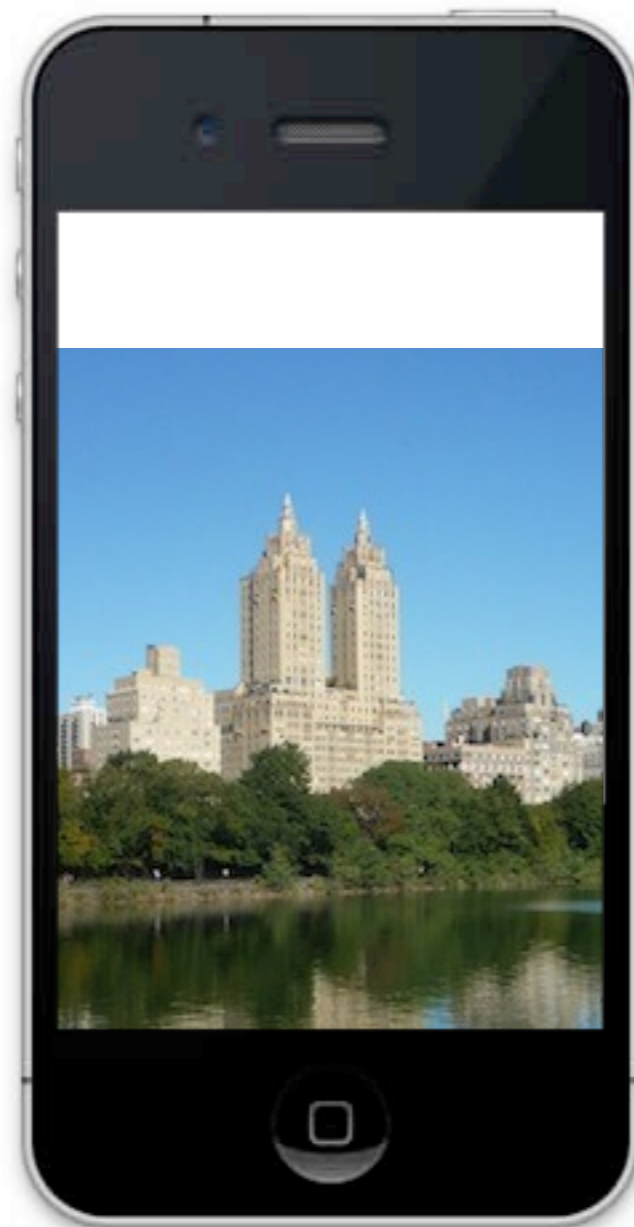
Frame

Origin: 0, 0
Size : 320, 480

Bounds

Origin: **300, 100**
Size : 320, 480

Frame vs. Bounds



Frame

Origin: 0, 100
Size : 320, 480

Bounds

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Frame vs. Bounds



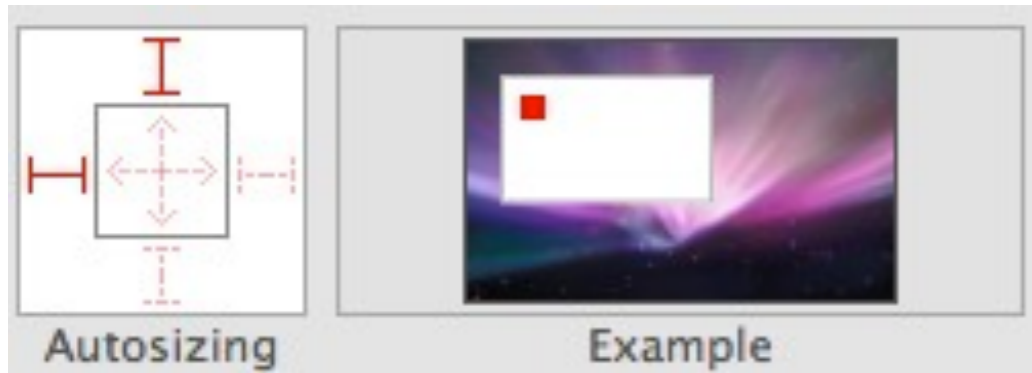
Frame

Origin: 0, 0
Size : 320, 380

Bounds

Origin: 300, 100
Size : 320, 380

Automatic Layout



- `parent.autoresizesSubviews = YES`
- Define an autoresize mask
 - In the interface description (.xib)
 - `view.autoresizingMask = ...`
- Resizing Behavior
 - flexible left / top / right / bottom margin
 - flexible width / height

React to Touch Events

- How?
 - `view.userInteractionEnabled = YES`
 - Multitouch: `view.multipleTouchEnabled = YES`
- Where?
 - Subclass `UIView`
 - Override event handling methods
 - Events are also forwarded to the View Controller!

Touch Events

```
// initial touch
- (void)touchesBegan:(NSSet *)touches
    withEvent:(UIEvent *)event

// updated touch
- (void)touchesMoved:(NSSet *)touches
    withEvent:(UIEvent *)event

// cancelled touch (by external event)
- (void)touchesCancelled:(NSSet *)touches
    withEvent:(UIEvent *)event

// finished touch
- (void)touchesEnded:(NSSet *)touches
    withEvent:(UIEvent *)event
```

Animation

Core Animation

Implicit Animations

Changing animatable
properties triggers
implicit animations

Explicit Animations

Create an animation
object that defines and
controls the animation

Implicit Animations

```
static int i = 0;

// start an implicit animation
[UIView animateWithDuration:1.0 animations:^(

    // move the view
    view.center = CGPointMake(50+random() % 220,
                              50+random() % 360);

    // rotate the view
    view.transform = CGAffineTransformMakeRotation(
        random() % 360);

    // change the color
    view.backgroundColor = i++ % 2 ? [UIColor blueColor] :
                                    [UIColor redColor];

}];
```

Explicit Animations

- **Create Animation Object**
 - CABasicAnimation
 - CAKeyframeAnimation
- **Configure animation**
 - Duration
 - Timing function
 - Key-path of animated property
 - From and to value

Example: Move Animation

```
CGPoint position = CGPointMake(100, 200);

// create an animation object
CABasicAnimation *move = [[CABasicAnimation alloc] init];

// configure the key path and value
move.keyPath = @"position";
move.toValue = [NSValue valueWithCGPoint: position];

// set the animation duration
move.duration = 1.0;

// start the animation
[timeLabel.layer addAnimation:move
                        forKey:@"moveAnimation"];
```

Transformations

- Animations can use affine transformations to manipulate the layer's geometry
 - CGAffineTransform
 - Every rendered pixel is transformed
- Common transformations:
 - CGContextTranslateCTM: move origin
 - CGContextScaleCTM: change size
 - CGContextRotateCTM: rotate around anchorPoint