

More Testable Code

With the Hexagonal Architecture

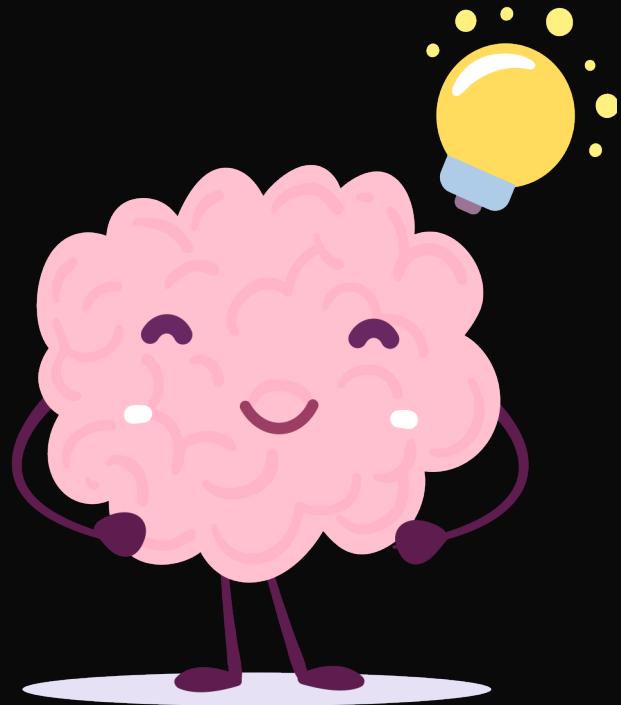
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Hold Questions to the End



...if you can.

Otherwise, ask!

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Programming Language?

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I Can Help Your Team...

Write more Testable code
with more Effective unit tests

Become better
developers

Be more productive in
Java & Spring

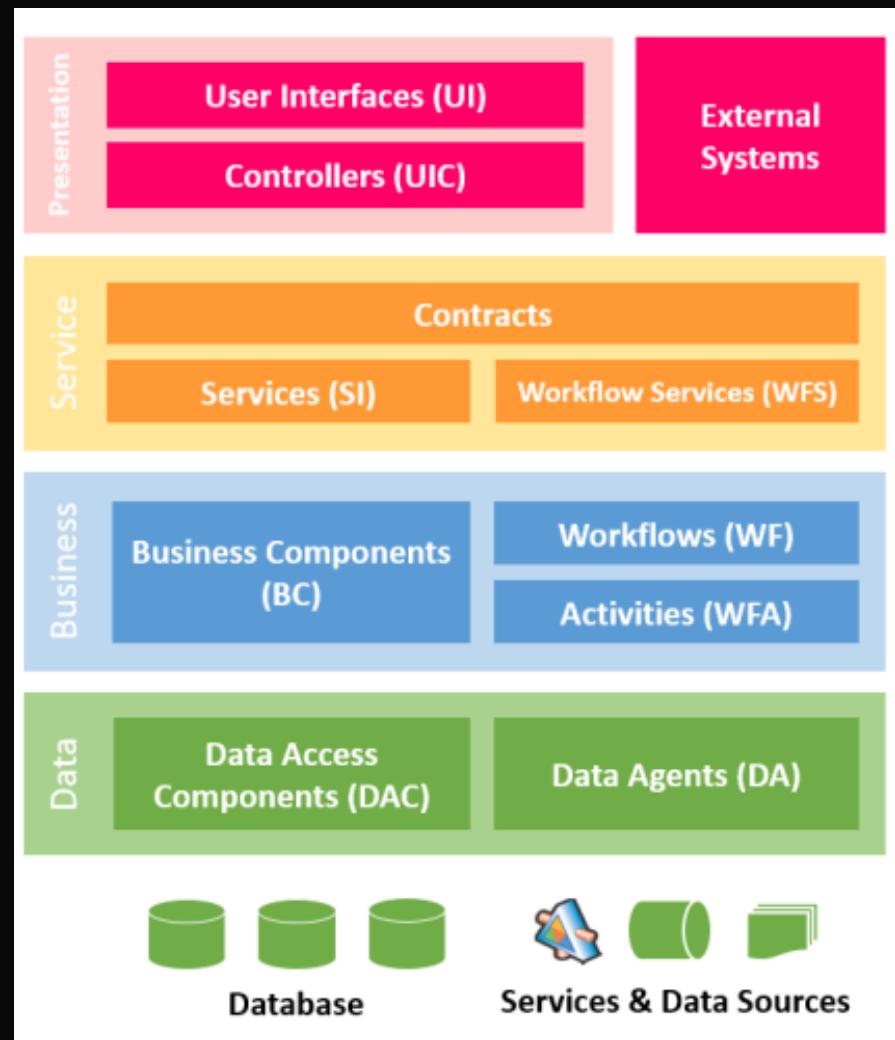
Effectively use
TDD

Apply
eXtreme
Programming

Vertically- Layered Architecture

*aka
Cake Architecture*

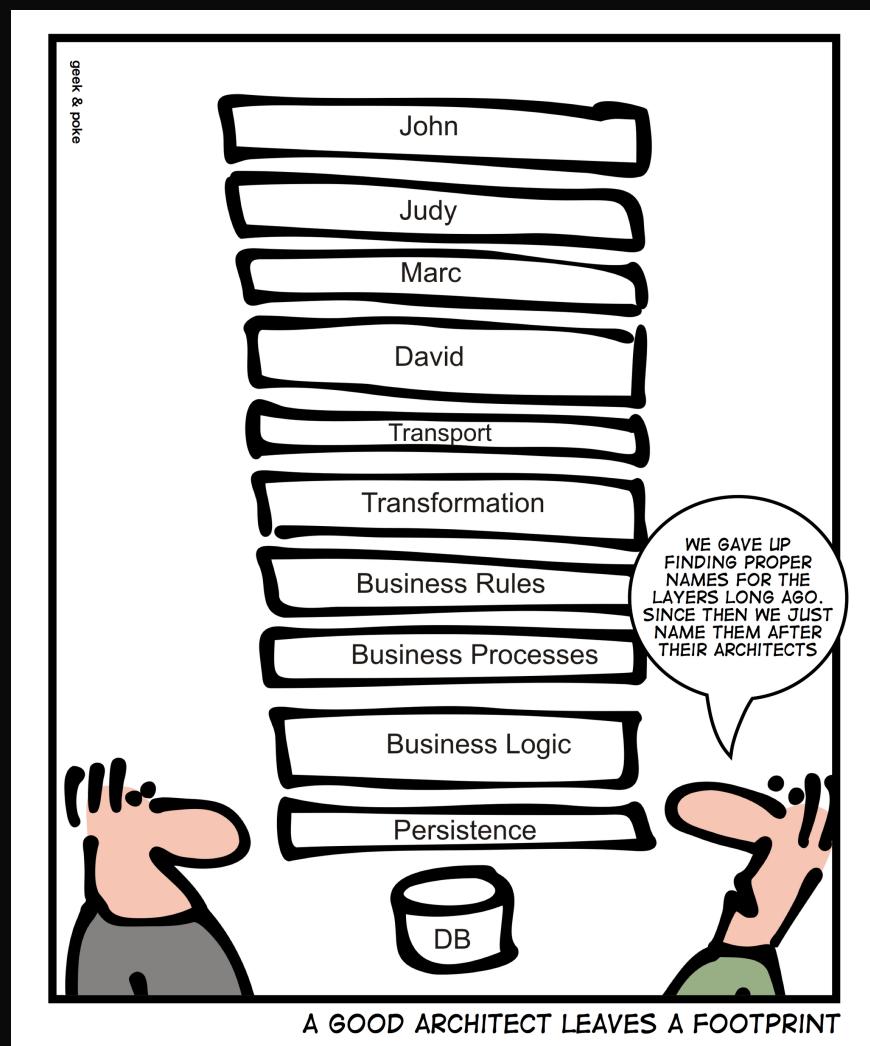
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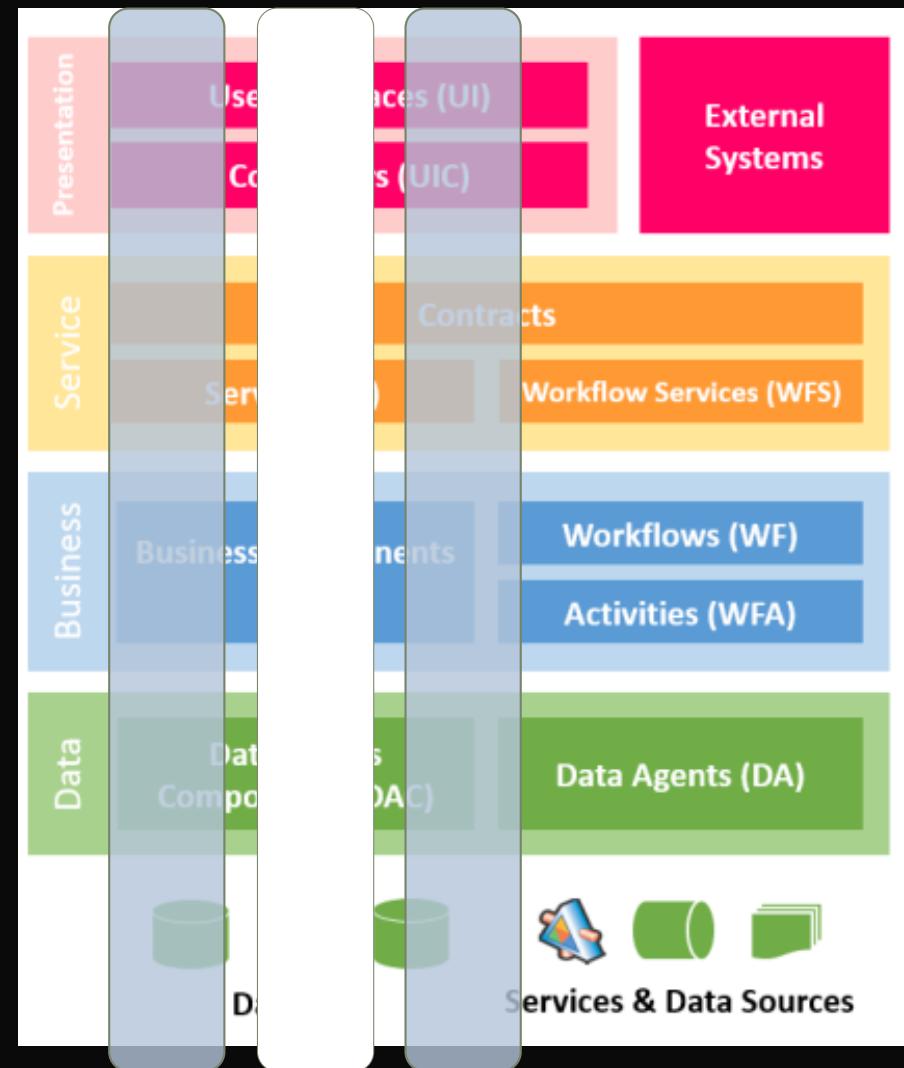
Database-Centric instead of Business-Centric

Vertically-Layered Architecture

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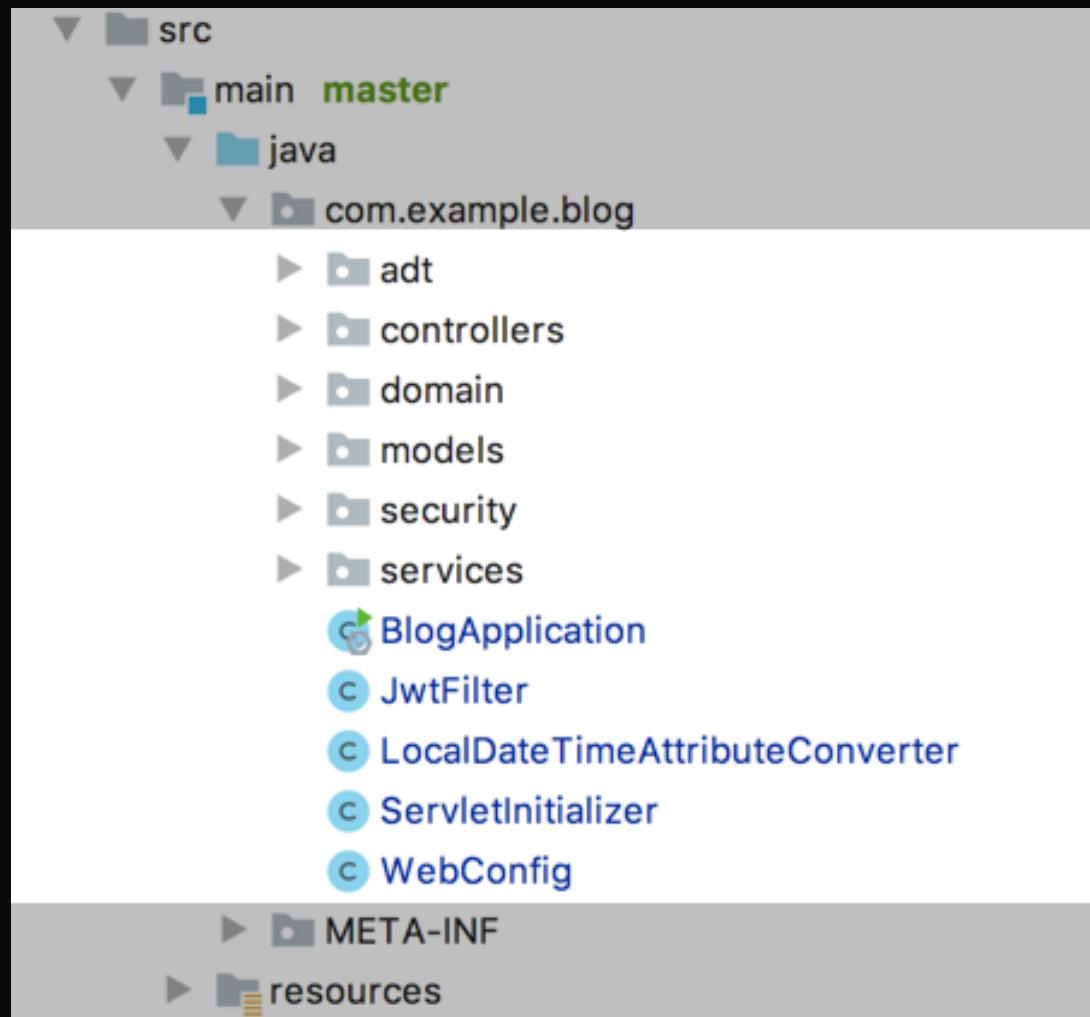
Thin Vertical Slices



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Vertical Package Structure

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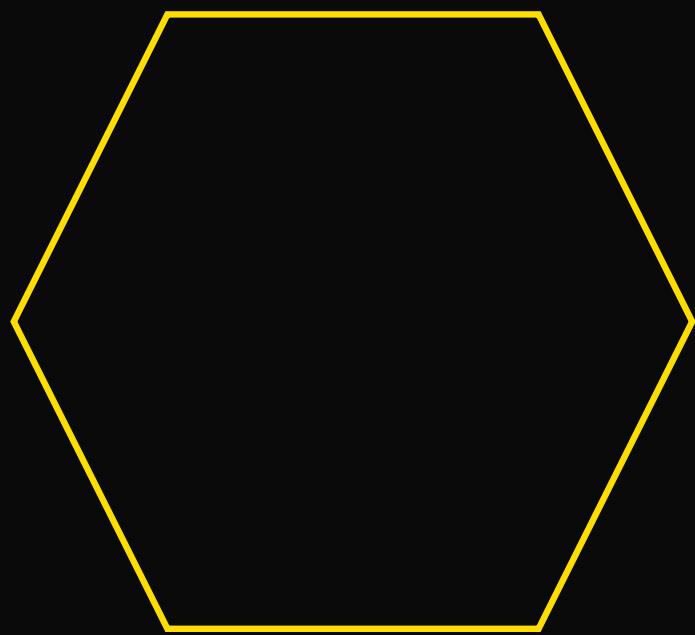




A diagram illustrating a hexagonal architecture. It features a large, light blue hexagonal lattice structure composed of small hexagonal units. Several paths are highlighted in various colors (red, green, blue, yellow) on this grid. One prominent red path forms a loop across the center. A green path starts from the bottom left, moves right, then turns up through several units. A blue path is located in the upper right quadrant, and a yellow path is in the lower right. Some nodes along these paths are larger and colored red, green, blue, or yellow, indicating specific points of interest or active nodes. The overall pattern suggests a complex network or a specific algorithm being visualized.

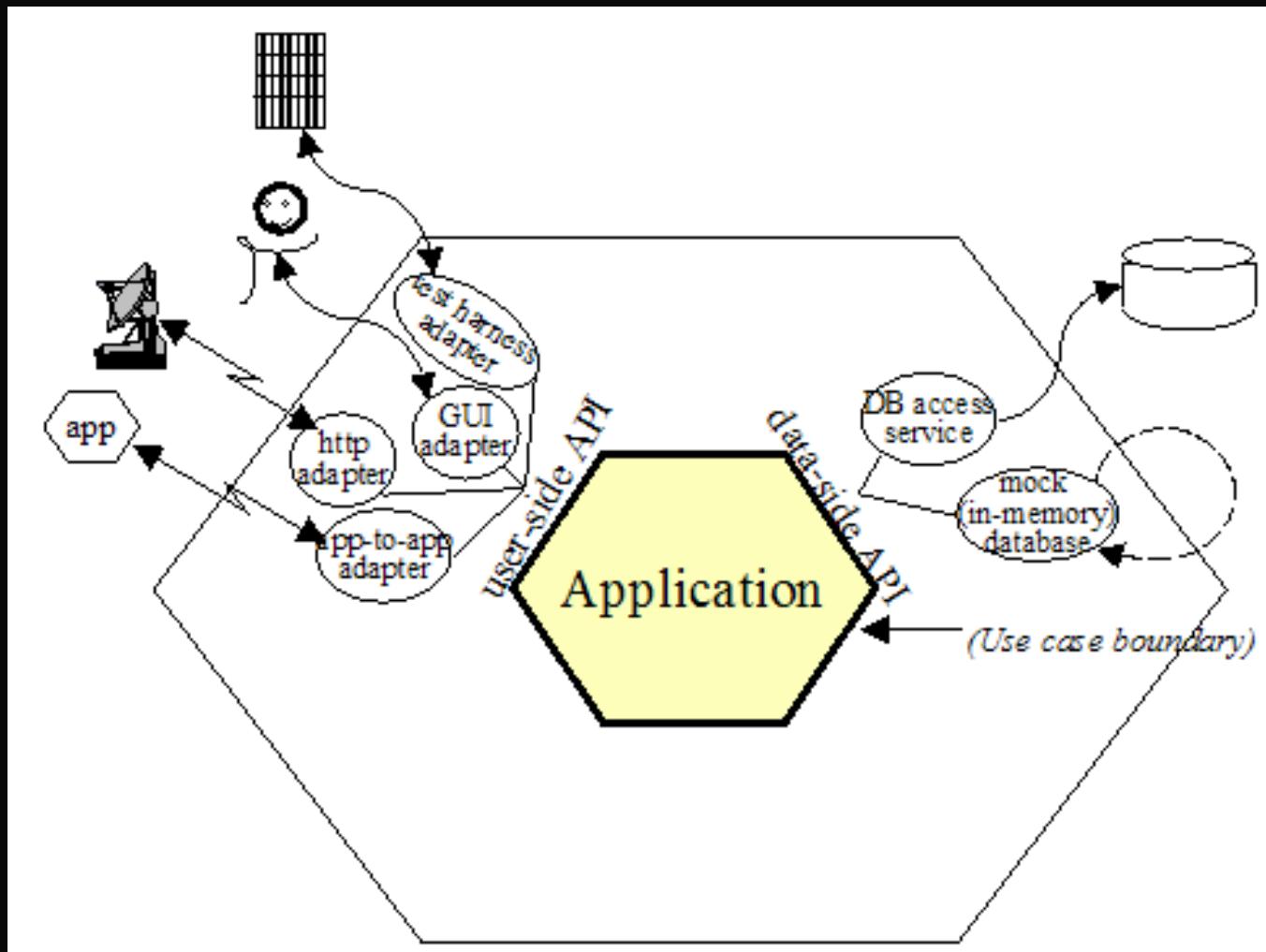
Hexagonal Architecture

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“Allow an application to equally be driven by users, programs, [and] automated tests... and to be developed and tested in isolation from its eventual run-time devices and databases.”

**Ports & Adapters Pattern
Alistair Cockburn**



OUTSIDE

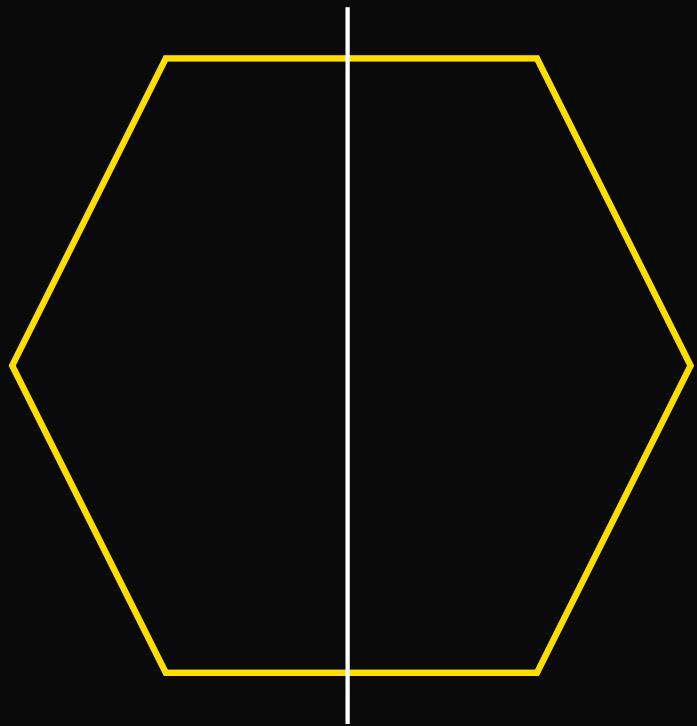
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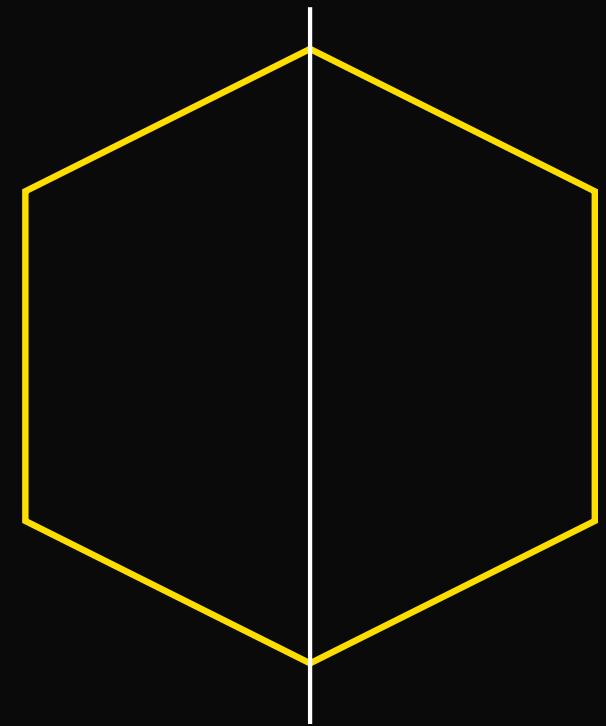
INSIDE

OUTSIDE

FLAT-TOPPED



POINTY-TOPPED



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TRIGGERS

OUTCOMES

DRIVING

DRIVEN

MESSAGES

EVENTS

INSIDE



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Source Code: <https://github.com/tedyoung/kid-bank>

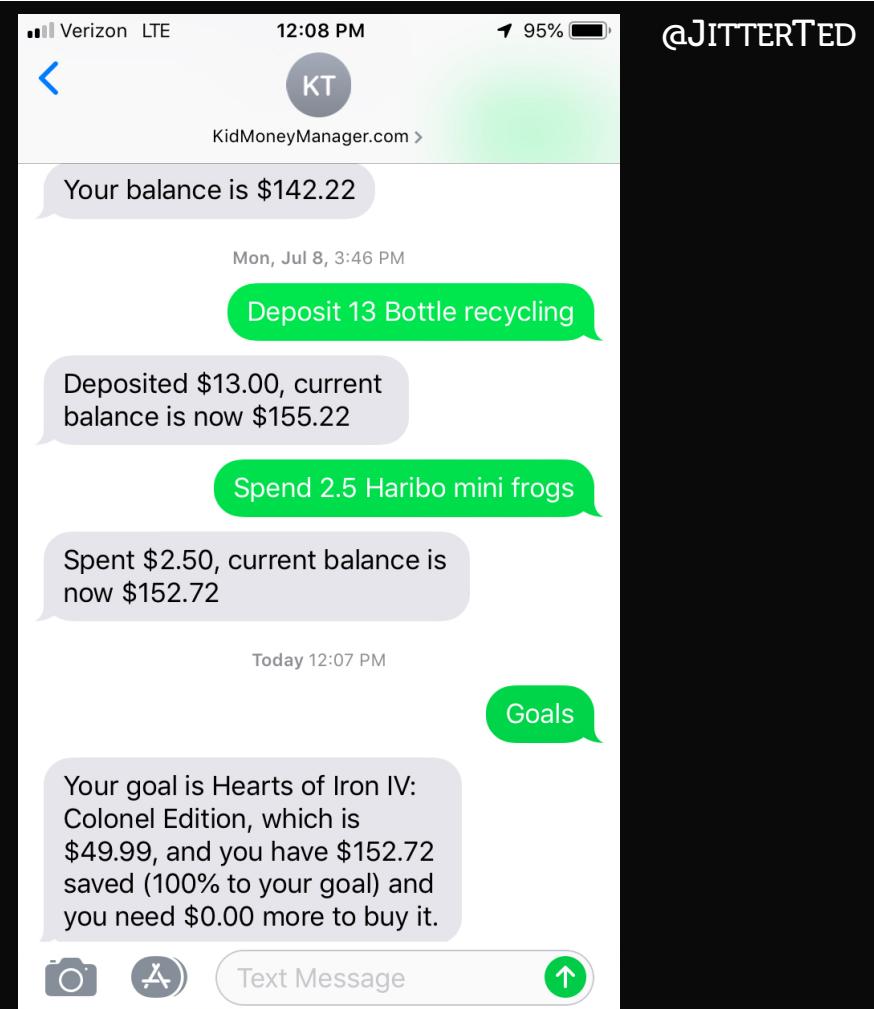
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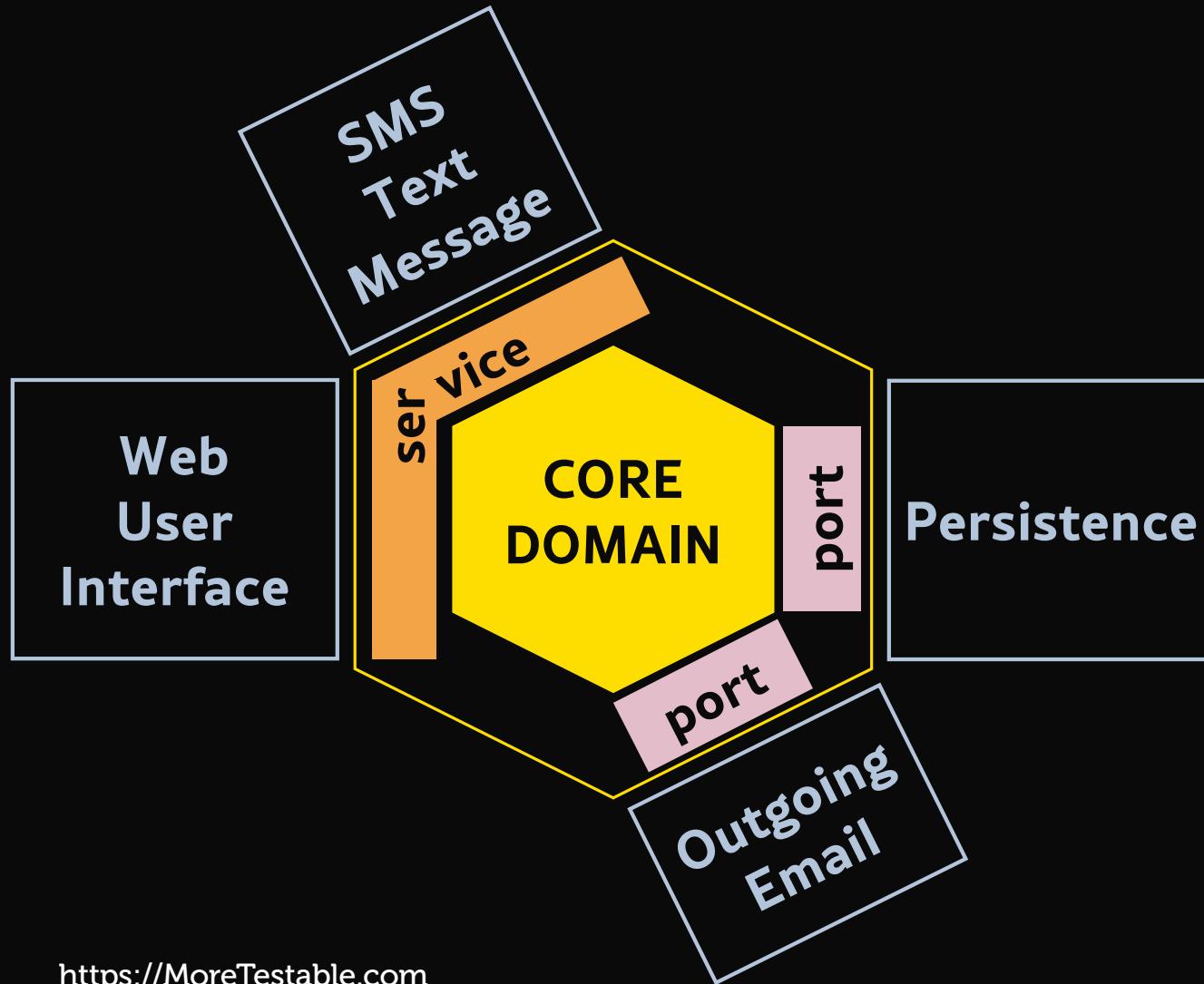
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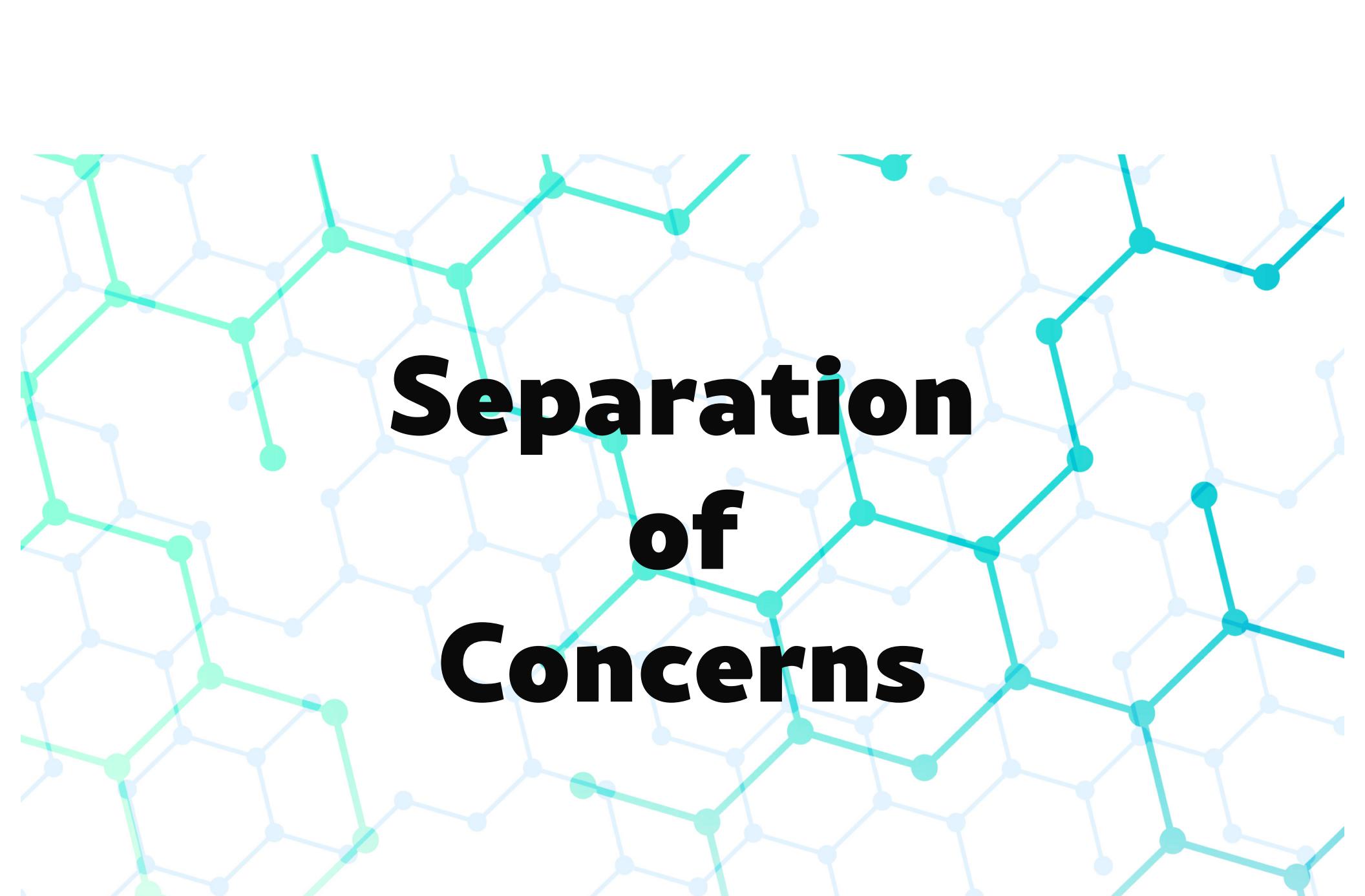
ACCOUNT BALANCE
\$153.04

DEPOSIT MONEY **SPEND MONEY** **IMPORT CSV** [Logout](#)

Date	Action	Description	Amount
07/08/2019	Spend	Haribo mini frogs	\$2.50
07/08/2019	Deposit	Bottle recycling	\$13.00
07/06/2019	Deposit	SMS message	\$100.00
07/06/2019	Spend	SMS message	\$5.00
07/01/2019	Interest Credit	Interest Credit	\$0.10
06/01/2019	Interest Credit	Interest Credit	\$0.10
05/21/2019	Deposit	Traded for Starbucks card	\$10.00
05/01/2019	Interest Credit	Interest Credit	\$0.08
04/11/2019	Spend	SMS message	\$9.99
04/01/2019	Interest Credit	Interest Credit	\$0.10
03/24/2019	Spend	Cookie	\$2.50
03/01/2019	Interest Credit	Interest Credit	\$0.10
02/01/2019	Interest Credit	Interest Credit	\$0.10
01/15/2019	Deposit	Unknown	\$38.00
01/05/2019	Spend	MTG Cards	\$13.00
01/04/2019	Spend	Share of Corsair headphones	\$30.00







Separation of Concerns

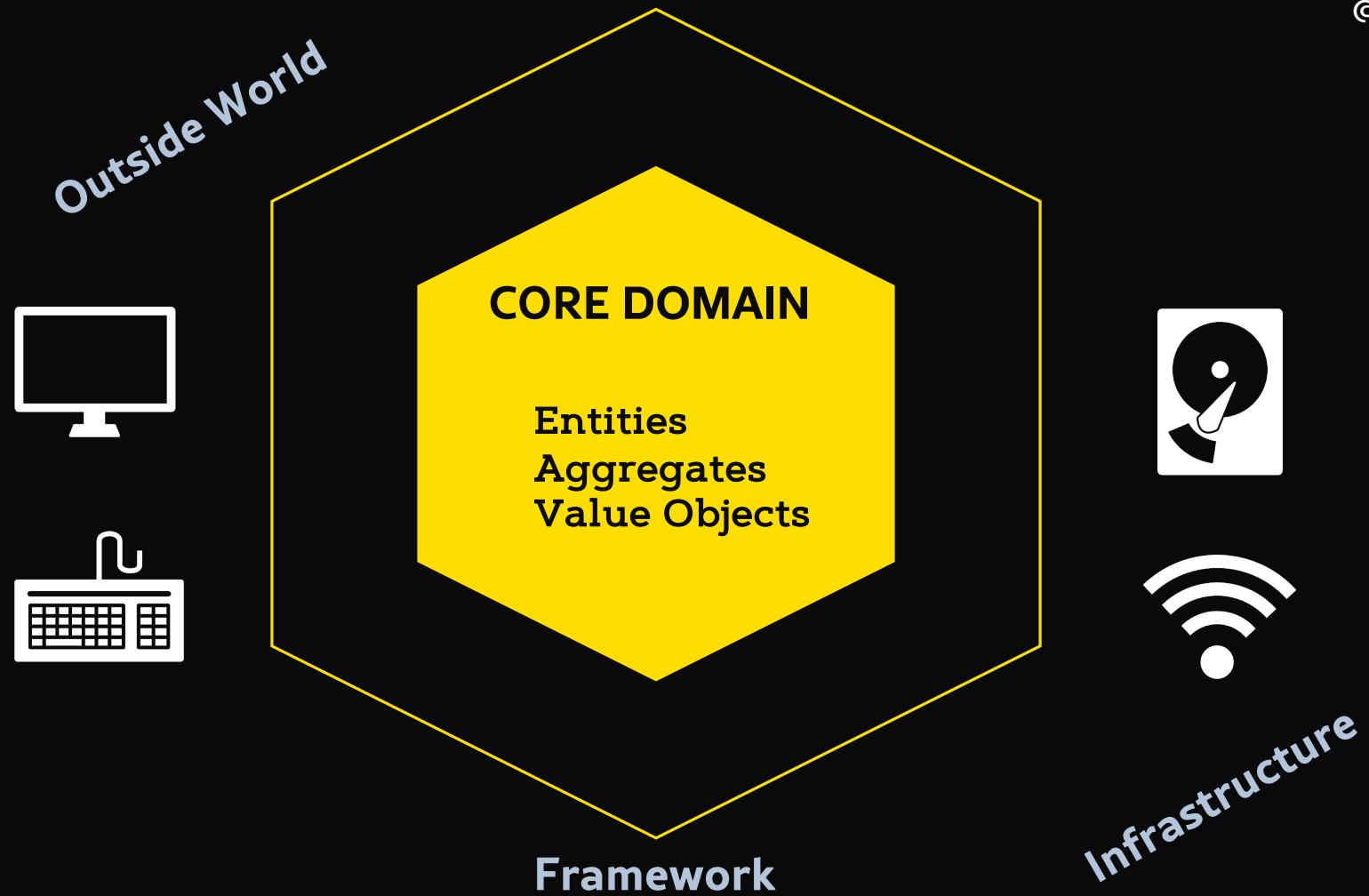
**“[Separation of Concerns]
is a matter about which a
great deal is said and very
little done.”**

– Charles Dudley Warner

Principle

**Separate Infrastructure and
the Outside World from
Business Logic**

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Listening to
Outside World

**Console
HTTP API
Web UI
Messaging**

CORE DOMAIN

Entities
Aggregates
Value Objects

Talking to
Infrastructure

**Database
Network
Files**

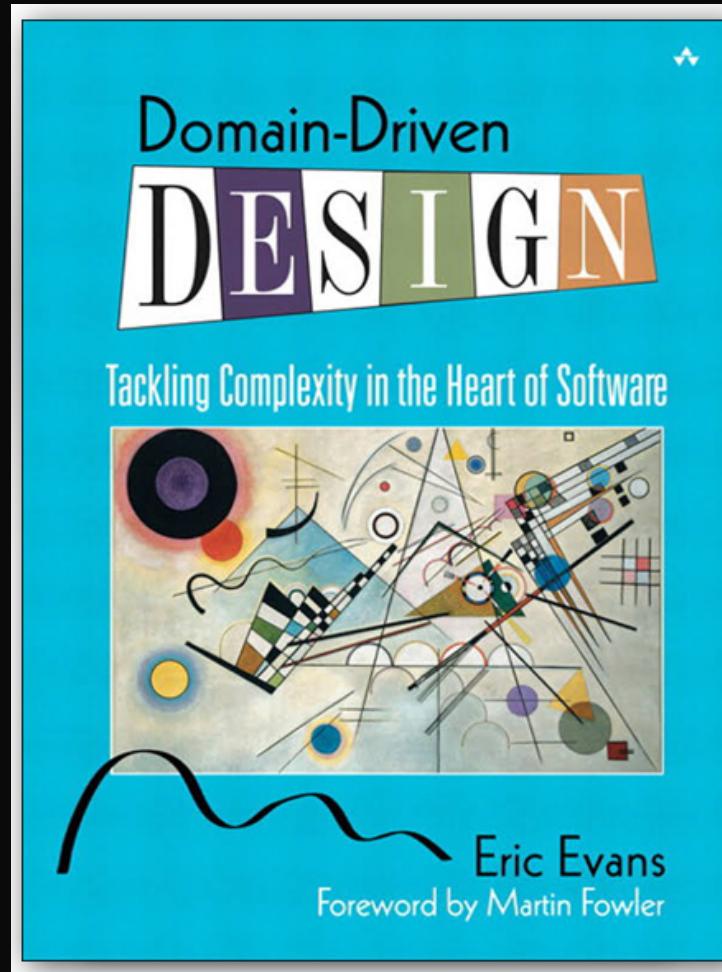
Frameworks

Spring, JEE, Micronaut

Domain-Driven

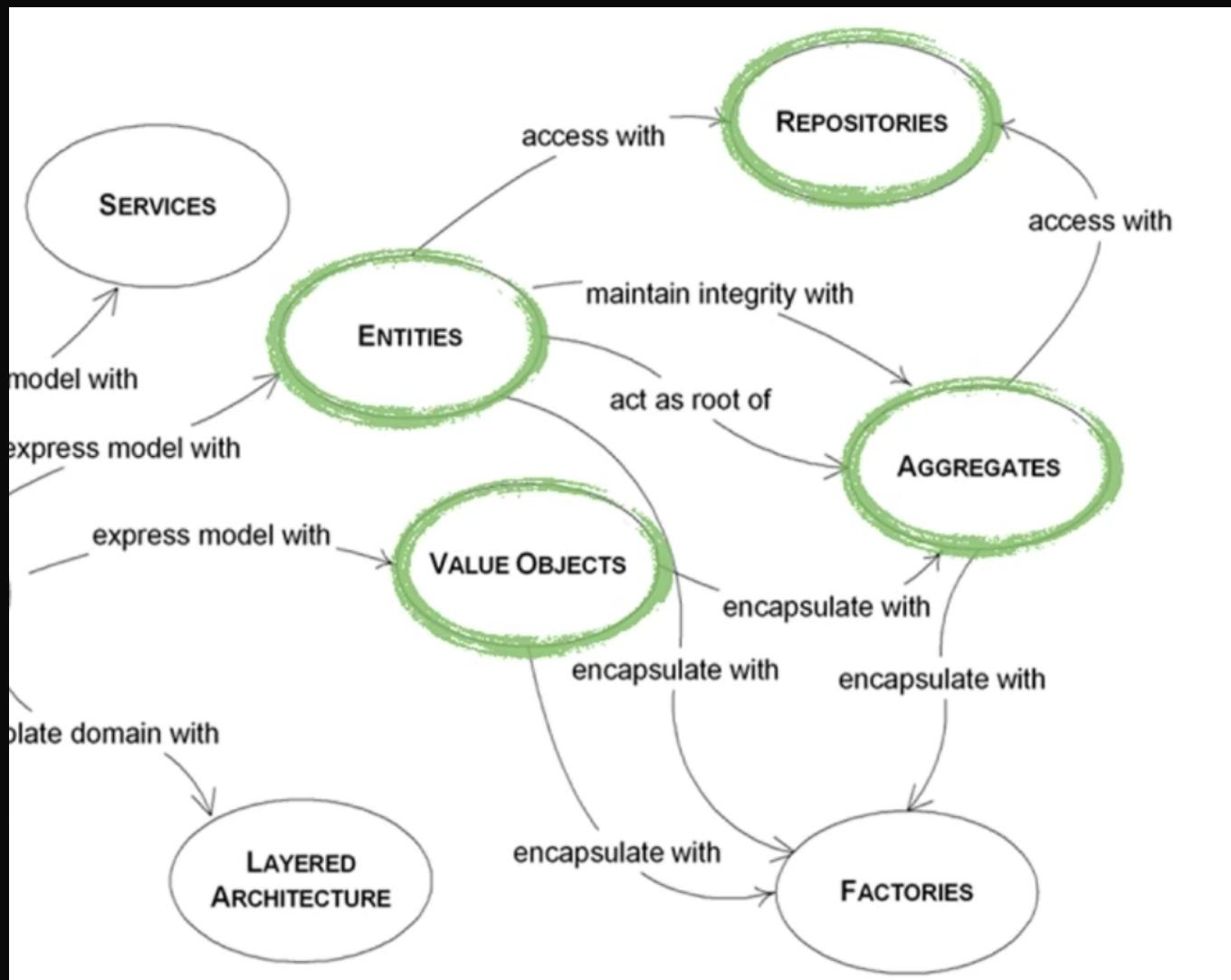
Domain is focus of the application

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Entity

Has Identity, History, and Attributes

Value Object

Has Only Attributes

Aggregate

Entity that Enforces Consistency

Repository

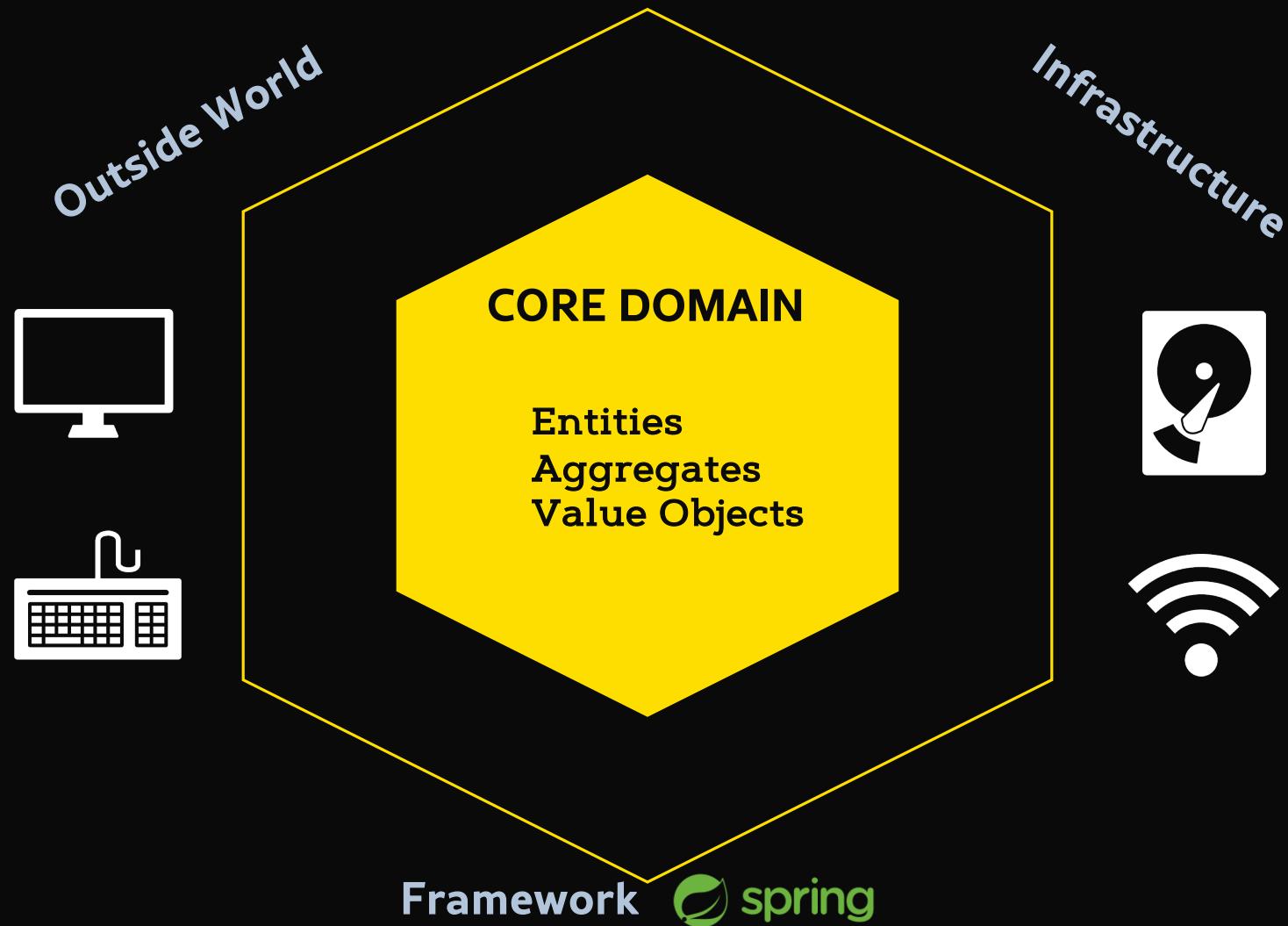
Use for Storing and Retrieving Aggregates

Core Domain

Account
SavingsGoal
PhoneNumber
Role

Transaction
UserProfile

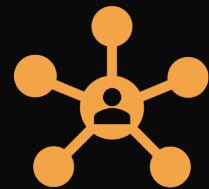
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NOT a Unit Test



Talks to the database



Communicates
across a network

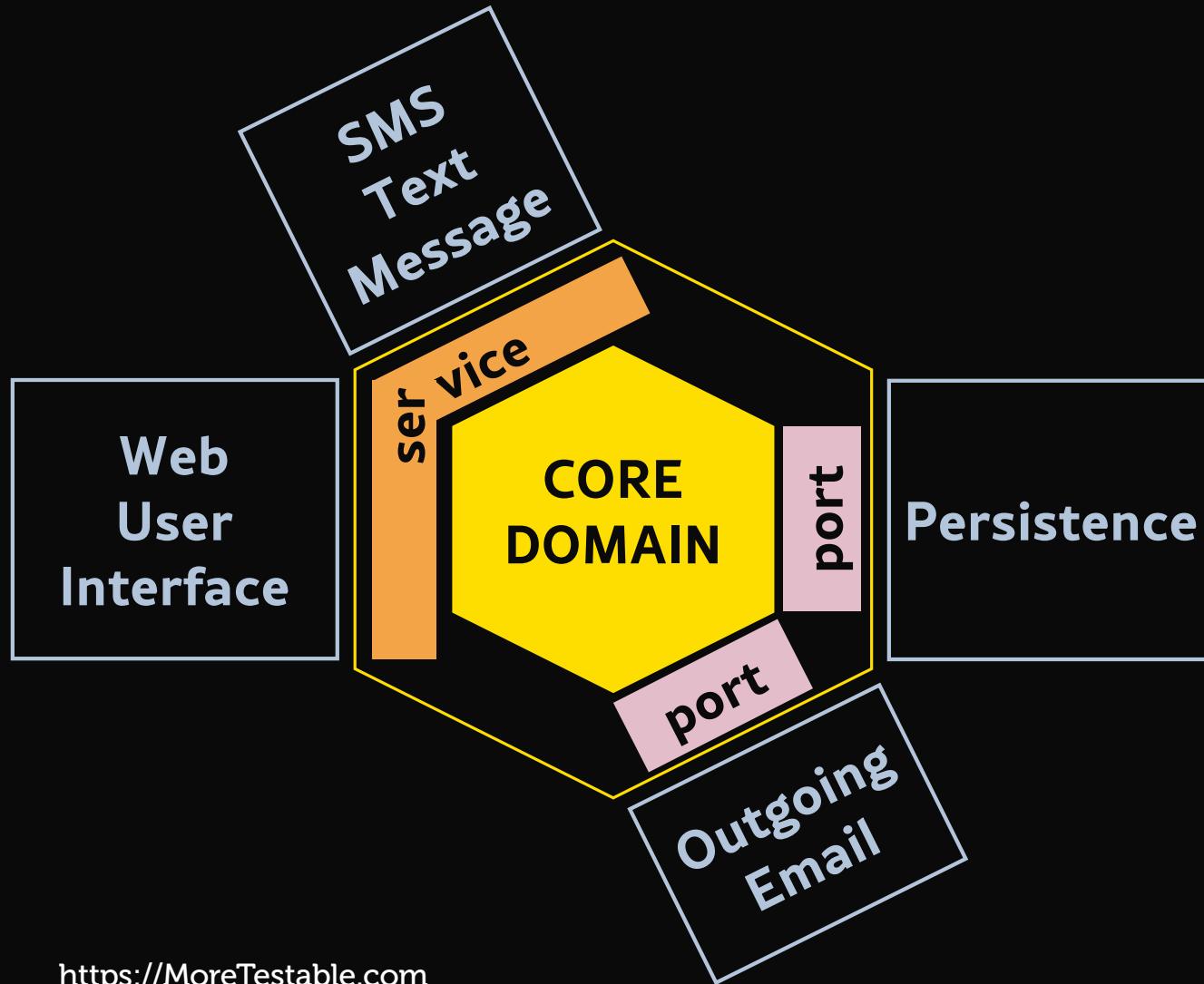


Touches the file system

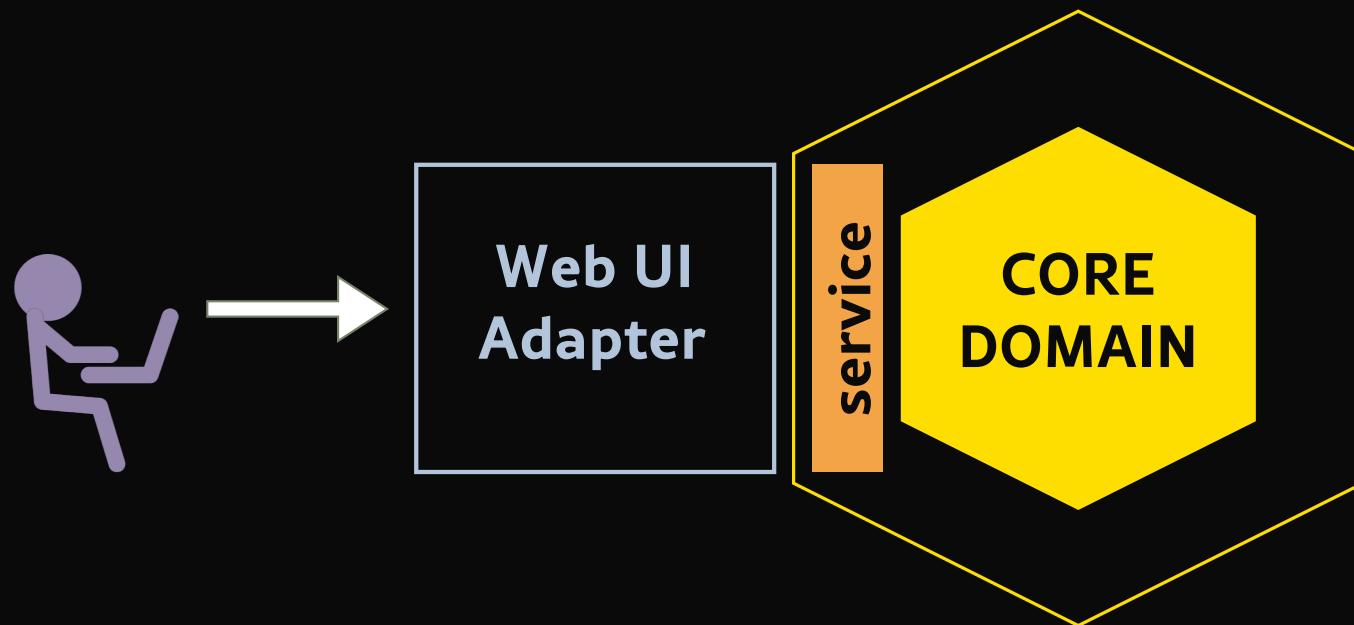
Michael Feathers
"A Set of Unit Testing Rules"
(2005)

Principle

Tests Must Be Isolated

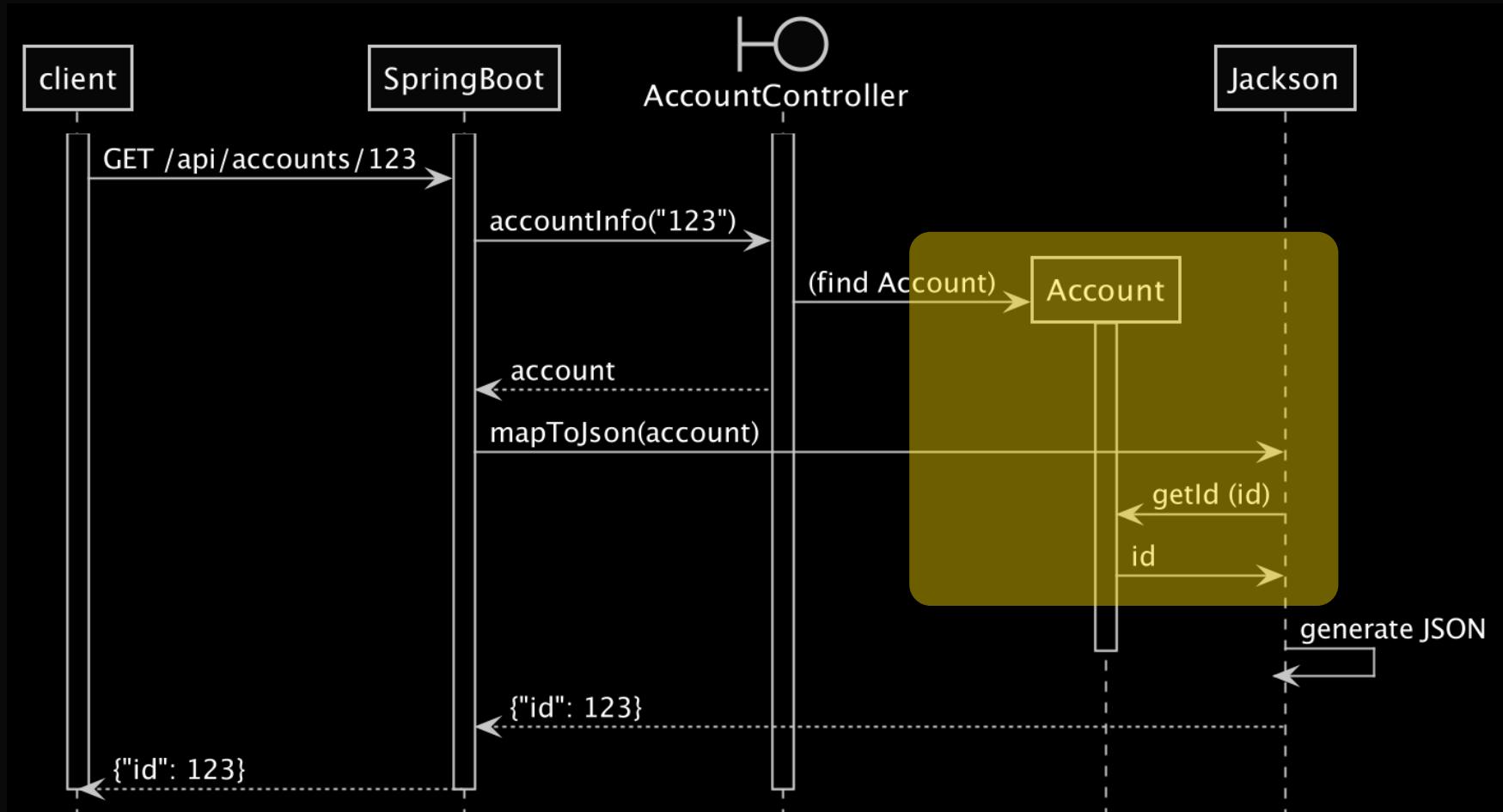


[Outside World] User/Event-Driven



Domain Object (POJO)

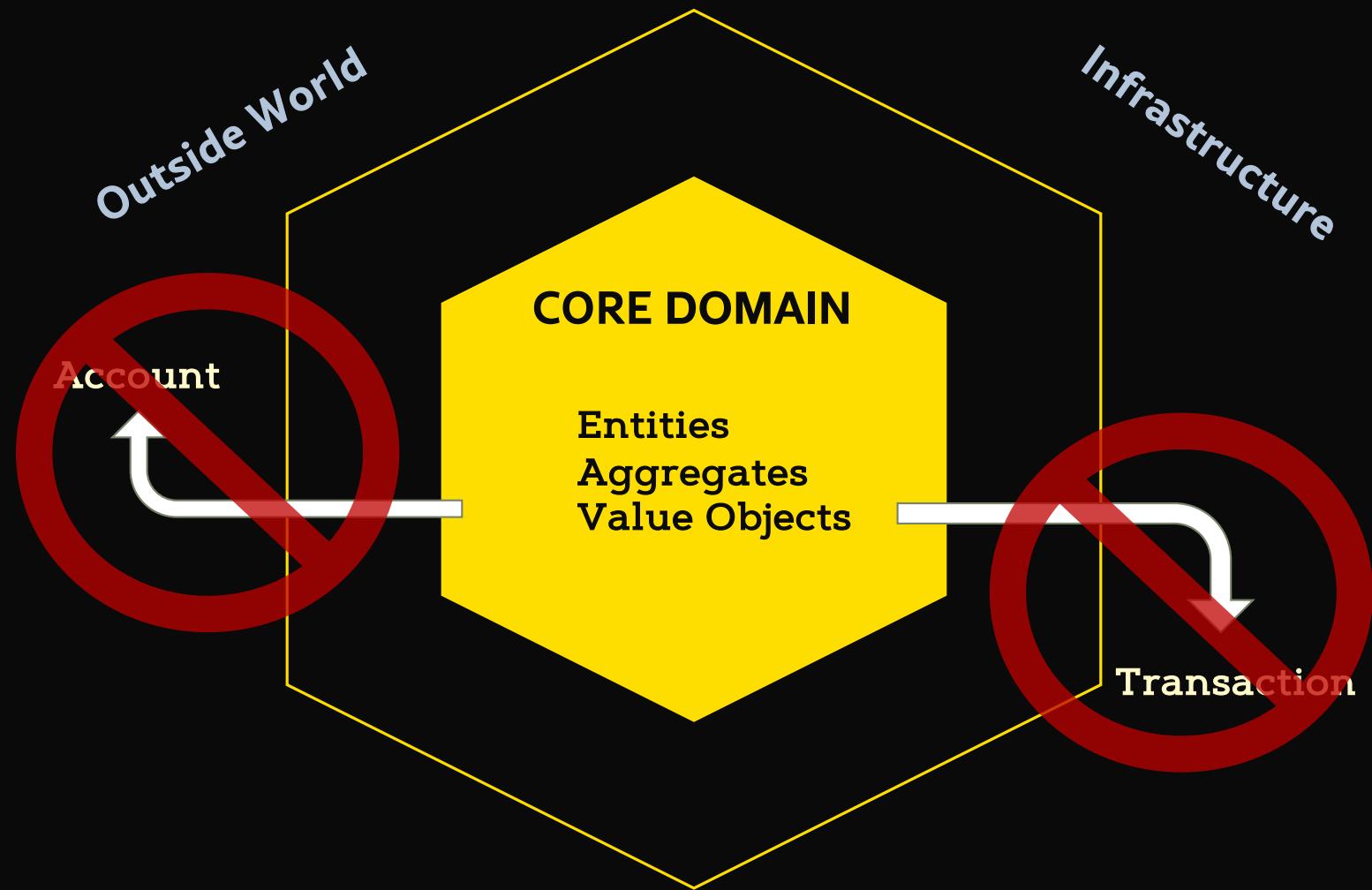
```
public class Account {  
  
    public void deposit(LocalDateTime txnDate, int amount, String descr){...}  
  
    public void spend(LocalDateTime txnDate, int amount, String descr) {...}  
  
    public int balance() {...}  
  
}
```



Rule

Domain Objects Never Leave

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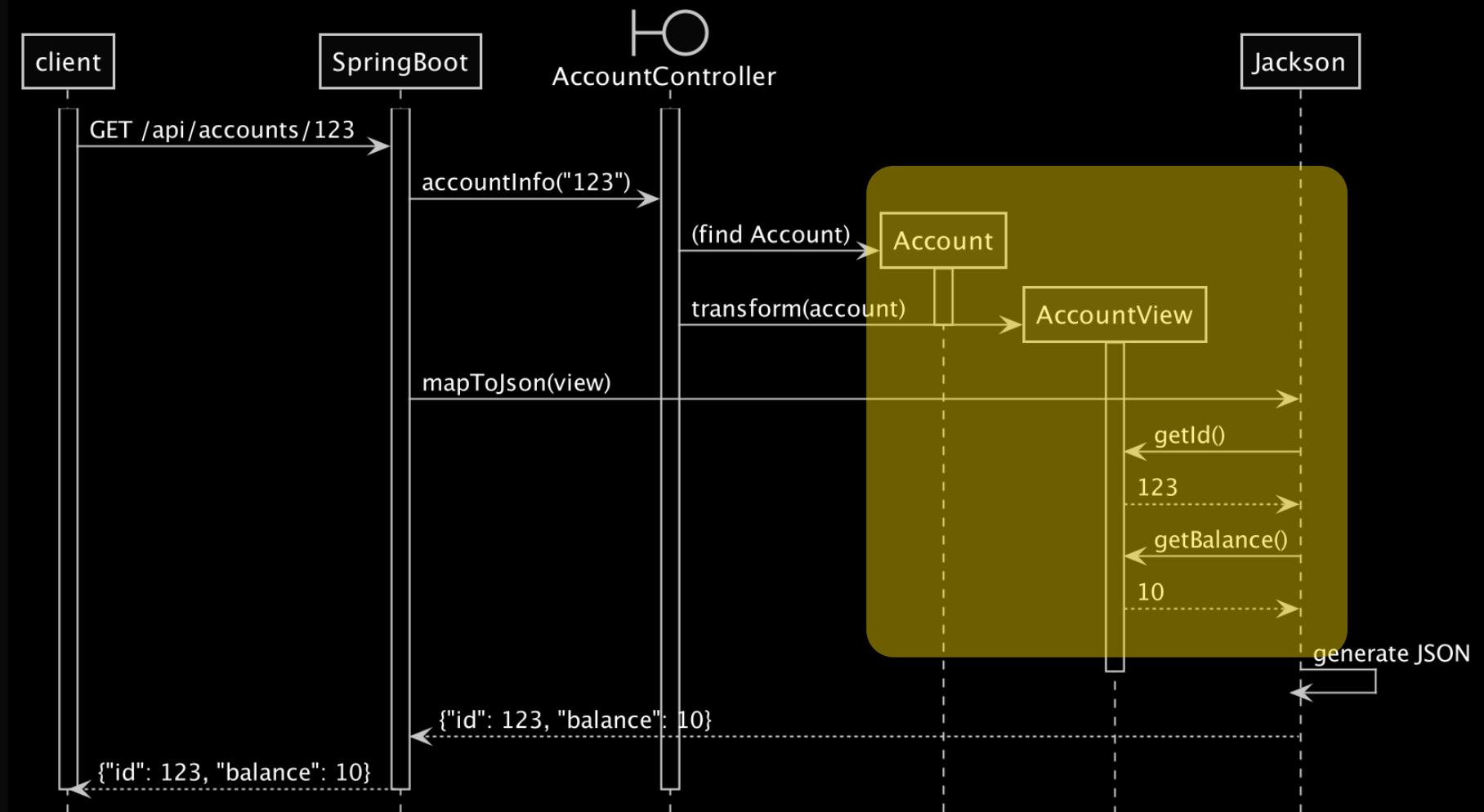
Goal

Reduce Coupling

Data Transfer Object (DTO)

```
public class AccountView {  
    private long id;  
    private int balance;  
  
    /*  
     * setters & getters here  
     */  
}
```

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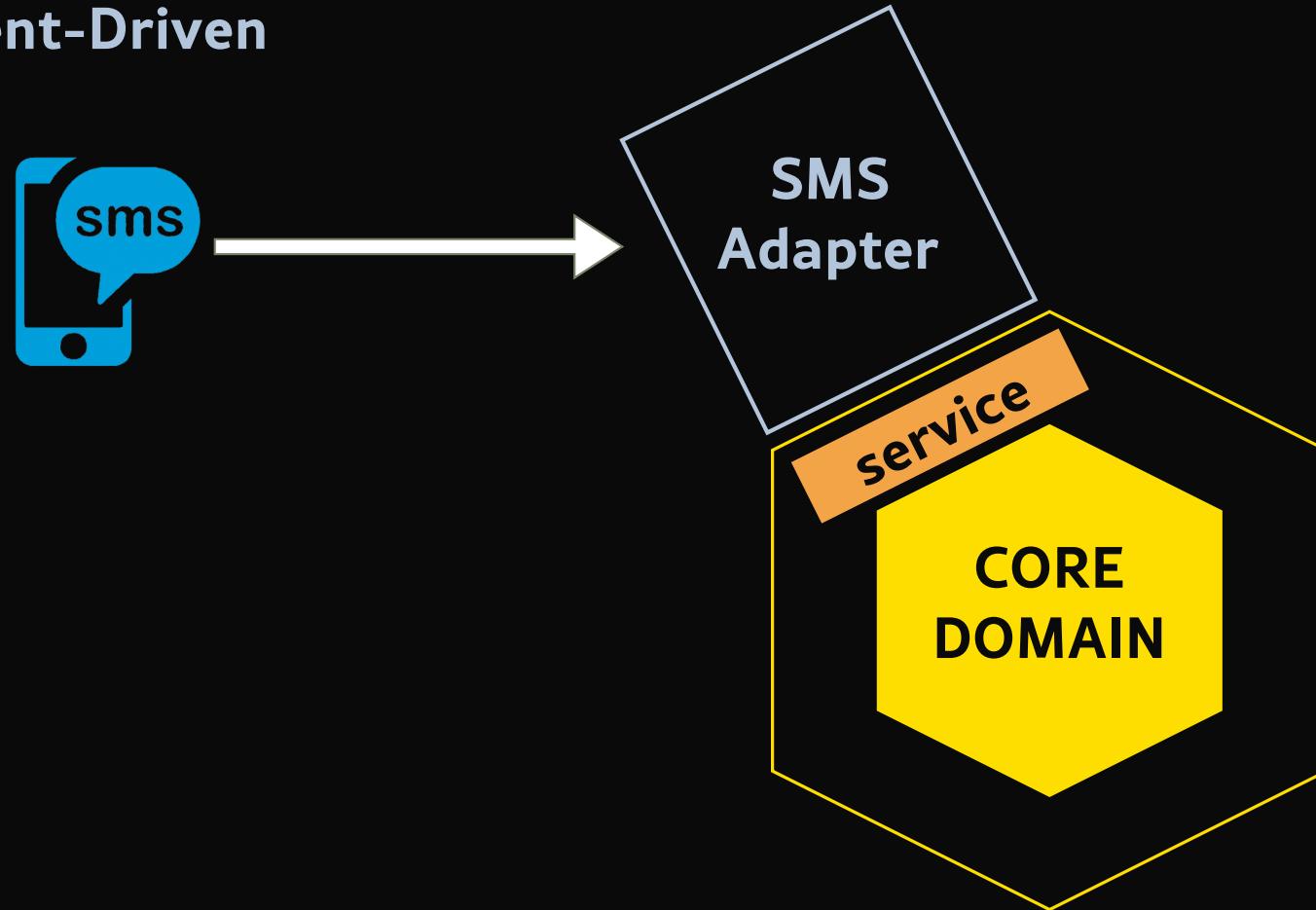
Adapter Role

Package of Classes

Adapter Responsibilities

1. Validate input from outside-world
2. Convert to Domain Object
3. Send to Service to do work (*optional*)
4. Domain Object → DTO
5. Return DTO to Outside-World

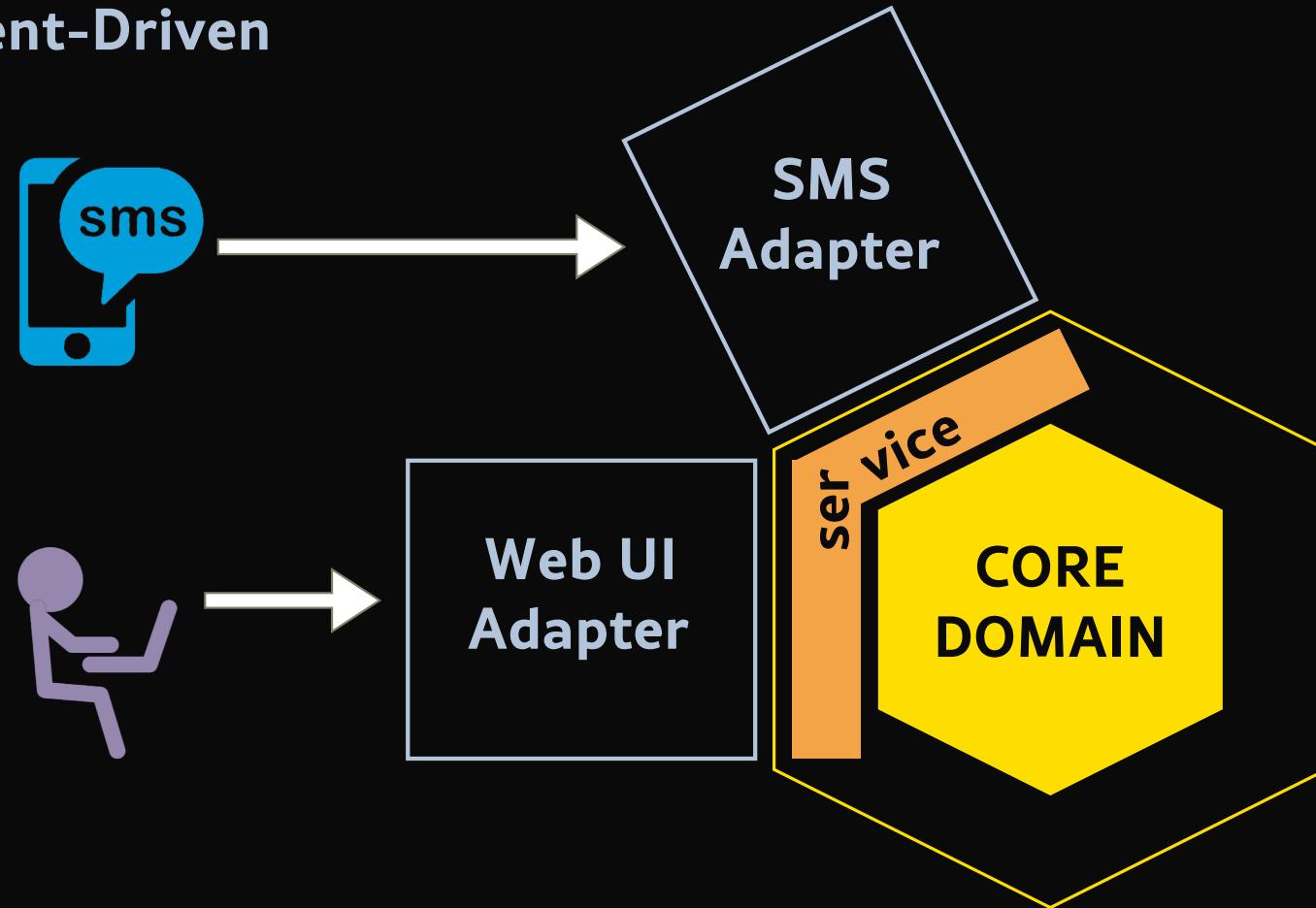
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Rule

Adapter Per Communication Mechanism

[Outside World] User/Event-Driven



Dependency Rule

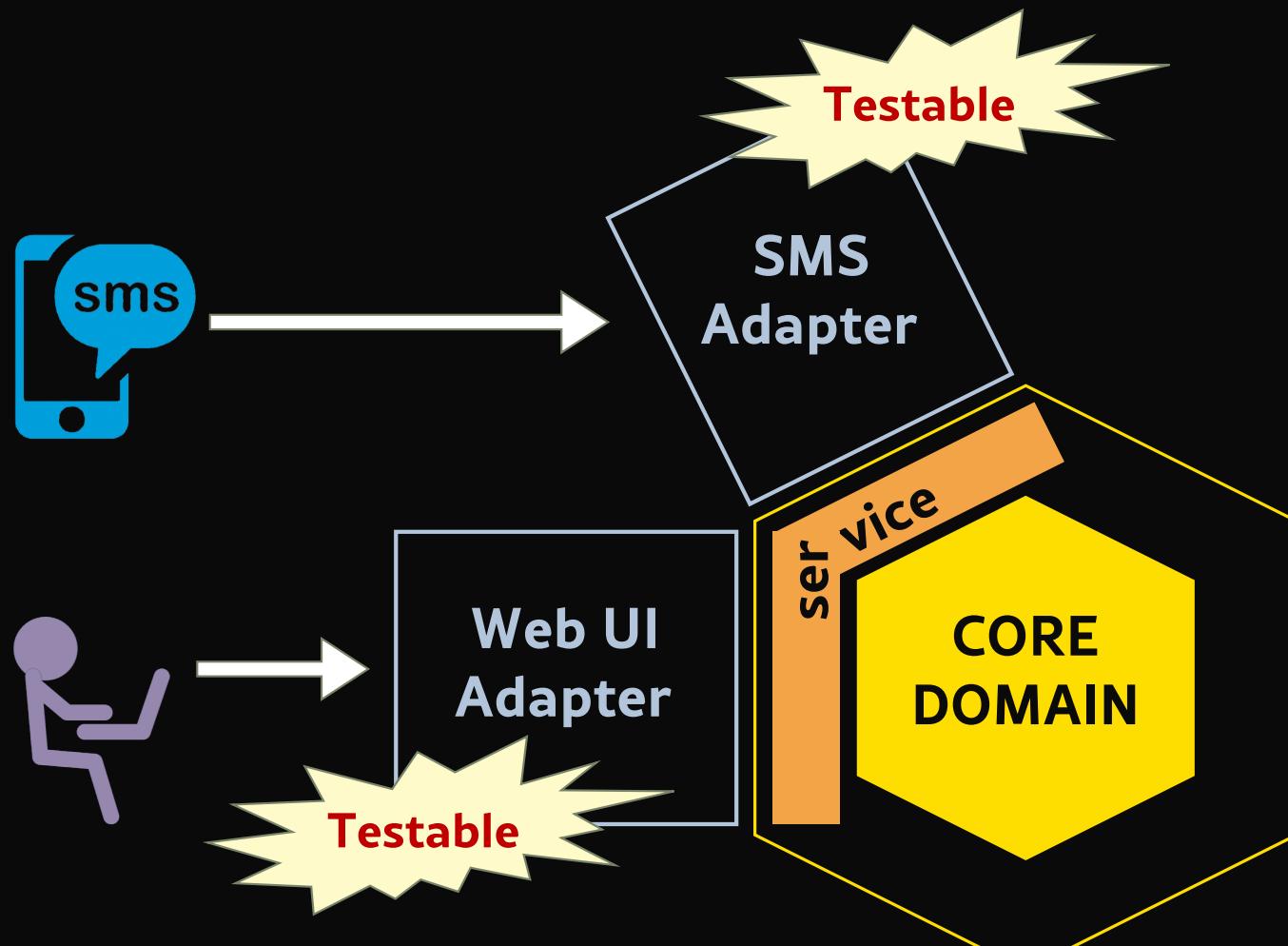
**Adapters Don't
Depend on Adapters**

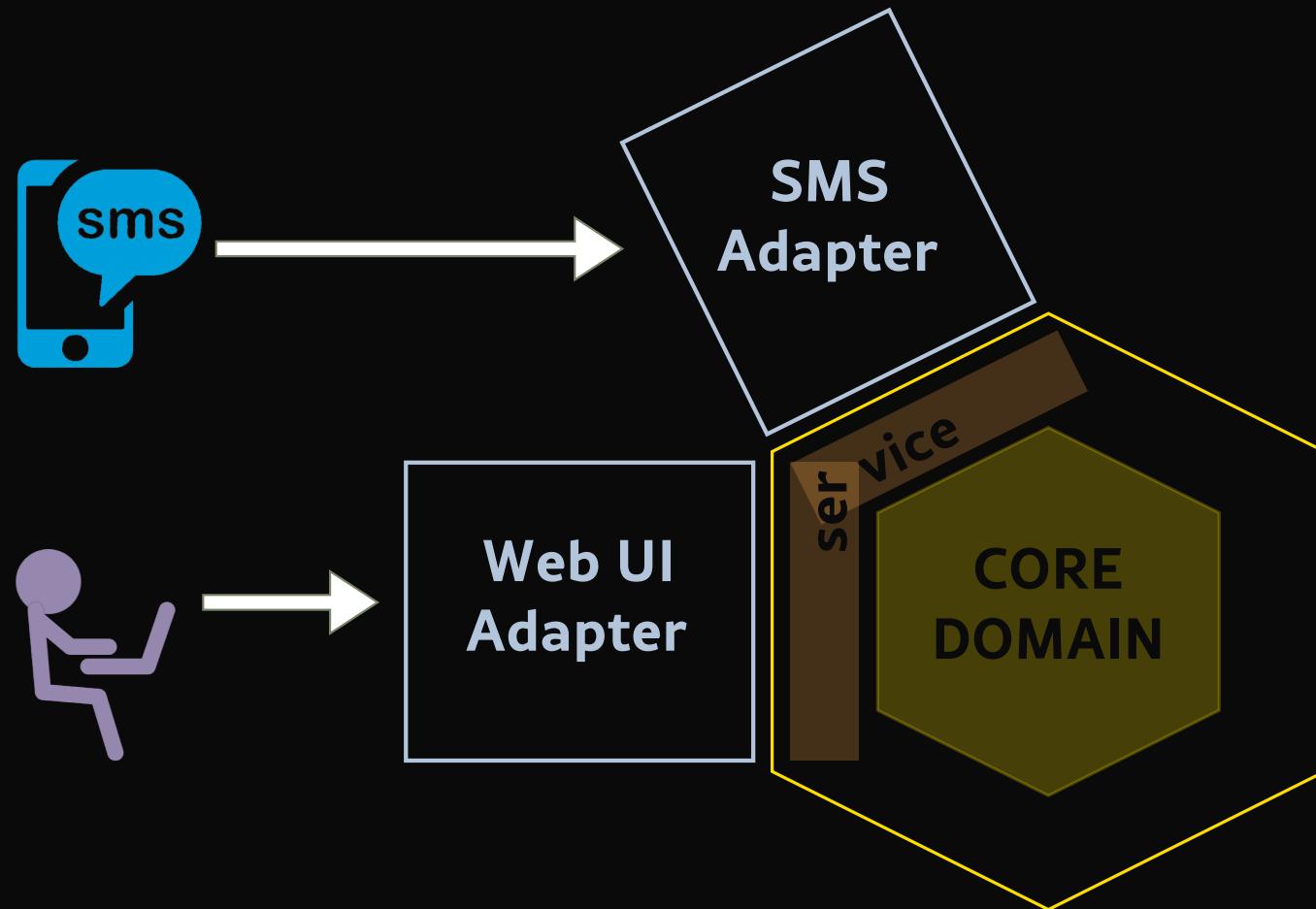
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Testing Adapters

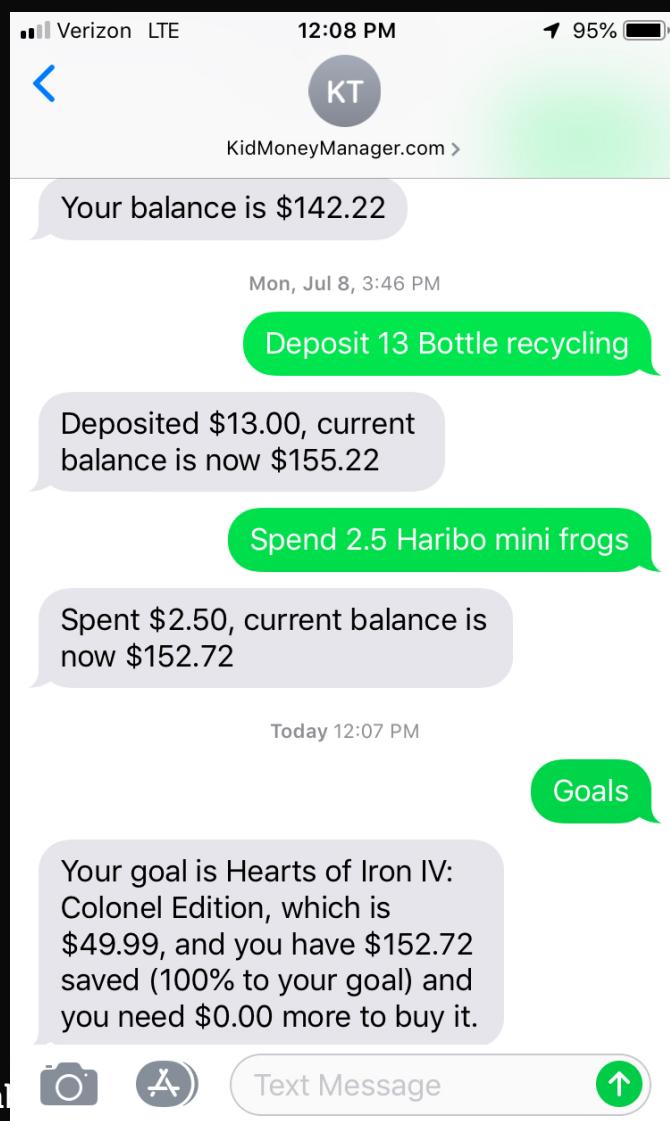
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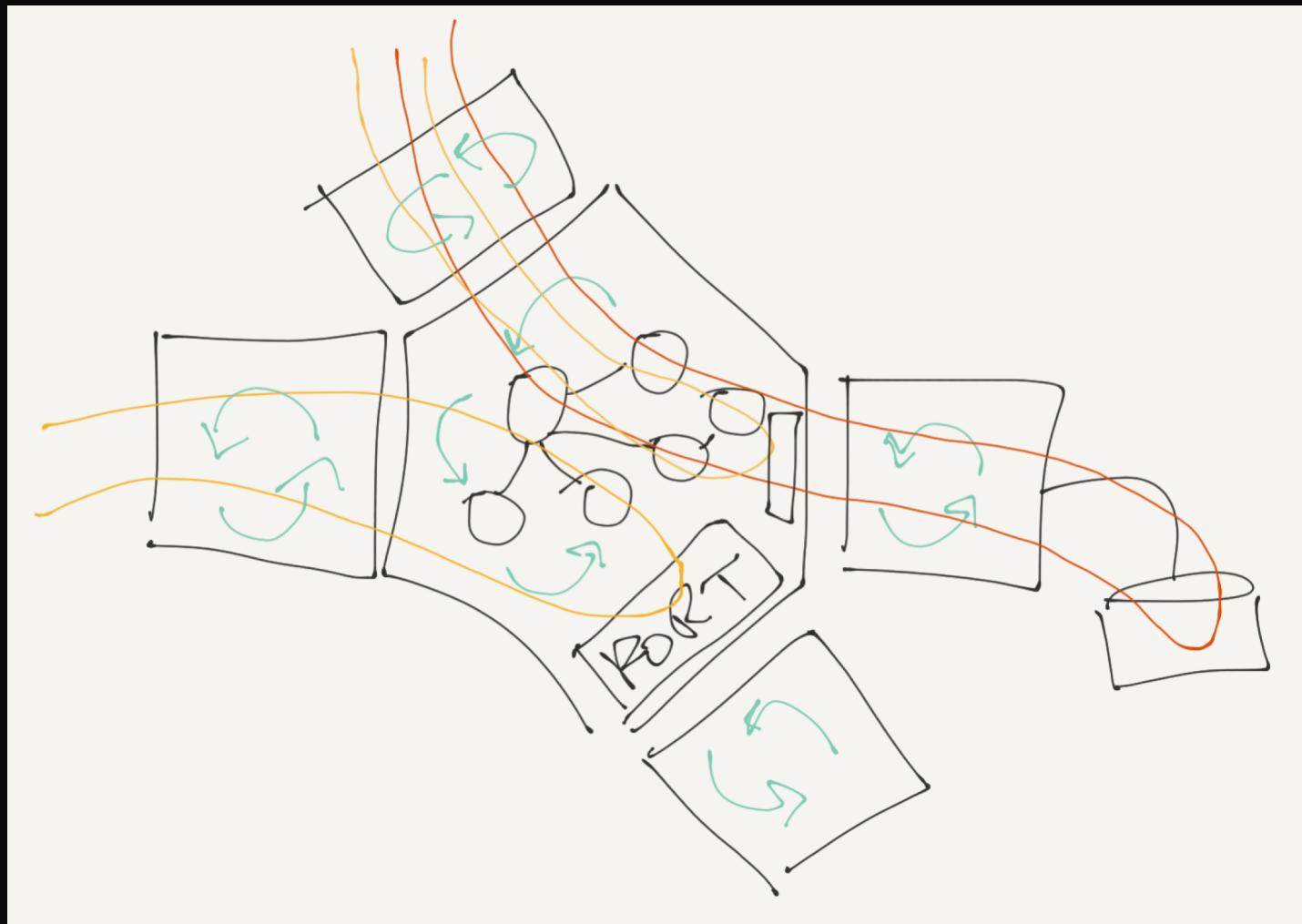
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```
public class CommandParserSpendCommandTest {  
  
    @Test  
    public void spendWithSingleWordDescriptionCreatesSpendCommandWithDescription() throws Exception {  
        CoreAccount account = null;  
        CommandParser commandParser = new CommandParser(account);  
  
        TransactionCommand command = commandParser.parse("spend 37.95 Cards");  
  
        assertThat(command)  
            .isEqualTo(new SpendCommand(account, 37_95, "Cards"));  
    }  
  
    @Test  
    public void spendOnlyWithValidAmountShouldBeSpendCommand() throws Exception {  
        CoreAccount account = null;  
        CommandParser commandParser = new CommandParser(account);  
  
        TransactionCommand command = commandParser.parse("spend 55");  
  
        SpendCommand expectedSpendCommand = new SpendCommand(account, 55_00);  
  
        assertThat(command)  
            .isEqualTo(expectedSpendCommand);  
    }  
}
```

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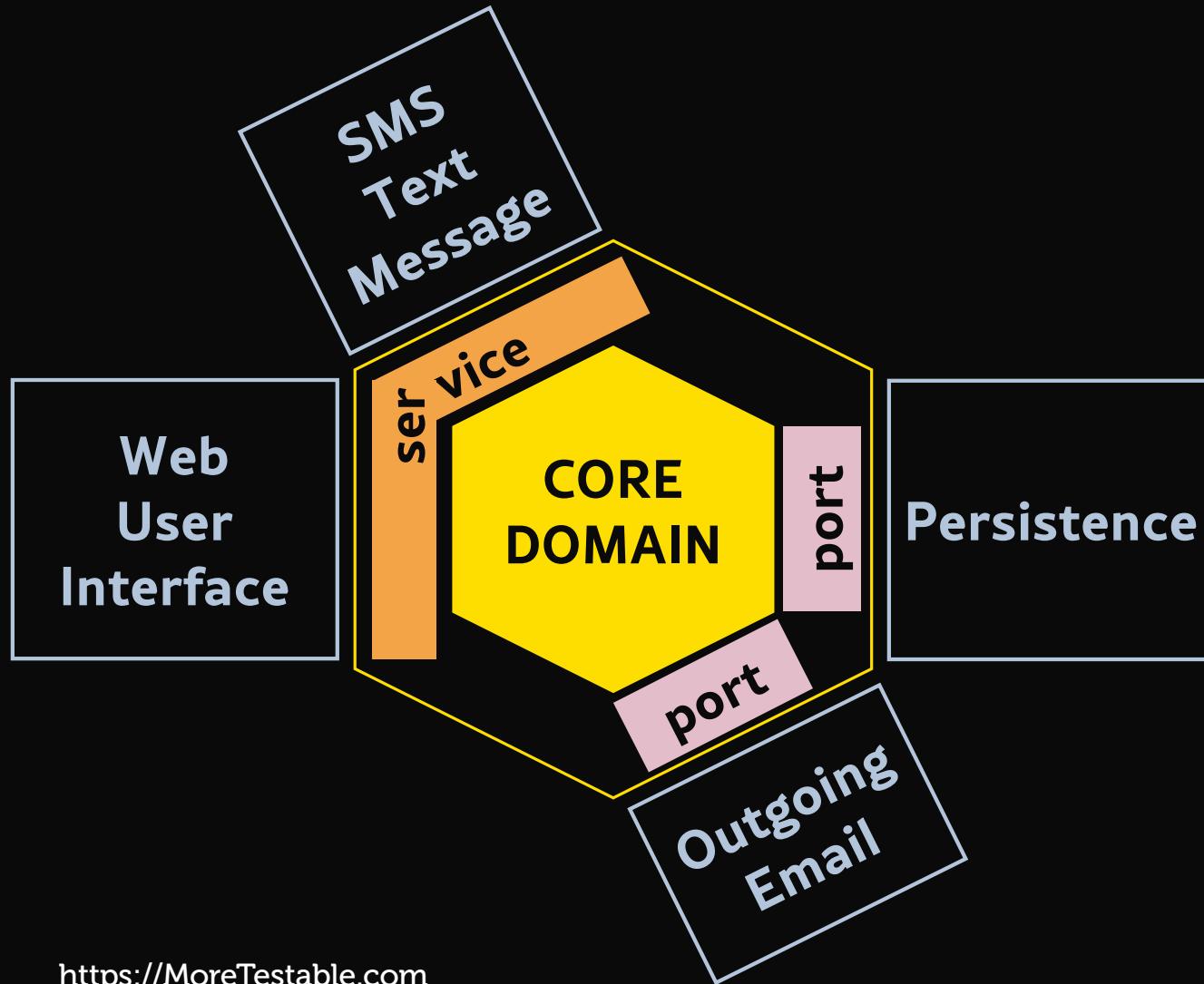
```
public class DepositViewIntegrationTest {  
    @Autowired  
    private MockMvc mockMvc;  
  
    @Test  
    public void getAgainstDepositUriShouldReturnDepositFormPage() throws Exception {  
        mockMvc.perform(get("/deposit"))  
            .andExpect(status().isOk())  
            .andExpect(view().name("deposit"))  
            .andExpect(model().attributeExists("balance", "depositCommand"));  
    }  
  
    @Test  
    public void submitDepositFormRedirectsToHomePage() throws Exception {  
        mockMvc.perform(post("/deposit")  
            .param("amount", "12.45")  
            .param("date", "2000-01-02")  
            .param("description", "the source of money"))  
            .andExpect(redirectedUrl(AccountController.ACOUNT_URL));  
  
        mockMvc.perform(get(AccountController.ACOUNT_URL))  
            .andExpect(status().isOk());  
    }  
}
```

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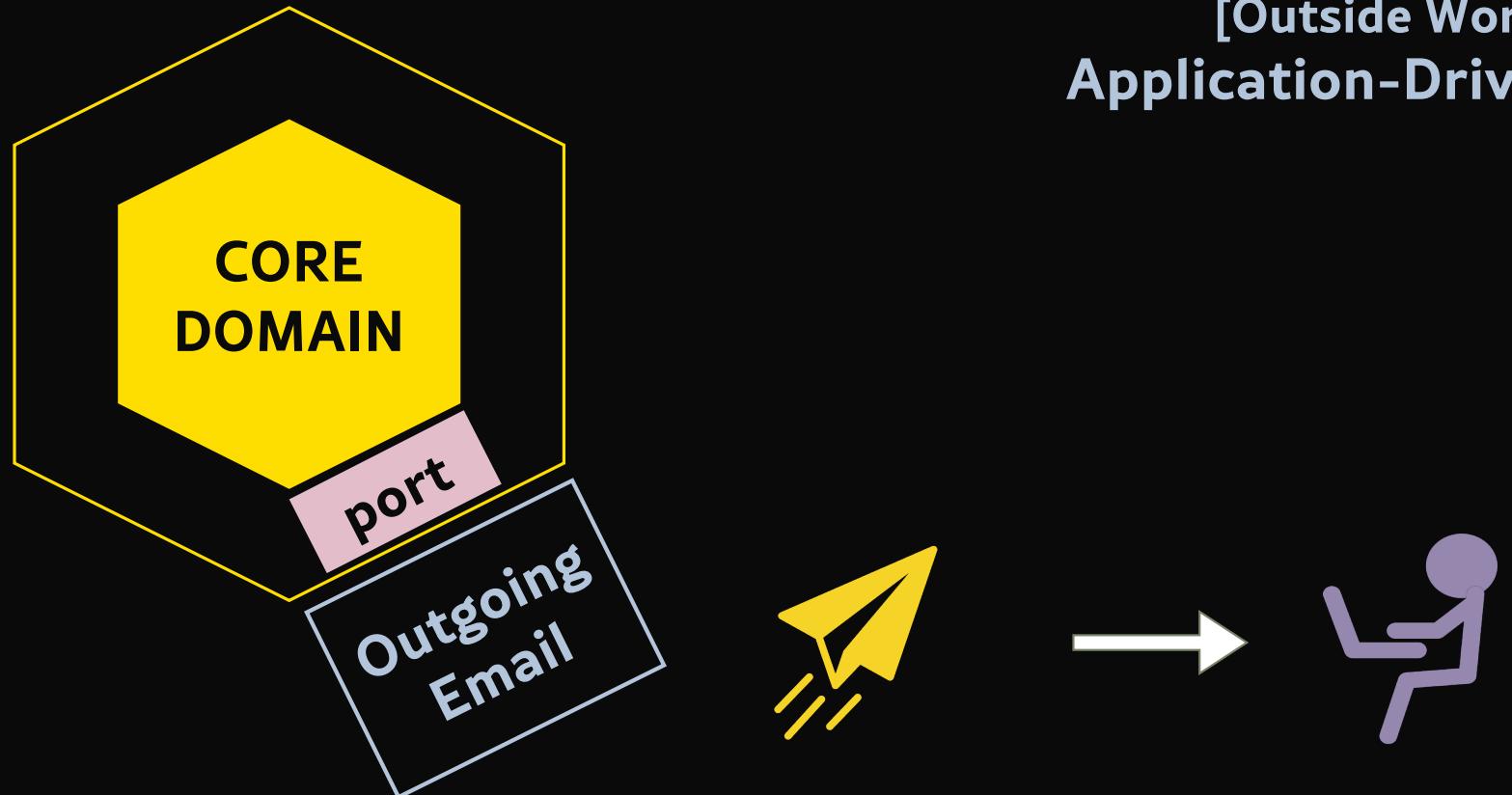


Ports

Abstractions and Concrete Implementations



[Outside World]
Application-Driven



Step 1: Define Port

Ideal Interface

in language of Domain

```
package com.learnwithted.kidbank.domain;

public interface BalanceChangedNotifier {
    void balanceChanged(Account account, int changedBy);
}
```

Language of
the Domain

Step 2

Use Spy to Test

```
public class BalanceChangeNotificationTest {  
    @Test  
    public void depositShouldCauseNotificationOfBalanceChange() throws Exception {  
        BalanceChangedNotifier mockNotifier = mock(BalanceChangedNotifier.class);  
  
        // Given an account  
        Account account = TestAccountBuilder.builder()  
            .notifier(mockNotifier)  
            .buildAsCore();  
  
        // When we deposit money  
        account.deposit(now(), 25_00, "test");  
  
        // Then we expect the notification to be sent  
        verify(mockNotifier).balanceChanged(account, 25_00);  
    }  
}
```

technically a spy

validation

Step 3: Create Implementation Concrete Adapter

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```
package com.learnwithted.kidbank.adapter.sms; ◀
@Service
public class TextMessageBalanceChangedNotifier implements BalanceChangedNotifier {

    private final TextMessageSender textMessageSender;

    public TextMessageBalanceChangedNotifier(TextMessageSender textMessageSender) {
        this.textMessageSender = textMessageSender;
    }

    @Override
    public void balanceChanged(Account account, int changedBy) {
        String to = "+16505551212";
        String body = "Balance changed by "
            + ScaledDecimals.formatAsMoney(changedBy)
            + ", current balance is "
            + ScaledDecimals.formatAsMoney(account.balance());
        textMessageSender.send(to, body);
    }
}
```

SMS adapter

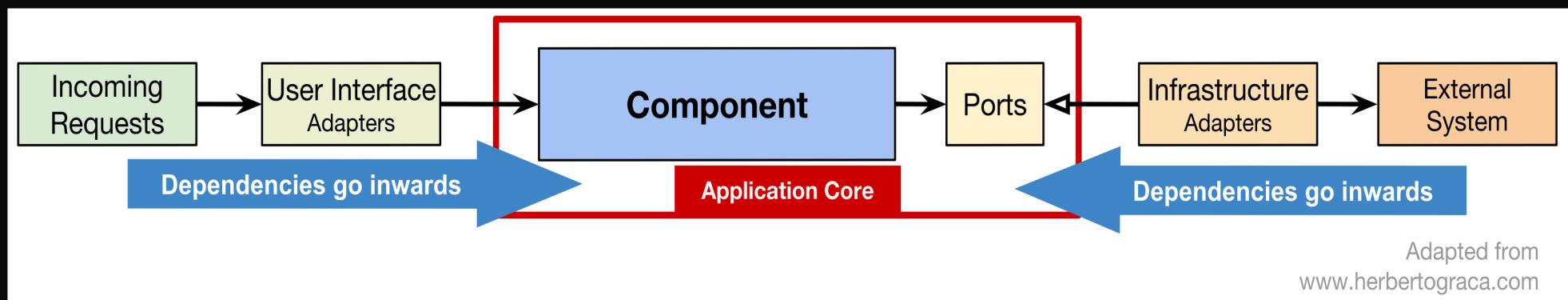
Null Object
Pattern

```
package com.learnwithted.kidbank.domain;

public class DoNothingBalanceChangeNotifier implements BalanceChangedNotifier {
    @Override
    public void balanceChanged(Account account, int changedBy) {
        // do nothing
    }
}
```

Dependency Rule

**Dependencies
Point Inwards**



Rule

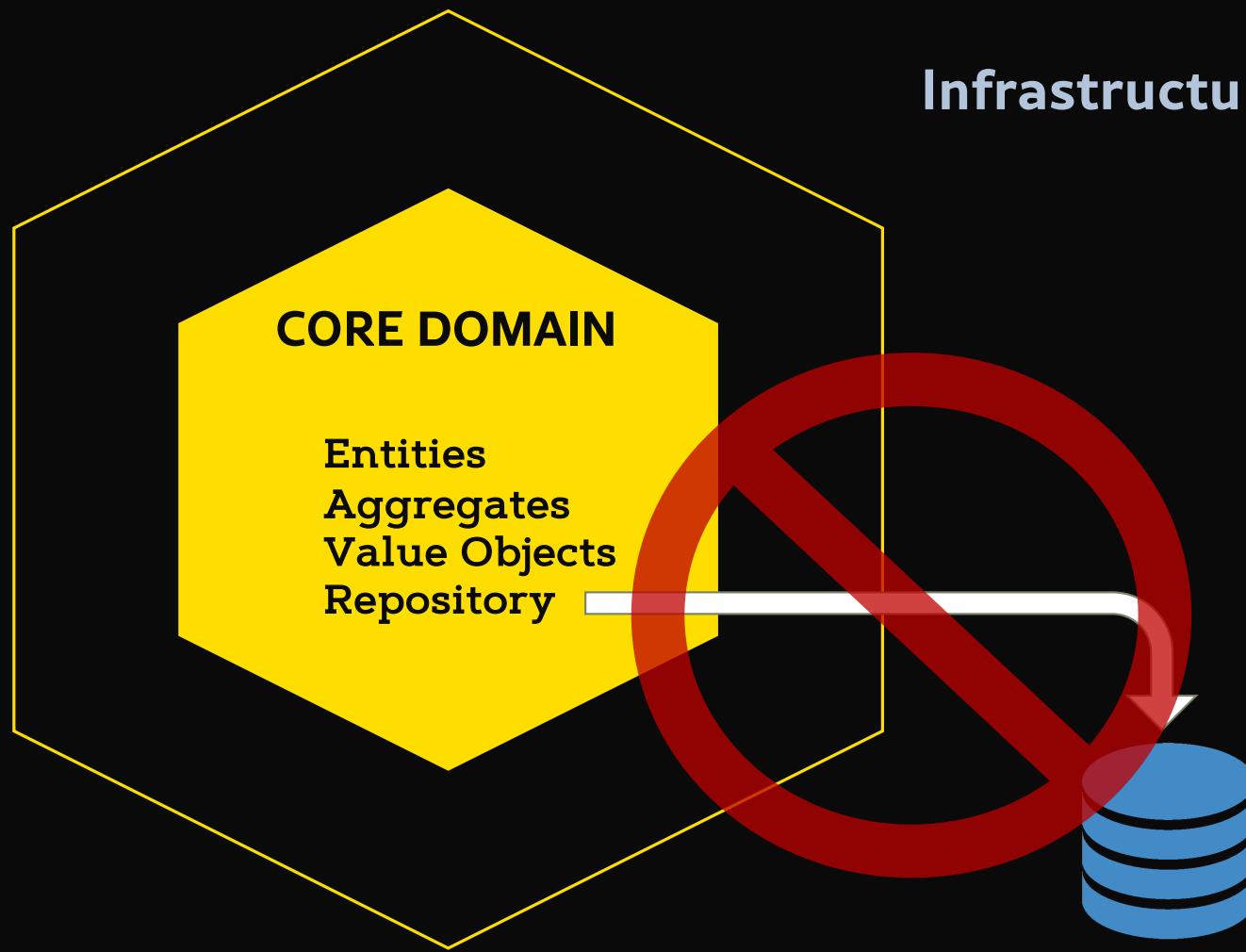
Persistence Ignorance

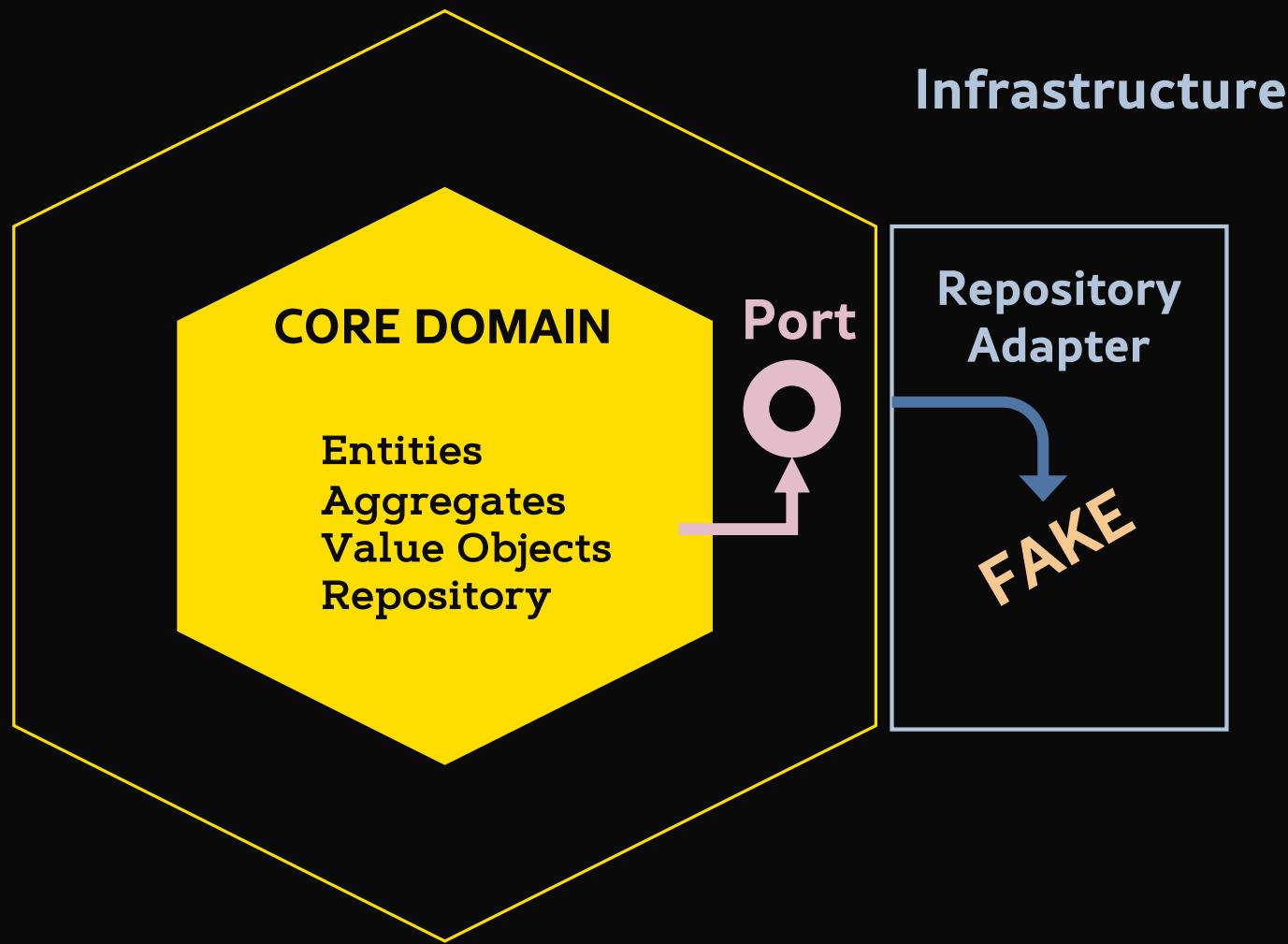
Core Domain

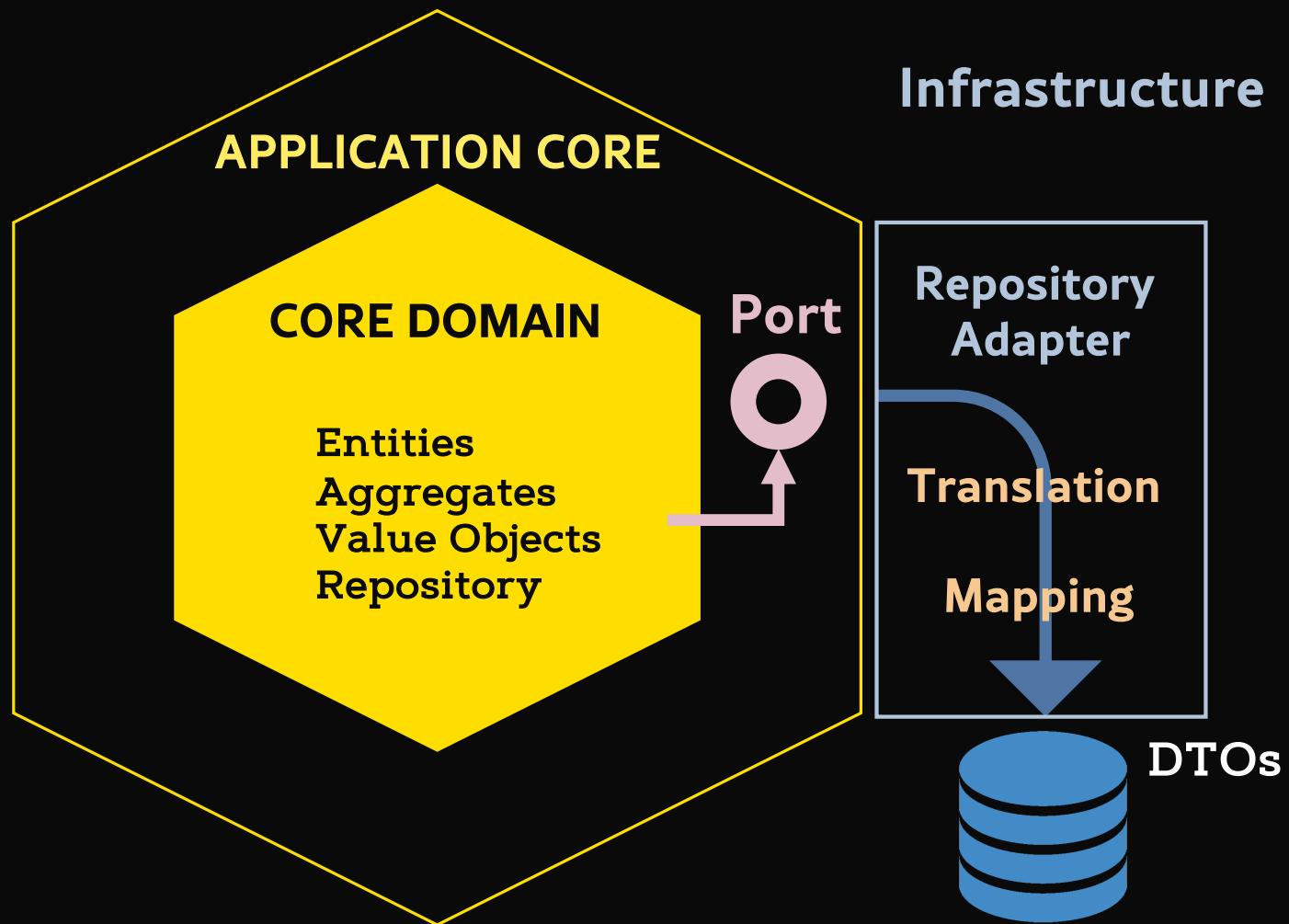
Account
SavingsGoal
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Role
Transaction
Transaction

UserProfile
GoalRepository
UserRepository

Infrastructure

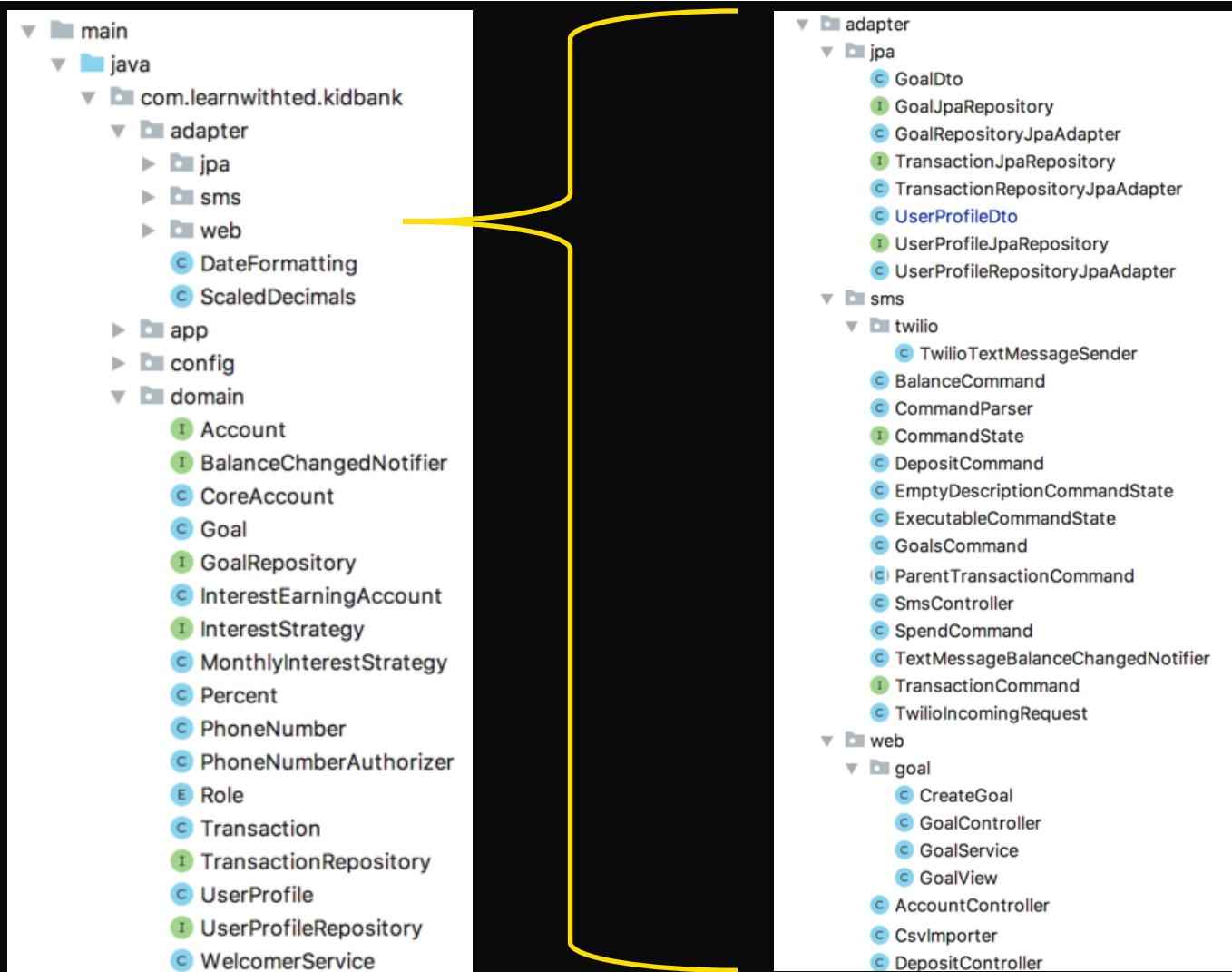






Rule

Package Based on Architecture



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Enforce Package Structure ArchUnit

Don't Use Hexagonal

Basic CRUD

Simple or non-existent domain

Transformation/Integration-only

Hexagonal Architecture

Focus on Core Domain

Domain Objects Never Leave

Adapters per Trigger Type

Ports for Ideal Interface to Outside

Dependencies point inwards

Package Based on Architecture

Thank You!



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