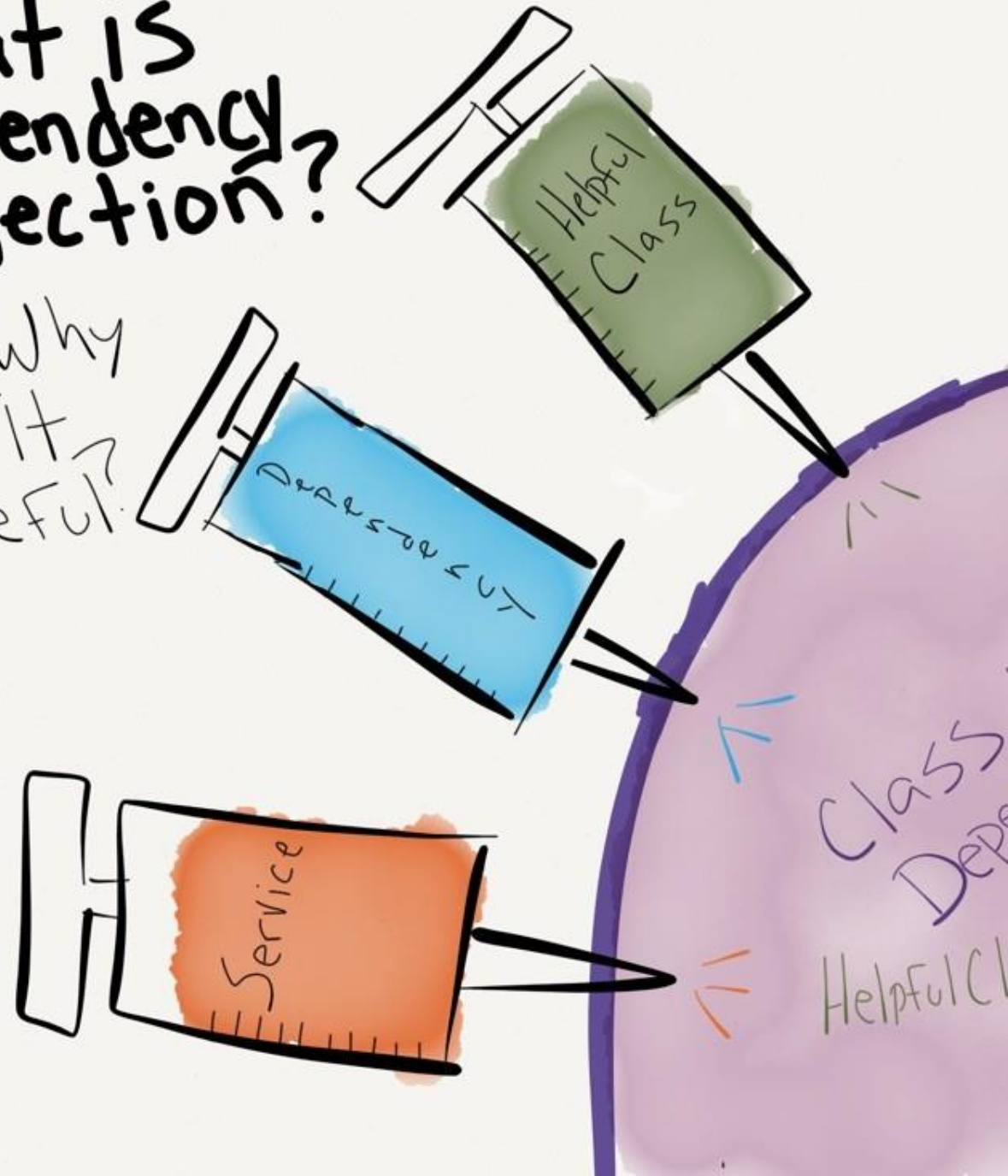


# C# Dependency Injection Testing Entity Framework

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What is  
Dependency  
Injection?

Why  
is it  
Useful?



# Agenda

Clean Onions

Repository pattern

Testing database code

Dependency Injection

Testing Entity Framework

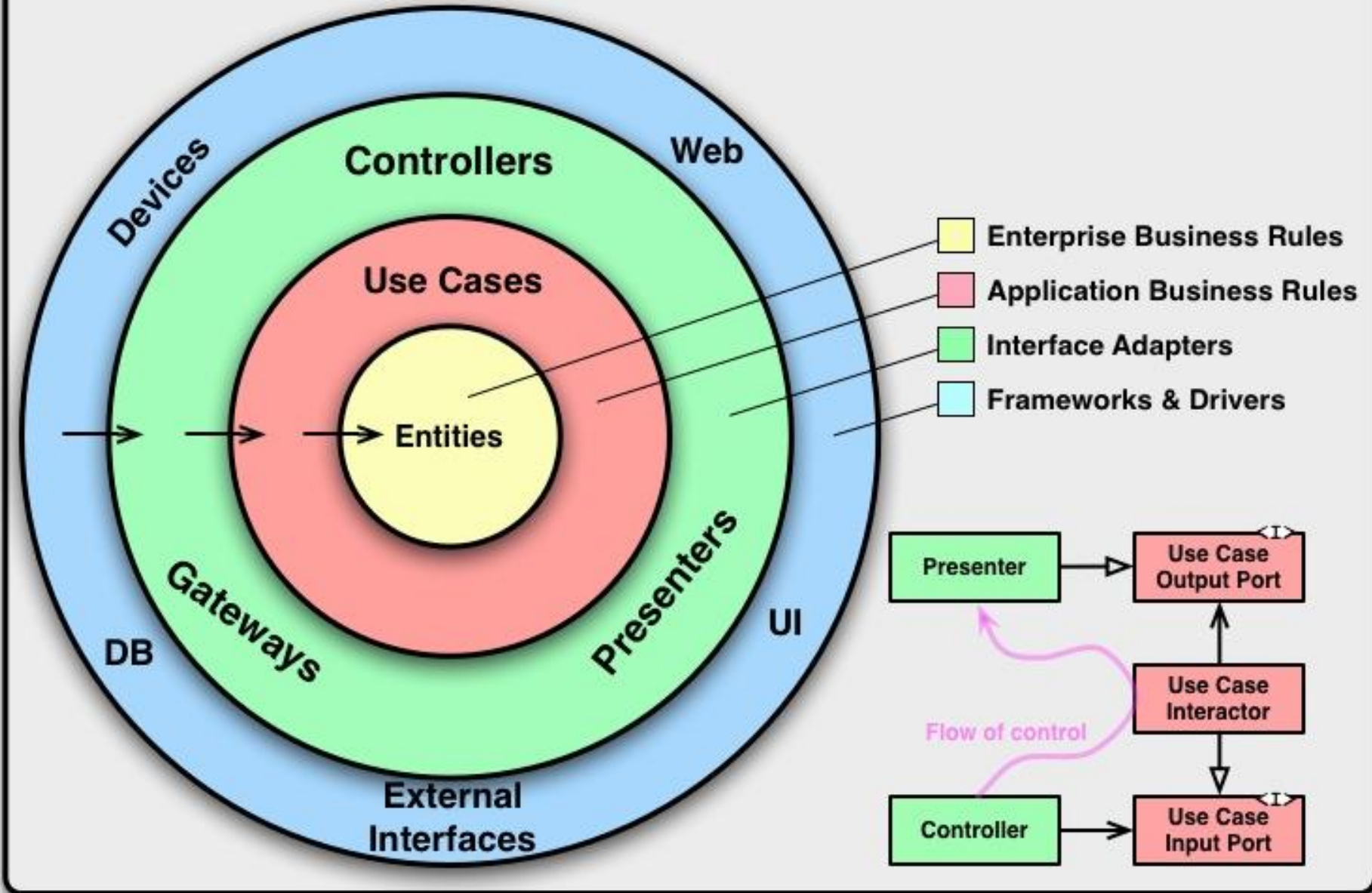




# Onion Architecture



# The Clean Architecture





# The Repository Pattern

# The Repository Pattern

Enable CRUD on domain objects (entities)

Usually: one repository per entity

Debatable: has a *Save()* method

# Generic Repository

```
public interface Repository<T, K>
{
    T Create(T entity);
    IReadOnlyCollection<T> Read();
    T Read(K id);
    void Update(T entity);
    void Delete(K id);
}
```

# The Repository Pattern

... but wait ... Entity Framework already does not for me!?



## Recommended Repository: Per entity e.g., Character

```
public interface ICharacterRepository : IDisposable
{
    int Create(CharacterDetailsDTO character);
    CharacterDetailsDTO Read(int characterId);
    IReadOnlyCollection<CharacterDTO> Read();
    void Update(CharacterDetailsDTO character);
    void Delete(int characterId);
}
```

...or something similar...

Testing ...

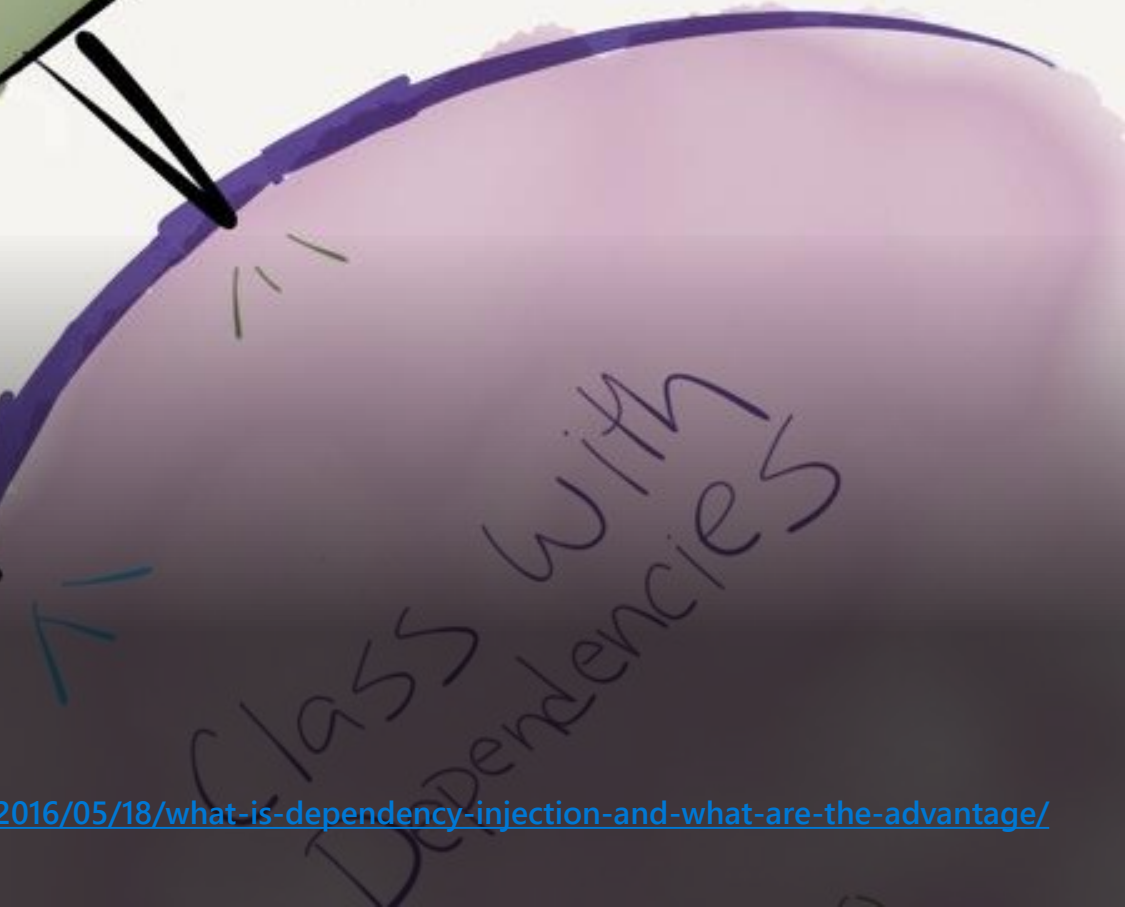
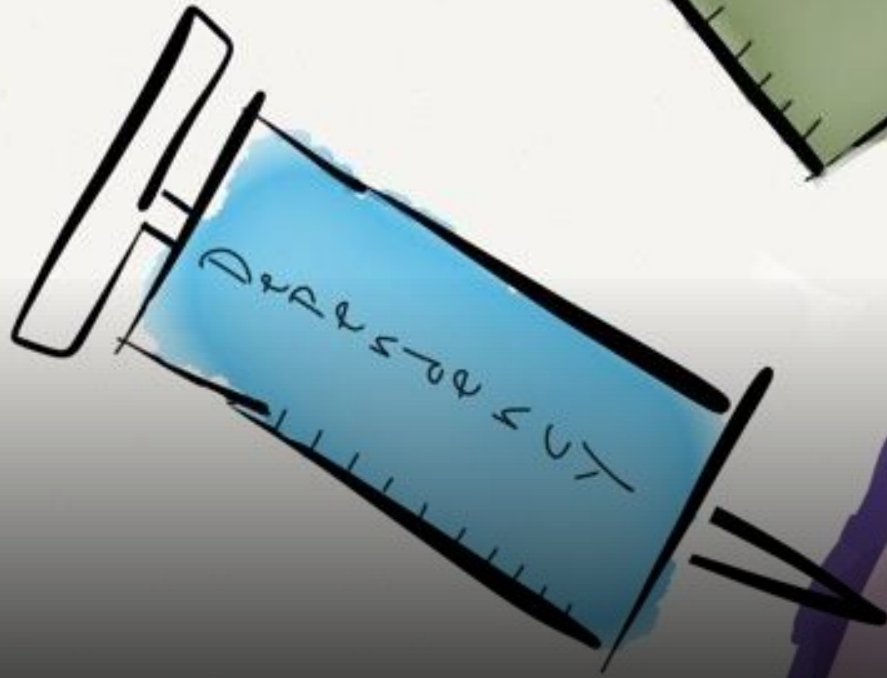
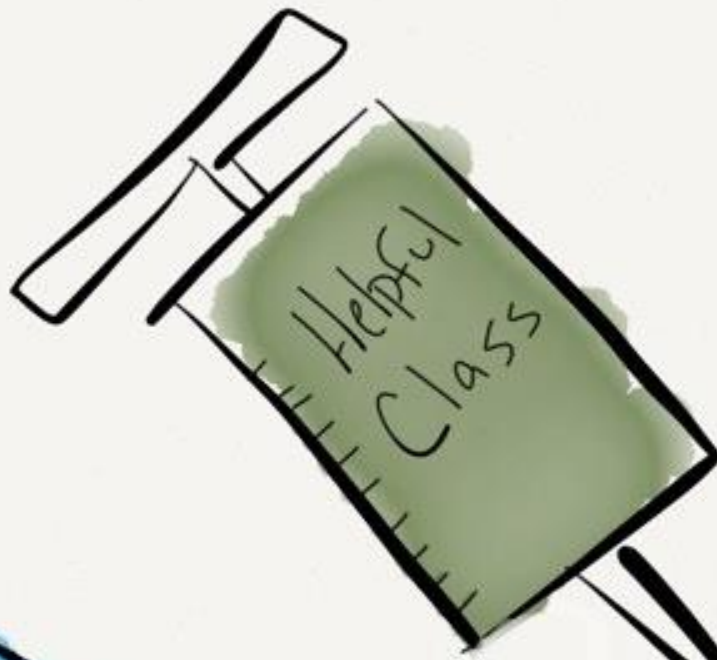
Testing live databases is hard

Testing live full systems is hard

By transitivity: Testing ... is hard...

# What is Dependency Injection?

Why is it useful?



# Dependency Injection

Software design pattern which implements Inversion of Control (IoC)

# Dependency Injection (DI)



Constructor Injection



Property (Setter) Injection



Interface Injection





# Dependency Injection

Structured readable code

Testable code

Dependency Inversion Principle

Separation of Concerns

Rock SOLID!!!

AWESOME!!



Pun intended

# Programming to interface, not implementation...

```
public interface IFooService
{
    bool Bar(Foo foo);
}
```

```
public class FooService : IFooService
{
    bool Bar(Foo foo)
    {
        // Implementation
    }
}
```

```
public interface IFooMapper
{
    Foo Map(Qux qux);
}
```

# Using IFooService

```
public class Baz
{
    public bool Grauhl
    {
        IFooMapper map
        var foo = map
        IFooService s
        return service
    }
}
```



# Constructor Injection (preferred)

```
public class Baz
{
    private readonly IFooMapper _mapper;
    private readonly IFooService _service;

    public Baz(IFooMapper mapper, IFooService service)
    {
        _mapper = mapper;
        _service = service;
    }

    public bool Grault(Qux qux)
    {
        var foo = _mapper.Map(qux);

        return _service.Bar(foo);
    }
}
```

Private readonly  
fields

Initialize from  
constructor

# Property Injection

```
public class Baz
{
    public IFooService Service { private get; set; }

    public bool Grault(Qux qux)
    {
        ...

        return Service?.Update(foo);
    }
}
```

Public setter

Is this King?



# Interface Injection

```
public interface IServiceSetter<T>
{
    void SetService(T service);
}
```

```
public interface IServiceSetter<T>
{
    T Service { set; }
}
```

# Interface Injection II

Interface



```
graph TD
    Interface[Interface] --> IServiceProvider
    Implement[Implement interface] --> SetService
```

```
public class Baz : IServiceProvider<IFooService>
{
    private IFooService _service;

    public void SetService(IFooService service)
    {
        _service = service;
    }

    public bool Grault(Qux qux)
    {
        // Implementation
    }
}
```

Implement  
interface

# Interface Injection III

Interface

```
public class Baz : IServiceSetter<IFooService>
{
    public IFooService Service { private get; set; }

    public bool Grault(Qux qux)
    {
        // Implementation
    }
}
```

Implement  
interface

# Best practices

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Use

Use Adapter to  
enable interface if  
needed

Use

Use constructor  
injection

Program

Program to interface

Use

Use an IoC container

More on this in a  
couple of weeks...

# Testing Entity Framework



# SQLite in-memory database

```
dotnet add package Microsoft.EntityFrameworkCore.Sqlite
```

```
using var connection = new SqlConnection("Filename=:memory:");  
connection.Open();
```

```
var builder = new DbContextOptionsBuilder<MyContext>().UseSqlite(connection);  
using var context = new MyContext(builder.Options);
```

# Demo

Black box testing with ***SQLite in-memory***

# Best practices



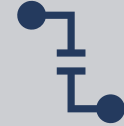
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DON'T TEST BUILT-IN CODE...



PROGRAM TO INTERFACE



REPOSITORIES SHOULD NOT  
DEPEND ON OTHER  
REPOSITORIES

Thank you