Pytest

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- Easy test creation (less boilerplate)
- Test runner
- Test selection
- Test parameterization
- Fixtures
- Plugins



Installation

Create a virtualenv
(venv) \$ pip install pytest



Command line

Installs an executable called py.test (previously part of py library). With 3.0 can run pytest or py.test



Basics



Code Layout

```
Project/
proj/
__init__.py
adder.py
tests/
conftest.py
testadder.py
```



Simple Code

Basic but fits on slides (adder.py)

```
# adder.py
def adder(x, y):
    return x + y
```



Test Creation

Unittest style (testadder.py)

```
# testadder.py
from proj.adder import adder
import unittest

class TestAdder(unittest.TestCase):
    def test_simple(self):
        res = adder(2, 3)
        self.assertEquals(res, 5)
```



Run Tests

```
$ PYTHONPATH=. pytest tests/*.py
  =========== test session starts ==
platform darwin -- Python 3.6.4, pytest-3.0.6, py-
1.4.32, pluggy-0.4.0
rootdir: /Users/matt/code_samples/pytest, inifile:
plugins: asyncio-0.8.0
collected 1 items
tests/testadder.py .
========= 1 passed in 0.01 seconds =========
```



Unittest style

- Non-PEP 8 compliant
- "Classy"
- Need to remember which assert... method to call



Test Creation

```
pytest style (testadder2.py)
# testadder2.py
from proj.adder import adder

def test_add():
    res = adder(2, 3)
    assert res == 5
```



pytest style

- Just a function that starts with "test"
- Use the assert statement



More Test Creation

Can specify a message
from proj.adder import adder

def test_add():
 res = adder(2, 3)
 assert res == 5, "Value should be 5"



Catching Exceptions

Can specify an exception

```
import pytest
def test_exc():
    with pytest.raises(TypeError):
    adder('', 3)
```



Catching Exceptions (2)

Can specify an exception in decorator

```
@pytest.mark.xfail(raises=TypeError)
def test_exc2():
    adder('', 3)
```



Failing a Test

```
def test_missing_dep():
    try:
        import foo
    except ImportError:
        pytest.fail("No foo import")
```



Approximations

```
def test_small():
    assert adder(1e-10, 2e-10) == \
        pytest.approx(3e-10)
```



How assert works

pytest uses an *import hook* (PEP 302) to rewrite assert statements by introspecting code (AST) the runner has collected.



Care needed

Don't wrap assertion in parentheses (truthy tuple):

```
def test_almost_false():
    assert (False == True, 'Should be false')
```



Care needed (2)



Context-sensitive Comparisons

- Inlining function/variable results
- Diffs in similar text
- Lines in multiline texts
- List/Dict/Set diffs (-vv for full diff)
- In (__contains__) statements



Customize Assert

In conftest.py:

```
def pytest_assertrepr_compare(op, left, right):
    if (isinstance(left, str) and
        isinstance(right, int) and op == '=='):
        return ['"{}" should be an int'.format(left)]
```

In testadder.py:

```
def test_custom():
    assert "1" == 1
```



Result

```
$ py.test testadder.py
testadder.py F.x
                                       [100%]
   _____ test_custom _____
   def test_custom():
      assert "1" == 1
>
      assert "1" should be an int
testadder.py:11: AssertionError
===== 1 failed, 1 passed, 1 xfailed in 0.08 seconds =====
```



Test Runner



Test Runner

For unittest add:

```
if __name__ == '__main__':
    unittest.main()
```

or run:

\$ python3 -m unittest testadder.TestAdder



Test Runner

For pytest add:

```
if __name__ == '__main__':
    import pytest
    pytest.main()
```

or run:

\$ py.test testadder2.TestAdder



Test Discovery

- Recurse current directory or testpaths from pytest.ini
- Files with test_*.py or *_test.py
- Functions starting with test_*
- Methods starting with test_* in class named
 Test* without a __init__ method



Can customize

- --ignore path Tell pytest to ignore modules or paths
- norecursedirs Dirs to not recurse in pytest.ini
- python_files Glob (validate_*.py) to discover in pytest.ini
- python_classes, python_methods More discovery



Options

- --doctest-modules Run doctests
- --doctest-glob='*.rst' Capture rst files (instead of default *.txt)
- --pdb Drop into debugger on fail
- --collect-only Don't run tests, just collect
- -v Verbose (show test ids)
- -m EXPR Run marks
- -k EXPR Run tests with names
- NODE IDS Run tests with NODE IDS



Debugging



Debugging

Options:

- import pdb;pdb.set_trace()
- assert 0 (in code) + --pdb (command line)
- Use -s to see stdout for successful tests



Doctest



Doctest

Update pytest.ini to permanently run doctests, with certain flags:

```
[pytest]
addopts = --doctest-modules

doctest_optionflags= NORMALIZE_WHITESPACE
IGNORE_EXCEPTION_DETAIL
```



Doctest

Can use pytest fixtures with get_fixture:

```
# file.py
""""
>>> req = get_fixure('request')
>>> req.cache.get('bad_key')
None
"""
```



Injecting into Namespace

Python module that we typically import with shortened name lf:



Test Selection & Marking



Listing Tests

```
$ PYTHONPATH=./ pytest tests/*.py --collect-only
========= test session starts ============
platform darwin -- Python 3.6.4, pytest-3.0.6, py-
1.4.32, pluggy-0.4.0
rootdir: /Users/matt/code_samples/pytest/Project,
inifile:
plugins: asyncio-0.8.0
collected 1 items
<Module 'tests/testadder.py'>
  <Function 'test add'>
 ======== no tests ran in 0.00 seconds ==========
```



Test Selection

- Marking tests
- Skip tests



Marking Tests

```
@pytest.mark.small
@pytest.mark.num
def test_ints():
   assert adder(1, 3) == 4
```



Marking Tests

\$ py.test -m num

or

\$ py.test -m "not num"



Named Tests

To run tests with "int" in name:

\$ py.test -k int



Skipping tests

```
@pytest.mark.skipif(
    not os.environ.get("SLOWTEST"),
    reason="Don't run slow tests")
def test_big():
    assert adder(1e10, 3e10) == 4e10
```



Test Parameterization



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Test Parameterization

Note that the Node Ids change:



Fixtures



Fixtures

Provides dependency injection of setup/teardown



Fixtures

```
@pytest.fixture
def large_num():
    return 1e20

def test_large(large_num):
    assert adder(large_num, 1) ==
large_num
```



Fixtures Parameterization

```
@pytest.fixture(params=[-1, 0, 100])
def num(request):
    return request.param

def test_num(num_num):
    assert adder(num, 1) == num+1
```



Method Fixtures

class TestAdder:

```
@pytest.fixture
def other_num(self):
    return 42

def test_other(self, other_num):
    assert adder(other_num, 1) == 43
```



Module Level

```
def setup_module(module):
    ...

def teardown_module(module):
    ...
```



Class Level



Method Level



Function Level

```
def setup_function(function):
    ...

def teardown_function(function):
    ...
```



Teardown in Fixtures

- Use request fixture and call request.addfinalizer(fn)
- Use generator



request

Some parts of the request content:

- r.addfinalizer(f) call when done
- r.applymarker(m) dynamically add marker
- r.config pytest config
- r.keywords keywords and markers
- r.param value of parameterization



Finalizer

```
@pytest.fixture
def db_num(request):
    # connect to db
    num = db.get()
    def fin():
        db.close()
    request.addfinalizer(fin)
    return num
```

Note - can have more than one finalizer function



Generator

```
@pytest.fixture
def db_num(request):
    # connect to db
    num = db.get()
    yield num
    db.close()
```



Generator

```
Code smell:
from contextlib import closing
@pytest.fixture
def db_num(request):
    # connect to db
    with closing(get_db()) as db:
        num = db.get()
        yield num
```



- session Once per test session
- module Once per module
- class Once per test class
- function Once per test function (default)



```
@pytest.fixture(
          scope='session')
def start_time():
    import time
    return time.time()
```



```
@pytest.fixture(
    scope='session')
def session_db():
    db = get_db()
    yield db
    db.close()
```



from contextlib import closing

```
@pytest.fixture(
    scope='session')
def session_db():
    with closing(get_db()) as db:
    yield db
```



Finer grained scope can depend on larger grain, but reverse is not true



```
# bad fixture depend
@pytest.fixture(scope='function')
def two():
    return 2
@pytest.fixture(scope='session')
def four(two):
    return two * two
def test4(four):
    assert four == 4
```





Trigger skip from fixture

```
@pytest.fixture
def db_num(request):
    # connect to db
    try:
        num = db.get()
        return num
    except ConnectionError:
        pytest.skip("No DB")
```



Pass data from marks to fixtures



Skip tests on Mac

Use autouse=True to implicitly enable

```
@pytest.mark.nomac
def test_add_nomac():
    # ...

@pytest.fixture(autouse=True)
def skip_mac(request):
    mark = request.node.get_marker('nomac')
    if mark and sys.platform == 'darwin':
        pytest.skip('Skip on Mac')
```



Configuration



Configuration

- Rootdir
 - Node ids determined from root
 - Plugins may store data there
- pytest.ini (or tox.ini or setup.cfg)
 - Must have [pytest] section



Some INI Options

- minversion = 4.0 Fail if pytest < 4.0
- addopts = -v Add verbose flag
- norecursedirs = .git Don't look in .git directory
- testpaths = regression Look in regression folder if no locations specified on command
- python_files = regtest_*.py Execute files starting with regtest_ (test_*.py and *_test.py default)
- python_classes = RegTest* Use class starting with RegTest as a test (default Test*)
- python_functions = *_regtest Use function ending with regtest as test (default _test)



Conftest

Can create a conftest.py in a root directory or subdirectory. You can put fixtures in here. You don't import this module. Pytest loads it for you



Plugins

You can have local plugins and installable plugins



Many Hooks

- Bootstrap for setup.py plugins
- Initialization hooks for conftest.py
- runtest hooks for execution
- Collection hooks
- Reporting hooks
- Debugging hooks



Examples

- pytest_addoption(parser)
- pytest_ignore_collect(path, config)
- pytest_sessionstart(session)
- pytest_sessionfinish(session, exitstatus)
- pytest_assertrepr_compare(config, op, left, right)

https://docs.pytest.org/en/latest/writing_plugins.htm l#writing-hook-functions



Plugin Boilerplate

https://github.com/pytest-dev/cookiecutter-pyte st-plugin



Installable Plugin

Need to implement pytest11 entrypoint in setup.py, so pytest finds it.



Installable Plugin

```
entry_points={
    'pytest11': [
         'pytest_cov = pytest_cov.plugin',
    'console_scripts': [
},
https://github.com/pytest-dev/pytest-cov/blob
/master/setup.py
```



Installable Plugin

```
def pytest_addoption(parser):
    # Register argparse and INI options
@pytest.mark.tryfirst
def pytest_load_initial_conftests(early_config, parser,
args):
    # Bootstrap setuptools plugin
def pytest_configure(config):
    # Perform initial configuration
https://github.com/pytest-dev/pytest-cov/blob/master/src/pytes
t_cov/plugin.py
```



Adding Commandline Options

```
In conftest.py:
def pytest_addoption(parser):
    parser.addoption('--mac', action='store_true',
                     help='Run Mac tests')
In tests:
@pytest.fixture
def a_fixture(request):
    mac = request.config.getoption('mac')
def test_foo(pytestconfig):
    mac = pytestconfig.getoption('mac')
```



3rd Party Plugins



List

Python 2 & 3 compatibility http://plugincompat.herokuapp.com/



pytest-xdist

Distribute tests among (7) CPUs

```
$ pip install pytest-xdist
```

```
$ py.test -n 7
```



pytest-flake8

Run flake8 on all py files

```
$ pip install pytest-flake8
```

\$ py.test --flake8



pytest-cov

Run coverage

- \$ pip install pytest-cov
- \$ py.test --cov=adder tests/



Tox



Tox

3rd party tool for running tests on different pythons



Install

pip install tox



Configuration

```
# tox.ini
[tox]
envlist = py27,py36
[testenv]
deps=pytest # use pytest
commands=pytest
```



Configuration

Run tox-quickstart to generate config for you



Running

At this point, if you run tox, it will:

- Create Python 2.7 venv
 - Install pytest
 - Create sdist and install package
 - Run package tests with pytest
- Create Python 3.6 venv
 - Install pytest
 - Create sdist and install package
 - Run package tests with pytest



Jenkins CI

Can integrate with Jenkins by having Tox installed and having pytest output JunitXML files (with the --junitxml option)



CircleCI

```
Contents of circle.yml:
dependencies:
   pre:
     - pip install tox
test:
   override:
     - tox
```



Thanks

Go forth and test!

