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The benefits and potential of using SOLID principles

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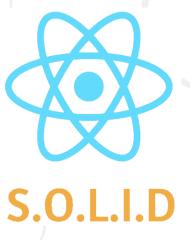


- S <u>Single responsibility principle</u> class should only have one responsibility
- O Open–closed principle open for extension,
 but closed for modification
- L <u>Liskov substitution principle</u> objects should be replaceable with instances of their subtypes without altering the correctness of that program

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- I <u>Interface segregation principle</u> many specific interfaces are better than one general interface
- D <u>Dependency inversion principle</u> one should depend upon abstractions, not concretions





Single Responsibility

A Class Should Have Only One Reason to Change

Single Responsibility Principle



- A class should have only one responsibility
 - Reduces dependency complexity
 - Each additional responsibility is an axis to change the class

```
public class HeroSettings {
  public static void changeName(Hero hero) {
    // Grant option to change
  }
}
```



Single Responsibility Principle



- Still classes can have multiple methods
 - Each method should have single functionality part of the class responsibility

```
public class HeroSettings {
 public static void changeName(Hero hero) {
   // Grant option to change name
  public static void selectRole(Hero hero) {
   // Grant option to select role
```



What is Open/Closed?



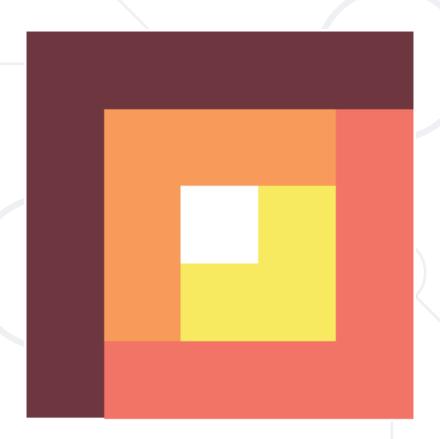
"Software entities (classes, modules, functions, etc.) should be open for extension, but closed for modification."

Extensibility



Implementation takes future growth into consideration

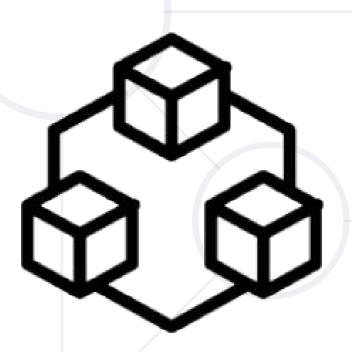
 Extensible system is one whose internal structure and data flow are minimally or not affected by new or modified functionality



Reusability



- Software reusability more specifically refers to design features of a software element that enhance its suitability for reuse
- Modularity
- Low coupling
- High cohesion
- Coupling and Cohesion



Open/Closed Principle (OCP)



- Design and writing of the code should be done in a way that new functionality should be added with minimum changes in the existing code
- Changes to source code are not required

OCP – Violations



- Cascading changes through modules
- Each change requires re-testing
- Logic depends on conditional statements

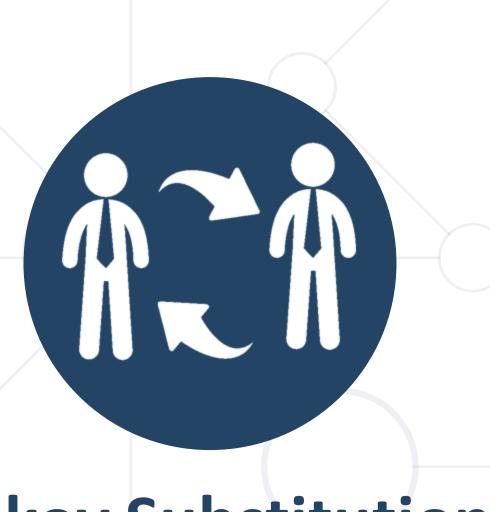


OCP – Solutions



- Inheritance / Abstraction
- Inheritance / Template Method pattern
- Composition / Strategy patterns





Liskov Substitution

What is Liskov Substitution?



"Derived types must be completely substitutable for their base types"

- Reference to the base class can be replaced with a derived class without affecting the functionality of the program module
- Derived classes just extend without replacing the functionality of old classes

LSP Relationship



OOP Inheritance

Student IS-A Person

Plus LSP

Student IS-SUBSTITUTED-FOR Person

OCP vs LSP



"Liskov Substitution Principle is just an extension of the Open Close Principle and it means that we must make sure that new derived classes are extending the base classes without changing their behavior."

LSP – Violations



- Type Checking
- Overridden methods say "I am not implemented"
- Base class depends on its subtypes

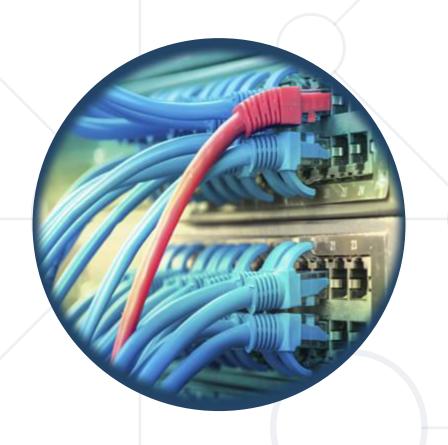


LSP - Solutions



- "Tell, Don't Ask"
- Refactoring in the base class





Interface Segregation Clients Require Cohesive Interfaces

ISP – Interface Segregation Principle



"Clients should not be forced to depend on methods they do not use."

- Segregate interfaces
 - Prefer small, cohesive interfaces
 - Divide "fat" interfaces into "role" interfaces

Fat Interfaces



Classes whose interfaces are not cohesive have "fat" interfaces

```
public interface Worker {
  void work();
  void sleep();
}
Class Employee is
  OK
```

```
public class Robot implements Worker {
  public void work() {}
  public void sleep() {
    throw new UnsupportedOperationException();
  }
}
```

"Fat" Interfaces



- Having "fat" interfaces:
 - Classes have methods they do not use
 - Increased coupling
 - Reduced flexibility
 - Reduced maintainability

How to ISP?



- Solutions to broken ISP
 - Small interfaces
 - Cohesive interfaces
 - Let the client define interfaces "role" interfaces

Cohesive Interfaces



Small and Cohesive "Role" Interfaces

```
public interface Worker {
  void work();
}
```

```
public interface Sleeper {
  void sleep();
}
```

```
public class Robot implements Worker {
  void work() {
    // Do some work...
  }
}
```



Dependency Inversion Flip Dependencies

Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)



"Dependency Inversion Principle says that high-level modules should not depend on low-level modules. Both should depend on abstractions."

"Abstractions should not depend on details. Details should depend on abstractions."

Goal: decoupling between modules through abstractions

Dependencies and Coupling (1)



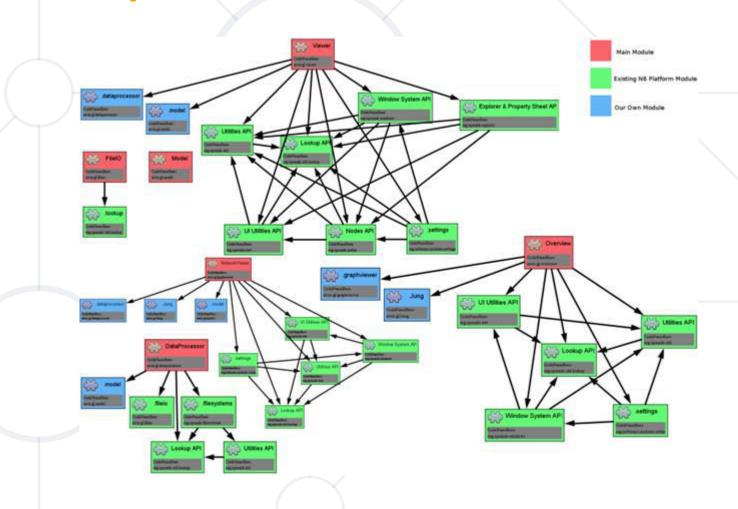
What happens when modules depend directly on other modules



Dependencies and Coupling (2)



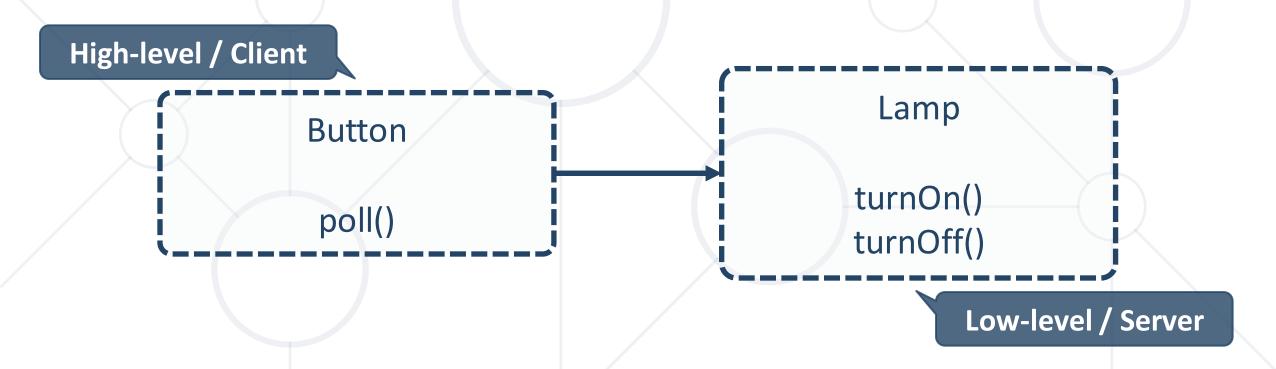
The goal is to depend on abstractions



The Problem



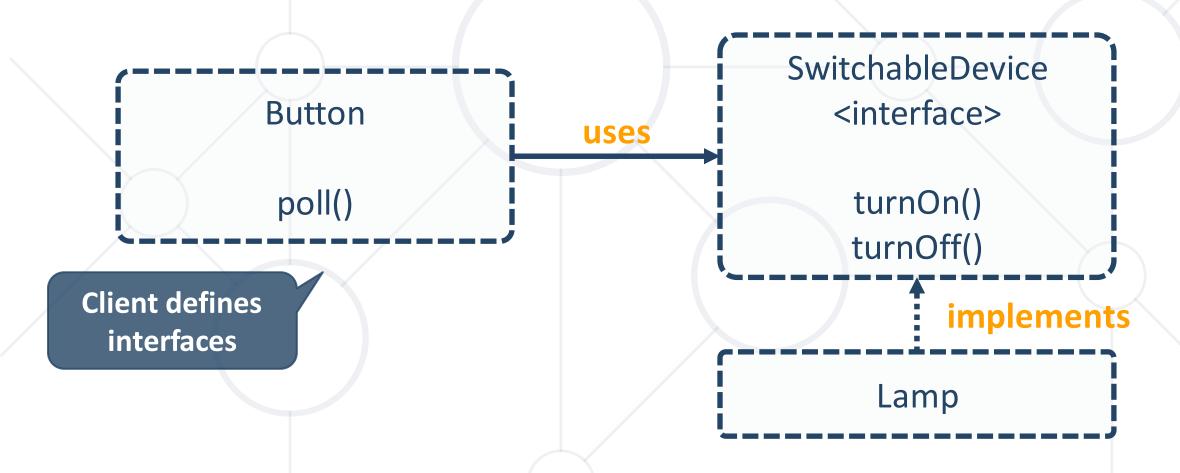
- Button → Lamp Example Robert Martin
- Button depends on Lamp



Dependency Inversion Solution



Find the abstraction independent of details



Dependency Examples



- A dependency is any external component / system:
 - Framework
 - Third party library
 - Database
 - File system
 - Email
 - Web service
 - System resource (e.g. clock)

- Configuration
- The new keyword
- Static method
- Global function
- Random generator
- System.in / System.out

How to DIP? (1)



- Constructor injection dependencies are passed through constructors
 - Pros
 - Classes self-documenting requirements
 - Works well without container
 - Always valid state
 - Cons
 - Many parameters
 - Some methods may not need everything



Constructor Injection – Example



```
public class Copy {
  private Reader reader;
  private Writer writer;
  public Copy(Reader reader, Writer writer) {
   this.reader = reader;
   this.writer = writer;
  public void copyAll() {}
```

How to DIP? (2)



- Setter Injection dependencies are passed through setters
 - Pros
 - Can be changed anytime
 - Very flexible
 - Cons
 - Possible invalid state of the object
 - Less intuitive

Setter Injection – Example



```
public class Copy {
 private Reader reader;
 private Writer writer;
 public void setReader(Reader reader) {}
 public void setWriter(Writer writer) {}
  public void copyAll() {}
```

How to DIP? (3)



 Parameter injection - dependencies are passed through method parameters

- Pros
 - No change in rest of the class
 - Very flexible

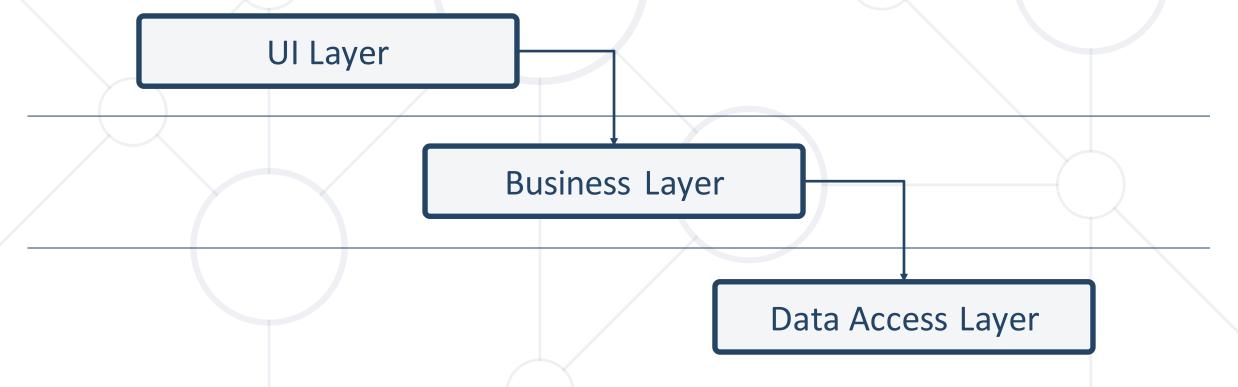
- Cons
 - Many parameters
 - Breaks the method signature

```
public class Copy {
  public void copyAll(Reader reader, Writer writer) {}
}
```

Layering (1)



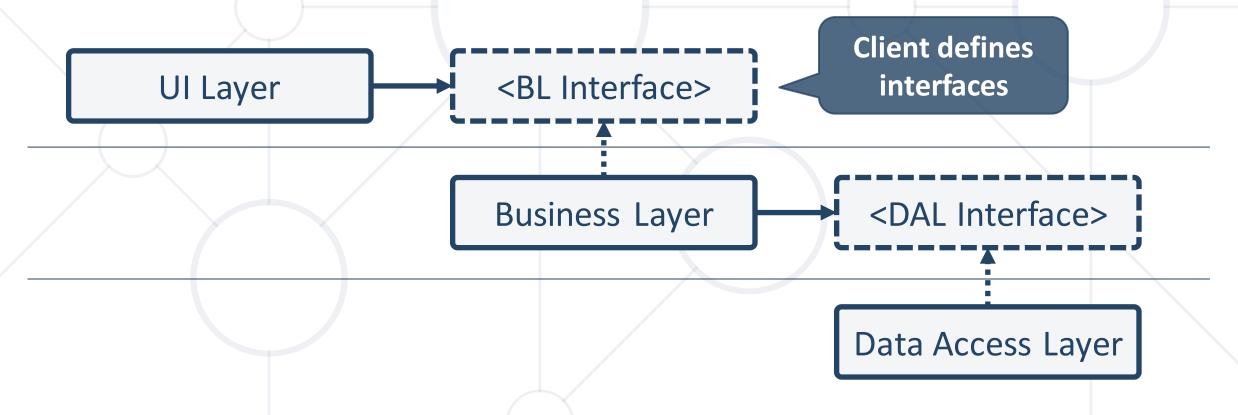
- Traditional programming
 - High-level modules use low-level modules



Layering (2)



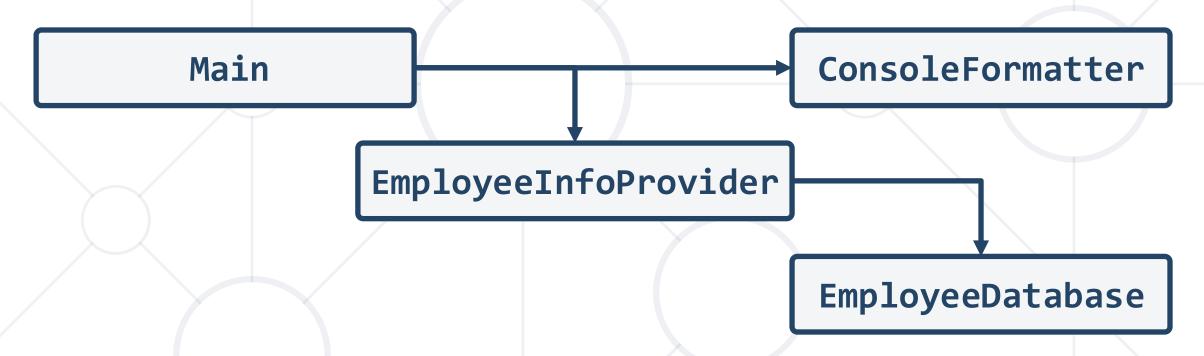
- Dependency Inversion Layering
 - High and low-level modules depend on abstractions



Problem: Employee Info



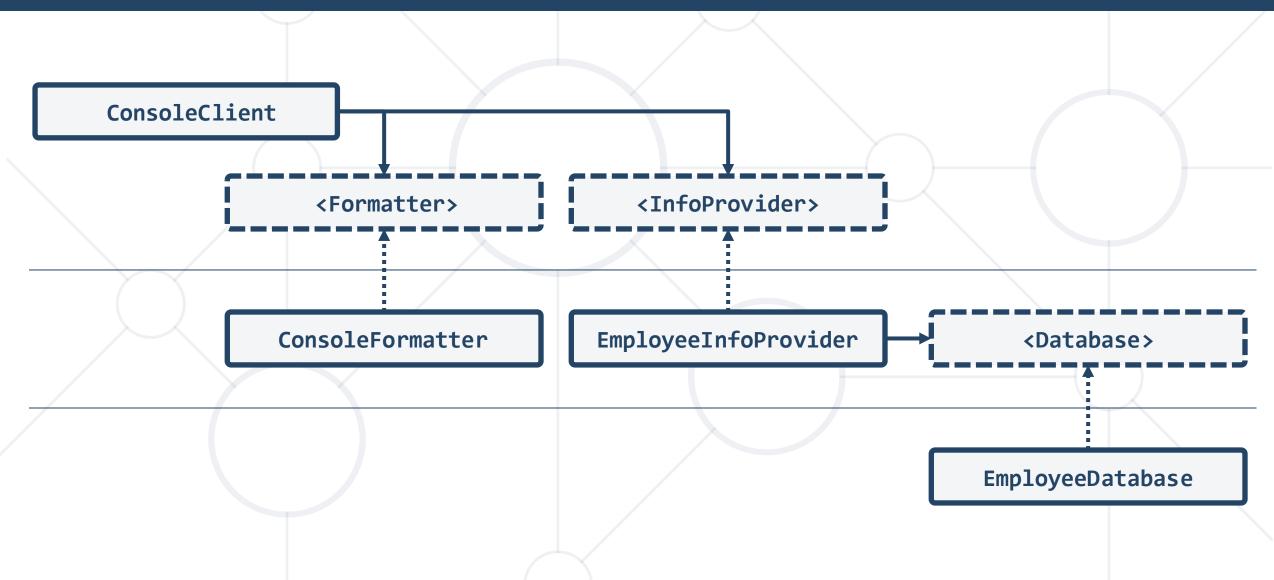
You are given some classes



Refactor the code so that it conforms to DIP

Solution: Employee Info





Summary



- SOLID principle make software more:
 - Understandable
 - Flexible
 - Maintainable



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