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Cucumber & BDD (Continued)

• Cucumber Comments

- In feature files, comments can be provided any where by starting the statements with # symbol
- Comments are for documentation purpose and won't be executed
- Example: Go to 'search.feature' file and provide a comment stating #This is how Background keyword can be used in the feature files
- Using monochrome attribute in Cucumber options of Runner class Example: monochrome=true
 - Uninstall ANSI Escape plugin
 - Run the scripts and see how the results are displayed in console
 - Now add the attribute monochrome as true into the cucumber options
- Using **pretty** in Cucumber options of Runner class Example: plugin={"pretty"}
 - Prints the Gherkin source with additional colors and stack traces for errors in the Eclipse Output console.

Hooks

- Similar to TestNG annotations, Cucumber provides only two options known as Hooks
- @Before and @After are the two Hooks options in Cucumber
 - Demonstrate Hooks by creating setup and tearDown methods for opening and closing the Browsers in selenium (Example: omayologin scenario)
 - Will be executed before and after all the scenarios in all the features files.

Tagged Hooks

- Will be executed only before and after the scenarios in the feature files which are specified with specific tags
- @Before("@login") and @After("@login") Demonstrate here
- Assertions: Create a feature file for Logging into http://tutorialsninja.com/demo and implement the steps
 - Create a feature file say login.feature View
 - Create step definitions for the above feature file view
 - Understanding Assertions Example Assert.assertNotNull("User has not logged in", element);
 - Navigating to step definition methods of the steps in feature files
 - Select the step in feature file, right click and select 'Find Step' option
- Cucumber **Data Tables** for handling multiple data in a step
 - The purpose of using Data Tables is to fill long forms at a go
 - Create a sample feature file for registration in http://tutorialsninja.com/demo with the required details
 - Create a feature file say register.feature View
 - Create step definitions for the above feature file view
 - DataTable is the predefined class of Cucumber