



Android

Application Development

Lab 2

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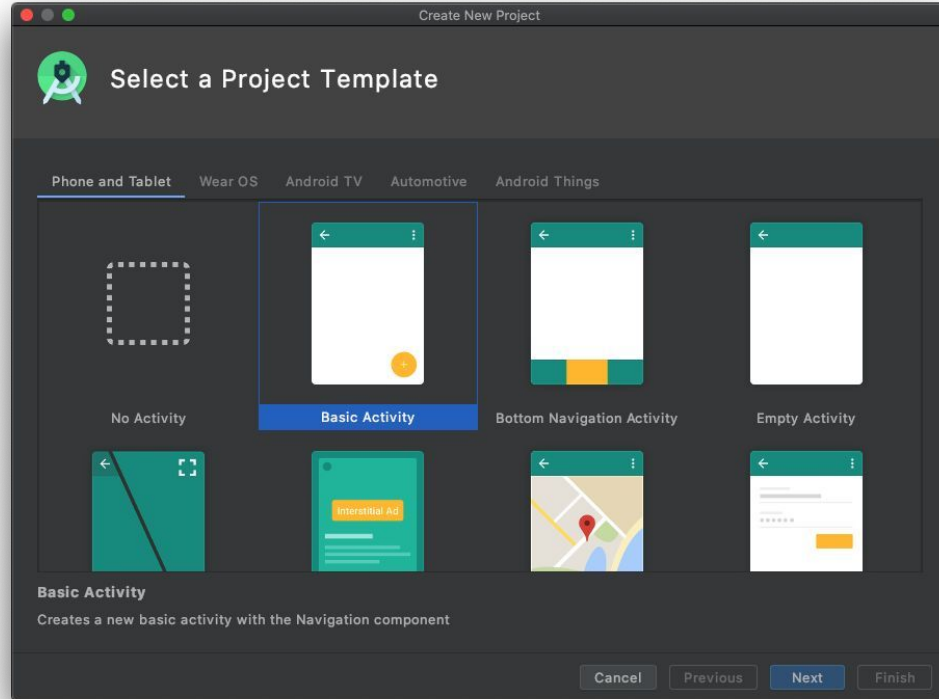
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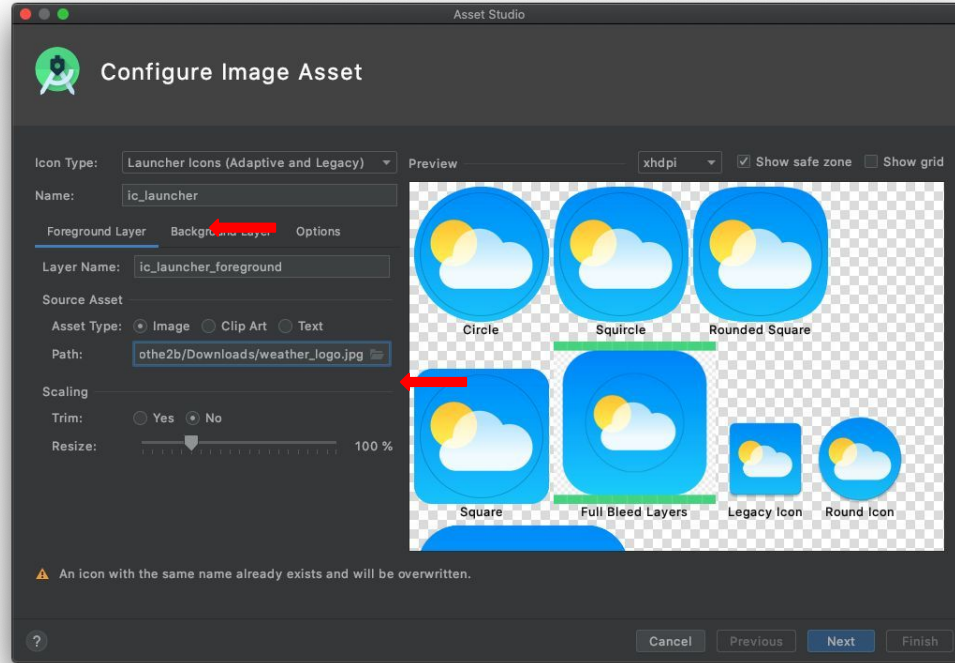
Android Development Advanced Use

- Catch up with Lab 1
- Refactor Project components
 - Rename Activity
 - Make property publicly available
- Use Public Forecast API
 - OpenWeatherMap API
 - REST call to API - JSON response
 - Create Asynchronous Task to call API
 - Add new Menu Option to refresh information
 - Update Business Logic to use the Asynchronous task - Involve the Refresh Option
 - Demonstrate updates

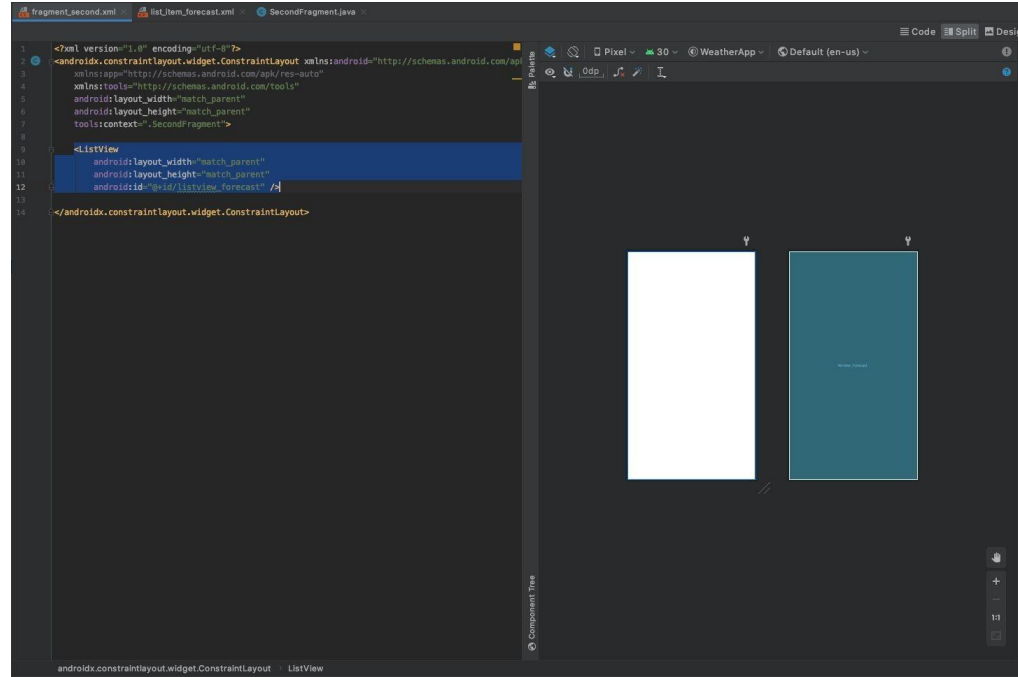
Catch up with Lab 1



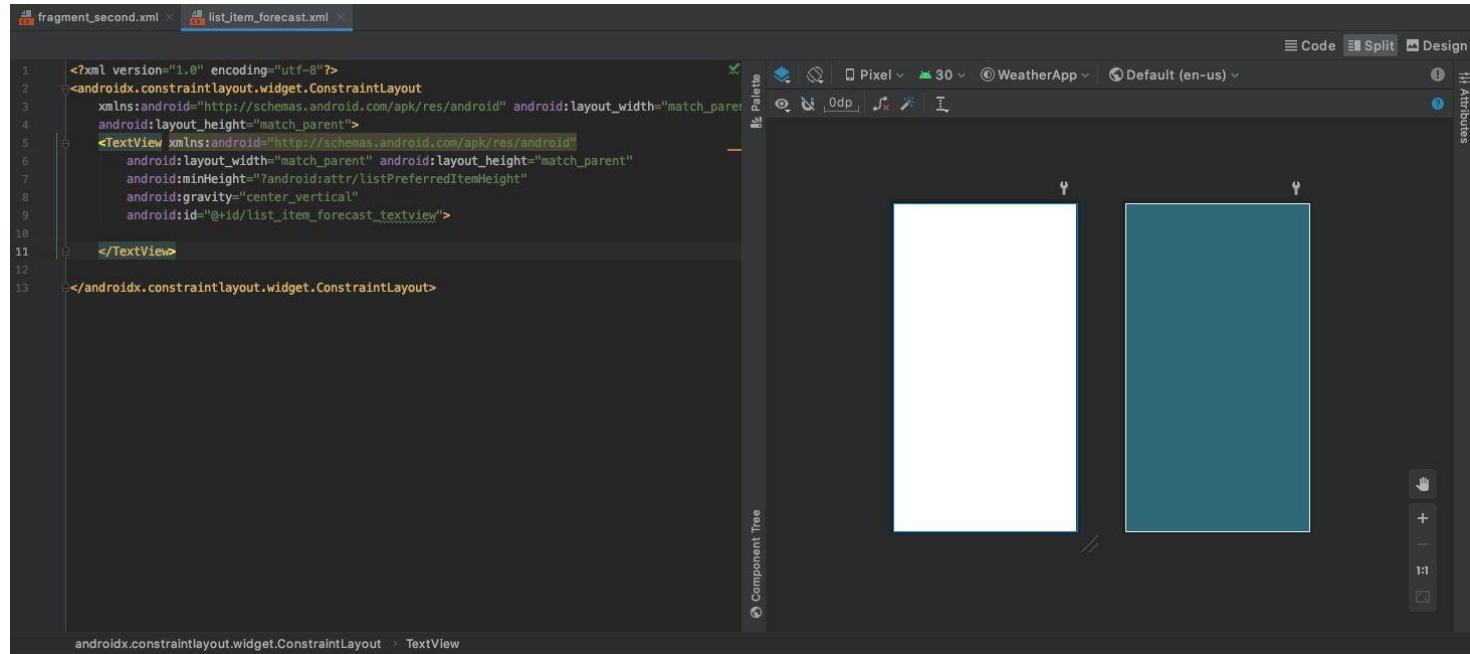
Create new project with Basic Activity



Change Application Icon



Add ListView to layout



Add new layout with TextView for list items



```
SecondFragment.java
package com.example.weatherapp;

import android.os.Bundle;
import android.view.LayoutInflater;
import android.view.View;
import android.view.ViewGroup;

import androidx.fragment.app.Fragment;
import java.util.*;
import android.widget.AdapterView;
import android.widget.AdapterView.OnItemClickListener;
import android.widget.AdapterView.OnItemSelectedListener;
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public class SecondFragment extends Fragment {

    @Override
    public View onCreateView(
        LayoutInflater inflater, ViewGroup container,
        Bundle savedInstanceState
    ) {

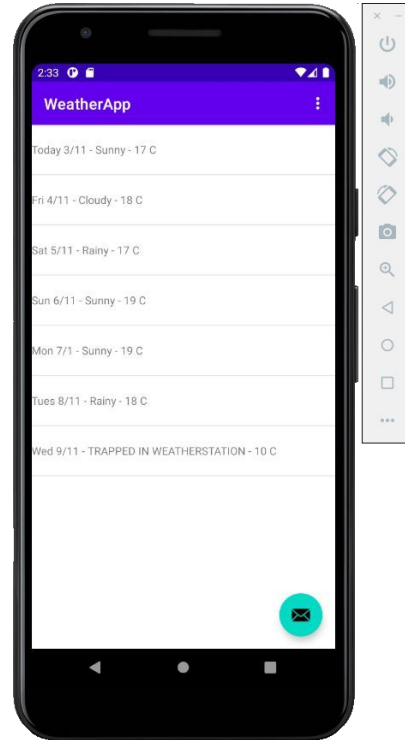
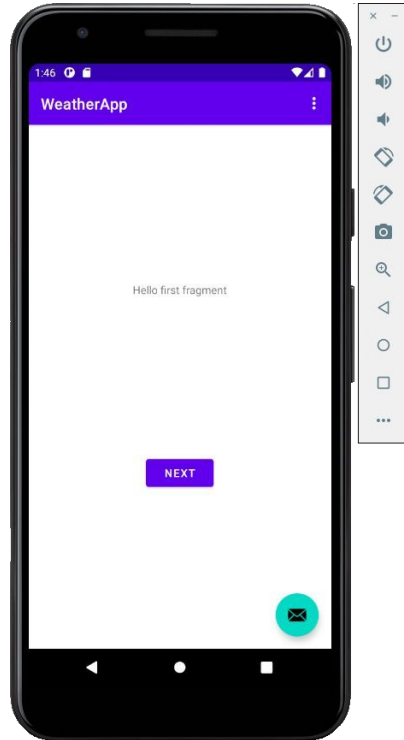
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        String[] data = {
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            "Sat 5/11 - Rainy - 17 C",
            "Sun 6/11 - Sunny - 19 C",
            "Mon 7/1 - Sunny - 19 C",
            "Tues 8/11 - Rainy - 18 C",
            "Wed 9/11 - TRAPPED IN WEATHERSTATION - 10 C"
        };

        List<String> weekForecast = new ArrayList<String>(Arrays.asList(data));
        mForecastAdapter = new ArrayAdapter<String>(getActivity(), // The current context (this activity)
            R.layout.list_item_forecast, // The name of the layout ID.
            R.id.list_item_forecast_textview, // The ID of the textview to populate.
            weekForecast);

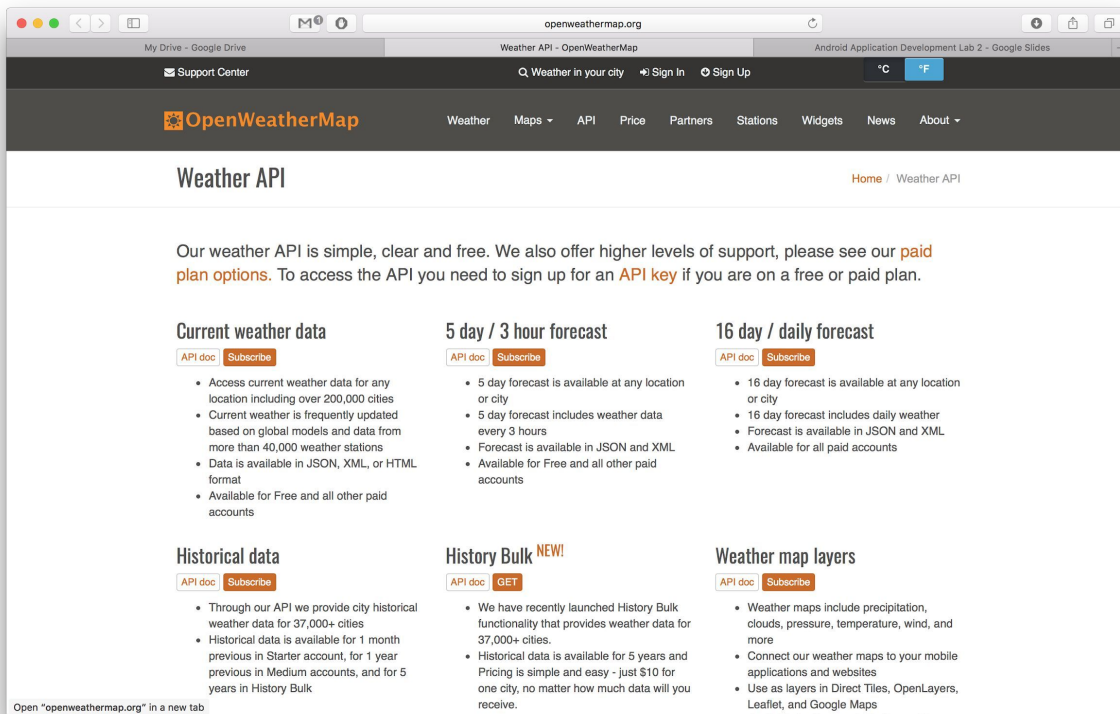
        View rootView = inflater.inflate(R.layout.fragment_second, container, attachToRoot: false);
        ListView listView = (ListView) rootView.findViewById(R.id.listView_forecast);
        listView.setAdapter(mForecastAdapter);

        return rootView;
    }
}
```

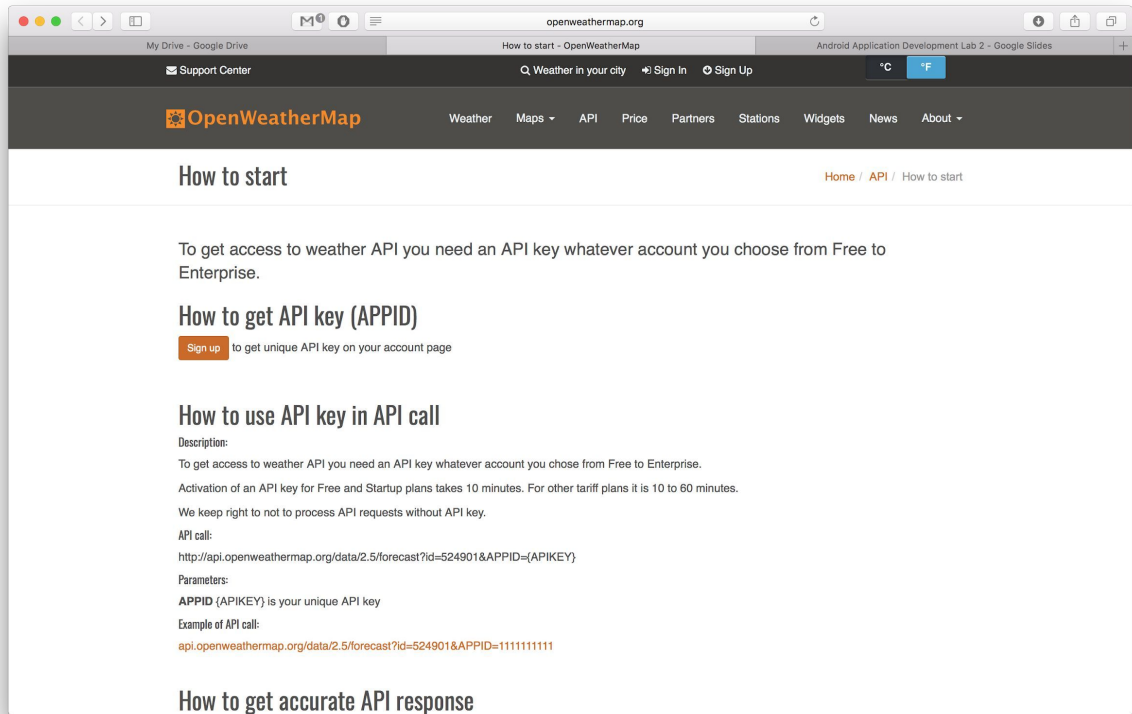
New business logic / Populate list with mock (fake) data



OpenWeatherMap API



<http://openweathermap.org>



Register & Get API key

REST Call to API - JSON response

- **What we would like to know?**

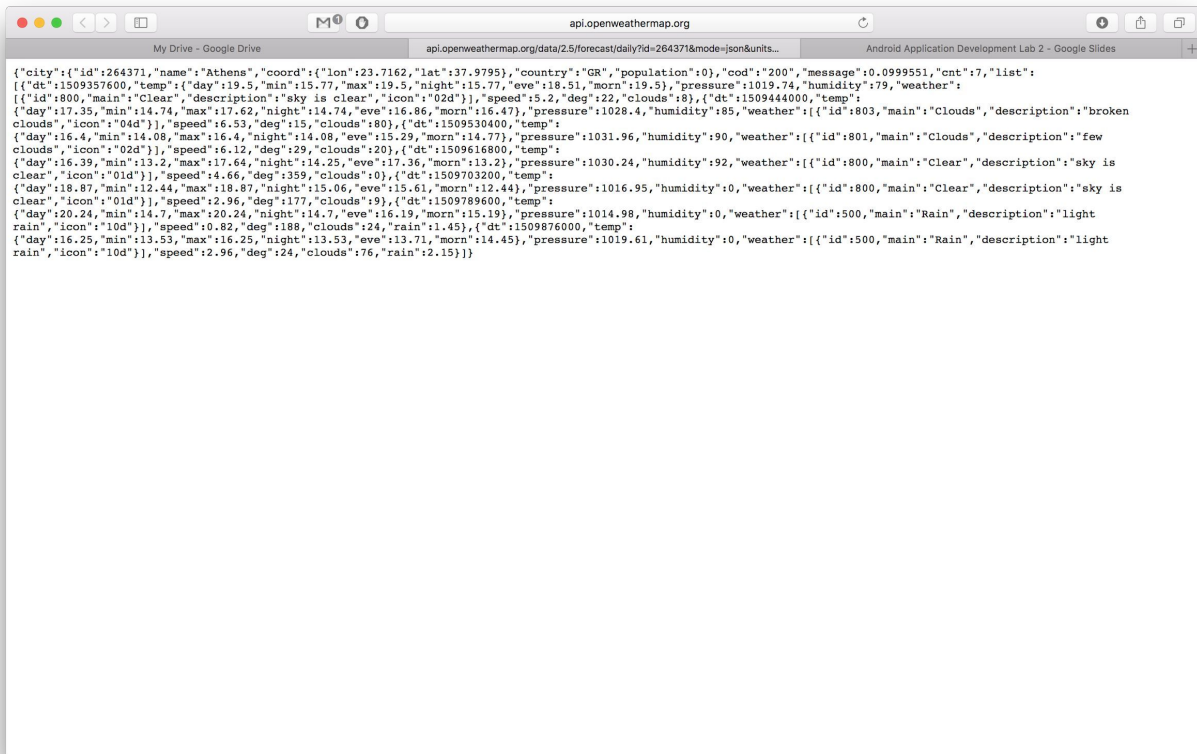
We would like to have the weather forecast for 1 week

<http://api.openweathermap.org/data/2.5/forecast/daily>

- **Which parameter we need to specify?**

- City id (Athens - 264371)
- Format (JSON)
- Unit: (Metric system)
- APPID: 612ce9a4c7726a3a0a00a69b84b9a01a

<http://api.openweathermap.org/data/2.5/forecast/daily?id=264371&mode=json&units=metric&cnt=7&APPID=612ce9a4c7726a3a0a00a69b84b9a01a>



Refactor Project components



```
1 package com.example.weatherapp;
2
3 import ...
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13 public class SecondFragment extends Fragment {
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15     @Override
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17         LayoutInflater inflater, ViewGroup container,
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19     ) {
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40     }
41 }
42
43 }
```

Array Adapter should be public to be amendable



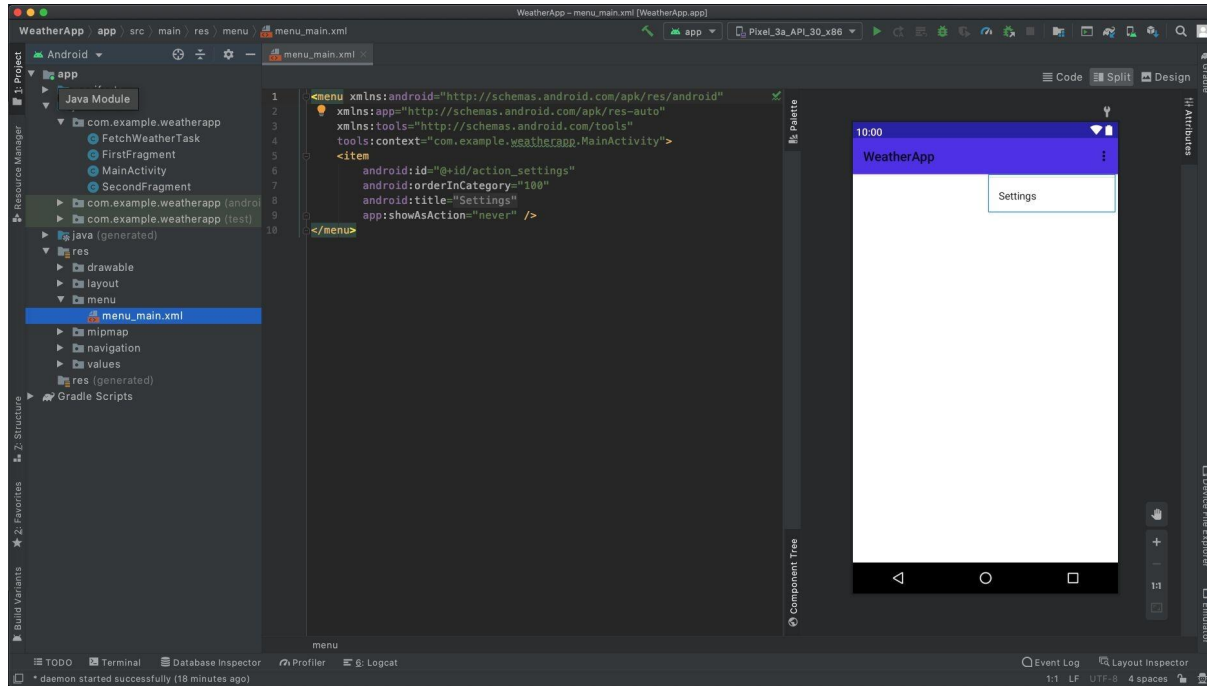
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Turn Array Adapter should be public to be amendable

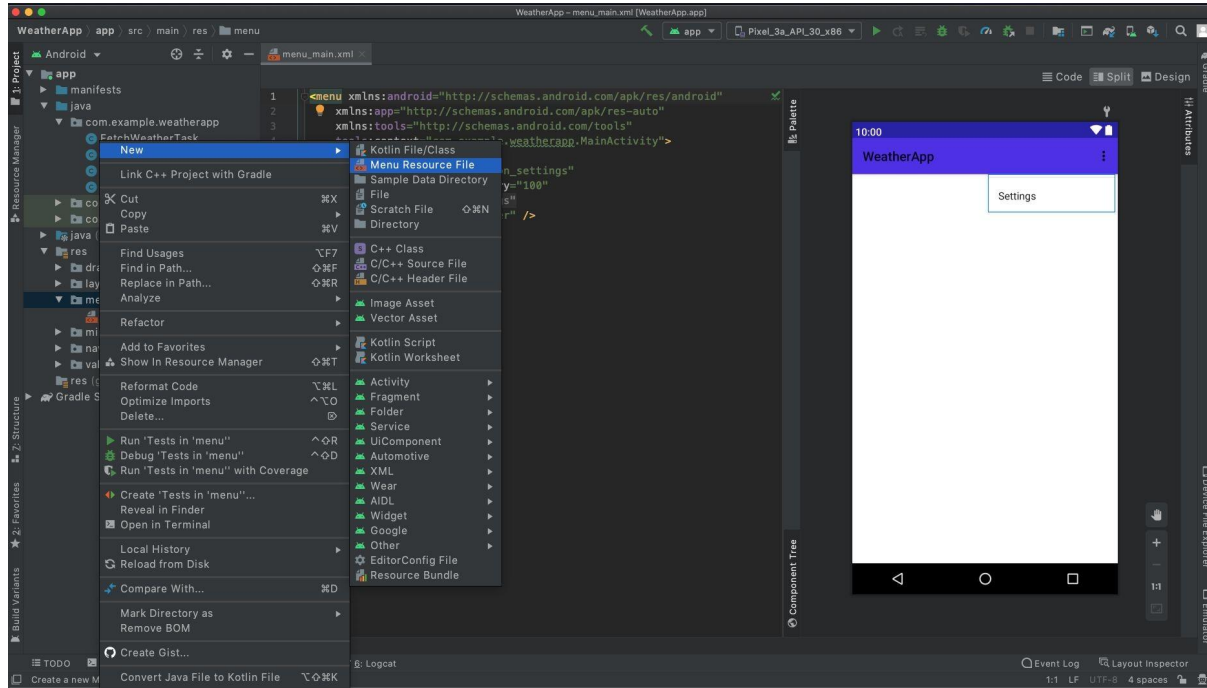


```
public static ArrayAdapter<String> mForecastAdapter;
```

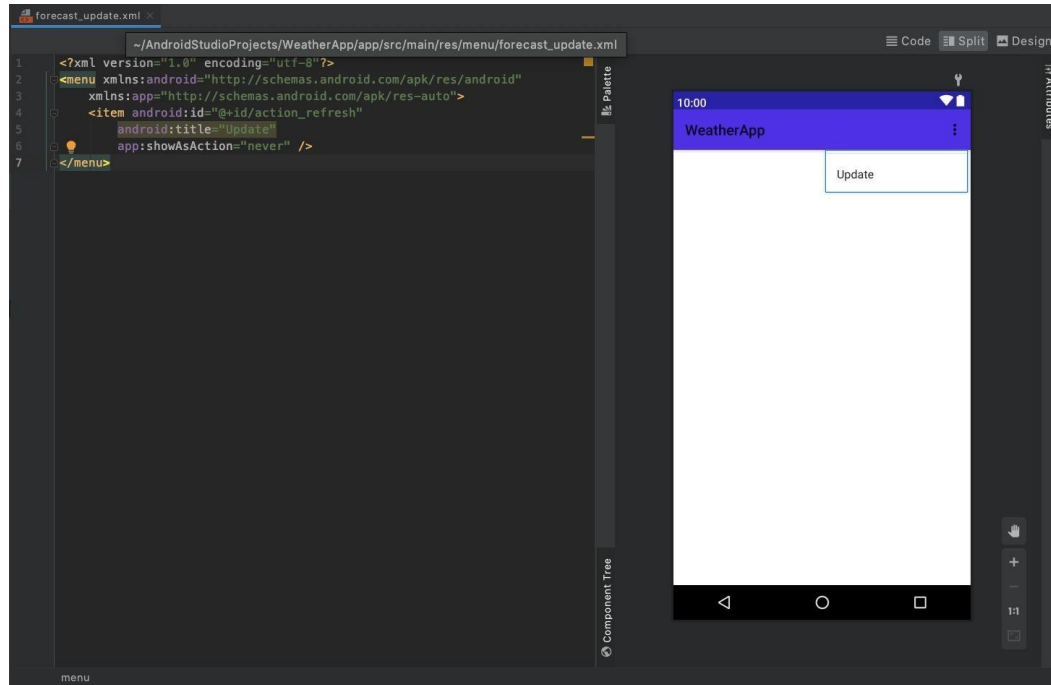
Create new Menu option to update Forecast



Current menu for first (home) fragment (Settings option)



Create new menu for second (Forecast) fragment



Add menu option (Update
Forecast)



```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<menu xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
      xmlns:app="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res-auto">
  <item android:id="@+id/action_refresh"
        android:title="Update"
        app:showAsAction="never" />
</menu>
```



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22     public View onCreateView(
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24         Bundle savedInstanceState
25     ){...}
26
47
48     @Override
49     public void onCreateOptionsMenu(Menu menu, MenuInflater inflater) {
50         inflater.inflate(R.menu.forecast_update, menu);
51     }
52
53
54     @Override
55     public boolean onOptionsItemSelected(MenuItem item) {
56         // Handle action bar item clicks here. The action bar will
57         // automatically handle clicks on the Home/Up button, so long
58         // as you specify a parent activity in AndroidManifest.xml.
59         int id = item.getItemId();
60         if (id == R.id.action_refresh) {
61             // Call Weather API - Update Forecast Adapter
62             return true;
63         }
64         return super.onOptionsItemSelected(item);
65     }
66
67
68
69 }
```

Update business logic to support new menu



```
import android.view.MenuInflater;
import android.view.Menu;
import android.view.MenuItem;
import androidx.lifecycle.Lifecycle;
```

```
@Override
public void onCreateView(@NonNull View view, Bundle savedInstanceState) {
    super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);

    // Get the MenuHost from the parent Activity
    MenuHost menuHost = requireActivity();

    // Add a new MenuProvider to handle the options menu in this fragment
    menuHost.addMenuProvider(new MenuProvider() {

        @Override
        public void onCreateMenu(@NonNull Menu menu, @NonNull MenuInflater menuInflater) {
            // Inflate the menu resource (R.menu.forecast_update) into the fragment's menu
            menuInflater.inflate(R.menu.forecast_update, menu);
        }

        @Override
        public boolean onOptionsItemSelected(@NonNull MenuItem item) {
            // Handle menu item clicks
            if (item.getItemId() == R.id.action_refresh) {
                FetchWeatherForecast weatherTask = new FetchWeatherForecast();
                weatherTask.executeOnExecutor(AsyncTask.THREAD_POOL_EXECUTOR, "0000");
                return true; // Indicate that the event was handled
            }
            return false; // Let the system handle other menu actions
        }
    }, getViewLifecycleOwner(), Lifecycle.State.RESUMED); // Ensure the menu is only active when the fragment is visible
}
```

Add Internet permissions



```
1 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
2 <manifest xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
3     package="com.example.weatherapp">
4     <uses-permission android:name="android.permission.INTERNET"/>
5     <application
6         android:allowBackup="true"
7         android:icon="@mipmap/ic_launcher"
8         android:label="WeatherApp"
9         android:roundIcon="@mipmap/ic_launcher_round"
10        android:supportsRtl="true"
11        android:theme="@style/Theme.WeatherApp">
12        <activity
13            android:name=".MainActivity"
14            android:label="WeatherApp"
15            android:theme="@style/Theme.WeatherApp.NoActionBar">
16            <intent-filter>
17                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
18
19                <category android:name="android.intent.category.LAUNCHER" />
20            </intent-filter>
21        </activity>
22    </application>
23
24 </manifest>
```

manifest > uses-permission

Text Merged Manifest

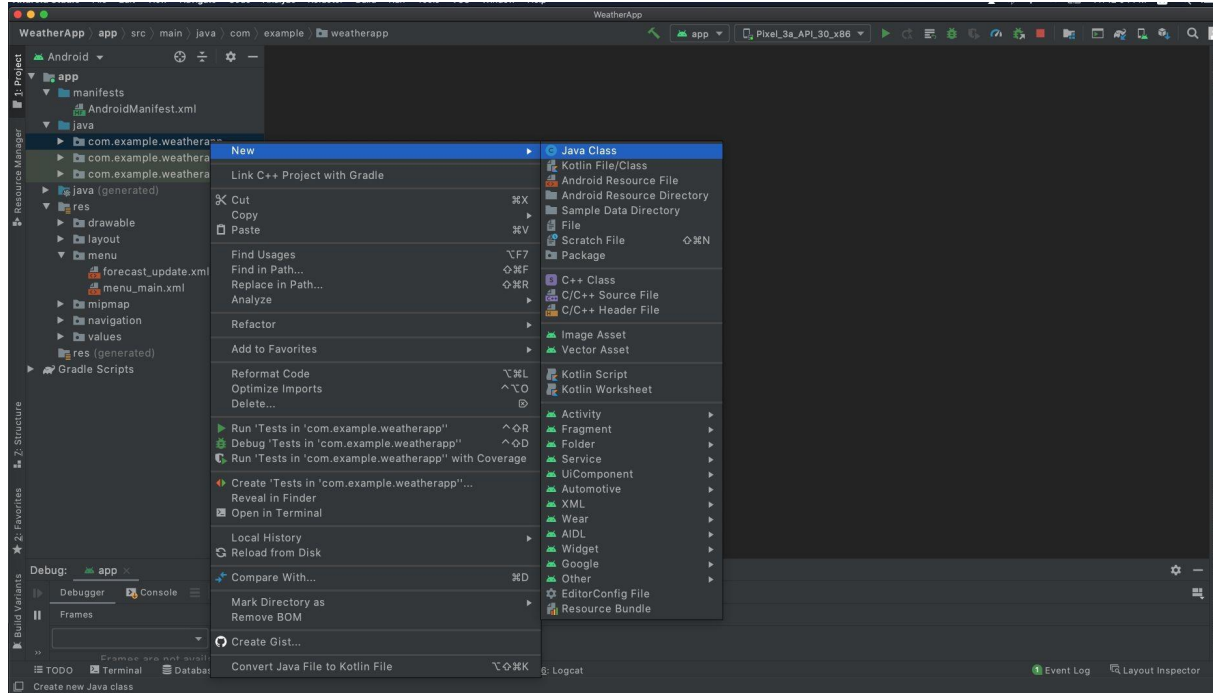
Add permission for internet in
manifest

Create Asynchronous Task to call API

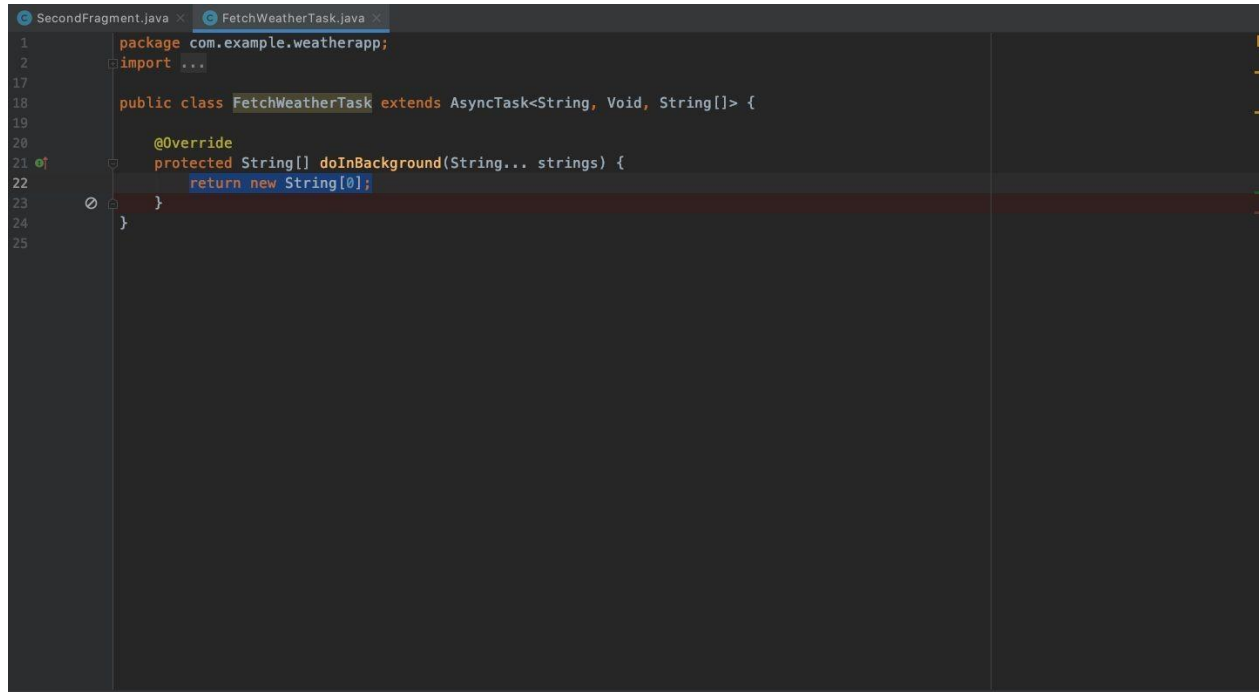


Next we need to apply a HTTP Request for weather forecast:

- Make HTTP Requests using the API URL
- Read HTTP Responses from the input stream in JSON format
- Clean up and Save the results
- Log any errors



Create new Java class for Asynchronous Task



```
1 package com.example.weatherapp;
2 import ...
17
18 public class FetchWeatherTask extends AsyncTask<String, Void, String[]> {
19
20     @Override
21     protected String[] doInBackground(String... strings) {
22         return new String[0];
23     }
24 }
25
```

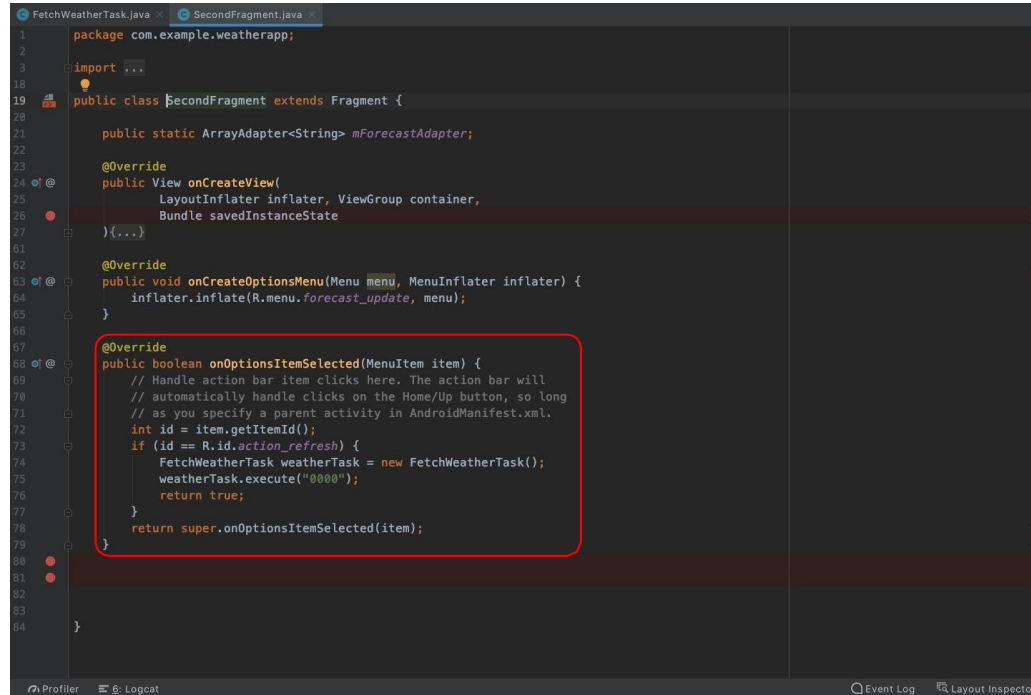
FetchWeatherTask extends AsyncTask



```
1 package com.example.weatherapp;
2 import ...
17
18 public class FetchWeatherTask extends AsyncTask<String, Void, String[]> {
19     private final String LOG_TAG = FetchWeatherTask.class.getSimpleName();
20
21     /** Prepare the weather high/lows for presentation. */
24     @ private String formatHighLows(double high, double low) {...}
32
33     /** Take the String representing the complete forecast in JSON Format and ...*/
40     @ private String[] getWeatherDataFromJson(String forecastJsonStr, int numDays)
41         throws JSONException {...}
96
97     @Override
98     @ protected String[] doInBackground(String... params) {...}
176
177     @Override
178     protected void onPostExecute(String[] result) {...}
187 }
188
```

Build business logic to fetch and preview
forecast

Call Asynchronous Task



```
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38         // as you specify a parent activity in AndroidManifest.xml.
39         int id = item.getItemId();
40         if (id == R.id.action_refresh) {
41             FetchWeatherTask weatherTask = new FetchWeatherTask();
42             weatherTask.execute("0000");
43             return true;
44         }
45         return super.onOptionsItemSelected(item);
46     }
47 }
```

Build business logic to fetch and preview forecast

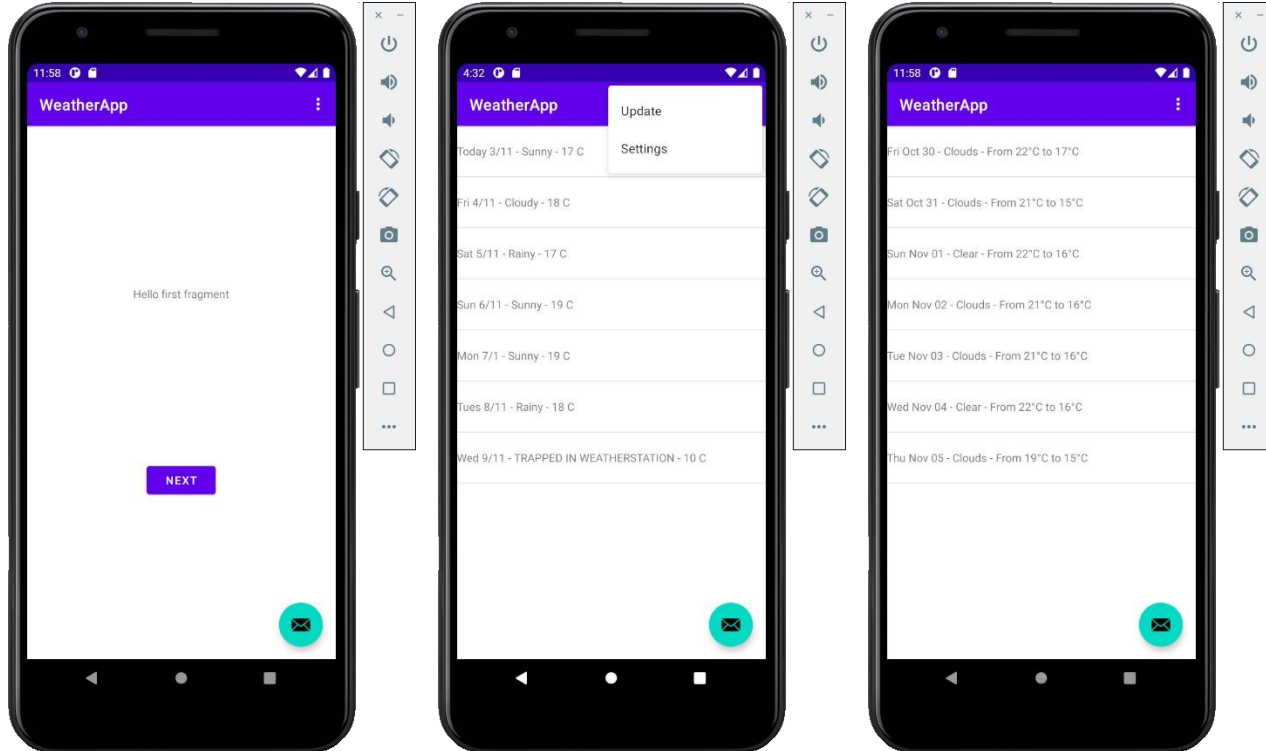


```
import android.os.AsyncTask;
```

```
@Override
```

```
public boolean onOptionsItemSelected(@NonNull MenuItem item) {  
    if (item.getItemId() == R.id.action_refresh) {  
        FetchWeatherForecast weatherTask = new FetchWeatherForecast();  
        weatherTask.executeOnExecutor(AsyncTask.THREAD_POOL_EXECUTOR, "0000");  
        return true;  
    }  
    return false;  
}
```

Demonstrate Updates





Review of Lab 2

- Catch up with Lab 1
- Introduce OpenWeatherMap API
- Update code - Use Public Forecast API
 - Make property publicly available
 - REST call to API - JSON response
 - Create new menu option to update forecast
 - Add internet permission
 - Create Asynchronous Task to call API
 - Call Asynchronous Task
 - Demonstrate updates