

Behavioral Driven Development with Behat and Zend Framework 2

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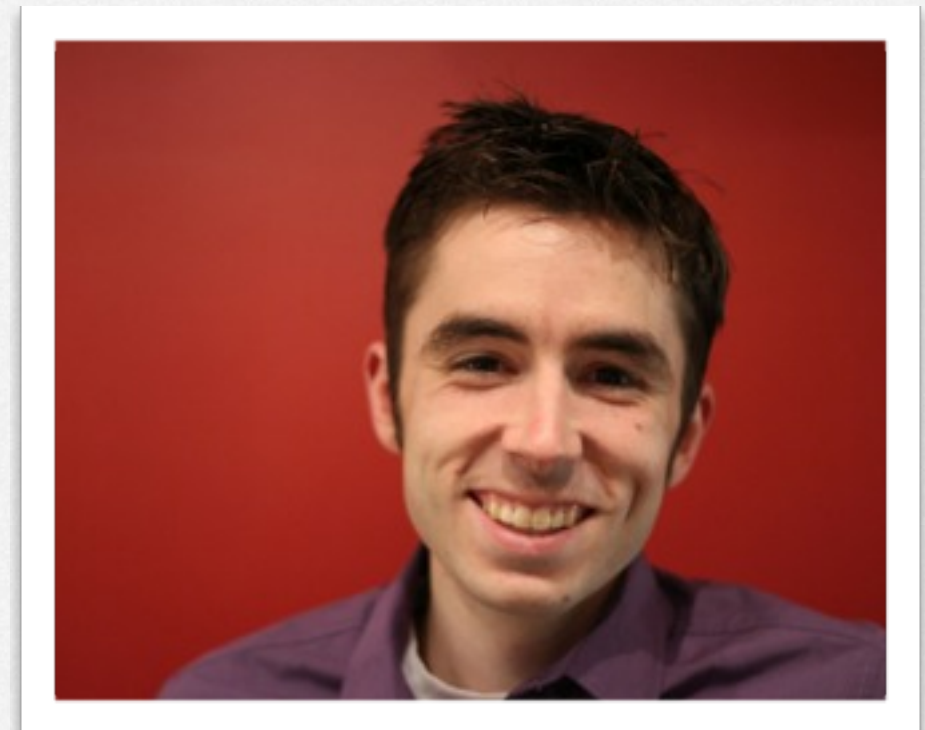
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Intro

**Plan, Work, Miscommunicate,
Panic, Put out Fires, Repeat!**
(aka Project Work)

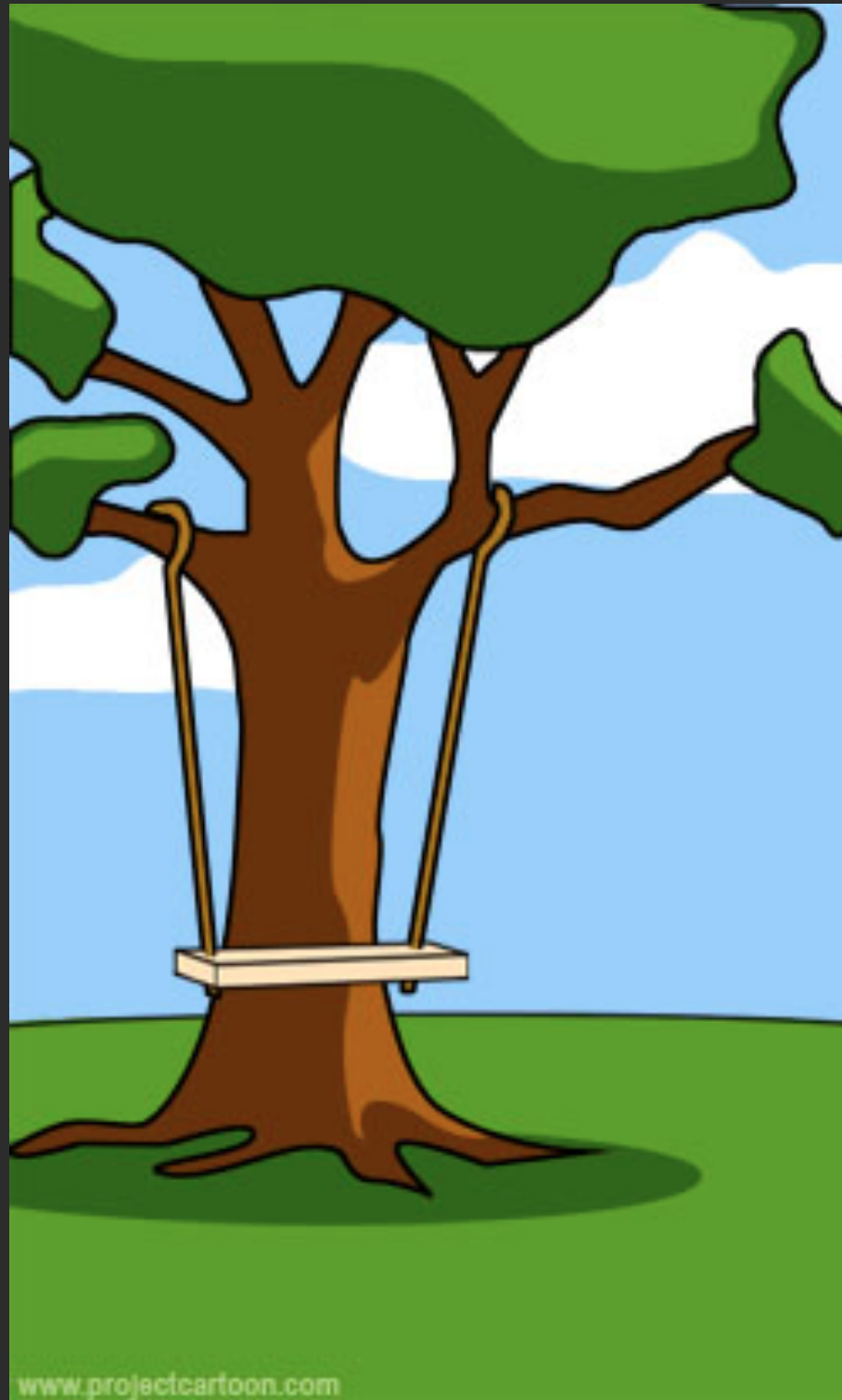
<http://www.flickr.com/photos/lifeontheedge/416514144/>

The Typical Project



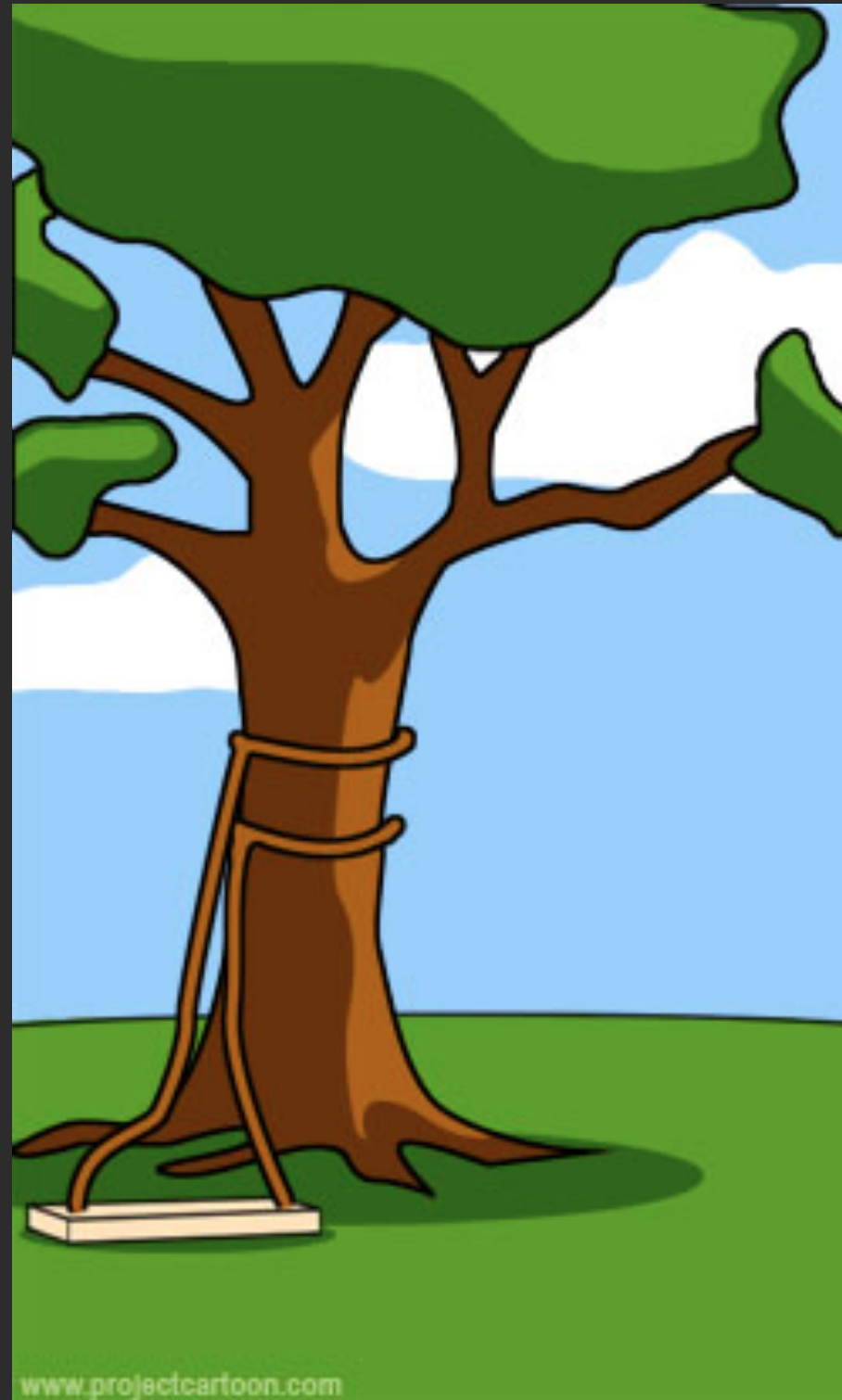
How the customer explained it

<http://www.projectcartoon.com>



How the project leader understood it

<http://www.projectcartoon.com>



How the programmer wrote it

<http://www.projectcartoon.com>



What the customer really needed

<http://www.projectcartoon.com>

... and my personal favorite



What the beta testers received

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Computer Science?

Where it breaks down...

1

Different roles, different
languages

2

Your code and business
values may not align

*I've just dreamt up this
cool new feature that we
should implement!*

Why? Because it's cool!

3

Over-planning, under-planning,
planning?

Can you make me a plan to
build a...



giant-crazy scary bridge!?

... and I need that plan today...

... I have no other details ...

... and I need a cost estimate ...

over-planning:

- * over-budget before you start
- * detailed plans for features you won't end up needing

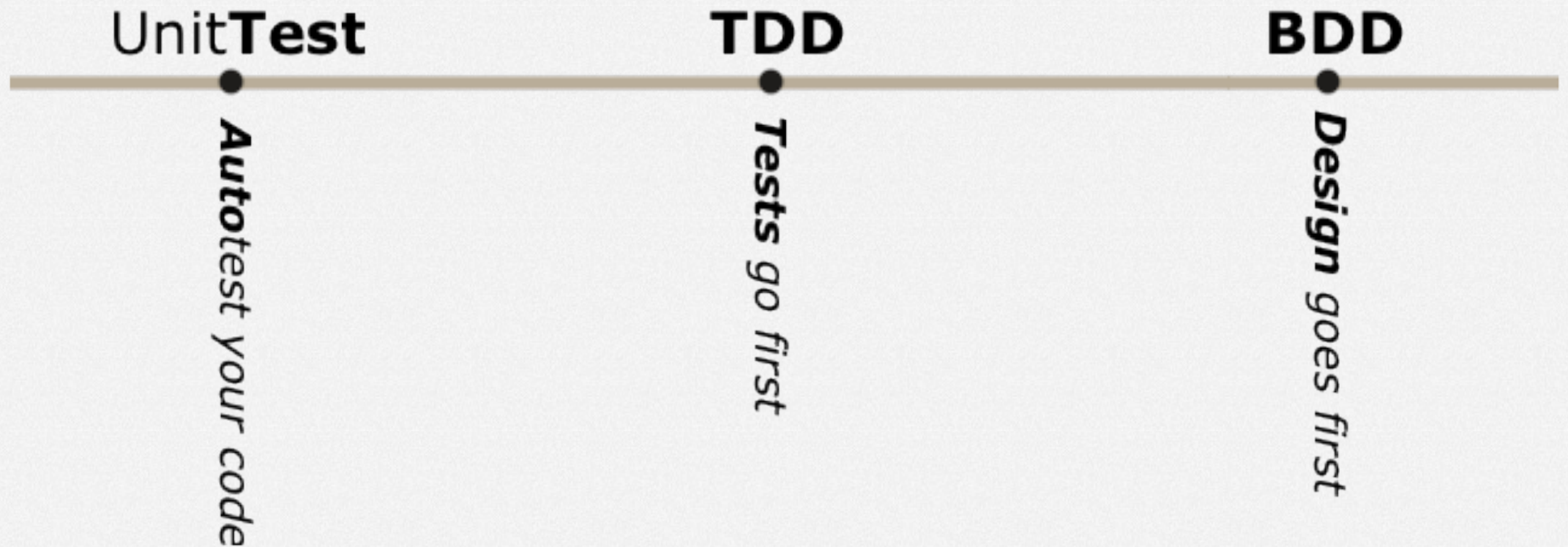
under-planning:

- * maybe the feature doesn't have any business value?
- * a lot of hidden complications

Act 1

Getting down with BDD

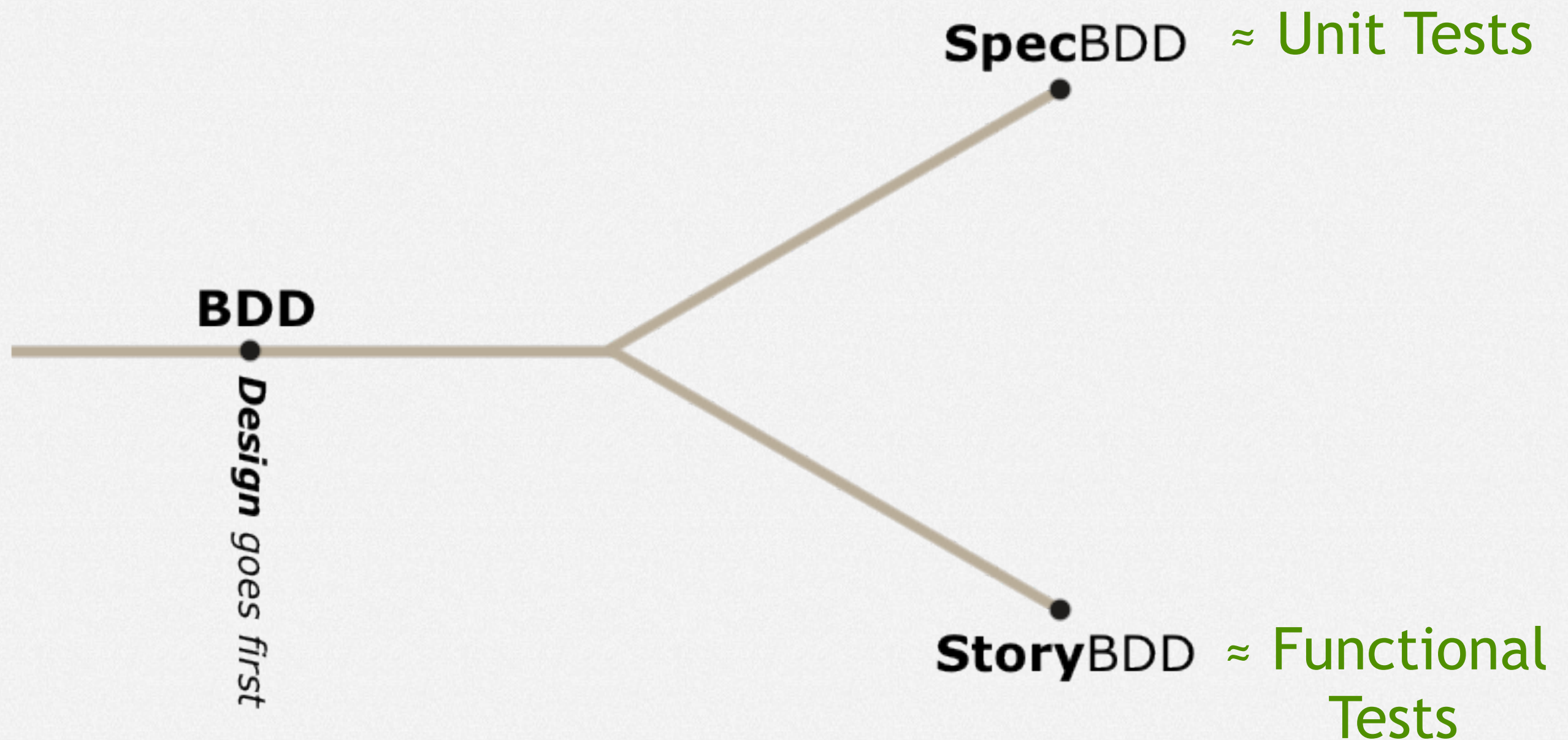
Evolution of Test-Driven Development



**“Behaviour” is a more
useful word, than “test”**

© Dan North, 2003

The two BDD Styles



Specification BDD



*A php toolset to drive emergent
design by specification.*



*phpspec2
repository*



*phpspec2
manual*

<http://www.phpspec.net>

Scenario-oriented BDD

(Story BDD)

Let's create a single
vocabulary

Fix Communication between...

- **product owners**
- **business analysts**
- **project managers**
- **developers**
- **testers**

Solution

1. **Define** business value for the features
2. **Prioritize** features by their business value
3. **Describe** them with readable scenarios
4. And only then - **implement** them

Act 2

Gherkin

A project consists of **many**
features

Gherkin

==

a structure language to
describe a feature

Feature: {custom_title}

In order to {A}

As a {B}

I need to {C}

- {A} - the benefit or **value** of the feature
- {B} - the **role** (or person) who will benefit
- {C} - short feature **description**



| The person “writing” this feature - the “I”

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read news in French

Feature: I18n

In order to read news in french

As a french user

I need to be able to switch locale

read news in French

The **business value**



Feature: I18n

In order to **read news in french**

As a french user

I need to be able to switch locale

read news in French

The person who benefits

+

The “author” of this feature

Feature: I18n

In order to read news in french

As a french user

I need to be able to switch locale

read news in French

Description of the feature, the action the person will take

Feature: I18n

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prioritize...

- 1) Feature: News admin panel
- 2) Feature: I18n
- 3) Feature: News list API

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Feature: News admin panel

In order to maintain a list of news

As a site administrator

I need to be able to edit news

Scenario: List available articles

Given there are 5 news articles

And I am on the `"/admin"` page

When I click `"News Administration"`

Then I should see 5 news articles

Scenario: Add new article

Given I am on the `"/admin/news"` page

When I click `"new article"`

And I fill in `"title"` with `"Learned BDD today"`

And I press `"save"`

Then I should see `"A new article have been added"`

Scenarios

Scenario: Add new article

Given I am on the "/admin/news" page

When I click "new article"

And I fill in "title" with "Learned BDD today"

And I press "save"

Then I should see "A new article have been added"

Given

Defines the initial state of the system for the scenario

Scenarios

Scenario: Add new article

Given I am on the "/admin/news" page

When I click "new article"

And I fill in "title" with "Learned BDD today"

And I press "save"

Then I should see "A new article have been added"

When

Describes the action taken by the **person/role**

Scenarios

Scenario: Add new article

Given I am on the "/admin/news" page

When I click "new article"

And I fill in "title" with "Learned BDD today"

And I press "save"

Then I should see "A new article have been added"

Then

Describes the **observable** system state after the action has been performed

Scenarios

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When I click "new article"

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And I press "save"

Then I should see "A new article have been added"

And/But

Can be added to create multiple

Given/When/Then lines

Gherkin

gives us a consistent language
for describing **features** and
their **scenarios**

... now let's turn them into
tests!

Act 3

*Those tests ain't gonna
write themselves,*

Behatch

From the t-shirt: <http://bit.ly/behatch-t>

Having a standard way of
describing features is cool...

... executing those sentences
as functional tests is just
awesome

What is Behat?

Behat does one simple thing:

It Maps Each step to a PHP Callback**

Behat “executes” your scenarios, reading each step and calling the function associated with it

** each line in a scenario is called a “step”

Installing Behat

Behat is just a library that can be installed easily in any project via **Composer**

New to Composer? Free screencast cures it!
<http://knpuniversity.com/screencast/composer>

In your project directory...

1) Download **Composer**

```
$> curl -s http://getcomposer.org/installer | php
```

2) Create (or update) **composer.json** for Behat

```
http://bit.ly/behat-composer
```

```
{  
  "require": {  
    "behat/behat": "2.4.*@stable"  
  },  
  "minimum-stability": "dev",  
  "config": {  
    "bin-dir": "bin/"  
  }  
}
```

<http://bit.ly/behat-composer>

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```

2) Create (or update) **composer.json** for Behat

```
http://bit.ly/behat-composer
```

3) **Download Behat** libraries

```
$> php composer.phar install
```

\o/ Woo!

The most important product
of the installation is an
executable **bin/behata** file

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$ php bin/behat --help
```

Usage:

```
behat [--init] [-f|--format="..."] [--out="..."] [--lang="..."] [--[no-]ansi] [--no-]snippets-paths] [--[no-]multiline] [--[no-]expand] [--story-syntax] [-d|--detach-cache="..."] [--strict] [--dry-run] [--rerun="..."] [--append-snippets] [features
```

Arguments:

features

Feature(s) to run. Could be:

- a dir (**features/**)
- a feature (***.feature**)
- a scenario at specific line (***.feature:10**).
- all scenarios at or after a specific line (***.feature:10**)
- all scenarios at a line within a specific range (***.feature:10-20**)

Options:

--init

Create **features** directory structure.

--format (-f)

How to format features. **pretty** is default.

Default formatters are:

- **pretty**: Prints the feature as is.
- **progress**: Prints one character per step.
- **html**: Generates a nice looking HTML report.
- **junit**: Generates a report similar to Ant+JUnit.
- **failed**: Prints list of failed scenarios.
- **snippets**: Prints only snippets for undefined steps.

Can use multiple formats at once (splitted with ",")

--out

Write formatter output to a file/directory

Behat in a project

To use **PHPUnit** in a project you need:

- 1) Actual `*Test.php` files to be executed
- 2) (optional) A `phpunit.xml` configuration file

To use **Behat** in a project you need:

- 1) Actual `*.feature` files to be executed
- 2) A `FeatureContext.php` file that holds the PHP callbacks for each step
- 3) (optional) A `behat.yml` configuration file


```
$> php bin/behata --init
```

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behata$ php bin/behata --init  
+d features - place your *.feature files here  
+d features/bootstrap - place bootstrap scripts and static files here  
+f features/bootstrap/FeatureContext.php - place your feature related code here
```

```
<?php
// features/bootstrap/FeatureContext.php

use Behat\Behat\Context\ClosedContextInterface,
    Behat\Behat\Context\TranslatedContextInterface,
    Behat\Behat\Context\BehatContext,
    Behat\Behat\Exception\PendingException;
use Behat\Gherkin\Node\PyStringNode,
    Behat\Gherkin\Node\TableNode;

class FeatureContext extends BehatContext
{
}
```

```
<?php
// features/bootstrap/FeatureContext.php

use Behat\Behat\Context\ClosedContextInterface,
    Behat\Behat\Context\TranslatedContextInterface,
    Behat\Behat\Context\ContextInterface,
    Behat\Behat\Exception\PendingException;
use Behat\Gherkin\Node\PyStringNode,
    Behat\Gherkin\Node\TableNode;

class FeatureContext extends BehatContext
{
}
```

Nothing Interesting here
yet...

Pretend you're testing the
“ls” program

1) Describe your Feature

Feature: `ls`

In order to `see the directory structure`

As `a UNIX user`

`I need to be able to list the current directory's contents`

`features/ls.feature`

2) Your First Scenario

“If you have two files in a directory, and you're running the command - you should see them listed.”

2) Write Your First Scenario

**** Write in the natural voice of “a UNIX user”**

Scenario: List 2 files in a directory

Given I have a file named "foo"

And I have a file named "bar"

When I run "ls"

Then I should see "foo" in the output

And I should see "bar" in the output

features/ls.feature

3) Run Behat

```
$> php bin/behat
```

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$ php bin/behat
```

```
Feature: ls
```

```
    In order to see the directory structure
```

```
    As a UNIX user
```

```
    I need to be able to list the current directory's contents
```

```
Scenario: List 2 files in a directory
```

```
    Given I have a file named "foo"
```

```
    And I have a file named "bar"
```

```
    When I run "ls"
```

```
    Then I should see "foo" in the output
```

```
    And I should see "bar" in the output
```

```
1 scenario (1 undefined)
```

```
5 steps (5 undefined)
```

```
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```

Behat tries
to find a
method in
FeatureContext
for each step

You can implement step definitions for undefined steps with these snippets:

```
/**
 * @Given /^I have a file named "([^"]*)"$/
 */
public function iHaveAFileNamed($arg1)
{
    throw new PendingException();
}
```

Matching is
done via
regex

```
/**
 * @When /^I run "([^"]*)"$/
 */
public function iRun($arg1)
{
    throw new PendingException();
}
```

For each step that
doesn't have a matching
method, Behat prints
code to copy into
FeatureContext

```
/**
 * @Then /^I should see "([^"]*)" in the output$/
 */
public function iShouldSeeInTheOutput($arg1)
{
    throw new PendingException();
}
```

4) Copy in the new Definitions

```
class FeatureContext extends BehatContext
{
```

```
    /** @Given /^I have a file named "([^"]*)"$/ */
    public function iHaveAFileNamed($arg1)
```

```
{
```

```
    throw new PendingException();
```

```
}
```

```
    /** @When /^I run "([^"]*)"$/ */
    public function iRun($arg1)
```

```
{
```

```
    throw new PendingException();
```

```
}
```

```
// ...
```

```
}
```

Quoted text
maps to a
method
argument

5) Make the definitions do
what they need to

```
/**
 * @Given /^I have a file named "([^"]*)"$/
 */
public function iHaveAFileNamed($file) {
    touch($file);
}
```

```
/**
 * @Given /^I have a directory named "([^"]*)"$/
 */
public function iHaveADirectoryNamed($dir) {
    mkdir($dir);
}
```

```
/**
 * @When /^I run "([^"]*)"$/
 */
public function iRun($command) {
    exec($command, $output);
    $this->output = trim(implode("\n", $output));
}

/**
 * @Then /^I should see "([^"]*)" in the output$/
 */
public function iShouldSeeInTheOutput($string) {
    assertContains(
        $string,
        explode("\n", $this->output)
    );
}
```

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$ php bin/behat
```



```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$ php bin/behat
```

```
Feature: ls
```

```
    In order to see the directory structure
```

```
    As a UNIX user
```

```
    I need to be able to list the current directory's contents
```

```
Scenario: List 2 files in a directory
```

```
    Given I have a file named "foo"
```

```
    And I have a file named "bar"
```

```
    When I run "ls"
```

```
    Then I should see "foo" in the output
```

```
    And I should see "bar" in the output
```

```
1 scenario (1 passed)
```

```
5 steps (5 passed)
```

```
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```

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$ █
```



See the full FeatureContext
class:

<http://bit.ly/behata-ls-feature>

What Behat *does*

Scenario Step

Given I have a file named “foo”

regex

```
@Given /^I have a file named "([^"]*)"$/
```

Definition

```
public function iHaveAFileNamed($file) {
```

do work

```
touch($file);
```

Pass/Fail: Each step is a “test”, which passes
unless an exception is thrown

Creating files and directories in
FeatureContext is nice...

but wouldn't it be really cool
to **command a browser**, fill out
forms and check the output?

Act 4

Mink

Mink!

- A standalone library to use PHP to command a “browser”
- One easy API that can be used to command Selenium, Goutte, ZombieJS, etc

A sample of Mink

```
use Behat\Mink\Driver\GoutteDriver;  
use Behat\Mink\Session;
```

```
// change *only* this line to run  
// in Selenium, etc
```

```
$driver = new GoutteDriver();  
$session = new Session($driver);
```

```
// visit a page
$session->visit('http://behat.org');

echo 'Status: ' . $session->getStatusCode();

echo 'URL : ' . $session->getCurrentUrl();
```

```
$page = $session->getPage();  
  
// drill down into the page  
$ele = $page->find('css', 'li:nth-child(4) a');  
  
echo 'Link text is: ' . $ele->getText();  
echo 'href is: ' . $ele->getAttribute('href');  
  
// click the link  
// (you can also fill out forms)  
$ele->click();
```

Mink inside FeatureContext



Dangerous Combo for Functional Testing

Integration



- An “Extension” is like a Behat plugin
- The MinkExtension makes using Mink inside Behat a matter of configuration

Install Mink & MinkExtension

- Update composer.json to include
 - * Mink
 - * MinkExtension
 - * Goutte and Selenium2 Drivers for Mink

<http://bit.ly/behat-mink-composer>
- Update the vendor libraries

```
$> php composer.phar update
```

```
{  
  "require": {  
    "behat/mink": "1.4@stable",  
    "behat/mink-goutte-driver": "*",  
    "behat/mink-selenium2-driver": "*",  
    "behat/behat": "2.4@stable",  
    "behat/mink-extension": "*"  
  },  
  "minimum-stability": "dev",  
  "config": {  
    "bin-dir": "bin/"  
  }  
}
```

<http://bit.ly/behat-mink-composer>

Goal: To easily use Mink inside
FeatureContext

Bootstrap MinkExtension

```
# behat.yml
default:
  extensions:
    Behat\MinkExtension\Extension:
      goutte: ~
      selenium2: ~
      # The base URL to app you're testing
      base_url: http://en.wikipedia.org/
```

behat.yml is the Behat configuration file and can contain much more than you see here

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<http://bit.ly/behat-yml>

Extend MinkContext

```
use Behat\MinkExtension\Context\MinkContext;  
  
class FeatureContext extends MinkContext
```

Extending MinkContext gives us 2 things...

1) Access to a Mink Session

```
class FeatureContext extends MinkContext
{
    public function doSomething()
    {
        $session = $this->getSession();
        $session->visit('http://behat.org');
    }

    // ...
}
```

Our custom definitions can now
command a browser!

2) We inherit a pile of great definitions

Before extending MinkContext:

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$ php bin/behat -dl
Given /^I have a file named "([^"]*)"$/
Given /^I have a directory named "([^"]*)"$/
When /^I run "([^"]*)"$/
Then /^I should see "([^"]*)" in the output$/
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$
```

the **-dl** option prints all current definitions

After extending MinkContext:

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$ php bin/behat -dl
Given /^I have a file named "(?P<name>[^\s]*)"/
Given /^I have a directory named "(?P<name>[^\s]*)"/
When /^I run "(?P<command>[^\s]*)"/
Then /^I should see "(?P<text>[^\s]*)" in the output$/
Given /^(?:II) am on homepage$/
When /^(?:II) go to homepage$/
Given /^(?:II) am on "(?P<page>[^\s]*)"/
When /^(?:II) go to "(?P<page>[^\s]*)"/
When /^(?:II) reload the page$/
When /^(?:II) move backward one page$/
When /^(?:II) move forward one page$/
When /^(?:II) press "(?P<button>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
When /^(?:II) follow "(?P<link>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
When /^(?:II) fill in "(?P<field>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" with "(?P<value>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
When /^(?:II) fill in "(?P<value>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" for "(?P<field>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
When /^(?:II) fill in the following:$/
When /^(?:II) select "(?P<option>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" from "(?P<select>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
When /^(?:II) additionally select "(?P<option>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" from "(?P<select>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
When /^(?:II) check "(?P<option>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
When /^(?:II) uncheck "(?P<option>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
When /^(?:II) attach the file "(?P<file>[^\s]*)" to "(?P<field>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
Then /^(?:II) should be on "(?P<page>[^\s]*)"/
Then /^the (?i)url(?-i) should match (?P<pattern>"(?P<url>[^\s]*)"/
Then /^the response status code should be (?P<code>\d+)/
Then /^the response status code should not be (?P<code>\d+)/
Then /^(?:II) should see "(?P<text>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
Then /^(?:II) should not see "(?P<text>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
Then /^(?:II) should see text matching (?P<pattern>"(?P<text>[^\s]*)"/
Then /^(?:II) should not see text matching (?P<pattern>"(?P<text>[^\s]*)"/
Then /^the response should contain "(?P<text>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
Then /^the response should not contain "(?P<text>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
Then /^(?:II) should see "(?P<text>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" in the "(?P<element>[^\s]*)" element$/
Then /^(?:II) should not see "(?P<text>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" in the "(?P<element>[^\s]*)" element$/
Then /^the "(?P<element>[^\s]*)" element should contain "(?P<value>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
Then /^the "(?P<element>[^\s]*)" element should not contain "(?P<value>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
Then /^(?:II) should see an? "(?P<element>[^\s]*)" element$/
Then /^(?:II) should not see an? "(?P<element>[^\s]*)" element$/
Then /^the "(?P<field>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" field should contain "(?P<value>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
Then /^the "(?P<field>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" field should not contain "(?P<value>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)"/
Then /^the "(?P<checkbox>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" checkbox should be checked$/
Then /^the "(?P<checkbox>(?:[^\s]|\\")*)" checkbox should not be checked$/
Then /^(?:II) should see (?P<num>\d+) "(?P<element>[^\s]*)" elements?$/
Then /^print last response$/
Then /^show last response$/
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$
```

In other words:

**We can write some tests for
our app without writing any
PHP code**

Suppose we're testing
Wikipedia.org

features/wikipedia.feature

Feature: Search

In order to see a word definition

As a website user

I need to be able to search for a word

Scenario: Searching for a page that does exist

Given I am on "/wiki/Main_Page"

When I fill in "search" with "Behavior Driven Development"

And I press "searchButton"

Then I should see "agile software development"

These 4 definitions all come
packaged with MinkContext

Celebration!

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat$ php bin/behat features/wikipedia.feature
```

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Scenario: Searching for a page that does exist

Given I am on **"/wiki/Main_Page"**

When I fill in **"search"** with **"Behavior Driven Development"**

And I press **"searchButton"**

Then I should see **"agile software development"**

1 scenario (1 passed)

4 steps (4 passed)

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```
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```

Act 5

Behat with Zend Framework

Getting “under the hood”

- So far, we can do true “black-box” testing - using Mink to test any website (e.g. wikipedia)
- But if we’re testing our app, we don’t have access to it, we can’t:
 - a) access/clear/prepare the database
 - b) use any code in our application

When testing: you should
guarantee the starting
condition of your **environment**

If we had access to **Zf2 code**,
we could clear the database,
add records, do anything else

Behat with Zend Framework2

1) Install Behat, Mink, MinkExtension

<http://bit.ly/behat-mink-composer>

2) Bootstrap ZF2 inside FeatureContext

3) Start doing stuff with your code!

2) Bootstrap ZF2 in FeatureContext


```
class FeatureContext extends MinkContext
{
    /** @var \Zend\Mvc\Application */
    private static $zendApp;

    /** @BeforeSuite */
    static public function initializeZendFramework()
    {
        if (self::$zendApp === null) {
            $path = __DIR__
                . '/../../config/application.config.php';

            self::$zendApp = Zend\Mvc\Application::init(
                require $path
            );
        }
    }
}
```

```
class FeatureContext extends MinkContext
{
    /** @var \Zend\Mvc\Application */
    private static $zendApp;

    /** @BeforeSuite */
    static public function initializeZendFramework()
    {
        if (self::$zendApp === null) {
            $path = __DIR__
                . '/../../config/application.config.php';

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                require $path
            );
        }
    }
}
```

**** This is how you bootstrap ZF2**
- see public/index.php

```

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```

**** This is the hook system**
- <http://bit.ly/behata-hooks>

3) Start doing stuff with
your code!

```
/** @var \Zend\Mvc\Application */  
private static $zendApp;  
  
/** @BeforeScenario */  
public function clearDatabase()  
{  
    /** @var $gateway \Zend\Db\TableGateway\TableGateway */  
    $gateway = $this->getServiceManager()  
        ->get('AlbumTableGateway');  
  
    $gateway->delete(array());  
}  
  
/** @return \Zend\ServiceManager\ServiceManager */  
private function getServiceManager()  
{  
    return self::$zendApp->getServiceManager();  
}
```

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An example hook - run before
every scenario to clear out
parts of the database

Let's test the demo page of the Zend Skeleton Application

[https://github.com/zendframework/
ZendSkeletonApplication](https://github.com/zendframework/ZendSkeletonApplication)

Welcome to Zend Framework 2

Congratulations! You have successfully installed the [ZF2 Skeleton Application](#). You are currently running Zend Framework version 2.0.4dev. This skeleton can serve as a simple starting point for you to begin building your application on ZF2.

[Fork Zend Framework 2 on GitHub »](#)

Follow Development

Zend Framework 2 is under active development. If you are interested in following the development of ZF2, there is a special ZF2 portal on the official Zend Framework website which provides links to the ZF2 [wiki](#), [dev blog](#), [issue tracker](#), and much more. This is a great resource for staying up to date with the latest developments!

[ZF2 Development Portal »](#)

Discover Modules

The community is working on developing a community site to serve as a repository and gallery for ZF2 modules. The project is available [on GitHub](#). The site is currently live and currently contains a list of some of the modules already available for ZF2.

[Explore ZF2 Modules »](#)

Help & Support

If you need any help or support while developing with ZF2, you may reach us via IRC: [#zftalk.2 on Freenode](#). We'd love to hear any questions or feedback you may have regarding the beta releases. Alternatively, you may subscribe and post questions to the [mailing lists](#).

[Ping us on IRC »](#)

<http://localhost/clients/zendcon2012/behat/zf2/public/application/index/index>

@weaverryan

Adjust your behat.yml base_url

```
default:
```

```
  extensions:
```

```
    Behat\MinkExtension\Extension:
```

```
      goutte: ~
```

```
      selenium2: ~
```

```
      base_url: http://localhost/clients/zendcon2012/behat/zf2/public/
```

Write a Feature

```
# features/demo_page.feature
```

```
Feature: Demo page for ZF2
```

```
    In order to show people a functional page immediately
```

```
    As a new ZF2 user
```

```
    I can access a helpful page that routes through ZF2
```

```
    Scenario: View the demo page
```

```
        When I go to "/"
```

```
        Then I should see "Welcome to Zend Framework 2"
```

Execute it

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat/zf2$ ./bin/behat
```

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```
1 scenario (1 passed)
```

```
2 steps (2 passed)
```

```
0m0.094s
```

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat/zf2$ █
```

Want the test to run in
Selenium?

Add @javascript

```
# features/demo_page.feature  
# ...
```

```
@javascript
```

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Add @javascript

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```

```
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```

Yep, that's all you do!

```
@javascript
```

```
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Download and start Selenium

```
$> wget http://selenium.googlecode.com/files/  
selenium-server-standalone-2.25.0.jar
```

```
$> java -jar selenium-server-standalone-2.25.0.jar
```

Re-run the tests

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat/zf2$ php bin/behat
```

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@javascript
```

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```

```
1 scenario (1 passed)
```

```
2 steps (2 passed)
```

```
0m8.63s
```

```
weaverryan@~/Sites/behat/zf2$
```


Yes, add only **1 line** of code
to run a test in Selenium

Epilogue

You're Turn!

1) Install Behat, Mink and MinkContext in your project

<http://bit.ly/behata-mink-composer>

<http://extensions.behat.org/mink/>

2) Bootstrap ZF2 in your FeatureContext

... and then work on a **ZendFramework2Extension**
that would do this automatically (like the
SymfonyExtension)

3) Write features for your app!

... and learn more about what you can do with
Mink: <http://mink.behat.org/>

4) and come have some
beer with me tonight!

Thanks...

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