Automation Specialist I Quick Reference Guide

Key Points

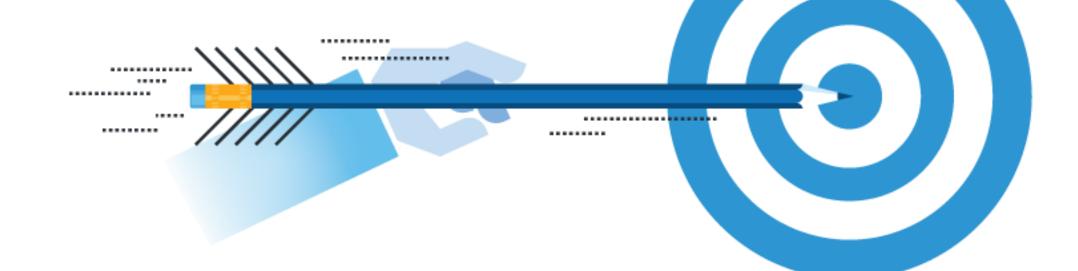


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How to Create a Module

- 1. Scan application page using XScan
- 2. Select necessary Controls
- 3. Uniquely identify each Control
- 4. Rename the Module
- 5. Save



How to Create a ControlGroup

- 1. Select necessary ModuleAttributes
- 2. Right Click
- 3. Choose *Convert to ControlGroup*
- 4. Rename the ControlGroup



How to Create a TestCase Structure

- 1. Create a TestCase and name it
- 2. Create a Test Configuration Parameter
- 3. Create and name TestStep Folders to contain TestSteps



How to Create a TestStep using Drag & Drop

- 1. Locate necessary Module
- 2. Drag and drop it into the appropriate TestStep Folder to create a TestStep
- 3. Rename the TestStep



How to Create a TestStep using Add TestStep Function

- On object where the TestStep should be added, right click and select "Add TestStep" or press "Ctrl+T"
- 2. Type in search characters
- 3. Click on desired Module or use the arrow keys to select and press "Enter"



How to Steer a Control

- Locate the necessary control within a TestStep
- 2. Enter the appropriate Value
- Enter steering instructions using ActionMode and DataType



How to Use Dynamic Dates

- 1. Choose the right Date Expression
- 2. Fill in the base date
- 3. Enter the desired offset
- 4. Enter the desired format



How to Set a Buffer

- Enter a Property (e.g. InnerText) and a Buffer name as the Value of a TestStep Attribute
- 2. Set ActionMode to Buffer



How to Use a Set Buffer

- Enter {B[<Buffername>]} as the Value of a TestStep Attribute
- 2. Set ActionMode to Input or Verify

* Stored values can be viewed in the menu item: Project >> Settings >> Engine >> Buffer



How to Work with Tables

- 1. Select the table control to work with
- Select for row or column either a static value like ,#1' or enter dynamic values like ,#{B[<Buffername>]}'
- 3. Select the cell and enter a value and the corresponding ActionMode for the task



How to Create Reusable TestStepBlocks

- Create a TestStep Library within a TestCase Folder
- Add TestSteps or TestStep Folders to the Library by creating them or dragging and dropping in existing ones



How to Use ActionMode WaitOn

- 1. Enter a Property (e.g. InnerText) as the Value of a TestStepAttribute
- 2. Enter the desired value (e.g. True or The coupon code was applied)
- 3. Set ActionMode to WaitOn



How to Use a Self-Defined Test Configuration Parameter

- Create the Parameter in the Test
 Configuration tab
- 2. Enter its name and value
- 3. Use {CP[ParameterName]} to apply the value



How to Use a Business Parameter

- Create Business Parameters on the Reusable TestStepBlock itself
- 2. Name each Parameter
- 3. Create a Reference to the Reusable TestStepBlock within a TestCase
- 4. Enter Values for each Parameter in each usage of the TestStepBlock



How to Use Dynamic Comparison

- Select a TestStepValue and enter the string you want to verify
- 2. Replace the dynamic portion of the string using {XB[Buffername]}
- 3. Set the ActionMode to Verify



How to Identify by Parent

- 1. Select the control to identify in XScan
- 2. Locate and select its parent control
- 3. Ensure that the parent control is uniquely identifiable
- 4. Save



How to Use ResultCount

- 1. Navigate to the TestStepValue
- 2. Set applicable ActionMode
- 3. Click the blue drop down arrow in the value cell
- Enter ResultCount in the left textbox and select an operator and value



How to Use ExplicitName

- Add Configuration Parameter
 "ExplicitName" to the Module Attribute
- 2. Set the Value to True
- 3. Rename corresponding TestStepValue if applicable



How to Link TestCases to Requirements

Drag and drop the TestCase to the relevant Requirement



How to Execute TestCases

- 1. Create an ExecutionList
- 2. Link TestCase or TestCase Folder by drag and drop
- 3. Link the ExecutionList to the Requirement Set
- 4. Run the ExecutionList
- 5. View results in the ActualLog



How to Define a Recovery Scenario

- 1. Create Recovery Scenario Collection
- 2. Add TestStep to use if an error occurs
- 3. Add CleanUp Scenario if necessary



How to Use ActionMode Constraint

- Steer a TestStepValue which by now exists multiple times
- Set ActionMode to Constraint; select Value to search for all subsequent TestStepValues necessary to make the selection unique



How to Use FireEvent

- Add the Steering parameter
 "FireEvent" to the Module Attribute
- 2. Add the desired FireEvent as the Value



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