

# ReactiveCocoa 3

(some parts)

Motivation (kind of)

(from RAC readme)

Event streams unify all of Cocoa's common patterns for asynchrony and event handling, including:

- Delegate methods
- Callback blocks
- NSNotifications
- Control actions and responder chain events
- Futures and promises
- Key-value observing (KVO)

# Events

```
/// Signals must conform to the grammar:  
/// `Next* (Error | Completed | Interrupted)?`
```

```
enum Event<T, E : ErrorType> {  
    case Next(Box.Box<T>)  
    case Error(Box.Box<E>)  
    case Completed  
    case Interrupted  
}
```

# Signals

Demo

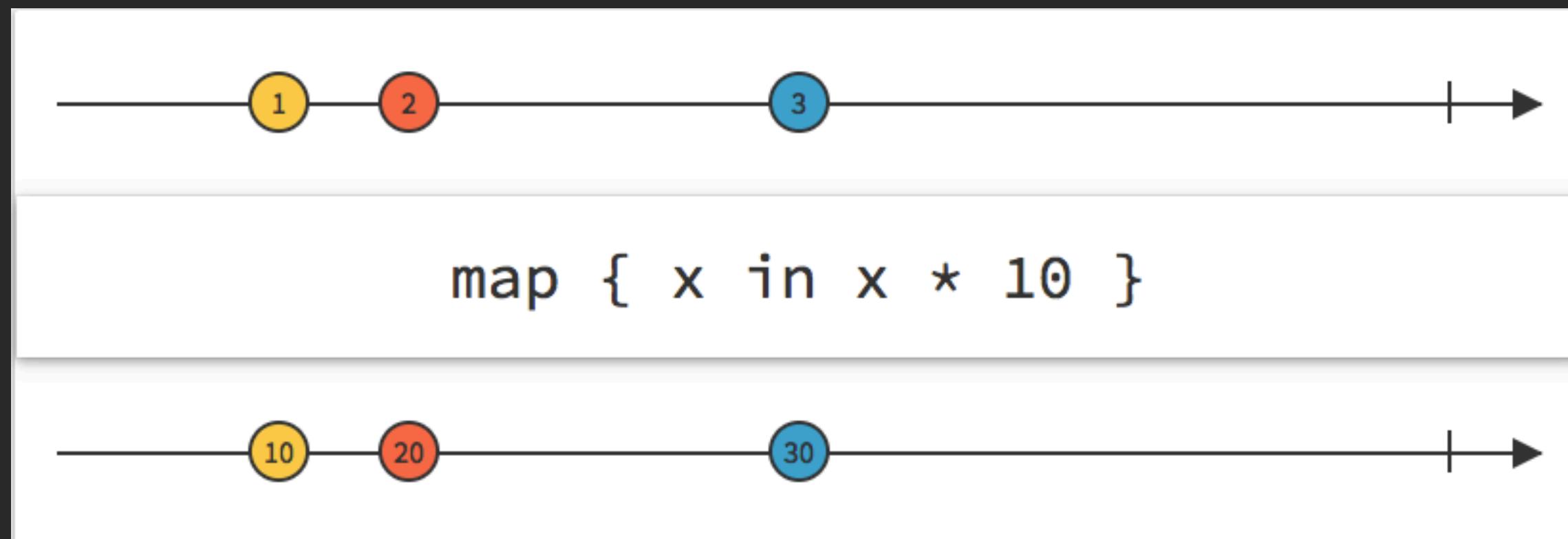
```
class Signal<T, E : ErrorType>

    /// emits events after creation
    /// (even without any observers)
    /// good for streams of UI events
```

```
/// observe a signal with  
  
func observe<T, E>(  
    error: (E -> ())? = default,  
    completed: ((() -> ())?)? = default,  
    interrupted: ((() -> ())?)? = default,  
    next: (T -> ())?)? = default  
) ->  
Signal<T, E> -> Disposable?
```

/// Maps each value in the signal to a new value.

```
func map<T, U, E>(transform: T -> U) ->  
Signal<T, E> -> Signal<U, E>
```



```
/// pipe forward operator
/// Applies a Signal operator to a Signal.
```

```
func |><T, E, X>(
    signal: Signal<T, E>,
    transform: @noescape Signal<T, E> -> X)
-> X
```

# Signal Producers

Demo

```
struct SignalProducer<T, E : ErrorType>
```

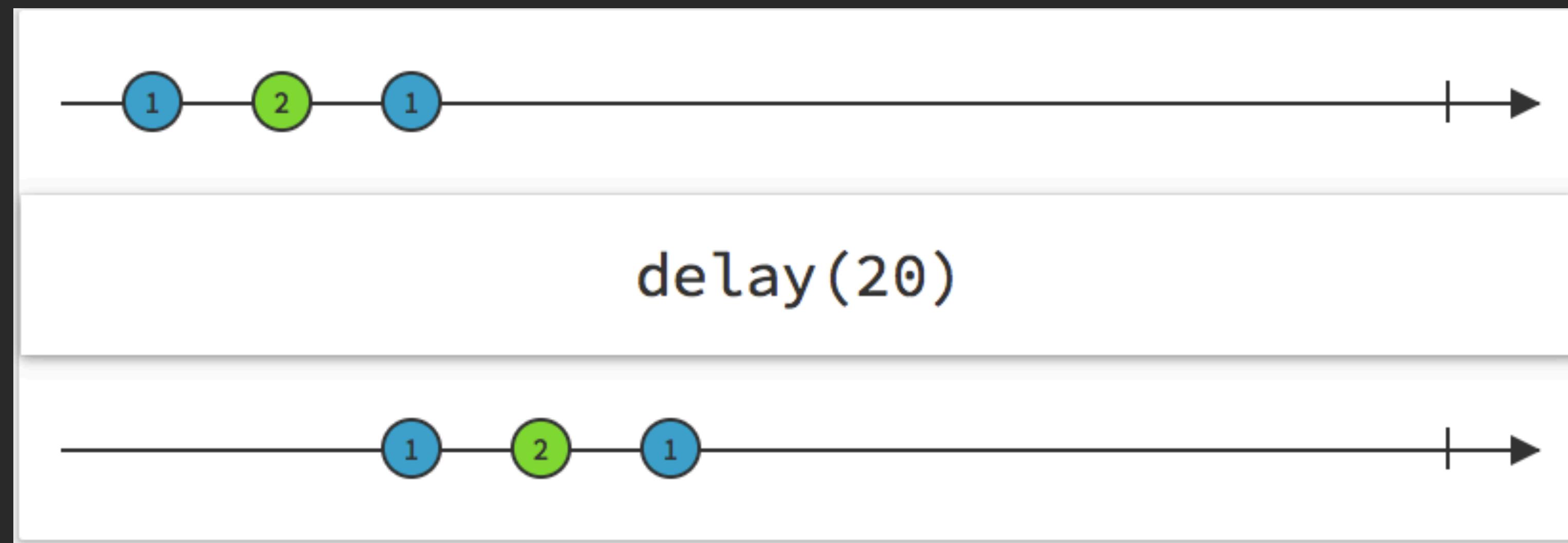
```
/// Signal producers are factories which create  
signals when they are started.
```

```
/// good for network tasks
```

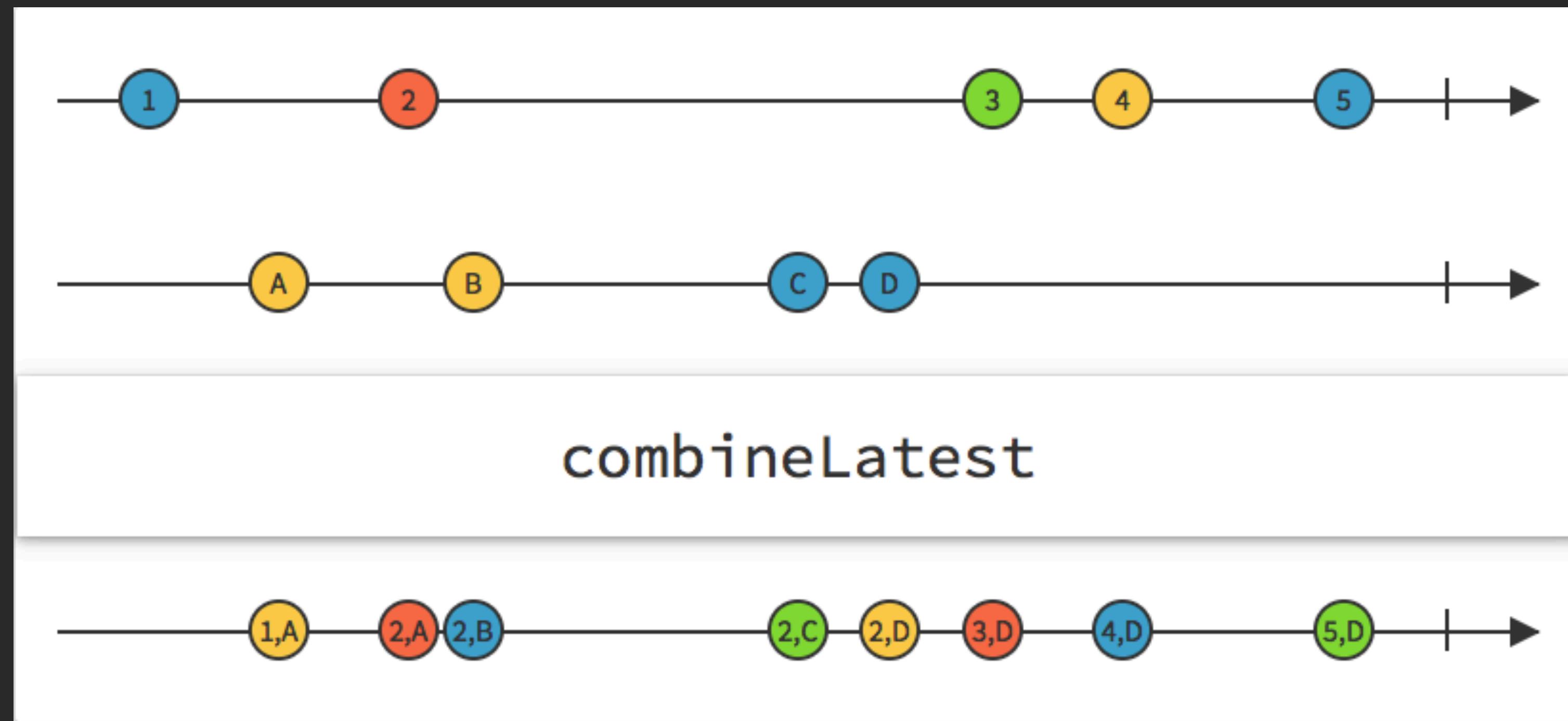
```
func start<T, E>(  
    error: (E -> ())? = default,  
    completed: (() -> ())? = default,  
    interrupted: (() -> ())? = default,  
    next: (T -> ())? = default  
) ->  
SignalProducer<T, E> -> Disposable
```

```
/// Ignores errors up to `count` times.  
func retry<T, E>(count: Int)  
-> SignalProducer<T, E> -> SignalProducer<T, E>
```

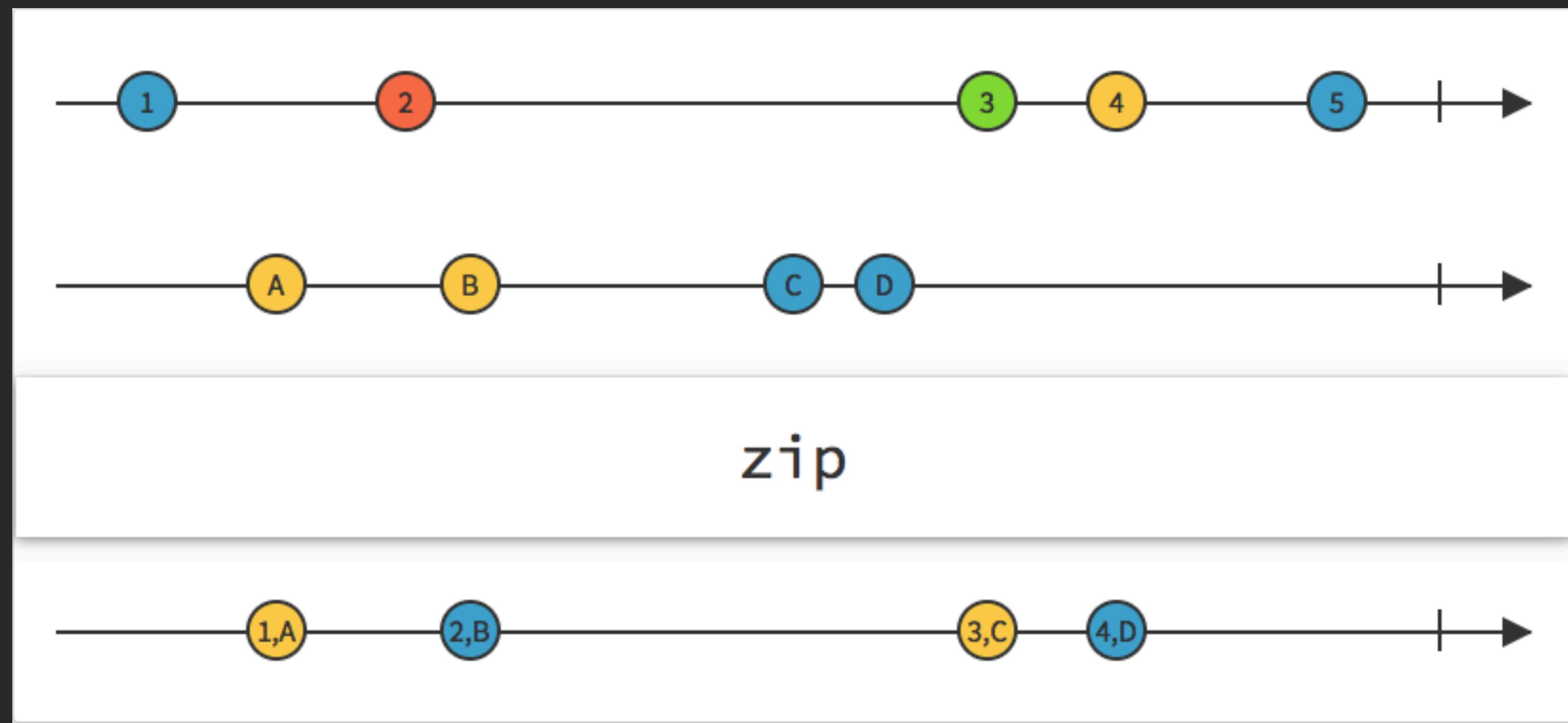
# Operators



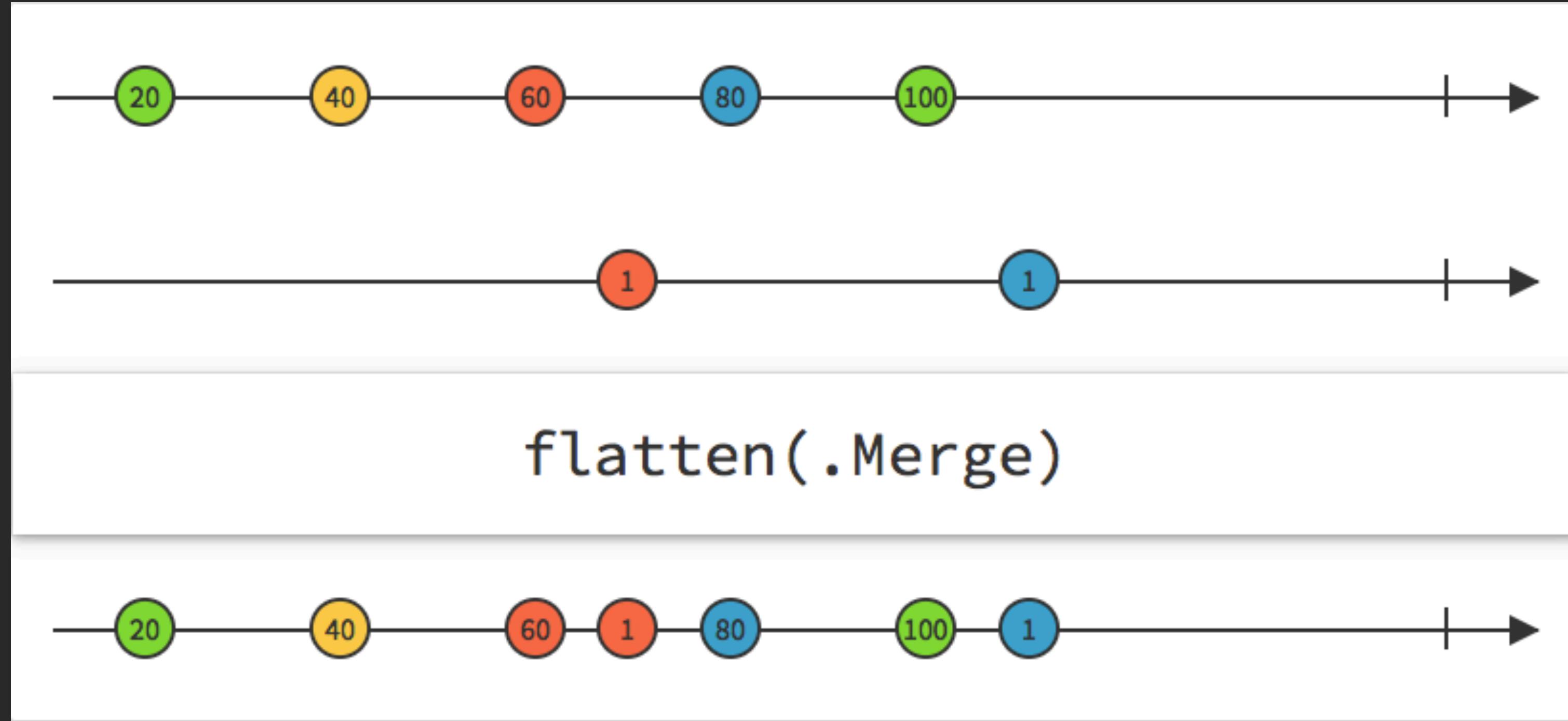
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When to use it?

## Links

<https://github.com/ReactiveCocoa/ReactiveCocoa>

<https://github.com/ReactiveCocoa/ReactiveCocoa/tree/master/Documentation>

<https://skillsmatter.com/skillscasts/5906-reactivecocoa-and-swift-better-together>  
(highly recommended)

<http://blog.scottlogic.com/2015/04/24/first-look-reactive-cocoa-3.html>

<http://blog.scottlogic.com/2015/04/28/reactive-cocoa-3-continued.html>

<http://blog.scottlogic.com/2015/05/15/mvvm-reactive-cocoa-3.html>