

Building the VIRNECT REMOTE Test Automation Environment

QAOps Im plementation

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Purpose

- Enhance quality through test automation implementation.
- Improve development efficiency by integrating CI/CD and Agile processes.
- Systematically manage tests and code based on backlog management.
- Strengthen collaboration between development and QA teams.

Goals

- Write and execute automated test code based on user stories.
- Operate automated tests through Jenkins and Slack integration.
- Optimize backlog management using the Jira QAOps project.
- Improve test code quality and apply the code review process.
- Establish seamless communication using GitHub and Slack.

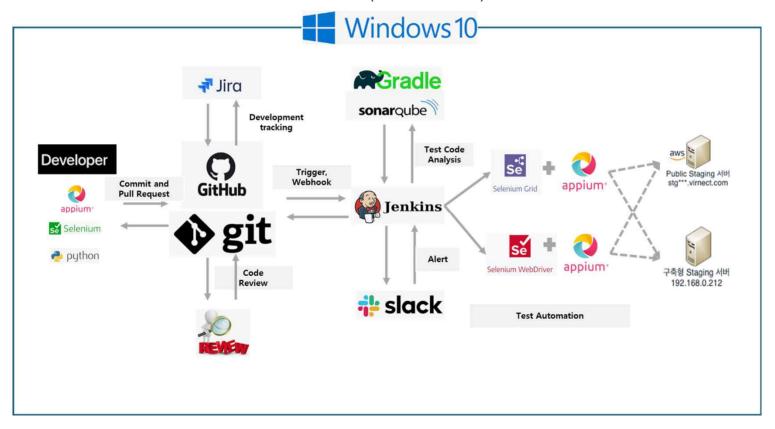


Schedule

No.	Schedule	Category	Key Tasks	Responsible Person		Remarks
1	From September 4, 2023, to September 15, 2023.	Setup	Install Appium, Selenium, Selenium Grid, Python, and Jenkins on the test environment server.	VIRNECT Co., Ltd. QA Team	Kim Sung-tae, Senior Engineer	
2	From September 18, 2023, to September 25, 2023	Setup	 Create the company's official GitHub repository. Integrate GitHub with Jira. Connect Jenkins with Slack. 	VIRNECT Co., Ltd. QA Team	Kim Sung-tae, Senior Engineer	
3	From October 10, 2023, to Decem ber 29, 2023	Setup and Study	 Study the basic usage of Jenkins. Integrate Jenkins with GitHub. Connect Jenkins with Slack. Study the Groovy language for writing Jenkins Pipeline scripts. 	VIRNECT Co., Ltd. QA Team	Kim Sung-tae, Senior Engineer	
4	From January 8, 2024, to December 27, 2024	Study and Setup	 Study Python. Create a QAOps project in the company's Jira. Register the product backlog in Jira. Assign story points to product backlog items. Register user stories in the sprint backlog. Operate sprint cycles in either 2-week or 4-week intervals. Conduct sprint backlog reviews. Review the implemented test automation code and conduct a test automation demo. 	VIRNECT Co., Ltd. QA Team	Kim Sung-tae, Senior Engineer	



CI/CD Pipeline Architecture in a Team Environment (Windows 10)





1. Install and verify Python on the test environment server.

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Windows PowerShell
@VIRNECT → selenium-server-4.28.1 python --version
Python 3.12.1
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2. Install and verify Appium on the test environment server.

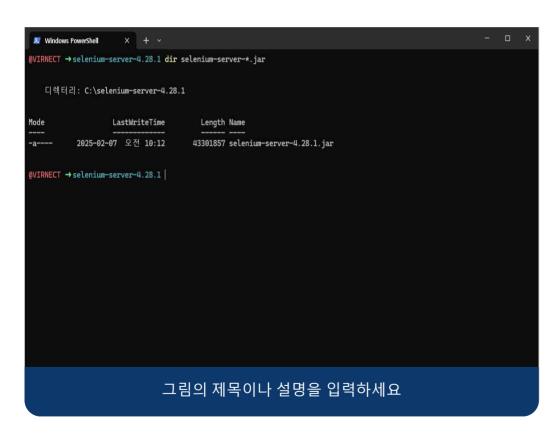
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Windows PowerShell
@VIRNECT → selenium-server-4.28.1 appium -v
@VIRNECT → selenium-server-4.28.1 npm list -g --depth=0
C:\Users\VIRNECT\AppData\Roaming\npm
+-- appium@2.12.1
+-- artillery@2.0.21
+-- npm@10.9.0
 `-- swagger@0.7.5
@VIRNECT → selenium-server-4.28.1
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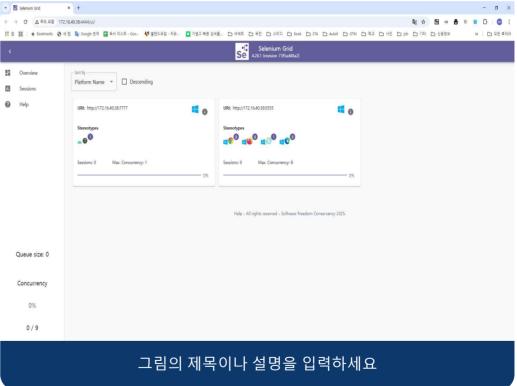


3. Install and verify Selenium on the test environment server.



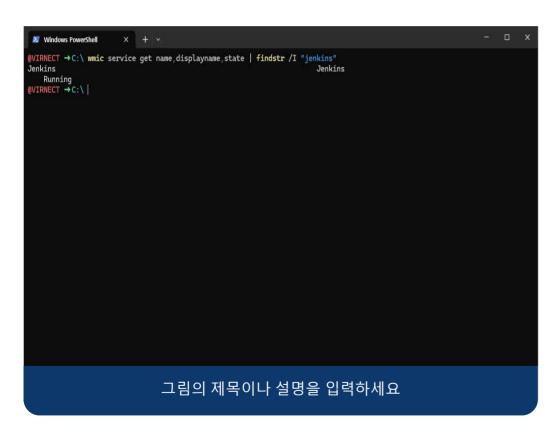
4. Install and verify Selenium Grid on the test environment server.

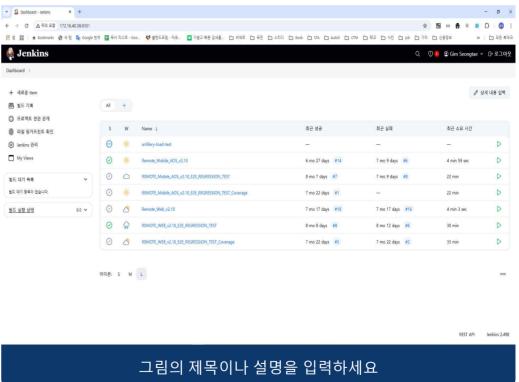






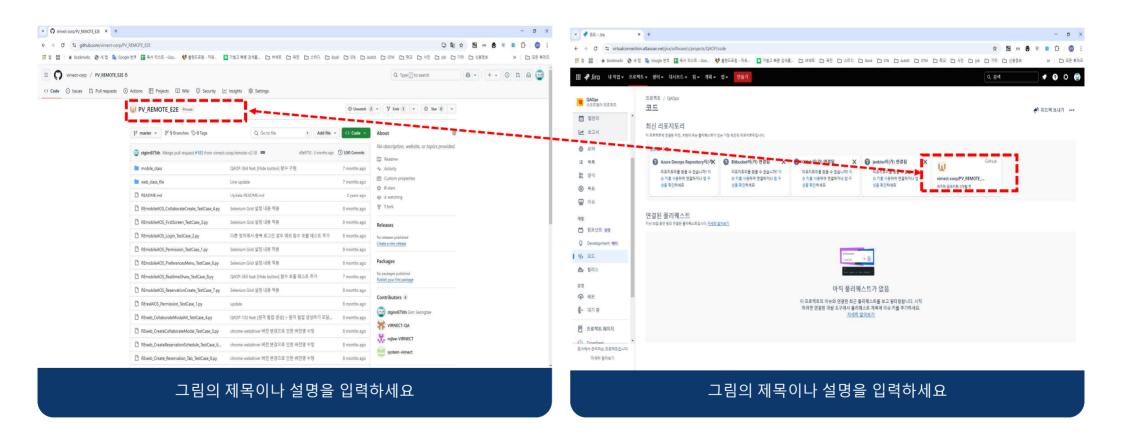
5. Install and verify Jenkins on the test environment server.





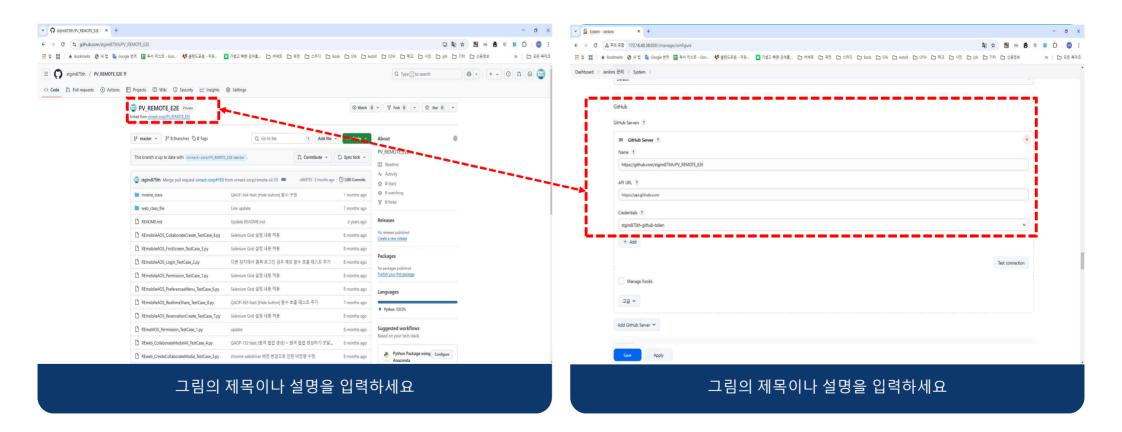


6. Create a repository on the company's official GitHub to store code, register it in the company's Jira project, and establish a connection.



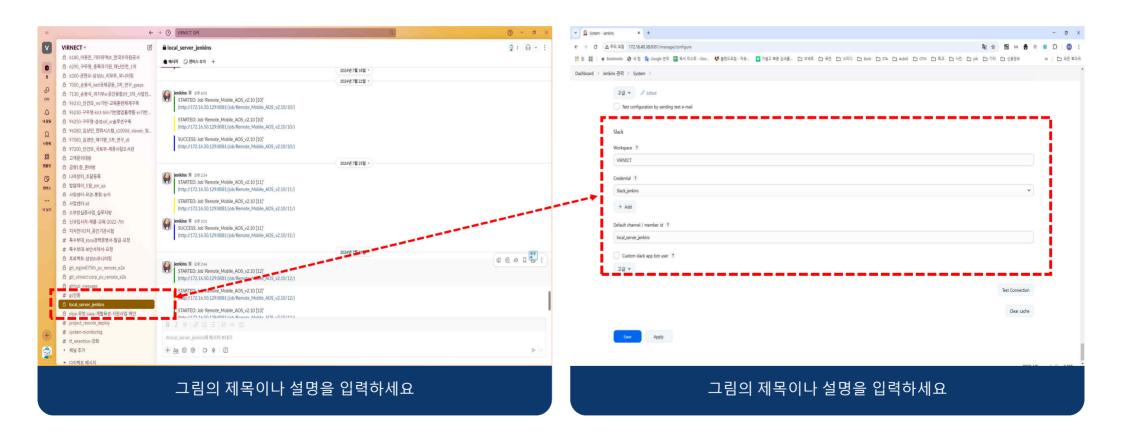


7. Fork the code repository created on the company's official GitHub to your personal GitHub account, then register it in Jenkins installed on the test environment server.



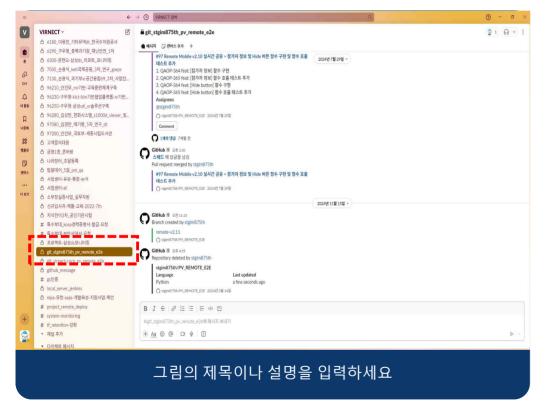


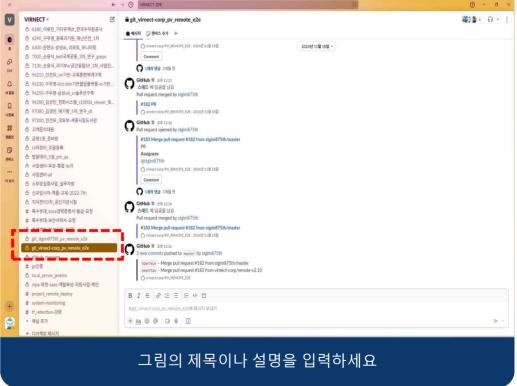
8. After installing Jenkins in the company's Slack channel, authenticate and connect the Slack channel's Jenkins channel with the Jenkins installed in the test environment.





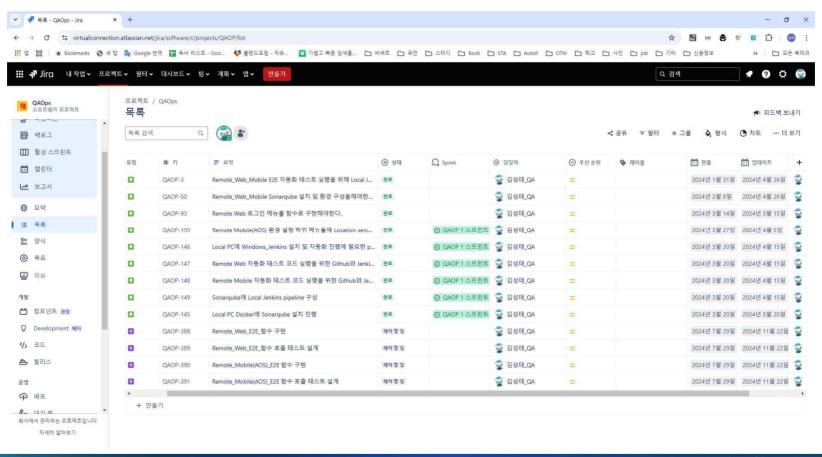
9. Connect the official GitHub repository and the forked personal account repository to the company's Slack channel.





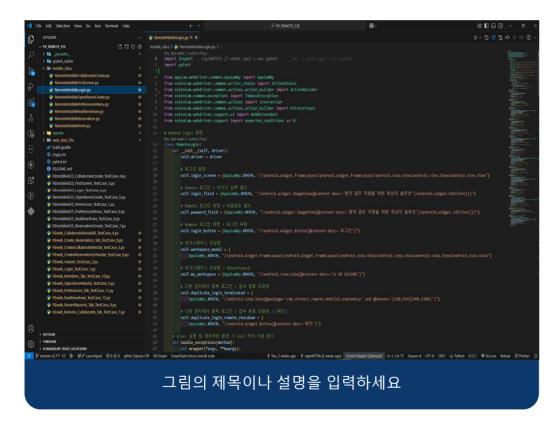


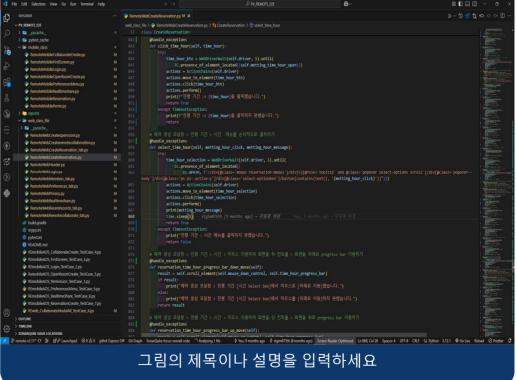
10. Create a QAOps project in the company's Jira project, and manage the product backlog and sprint backlog with sprint cycles operating in 2-week or 4-week intervals.





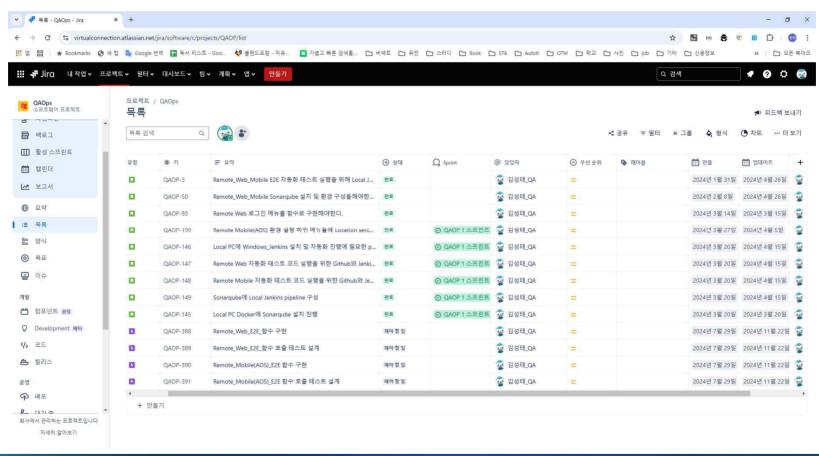
11. Write automation code for the company's product features based on user stories from the sprint backlog registered in the company's Jira QAOps project.







12. Push and merge the written test codes into the company's GitHub repository and the personal account repository.





2. Project Results

- Established an in-house test automation process
- Built a collaborative environment by integrating Jira, GitHub, Jenkins, and Slack
- Enabled automated quality validation through CI/CD pipeline integration
- Developed and reviewed test automation scripts based on user stories
- Reduced effort and costs for repetitive and regression testing through test automation adoption