

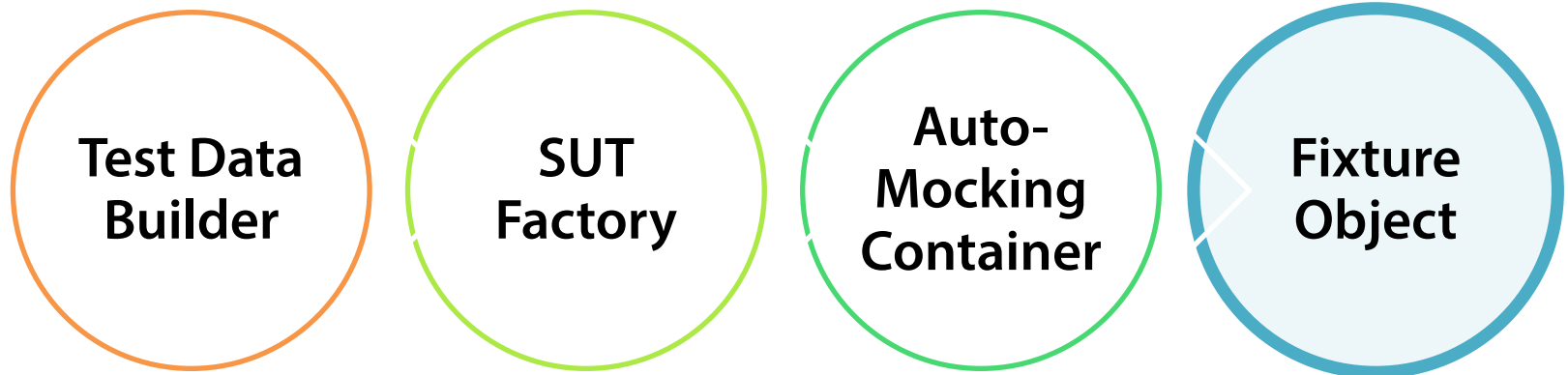
Advanced Unit Testing Test Utility Code

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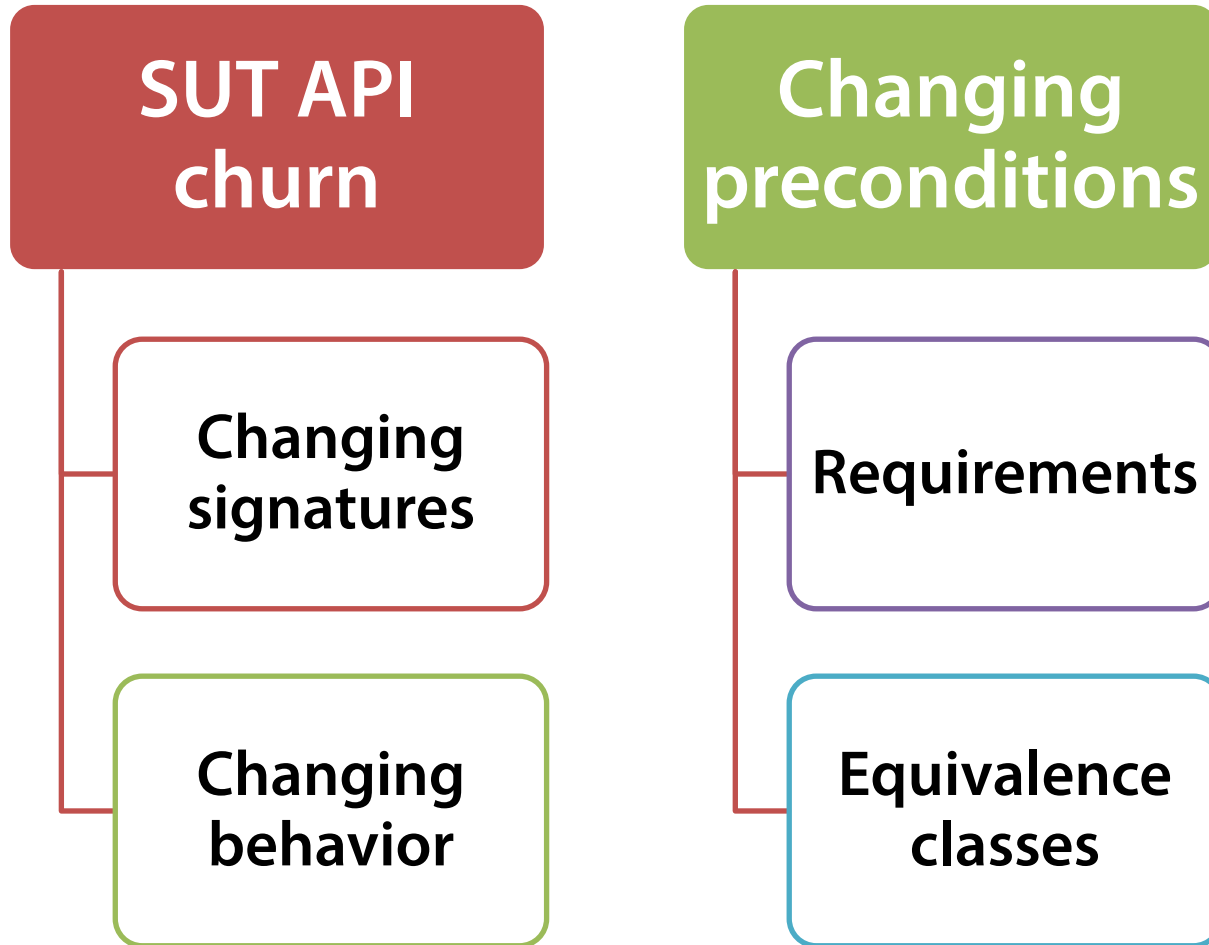
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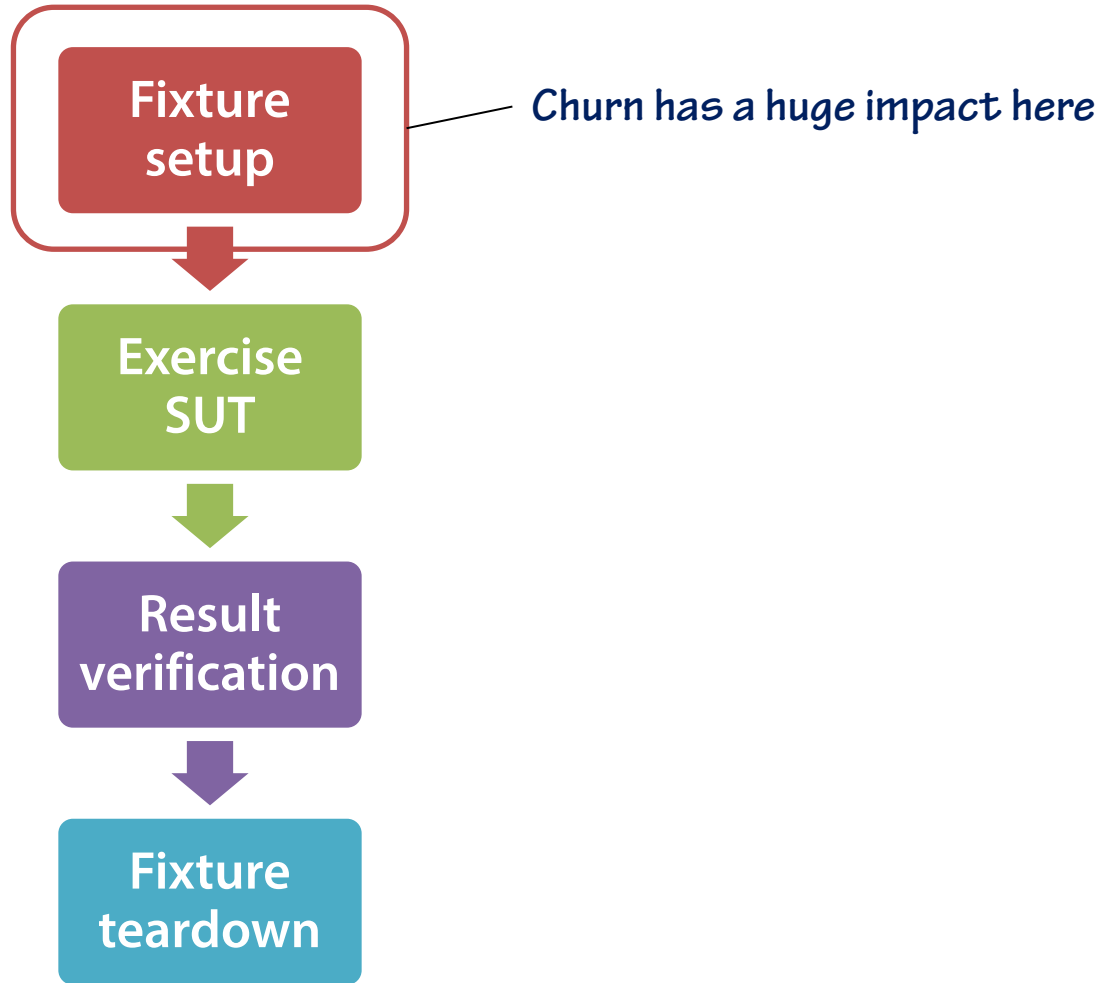
Outline



Brittle tests



Four-Phase Test



Demo

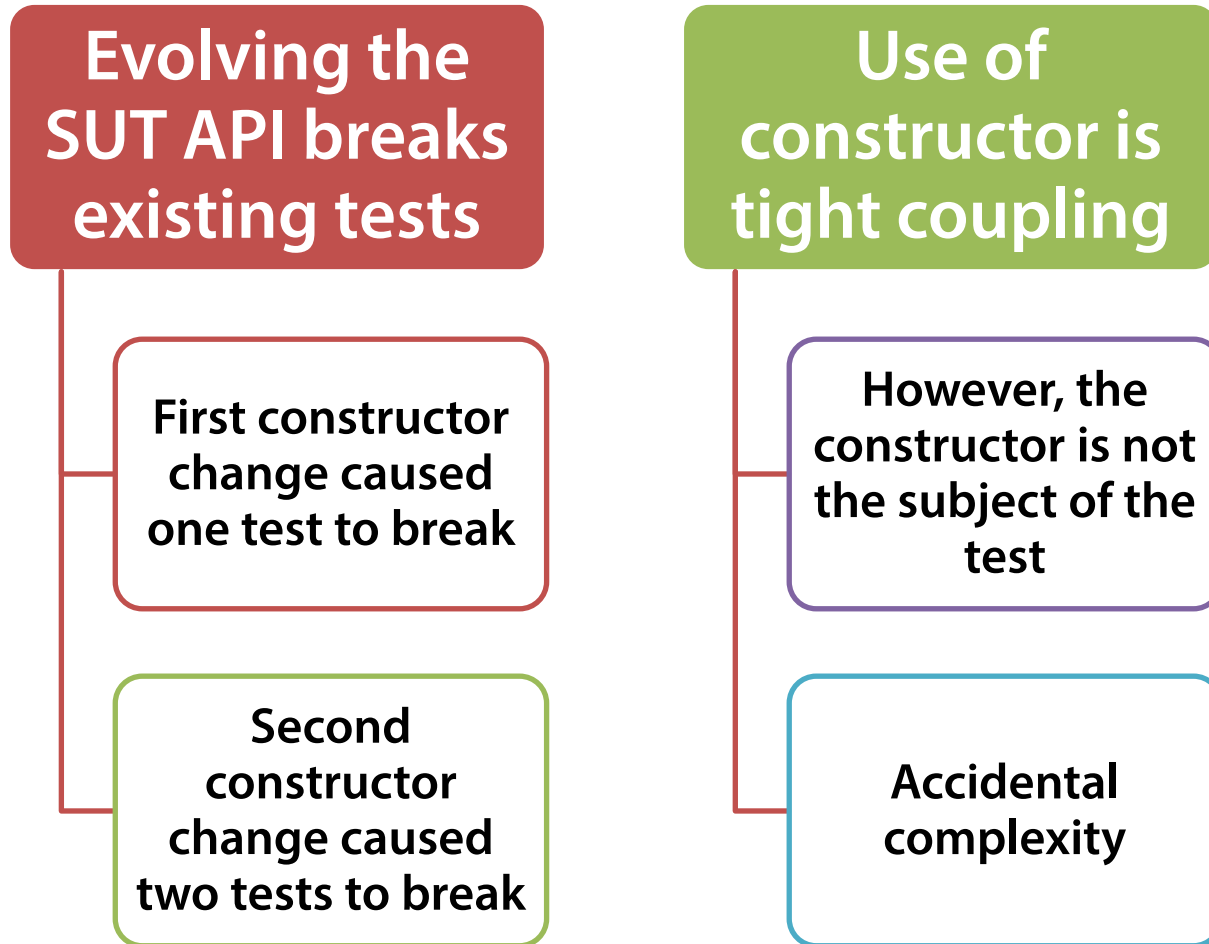
Motivating example

TDD

Shopping Basket
Controller

<http://bit.ly/Wpavw0>

Demo recap



Fixture setup patterns



The diagram features a large, light purple arrow pointing to the right. Inside the arrow, there are two rounded rectangular boxes. The left box is purple and contains the word 'Creational' in white. The right box is teal and contains the word 'Structural' in white. The arrow's tail is on the left, and its head is on the right, with the boxes positioned along its path.

Creational

Structural

Test Data Builder



The diagram consists of two large, stylized arrows pointing towards each other. The left arrow is red and contains the text 'Object Mother'. The right arrow is green and contains the text 'Fluent Builder'. The arrows are positioned such that their points meet in the center, creating a symmetrical shape.

**Object
Mother**

**Fluent
Builder**

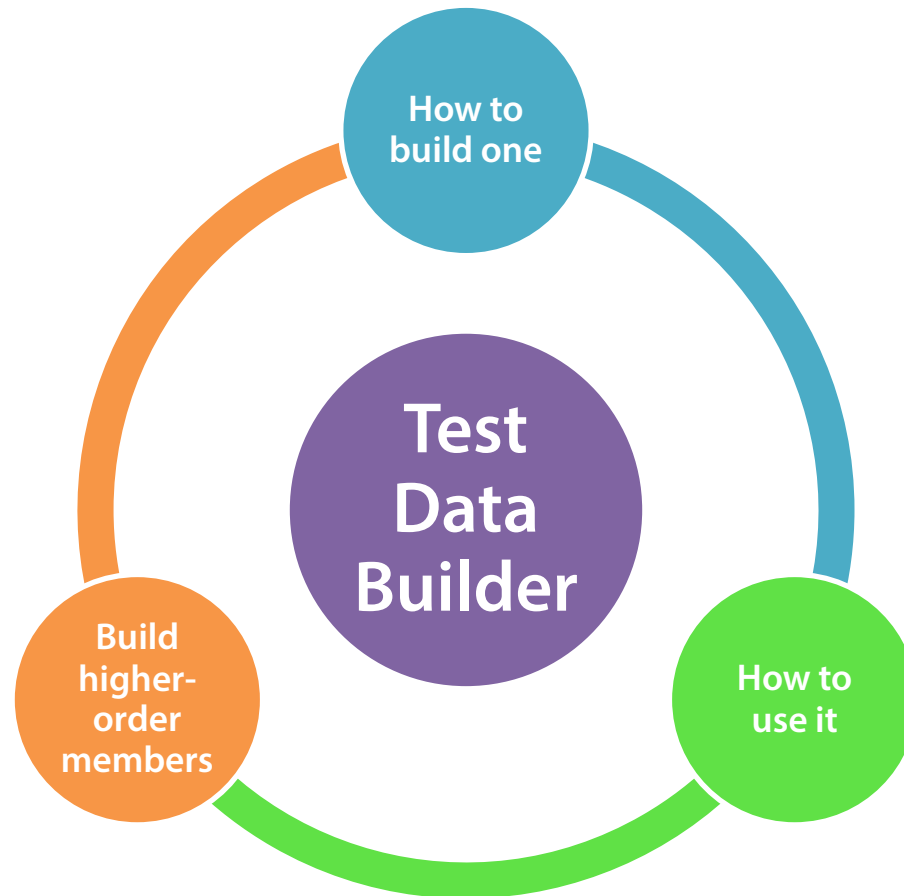
Object Mother

```
var basket = CreateWithoutDiscount();  
var basket = CreateWithSmallDiscount();  
var basket = CreateWithLargeDiscount();  
var basket =  
    CreateWithoutDiscountButWithSpecialOffer();  
var basket =  
    CreateWithSmallDiscountAndSpecialOffer();  
var basket =  
    CreateWithLargeDiscountAndSpecialOffer();
```

Fluent Builder

```
var basket = new BasketBuilder().Build();  
var basket = new BasketBuilder()  
    .WithSmallDiscount().Build();  
var basket = new BasketBuilder()  
    .WithLargeDiscount().Build();  
var basket = new BasketBuilder()  
    .WithSpecialOffer().Build();  
var basket = new BasketBuilder()  
    .WithSmallDiscount()  
    .WithSpecialOffer().Build();  
var basket = new BasketBuilder()  
    .WithLargeDiscount()  
    .WithSpecialOffer().Build();
```

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Test Data Builder

Higher-order DSL

Implicit conversion

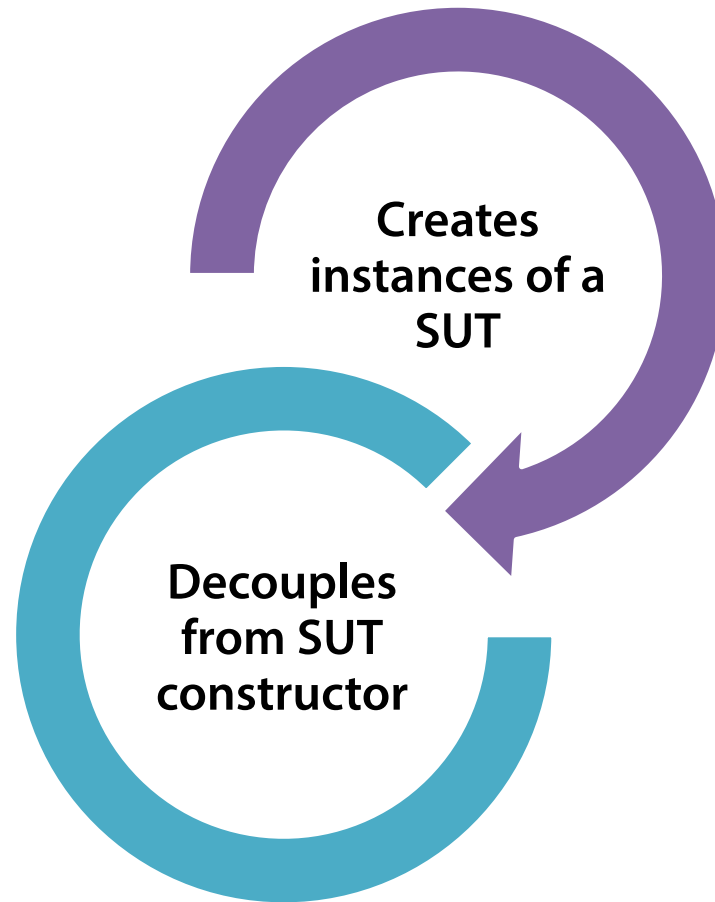
Can be immutable

Cyclomatic complexity: 1

AutoFixture

<http://bit.ly/Zq5imH>

SUT Factory



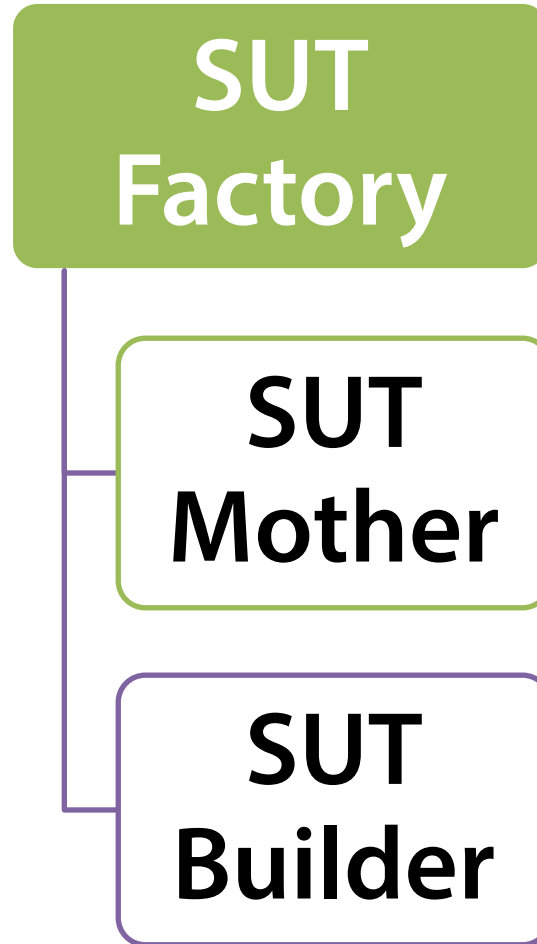
SUT Mother

```
var sut = CreateSut();  
  
var channelMock = new Mock<IChannel>();  
var sut = CreateSut(channelMock.Object);
```

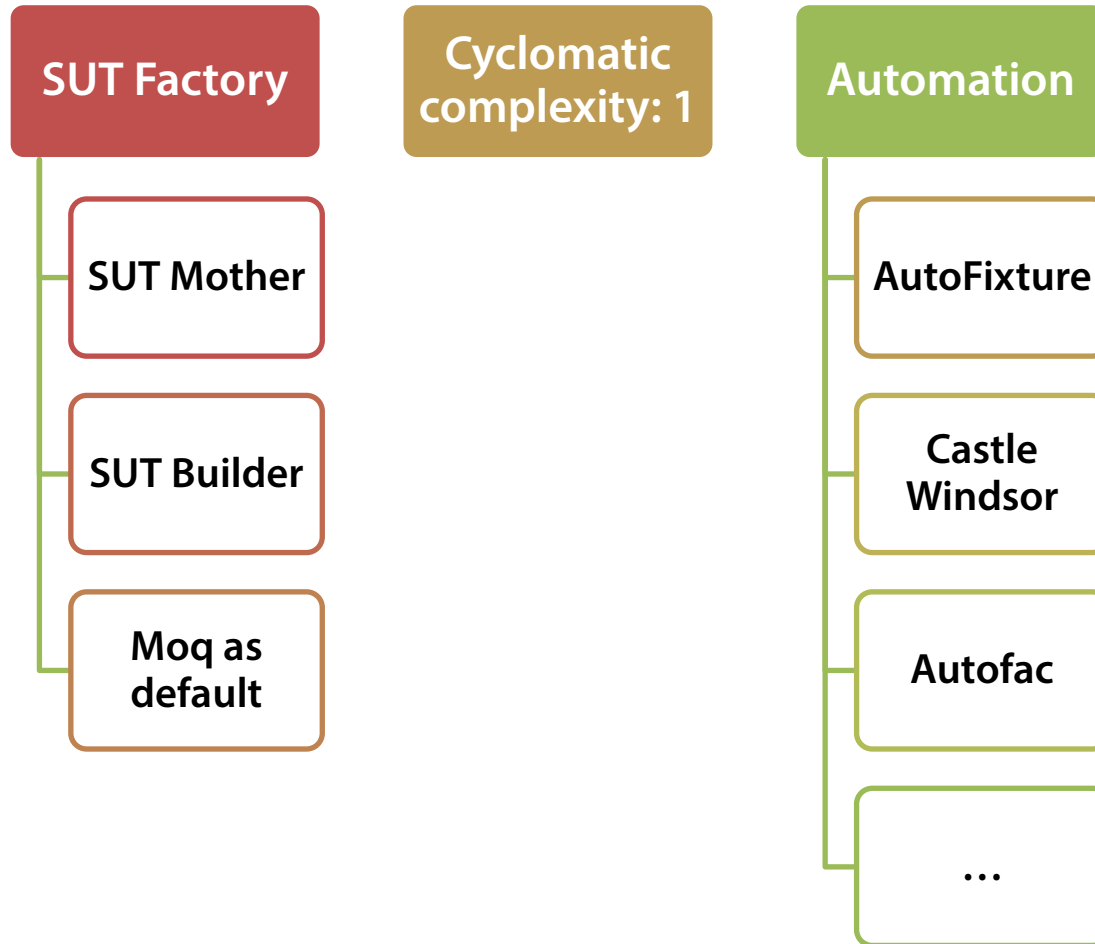
SUT Builder

```
var sut = new BasketControllerBuilder().Build();  
  
var channelMock = new Mock<IChannel>();  
var sut = new BasketControllerBuilder()  
    .WithChannel(channelMock.Object).Build();
```

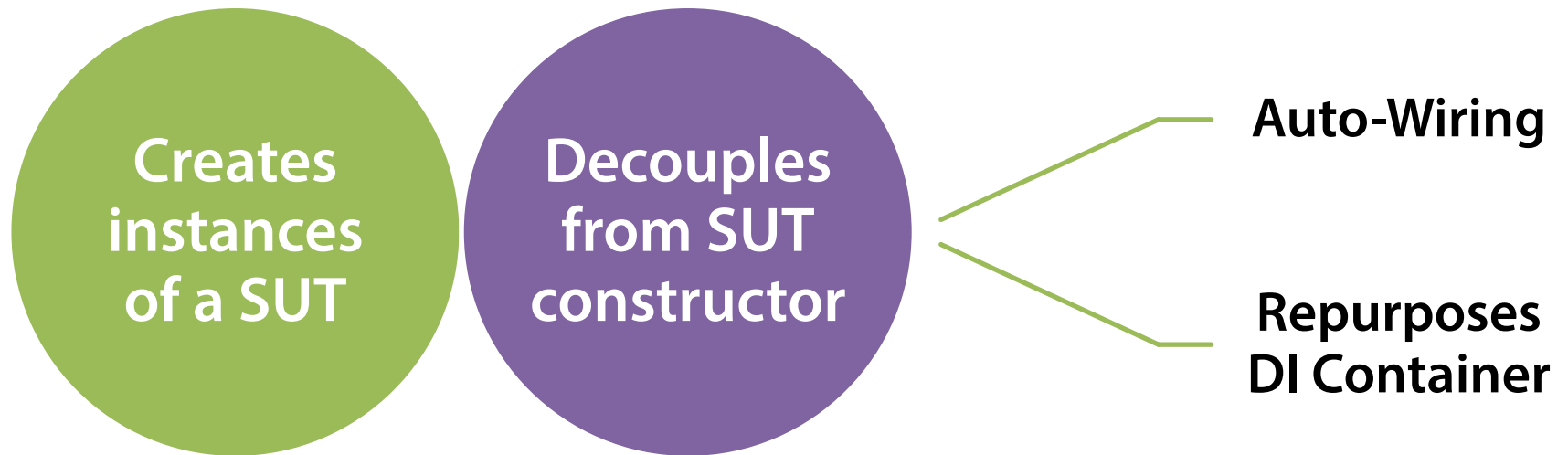
Demo



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Auto-Mocking Container



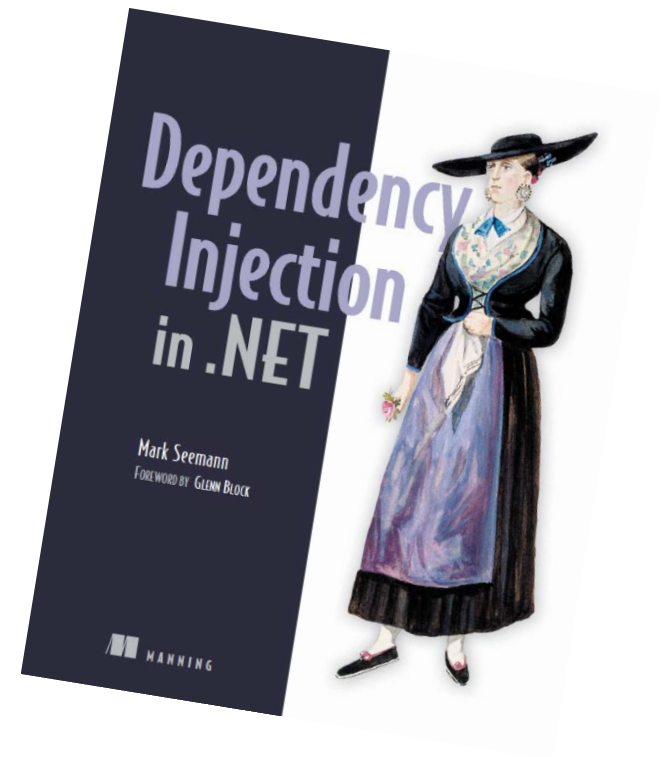
Auto-Mocking Container

```
var container = new WindsorContainer()  
    .Install(new ShopFixture());  
var sut = container.Resolve<BasketController>();  
  
var channelMock =  
    container.Resolve<Mock<IChannel>>();
```

Demo

Auto-
Mocking
Container

Repurposing
Castle
Windsor



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Auto-Mocking Container

Repurposed
Castle Windsor

AutoMoqResolver

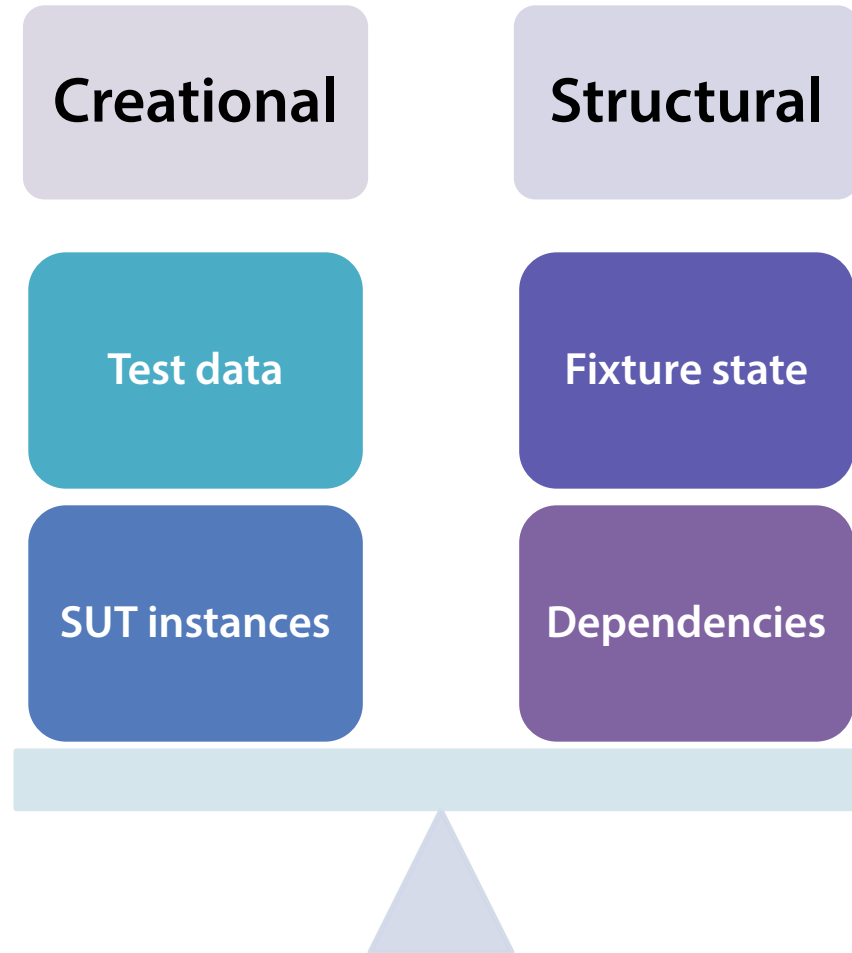
AutoMoqInstaller

Cyclomatic
complexity: 1

Structural
capability

Maintain state
about injected
dependencies

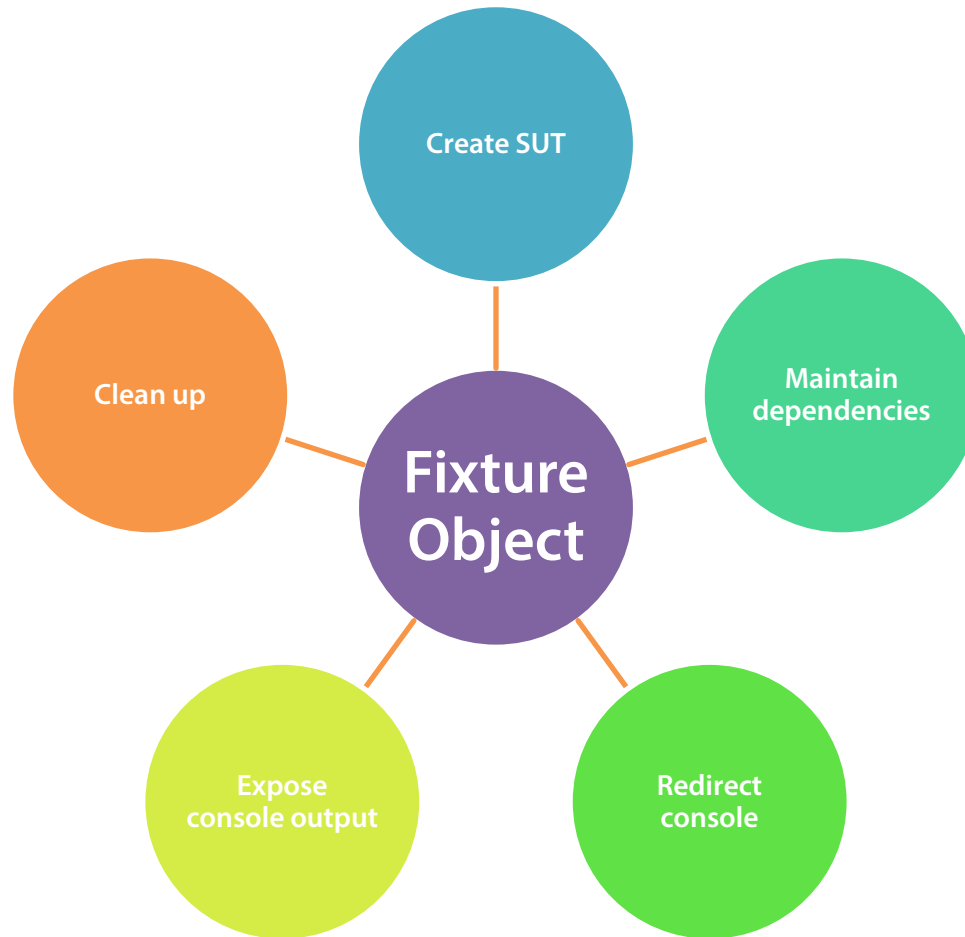
Fixture Object



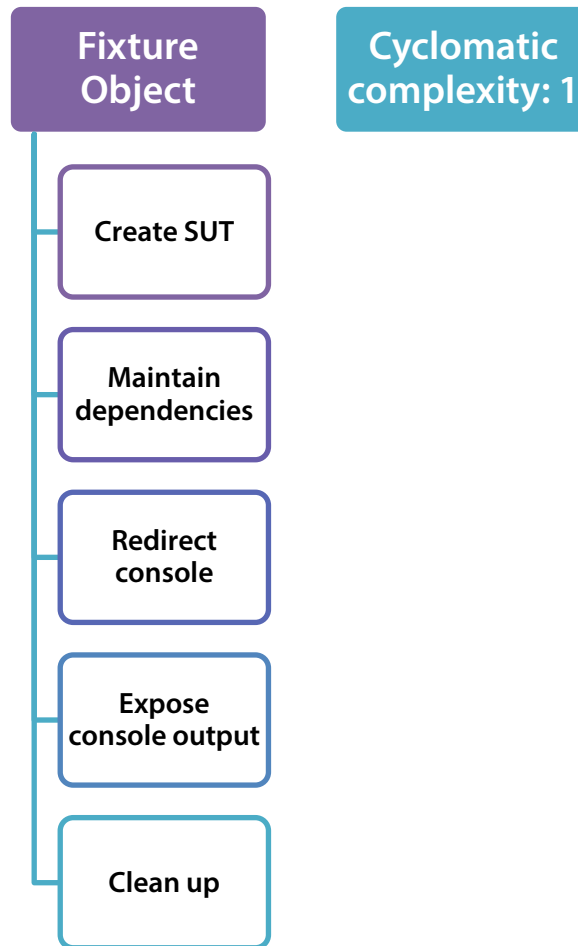
Fixture Object

```
var fixture = new BasketControllerFixture();  
var sut = fixture.CreateSut();  
  
var basket =  
    fixture.Basket.WithSmallDiscount().Build();  
  
var channelMock = fixture.channel.AsMock();
```

Demo



Demo recap



Fixture Object and Test Data Builder combined

```
[Fact]
public void InvalidInputCorrectlyRendersValidationMessage()
{
    // Fixture setup
    var fixture = new SecurityControllerFixture();
    var sut = fixture.CreateSut();

    UserProfileInput invalidInput = new UserProfileInputBuilder()
        .WithNonMatchingPasswords();

    // Exercise system
    sut.CreateUser(invalidInput);
    // Verify outcome
    var expected = invalidInput.Validate();
    fixture.renderer.AsMock().Verify(r => r.Render(expected));
    // Teardown
}
```

Summary

