

Principles

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Principle: a fundamental truth or proposition that serves as the foundation for a system of belief or behavior or for a chain of reasoning.

- Effectiveness over efficiency.
- Avoid spending your time on negative thoughts.
- Do not spend too much time thinking about hypothetical situations.
- Always improve.
- Always adapt.
- Surround yourself with positive people.
- Do not engage in fruitless debates or one-sided confrontations.
- Accept that nothing is perfect.
- Know what you want and don't want.
- Do not delay difficult decisions indefinitely.
- Learn new things everyday.
- Work on fewer things to get them to completion.
- Spend no time complaining.
- Spend time working on interesting things.
- Have people depend on you less and less.
- Work on things that matter.
- Avoid repeating yourself constantly.
- Continuously optimize.
- Have a structured process for everything you do that is written down and updated as it changes.
- Always remain positive.
- Put your time where you get rewarded for the effort.
- Minimize your regret.
- Invert, always invert.
 - Spend less time trying to be brilliant and more time trying to avoid obvious stupidity.
 - <https://fs.blog/2013/10/inversion/>
- Always write down why.
- Priority, priority, priority.
- Focus on input, not output.
- Copy, transform, combine.
- Use analogies when reasoning about complex ideas.
 - Sometimes equivalents make it easier to reason about a problem when translated into a different domain.
- Prefer action over a perfect decision.
- Always plan, even if you don't end up using the plan.
- Never discourage anyone who continually makes progress no matter how slow.
- Stop starting, start finishing.
- Plan with the most realistic scenario in mind.
- Plan by preventing the worst scenarios from happening.
- Spend your time with happiness generators, stay away from happiness drainers.
- Always limit how much time you spend dwelling on problems and mistakes.