

Core Animation

DevDay for iPhone
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Use Animation

- To set context for the user
- To help the user make transitions
- To build a mental and physical model of the space in which they use your app
- To fit in with user expectation of apps that run on the platform

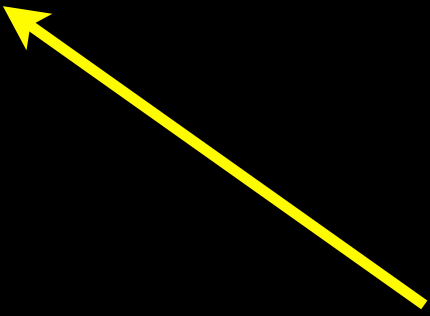
Canonical Example

- Check out the various animations enabled in a standard Apple table view example.

Implementing the animation

```
- (void) tableView:(UITableView *)tableView
didSelectRowAtIndexPath:(NSIndexPath *)indexPath {

    DetailViewController *detailViewController =
        [[DetailViewController alloc]
         initWithNibName:@"DetailViewController" bundle:nil];
    detailViewController.timeStamp =
        [[[self.fetchedResultsController objectAtIndex:indexPath]
         valueForKey:@"timeStamp"]
         description];
    [self.navigationController pushViewController:detailViewController
     animated:YES];
    [detailViewController release];
}
```

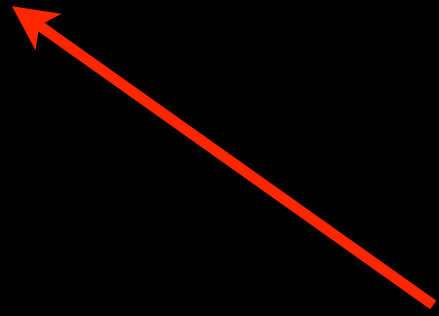


Should we leave it out?

Not Implementing the animation

```
- (void) tableView:(UITableView *)tableView
didSelectRowAtIndexPath:(NSIndexPath *)indexPath {

    DetailViewController *detailViewController =
        [[DetailViewController alloc]
         initWithNibName:@"DetailViewController" bundle:nil];
    detailViewController.timeStamp =
        [[[self.fetchedResultsController objectAtIndex:indexPath]
         valueForKey:@"timeStamp"]
         description];
    [self.navigationController pushViewController:detailViewController
     animated:NO];
    [detailViewController release];
}
```



Animation is important
but ...

it is not today's blink tag

On Using Animation

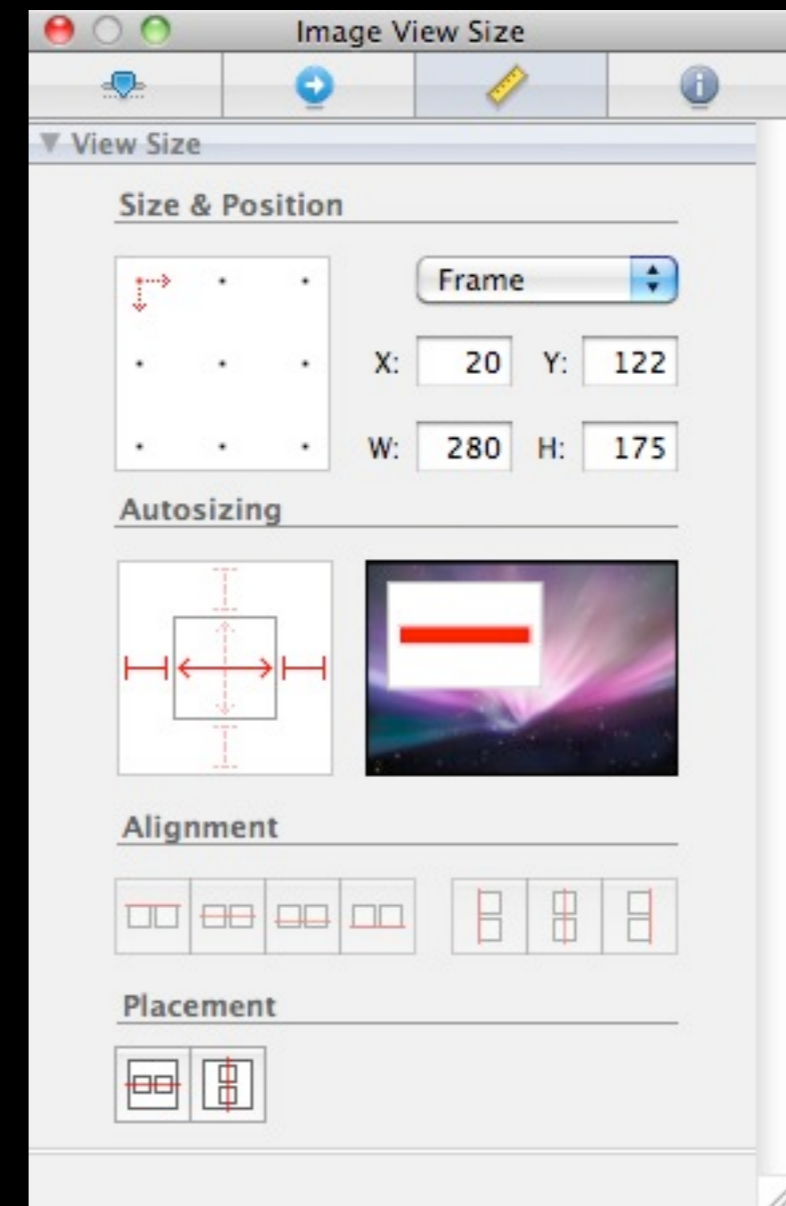
- Why
- When
- How

Don't fight the platform

animated: YES

Use the size inspector

```
- (BOOL)shouldAutorotateToInterfaceOrientation:  
    (UIInterfaceOrientation)interfaceOrientation {  
    return YES;  
}
```



Let's do this in code

```
-(void)drawPortraitVersionOfScreen {
    self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 120, 280, 175);
    self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];
}
-(void)drawLandscapeVersionOfScreen {
    self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(60, 45, 350, 220);
    self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor whiteColor];
}
-(void)didAnimateFromInterfaceOrientation:
    (UIInterfaceOrientation)interfaceOrientation
    duration:(NSTimeInterval)duration {
    if (interfaceOrientation == UIInterfaceOrientationPortrait ||
        interfaceOrientation == UIInterfaceOrientationPortraitUpsideDown) {
        [self drawLandscapeVersionOfScreen];
    } else {
        [self drawPortraitVersionOfScreen];
    }
}
```

Let's^{really} do this in code

```
-(void)drawPortraitVersionOfScreen {
    self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 120, 280, 175);
    self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];
}
-(void)drawLandscapeVersionOfScreen {
    self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(60, 45, 350, 220);
    self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor whiteColor];
}
-(void)willAnimateRotationToInterfaceOrientation:
(UIInterfaceOrientation)interfaceOrientation
duration:(NSTimeInterval)duration {
    if (interfaceOrientation == UIInterfaceOrientationPortrait ||
        interfaceOrientation == UIInterfaceOrientationPortraitUpsideDown) {
        [self drawPortraitVersionOfScreen];
    } else {
        [self drawLandscapeVersionOfScreen];
    }
}
```

Initiating the change yourself *

```
- (void)viewDidLoad {
    [super viewDidLoad];
    [self displayReadyImageOnScreen];
    [self.view addGestureRecognizer: [[[UITapGestureRecognizer alloc]
                                     initWithTarget:self
                                     action:@selector(viewDidGetTapped)]
                                     autorelease]];
}
- (void)viewDidGetTapped {
    if (isDisplayingAtBottom) {
        [self displayAtTop];
    } else {
        [self displayAtBottom];
    }
    isDisplayingAtBottom = !isDisplayingAtBottom;
}
```

Animating the change

```
-(void)displayAtTop {  
    [UIView beginAnimations:@"move to top" context:nil];  
    self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);  
    self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];  
    [UIView commitAnimations];  
}
```

Slowing things down

```
-(void)displayAtTop {  
    [UIView beginAnimations:@"move to top" context:nil];  
    [UIView setAnimationDuration:4];  
    self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);  
    self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];  
    [UIView commitAnimations];  
}
```

Changing the profile

```
-(void)displayAtTop {  
    [UIView beginAnimations:@"move to top" context:nil];  
    [UIView setAnimationDuration:4];  
    [UIView setAnimationCurve:UIViewAnimationCurveEaseIn];  
    self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);  
    self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];  
    [UIView commitAnimations];  
}
```


Using blocks *

```
-(void)displayAtTop {
    [UIView animateWithDuration:4 animations:^(
        self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);
        self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];
    )];
}

-(void)displayAtBottom {
    [UIView beginAnimations:@"move to bottom" context:nil];
    [UIView setAnimationDuration:4];
    [UIView setAnimationCurve:UIViewAnimationCurveEaseIn];
    self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(60, 300, 210, 130);
    self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor whiteColor];
    [UIView commitAnimations];
}
```

Adding Options

```
-(void)displayAtTop {  
    [UIView animateWithDuration:4  
        delay:0  
        options:UIViewAnimationCurveEaseIn  
        animations:^(  
            self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);  
            self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];  
        )  
        completion:nil];  
}
```

More Options

```
-(void)displayAtTop {
    [UIView animateWithDuration:4
        delay:0
        options:UIViewAnimationCurveEaseIn +
        UIViewAnimationOptionBeginFromCurrentState +
        UIViewAnimationOptionAllowUserInteraction
        animations:^(
            self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);
            self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];
        )
        completion:nil];
}
```

Adding a completion

```
-(void)displayAtTop {
    [UIView animateWithDuration:4
        delay:0
        options:UIViewAnimationCurveEaseIn
        animations:^(
            self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);
            self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];
            self.imageView.alpha = .4;
        )
        completion:^(BOOL finished){
            [UIView animateWithDuration:3 animations:^(
                self.imageView.alpha = 1.0;
            )];
        }];
}
```

Refactor

```
-(void) animate:(void (^)(void))animations
withCompletion:(void (^)(BOOL finished))completion {
    [UIView animateWithDuration:4
        delay:0
        options:UIViewAnimationCurveEaseIn +
        UIViewAnimationOptionBeginFromCurrentState +
        UIViewAnimationOptionAllowUserInteraction
        animations:animations
        completion:completion];
}

-(void)displayAtTop {
    [self animate:^(
        self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);
        self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];
        self.imageView.alpha = .4;
    )
    withCompletion:^(BOOL finished){
        [UIView animateWithDuration:3 animations:^(
            self.imageView.alpha = 1.0;
        )];
    }];
}
```

Completion Block Animation Refactor

Simpler Refactor

```
-(void) animate:(void (^)(void))animations {
    [UIView animateWithDuration:4
        delay:0
        options:UIViewAnimationCurveEaseIn +
        UIViewAnimationOptionBeginFromCurrentState +
        UIViewAnimationOptionAllowUserInteraction
        animations:animations
        completion:nil];
}

-(void)displayAtTop {
    [self animate:^(
        self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);
        self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor blackColor];
    )];
}

-(void)displayAtBottom {
    [self animate:^(
        self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(60, 300, 210, 130);
        self.view.backgroundColor = [UIColor whiteColor];
    )];
}
```

Changing images

```
-(void)displayAtTop {
    [UIView animateWithDuration:4 animations:^(
        self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);
        self.imageView.image = [UIImage imageNamed:@"DevDayReady.png"];
    )];
}
-(void)displayAtBottom {
    [UIView animateWithDuration:4 animations:^(
        self.imageView.frame = CGRectMake(0, 410, 320, 50);
        self.imageView.image = [UIImage imageNamed:@"DevDayBanner.png"];
    )];
}
```

Working with Layers

```
-(void)displayAtTop {
    self.imageLayer.frame = CGRectMake(20, 0, 280, 175);
    self.imageLayer.contents = (id)([UIImage
imageNamed:@"DevDayReady.png"].CGImage);
}
-(void)displayAtBottom {
    self.imageLayer.frame = CGRectMake(0, 410, 320, 50);
    self.imageLayer.contents = (id)([UIImage
imageNamed:@"DevDayBanner.png"].CGImage);
}
- (void)viewDidLoad {
    [super viewDidLoad];
    [self.view addGestureRecognizer:
    [[[UITapGestureRecognizer alloc]
initWithTarget:self
action:@selector(viewDidGetTapped)]
autorelease]];
    self.imageLayer = [CALayer layer];
    [self.view.layer addSublayer:self.imageLayer];
    [self displayAtTop];
}
```


Freeze

- Start simple
- Keep users in mind
- Get complex when you need to but...
- Never when you don't need to

And beyond ...

- Code and slides:
- <http://dimsumthinking.com/services/code/>