Testing

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What is Testing?

- Process of evaluating software to detect differences between expected and actual results.
- Ensures software quality, reliability, and security.

White Box vs Black Box Testing

White Box Testing

(Code Focused):

- Testing with knowledge of the internal code.
- Focuses on internal logic and code structure

• Ex. Unit Testing

Black Box Testing

(User Focused):

- Focuses on input and output without looking at internal code.
- Based on specifications and user requirements.

• Ex. End to End Testing

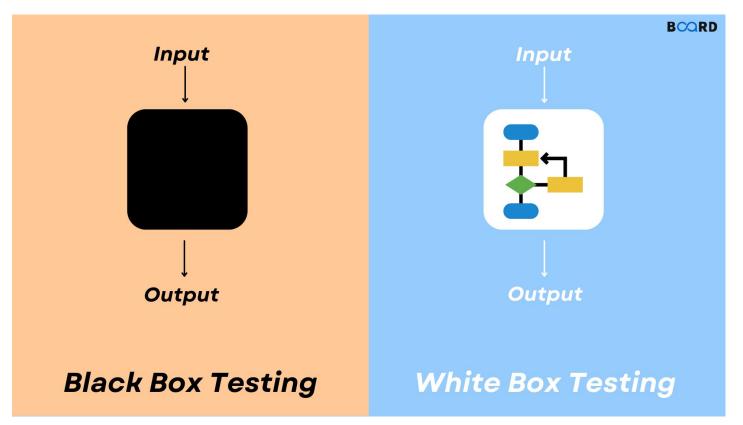


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White Box Testing Techniques

- Statement Coverage: Ensuring every line of code executes at least once.
- Branch Coverage: Ensuring every decision point is tested. (if/else)
- Path Coverage: Ensuring every possible execution path is tested.

Statement Coverage Example:

```
def add(a, b):
  if a < 0 or b < 0:
    return 0
  return a + b
assert add(2, 3) == 5
assert add(-1, 3) == 0
assert add(-2, -3) == 0
print("All tests passed!")
```

Black Box Testing Techniques

- **Equivalence Partitioning**: Grouping inputs into valid and invalid sets.
- Boundary Value Analysis: Testing at the edges of input ranges.
- State Transition Testing: Checking valid state changes.

Boundary value analysis example:

```
def is_valid_age(age):
    return 18 <= age <= 60

assert is_valid_age(18) == True
assert is_valid_age(60) == True
assert is_valid_age(17) == False
assert is_valid_age(61) == False</pre>
```

White Box vs Black Box Testing

Unit Testing

- Unit testing verifies individual functions or components in isolation to ensure they work as expected.
- Helps catch bugs early, improve code reliability, and make refactoring safer.
- Popular frameworks
 - jest in js
 - unittest python

Unit Testing

```
import unittest
def multiply(a, b):
    return a * b
```

```
class TestMathOperations(
unittest.TestCase):
  def test multiply(self):
   assert multiply(2, 3) == 6
  assert multiply (1, 5) == -5
if __name__ == '__main__':
   unittest.main()
```

E2E Testing

- E2E testing simulates *real user interactions* by testing the entire application flow from start to finish.
- Ensures all components work together correctly, detecting integration issues and verifying system reliability.

End-to-End Testing [Example]

```
from selenium import webdriver
driver = webdriver.Chrome()
driver.get("https://example.com/login")
driver.find element ("name", "username").send keys ("testuser")
driver.find element ("name", "password").send keys ("password123")
driver.find element("name", "login").click()
assert "Welcome" in driver.page source
driver.quit()
```

E2E vs Unit Testing

Unit Testing:

- Tests individual components of the software in isolation.
- Fast and reliable.
- Catch small, isolated bugs
- Example (functions test using python unit test or jest in js)

End-to-End (E2E) Testing:

- Tests the entire system flow, including integration
- Usually slow
- Ensures all parts integrate together
- Example (using Selenium for UI testing):

Mocking

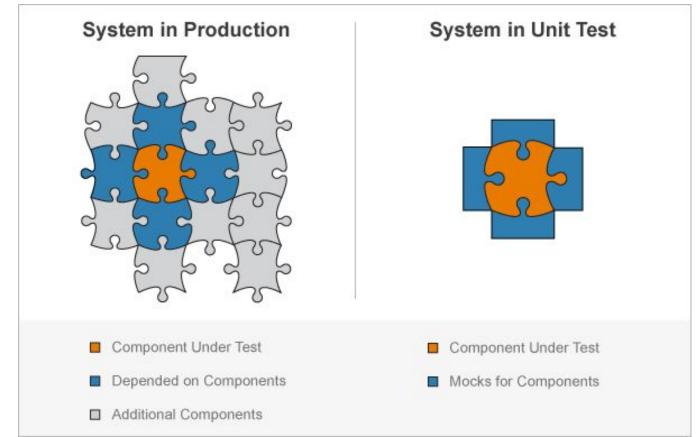
Technique that replaces real objects with fake ones during testing.

Test different simulated scenarios to control outcome.

Helps isolate unit tests from dependencies.

Dependencies could be API calls, External Services, Databases, complex systems sensors readings, etc.

Mocking



Mocking [Code Example]

```
from unittest.mock import Mock
class AuthService:
   def init (self, database):
        self.database = database
    def authenticate(self, user id):
       user =
self.database.get_user(user_id)
        if user and
user.get("is active"):
            return "Authenticated"
        return "Access Denied"
```

```
db \mod m \mod m
db mock.get user.return value =
{"id": 1, "name": "Ahmed"}
auth service =
AuthService (db mock)
assert
auth service.authenticate(1) ==
"Authenticated"
```

Mocking Payments with Stripe Test Mode

How do we test a payment system without actually charging a credit card?

Without Mocking:

 $App \rightarrow Stripe \, API(Real) \rightarrow Real \, Payment \, (Response)$

With Mocking:

 $App \rightarrow Stripe \ API \ (Test \ Mode) \rightarrow No \ real \ interaction \ (Simulated \ Response)$

Discussion and Lab Time