

Basic Programming

Lesson 08

Unit Test

Unit Testing Fundamentals



A Unit is a Small Piece of Code

A method or function

A module or class

A small group of related classes



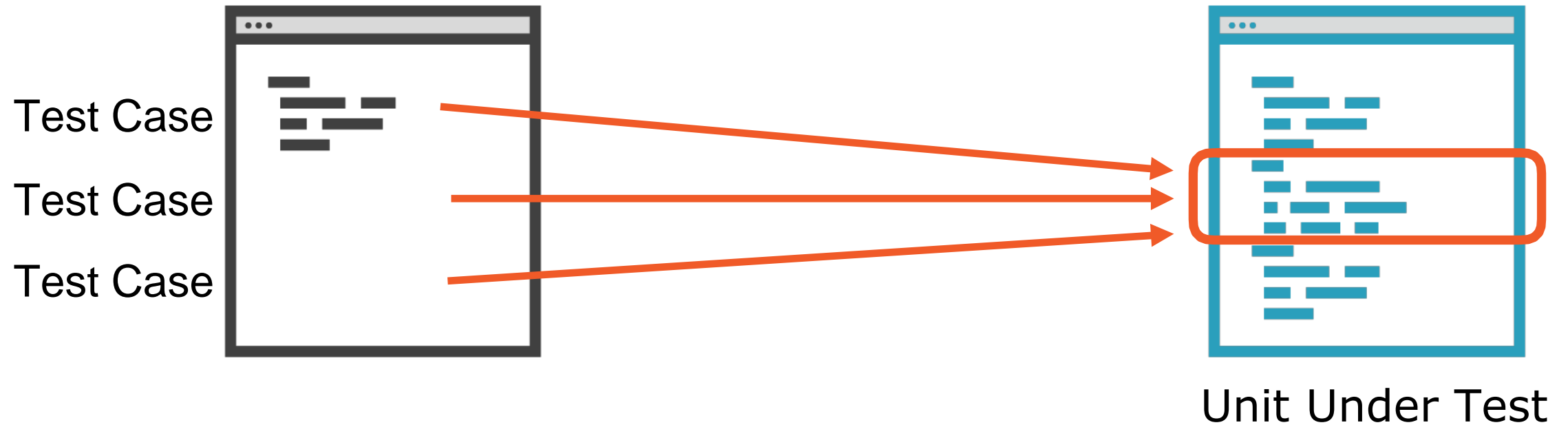
An Automated Unit Test

Is designed by a human

Runs without intervention

Reports either 'pass' or 'fail'

Unit Test Vocabulary: Test Case



Unit Test Vocabulary: Test Runner



Test Case



Unit Under Test

```
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Ran 1 test in 0.001s  
OK
```

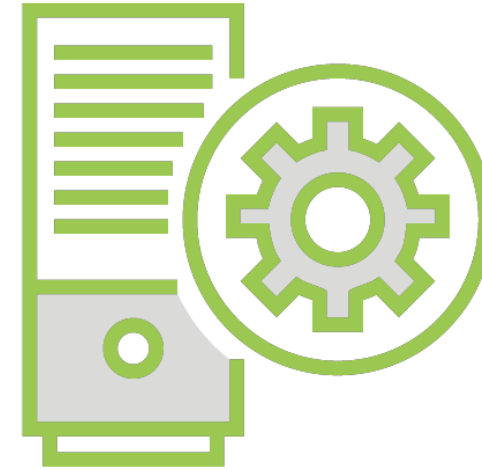
Test Runner

Choosing a Test Runner



Working Interactively

An IDE like VSCode



Continuous Integration

A Command Line Test Runner

Unit Test Vocabulary: Test Suite



Test Suite

Test Case
Test Case
Test Case



Units Under Test

.....

Ran 7 tests in 0.000s

OK

Test Runner

Test Fixture: Order of Execution

```
setUp()
```

```
TestCaseMethod()
```

```
tearDown()
```


Test Fixture: Order of Execution

`setUp()`

`TestCaseMethod()`

`tearDown()`



Test Fixture: Order of Execution

`setUp()`



Test Fixture for Strict Unit Tests

```
setUp()
```

```
TestCaseMethod()
```

```
class PhoneBookTest(unittest.TestCase):

    def setUp(self):
        self.phonebook = PhoneBook()

    def tearDown(self):
        pass

    def test_lookup_by_name(self):
        self.phonebook.add("Bob", "12345")
        number = self.phonebook.lookup("Bob")
        self.assertEqual("12345", number)

    def test_missing_name(self):
        with self.assertRaises(KeyError):
            self.phonebook.lookup("missing")

    def test_add_exists(self):
```

- ◀ Declare a class containing tests
- ◀ Set up fixture method
- ◀ Tear down fixture method
- ◀ First test case
- ◀ Second test case

Unit Test Vocabulary



Test Case

Test Suite

```
def setUp(self):  
    pass  
  
def tearDown(self):  
    pass
```

Test Fixture



Unit Under Test

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OK

Test Runner

The Three Parts of a Test



Arrange

Set up the object to be tested, and collaborators



Act

Exercise the unit under test



Assert

Make claims about what happened

```
def test_lookup_by_name(self):  
    self.phonebook.add("Bob", "12345")  
    number = self.phonebook.lookup("Bob")  
    self.assertEqual("12345", number)
```

- ◀ Test Case
- ◀ Name Arrange
- ◀ Act
- ◀ Assert

```
def test_lookup_by_name(self):
    self.phonebook.add("Bob", "12345")
    number = self.phonebook.lookup("Bob")
    self.assertEqual("12345", number)

def test_is_consistent(self):
    self.phonebook.add("Bob", "12345")
    self.assertTrue(
        self.phonebook.is_consistent())
    self.phonebook.add("Anna", "012345")
    self.assertTrue(
        self.phonebook.is_consistent())
    self.phonebook.add("Sue", "12345")
    self.assertFalse(
        self.phonebook.is_consistent())
    self.phonebook.add("Sue", "123")
    self.assertFalse(
        self.phonebook.is_consistent())
```

- ◀ Test Case Name
- ◀ Arrange
- ◀ Act
- ◀ Assert
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Summary

Vocabulary:

- Test Case
- Test Runner
- Test Suite
- Test Fixture

Test Case Design:

- Test name
- Arrange - Act - Assert

Test Doubles

Test Double - Like a Stunt Double

The real actor



Famous
actress

The stunt double

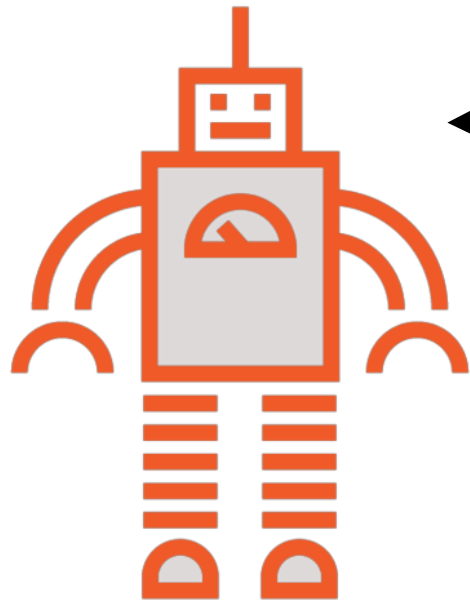


Wig

Som
woman
called
Tracey

Test Double - Like a Stunt Double

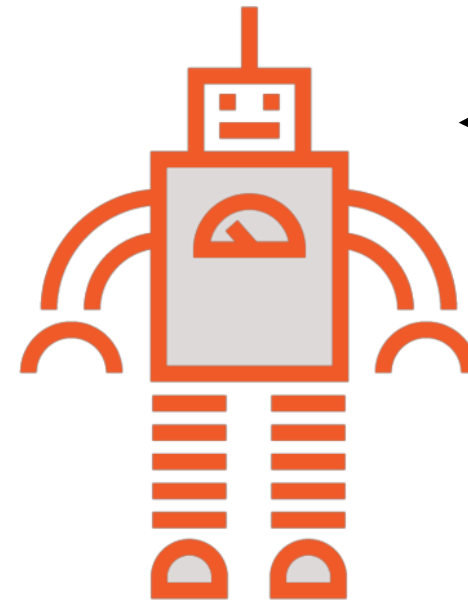
The real object



Complex,
production
logic



The test double

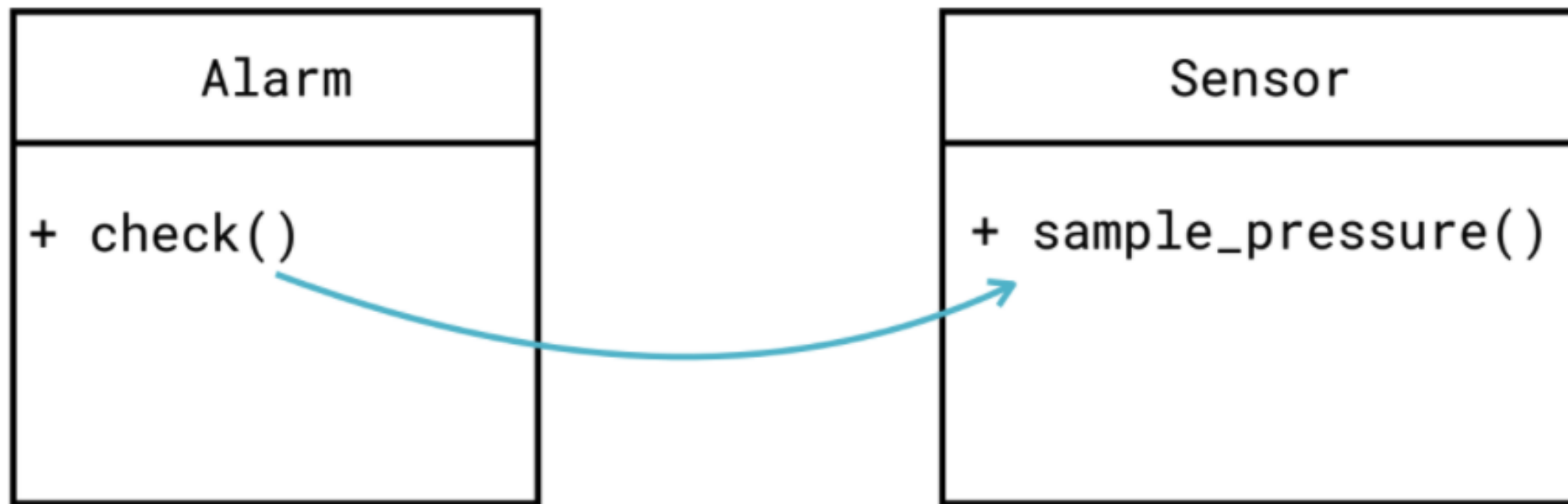


Everything it
does is
controlled
by the test





Racing Car Example

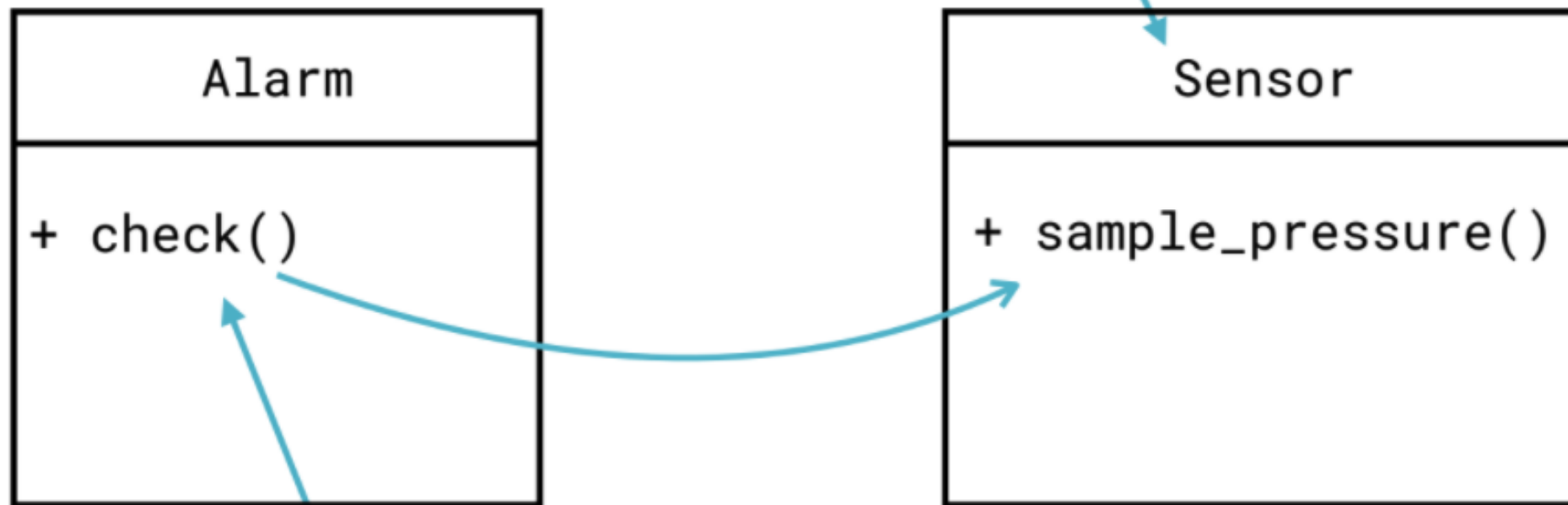




Racing Car Example



Replace this collaborator with a test double



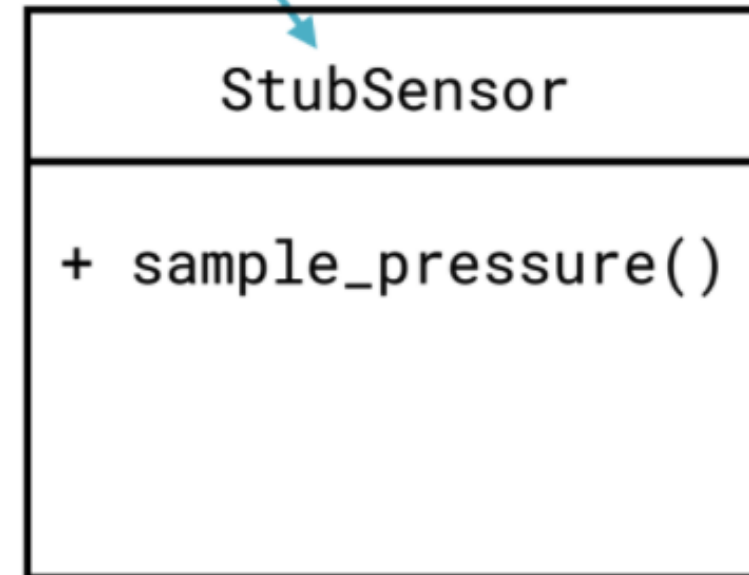
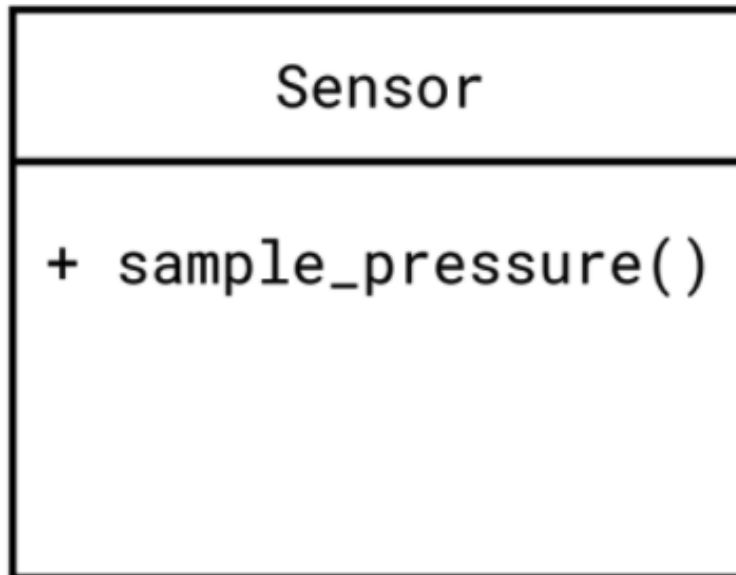
Want to test this method



Racing Car Example

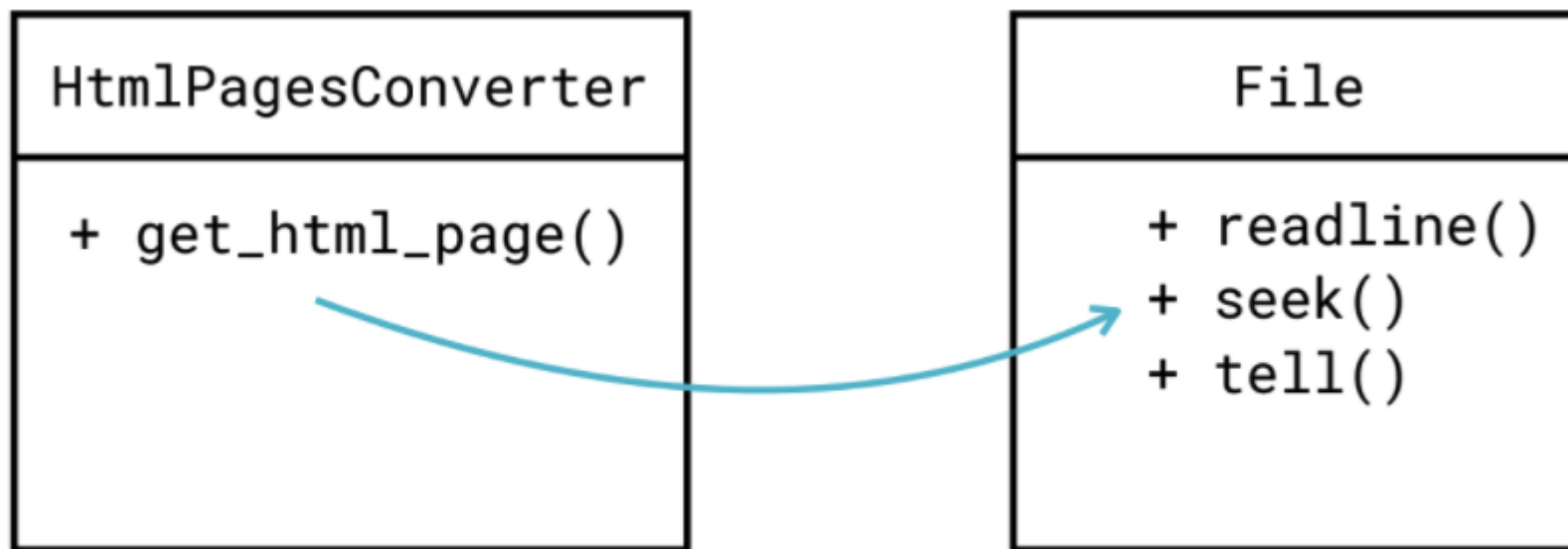


Same methods as a Sensor

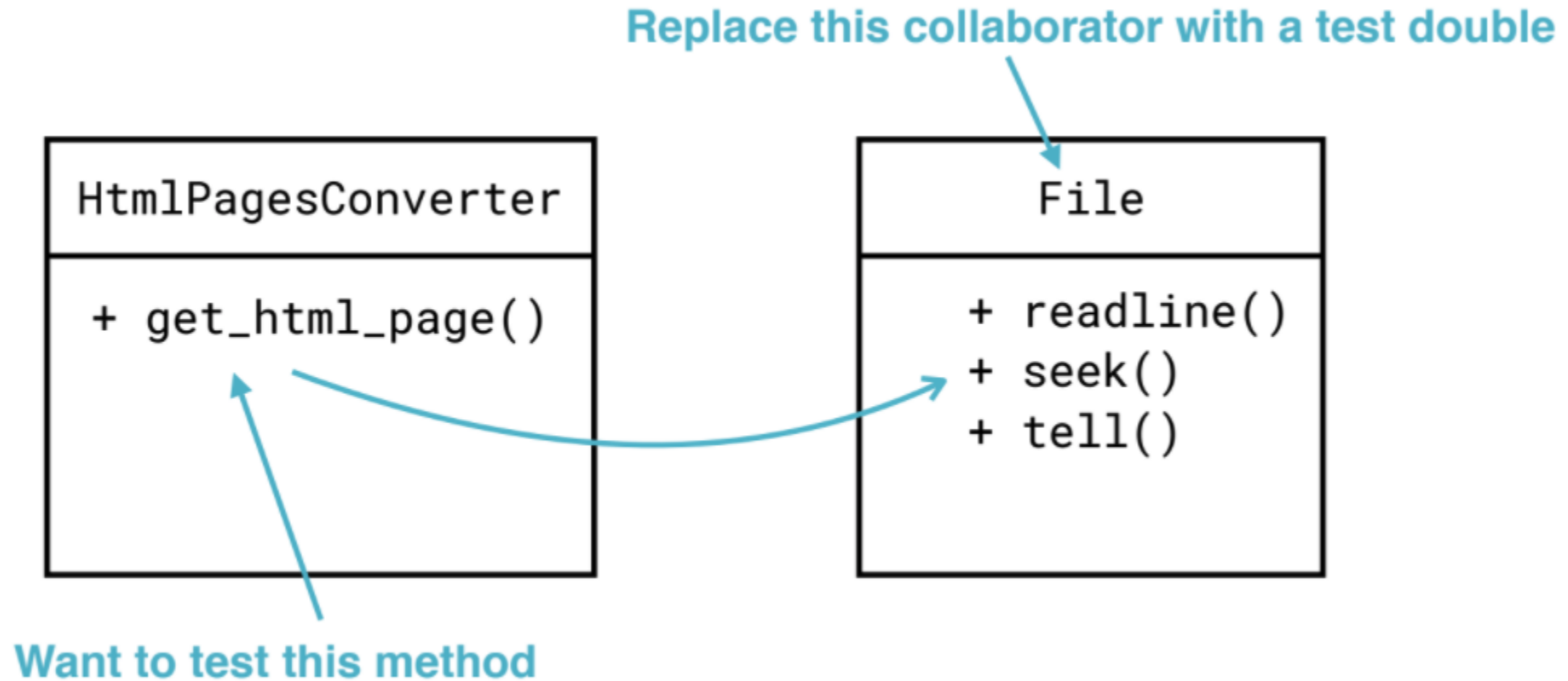


A Stub has the same methods as the class it replaces,
but the implementation is very simple

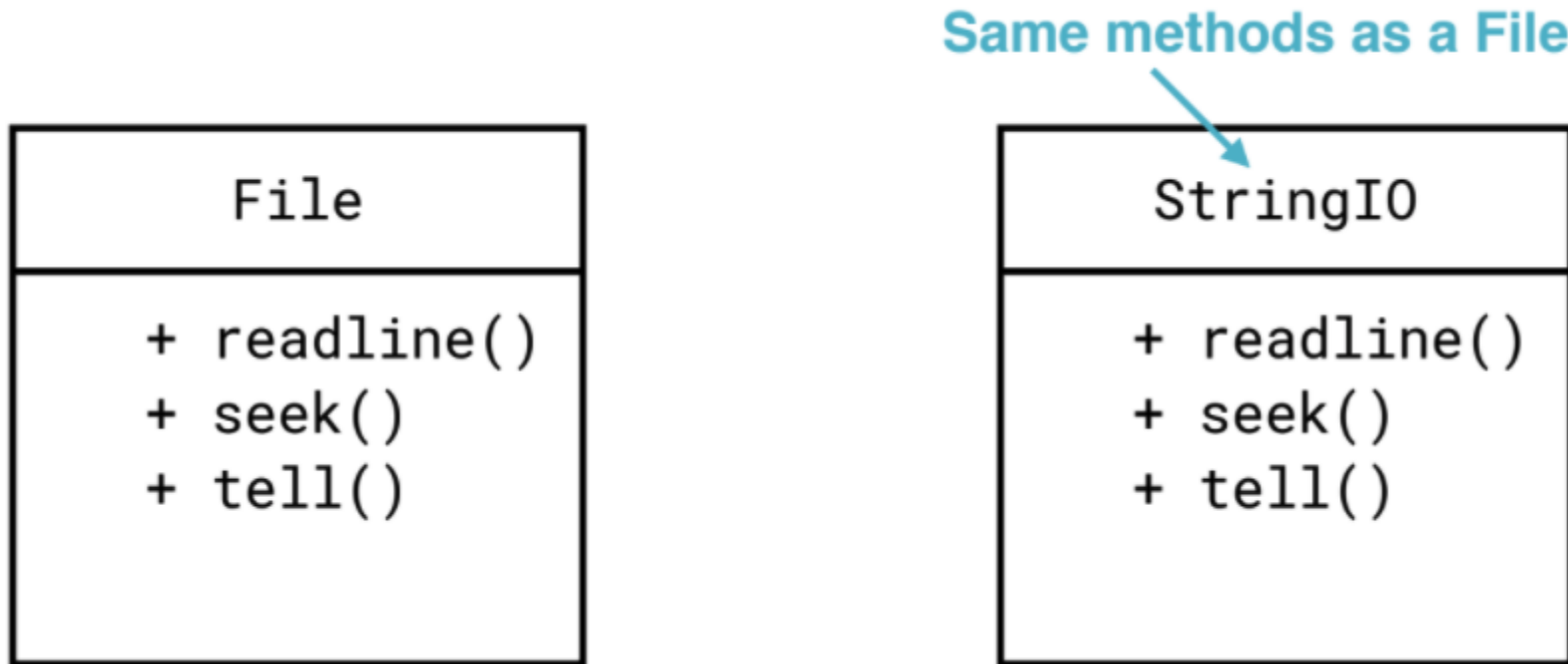
Html Converter Example



Html Converter Example

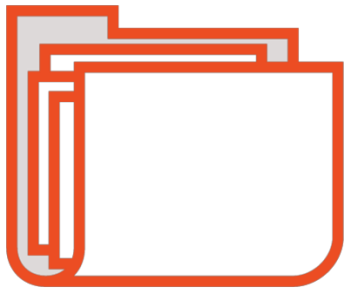


Html Converter Example



A Fake has an implementation with logic and behaviour, but is not suitable for production

Common Things to Replace with a Fake



File

Replace with
StringIO



Database

Replace with in-
memory
database



WebServer

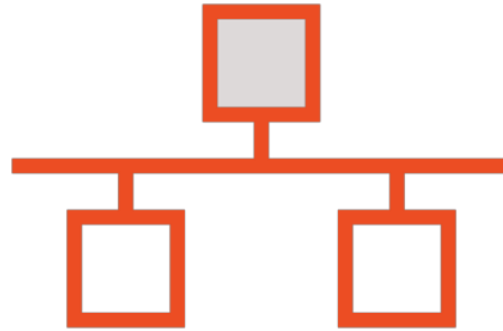
Replace with
lightweight Web
Server

Three Kinds of Assert



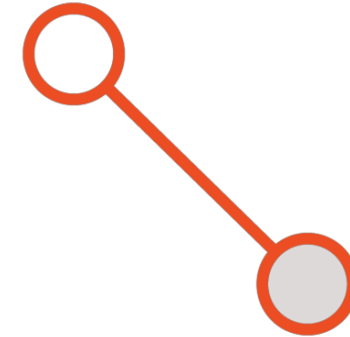
Return value

or an
exception



State change

Use an API to
query the new
state



Method call

Did a specific
method get called on
a collaborator



Increasing complexity

```
def test_convert_quotes():  
    fake_file = io.StringIO("quote: ' ")  
    converter = HtmlPagesConverter(open_file=fake_file)  
    converted_text = converter.get_html_page(0)  
    assert converted_text == "quote: &#x27;<br />"
```

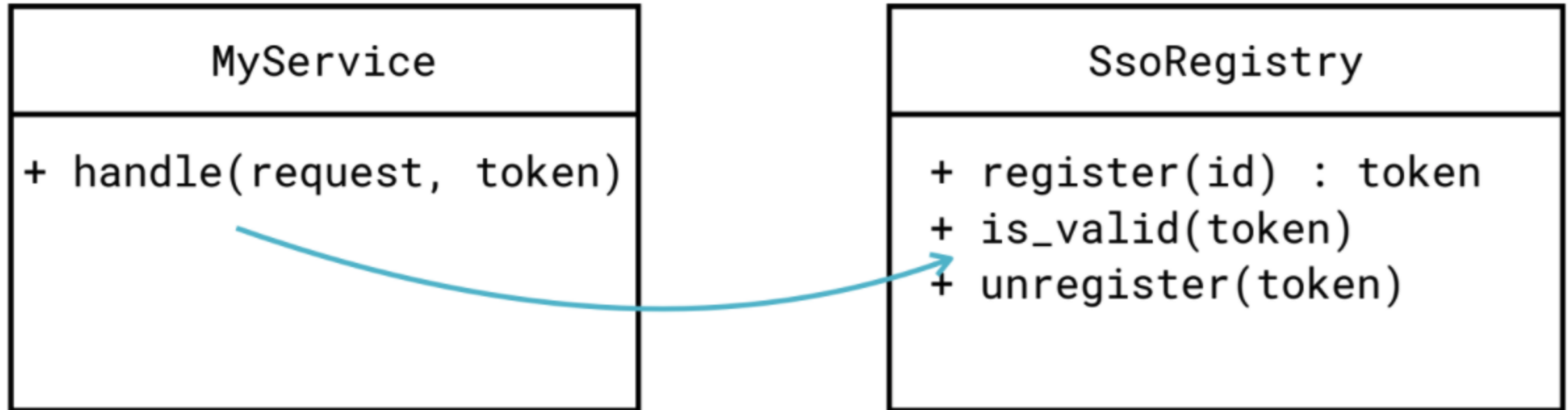
Assert on the method return value

```
def test_alarm_is_off_by_default(self):  
    alarm = Alarm()  
    assert not alarm.is_alarm_on
```

Assert on the alarm state



Single Sign On Example



Parameterised Tests

Branch Coverage

Conditional

Statements executed
when True

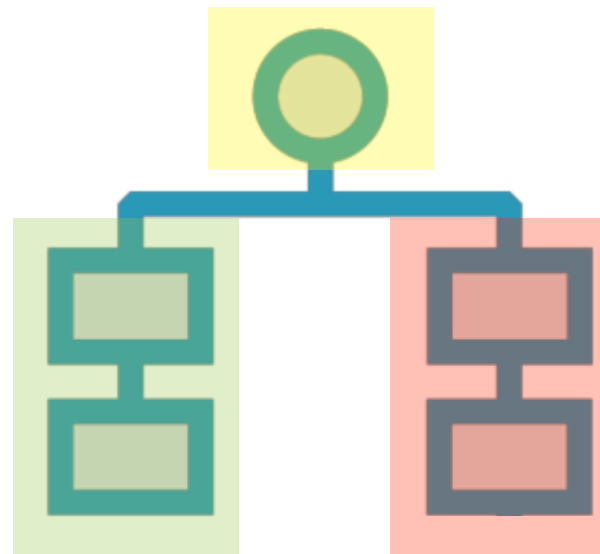


Statements executed
when False

Branch Coverage

Conditional

Statements executed
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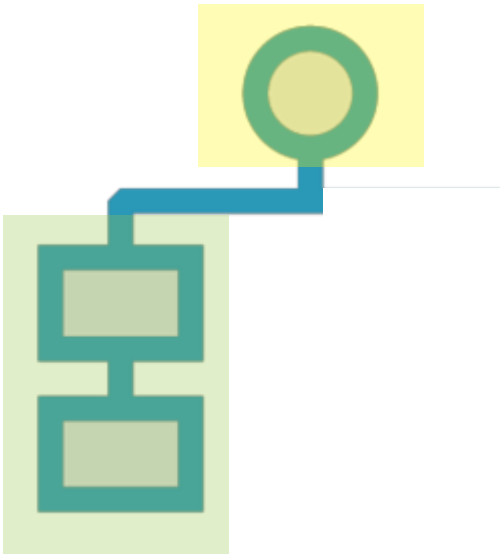


Statements executed
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Branch Coverage

Conditional

Statements executed
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Statements executed
when False



Gilded Rose Example

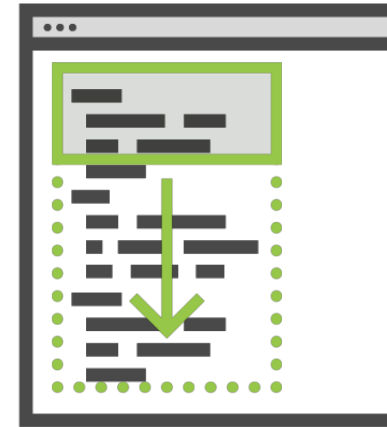


```
def update_quality(self):
    for item in self.items:
        if item.name != "Aged Brie" and item.name != "Backstage":
            if item.quality > 0:
                if item.name != "Sulfuras, Hand of Ragnaros":
                    item.quality = item.quality - 1
            else:
                if item.quality < 50:
                    item.quality = item.quality + 1
                    if item.name == "Backstage passes to a TAFKAL80E":
                        if item.sell_in < 11:
                            if item.quality < 50:
                                item.quality = item.quality + 1
                        if item.sell_in < 6:
                            if item.quality < 50:
                                item.quality = item.quality + 1
        if item.name != "Sulfuras, Hand of Ragnaros":
            item.sell_in = item.sell_in - 1
        if item.sell_in < 0:
            if item.name != "Aged Brie":
```

Situations to use Test Coverage



**Spot missing tests
for new code**



**Adding tests to
existing code**

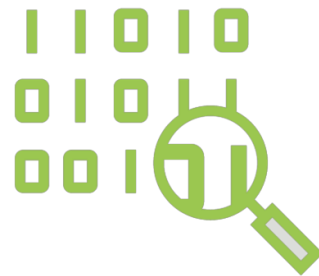
Evaluating Test Quality



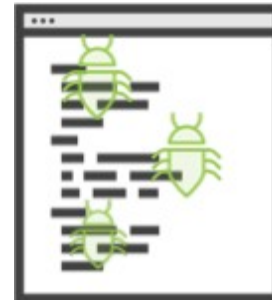
Bugs in
production



Confidence to
refactor



Code
Review



Mutation testing