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# Jest cheatsheet

A quick overview to Jest, a test framework for Node.js. This guide targets Jest v20.

#### Quick start

```
/* Add to package.json */
"scripts": {
   "test": "jest"
}

# Run your tests
npm test -- --watch
See: Getting started
```

#### Skipping tests

```
describe.skip(···)
it.skip(···) // alias: xit()

See: test.skip
```

#### Writing tests

```
describe('My work', () => {
   test('works', () => {
    expect(2).toEqual(2)
   })
})

See: describe(), test(), expect()
```

#### Setup

```
beforeEach(() => { ... })
afterEach(() => { ... })

beforeAll(() => { ... })
afterAll(() => { ... })
See: afterAll() and more
```

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#### BDD syntax

```
describe('My work', () => {
   it('works', () => {
      ...
   })
})

it is an alias for test. See: test()
```

#### Focusing tests

```
describe.only(...)
it.only(...) // alias: fit()
See: test.only
```

#### Optional flags

coverage	See a summary of test coverage
detectOpenHandles	See a summary of ports that didn't close
runInBand	Run all tests one after the other

# # Expect

#### **Basic expectations**

# expect(value) .not .toBe(value) .toEqual(value) .toBeTruthy()

Note that toEqual is a deep equality check. See: expect()

#### Objects

```
expect(value)
   .toBeInstanceOf(Class)
   .toMatchObject(object)
   .toHaveProperty(keyPath, value)
```

#### Strings

```
expect(value)
  .toMatch(regexpOrString)
```

#### **Snapshots**

```
expect(value)
  .toMatchSnapshot()
  .toMatchInlineSnapshot()
```

Note that toMatchInlineSnapshot() requires Prettier to be set up for the project. See: Inline snapshots

#### Numbers

```
expect(value)
  .toBeCloseTo(number, numDigits)
  .toBeGreaterThan(number)
  .toBeGreaterThanOrEqual(number)
  .toBeLessThan(number)
  .toBeLessThanOrEqual(number)
```

#### Others

```
expect.extend(matchers)
expect.any(constructor)
expect.addSnapshotSerializer(serializer)
expect.assertions(1)
```

#### Errors

```
expect(value)
  .toThrow(error)
  .toThrowErrorMatchingSnapshot()
```

#### **Booleans**

```
expect(value)
  .toBeFalsy()
  .toBeNull()
  .toBeTruthy()
  .toBeUndefined()
  .toBeDefined()
```

#### Objects

```
expect(value)
  .toContain(item)
  .toContainEqual(item)
  .toHaveLength(number)
```

### # More features

#### Asynchronous tests

```
test('works with promises', () => {
```

#### Snapshots

```
it('works', () => {
  const output = something()
```

```
})
})

test('works with async/await', async () => {
   ...
})

Return promises, or use async/await. See: Async tutorial
```

#### **Timers**

```
jest.useFakeTimers()

it('works', () => {
    jest.runOnlyPendingTimers()
    jest.runTimersToTime(1000)
    jest.runAllTimers()
})
See: Timer Mocks
```

```
expect(output).toMatchSnapshot()
})
```

First run creates a snapshot. Subsequent runs match the saved snapshot. See: Snapshot testing

#### React test renderer

```
import renderer from 'react-test-renderer'

it('works', () => {

    expect(tree).toMatchSnapshot()
})

React's test renderer can be used for Jest snapshots. See: Snapshot test
```

# # Mock functions

#### Mock functions

```
const fn = jest.fn()

const fn = jest.fn(n => n * n)

See: Mock functions
```

#### Instances

#### **Assertions**

```
expect(fn)
   .toHaveBeenCalled()
   .toHaveBeenCalledTimes(number)
   .toHaveBeenCalledWith(arg1, arg2, ...)
   .toHaveBeenLastCalledWith(arg1, arg2, ...)

expect(fn)
   .toHaveBeenCalledWith(expect.anything())
   .toHaveBeenCalledWith(expect.any(constructor))
   .toHaveBeenCalledWith(expect.arrayContaining([ values ]))
   .toHaveBeenCalledWith(expect.objectContaining({ props })))
```

```
const Fn = jest.fn()
a = new Fn()
b = new Fn()

// → [a, b]

See: .mock property
```

#### Return values

```
const fn = jest.fn(() => 'hello')

or:

jest.fn().mockReturnValue('hello')
jest.fn().mockReturnValueOnce('hello')
```

```
.toHaveBeenCalledWith(expect.stringContaining(string))
.toHaveBeenCalledWith(expect.stringMatching(regexp))
```

#### Calls

```
const fn = jest.fn()
fn(123)
fn(456)
```

See: .mock property

#### Mock implementations

```
const fn = jest.fn()

fn()  // \rightarrow 1
fn()  // \rightarrow 2
```

# # References

http://facebook.github.io/jest/