

## Assignment 3

Q.1 What are the type of reviews?

→ There are three type of reviews?

1) Formal review :-

These type of review are schedule earlier and consists of a lot of reviewers. They are all present with diff. knowledge and skills set.

Having different reviews is an added advantage as we are able to cover up all necessities with respect to the software.

2) Semi - formal Review :-

These reviews are when the person who makes up give presentations.

These reviews are taken very often and keep occurring a lot of times during the cycle. The mistakes are noted and the corrections are asked to be done.

3) Informal review :-

These are reviews that are mostly taken without any formal invitation.

The speakers presents it verbally.

There is no particular agenda and can be sometime just a process of checking the progress done.

Q.2. What are the static testing techniques?

→ There are mainly two type of techniques



## Static Testing

### Review

- Informal
- Walk-through
- peer review
- Inspection

### Static Analysis

- Data Flow
- Control Flow
- cyclomatic - Complexity

#### 1) Review:-

In static testing the review is a process or techniques that is performed to find potential defect in the design of the software.

It is a process to detect and remove errors and defects in the different supporting documents like software requirement Specification.

#### a) Informal -

Informal review the creator of the documents put the contents in front of an audience and everyone gives their opinion and thus defects are identified in the early stages.

#### b) Walk through:-

It is basically performed by an experienced person or expert to check the defects so that there are no problems further in the development or testing phase.

#### c) Peer review:-

Peer reviews means checking documents of one another to detect and fix defects.

#### d) Inspection:-

Inspection is basically the verification of documents by the higher authority like the verification of software requirement specifications.

#### 2) Static Analysis:-

It includes the evaluation of the code quality that is written by developers. Different tools are used to do the analysis of the code and compares it the same with the students.

#### Data-Flow:-

Data-Flow is related to the stream processing.

#### Control-Flow:-

Control Flow is basically how statement or instructions are executed.

#### Q3 What is the need and advantage of dynamic testing?

#### → Advantages of Dynamic Testing:-

##### 1) Complex defects:-

It discloses very difficult and complex defects.

##### 2) Improvement in software quality:-

It increase the quality of software product or application being tested.



### 3) Security threat Detection:-

Dynamic testing detects security threat and ensure the better secure applications.

### 4. Ease of implementation:-

It is easy to implement and does not require any special tools or expertise.

### 5) Early - stage functionality testing.

### \* Needs:-

1) Dynamic testing is essential in the software development process because it ensures that the software functions correctly when executed.

2) Dynamic testing is crucial for evaluating the system real-time behaviour, functionality, performance and interaction with users.

### Q4 Write short note on

a) Data Flow analysis:-

Data Flow analysis is a static analysis technique used to track how data moves through a program to identify potential issues. It examines the flow of data across various points in the program to ensure that variables are properly defined, used and update.

Q5 Differentiate between static testing and dynamic testing.

Static Testing

Dynamic Testing

1) The objective is to prevent defects

The objective is to find and fix defects.

### Static Testing

### Dynamic Testing

2) It is performed at the early stage of software development. It is performed at the later stage of software development.

3) Static testing the whole code is not executed. Dynamic testing the whole code is executed.

4) Static testing is performed before code development. Dynamic testing is performed after code development.

5) Static testing is less cost. Dynamic testing is highly cost.

6) It is a verification process. It is a validation process.

7) It generally takes a longer time. It usually takes a shorter time as it involves running several test cases.

Q6 Explain boundary value analysis & equivalence partitioning with example?

### → Boundary value analysis:-

It is a technique where we identify the errors at the boundary of input data to discover those errors in the input center. Boundary values are those that contain the upper and lower limit of a variable.



Boundary value analysis is testing the boundaries between partitions. It will help decrease testing time due to a lesser number of test cases from infinite to finite.

eg. Consider a function that accepts an input between 1 and 100.

Valid range - 1 to 100  
boundary values to be tested  
lower boundary - 0, 1, 2  
upper boundary - 99, 100, 101

Test Cases -

Test input - 0 (just outside the lower boundary)  
1. Cat the lower boundary, 100 (at the upper boundary).  
101 (just outside the upper boundary).

Equivalence partitioning (EP) - is technique that divide the input data into logical partitions that are expected to behave the same way. For the same function that accepts and input between 1 and 100.

pick one value so - valid  
test case 0 or -5 = Invalid  
greater than 100 - test case could be 101 or 150.

Q7 Explain state transition testing technique with eg.  
→ State transition testing is -

It is a powerful technique used to black-box testing to ensure that the behaviours as expected while transitioning between different states of system.

It identifies a finite set of states that the SUT can occupy. Then it tests how the SUT transitions between them based on different input conditions.

This technique can be applied to various systems such as vending machines, traffic lights and smart web apps as long as their behaviour can be defined as a finite state machine.

Example scenarios:-

- 1) logged out - the user is not logged in
- 2) logged in - the user has successfully logged in.

Transitions:-

- 1) From logged out to logged in - occurs when valid credentials are entered.

- 2) From logged in to logged out - occurs when user logs out.

- 3) From logged out to logged out - occurs if invalid credentials are entered.

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