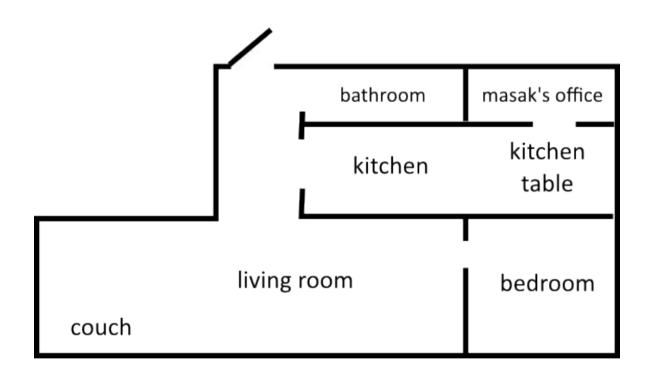
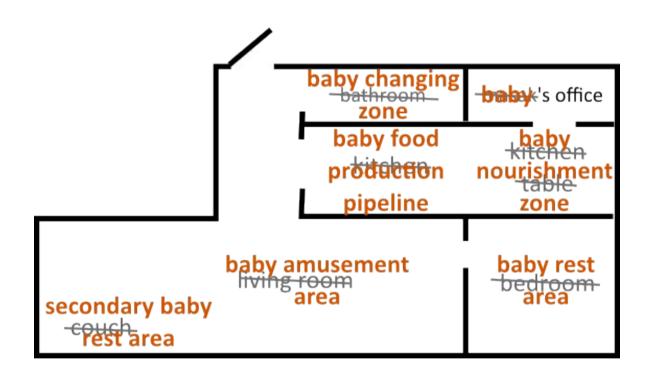


so, I'm a father





this makes one think

"what is software development?"

two views

completely at odds with each other

ok, that could make a decent talk

hi, I'm masak

I write Perl 6

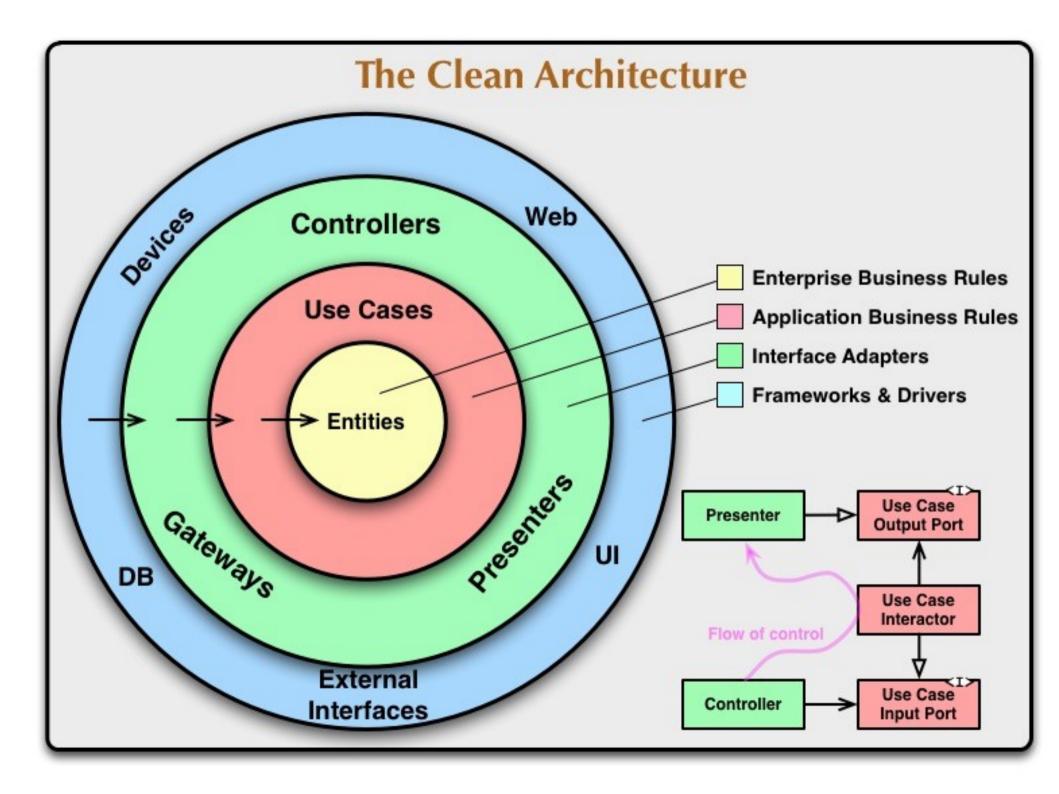
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(and on my spare time)

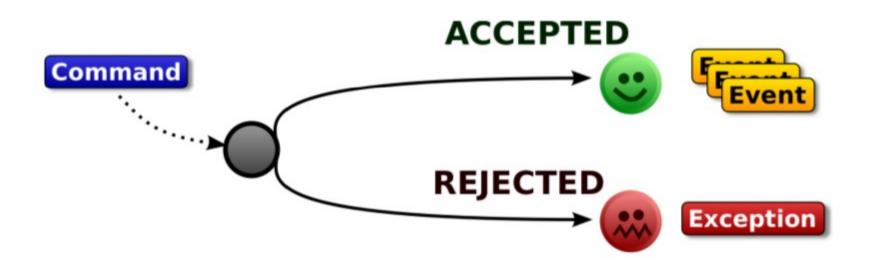
so, two views of software dev

first view: complete clarity

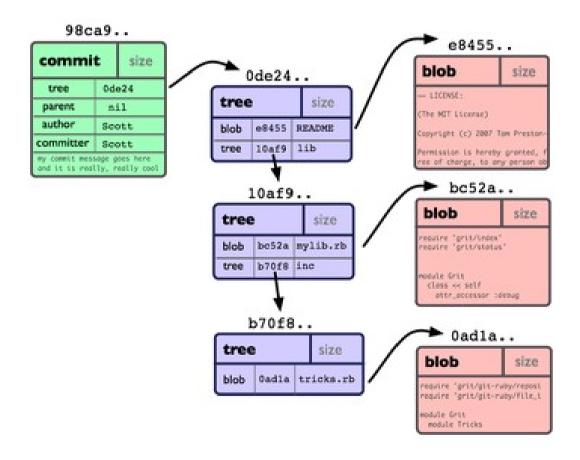
your core domain has no dependencies



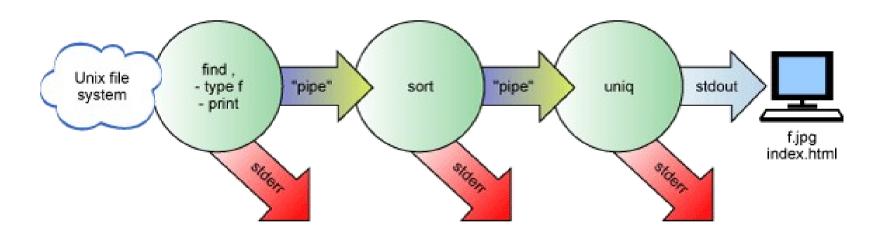
example: domain events



example: Git



example: Unix pipes



second view: complete chaos

code as organism

code as organism



technical debt

we don't plan, we measure

less physics more biology

resources

example: FPGA + evolutionary programming

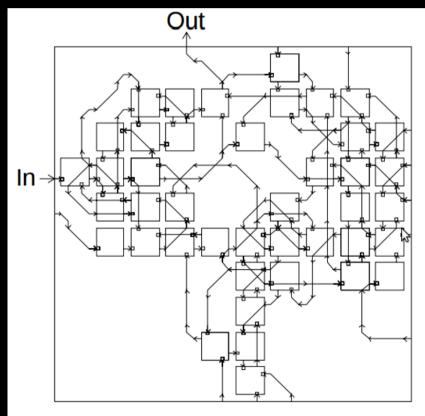


Fig. 18. The pruned circuit diagram: cells and wires are only drawn if there is a connected path through which they could possibly affect the output.

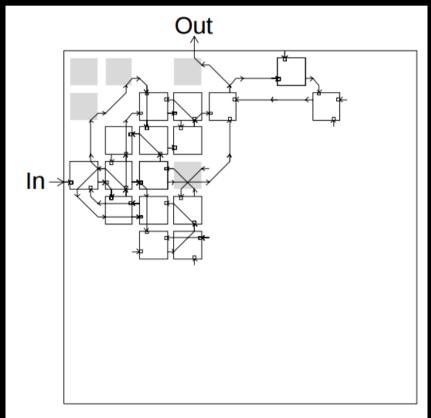


Fig. 19. The functional part of the circuit. Cells not drawn here can be clamped to constant values without affecting the circuit's behaviour.

example: exceptions in Argentina



example: injection in SOAP::Lite

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            # if nothing there, then get it from envelope itself
2755
            $request->match((ref $request)->method);
2756
            ($method uri, $method name) = ($request->namespaceuriof || '', $request->dataof
2757
                unless $method name;
2758
2759
            $self->on action->(my $action = $self->action, $method uri, $method name);
2760
2761
2762
            # check to avoid security vulnerability: Protected->Unprotected::method(@parame
            # see for more details: <a href="http://www.phrack.org/phrack/58/p58-0x09">http://www.phrack.org/phrack/58/p58-0x09</a>
2763
            die "Denied access to method ($method name)\n" unless $method name =~ /^\w+$/;
2764
2765
```

unintended consequences

alright, so who wins?

my take: we can push niceness far...

...but not all the way

Design Beyond Human Abilities



Richard P. Gabriel

we need to be both physicists and biologists

to handle both the beauty and the chaos

thank you