

Code Review

on Android Projects

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Summary

- Performance
- Aesthetics
- Dirt Code
- Accessibility
- Dangerous Code





Performance





Memory-Leaks



```
class LoginActivity : Activity()

/* before screen appears */
  override fun onResume() {
    openTheChannel()
  }

/* before screen be hidden */
  override fun onStop(){
    // close the channel
  }
}
```





Deep layouts





Aesthetics

- Names of files, variables, methods, classes...
- File locations...
- Java blood

```
if (x != null)
  call(x)

x?.let { call(x) }
```





Dirt Codes

- Unused imports
- Unused resources like drawables, strings, colors, and so on
- Commented code
 (I know your pain, don't be afraid, remove that please!)





Accessibility

```
<!-- Recommended-->
<ImageView</pre>
 android:width="wrap_content"
 android:height="wrap_content"
 contentDescription=
  "This image represents a small dog."/>
 <!-- Don't recommended -->
 <string name="yes">YES</string>
 <!-- Recommended-->
 <string name="yes">yes</string>
 <!-- Don't recommended -->
 <TextView android:textSize="16px" />
  <TextView android:textSize="16dp" />
  <!-- Recommended-->
 <TextView android:textSize="16sp" />
```



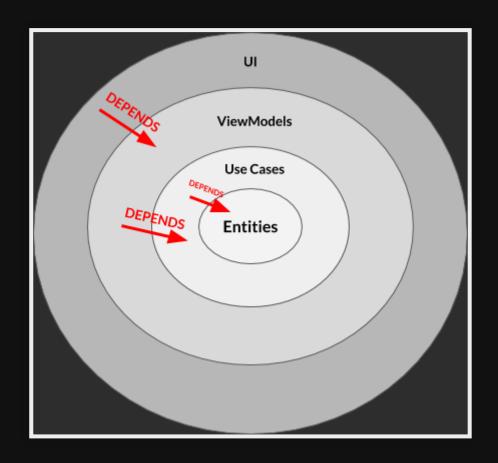


Dangerous Code





Architecture violation







Similar components

Component X does Y

Component Z does Y

Component A does Y





Danger code zones

The danger code is the code that the reviewer looks at the first moment and says:

"This code doesn't make any sense"

or

"Nothing uses this code"





Conclusion

A good tip is to have your checklist to make your code reviews better.





Useful Links

- Code Review on Android Projects Part 1
- Code Review on Android Projects Part 2
- Code Review on Android Projects Part 3

