

A bit about CarPlay

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- First presented @WWWDC'2013
 - ▶ But really working on iOS9 (September 2015)
 - ▶ Now commonly available



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Objective!

Give you a rough idea of CarPlay



Features

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- Provided by the Car maker
 - ▶ Introduces numerous sizes
- Simplified interface
 - ▶ Secure driving



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 - ▶ Music player, telephone, voice-controlled apps
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In which framework?

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- ▶ A dedicated window provided
- ▶ Suggestion, keep it safe in variables
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CPWindow?

UIWindow with a dedicated property
mapButtonSafeAreaLayoutGuide



CPIInterfaceController

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Handles the deported interface

- All is managed by means of templates

► Properties

```
var rootTemplate: CPTemplate { get }
var topTemplate: CPTemplate? { get }
var templates: [CPTemplate] { get }
var presentedTemplate: CPTemplate? { get }
```

► Template manipulation

```
func pushTemplate(_ templateToPush: CPTemplate,
                  animated: Bool)
func popTemplate(animated: Bool)
func popToRootTemplate(animated: Bool)
func pop(to targetTemplate: CPTemplate,
         animated: Bool)
func dismissTemplate(animated: Bool)
```



CPIInterfaceControllerDelegate

- Dedicated actions
 - When templates appears
 - When template disappear

Navigation apps

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CPMapTemplate

- Manages Map buttons
 - ▶ **Array of CPMapView**
- Navigation sessions
- Alert display
- Panning of the map
- Route management



CPMapTemplateDelegate protocol

- Classes of handled events
 - ▶ **Navigation events (trip and route, navigation cancel, etc.)**
 - ▶ **Notifications**
 - ▶ **Navigation alerts**
 - ▶ **Map panning**
 - ▶ **A bit of gestures**

Spoken Audio apps

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Connection with the MediaPlayer framework

MPPlayableContentManager

- Management of playable content
- Updating data
- Handling currently playing items

MPPlayableContentDelegate

- Handling beginning of play
- Handling update of the playable content manager's context

As a conclusion...

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Native device apps

- UIKit & co
 - ▶ Display and execution handled on the device

Watch apps

- WatchKit & co
 - ▶ Display and execution handled on the watch
 - ▶ Possibly some parts of the extension on the device too

CarPlay app

- CarPlay & co
 - ▶ Display on device + deported (low interaction on device)
 - ▶ All execution on device
 - ▶ Support of remote control (from the car actuators)
 - ▶ Parameterised interface configuration
 - ▶ Limited interactivity