openQA Workshop – oSC14

Learning how to make tests with openQA



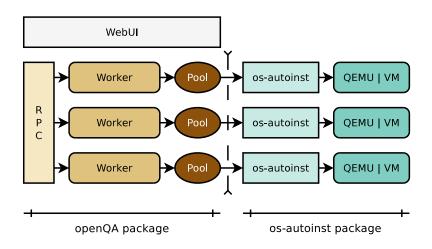
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Introduction

Architecture



Overview

In this workshop we will ...

- start with testing a small live distro
- learn how to create or modify reference images
- learn how to create tests

Installation

Installation

install packages

```
zypper ar -f obs://devel:openQA/openSUSE_13.1 openQA
zypper ar -f obs://devel:openQA:13.1/openSUSE_13.1 \
   openQA-perl-modules
zypper in openQA apache2
```

start web interface
 systemctl start openga-webui

 More detailed instructions at https://github.com/os-autoinst/openQA

Apache Setup

use default vhost template

```
cp /etc/apache2/vhosts.d/openqa.conf.template \
  /etc/apache2/vhosts.d/openqa.conf
```

• enable required apache modules

```
a2enmod headers
a2enmod proxy
a2enmod proxy_http
```

• (re)start apache rcapache2 restart

Generate Secrets for Authentication

switch off https in /etc/openqa/openqa.ini
 [openid]
 httpsonly = 0

- go to http://localhost/ and log in
- go to Admin -> Secrets and generate a pair of key+secret
- edit /etc/openqa/client.conf and put key and secret there

openQA Usage

Pick some small distro to practice with

download SliTaz

```
wget -P /var/lib/openqa/factory/iso \
  http://mirror.slitaz.org/iso/4.0/ \
  slitaz-4.0.iso
```

• clone template repo for distro

```
cd /var/lib/os-autoinst/tests
sudo -u geekotest \
  git clone git://github.com/os-autoinst/ \
  os-autoinst-distri-example.git slitaz
ln -s /var/lib/os-autoinst/tests/slitaz \
  /usr/lib/os-autoinst/distri/
```

Exercise 1 – Testing an ISO

1. Create a job for the ISO

```
/usr/share/openqa/script/client jobs post \
DISTRI=slitaz VERSION=4.0 ARCH=i586 \
TEST=foo MACHINE=bar NICMODEL=e1000 \
DESKTOP=default ISO=slitaz-4.0.iso
```

2. Launch one worker

```
systemctl start openqa-worker@1.service
```

3. Watch in the web UI live until it fails!

Test Failed

So... the test failed. Let's see what happened.

- Go to the result view
- Click on the thumbnail of the failed test
- Check the screenshot
- Check the "Source code" tab to see the test code

The Needle

A needle is a PNG image and a metadata in JSON

```
"area": [
    "width": 514,
    "xpos": 255,
    "type": "match",
    "ypos": 0,
    "height": 538
"tags": [
  "inst-instmode"
```



Exercise 2 – Create a Needle

- 1. Restart the test and open the new job
- 2. Set the job to interactive mode
- 3. Stop the test when it's at the bootloader
- 4. Create a needle in the failing test
- 5. Be careful with the Tags!

openQA API

Exercise 3 – Modify a Test

- 1. Tests are in /var/lib/os-autoinst/tests
- 2. Find the slitaz ones and have a look at the directories

Test driver: main.pmActual tests: test.d

Needles: needles

3. Open the boot test, figure out what is doing and modify it

Modified Test

```
+ waitforneedle( "language", 30 );
+ sendkey "ret";
+
+ waitforneedle( "keyboard", 30 );
+ sendkey "ret";
+
+ waitforneedle( "keyboard_text", 30 );
+ sendkey "ret";
```

Anatomy of a Test I

```
use base "basetest";
use strict;
use bmwqemu;

# Determine, using the $ENV variables, if the
# test can be selected for this configuration.
sub is_applicable() {
}

# Main code of the test
sub run() {
}
```

Variables

Typcial variables available in openSUSE

- DESKTOP = kde | gnome | lxde | minimalx ...
- DISTRI | VERSION | ARCH | TEST | MACHINE
- USBBOOT | LIVETEST | NETBOOT
- BTRFS | ENCRYPT | LVM | RAIDLEVEL
- UEFI

API for Input

Sending events to the VM

- sendkey "alt-n"; Send a keystroke
- sendkey \$cmd{"next"}; Use the \$cmd{} map for shortcuts
- sendautotype "string"; Send a set of keys
- sendautotype("string", 3);

API for Needles

Sending events to the VM

- waitforneedle("tag", 1); Assert needle with this tag
- checkneedle("tag", 1); Return needle if needle found
- \$self->check_screen; Assert using a synthetic tag name (test-\$testname-\$count)
- \$self->take_screenshot; Do not assert. Journal for the test

Anatomy of a Test II

```
# Return a map of flags to decide if the fail
# of this test is important, or to decide a
# rollback of the VM status.
sub test_flags() {
}
```

Test Flags

With the tests flags we control the behavior of the test if it fails.

- { 'fatal'=>1 } If fails, the test suite stops in failed state
- { 'important'=>1 } If fails, the overall state fails. ISO considered broken
- { 'milestone'=>1 } If ok, generate a new 'lastgood' snapshot
- { } If fails, recover the 'lastgood' snapshot and continue to the next test

Exercise 4 – A test for nano

Problem: SliTaz has not default keyboard bindings

- 1. Create a test for nano
- 2. switch to text console
- 3. log in as root (password root)
- 4. launch nano
- 5. exit it again

The test for nano

```
sub run {
    sendkey "ctrl-alt-f1";
    waitforneedle( "console", 30 );
    sendautotype "root\n";
    sendautotype "root\n";
    sendautotype "nano\n";
    waitforneedle( "nano", 30 );
}
```

API to Run Programs

We can hide the sleep command... a bit.

- script_run("program"); Run the program from a terminal
- script_sudo("program"); Run the program as root
- x11_start_program("program"); You have implemented that

Exercise 5 – install a package

- 1. install the sudo package (tazpkg get-install sudo)
- 2. exit the shell
- 3. log in as tux (no password)

Exercise 5 – The sudo Case

- 1. From time to time we want to run a program with sudo
- 2. sudo sometimes asks but not always
- 3. Figure out how to resolve this problem with the current API
- 4. If you are out of ideas, find the implementation and try to understand it

The sudo Case

Solution: checkneedle

```
sendautotype("sudo_ls\n");
if (checkneedle("sudo-prompt", 2)) {
  sendautotype("p4ssw0rd");
  sendkey "ret";
}
```

A Complex Case

How to resolve when a dialog box appears during the installation process?

Advanced API

- qemusend "command"; Send QEMU commands directly
- makesnapshot "name"; Create a VM snapshot
- loadsnapshot "name"; Recover a VM snapshot
- mouse_[move|set|click](x, y); Control the mouse
- mouse_hide; Hide the mouse
- waitserial "regexp"; Result 1 if found in the serial port

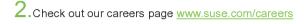
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