

Testing Terminology

➤ Unit Test

- Testing methods of a single class

➤ Integration Test

- Testing how well two or more classes work together

➤ Test Suite

- Collection of test cases

➤ Test Fixture

- Code that sets up data needed to run tests

➤ Test Runner

- Software that runs the tests and reports results

Ideas of Unit Testing

- Tests are automated (self checked)
- Tests run in isolation of one another
- Tests do not depend on or connect to external resources (File I/O, Networking, DB)
- Ordering of tests does not matter
- Each test starts with a clean data structure (not use one from a previous test which could have changed it)

JUnit Strategy

➤ For each test

- **Arrange**
 - Create the data/objects needed to perform the test
- **Act**
 - Perform the test
- **Assert**
 - Validate the results

JUnit Tests

➤ For each test

- Imports
 - **import** org.junit.Test;
 - **import static** org.junit.Assert.*;
- Place **@Test** before each test method

```
public class TestString {  
    @Test  
    public void testLength() {  
        String tstString;  
        int len;  
  
        /* arrange */  
        tstString = new String("test");  
  
        /* act */  
        len = tstString.length();  
  
        /* assert */  
        assertEquals(len,4);  
    }  
}
```

Assert Methods

- After getting a result, use an **assert()** method to verify expectations have been met
 - May need multiple **assert()** calls to check
- Basic Asserts
 - **AssertionError** thrown if test fails
 - Optional **message** is included in Error on failure

```
static void assertTrue(boolean test)  
static void assertTrue(String message, boolean test)
```

```
static void assertFalse(boolean test)  
static void assertFalse(String message, boolean test)
```

Assert Equals

- Primitive parameters compared with `==`
- Object parameters compared by calling the `equals()` method

`assertEquals(expectedValue, actualValue)`

`assertEquals(String message, expectedValue, actualValue)`

- For comparing doubles

`assertEquals(expected, actual, delta)`

```
final double DELTA = 1e-15;

@Test
public void testDelta(){
    double expectedVal = 20.56;
    double computedVal = Calculator.add(10.54, 10.02);
    assertEquals(computedVal, expectedVal, DELTA);
}
```

Assert Same

- Verify two objects are the same object (address comparison)

`assertSame(Object expected, Object actual)`

`assertSame(String message, Object expected, Object actual)`

`assertNotSame(Object expected, Object actual)`

`assertNotSame(String message, Object expected, Object actual)`

Assert Null

- Verify an object is **null**

`assertNull(Object actualObj)`

`assertNull(String message, Object actualObj)`

`assertNotNull(Object actualObj)`

`assertNotNull(String message, Object actualObj)`

Assert Failure

➤ Used to indicate test has failed

- For example, reach a point in the code that should never have been reached

`fail()`

`fail(String message)`

```
public class TestString {
    @Test
    public void testArrayBoundsException() {
        String tstString;

        /* arrange */
        tstString = new String("test");

        /* act */
        try {
            char badChar = tstString.charAt(10);
            /* why didn't we get an exception? */
            fail("No exception thrown for bad index");
        } catch (StringIndexOutOfBoundsException ex) {
            /* This is what we expect to happen */
        }
    }
}
```

Expecting Exceptions

- Add **expected** attribute to **@Test** to indicate an expected exception
 - Test passes if exception is thrown, fails otherwise
 - Note the example of the previous slide is more precise in case multiple statements could throw the same exception

```
@Test(expected = StringIndexOutOfBoundsException.class)
public void testArrayBoundsException() {
    String tstString;
    int len;

    /* arrange */
    tstString = new String("test");

    /* act */
    char badChar = tstString.charAt(10);
}
```

Expecting Exceptions

- **Caution:** what would happen if you wanted to test that a division operation gives an **ArithmeticException** on a divide by zero, but multiple statements in the test could throw the exception?

```
@Test(expected = ArithmeticException.class)
public void testExFromDivByZero() {
    Calculator calc = new Calculator();
    int firstDiv; divRes;

    /* What if this statement throws exception (because of a bug)? */
    firstDiv = calc.div(10,5);
    divRes = calc.div(firstDiv, 0);
}
```

Timing Out

- Use **timeout** attribute to cause failure if a test takes too long
 - What if bug introduces an infinite loop?
 - What if code modification makes testcase run 3 times longer?
 - Time limit is in **milliseconds**

```
@Test(timeout = 1000)
public void testEquals() {
    String tstString1, tstString2;
    int len;

    /* arrange */
    tstString1 = new String("test");
    tstString2 = new String("test");

    /* act and assert */
    assertEquals(tstString1, tstString2);
}
```

Ignoring Tests

- Use **@Ignore** to turn off the testing for a function
 - Can be used to add tests before code is actually developed or working

```
@Ignore("Expected to work in release 5.6")
@Test
public void testEquals() {
    String tstString1, tstString2;
    int len;

    /* arrange */
    tstString1 = new String("test");
    tstString2 = new String("test");

    /* act and assert */
    assertEquals(tstString1, tstString2);
}
```

Test Fixtures

- If tests require some common initial setup, put the code in a function annotated with **@Before**
 - Code is executed before **every** test so each test starts with uncorrupted data
 - Can have more than one method with the annotation

```
public class TestString {  
    private String tstString;  
  
    @Before  
    public void setUp() {  
        String testStr = new String("test");  
    }  
  
    ...  
}
```

- Use methods annotated with **@After** to cleanup after **every** test, if necessary

Test Suites

- Use `@SuiteClasses` to define the test classes in the test suit
- When you run the class, all tests in the suite are run

```
@SuiteClasses(value={StringTests.class,  
                    CalculatorTests.class,  
                    HashTableTests.class})  
public class NightlyTests{ }
```

@RunWith

- Use **@RunWith** to specify a different class (test runner) to run the tests
 - Replaces the test runner built in to JUnit
 - For Spring testing use **SpringJUnit4ClassRunner.class**

```
@RunWith(SpringJUnit4ClassRunner.class)
public class StudentDaoTests {

    ...
}
```


Spring Annotations for Tests

- Use `@ContextConfiguration` to load an application context

```
@ContextConfiguration("classpath:studentdao-context.xml")
@RunWith(SpringJUnit4ClassRunner.class)
public class StudentDaoTests {

    ...

}
```

Can also use a list of files to create the application context:

```
@ContextConfiguration(locations = {
    "app-context.xml", "utils-context.xml"})
@RunWith(SpringJUnit4ClassRunner.class)
public class StudentDaoTests {

    ...

}
```

Spring Annotations for Tests

➤ @DirtiesContext

- When used on a method, the application context will be reloaded when the method ends

➤ @TransactionConfiguration

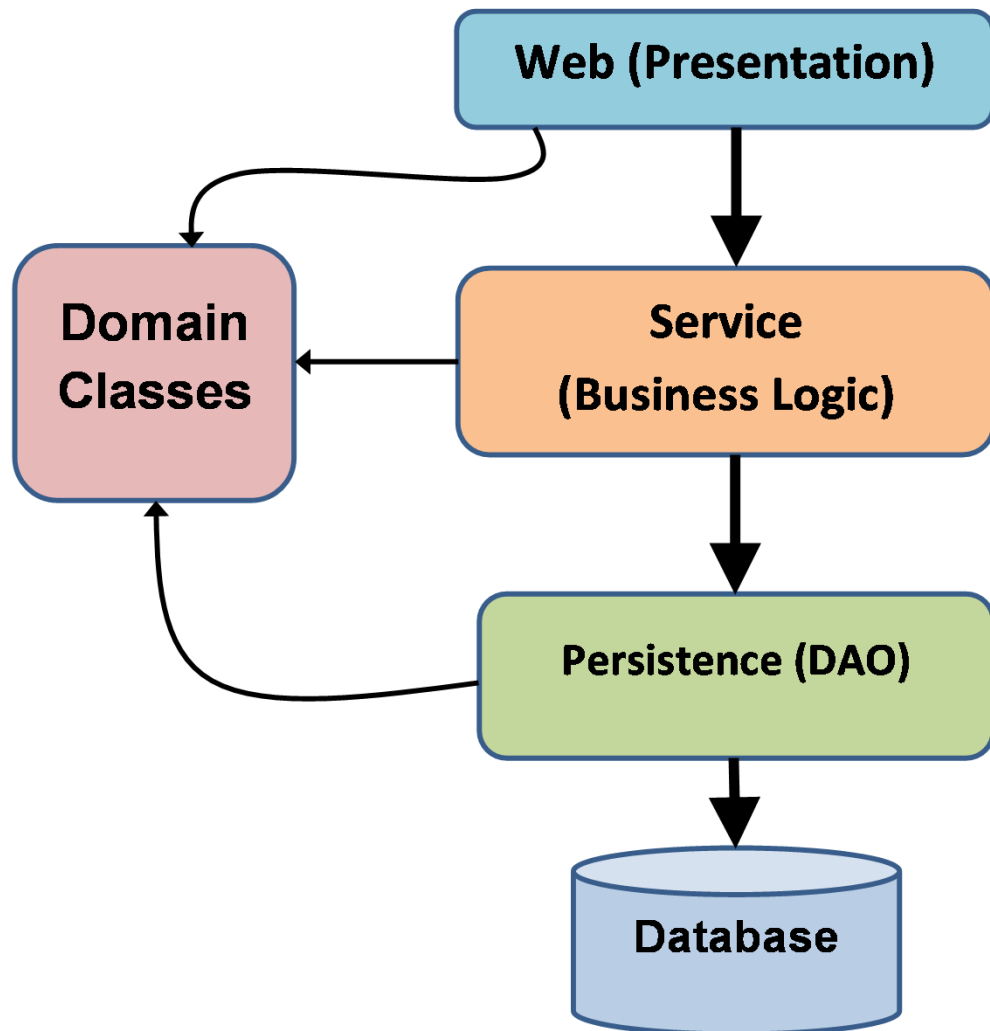
- Applied at class level to configure transactions (default is to rollback)

A More Realistic Application

➤ Example: Application for a University

- Enroll new students
- Lookup student information
- Retrieve a student's course history
- Add courses
- Add course offerings (specific instances of courses)
- Register students for a course
- Lookup course information
- Find course offerings in a department for a specific semester

Layers of a Web Application



Domain Classes

➤ Domain classes are the classes needed to represent objects in the problem domain

➤ Example Domain Classes:

- **Student**

- Name
- Address
- Login Account Name
- GPA

- **Course**

- Name
- Title
- Department

- **CourseOffering**

- Course
- Semester (e.g., Spring 2014)
- Maximum Enrollment
- Actual Enrollment

- **CourseEntry**

- Student
- CourseOffering
- Grade

The Service Layer

- The Service layer implements the business logic of the application
- Example Service Class: **StudentService**
 - Enroll new students
 - Lookup student information
 - Retrieve a student's course history

```
public interface StudentService {  
    public void addNewStudent(Student stud);  
    public void deleteStudent(Student stud);  
    public Student findStudentByAcctName(String acctName);  
    public void insertStudentCourseItem(StudentCourseItem courseItem);  
    public void deleteStudentCourseItem(Student stud, CourseOffering offering);  
    public boolean isRegisteredForCourse(Student stud, CourseOffering offering);  
    public List<StudentCourseItem> findCourseHistory(long studId);  
    public List<StudentCourseItem> findCourseHistoryForSem(long studId,  
                                                            String sem, int year);  
    public void updateProfile(Student stud);  
}
```

The DAO Layer

- The DAO layer consists of **Data Access Objects**
- All Database operations should be put in the DAO object
 - Keep the Service layer completely independent of the database technology
 - Generally one Domain class should correspond to one DAO class
 - The DAO class will be responsible for persisting the Domain object

```
public interface StudentDAO {  
    public Student findStudentById(long id);  
    public Student findStudentByAcctName(String acctName);  
    public long insertStudent(Student stud);  
    public void deleteStudent(Student stud);  
    public void updatePhone(Student stud);  
    public void updateProfile(Student stud);  
}
```

Mocking

- An Object under test may have dependencies on other complex objects
- **Mocking**
 - Creating objects that simulate the behavior of real objects
- Isolate the test object by replacing other objects with Mocks
 - Mock objects simulate the behavior of other objects
 - Mocked objects can be simpler and more efficient than actual object
 - Can test an object with Mocks even if the real objects are still in development

Mocking Example

- Incorporating a database in testing can be complicated and slow
- If we are only interested in the data (not where it comes from), we can replace the database with a Mock object