

googletest ref sheet (2013-03-15)

Links

<http://code.google.com/p/googletest/>
<http://code.google.com/p/googletest/wiki/Documentation>

Basic test

```
// Tests factorial of 0.
TEST(FactorialTest, HandlesZeroInput) {
    EXPECT_EQ(1, Factorial(0));
}

// Tests factorial of positive numbers.
TEST(FactorialTest, HandlesPositiveInput) {
    EXPECT_EQ(1, Factorial(1));
    EXPECT_EQ(2, Factorial(2));
    EXPECT_EQ(6, Factorial(3));
    EXPECT_EQ(40320, Factorial(8));
}
```

Test names

- **NO UNDERSCORES¹**
- prefix name with `DISABLED_` to disable it

Runner

```
int main(int argc, char **argv) {
    ::testing::InitGoogleTest(&argc, argv);
    return RUN_ALL_TESTS();
}
```

Exec flags

(no flags) : runs all tests.


```
--help
--gtest_list_tests list available tests
--gtest_filter=* Also runs all tests. (match all)
--gtest_filter=FooTest.* Runs everything in test case FooTest
--gtest_filter=*Null*.*Constructor* Runs any test whose full name
contains either "Null" or "Constructor"
--gtest_filter=-DeathTest.* Runs all non-death tests
--gtest_filter=FooTest.*-FooTest.Bar Runs everything in test case
FooTest except FooTest.Bar
--gtest_also_run_disabled_tests also run DISABLED_ tests
--gtest_repeat=1000 repeat test 1000 times (useful for 'random'
errors)
--gtest_repeat=-1 repeat forever
--gtest_break_on_failure stop on first failure with a breakpoint
(useful in combination with --gtest_repeat)
--gtest_shuffle to check if tests are really independant (used
pseudo-random seed will be displayed)
--gtest_random_seed=SEED to repeat a failed shuffled test
--gtest_catch_exceptions=0 disable unexpected exceptions
catching, very useful in debug
```

Good debug flags : (when trying to find and correct errors)

```
--gtest_catch_exceptions=0 --gtest_break_on_failure
--gtest_also_run_disabled_tests --gtest_shuffle
```

Assertions : *Fatal* assertions will stop the current unit test while *nonfatal* allow it to continue and catch multiple failures at once

⇒ Use fatal only when subsequent expectations depends on this one

Nonfatal (use them first)	Fatal (only when needed)	Verifies :
Basic assertions		
EXPECT_TRUE(condition);	ASSERT_TRUE	condition is true
EXPECT_FALSE(condition);	ASSERT_FALSE	condition is false
Binary comparison		
EXPECT_EQ(expected, actual);	ASSERT_EQ	expected == actual  please note the correct order of args
EXPECT_NE(val1, val2);	ASSERT_NE	val1 ≠ val2
EXPECT_LT(val1, val2);	ASSERT_LT	val1 < val2
EXPECT_LE(val1, val2);	ASSERT_LE	val1 ≤ val2
EXPECT_GT(val1, val2);	ASSERT_GT	val1 > val2
EXPECT_GE(val1, val2);	ASSERT_GE	val1 ≥ val2
C string comparison		
EXPECT_STREQ(expected_str, actual_str);	ASSERT_STREQ	the two C strings have the same content
EXPECT_STRNE(str1, str2);	ASSERT_STRNE	the two C strings have different content
EXPECT_STRCASEEQ(expected_str, actual_str);	ASSERT_STRCASEEQ	the two C strings have the same content, ignoring case
EXPECT_STRCASENE(str1, str2);	ASSERT_STRCASENE	the two C strings have different content, ignoring case
Exception assertions		
EXPECT_THROW(statement, exception_type);	ASSERT_THROW	statement throws an exception of the given type
EXPECT_ANY_THROW(statement);	ASSERT_ANY_THROW	statement throws an exception of any type
EXPECT_NO_THROW(statement);	ASSERT_NO_THROW	statement doesn't throw any exception
Predicate assertions (for better error messages)		
EXPECT_PRED1(pred1, val1);	ASSERT_PRED1	pred1(val1) returns true
EXPECT_PRED2(pred2, val1, val2);	ASSERT_PRED2	pred2(val1, val2) returns true
EXPECT_PRED_FORMAT1(pred_format1, val1);	ASSERT_PRED_FORMAT1	pred_format1(val1) is successful
EXPECT_PRED_FORMAT2(pred_format2, val1, val2);	ASSERT_PRED_FORMAT2	pred_format2(val1, val2) is successful
Floating-point comparison		
EXPECT_FLOAT_EQ(expected, actual);	ASSERT_FLOAT_EQ	the two float values are almost equal
EXPECT_DOUBLE_EQ(expected, actual);	ASSERT_DOUBLE_EQ	the two double values are almost equal
EXPECT_NEAR(val1, val2, abs_error);	ASSERT_NEAR	the difference between values doesn't exceed the given absolute error
Windows HRESULT assertions		
EXPECT_HRESULT_SUCCEEDED(expression);	ASSERT_HRESULT_SUCCEEDED	expression is a success HRESULT
EXPECT_HRESULT_FAILED(expression);	ASSERT_HRESULT_FAILED	expression is a failure HRESULT
Type assertions		
::testing::StaticAssertTypeEq<T1, T2>();		
Death tests		
EXPECT_DEATH(statement, regex`);	ASSERT_DEATH	statement crashes with the given error
EXPECT_DEATH_IF_SUPPORTED(statement, regex`);	ASSERT_DEATH_IF_SUPPORTED	if death tests are supported, verifies that statement crashes with the given error; otherwise verifies nothing
EXPECT_EXIT(statement, predicate, regex`);	ASSERT_EXIT	statement exits with the given error and its exit code matches predicate

Custom failure messages :

```
ASSERT_EQ(x.size(), y.size()) << "Vectors x and y are of unequal length";
```

```
for (int i = 0; i < x.size(); ++i) {
    EXPECT_EQ(x[i], y[i]) << "Vectors x and y differ at index " << i;
}
```

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TODO : Value-Parameterized Tests

TODO : Type-Parameterized Tests

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- 1 http://code.google.com/p/googletest/wiki/FAQ#Why_should_not_test_case_names_and_test_names_contain_underscore