

Classes and Objects

How to create a program

Classes

Collection of

- ***Data members*** – to store class or object state
- ***Methods*** – to change and read object state or perform state independent operations

Organization rules

- **Encapsulation** – logically related data and operations
- **Abstraction** – hide implementation, interface of a certain abstraction level
- **Single responsibility** – class is responsible for one task (abstraction dependent)

Class hierarchy

- Reuse of code
- **Inheritance**: Extension of successor class
- **Polymorphism**: change inherited behaviours
- Reflects abstraction hierarchy (general – special connection)

Abstract classes

- Abstract members do not represent business objects, because they are „too generic”. **Can not be instantiated.**
- Body of abstract methods can not be defined.
- To define classes with abstract method
- To specify classes as abstract

Classes for IO

- Separate class(es) according to Single Responsibility
- Create separate classes for IO management
 - Input – reading from console or files
 - Output – writing to console or files
- An I/O class can combine both

Objects

Represent items of the real world (business or system)

Objects are **instances** of classes

All objects of the same type have:

- Custom values of common properties – instance data, instance state
- Shared methods, working on instance data
- Controlled state transitions – consistent internal state descriptors

Object relations

- Data members can store references to other objects
- These references
 - Are **binary** relations (between 2 objects)
 - **Declare** class **associations**
 - **Implement** object **links**

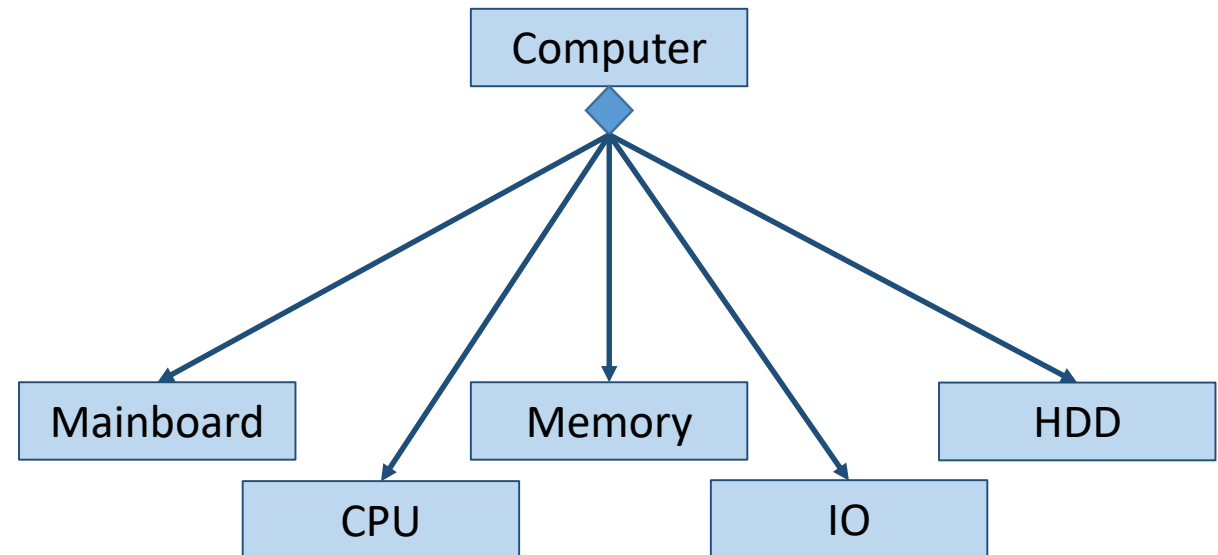


Component association

- Using association, logically an object can contain other objects
- Other words: object can be composition of other (component) objects
- Unlike inheritance, ask with question: HAS-A?
- Composition/component is a special case of association
- There is no reference to the component out of the container

Aggregation

- Multiple component association
- A logical part-whole relationship
- Where parts are components of the whole



Transitivity

Composition and Aggregation are

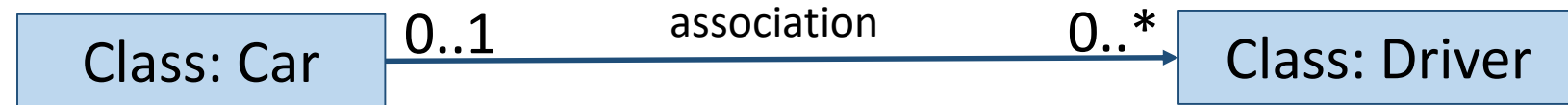
- Transitive – when A is a part of B and B is a part of C then A is a part of C
- Antisymmetric – when A is a part of B, then B is not part of A

Composition is a special case of Aggregation, where the number of components is restricted to 1

Association multiplicity

- Physical link is binary
- Logical association (a logical relation) has multiplicity on both end
- Multiplicity: how many links could be initiated from or end in an object

Association example



Association multiplicity

- Exactly one: 1
- Zero or one: 0..1
- Zero or more: 0..*
- One or more: 1..*
- Interval: 3..8
- Discrete values: 2, 4, 6, 8

Association implementations – links

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Link **data member**

Link **data member** with NULL value

ArrayList, can be empty

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Link restrictions

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Link **data member**

Ctor, get, set

Link **data member** with NULL value

No restriction

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Ctor, add, remove

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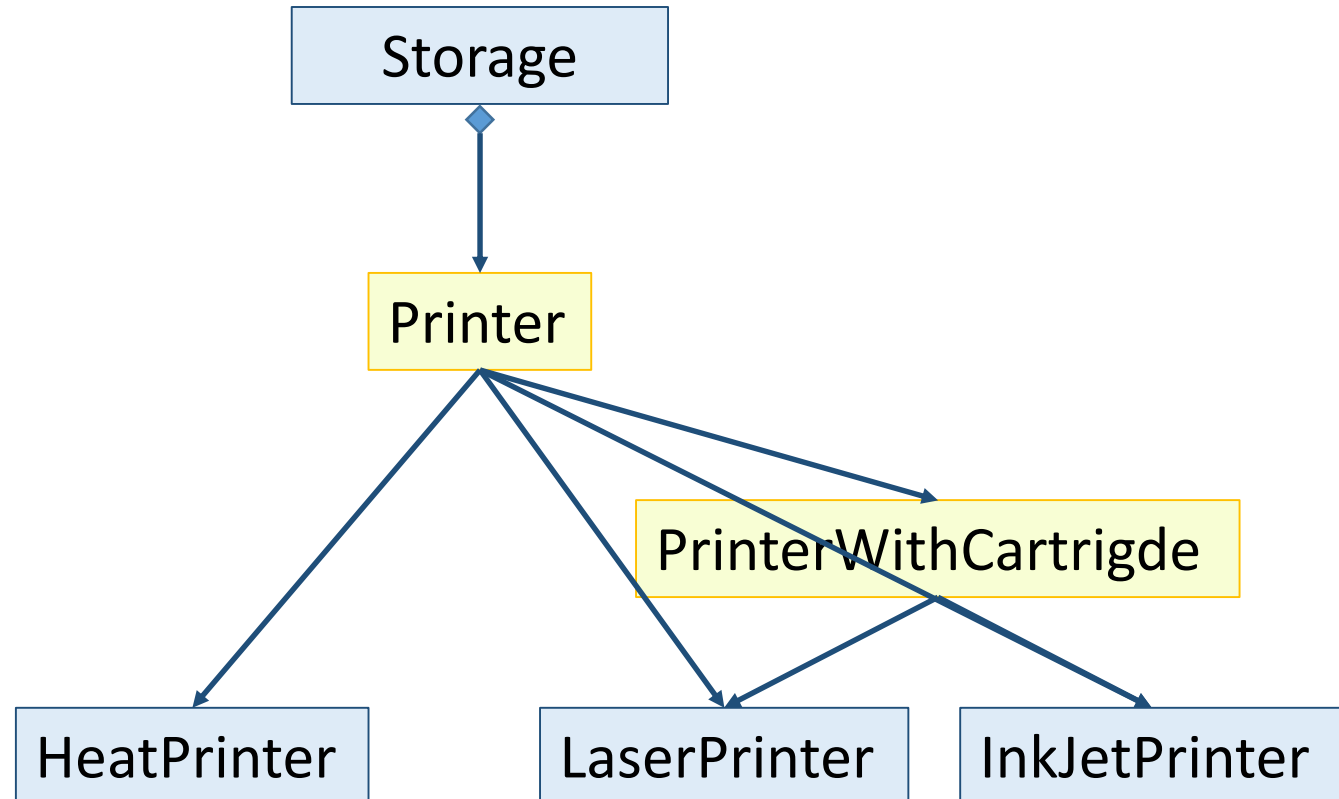
Interfaces

- Associations of classes couple (bind) them to each other
- Create abstraction independent connection in class hierarchy
- Make classes independent (decouple)

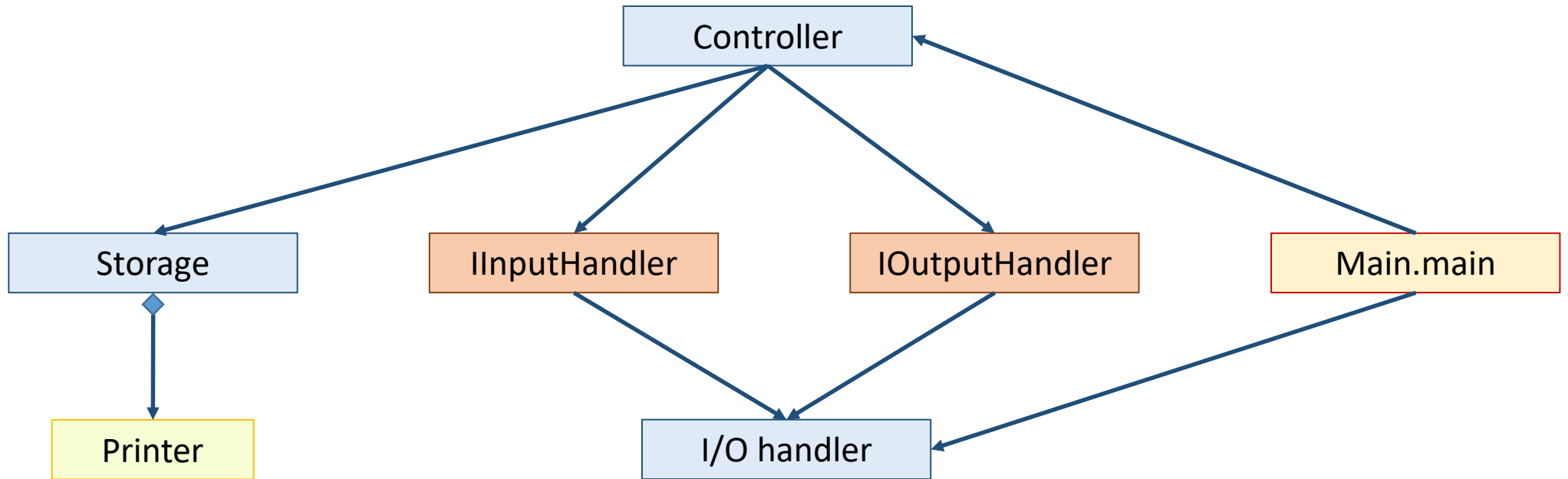
Final step – make it working

- Create Controllers to associate models and IO interfaces
- In execution entry point (`Main.main`) create link to controllers
- On execution
 - Initialize controllers (and models)
 - Handle call to controllers

Create model



Storage, Controller, Main



Compilation support

Maven

Apache Maven (<https://maven.apache.org/>)

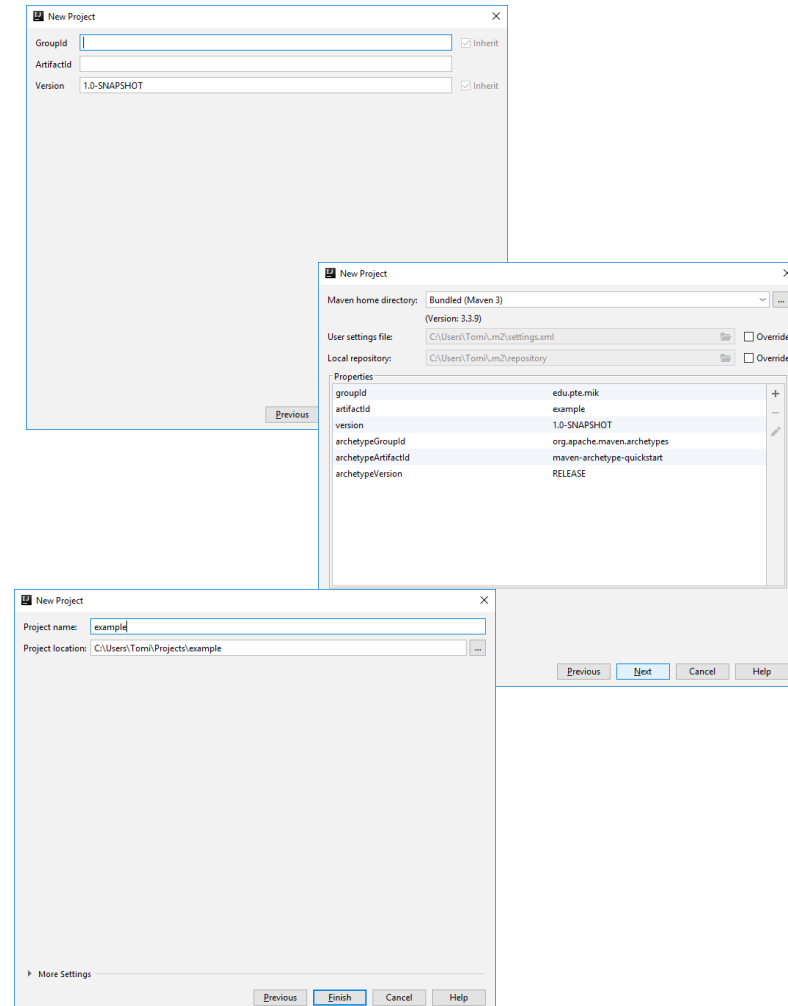
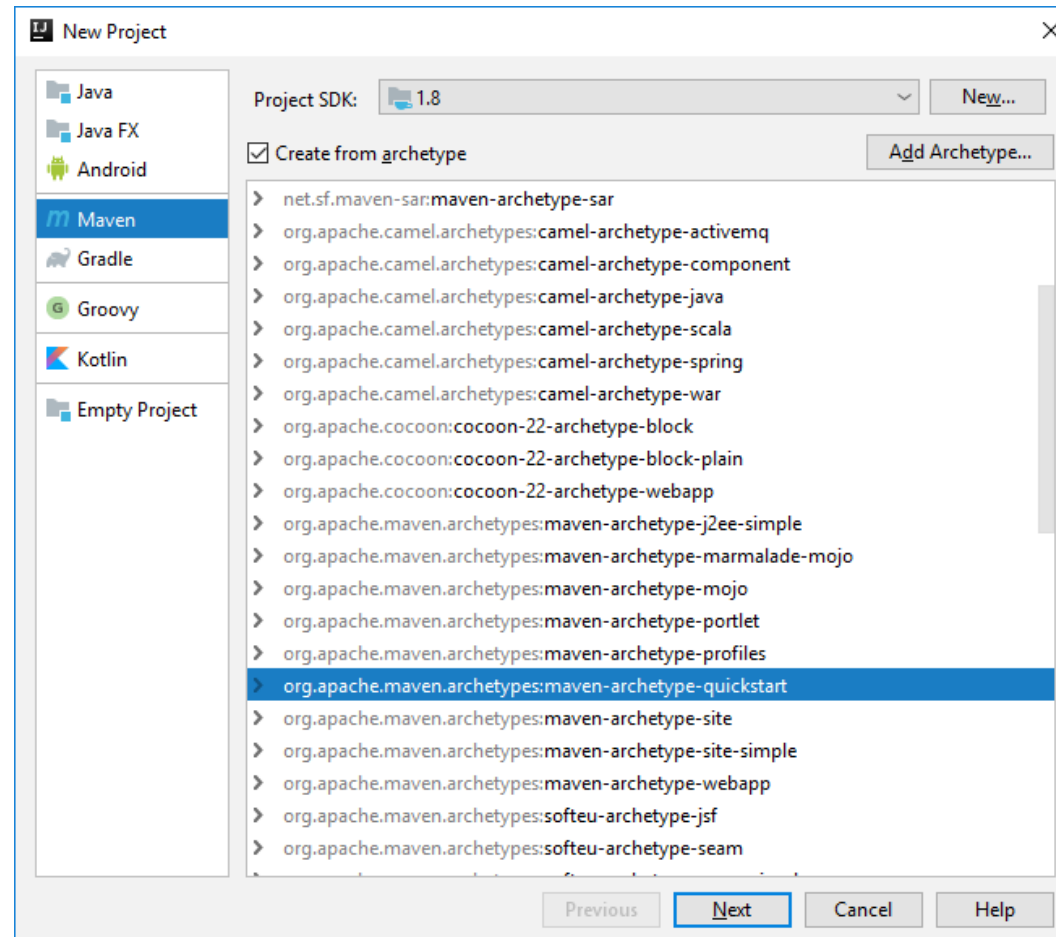
Apache Maven is a software project management tool.

Maven can manage a project's build, reporting and documentation from a central project object model (POM).

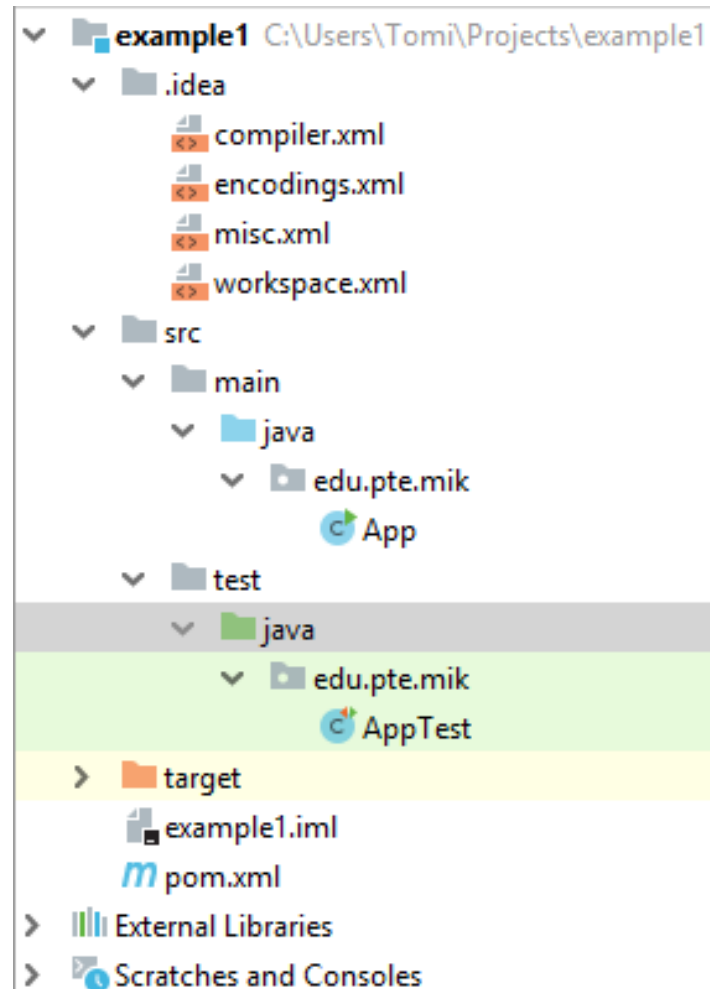
Maven objectives (<https://maven.apache.org/what-is-maven.html>)

- Making the build process easy – hide the details
- Providing a uniform build system – generic knowledge
- Providing quality project information – dependencies, changelog, unit tests
- Providing guidelines for best practices development – separate test sources and environment, applying naming conventions
- Allowing transparent migration to new features – handles plugin and dependency updates

Create Maven project



Project structure



Known components:

- **main** – project sources
- **iml** – idea module descriptor

New components

- **test** – unit test sources
- **pom** – Project Object Model

Project Object Model and dependencies

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>

<project xmlns="http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0" xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
  xsi:schemaLocation="http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0 http://maven.apache.org/xsd/maven-4.0.0.xsd">
  <modelVersion>4.0.0</modelVersion>

  <groupId>edu.pte.mik</groupId>
  <artifactId>example1</artifactId>
  <version>1.0-SNAPSHOT</version>

  <name>example1</name>
  <!-- FIXME change it to the project's website -->
  <url>http://www.example.com</url>

  <properties...>

  <dependencies...>

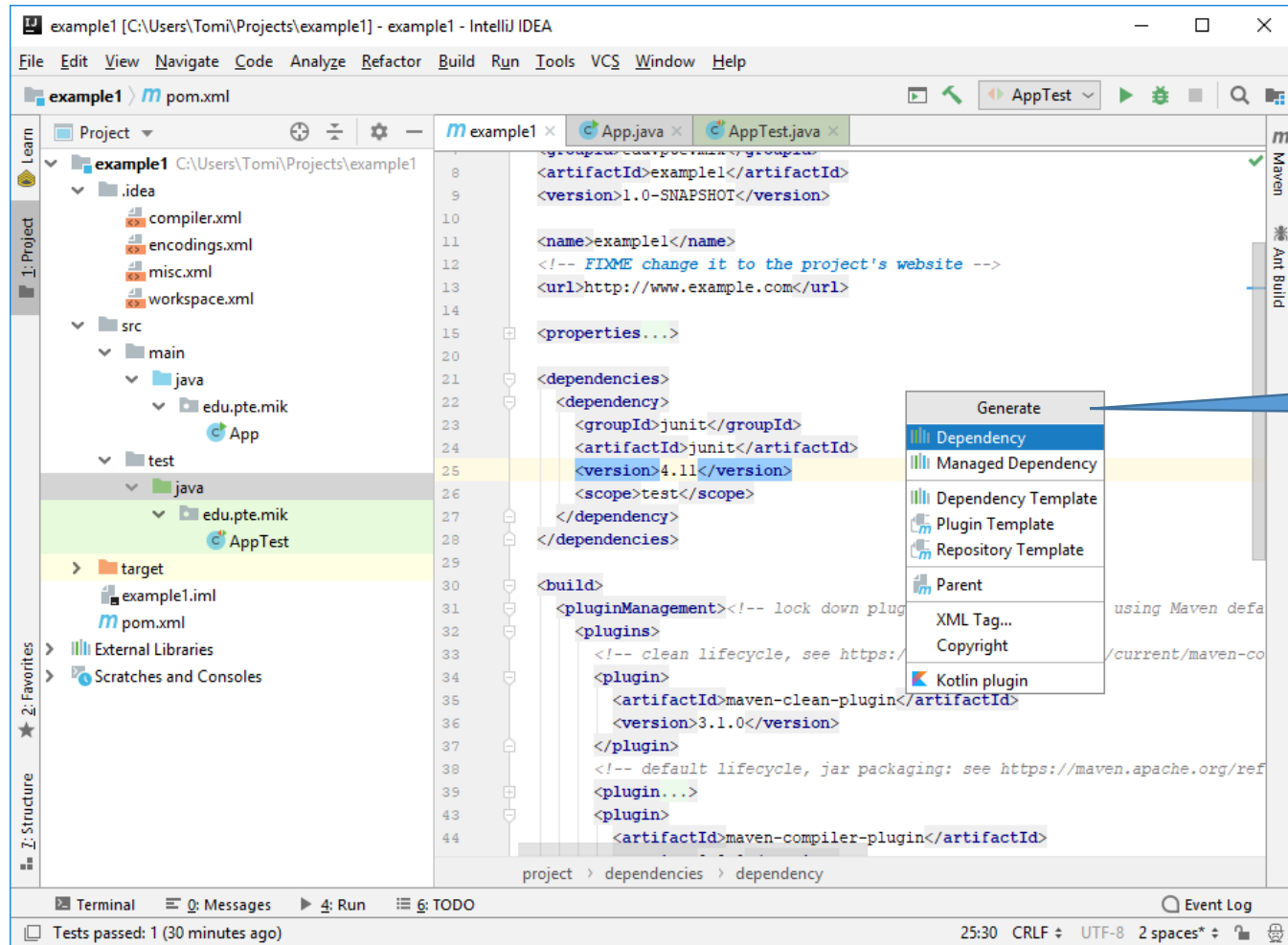
  <build...>
</project>
```

```
<dependencies>
  <dependency>
    <groupId>junit</groupId>
    <artifactId>junit</artifactId>
    <version>4.11</version>
    <scope>test</scope>
  </dependency>
</dependencies>
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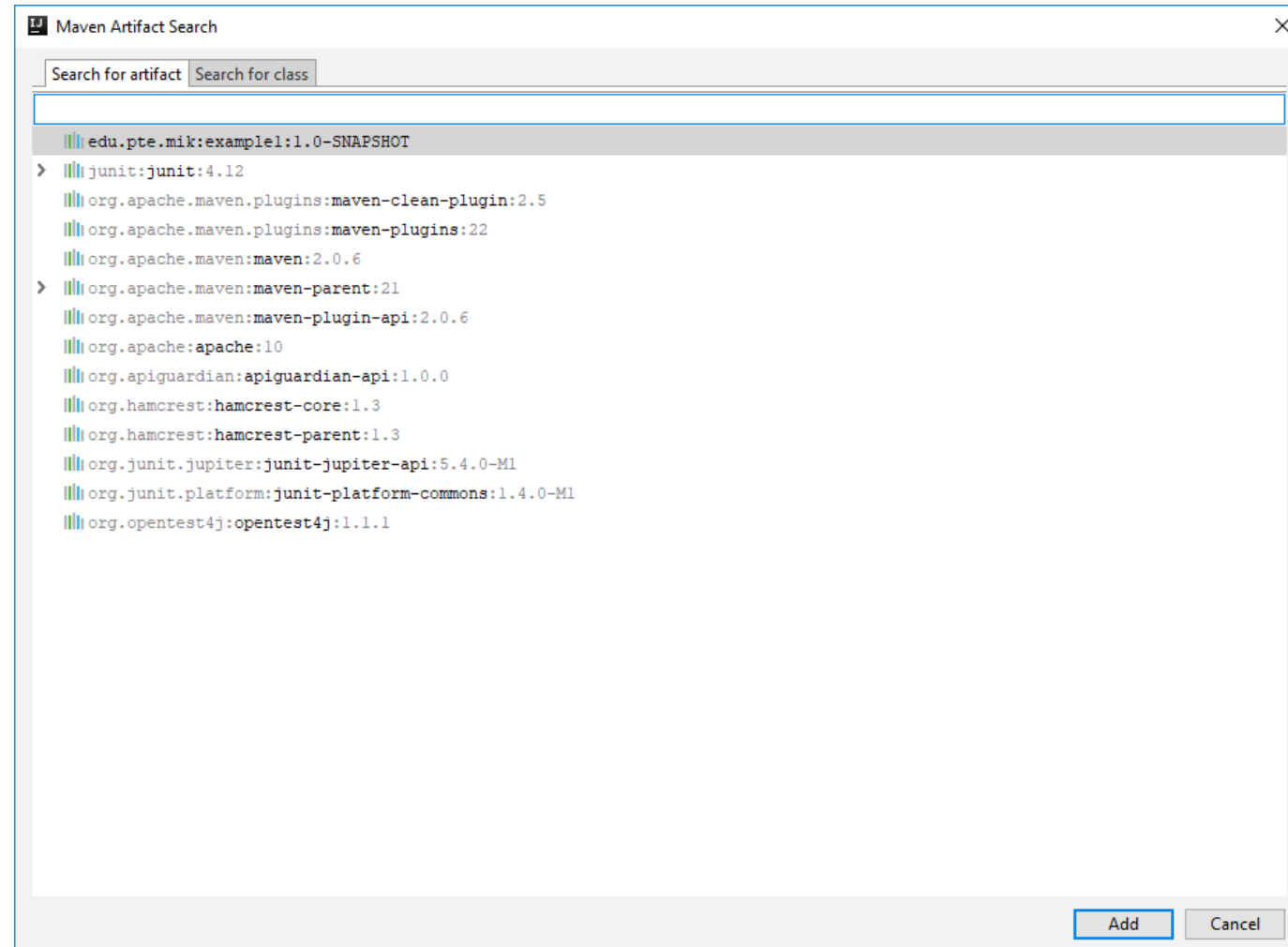
Maven Build

```
<build>
  <pluginManagement><!-- lock down plugins versions to avoid using Maven defaults (may be moved to parent pom) -->
  <plugins>
    <!-- clean lifecycle, see https://maven.apache.org/ref/current/maven-core/lifecycles.html#clean_Lifecycle -->
    <plugin>
      <artifactId>maven-clean-plugin</artifactId>
      <version>3.1.0</version>
    </plugin>
    <!-- default lifecycle, jar packaging: see https://maven.apache.org/ref/current/maven-core/default-bindings.html#Plugin_bindings_for_jar_packaging -->
    <plugin...>
    <plugin>
      <artifactId>maven-compiler-plugin</artifactId>
      <version>3.8.0</version>
    </plugin>
    <plugin...>
    <plugin...>
    <plugin>
      <artifactId>maven-install-plugin</artifactId>
      <version>2.5.2</version>
    </plugin>
    <plugin>
      <artifactId>maven-deploy-plugin</artifactId>
      <version>2.8.2</version>
    </plugin>
    <!-- site lifecycle, see https://maven.apache.org/ref/current/maven-core/lifecycles.html#site_Lifecycle -->
    <plugin...>
    <plugin>
      <artifactId>maven-project-info-reports-plugin</artifactId>
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    </plugin>
  </plugins>
</pluginManagement>
</build>
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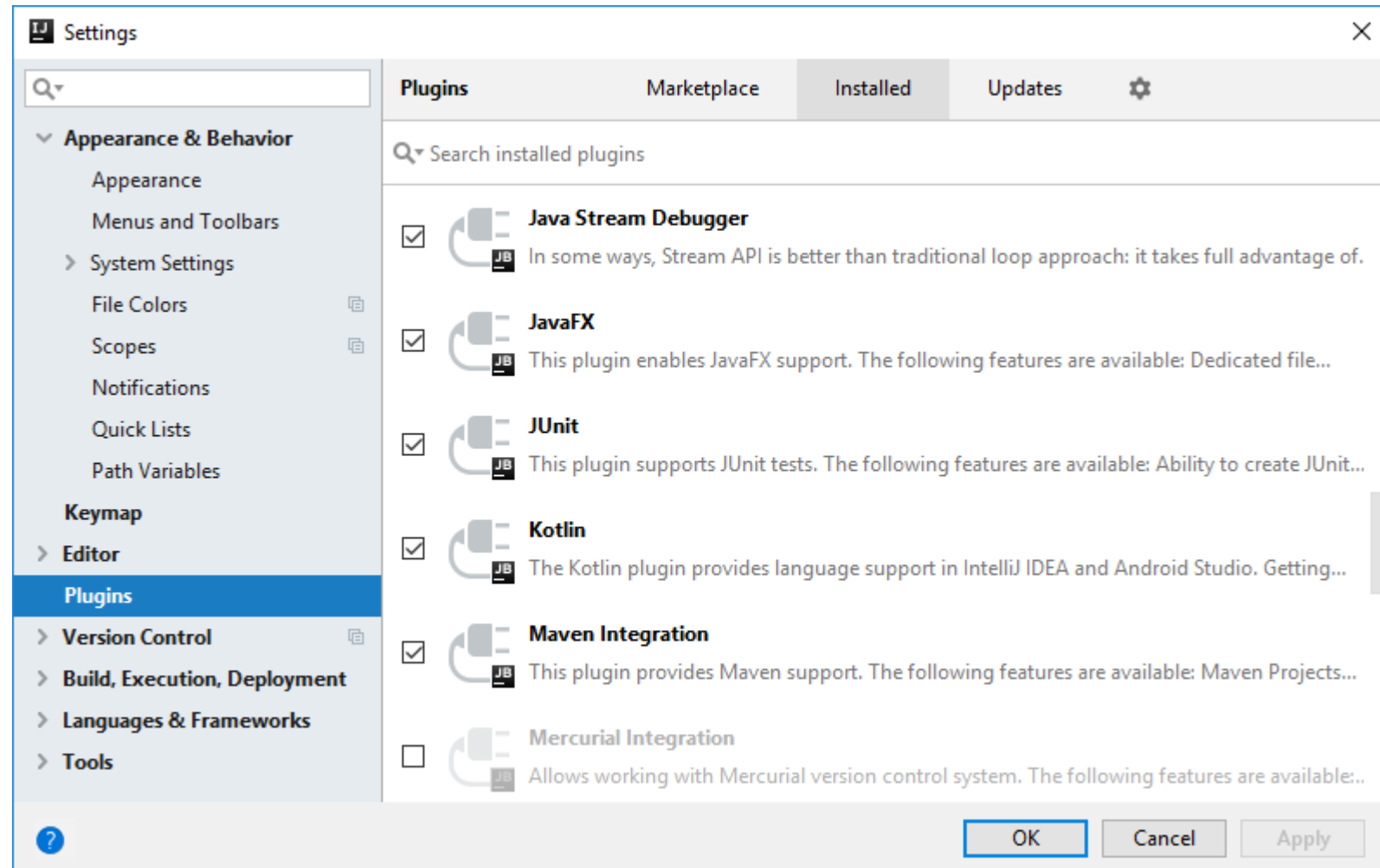
Manage dependencies



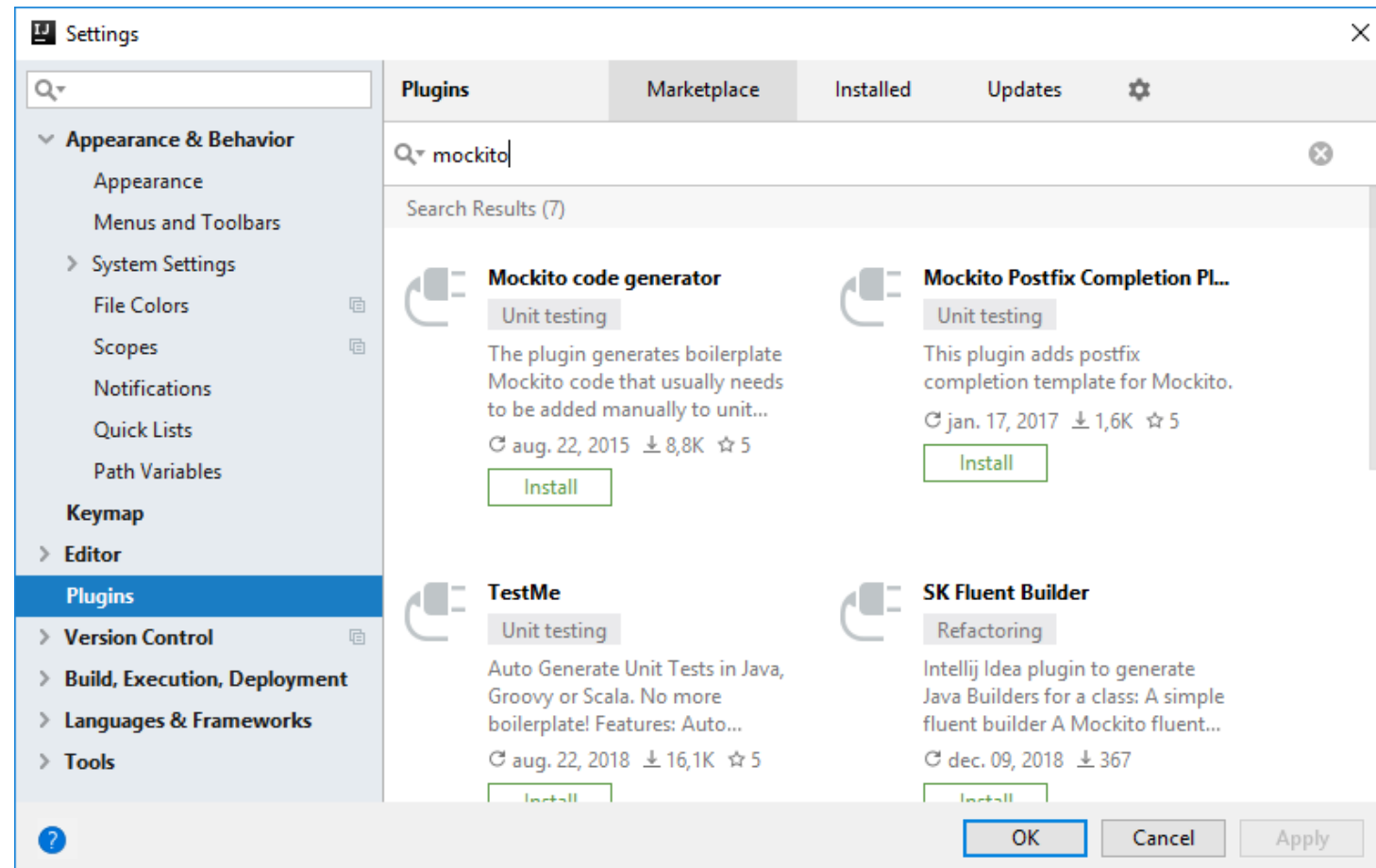
Select dependencies



Installed plugins



Add plugins



Automated tests

Junit, Mockito

Types of tests

- **Unit** test – low level tests of source codes
- **Integration** test – verify that modules and services work well together
- **Functional** test – focus on business requirements
- **End-to-end** test – user flow tests
- **Acceptance** test – formal tests of business requirements of the whole application
- **Smoke** test – reduced set of tests of basic functionalities, runs fast
- **Regression** test – set of tests to verify that system did not fall back to a previous state

Program unit

- The smallest testable part of the code
- In OOP
 - A class
 - An interface

Unit tests

Short code fragments (usually written by developers) to test

- Individual units of source code
- Set of modules
- Usage procedures
- Operating procedures

together with control data are tested

Code coverage

Unit test are related to source code units.

One measure of tests is the coverage of source code by tests

This approach is false, because it is based on implementation, does not identify design or implementation errors

Testing important parts

Better approach is to identify important or dangerous cases.

Some of them can be identified by the developer based on representation, storage or computation knowledge or experience

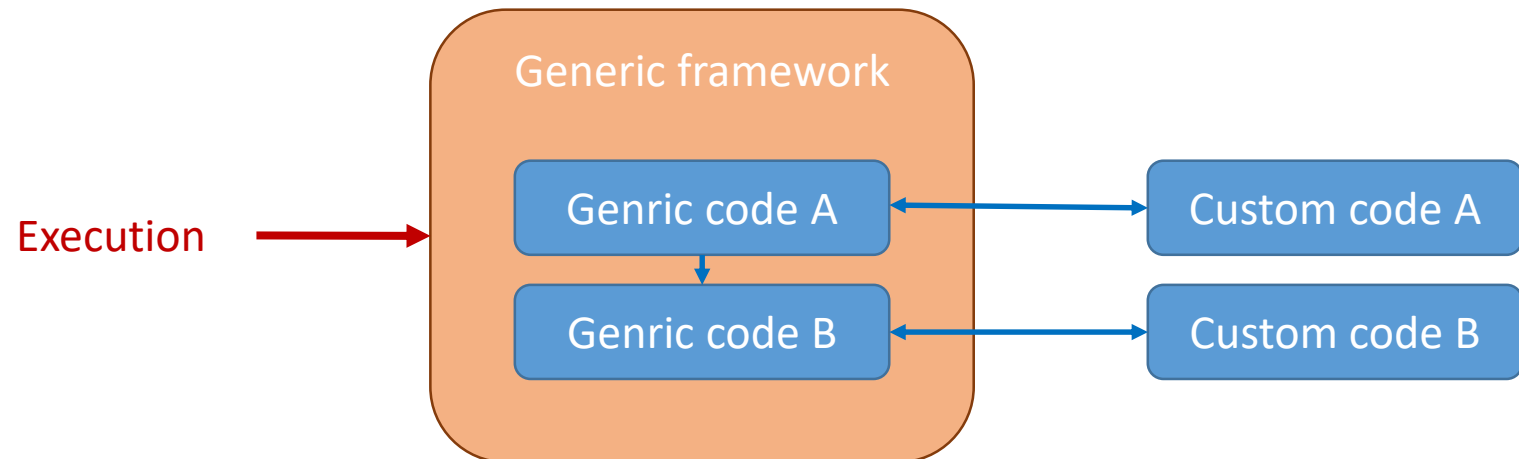
But some cases can be identified by system designers or domain experts, because they understand the full process and input/output data

Data (User story) based approach

Frameworks

Inversion of control

- specialized, custom portions of a computer program receive
- the flow of control
- from a generic framework.



JUnit

Up-to-date foundation of developer-side testing on the JVM.

An instance of xUnit architecture for java language.

A simple unit testing framework to write repeatable, automated tests.

Can be installed as an IDEA plugin

IDEA is able to generate test classes

Tests can be injected into the framework

Can be run independently from the application

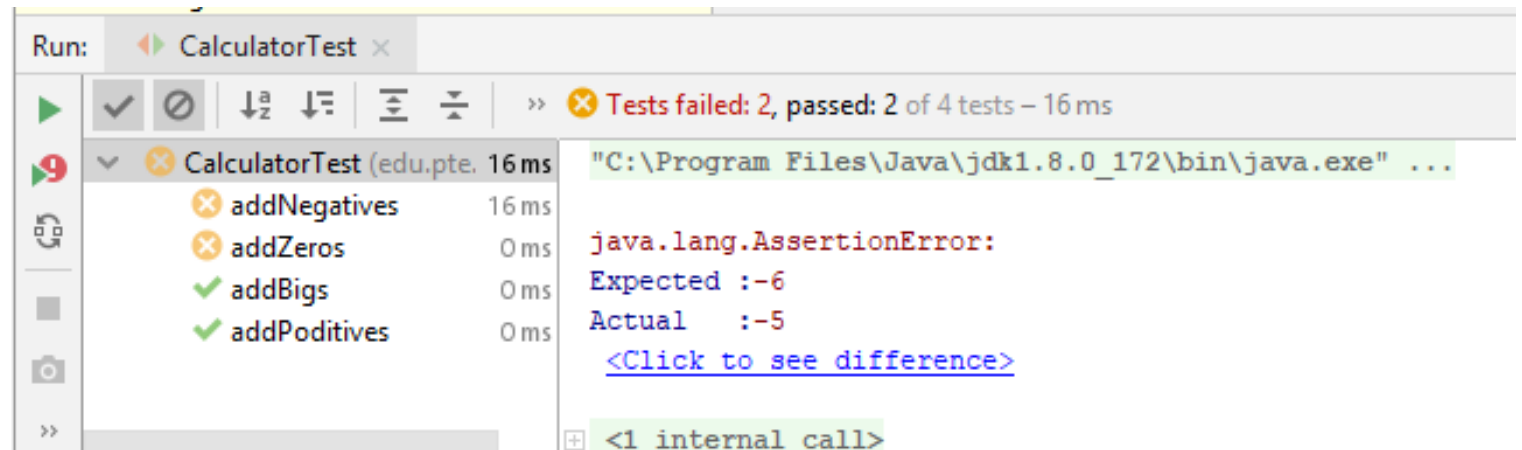
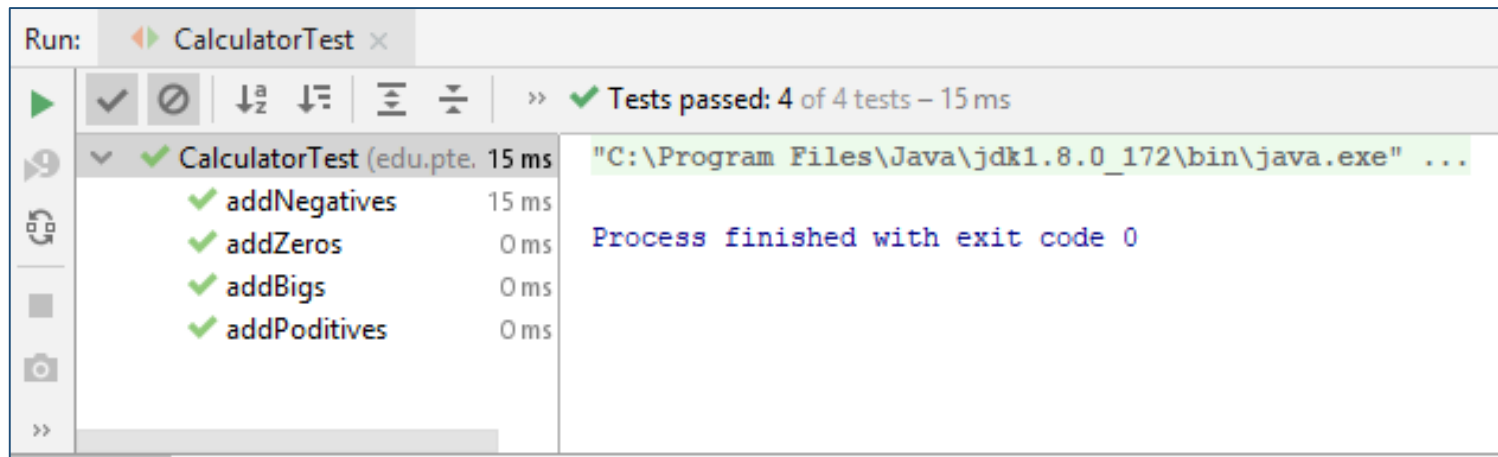
Unit tests can be run parallel

Unit tests

```
public class Calculator {  
    public static int add(int a, int b) {  
        return a+b;  
    }  
}
```

```
public class CalculatorTest {  
    @Test  
    public void addPositives()  
    {  
        assertEquals( expected: 5, Calculator.add( a: 3, b: 2));  
    }  
  
    @Test  
    public void addNegatives()  
    {  
        assertEquals( expected: -5, Calculator.add( a: -3, b: -2));  
    }  
  
    @Test  
    public void addZeros()  
    {  
        assertEquals( expected: 0, Calculator.add( a: 0, b: 0));  
    }  
  
    @Test  
    public void addBigs()  
    {  
        assertEquals( expected: 2000000000, Calculator.add( a: 1000000000, b: 1000000000));  
    }  
}
```

Unit test results



Mock objects

Mock objects are simulated objects that **mimic** the behavior of real objects in **controlled ways**.

This is used to test class associations and dependencies.

No need to test more units together.

Mockito (<https://site.mockito.org/>)

- Mockito is a mocking framework that lets you write beautiful tests with a clean & simple API
- Mockito mocks are often *ready* without expensive setup upfront. They aim to be transparent and let the developer to focus on testing selected behavior rather than absorb attention.
- Mockito has very slim API, almost no time is needed to start mocking. There is only one kind of mock, there is only one way of creating mocks.

Mockito features

- Mocks concrete classes as well as interfaces
- Little annotation syntax sugar - @Mock
- Verification errors are clean – clean stack trace
- Allows flexible verification in order (verify what you want, not every single interaction)
- Supports exact-number-of-times and at-least-once verification
- Flexible verification using argument matchers (reflection-based equality matching)
- Allows creating custom argument matchers or using existing hamcrest matchers

Hamcrest – matcher framework

- Hamcrest is a framework for writing matcher objects allowing ‘match’ rules to be defined declaratively.
- There are a number of situations where matchers are invaluable, such as UI validation, or data filtering, but it is in the area of writing flexible tests that matchers are most commonly used.