## A non-primitive $C^*$ -algebra.

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C[0,1]. In fact if A is a commutative primitive  $C^*$ -algebra, then A has a nonzero faithful irreducible representation  $(H,\varphi)$ . So  $(\varphi(A))' = \mathcal{C}1$ . But  $\varphi(A)$  is commutative, so  $\varphi(A) \subseteq (\varphi(A))' = \mathcal{C}1$ . But  $\varphi(A) \neq \{0\}$  so  $\varphi(A) = \mathcal{C}1$ . Thus  $A \simeq \varphi(A) = \mathcal{C}1$ .