Literate Functional Exploration with Cucumber and WATIR

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Cucumber model



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Gherkin

Create your own DSL

```
Scenario: Can I haz Cheezburger
Given I open Google
When I search for cats
Then I take a screenshot
```

Step Definitions

Match your DSL steps to code

When /^I open Google\$/ do GooglePage.open end

Page Object

Code to interface with the page

module GooglePage

```
def self.open
$browser.url 'http://www.google.com'
end
```

end

Tips

:hash => defaults

```
def self.add_book( opts ={} )
h ={ 'title'=>'Moby Dick', 'author'=>'Melville'}
h.merge(opts)

$browser.text_area(:id, 'title').value = h['title']
$browser.text_area(:id, 'author').value = h['author']
end
```

Rubular

http://www.rubular.com

Mr. Data Converter

http://shancarter.github.io/mr-data-converter/

Nokogiri

```
require 'nokogiri'

def css_select( string)
    page_html = Nokogiri::HTML.parse($browser.html)
    return page_html.css(search_string)
end
```

javascript alerts

```
def js_alert
    $browser.execute_script(
    %{alert("Paused. Click to resume the test.");});
end
```

Flavors of WATIR

WATIR-classic: IE integration

WATIR-webdriver: Selenium backend

phantomis

Headless webkit browser

phantomjs setup

- gem install watir-webdriver
- gem install selenium-webdriver
- gem install cucumber
- npm install -g phantomjs

hello_phantom.rb

```
require 'watir-webdriver'
b = Watir::Browser.new :phantomjs
b.goto "www.google.com"
puts b.url
puts b.title
```

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