

U-3 (STA) Test Case Design Technique

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~~Black Box
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Black Box Testing

White Box Testing

grey Box Testing

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • internal working
↳ needn't be known • known as closed box testing, data driven testing, or functional testing. • performed by endusers & testers & developers • external expectations-based
internal behaviour - unknown. • exhaustive & least time consuming • Not suited for algo. testing • trial & error method. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • tester → knowledge of internal working app/in • known as clear box testing, structural testing or code-based testing • Normally done by testers & developers. • internal → full known tester → design test data accordingly. • most • exhaustive & time consuming • suited for algo. testing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • tester - limited knowledge of internal working app. • known as translucent testing as tester has limited knowledge of insides of app. • Basis of high level databases, diagrams & data flow diagrams • partly time consuming & exhaustive • Not suited for algo testing • data domains & internal boundaries can be better tested. • data domains & internal boundaries can be tested, if known. |
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- (Adv) →
- system → works properly
 - performance & security testing
 - test → user's pov
 - tester → not know programming language
 - test → conducted by body independent
 - Testcases → specifications

- (Disadv) →
- coding errors → can't be tested
 - system design & internal structure → not tested
 - only small no. of inputs.

- (Adv) →
- documented → procedures, principles
 - ensures coding standard
 - if anything wrong → early detection
 - some parts → verified

- (Disadv) →
- No assurance → auto req. met.
 - code → not executed fully
 - no guarantee of working

- (Adv) →
- ensure correctness of s/o → structurally & functionally
 - combine adv → black & white box testing

- (Disadv) →
- conducted → using tools
 - knowledge → tool configuration

Agile Testing

- follows principle of agile sw development.
- continuous process → NOT sequential.
- iterative development methodology
- collaboration b/w customer & self organ. teams & agile aligns development with customer needs.

- Fadv →
- saves time & money
 - less documentation
 - regular feedback → end user
 - daily meetings → help determine issues in advance

- Disadv →
- large ones → difficult to assess.
 - lack of emphasis → necessary designing & documentation
 - get off track → might be diff than customer requirement.
 - senior programmers → can take decisions → development process.
 - no place for newbie → with experience (exceptional)

Hd HOC Testing

- informal unstructured testing
- main aim → break the system
- doesn't follow any test design techniques
- conducted by tester with lot of knowledge
- randomly creating test cases altogether.

- Fadv →
- tester → no of defects
 - can be applied anywhere in SDLC
 - coupled with any other testing
 - doesn't mandate any documentation.
 - valuable → test coverage & quality.

- Disadv →
- testing → not documented → so difficult for tester
 - execution of invalid test case → invalid errors.
 - tester → no prior knowledge → uncover many errors will not be able to find
 - no assurance of errors to be found
 - uncertainty → document, time & efforts

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White Box Testing Test Case Design Techniques.

Static Testing

- performed → early stage of development
- whole code → not executed
- prevents defects
- before code deployment
- Less expensive
- more statement → less time
- completed prior to code deployment
- Verification stage
- Doesn't run code
- code & Documentation
- checklist → testing procedure
- walk through & code reviews

- a) Informal Review b) Walkthrough
- c) Technical Review d) Inspection

Dynamic Testing

- later stage of software development
- whole code → executed
- finds & fixes defects
- after code deployment
- More expensive
- fewer statements → small area of code
- after code deployment
- Validation stage
- executes code
- identifies software system bottlenecks
- test case → dynamic testing
- functional & non-functional requirements

Types of Code Coverage Testing

- a) statement coverage
- b) branch coverage
- c) path coverage
- d) conditional coverage
- e) loop coverage

Structural testing -

- testing → structure of system or component.
- tests → knowledge of internal impln of code
- How s/w works?
- run against → pre designed test cases.
- system & acceptance testing.

Types

Code Coverage Testing.

Code Functional Testing

- developer → checks code
- code → coverage or complexity testing
- early phase of testing code
- before submitting code
- debugging sort of activities
- activities → code knowledge
- developer → error → inputs
- module → logic & condⁿ (complex)
- diff IPE → run module
- focus on debugging than testing
- test → input & expected output
- debug → program → complex logic & conditions
- form of white box testing
- generates report on test suite
- part of feedback loop in dev process
- loop → till specific target achieved
- execute all lines of code
- follow logic & decision paths
- discover bugs within program
- ↗ not exercised → test cases
- developers to quickly & easily improve quality of unit tests
- determine how much → tested
- code coverage = $\frac{\text{No. of lines of code}}{\text{Total no. of lines of code}} \times 100\%$
- lower chance of software containing undetected bugs

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Types of Code Coverage Testing.

1) Statement coverage testing -

- coverage metric → whether flow of control reached every executable statement of source code at least once.
- calculate coverage levels.
- structured program → decision conditions & control loops → program path

$$\text{Statement coverage} = \frac{(\text{No. of executed statements})}{(\text{Total no. of statements})} \times 100$$

- Adv →
 - conforms quality code → executing each program atleast once.
 - checks flow of program statement
- Disadv →
 - necessary → not sufficient way of testing
 - Missing statement → source code not covered.
 - no of test cases required → type of statement
 - decision making statement → tester → confirm: correct path.
 - costly due to time & money.

2) Path Coverage Testing →

- considers all paths present in block code.
- execute paths flow from start to end.
- loops → infinite no. of paths.
- report → possible paths in each function

$$\text{Path coverage} = \frac{\text{Total path exercised}}{\text{Total no. of Paths}} \times 100$$

- Adv →
 - reduce redundant test.
 - focus on programic logic
 - test cases → execute every statement → program at least once.
- Disadv →
 - no. of paths → exponential to no. of branches
 - path testing → expert & skillful testers
 - difficult to test → all paths → product more complex

3)

conditional coverage testing -

- known as predicate coverage.
- covers \rightarrow True or false \rightarrow Boolean expression.
- a condⁿ \rightarrow operand of a logical operator \rightarrow don't contain logical operators.
- metric \rightarrow better sensitivity \rightarrow control flow \rightarrow not evaluate all Boolean expⁿ.

$$\text{Conditional Coverage} = \frac{\text{total decision exercised}}{\text{total no. of decision of program}} \times 100\%$$

- Adv \rightarrow
 - validate all condⁿ in code
 - ensure no condition led to any abnormality of program's operation
 - remove issues \rightarrow condⁿ coverage method
 - allows to find areas which \rightarrow not tested by other methods
 - finds a quantitative measure of code coverage

- Disadv \rightarrow
 - tedious to determine minimum set of test cases \rightarrow very complex Boolean expr
 - no. of test cases \rightarrow condⁿ \rightarrow similar complexity

4)

Functional Coverage Testing -

- mapped into function blocks & logical units of program.
- metric reports \rightarrow invoked each function of given program.
- determined by tracing how many funcⁿ/modules of program.

$$\text{Functional coverage} = \frac{\text{total functions exercised}}{\text{total no. of functions of program}} \times 100\%$$

- Adv \rightarrow
 - easily identified \rightarrow program so test case writing easy
 - easy to measure \rightarrow function in program.
 - improves performance & quality of a product.



Branch Coverage Testing -

- white box testing method.
- every outcome \rightarrow from code module
- ensure that each decision condition from \rightarrow each branch executed at least once.
- measure fractions of independent code.
- Branch Coverage =
$$\frac{\text{Number of Executed Branches}}{\text{Total no. of Branches}}$$

Adv \rightarrow • approve all branches \rightarrow code are reached -

- to guarantee \rightarrow no branches prompt.
- removes issues because of statement coverage testing.
- find areas not tested
- find quantitative measure of code
- ignores branches inside Boolean expressions -

Disadv \rightarrow

- costly
- only applicable to operations other than Boolean operations.
- Not a competent method \rightarrow
- metric \rightarrow control structure completely exercised -



Loop Coverage Testing -

- validity of loop constructs
- white box testing \cdot test loops in programs.

Adv \rightarrow • no. of loop iterations \rightarrow loop testing

- s/w doesn't enter an infinite loop.
- initialization of all variables used within loop
- aids in detection of various issues \rightarrow inside loop
- aids in capacity assessment

Disadv \rightarrow • loop issues \rightarrow low level applⁿ

- flaws \rightarrow loop testing are not significant
- Numerous defects \rightarrow operating system, pointer, fibres etc

Block
Testing

Black Box Testing
Betw. Pov.

Black Box Approaches To Test Case Design

Adv

- Test → user pov
- useful → need not know programming language
- Body independent → developer
- test cases → specific → complete

Disadv

- small no. of input → tested
- unclear specification → difficult design
- tests → redundant

- 1) Boundary Value Analysis (BVA) -
- boundary condition data testing.
 - testing boundaries b/w two partitions.
 - both valid & invalid boundaries.
 - test edge of each equivalence class.
- 2) Equivalence Class Partitioning -
- equivalence class partitioning → ECP
 - input data → two equivalent partitions.
 - large range of data input
- 3) State Transition Testing -
- blackbox dynamic testing
 - dependant → values/condition
- 4) Cause effect graphing -
- represent graph which maps specification writing in natural language
 - tester → boolean logic & logic operators
- 5) Decision Table -
- excellent tool → testing & requirements management
 - diff input combinations
 - capture & effects for better test coverage
 - black box test design technique → test scenarios for complex business logic
- adv → • easily → decision table
- disadv → • no. → input increase → table complex
- simple → easily interpreted
- each rule → test case → decision table.

* Use Case Testing -

- functional black-box testing
- identify gaps in s/w appln → not be found → testing individual s/w compn.

* Characteristics

- Use Case → b/w → actors & systems
- Actors → user & interactions each user takes part into.
- Use case → use cases
- identify gaps in system
- efficient in defining scope

* Diff types of Experience based Testing Techniques.

1) Error guessing

- takes adv of testers skill, intuition
- depends on tester experience
- creation of defect & failure lists
- used to design tests & user experience

2) Exploratory testing

- doesn't use any specified dev
- testers explore & identify new to improve quality of s/w
- test cases are not created in advance but testers check system on fly.

- used in agile models
- used when specifications are either missing or inadequate

(adv) → bug early.

- less preparation
- bug → missed in testcases
- test → new features

(disadv)

→ time consuming
test engineer → inconsistent → bugs → misunderstand as feedback

Types of exploratory testing.

1) Freestyle

- don't follow rules.
- no max. coverage
- Adhoc testing
- freestyle exploratory

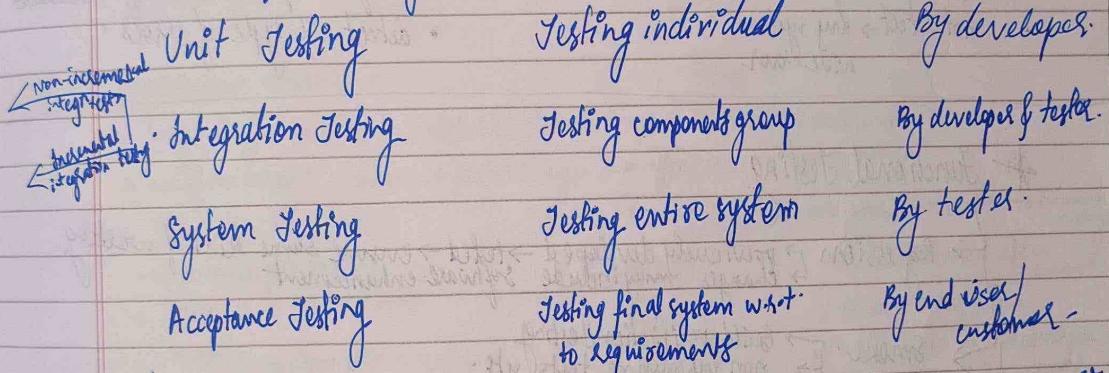
2) Strategy based

- multiple testing technique
- experienced tester
- knows appln
- appln → longest time

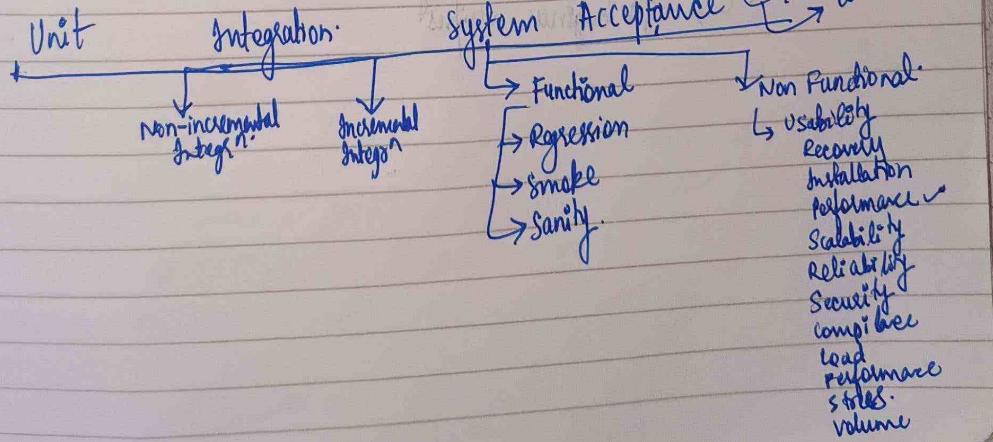
3) Scenario based.

- multiple scenario
- end to end, test scenario
- test engineer → find defects
- set of possibilities

* Levels of Testing



Levels of Testing



Integration Testing.

Unit Testing

- test each part of program.
individual parts → correct
- kind of white Box testing
performed → anytime
- doesn't verify → code.
- executed → developer
- maintenance → cheap
- can't be subdivided
- specifications of modules
- not detect → any system wide error

- combine modules in appn.
- test → as group → if they work
- kind of Black Box testing.
- carried out after unit testing & before System testing.
- verifies → code.
- executed → testing team.
- maintenance → expensive
- can be subdivided ↑ top down ↓ bottom up.
- interface specification of modules
- detect all type of errors.

Functional Testing

- Regression → previously developed → tested → ensure same kind of working
changes may include software enhancement
- Smoke → Build verification testing
non exhaustive tests sets.
working of imp functions
build stable enough to test further
- Sanity → not enough time for test
surface level testing
QA engineer verifies.

Smoke Testing

- confirm → critical functional of program working fine.
- verify stability of system in order to proceed more rigorous testing.
- performed by developer or tester.
- tests entire system from end-to-end.
- usually documented as scripted.
- general health checkup of software.
- performed first on initial builds.

Sanity Testing.

- check new functionality/bugs have been fixed.
- verify functionality of system in order to proceed with regular testing.
- performed by testers.
- only parts of component of entire system.
- not documented or is unscriped.
- specialized health checkup of software.
- performed after smoke testing.

* Regression Testing -

- verify changes made in codebase don't impact current functionality.
- confirm recent program or code change → affect existing features.

Adv.

- lot of efforts & time
- run multiple tests
- ensure → no new bugs
- easily automated → tools
- ensures fixed bugs
- verifies modification do not impact correct work

Disadv.

- time & resource → consumes
- required even after small changes.
- each & every time
- achieve max test coverage with fewer test cases
- release & build bug fixes

Non-Functional

* Functional Testing

- What the product does
- checks → opn & actions of appl'n.
- based on business requirement
- actual result → working → acc to expected
- carried out manually
- as per customer requirements
- reducing risk of product
- testing func'ns of s/w
- types → unit, integration, system, acceptance

Eg -
Login page must show text box
to enter username & password.

- checks behaviour of an appl'n
- customer & performance requirements
- checks response, time & speed
- more feasible to test
- tests → customer requirement
- customer feed → more valuable
- testing performance functionality
- includes → performance, load testing, stress testing, security, instability, Recovery.

Eg → Test if a login page
↳ loaded in 5 seconds.

Performance Test Classification

- Load Testing
- Stress Testing
- Data Volume Testing
- Storage Testing

* I18n Testing - (Internalization)

- process of designing & developing product.
- non-functional testing technique
- ensuring adaptability of software to diff culture & language
- 18 → no. of characters b/w I & N in internationalization.

- Adv →
- easier adaptation
 - reduced time & cost
 - simpler maintenance
 - improved quality of code architecture
 - adherence to international standard
 - good quality & architecture
 - reduced ownership cost for versions

* L10N - (Localization)

- process of localization testing to check appropriate linguistic & cultural aspects
- testing globalized appl'n
- 10 → no. of letters b/w l & n → specific language.
- Adv →
- cost reduced (testing)
- cost reduced (support)
- reducing time for testing
- more flexible & scalability.

- Disadv →
- requires domain expert
 - hiring local translator → expensive.
 - tester → schedule challenges.



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V-Q (STPA) Software Quality Assurance & Quality Control.

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• Software Product Quality - (Measure) -

- define goal of software product
- determine how to measure success of your software
- identify which SW metric are imp.
- choose test metric → easy to implement & analyze
- setup a system for collecting data on this test metric or others

* Requirement of Product.

- stated & implied requirements
- general & specific requirement
- Present & Future Requirements

Requirement Categories Based on Priority

- Primary requirement (must / must not)
- secondary " (should / should not be)
- tertiary require (could be / could not be)

★ Agile Model:-

- adv →
- customer satisfaction by rapid
 - people & interaction
 - face to face conversation
 - regular adaptation to circumstances
 - take changes in requirements well

Disadv →

- lack of emphasis
- easily get taken off track
- only senior programmers are involved
- customers representatives not involved

Software Development Model

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Waterfall Model

- adv →
 - simple & easy
 - processed one at a time
 - smaller projects
 - defined stages
 - easy to assign tasks
 - well documented

- disadv →
 - late processing
 - high risk & uncertainty
 - not for complex
 - poor model → long project
 - difficult → measure progress
 - adjusting model

Iterative Model

- adv →
 - working s/w during SDLC
 - very flexible
 - cheap
 - feedback taken
 - errors & bugs → early detect
 - smaller dev teams

- disadv →
 - not good for small project
 - more resource intensive
 - difficult to manage
 - risk analysis → specialists
 - all requirement → gathered upfront

Incremental

- adv →
 - develop quickly
 - result → early & periodic
 - parallel development
 - progress can be measured
 - risk analysis → better
 - supports changing requirements
 - risk → easily managed

- disadv →
 - more resources required
 - more management required
 - not suitable for smaller project
 - management complexity → more
 - dependent on risk analysis phase

Spiral

- adv →
 - high amt risk analysis
 - good for large projects
 - approval & documentation control
 - s/w → early in SDLC
 - high risk projects

- disadv →
 - costly
 - risk analysis
 - not for smaller projects
 - hard to define objects vs milestones

Proto typing

- adv →
 - users → actively involved in devlp
 - errors → detected earlier
 - mission functionality → identified easily
 - diff functions → identified

- disadv →
 - leads to implements a replying system
 - increase complexity
 - incomplete appn → full system designs.

R A D.

- adv →
 - reduced development time
 - modularized built
 - highly skilled developer
 - high dependency → modelling skill
 - quick initial reviews
 - encourages customer feedback
 - Integ'n → solves integration issues

- disadv →
 - depends on strong team
 - only system → modularized
 - highly skilled developers
 - High dependency on modelling skill
 - Inapplicable → code generation by alg

* Types of Software Product

- 1) Products affecting life
- 2) Products affecting investment
- 3) simulation based products
- 4) other products

* Schemes of Criticality Definitions -

- 1) classification talks about dependency of business on system-
- 2) classification talks about products operating environment.
- 3) " talks about complexity of a system on basis of development capabilities required.

* Software Quality Management -

Activities of Software Quality Management -

- 1) Quality Assurance
- 2) Quality Planning
- 3) Quality Control →
 - correction actions
 - prevention actions

* Factors → defect in software -

→ technology → source of defects.

→ communication gap.

- requirement → dynamically changes
- customers → unaware about stated requirements
- software developers → confident about skills
- programming errors
- time pressures
- egotistical or overconfident of team
- poorly documented code
- lack of skilled testers
- peer reviews & self reviews

* Process related to Software Quality

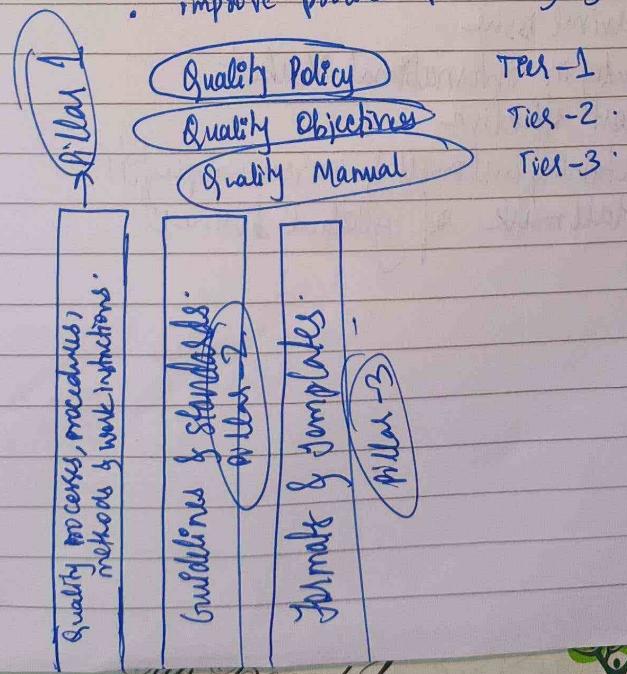
- 1) Vision
- 2) Mission
- 3) Policy
- 4) Objectives
- 5) Strategy
- 6) Goal
- 7) Values.

* Quality Management System's Structure -

- process of overseeing all activities & tasks needed to maintain desired level of excellence,
- collection of business processes focused on constantly meeting customer requirements

Benefits → . Managing product & process quality

- Achieve greater consistency
- Reduce expensive mistakes
- Increase efficiency → improve use of time & resources
- customer satisfaction
- market business → efficiently
- new market sector & territories
- improve product processing & systems



Tier -1

Tier -2

Tier -3

* Important Aspects of Quality Management.

- 1) Quality planning at Organization level
- 2) Quality planning at Project level
- 3) Resource Management.
- 4) Work Environment
- 5) Customer related processes
- 6) QMS document & Data Control.
- 7) Verification & Validation
- 8) Software project management.
- 9) Software configuration management
- 10) Software Metrics & measurement.
- 11) Software quality audits.
- 12) Subcontractor management
- 13) Information security management
- 14) Management Review.

* Need for Quality

- A competitive issue
- Survival issue
- Entry in International Market
- Cost effective
- Retaining customers & increasing profits
- Hallmark of global business.

Software Quality Models -

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McCall's Quality Model

- General Electric's Model:
- vol. of 55 quality characteristics.
- quality factors → 11 main factors.
- 11 factors → describe view of s/w.
- 23 quality criteria → internal view of s/w.

3 major perspectives of model -

- i) Product Revision
 - a) Maintainability
 - b) Flexibility
 - c) Testability
- ii) Product Transition
 - a) Portability
 - b) Re-usability
 - c) Interoperability
- iii) Product Operations
 - a) Correctness
 - b) Reliability
 - c) Efficiency
 - d) Integrity
 - e) Usability

Boehm's Quality Model.

- quality of s/w on basis of set of credential & measurement.
- Hierarchical manner
- aim to address shortcomings of models that automatically quantify evaluate.

High level of characteristics.

- Usability
- Maintainability
- Portability -
 - Reliability
 - Efficiency
- Testability
- Understandability
- Flexibility

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Quality Assurance (QA)

- procedure focuses on:
 QA → quality requested achieved
- prevent the defect
- method to manage quality → verification.
- Not involve executing program
- preventive technique
- proactive measure
- procedure to create deliverables
- full software development life cycle
- defines standards & methodologies
- performed before Quality Control
- low level activity → identify error & mistakes which QC cannot
- prevent defects in system
- less time consuming
- ensures → everything is oriented in right way
- whole team involved
- statistical technique on QA
 ↳ Statistical Process Control (SPC).

Quality Control (QC)

- procedure focuses on:
 ↳ fulfilling quality required
- identify & fix defects
- validation
- involves executing program
- corrective technique
- reactive measure
- procedure to verify deliverables
- full s/w testing life cycle
- confirms standards → followed
- after QA is done
- high level acting:
 identify error that QA cannot
- identify defects or bugs in system
- more time
- ensures → as per requirement
- testing teams involved
- statistical technique on QC
 ↳ Statistical Quality Control (SQC)

Benefits of Quality Management Systems

- 1) Defining, improving & controlling processes
- 2) Reducing waste
- 3) Preventing mistakes
- 4) Lowering costs
- 5) Facilitating & identifying training opportunities.
- 6) Engaging staff
- 7) Communicating a readiness to produce results.

Activities → Quality Assurance

Quality Planning

Quality Control

Objectives → Improving internal processes

Lower cost

Reusability

Optimum utilization of resources

Helps in achieving organization goal.

Data Management

Continuously improved customer satisfaction

Principles →

- Customer Focus
- Engagement of ppl
- Process Approach
- Evidence based decision making
- Relationship management

Complexity Metrics →

- Lines of Code
- Cyclomatic Complexity

* Customer Satisfaction -

How s/w testing improving

- 1) Understanding Customers
- 2) Defining validation requirements to customer satisfaction
- 3) Add customer experience of testing Quality Assurance efforts.
- 4) Conduct in depth performance testing.
- 5) Should have enough knowledge about crowdsourcing
- 6) Pay attention to customer feedback

* CASE tools -

- Computer Aided Software Engineering-
- computer facilitated tools
- high quality & defect free s/w
- warehouse for documents.

- Improve quality of system.
- Increase speed of design/development
- Ease & improve testing
- Integration of devlop activities
- Promote reusability
- program maintenance.

- objectives
 - improve productivity
 - improve info system quality
 - improve effectiveness

CASE Support

- Prototyping support
- Structured analysis & Design
- Code Generation
- Test Case Generation

ISO 900

- International Standard Organization
- any type of industry
- separate business processes
- min req. product → identified
- No levels specified
- Sequence of steps
 - ↳ quality sys not specified
- Pass or fail criteria provided
- what is required?
- focuses on hard assets, software, processed materials, services
- aims at Level 3 of SEI-CMM Model

CMM.

- Capacity Maturity Model.
- software industry
- software engineering activities.
- technical aspect of s/w engg.
- Five levels → Initial, Repeatable, Defined, Managed, optimization
- step by step progress among its maturity levels.
- Grade for process maturity provided.
- How to fulfil requirement
- achieving total Quality Management
- beyond quality assurance

U-5 (STQA)

Automation Testing Tools
Performance Testing Tools

* Automation Testing

- repetition of same operation each time.
- automation helps if code changed
- useful when set of test cases needs to execute frequently
- automation test suites ready
- heterogeneous environment
- Testers → complex appl'n test
- runs test case faster than human
- not helpful → testing UI
- Build Verification Testing → Automating
- Initial cost → more than manual

Always useful

- 1) Requirement understanding
- 2) Defining scope of automation
- 3) Selecting right tool
- 4) Framework creation
- 5) Scripting test cases
- 6) CI CD

Manual Testing

- not reliable since result of test execution is not accurate all the time
- difficult to catch defects after regression using manual
- needs to run once or twice
- test case needs to run one by one
- impossible to carry on diff modules
- not involve any programming task
- slower than automation
- very much helpful → testing UI
- Build Verification Testing → execute
- less cost than automation testing

Benefits -

- enhanced results
- swift feedback system
- Brand enhancement
- cost-effective
- efficiency testing
- increase in coverage area
- Detailed testing
- Reusability
- Earlier detection of defects
- Time to market

Automated testing framework.

Linear Framework

- record & playback framework
- Jester → record each step
- Adv → no need of custom code
- fastest way → test scripts
- workflow → easier
- most automated

- Disadv → Not reusable script
- maintenance → hard
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Modular Based Testing Framework

- break → appn → individual modules
- testscript → client's requirements
- abstract changes

- Adv → changes → module & appn
 - easy maintenance
 - scalability
 - less effort for testcase

- Disadv → data → hard coded
 - programming knowledge needed
 - additional time
 - scripting knowledge

Library Architecture

- modular + add'l benefits
- scripts → identified
- Adv → high level modularization
 - test maintenance
 - cost efficient

- Disadv → Test data → coded script
 - technical expertise
 - Test scripts → more time

Data Driven Framework

- same feature → diff data → test
- test → multiple data sets
- multiple scenario → reduce no. of scripts
- save time
- run in shortest period
- changes → test data
↳ no alter to test script code
- code → reusable

- Disadv →
 - high experienced tester
 - amt of time
 - programming knowledge
 - quite complex

Keyword Driven

- each fun → appn → test
- build out → instructions

- Adv → minimal scripting
 - single keyword → multiple test scripts → code → reusable

- Test scripts → independent

- Disadv →
 - cost high
 - employed → good test automation
 - keywords → hassle

Hybrid Testing

- comb' of any previously mentioned framework
- teams → agile model
- easily adapt → for better results

* Criteria for Selecting Test Tool.

- Data driven capabilities
- Debugging & logging capabilities
- Platform Independence
- Extensibility & customizability
- Email Notifications
- Version control friendly
- Ease of use
- Environment support
- Object Identification
- Testing of Database
- Scripting Language Used
- easy to debug
- support for multiple testing frameworks
- extensive test reports & results
- Minimize training cost of selected tools.

* Automation Tool Selection criteria Suggested by Experts.

- 1) Meeting Requirements →
- 2) Technology Expectations.
- 3) Training & Skills
- 4) Management Aspects

Selenium -

- open source
- free web Automation tools or suite
- components →
 - a) selenium Integrated Development Environment (IDE)
 - b) selenium Remote control (RC)
 - c) WebDriver
 - d) selenium Grid

Features → • functional automation tool for Web application-

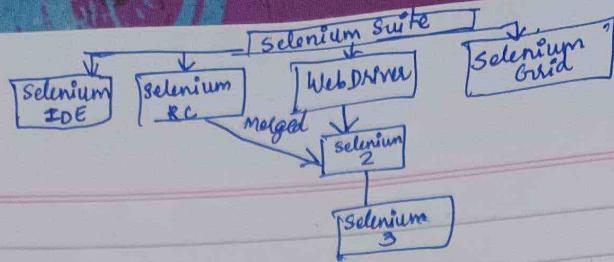
- open source tool
- HTML, Java, PHP, Perl, Python, etc.
- browsers like IE, Mozilla, Safari, chrome & opera
- functional regression testing
- supports OS like windows, Linux & Mac
- flexible → functional tests
- executing ones tests on multiple browser platforms.

Advantages → • free & no license cost.

- supports various OS
- support programming languages
- supports browsers
- uses less Hardware resources
- supports parallel test case execution.

Disadvantages → • supports web appli only

- no centralized maintenance of objects & elements
- new features may not work properly
- no reliable support from anybody as open source tool
- Difficult use, take more time to create test case
- difficult to set up test environment.
- limited support for image testing



* Selenium IDE -

- Integrated Development environment → selenium tests.
- Selenium Record
- automatically add assertions to all pages.
- export WebDriver or Remote control scripts.
- allows you options to select a language

features →

- record & playback
- intelligent field selection will use IDs, names or XPATH.
- auto complete for all common Selenium commands.
- walkthrough → test cases & test suites
- debug & set breakpoints
- save tests as HTML, Ruby scripts
- support for selenium user-extension.js file
- option to automatically assert title of every page
- roll up common commands.

Categorization of logs → Debug

Info

Warn

Error

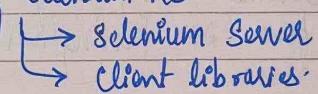
* Selenium RC -

- Selenium Remote control
- server, written in Java that accepts to browser via HTTP.
- possible to write automated tests for web application.
- API & library for supported languages.
- high-level programming language.
- automated web appln UI.

Features -

- test script → Programming language.
- user run → test against diff browsers.
- use any Javascript enabled browser.
- work with any HTTP website
- automatically launches sever & kills browsers
- test automation developer → developing test logic
- configures the browser.

Components of Selenium RC



* Selenium Web Driver -

- API helps in communication b/w languages & browsers.
- supports many languages.
- Architecture
 - selenium client Library
 - JSON Wire Protocol over HTTP
 - ISOBAT Browser Drivers
 - Browser-

Selenium Grid 1

- Requires Apache Ant to be installed
- Has its own remote control (diff from RC server)
- Supports only Selenium RC commands
- Automate only one browser per remote control

- Apache Ant installation is not reqd
- Bundled with Selenium Server
- supports both Selenium RC & Web Driver script
- You can automate up to 5 browsers per remote control.

* Automation Tools -

Help teams & organization to automate their software testing needs

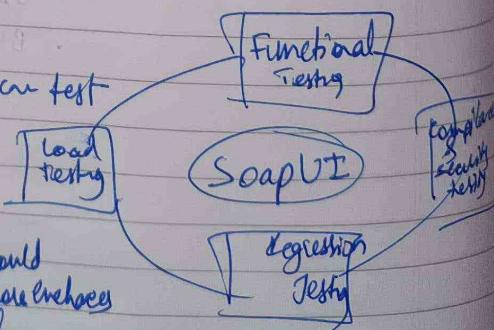
* Soap UI -

- World's leading open-source testing platform
- open source cross platform API testing tool

Features →
• simple & easy UI
• supports all standard protocols
• provide security or vulnerability testing of system
• own building plugin for diff open source

adv →
• desktop based appn
• costs less
• supports drag & drop
• creates mock where testers can test
• fast & well organised

disadv →
• require enhancement
• mock response module should be more enhanced
• longer to request big data & full data



R.P.A.

- Robotic Process Automation
- form of business process automation that allows anyone to define a set of instructions for a robot or bot to perform

- RPA features →
- Rich analytical suite
 - Simple creation of bots
 - Scriptless automation
 - Security
 - Hosting & deployment
 - Debugging

Benefits → Reduces cost

Reduces operational risks

Quality & accuracy

Scalability

Reduced workload

Improved customer satisfaction

Improved business results

Types → 1) Unattended RPA / Autonomous

2) Attended RPA

3) Hybrid RPA

Working of RPA -

- 1) Planning
- 2) Design & Development
- 3) Deployment & testing
- 4) Support & maintenance



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Tosca

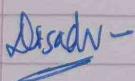
- Topology & Orchestration Specification for Cloud appl'n.
- set of rules given by industry group OASIS

Features -

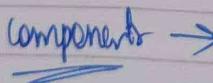
- Automated & Manual Testing
- Browser Based Performance Testing
 - Unicode Compliance
 - Hierarchical View
 - Parameterized Testing
 - supports parallel execution
 - Requirements Based Testing
- Security



- one stop soln → automated tests
- no script to fiction
- drag & drop features
- creation & maintenance of bidirectional → increased potential
- supports both GUI & non GUI.
- reducing time → reduced
- explicit framework → not needed
- Low maintenance
- less time consuming

Disadv -

- very expensive
- heavy tool → to maintain
- less performance → while scanning the application.



- Components →
- TOSCA Commander
 - TOSCA Executor
 - TOSCA Wizard or Xscape
 - TOSCA Repository

* Appium -

open source Mobile Automation tool → platform like Android, iOS, etc

Features -

- open source sw
- cross platform
- all types of mobile sw
- supports virtual testing
- multiple language support
- no source code or library
- strong & active community
- multiple platform support
- small change → no need to install again

Adv →

- open source tool
- supports desktop app
- cross platform

Disadv →

- lack of detailed reports
- tests → slow
- only supports SDK, browser
- one instance → one mac os device.

* Performance Test Advantages

- validate features
- measure speed, accuracy & stability
- keep users happy
- identify dependencies
- improve optimization & load capacity.

Tools for Performance Testing

JMeter

- performance of both static & dynamic resources
- designed on JAVA app¹¹.

Features →

- open source app¹¹
- user friendly GUI
- support various testing approach
- platform independent
- support various server types
- support multi protocol
- simulation
- framework
- Remote distributed testing
- test result visualization

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Load Runner -

- supports XML → view & handle data
- large range of app¹¹s supported
- detailed performance test reports.
- reduce cost of distributed load testing
- provide operational tool for deployment tracking
- reduce cost of s/w & h/w .

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Webload -

- flexible test scenario creation
- detects bottleneck automatically
- easily approachable
- evaluate performance test results → browser or mobile
- generate load from cloud-

- + Load complete
 - provide load modeling for performance testing
 - record & playback
 - various OS environment
 - test various types of app
 - generate load test reports

V-6 (STA A) Testing Framework

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Date _____
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* Software Quality -

- Quality - a developed product meets its specification.
- degree to which a system, component, or process meets specified requirements

* Targeted Quality Factors

- intuitiveness
- efficiency
- robustness
- richness

* Software Quality Dilemma -

- 1) Good enough Software
- 2) The Cost of Quality \longleftrightarrow Prevention cost
Appraisal cost
Failure cost
- 3) Risks.
- 4) Negligence & Liability
- 5) Quality & Security
- 6) Impact of Management Actions

* SQA

- Software Quality Assurance
- set of activities that ensure quality of s/w engineering processes

objectives →

- Quality Management Approach -
- Measurement & reporting mechanisms
- effective software - engineering tech-ology
- procedure to assure compliance with s/w develop standards.
- Multi-testing strategy is drawn
- formal technical review is applied throughout software process.

elements of SQA

- 1) Standards
- 2) Reviews & Audits
- 3) Testing
- 4) Error/Defect collection & analysis
- 5) Change Management
- 6) Education
- 7) Vendor Management
- 8) Security Management
- 9) Safety
- 10) Risk Management

SQA tasks

- ↳ 1) SQA plan (Prepare)
- 2) Participate in development
- 3) Review s/w activities to verify compliance
- 4) Audit designated work areas
- 5) analyse → my deviation in software & work products are documented
- 6) Recordary evidence of unacceptable reports to manager

Goals →

- Requirements quality
- Design "
- code "
- Quality control effectiveness

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* Six Sigma

- system of statistical tools & technique focused on eliminating defects & reduce process variability.
- strategy for statistical quality assurance -

Features -

- eliminates waste & inefficiency
- follows structured methodology
- data driven methodology
- putting results on financial statements
- business driven, multidimensional structured approach.

Key Concept

- Critical to Quality
- Defect
- Process Capability
- Variation
- Stable operations
- Design for Six Sigma.

Core Steps -

- 1) Define customer requirements
- 2) Measure the existing process along with output.
- 3) Analyze defect metrics & determine my problem
- 4) Improve process by eliminating root cause of defects
- 5) Control process to ensure future work \Rightarrow no reintroduce current defects.

* ISO 9000 - 3 & MS principles.

- 1) customer focus
- 2) leadership
- 3) involvement of ppl
- 4) process approach
- 5) system approach to management
- 6) continual improvement
- 7) factual approach to decision making
- 8) mutually supportive supplier relationships

* Adv of ISO standard.

- Proper quality management can improve & increase business as it puts means at hand
- positive effect on investment, shareholder
- expectation → easily determined
- highlight business objective & new opportunities
- organizations to identify & address side effects
- internal costs down
- meet necessary statutory & regulatory
- organizations can expand → new market / sectors

* Limitations

- misleads companies → certification → better quality
- high amt of money, time & paperwork required.
- no idea about required resources.
- risks & uncertainty
- failure → get certified → risk of poor company image
- doesn't guarantee a successful quality system
- ISO → doesn't validate technical solution.

* SQA Plan -

- Management Section
- Documentation "
- Standards, practices & conventions "
- Reviews & audit "
- Test section
- Problem reporting & collective action section

* TQM → Total Quality Management.

→ Total Quality Control (TQC)

- way of organization to achieve excellence
- managing
- Art of managing whole to achieve excellence

* Key elements →

- Basic concept
- customer focus (satisfaction)
 - Leadership
 - employee involvement
 - supplier partnership
 - continuous process improvement
 - Performance measure

Team work, Communication & Recognition

* TQM Frameworks

- Plan Do Check Act
- The Quality Improvement Paradigm / Experiential Factory Organization
- SEI Capability Maturity Model
- Lean Enterprise Management

* Product Quality Metric

- ↳ 1) Mean time to failure
- ↳ 2) Defect density
- ↳ 3) Customer problems
- ↳ 4) Customer Satisfaction

the defect density Matrix

- ↳ Lines of Code (LOC)
- ↳ customer Perspective
- ↳ functional points

* Inprocess Quality Metrics

- ↳ defect density Machine testing
- ↳ defect arrival pattern during Machine testing
- ↳ Phase Based defect Removal pattern
- ↳ Defect Removal Effectiveness (DRE)

$$\text{DRE} = \frac{\text{defect removed during development phase}}{\text{defects latent in product}} \times 100$$

* Shewhart's 7 basic tools

- checklists
- Pareto Diagrams
- Histogram
- Run Charts
- Scatter diagram
- Control chart
- cause effect diagram

* Checklists -

- most basic tool for quality
- easy to apply & understand
- collect data in systematic way
- to determine source of problem
- efficient & powerful tool

Disadv. → not have
effectiveness to
only a quality
problem

* Histogram -

- understand process variation \rightarrow exists in process
- shape \rightarrow process behavior
- dig deeper \rightarrow unseen causes of variation
- shape & size of dispersion \rightarrow help identify hidden sources of variation
- determine capability of process
- study parts for improvement

* Pareto -

- find nonconformity from data figures
- helps graphically displays figures result.
- tells what to work on first,
- X \rightarrow defect cause, Y - defect count

* Run chart -

- separates gathered data from varieties of sources
- TD check pattern
- run sequence plot
- Trends output of manufacturing process
- process has any cycle or any shift
- non-random pattern in behavioral over period of time

* Scatter Diagram -

- displays reln b/w two interval variables
- identify correlations \rightarrow exist b/w \rightarrow quality characteristics, factor design
- two variable in process
- dot cluster together in line \rightarrow across diagram

* Control Chart -

- consists of central line represent average or mean & two parallel lines
- predict process out of control & limits
- statistical process control
- diff b/w statistical & causes of variation

* Cause effect diagram -

- fish bone charts.
- identifies factors of causing an undesired effect.
- break problem → bit size pieces → find root cause
- fosters team work
- common understanding of factors causing problem
- flow map to verify picture of process
- follows brainstorming relationship.

* Defect Removal efficiency Process.

↳ DRE → process metric

$$DRE = \frac{\text{Defects removed during development phase}}{\text{Defects latent in product at phase}} \times 100\%$$

$$1) \text{ error detection efficiency} = \frac{\text{errors found during inspection}}{\text{total errors in product before inspection}} \times 100\%$$

$$2) \text{ Removal efficiency} = \frac{\text{defect found by removal exprn}}{\text{defect present at " "}} \times 100\%$$

$$3) \text{ early detection percentage} = \frac{\text{no. of major inspection errors}}{\text{total no. of errors}} \times 100\%$$

$$4) \text{ effectiveness measure} = E = \frac{N}{N+S} \times 100\%$$

E = effectiveness of activity

N = No. of faults by activity phase

S → No. of faults found by subsequent activities