

Software Engineering Design: What, Why, and How

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What and Why

- Organization of software system elements and their interaction/association/collaboration, to achieve
 - ▶ Reduced complexity in maintaining and evolving the system
 - ▶ Satisfying the non-functional requirements
 - ▶ Developing cost-effective solution

Design: Get it Right

Look for a suitable Pattern/Style

Monolithic

All components are packed and deployed together.

N-tier Architecture

Divide application into components and organize their interaction in layered fashion to hide/secure crucial functionalities/data.

Microkernel

An application with a core and extensible supporting functionalities.

Microservices

Identify various services an application is providing; package, deploy, and evolve each service independent of the other.

Client-Server

Server, a software designed to receive requests and provide services connects with other clients over the network.

Pipe-filter

An application designed to transform its input and feed forward to another filter for transformation.

Design: Not Quite Right

Code Smells/Anti-pattern

Code smells are design flaws that impact maintainability, evolvability, readability and other aspects of the code.

Large Class/God Class

A class with too many responsibilities.

Feature Envy

A method which is more interested in the data/members of other class.

Long Method/Brain Method

A method with more than one responsibility.

code clone

Duplicate logic/code present at multiple places.

Design : Make it right

Refactoring

External behavior preserving transformations

Extract Class

Divide the set of methods into two sets and extract one set along with fields into a new class.

Extract Method

Decompose the method into multiple smaller methods with cohesive method body.

Move Method

Move the envied method to a proper class.

Lets Design

Design at Method Level

```
A. void FiboPrime() {  
B.     int i, n, a, b, t;  
C.     printf("Value of N:");  
D.     scanf("%d",&n);  
E.     a = 0;  
F.     if (n ==1)  
G.         printf("Nth Term:%d",a);  
H.     else {  
I.         b = 1;  
J.         for (i=3;i <=n;i++){  
K.             t = a + b;  
L.             a = b;  
M.             b = t;  
N.         }  
O.     }  
P.     printf("Nth Term:%d",b);  
Q.     for (i=2; i<=b/2;i++){  
R.         if (b%i == 0)  
S.             break;  
T.     }  
U.     if (b<=1 || i <=b/2)  
V.         printf("Not Prime");  
W.     else  
X.         printf("Prime");  
Y. } Fibonacci Prime Code
```

Design at Method Level

```
void FiboPrime() {  
    int i, n, a, b, t;  
    printf("Value of N:");  
    scanf("%d",&n);  
    a = 0;  
    if (n ==1)  
        printf("Nth Term:%d",a);  
    else {  
        b = 1;  
        for (i=3;i <=n;i++){  
            t = a + b;  
            a = b;  
            b = t;  
        }  
    }  
    printf("Nth Term:%d",b);  
    for (i=2; i<=b/2;i++){  
        if (b%i == 0)  
            break;  
    }  
    if (b<=1 || i <=b/2)  
        printf("Not Prime");  
    else  
        printf("Prime");  
} Fibonacci Prime Code
```

- Get Input : {A,B}

- Compute Nth Fibonacci Term : {C-K}

- Print the Fibonacci Term : {L}

- Has a divisor other than one and self : {M-O}

- Prime Checker : {P-S}

Design at Method Level

```
int fibonacci() {  
    int n, a, b, t;  
    printf("Value of N:");  
    scanf("%d",&n);  
    a = 0;  
    if (n ==1)  
        printf("Nth Term:%d",a);  
    else {  
        b = 1;  
        for (i=3;i <=n;i++){  
            t = a + b;  
            a = b;  
            b = t;  
        }  
        printf("Nth Term:%d",b);  
    }  
    return(b);  
}
```

```
void isPrime(int b) {  
    int i;  
    for (i=2; i<=b/2;i++){  
        if (b%i == 0)  
            break;  
    }  
    if (b<=1 || i <=b/2)  
        printf("Not Prime");  
    else  
        printf("Prime");  
}
```

Decomposition #1

```
void fiboPrime() {  
    int n;  
    printf("Value of N:");  
    scanf("%d",&n);  
    isPrime(fibonacci(n));  
}  
int fibonacci(int n) {  
    int a, b, t;  
    a = 0;  
    if (n ==1)  
        printf("Nth Term:%d",a);  
    else {  
        b = 1;  
        for (i=3;i <=n;i++){  
            t = a + b;  
            a = b;  
            b = t;  
        }  
        printf("Nth Term:%d",b);  
    }  
    return(b);  
}
```

```
void isPrime(int b) {  
    int i;  
    for (i=2; i<=b/2;i++){  
        if (b%i == 0)  
            break;  
    }  
    if (b<=1 || i <=b/2)  
        printf("Not Prime");  
    else  
        printf("Prime");  
}
```

Decomposition #2

Design at Class Level

Class version 1.0

```
public class Student {  
    String Name;  
    String EnrollmentNo;  
    Date dob;  
    int age;  
    String address;  
    String email;  
    long int mobile;  
    String semester;  
    String department;  
    String branch;  
    String compulsory_courses;  
    String elective_courses;  
    String blood_grp;  
    String father_name;  
    String mother_name;  
    long int bank_account;  
    long int aadhar;  
    float fee_due;  
    String library_card;  
    float gpa;  
}
```

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    String branch;  
    String compulsory_courses;  
    String elective_courses;  
    String blood_grp;  
    String father_name;  
    String mother_name;  
    long int bank_account;  
    long int aadhar;  
    float fee_due;  
    String library_card;  
    float gpa;  
}
```

Class version 1.1

```
public class Student {  
    String EnrollmentNo;  
    PersonalData personalDetails;  
    AcademicData academicDetails;  
    Responsibility responsibility;  
    FinancialData financialDetails;  
    Contact contact;  
}  
  
public class PersonalData {  
    String Name;  
    Date dob;  
    String blood_grp;  
    long int aadhar;  
}  
  
public class Contact {  
    String address;  
    String email;  
    long int mobile;  
    String father_name;  
    String mother_name;  
}  
  
public class FinancialData {  
    long int bank_account;  
    float fee_due;  
}  
  
public class AcademicData {  
    String department;  
    String branch;  
    String semester;  
    String compulsory_courses;  
    String elective_courses;  
    String library_card;  
    float gpa;  
}
```

Design at Class Level

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    String email;  
    long int mobile;  
    String semester;  
    String department;  
    String branch;  
    String compulsory_courses;  
    String elective_courses;  
    String blood_grp;  
    String father_name;  
    String mother_name;  
    long int bank_account;  
    long int aadhar;  
    float fee_due;  
    String library_card;  
    float gpa;  
}
```

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public class Student {  
    String EnrollmentNo;  
    PersonalData personalDetails;  
    AcademicData academicDetails;  
    Responsibility responsibility;  
    FinancialData financialDetails;  
    Contact contact;  
}  
  
public class PersonalData {  
    String Name;  
    Date dob;  
    String blood_grp;  
    long int aadhar;  
}  
  
public class Contact {  
    String address;  
    String email;  
    long int mobile;  
    String father_name;  
    String mother_name;  
}  
  
public class FinancialData {  
    long int bank_account;  
    float fee_due;  
}  
  
public class AcademicData {  
    String department;  
    String branch;  
    String semester;  
    String compulsory_courses;  
    String elective_courses;  
    String library_card;  
    float gpa;  
}
```

Class version 1.2

```
public class TeachingStaff {  
    String EmpId;  
    PersonalData personalDetails;  
    AcademicData academicDetails;  
    Responsibility responsibility;  
    FinancialData financialDetails;  
    Contact contact;  
}
```

Class version 1.2

```
public class NonTeachingStaff {  
    String EmpId;  
    PersonalData personalDetails;  
    AcademicData academicDetails;  
    Responsibility responsibility;  
    FinancialData financialDetails;  
    Contact contact;  
}
```

Design at Class Level : Inheritance

Class version 1.3

```
public class Student extends
InstituteMember {
    String EnrollmentNo;
    AcademicData academicDetails;
}
public class PersonalData {
    String Name;
    Date dob;
    String blood_grp;
    long int aadhar;
}
public class Contact {
    Address address;
    String email;
    long int mobile;
    Parents parent;
}
public class FinancialData {
    long int bank_account;
    float fee_due;
}
public class AcademicData {
    String department;
    String branch;
    String semester;
    String compulsory_courses;
    String elective_courses;
    String library_card;
    float gpa;
}
```

Design at Class Level : Inheritance

Class version 1.3

```
public class Student extends
InstituteMember {
    String EnrollmentNo;
    AcademicData academicDetails;
}
public class PersonalData {
    String Name;
    Date dob;
    String blood_grp;
    long int aadhar;
}
public class Contact {
    Address address;
    String email;
    long int mobile;
    Parents parent;
}
public class FinancialData {
    long int bank_account;
    float fee_due;
}
public class AcademicData {
    String department;
    String branch;
    String semester;
    String compulsory_courses;
    String elective_courses;
    String library_card;
    float gpa;
}
```

Class version 1.3

```
public abstract class
InstituteMember {
    PersonalData personalDetails;
    Responsibility responsibility;
    FinancialData financialDetails;
    Contact contact;
}
```

Class version 1.3

```
public class TeachingStaff extends
InstituteMember{
    String EmpId;
    AcademicData academicDetails;
}
```

Class version 1.3

```
public class NonTeachingStaff
extends InstituteMember{
    String EmpId;
    AcademicData academicDetails;
}
```

Class version 1.3

```
public class Address {
    String HouseNo;
    String Street;
    String district;
    String state;
    String country;
    long int pin;
}
```

Further Increments

- AcademicData (history, current, grade-generation, courses)
- Library
- Gymkhana (Sports, Swimming Pool, Gym, Cultural)
- Projects (Social or Financial)
- Department

Caution with Inheritance

Substitutability

- Use *Inheritance* only when substitutability is required
- A derived class can not demand more resources and can not offer fewer services
- A user of base class should be able to use the derived class without knowing the difference
- If the criteria does not meet use *composition/delegation* instead

Class Diagram: Communicating Design and Architecture

Shapes and association

- Class: A rectangle with three parts
- Association: A straight line connecting two elements
 - ▶ Aggregation: An arrow with a hollow diamond head
 - ▶ Composition: An arrow with a filled diamond head
- Inheritance: An arrow with a triangle head
- Access Specifiers: + (public), # (protected), -(private)

Design Principles

Basic Principles

- YGNI: You Aren't Gonna Need It
- DRY: Don't Repeat Yourself

SOLID Principles

- SRP: Single Responsibility Principle
- OCP: Open-close Principle—Open for Extension but closed for modification
- LSP: Liskov's Substitution Principle—Inheritance should be used only for substitutability
- ISP: Interface Segregation Principle
- DIP: Dependency Inversion Principle

Further Readings

Highly Recommended

- <https://www.yegor256.com/2014/11/20/seven-virtues-of-good-object.html>
- <https://martinfowler.com/architecture/>
- <https://microservices.io/patterns/monolithic.html>