Jbehave Vs Cucumber

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↳ completely diff^t although meant for the same purpose : Acceptance tests

jbehave → stories, (now support feature) as well.
Cucumber → features

Feature is a collection of stories.
↓
feature file

Jbehave	Cucumber
pure java f/w	based on Ruby ↳ can be used with java via a maven plugin Cuke4Duke not very good from perform^ pt of view as internally it uses ruby. → now There is a pure java implement^n of cucumber called "Cucumber – JVM"
→ Both has native Junit support.	
→ Both support Gherkin standard & its rule.	
↳ Composite steps feature is available only in Jbehave not in Cucumber. ↳ increases re-usability but in long run we may need to change dependent steps so that time maintenance will be pain/ab	→ so let scenario & steps indep^t & decoupled as much as possible

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- BDD DSL → Gherkin → GWT format of scenario
  & a DSL used by BDD practitioners
- report can be uploaded to ALM/JIRA
- Jbehave
- Both has same flexibility in passing parameters.
- → default reporting is old fashioned no visual rep^n (Graph, charts etc)
- → Jbehave has more configurat^n to make.
- → Cucumber is simple & easy, if you want something more powerful u shud look at Jbehave
- → good external data support in Jbehave

Cucumber.
implement^n is straightforward & less painful as c.to Jbehave.
→ more flexible & easy to generate.
online people/community are more Active on Cucumber as compared to Jbehave
→ multiline input feature ~~output~~ in cucu.
→ In built support lambda expr^n

. Both supports below features
1. User stories / features
2. Scenario
3. Background → avl only in Cucumber
4. Scenario Outline
5. Examples
6. Given / When / Then / And / But
7. Tags (@automated, @ → jbehave uses Meta keyword for that but Cucu not
8. Tables

Contains those steps which needs to be executed before each scenario in the feature

. Composite steps are not a feature of BDD / Gherkin standard.
. If you need a BDD tool,
. Cucumber has almost all the power you need. So its safe to
. go with cucumber.
. Common Issues → Both tools will have

Performance issues when No of test scenarios are increasing in your proj. So organise your BDD Scenario neatly.

⇒ Almost both are equally good.

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→ test method name should be sentences
↳ a flw for BDD

Features:

→ Pure java implement
→ Usor stories can be specified as classpath resources or external URL based resource
→ U.S → can be executed concurrently, by specifying No: of concurrent threads
→ Annot^n based binding of textual steps to java methods,
→ with auto convesion of string arguments to any parameter type (including generic type) via custom parameter converters.
↳ Dependency Injection support (Spring)
↳ Report in HTML, XML, TXT, CONSOLE format
↳ Auto generat^n of pending steps
↳ can be run as Junit tests

Advance Jbehave

arguments → value
parameter → variable

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1. Automatic Conversion of textual values to Java objects in the steps class.
   → or step def" class

Given a stock of symbol STK1 and a threshold of 10.0

2. Given("a stock of symbol $symbol — of $threshold")
   public void aStock(String symbol, double threshold)
   {
   }

Even if we have comma seprated values it wud be automatically handled.

Given a stock of — STK1,STK2 and — 10.0,20.0 is traded on 09/09/2009

3. Given(" $symbol — $threshold — $traded(On)")
   P.V. aStock(String symbol, double threshd, Date traded(On)
   { }
   ↓ should be list actually.

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(2) Parameter Injection (Behave supports multiple mechanism for parameter Inj*

(A) ordered parameters
This is default behavior.
arguments from steps are matched in natural order to the parameters in the annotated java method.

(B) Annotated named parameters:
Advantage is that we can have method parameter appearing in any order.

Given a threshold value 2

@Given("a threshold value $value")
P.V. given threshold (@Named("value") int value)
{ =3

(3) Parameterized Scenario

Given a stock of <symbol> and a <threshold>

Now Examples: ——————→ Examples Keyword indicates scenario is parameterized & shud be repeated as many times as there are data rows in the example table.

Pipe-symbol →

symbol	threshold
STK1	10.1
STK2	11.0

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(4) Reusing Textual Stories - 'GivenStories'

GivenStories:
xyz | ABC.story

Scenario: verify enterprise name.

) the given one or more stories will be executed before the given scenario.

(5) Pending steps: steps that do not match any public Java method in steps classes.
» They are marked as NotPerformed in ~~the~~ steps failure

(6) Meta Info: To help users better manage their stories.
info is provided as name-value properties
can be used at both level (stories & scenario)

Meta:
@Sprint 6RTZ
@Type positive
@ F635
@ author deepak

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(7) Custom Parameter delimiter

Given a stack of <symbol>
$symbol
[symbol]

(8) Pattern Variants :→ alternative of @Alias are built by the patternVariantBuilder.

e.g.

$A\{x|y|z\}B \Rightarrow AxB, AyB, AzB$

when the item cost is 10.0
when the price is 10.0
when the cost is 10.0

@When("the{item|}{price|cost} is $price")

// if we use @Alias, it is cumbersome to list all diff patterns when diff b/w them is small.

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BDD is used to check both whether:
- Code meets customer expectations
  - Sel → UI present
- Code meets Programmer expectations
  - Unit testing → classes/models

DDD: Domain Driven Design

A story/feature file contains a narrative of multiple scenarios

Comments (!--)
↓ exclamation

comments in examples table
(|--)
↓ pipe symbol

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Jbehave steps:

Steps Annotn: @Given @When @Then

Lifecycle Annotn:
@BeforeStory @AfterStory
@BeforeScenario @AfterScen

Pending Steps: @Pending.

Alias @Alias, @Aliases

@Named → In param

JUnitStory → 1 to 1 mapping with textual story
JUnitStories → many to one mapping

↳ Reporting options: console, HTML, XML, Text

↳ default report loc in maven project
${project.dir}/target/jbehave/report.html

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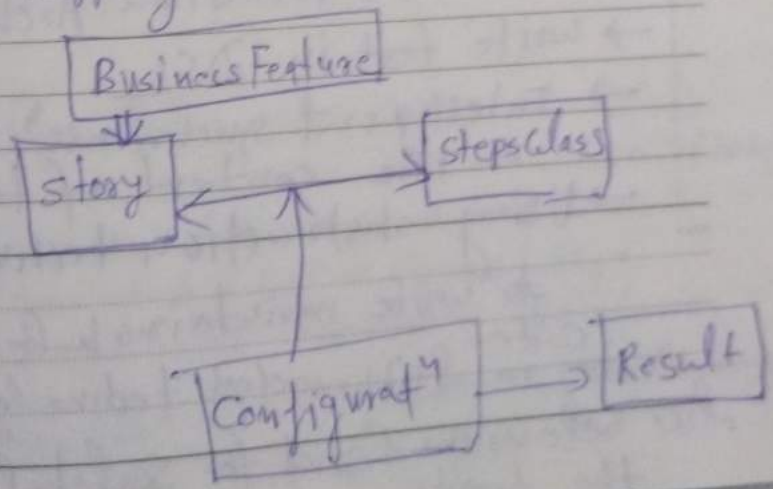
→ Test Integ^{n} : JUnit & TestNG

Jbehave Eclipse Plugin

- Keyword highlighting
- Jumping from stories to step class
- Auto complete.
  if no step match it will indicate Δ

Jbehave → Can be used web & API Tg both POM
- UI Tg (Selenium)
- Services Tg (Spring library)

we shud keep assertions in steps mapping classes.



- Ibehave have excellent support for spring FW.

Major challenges in Autom^n

- Maintainability
- Reusability
- Usability
- Scalability
- Reliability

How to overcome challenges in Web Autom^n

- → multitier Automation Architecture
- → write test in DSL
- → Intelligent synchronis^n based on the context of test
- → Using abstraction technique to write maintainable test code.
- → Using multithreaded technology like Selenium Grid for scalability of the tests.

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→ Advantage of Cucumber/Jbehave

→ You can involve business stakeholders who can not code.

→ Enduser expesiance is priority

→ High code Reuse

→ 2 files req. to run cucu test
Features & Step def^n

→ Cucu (tool) supports BDD & is as cool as Cucumber :)

Rspec is used for unit testg
Cucu → for BDD
Both Ruby based

Feature files also serve as DOD (Def^n of Done)
means when all scenario has been implemented & tested successfully.
we can mark the story as done.

feature file: contains common understanding of trio Dev-QA-BA

Serenity → Java based open source Test Autom" F/W
→ built on top of Selenium
previously known as "Thucydides"

an open source library
produces a rich meaningful test reports
"living document"
which not only report on test results
but also what features hv been tested
↳ helps to write more maintainable
automated acceptance criteria

Serenity with JUnit

Serenity takes care of Drivers life cycle
i.e. instantiating webd', opening the browser
& shutting it down at the end.

② Steps → used in stepdef file → How steps
BuyerSteps buyerSteps; ↓↓ assertta is used here.

② Steps tells serenity that this variable
is a step library.

→ In serenity, we use step libraries to add
a layer of abstraction b/w what & how
of the acceptance tests

→ Building a F/W from scratch is not always a good idea as it requires lot time & efforts. we should utilize existing open source

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Serenity:

↳ can be easily integrated with BDD tools like Cucumber & JBehave

↳ provides lot of built-in functionalities

* ~~WebDriver Management~~
* managing states b/w steps
* Screenshots
* Running tests in parallel
* JIRA Integration
* Awesome reports.
  - can be used to test Results
  - can be used a living doc^{n} for ur App^{n}.

No need to write any code for above features

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Step library: This class is just an ordinary java class with methods annotated with @Step annotn

Public class BuyerSteps {

HomePage homePage;

@Step ⟶ indicate the method will appear as a step in the report

p. v. searches_for_items_containing(String Keyword)
{
homepage.SearchesFor(Keywords);
}

@Step
p. v. should_see_items_related_to(String Key)
{
List<String> result = searchPage.getTitles();
result.stream().forEach(title ->
assertThat(title.contains(Keyword));

To search an elt in chrome: Identify locator in chrome:
$x(" ") ⟶ Xpath ← console
$(" ") ⟶ CSS

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Page Objects (Page class) → encapsulates how a test interacts with a webpage. They hide webdriver implementation details.

Like steps page objects are reusable compo that makes tests easier to understand & maintain.

→ Serenity automatically instantiates page obj for you & injects the current webdr instance

@DefaultUrl("https://---")
public class HomePage extends PageObject
{
    @FindBy(css="---")
    WebElement searchButton;

    public void searchFor(String keywords)
    {
        $("#search-query").sendKeys(Keys);
        searchbutton.click();
    }
}

↳ we can use $ method to access elements directly using CSSS or Xpath

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```
@FindBy (css = ".listy-card")
List<WebElement> listingCards;
```

```
public List<String> getRTitles()
{
    return listingCards.stream()
        .map(element -> ele.getText())
        .collect(Collectors.toList());
}
```

Maven Dependency:

To use Serenity with JUnit we should include serenity-core & serenity-junit in pom.xml

<artifactId>

To get aggregated report:

<artifactId>serenity-maven-plugin</artifactId>

Serenity report is gen'd at:

target/site/serenity/index.html

@Test (attr1 = value1, attr2 = value2, ...)

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↳ To integrate Serenity with Jbehave

<artifactId> serenity-jbehave </aId>

↳ Serenity supports integ^{n} with REST-assured. we need dep in pom

<artifactId> serenity-rest-assured </aId>

↳ Serenity support Integ^{n} with JIRA

pom dependency for this

<aId> serenity-jira-req^{ts}-provider </aId>

public class whenAuthenticating { } — TestNG or Junit test class

@steps
private DecoUser user;

@Test → junit annot^{n}

p. v. shouldBeAbleToLoginAsAdmin()
{
user.isOnTheHomePage(); → this will be annotated with @step
user.logsInAsAdmin();
user.shouldBeOnLandingPage();
}

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@Step("authenticates as an Admin User")

↳ By default the name of this step in the report is derived from methodName if want something more readable pass that as String parameter to @step annoth.

jQuery selector:

$() method with an Xpath or CSS expression can be used.

↳ Behind the scene uses "findBy()"

```
$("#username").click();
return $(".notice").getText();
$('*[role='menu']a li").findBy(By.linkText(")
```

pass css or xpath

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