

Fundamentals: The Don't Repeat Yourself Principle Part 2

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Outline

Part 1

- **DRY Defined**
- **Demo: Repetition in Code**
- **Analysis**
- **Demos: Refactoring to apply DRY**

Part 2

- Refactoring for greater testability
- Adding Tests
- **Code Generation**
- **Repetition in Process**
- **Demo: Automation to apply DRY**
- **Summary and Related Fundamentals**

Analysis

Part 1

- ~~Magic Strings/Values~~
- ~~Duplicate logic in several methods~~
- ~~Repeated if-then logic~~
- ~~Conditionals instead of polymorphism~~
- Repeated Execution Patterns (part 3)
- Lots of duplicate, probably copy-pasted, code (part 3)
- Only manual tests
- Static methods everywhere

No Tests

- Only manual tests
- More and more expensive to verify all results are correct as new operations are added
- More and time wasted as long-running queries are added

Static Methods

- **Tightly coupled**
- **Difficult to test**
- **Difficult to change behavior (violates OCP)**
- **Cannot use object oriented design techniques**
 - Inheritance
 - Polymorphism

Demo

Refactoring to Eliminate Static Cling and Add Tests



Summary

- Repetition breeds errors and waste
- Abstract repetitive logic in code
- Related Fundamentals:
 - Template Method Pattern
 - Command Pattern
 - Dependency Inversion Principle
- Recommended Reading:
 - The Pragmatic Programmer: From Journeyman to Master
<http://amzn.to/b2gJdK>
 - 97 Things Every Programmer Should Know <http://amzn.to/cAse1Y>

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