Duo API Testing Report

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The Scope of API Testing

The test we are going to do is only focus on frontend testing instead of backend testing because we do not have any access to the Duo backend service, so it is impossible to parse the Duo Data flow.

The test cases are as below, which are essential to the HTTP Request and Response.

- HTTP Response Status Checking
- HTTP Response Header Checking
- Response Time Checking
- Cookie Testing

The Testing Methodology

Using Postman for testing API of HTTP requests, utilizing a GUI, the script uses Chai Assertion Library BDD syntax to perform the test cases.

The Objective

Status Code Testing:

Sending the HTTP Get Request to the customized Duo login page, and seeing the response status is included with the status set.

The script is:

```
pm.test("Status code Testing", () => {
    pm.expect(pm.response.code).to.be.oneOf([201,202,200,304,400,401,403,404,409,410,500]);
});
```



The complete picture of the status code can be found in the below cheatsheet.

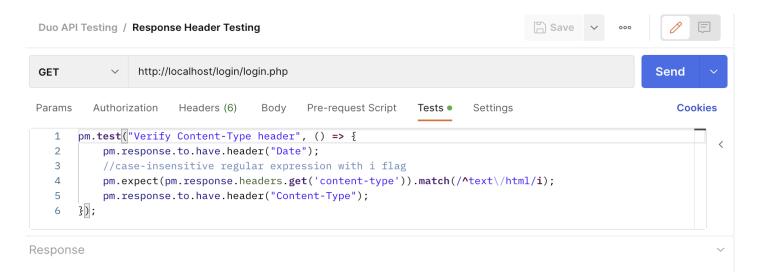
1xx: HTTP Informational Codes		4xx: HTTP Client Error Code		5xx: HTTP Server Error Codes			
100	Continue	400	Bad Request	500	Internal Server Erro		
101	Switching Protocols	401	Unauthorized	501	Not Implemented		
102	Processing WebDAV	402	Payment Required res	502	Bad Gateway		
103	Checkpoint draft POST PUT	403	Forbidden	503	Service Unavailable		
122	Request-URI too long IE7	404	Not Found	504	Gateway Timeout		
		405	Method Not Allowed	505	HTTP Version Not S	Supported	
2xx: HTTP Successful Codes		406	Not Acceptable	506	Variant Also Negotia		
200	OK	407	Proxy Authentication Required	507	Insufficient Storage		
201	Created	408	Request Timeout	508	Loop Detected Webl		
202	Accepted	409	Conflict	509	Bandwidth Limit Exc		
203	Non-Authoritative Information 1.1	410	Gone	510	Not Extended ²⁷⁷⁴		
204	No Content	411	Length Required	511	Network Authenticat	ion Required ^{draft}	
205	Reset Content	412	Precondition Failed	598	Network read timeor		
206	Partial Content	413	Request Entity Too Large	599	Network connect tim	eout error nostd	
207	Multi-Status WebDAV 4918	414	Request-URI Too Long				
208	Already Reported WebDAV 5842	415	Unsupported Media Type	нтт	P Code Comments		
226	IM Used 3229 GET	416	Requested Range Not Satisfiable	Web[DAV	WebDAV	
2vv. l	TTTP Redirection Codes	417	Expectation Failed	1.1		extension	
		418	I'm a teapot ²³²⁴		POST, PUT, POST	HTTP/1.1	
300	Multiple Choices	422	Unprocessable Entity WebDAV 4918	GE1,	1001,101,1001	For these methods only	
301	Moved Permanently	423	Locked WebDAV 4918	IE		IE extension	
302	Found See Other 1.1	424	Failed Dependency WebDAV 4918	MS		MS extension	
303		425	Unordered Collection 3648	nginx		nginx extension	
304	Not Modified	426	Upgrade Required ²⁸¹⁷	2518,	2817, 2295, 2774,	RFC number	
306	Use Proxy 1.1 Switch Proxy unused	428	Precondition Required draft	3229,	4918, 5842		
307	Temporary Redirect 1.1	429	Too Many Requests draft	draft		Proposed draft	
308	Permanent Redirect 7538	431	Request Header Fields Too Large draft	nostd		Non standard	
307 and 308 are similar to 302 and 301, but the new request method after redirect must be the same, as on initial request.		444	No Response nginx	res		extension Reserved for	
		449	Retry With MS	103		future use	
		450	Blocked By Windows Parental Controls MS	unuse	ed	No more in use, deprecated	
		451	Unavailable For Legal Reasons draft	Wikir	pedia was used to pro	-	
		499	Client Closed Request nginx		content:		
				http://	Van mikinadia arakuiki		

Header Testing:

Checking what types of response header the customized login page utilizes. And, add case-insensitive regular expression i flag at the end of the matched string.

The script is:

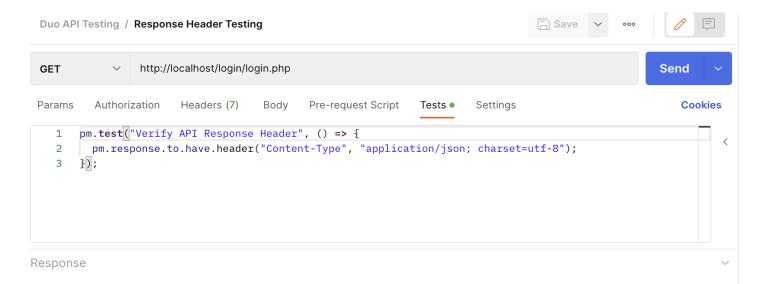
```
pm.test("Verify Content-Type header", () => {
    pm.response.to.have.header("Content-Type");
    pm.expect(pm.response.headers.get('content-type')).match(/^text\/html/i);
});
```



Checking what types of response header the customized login page utilizes.

The script is:

```
pm.test("Verify API Response Header", () => {
  pm.response.to.have.header("Content-Type", "/^application/json/i; charset=utf-8");
});
```

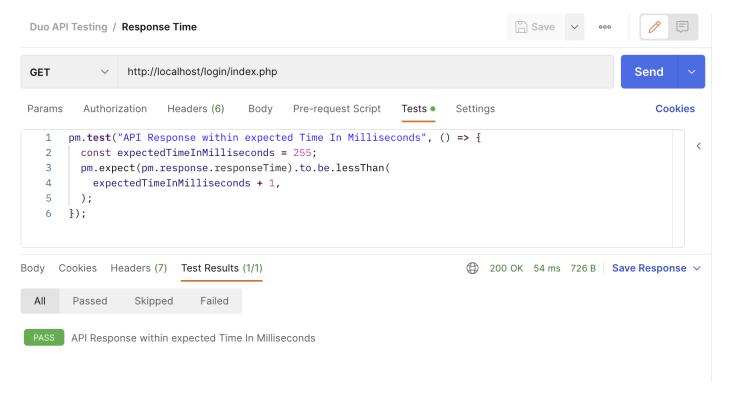


Response Time Testing:

The test is to check the HTTP response time that is in the expected time.

The script is:

```
pm.test("API Response within expected Time In Milliseconds", () => {
  const expectedTimeInMilliseconds = 255;
  pm.expect(pm.response.responseTime).to.be.lessThan(
     expectedTimeInMilliseconds + 1,
     );
});
```



Cookie Testing:

Check the cookie exists if we send the HTTP request to the login page.

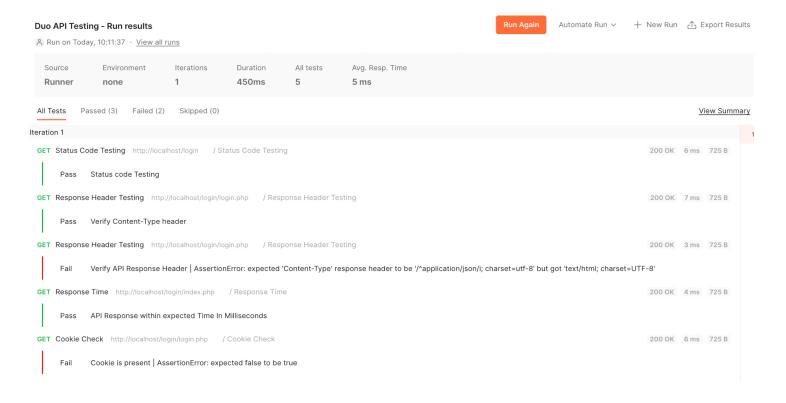
The script is:

```
pm.test("Cookie is present", () => {
   pm.expect(pm.cookies.has('sessionId')).to.be.true;
});
```



The complete picture of Testing results:

If each test case is put together, run the collection with the Postman plugin. Some test cases failed because of the Response header and cookie existence.



Resources

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VywxIQ2ZXw4

https://www.chaijs.com/api/bdd/

https://community.postman.com/t/test-content-type-ignoring-charset/953