## Google's Screenshot Testing Framework for Compose

Go to libs.versions.toml and put:

```
screenshot = "0.0.1-alpha01"
```

And in the plugins section paste:

```
screenshot = { id = "com.android.compose.screenshot", version
```

Sync repo gradle files and in gradle.properties include:

```
android.experimental.enableScreenshotTest=true
```

In build.gradle.kts include in the android section:

```
experimentalProperties["android.experimental.enableScreenshot
```

Sync repo gradle files and in the plugins section of the same file add:

```
alias(libs.plugins.screenshot)
```

If there is any version problem with gradle go to libs.versions.toml, alt+enter on kotlin version line and update to the latest. With this change you will also need to change the composeOptions version in the build.gradle.kts.

In the dependencies section of the build.gradle.kts add the following dependencies:

```
debugImplementation(libs.androidx.ui.tooling)
screenshotTestImplementation(libs.androidx.ui.tooling)
```

Right click on app folder  $\rightarrow$  create new folder  $\rightarrow$  select src/screenshotTest/kotlin.

In that folder create the file Previews.kt. All the previews included in this file will be tested. Copy and paste the previews you want to test in this file.

Open the terminal and type

./gradlew updateDebugScreenshotTest

If builded successfully you can find the screenshot in the new folder created src/debug. This will be the reference for future tests, if you want to change the reference you need to run again the gradle task.

Run the test:

./gradlew validateDebugScreenshotTest

If builded successfully you can see that the test passed and you can see the test results inside the folder build/test-results/TEST-PreviewsKt.xml.

The tests compare the preview taken when you last executed the updateDebugScreenshotTest command with the current previews when you execute the validateDebugScreenshotTest command.

See <a href="https://developer.android.com/studio/preview/compose-screenshot-testing">https://developer.android.com/studio/preview/compose-screenshot-testing</a> for any updates since it is currently an alpha version.