

Lesson 11 Demo 04

Implementing Assertion Libraries

Objective: To check a Node.js program using an assertion library for thorough code validation and

testing

Tools Required: Visual Studio

Prerequisites: Knowledge of JavaScript and Node.js

Steps to be followed:

- 1. Create the project structure and package.json file, and install the Mocha module
- 2. Create and test the code in the same file with a different assertion library

Step 1: Create the project structure and package.json file, and install the Mocha module

1.1 Run the following code to create a directory to hold the application and make it the working directory:

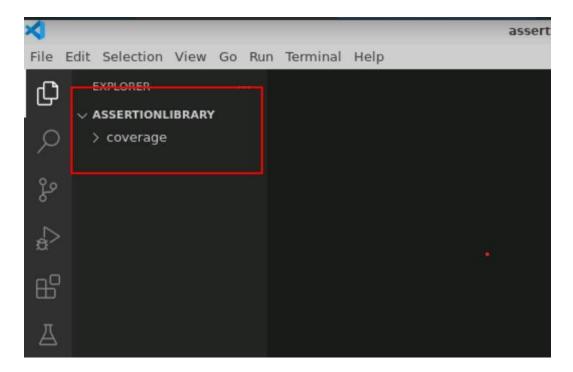
mkdir assertionlibrary cd assertionlibrary

```
1: labuser@ubuntu2204: ~/Desktop/assertionlibrary

labuser@ubuntu2204: ~/Desktop$ mkdir assertionlibrary
labuser@ubuntu2204: ~/Desktop$ cd assertionlibrary/
labuser@ubuntu2204: ~/Desktop/assertionlibrary$
```



1.2 Open this folder in VS Code IDE as shown below:



1.3 Open the terminal and run the following command to create a **package.json** file for the application:

npm init -y

```
1: labuser@ubuntu2204: ~/Desktop/assertionlibrary

labuser@ubuntu2204: ~/Desktop$ mkdir assertionlibrary
labuser@ubuntu2204: ~/Desktop$ cd assertionlibrary/
labuser@ubuntu2204: ~/Desktop/assertionlibrary$ npm init -y
Wrote to /home/labuser/Desktop/assertionlibrary/package.json:

{
    "name": "assertionlibrary",
    "version": "1.0.0",
    "description": "",
    "main": "index.js",
    "scripts": {
        "test": "echo \"Error: no test specified\" && exit 1"
    },
    "keywords": [],
    "author": "",
    "license": "ISC"
}

labuser@ubuntu2204:~/Desktop/assertionlibrary$
```

It creates a package.json file with the default option and you can view the package.json file.



1.4 Install Mocha using the following command:

npm install mocha -D



Step 2: Create and test the code in the same file with a different assertion library

2.1 Create appTest.js

Run the application.

```
labuser@ubuntu2204:~/Desktop/assertionlibrarys mocha appTest.js

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labuser@ubuntu2204:~/Desktop/assertionlibrarys
```

Now, check each test to see if it fails.



2.2 Make Equal test to fail

```
appTest.js X
s appTest.js > [@] b
     const assert = require("assert").strict;
   let a =10;
    let b =20;
    let num=[10,20,30,40];
     let msg=null;
     try{
        assert.equal(a,b);
         assert.deepStrictEqual(num,[10,20,30,40]);
         assert.match("we are learning node js",/node/)
         assert.ok(true, "This is true value");
11
     }catch(error){
12
         console.log(error)
13
```

Now, run **mocha**

```
labuser@ubuntu2204:~/Desktop/assertionlibrary $ mocha appTest.js

AssertionError [ERR_ASSERTION]: Expected values to be strictly equal:

10 !== 20

at Object.<anonymous> (/home/labuser/Desktop/assertionlibrary/appTest.js:8:1

2)

at Module._compile (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1159:14)

at Module._extensions..js (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1213:10)

at Module.load (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1037:32)

at Module._load (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:878:12)

at ModuleWrap.<anonymous> (node:internal/modules/esm/translators:169:29)

at ModuleJob.run (node:internal/modules/esm/module_job:193:25)

at async Promise.all (index 0)

at async ESMLoader.import (node:internal/modules/esm/loader:530:24)

at async importModuleDynamicallyWrapper (node:internal/vm/module:438:15)
```



2.3 Perform Deep Equal testing

```
s appTest.js X
JS appTest.js > ...
      const assert = require("assert").strict;
      let a =10;
      let b =10:
      let num=[10,20,30,40];
      let msg=null;
      try{
          assert.equal(a.b):
          assert.deepStrictEqual(num,[10,20,30,40,50]);
  9
          assert.match("we are learning node js",/node/)
          assert.ok(true, "This is true value");
 11
      }catch(error){
 12
          console.log(error)
 13
 15
```

```
labuser@ubuntu2204:~/Desktop/assertionlibrary mocha appTest.js
AssertionError [ERR_ASSERTION]: Expected values to be strictly deep-equal:
+ actual - expected
   10,
   20,
   30,
   40,
   50
   at Object.<anonymous> (/home/labuser/Desktop/assertionlibrary/appTest.js:9:1
2)
   at Module. compile (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1159:14)
   at Module._extensions..js (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1213:10)
   at Module.load (node:internal/modules/cis/loader:1037:32)
   at Module. load (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:878:12)
   at ModuleWrap.<anonymous> (node:internal/modules/esm/translators:169:29)
   at ModuleJob.run (node:internal/modules/esm/module job:193:25)
   at async Promise.all (index 0)
   at async ESMLoader.import (node:internal/modules/esm/loader:530:24)
             importModulaDynamicallyWrapper (node:internal/ym/modula:439:15)
```



2.4 Perform Math testing

```
appTest.js X
JS appTest.js > ...
      const assert = require("assert").strict;
  2
      let a =10;
      let b =10;
      let num=[10,20,30,40];
      let msg=null;
      try{
          assert.equal(a,b);
          assert_deepStrictEqual(num,[10,20,30,40]);
          assert.match("we are learning node js",/python/)
          assert.ok(true, "This is true value");
11
      |catch(error){
 12
          console.log(error)
 13
 15
```

```
labuser@ubuntu2204:~/Desktop/assertionlibrary$ mocha appTest.js
AssertionError [ERR ASSERTION]: The input did not match the regular expression
python/. Input:
'we are learning node js'
   at Object.<anonymous> (/home/labuser/Desktop/assertionlibrary/appTest.js:10:
12)
   at Module. compile (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1159:14)
   at Module. extensions..js (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1213:10)
   at Module.load (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1037:32)
   at Module. load (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:878:12)
   at ModuleWrap.<anonymous> (node:internal/modules/esm/translators:169:29)
   at ModuleJob.run (node:internal/modules/esm/module job:193:25)
   at async Promise.all (index 0)
   at async ESMLoader.import (node:internal/modules/esm/loader:530:24)
   at async importModuleDynamicallyWrapper (node:internal/vm/module:438:15)
   at async formattedImport (/usr/lib/node modules/mocha/lib/nodejs/esm-utils.j
s:9:14)
    at async exports.requireOrImport (/usr/lib/node modules/<u>mocha</u>/lib/nodejs/esm
-utils.js:42:28)
   at async exports.loadFilesAsync (/usr/lib/node modules/mocha/lib/nodejs/esm-
utils.js:100:20)
   at async singleRun (/usr/lib/node_modules/mocha/lib/cli/run-helpers.js:125:3
```



2.5 Perform OK test

```
JS appTest.js X
JS appTest.js > ...
      const assert = require("assert").strict;
      let a =10;
      let b =10;
      let num=[10,20,30,40];
      let msg=null;
      try{
           assert.equal(a,b);
           assert.deepStrictEqual(num,[10,20,30,40]);
          assert.match we are learning node is ./node/)
 10
          assert.ok(false, "This is true value");
 11
 12
      }catch(error){
 13
           console.log(error)
 14
```

```
abuser@ubuntu2204:~/Desktop/assertionlibrary$ mocha appTest.js
AssertionError [ERR ASSERTION]: This is true value
    at Object.<anonymous> (/home/labuser/Desktop/assertionlibrary/appTest.js:11:
    at Module. compile (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1159:14)
    at Module. extensions..js (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1213:10)
    at Module.load (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:1037:32)
    at Module. load (node:internal/modules/cjs/loader:878:12)
    at ModuleWrap.<anonymous> (node:internal/modules/esm/translators:169:29)
    at ModuleJob.run (node:internal/modules/esm/module job:193:25)
    at async Promise.all (index 0)
    at async ESMLoader.import (node:internal/modules/esm/loader:530:24)
    at async importModuleDynamicallyWrapper (node:internal/vm/module:438:15)
    at async formattedImport (/usr/lib/node modules/mocha/lib/nodejs/esm-utils.j
s:9:14)
    at async exports.requireOrImport (/usr/lib/node modules/mocha/lib/nodejs/esn
-utils.js:42:28)
    at async exports.loadFilesAsync (/usr/lib/node modules/mocha/lib/nodejs/esm-
utils.js:100:20)
    at async singleRun (/usr/lib/node modules/mocha/lib/cli/run-helpers.js:125:3
```



After this, change the code in appTest.js

```
appTest.js X
s appTest.js > ...
     const assert = require("assert").strict;
     let a =10;
     let b =10;
     let num=[10,20,30,40];
     let msg=null;
         assert.equal(a,b);
         assert.deepStrictEqual(num,[10,20,30,40]);
         assert.match("we are learning node js",/node/)
         assert.ok(true, "This is true value");
11
     }catch(error){
12
         console.log(error)
13
14
15
```

```
labuser@ubuntu2204:~/Desktop/assertionlibrary mocha appTest.js

0 passing (2ms)

labuser@ubuntu2204:~/Desktop/assertionlibrary
```

By following these steps, you have successfully implemented and tested the assertion libraries in a Node.js program to ensure comprehensive code validation and reliability.