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Manyvendor eCommerce CMS Customer Flutter App

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Introduction

 Welcome to the documentation of Manyvendor e-Commerce Customer Mobile application. The reader should pay a bit more attention while reading this documentation.

Prerequisites

- For running the application, Admin has to fill some prerequisites.
 Like:
 - Admin should have Manyvendor eCommerce & Multi-vendor CMS Web Application hosted on a live server.
 - The web application must be in the latest version always.
 - eCommerce Mode must be activated in the web application to run this Manyvendor eCommerce Customer Flutter App

Syncing Manyvendor eCommerce Customer Flutter App with Manyvendor eCommerce & Multi-vendor CMS

- If the admin does have the Manyvendor eCommerce & Multi-vendor CMS web application, he can sync the mobile app now.
- To run this customer flutter app-admin must be activated eCommerce in <u>Manyvendor eCommerce & Multi-vendor CMS</u> web application.
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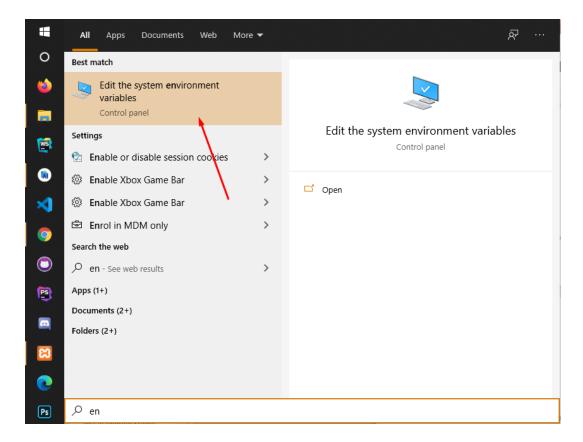
Install flutter following all instructions on your platform from this link - https://flutter.dev/docs/get-started/install

Or Follow this for windows,

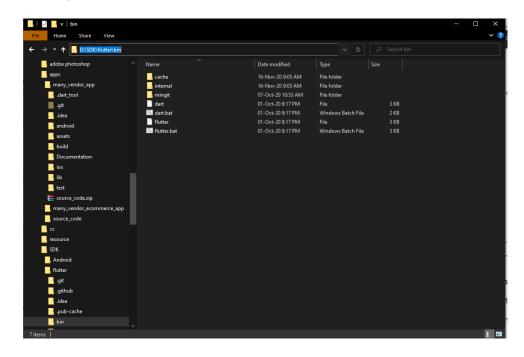
- <u>To install and run Flutter, your development environment must meet these minimum requirements:</u>
- Operating Systems: Windows 7 SP1 or later (64-bit), x86-64 based
- Disk Space: 1.32 GB (does not include disk space for IDE/tools).
- Tools: Flutter depends on these tools being available in your environment.
 - Windows PowerShell 5.0 or newer (this is pre-installed with Windows 10)
 - Git for Windows 2.x, with the Use Git from the Windows Command Prompt option.
 - If Git for Windows is already installed, make sure you can run git commands from the command prompt or PowerShell.
 - Download the following installation bundle to get the latest stable release of the Flutter SDK this <u>link</u>:

Update your path

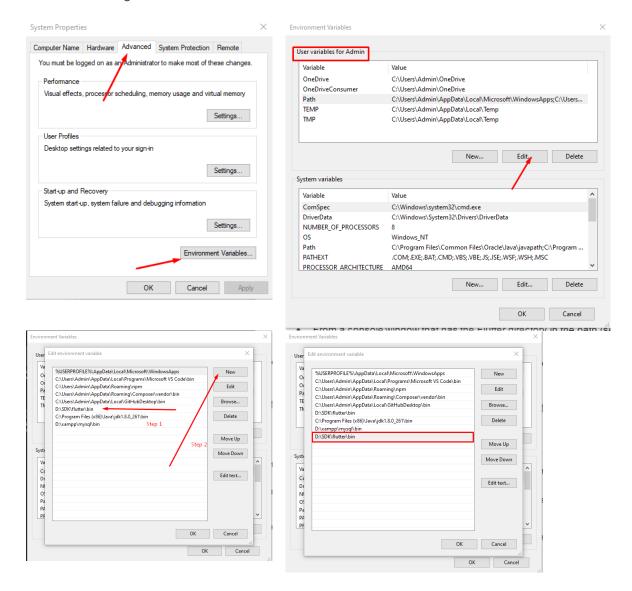
- If you wish to run Flutter commands in the regular Windows console(CMD), take these steps to add Flutter to the PATH environment variable:
- From the Start search bar, enter 'env' and select Edit environment variables for your account.



- Under User variables check if there is an entry called Path:
 - o If the entry exists, append the full path to flutter\bin using; as a separator from existing values.

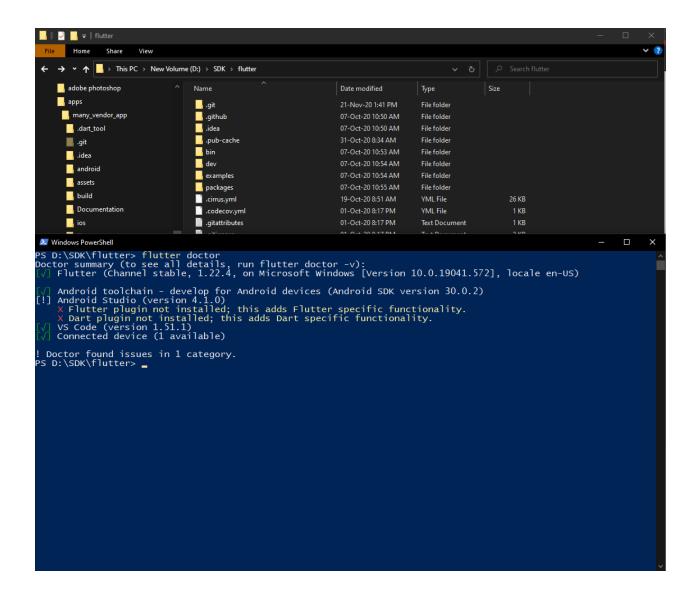


- If the entry doesn't exist, create a new user variable named Path with the full path to flutter\bin as its value.
- You have to close and reopen any existing console windows for these changes to take effect.
- Follow this image



Run flutter doctor

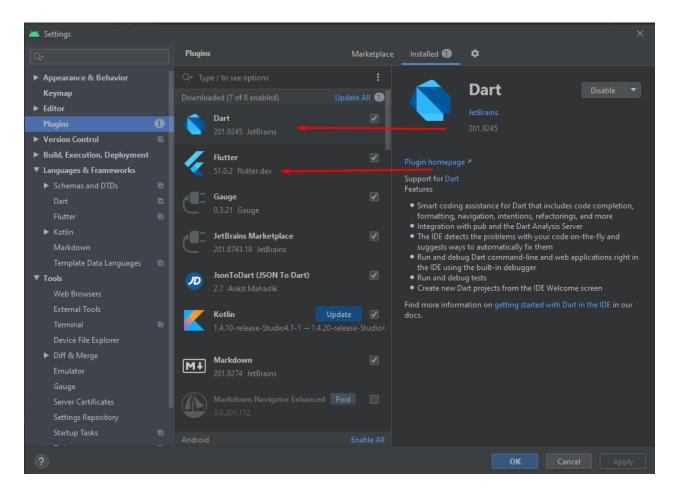
From a console window(CMD) that has the Flutter directory in the path (see above), run
the following command to see if there are any platform dependencies you need to
complete the setup:



- C:\src\flutter>flutter doctor
- This command checks your environment and displays a report of the status of your Flutter installation. Check the output carefully for other software you might need to install or further tasks to perform (shown in **bold** text).

Install Android Studio

- Download and install <u>Android Studio</u>.
- Start Android Studio, and go through the 'Android Studio Setup Wizard'. This installs the latest Android SDK, Android SDK Command-line Tools, and Android SDK Build-Tools, which are required by Flutter when developing for Android.
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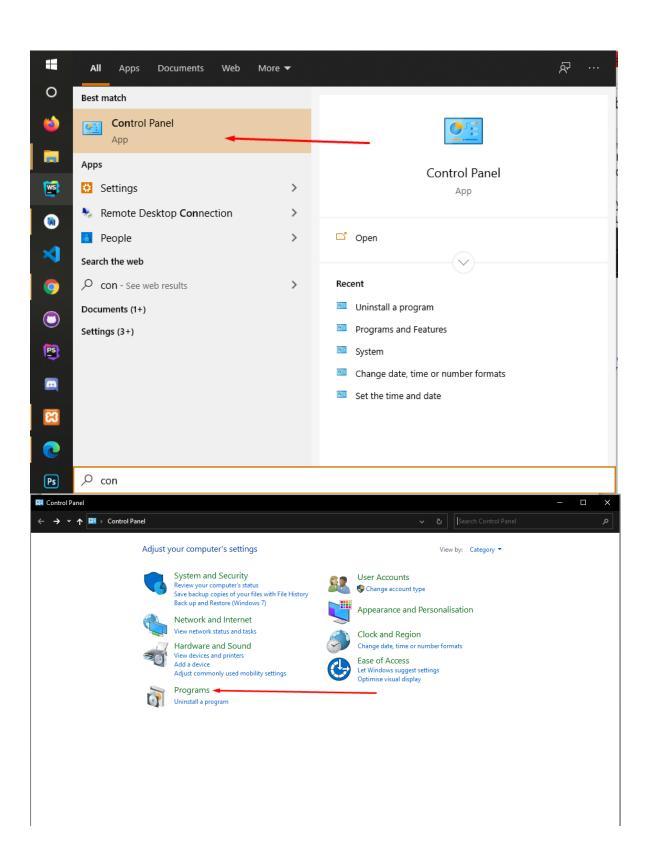


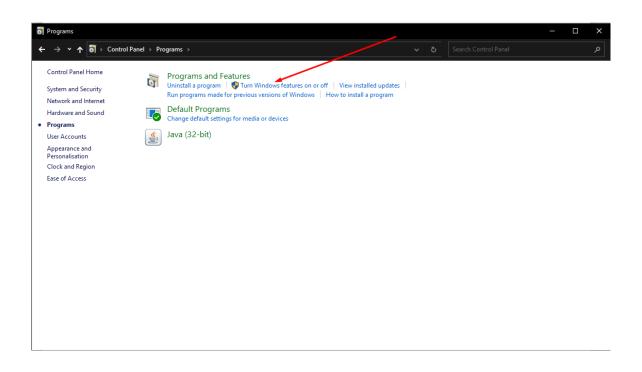
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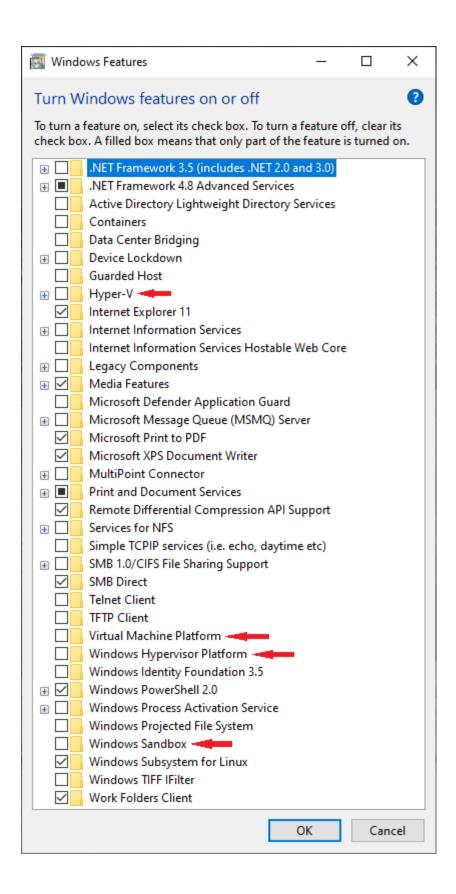
- To prepare to run and test your Flutter app on an Android device, you need an Android device running Android 4.1 (API level 16) or higher.
- Enable Developer Options and USB debugging on your device. Detailed instructions are available in the <u>Android documentation</u>.
- Windows-only: Install the Google USB Driver.
- Using a USB cable, plug your phone into your computer. If prompted on your device, authorize your computer to access your device.
- In the terminal, run the flutter devices command to verify that Flutter recognizes your
 connected Android device. By default, Flutter uses the version of the Android SDK where
 your ADB tool is based. If you want Flutter to use a different installation of the Android
 SDK, you must set the ANDROID_SDK_ROOT environment variable to that installation
 directory.

Set up the Android emulator

- To prepare to run and test your Flutter app on the Android emulator, follow these steps:
- Enable <u>VM acceleration</u> on your machine.
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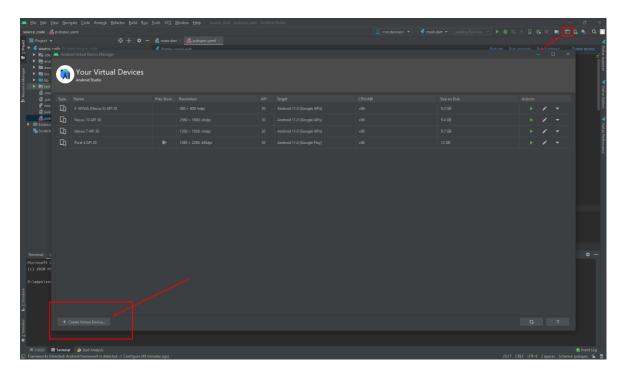


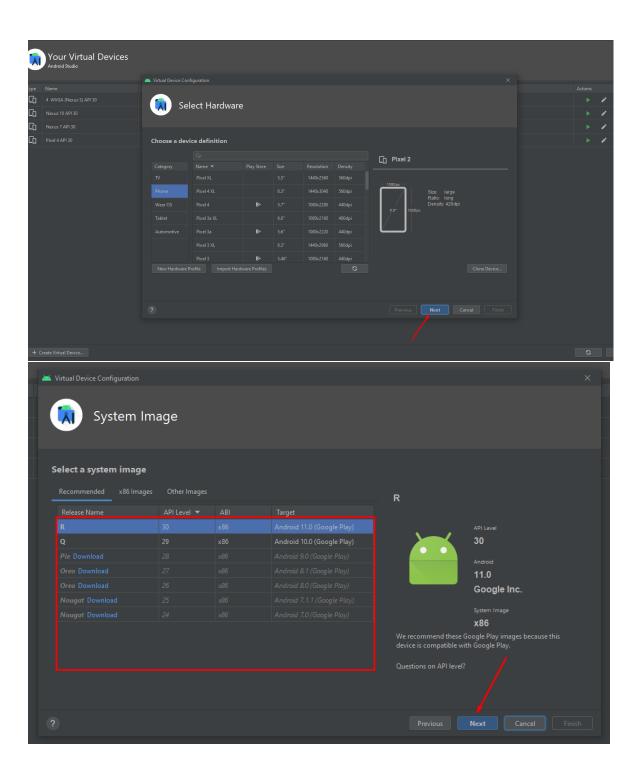


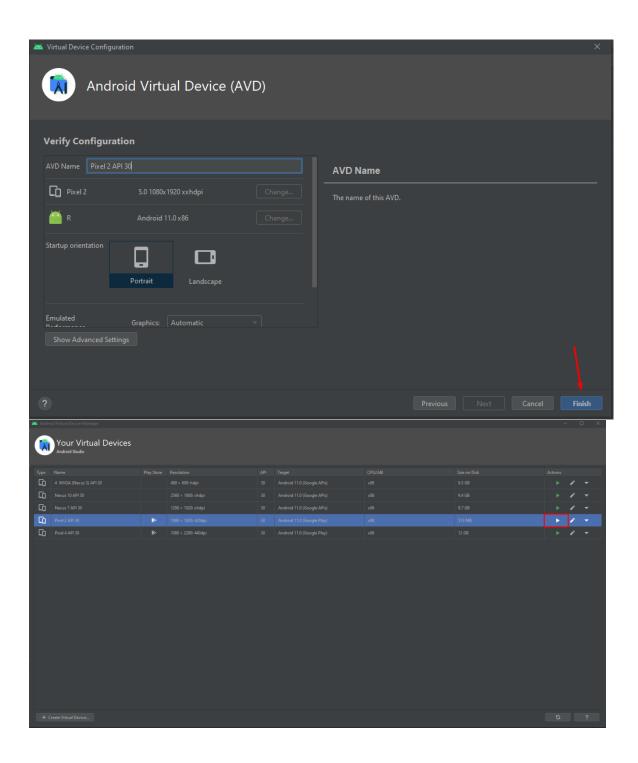
 Launch Android Studio, click the AVD Manager icon, and select Create Virtual Device...

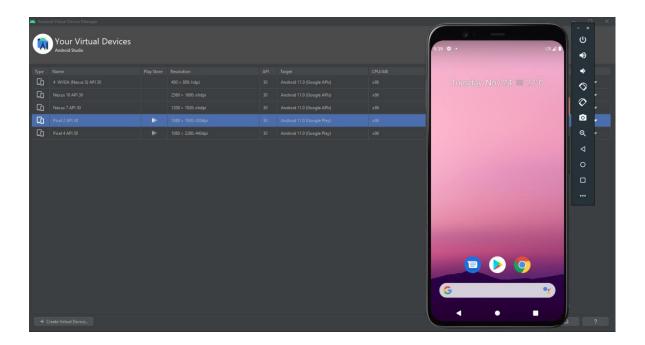
- In older versions of Android Studio, you should instead launch Android Studio > Tools > Android > AVD Manager and select Create Virtual Device....
 (The Android submenu is only present when inside an Android project.)
- If you do not have a project open, you can choose Configure > AVD
 Manager and select Create Virtual Device...
- Choose a device definition and select Next.
- Select one or more system images for the Android versions you want to emulate, and select **Next**. An *x*86 or *x*86_64 image is recommended.
- Under Emulated Performance, select Hardware GLES 2.0 to enable <u>hardware</u> acceleration.
- Verify the AVD configuration is correct, and select **Finish**.
 - o For details on the above steps, see Managing AVDs.
- In Android Virtual Device Manager, click **Run** in the toolbar. The emulator starts up and displays the default canvas for your selected OS version and device.

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Or Follow this macOS

System requirements

- To install and run Flutter, your development environment must meet these minimum requirements:
- Operating Systems: macOS (64-bit)
- Disk Space: 2.8 GB (does not include disk space for IDE/tools).
- Tools: Flutter depends on these command-line tools being available in your environment.
 - o bash
 - o curl
 - o git 2.x
 - o mkdir
 - o rm
 - o unzip
 - o which

Get the Flutter SDK

- Download the following installation bundle to get the latest stable release of the Flutter SDK link:
- For other release channels, and older builds, see the <u>SDK releases</u> page.

\$ cd ~/development \$ unzip ~/Downloads/flutter_macos_1.22.4-stable.zip

 If you don't want to install a fixed version of the installation bundle, you can skip steps 1 and 2. Instead, get the source code from the <u>Flutter repo</u> on GitHub with the following command:

\$ git clone https://github.com/flutter/flutter.git

 You can also change branches or tags as needed. For example, to get just the stable version: Add the flutter tool to your path:

\$ export PATH="\$PATH:`pwd`/flutter/bin"

- This command sets your PATH variable for the *current* terminal window only. To permanently add Flutter to your path, see <u>Update your path</u>.
- Optionally, pre-download development binaries:
 - The flutter tool downloads platform-specific development binaries as needed. For scenarios where pre-downloading these artifacts is preferable (for example, in hermetic build environments, or with intermittent network availability), iOS and Android binaries can be downloaded ahead of time by running:

\$ flutter precache

- o For additional download options, see flutter help precache.
- You are now ready to run Flutter commands!

Run flutter doctor

• Run the following command to see if there are any dependencies you need to install to complete the setup (for verbose output, add the -v flag):

\$ flutter doctor

Update your path

- You can update your PATH variable for the current session at the command line, as shown in <u>Get the Flutter SDK</u>. You'll probably want to update this variable permanently, so you can run <u>flutter</u> commands in any terminal session.
- The steps for modifying this variable permanently for all terminal sessions are machine-specific. Typically you add a line to a file that is executed whenever you open a new window. For example:
- Determine the directory where you placed the Flutter SDK. You need this in Step 3.
- Open (or create) the rc file for your shell. Typing echo \$SHELL in your Terminal tells you which shell you're using. If you're using Bash, edit \$HOME/.bash_profile or \$HOME/.bashrc. If you're using Z shell, edit \$HOME/.zshrc. If you're using a different shell, the file path and filename will be different on your machine.
- Add the following line and change [PATH_TO_FLUTTER_GIT_DIRECTORY] to be the path where you cloned Flutter's git repo:

\$ export PATH="\$PATH:[PATH_TO_FLUTTER_GIT_DIRECTORY]/flutter/bin"

- Run source \$HOME/.<rc file> to refresh the current window, or open a new terminal window to automatically source the file.
- Verify that the flutter/bin directory is now in your PATH by running:

\$ echo \$PATH

O Verify that the flutter command is available by running:

Platform setup

 macOS supports developing Flutter apps in iOS, Android, and the web (technical preview release). Complete at least one of the platform setup steps now, to be able to build and run your first Flutter app.

iOS setup Install Xcode

- To develop Flutter apps for iOS, you need a Mac with Xcode installed.
- Install the latest stable version of Xcode (using web download or the Mac App Store).
- Configure the Xcode command-line tools to use the newly-installed version of Xcode by running the following from the command line:

\$ sudo xcode-select --switch /Applications/Xcode.app/Contents/Developer \$ sudo xcodebuild -runFirstLaunch

- This is the correct path for most cases, when you want to use the latest version of Xcode. If you need to use a different version, specify that path instead.
- Make sure the Xcode license agreement is signed by either opening Xcode once and confirming or running sudo xcodebuild -license from the command line.
- Versions older than the latest stable version may still work, but are not recommended for Flutter development. Using old versions of Xcode to target bitcode is not supported, and is likely not to work.
- With Xcode, you'll be able to run Flutter apps on an iOS device or on the simulator.

Set up the iOS simulator

- To prepare to run and test your Flutter app on the iOS simulator, follow these steps:
- On your Mac, find the Simulator via Spotlight or by using the following command:

\$ open -a Simulator

- Make sure your simulator is using a 64-bit device (iPhone 5s or later) by checking the settings in the simulator's **Hardware > Device** menu.
- Depending on your development machine's screen size, simulated high-screen-density iOS devices might overflow your screen. Grab the corner of the simulator and drag it to change the scale. You can also use the Window > Physical Size or Window > Pixel Accurate options if your computer's resolution is high enough.
 - If you are using a version of Xcode older than 9.1, you should instead set the device scale in the Window > Scale menu.

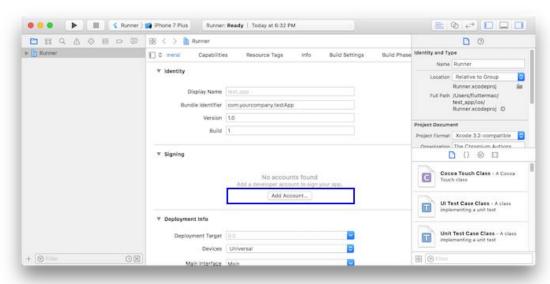
Deploy to iOS devices

- To deploy your Flutter app to a physical iOS device you'll need to set up physical device deployment in Xcode and an Apple Developer account. If your app is using Flutter plugins, you will also need the third-party CocoaPods dependency manager.
- You can skip this step if your apps do not depend on <u>Flutter plugins</u> with native iOS code. <u>Install and set up CocoaPods</u> by running the following commands:

\$ sudo gem install cocoapods

- Note: The default version of Ruby requires sudo to install the CocoaPods gem. If you are using a Ruby Version manager, you may need to run without sudo.
- Follow the Xcode signing flow to provision your project:
 - Open the default Xcode workspace in your project by running open ios/Runner.xcworkspace in a terminal window from your Flutter project directory.

- Select the device you intend to deploy to in the device drop-down menu next to the run button.
- Select the Runner project in the left navigation panel.
- In the Runner target settings page, make sure your Development Team is selected. The UI varies depending on your version of Xcode.
 - For Xcode 10, look under **General > Signing > Team**.
 - For Xcode 11 and newer, look under Signing & Capabilities > Team.
 - When you select a team, Xcode creates and downloads a Development Certificate, registers your device with your account, and creates and downloads a provisioning profile (if needed).
 - To start your first iOS development project, you might need to sign into Xcode with your Apple
 ID.



Development and testing is supported for any Apple ID. Enrolling in the Apple Developer Program is required to distribute your app to the App Store. For details about membership types, see Choosing a Membership.

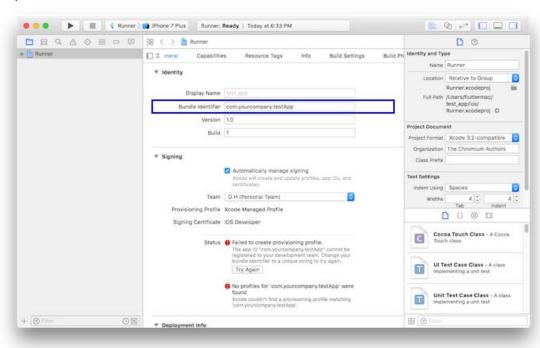
The first time you use an attached physical device for iOS development, you need to trust both your Mac and the Development Certificate on that device. Select Trust in the dialog prompt when first connecting the iOS device to your Mac.



Then, go to the Settings app on the iOS device, select General >
 Device Management and trust your Certificate. For first time users,

you may need to select **General > Profiles > Device Management** instead.

If automatic signing fails in Xcode, verify that the project's General > Identity > Bundle Identifier value is unique.



Start your app by running flutter run or clicking the Run button in Xcode.

Android setup

• Note: Flutter relies on a full installation of Android Studio to supply its Android platform dependencies. However, you can write your Flutter apps in a number of editors; a later step discusses that.

Install Android Studio

- Download and install <u>Android Studio</u>.
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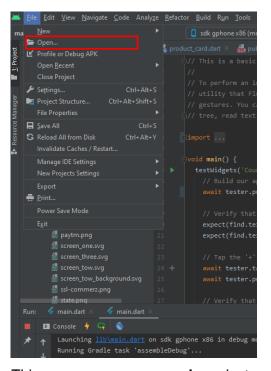
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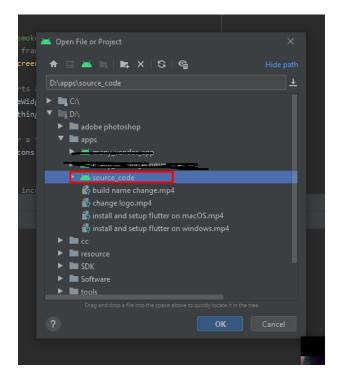
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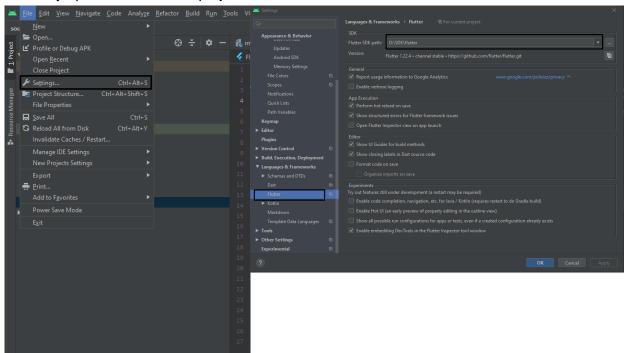
- To prepare to run and test your Flutter app on the Android emulator, follow these steps:
- Enable <u>VM acceleration</u> on your machine.
- Launch Android Studio, click the AVD Manager icon, and select Create Virtual Device...
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- Under Emulated Performance, select Hardware GLES 2.0 to enable <u>hardware</u> acceleration.
- Verify the AVD configuration is correct, and select Finish.
 - For details on the above steps, see Managing AVDs.
- In Android Virtual Device Manager, click **Run** in the toolbar. The emulator starts up and displays the default canvas for your selected OS version and device.
- Download the Android Studio or vs code. You can follow this link https://youtu.be/YPKYT1buIVU
- Open the downloaded mobile app with Android Studio/VSCode ide.

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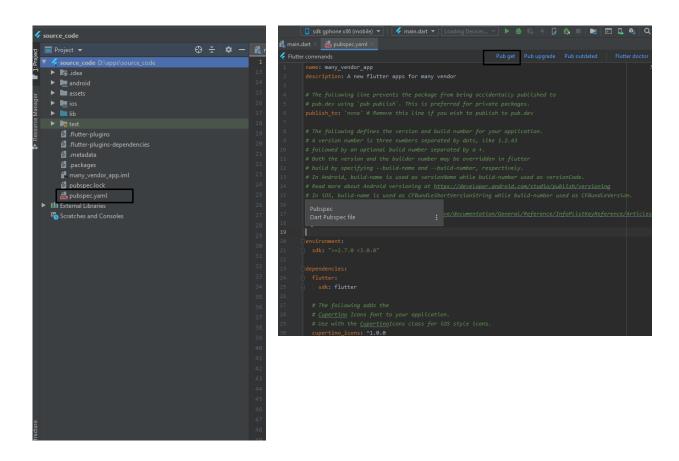




This way open **source_code** project



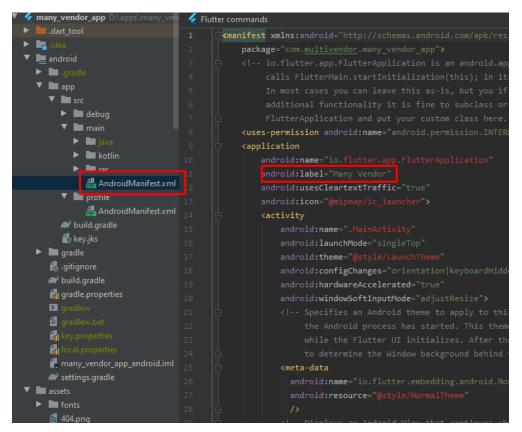
Goto **File > setting > Languages & Frameworks > Flutter** save the flutter SDK path properly. If every thing is ok click the **ok** button



Open the **pubspec.yaml** file - Click the **Pub get**, after click **pubget** update all package and sync the project or packages

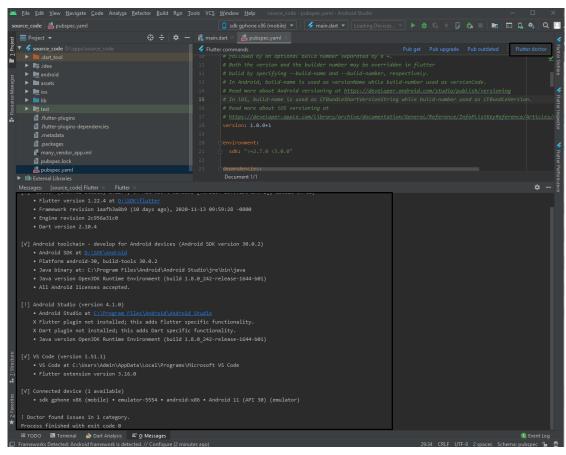
- Open the file name "helper.dart". Which is located at "<u>lib/helper</u>".
- Change appName from Line 19
- Go to line number 23.
- You will find a variable declared called "URL"
- Provide your hosted Manyvendor eCommerce & Multi-Vendor CMS application on the placeholder "Follow the picture".

Also, Change the app name from here android: label follows this picture.

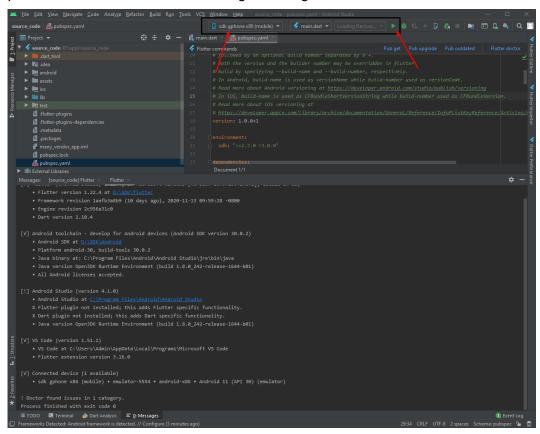


Your app name and android label name must be the same.

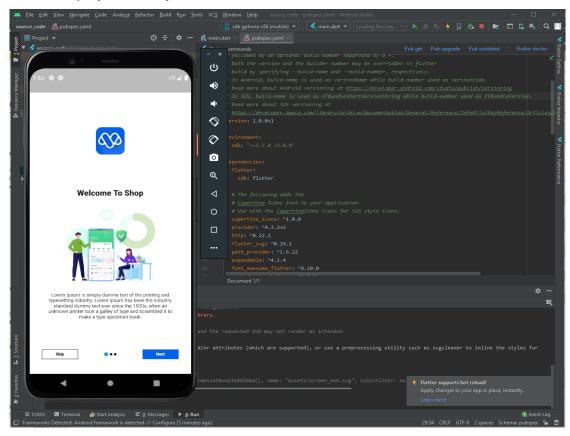
Check if everything is right.



If all setup is perfect, press **Flutter doctor** in top. If all is ok in flutter setup on your pc show the console success belong this image



Open the android **Emulator** and click the **play icon** for run the project in your pc. If All is ok project run in your **emulator**.



No Enjoy You successfully done to run your Flutter Application,

Build the application For Release:

- Change Android Package Name Follow this <u>link</u>. Or see this video <u>https://youtu.be/BhpmHlN2Kjg</u>
- o Change Application Launcher Icon, Follow this link.
- Build the app follow this for the
 - Android link,

Build and release an Android app

- During a typical development cycle, you test an app using flutter run at the command line, or by using the **Run** and **Debug** options in your IDE. By default, Flutter builds a *debug* version of your app.
- When you're ready to prepare a release version of your app, for example, to <u>publish to the Google Play Store</u>, this page can help. Before publishing, you might want to put some finishing touches on your app. This page covers the following topics:
- Adding a launcher icon
- Signing the app
- Shrinking your code with R8

- Reviewing the app manifest
- Reviewing the build configuration
- Building the app for release
- Publishing to the Google Play Store
- Updating the app's version number
- Android release FAQ

Adding a launcher icon

- When a new Flutter app is created, it has a default launcher icon. To customize this icon, you might want to check out the flutter_launcher_icons package.
- Alternatively, you can do it manually using the following steps:
- Review the <u>Material Design product icons</u> guidelines for icon design.
- In the <app dir>/android/app/src/main/res/ directory, place your icon files in folders named using configuration qualifiers. The default mipmap- folders demonstrate the correct naming convention.
- In AndroidManifest.xml, update the application tag's android:icon attribute to reference icons from the previous step (for example, <application android:icon="@mipmap/ic_launcher" ...).
- To verify that the icon has been replaced, run your app, and inspect the app icon in the Launcher.

Signing the app

• To publish on the Play Store, you need to give your app a digital signature. Use the following instructions to sign your app.

Create a Keystore

- If you have an existing keystore, skip to the next step. If not, create one by running the following at the command line:
- On Mac/Linux, use the following command:

```
keytool -genkey -v -keystore ~/key.jks -keyalg RSA -keysize 2048 -
validity 10000 -alias key
```

On Windows, use the following command:

```
keytool -genkey -v -keystore c:\Users\USER_NAME\key.jks -storetype JKS -keyalg RSA -keysize 2048 -validity 10000 -alias key
```

This command stores the key.jks file in your home directory. If you want to store
it elsewhere, change the argument you pass to the keystore parameter. However, keep the keystore file private; don't check it
into public source control!

Reference the keystore from the app

- Create a file named <app dir>/android/key.properties that contains a reference to your keystore:
- storePassword=<password from previous step>
- keyPassword=<password from previous step>
- keyAlias=key
- storeFile=<location of the key store file, such as /Users/<user name>/key.jks>

• Warning: Keep the key.properties file private; don't check it into public source control.

Configure signing in Gradle

- Configure signing for your app by editing the <app dir>/android/app/build.gradle file.
- Add code before android block:

```
android {
...
}
```

With the keystore information from your properties file:

```
def keystoreProperties = new Properties()
def keystorePropertiesFile = rootProject.file('key.properties')
if (keystorePropertiesFile.exists()) {
  keystoreProperties.load(new
  FileInputStream(keystorePropertiesFile))
}
android {
...
}
```

- o Load the key.properties file into the keystoreProperties object.
- Add code before buildTypes block:

```
buildTypes {
  release {
    // TODO: Add your own signing config for the release build.
    // Signing with the debug keys for now,
    // so `flutter run --release` works.
    signingConfig signingConfigs.debug
  }
}
```

With the signing configuration info:

```
signingConfigs {
  release {
    keyAlias keystoreProperties['keyAlias']
    keyPassword keystoreProperties['keyPassword']
    storeFile keystoreProperties['storeFile']
    file(keystoreProperties['storeFile']) : null
    storePassword keystoreProperties['storePassword']
  }
}
buildTypes {
  release {
    signingConfig signingConfigs.release
  }
}
```

- o Configure the signingConfigs block in your module's build.gradle file.
- Release builds of your app will now be signed automatically.
- Note: You may need to run flutter clean after changing the gradle file. This prevents cached builds from affecting the signing process.
- For more information on signing your app, see <u>Sign your app</u> on developer.android.com.

Shrinking your code with R8

- R8 is the new code shrinker from Google, and it's enabled by default when you build a release APK or AAB. To disable R8, pass the --no-shrink flag to flutter build apk Or flutter build appearable.
- **Note:** Obfuscation and minification can considerably extend compile time of the Android application.

Reviewing the app manifest

- Review the default <u>App Manifest</u> file, AndroidManifest.xml, located in <app dir>/android/app/src/main and verify that the values are correct, especially the following:
- application

Edit the android: label in the application tag to reflect the final name of the app.

uses-permission

Add the android.permission.INTERNET permission if your application code needs Internet access. The standard template does not include this tag but allows Internet access during development to enable communication between Flutter tools and a running app.

Reviewing the build configuration

- Review the default <u>Gradle build file</u> file, build.gradle, located in <app dir>/android/app and verify the values are correct, especially the following values in the defaultConfig block:
- applicationId Specify the final, unique (Application Id)appid
- versionCode & versionName

Specify the internal app version number, and the version number display string. You can do this by setting the version property in the pubspec.yaml file. Consult the version information guidance in the versions documentation.

minSdkVersion, compilesdkVersion, & targetSdkVersion

Specify the minimum API level, the API level on which the app was compiled, and the maximum API level on which the app is designed to run. Consult the API level section in the versions documentation for details. buildToolsVersion

Specify the version of Android SDK Build Tools that your app uses. Alternatively, you can use the [Android Gradle Plugin] in Android Studio, which will automatically import the minimum required Build Tools for your app without the need for this property.

Building the app for release

- You have two possible release formats when publishing to the Play Store.
- App bundle (preferred)
- APK
- **Note:** The Google Play Store prefers the app bundle format. For more information, see <u>Android App Bundle</u> and <u>About Android App Bundles</u>.
- Warning: Recently, the Flutter team has received <u>several reports</u> from developers indicating they are experiencing app crashes on certain devices on Android 6.0. If you are targeting Android 6.0, use the following steps:

- If you build an App Bundle Edit android/gradle.properties and add the flag: android.bundle.enableUncompressedNativeLibs=false.
- If you build an APK Make sure android/app/src/AndroidManifest.xml doesn't set android:extractNativeLibs=false in the <application> tag.
- For more information, see the <u>public issue</u>.

Build an app bundle

- This section describes how to build a release app bundle. If you completed the signing steps, the app bundle will be signed. At this point, you might consider <u>obfuscating your Dart code</u> to make it more difficult to reverse engineer. Obfuscating your code involves adding a couple flags to your build command, and maintaining additional files to de-obfuscate stack traces.
- From the command line:
- Enter cd <app dir>
 (Replace <app dir> with your application's directory.)
- Run flutter build appluedle (Running flutter build defaults to a release build.)
- The release bundle for your app is created at <app dir>/build/app/outputs/bundle/release/app.aab.
- By default, the app bundle contains your Dart code and the Flutter runtime compiled for <u>armeabi-v7a</u> (ARM 32-bit), <u>arm64-v8a</u> (ARM 64-bit), and <u>x86-64</u> (x86 64-bit).

Test the app bundle

• An app bundle can be tested in multiple ways—this section describes two.

Offline using the bundle tool

- If you haven't done so already, download bundletool from the GitHub repository.
- Generate a set of APKs from your app bundle.
- Deploy the APKs to connected devices.

Online using Google Play

- Upload your bundle to Google Play to test it. You can use the internal test track, or the alpha or beta channels to test the bundle before releasing it in production.
- Follow these steps to upload your bundle to the Play Store.

Build an APK

- Although app bundles are preferred over APKs, there are stores that don't yet support app bundles. In this case, build a release APK for each target ABI (Application Binary Interface).
- If you completed the signing steps, the APK will be signed. At this point, you might
 consider <u>obfuscating your Dart code</u> to make it more difficult to reverse engineer.
 Obfuscating your code involves adding a couple flags to your build command.
- From the command line:

- Enter cd <app dir>
 (Replace <app dir> with your application's directory.)
- Run flutter build apk --split-per-abi
 (The flutter build command defaults to --release.)
- This command results in three APK files:
- <app dir>/build/app/outputs/apk/release/app-armeabi-v7a-release.apk
- <app dir>/build/app/outputs/apk/release/app-arm64-v8a-release.apk
- <app dir>/build/app/outputs/apk/release/app-x86 64-release.apk
- Removing the --split-per-abi flag results in a fat APK that contains your code compiled for *all* the target ABIs. Such APKs are larger in size than their split counterparts, causing the user to download native binaries that are not applicable to their device's architecture.

Install an APK on a device

- Follow these steps to install the APK on a connected Android device.
- From the command line:
- Connect your Android device to your computer with a USB cable.
- Enter cd <app dir> where <app dir> is your application directory.
- Run flutter install.

Publishing to the Google Play Store

 For detailed instructions on publishing your app to the Google Play Store, see the Google Play launch documentation.

Updating the app's version number

- The default version number of the app is 1.0.0. To update it, navigate to the pubspec.yaml file and update the following line:
- version: 1.0.0+1
- The version number is three numbers separated by dots, such as 1.0.0 in the example above, followed by an optional build number such as 1 in the example above, separated by a +.
- Both the version and the build number may be overridden in Flutter's build by specifying --build-name and --build-number, respectively.
- In Android, build-name is used as versionName while build-number used as versionCode. For more information, see Version your app in the Android documentation.
- After updating the version number in the pubspec file, run flutter pub get from the top of the project, or use the **Pub get** button in your IDE. This updates the versionName and versionCode in the local.properties file, which are later updated in the build.gradle file when you rebuild the Flutter app.

For Build iOS Follow this **link**:

Build and release an iOS app

- This guide provides a step-by-step walkthrough of releasing a Flutter app to the <u>App Store</u> and <u>TestFlight</u>.
 - Preliminaries
- Before beginning the process of releasing your app, ensure that it meets Apple's App Review Guidelines.
- In order to publish your app to the App Store, you must first enroll in the <u>Apple Developer Program</u>. You can read more about the various membership options in Apple's <u>Choosing a Membership</u> guide.

Register your app on App Store Connect

- Manage your app's life cycle on <u>App Store Connect</u> (formerly iTunes Connect). You
 define your app name and description, add screenshots, set pricing, and manage
 releases to the App Store and TestFlight.
- Registering your app involves two steps: registering a unique Bundle ID, and creating an application record on App Store Connect.
- For a detailed overview of App Store Connect, see the App Store Connect guide.

Register a Bundle ID

- Every iOS application is associated with a Bundle ID, a unique identifier registered with Apple. To register a Bundle ID for your app, follow these steps:
- Open the <u>App IDs</u> page of your developer account.
- Click + to create a new Bundle ID.
- Enter an app name, select Explicit App ID, and enter an ID.
- Select the services your app uses, then click Continue.
- On the next page, confirm the details and click Register to register your Bundle ID.

Create an application record on App Store Connect

- Register your app on App Store Connect:
- Open App Store Connect in your browser.
- On the App Store Connect landing page, click My Apps.
- Click + in the top-left corner of the My Apps page, then select **New App**.
- Fill in your app details in the form that appears. In the Platforms section, ensure that iOS is checked. Since Flutter does not currently support tvOS, leave that checkbox unchecked. Click Create.
- Navigate to the application details for your app and select App Information from the sidebar.
- In the General Information section, select the Bundle ID you registered in the preceding step.
- For a detailed overview, see <u>Add an app to your account</u>.

Review Xcode project settings

- This step covers reviewing the most important settings in the Xcode workspace. For detailed procedures and descriptions, see Prepare for app distribution.
- Navigate to your target's settings in Xcode:
- In Xcode, open Runner.xcworkspace in your app's ios folder.
- To view your app's settings, select the Runner project in the Xcode project navigator.
 Then, in the main view sidebar, select the Runner target.
- Select the **General** tab.
- Verify the most important settings.

- In the **Identity** section:
- Display Name

The display name of your app.

Bundle Identifier

The App ID you registered on App Store Connect.

- In the **Signing & Capabilities** section:
- Automatically manage signing

Whether Xcode should automatically manage app signing and provisioning. This is set true by default, which should be sufficient for most apps. For more complex scenarios, see the <u>Code Signing Guide</u>.

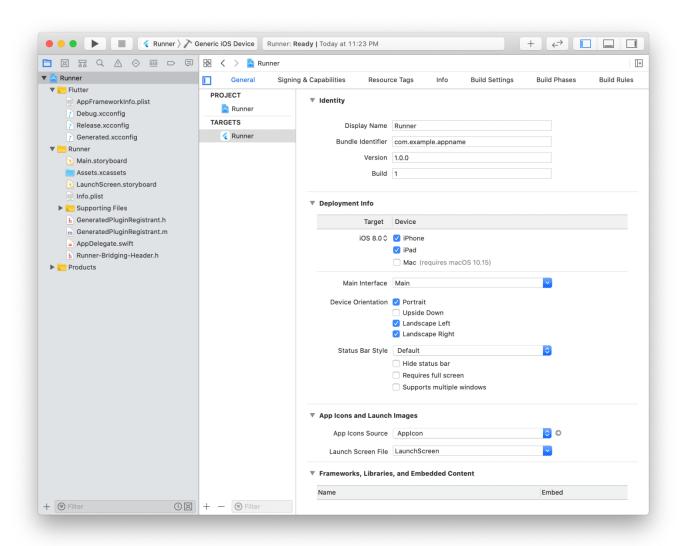
Team

Select the team associated with your registered Apple Developer account. If required, select **Add Account...**, then update this setting.

- In the **Build Settings** section:
- iOS Deployment Target

The minimum iOS version that your app supports. Flutter supports iOS 8.0 and later. If your app includes Objective-C or Swift code that makes use of APIs that were unavailable in iOS 8, update this setting appropriately.

• The **General** tab of your project settings should resemble the following:



For a detailed overview of app signing, see Create, export, and delete signing certificates.

Updating the app's deployment version

 If you changed Deployment Target in your Xcode project, open ios/Flutter/AppframeworkInfo.plist in your Flutter app and update the MinimumOSVersion value to match.

Updating the app's version number

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- version: 1.0.0+1
- The version number is three numbers separated by dots, such as 1.0.0 in the example above, followed by an optional build number such as 1 in the example above, separated by a +.
- Both the version and the build number may be overridden in Flutter's build by specifying --build-name and --build-number, respectively.
- In iOS, build-name uses CFBundleShortVersionString while buildnumber uses CFBundleVersion. Read more about iOS versioning at <u>Core Foundation</u> <u>Keys</u> on the Apple Developer's site.

Add an app icon

- When opening these apps a placeholder icon set is created. This step covers replacing these placeholder icons with your app's icons:
- Review the iOS App Icon guidelines.
- In the Xcode project navigator, select Assets.xcassets in the Runner folder. Update the placeholder icons with your own app icons.
- Verify the icon has been replaced by running your app using flutter run.

Create a build archive

- This step covers creating a build archive and uploading your build to App Store Connect.
- During development, you've been building, debugging, and testing with *debug* builds.
 When you're ready to ship your app to users on the App Store or TestFlight, you need to prepare a *release* build. At this point, you might consider <u>obfuscating your Dart code</u> to make it more difficult to reverse engineer. Obfuscating your code involves adding a couple flags to your build command.
- On the command line, follow these steps in your application directory:
- Run flutter build ios to create a release build (flutter build defaults to --release).
- To ensure that Xcode refreshes the release mode configuration, close and re-open your Xcode workspace. For Xcode 8.3 and later, this step is not required.
- In Xcode, configure the app version and build:
- In Xcode, open Runner.xcworkspace in your app's ios folder.
- Select Product > Scheme > Runner.
- Select Product > Destination > Any iOS Device.
- Select Runner in the Xcode project navigator, then select the Runner target in the settings view sidebar.
- In the Identity section, update the **Version** to the user-facing version number you wish to publish.
- In the Identity section, update the **Build** identifier to a unique build number used to track this build on App Store Connect. Each upload requires a unique build number.
- Finally, create a build archive and upload it to App Store Connect:
- Select **Product > Archive** to produce a build archive.
- In the sidebar of the Xcode Organizer window, select your iOS app, then select the build archive you just produced.
- Click the Validate App button. If any issues are reported, address them and produce another build. You can reuse the same build ID until you upload an archive.
- After the archive has been successfully validated, click **Distribute App**. You can follow
 the status of your build in the Activities tab of your app's details page on <u>App Store</u>
 Connect.
- You should receive an email within 30 minutes notifying you that your build has been validated and is available to release to testers on TestFlight. At this point you can choose whether to release on TestFlight, or go ahead and release your app to the App Store.
- For more details, see Upload an app to App Store Connect.

Release your app on TestFlight

- <u>TestFlight</u> allows developers to push their apps to internal and external testers. This optional step covers releasing your build on TestFlight.
- Navigate to the TestFlight tab of your app's application details page on <u>App Store</u> Connect.
- Select **Internal Testing** in the sidebar.
- Select the build to publish to testers, then click **Save**.

- Add the email addresses of any internal testers. You can add additional internal users in the Users and Roles page of App Store Connect, available from the dropdown menu at the top of the page.
- For more details, see Distribute an app using TestFlight.

Release your app to the App Store

- When you're ready to release your app to the world, follow these steps to submit your app for review and release to the App Store:
- Select **Pricing and Availability** from the sidebar of your app's application details page on App Store Connect and complete the required information.
- Select the status from the sidebar. If this is the first release of this app, its status is 1.0
 Prepare for Submission. Complete all required fields.
- Click Submit for Review.
- Apple notifies you when its app review process is complete. Your app is released according to the instructions you specified in the Version-Release section.
- For more details, see Distribute an app through the App Store.
 - If you have done this good so far, You will find the build option on the top navigation menu.
 - Go to the terminal. Run flutter build apk from the terminal. It will build a release apk.

Distribution

- Manual Distribution
 - If you have built it successfully, you will find the apk file inside: "build/app/outputs/flutter-apk/app- release.apk". You can distribute this application manually by hosting it on your server or somewhere else.

Google Playstore

- You can host the application on Google Playstore as well. You will find tons of supporting videos and blogs on the internet like this_ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dR04ArAhxd4&ab_ch_annel=GoogleDevelopers
 - Follow whichever you feel easier.

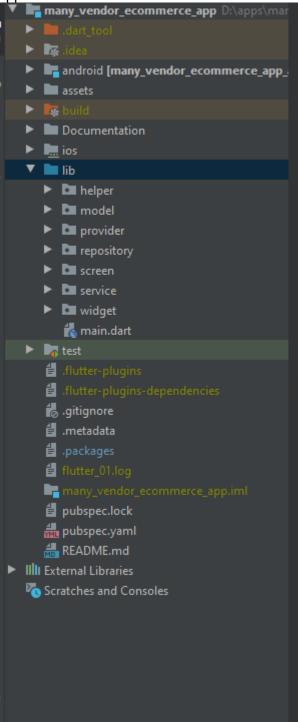
App Store iOS

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Source code Structure

Here is the source code structure of the Manyvendor eCommerce customer

Mobile Application.



All the screens we've used is in the screens folder. All the providers are inside the provider's folder. All the widgets we've

used are inside provider folder are holding all provider classes, repository folder contain database operations, the screen folder contains all screens, service folder contains all service classes. widgets folder contains all custom widgets, a model folder contain all the data models we've used here. main.dart file contains all the Splash Screen UI. Android and ios folders contain android and ios related files respectfully. You can open the contents of the ios folder from xCode to change app icons and splash screens. Related android content in the Android folder.