
Subject: Re: Parameters for Dummies

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David Fanning wrote:

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> Sean Raffuse (sean@me.wustl.edu) writes:

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>> is there any time when I should really be using a positional parameter

>> instead of a keyword parameter? The more I do, the less I see why a

>> positional parameter would ever be better. Yet, I'm sure they're there for

>> a reason. Please enlighten me, oh most wise discussion group.

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> Here is a loose rule of thumb: Positional parameters are

> for **required** parameters. Keyword parameters are for

> everything else.

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> Cheers,

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> David

I agree to this but sometimes I am angree about not chooosen
a keyword parameter.

This is when I like to use keyword inheritance by `_extra` and so on.

regards

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