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| **Hard Assert** | **Soft Assert** |
| Hard assert is also called as Assert | Soft Assert is also called as Verify |
| Hard assert it throws the exception immediately after assertion failure. | Soft Assert does not throws exception immediately during the executions |
| Hard assert it does not collect the exception | Soft assert it collect the exception during the executions. |
| Hard Assert all methods are static | Soft Assert all methods are non static. |
| Hard assert it throws exception immediately does not required to call any methods. | To throws in Soft Assert compulsory we have call assertAll() method. |
| After the assertion failure it will not going to execute remaining line of code | After assertion failure, it will execute remaining line of code. |

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| **Before class** | **Before Method** |
| It is pre condition for all the test cases in class | It is pre condition for each and every test cases in class |

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| **Before Class** | **Before Test** |
| It is pre condition for all the test cases in class | It is pre condition for all test cases in classes tags in XML File. |