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TEST

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Introduction

- ▶ Why to write tests?
 - ▶ When you're writing **new code**, you can use tests to validate your code works as expected
 - ▶ When you're refactoring or **modifying old code**, you can use tests to ensure your changes **haven't affected** your application's behavior unexpectedly
- ▶ The preferred way to write tests in Django is using the **unittest** module
- ▶ You can also use any other Python test framework

Writing Tests

- ▶ The default startapp template creates a `tests.py` file in the new application
- ▶ This might be fine if you only have a few tests
- ▶ As your test suite grows you'll likely want to restructure it into a `tests` package so you can split your tests into different submodules such as `test_models.py`, `test_views.py`, `test_forms.py`, etc

Writing Tests – cont.

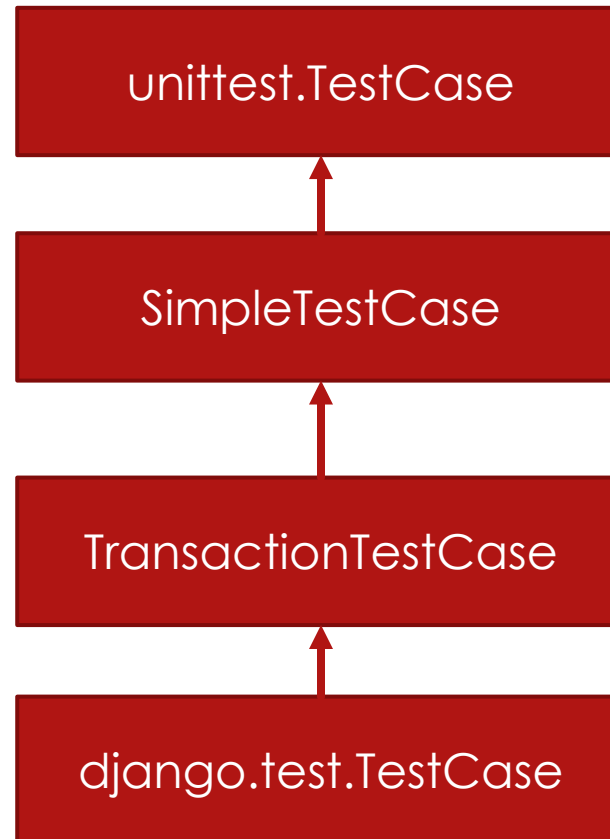
- ▶ Put something similar to this in tests.py :
- ▶ Subclass from `django.test.TestCase`, which is a subclass of `unittest.TestCase`
- ▶ Runs each test inside a `transaction` to provide isolation (Fixtures do not persist in DB after test)

```
from django.test import TestCase
from myapp.models import Animal

class AnimalTestCase(TestCase):
    def setUp(self):
        Animal.objects.create(name="lion", sound="roar")
        Animal.objects.create(name="cat", sound="meow")

    def test_animals_can_speak(self):
        """Animals that can speak are correctly identified"""
        lion = Animal.objects.get(name="lion")
        cat = Animal.objects.get(name="cat")
        self.assertEqual(lion.speak(), 'The lion says "roar"')
        self.assertEqual(cat.speak(), 'The cat says "meow"')
```

Class Inheritance



A test for
our polls
example:

```
polls/tests.py

import datetime

from django.test import TestCase
from django.utils import timezone

from .models import Question

class QuestionModelTests(TestCase):

    def test_was_published_recently_with_future_question(self):
        """
        was_published_recently() returns False for questions whose
        pub_date
        is in the future.
        """
        time = timezone.now() + datetime.timedelta(days=30)
        future_question = Question(pub_date=time)
        self.assertIs(future_question.was_published_recently(),
False)
```


Running tests

```
$ ./manage.py test
```

- ▶ By default, this will discover tests in any file named “test*.py” under the current working directory

```
# Run all the tests in the animals.tests module
$ ./manage.py test animals.tests

# Run all the tests found within the 'animals' package
$ ./manage.py test animals

# Run just one test case
$ ./manage.py test animals.tests.AnimalTestCase

# Run just one test method
$ ./manage.py test
animals.tests.AnimalTestCase.test_animals_can_speak
```

The Test Database

- ▶ Tests that require a database, will not use your real database. Blank databases are created for the tests.
- ▶ The test databases are destroyed when all the tests have been executed
- ▶ You can keep it by using: `test -keepdb`
- ▶ If the DB is kept, on the next run, you'll be asked whether you want to reuse or destroy the database
- ▶ Use the `test --noinput` option to suppress that prompt and automatically destroy the database
- ▶ The test database is created by the user specified by USER, so you'll need to make sure that the given user account has sufficient privileges to create a new database on the system

Execution Order of Tests

- ▶ In order to guarantee that all TestCase code starts with a clean database, Django reorders tests in the following way:
 1. All `TestCase` subclasses
 2. All other Django-based tests (test cases based on `SimpleTestCase`, including `TransactionTestCase`) with no particular ordering guaranteed
 3. Any other `unittest.TestCase` tests that may alter the database without restoring it to its original state are run

Tests Run in Production Mode

- ▶ Regardless of the value of the DEBUG setting in your configuration file, all Django tests run with `DEBUG=False`
- ▶ This is to ensure that the observed output of your code matches what will be seen in a `production setting`

Understanding the Test Output

- ▶ You can control the level of detail of output with the `--verbosity`

```
Creating test database...  
Creating table myapp_animal  
Creating table myapp_mineral
```

- ▶ At last, If everything goes well, you'll see something like this:

```
-----  
Ran 22 tests in 0.221s
```

```
OK
```

Understanding the Test Output – cont.

- If there are test failures, however, you'll see full details about which tests failed:

```
=====
FAIL: test_was_published_recently_with_future_poll
(polls.tests.PollMethodTests)
-----
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "/dev/mysite/polls/tests.py", line 16, in
test_was_published_recently_with_future_poll
    self.assertIs(future_poll.was_published_recently(), False)
AssertionError: True is not False
-----

Ran 1 test in 0.003s

FAILED (failures=1)
```

Test-driven Development

- ▶ We repeatedly write the test and then the code to fix it
- ▶ This is **test-driven development**
- ▶ But it doesn't really matter in which order we do the work

Fixing the bug

- ▶ Remember the test for our polls example
- ▶ `Question.was_published_recently()` should return False if its `pub_date` is in the future:

polls/models.py

```
def was_published_recently(self):  
    now = timezone.now()  
    return now - datetime.timedelta(days=1) <= self.pub_date <= now
```


polls/tests.py

```
def test_was_published_recently_with_old_question(self):  
    """  
    was_published_recently() returns False for questions whose  
    pub_date  
    is older than 1 day.  
    """  
    time = timezone.now() - datetime.timedelta(days=1, seconds=1)  
    old_question = Question(pub_date=time)  
    self.assertIs(old_question.was_published_recently(), False)  
  
def test_was_published_recently_with_recent_question(self):  
    """  
    was_published_recently() returns True for questions whose  
    pub_date  
    is within the last day.  
    """  
    time = timezone.now() - datetime.timedelta(hours=23, minutes=59,  
    seconds=59)  
    recent_question = Question(pub_date=time)  
    self.assertIs(recent_question.was_published_recently(), True)
```



More tests for our
polls example in
QuestionModelTests
test case class

Test a view

- ▶ Django provides a test `Client` to simulate a user interacting with the code at the view level
- ▶ We can access it by `self.client` in `TestCase` methods
- ▶ To simulate a `GET` request to a URL:

```
response = self.client.get(reverse('polls:index'))
```

- ▶ We can then check the `status_code`, `context`, ... of the response
- ▶ Also we have `post()` method

Testing our Index View

- ▶ Remember our class-based IndexView:

polls/views.py

```
class IndexView(generic.ListView):
    template_name = 'polls/index.html'
    context_object_name = 'latest_question_list'

    def get_queryset(self):
        """Return the last five published questions."""
        return Question.objects.order_by('-pub_date')[:5]
```

Testing our Index View – cont.

- ▶ In tests.py we'll create a shortcut function to create questions:

polls/tests.py

```
def create_question(question_text, days):  
    """  
    Create a question with the given `question_text` and published the  
    given number of `days` offset to now (negative for questions published  
    in the past, positive for questions that have yet to be published).  
    """  
    time = timezone.now() + datetime.timedelta(days=days)  
    return Question.objects.create(question_text=question_text,  
    pub_date=time)
```

Testing our Index View – cont.

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And a new
test class:

```
class QuestionIndexViewTests(TestCase):
    def test_no_questions(self):
        """
        If no questions exist, an appropriate message is displayed.
        """
        response = self.client.get(reverse('polls:index'))
        self.assertEqual(response.status_code, 200)
        self.assertContains(response, "No polls are available.")
        self.assertQuerysetEqual(response.context['latest_question_list'],
        [])

    def test_past_question(self):
        """
        Questions with a pub_date in the past are displayed on the
        index page.
        """
        create_question(question_text="Past question.", days=-30)
        response = self.client.get(reverse('polls:index'))
        self.assertQuerysetEqual(
            response.context['latest_question_list'],
            ['<Question: Past question.>']
        )
```

Testing our Index View – cont.

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```
def test_future_question(self):
    """
    Questions with a pub_date in the future aren't displayed on
    the index page.
    """
    create_question(question_text="Future question.", days=30)
    response = self.client.get(reverse('polls:index'))
    self.assertContains(response, "No polls are available.")
    self.assertQuerysetEqual(response.context['latest_question_list'],
[])

def test_future_question_and_past_question(self):
    """
    Even if both past and future questions exist, only past questions
    are displayed.
    """
    create_question(question_text="Past question.", days=-30)
    create_question(question_text="Future question.", days=30)
    response = self.client.get(reverse('polls:index'))
    self.assertQuerysetEqual(
        response.context['latest_question_list'],
        ['<Question: Past question.>']
    )
```

These tests will fail
because our view lists
future questions as
well as past questions

Testing our Index View – cont.

```
def test_two_past_questions(self):  
    """  
    The questions index page may display multiple questions.  
    """  
    create_question(question_text="Past question 1.", days=-30)  
    create_question(question_text="Past question 2.", days=-5)  
    response = self.client.get(reverse('polls:index'))  
    self.assertQuerysetEqual(  
        response.context['latest_question_list'],  
        ['<Question: Past question 2.>', '<Question: Past question 1.>']  
    )
```

Fixing the Bug

- ▶ Now we'll fix the bug:
 - ▶ The list of polls shows polls that aren't published yet (i.e. those that have a `pub_date` in the future)

`polls/views.py`

```
def get_queryset(self):  
    """  
    Return the last five published questions (not including those set to be  
    published in the future).  
    """  
    return Question.objects.filter(  
        pub_date__lte=timezone.now()  
    ).order_by('-pub_date')[:5]
```


Testing the DetailView

- ▶ Remember our DetailView:

```
class DetailView(generic.DetailView):  
    model = Question  
    template_name = 'polls/detail.html'
```

- ▶ We should then add some tests, to check that a Question whose pub_date is in the past can be displayed, and that one with a pub_date in the future is not

polls/tests.py

```
class QuestionDetailViewTests(TestCase):
    def test_future_question(self):
        """
        The detail view of a question with a pub_date in the future
        returns a 404 not found.
        """
        future_question = create_question(question_text='Future question.',
days=5)
        url = reverse('polls:detail', args=(future_question.id,))
        response = self.client.get(url)
        self.assertEqual(response.status_code, 404)

    def test_past_question(self):
        """
        The detail view of a question with a pub_date in the past
        displays the question's text.
        """
        past_question = create_question(question_text='Past Question.',
days=-5)
        url = reverse('polls:detail', args=(past_question.id,))
        response = self.client.get(url)
        self.assertContains(response, past_question.question_text)
```

Will fail!

Fixing the Bug

- So we need a change in DetailView:

```
polls/views.py
```

```
class DetailView(generic.DetailView):  
    ...  
    def get_queryset(self):  
        """  
        Excludes any questions that aren't published yet.  
        """  
        return Question.objects.filter(pub_date__lte=timezone.now())
```

When testing, more is better

- ▶ It might seem that our tests are **growing** out of control
- ▶ It **doesn't matter!**
- ▶ For the most part, you can write a test **once** and then forget about it
- ▶ in testing **redundancy** is a good thing

Django Test Rules-of-thumb

1. A separate `TestClass` for each model or view
2. A separate test method for each set of conditions you want to test
3. Test method names that describe their function

Further testing

- ▶ We introduced some of the **basics** of testing
- ▶ you can use an “**in-browser**” framework such as **Selenium** to test the way your HTML actually renders in a browser
- ▶ to check not just the behavior of your Django code, but also, for example, of your **JavaScript**
- ▶ Django includes **LiveServerTestCase** to facilitate integration with tools like Selenium

LiveServerTestCase

- ▶ First install Selenium:

```
$ python -m pip install selenium
```

- ▶ Then write a test like what you see in the next page

```
from django.contrib.staticfiles.testing import StaticLiveServerTestCase
from selenium.webdriver.firefox.webdriver import WebDriver

class MySeleniumTests(StaticLiveServerTestCase):
    fixtures = ['user-data.json']

    @classmethod
    def setUpClass(cls):
        super().setUpClass()
        cls.selenium = WebDriver()
        cls.selenium.implicitly_wait(10)

    @classmethod
    def tearDownClass(cls):
        cls.selenium.quit()
        super().tearDownClass()

    def test_login(self):
        self.selenium.get('%s%s' % (self.live_server_url, '/login/'))
        username_input = self.selenium.find_element_by_name("username")
        username_input.send_keys('myuser')
        password_input = self.selenium.find_element_by_name("password")
        password_input.send_keys('secret')
        self.selenium.find_element_by_xpath('//input[@value="Log in"]').click()
```


LiveServerTestCase – cont.

- ▶ Finally, you may run the test as follows:

```
$ ./manage.py test myapp.tests.MySeleniumTests.test_login
```

References

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Any Question?