

Media Framework

Introduction

- ❖ Android support playing audio and video through the `android.media` package.
- ❖ The `android.media.MediaPlayer` class is responsible for playing both audio and video.
- ❖ We can play audio and video that are part of the .apk file, from the web via a URL address and from the device's SD card.

Introduction

- ❖ Packing the audio and the video file as part of the .apk can be done either as an asset (within the 'assets' folder) or as a resource (within the 'res' folder).

Simple MP3 Player



```
package com.abelski.samples;

import android.app.Activity;
import android.media.MediaPlayer;
import android.os.Bundle;
import android.view.View;
import android.view.View.OnClickListener;
import android.widget.Button;
import android.widget.LinearLayout;

public class SimpleMP3PlayerActivity extends Activity
{
    static final String AUDIO_URL =
"http://www.diputaciondevalladolid.es/extras/musica_mp3/corales2/01_c
oral_voces_amigas_canto_a_castilla.mp3";
    private MediaPlayer mediaPlayer;
    private int playbackPosition = 0;
```

Simple MP3 Player

```
@Override
public void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState)
{
    super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
    Button startBt = new Button(this);
    Button stopBt = new Button(this);
    Button pauseBt = new Button(this);
    Button resumeBt = new Button(this);
    startBt.setText("start");
    stopBt.setText("stop");
    pauseBt.setText("pause");
    resumeBt.setText("resume");
    LinearLayout layout = new LinearLayout(this);
    layout.addView(startBt);
    layout.addView(stopBt);
    layout.addView(pauseBt);
    layout.addView(resumeBt);
    setContentView(layout);
}
```

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```
startBt.setOnClickListener(new OnClickListener()  
{  
    public void onClick(View view)  
    {  
        try  
        {  
            playAudio(AUDIO_URL);  
        }  
        catch (Exception e)  
        {  
            e.printStackTrace();  
        }  
    }  
});  
stopBt.setOnClickListener(new OnClickListener()  
{  
    public void onClick(View view)  
    {  
        if (mediaPlayer != null)  
        {  
            mediaPlayer.stop();  
        }  
    }  
});
```

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```
pauseBt.setOnClickListener(new OnClickListener()  
{  
    public void onClick(View view)  
    {  
        if (mediaPlayer != null)  
        {  
            playbackPosition =  
                mediaPlayer.getCurrentPosition();  
            mediaPlayer.pause();  
        }  
    }  
});  
  
resumeBt.setOnClickListener(new OnClickListener()  
{  
    public void onClick(View view)  
    {  
        if (mediaPlayer != null)  
        {  
            mediaPlayer.start();  
            mediaPlayer.seekTo(playbackPosition);  
        }  
    }  
});  
}
```

Simple MP3 Player

```
private void playAudio(String url) throws Exception
{
    killMediaPlayer();
    mediaPlayer = new MediaPlayer();
    mediaPlayer.setDataSource(url);
    mediaPlayer.prepare();
    mediaPlayer.start();
}

@Override
protected void onDestroy()
{
    super.onDestroy();
    killMediaPlayer();
}
```


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```
private void killMediaPlayer()  
{  
    if (mediaPlayer != null)  
    {  
        try  
        {  
            mediaPlayer.release();  
        }  
        catch (Exception e)  
        {  
            e.printStackTrace();  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Simple MP3 Player



Simple Video Player

- ❖ The android platform supports playing audio and playing video through the `android.media` package. We use the `VideoView` class.
- ❖ The video file should be of MP4 format.
- ❖ If the video file is fetched over the web you should add the required permission.

```
<user-permission android:name="android.permission.INTERNET">  
</user-permission>
```

Simple Video Player

```
package com.abelski.samples;

import android.app.Activity;
import android.net.Uri;
import android.os.Bundle;
import android.widget.*;

public class SimpleVideoPlayerActivity extends Activity
{
    @Override
    protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState)
    {
        super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
        this setContentView(R.layout.main);
        VideoView videoView = (VideoView) this.findViewById(R.id.video_view);
        MediaController mc = new MediaController(this);
        videoView.setMediaController(mc);
        videoView.setVideoURI(
            Uri.parse("http://www.abelski.com/courses/android/scala.mp4"));
        // videoView.setVideoURI(Uri.parse("file:///sdcard/scala.mp4"));
        videoView.requestFocus();
    }
}
```