## S.O.L.I.D.

#### The Benefits and Potential of Using SOLID Principles

Single Responsibility

O > Open/Closed

L Liskov substitution

Interface Segregation

Dependency Inversion

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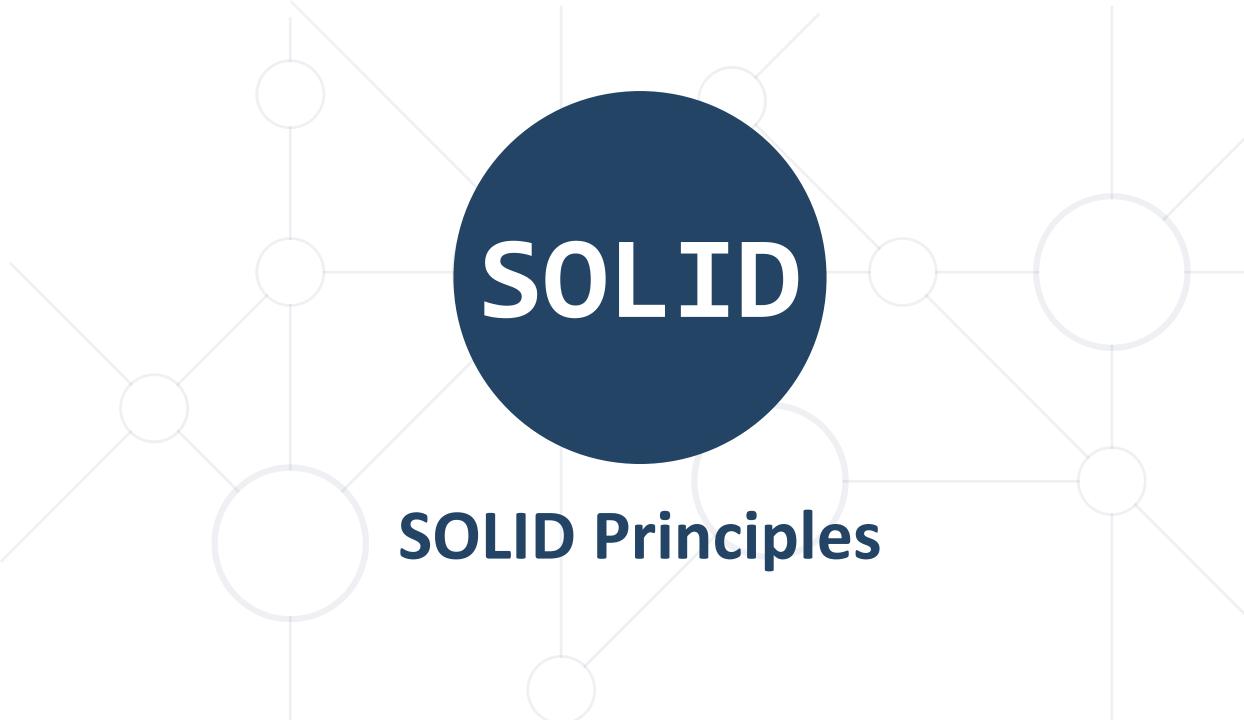
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#### S.O.L.I.D.

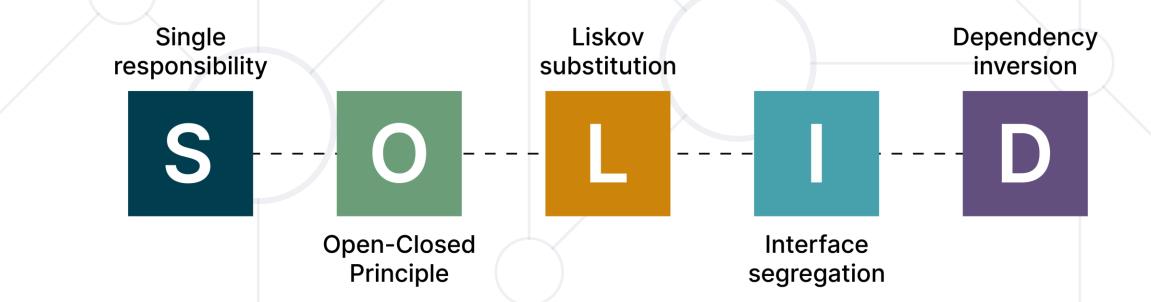


- S <u>Single responsibility principle</u> class should only have one responsibility
- O Open–closed principle open for extension,
   but closed for modification
- L <u>Liskov substitution principle</u> objects should be replaceable with instances of their subtypes without altering the correctness of that program

#### S.O.L.I.D.



- I <u>Interface segregation principle</u> many specific interfaces are better than one general interface
- D <u>Dependency inversion principle</u> one should depend upon abstractions, not concretions





## Single Responsibility Principle



- A class should have only one responsibility
  - Reduces dependency complexity
  - Each additional responsibility is an axis to change the class

```
public class HeroSettings {
   public static void changeName(Hero hero) {
     // Grant option to change
   }
}
```



## Single Responsibility Principle



- Still, classes can have multiple methods
  - Each method should have a single functionality part of the class responsibility



```
public class HeroSettings {
  public static void changeName(Hero hero) {
   // Grant option to change name
  public static void selectRole(Hero hero) {
   // Grant option to select role
```



#### What is Open/Closed?





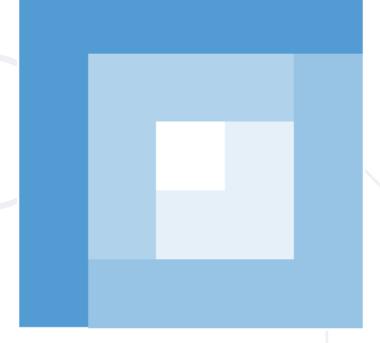
- open for extension
- closed for modification
- Design the code in a way that new functionality can be added with minimum changes in the existing code



#### Extensibility



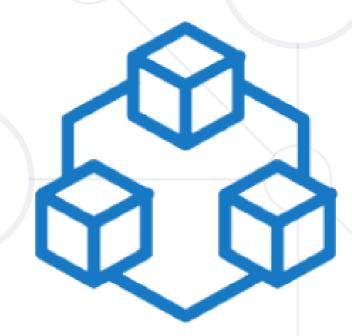
- Implementation takes future growth into consideration
- New or modified functionality affects little or not at all the internal structure and data flow of the system



### Reusability



- Software reusability refers to design features of a software element that enhance its suitability for reuse
- Modularity
- Low coupling
- High cohesion
- Coupling and Cohesion



#### **OCP – Violations**



- Cascading changes through modules
- Each change requires re-testing
- Logic depends on conditional statements



#### OCP – Solutions



- Inheritance / Abstraction
- Inheritance / Template Method pattern
- Composition / Strategy patterns





#### What is Liskov Substitution?



- Derived types must be completely substitutable for their base types
- Reference to the base class can be replaced with a derived class without affecting the functionality of the program module
- Derived classes extend without replacing the functionality of old classes

## LSP Relationship



OOP Inheritance

Student IS-A Person

Plus LSP

Student IS-SUBSTITUTED-FOR Person

#### **OCP vs LSP**



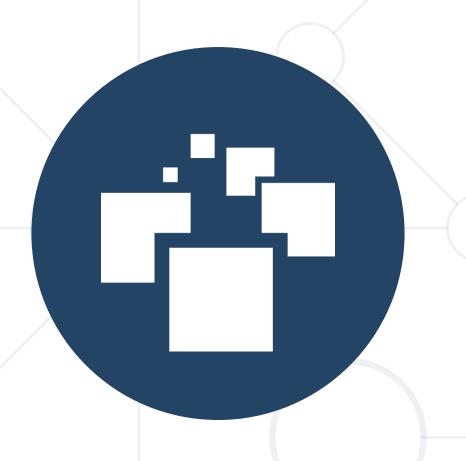
- Liskov Substitution Principle is just an extension of the Open-Closed Principle
- We must make sure that new derived classes are extending the base classes without changing their behavior



#### **LSP – Violations and Solutions**



- Violations
  - Type Checking
  - Overridden methods say "I am not implemented"
  - Base class depends on its subtypes
- Solutions
  - Refactoring in the base class



Interface Segregation

## **ISP – Interface Segregation Principle**



- Clients should not be forced to depend on methods they do not use
- Segregate interfaces
  - Prefer small, cohesive interfaces
  - Divide "fat" interfaces into "role" interfaces

#### **Fat Interfaces**



Classes whose interfaces are not cohesive have "fat" interfaces

```
public interface Worker {
  void work();
  void sleep();
}
Class Employee is
  OK
```

```
public class Robot implements Worker {
  public void work() {}
  public void sleep() {
    throw new UnsupportedOperationException();
  }
}
```

#### "Fat" Interfaces



- Having "fat" interfaces:
  - Classes have methods they do not use
  - Increased coupling
  - Reduced flexibility
  - Reduced maintainability

#### How to ISP?



- Solutions to broken ISP
  - Small interfaces
  - Cohesive interfaces
  - Let the client define interfaces "role" interfaces

#### **Cohesive Interfaces**

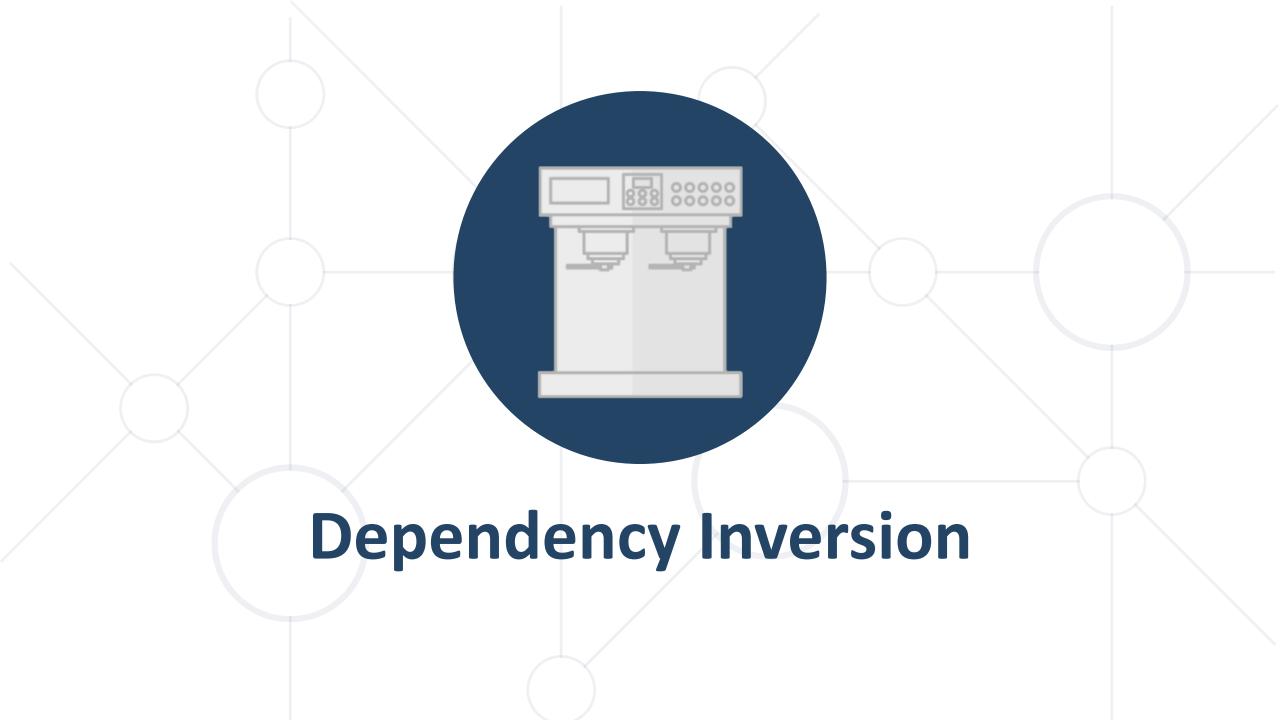


Small and Cohesive "Role" Interfaces

```
public interface Worker {
  void work();
}
```

```
public interface Sleeper {
  void sleep();
}
```

```
public class Robot implements Worker {
  void work() {
    // Do some work...
  }
}
```



## **Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)**



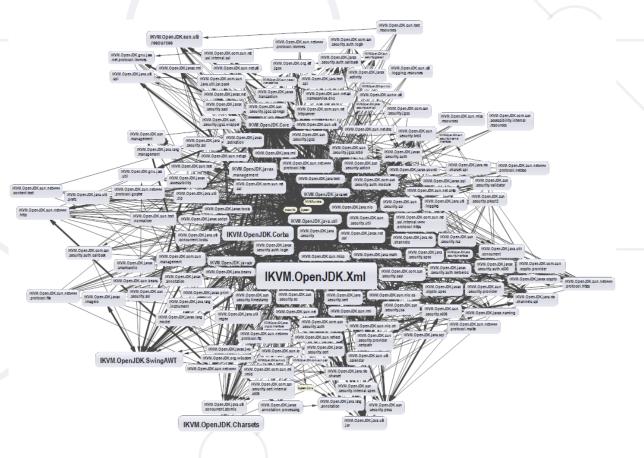
- High-level modules should not depend on low-level modules
  - Both should depend on abstractions
- Abstractions should not depend on details
- Details should depend on abstractions
- Goal: decoupling between modules through abstractions

## Dependencies and Coupling (1)



What happens when modules depend directly on

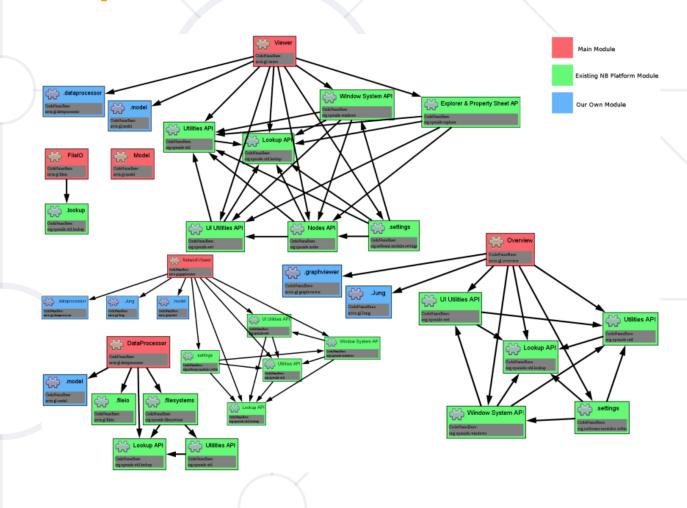
other modules



## **Dependencies and Coupling (2)**



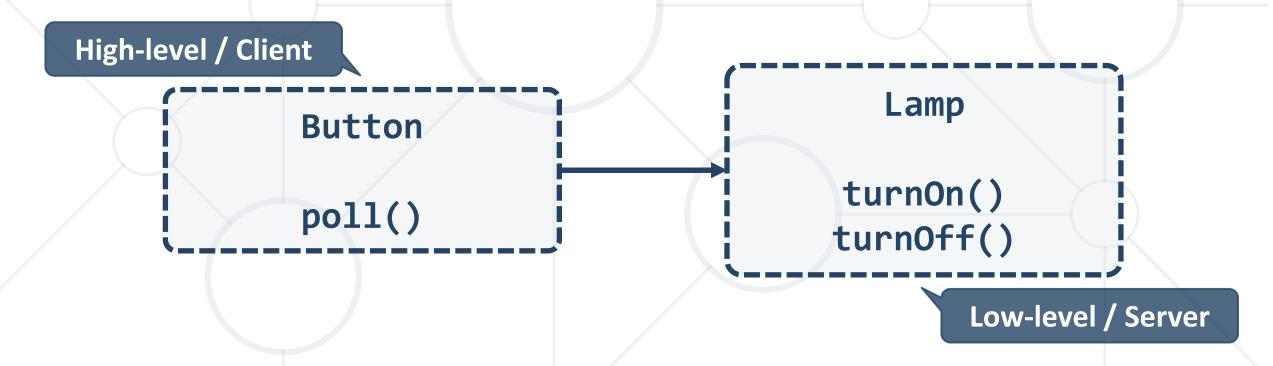
The goal is to depend on abstractions



## The Problem



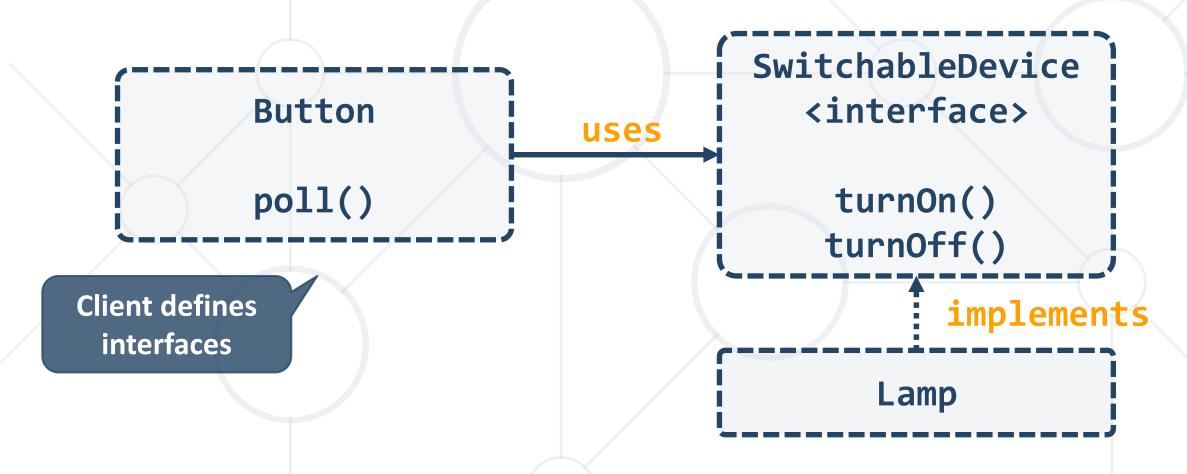
- Button → Lamp Example Robert Martin
- Button depends on Lamp



### **Dependency Inversion Solution**



Find the abstraction independent of details



### **Dependency Examples**



- A dependency is an external component / system:
  - Framework
  - Third party library
  - Database
  - File system
  - Email
  - Web service
  - System resource (e.g. clock)

- Configuration
- The new keyword
- Static method
- Global function
- Random generator
- System.in / System.out

## How to DIP? (1)



- Constructor injection dependencies are passed through constructors
  - Pros
    - Classes self-documenting requirements
    - Works well without a container
    - Always valid state
  - Cons
    - Many parameters
    - Some methods may not need everything



#### **Constructor Injection – Example**



```
public class Copy {
  private Reader reader;
  private Writer writer;
  public Copy(Reader reader, Writer writer) {
   this.reader = reader;
   this.writer = writer;
  public void copyAll() {}
```

## How to DIP? (2)



- Setter Injection dependencies are passed through setters
  - Pros
    - Can be changed anytime
    - Very flexible
  - Cons
    - Possible invalid state of the object
    - Less intuitive

#### **Setter Injection – Example**



```
public class Copy {
  private Reader reader;
  private Writer writer;
  public void setReader(Reader reader) {}
  public void setWriter(Writer writer) {}
  public void copyAll() {}
```

## How to DIP? (3)



 Parameter injection - dependencies are passed through method parameters

Pros

Cons

- No change in rest of the class
   Many parameters
- Very flexible

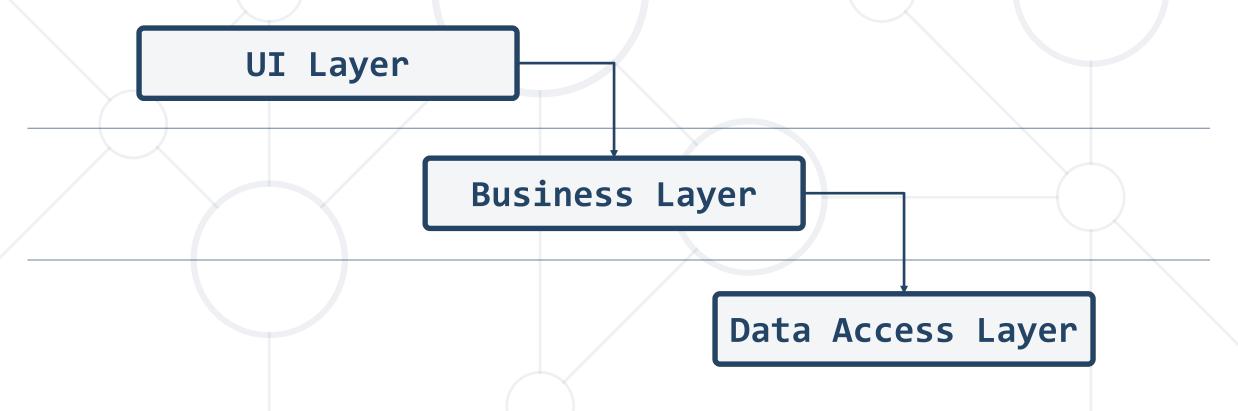
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- Breaks the method signature

```
public class Copy {
  public void copyAll(Reader reader, Writer writer) {}
}
```

## Layering (1)



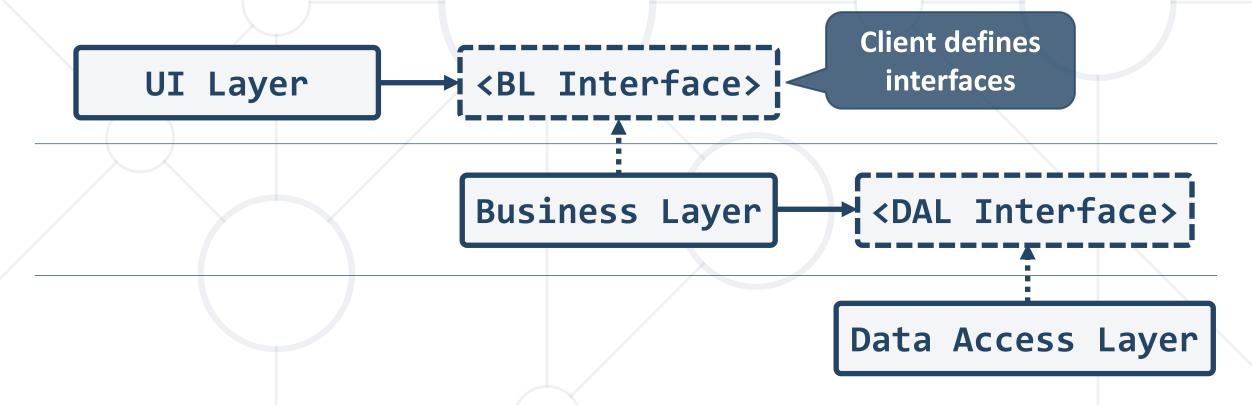
- Traditional programming
  - High-level modules use low-level modules



## Layering (2)



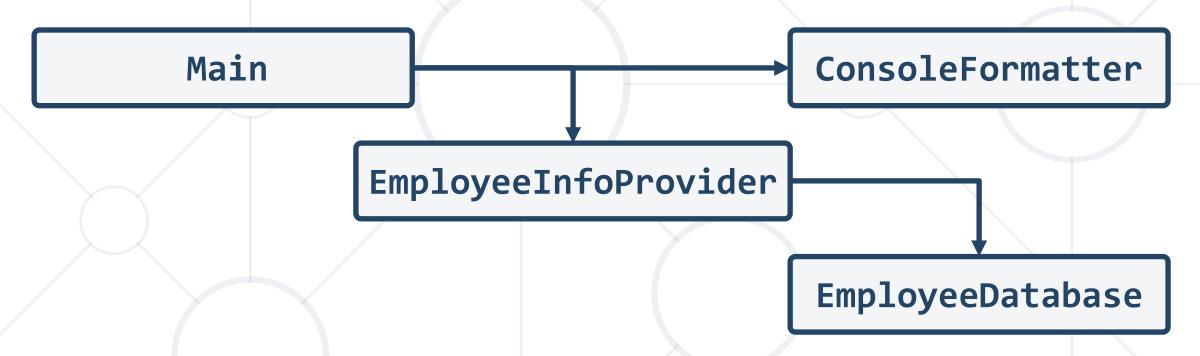
- Dependency Inversion Layering
  - High and low-level modules depend on abstractions



### **Problem: Employee Info**



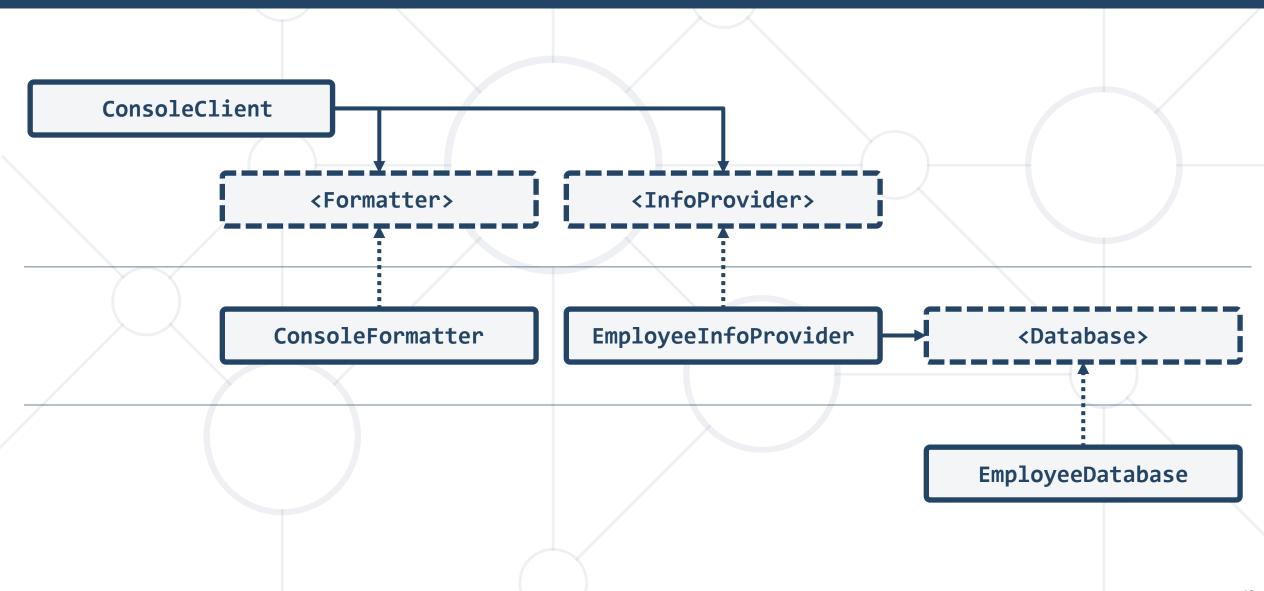
You are given some classes



Refactor the code so that it conforms to DIP

## Solution: Employee Info





#### Summary



- SOLID principles make the software:
  - Understandable
  - Flexible
  - Maintainable





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