

Ouestion 1

Consider the code snippet below in relation to the SOLID design principles.

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public class Parser{
    public void parseFile(String format, URI uri, int fileSizeInMB){
      if(format.equals("JSON")){ //original code March 10 2019
        // code to parse file as JSON
      if(format.equals("XML")){
        if(fileSizeInMB >= 500){ // added end of April 2019; to handle large files
           //code to parse large XML file using SAX
        else{ //added in April 10 2019
           //code to parse regular XML file
        }
      }
      if(format.equals("CSV")){ //added in May 10 2019
        // code to parse file as CSV
      if(format.equals("HTML")){ // added just in case; not used currently
        // code to parse file as HTML
     //TO DO: required in June 2019 - code to parse in OWL file format
}
```

Figure 1

Assuming that there are no errors in the code in Figure 1:

(a) Explain how the Single Responsibility and the Open/Closed principles are being violated.

[2 marks]

- (b) Identify two code smells in the code, one each from the *Bloater* and *Dispensibles* categories, and describe why code refactoring is necessary for each case. [4 marks]
- (c) Discuss how you would refactor the code so that the SOLID principles in (a) are followed and the code smells from (b) are eliminated. [6 marks]
- (d) List the remaining three SOLID principles not mentioned in this question. [3 marks]

TOTAL MARKS: 15 marks