

# Lab jUnit

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## 3. Using jUnit - from <http://www.vogella.com/articles/JUnit/article.html>

### 3.1. Preparation

Create a new project `LabJUnit`. We want to create the unit tests in a separate folder. The creation of a separate folder for tests is not mandatory. But it is a good practice to keep the code separated from the regular code. You might even create a separate project for the test classes, but we skip this step to make this example simpler.

Create a new source folder `test` by right-clicking on a project and selecting `New → Source Folder`.

### 3.2. Create a Java class

In the "src" folder, create the `labJUnit` package and the following class.

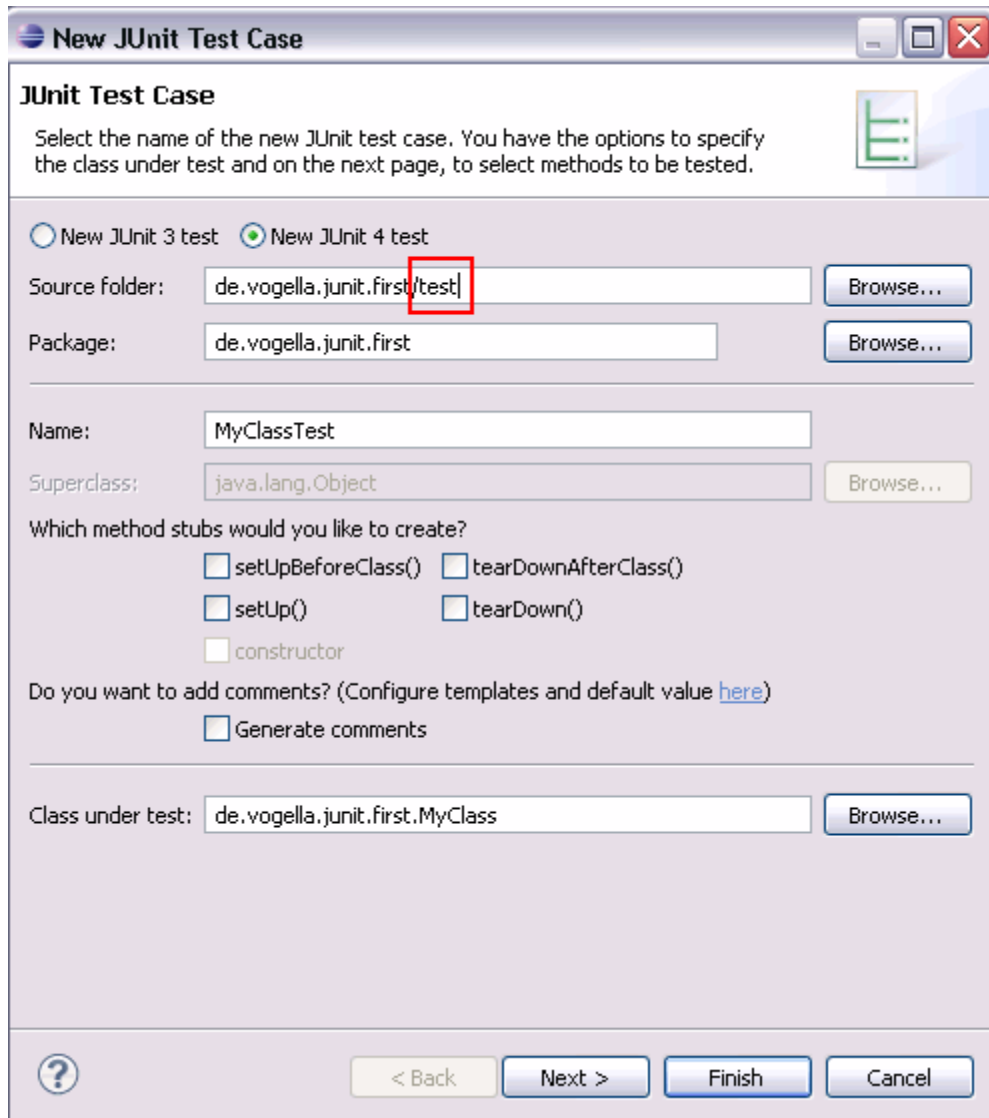
```
package labJUnit

public class MyClass {
    public int multiply(int x, int y) {
        return x / y;
    }
}
```

### 3.3. Create a JUnit test

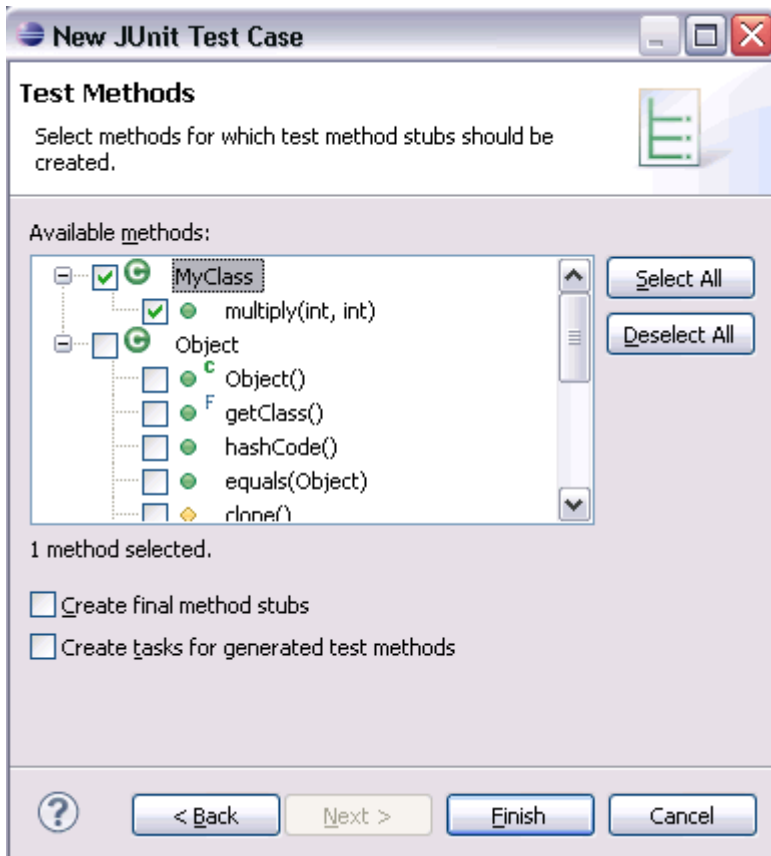
Right click on your new class in the Package Explorer and select New → JUnit Test Case. Select "New JUnit 4 test" and set the source folder to "test", so that your test class gets created in this folder.

Note: The folder and package names throughout the tutorial are different because I changed them

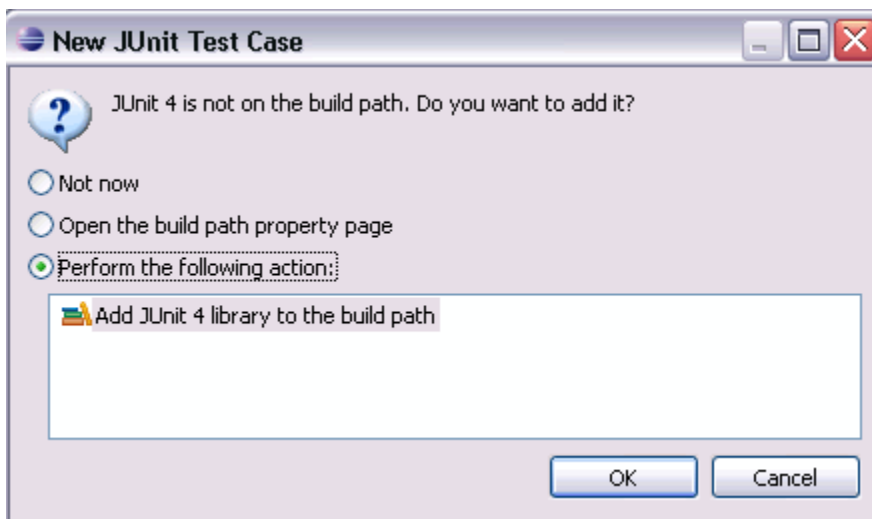


The screenshot shows the 'New JUnit Test Case' dialog box. The title bar says 'New JUnit Test Case'. Inside, the 'JUnit Test Case' section has a description: 'Select the name of the new JUnit test case. You have the options to specify the class under test and on the next page, to select methods to be tested.' Below this, there are two radio buttons: 'New JUnit 3 test' (unselected) and 'New JUnit 4 test' (selected). The 'Source folder:' text box contains 'de.vogella.junit.first/test' and is highlighted with a red rectangle. To its right is a 'Browse...' button. The 'Package:' text box contains 'de.vogella.junit.first' with a 'Browse...' button. The 'Name:' text box contains 'MyClassTest'. The 'Superclass:' text box contains 'java.lang.Object' with a 'Browse...' button. Below these, a section titled 'Which method stubs would you like to create?' has five checkboxes: 'setUpBeforeClass()' (unchecked), 'tearDownAfterClass()' (unchecked), 'setUp()' (unchecked), 'tearDown()' (unchecked), and 'constructor' (checked). Below this is a question 'Do you want to add comments? (Configure templates and default value [here](#))' with a 'Generate comments' checkbox (unchecked). At the bottom, the 'Class under test:' text box contains 'de.vogella.junit.first.MyClass' with a 'Browse...' button. The bottom of the dialog has a help icon, a '< Back' button, a 'Next >' button, a 'Finish' button, and a 'Cancel' button.

Press "Next" and select the methods which you want to test.



If the JUnit library is not part of your classpath, Eclipse will prompt you to do so.



Create a test with the following code.

```
package de.vogella.junit.first;  
  
import org.junit.Test;
```

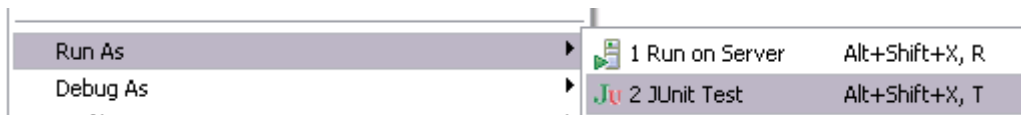
```
import static org.junit.Assert.assertEquals;

public class MyClassTest {

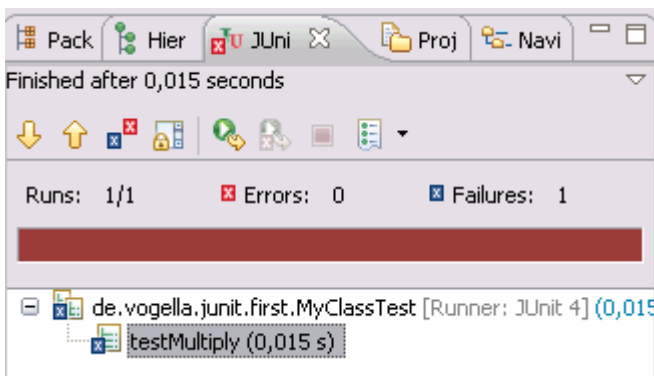
    @Test
    public void testMultiply() {
        MyClass tester = new MyClass();
        assertEquals("Result", 50, tester.multiply(10, 5));
    }
}
```

### 3.4. Run your test via Eclipse

Right click on your new test class and select Run-As → JUnit Test.



The result of the tests will be displayed in the JUnit View.

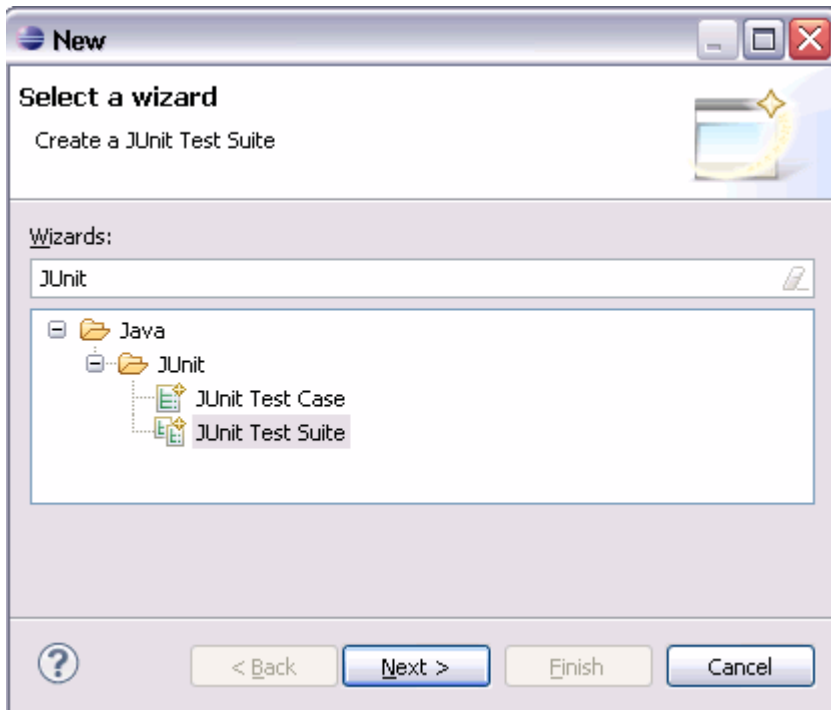


The test should be failing (indicated via a red bar).

This is because our multiplier class is currently not working correctly (it does a division instead of multiplication). Fix the bug and re-run test to get a green bar.

If you have several tests you can combine them into a test suite. Running a test suite will execute all tests in that suite.

To create a test suite, select your test classes → right click on it → New → Other → JUnit → Test Suite.



Select "Next" and select the methods for which you want to create a test.

Change the code to the following to make your test suite run your test. If you develop another test later you can add it to `@Suite.SuiteClasses`.

```
package mypackage;

import org.junit.runner.RunWith;
import org.junit.runners.Suite;

@RunWith(Suite.class)
@Suite.SuiteClasses({ MyClassTest.class })
public class AllTests {
}
```

### 3.5. Run your test via code

You can also run your tests from via your own code. The class `org.junit.runner.JUnitCore` provides the method `runClasses()` which allows you to run one or several tests classes. As a return parameter you receive an object of the type `org.junit.runner.Result`. This object can be used to retrieve information about the tests.

In your "test" folder create a new class `MyTestRunner` with the following code. This class will execute your test class and write potential failures to the console.

```
package de.vogella.junit.first;

import org.junit.runner.JUnitCore;
import org.junit.runner.Result;
import org.junit.runner.notification.Failure;

public class MyTestRunner {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Result result = JUnitCore.runClasses(MyClassTest.class);
        for (Failure failure : result.getFailures()) {
            System.out.println(failure.toString());
        }
    }
}
```

Last but not least modify the main method so that it prints the number of tests run, the number of tests passed and the number of tests that failed. (labeled)