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Let the compiler work for you –

how to automatically generate mock instances
using **Swift macros**

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Mocking



Mock Framework

- Simple DSL
 - Easy to write tests
 - Lightweight boilerplate code
 - Similar to mockk for Android (<https://mockk.io>)
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- ➔ We found SwiftMock (<https://github.com/mflint/SwiftMock>)
 - Currently limited: no async, throwing or fuzzy matching support
 - We extended it!

Mock Framework

```
protocol DemoRepository {  
    func getPerson() async throws → Person  
  
    func postAge(personId: Int, age: Int)  
}
```

Mock Framework

```
let demoRepositoryMock = DemoRepositoryMock.create()

let person = Person(id: 1, name: "Manuel")
await demoRepositoryMock.expectAsync { mock in
    try await mock.getPerson()
}
    .returning(person) // .throwing(MyError.someError)

let result = try await demoRepositoryMock.getPerson()
XCTAssertEqual(person, result)

await demoRepositoryMock.verifyAsync()
```

Mock Framework

```
class DemoRepositoryMock: Mock<DemoRepository>, DemoRepository {  
    func getPerson() async throws → Person {  
        try await acceptAsync()  
    }  
  
    func postAge(personId: Int, age: Int) {  
        accept(args: [personId, age])  
    }  
}
```

Lot's of boilerplate code!

```
import Mock

public class ConfigRepositoryMock: Mock<ConfigRepository>, ConfigRepository {
    public func saveExpertToken(_ expertToken: String) async throws {
        try await acceptAsync(args: [expertToken])
    }

    public func loadExpertToken() → AnyPublisher<String?, Never> {
        accept()
    }

    public func getLatestPresets(count: Int) async throws → [AggregatedPreset] {
        try await acceptAsync(args: [count])
    }

    public func getAggregatedTestResultData(qnr: String) async throws → AggregatedTestResultData? {
        try await acceptAsync(args: [qnr])
    }

    public func getAllAggregatedTestResultDatas(with status: TestStatus)
        → AnyPublisher<[AggregatedTestResultData], Error> {
        accept(args: [status])
    }

    public func getIncompleteSharedConfigurationDatas() async throws → [SearchSharedConfigurationData] {
        try await acceptAsync()
    }

    public func deleteTestResult(for sharedConfigurationDataId: Int64) async throws {
        try await acceptAsync(args: [sharedConfigurationDataId])
    }

    public func getAggregatedTestResult(for sharedConfigurationDataId: Int64)
        → AnyPublisher<AggregatedTestResultData?, Error> {
        accept(args: [sharedConfigurationDataId])
    }

    public func saveSharedConfigurationData(
        _ sharedConfigurationData: SharedConfigurationData,
        isCompleted: Bool
    ) {
    }
}
```




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Swift Macros to the rescue!

Swift Macros

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13
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16
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try await acceptAsync(args: [x, y, z])

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Conclusion

- Entry into code generation greatly reduced
- Already really stable in the current beta (to be released in Swift 5.9)
- Great potential for the future
- If you write macros, use <https://swift-ast-explorer.com/>

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