
Building Automated Android App Tests

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Why Automation?

- Improved testing efficiency
- Consistent and repeatable testing process
- Improved regression testing coverage
- More tests can be run in less time
- Run 24x7
- Humans free to perform advanced manual tests
- Easy to reproduce defects

Where Are You Now?

- Survey Question 1:
 - *What kind of testing are you doing now?*
 - Doing some automated testing with manual
 - Doing mostly automated testing with manual
 - Doing only automated testing
- Survey Question 2:
 - *How are you automating your tests?*
 - Developers write tests as code
 - QA team records tests from manual scripts
- Survey Question 3:
 - *Are you satisfied with your test automation process?*
 - Yes. Why are you here?

Test Automation Products

- SOASTA TouchTest
- Applause
- Ranorex
- Appium/Selenium and SauceLabs
- Robotium
- Perfecto Mobile
- Device Anywhere
- MobileLabs
- mAutomate
- Experitest (formerly SeeTest)
- SmartBear
- NTT AppKitBox Remote Test Kit
- [MonkeyTalk](#)

Things to Consider in Test Automation

- Is your QA team good at manual testing or writing test code in a high-level language (Java, JavaScript, etc.)?
- Do you want one tool for Android and iOS?
- Does your company prefer open source (free) or commercial products?
- Do you want tools that install locally or are SaaS/cloud-based?
- Is your team located together or multi-site?

Which Approach to Choose?

- Record and Playback
 - *Easiest approach to start mobile test automation*
 - *Script parameterization*
- Code-based

Getting Started

- What you need for each:
- TT vs. Appium
- Mac, TTElite, downloads
- Mac, Ruby, ADK, ...

Test Frameworks

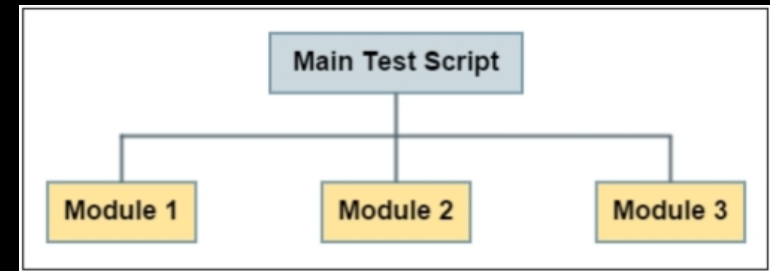
- Types of test frameworks
 - *Functional decomposition or test script*
 - *Data driven*
 - *Keyword driven*
 - *Hybrid*

Functional Decomposition / Test Script

- ```
Void fn_gotoEmailAccount() {
 'Open Browser and navigate to email application URL
 WebDriver driver = new InternetExplorerDriver();
 driver.get(" https:// testingemail.sit.com");
 'Page Sync
 driver.manage(). timeouts(). implicitWait(10, TimeUnit.SECONDS);
 'Click on create account
 driver.findElement(By.linkText(" Create Account")). click();
}

 'Enter the details
void fn_EnterDetails() {
 driver.findElement(By.name(" First Name")). sendKeys(" TestUserID1");
 driver.findElement(By.name(" Last Name")). sendKeys(" TestUserPwd123");
}

void fn_SubmitToCreate() {
 'Submit driver.findElement(By.name(" Next Step")). click();
}
```



# Test Script

- 'Test Script 1: To validate that application Login is allowed with valid credentials:
- 'Open Email  
fn\_gotoTestingEMailAccount();  
  
'Enter the details  
fn\_EnterDetails();  
  
'Submit  
fn\_SubmitToCreate();

# Data Driven Framework

- Test input and output values are stored externally
  - *CSV, ODBC, Excel, etc.*
- Script manages reading data files, login, navigating through programs
- Can test via parameterization, e.g. for logging in:
  - *Valid username, valid password*
  - *Valid username, wrong password*
  - *Valid username, no password*
  - *Non-valid username, valid password*
  - *Non-valid username, wrong password*
  - *Non-valid username, no password*

# Keyword Driven Framework

- Driven by a test script = driver script
- For example for a banking app:

| Script ID | Keyword 1 | Keyword 2             | Keyword 3             | Keyworld 4 |
|-----------|-----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------|
| TC_1      | Login     | Account_Balance_Check | Fund_Transfer         | Logout     |
| TC_2      | Login     | Fund_Transfer         | Account_Balance_Check | Logout     |
| TC_3      | Login     | Account_Balance_Check | Utility_Bill_Pay      | Logout     |
| TC_4      | Login     | Utility_Bill_Pay      | Logout                |            |

# Hybrid Framework

- Combination of Keyword and Data-driven frameworks

| Script ID | Device ID | Keyword 1 | Keyword 2             | Keyword 3             | Keyword 4 |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| TC_1      | D1        | Login     | Account_Balance_Check | Fund_Transfer         | Logout    |
| TC_2      | D2        | Login     | Fund_Transfer         | Account_Balance_Check | Logout    |
| TC_3      | D3        | Login     | Account_Balance_Check | Utility_Bill_Pay      | Logout    |
| TC_4      | D4        | Login     | Utility_Bill_Pay      | Logout                |           |

| ScriptID | Login ID | Password |
|----------|----------|----------|
| TC_1     | User1    | Tester1  |
| TC_2     | User2    | Tester2  |
| TC_3     | User3    | Tester3  |
| TC_4     | User4    | Tester4  |

| Device ID | Device Model       | OS_level |
|-----------|--------------------|----------|
| D1        | Samsung S2         | 19       |
| D2        | Samsung S2         | 18       |
| D3        | Samsung Galaxy Tab | 19       |
| D4        | Samsung Galaxy Tab | 18       |

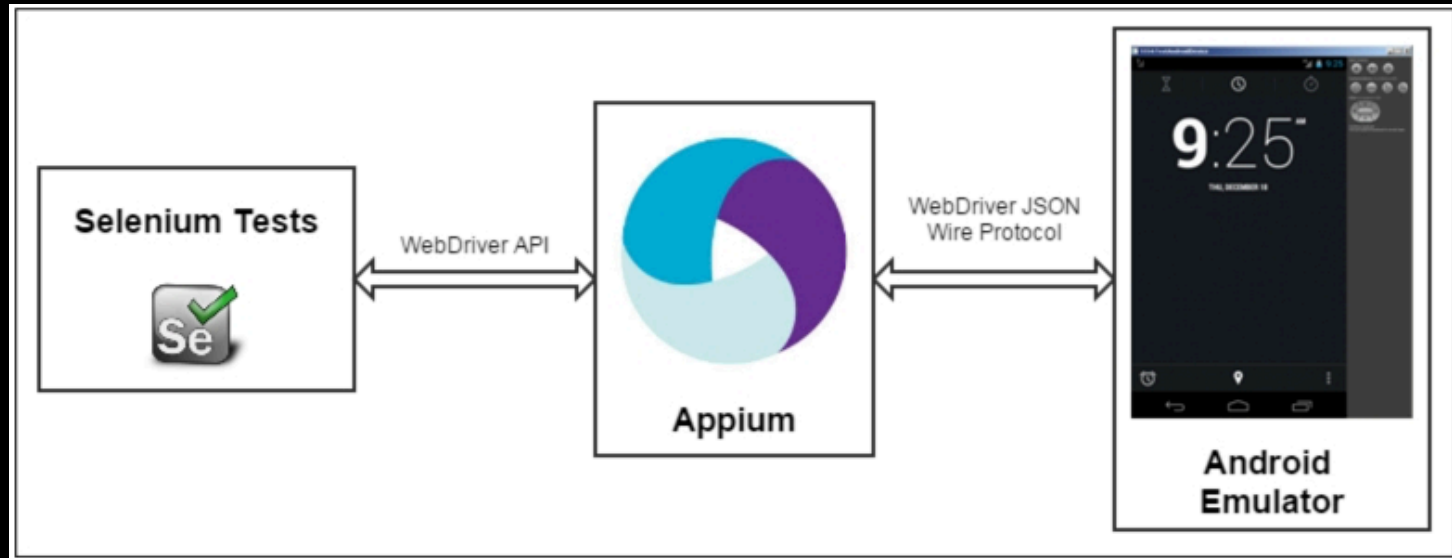
# Support Libraries

- General Purpose Routines and Libraries for
  - *File handling*
  - *String handling*
  - *Buffer handling*
  - *Variable handline*
  - *Database access*
  - *Logging utilities*
  - *System and Environment handling*
  - *Application mapping functions*
  - *System messaging or system API enhancements*
- TestNG, Cucumber, JUnit, NUnit

# Appium

Download Appium from <http://appium.io>

- Appium is a HTTP server written in node.js
  - *Relies on UIAutomator library from Android SDK*





# Appium Prerequisites

- Prerequisite to use APPIUM

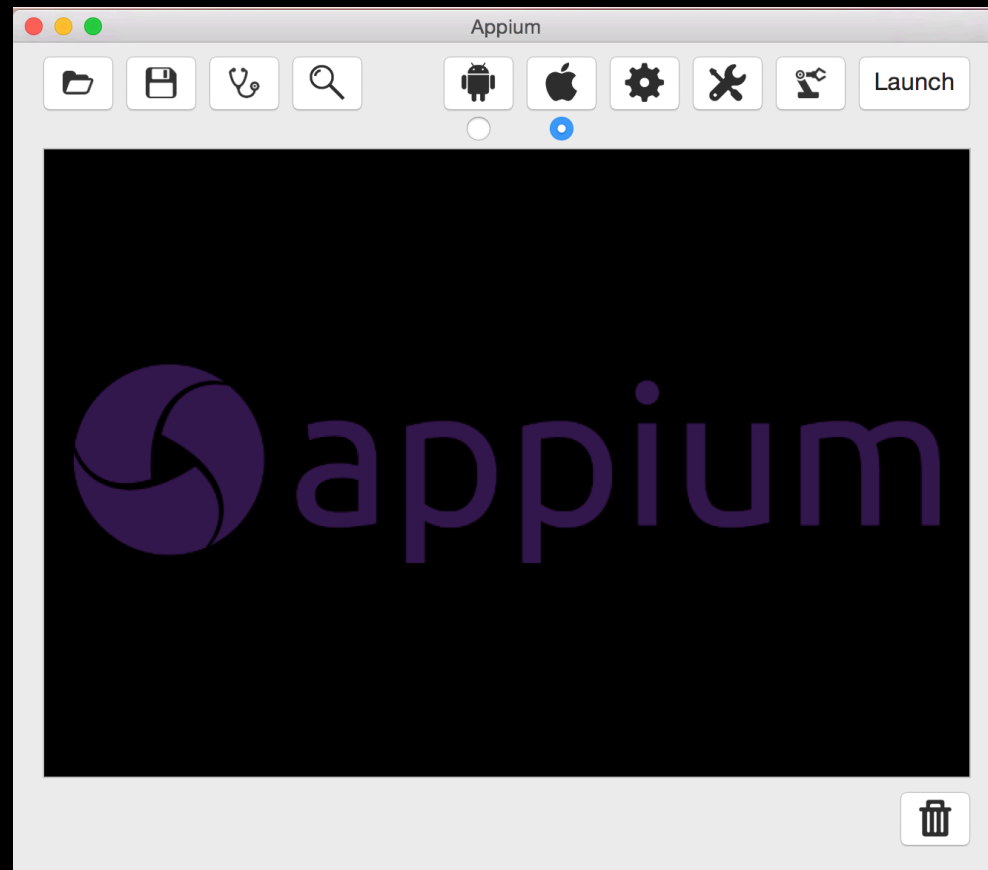
- *ANDROID SDK [Link]-*
- *JDK (Java Development Kit) [Link]*
- *TestNG [Link]*
- *Eclipse [Link]*
- *Selenium Server JAR [Link]*
- *Webdriver Language Binding Library [Link]*
- *APPIUM For Windows [Link]*
- *APK App Info On Google Play [Link]*
- *Node.js (Not Required - Whenever Appium server is installed, it by default comes with "Node.exe" & NPM. It's included in Current version of Appium.)*

# Install the Selenium WebDriver

- Start the Emulator
  - *emulator @Nexus\_5\_API\_21\_x86 &*
  - *adb devices #to get serialID*
- Download Android server
  - *Get from [http:// selenium-release.storage.googleapis.com/ index.html](http://selenium-release.storage.googleapis.com/index.html)*

# Appium App for Mac

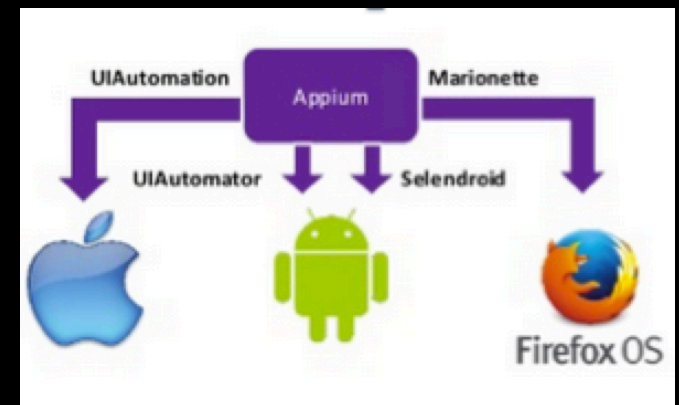
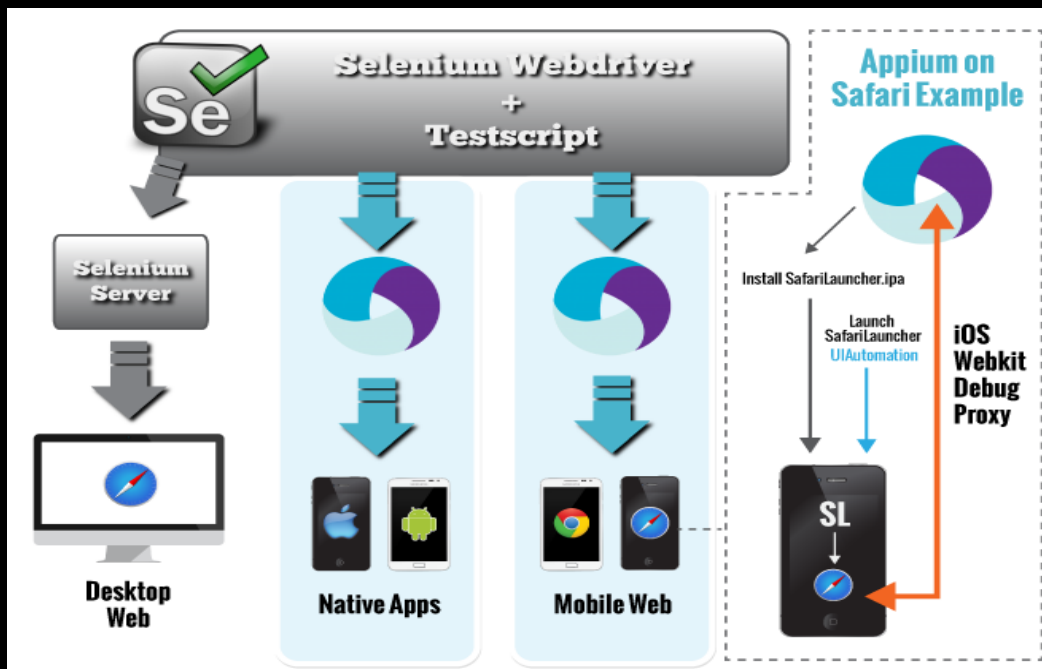
- Appium window



# Creating Test Scripts from Code

# What is Appium?

- Appium is an HTTP Server that creates and handles Web driver sessions
- Appium Test Spawns a Server and listens for proxied commands
- Appium proxies commands to a UIAutomation / Selendroid



# Creating Test Scripts from Recording

# Setting Up Your Android Device

## Put it into Developer Mode

- Open Settings / About phone
- Tap Build Number 7x
  - *You are now a developer*
- Device Settings:
  - *Developer Options / USB Debugging*
  - *Security – check Unknown Sources*
- Settings / Developer options
  - *Show Touches*
  - *Enable pointer location*

# Setting Up the Device

## Install TouchTest Agent



# Running Automated Test Scripts

# Setting Up Your Device Matrix

- How many releases of Android [GooglePlay]
- How many device types – most popular
- Emulators
  - *One per system; cloud hosted e.g. SauceLabs*
  - *Not the same as running on hardware*
- Real devices
  - *Local – how many and which to purchase*
  - *Remote – inside your company*
  - *Remote – 3<sup>rd</sup> party cloud: NTT AppKit, DeviceAnywhere, SauceLabs, Perfecto Mobile, Mobile Labs, Amazon Remote Device Cloud*

# Device Clouds

- On-premise device cloud: your own devices set up for access by anyone at your company
  - *Examples: Mobile Labs, Device Anywhere*
- Public cloud: publicly hosted devices accessible on a pay-as-you-go model
  - *Examples: Device Anywhere, NTT Remote Test Kit, SauceLabs, AWS Device Farm*
- Private cloud: Reserved devices hosted by third-party
  - *Examples: NTT Remote Test Kit*

# Setting Up Continuous Integration

# Measuring Code Coverage

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