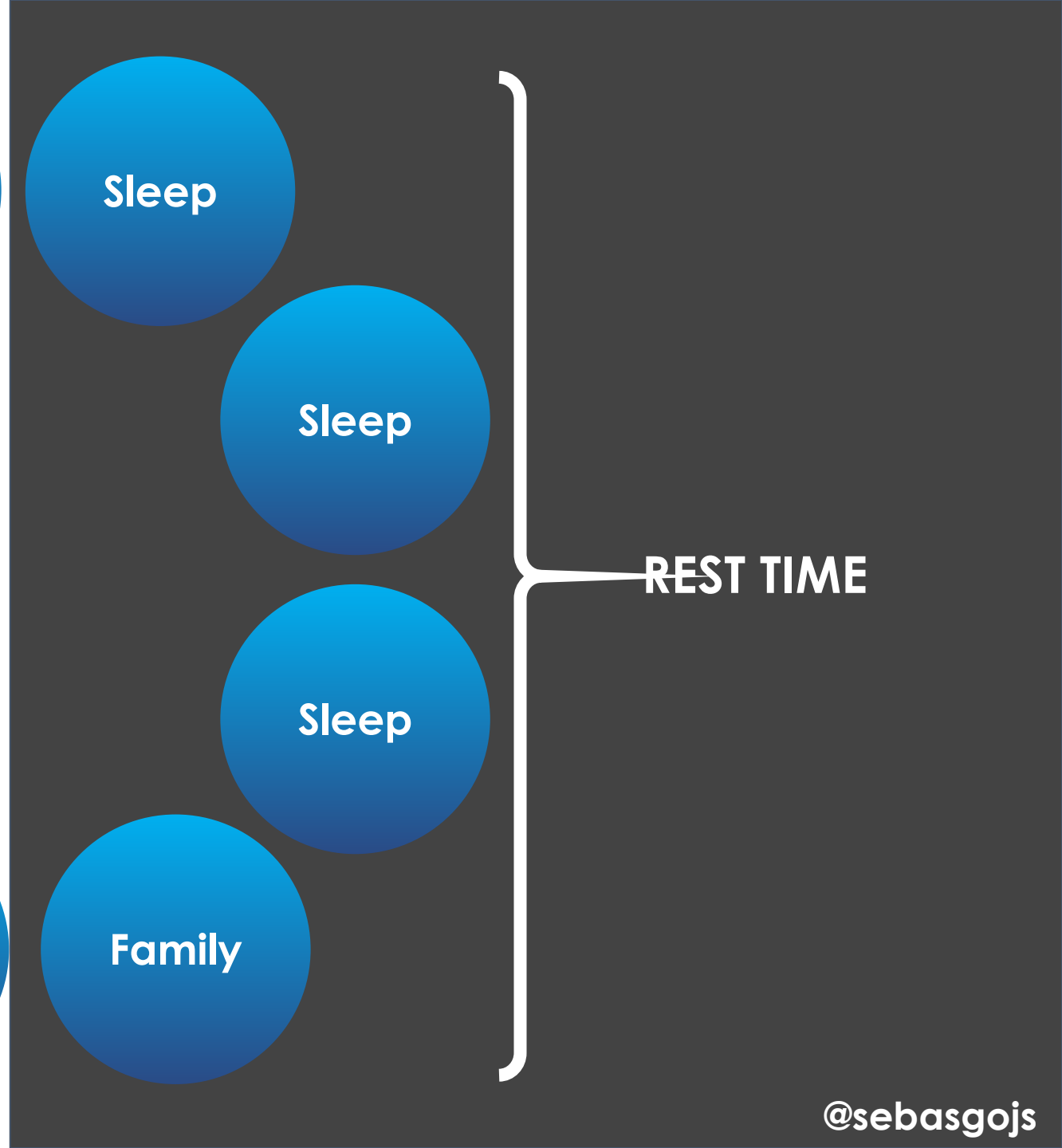
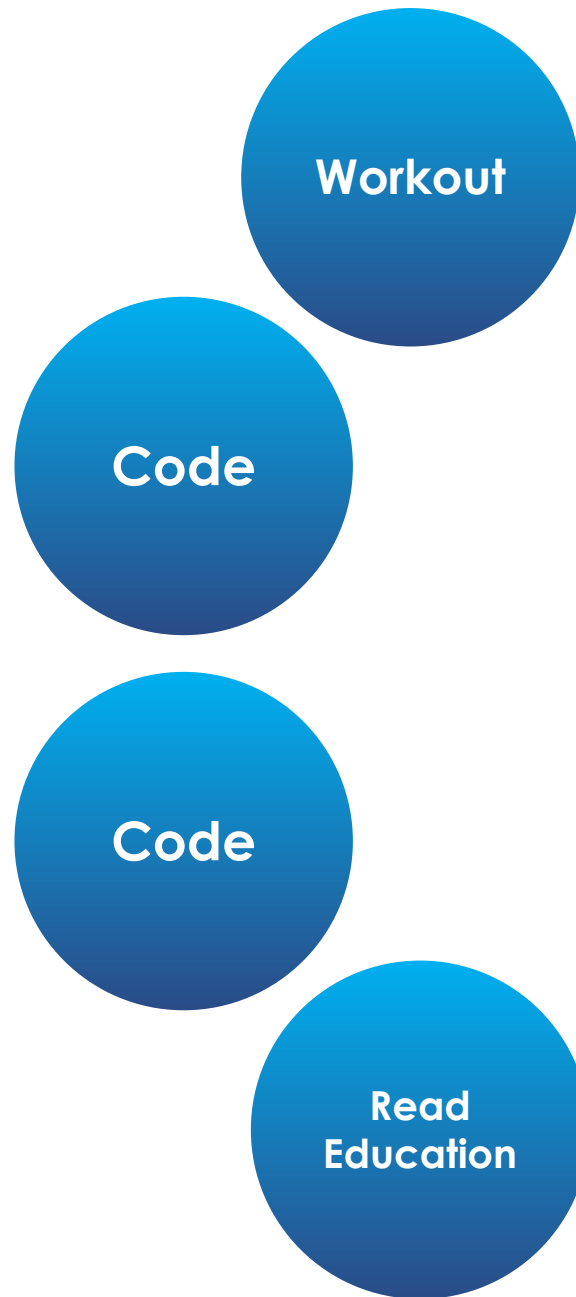


HAVE A GOOD NIGHT

my dear friend



**PRODUCTIVE
TIME**







Angular TestBed and Have a good night



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- Backend problems.
 - No Continuous integration.
 - No Continuous delivery.
 - Quality analysts forgotten to review something.
 - No team building activities like “asado”, “breakfast”, “party” ...
 - **No Unit Tests.**
 - **No TDD.**



Why don't developers write Unit Tests?

The client says "no unit tests".

Seriously?, how old are you?

My skill is extreme programming

They pay me to write code that
works, not to write tests

Ok, I will do the tests later

The budget is too small.





**I'm not going to waste
my life doing tests no
ones cares about.**



Unit Tests are not for:

The project

The client

The company

The money

The team



Unit Tests are:

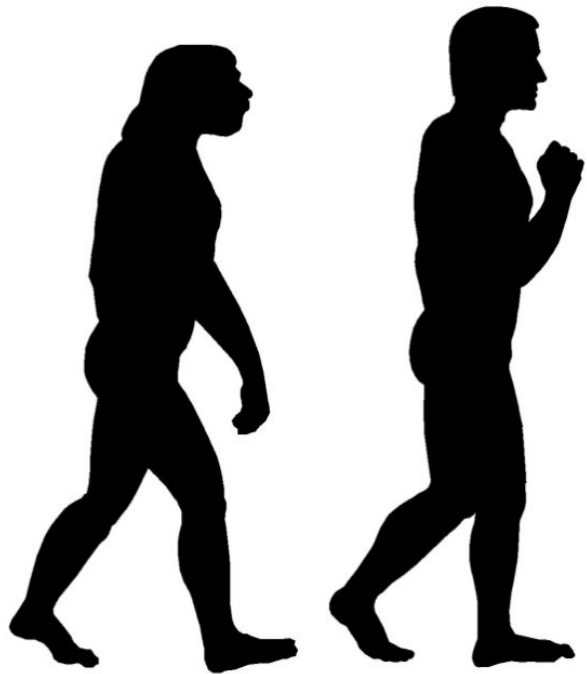
For you



- **\$scope and \$rootScope**
- **Dependency injection**
- **Filters**
- **\$compile**



- **No global scope.**
- **Better foundation.**



Angular TestBed

“The main and most important
Angular testing utility”

Configures and initializes
environment for unit testing.

Provides methods for creating components
and services in unit tests.

Our service

```
@Injectable()
export class MasterService {
  constructor(private valueService: ValueService) {}
  getValue() {
    return this.valueService.getValue();
  }
}
```



Typical blocks

```
describe( "Test Suite #1" , ()=>{
```

```
  beforeEach(()=>{
```

```
    // Here we set the preconditions for the tests
```

```
  });
```

```
  afterEach(()=>{
```

```
    // Here we set the postconditions for the tests
```

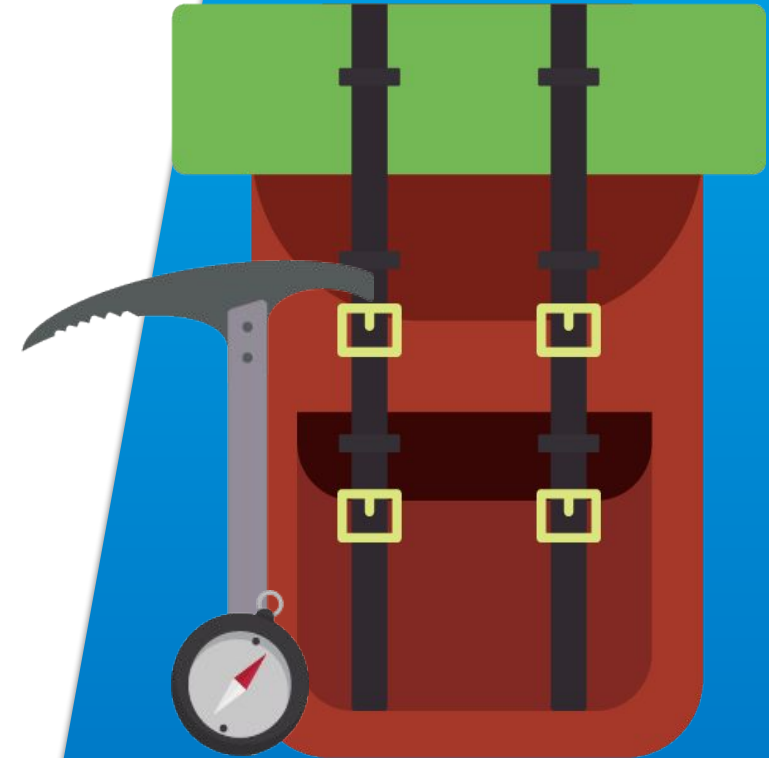
```
  });
```

```
  beforeAll, afterAll ....
```

```
  it("Should be the first test to implement", ()=>{
```

```
  });
```

```
});
```



Our “always” skeleton

```
describe("Test Suite example", () => {  
  let masterService: MasterService;  
  let valueServiceSpy: jasmine.SpyObj<ValueService>;  
  // ... as many spies as you need  
  
  beforeEach(() => {  
    const spy = jasmine.  
      createSpyObj('ValueService', ['getValue']);  
  
    TestBed.configureTestingModule({  
      providers: [  
        MasterService,  
        ...{ provide: ValueService, useValue: spy }  
      ]});  
  
    masterService = TestBed.get(MasterService);  
    valueServiceSpy = TestBed.get(ValueService);  
  });  
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The expects

```
describe("Test Suite example", () => {  
  ...  
  it('Should return stubbed value from a spy', () => {  
  
    const stubValue = 'stub value';  
    valueServiceSpy.getValue.and.returnValue(stubValue);  
  
    expect(masterService.getValue())  
      .toBe(stubValue, 'service returned stub value');  
  
    expect(valueServiceSpy.getValue.calls.count())  
      .toBe(1, 'spy method was called once');  
  
  });  
});
```



1. Imports as usual.

```
import masterService from '...';
```

```
import valueService from '...';
```

```
describe("Test Suite example", () => {
```



2. Spies on every injected dependency used by service.

```
// masterService.spec.ts  
let valueServiceSpy: jasmine.SpyObj<ValueService>;  
// ...  
let anyServiceSpy: jasmine.SpyObj<AnyService>;  
// ... as many spies as you need
```

```
// masterService.ts  
@Injectable()  
export class MasterService {  
  constructor(private valueService: ValueService,  
    ..., private anyService: AnyService) {}  
  ...  
}
```



3. Use providers property in **TestBed.configureTestingModule**. to add the main provider to be tested and **useValue** to substitute the providers with the spies.

```
TestBed.configureTestingModule({  
  providers: [  
    MasterService,  
    { provide: ValueService, useValue: spy }  
  ]  
});
```



4. Stub values could be declared in each **it** statement or in the **beforeEach**.

```
const stubValue = 'stub value';  
valueServiceSpy.getValue and.returnValue(stubValue);
```

```
let stub;  
beforeEach(() => {  
    it('...', () => {  
        stub;  
    });  
});
```



5. Add asserts to verify the service only get called the times you consider should be.

```
expect(masterService.getValue())  
    .toBe(stubValue, 'service returned stub value');  
expect(valueServiceSpy.getValue.calls.count())  
    .toBe(1, 'spy method was called once');
```



Never ever tests more than one thing

ValueService could be:

- Async
- Failing
- Third party

UNIT TESTS



You only test code units
so always use spy

Our component

```
@Component({
  selector: 'app-welcome',
  template: '<h3 class="welcome"> <i>{{welcome}}</i></h3>'
})
export class WelcomeComponent implements OnInit {
  welcome: string;
  constructor(private userService: UserService) {}
  ngOnInit(): void {
    this.welcome =
    this.userService.isLoggedIn ?
    'Welcome, ' + this.userService.user.name :
    'Please log in.';
  }
}
```



Our “pre-skeleton”

```
TestBed.configureTestingModule({  
  declarations: [ WelcomeComponent ],  
  // providers:  [ UserService ]  
  // NO! Don't provide the real service!  
  
  // Provide a test-double instead  
  providers: [  
    {provide: UserService, useValue: userServiceStub }  
  ]  
});
```



Our “always” skeleton

```
let userServiceStub: Partial<UserService>;
beforeEach(() => {
  // stub UserService for test purposes
  userServiceStub = {
    isLoggedIn: true,
    user: { name: 'Test User' }
  };
  TestBed.configureTestingModule({...});
  fixture = TestBed.createComponent(WelcomeComponent);
  comp = fixture.componentInstance;
  userService = TestBed.get(UserService);
  el = fixture.nativeElement.
    querySelector('.welcome');
});
```



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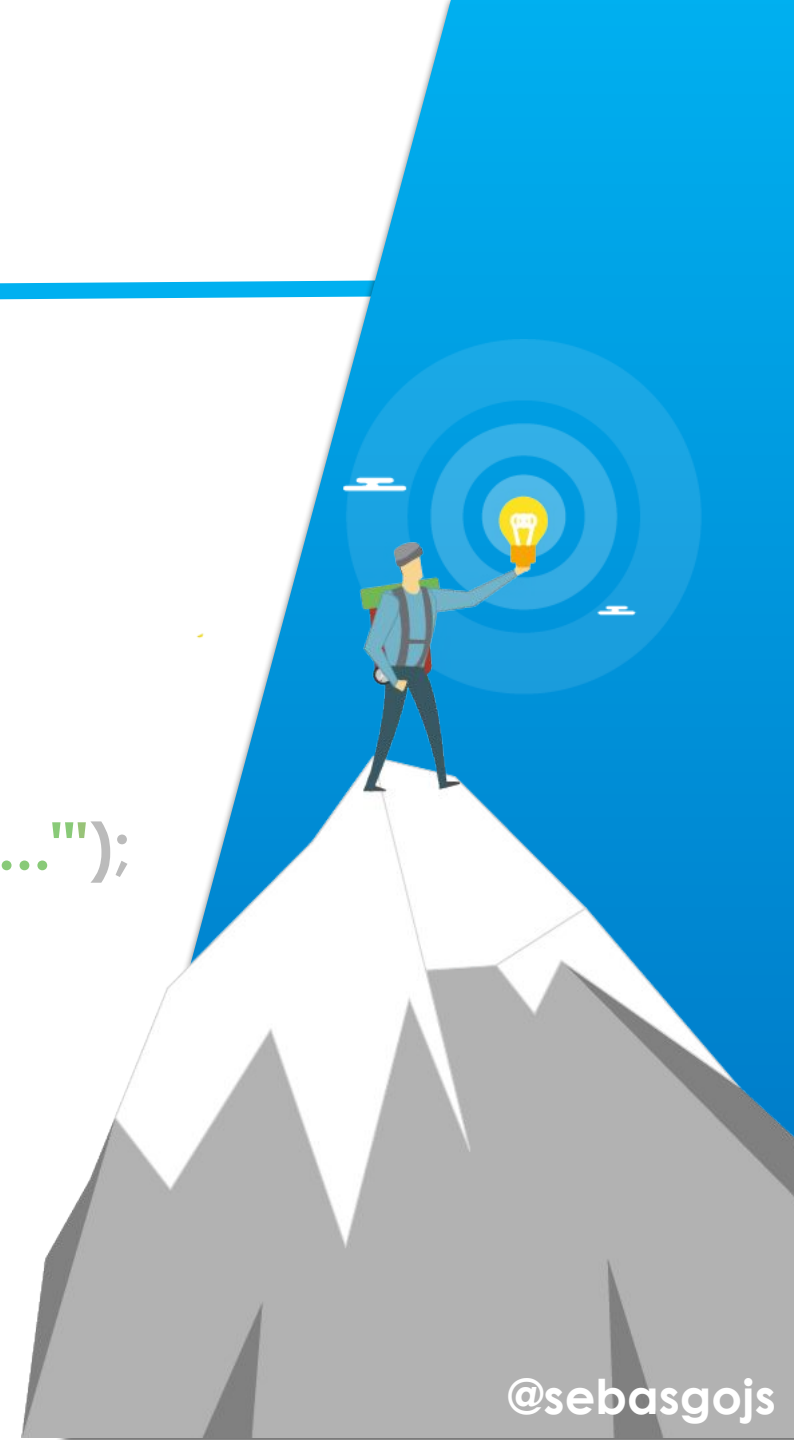
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  el = fixture.nativeElement.
    querySelector('.welcome');
});
```



The expects

```
it('should welcome the user', () => {  
  fixture.detectChanges();  
  const content = el.textContent;  
  expect(content).toContain('Welcome', '"Welcome ..."');  
  expect(content).toContain('Test User', 'expected  
name');  
});
```



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1. Do not use real services

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```

```
....
```

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```

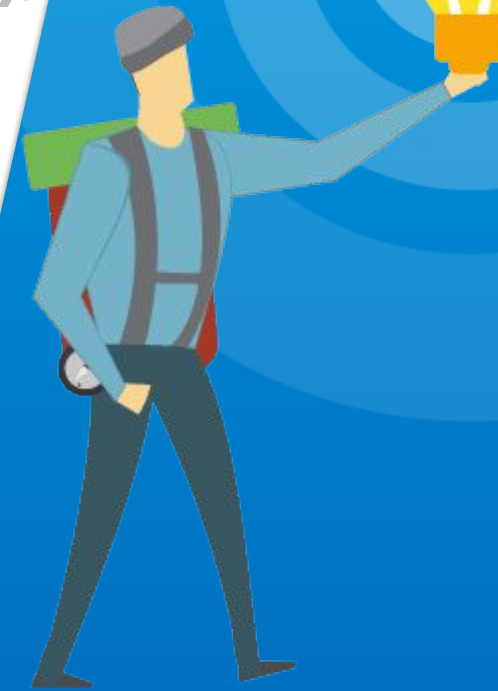
```
....
```

```
providers: [ {provide: UserService, useValue:  
userServiceStub } ]
```



2. Get the component fixture to access component DOM.

```
fixture = TestBed.  
    createComponent(WelcomeComponent);  
comp = fixture.componentInstance;  
....  
el = fixture.nativeElement.  
    querySelector('.welcome');
```



3. `Fixture.detectChanges` triggers the data binding process

```
fixture.detectChanges();
```



- Angular TestBed PROVIDES us the way TO initialize anything REQUIRED for our test suite.
- TestBed.get()
- TestBed.configureTestingModule
- TestBed.createComponent is all you need.





- Only focus on the main thing to test and FOR the other ELEMENTS use spies, mocks or fakes.
- Components and providers have a different testing strategy: Fixture vs Direct
- You can assert as much as you want but avoiding no valuable tests.

Angular TestBed and Have a good night Thank you!

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