

Toolbox for Selenium Tests in Java: WebDriverManager and Selenium-Jupiter

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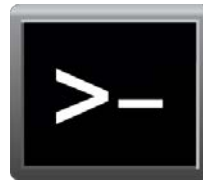
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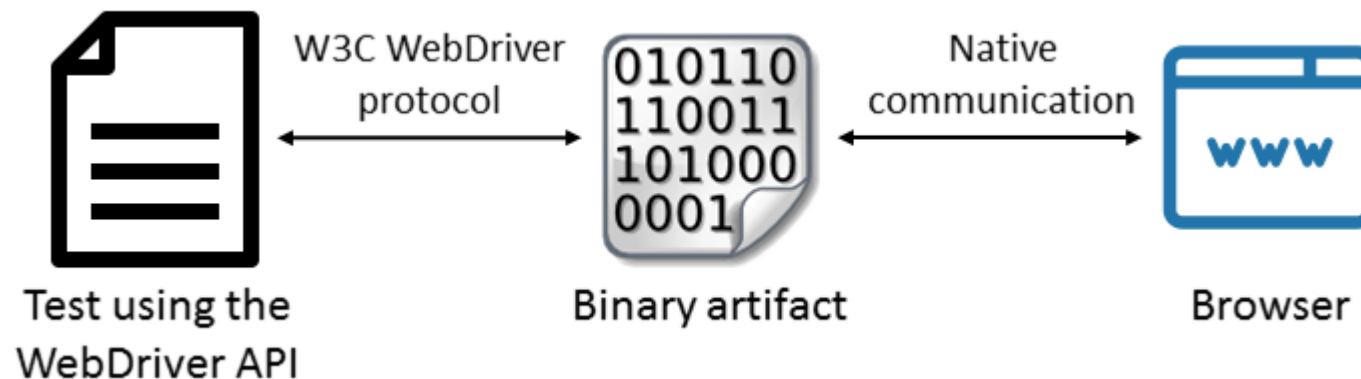


Toolbox for Selenium in Java (but not only Java)

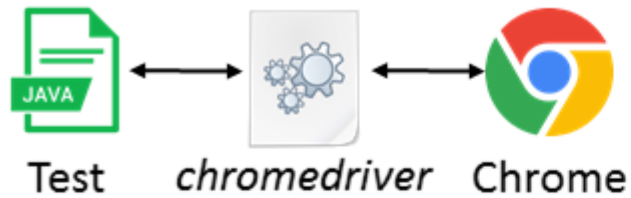


WebDriverManager - Motivation

- **Selenium WebDriver** allows to control different types of browsers (such as Chrome, Firefox, Opera, Edge, and so on) programmatically using different programming languages (Java, JavaScript, Python, C#, ...)
- Browser is driven using native mechanism, so we need a binary file (*driver*) in between the test using the WebDriver API and the actual browser



WebDriverManager - Motivation



```
System.setProperty("webdriver.chrome.driver", "/path/to/chromedriver");  
System.setProperty("webdriver.opera.driver", "/path/to/operadriver");  
System.setProperty("webdriver.ie.driver", "C:/path/to/IEDriverServer.exe");  
System.setProperty("webdriver.edge.driver", "C:/path/to/MicrosoftWebDriver.exe");  
System.setProperty("phantomjs.binary.path", "/path/to/phantomjs");  
System.setProperty("webdriver.gecko.driver", "/path/to/geckodriver");
```



WebDriverManager - Motivation

- Driver management is painful:
 - Driver (chromedriver, geckodriver, etc.) must be downloaded manually for the proper platform running the test (i.e. Windows, Linux, Mac)
 - Proper driver version must match the browser version
 - Browser are constantly updated (and drivers too)
 - Tests are not portable (different operative systems, path to driver)



WebDriverManager - Motivation



WebDriverManager - Objective

- **WebDriverManager** is a Java library that allows to **automate** the management of the binary drivers (chromedriver, geckodriver, etc.) required by Selenium WebDriver

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```
dependencies {  
    testCompile("io.github.bonigarcia:webdrivermanager:3.4.0")  
}
```



```
<dependency>  
    <groupId>io.github.bonigarcia</groupId>  
    <artifactId>webdrivermanager</artifactId>  
    <version>3.4.0</version>  
    <scope>test</scope>  
</dependency>
```

Maven™

```
WebDriverManager.chromedriver().setup();  
WebDriverManager.firefoxdriver().setup();  
WebDriverManager.operadriver().setup();  
WebDriverManager.edgedriver().setup();  
WebDriverManager.iedriver().setup();  
WebDriverManager.phantomjs().setup();
```



<https://github.com/bonigarcia/webdrivermanager>

WebDriverManager - Objective

```
public class ChromeTest {  
  
    private WebDriver driver;  
  
    @BeforeClass  
    public static void setupClass() {  
        WebDriverManager.chromedriver().setup();  
    }  
  
    @Before  
    public void setupTest() {  
        driver = new ChromeDriver();  
    }  
  
    @After  
    public void teardown() {  
        if (driver != null) {  
            driver.quit();  
        }  
    }  
  
    @Test  
    public void test() {  
        // Your test code here  
    }  
  
}
```

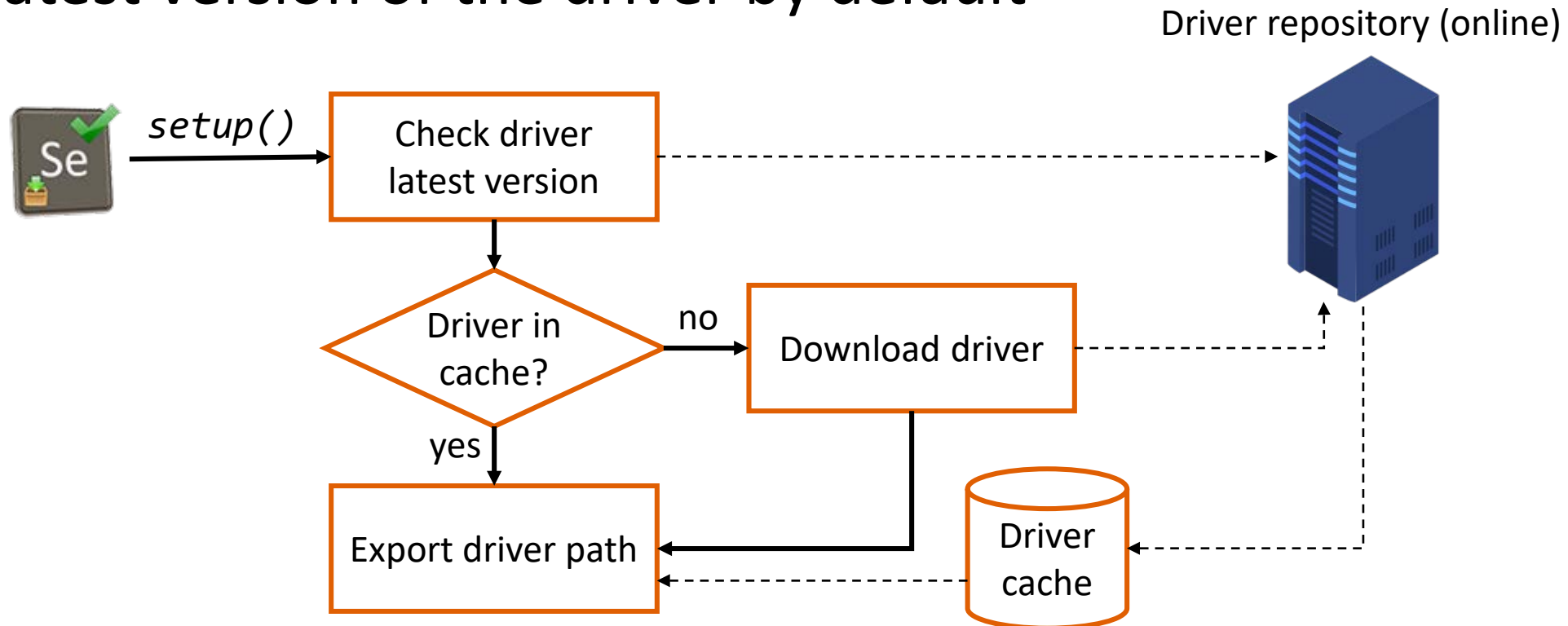


```
public class ChromeTest {  
  
    private WebDriver driver;  
  
    @BeforeClass  
    public static void setupClass() {  
        WebDriverManager.firefoxdriver().setup();  
    }  
  
    @Before  
    public void setupTest() {  
        driver = new FirefoxDriver();  
    }  
  
    @After  
    public void teardown() {  
        if (driver != null) {  
            driver.quit();  
        }  
    }  
  
    @Test  
    public void test() {  
        // Your test code here  
    }  
  
}
```



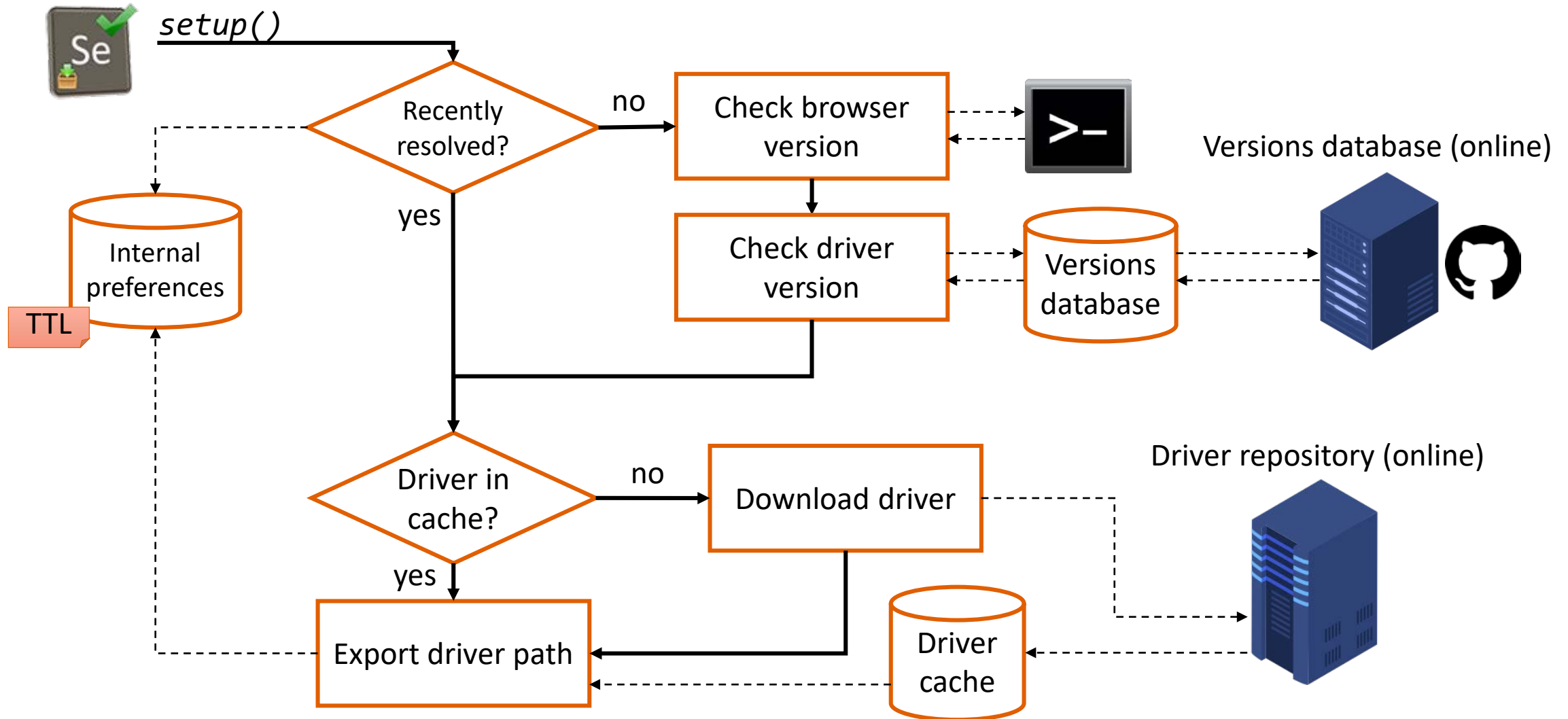
WebDriverManager - Design

- WebDriverManager was first released on 21st March 2015
- In its earlier versions, WebDriverManager downloaded the latest version of the driver by default



WebDriverManager - Design

- Currently, WebDriverManager resolution algorithm is much richer



WebDriverManager - API

- WebDriverManager exposes a fluent API. For instance:

```
WebDriverManager.chromedriver().setup();
```

Default usage for managing chromedriver

```
WebDriverManager.chromedriver().version("2.46").setup();
```

Force a given version (2.46) for chromedriver

```
WebDriverManager.firefoxdriver().arch32().setup();
```

Force 32-bit architecture for geckodriver

```
WebDriverManager.operadriver().forceDownload().setup();
```

Force the download of operadriver

```
WebDriverManager.phantomjs().avoidPreferences().setup();
```

Avoid the use of preferences for PhantomJS driver

```
WebDriverManager.edgedriver().proxy("server:port").setup();
```

Set proxy setup when managing Edge driver

WebDriverManager - API

- More examples of the WebDriverManager API:

Method	Description
<code>version(String)</code>	Set a concrete version for the driver to be downloaded
<code>targetPath(String)</code>	Change cache path (by default ~/.m2/repository/webdriver)
<code>architecture(Architecture)</code>	Force a given architecture: 32-bits or 64-bits
<code>operatingSystem(OperatingSystem)</code>	Force a given OS: WIN, LINUX, MAC
<code>proxy(String)</code>	Use a HTTP proxy for the Internet connection
<code>avoidPreferences()</code>	Avoid the use of Java preferences
<code>driverRepositoryUrl(URL)</code>	Set a custom repository URL
<code>timeout(int)</code>	Change connection timeout
<code>browserPath()</code>	Set path for a given browser
<code>ttl()</code>	Change time-to-live (by default 3600 seconds)
<code>forceDownload()</code>	Force to download driver even if it exists in cache

<https://github.com/bonigarcia/webdrivermanager>

WebDriverManager - Configuration

- WebDriverManager is highly configurable with:

1. Environment variables. For example

```
export WDM_TARGETPATH=~/.selenium
```

```
export WDM_CHROMEDRIVERVERSION=2.46
```

2. Java properties. For example:

```
mvn test -Dwdm.targetPath=~/.selenium
```

```
gradle test -Dwdm.chromeDriverVersion=2.46
```

3. Configuration manager in Java. For example:

```
WebDriverManager.chromedriver().version("2.46").setup();
```

```
WebDriverManager.globalConfig().setTargetPath("~/.selenium");
```

WebDriverManager - Beyond Java

- WebDriverManager can be also used:

1. As CLI (command line interface) tool:

```
> java -jar webdrivermanager-3.4.0-fat.jar chrome
[INFO] Using WebDriverManager to resolve chrome
[INFO] Reading https://chromedriver.storage.googleapis.com/ to seek chromedriver
[INFO] Latest version of chromedriver is 2.37
[INFO] Downloading https://chromedriver.storage.googleapis.com/2.37/chromedriver_win32.zip
to folder D:\projects\webdrivermanager
[INFO] Resulting binary D:\projects\webdrivermanager\target\chromedriver.exe
```

2. As server (using a REST-like API):

```
> java -jar webdrivermanager-3.4.0-fat.jar server
[INFO] WebDriverManager server listening on port 4041
```

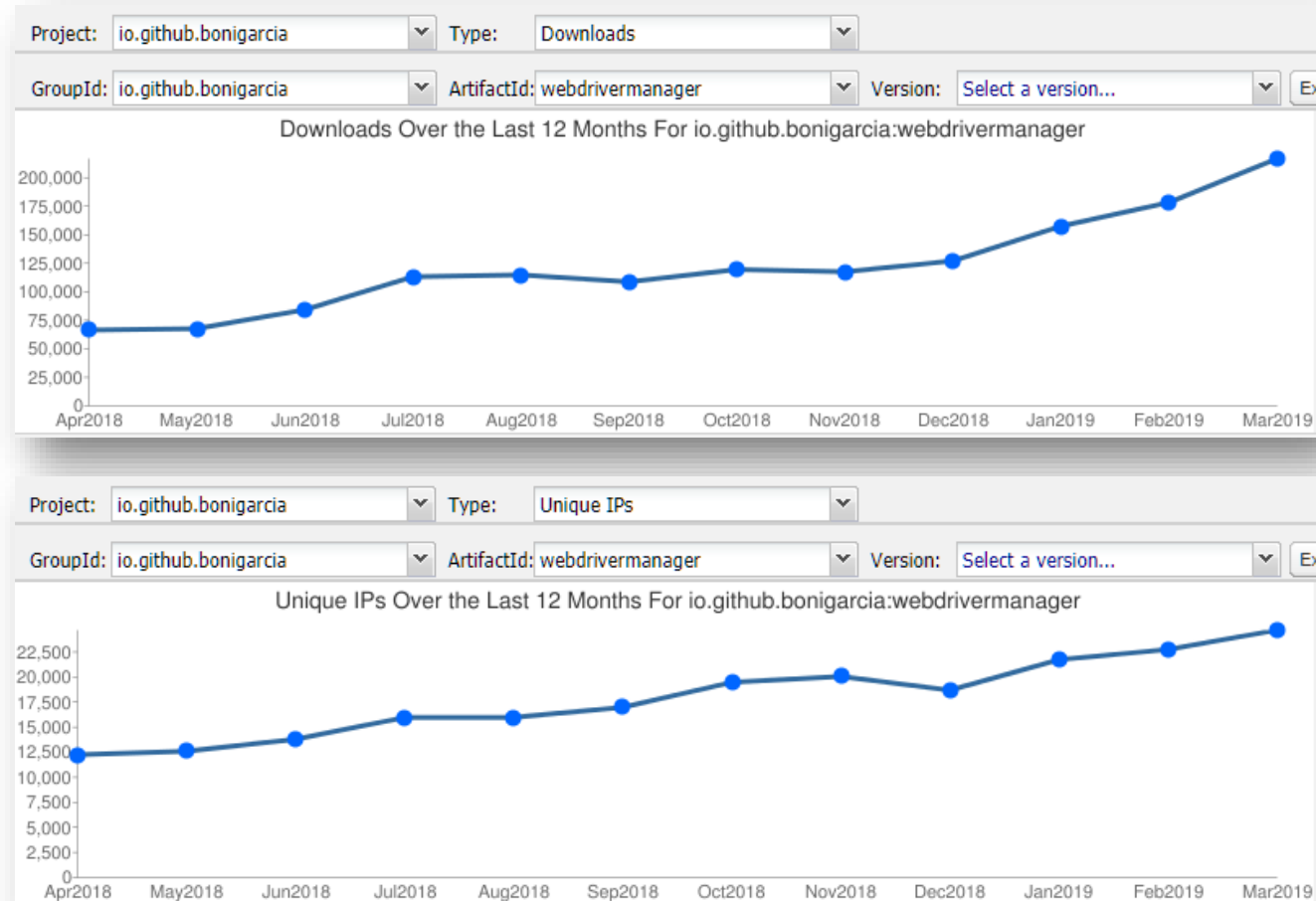
Examples of requests to WebDriverManager Server:

<http://localhost:4041/firefoxdriver>

<http://localhost:4041/chromedriver?chromeDriverVersion=2.40>

WebDriverManager - Conclusions

- WebDriverManager is a helper library for automating the management of Selenium drivers (chromedriver, etc.)



WebDriverManager - Conclusions

- WebDriverManager is used in different projects in the Selenium ecosystem. For instance:
 - io.appium » java-client: <https://github.com/appium/java-client>
 - com.codeborne » selenide: <https://github.com/selenide/selenide>
- WebDriverManager concept has been ported to other languages:
 - webdriver-manager (Node.js): <https://github.com/angular/webdriver-manager>
 - webdriver_manager (Python): https://github.com/jeffnyman/webdriver_manager
 - WebDriverManager.Net (.Net): <https://github.com/rosolko/WebDriverManager.Net>
 - Webdrivers Gem (Ruby): <https://github.com/titusfortner/webdrivers>
- WebDriverManager is in constant evolution. Its roadmap includes:
 - Support Edge based on Chromium
 - Using aspects (cross-cutting concerns) to resolve drivers automatically when instantiating WebDriver objects

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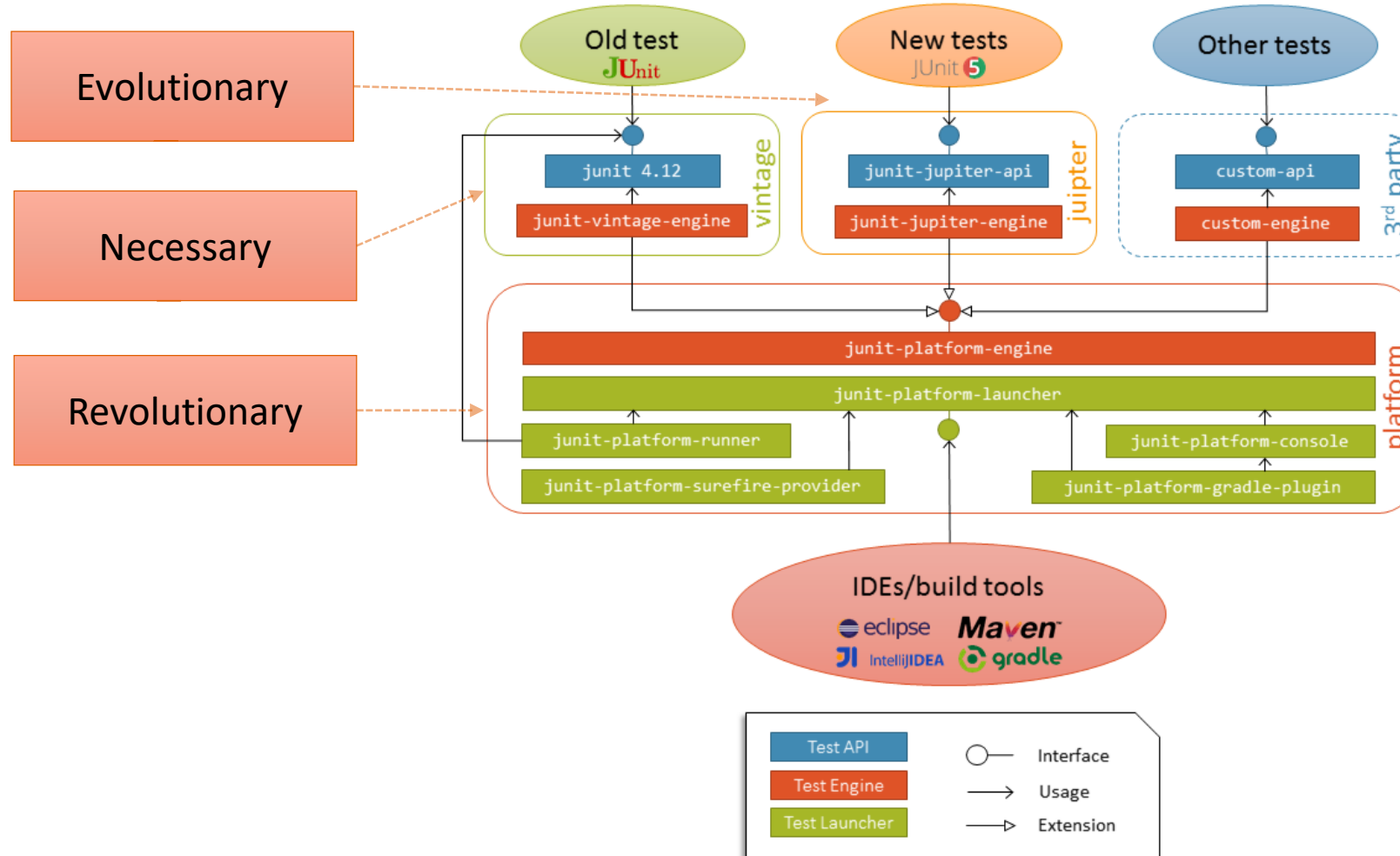


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Selenium-Jupiter - Motivation

- **JUnit 5** (stable) was first released on September 2017



JUnit 5

Selenium-Jupiter - Motivation

- **JUnit 5** provides a brand-new programming an extension model called **Jupiter**
- Basic test are similar than in JUnit 4 and provide a wide range of new features, such as:
 - Enhanced parameterized tests
 - Parallel execution
 - Test ordering
 - Kotlin support
 - ...

<https://junit.org/junit5/docs/current/user-guide/>

```
import org.junit.jupiter.api.AfterAll;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.AfterEach;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.BeforeAll;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.BeforeEach;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
```

```
class BasicJUnit5Test {

    @BeforeAll
    static void setupAll() {
        // setup all tests
    }

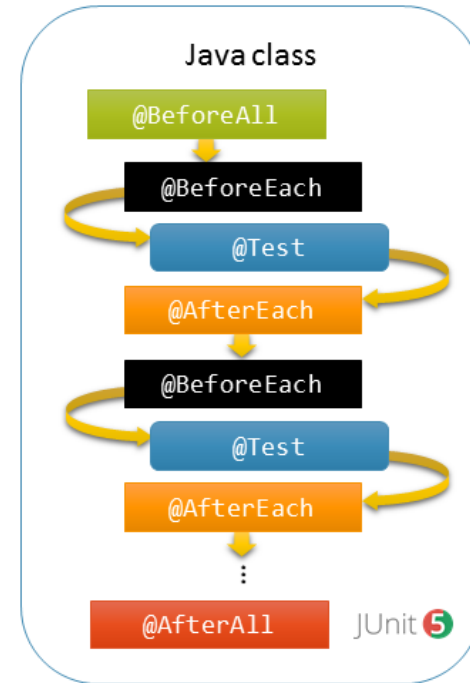
    @BeforeEach
    void setup() {
        // setup each test
    }

    @Test
    void test() {
        // exercise and verify SUT
    }

    @AfterEach
    void teardown() {
        // teardown each test
    }

    @AfterAll
    static void teardownAll() {
        // teardown all tests
    }

}
```

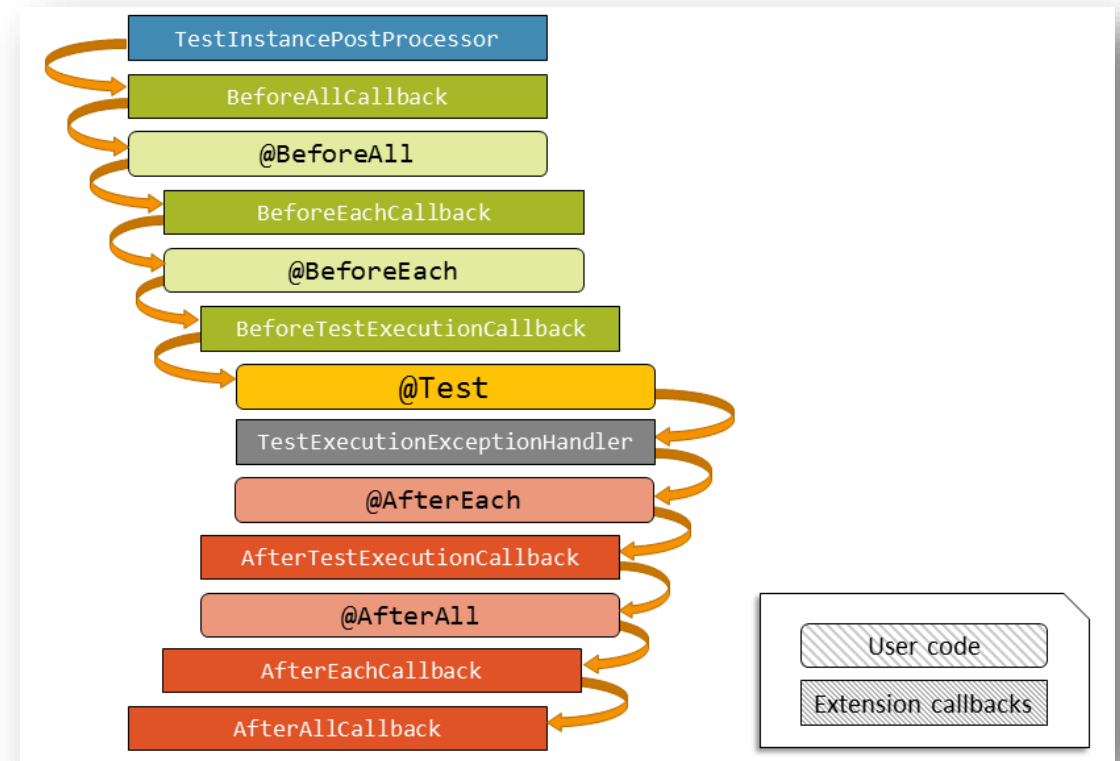


Selenium-Jupiter - Motivation

- The **extension model** of JUnit 5 allows to add custom features to the programming model through extension points:

1. Custom logic in the test lifecycle
2. Dependency injection in test methods and constructors
3. Test templates
4. Test conditional execution

Very convenient
for Selenium!



Selenium-Jupiter - Objective

- **Selenium-Jupiter** is a JUnit 5 extension aimed to ease the use of **Selenium** from Java tests
- Thanks to the Jupiter extension model, the required boilerplate to use Selenium from JUnit 5 is minimum
- Moreover, it allows to use browser and Android devices in **Docker** containers in a effortless manner

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```
<dependency>
  <groupId>io.github.bonigarcia</groupId>
  <artifactId>selenium-jupiter</artifactId>
  <version>3.2.0</version>
  <scope>test</scope>
</dependency>
```

Maven

```
dependencies {
  testCompile("io.github.bonigarcia:selenium-jupiter:3.2.0")
}
```



<https://github.com/bonigarcia/selenium-jupiter>

Selenium-Jupiter - Local browsers

- Selenium-Jupiter uses the **dependency injection** mechanism to instantiate/release WebDriver objects before/after tests

```
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.extension.ExtendWith;
import org.openqa.selenium.chrome.ChromeDriver;
import org.openqa.selenium.firefox.FirefoxDriver;
import io.github.bonigarcia.SeleniumExtension;

@ExtendWith(SeleniumExtension.class)
public class ChromeAndFirefoxJupiterTest {

    @Test
    public void testWithOneChrome(ChromeDriver chromeDriver) {
        // Use Chrome in this test
    }

    @Test
    public void testWithFirefox(FirefoxDriver firefoxDriver) {
        // Use Firefox in this test
    }

    @Test
    public void testWithChromeAndFirefox(ChromeDriver chromeDriver,
        FirefoxDriver firefoxDriver) {
        // Use Chrome and Firefox in this test
    }
}
```

We simply need to specify the type of browser to be used, as test or constructor parameters:

- ChromeDriver
- FirefoxDriver
- OperaDriver
- SafariDriver
- EdgeDriver
- InternetExplorerDriver
- HtmlUnitDriver
- PhantomJSDriver
- AppiumDriver

Internally, Selenium-Jupiter uses **WebDriverManager** to resolve properly the required binary drivers to control local browsers

Selenium-Jupiter - Remote browsers

- Selenium-Jupiter provides the annotation `@DriverUrl` to locate the **Selenium or Appium server** and `@DriverCapabilities` to specify the desired capabilities

```
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.extension.ExtendWith;
import org.openqa.selenium.Capabilities;
import org.openqa.selenium.remote.RemoteWebDriver;
import io.github.bonigarcia.DriverCapabilities;
import io.github.bonigarcia.DriverUrl;
import io.github.bonigarcia.SeleniumExtension;

@ExtendWith(SeleniumExtension.class)
public class SauceLabsJupiterTest {

    @DriverUrl
    String url = "https://ondemand.eu-central-1.saucelabs.com/wd/hub";

    @DriverCapabilities
    DesiredCapabilities capabilities = new DesiredCapabilities();
    {
        capabilities.setCapability("username", "<my-saucelabs-user>");
        capabilities.setCapability("accessKey", "<my-saucelabs-key>");
        capabilities.setCapability("browserName", "Chrome");
        capabilities.setCapability("platform", "Windows 10");
        capabilities.setCapability("version", "59.0");
        capabilities.setCapability("name", "selenium-jupiter-and-saucelabs");
    }

    @Test
    void testWithSaucelabs(RemoteWebDriver driver) {
        // test
    }
}
```



Selenium-Jupiter - Remote browsers

- Selenium-Jupiter provides the annotation `@DriverUrl` to locate the **Selenium or Appium server** and `@DriverCapabilities` to specify the desired capabilities

```
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.extension.ExtendWith;
import org.openqa.selenium.remote.DesiredCapabilities;

import io.appium.java_client.AppiumDriver;
import io.github.bonigarcia.seljup.DriverCapabilities;
import io.github.bonigarcia.seljup.DriverUrl;
import io.github.bonigarcia.seljup.SeleniumExtension;

@ExtendWith(SeleniumExtension.class)
public class AppiumWithGlobalOptionsChromeJupiterTest {

    @DriverUrl
    String url = "http://localhost:4723/wd/hub";

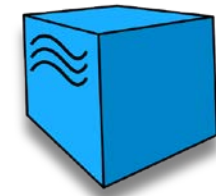
    @DriverCapabilities
    DesiredCapabilities capabilities = new DesiredCapabilities();
    {
        capabilities.setCapability("browserName", "chrome");
        capabilities.setCapability("deviceName", "Samsung Galaxy S6");
    }

    @Test
    void testWithAndroid(AppiumDriver<WebElement> driver) {
        // test
    }
}
```



Selenium-Jupiter - *Dockerized* browsers

- Selenium-Jupiter provides seamless integration with **Docker**
- The annotation `@DockerBrowser` is used to declare a *dockerized* browsers. The supported browser are
 - Chrome, Firefox, and Opera:
 - Docker images for stable versions are maintained by **Aerokube**
 - Beta and unstable (Chrome and Firefox) are maintained by **ElasTest**
 - Edge and Internet Explorer:
 - Due to license, these Docker images are not hosted in Docker Hub
 - It can be built following a tutorial provided by **Aerokube**
 - Android devices:
 - Docker images for Android devices are maintained in the **docker-android** project (by Budi Utomo)



Selenium-Jupiter - Dockerized browsers

- Browser in Docker containers example:

```
import static io.github.bonigarcia.BrowserType.CHROME;
import static io.github.bonigarcia.BrowserType.FIREFOX;

import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.extension.ExtendWith;
import org.openqa.selenium.remote.RemoteWebDriver;

import io.github.bonigarcia.DockerBrowser;
import io.github.bonigarcia.SeleniumExtension;

@ExtendWith(SeleniumExtension.class)
public class DockerChromeJupiterTest {

    @Test
    public void testChrome(@DockerBrowser(type = CHROME) RemoteWebDriver driver) {
        // test
    }

    @Test
    public void testChromeWithVersion(@DockerBrowser(type = FIREFOX, version = "66.0")
        RemoteWebDriver driver) {
        // test
    }
}
```

Supported browser types are: *CHROME*, *FIREFOX*, *OPERA*, *EDGE*, *IEXPLORER* and *ANDROID*

If version is not specified, the latest stable will be used. For that, Selenium-Jupiter internally connects to **Docker Hub** to find out the latest version (*ever green Docker browser*)

The parameter *version* admits the following special values: *latest*, *latest-**, *beta*, *unstable*

Selenium-Jupiter - *Dockerized* browsers

- Browsers in Docker containers can be used to create **performance** tests:

```
import static io.github.bonigarcia.BrowserType.CHROME;

import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.extension.ExtendWith;
import org.openqa.selenium.remote.RemoteWebDriver;

import java.util.List;

import io.github.bonigarcia.DockerBrowser;
import io.github.bonigarcia.SeleniumExtension;

@ExtendWith(SeleniumExtension.class)
public class DockerChromeJupiterTest {

    static final int NUM_BROWSERS = 10;

    @Test
    public void testPerformance(
        @DockerBrowser(type = CHROME, size = NUM_BROWSERS) List<RemoteWebDriver> driverList) {
        // test
    }
}
```

In this test, we will have 10
Chrome browsers ready to be
used by the test logic

Selenium-Jupiter - *Dockerized* browsers

- Android in Docker container example:

```
import static io.github.bonigarcia.BrowserType.ANDROID;

import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.extension.ExtendWith;
import org.openqa.selenium.remote.RemoteWebDriver;

import io.github.bonigarcia.DockerBrowser;
import io.github.bonigarcia.SeleniumExtension;

@ExtendWith(SeleniumExtension.class)
public class DockerAndroidCustomJupiterTest {

    @Test
    public void testAndroid(@DockerBrowser(type = ANDROID, version = "8.1",
        deviceName = "Nexus S") RemoteWebDriver driver) {
        // test
    }
}
```

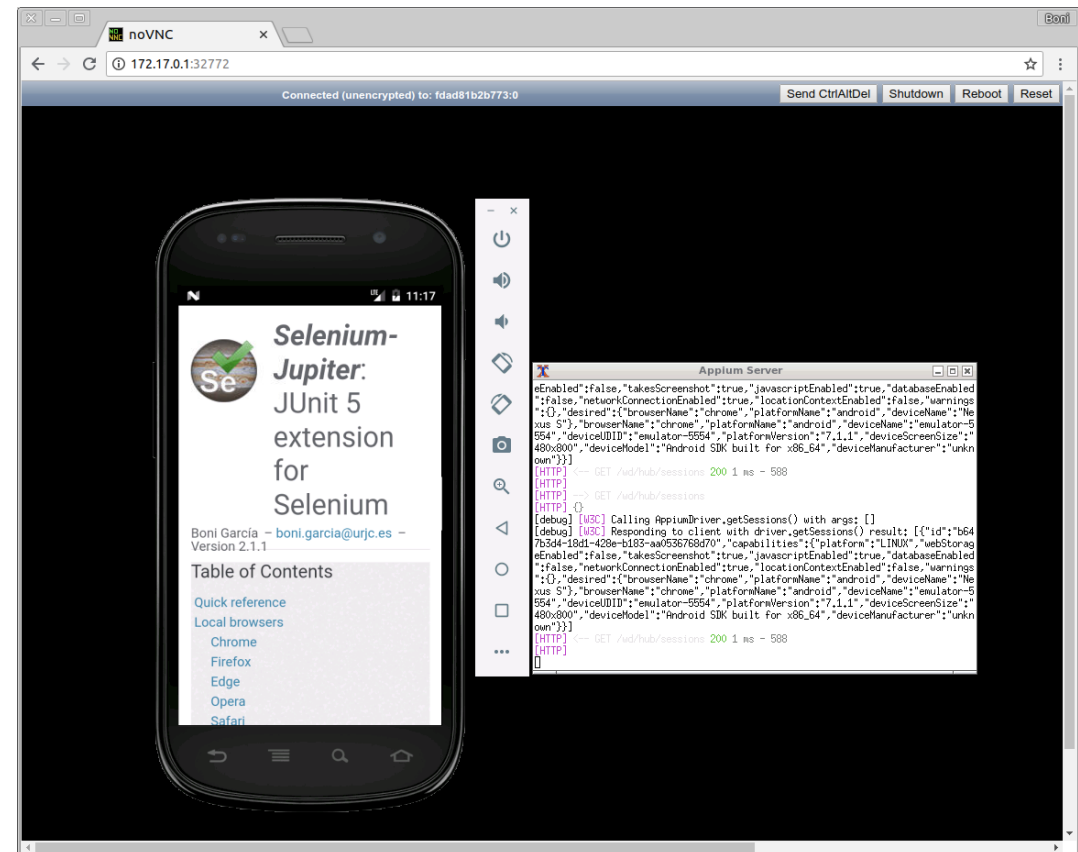
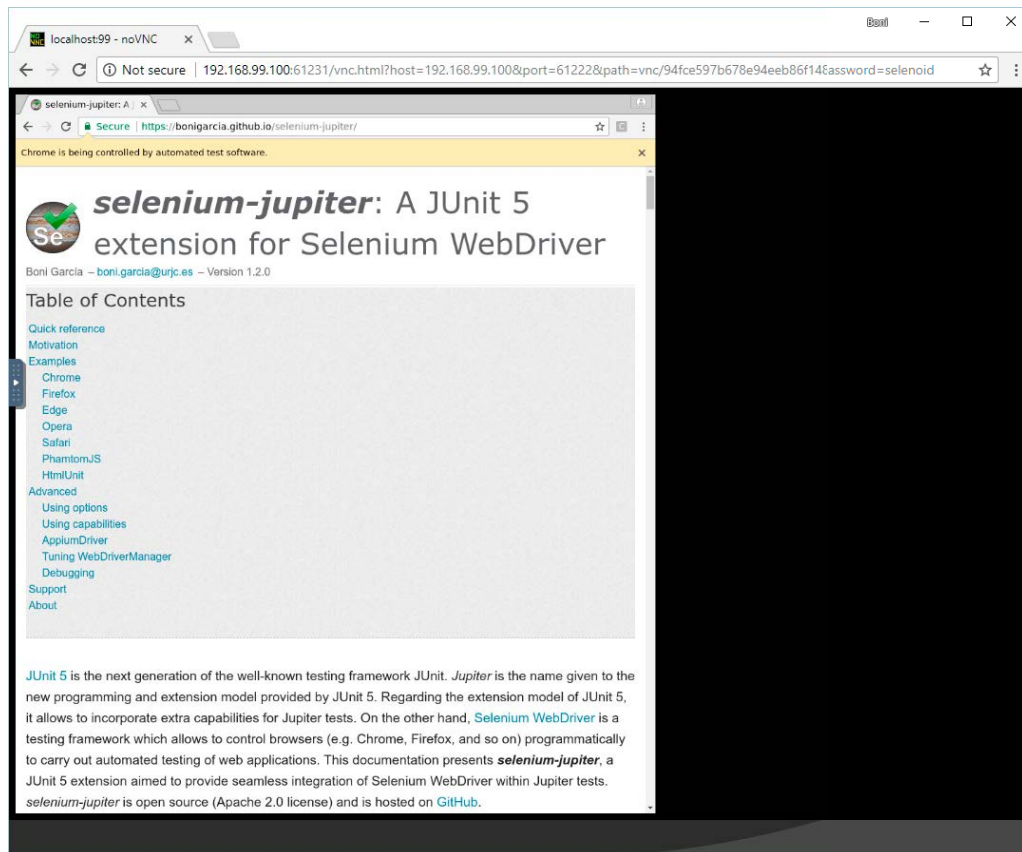
When using Android in Docker containers, the type of device can be specified

Android version	API level	Browser name
5.0.1	21	browser
5.1.1	22	browser
6.0	23	chrome
7.0	24	chrome
7.1.1	25	chrome
8.0	26	chrome
8.1	27	chrome
9.0	28	chrome

Type	Device name
Phone	Samsung Galaxy S6
Phone	Nexus 4
Phone	Nexus 5
Phone	Nexus One
Phone	Nexus S
Tablet	Nexus 7

Selenium-Jupiter - Dockerized browsers

- When using Docker containers, it is possible to interact with the remote session using **VNC** (and also recording these sessions)



Selenium-Jupiter - Test templates

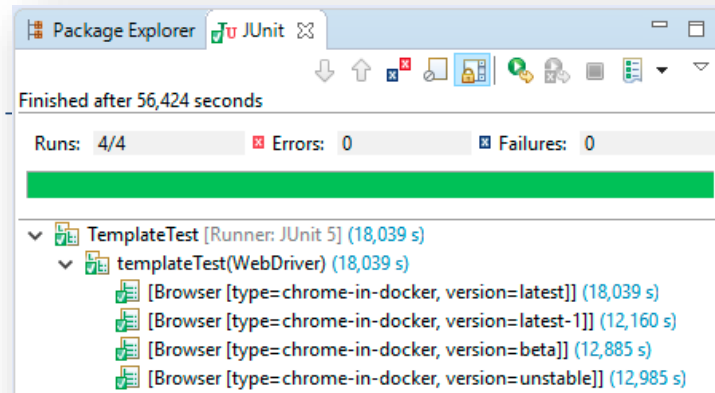
- Selenium-Jupiter use the JUnit 5's support for test templates
- A template defines the number and types of browser used by a test:
 1. By means of a JSON file:

```
import org.junit.jupiter.api.TestTemplate;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.extension.ExtendWith;
import org.openqa.selenium.WebDriver;

import io.github.bonigarcia.SeleniumExtension;

@ExtendWith(SeleniumExtension.class)
public class TemplateTest {

    @TestTemplate
    void templateTest(WebDriver driver) {
        // test
    }
}
```



```
{
  "browsers": [
    [
      {
        "type": "chrome-in-docker",
        "version": "latest"
      }
    ],
    [
      {
        "type": "chrome-in-docker",
        "version": "latest-1"
      }
    ],
    [
      {
        "type": "chrome-in-docker",
        "version": "beta"
      }
    ],
    [
      {
        "type": "chrome-in-docker",
        "version": "unstable"
      }
    ]
  ]
}
```

Selenium-Jupiter - Test templates

- Selenium-Jupiter use the JUnit 5's support for test templates
- A template defines the number and types of browser used by a test:

2. Programmatically:

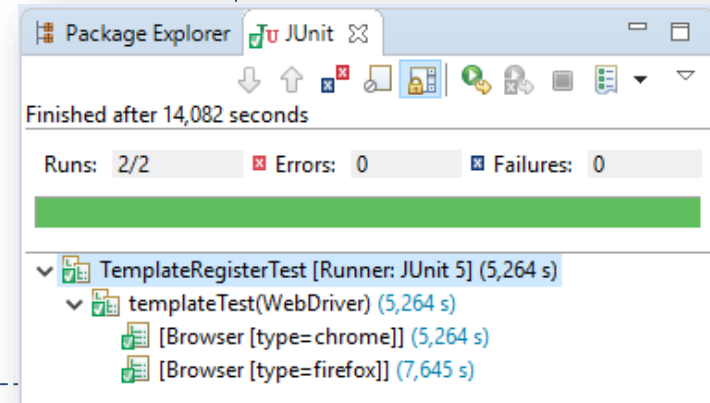
```
import org.junit.jupiter.api.BeforeAll;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.TestTemplate;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.extension.RegisterExtension;
import org.openqa.selenium.WebDriver;
import io.github.bonigarcia.BrowserBuilder;
import io.github.bonigarcia.BrowsersTemplate.Browser;
import io.github.bonigarcia.SeleniumExtension;

public class TemplateRegisterTest {

    @RegisterExtension
    static SeleniumExtension seleniumExtension = new SeleniumExtension();

    @BeforeAll
    static void setup() {
        Browser chrome = BrowserBuilder.chrome().build();
        Browser firefox = BrowserBuilder.firefox().build();
        seleniumExtension.addBrowsers(chrome, firefox);
    }

    @TestTemplate
    void templateTest(WebDriver driver) {
        // ...
    }
}
```



Selenium-Jupiter - Configuration

- Selenium-Jupiter is also highly configurable with:

1. Environment variables. For example

```
export SEL_JUP_VNC=true
```

```
export SEL_JUP_RECORDING=true
```

2. Java properties. For example:

```
mvn test -Dsel.jup.vnc=true
```

```
gradle test -Dsel.jup.vnc=true
```

3. Configuration manager in Java. For example:

```
@RegisterExtension
static SeleniumExtension seleniumExtension = new SeleniumExtension();

@BeforeAll
static void setup() {
    seleniumExtension.getConfig().setVnc(true);
    seleniumExtension.getConfig().setRecording(true);
}
```

Selenium-Jupiter - Beyond Java

- Selenium-Jupiter can be also used:

1. As CLI (command line interface) tool:

```
> java -jar selenium-jupiter-3.2.0-fat.jar chrome
[INFO] Using SeleniumJupiter to execute chrome (latest) in Docker
[INFO] Using CHROME version 73.0 (latest)
[INFO] Starting Docker container aerokube/selenoid:1.8.4
[DEBUG] Creating WebDriver for CHROME at http://172.17.0.1:32784/wd/hub
Jan 07, 2019 6:55:17 PM org.openqa.selenium.remote.ProtocolHandshake createSession
INFO: Detected dialect: OSS
[INFO] Starting Docker container psharkey/novnc:3.3-t6
[INFO] Session id 8edd28c130bb2bc62f8e4467c20f4dc0
[INFO] VNC URL (copy and paste in a browser navigation bar to interact with remote session)
[INFO]
http://172.17.0.1:32785/vnc.html?host=172.17.0.1&port=32784&path=vnc/8edd28c130bb2bc62f8e44
67c20f4dc0&resize=scale&autoconnect=true&password=selenoid
[INFO] Press ENTER to exit

[INFO] Stopping Docker container aerokube/selenoid:1.8.4
[INFO] Stopping Docker container psharkey/novnc:3.3-t6
```

Selenium-Jupiter allows to control Docker browsers through VNC

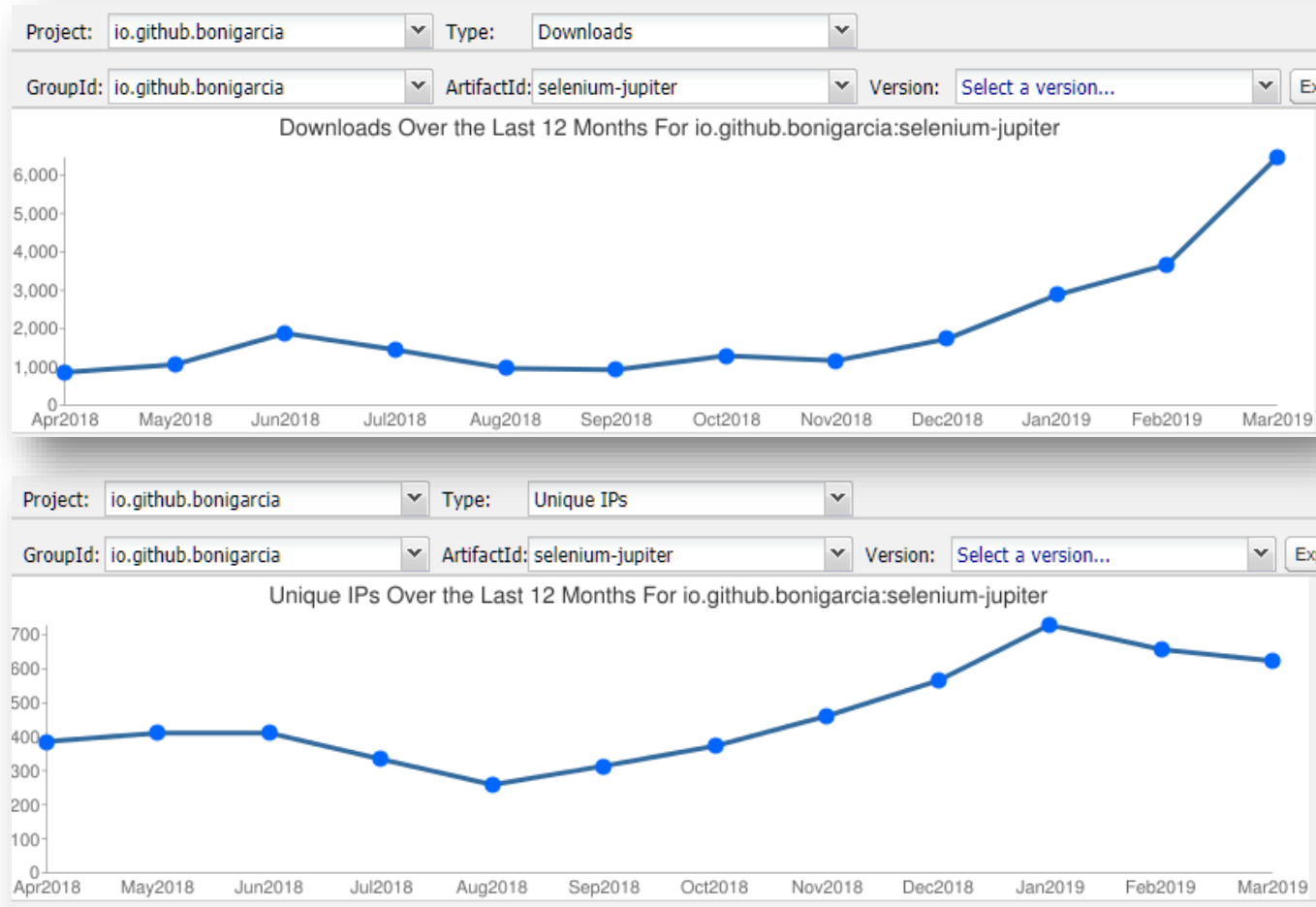
2. As server (using a REST-like API):

```
java -jar webdrivermanager-3.2.0-fat.jar server
[INFO] Selenium-Jupiter server listening on http://localhost:4042/wd/hub
```

Selenium-Jupiter becomes a **Selenium Server**

Selenium-Jupiter - Conclusions

- Selenium-Jupiter is a JUnit 5 extension for Selenium (WebDriver, Grid) and Appium



Selenium-Jupiter - Conclusions

- Selenium-Jupiter has much more features such as:
 - Using WebDriver `@Options` in tests (e.g. `ChromeOptions`, `FirefoxOptions`, etc.)
 - Screenshots at the end of test (as PNG image or Base64)
 - Integration with Jenkins (publishing test results in the Jenkins GUI)
 - Integration with Genymotion (cloud provider for Android devices)
 - Generic driver (configurable type of browser)
 - Single session (reuse browser in different tests)

<https://bonigarcia.github.io/selenium-jupiter/>
- Selenium-Jupiter is evolving in the near future. Its roadmap includes:
 - Improve test template support (e.g. specifying options within the template)
 - Improve scalability for performance tests (candidate technology: **Kubernetes**)

Toolbox for Selenium Tests in Java: WebDriverManager and Selenium-Jupiter

Thank you very much!
Q&A

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