

# Conventions

I use several typesetting conventions in this book.<sup>7</sup>

Note: Used when calling out an important note or a caveat.

When interacting with the menu system to follow `a >> set >> of >> instructions` or interacting with a particular `user interface element` you'll see this formatting.

If you are directed to a particular file, `the ▶ full ▶ file ▶ path` will be shown. If the full path has already been used in the same section, a shorthand will be used, e.g. `path`.

When referencing **ClassNames**, **functions()**, XML **attributes**, or other code items inline, a special font is used.

A box with syntax highlighting is used for longer code segments.

```
public class CalculatorActivity extends ActionBarActivity
{
    @Override
    protected void onCreate( Bundle savedInstanceState )
    {
        super.onCreate( savedInstanceState );
        setContentView( R.layout.activity_calculator );
    }
}
```

Finally, key shortcuts are shown as: `cmd` + `⌘` + `ctrl` + `→` + `↑` + `↶` + `○`<sup>8</sup>

<sup>7</sup>When adding context or referencing sources, I use footnotes.

<sup>8</sup>This key combination is for demonstration purposes only, do not attempt at home.