

Angular Testing

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6 - E2E Basics

End-to-End (E2E) Tests

Component Tests (Functional & Visual)

Unit Tests



2 Core Technologies for E2E Frameworks

- 1. WebDriver
- 2. Chrome DevTool Protocol (CDP)



WebDriver

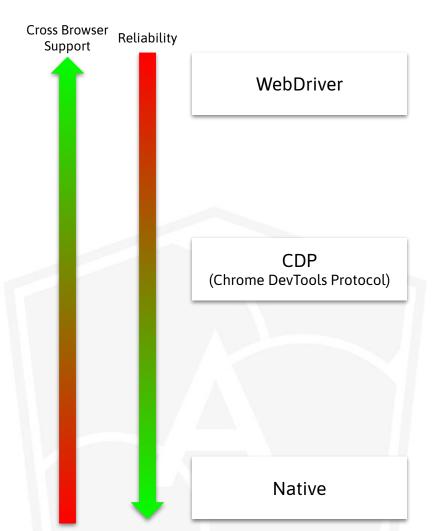
- W3C Standard
- Cross-Browser Support
- Known to be flaky
- WebDriver BiDi as successor
- Popular E2E Tools
 - Protractor
 - Selenium
 - NightWatch
 - WebDriverIO



CDP (Chrome DevTools Protocol)

- Debugging Tool for Chromium-based Browsers
- Puppeteer as primary library
- Playwright incl. Safari
- Much more stable
- Constrained to CDP-Browsers













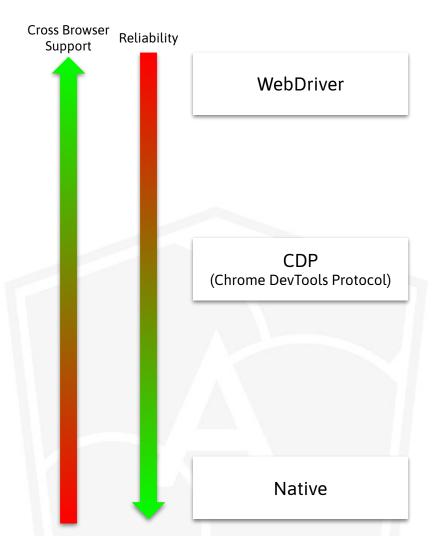




















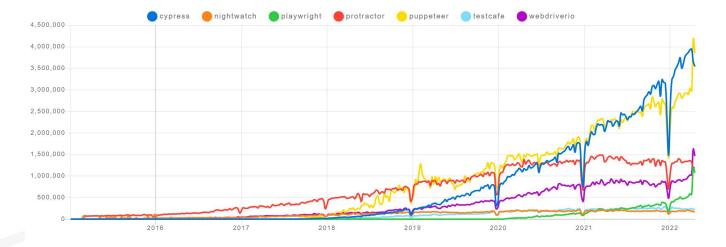












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Cypress

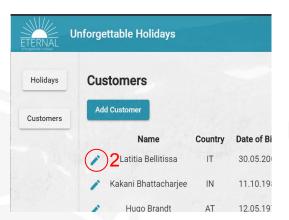
- Node.js Application
- Great Developer Experience
- Good Documentation
- Easy Setup
- Internal "IDE"
- CI Features like Videorecording and Screenshots



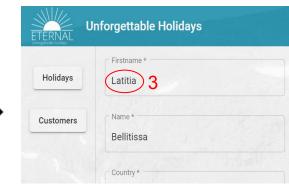
The Await Feature



1. Select Customers

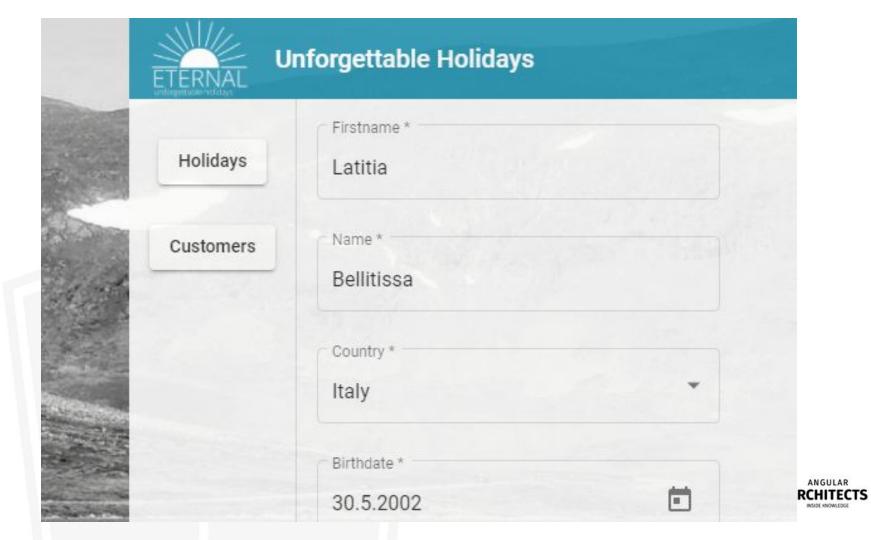


2. Select Customer



3. Edit Firstname

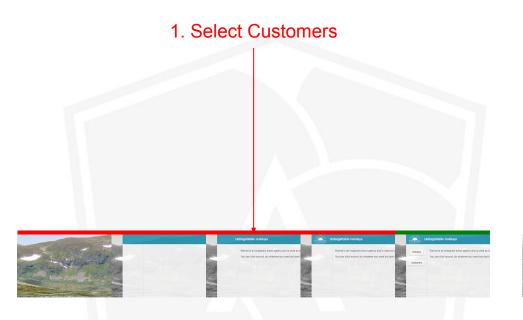




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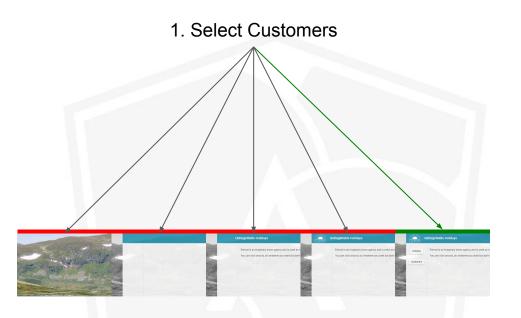
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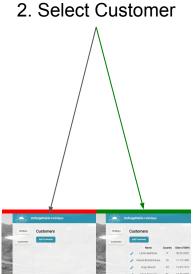
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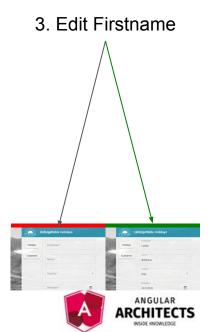




Waiting Style







Commands

- Methods of "cy." object
- Run asynchronously
 - o "Feels" like a Promise (thenable) but isn't
 - Don't use async/await
- Are chainable



Commands

- Cy
 - .visit(url: string)
 - Can only be run at the beginning
 - Domain can't be changed
 - get(selector)
 - Uses jQuery selectors
 - .contains
 - click
 - o .type





An E2E Test in Cypress

```
it('should rename Latitia to Laetitia', () => {
  cy.visit('');
  cy.get('mat-drawer a').contains('Customers').click();
  cy.get('div').contains('Latitia Bellitissa').siblings('.edit').click();
  cy.get('input:first').clear().type('Laetitia');
  cy.get('button[type=submit]').click();
 cy.get('div').contains('Bellitissa').should('have.text', 'Laetitia Bellitissa');
});
```



Assertions Implicit

- Behaves like a normal command
- Does waiting as well
- Good for single assertions

```
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  .get('h1')
  .should(
    'have.text',
    ' Unforgettable Holidays '
  );
```



Assertions Explicit

- More verbose
- Good for multiple assertions
- Massaging

```
cy.get('h1').should(($h1) => {
  expect($h1).to.have
    .text(' Unforgettable Holidays ');
});
```



Cypress Goodies

- lodash: Cypress.__
- jQuery: Cypress.\$
- Uses Mocha and Chai
 - Not Jest
 - Very similar commands



When not to use Cypress?

- Cross Browser Support
- ◆ Multiple Super Domains ← Available since v9.6





Flakiness / Unreliability

```
describe('Customers', () => {
  it('should add a customer', () => {
    cy.visit('');
    cy.get('a').contains('Customers').click();
    cy.get('a').contains('Add Customer').click();
  });
});
```



Flakiness / Unreliability

- Commands are not retried when they are successful
- Chains are multiple commands
- cy.get & cy.contains are commands



Prevent Flakiness by Assertion

```
describe('Customers', () => {
  it('add customer', () => {
    cy.visit('');
    cy.get('a').contains('Customers').click();
    cy.get('a').should('contain', 'Add Customer');
    cy.get('a').contains('Add Customer').click();
 });
});
```



Prevent Flakiness by a better Selection

```
describe('Customers', () => {
  it('add customer', () => {
   cy.visit('');
    cy.get('mat-drawer a').contains('Customers').click();
    cy.get('mat-drawer-content a').contains('Add Customer').click();
 });
});
```



Prevent Flakiness by a much better Selection

```
describe('Customers', () => {
  it('add customer', () => {
   cy.visit('');
    cy.get('[data-test=btn-customers]').click();
    cy.get('[data-test=btn-add-customer]').click();
 });
});
```



