Week 10

- Unit Testing with Ceedling
- How to make sure you didn't screw up

Where do we have problems?

- Write Code
- Write more code
- Change something
- Make sure everything works as expected

What could happen?

- Your codebase grows
- Several people work with you
- Someone changes some small detail
- The program crashes with exit code 11
- What did go wrong?

Unit Tests

- Test your units
- A unit may be a function
- A unit may be a struct/class (higher language)
- Test the behavior of those units

How to structure a test?

- Setup everything you need to test a unit
- Test only one specific thing per test
- Clean up resources

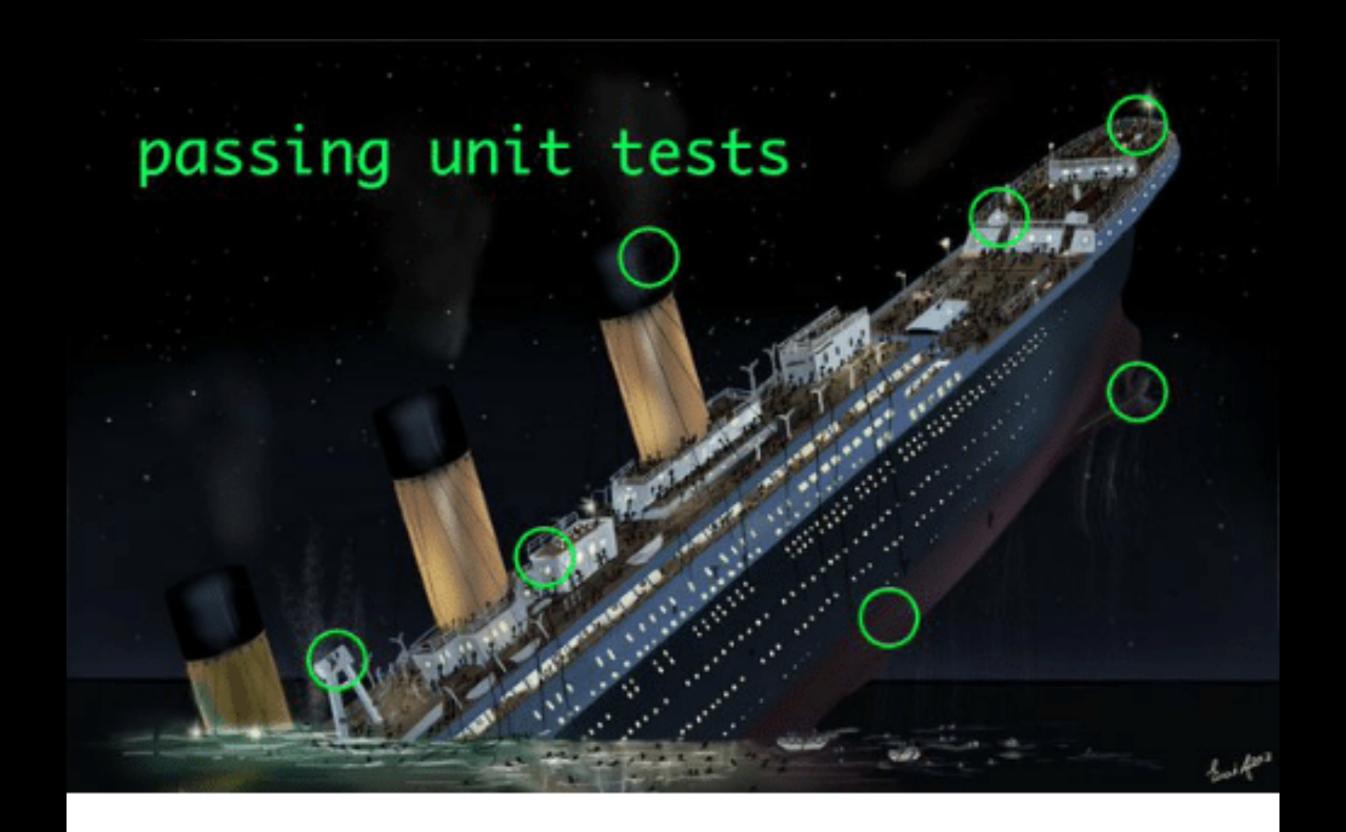
```
void addToList(List* l, int element){
if(l->size == l->capacity){
    resizeList(l);
  lements[l->size] = element;
  l->size++;
void test_lotsOfStuff(){
 List* l = createList();
 TEST ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(0, l->size);
 TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(1, l->capacity);
 TEST ASSERT EQUAL INT(0, l->elements[0]);
 addToList(l, 11); Does this look like a clean test?
 addToList(l, 12);
 TEST ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(2, l->size);
 TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(2, l->capacity);
 TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(11, l->elements[0]);
 TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(12, l->elements[1]);
```

Why bother?

- Change something in your code
- Run all unit tests
- Each failing test will tell you what doesn't work
- Search efficiently for bugs

How not to do unit tests

- Write only some unit tests for the happy path
- Write code first, tests later to support your code
- "It just works, I don't need tests for this"
- I am a good programmer I won't need tests
- I know that I am drunk. Therefore I will drive more carefully



Hits too close to home

Test Driven Development

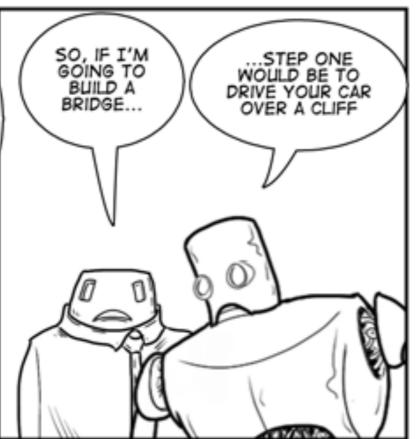
- TDD is the IoT of CS
- There are myriads of different guidelines
- Let me share my experience

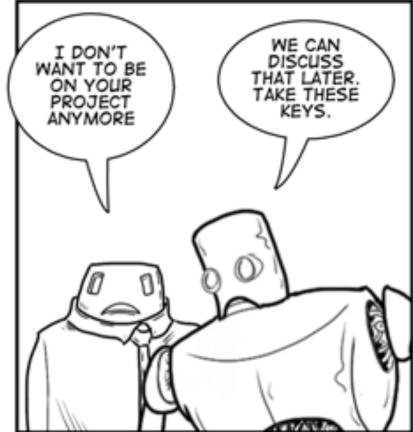
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2) Make this test pass with as little code as possible

3) Refactor







Write a Failing Unit Test

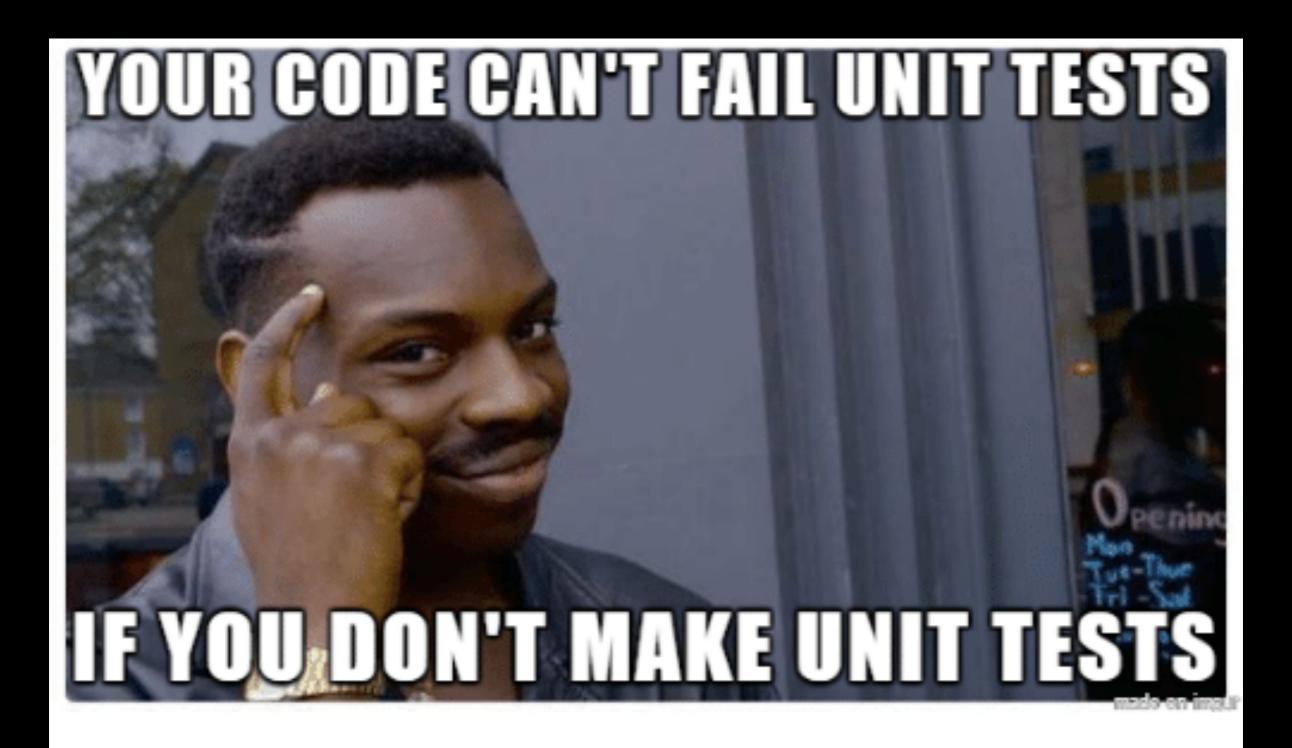
- You establish that as of time of writing your code doesn't implement that behavior
- You can now tell exactly when your code starts working
- You can test whether your toolchain works (!)

Make this test pass with as little code as possible

- Not more code than necessary
- You must assume that everything you write is wrong
- Only tests can tell whether something is right
- Any code you write that isn't tested, is danger

Refactor

- Remove any unidiomatic code
- After making sure your code passes all tests, make the code clean
- Cleaning code is refactoring
- Write additional tests for all behavior you want your code to have



Unit what?

Ceedling

- Ceedling is a build system for C
- It's done by the guys who also make Unity (not the game engine)
- Unity is a unit testing toolchain for C
- Search for Ceedling and follow the installation instructions

Exercises for next week

- Write a unit tested data structure of your choice:
 Tree, List, Queue, LinkedList, Hashmap, Bloomfilter
- Use TDD for this process

Example: Stack

- ceedling new stack
- cd stack
- ceedling

```
~/Desktop/stack
→ ceedling

OVERALL TEST SUMMARY

No tests executed.
```

Create a Module

ceedling module:create\[stack\]

```
~/Desktop/stack
→ ceedling module:create\[stack\]
File src/stack.c created
File src/stack.h created
File test/test stack.c created
Generate Complete
~/Desktop/stack
→ ceedling
Test 'test_stack.c'
Generating runner for test_stack.c...
Compiling test_stack_runner.c...
Compiling test_stack.c...
Compiling unity.c...
Compiling stack.c...
Compiling cmock.c...
Linking test_stack.out...
Running test_stack.out...
IGNORED TEST SUMMARY
[test_stack.c]
  Test: test_stack_NeedToImplement
  At line (14): "Need to Implement stack"
OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
TESTED: 1
PASSED: 0
FAILED: 0
```

IGNORED: 1

```
#include "unity.h"
                       For all asserts (e.g. TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(2, 1+1);
#include "stack.h"
void setUp(void)
            Executed before each test
void tearDown(void)
           Executed after each test
void test_stack_NeedToImplement(void)
    TEST_IGNORE_MESSAGE("Need to Implement stack");
}
                    Tests are like:
                void test_blabla(void){}
                 The test_ is important
```

First test

```
typedef struct stack{
  stack;
#endif // _STACK_H
 FAILED TEST SUMMARY
 [test stack.c]
   Test: test stack
   At line (15): "Expected Non-NULL"
 OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
 TESTED:
 PASSED:
 FAILED:
 IGNORED: 0
```

#ifndef _STACK_H

#define _STACK_H

```
#include "unity.h"
#include "stack.h"
stack *s;
void setUp(void)
void tearDown(void)
void test_stack(void){
    TEST_ASSERT_NOT_NULL(s);
```

We need to allocate memory

- How do we test that all memory is freed at the end of a test?
- Write a wrapper around malloc and free that increases/ decreases a counter for each allocation
- Difficult to test otherwise

```
//TEST_STACK.c
#include <stdint.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
uint16_t allocationCount = 0;
void* safe_malloc(size_t size){
    allocationCount++;
    return malloc(size);
void safe_free(void* ptr){
    allocationCount--;
    free(ptr);
void tearDown(void)
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL(0, allocationCount);
```

```
void setUp(void)
     s = safe_malloc(sizeof(stack));
void tearDown(void)
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL(0, allocationCount);
void test_stack(void){
     TEST_ASSERT_NOT_NULL(s);
               FAILED TEST SUMMARY
               [test_stack.c]
                 Test: test_stack
                 At line (25): "Expected 0 Was 1"
               OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
               TESTED:
               PASSED:
               FAILED:
               IGNORED: 0
```

```
stack *s = NULL;
void setUp(void)
    s = safe_malloc(sizeof(stack));
void tearDown(void)
    safe_free(s);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL(0, allocationCount);
void test_stack(void){
    TEST_ASSERT_NOT_NULL(s);
         OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
         TESTED:
         PASSED:
         FAILED:
         IGNORED:
```

Now let's test the size of the stack

- It should be 0 at the beginning
- Add a member to the struct

```
typedef struct stack{
    int size;
} stack;
```

```
void setUp(void)
{
    s = safe_malloc(sizeof(stack));
}

/*
*/

void test_stackSize0(void){
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(0, s->size);
}
```

```
OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
TESTED: 2
PASSED: 2
FAILED: 0
IGNORED: 0
```

Test will fail on some systems
Why?

Add a constructor

- Add a function that receives a pointer and sets up all values
- Simplest way
- Set the size manually to 0

```
#ifndef _STACK_H
#define _STACK_H
#include <stdint.h>

typedef struct stack{
    int size;
} stack;

void stack_create(stack* s);

#endif // _STACK_H
    stack.h
```

```
#include "stack.h"

void stack_create(stack* s){
    s->size = 0;
}
```

stack.c

```
void setUp(void)
{
    s = safe_malloc(sizeof(stack));
    stack_create(s);
}
```

Our stack needs to have space for elements

- Pass safe_malloc to constructor
- Pass maximum size to constructor
- Let constructor allocate its own memory
- What is the first step?
- Add a int* memory to your stack struct

Function pointer

```
void stack_create(stack** s, int maxSize, void* (*allocation)(size_t));
```

```
void stack_create(stack** s, int maxSize, void* (*allocation)(size_t)){
    s->size = 0;
}
```

```
void setUp(void)
{
    s = safe_malloc(sizeof(stack));
    stack_create(&s, 256, safe_malloc);
}
```

What did we change so far?

Function declarations

What did we not change?

Code

What do we do now?

- Refactoring
- We want to allocate memory in the constructor

```
void stack_create(stack** s, int maxSize, void* (*allocation)(size_t)){
    *s = (stack *)allocation(sizeof(stack));
    stack *stk = *s;
    stk->size = 0;
}
```

Why pass stack**?

- stack* is an Address
- You want stack* to point to heap allocated memory
- You change stack* in the function
- The original stack isn't modified
- Pass a reference to the pointer

And now code?

- WRONG!
- Write a test

```
void test_allocationMemory(void){
    TEST_ASSERT_NOT_NULL(s->memory);
}
Will fail
```

```
typedef struct stack{
    int size;
    int* memory;
} stack;
```

We need to allocate a buffer

- How to test that the buffer has the right size?
- Difficult!

```
void stack_create(stack** s, int maxSize, void* (*allocation)(size_t)){
    *s = (stack *)allocation(sizeof(stack));
    stack *stk = *s;
    stk->size = 0;
    stk->memory = allocation(maxSize * sizeof(int));
}
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY
[test_stack.c]
  Test: test_stackNotNull
  At line (26): "Expected 0 Was 1"
  Test: test stackSize0
  At line (26): "Expected 0 Was 2"
  Test: test allocationMemory
  At line (26): "Expected 0 Was 3"
OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
TESTED: 3
PASSED: 0
FAILED: 3
IGNORED: 0
BUILD FAILURE SUMMARY
Unit test failures.
```

What do we miss?

Free the buffer

```
void tearDown(void)
{
    safe_free(s->memory);
    safe_free(s);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL(0, allocationCount);
}
```

Now lets push something

- We want to test several things
- First things first
- After adding something to the stack, the size should increase

```
void stack_push(stack* s, int element);
                                        void stack_push(stack* s, int element){
                void test_stackSizeIncreasesAfterPush(void){
                     stack_push(s, 1);
                     TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(1,s->size);
                          FAILED TEST SUMMARY
                          [test_stack.c]
                           Test: test_stackSizeIncreasesAfterPush
                           At line (44): "Expected 0 Was 1"
                          OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
                          TESTED: 4
                          PASSED: 3
                          FAILED: 1
                          IGNORED: 0
                          BUILD FAILURE SUMMARY
                          Unit test failures.
```

Let's make it pass

```
void stack_push(stack* s, int element){
    s->size = 1;
}
```

```
→ ceedling
Test 'test_stack.c'
Compiling stack.c...
Linking test_stack.out...
Running test_stack.out...
OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
TESTED:
PASSED:
FAILED:
IGNORED: 0
```



WRITE MORE TESTS

```
void test_stackSizeIncreasesAfterPush(void){
    stack_push(s, 1);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(s->size, 1);
}

void test_stackSizeIncreasesAfterPushTwice(void){
    stack_push(s, 1);
    stack_push(s, 2);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(s->size, 2);
}
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY

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[test_stack.c]
    Test: test_stackSizeIncreasesAfterPushTwice
    At line (50): "Expected 1 Was 2"

------

OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
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TESTED: 5
PASSED: 4
FAILED: 1
IGNORED: 0

BUILD FAILURE SUMMARY
------
Unit test failures.
```

REFACTOR

```
void stack_push(stack* s, int element){
    s->size++;
}
```

If the maximum is reached, no further adding is possible

- Add a maxSize to the struct
- Set it in the constructor

```
typedef struct stack{
    int size;
    int maxSize;
    int *memory;
} stack;
```

```
void test_maxStackAdd(void){
   for(int i = 0; i < 300; i++){
      stack_push(s, i);
   }
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(s->size, s->maxSize);
}
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY
-------
[test_stack.c]
   Test: test_maxStackAdd
   At line (57): "Expected 300 Was 256"
```

REFACTOR

```
void stack_push(stack* s, int element){
   if(s->size < s->maxSize){
       s->size++;
   }
}
```

When we push the first element we expect it at first position

```
void test_addFirst(void){
    stack_push(s, 15);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(15, s->memory[0]);
}
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY
------
[test_stack.c]
   Test: test_addFirst
   At line (62): "Expected 15 Was 0"
```

```
void stack_push(stack* s, int element){
    s->memory[0] = 15;
    if(s->size < s->maxSize){
        s->size++;
    }
}
```

```
Test 'test_stack.c'
------
Compiling stack.c...
Linking test_stack.out...
Running test_stack.out...

OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
-----
TESTED: 7
PASSED: 7
FAILED: 0
IGNORED: 0
```

```
void test_addFirstSecond(void){
    stack_push(s, 15);
    stack_push(s, 17);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(15, s->memory[0]);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(17, s->memory[1]);
}

    Is this test good?
    How to make it better?
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY

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[test_stack.c]
   Test: test_addFirstSecond
   At line (69): "Expected 17 Was 0"

------

OVERALL TEST SUMMARY

-----
TESTED: 8
PASSED: 7
FAILED: 1
IGNORED: 0
```

REFACTOR

```
void stack_push(stack* s, int element){
    s->memory[s->size] = element;
    if(s->size < s->maxSize){
        s->size++;
    }
}
```

If maximum elements are added, no further elements should be added

```
void test_maxStackAddElements(void){
   for(int i = 0; i < 300; i++){
      stack_push(s, i);
   }
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(255, s->memory[255]);
}
```

```
void stack_push(stack* s, int element){
   if(s->size < s->maxSize){
      s->memory[s->size] = element;
      s->size++;
   }
}
```

Popping an element decreases the size

```
void test_popSize(void){
    stack_push(s, 15);
    stack_push(s, 17);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(2, s->size);
    stack_pop(s);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(1, s->size);
}
How to make this test better?
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY

------
[test_stack.c]
   Test: test_popSize
   At line (84): "Expected 1 Was 2"

------

OVERALL TEST SUMMARY

-----
TESTED: 10
PASSED: 9
FAILED: 1
IGNORED: 0
```

```
int stack_pop(stack* s){
    s->size--;
    return 0;
}
```

Popping Empty Stack lets size on 0

```
void test_popEmptyStack(void){
    stack_pop(s);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(0, s->size);
}
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY

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[test_stack.c]
   Test: test_popEmptyStack
   At line (89): "Expected 0 Was -1"

------

OVERALL TEST SUMMARY

-----
TESTED: 11
PASSED: 10
FAILED: 1
IGNORED: 0
```

```
int stack_pop(stack* s){
    if(s->size>0){
        s->size--;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Popping Stack returns top element

```
void test_popReturnsTopElement(void){
    stack_push(s, 17);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(17, stack_pop(s));
}
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY
-------
[test_stack.c]
  Test: test_popReturnsTopElement
  At line (94): "Expected 17 Was 0"

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OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
-----
TESTED: 12
PASSED: 11
FAILED: 1
IGNORED: 0
```

```
int stack_pop(stack* s){
    if(s->size>0){
        s->size--;
    }
    return 17;
}
```

Popping multiple elements

```
void test_popReturnsTopElements(void){
    stack_push(s, 17);
    stack_push(s, 15);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(15, stack_pop(s));
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(17, stack_pop(s));
}
How can we improve this test?
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY

------
[test_stack.c]
   Test: test_popReturnsTopElements
   At line (100): "Expected 15 Was 17"

------

OVERALL TEST SUMMARY
------
TESTED: 13
PASSED: 12
FAILED: 1
IGNORED: 0
```

```
int stack_pop(stack* s){
    if(s->size>0){
        s->size--;
    }
    return s->memory[s->size];
}
```

Popping empty stack returns 0

```
void test_popOnEmptyStackReturns0(void){
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(0, stack_pop(s));
}
```

```
FAILED TEST SUMMARY

[test_stack.c]
Test: test_popOnEmptyStackReturns0
At line (105): "Expected 0 Was 17"

OVERALL TEST SUMMARY

TESTED: 14
PASSED: 13
FAILED: 1
IGNORED: 0
```

```
int stack_pop(stack* s){
    if(s->size>0){
        s->size--;
        return s->memory[s->size];
    }else{
        return 0;
    }
}
```

stack.h

```
#ifndef _STACK_H
#define _STACK_H
#include <stdint.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
typedef struct stack{
   int size;
    int maxSize;
    int *memory;
} stack;
void stack_create(stack** s, int maxSize, void* (*allocation)
(size_t));
void stack_push(stack* s, int element);
int stack_pop(stack* s);
#endif // _STACK_H
```

stack.c

```
#include "stack.h"
void stack_create(stack** s, int maxSize, void* (*allocation)(size_t)){
    *s = (stack *)allocation(sizeof(stack));
    stack *stk = *s;
    stk->size = 0;
    stk->maxSize = maxSize;
    stk->memory = allocation(maxSize * sizeof(int));
void stack_push(stack* s, int element){
    if(s->size < s->maxSize){
        s->memory[s->size] = element;
        s->size++;
int stack_pop(stack* s){
    if(s->size>0){
        s->size--;
        return s->memory[s->size];
    }else{
        return 0;
```

test_stack.c

```
#include "unity.h"
#include "stack.h"
#include <stdint.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
uint16_t allocationCount = 0;
void* safe_malloc(size_t size){
    allocationCount++;
    return malloc(size);
/oid safe free(void* ptr){
    allocationCount--;
    free(ptr);
stack *s = NULL;
void setUp(void)
    stack_create(&s, 256, safe_malloc);
void tearDown(void)
    safe_free(s->memory);
    safe free(s);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL(0, allocationCount);
void test stackNotNull(void){
    TEST_ASSERT_NOT_NULL(s);
```

```
void test stackSize0(void){
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(0, s->size);
void test allocationMemory(void){
    TEST ASSERT NOT NULL(s->memory);
void test_stackSizeIncreasesAfterPush(void){
    stack_push(s, 1);
   TEST ASSERT EQUAL INT(s->size, 1);
void test_stackSizeIncreasesAfterPushTwice(void){
}
    stack push(s, 1);
   stack_push(s, 2);
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(s->size, 2);
void test maxStackAdd(void){
    for(int i = 0; i < 300; i++){
       stack_push(s, i);
    TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(s->size, s->maxSize);
void test addFirst(void){
    stack push(s, 15);
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(15, s->memory[0]);
void test addFirstSecond(void){
    stack_push(s, 15);
   stack_push(s, 17);
   TEST ASSERT EQUAL INT(15, s->memory[0]);
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(17, s->memory[1]);
```

```
void test_maxStackAddElements(void){
   for(int i = 0; i < 300; i++){
       stack_push(s, i);
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(255, s->memory[255]);
void test_popSize(void){
   stack_push(s, 15);
   stack_push(s, 17);
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(2, s->size);
   stack_pop(s);
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(1, s->size);
void test_popEmptyStack(void){
   stack_pop(s);
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(0, s->size);
void test_popReturnsTopElement(void){
   stack_push(s, 17);
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(17, stack_pop(s));
void test_popReturnsTopElements(void){
   stack_push(s, 17);
   stack_push(s, 15);
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(15, stack_pop(s));
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(17, stack_pop(s));
void test_popOnEmptyStackReturns0(void){
   TEST_ASSERT_EQUAL_INT(0, stack_pop(s));
```

Your Homework

- Literally implement any data structure using TDD
- Ask me if you encounter problems
- This will be very counterintuitive at first
- This is how you write great code

Upload your results to Github if you like, you can reuse these structures