

# Automation using Playwright



# FLOWCHART

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graph TD; Start --> V1[v]; V1 --> Set[Set up environment variables]; Set --> V2[v]; V2 --> Launch[Launch browser]; Launch --> V3[v]; V3 --> Navigate[Navigate to URL]; Navigate --> V4[v]; V4 --> Handle[Handle login]; Handle --> V5[v]; V5 --> Screenshot1[Take homepage screenshot]; Screenshot1 --> V6[v]; V6 --> Interact[Interact with elements]; Interact --> V7[v]; V7 --> Screenshot2[Take new project screenshot]; Screenshot2 --> V8[v]; V8 --> Run[Run screenshot tests]; Run --> V9[v]; V9 --> Send[Send email with screenshots and test results]; Send --> V10[v]; V10 --> End;
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Launch browser  
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Navigate to URL  
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Handle login  
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Take homepage screenshot  
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Take new project screenshot  
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Run screenshot tests  
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Send email with screenshots and test results  
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End



# Libraries used

## `logging:`

This library is used to configure and manage logging in your script.

It helps you track the progress and identify any issues by logging messages to a file and the console.

## `os:`

The `os` module provides a way to interact with the operating system.

It is used to handle file paths, environment variables, and other OS-related tasks.

## `asyncio:`

This library is used for writing asynchronous code in Python. It allows you to run multiple tasks concurrently,

which is useful for handling I/O-bound operations like web scraping and network requests.

## `playwright.async_api:`

Playwright is a library for automating web browsers.

The `async_api` module provides asynchronous functions to interact with web pages, such as launching a browser, navigating to a URL, and taking screenshots.



### `smtplib:`

This library is used for sending emails using the Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (SMTP). It allows you to connect to an SMTP server and send emails with attachments.

### `email.mime.multipart, email.mime.text, email.mime.image:`

These modules are part of the email package and are used to create and manage email messages with multiple parts, such as text and image attachments.

### `pytest:`

Pytest is a testing framework for Python.

It is used to write and run tests, making it easier to ensure that your code works as expected.

### `PIL (Python Imaging Library):`

The PIL library, specifically the Image module, is used for opening, manipulating, and saving image files.

It helps you verify that the screenshots taken by Playwright are valid images.

### `sys:`

The sys module provides access to some variables and functions that interact with the Python runtime environment.

It is used to handle command-line arguments and manage the standard input/output streams.



### `io:`

The `io` module provides tools for working with streams, such as reading and writing data to files or in-memory buffers.

The `StringIO` class is used to capture the output of the tests.

### `datetime:`

The `datetime` module supplies classes for manipulating dates and times.

It is used to generate timestamps for logging and email subjects.



Step 1: Environment Variables for setting up HTTP and HTTPS proxies

```
$env:HTTP_PROXY = "http://10.74.207.16:8080"  
$env:HTTPS_PROXY = "http://10.74.207.16:8080"
```

Step 2: Installing necessary packages

```
python -m pip install --upgrade pip --proxy=http://10.74.207.16:8080  
pip install --proxy=http://10.74.207.16:8080 playwright  
pip install --proxy=http://10.74.207.16:8080 pytest-playwright
```

Step 3: Setting up the virtual environment

```
# Deactivate virtual environment first  
Deactivate
```

```
# Remove the existing virtual environment  
Remove-Item -Recurse -Force venv
```

```
# Create a new virtual environment  
python -m venv newvenv
```

```
# Activate the new environment  
.\venv\Scripts\activate
```



## Importing modules and configuring logging

```
import logging
import os
import asyncio
from playwright.async_api import async_playwright
import smtplib
from email.mime.multipart import MIMEMultipart
from email.mime.text import MIMEText
from email.mime.image import MIMEImage
import pytest
from PIL import Image
import sys
from io import StringIO
import datetime

# Configure logging
logging.basicConfig(
    level=logging.INFO,
    format='%(asctime)s - %(levelname)s - %(message)s',
    handlers=[
        logging.FileHandler('automation.log'),
        logging.StreamHandler()
    ]
)
logger = logging.getLogger(__name__)
```



