# Test Management Part 1
## Test Estimation

# Objective

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Estimate testing effort

# Estimating System Testing Time

**House Cleaning Analogy**

# Developing Estimates

Once the variables to take into account in developing the testing estimate have been identified, an estimate based on them must be produced

Approaches for developing estimates based on variables include:

- Utilization of historical data
- Calculation via a cost estimation model
- Generating a test estimate based on a percentage of development estimate

# Summary