

How to Create DataProvider methods in Seperate Class?

-> Create a new class

Define a method and annotate this methods with @DataProvider

-> To use dataprovider method in Test class we have two approach

1) By extending DataProvider class in Test Class

2) By using dataProviderClass attribute of @Test annotatio as below

```
public class DataSupplier {
    @DataProvider(indices = {0,1})
    public Iterator<String[]> loginData()
    {
        List<String[]> list=new ArrayList<>();

        String arr2[]=new String[] {"mm","ggg","jj"};
        String arr3[]=new String[] {"pppp","aaa","qqqq"};

        list.add(new String[] {"123","xyz","KKK"});
        list.add(arr2);
        list.add(arr3);
        return list.iterator();
    }
}
```

```
@Test(dataProvider ="loginData",dataProviderClass =
    DataSupplier.class)
public void loginOrangeHrm(String[] obj)
{
    for (String string : obj) {
        System.out.println(string);
    }
    System.out.println("====");
}
```

Second approach : By extending DataProvider class

```
public class DemoTest extends DataSupplier{

    @Test(dataProvider ="loginData")
    public void loginOrangeHrm(String[] obj)
    {
        for (String string : obj) {
            System.out.println(string);
        }
        System.out.println("====");
    }

}
```

Can we separete dataProvider from Test class?

Ans:-> yes

Q. Can we store multiple dataprovider in dataProvider class?

Ans -> yes

Q. Can we have multiple dataprovider classes in the Project?

Ans:-> Yes

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## ##Integration of Excel with DataProvider

To do integration of Excel with DataProvider we need to follow below steps

- 1) We need to add jar files if project Simple Project  
we need to add dependency if project is Maven
- 2) We need to add either Apache POI or JXL

As we now that excel file has extention either .xls or .xlsx

Apache POI read the data from xls and xlsx

JXL read data only from .xlsx

If we are going to use Apache POI then we need to add two dependency i) poi ii) poi-ooxml

```
<dependency>
  <groupId>org.apache.poi</groupId>
  <artifactId>poi-ooxml</artifactId>
  <version>5.2.2</version>
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- 3) Why these dependency are required?

Ans: These dependency required to read data from Excel file

- 4) Create a Excel file under src/test/resources

- 5) Excel file structure = Workbook --> Sheet --> row --> cell

- 6) Create a simple Java class with main method as below

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```

1 public class ExcelDataSupplier {
2     @DataProvider
3     public String[][] loginData() throws IOException {
4         File file=new File("./src/test/resources/Book1.xlsx");
5         System.out.println(file.exists());
6         FileInputStream fis=new FileInputStream(file);
7         XSSFWorkbook book=new XSSFWorkbook(fis);
8         XSSFSheet sheet=book.getSheet("Demo_sheet");
9         int rowCount=sheet.getPhysicalNumberOfRows();
10        int row=sheet.getLastRowNum();
11        int clmCount=sheet.getRow(0).getLastCellNum();
12        System.out.println(clmCount);
13
14        String[][] data=new String[rowCount][clmCount];
15        for(int i=0;i<rowCount-1;i++) // for row
16        {
17            for(int j=0;j<clmCount;j++) // for column
18            {
19                data[i][j]=sheet.getRow(i+1).getCell(j).getStringCellValue();
20            }
21        }
22        return data;
23    }
24 }

```

Run All

```

1 public class ExcelDataSupplierTest {
2
3     @Test(dataProvider = "loginData",dataProviderClass = ExcelDataSupplier.class)
4     Run | Debug
5     public void loginTest(String [] s)
6     {
7         for (String string : s) {
8             System.out.println(string);
9         }
10        System.out.println("====");
11    }
12 }

```