

Clean Code

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“the blocks within if statements, else statements, while statements, and so on should be one line long. Probably that line should be a function call. ”

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“FUNCTIONS SHOULD DO ONE THING. THEY SHOULD DO IT WELL. THEY SHOULD DO IT ONLY. ”

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“Functions that do one thing cannot be reasonably divided into sections. ”

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“Don’t be afraid to spend time choosing a name. Indeed, ”

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“Don’t be afraid to spend time choosing a name. ”

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“Don’t be afraid to make a name long. A long descriptive name is better than a short enigmatic name. ”

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““You know you are working on clean code when each routine turns out to be pretty much what you expected.” ”

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“Flag arguments are ugly. ”

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“Passing a boolean into a function is a truly terrible practice. ”

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“Functions that take three arguments are significantly harder to understand than dyads. ”

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“Reducing the number of arguments by creating objects out of them may seem like cheating, but it’s not. ”

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“When groups of variables are passed together, the way x and y are in the example above, they are likely part of a concept that deserves a name of its own. ”

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“If you must have a temporal coupling, you should make it clear in the name of the function. ”

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“Anything that forces you to check the function signature is equivalent to a double-take. ”

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“Functions should either do something or answer something, but not both. ”

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“Try/catch blocks are ugly in their own right. ”

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“So it is better to extract the bodies of the try and catch blocks out into functions of their own. ”

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“Error handling is one thing. ”

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“Functions should do one thing. ”

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“Error handling is one thing. Thus, a function that handles errors should do nothing else. ”

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“object-oriented programming serves to concentrate code into base classes that would otherwise be redundant. ”

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“Structured programming, Aspect Oriented Programming, Component Oriented Programming, are all, in part, strategies for eliminating duplication. ”

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“Dijkstra said that every function, and every block within a function, should have one entry and one exit. ”

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“if you keep your functions small, then the occasional multiple return, break, or continue statement does no harm ”

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“The art of programming is, and has always been, the art of language design. ”

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“never forget that your real goal is to tell the story of the system, ”

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“the functions you write need to fit cleanly together into a clear and precise language to help you with that telling. ”

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“Master programmers think of systems as stories to be told rather than programs to be written. ”

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““Don’t comment bad code—rewrite it.” ”

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“Nothing can clutter up a module more than frivolous dogmatic comments. ”

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“comments are, at best, a necessary evil. ”

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“The proper use of comments is to compensate for our failure to express ”

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ourselves in code. ”

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“Comments are always failures. ”

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“Every time you express yourself in code, you should pat yourself on the
back. Every time you write a comment, you should grimace and feel the
failure of your ability of expression. ”

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“Programmers can’t realistically maintain them. ”

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“would rather that energy go toward ”

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“Rather than spend your time writing the comments that explain the mess you’ve made, spend it cleaning that mess. ”

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