

Protractor Testing: Protractor plays an important role in the Testing of AngularJS applications and works as a Solution integrator combining powerful technologies like Selenium, Jasmine, Web driver, etc. It is intended not only to test AngularJS application but also for writing automating regression tests for normal Web Applications as well.

Need Of Protractor Framework: JavaScript is used in only almost all web applications. As the applications grows, JavaScript also increases in size and complexity. In such case, it becomes difficult task for Testers to test the web application for various scenarios.

Sometimes it is difficult to capture the web elements in AngularJS applications using Junit or Selenium WebDriver.

Protractor is a NodeJS program which is written in JavaScript and runs with Node to identify the web elements in AngularJS applications, and it also uses WebDriver to control the browser with user actions.

Why can't we find Angular JS web elements using Normal Selenium Web driver?

Angular JS applications have some extra HTML attributes like ng-repeater, ng-controller, ng-model., etc. which are not included in Selenium locators. Selenium is not able to identify those web elements using Selenium code. So, Protractor on the top of Selenium can handle and controls those attributes in Web Applications.

The protractor is an end to end testing framework for Angular JS based applications. While most frameworks focus on conducting unit tests for Angular JS applications, Protractor focuses on testing the actual functionality of an application.

Protractor vs Selenium WebDriver:

What makes Protractor different from traditional Selenium WebDriver?

- Simple syntax to write test cases
- The ability to run multiple browsers at once using Selenium Grid
- Angular-specific locators
- Support for Behavior-driven development such as Jasmine/Mocha
- No need to add sleeps/waits

- Supported integration with Jenkins/Browser Stack/Grunt etc.
- Get rid of dealing with synchronization issue in Angular JS websites
- Multiple browser support (Firefox, Chrome, Safari, Internet explorer)
- Ability to run the same scripts in mobile browsers also without the need to change the code

Features:

1) WaitForAngular

From documentation:

“Instruct WebDriver to wait until Angular has finished rendering and has no outstanding \$http or \$timeout calls before continuing. Note that Protractor automatically applies this command before every WebDriver action.”

What this means is that there is no need to manually add waits to your script and Protractor will automatically wait for the web elements to load and only then executes the next steps.

2) It has the ability to export a global function *element*, which takes a locator and will return an *ElementFinder*. This *ElementFinder* has a set of action methods, such as *click()*, *getText()*, *sendKeys()* etc. This is the core of how to interact with the element and get information from it. This global function helps to reduce the element locating syntax. Take a look at the following statement to locate the element in both Selenium WebDriver and Protractor:

Selenium Webdriver:

```
1 driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("css selector"));
```

Protractor:

```
1 element(by.css('some-css'));
```

3) Some new locator strategies and functions provided to help locate the Angular elements are: *By.binding*, *By.repeater*, *By.textarea*, *By.model*, *WebElement.all*, *WebElement.evaluate*, etc.

4) Assertions & annotations:

Assertions are an important part of the automation scripts. Annotations are also very useful in effectively tagging certain methods in a class to have special meaning.

It provides a variety of assertions & annotations and in addition to that, also provides the ability to create your own assertions.

Example:

```
describe('Code to understand assertions/annotations', function() {
  beforeEach(function() {
    browser.get('http://juliemr.github.io/protractor-demo/');
  });
  afterEach(function() {
    browser.get('https://www.madewithangular.com/#/');
  });

  var multiplyNumbers = function(a, b) {
    element(by.model('first')).sendKeys(a);
    element(by.model('second')).sendKeys(b);
    element(by.model('operator')).click();
    element(by.id('gobutton')).click();
  };

  it('should multiply two integers', function() {
    multiplyNumbers(2, 2);
    expect(element.all(by.repeater('result in memory')).count()).toEqual(2);
    multiplyNumbers(3, 3);
    expect(element.all(by.repeater('result in memory')).count()).toEqual(2);
  });
});
```

In the above example, we are using 2 annotations, *beforeEach* and *afterEach*. These annotations are also available in TestNG (traditional Selenium). These annotations make sure that a particular piece of code will be executed before/after respectively the execution of remaining code.

So, here is how the execution of the code will take place:

1. Protractor will reach inside the *beforeEach* block first and it will hit *'http://juliemr.github.io/protractor-demo/'* URL in the browser.
2. Now, the flow will move to the *'it'* block and function *'multiplyNumbers'* will be called which will, in turn, perform the specified actions in it sending the control back to where the function was called.
3. At last, the assertion will do its job. Now, if we want to tackle multiple elements at the same time, you can use *'element.all'* a feature of this tool. It will identify all of the available

elements with the specified locator (by.repeater in this case). It's up to you what you wish to do with the identified elements. In this case, we are comparing the calculation history with a given number.

4. Since, in the first assertion, we are comparing the calculation history count with '2' even though we performed calculation just once, the assertion will fail. The second assertion, however, will pass as after the second calculation, history count would be '2'.

There are many more available types of assertions. Some of which are given below:

a) Get text from a web element and compare it with a certain value:

```
element(by.locator('someLocator')).getText(text).then(function() {  
    expect(text).toEqual('someData');  
    expect(text).not.toEqual('someData');  
    expect(text).toContain('someOtherData');  
});
```

b) Verify if a web element is displayed on the page or not:

```
expect(browser.driver.findElement(by.locator(someLocator))  
    .isDisplayed()).toBe(true);
```

5) Handling multiple browsers/windows/tabs:

There can be multiple cases when it comes to handling the browser. Some of these cases are highlighted below:

a) A new tab opens up by clicking on any link

Sometimes, when you click on any link, a new tab opens up and rest of the actions need to take place in the newly opened window. In this case, when you write the code to the point a new tab is opened, you need to implement Window Handler using the following way:

```
//Get all of the opened windows and store the count in handles  
browser.getAllWindowHandles().then(function(handles) {  
    //Now switch the control to the newly opened window  
    browser.switchTo().window(handles[1]).then(function() {  
        //Write the code which needs to be executed in the new tab  
    });  
});
```

First get a count of all the available windows and then use indexing to switch control between the windows. The original window which initiated the new window will have index 0, whereas the subsequent windows will have increasing indexes.

b) Opening an entirely new browser with new session:

When you need to perform some actions on a browser and need to do further actions on a different session of the browser, we need to use the ***`forkNewDriverInstance`***. In this case, we create a new browser instance with a fresh browser name in the following way:

```
describe('Code to understand assertions/annotations', function() {  
  //Create a new browser instance  
  
  var newBrowser = browser.forkNewDriverInstance();  
  it('should should open multiple browsers instances', function() {  
    //Opens a URL in the 1st browser instance  
    browser.get('http://juliemr.github.io/protractor-demo/');  
    //Opens a URL in the 2nd browser instance  
    newBrowser.get('https://www.madewithangular.com/#/');  
    newBrowser.driver.quit();  
  });  
});
```

c) Running your test case in multiple browsers:

Running your test case in 2 browsers at a time is something configuration file can do for you. Just add the below code in your configuration file:

As soon as you run this configuration file, you will see tests running in both Firefox and Chrome simultaneously and run logs will be displayed in the command prompt separately.

```
// conf.js  
exports.config = {  
  framework: 'jasmine',  
  specs: ['SomeSpec.js'],  
  multiCapabilities: [{  
    browserName: 'firefox'  
  }, {  
    browserName: 'chrome'  
  }]  
}
```

6) Use Page Objects to make your framework even better:

This tool is good on its own but it becomes invincible when combined with Page Object Model(POM). Most of its shortcomings (if any) are overcome with the page object model. Moreover, POM also helps maintain your project in a more structured way.

If you do not know what POM is, no worries. POM is a way to segregate your test case on the basis of the pages.

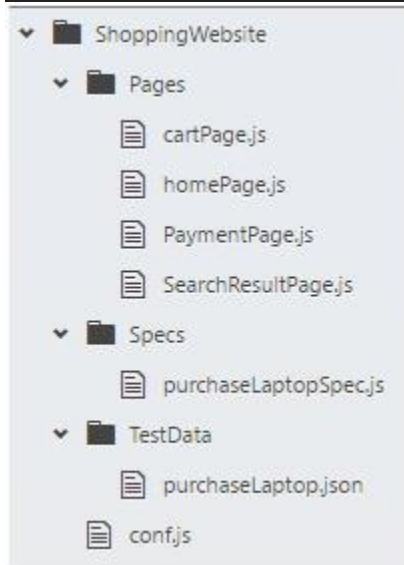
Take this example:

There is a shopping website. Your test case is to select a product, add it to cart and then purchase it.

Now, there are two ways to manage your test script code for this:

1. Write a plain test case with all of the locators on the same page your logic is written in,
2. Write all of your flow of test case, your logic in your spec file and segregate your locators and test data in different files. Each web page will have an equivalent .js page file. In this way, your code will be structured and if there is any other test case which requires the same locator, you do not need to write these locators again, just import this locator file and use it as per your need. Maintaining your test cases can be a real pain. If you use POM, your code will be in a much more structured manner.

Here is an example of using the page object model:



This is the flow is in the above snapshot:

1. There is a test case which purchases Laptop. The code for the flow and logic will be in the purchaseLaptopSpec.js.
2. All the pages which are encountered to purchase the Laptop will have 1 '.js' file with a proper title. All of the elements required to be used for purchasing the Laptop, their locators will be inside the respective page file.
3. The data required for this test case can be saved in the TestData folder either in a '.json' format or in the excel format.

4. Once done with the pages and locators, just import these files in your spec file to use the locator/test data and you are all set with your test case.

7) **Reporting**

NPM (Node Package Manager) provides various reporting packages, with which screenshot of each test step can be captured and also, once the test run completes, it will generate an HTML report for you.

7)Integrate with other powerful tools such as Git/Jenkins/Browserstack/Grunt

There are multiple tools available in the market to help make your test cases even better. Git/Jenkins/BrowserStack/Grunt are some such tools which add significant value to your normal Protractor test scripts. And the best part is that you don't have to touch your spec file to integrate your Protractor with any of these tools. It is your configuration file, which will take all of these things for you.

Git is a very powerful version control tool. It is always a best practice to keep your code in Git if there are multiple developers involved.

Jenkins is a continuous integration tool with which, you can schedule your test cases and run it as per your need. Protractor scripts can also be configured with Jenkins. Best use of running your test cases on Jenkins is that it is very fast and also you can run multiple test cases at a time.

BrowserStack is a cross-browser testing tool which can also be used to test your applications across different browsers. It can also be integrated with Protractor by adding the browserStack credentials in your config file.

Grunt is a JavaScript task runner. It provides you with the ability to perform several tasks for you. Its awesomeness is that there are more than 4000 tasks and you can create even more tasks as per your requirement. Following are few of the important daily use tasks we can use Grunt for:

1. List down all of the coding best practices and inform immediately whenever you violate any of these.
2. To create multiple spec files at run time. **For example**, if there is any test case that you wish to run several times (ranging from 1 to any number). This might seem unnecessary at this point of time but think of running any shopping website checkout flow to be run on every single available country. It would be tedious to create multiple specs manually. So, let Grunt do this for you.
3. The watch feature. You write a test case and every time as soon as save your code after making any change in it, you want your test case to run, Grunt has got it.
4. Concatenating multiple files.

Just give it a try and you will love it.

Page Object Model:

- **Page Object Model** is a design pattern to create **Object Repository** for web UI elements.
- Under this model, for each web page in the application, there should be corresponding page class.
- This Page class will find the WebElements of that web page and also contains Page methods which perform operations on those WebElements.
- Name of these methods should be given as per the task they are performing, i.e., if a loader is waiting for the payment gateway to appear, POM method name can be `waitForPaymentScreenDisplay()`.

Advantages of POM:

1. Page Object Patten says operations and flows in the UI should be separated from verification. This concept makes our code cleaner and easy to understand.
2. The Second benefit is the **object repository is independent of test cases**, so we can use the same object repository for a different purpose with different tools. For example, we can integrate POM with TestNG/JUnit for functional [Testing](#) and at the same time with JBehave/Cucumber for acceptance testing.
3. Code becomes less and optimized because of the reusable page methods in the POM classes.
4. **Methods get more realistic names** which can be easily mapped with the operation happening in UI. i.e. if after clicking on the button we land on the home page, the method name will be like `'gotoHomePage()'`.

Example:

```
#test.feature
```

```
Feature: Angular Task List
```

```
As a basic user
```

```
I should be able to add and remove tasks from the task list
```

```
So that I can keep track of my tasks
```


Scenario: Protractor and Cucumber Test

Given I go to "https://angularjs.org/"

When I add "Be Awesome" in the task field

And I click the add button

Then I should see my new task in the list

//Page Object:

```
'use strict';
```

```
module.exports = {
```

```
  angularHomepage: {
```

```
    taskList: element(by.model('todoList.todoText')),
```

```
    taskButton: element(by.css('[value="add"]')),
```

```
    todoList: element.all(by.repeater('todo in todoList.todos'))
```

```
  }
```

```
});
```

```
// methods needed to interact with these elements.
```

```
'use strict';

module.exports = {

  angularHomepage: {

    taskList: element(by.model('todoList.todoText')),

    taskButton: element(by.css('[value="add"]')),

    todoList: element.all(by.repeater('todo in todoList.todos'))

  },

  go: function(site) {

    browser.get(site);

  },

  addTask: function(task) {

    var angular = this.angularHomepage;

    angular.taskList.sendKeys(task);

  },
```

```
submitTask: function() {  
  
    var angular = this.angularHomepage;  
  
    angular.taskButton.click();  
  
}  
  
};
```

```
// features/step_definitions/stepDefinitions.js
```

```
var angularPage = require('../pages/angularPage.js');  
  
var chai = require('chai');  
  
var chaiAsPromised = require('chai-as-promised');  
  
chai.use(chaiAsPromised);  
  
var expect = chai.expect;  
  
module.exports = function() {  
  
    this.Given(/^I go to "([^"]*)"$/, function(site) {  
  
        angularPage.go(site);  
  
    })  
  
}
```

```
});

this.When(/^I add "([^"]*)" in the task field$/, function(task) {

    angularPage.addTask(task);

});

this.When(/^I click the add button$/, function() {

    angularPage.submitTask();

});

this.Then(/^I should see my new task in the list$/, function(callback) {

    var todoList = angularPage.angularHomepage.todoList;

    expect(todoList.count()).to.eventually.equal(3);

    expect(todoList.get(2).getText()).to.eventually.equal('Be Awesome')

        .and.notify(callback);

});

};
```

Organizing Page Objects:

There are a few approaches you can consider: by component, by page, and/or by user workflow. It all depends on your team's needs, but these provide a good starting point for the structure of your page objects.

Organizing locators by page or view may be the simplest approach as you build out your suite. For example, you would create a page object for every page accessible within your application. All elements related to that page would go in their appropriate file.

- pages
 - homePage.js
 - aboutPage.js
 - contactPage.js

Another option is organizing locators by component. These can be modules that are used across your application such as a search feature. Of course, you can incorporate both by page and component.

- pages
 - searchComponent.js
 - homePage.js
 - aboutPage.js
 - contactPage.js

Finally, it may be beneficial to organize by a particular user workflow like creating a new user. These page objects would essentially house all methods needed to accomplish the workflow.

- pages
 - searchComponent.js
 - homePage.js
 - aboutPage.js
 - contactPage.js
 - createUserFlow.js

The level of complexity for page objects can vary based on the need. The point of using a POM is reducing code duplication and increasing efficiency and maintainability of your testing suite. Before creating a large suite of tests, first consider the approach your team should take in building your automation suite.

Installation:

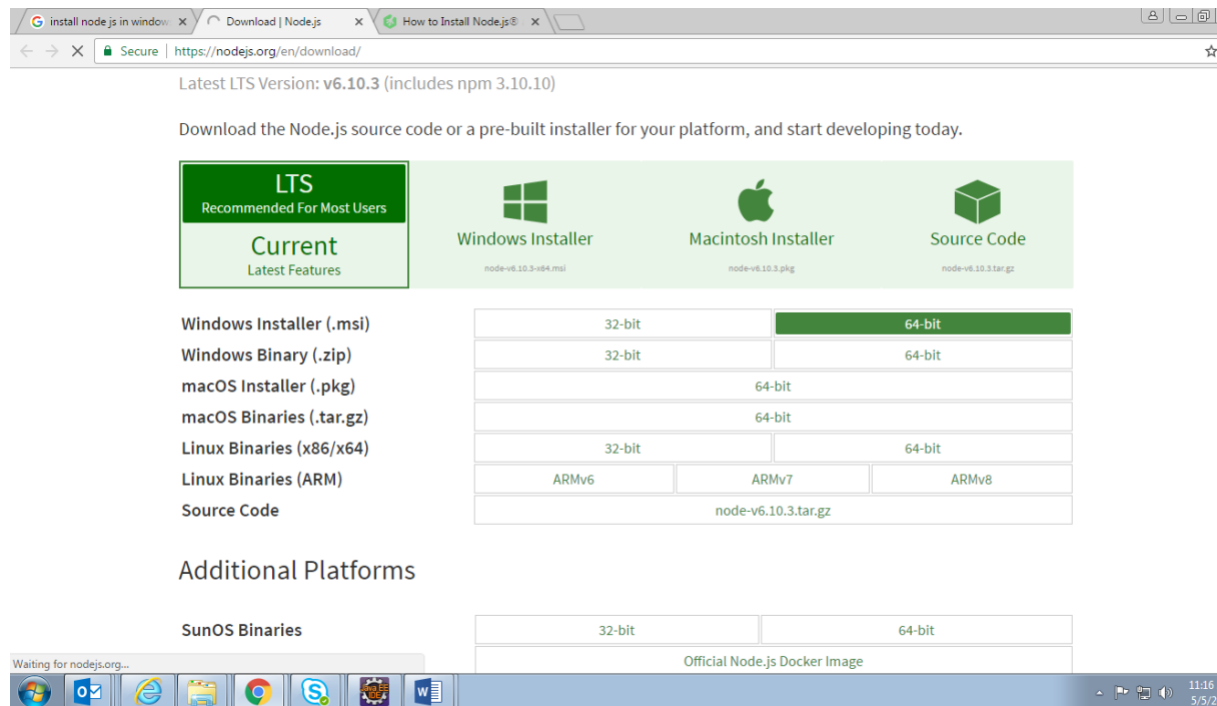
Install JDK & Node.JS

Download and install the **Java JDK** for your system and if it is already installed please ignore.

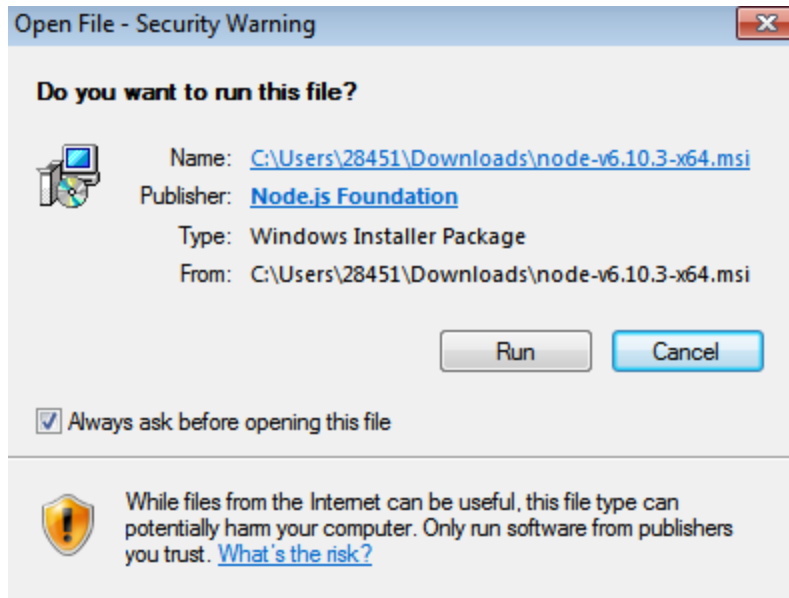
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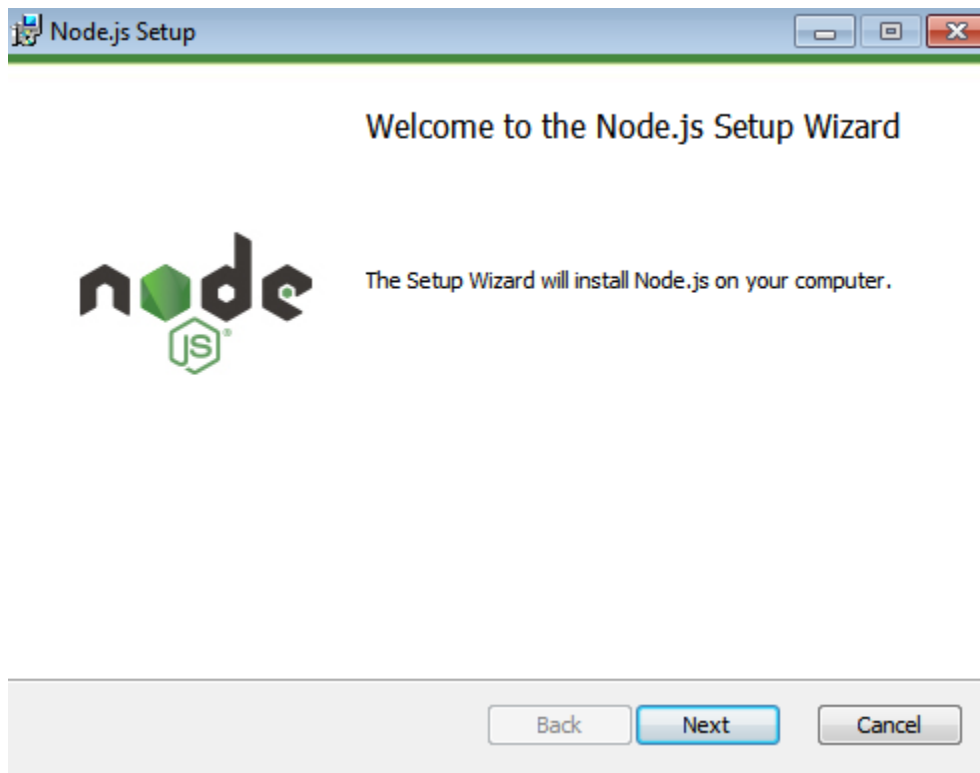
1. Go to the site <https://nodejs.org/en/download/> and download necessary binary file or if installation file exists double click on that file and go to step-3.



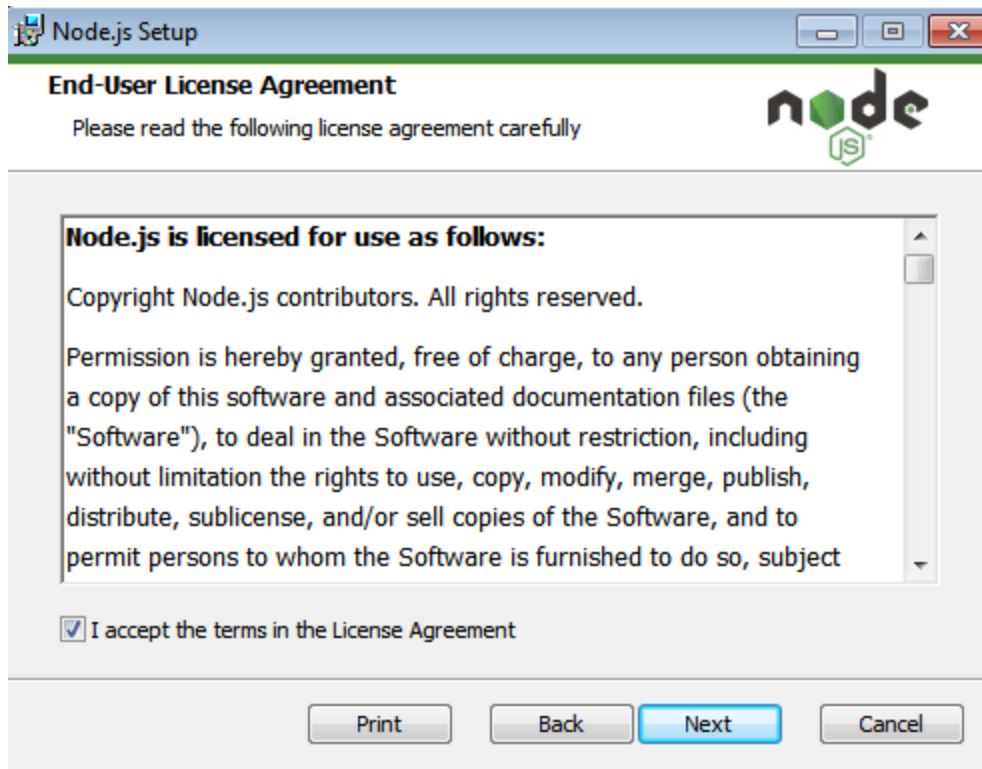
2. Double click on the downloaded .msi file to start the installation. Click “Run” button.



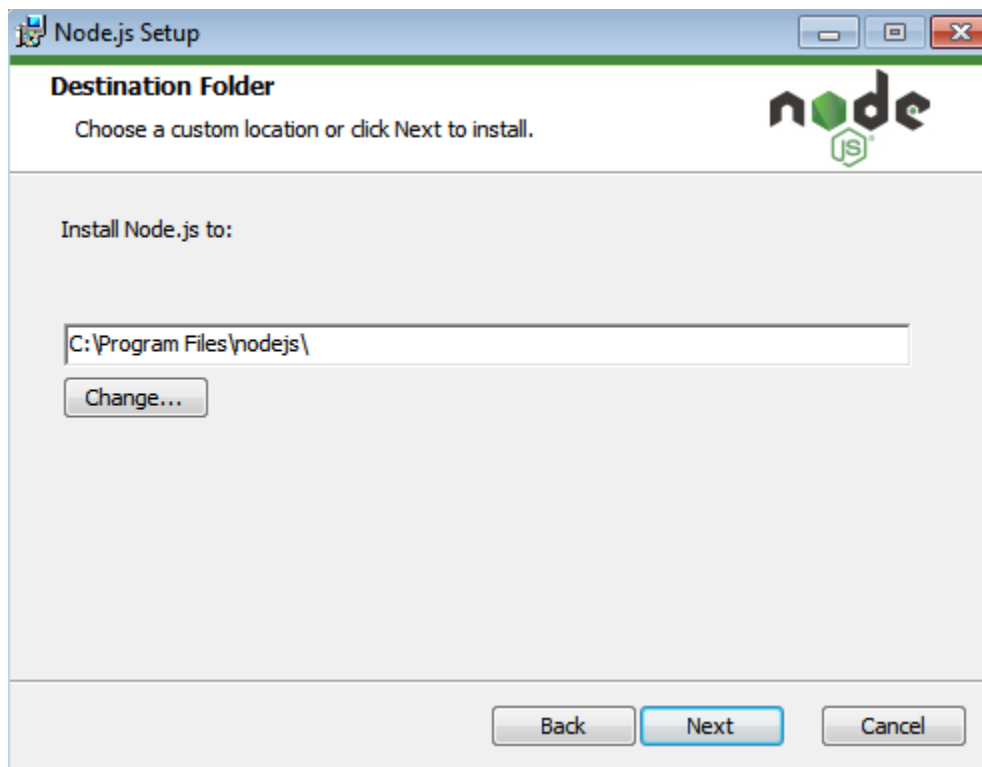
3. Click "Next" button



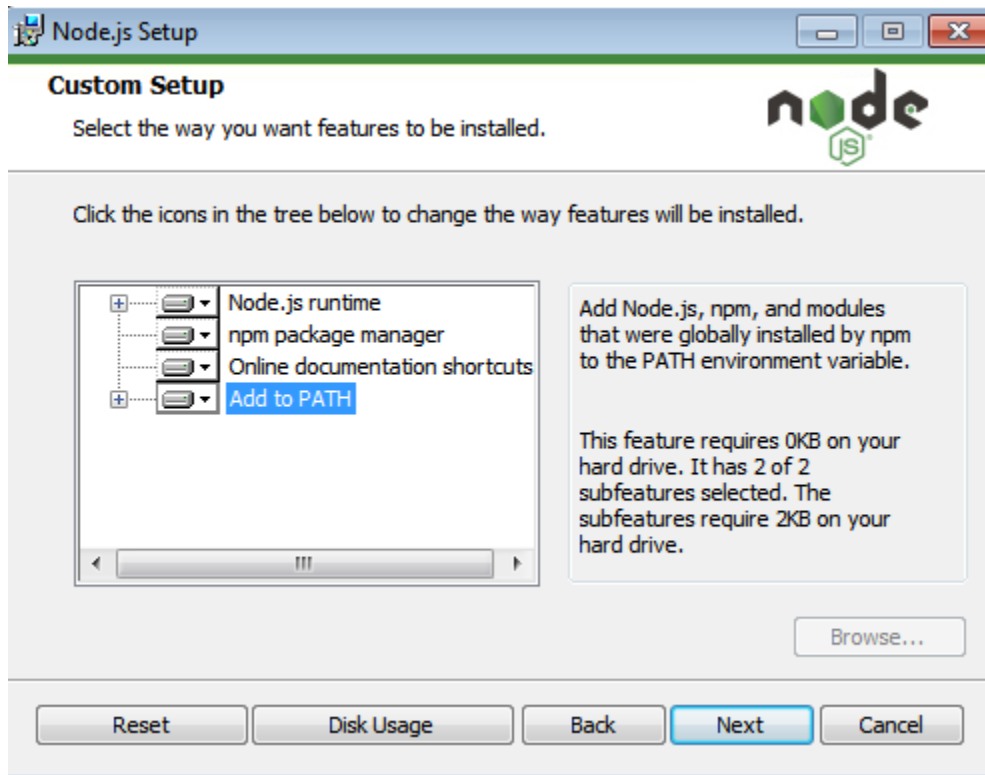
4. Accept the license agreement check box and click on "Next" button



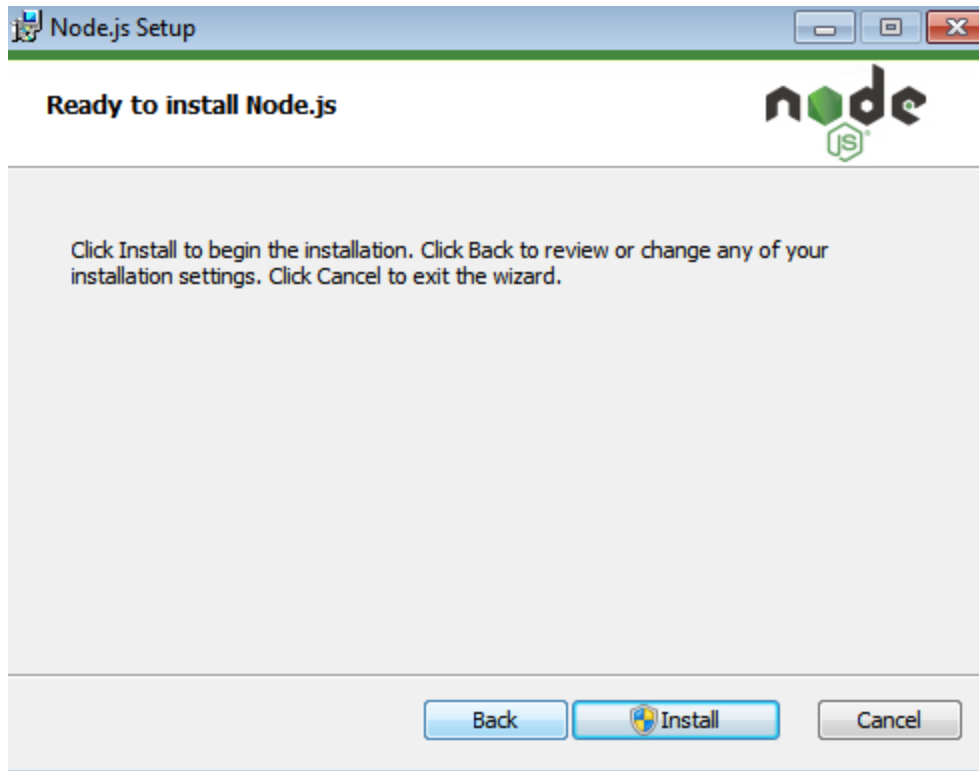
5. Choose the file location for the installation of Node.JS and click “Next” button



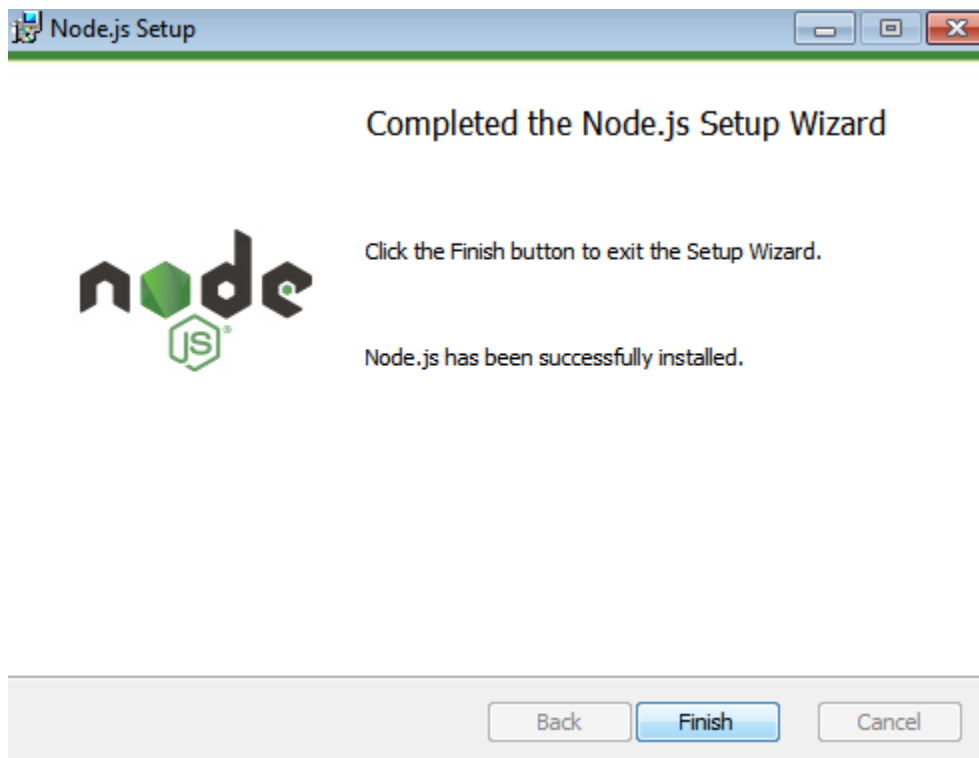
6. Select the feature and click on “Next” button



7. Click on “Install” button

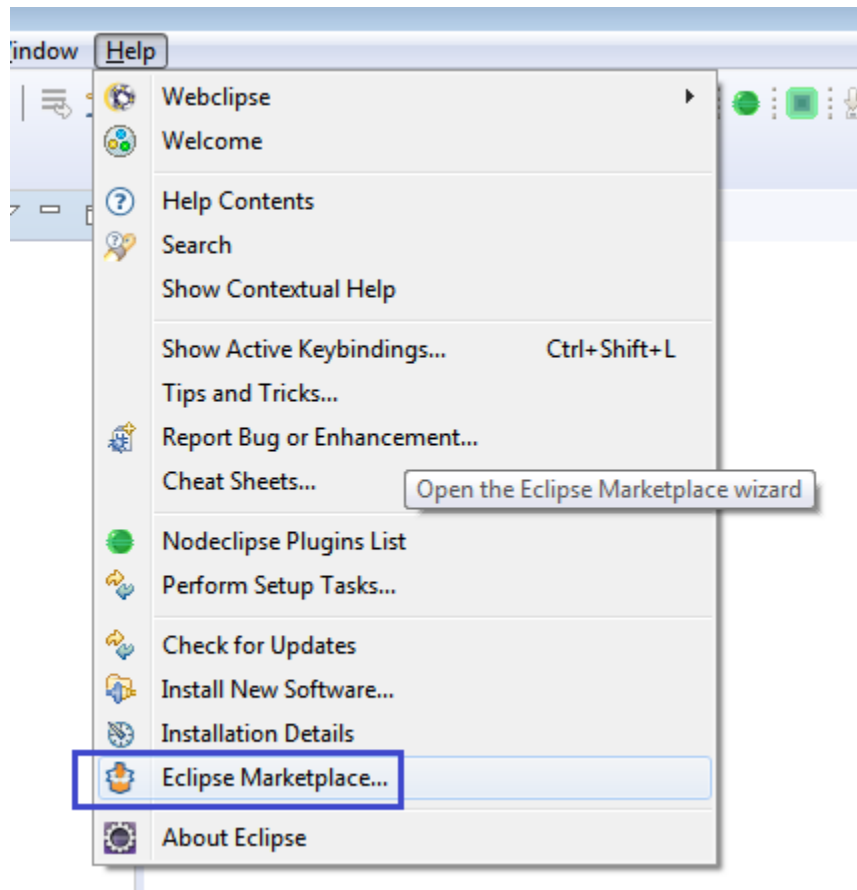


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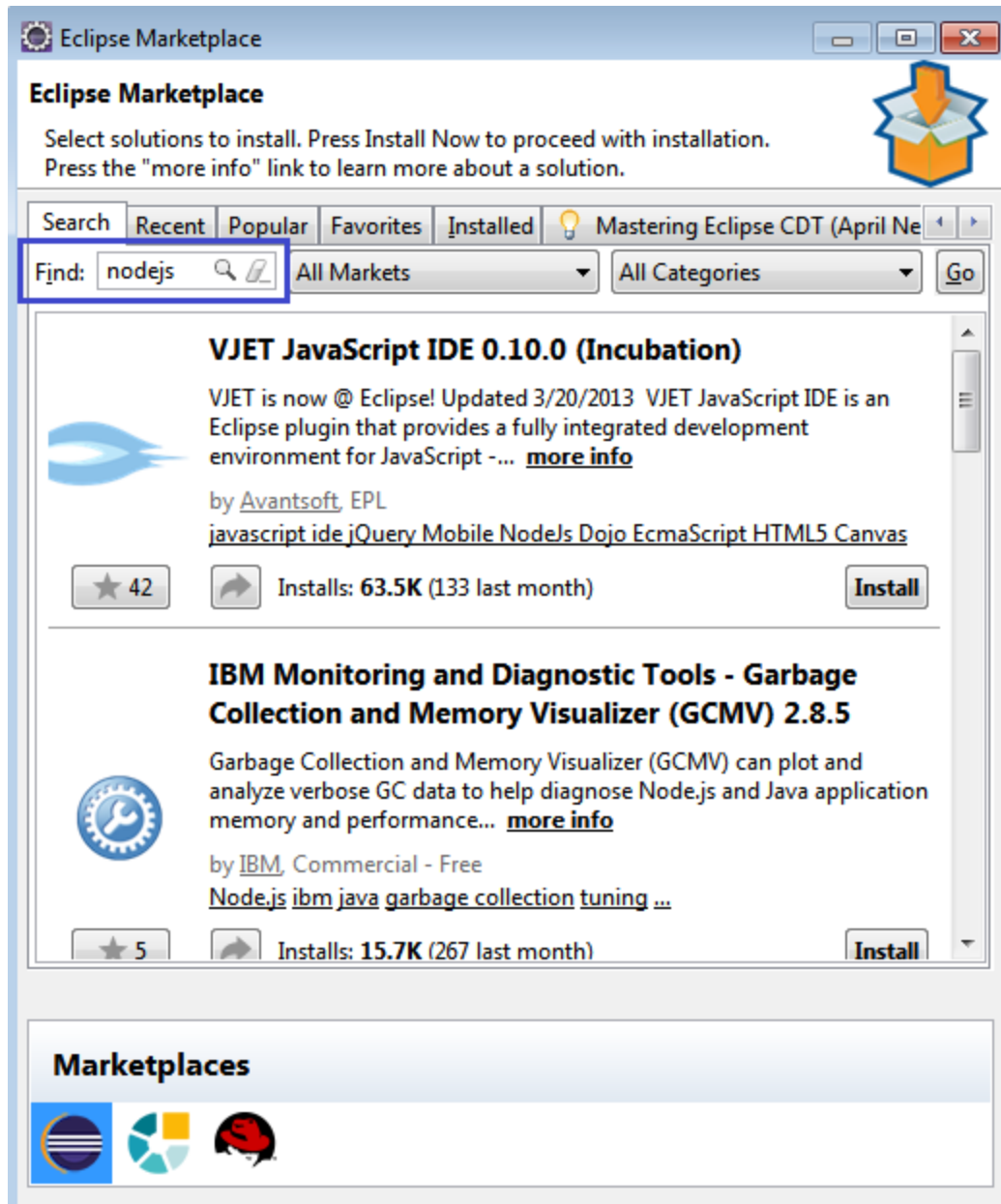


Install the NodeJS plug-in in Eclipse and create a new Node.JS project

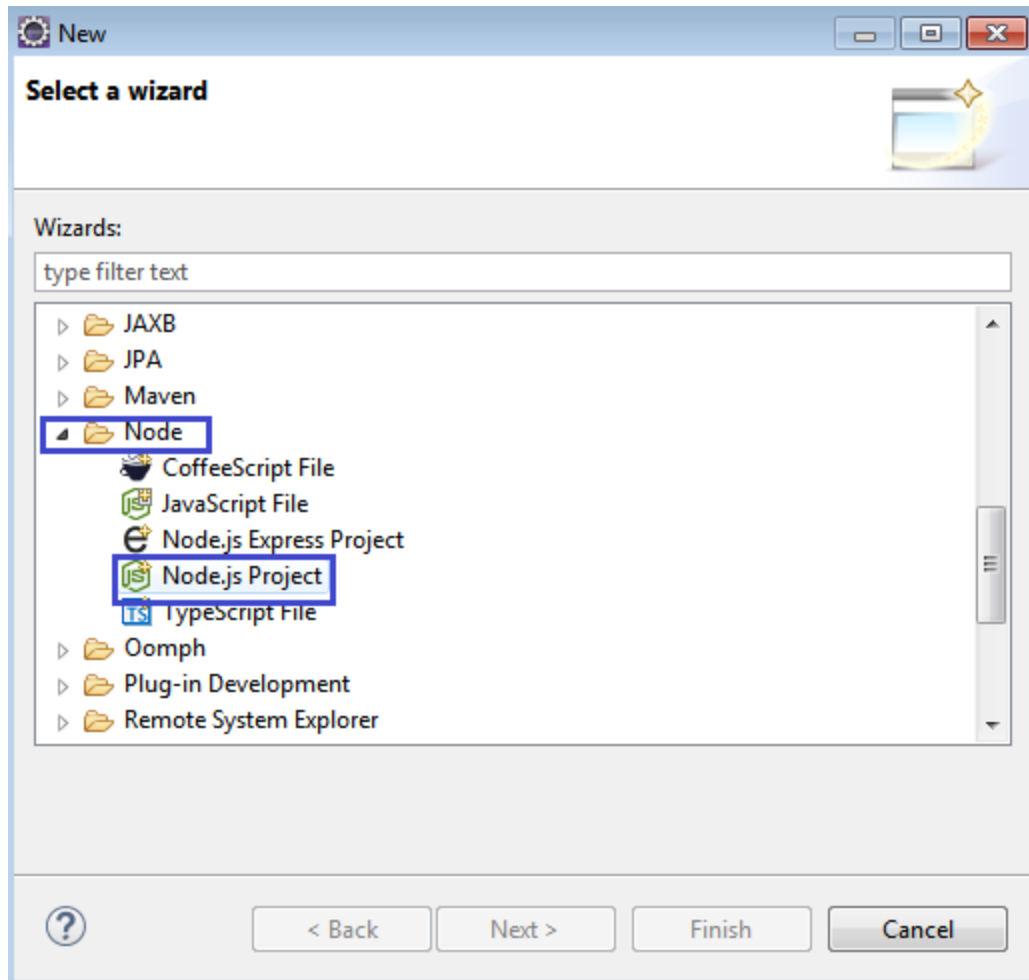
1. Open Eclipse IDE (Version: Neon)
2. Click on Help → Eclipse Marketplace...



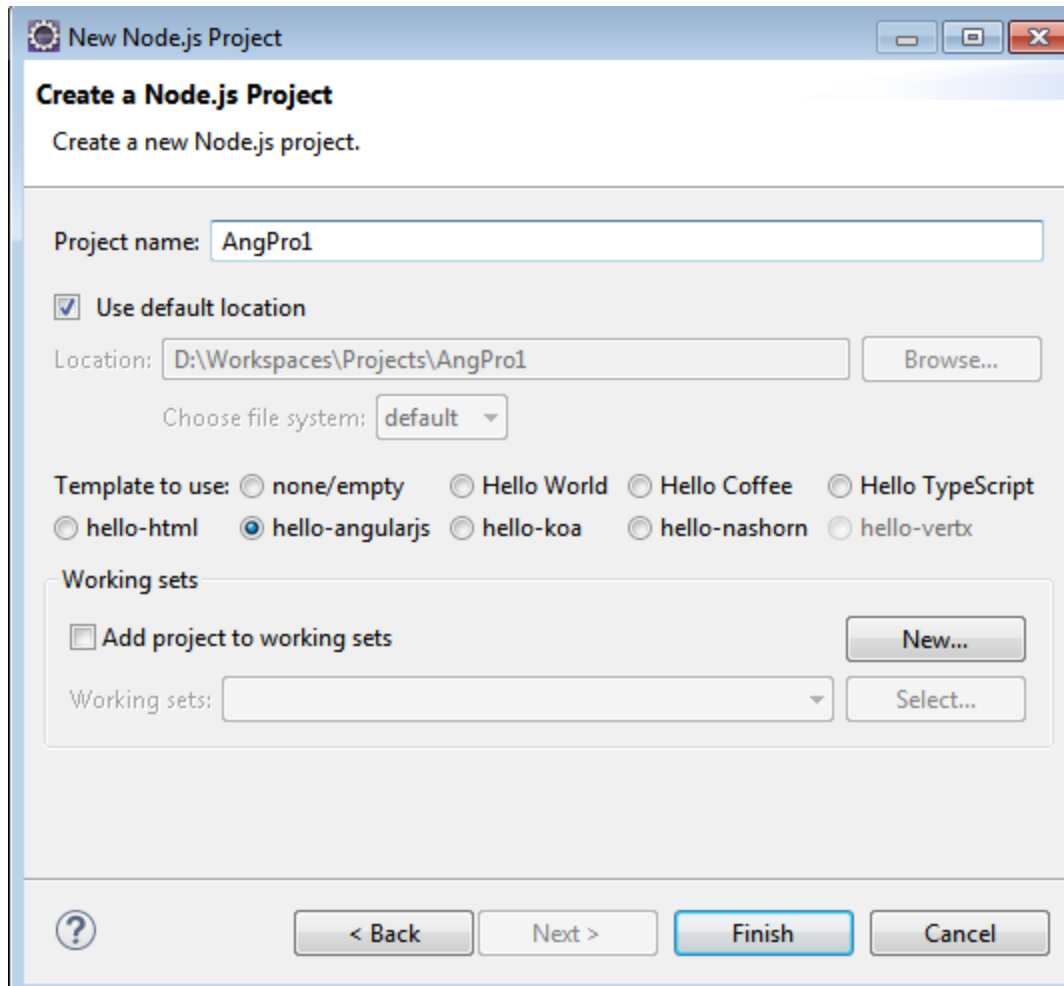
3. Enter search text as “nodejs” and click on search icon



4. Verify the "Nodeclipse 1.0.2" plug-in and if it is installed by default, close the window. If it not installed click on "Install" button.

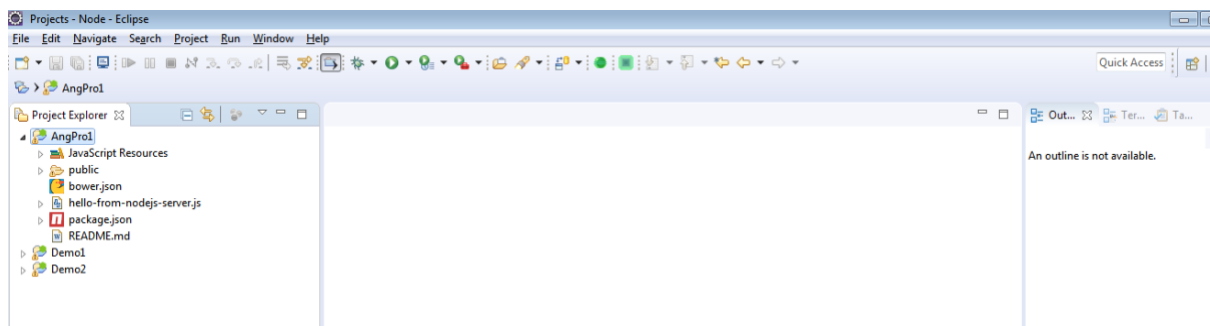


2. Click on Next button
3. Enter the "Project Name" in text box and select any default template



4. Click on Finish button

New project is created and this project will display in eclipse project explorer.

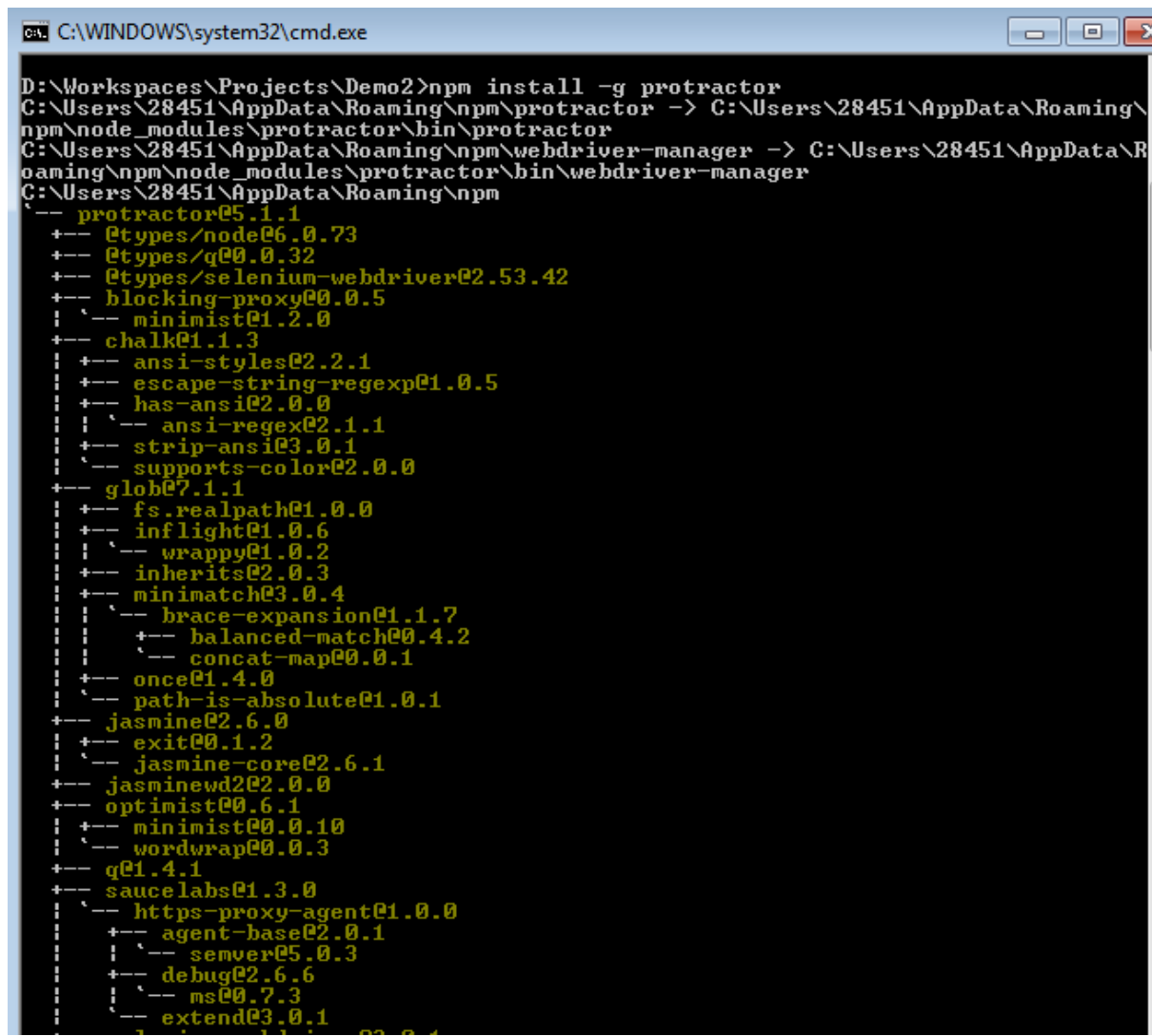


Starting with Protractor

Open the command prompt and go to created project location path

1. Use “npm” to install Protractor globally with below command

npm install -g protractor



```
C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe

D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo2>npm install -g protractor
C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm\protractor -> C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm\node_modules\protractor\bin\protractor
C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm\webdriver-manager -> C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm\node_modules\protractor\bin\webdriver-manager
C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm
-- protractor@5.1.1
+-- @types/node@6.0.73
+-- @types/q@0.0.32
+-- @types/selenium-webdriver@2.53.42
+-- blocking-proxy@0.0.5
+-- minimist@1.2.0
+-- chalk@1.1.3
| +-- ansi-styles@2.2.1
| +-- escape-string-regexp@1.0.5
| +-- has-ansi@2.0.0
| | -- ansi-regex@2.1.1
| +-- strip-ansi@3.0.1
| -- supports-color@2.0.0
+-- glob@7.1.1
| +-- fs.realpath@1.0.0
| +-- inflight@1.0.6
| | -- wrappy@1.0.2
| +-- inherits@2.0.3
| +-- minimatch@3.0.4
| | -- brace-expansion@1.1.7
| | +-- balanced-match@0.4.2
| | -- concat-map@0.0.1
| +-- once@1.4.0
| -- path-is-absolute@1.0.1
+-- jasmine@2.6.0
+-- exit@0.1.2
+-- jasmine-core@2.6.1
+-- jasmine2@2.0.0
+-- optimist@0.6.1
+-- minimist@0.0.10
+-- wordwrap@0.0.3
+-- q@1.4.1
+-- saucelabs@1.3.0
| -- https-proxy-agent@1.0.0
| +-- agent-base@2.0.1
| | -- semver@5.0.3
| +-- debug@2.6.6
| | -- ms@0.7.3
| -- extend@3.0.1
```

2. Check the Protractor and node versions with below commands

Protractor -version

Node --version

```
+-- performance-now@0.2.0
+-- qs@6.4.0
+-- safe-buffer@5.0.1
+-- stringstream@0.0.5
+-- tough-cookie@2.3.2
+-- punycode@1.4.1
+-- tunnel-agent@0.6.0
+-- uuid@3.0.1
+-- semver@5.3.0

D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo2>protractor --version
Version 5.1.1

D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo2>node --version
v6.10.3

D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo2>_
```

3. This will install two command line tools, protractor and webdriver-manager. The webdriver-manager is a helper tool to easily get an instance of a Selenium Server running. Use it to download the necessary binaries with below command

webdriver-manager update

```
C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe

D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo2>protractor --version
Version 5.1.1

D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo2>node --version
v6.10.3

D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo2>webdriver-manager update
[11:04:10] I/file_manager - creating folder C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm\node_modules\protractor\node_modules\webdriver-manager\selenium
[11:04:12] I/update - chromedriver: unzipping chromedriver_2.29.zip
[11:04:19] I/update - geckodriver: unzipping geckodriver-v0.16.1.zip

D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo2>
```

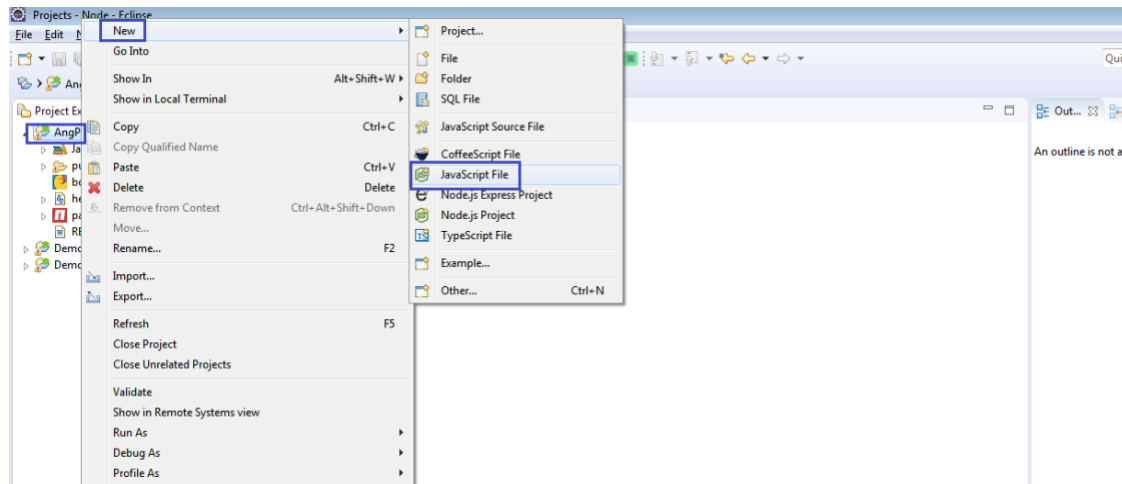
4. Now start up a server with below command

webdriver-manager start

Write sample test cases

Below are the examples of basic configuration and spec files and Protractor need these two files to run.

1. Create new java script file from Right click on created Project name from explorer > New > Java script File.



2. Enter the spec file name as “test1.js” and click on finish button. Enter the below sample code in that file.

```
describe('angularjs homepage todo list', function() {
  it('should add a todo', function() {
    browser.get('https://angularjs.org');

    element(by.model('todoList.todoText')).sendKeys('write first protractor test');
  });
  element(by.css('[value="add"]')).click();

  var todoList = element.all(by.repeater('todo in todoList.todos'));
  expect(todoList.count()).toEqual(3);
  expect(todoList.get(2).getText()).toEqual('write first protractor test');

  // You wrote your first test, cross it off the list
```

```

    todoList.get(2).element(by.css('input')).click();

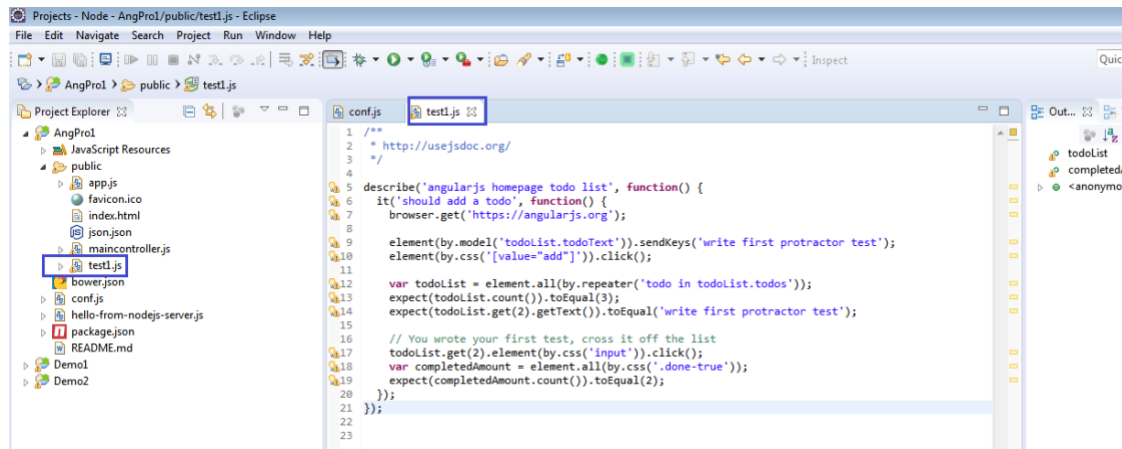
    var completedAmount = element.all(by.css('.done-true'));

    expect(completedAmount.count()).toEqual(2);

  });
});

```

The “**describe**” and “**it**” syntax is from the Jasmine framework. Browser is a global created by Protractor, which is used for browser-level commands such as navigation with **browser.get**.



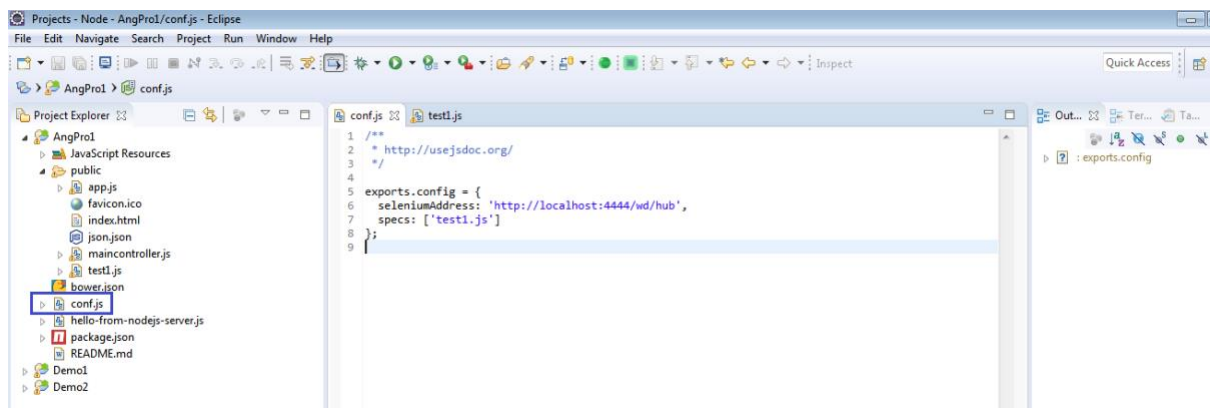
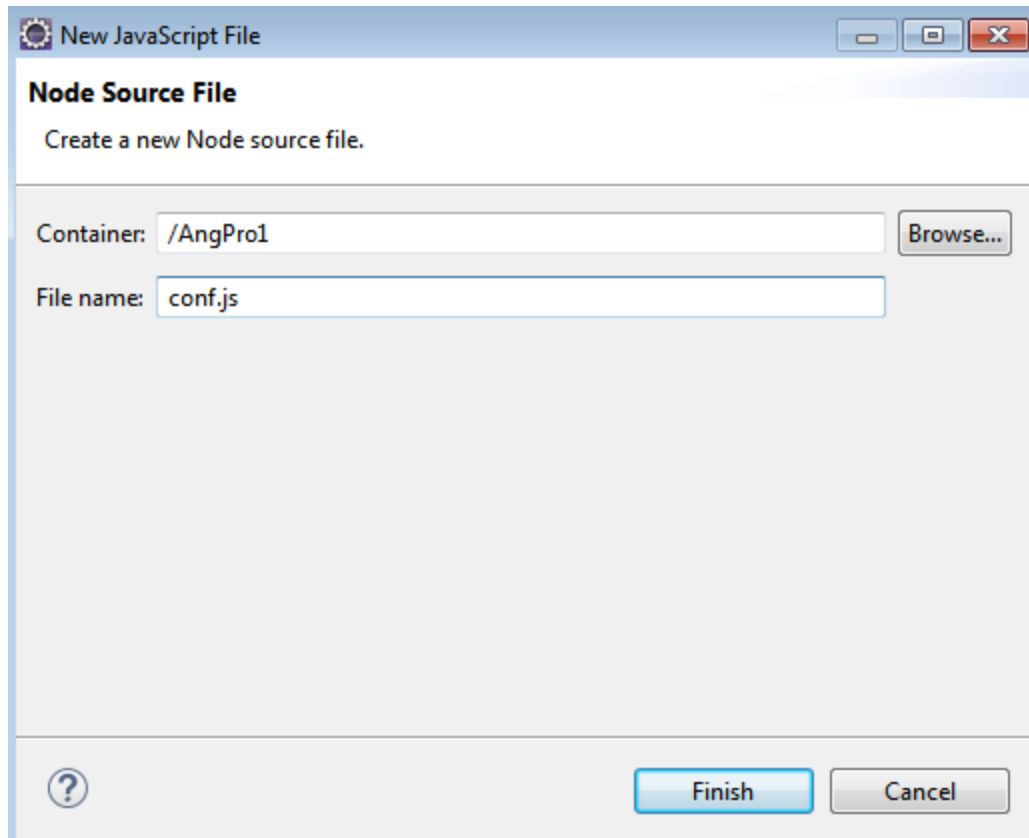
3. Create a new config java script file and named as “conf.js”.

```

exports.config = {
  seleniumAddress: 'http://localhost:4444/wd/hub',
  specs: ['todo-spec.js']
};

```

This configuration tells Protractor where your test files (specs) are, and where to talk to your Selenium Server (seleniumAddress). It will use the defaults for all other configuration. Chrome is the default browser.



4. Run test by below command in command prompt

protractor conf.js

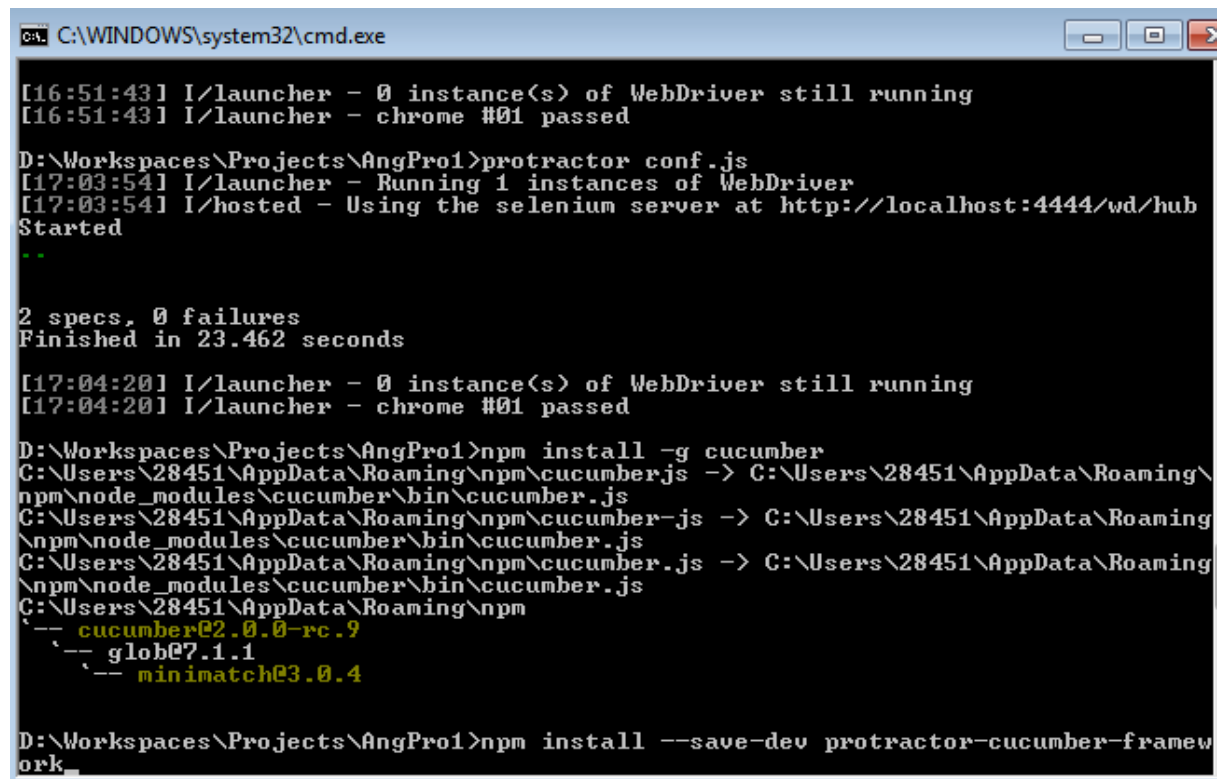
You should see a Chrome browser window open up and navigate to the todo list in the AngularJS page, then close itself (this should be very fast!).

CUCUMBER SETUP

Cucumber needs to be installed at the root of the project and make sure it is installed in the same place as Protractor.

Install Cucumber globally with below command

npm install -g cucumber



```
C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe

[16:51:43] I/launcher - 0 instance(s) of WebDriver still running
[16:51:43] I/launcher - chrome #01 passed

D:\Workspaces\Projects\AngPro1>protractor conf.js
[17:03:54] I/launcher - Running 1 instances of WebDriver
[17:03:54] I/hosted - Using the selenium server at http://localhost:4444/wd/hub
Started
..

2 specs, 0 failures
Finished in 23.462 seconds

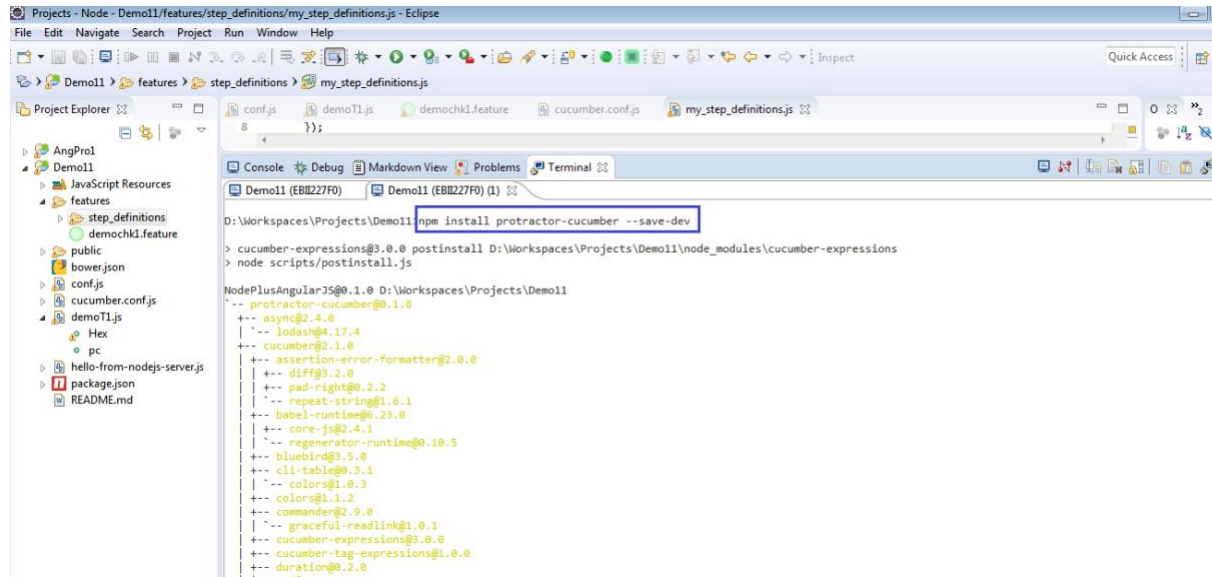
[17:04:20] I/launcher - 0 instance(s) of WebDriver still running
[17:04:20] I/launcher - chrome #01 passed

D:\Workspaces\Projects\AngPro1>npm install -g cucumber
C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm\cucumber.js -> C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm\node_modules\cucumber\bin\cucumber.js
C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm\cucumber-js -> C:\Users\28451\AppData\Roaming\npm\node_modules\cucumber\bin\cucumber.js
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`-- cucumber@2.0.0-rc.9
   `-- glob@7.1.1
      `-- minimatch@3.0.4

D:\Workspaces\Projects\AngPro1>npm install --save-dev protractor-cucumber-framework
```

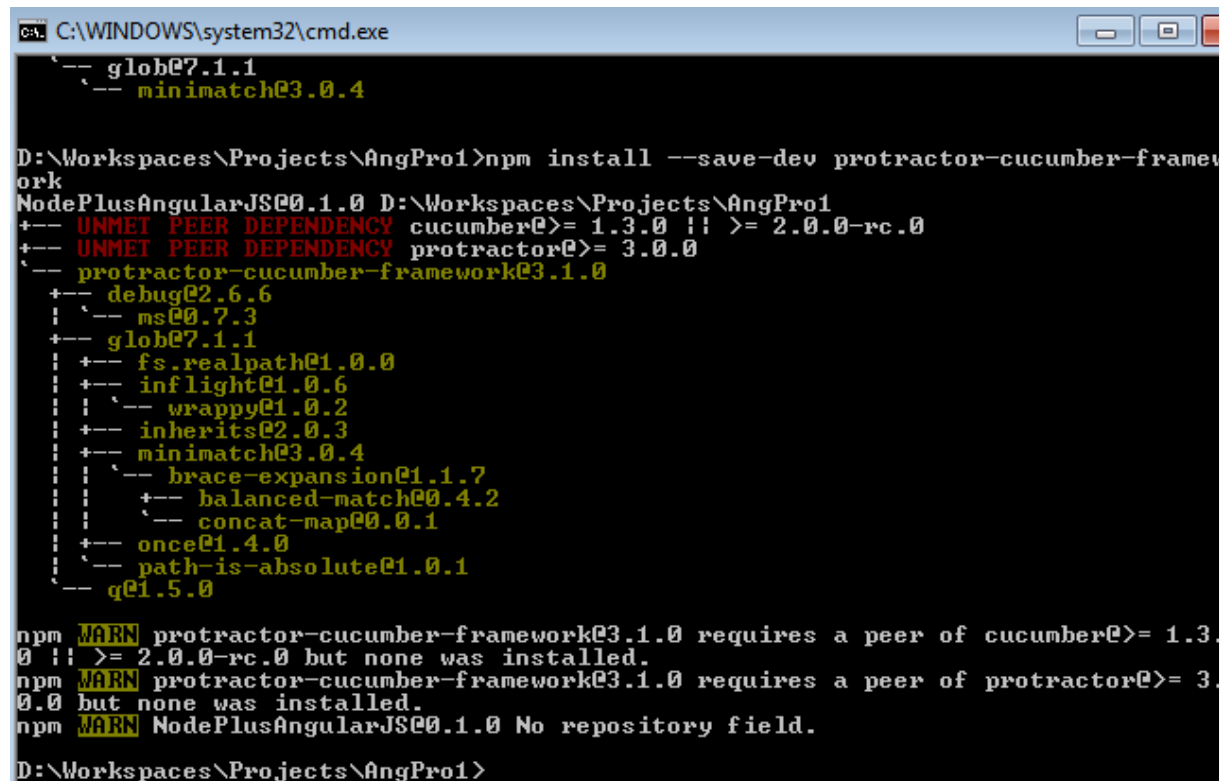
Install Protractor-cucumber in project location locally with the below command.

npm install protractor-cucumber --save-dev



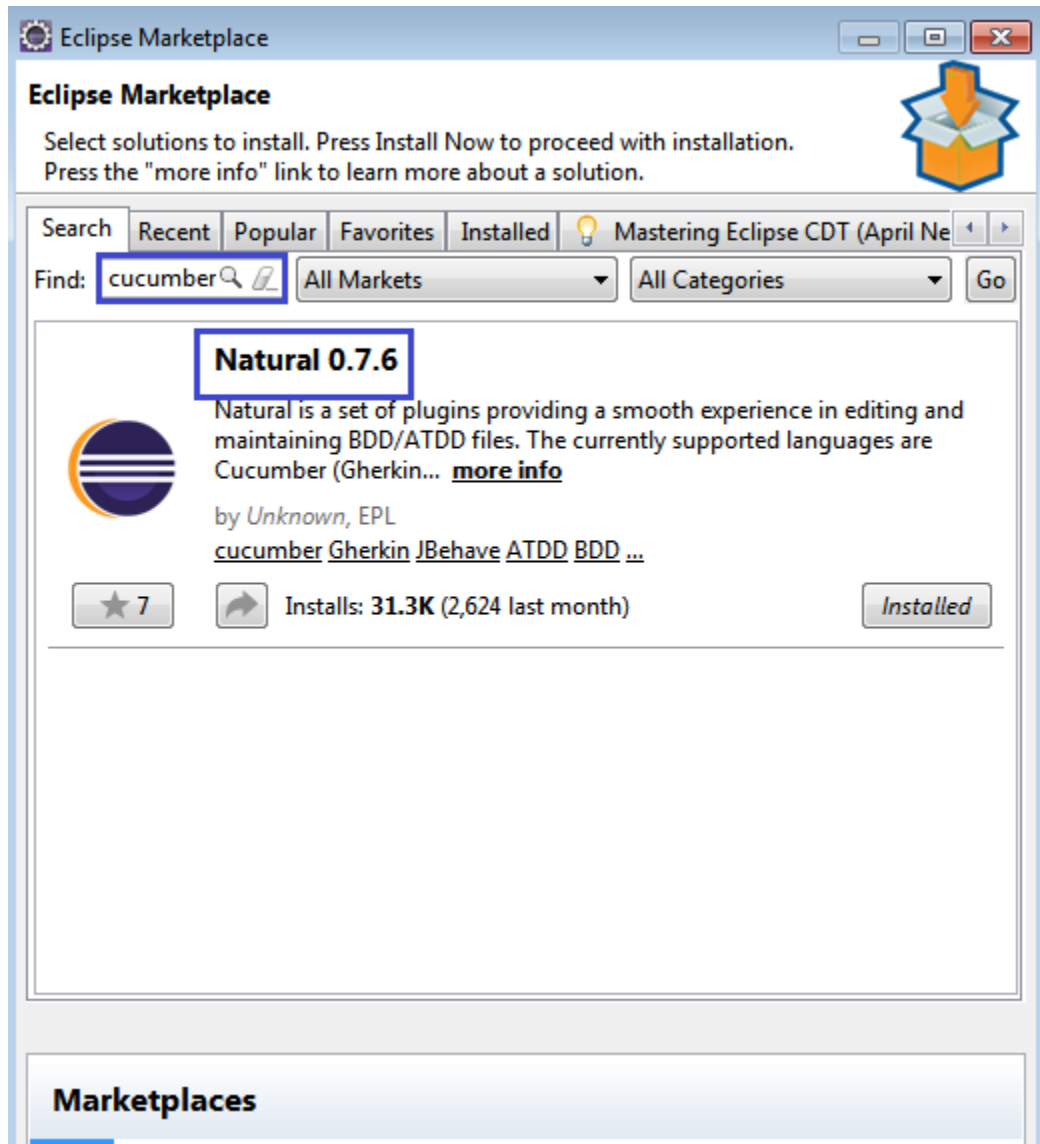
Install the Protractor-Cucumber framework locally with below command.

npm install --save-dev protractor-cucumber-framework



The Cucumber installation is completed and now we can start writing feature files. Before that we can add cucumber plug-in in eclipse.

Add the Cucumber plug-in eclipse market place



Now we can start writing the cucumber feature file. In the project, create a “features” folder with a “test.feature” feature file. All of your features will be housed in this folder.

Below is an example of a cucumber feature file:

```
#features/test.feature
Feature: Running Cucumber with Protractor
  As a user of Protractor
  I should be able to use Cucumber
  In order to run my E2E tests

  Scenario: Protractor and Cucumber Test
    Given I go to "https://angularjs.org/"
    When I add "Be Awesome" in the task field
    And I click the add button
    Then I should see my new task in the list
```

Cucumber needs step definitions files which contains necessary steps to run the feature file. Save these step definition files in a “step_definitions” folder within the “features” folder. From there, you can write out your steps using Protractor functions and locators. The basic structure of a step definition is the keyword (i.e. *Given*, *When*, or *Then*) followed by a regular expression. The regular expression is used to identify the desired step implementation. The step text in scenarios is matched against the regular expressions of appropriate (i.e. *given*, *when*, or *then*) step implementations to find the one to use. When a match is found, the substrings matching any groups in the regular expression are used as arguments to the block which is then evaluated. The result of that evaluation is discarded. Note that these arguments are **always** strings. If you need them converted to other types, it’s up to you to do that conversion in the block.

Please find the below step definition file for reference.

```
module.exports = function() {
  this.Given(/^I go to "([^"]*)"$/, function(site) {
    browser.get(site);
  });

  this.When(/^I add "([^"]*)" in the task field$/, function(task) {
    element(by.model('todoList.todoText')).sendKeys(task);
  });

  this.When(/^I click the add button$/, function() {
    var el = element(by.css('[value="add"]'));
    el.click();
  });

  this.Then(/^I should see my new task in the list$/, function(callback) {
    var todoList = element.all(by.repeater('todo in todoList.todos'));
    expect(todoList.count()).to.eventually.equal(3);
    expect(todoList.get(2).getText()).to.eventually.equal('Do not Be Awesome')
      .and.notify(callback);
  });
};
```


Now, in order to run these, you will need to make a few adjustments to the *conf.js* file. Cucumber is no longer included by default for Protractor 3.x so you will pass in the *custom* option for your framework plus a few extras for the Cucumber framework itself.

Please find below updated configuration file as “cucumber.conf.js” to run the cucumber feature file.

```
//cucumber.conf.js
exports.config = {
  seleniumAddress: 'http://127.0.0.1:4444/wd/hub',
  getPageTimeout: 60000,
  allScriptsTimeout: 50000,
  framework: 'custom',
  // path relative to the current config file
  frameworkPath: require.resolve('protractor-cucumber-framework'),
  capabilities: {
    'browserName': 'chrome'
  },

  // Spec patterns are relative to this directory.
  specs: [
    'features/*.feature'
  ],

  baseUrl: 'http://localhost:8080/',

  cucumberOpts: {
    require: 'features/step_definitions/stepDefinitions.js',
    tags: false,
    format: 'pretty',
    profile: false,
    'no-source': true
  }
};
```

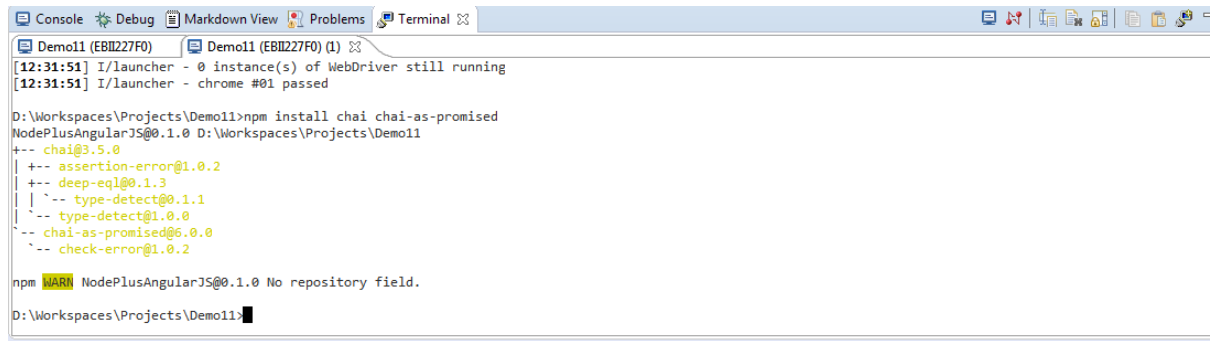
Install Assertions: chai and Chai-As-Promised

Since you're using the custom framework option with Protractor you'll need to add an assertion library like Chai — a popular choice. Chai allows us to write assertions in a simple, readable style — such as the familiar *expect* syntax in

```
expect(element.getText()).to.eventually.equal('Name');
```

To install, we should run below command

```
npm install chai chai-as-promised
```

A screenshot of a Visual Studio Code terminal window. The terminal shows the output of an npm install command. It lists several dependencies: chai@3.5.0, assertion-error@1.0.2, deep-eql@0.1.3, type-detect@0.1.1, type-detect@1.0.0, chai-as-promised@6.0.0, and check-error@1.0.2. A warning message from npm is also visible: 'WARN NodePlusAngularJS@0.1.0 No repository field.' The terminal path is 'D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo11' and the command executed is 'npm install chai chai-as-promised'.

```
Console Debug Markdown View Problems Terminal
Demo11 (EBI227F0) Demo11 (EBI227F0) (1)
[12:31:51] I/launcher - 0 instance(s) of WebDriver still running
[12:31:51] I/launcher - chrome #01 passed

D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo11>npm install chai chai-as-promised
NodePlusAngularJS@0.1.0 D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo11
+-- chai@3.5.0
| +-- assertion-error@1.0.2
| +-- deep-eql@0.1.3
| | +-- type-detect@0.1.1
| | +-- type-detect@1.0.0
| +-- chai-as-promised@6.0.0
|   +-- check-error@1.0.2
+--

npm WARN NodePlusAngularJS@0.1.0 No repository field.
D:\Workspaces\Projects\Demo11>
```

Reports:

To setup GruntJS build here is the steps:

1. Make sure you have setup your `package.json` or setup new one:
2. `npm init`
3. Install Grunt CLI as global:
4. `npm install -g grunt-cli`
5. Install Grunt in your local project:
6. `npm install grunt --save-dev`
7. Install any Grunt Module you may need in your build process. Just for sake of this sample I will add Concat module for combining files together:
8. `npm install grunt-contrib-concat --save-dev`

Grunt

You can use `grunt-init` for creating `Gruntfile.js` if you want wizard-based creation instead of raw coding for step 5.

To do so, please follow these steps:

```
npm install -g grunt-init
git clone https://github.com/gruntjs/grunt-init-gruntfile.git ~/.grunt-init/gruntfile
grunt-init gruntfile
```

If runner doesn't work

```
npm install grunt-protractor-runner --save-dev
```

