



# Introduction To Selenium Testing

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**Expectations**

- **Learn Basic Concepts of Quality and Testing**
- **Learn how to use Webdriver Selenium to locate and use web elements in DOM.**
- **Learn how to setup a basic Testing framework in Java**
- **Learn what page object model is**
- **Learn how to run and debug a test.**
- **Learn how to make a basic test plan**



**What is Quality?**



## Software Quality Definition

Quality means “How well software complies to a given design, based on requirements or specifications.”



**Quality is everyone's responsibility**

**Processes that standardize the work and minimize the human error**

**Technical**

- **Testing**
- **Continuous Integration / Continuous Deployment**
- **Code Reviews**
- **Static Analysis tools**

**Non Technical**

- **Good Design e.g. Test-Driven Development**
- **Process / Document Reviews**
- **Training**



**What is Testing?**



**Testing is the process where we ensure our software**

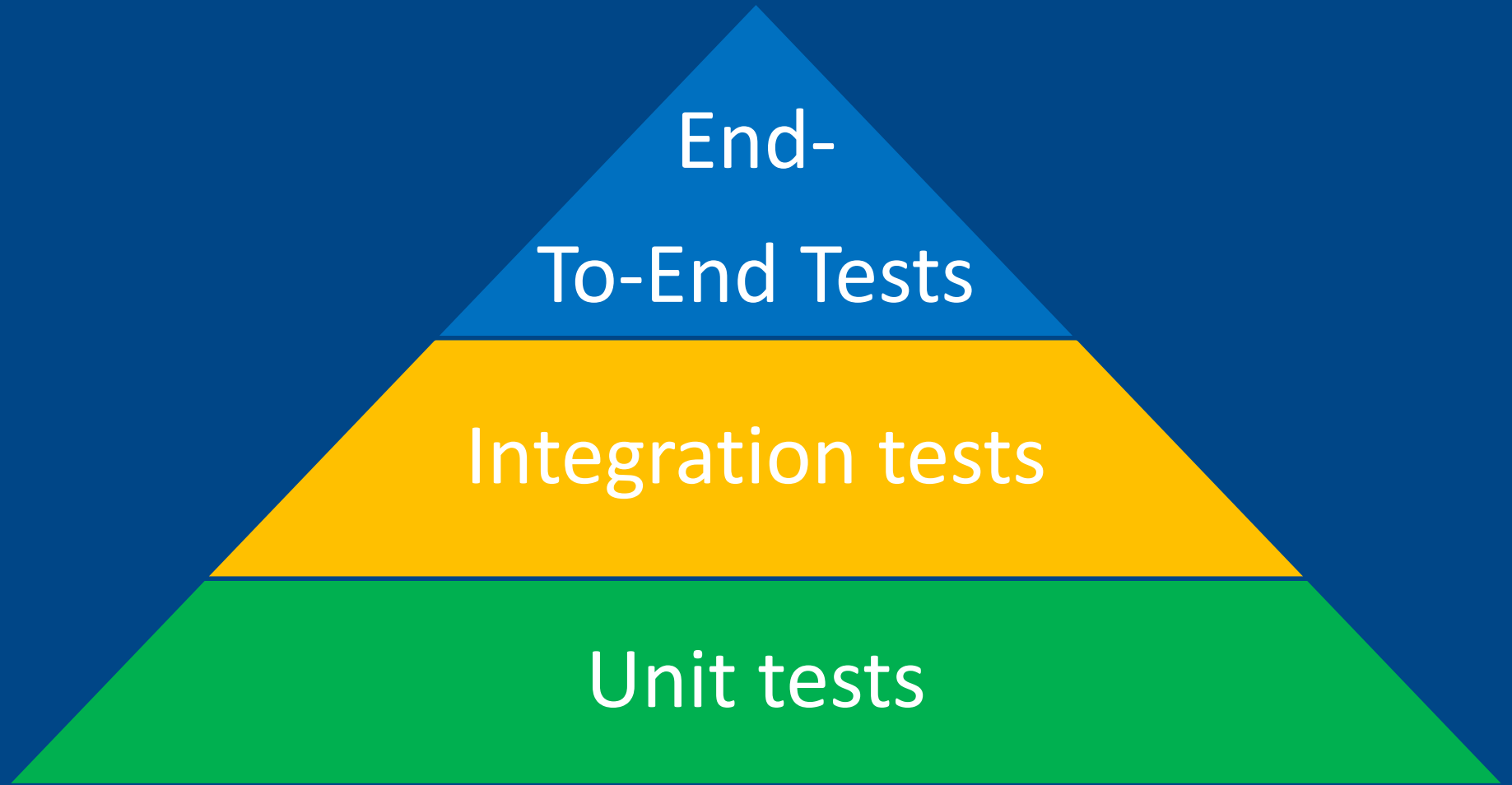
- **Does not have bugs**
- **Meets the technical requirements**
- **Meets the user requirements**

## How do we ensure the technical and user requirements?

- **Create a Test Plan**
  - **Testing Scope**
  - **Test Approach**
  - **Test Environment**
  - **Test Scenarios**
  - **Test Entry and Exit Criteria**

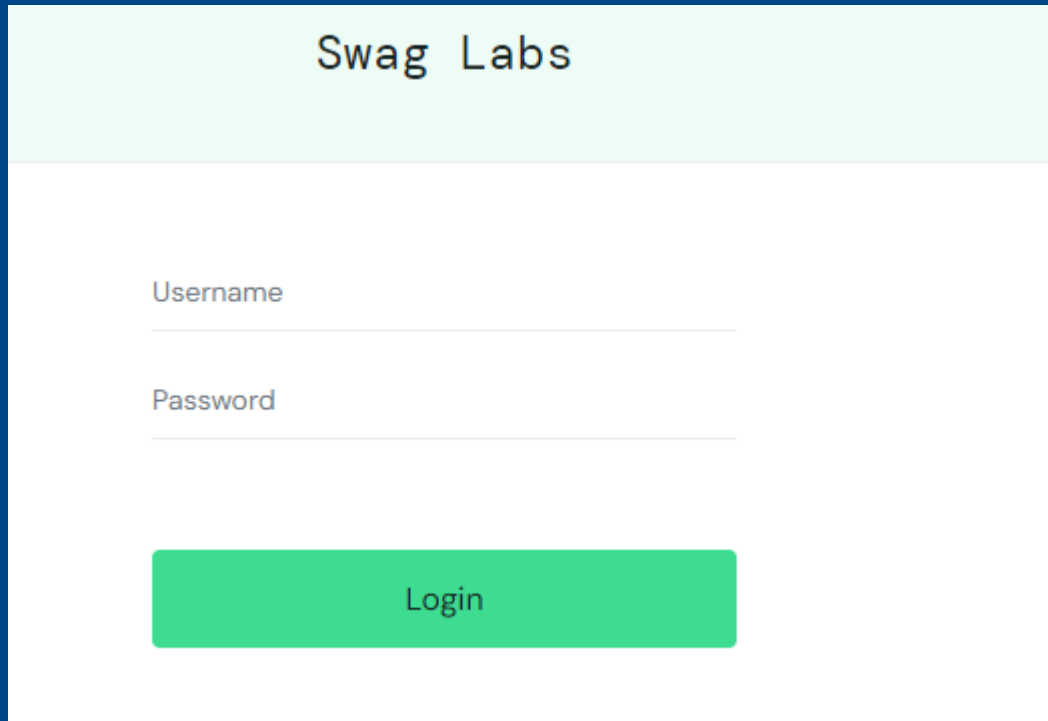
## How do we test Software?

- **Manual Testing**
  - **Exploratory Testing**
  - **User Acceptance Testing**
- **Automation Testing**
  - **Functional Testing**
    - **UI tests**
    - **Api Tests**
  - **Non-Functional Testing**
    - **Security**
    - **Performance**



**Testing Pyramid**

- How would you test a login page?



A mockup of a login page for 'Swag Labs'. The page has a light green header with the text 'Swag Labs'. Below the header, there are two input fields: 'Username' and 'Password'. The 'Username' field is a simple text input, while the 'Password' field is a password input with a small eye icon to toggle visibility. Below the input fields is a large green button with the text 'Login'.

## Test Scenarios

- **Sunny day scenarios**
  - **Valid User**
  - **Valid Trial User**
- **Rainy day scenarios**
  - **Invalid password**
  - **Invalid username**
  - **Password of another user**
  - **Expired Password**
  - **Other language characters**
  - **SQL injection**

## Test plan of automated test cases

- **UI Tests**
  - **Valid User**
  - **Invalid password**
- **Api Tests**
  - **Valid Trial User**
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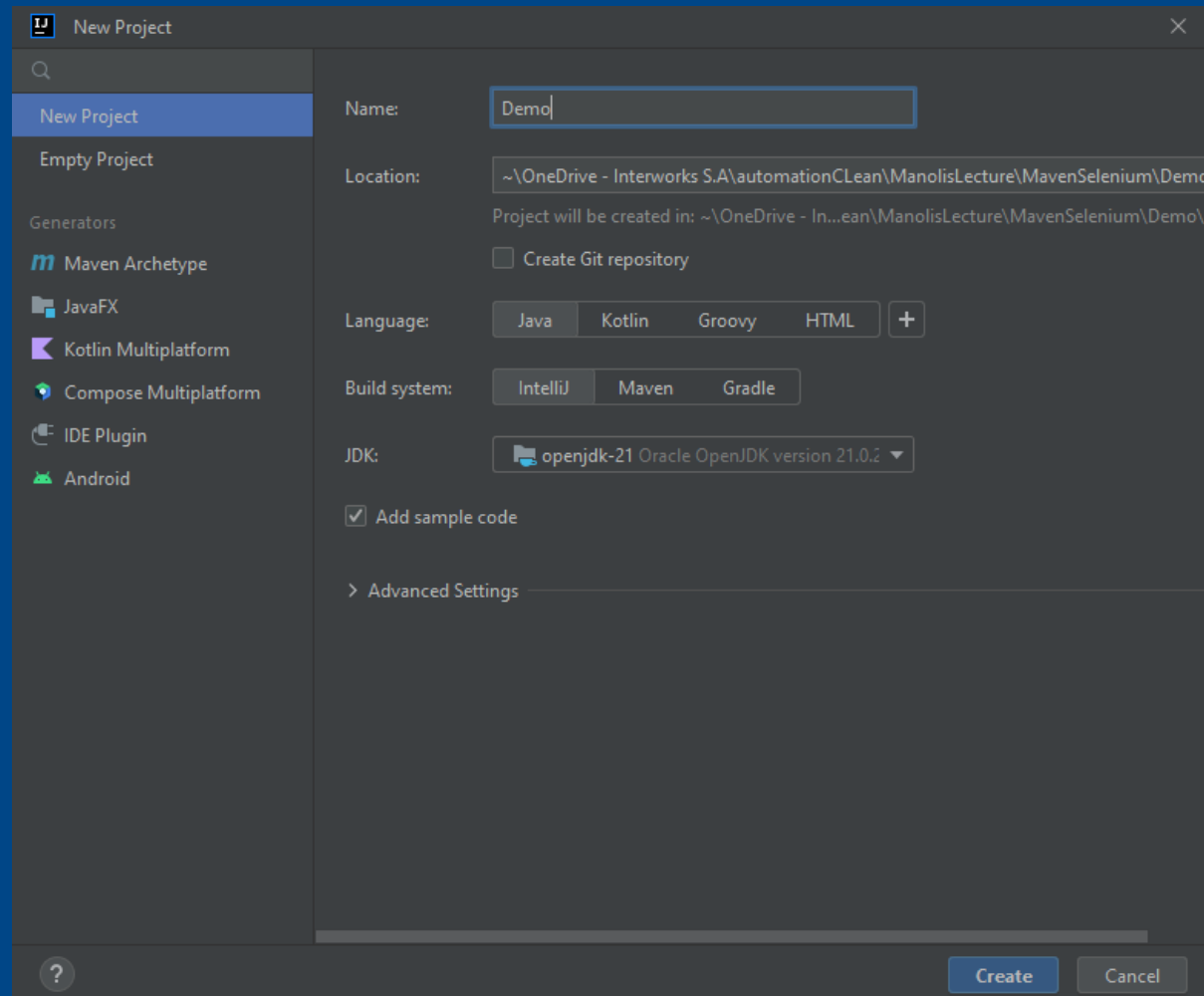
**How to begin  
writing code?**



- **System requirements**
  - Download and install Java 21 JDK
    - <https://www.oracle.com/java/technologies/downloads/>
  - Download IntelliJ community edition
    - <https://www.jetbrains.com/idea/>
  - Download Selenium Server (Grid) jar files
    - <https://www.selenium.dev/downloads/>
  - Download Gecko Driver for Mozilla Firefox
    - <https://github.com/mozilla/geckodriver/releases>

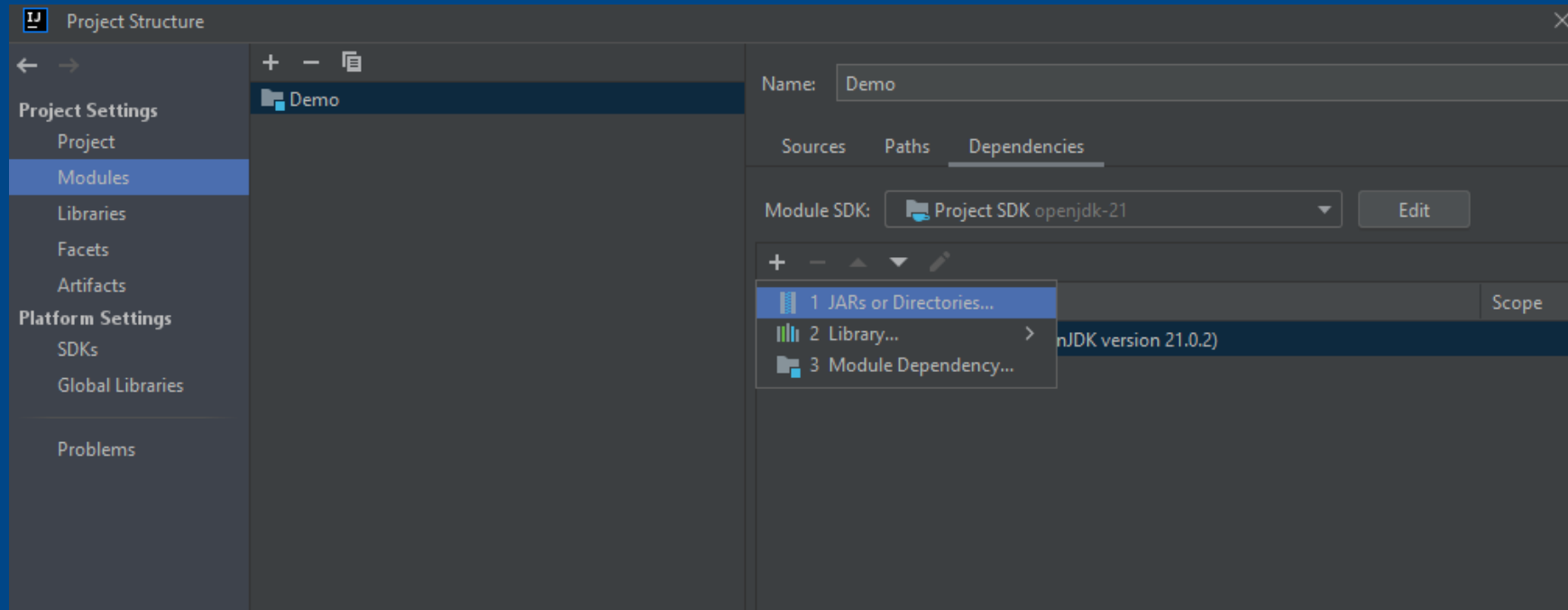
## Open IntelliJ and click

- **File > New > Project**
- **Give a name and select a JDK**

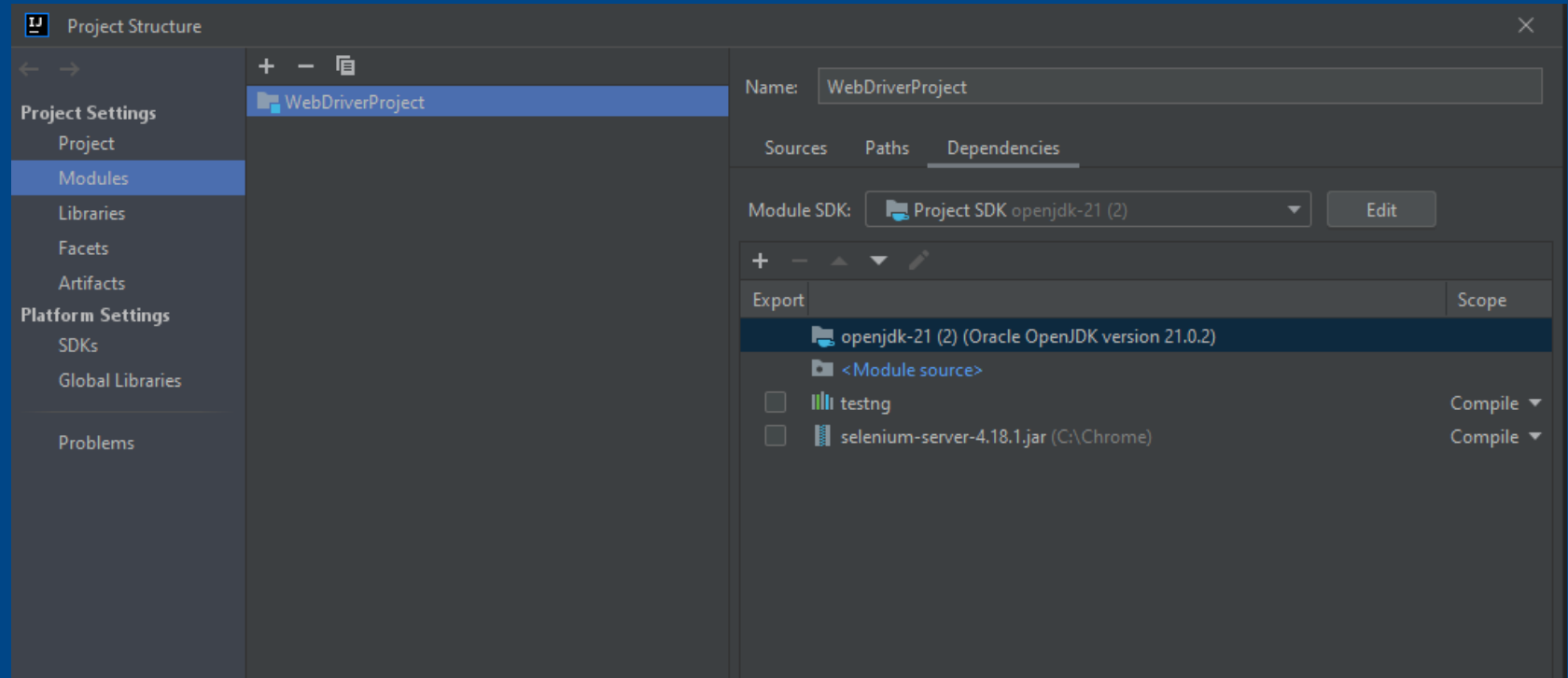


Open IntelliJ and click

- File > Project Structure
- Go to Modules
- Add the Selenium Server (Grid) Jar file



How your installation should look like.





# Introduction to TestNG

## Why do we need a test framework?

- **Structured Testing Approach**
- **Test Case Management**
- **Parameterized Testing**
- **Parallel Test Execution**
- **Reporting and Logging**

TestNG is a testing framework inspired from JUnit and NUnit but introducing some new functionalities that make it more powerful and easier to use.

<https://testng.org/>

- Annotations

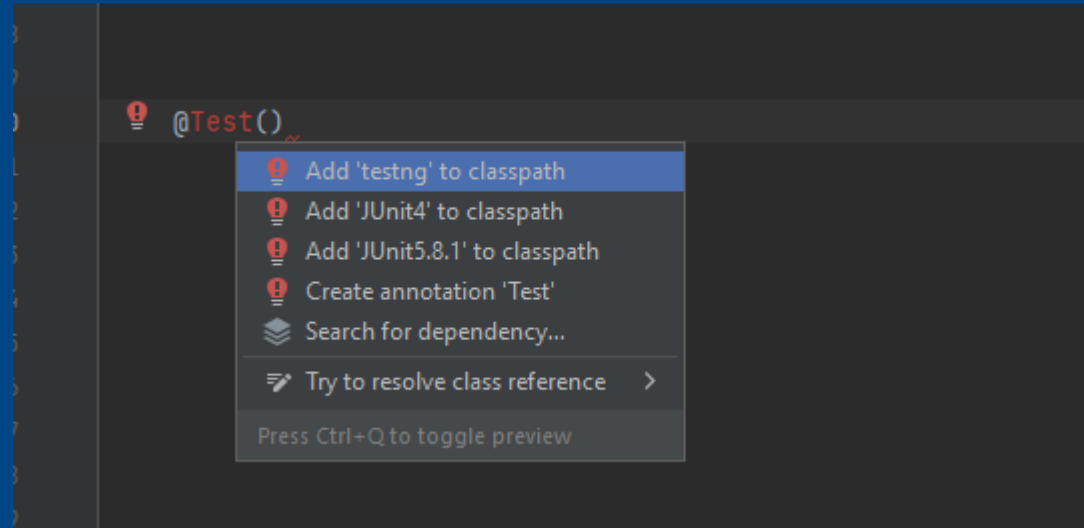
```
@BeforeTest
public void Test_Setup() throws Exception {
    System.out.println("--- Open Firefox ---");
}

@Test
public void Test() {
    System.out.println("--- Navigate to a page ---");
}

@AfterTest
public void Test_Teardown() throws Exception {
    System.out.println("--- Close firefox ---");
}
```

## How to add TestNg

- Type `@Test`
- Click on Test and select show Context Actions
- Select the testng and it will be installed.



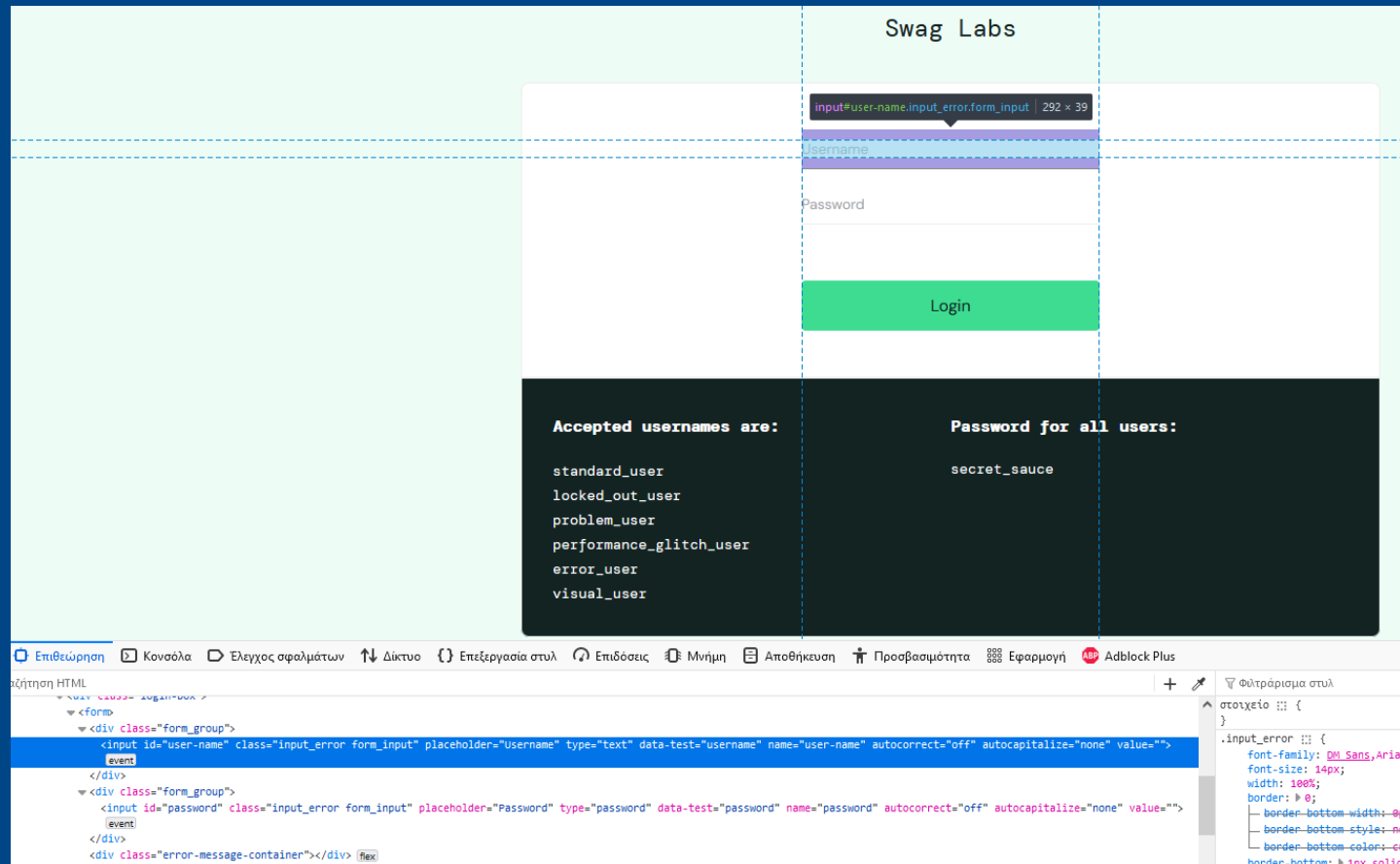




# Introduction to UI Testing

# The Document Object Model (DOM)

Dom is a programming interface for web documents, that represents the structure of a webpage as a tree-like structure of nodes



## Basic Locators

- ID
- Name
- Class
- CSS Selector
- Xpath

- Finding an element by Id
- Java code

`driver.findElement(By.id("user-name"));`

```

    <div class="login_wrapper">
      <div class="login_wrapper-inner"> grid
        <div id="login_button_container" class="form_column">
          <div class="login-box">
            <form>
              <div class="form_group">
                <input class="input_error form_input" placeholder="Username" type="text" data-test="username" id="user-name" name="user-name" autocorrect="off" autocapitalize="none" value="" == $0
              </div>
              <div class="form_group"> ... </div>
              <div class="error-message-container"></div> flex
              <input type="submit" class="submit-button btn_action" data-test="login-button" id="login-button" name="login-button" value="Login">
            </form>
          </div>
        </div>
      </div>
    </div>
    <div class="login_credentials_wrap"> ... </div>
  
```

- Finding an element by Name
- Java code

driver.findElement(By.name("login-button"));

```

<div class="login_logo">Swag Labs</div>
<div class="login_wrapper">
  <div class="login_wrapper-inner">
    <div id="login_button_container" class="form_column">
      <div class="login-box">
        <form>
          <div class="form_group"></div>
          <div class="form_group">
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          </div>
          <div class="error-message-container"></div>
          <input type="submit" class="submit-button btn_action" data-test="login-button" id="login-button" name="login-button" value="Login"> == $0
        </form>
      </div>
    </div>
  </div>
  <div class="login_credentials_wrap"></div>
</div>
</div>
<script></script>
<script src="/static/js/2.9b02e67e.chunk.js"></script>
<script src="/static/js/main.9735b7ab.chunk.js"></script>
</body>
</html>

```

- Finding an element by Class
- Java code

driver.findElement(By.className("btn\_action"));

```

<div id="login-button-container" class="form-container">
  <div class="login-box">
    <form>
      <div class="form_group">...</div>
      <div class="form_group">
        <input class="input_error form_input" placeholder="Password" type="password" data-test="password" id="password" name="password" autocorrect="off" autocapitalize="none" value data-lmo-id="exvWYMCAlI">
      </div>
      <div class="error-message-container"></div> flex
      ...
      <input type="submit" class="submit-button btn_action" data-test="login-button" id="login-button" name="login-button" value="Login"> == $0
    </form>
  </div>
</div>
</div>
  <div class="login_credentials_wrap">...</div>
</div>
</div>
  <script>...</script>
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```

- Finding an element by Css Selector
- CSS Selector: `tagname[attribute='value']`
- Java code

```
driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("button[data-  
test*='backpack']"));
```

```
><div id="header_container" class="header_container">... </div> flex
▼<div id="inventory_container">
  ▼<div>
    ▼<div id="inventory_container" class="inventory_container">
      ▼<div class="inventory_list"> flex
        ▼<div class="inventory_item"> flex
          ▶<div class="inventory_item_img">... </div>
          ▼<div class="inventory_item_description"> flex
            ▶<div class="inventory_item_label">... </div>
            ▼<div class="pricebar"> flex
              ▶<div class="inventory_item_price">... </div>
              ...
              <button class="btn btn_primary btn_small btn_inventory " data-
              test="add-to-cart-sauce-labs-backpack" id="add-to-cart-sauce-lab
              s-backpack" name="add-to-cart-sauce-labs-backpack">Add to cart
              </button> == $0
            </div>
          </div>
        </div>
      </div>
    </div>
  </div>
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```

- Finding an element by Xpath
- XPATH= //tagname[@attribute='value']
- Java code

```
driver.findElement(By.xpath("//button[@data-test*='backpack']"));
```

```
> <div id="header_container" class="header_container">... </div> flex
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# **Introduction to Selenium Webdriver**

## What is Selenium Webdriver?

Selenium WebDriver is a powerful automation tool used for controlling web browsers, allowing testers and developers to interact with web applications programmatically.



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## How to initialize Webdriver

```
String geckoLocation = "drivers/geckodriver.exe";  
System.setProperty("webdriver.gecko.driver", geckoLocation);  
WebDriver driver = new FirefoxDriver();
```

## How to find a web element and interact with it

```
WebElement username = driver.findElement(By.id("user-name"));
username.sendKeys(...keysToSend: "Manolis");

WebElement submitButton = driver.findElement(By.id("submit-btn"));
submitButton.click();

WebElement errorMessage = driver.findElement(By.id("error-msg"));
String messageText = errorMessage.getText();
```

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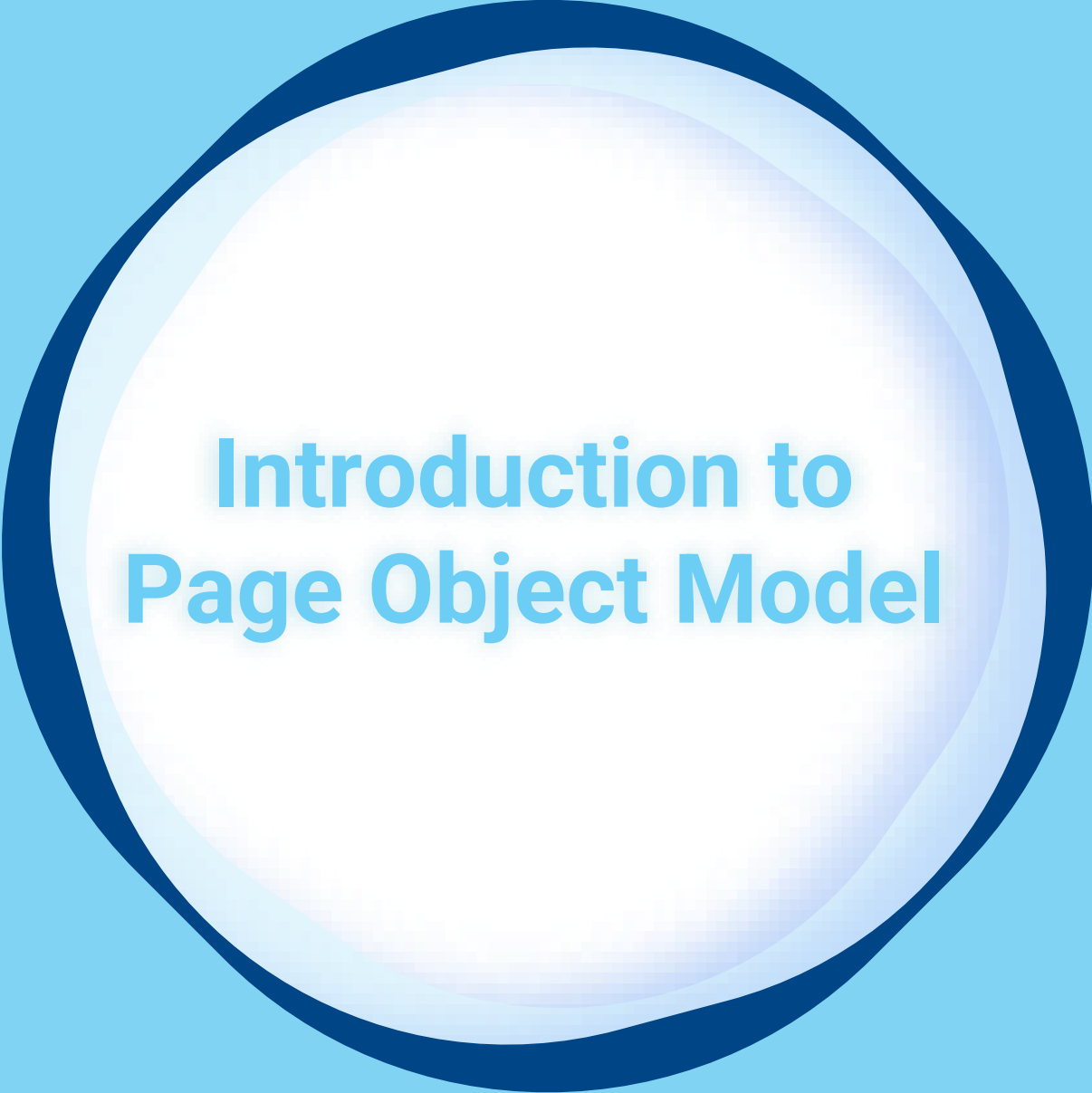
## Custom Wait methods with find elements

```
List<WebElement> elements = new ArrayList<>();  
while (elements.isEmpty()) {  
    elements = driver.findElements(By.xpath(xpathExpression: "//input[@id='username']"));  
    Thread.sleep(millis: 1000); // Sleep for 1 second before retrying  
}
```

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## Custom Wait methods with WebDriverWait

```
// Define custom wait condition for an element to be visible
WebDriverWait wait = new WebDriverWait(driver, timeout: 10); // Wait up to 10 seconds
new *
WebElement element = wait.until(new ExpectedCondition<WebElement>() {
    new *
    public WebElement apply(WebDriver driver) {
        return driver.findElement(By.xpath(xpathExpression: "//input[@id='username']"));
    }
});
```



# **Introduction to Page Object Model**

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## Page Object Model

Is a design pattern in Selenium that creates an object repository for storing all web elements.



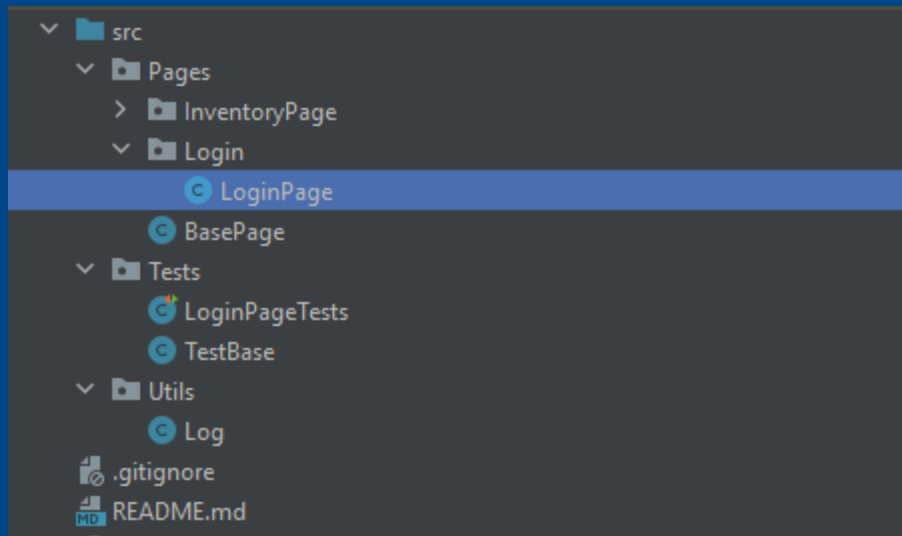
## What is the problem page object model tries to solve?

```
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username.sendKeys(...keysToSend: "Manolis");

WebElement submitButton = driver.findElement(By.id("submit-btn"));
submitButton.click();

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## Better File Structure Divide and conquer



## Lets see this POM Under the hood

```
5 usages  Manolis Theodoroudis
public class LoginPage extends BasePage {

    2 usages  Manolis Theodoroudis
    public LoginPage(WebDriver driver) { super(driver); }

    2 usages
    public String loginPageUrl = "https://www.saucedemo.com/";

    1 usage
    @FindBy(id = "user-name")
    private WebElement userNameInput;

    1 usage
    @FindBy(id = "password")
    private WebElement passwordInput;

    1 usage
    @FindBy(id = "login-button")
    private WebElement loginButton;

    2 usages
    @FindBy(css = "h3[data-test='error']")
    private WebElement errorMessage;

    2 usages  Manolis Theodoroudis
    public void Login(String userName, String password) {
        driver.get(loginPageUrl);
        driver.navigate().refresh();
        userNameInput.sendKeys(userName);
        passwordInput.sendKeys(password);
        loginButton.click();
    }
}
```

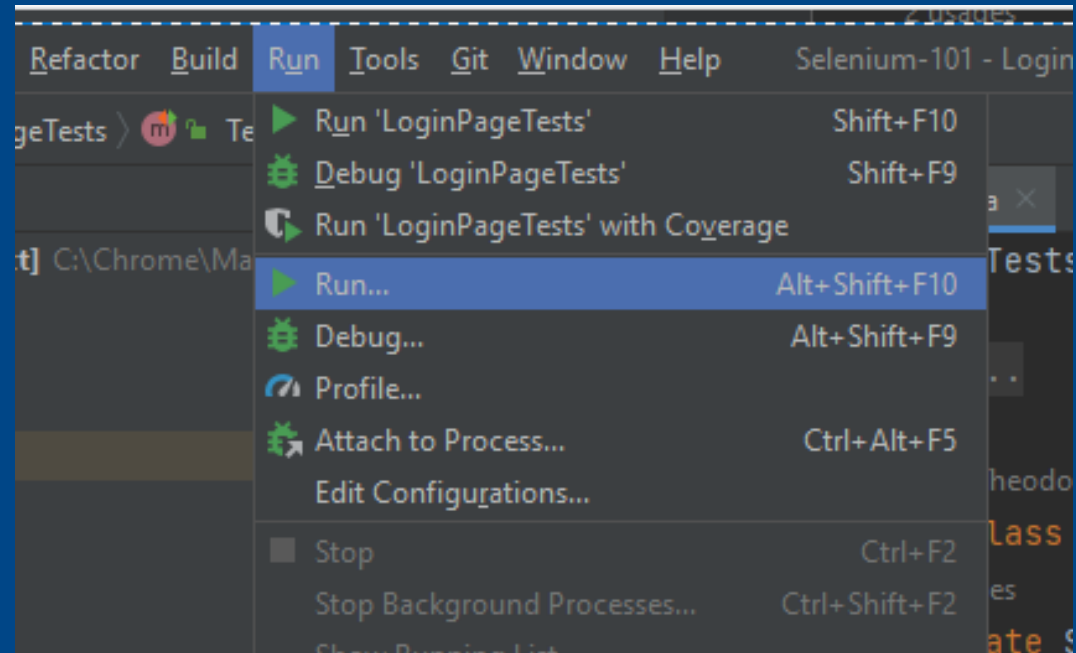
## **POM advantages**

- **Easy Maintenance**
- **Code Reusability**
- **Readability**

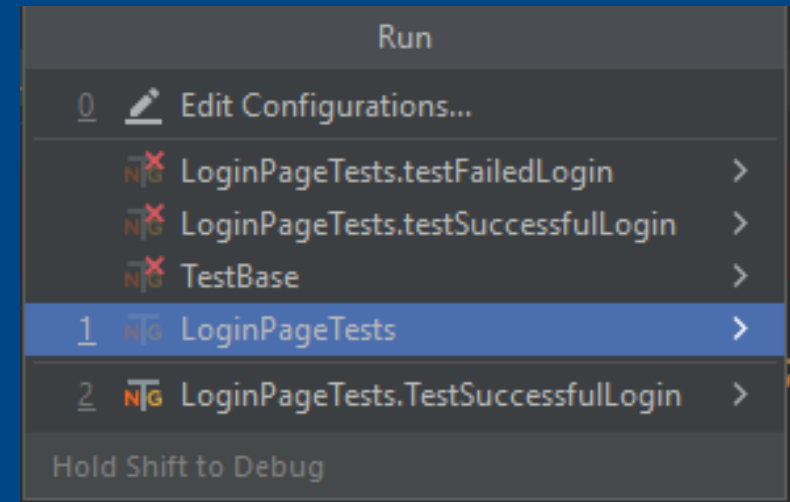


# How to run a Test

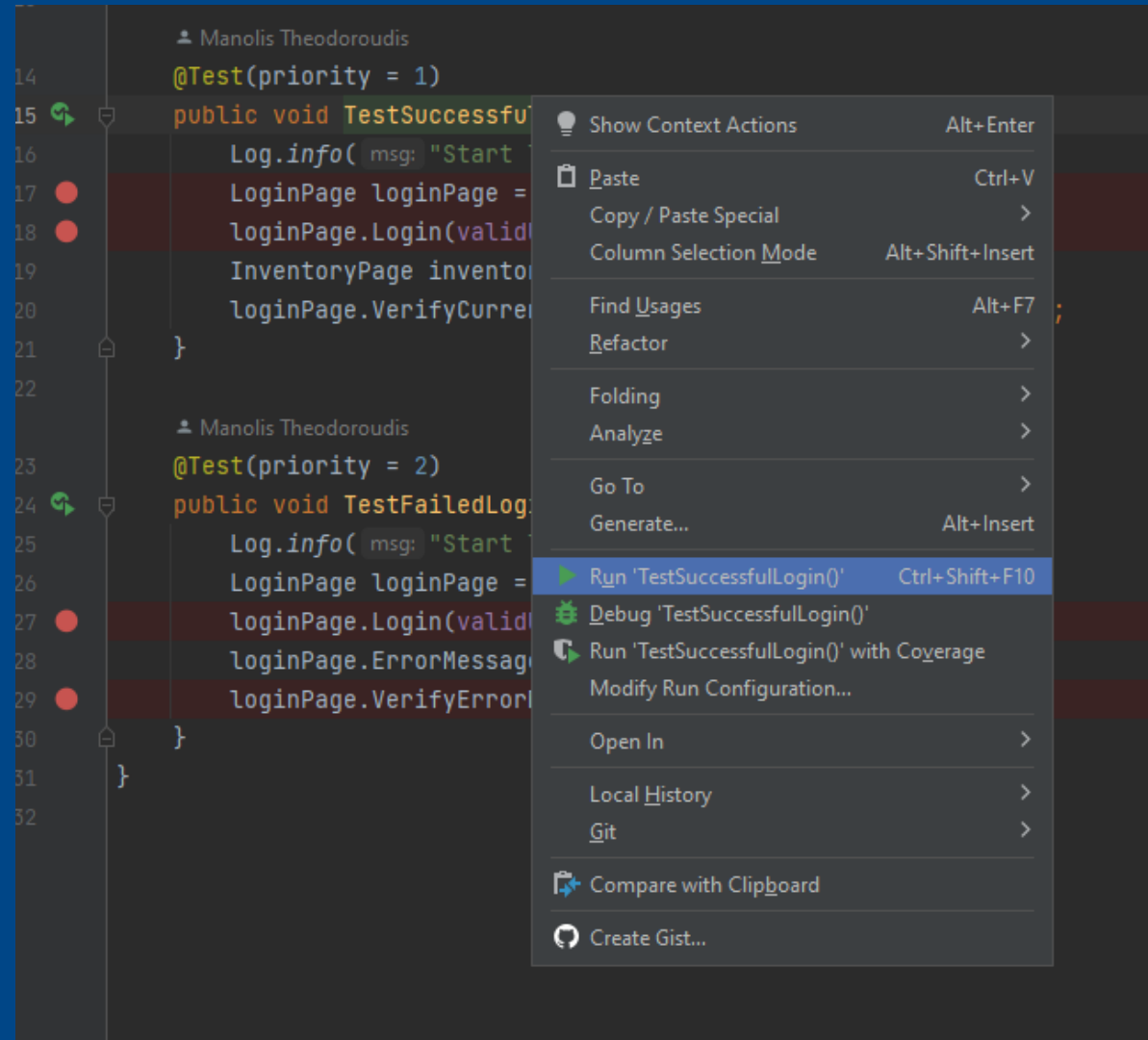
Go to Run Tab.  
Click Run..



Select Test to run



Go to test case  
Click run

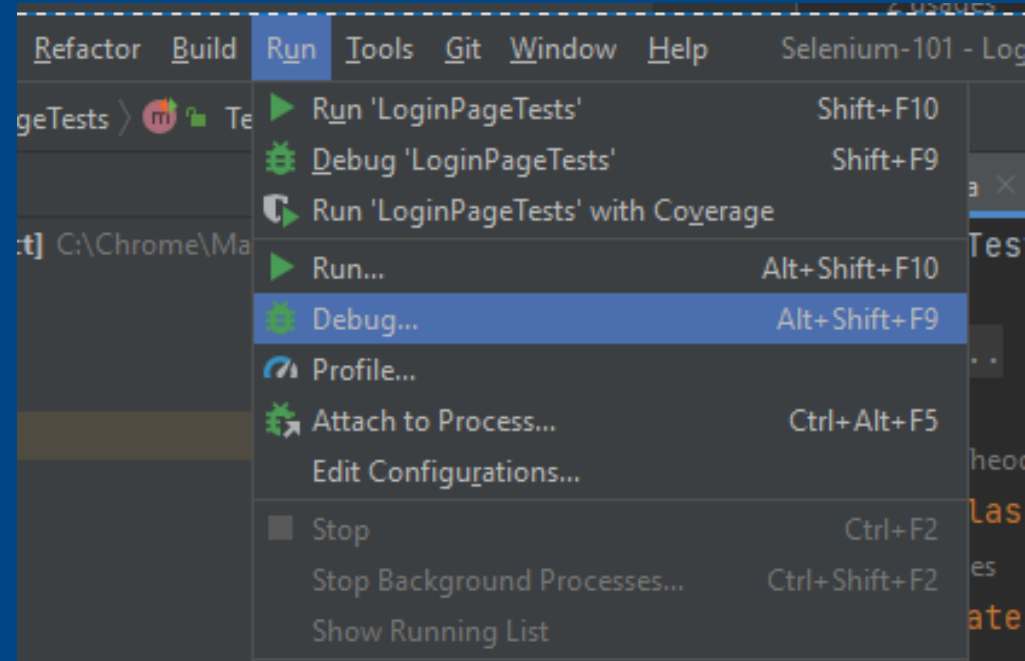




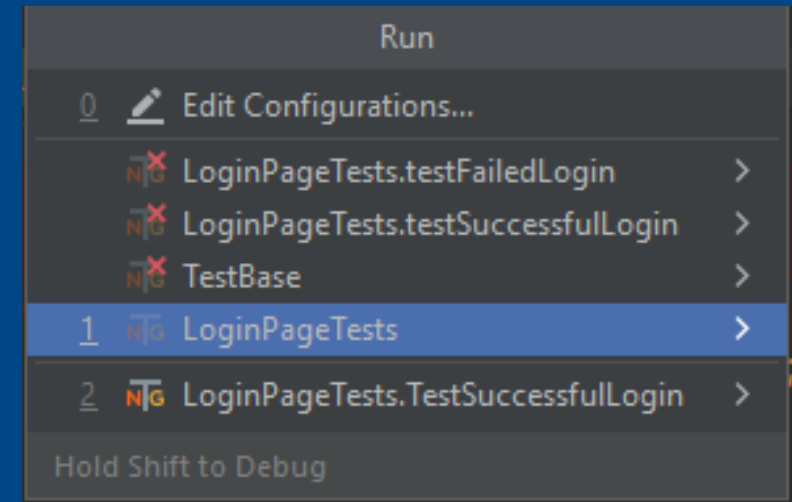
# How to debug a Test



Go to Run Tab.  
Click Debug..



Select Test to Debug



## Debug Mode with break points and shortcuts

- **F9 Resume**
- **F8 Step over**
- **F7 Step into**

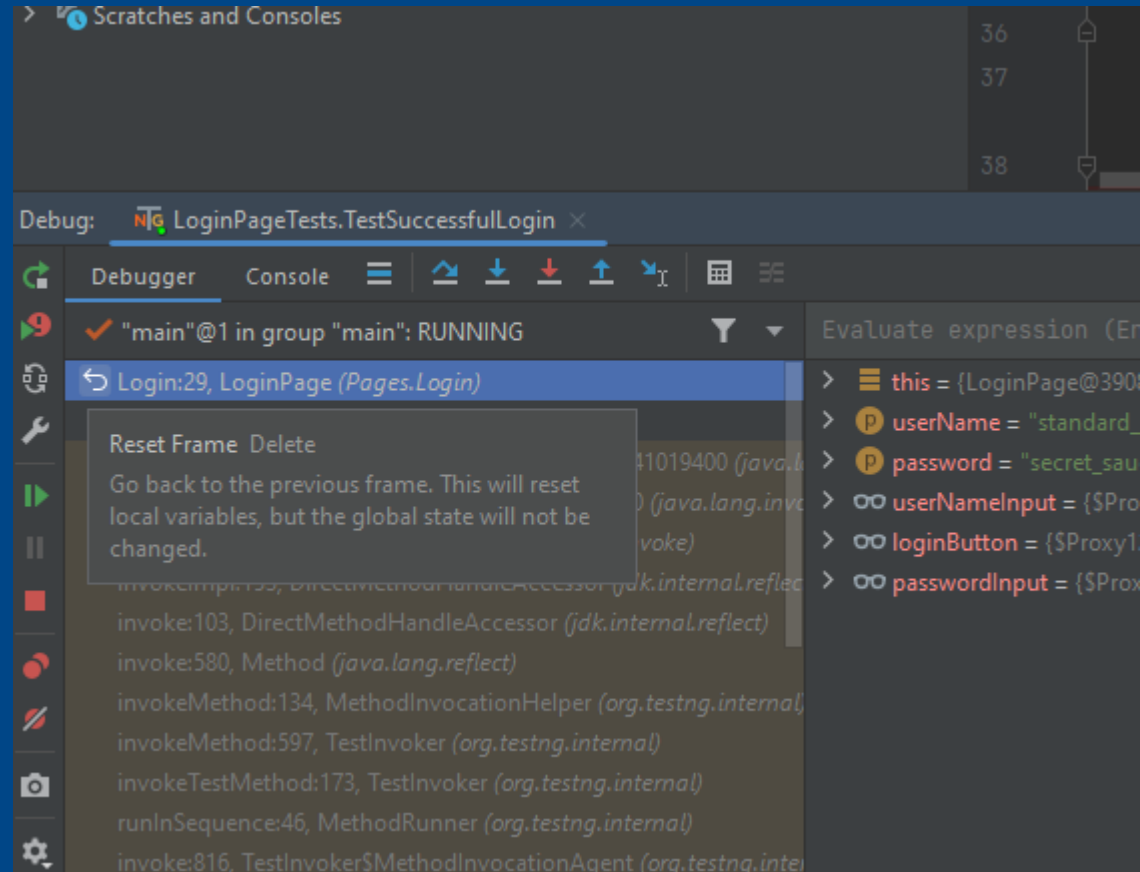
The screenshot shows an IDE with a Java method `public void Login(String userName, String password)`. A breakpoint is set at line 30, `loginButton.click();`. The 'Break Points' window is open, showing the current state of the program:

```

> this = (LoginPage@3777)
> userName = "standard_user"
> password = "secret_sauce"
> loginButton = ($Proxy12@3783) "[[FirefoxDriver: firefox on windows (c50fab21-bd37-4d27-a898-beaa8d36c1f9)] -> id: login-button]"
> passwordInput = ($Proxy12@3782) "[[FirefoxDriver: firefox on windows (c50fab21-bd37-4d27-a898-beaa8d36c1f9)] -> id: password]"
  
```

## Reset Frame

Go back to the start of the method execution

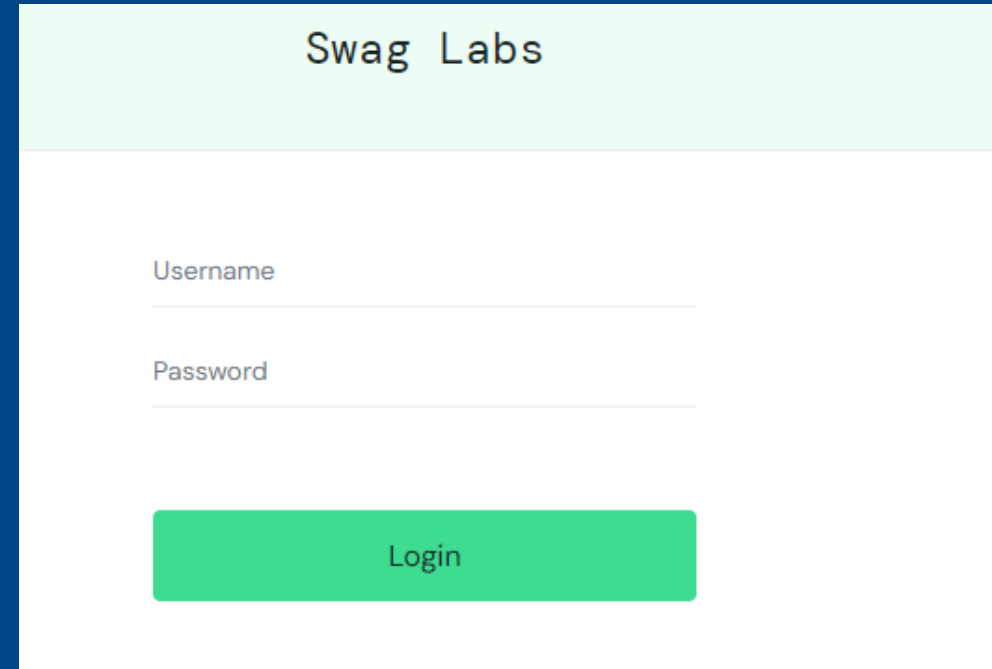


A large white circle with a dark blue border is centered on a light blue background. The word "Demo" is written in a light blue font inside the white circle.

Demo

Demo project having 2 test cases

- TestSuccessfulLogin
- TestFailedLogin



The image shows a login form for 'Swag Labs'. It has a light green header bar with the text 'Swag Labs'. Below the header, there are two input fields: 'Username' and 'Password'. The 'Username' field is a simple text input. The 'Password' field is a text input with a small eye icon to its right, indicating a toggle for password visibility. Below these fields is a green 'Login' button.

Swag Labs

Username

Password

Login

## **Git Repo for the Demo.**

<https://github.com/ManolisTheodoroudis/Selenium-101>

### **Download a Git Bash emulator**

- <https://gitforwindows.org/>

Open emulator in a folder in your system and give the below command

### **Git Commands**

- `git clone https://github.com/ManolisTheodoroudis/Selenium-101`

Readme.md has basic instructions to work



**What we learned**

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- **Learned how to make a basic test plan**
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- **Learned how to run and debug a test.**





**Reading Material**

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- Site to test freely
  - <https://www.saucedemo.com/>
- Selenium locators tutorial
  - <https://www.guru99.com/locators-in-selenium.html>
- Selenium tutorial
  - <https://www.tutorialspoint.com/selenium/index.htm>
- TestNG Documentation
  - [https://www.tutorialspoint.com/software\\_testing/index.htm](https://www.tutorialspoint.com/software_testing/index.htm)
- TestNG Documentation
  - <https://testng.org/>
- Git Tutorial
  - <https://www.w3schools.com/git/>

# Thank you!

Questions?

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