

Angular Clean Code and Testing Guide

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Clean Code Principles

1. Single Responsibility Principle

```
**Bad: Component doing too many things** ```typescript
@Component({ selector: "app-book-list", template: `
  {{ book.title }} Delete
  Loading...
  {{ error }}
`, }) export class BookListComponent { books: Book[] = [];
  loading = false; error: string | null = null;

  constructor(private bookService: BookService, private store:
  Store) {}

  ngOnInit() { this.loadBooks(); }

  loadBooks() { this.loading = true;
  this.bookService.getBooks().subscribe({ next: (books) => {
```

```
this.books = books; this.loading = false; }, error: (error) =>
{ this.error = error.message; this.loading = false; }, }); }
```

```
deleteBook(id: string) {
  this.bookService.deleteBook(id).subscribe({ next: () =>
  this.loadBooks(), error: (error) => (this.error =
  error.message), }); } }
```

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<div class="good-example">
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```
  **Good: Separated concerns**
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```
  ```typescript
```

```
 @Component({
```

```
 selector: "app-book-list",
```

```
 template: `
```

```
 <app-book-list-content
```

```
 [books]="books$ | async"
```

```
 [loading]="loading$ | async"
```

```
 [error]="error$ | async"
```

```
 (deleteBook)="onDeleteBook($event)">
```

```
 </app-book-list-content>
```

```
 `,
```

```
 })
```

```
 export class BookListComponent {
```

```
 books$ = this.store.select(selectBooks);
```

```
 loading$ = this.store.select(selectBooksLoading);
```

```
 error$ = this.store.select(selectBooksError);
```

```
 constructor(private store: Store) {}
```

```
 ngOnInit() {
```

```
 this.store.dispatch(loadBooks());
```

```
 }
```

```
 onDeleteBook(id: string) {
```

```
 this.store.dispatch(deleteBook({ id }));
```

```
 }
```

```
 }
```

```
 @Component({
```

```
 selector: "app-book-list-content",
```

```
 template: `
```

```

 <div>
 <div *ngFor="let book of books">
 {{ book.title }}
 <button (click)="deleteBook.emit(book.id)">Delete</button>
 </div>
 <div *ngIf="loading">Loading...</div>
 <div *ngIf="error">{{ error }}</div>
 </div>
 `,
 })
}

export class BookListComponent {
 @Input() books: Book[] = [];
 @Input() loading = false;
 @Input() error: string | null = null;
 @Output() deleteBook = new EventEmitter<string>();
}

```

**\*\*Tip:\*\*** Separating concerns makes components more maintainable and testable. The container component handles state management while the presentational component focuses on rendering.

## 2. Interface Segregation

**\*\*Bad: Large interface\*\*** ```typescript interface Book { id: string; title: string; author: string; price: number; publishedDate: Date; isbn: string; description: string; coverImage: string; category: string; rating: number; reviews: Review[]; publisher: string; pageCount: number; language: string; format: string; weight: number; dimensions: string; } ```

**\*\*Good: Segregated interfaces\*\*** ```typescript interface BaseBook { id: string; title: string; author: string; price: number; }

interface BookDetails extends BaseBook { publishedDate: Date; isbn: string; description: string; coverImage: string; category: string; }

```
interface BookMetadata { publisher: string; pageCount: number;
language: string; format: string; weight: number; dimensions:
string; }
```

```
interface BookReview { rating: number; reviews: Review[]; }
```

```
interface Book extends BookDetails, BookMetadata, BookReview
{ }
```

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 Note: Interface segregation helps maintain type safety and makes it
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### ### 3. Dependency Inversion

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<div class="bad-example">
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```
 Bad: Direct dependency
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  ```typescript
```

```
  @Component({
    selector: "app-book-list",
    template: `...`,
  })
```

```
  export class BookListComponent {
    constructor(private bookService: BookService) {}
  }
  ...
```

```
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```

```
<div class="good-example">
```

```
  **Good: Interface-based dependency**
```

```
  ```typescript
```

```
 interface IBookService {
 getBooks(): Observable<Book[]>;
 deleteBook(id: string): Observable<void>;
 }
```

```
 @Component({
 selector: "app-book-list",
 template: `...`,
 })
```

```
 export class BookListComponent {
```

```

 constructor(@Inject("IBookService") private bookService: IBookService) {}
 }
 ...

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<div class="tip">
 Tip: Using interfaces for dependencies makes the code more flexible.
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Component Design

1. Smart and Presentational Components

<div class="code-header">Smart Component (Container)</div>
```typescript
@Component({
  selector: "app-book-list-container",
  template: `
    <app-book-list
      [books]="books$ | async"
      [loading]="loading$ | async"
      [error]="error$ | async"
      (deleteBook)="onDeleteBook($event)">
    </app-book-list>
  `,
})
export class BookListContainerComponent {
  books$ = this.store.select(selectBooks);
  loading$ = this.store.select(selectBooksLoading);
  error$ = this.store.select(selectBooksError);

  constructor(private store: Store) {}

  onDeleteBook(id: string) {
    this.store.dispatch(deleteBook({ id }));
  }
}
```

<div class="code-header">Presentational Component (Dumb)</div>
```typescript
@Component({
  selector: "app-book-list",
  template: `

```

```

    <div class="book-list">
      <div *ngFor="let book of books" class="book-item">
        <app-book-card
          [book]="book"
          (delete)="deleteBook.emit(book.id)">
        </app-book-card>
      </div>
      <app-loading-spinner *ngIf="loading"></app-loading-spinner>
      <app-error-message *ngIf="error" [error]="error"></app-error-me
    </div>
  `,
})
export class BookListComponent {
  @Input() books: Book[] = [];
  @Input() loading = false;
  @Input() error: string | null = null;
  @Output() deleteBook = new EventEmitter<string>();
}
...

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<div class="note">
  **Note:** The container component handles state management and data fo
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2. Component Communication

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<div class="code-header">Parent Component</div>
```typescript
@Component({
 selector: "app-parent",
 template: `
 <app-child
 [data]="data"
 (dataChange)="onDataChange($event)">
 </app-child>
 `,
})
export class ParentComponent {
 data = { value: "test" };

 onDataChange(newData: any) {
 this.data = newData;
 }
}

```

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...

<div class="code-header">Child Component</div>
```typescript
@Component({
  selector: "app-child",
  template: `
    <div>
      <input [ngModel]="data.value" (ngModelChange)="onChange($event)"
    </div>
  `,
})
export class ChildComponent {
  @Input() data: any;
  @Output() dataChange = new EventEmitter<any>();

  onChange(value: string) {
    this.dataChange.emit({ ...this.data, value });
  }
}
...

```

```

<div class="tip">
**Tip:** Use Input/Output decorators for parent-child communication.
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Service Design

1. Base API Service

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<div class="code-header">Base API Service</div>
```typescript
@Injectable({
 providedIn: "root",
})
export class ApiService {
 private readonly baseUrl = environment.apiUrl;
 private readonly defaultHeaders: HttpHeaders = new HttpHeaders({
 "Content-Type": "application/json",
 });

 constructor(private http: HttpClient, private errorHandler: ErrorHandler) {}

 get<T>(endpoint: string, params?: HttpParams): Observable<T> {

```

```

 return this.http
 .get<T>(`${this.baseUrl}/${endpoint}`, {
 headers: this.defaultHeaders,
 params,
 })
 .pipe(catchError(this.errorHandler.handleError));
 }

 post<T, R>(endpoint: string, data: T): Observable<R> {
 return this.http
 .post<R>(`${this.baseUrl}/${endpoint}`, data, {
 headers: this.defaultHeaders,
 })
 .pipe(catchError(this.errorHandler.handleError));
 }
 ...

```

### ### 2. Feature Service

```

<div class="code-header">Feature Service</div>
```typescript
@Injectable({
    providedIn: "root",
})
export class BookService {
    private readonly endpoint = "books";

    constructor(private apiService: ApiService) {}

    getBooks(): Observable<BookResponse> {
        return this.apiService.get<BookResponse>(this.endpoint);
    }

    createBook(book: CreateBookRequest): Observable<Book> {
        return this.apiService.post<CreateBookRequest, Book>(this.endpoint, book);
    }
    ...

```

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<div class="note">
    **Note:** The base API service handles common HTTP functionality, which is
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Store Design

1. Actions

```
<div class="code-header">Actions</div>
```typescript
export const loadBooks = createAction("[Books] Load Books");
export const loadBooksSuccess = createAction(
 "[Books] Load Books Success",
 props<{ books: Book[] }>()
);
export const loadBooksFailure = createAction(
 "[Books] Load Books Failure",
 props<{ error: ApiError }>()
);
```
```

2. Reducer

```
<div class="code-header">Reducer</div>
```typescript
export interface BooksState {
 books: Book[];
 loading: boolean;
 error: ApiError | null;
}

export const initialState: BooksState = {
 books: [],
 loading: false,
 error: null,
};

export const booksReducer = createReducer(
 initialState,
 on(loadBooks, (state) => ({
 ...state,
 loading: true,
 error: null,
 })),
 on(loadBooksSuccess, (state, { books }) => ({
 ...state,
 books,
 loading: false,
 })),
 on(loadBooksFailure, (state, { error }) => ({
 ...state,
 error,
 })),
);
```

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 })),
 on(loadBooksFailure, (state, { error }) => ({
 ...state,
 error,
 loading: false,
 })))
);
 ...

```

### ### 3. Effects

```

<div class="code-header">Effects</div>
```typescript
@Injectable()
export class BooksEffects {
  loadBooks$ = createEffect(() =>
    this.actions$.pipe(
      ofType(loadBooks),
      mergeMap(() =>
        this.bookService.getBooks().pipe(
          map((response: BookResponse) => loadBooksSuccess({ books: response.books })),
          catchError((error: ApiError) => of(loadBooksFailure({ error })))
        )
      )
    )
  );
}
...

```

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<div class="tip">
**Tip:** Use effects to handle side effects like API calls. This keeps
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Testing Principles

1. Arrange-Act-Assert Pattern

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<div class="code-header">Component Test</div>
```typescript
describe("BookListComponent", () => {
 // Arrange
 let component: BookListComponent;
 let fixture: ComponentFixture<BookListComponent>;
 let store: Store;

```

```

beforeEach(() => {
 TestBed.configureTestingModule({
 declarations: [BookListComponent],
 providers: [provideMockStore({ initialState })],
 });
 fixture = TestBed.createComponent(BookListComponent);
 component = fixture.componentInstance;
 store = TestBed.inject(Store);
});

// Act & Assert
it("should load books on init", () => {
 const storeSpy = spyOn(store, "dispatch");
 component.ngOnInit();
 expect(storeSpy).toHaveBeenCalledWith(loadBooks());
});
});

```

### ### 2. Isolation

```

<div class="code-header">Service Test</div>
```typescript
describe("ApiService", () => {
  let service: ApiService;
  let httpMock: HttpTestingController;
  let errorHandler: ErrorHandler;

  const mockErrorHandler = {
    handleError: jest.fn(),
  };

  beforeEach(() => {
    TestBed.configureTestingModule({
      imports: [HttpClientTestingModule],
      providers: [ApiService, { provide: ErrorHandler, useValue: mockErrorHandler }],
    });
  });

  afterEach(() => {
    httpMock.verify();
  });
});

```

```
...
```

3. State Testing

```
<div class="code-header">State Test</div>
```

```
```typescript
```

```
describe("BookListComponent", () => {
```

```
 it("should show loading state", () => {
```

```
 const loadingState = {
```

```
 books: {
```

```
 books: [],
```

```
 loading: true,
```

```
 error: null,
```

```
 },
```

```
 };
```

```
 TestBed.resetTestingModule();
```

```
 TestBed.configureTestingModule({
```

```
 declarations: [BookListComponent],
```

```
 providers: [provideMockStore({ initialState: loadingState })],
```

```
 });
```

```
 fixture = TestBed.createComponent(BookListComponent);
```

```
 fixture.detectChanges();
```

```
 expect(fixture.nativeElement.querySelector(".loading")).toBeTruthy
```

```
 });
```

```
});
```

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...
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Note: Testing different states helps ensure your components handle
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## ## Best Practices

### ### 1. Component Testing

- Test component creation
- Test lifecycle hooks
- Test template bindings
- Test user interactions
- Test error states
- Test loading states

### ### 2. Service Testing

- Test HTTP requests
- Test error handling
- Test data transformation
- Test service dependencies
- Test service methods

### ### 3. Store Testing

- Test actions
- Test reducers
- Test effects
- Test selectors
- Test state updates

### ### 4. General Testing Tips

- Use meaningful test descriptions
- Test one thing per test
- Use setup and teardown properly
- Mock external dependencies
- Test edge cases
- Test error scenarios
- Keep tests maintainable
- Use type-safe testing
- Follow AAA pattern
- Isolate tests

## ## Conclusion

This guide covers the essential aspects of writing clean code and tests.

1. Follow SOLID principles
2. Use proper component architecture
3. Implement proper service design
4. Follow store patterns
5. Write comprehensive tests
6. Follow testing best practices
7. Keep code maintainable
8. Use type safety
9. Handle errors properly
10. Test edge cases

By following these guidelines, you can create maintainable, testable,

