

DI Why? Getting a Grip on Dependency Injection

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Level: Introductory / Intermediate

Next Generation Skills for Developers



Typical Introduction

```
private void BuildMainWindow()
   var builder = new ContainerBuilder();
   builder.RegisterType<SQLReader>().As<IPersonReader>()
        .SingleInstance();
   builder.RegisterSource(
       new AnyConcreteTypeNotAlreadyRegisteredSource());
    IContainer Container = builder.Build();
   Application.Current.MainWindow =
        Container.Resolve<PeopleViewerWindow>();
```

Dependency Injection

The fine art of making things someone else's problem.

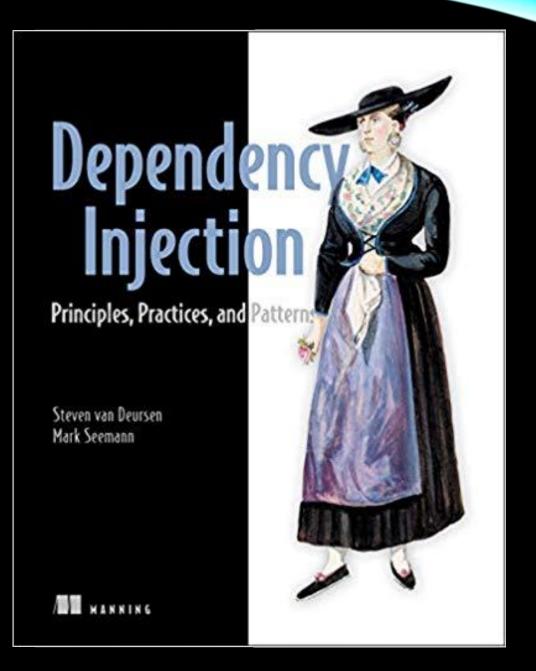
What Is Dependency Injection?

 Dependency Injection is a set of software design principles and patterns that enable us to develop loosely coupled code.

Mark Seemann

Dependency Injection Principles, Practices, and Patterns

- Mark Seemann
- Steven van Deursen



Primary Benefits

- Extensibility
- Parallel Development
- Maintainability
- Testability
- Late Binding

Adherence to S.O.L.I.D. Design Principles.

Benefits – Extensibility

Code can be extended in ways not explicitly planned for.

Benefits – Parallel Development

Code can be developed in parallel with less chance of merge conflicts.

Benefits – Maintainability

Classes with clearly defined responsibilities are easier to maintain.

Benefits – Testability

Classes can be unit tested, i.e., easily isolated from other classes and components for testing.

Benefits – Late Binding

Services can be swapped with other services without recompiling code.

Benefits – SOLID Principles

- Single Responsibility Principle (SRP)
- Open/Closed Principle (OCP)
- Liskov Substitution Principle (LSP)
- Interface Segregation Principle (ISP)
- Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)

Dependency Injection Concepts

- DI Design Patterns
 - Constructor Injection
 - Property Injection
 - Method Injection
 - Ambient Context
 - Service Locator

- Dimensions of DI
 - Object Composition
 - Interception
 - Lifetime Management

Dependency Injection Containers

- C# Containers
 - Autofac
 - Ninject

- Frameworks w/ Containers
 - ASP.NET Core
 - Angular
 - Prism

and many others

Application Layers

View

• PeopleViewerWindow

Presentation

• PeopleViewModel

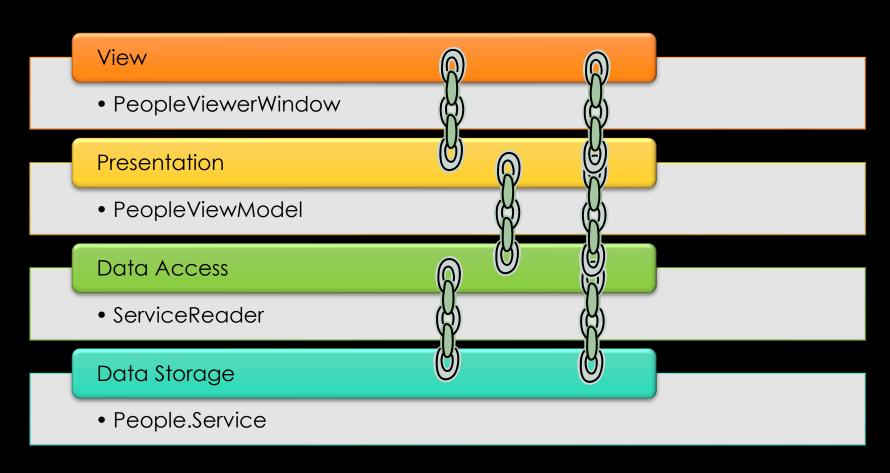
Data Access

• ServiceReader

Data Storage

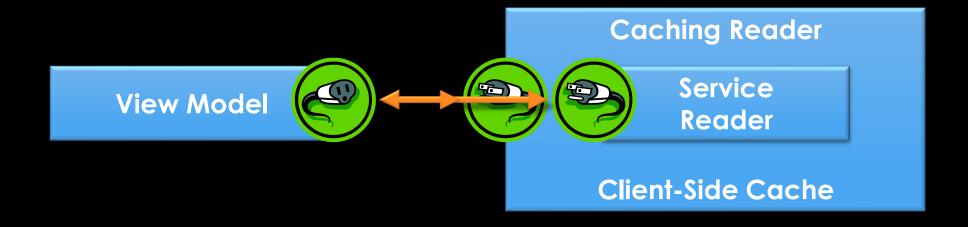
• People.Service

Tight Coupling

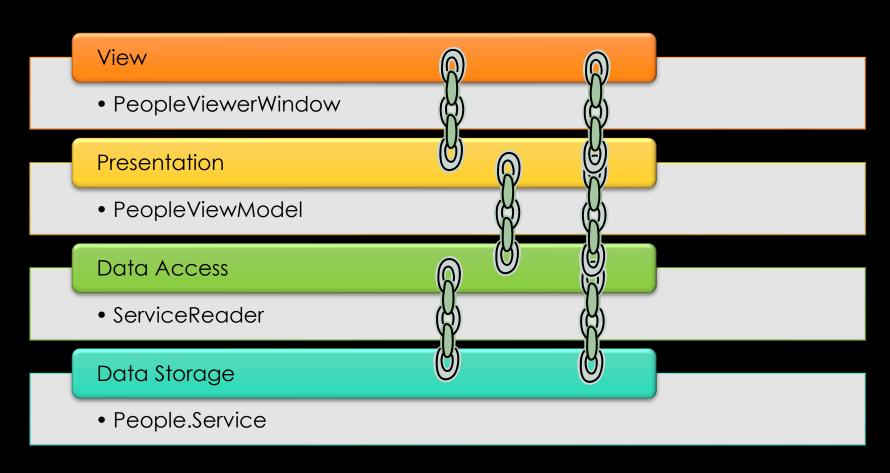


Creating a Caching Reader

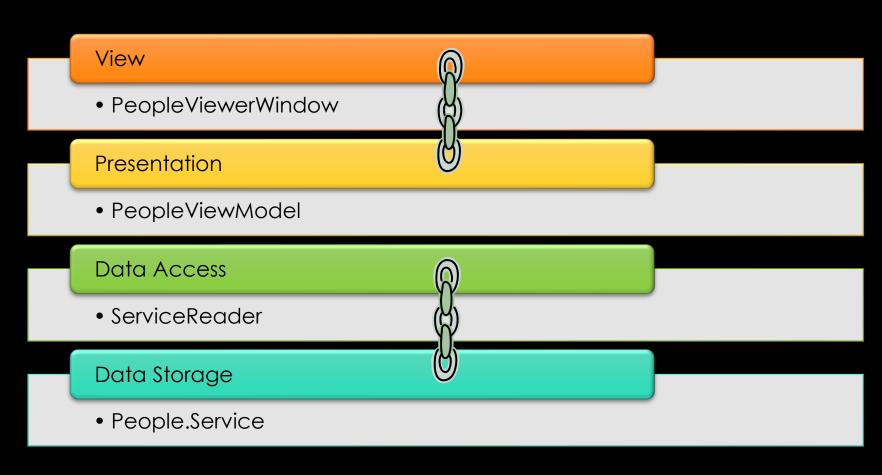
The Decorator Pattern



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