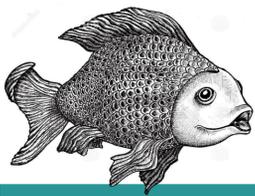


Fundamentals of establishing a scapegoat



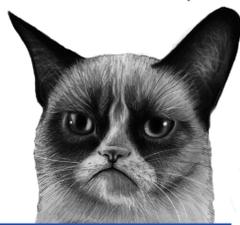
# Blaming the Architecture

Advanced

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You're a 10x hacker and it must be someone else's fault.



# Blaming the User

Pocket Reference

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Fashion-forward development



# Buzzword-first Design

The Definitive Guide

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How to actually learn any new programming concept



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# Changing Stuff and Seeing What Happens

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It's like weekday coding, but pants are optional



# Coding on the Weekend

A Frustrating Hobby

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It would be a pure function if not for the side effects on your sanity



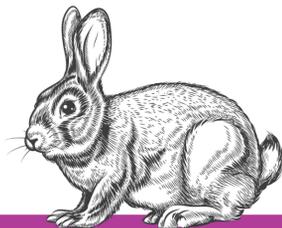
# Turning Coffee Into Code

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Depending on a vague popularity contest



# Choosing Based on GitHub Stars

You Only Live Once

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Where's the fun in just knowing what the code is supposed to do?



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# Excuses for Not Writing Documentation

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Cutting corners to meet arbitrary management deadlines



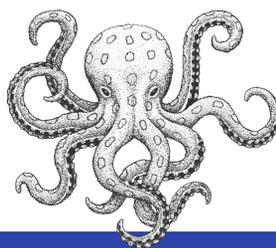
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# Copying and Pasting from Stack Overflow

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Just memorize these fourteen contextually dependant instructions



# Exiting Vim

Eventually

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Think of this not as a book, but a reading platform



# Feature Creep

Comes with Free CD-ROM

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Ensuring the futility of your interview process



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# Fizz Buzz

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Probably the most satisfying part of your job. Is that sad?



# Deleting Code

Oh how good it feels

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Does it run? Just leave it alone.



# Writing Code that Nobody Else Can Read

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Not thinking about how much pain this is going to cause in the future



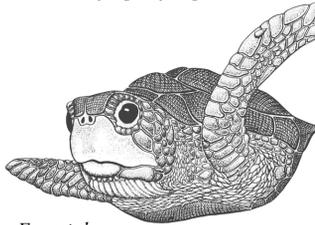
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# Rationalizing Your Awful Hackjob

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How you get anything done ever



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# Remembering What to Google

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Your taste, experiences, and objectives are the absolute truth



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# Hating on Languages You Don't Use

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# Deleting Code

Oh how good it feels

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The Internet will do the remembering for you



# Googling for the Regex

Every. Damn. Time.

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Security by optimism and prayer



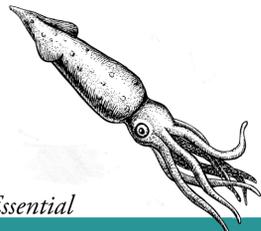
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# Hoping Nobody Hacks You

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It's only a clever hack if you're the one who wrote it



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# Hating Other People's Code

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Achievement despite ignorance



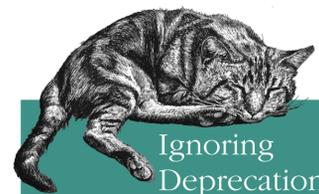
# Getting it to Work

And Having No Idea How

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Maybe they'll just go away on their own.



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# Ignoring Deprecation Warnings

A Practical Guide

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Also known as "job security"



# Keeping the Whole App in Your Head

Fragile Development Guide

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The popular approach to version control



# Memorizing Six Git Commands

A Practical Guide

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Getting the wrong idea from that conference talk you attended



# Solving Imaginary Scaling Issues

At Scale

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Your application is a special snowflake



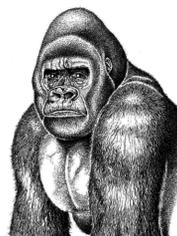
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# Excuses for Not Writing Unit Tests

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Who are you kidding?

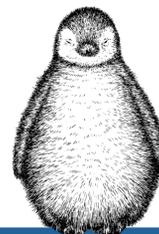


# "Temporary" Workarounds

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Perfecting the parts that don't matter



Focusing on

# Trivial Details

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Probably be able explain a sorting algorithm if it ever comes up



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# Vague Understanding of Computer Science

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Software can be chaotic, but we make it work



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# Trying Stuff Until it Works

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Recreating Wordpress in some other programming language



# Rolling Your Own CMS

For No Good Reason

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The popular approach to version control



# Memorizing Six Git Commands

A Practical Guide

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git commit -m "changes"



Writing

# Useless Git Commit Messages

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Looking for love in all the wrong frameworks



# Hype Driven Development

Life on the Bandwagon

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Now with user-generated content!

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# ); DROP TABLE animals;--

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