

Productive

Clojure in the wild?

"We re-coded our flagship application XXXXXX from Java to Clojure about a year ago. NEVER looked back. Why?

Reduced our lines of code down by at least half.

Support and bugs have likewise been cut by about 65–70%.

We have large enterprise clients. How did we get Clojure into these very old guard environments????

Between you and me....we lie.

We don't talk about Clojure. We talk about "Java Extensions" or "the Clojure Java Extension".

No one is the wiser.

Clients LOVE us for our blistering fast turn around.

We present ourselves as a larger company with fake Linkedin employees. We actually only have 4 real employees.

But with Clojure we do the same work as if we had 20."

- Is Clojure a secret weapon?
- Most programmers attest to being much more productive when using Clojure

Successful



https://clojure.org/community/success_stories

How did Walmart's eReceipts team of 8 developers build a system to process and integrate every purchase at Walmart's 5000+ stores, including online and mobile data? Simple - they used Clojure "all the way down" to build a powerful data system enabling the popular [Savings Catcher](#), [Vudu Instawatch](#), Black Friday's [1-Hour Guarantee](#), and other programs to improve the customer experience and streamline operations.

Clojure uses anywhere from 5 to 10 times less code than other programming languages, speeding development time, reducing the instances of bugs, and lowering maintenance costs.

<http://blog.cognitect.com/blog/2015/6/30/walmart-runs-clojure-at-scale>

"Clojure is a secret weapon. It self-selects for smart developers."

"We saw this as an opportunity to check out a newer technology that would give us a competitive edge."

<http://cognitect.com/roomkey-case-study.html>