**Test Driven:  
Practical Tdd And Acceptance Tdd For Java Developers**

**primer** /'praImE/  
1, [n. C.] (North AmE)a book that contains basic instructions.

**stumble** /'stVmbl/ vi.   
to hit your foot against on something while you are walking or running and almost fall.  
The child stubbled and fell.

**obstacle** /'ObstEkl/ n. C.  
a situation, an event, etc. that makes it diffcult for you to do or achieve something.  
(obstacle to do something / to doing something)  
 You don’t have to crawl over the same obstacles.

**discrepancy** /'dIscrepEnsI/ [C. U.]  
a difference between two or more things that should be the same.  
 - discrepancy in something  
 - discrepancey between A and B  
 What are the reasons for the discrepancy between girls’ and boys’ performance in school?

**moderator** [n.C.]  
a person whose job is to help the two sides in a disagreement to reach a agreement.

**lobby** [C.]   
a large area inside the entrance of a public building where people can meet and wait

**philanthropic** /;fIlEn'TrXpIk/ adj.  
connected with the partice of helping the poor and those in need, especially by giving money.  
philanthropic work.

**intricacy** /'IntrIkEsi/  
[C.] the complicated part or detial of something.  
the intricacies of encomic policy.

**commodity** /kE'mOdEti/  
[C.] (formal) a thing that is usefull or has a useful quality  
Water is a predicous commodity.

throughput /'Tru:pUt/   
[C.U.] the amount of work that is done, or the number of people are dealt with, in a particular period of time.  
high/low throughput.  
The developer’s job is to help systems to improve throughput.

**wreak**[vt.] (fromal) to do great damage or harm to somebody or something.  
He swore to wreak vengeance on those who had betrayed him.  
**havoc**[n.U.] a situation in which there is a lot of damage, destruction of confusion.  
**wreak havoc**   
Their policies would wreak havoc on economy.

**buy a pig in a poke/sack** : to buy something without fisrt fully examing it.

**vicious** /'vISEs/   
[adj.] violent and cruel.  
a vicious attact.

**recapitulate** /;ri:kEpItSUleIt/ = **recap**  
[vt. vi.] (fromal) to repeat or give a summary of what has already been said, decided, etc.  
To recapitulate briefly....  
To recap what we have learned about TDD so far...

**remedy** /'remEdI/  
[vt.] (remedy something) to correct or improve something.  
to remedy a problem.  
[n.C] (plural. remedies) a way of dealing with or improving an unpleasant or difficult situation.  
remedy for something : There is no simple remedy for unemployment.

**come up with something**(no passive) to find or produce an answer, a sum of money, etc.  
She came up with a new idea for increasing sales.

**bound**   
[adj.] certain or likely to happen, or to do or be something.  
**be bound to do/be something**There are bound to be changes when the new system is introduced.

**aforementioned** /E;fO:'menSEnd/   
[adj.] (*also* **aforesaid**) (formal, law) mentioned before, in an eaylier sentence.  
The aforementioned person was seen acting suspeciously.

**granule** /'grQnju:l/   
[n. C. usually plural] a small hard piece of something; a small grain.  
instant coffee granules.  
**granularity** /;gQnj:uLQrEtI/   
[n. U.] the state of including a lot of small details.

**strive**[vi.] (fomal) to try very hard to achieve something.  
strive for/againt/to do something.  
She strove to find a solution that was acceptable to all.

**preceive** /pE'si:v/  
1, [vt.] to notice or become aware of something.  
I perceived a change in his behivour.  
2, [vt.] to understand or think of sb./sth. in a particular way.  
This discovery was perceived as a major breakthrough.

**rationale** /;rQSEnA:l/  
[n.] (formal) the principles or reasons which explain a particular decision, course of action, belief, etc.  
The rationale behind slicing a bigger goal into small tests is two-fold.

**outright**[adv.]   
1, in a direct way without trying to hide anything.  
2, clearly and completely.  
... or outright complex to be manageable.  
Neight canditdate won outright.   
[adj.]   
1, open and direct.  
2, complete and total

**mindset**   
[n.] a set of attitude or fixed ideas that somebody has and that are diffcult to change.  
a conservative mindset.

**anticipate** /Qn'tIcIpeIt/   
[vt.]   
1, to expect something.  
We don’t anticipate any major problems.  
2, to see what might in the future and take actioin to prepare for it.   
We need someone who can anticipate and responds to changes in fashion industry.