

The Common Reuse Principle

Don't depend upon things you don't need

- Don't force users of a component to depend on things they don't need
- Classes in a component should be inseparable
 - The classes should be tightly bound to each other
 - It is impossible for the user to depend on some and not on the others
- ___ advises us not to depend on ___ that have ___ we don't need
 - ISP: ... classes ... methods ...
 - CRP: ... components ... classes ...

Tension Diagram for Component Cohesion

- Inclusive principle: larger component
 - REP
 - CCP
- Exclusive principle: smaller component
 - CRP
- Projects evolve from right to left, roughly
 - Early stage: develop-ability over reusability
 - Late stage: reusability over develop-ability

