

Locations of Quickstep Files in your projects

Since Quickstep is a generic test framework which can be pulled into any project, it needs a way to hook in to your project. This is done by means of predefined locations in which Quickstep will search for project-specific files which it needs. These are as follows:

1. **Feature files** are assumed to be stored in **src/test/resources/cucumber/features** or a sub-directory thereof
2. **Step definitions** are assumed to be held in the package **com.nature.quickstep.stepdefs** or a sub-package thereof

With regards to page objects, the recommended convention (this is not a rule) is to:

1. Store them in the package **com.nature.quickstep.pageobjects** (or a sub-package thereof)
2. Have each page object extend **com.nature.quickstep.pageobjects.PageObject**. This abstract class will perform common tasks such as browser management and also enforce conventions such as the implementation of the **navigateTo()** method for each page object.