

## Review

- What is the difference between Smalltalk, Squeak, and Morphic?
- How did the original Smalltalk implement the window system layer architecture?
- What are the most particular qualities of Morphic as a UI toolkit?
- What are morphs, and what is special about them?
- How does Morphic implement widget layout?



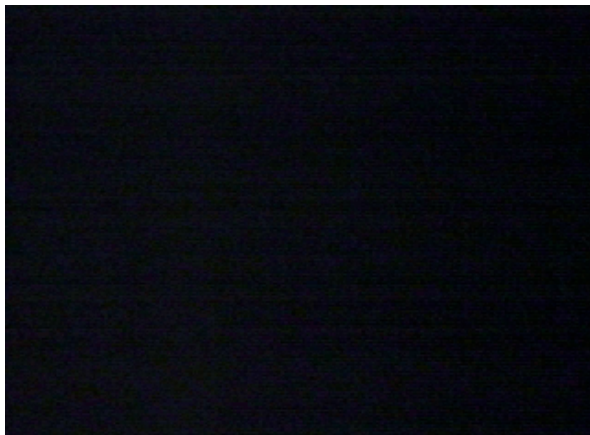
## The Apple Macintosh



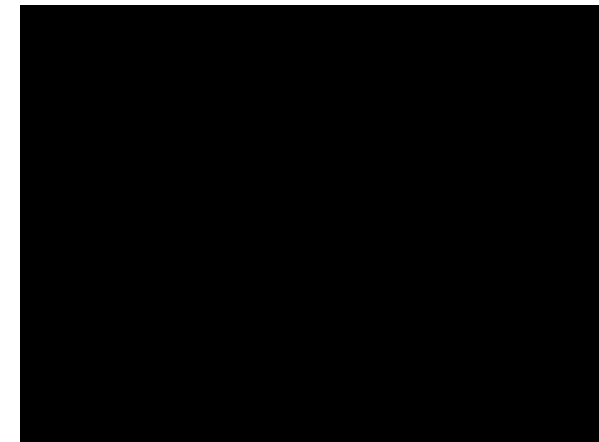
- Introduced in 1984
- Based on PARC Smalltalk, Star, Tajo
- Few technical innovations (QuickDraw)
  - Otherwise, rather steps back
- But landmark in UI design and consistency policies
  - First commercially successful GUI machine
  - Advertised with what is sometimes considered the best commercial in history:  
<http://www.apple-history.com/movies/1984.mov>



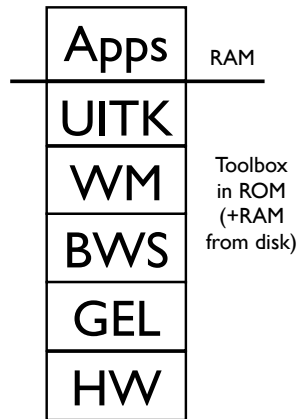
## 1984



## 20 Years Later...



## Macintosh: Architecture



- One address space, communication with procedure calls
- “No” OS—app is in charge, everything else is a subroutine library (“Toolbox”)
- Functional, not object-oriented (originally written in Pascal)
- Organized into Managers
- Mostly located in “the Mac ROM”



## Event Manager

- Event loop core of any Mac app
- Processes events (from user or system) and responds
- Event Manager offers functions to deal with events
  - extern pascal Boolean **GetNextEvent**(short eventMask, EventRecord \*theEvent);
- Cooperative Multitasking
  - External: App must allow user to switch to other apps
  - Internal: App must surrender processor to system regularly

```

struct EventRecord {
    short what; // type of event
    long message; // varies depending
                // on type
    long when; // Timestamp in
                // ticks
    Point where; // mouse position
                // in global coords
    short modifiers; // modifier keys
                // held down
};

Event types
enum {
    nullEvent = 0,
    mouseDown = 1,
    mouseUp = 2,
    keyDown = 3,
    keyUp = 4,
    autoKey = 5,
    updateEvt = 6,
    diskEvt = 7,
    activateEvt = 8,
    osEvt = 15,
};
    
```



## Control Manager

- Controls: Buttons, checkboxes, radio buttons, pop-up menus, scroll bars,...
- Control Manager: Create, manipulate, redraw, track & respond to user actions

## Dialog Manager

- Create and manage dialogs and alerts
- (System-) modal, movable (application-modal), or modeless dialog boxes—choice depends on task!



## Window Manager(!)

- Not the Window Manager from our layer model
- Create, move, size, zoom, update windows
- App needs to ensure background windows look deactivated (blank scrollbars,...)

## Menu Manager

- Offers menu bar, pull-down, hierarch. & pop-up menus
- Guidelines: any app must support Apple, File, Edit, Help, Keyboard, and Application menus



## Finder Interface

- Defining icons for applications and documents
- Interacting with the Finder

## Other Managers

- Scrap Manager for cut&paste among apps
- Standard File Package for file dialogs
- Help Manager for balloon help
- TextEdit for editing and displaying styled text
- Memory Manager for the heap
- List Manager, Sound Manager, Sound Input Manager,...



## Resource Manager

- Resources are basic elements of any Mac app:  
Descriptions of menus, dialog boxes, controls, sounds, fonts, icons,...
- Makes it easier to update, translate apps
- Stored in resource fork of each file
  - Each Mac file has data & resource fork
  - Data fork keeps application-specific data (File Manager)
  - Resource fork keeps resources in structured format (Resource Manager)
    - For documents: Preferences, icon, window position
    - For apps: Menus, windows, controls, icons, code(!)



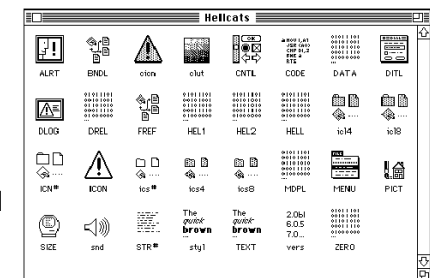
## Resource Manager

- Identified by type (4 chars) and ID (integer)
  - Standard resource types (WIND,ALRT,ICON,...)
  - Custom resource types (defined by app)
- Read and cached by Resource Manager upon request
  - Priorities through search order when looking for resource
    - Last opened document, other open docs, app, system
- Can write resources to app or document resource fork
  - E.g., last window position



## ResEdit

- Graphical Resource Editor (Apple)
- Overview of resources in resource fork of any file (app or doc), sorted by resource type
- Opening a type shows resources of that type sorted by their ID
- Editors for basic resource types built in (ICON,DLOG,...)
- Big productivity improvement over loading resources as byte streams



## Macintosh: Evaluation

- Availability: high (apps from 1984 still ran on machines from 2005)
- Productivity: originally low (few tools except ResEdit; Mac was designed for users, not programmers)
- Parallelism: originally none, later external+internal
  - External: Desk accessories, Switcher, MultiFinder
  - Internal: Multi-processor support in mid-90's



## Macintosh: Evaluation

- Performance: high (first Mac was 68000@1MHz, 128K RAM) – improvement over Smalltalk
- Graphic model: QuickDraw (RasterOp+fonts, curves...)
- Style: most consistent to this day (HI Guidelines, Toolbox)
- Extensibility: low (Toolbox in ROM, later extended via System file)



## Macintosh: Evaluation

- Adaptability: medium (System/app/doc preferences in resources, but limited ways to change look&feel)
- Resource sharing: medium (fonts, menu bar shared by apps,...)
- Distribution: none
- API structure: procedural (originally Pascal)
- API comfort: high (complete set of widgets)
- Independency: Medium (most UI code in Toolbox)
- Communication: originally limited to cut&paste



## In-Class Exercise: Simple Mac Application

- Write a simple Macintosh application that opens a window and exits upon mouseclick



```
void main (void)
{
    WindowPtr window;
    Rect rect;

    InitGraf (&qd.thePort); // must be called before any other TB Manager (IM IX 2-36)
    InitFonts (); // after ig, call just to be sure (IM IX 4-51)
    FlushEvents(everyEvent,0); // ignore left-over (finder) events during startup
    InitWindows (); // must call ig & if before (IM Toolbox Essentials 4-75; IM I 280)

    InitCursor (); // show arrow cursor to indicate that we are ready

    SetRect (&rect, 100, 100, 400, 300);

    window = NewCWindow (NULL, &rect, "pMy Test", true, documentProc,
        (WindowPtr) -1, FALSE, 0);

    do {
    }
    while (!Button());

    DisposeWindow (window);
}
```

