Lab: Unit Testing in Visual Studio with xUnit

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Let's open the system under test (sut) Brainstorm

- 1. Clone repository to local folder from
 - https://github.com/jagojar/workshop-testing
- 2. Under folder **src** find solution file **TestingControllersSample.sln**.
- Double click to open solution
 TestingControllersSample.sln in Visual Studio.
- 4. Run project **TestingControllersSample**
 - With F5 or
 - Top menu > Debug > Start Debugging
- 5. The browser loads the web application See **image 2**

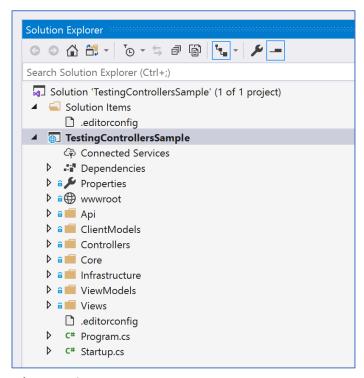


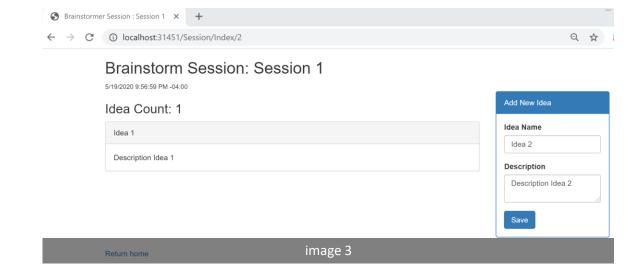
image 1



image 2

Let's play with Brainstorm

- 6. This web site helps to add
 Brainstorming sessions and add ideas
 to each session
- 7. The ideas for each session is displayed in the Session index. Example; http://localhost:31451/Session/Index/2
- 8. This project needs unit tests. We are adding a new project to accomplish that



Let's add a Unit Test Project

- In solution explorer, right click on TestingControllersSample solution name. Select from the menu Add > New Project (see image 4)
- 10. Select **xUnit Test Project C#** (.Net Core) (see **image 5**). Click Next
- 11. Name the project **TestingControllersSample.UnitTests.**Click Create

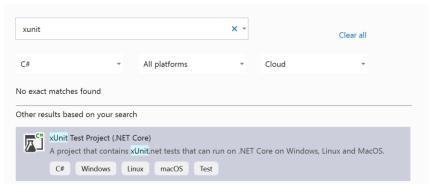


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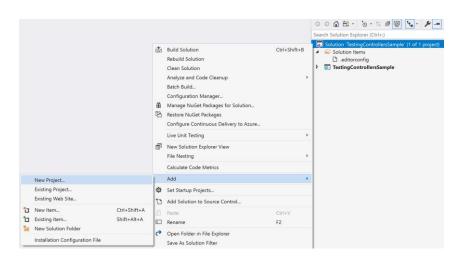
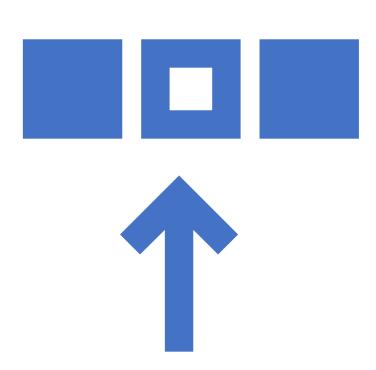


image 5

- 12. To enable mocking. We need to add nuget package Moq to the unit test project.
- 13. In solution explorer, under TestingControllersSample.UnitTests right click on Dependencies. Select Manage Nuget Packages...
- 14. Click **Browse.** Search for **Moq.** Click on Moq item. Click **Install** button to add the package to the project.
- 15. It should be now listed in the **Installed** tab for nuget packages manager.
- 16. Now, we need to add the reference to the Brainstorm project.
- 17. Under **TestingControllersSample.UnitTests**, right click on **Dependencies**. Select **Add Reference**. Under Projects, check the box for **TestingControllerSample**. Click **Ok**.



- 18. In solution explorer, under TestingControllersSample.UnitTests delete the default file UnitTest1.cs
- 19. Add a new class file to the project named **HomeControllerTests.cs**
- 20. In this file, we are going to add the first unit test method. Replace the content of the file with snippet 1. See note.
- 21. You can notice a few things:
 - 1. Name of the method describes the element to test and the goal of the test.
 - 2. The AAA pattern (Arrange, Act and Assert)
 - 3. We want to test only the Index method
- 22. Now, we need to add some code to the arrange part. See snippet 2

```
using System;
using System.Collections.Generic;
using System.Linq;
using System.Threading.Tasks;
using Microsoft.AspNetCore.Mvc;
using Moq;
using TestingControllersSample.Controllers;
using TestingControllersSample.Core.Interfaces;
using TestingControllersSample.Core.Model;
using TestingControllersSample.ViewModels;
using Xunit;
namespace TestingControllersSample.UnitTests
    public class HomeControllerTests
        [Fact]
        public async Task
Index_ReturnsAViewResult_WithAListOfBrainstormSessions()
            //Arrange
            //Act
            //Assert
                      Snippet 1
```

Note: find snippets in folder workshop-testing/src/Snippets/unit tests

- 23. This code mocks the repository object based on the interface IBrainstormSessionRepository. To control the behavior for the test operation, ListAsync method is mocked with the method GetTestSessions. See snippet 5 in next page.
- 24. The controller object is instantiated passing the mocked repository as a parameter. This adds a dependency with behavior expected for this test. Next step is **Act**. Add the code in snippet 3.
- 25. This code calls the method Index from the controller.
- 26. The next step is to check for the expected result.

```
//Snippet 2:
// Arrange
var mockRepo = new Mock<IBrainstormSessionRepository>();
mockRepo.Setup(repo => repo.ListAsync())
             .ReturnsAsync(GetTestSessions());
var controller = new HomeController(mockRepo.Object);
//
// Snippet 3:
// Act
var result = await controller.Index();
```

- 27. Add snippet 4.
- 28. In this code, we are asserting the type of the result and the expected number of items in the model.
- 29. To complete this unit test, we need to add code for the method GetTestSessions. Use snippet 5 to add method to class.

```
// Snippet 4
// Assert
var viewResult = Assert.IsType<ViewResult>(result);
var model = Assert.IsAssignableFrom<IEnumerable<StormSessionViewModel>>(
viewResult.ViewData.Model);
Assert.Equal(2, model.Count());
// Snippet 5
private List<BrainstormSession> GetTestSessions()
             var sessions = new List<BrainstormSession>();
             sessions.Add(new BrainstormSession()
                DateCreated = new DateTime(2016, 7, 2),
                Id = 1,
                Name = "Test One"
            séssions.Add(new BrainstormSession()
                DateCreated = new DateTime(2016, 7, 1),
                Id = 2,
                Name = "Test Two"
            return sessions;
```

Let's run unit tests

- 30. Build the solution from Solution Explorer. Right click on **TestingControllersSample** and select **Rebuild Solution**.
- 31. From menu **Test** > Select **Test Explorer** (see **image 6**).
- 32. Right click on Index_ReturnsAViewResult_WithAListOfBr ainstormSessions and select Run.
- 33. After the test runs successfully, it should look like **image 7.**

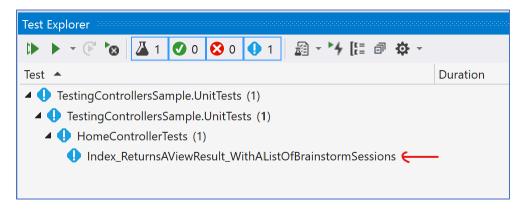


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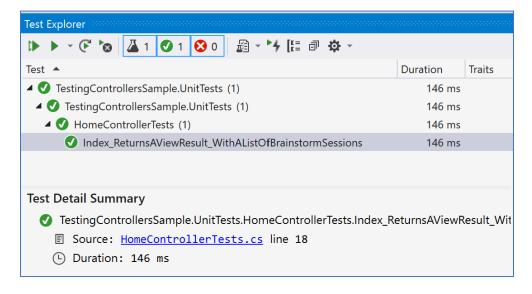


Image 7

- 34. Open file **HomeControllerTests.cs**.
- 35. Add another unit test method. Use snippet 6.
- 36. This method tests BadRequestResult is returned when the model is not valid.

```
// Snippet 6
[Fact]
public async Task IndexPost_ReturnsBadRequestResult_WhenModelStateIsInvalid()
            var mockRepo = new Mock<IBrainstormSessionRepository>();
            mockRepo.Setup(repo => repo.ListAsync())
                .ReturnsAsync(GetTestSessions());
            var controller = new HomeController(mockRepo.Object);
            controller.ModelState.AddModelError("SessionName", "Required");
            var newSession = new HomeController.NewSessionModel();
            // Act
            var result = await controller.Index(newSession);
            // Assert
            var badRequestResult =
             Assert.IsType<BadRequestObjectResult>(result);
             Assert.IsType<SerializableError>(badRequestResult.Value);
```

Snippet 7

- 37. Add another file with name **ApildeasControllerTests.cs** to add some tests for the api. Use **snippet 7**.
- 38. Build solution **TestingControllersSample.**
- 39. In **Test Explorer**, the new unit tests are now available to run.
- 40. Click **TestingControllersSample.UnitTests** node and use the tool bar to run all the unit tests available.

```
using System.Threading.Tasks;
using Microsoft.AspNetCore.Mvc;
using Moq;
using TestingControllersSample.Api;
using TestingControllersSample.ClientModels;
using TestingControllersSample.Core.Interfaces;
using TestingControllersSample.Core.Model;
using Xunit;
namespace TestingControllersSample.Tests.UnitTests
    public class ApiIdeasControllerTests
        [Fact]
        public async Task Create_ReturnsBadRequest_GivenInvalidModel()
            // Arrange & Act
            var mockRepo = new Mock<IBrainstormSessionRepository>();
            var controller = new IdeasController(mockRepo.Object);
            controller.ModelState.AddModelError("error", "some error");
            // Act
            var result = await controller.Create(model: null);
            Assert.IsType<BadRequestObjectResult>(result);
        [Fact]
        public async Task ForSession ReturnsHttpNotFound ForInvalidSession()
            // Arrange
            int testSessionId = 123;
            var mockRepo = new Mock<IBrainstormSessionRepository>();
            mockRepo.Setup(repo => repo.GetByIdAsync(testSessionId))
                 .ReturnsAsync((BrainstormSession)null);
            var controller = new IdeasController(mockRepo.Object);
            var result = await controller.ForSession(testSessionId);
           var notFoundObjectResult = Assert.IsType<NotFoundObjectResult>(result);
           Assert.Equal(testSessionId, notFoundObjectResult.Value);
```

Let's run Code Coverage

- 41. From **Test Explorer**, right click on **TestingControllersSample.UnitTests.** Select **Analyze Code Coverage.**
- 42. This action will start a build in the solution. After some seconds, the report is available in **Code Coverage Results** window. See image
- **43. Optional**. Add your own unit test to increase the code coverage percentage.

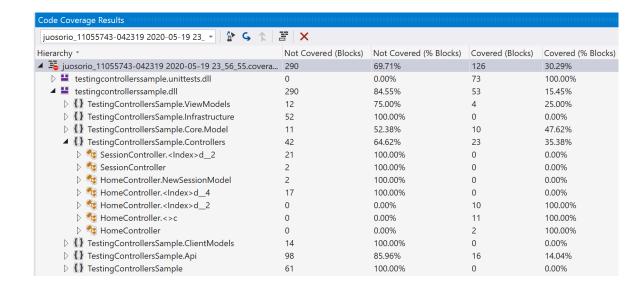


Image 8

.net core: Run Unit Test in

• From the command line, move to current directory with solution file (*.sln) or project file (*.csproj):

>> dotnet test

```
XUnitTestExample> dotnet test
Test run for C:\Ussas\impossib\source\repos\XUnitTestExample\XUnitTestExample\bin\Debug\netcoreapp3.1\XUnitTestExample.dll(.NE
TCoreApp, Version=v3.1)
Microsoft (R) Test Execution Command Line Tool Version 16.6.0
Copyright (c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.
Starting test execution, please wait...
A total of 1 test files matched the specified pattern.
                           XUnitTestExample.CalcEngineTests.Divide_8_plus_4_Result_Is_2 [FAIL]
[xUnit.net 00:00:04.02]
 X XUnitTestExample.CalcEngineTests.Divide_8_plus_4_Result_Is_2 [12ms]
 Error Message:
  Assert.Equal() Failure
Expected: 2
    at XUnitTestExample.CalcEngineTests.Divide_8_plus_4_Result_Is_2() in C:\Users\juosorio\source\repos\XUnitTestExample\XUni
tTestExample\CalcEngineTests.cs:line 44
Test Run Failed.
Total tests: 6
    Passed: 5
    Failed: 1
 Total time: 9.1115 Seconds
```

.net core: Run code coverage

• From the command line, move to directory with solution file (*.sln) or project file (*.csproj), run:

dotnet test --collect:"XPlat Code Coverage"

Creates file:

Coverage.cobertura.xml

```
XUnitTestExample> dotnet test --collect:"XPlat Code Coverage"
                         \source\repos\XUnitTestExample\XUnitTestExample\bin\Debug\netcoreapp3.1\XUnitTestExample.dll(.NE
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Copyright (c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.
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  Assert.Equal() Failure
    TestExample\CalcEngineTests.cs:line 44
Attachments:
                 \source\repos\XUnitTestExample\XUnitTestExample\TestResults\b112618a-057f-49e5-82ff-e34a3e9b30cd\coverage.
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    Passed: 5
 Total time: 10.0056 Seconds
```

.net core: Report

Install the report tool with command line:

dotnet tool install -g dotnet-reportgenerator-globaltool

.net core: Generate html report (1)

From the command line run:

```
reportgenerator
"-reports: Path To Report File \ coverage. cobertura. xml"
"-target dir: coverage report"
-report types: Html
```

```
XUnitTestExample> reportgenerator "-reports:C:\Users\juosorio\source\repos\XUnitTestExample\XUnitTestExample\TestResults\b1126
18a-057f-49e5-82ff-e34a3e9b30cd\coverage.cobertura.xml" "-targetdir:coveragereport1" -reporttypes:Html
2020-07-21T14:03:44: Arguments
2020-07-21T14:03:44: -reports:C:\Users\juosorio\source\repos\XUnitTestExample\XUnitTestExample\TestResults\b112618a-057f-49e5
-82ff-e34a3e9b30cd\coverage.cobertura.xml
2020-07-21T14:03:44: -targetdir:coveragereport1
2020-07-21T14:03:44: -reporttypes:Html
2020-07-21T14:03:45: Writing report file 'coveragereport1\index.html'
2020-07-21T14:03:45: Report generation took 0.5 seconds
```

.net core: Generate html report (2)

Open index.html

