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## StubProvider Interface

StubProvider is a callback interface that you can use as part of the Apex stub API to implement a mocking framework. Use this interface with the Test.createStub() method to create stubbed Apex objects for testing.

## **Namespace**

System

## Usage

The StubProvider interface allows you to define the behavior of a stubbed Apex class. The interface specifies a single method that requires implementing: handleMethodCall(). You specify the behavior of each method of the stubbed class in the handleMethodCall() method.

In your Apex test, you create a stubbed object using the <code>Test.createStub()</code> method. When you invoke methods on the stubbed object, <code>StubProvider.handleMethodCall()</code> is called, which performs the behavior that you've specified for each method.

StubProvider Methods

#### See Also

- Apex Developer Guide: Build a Mocking Framework with the Stub API
- createStub(parentType, stubProvider)

### **StubProvider Methods**

The following are methods for  ${\tt StubProvider}$  .

 handleMethodCall(stubbedObject, stubbedMethodName, returnType, listOfParamTypes, listOfParamNames, listOfArgs)

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#### Signature

public Object handleMethodCall(Object stubbedObject, String stubbedMethodName, System.Type
returnType, List<System.Type> listOfParamTypes, List<String> listOfParamNames, List<Object>
listOfArgs)

#### **Parameters**

#### stubbedObject

Type: Object



The name of the invoked method.

#### returnType

Type: System.Type

The return type of the invoked method.

#### listOfParamTypes

Type: List<System.Type>

A list of the parameter types of the invoked method.

#### listOfParamNames

Type: List<String>

A list of the parameter names of the invoked method.

#### **listOfArgs**

Type: List<Object>

The actual argument values passed into this method at runtime.

#### **Return Value**

Type: Object

#### Usage

You can use the parameters passed into this method to identify which method on the stubbed object was invoked. Then you can define the behavior for each identified method.

#### See Also

• Apex Developer Guide: Build a Mocking Framework with the Stub API

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