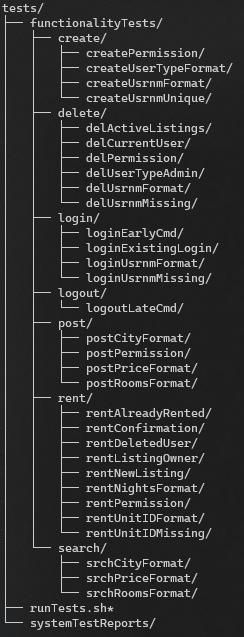
# KMD LLC – Test Organization and Testing Plan

All information and functionality related to the testing of our software resides in a directory named “tests/”, which must be located at the top level of the software’s working directory. This directory’s structure can be seen in Figure 1, and its immediate contents are as follows: a subdirectory named “functionalityTests/” which contains the many individual tests that comprise the overall system test, a directory named “systemTestReports/” which contains system reports that describing the aggregated results of the individual tests, and a shell script named “runTests.sh” which loads and runs the individual tests, then records their results into an overall system test report. Further details on these items are as follows:

1) The “functionalityTests/” subdirectory: This subdirectory contains further subdirectories with names corresponding to the functional requirements that their contents target. These functional requirement categories are summarized as: create, delete, login, logout, post, rent, and search. Each of these functional requirement subdirectories then contains a subdirectory for each functionality test related to that requirement. These tests are prefaced with a shorthand version of their related functional requirement for easy identification when selecting which tests to run in a targeted test (see below). The functionality test subdirectory’s structure can be seen in Figure 2, and its contents are as follows:  
  
- A subdirectory named “inputs/”, which contains the users.txt and listings.txt files to be used as backend-input for that test

- A subdirectory named “expectedOutputs/”, which contains the expected outputs of that test, which the actual test outputs will be compared against to determine the test results

- A text file named “commands.txt”, which contains the list of program commands to be executed by that test

- A subdirectory named “testResults/”, which contains the results (including all past results) of that test, named in the following format in order to indicate the time and date of the result generation: “result\_<year>\_<month>\_<day>\_<hour>\_<minute>\_<second>”

2) The “systemTestReports/” subdirectory: This subdirectory contains reports indicating the results of conducted system tests (including all past reports), named in the following format in order to indicate the time and date of report generation: “report\_<year>\_<month>\_<day>\_<hour>\_<minute>\_<second>”

Figure 1- The “test/” directory structure

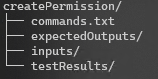
3) The “runTests.sh” shell script: This script verifies and summarizes the contents of the “functionalityTests/” subdirectory, then prompts the user to select which functionality tests they wish to conduct. The script then runs the software using the test input files and test directory (as input and output file locations respectively) as parameterized command line arguments. The output of the test’s program session is compared to the test’s expected outputs, and the result of the comparison is recorded in the test’s results subdirectory. Once all tests have been conducted, all test results are compiled into a single report for that system test, outputted to the system test reports subdirectory.

Figure 2- The structure of a functionality test subdirectory (example "createPermission" seen here)

As each component of the system is implemented, it will be targeted for testing to ensure that it meets functional requirements. An overall system test will be conducted prior to every iteration’s release to ensure that none of the software’s existing functionality has been impacted by the implementation of new features. Additionally, the testing will be run at on weekly basis after the software’s launch to ensure that the quality and consistency of the software has not been impacted by any changes to the software host’s environment, such as system updates and library dependency updates.