

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>

Conclusion

- Clojure is more than just a Lisp for the JVM
- Clojure is a very well designed and supported language
- There is a universal sentiment that developing in Clojure is faster, more productive, and more fun than most alternatives
- Taken as a whole, I don't think there's another language ecosystem that is better
- If you have a change to greenfield a project, you should give Clojure serious consideration