

Principles of Object-Oriented Design

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An **actor** for a responsibility is the single **source of change** for that responsibility.

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Bad example:

```
public class Order {
    ...
    public int getId() {...}
    public String getDescription {...}
    public duble getPrice() {...}
    public void printPage() {
        ...
    }
    ...
}
```

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   public String getDescription {...}
   public duble getPrice() {...}
   . . .
}
public interface OrderPrinter {
  public void print(Order o);
}
```



```
public class PlainTextPrinter implements OrderPrinter {
    public void print(Order b) { ... }
}
public class HtmlPrinter implements OrderPrinter {
    public void print(Order b) { ... }
```

}



```
class Book {
   public String getTitle() {...}
   public String getAuthor() {...}
   public void turnPage() {...}
   public Page getCurrentPage() {...}
   public Location getLocation() {
        // returns the position in the library
        // ie. shelf number & room number
}
```





Question: does the above class violate the SRP?

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When we design a *software solution* we should...

- 1. Find and define the actors.
- 2. Identify the **responsibilities** that serve those actors.
- 3. Group our functions and classes so that each has only **one allocated responsibility**.

Open-closed principles



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A class is **closed**, since it may be compiled, stored in a library, baselined, and used by client classes. But it is also **open**, since any new class may use it as parent, adding new features.



Bad example:

```
public class Rectangle {
  private final double width;
  private final double height;
  public Rectangle( double width , double height ) {
    this. width = width;
    this. height = height;
  }
  public double getWidth() {
    return width:
  }
  public double getHeight() {
    return height;
  }
```

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Bad example:

```
public class AreaCalculator {
```

```
public double computeArea( Rectangle[] shapes ) {
   double area = 0;
   for( int i=0 ; i<shapes ; i++ ) {
      area += shapes[i].getWidth()*shapes[i].getHeight();
   }
}</pre>
```

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```
public interface Shape {
  public double getArea();
}
public class AreaCalculator {
  public double computeArea( Shape[] shapes ) {
    double area = 0:
    for( int i=0 ; i<shapes ; i++ ) {</pre>
      area += shapes[i].getArea();
    }
  }
```

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```
public class Rectangle implements Shape {
  private final double width;
 private final double height;
 public Rectangle( double width , double height ) {
   this. width = width:
    this. height = height;
 }
 public double getWidth() { return width; }
 public double getHeight() { return height; }
 public double getArea() { return width*height; }
}
```

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```
public class Circle implements Shape {
  private final double radius;
  public Circl( double radius ) {
    this.radius = radius:
  }
  public double getRadius() {
    return radius:
  }
  public double getArea() {
    return Math.Pl*Math.pow(radius,2);
```



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Their original definition is as follows:

Let q(x) be a property provable about objects x of type T. Then q(y) should be provable for objects y of type S where S is a subtype of T.



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 private double height = 0;
 public double getWidth() { return width; }
 public double getHeight() { return height; }
 public double getArea() { return width*height; }
 public void setWidth(double width) { this.width = width;
 }
 public void setHeight(double height) { this.height =
 height; }
}
```



Bad example:

```
public class Square extends Rectangle {
   public void setWidth(double width) {
      super.setWidth( width );
      super.setHeight( width );
   }
   public void setHeight(double height) {
      super.setHeight( width );
      super.setWidth( width );
   }
}
```

Question: do Rectangle and Square classes satisfy the Liskov substitution principle?

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Answer: NO!



Answer: NO!

```
public class Class {
    public void checkArea( Rectangle r ) {
        r.setWidth( 10 );
        r.setHeight( 20 );
        if (r.getArea() != 200) {
            throw new IllegalStateException('Bad area!')
        }
    }
}
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Solution?



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Solution? Square is not a subclass of Rectangle!

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The interface-segregation principle (ISP) states that no client should be forced to depend on methods it does not use.

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Bad example:







Dependency inversion principle



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The principle states that:

- 1. High-level modules should not depend on low-level modules. Both should depend on abstractions.
- 2. Abstractions should not depend on details. Details should depend on abstractions.



To be continued...

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