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Comments?

Avoid Comments

With only very few exceptions

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Bad Comments

Redundant Information

Dividers / Block Markers

Misleading Comments

Commented-Out Code

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Good Comments

Legal Information

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# (c) Low Jie Wei / Company Name
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Explanations which can't be replaced by good naming

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regular expressions
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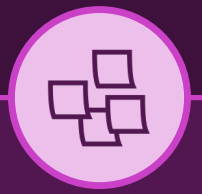
Warnings



Todo Notes

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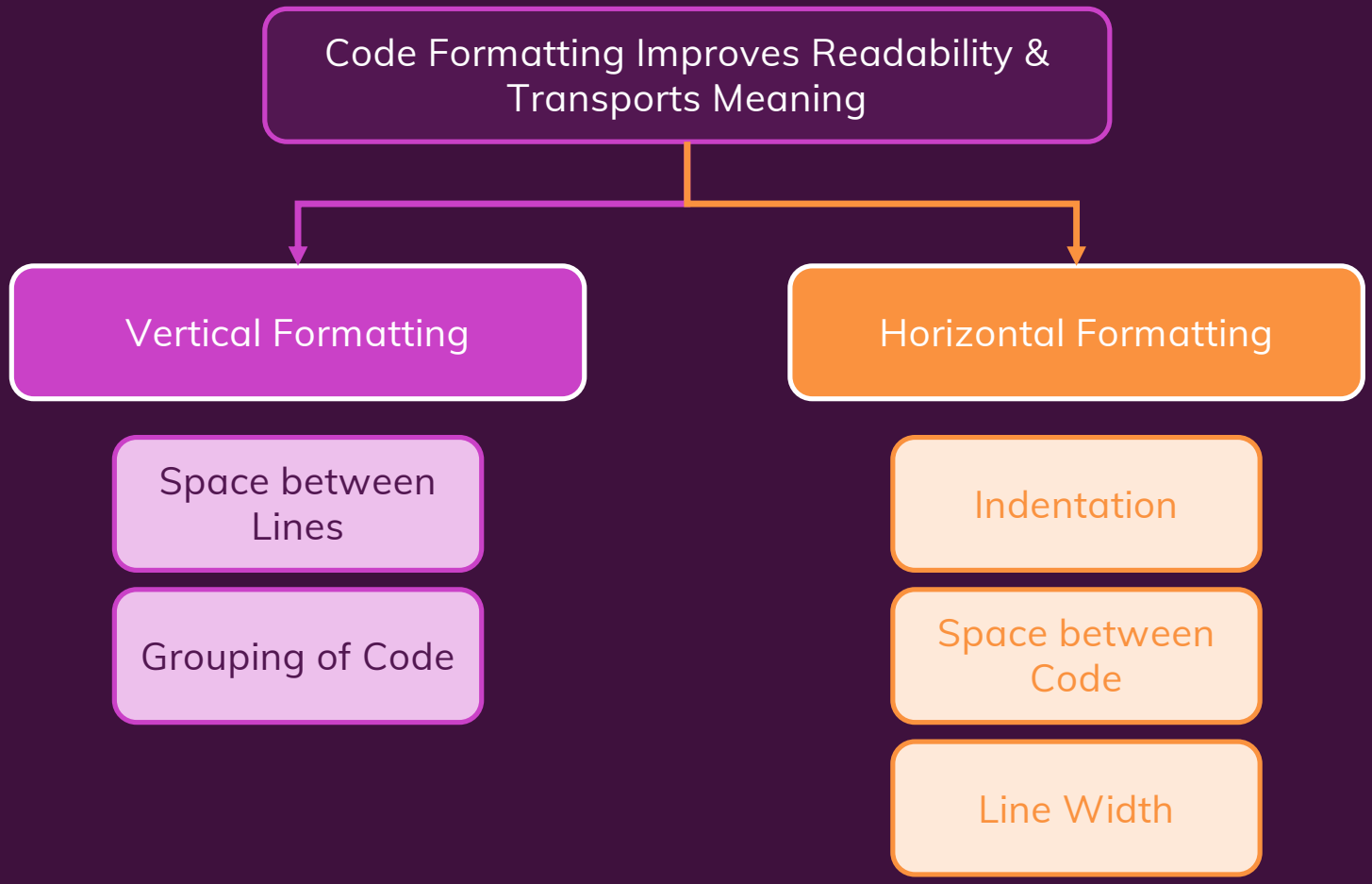
What Is “Code Formatting”?



Proper Formatting

Formatting is important and greatly improves readability

language style guide

Formatting rules differ between languages

Follow language-specific conventions and guidelines

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Vertical Formatting

Code should be readable like an essay – top to bottom without too many “jumps”

- Consider splitting files with multiple concepts (e.g. classes) into multiple files
- Different concepts (“areas”) should be separated by spacing
- Similar concepts (“areas”) should not be separated by spacing
- Related concepts should be kept close to each other
  read the functions from top to bottom closely.

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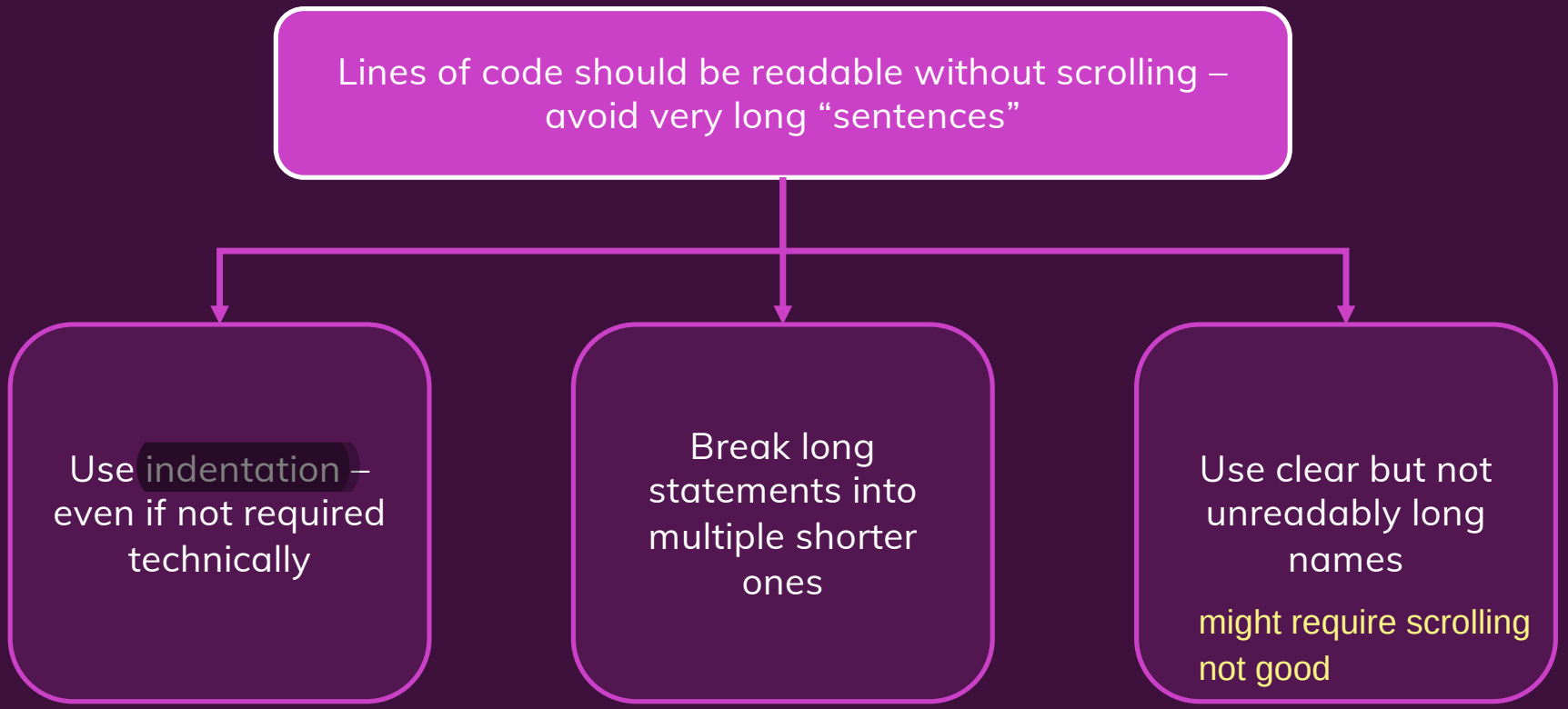
Horizontal Formatting