

# MAVEN

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Project Management Tool

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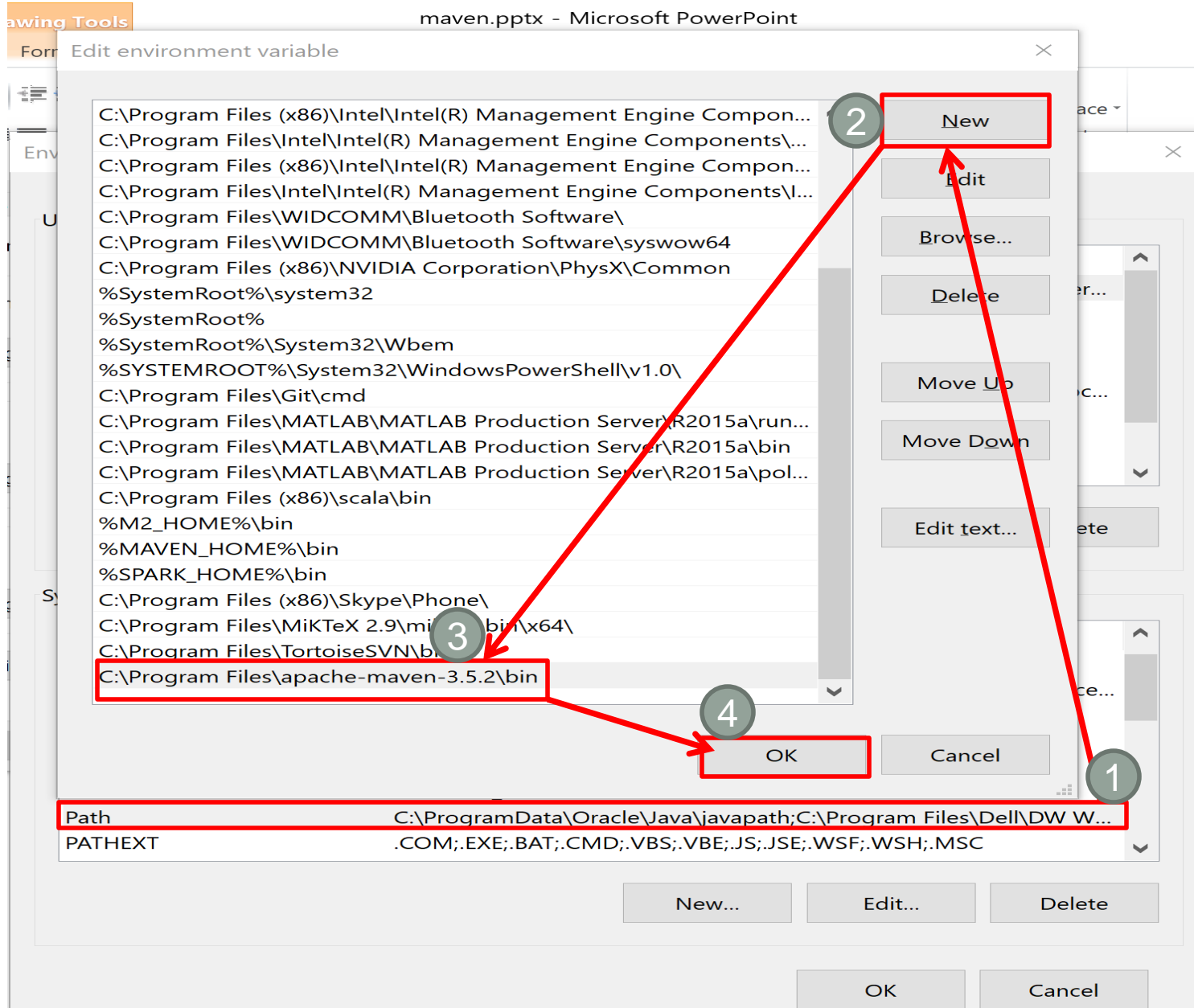
# What is Maven?

- Maven, a Yiddish word meaning *accumulator of knowledge*
- Provides
  - A standard way to build the projects
  - A clear definition of what the project consisted of
  - An easy way to publish project information
  - A way to share JARs across several projects

# Installation

- *Maven is a Java tool, so you must have [Java](#) installed in order to proceed*
- Download ready-made binary distribution archive ([apache-maven-3.5.2-bin.zip](#))
- Unzip apache-maven-3.5.2-bin.zip to the destination folder C:\Program Files\
- Add to the PATH environment variable the value C:\Program Files\apache-maven-3.5.2\bin
- On windows right click to “**This PC>Properties>Advanced System Settings>Advanced(tab)>Environment Variables(left click)**” and then follow the instructions of the next slide

# On Windows



# On Ubuntu

- **Search Maven package:**

- In a terminal, run ***apt-cache search maven***, to get all the available Maven package.

- **Install it**

- Run command ***sudo apt-get install maven***, to install the latest Apache Maven.

# Validate Installation

- Open cmd/terminal and type:
  - “mvn -v” or “mvn --version”
  - If everything is done correctly, you should see something similar to the following response message:

```
C:\Users\Sgo>mvn -v
Apache Maven 3.3.9 (bb52d8502b132ec0a5a3f4c09453c07478323dc5; 2015-11-10T18:41:47+02:00)
Maven home: C:\Users\Sgo\apache-maven-3.3.9-bin\apache-maven-3.3.9
Java version: 1.8.0_101, vendor: Oracle Corporation
Java home: C:\Program Files\Java\jdk1.8.0_101\jre
Default locale: en_US, platform encoding: Cp1252
OS name: "windows 10", version: "10.0", arch: "amd64", family: "dos"
```

# Creating a Project

- Create a directory somewhere and start a shell in that directory. Execute the following command:
  - `mvn archetype:generate`
    - DgroupId={reverse-domain-packages}
    - DartifactId={project-name}
    - DarchetypeArtifactId=maven-archetype-quickstart
    - DinteractiveMode=false
  - Example:
    - `mvn archetype:generate`
      - DgroupId=gr.uoc.csd.cs359
      - DartifactId=LQ
      - DarchetypeArtifactId=maven-archetype-quickstart
      - DinteractiveMode=false



# Creating a Project (cont.)

- *If you have just installed Maven, it may take a while on the first run. This is because Maven is downloading the most recent artifacts (plugin jars and other files) into your local repository. You may also need to execute the command a couple of times before it succeeds. This is because the remote server may time out before your downloads are complete. Don't worry, there are ways to fix that.*
- You will notice that the *generate* goal created a directory with the same name given as the artifactId. Change into that directory.



# Project Object Model

- The directory you have just created has the following [standard project structure](#):

```
1. my-app
2. | -- pom.xml
3. `-- src
4.     |-- main
5.         |-- `-- java
6.             |-- `-- com
7.                 |-- `-- mycompany
8.                     |-- `-- app
9.                         |-- App.java
10.    `-- test
11.        |-- `-- java
12.            |-- `-- com
13.                |-- `-- mycompany
14.                    |-- `-- app
15.                        |-- AppTest.java
```

# Project Object Model (cont.)

- The directory you have is called the standard project structure.


A single configuration file that contains the majority of information required to build a project in just the way you want.

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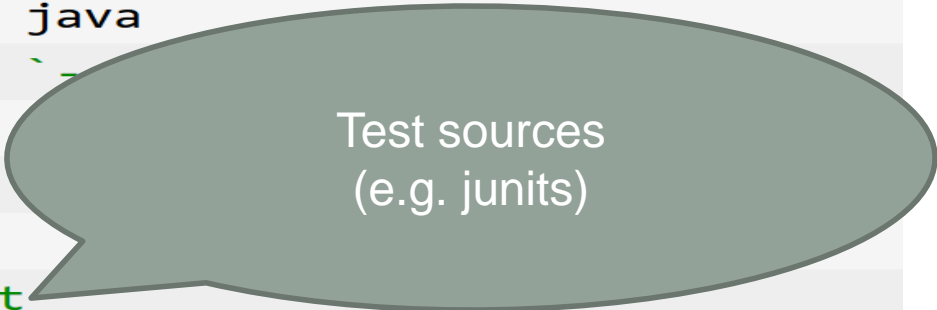


Application/Library sources  
(e.g. java classes)

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Test sources  
(e.g. junits)

# Project Object Model (pom.xml)

```
1. <project xmlns="http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0" xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
2.   xsi:schemaLocation="http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0 http://maven.apache.org/xsd/maven-4.0.0.xsd">
3.   <modelVersion>4.0.0</modelVersion>
4.
5.   <groupId>com.mycompany.app</groupId>
6.   <artifactId>my-app</artifactId>
7.   <version>1.0-SNAPSHOT</version>
8.   <packaging>jar</packaging>
9.
10.  <name>Maven Quick Start Archetype</name>
11.  <url>http://maven.apache.org</url>
12.
13.  <dependencies>
14.    <dependency>
15.      <groupId>junit</groupId>
16.      <artifactId>junit</artifactId>
17.      <version>4.8.2</version>
18.      <scope>test</scope>
19.    </dependency>
20.  </dependencies>
21. </project>
```

Dependencies allow for automatic jar download during the build process. (e.g. junit-4.8.2.jar)

# Build Project

- To build the project execute the command inside the newly created project folder:
  - mvn package
  - Maven will automatically:
    - validate
    - generate-sources
    - process-sources
    - generate-resources
    - process-resources
    - compile
- You may test the newly compiled and packaged JAR with the following command:
  - `java -cp target\LQ-1.0-SNAPSHOT.jar gr.uoc.csd.cs359.App`

# Maven Online Repository

You can search for dependencies at maven's online repository:

<https://mvnrepository.com/>

It provides you with search

The screenshot shows the Maven Online Repository search results for the keyword 'junit'. The search bar at the top contains 'junit' (labeled 1). Below the search bar, it says 'Found 1245 results'. The results are sorted by 'relevance' (labeled 2). The first result is '1. JUnit' (labeled 3), which is a unit testing framework for Java, created by Erich Gamma and Kent Beck. The last release is on Dec 4, 2014. Below the description, there is a table of versions. The '4.12' version is highlighted (labeled 3). To the right of the version table, there is a code block showing the Maven dependency XML snippet for junit 4.12.

Search bar: junit

Found 1245 results

Sort: **relevance** | popular | newest

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Version
4.12
4.12-beta-3
4.12-beta-2
4.12-beta-1

```
<!-- https://mvnrepository.com/artifact/junit/junit -->
<dependency>
  <groupId>junit</groupId>
  <artifactId>junit</artifactId>
  <version>4.12</version>
  <scope>test</scope>
</dependency>
```



# Closing Remarks

- Using an IDE (e.g. Netbeans, Eclipse) you may not need to download and install maven. Some IDEs contain maven as a build in plugin.
- Big part of the tutorial was taken from:
  - <https://maven.apache.org/index.html>
- Other useful links:
  - <https://platform.netbeans.org/tutorials/nbm-maven-modulesingle.html>
  - <https://mvnrepository.com/>
  - <http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/index.html>

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