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Software Testing

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=> The Process of verifying and validation application functionalities is called as Software Testing.

=> Software Testing will happen in multiple stages

- 1) Unit Testing
- 2) System Integration Testing (SIT)
- 3) User Acceptance Testing

Unit Testing : Testing individual components of the application.

Note: Developers will perform unit testing by using Junit.

SIT : Testing team will perform system integration testing.

Note: Identified bugs will be reported using JIRA.

UAT : User acceptance testing. client or client side team will test our application before delivery (acceptance testing).

Note: Based on UAT client will decide GO or No-GO.

=> Go means it is green signal from client to deploy in production.

=> No-GO means client identified some issues in UAT hence production deployment got cancelled.

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What is Performance Testing ?

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=> It is used to test stability and responsiveness of the application.

- 1) how many users can access our application at a time
- 2) For 100 users what is avg response time ?
- 3) For 1000 users what is avg response time ?
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- 4) For 1 lakh users what is avg response time ?
- 5) What is bottleneck / failure point of our application

Note: To implement performance testing we will use tools.

- a) JMETER (open source)
- b) HP Load Runner (licensed)

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JMETER

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-> JMETER is a free & open source software given by Apache Organization.

-> JMETER is used for performance testing.

-> Performance testing means the process of verifying stability & responsiveness of the application.

- > How our application is responding for different work loads we can verify using JMETER.
- > Using JMETER we can create virtual users to test our application performance.
- > JMETER is a java based desktop application.
- > Using JMETER we can test performance of any web application.

Note: Before giving project delivery to client we need to submit performance testing report.

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JMETER Setup

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1) Download JMETER software

URL : <https://d1cdn.apache.org//jmeter/binaries/apache-jmeter-5.6.3.zip>

2) Extract JMETER zip file

3) Go to JMETER bin folder and run "jmeter.bat" file (it will open JMETER tool)

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Creating Test Plan

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1) Right Click on Test plan

- Add Threads
- Add Thread Group
- Enter Thread/users count

2) Right Click on Thread Group (For sampler)

- Add Sampler
 - Http Request
 - Add Server IP, Port Number, URL Pattern

3) Right Click on Thread Group (For Listeners)

- Add Listener
 - Add View Results Tree
 - Add Summary Report

4) Save the test and run the test (filename.jmx)

5) Verify the results (we can change thread group count and we can test it).

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JMETER Best Practise

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-> Create the TEST in GUI mode and run the test in CLI mode.

Ex: `jmeter -n -t test-plan.jmx -l test-results.jtl`

-> After test execution complete we can import JTL file into JMETER summary report to see the test results.

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Root causes for performance issue

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- 1) System Resources Very Low
- 2) Network issue
- 3) Database Query Execution taking more time
- 4) Unwanted loops and conditions in code

Note: Industry Standard Avg response time for a request is 3 secs.