



Automation Testing using Selenium

Challenges of a Tester

Scenario From A Company: Tester

Tasks:-

- Write the test cases from scratch
- Execute 1,000 test cases
- Analyze pass/ fail status manually



Challenges:-

- 50-60/day = 10 days totally for only executing test cases
- Time to debug is non-deterministic
- Humans are error-prone

Automation Testing Advantages

Scenario From A Company: Tester

Tasks:-

- Write the test cases from scratch
- All test cases can be executed overnight
- Easier to analyze pass/ fail status report



Challenges:-

- Time for debugging errors

Automation Testing Advantages

Benefits/ Advantages

1. Saves time
2. Reduces the cost to company
3. Greater accuracy
4. Better quality reports
5. Less/ no errors
6. Repeatable



What is Selenium ?

Beating the tedious challenges of *manual testing* is the obvious reason behind using automated tools.



And, here's why Selenium is the best choice:



Being **Open-Source**, Selenium is available for **free**.



Selenium works good with **any Operating System**.



Selenium lets you perform tests on **any Web Browser**.



Selenium supports **multiple Programming Languages**.



Selenium vs. its Counterparts

Features	HP QTP	IBM RFT	TestComplete	Selenium
License	Required	Required	Required	Open Source
Cost	High	High	High	Free
Customer support	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes; Open source community
Coding skills	Low	Low	High	Very High
Environment support	Only Windows	Only Windows	Windows only (7, Vista, Server 2008 or later OS)	Windows, Linux, Mac

Use of Selenium

So many test cases, so much work..... So much stress !!!!!



“ Selenium is an open-source tool that can automate almost any web browser. ”



Testing with Selenium has made life so relaxing !!



- Selenium can only be used to test web applications.
- Selenium is fast and easy to use even with large sets of data, and has a guaranteed accuracy.
- Selenium directly runs scripts for any web browser to automate the web application and test it.

Components of Selenium

*As of April – 2018, the latest release of the tool is **Selenium Version 3.12.0**.*

The Selenium suite comprised the following four components:



Selenium RC, however, was merged with WebDriver and launched anew as Selenium WebDriver with better functionalities.

Setting up Selenium

The following three software are prerequisite to begin using Selenium.

I. Java → *Programming Language to write scripts*



II. Eclipse → *Environment to compile and run scripts*



III. Selenium → *Framework for testing web applications*



Setting up Selenium

Step 1: Installing Java

- ✓ Download and install the latest release of the Java Platform, Standard Edition Development Kit from the following link:- <http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/index.html>



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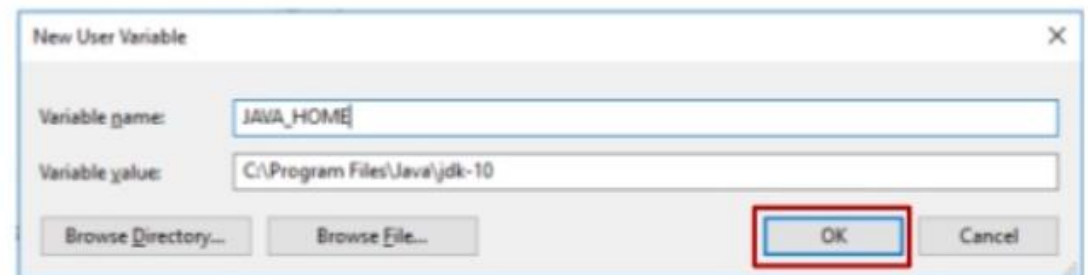
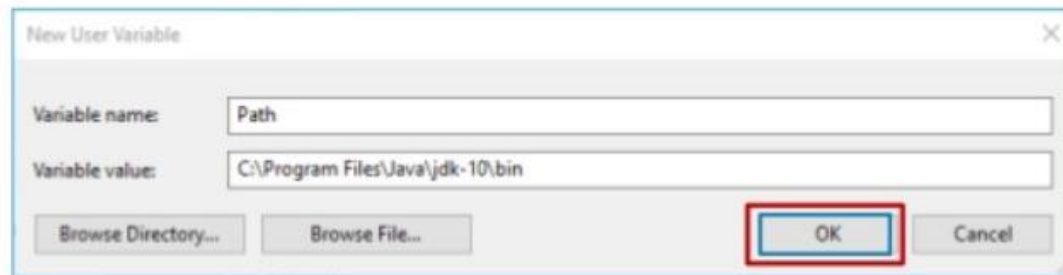
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- ✓ After Java is installed, we'll need to set **Environment Variables** to use JDK with Eclipse.
- ✓ Right click on **My PC** → Go to **Properties** → Go to **Advanced System Settings** → **System Properties** window pops up → Click on **Environment Variables** under the **Advanced** tab.
- ✓ **Environment Variables** window pops up → Click on **New** under **User variables**.
- ✓ Under the **Edit User Variable** window that pops up, set the **Variable name** as *Path* and **Variable value** as the location of the **bin** folder inside the **JDK** folder on your system. Similarly, create another variable with the name *JAVA_HOME* and set its values as the location of the **JDK** folder.



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Step 2: Installing Eclipse

- ✓ Download and install the latest release for Eclipse from the following link:

<https://www.eclipse.org/downloads/>

 Download

Download from: China - University of Science and Technology of China (http)

File: [eclipse-inst-win64.exe](#) SHA-512

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Step 3: Download Selenium JAR Files

- ✓ Open the link given below to download the JAR files for Selenium:
<http://selenium-release.storage.googleapis.com/index.html>
- ✓ Select the version that you want to use.
















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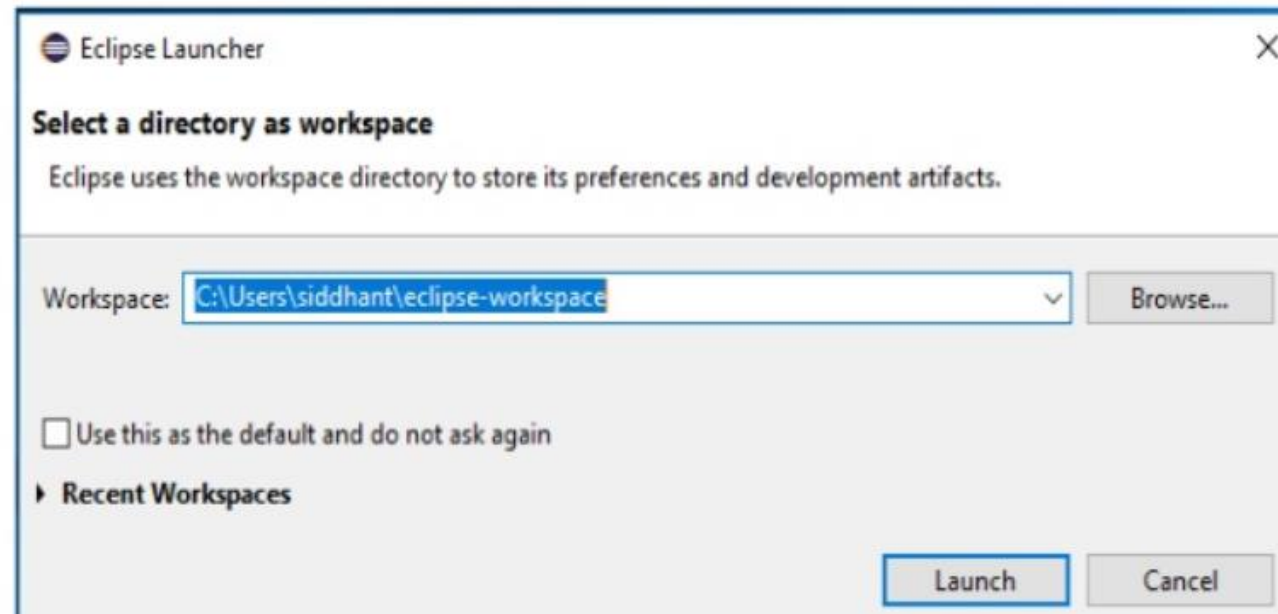
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Step 4: Configuring Eclipse for Selenium

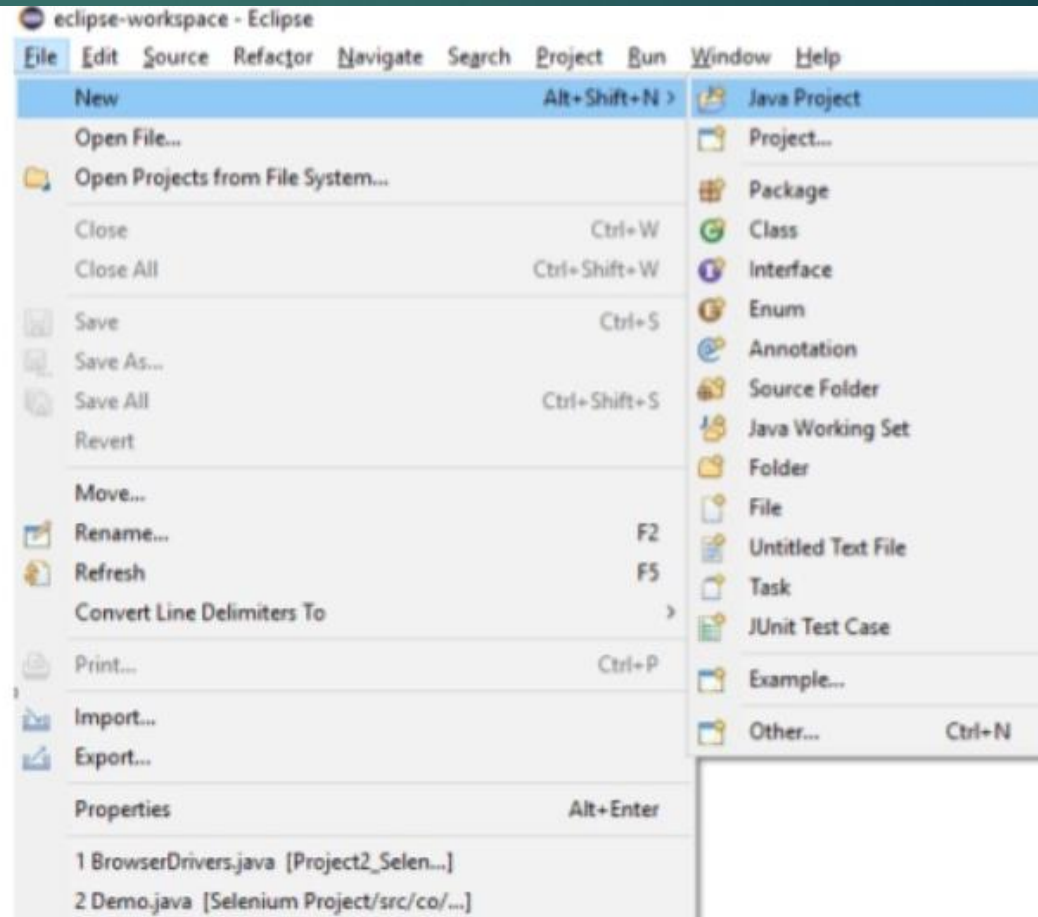
- ✓ Open Eclipse and set a path for your workspace directory in the Eclipse Launcher window and click [Launch](#).



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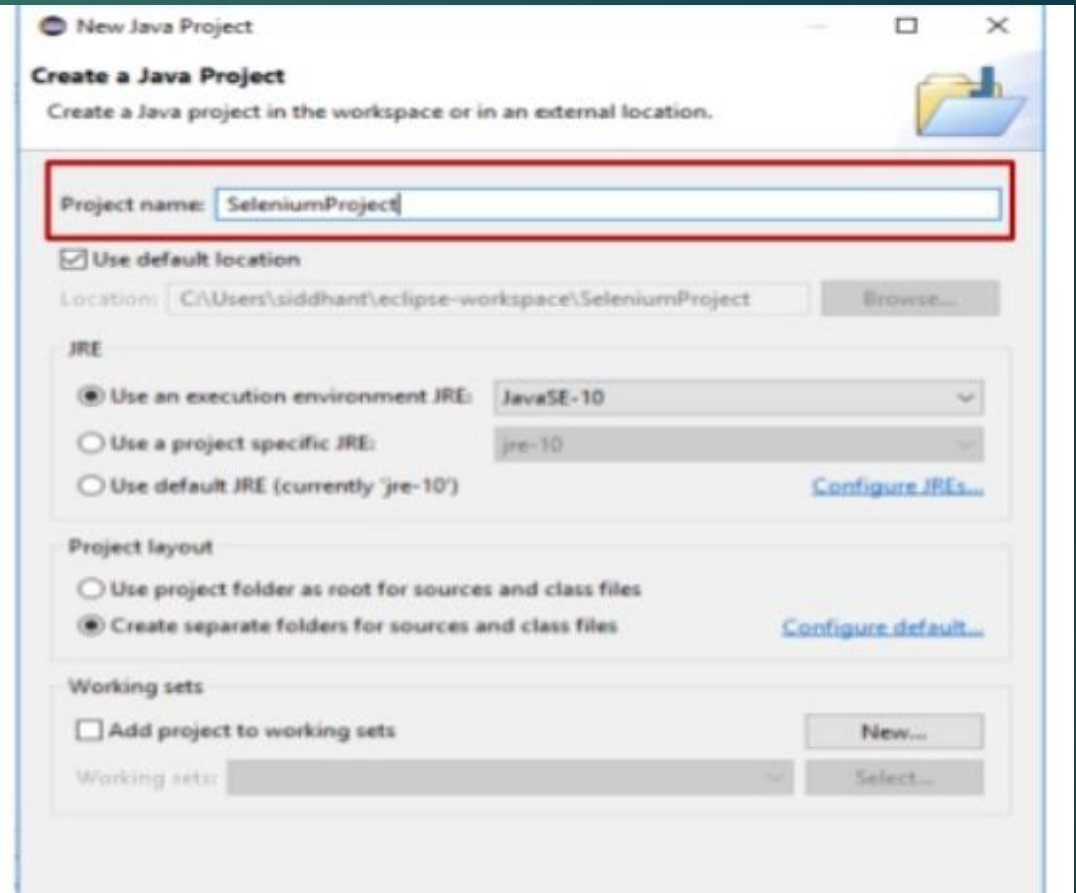
✓ After Eclipse is launched, go to

File → New → Java Project.



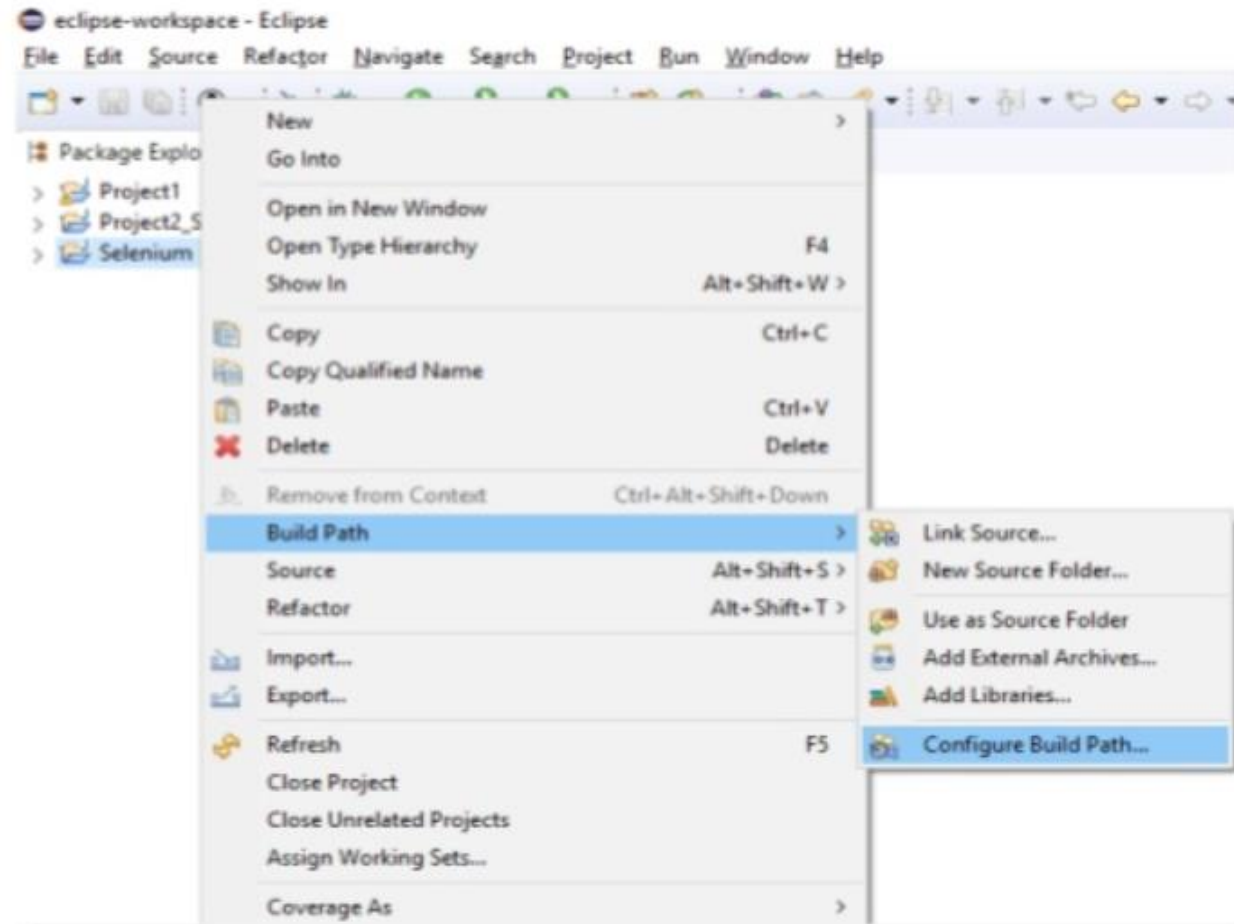
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- ✓ Enter Project Name → Selenium Project.
- ✓ Click **Finish**.



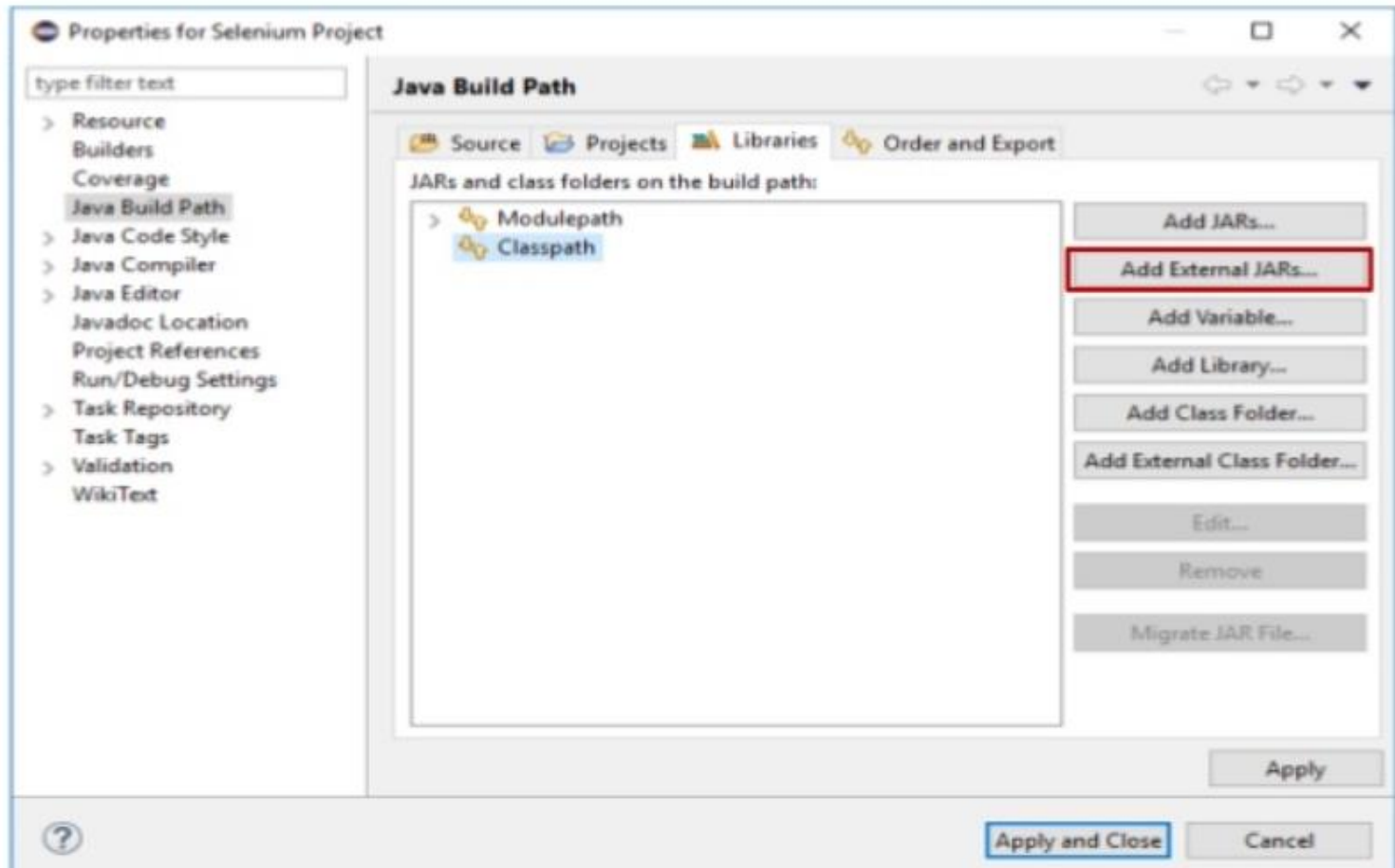
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Under the Package Explorer tab, right click on the name of your project (Selenium Project), go to **Build Path** → **Configure Build Path**.



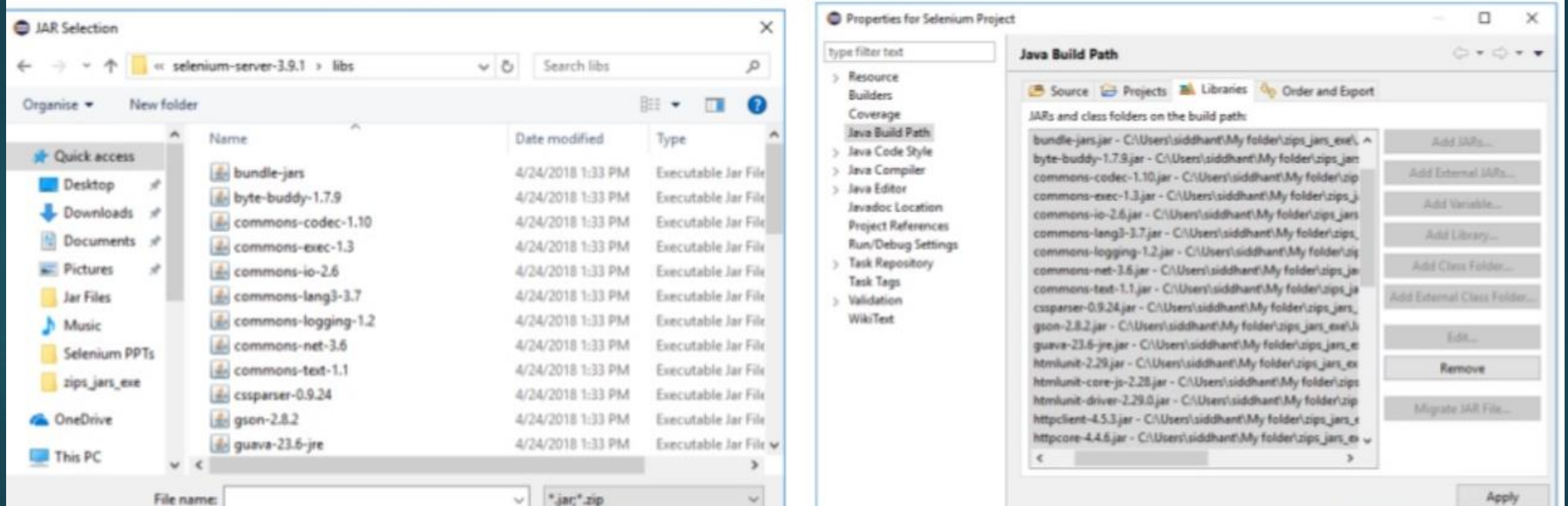
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Click on the **Libraries** tab, select **Classpath** then click on **Add External JARs**.



Setting up Selenium

- ✓ Find all the JAR files that we downloaded, select them and click on **Open**.
- ✓ After you're done adding all the JAR files, Click on **Apply and Close**.



THANK YOU