

- ❑ The five basic metrics, plus
 - Complexity metrics

- ❑ Fault statistics are important
 - Number of test cases
 - Percentage of test cases that resulted in failure
 - Total number of faults, by types

- ❑ The fault data are incorporated into checklists for code inspections

- ❑ Metrics specific to the object-oriented paradigm have been put forward
- ❑ Many have been questioned on both theoretical and experimental grounds
- ❑ There does not seem to be a need for such metrics
 - Instead, classical metrics should be applied to object-oriented software in the usual way

- ❑ Management issues are paramount here
 - Appropriate CASE tools
 - Test case planning
 - Communicating changes to all personnel
 - Deciding when to stop testing

- ❑ Code reuse needs to be built into the product from the very beginning
 - Reuse must be a client requirement
 - The software project management plan must incorporate reuse

- ❑ Implementation is technically straightforward
 - The challenges are managerial in nature

Make-or-break issues include:

- Use of appropriate CASE tools
- Test planning as soon as the client has signed off the specifications
- Ensuring that changes are communicated to all relevant personnel
- Deciding when to stop testing