

SOLID Principles in Java with Real-Time Examples

1. Single Responsibility Principle (SRP)

Definition: A class should have only one reason to change.

Bad Example:

```
public class Employee {  
  
    public String getEmployeeDetails() {  
  
        return "Employee Data";  
  
    }  
  
    public void generatePDFReport() {  
  
        // Generates report  
  
    }  
  
}
```

Good Example:

```
public class Employee {  
  
    public String getEmployeeDetails() {  
  
        return "Employee Data";  
  
    }  
  
}  
  
public class ReportGenerator {  
  
    public void generatePDFReport(Employee emp) {  
  
        // Generates report  
  
    }  
  
}
```

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2. Open/Closed Principle (OCP)

Definition: Software entities should be open for extension, but closed for modification.

Bad Example:

```
public class DiscountCalculator {  
  
    public double calculate(String customerType) {  
  
        if (customerType.equals("Premium")) return 0.2;  
  
        else if (customerType.equals("Regular")) return 0.1;  
  
        return 0;  
  
    }  
  
}
```

Good Example:

```
public interface DiscountStrategy {  
  
    double getDiscount();  
  
}  
  
public class PremiumCustomer implements DiscountStrategy {  
  
    public double getDiscount() { return 0.2; }  
  
}  
  
public class RegularCustomer implements DiscountStrategy {  
  
    public double getDiscount() { return 0.1; }  
  
}  
  
public class DiscountCalculator {  
  
    public double calculate(DiscountStrategy strategy) {  
  
        return strategy.getDiscount();  
  
    }  
  
}
```

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```
}  
  
}
```

3. Liskov Substitution Principle (LSP)

Definition: Subtypes must be substitutable for their base types.

Bad Example:

```
public class Bird {  
  
    public void fly() {  
  
        System.out.println("Flying");  
  
    }  
  
}  
  
public class Ostrich extends Bird {  
  
    public void fly() {  
  
        throw new UnsupportedOperationException("Ostrich can't fly");  
  
    }  
  
}
```

Good Example:

```
public interface Bird {}  
  
public interface FlyingBird extends Bird {  
  
    void fly();  
  
}  
  
public class Sparrow implements FlyingBird {
```

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```
public void fly() {  
    System.out.println("Flying");  
}  
  
}  
  
public class Ostrich implements Bird {  
  
    // No fly method  
  
}
```

4. Interface Segregation Principle (ISP)

Definition: No client should be forced to depend on interfaces it does not use.

Bad Example:

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

Good Example:

```
public interface Workable {  
  
    void work();  
  
}  
  
public interface Eatable {  
  
    void eat();  
  
}
```

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```
public class Robot implements Workable {  
  
    public void work() {  
  
        System.out.println("Working");  
  
    }  
  
}
```

5. Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)

Definition: High-level modules should not depend on low-level modules; both should depend on abstractions.

Bad Example:

```
public class MySQLDatabase {  
  
    public void connect() {  
  
        System.out.println("Connected to MySQL");  
  
    }  
  
}  
  
public class App {  
  
    private MySQLDatabase db = new MySQLDatabase();  
  
    public void start() {  
  
        db.connect();  
  
    }  
  
}
```

Good Example:

```
public interface Database {
```

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```
void connect();  
  
}  
  
public class MySQLDatabase implements Database {  
  
    public void connect() {  
  
        System.out.println("Connected to MySQL");  
  
    }  
  
}  
  
public class App {  
  
    private Database db;  
  
    public App(Database db) {  
  
        this.db = db;  
  
    }  
  
    public void start() {  
  
        db.connect();  
  
    }  
  
}
```