# What is unit testing

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## What is unit testing

- Break down the project into small pieces
- Test them independently



#### What is unit testing + devops

- Infrastructure testing (AWS, Openstack, Azure, etc)
- Configuration management (Ansible, Chef, Puppet, Salt)
- Scripts/tools
- Other products

### Why write them?

- Larger teams/complex systems
- Future proofing (somewhat)
- The rest of the organization.
- Test your logic

#### When to write them?

- Better as you go. More difficult later
- Tons of formal systems
  - TDD
  - BDD
  - ATDD
- Your code will be better.







AWS script example:

Unit test example:

```
import create_instance
import unittest
from moto import mock_ec2
args = \{\}
sec groups = 'sq-1234'
subnets = None
args.Key = 'test key'
args.Size = 't3.medium'
args.Count = 1
args.OS = 'ami-1234'
@mock ec2
def test create instance():
  conn = boto.ec2.connect to region('us-west-1')
  create_instance(args, 'us-west-1', args.Key, sec_groups, subnets)
  reservations = conn.get all instances()
  assert len(reservations) == 1
```

- Mocks when resource unavailable, unsuitable, slow, etc.
- Stub kind of like a mock, but can't verify methods. Usually canned answers.
- Fake Class that implements an interface but has fixed data and no logic.

• Script:

```
import os
dir_path = "/tmp/"
file_name = "text.txt"
  file_list = []
  for f in os.listdir(dir_path):
    if os.path.isfile(os.path.join(dir_path, f)) and f == file_name:
      file_list.append(file_name)
  if not file_list:
   return "not found"
search_and_remove_file(dir_path, file_name)
```

Unit Test Example:

```
t search_and_remove_file
      unittest
     mock import patch
dir_path = "/tmp/"
file_name = "text.txt"
class MyTests (unittest.TestCase):
         patch('os.listdir', return value=['text2.txt']):
      test value = search for file(dir path,file name)
      self.assertEqual(test value, file name)
  def test_not_found(self):
         patch('os.listdir', return value=['text4.txt']):
      test value = search for file(dir path,file name)
      self.assertEqual(test value, "not found")
  unittest.main()
```

#### Examples (Shell)

- I am not going to do it. ©
  - But check out bats (<a href="https://github.com/sstephenson/bats">https://github.com/sstephenson/bats</a>) if you have to do it. Also roundup and shunit2.



### Examples (Ansible)

- Version your roles and maybe playbooks.
- Design your workflow
  - Branching
  - Builds
- Test your expectations
  - Files
  - Services
  - Packages
  - Users
  - Multiple variations.

#### Examples (Ansible)

- Keep the roles/manifests/cookbooks/states small
  - Unix philosophy do one thing and do it well
  - Keep it modular
  - DRY
- Some java app
  - Bad: single role for configuring the system, installing prereqs and pushing the app
  - Good:
    - Role/jvm
    - Role/tomcat
    - Role/users
    - Role/sys\_config
    - Role/code\_deploy

### Examples (Ansible)

- Complex role/cookbook/manifest/state
- Nginx as an example:
  - Could install with different modules (compiled and defaults)
  - From source/package
  - Different versions
  - Default sites with different configurations (proxy, etc)
- Validate as much as you can.
  - Especially complex conditionals.
  - Templating engines
  - Multiple sets of testing vars

- Ansible-lint (https://github.com/willthames/ansible-lint)
  - Defaults are good, but add your own things.
- Syntax check
  - Ansible-playbook –syntax-check –list-tasks –i '127.0.0.1' test.yml
- Assert module
- Serverspec, inspec, rolespec, testinfra, goss, chefspec, ansible\_spec, test-kitchen
- Test playbooks

Template validations (native tools)

#### vars:

- validate\_conf: /usr/sbin/named-checkconf

#### tasks:

- name: install named.conf

action: tempalte src=named.conf.j2 dest=/etc/named.conf validate = '{{ validate\_conf }} %s'

#### Other validators:

- /usr/bin/nginx –t –c nginx.conf
- Apachectl configtest
- /usr/sbin/sshd –t
- /usr/sbin/squid -k check
- /usr/libexec/mysqld --defaults-file=/root/test-my.cnf --verbose --help 1>/dev/null
- syslogd -f /etc/rsyslog.testing.conf -d

#### Testinfra

```
def nginx_present(Package):
    nginx = Package("nginx")
    assert nginx.is_installed

def nginx_running_enabled(Service):
    nginx = Service("nginx")
    assert nginx.is_running
    assert nginx.is_enabled
```

#### Serverspec

```
describe user('nginx') do
 it { should exist }
 it { should belong_to_group 'nginx'}
 end
describe process('nginx') do
 it { should be running }
 its(:user) { should eq 'nginx' }
 end
describe port (80) do
 it { should be listening }
end
describe "Server Configuration" do
 it 'should response with right status code' do
  uri = URI('http://localhost')
  http = Net::HTTP.new(uri.host)
  request = Net::HTTP::Get.new(uri)
  response = http.request(request)
  expect(response.code).to eq('200')
end
end
```

- Goss new tool, written in go.
  - Builds yaml files (sort of automatically)
  - 'goss autoadd nginx'

```
package:
  nginx:
  installed: true
  versions:
  - 1.4.1-3ubuntu1.3
   nginx = Package("nginx")
   assert nginx.is_installed
service:
  nginx:
  enabled:true
  running:false
```

#### The End

