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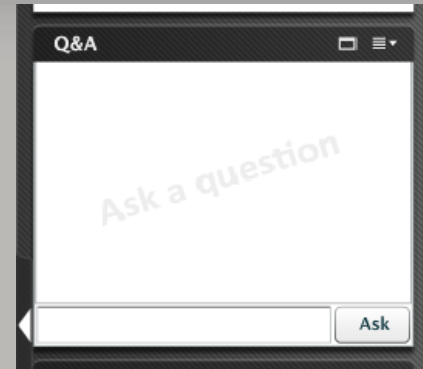
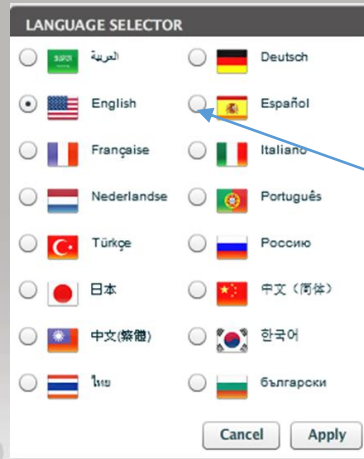
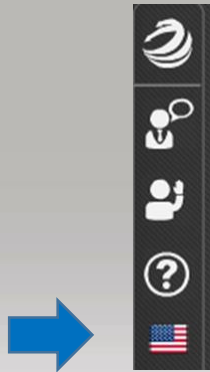
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SEVEN TIPS FOR implementing a RELIABLE FRAMEWORK DESIGN

in a  DevOps world



Learning Objectives

- Fundamentals of a successful automation framework
- Value of an automation framework
- Seven tips to design and implement an automation framework in DevOps

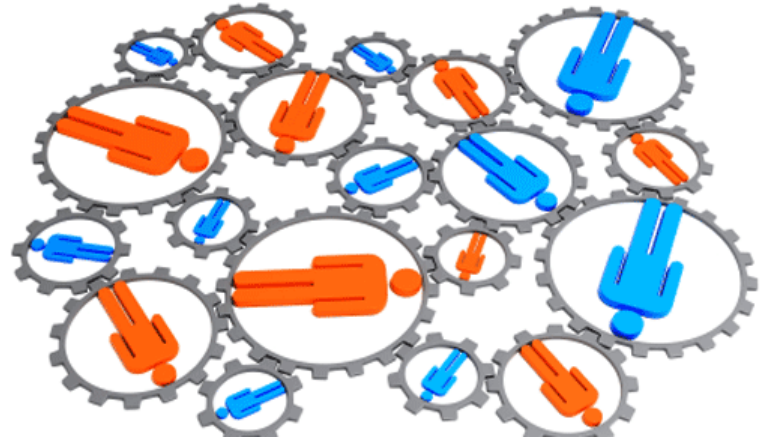
A Well-Designed Framework

- *Decreases* automated test development time
- *Enables* tests to be created *sooner*
- *Decreases* maintenance
- *Increases* test automation coverage
- Puts the power of automation in *more hands*



Automation Framework Characteristics

- Modular code
- Scalable
- Error handling
- Reliable
- Data separated from code

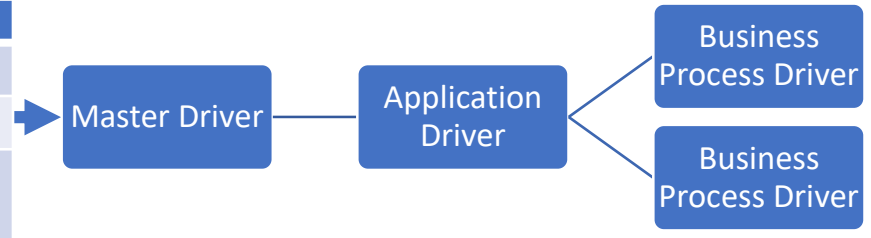




Common Elements of Successful Frameworks

1. Simple front-end
2. Maintainable back-end
 - A. Master Driver
 - B. Application Driver
 - C. Business Process Driver
3. Data

UserName	PassWord	Exp_Results
pmccart	Hey*jude	Success
jlenno	Imagine!	Fail
gharri	Wmggw#	Fail



Front-End Description

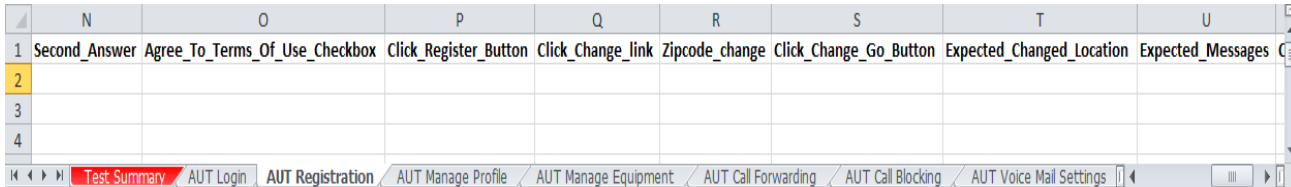
- Front-end utilizes Excel for script design
 - Each column represents a test step
 - Each record (row) a test iteration
 - Each tab represents a Business Process
 - Each BP tab contains all necessary parameters to create positive and negative tests
 - Output is captured to Output Parameters and can be used in subsequent iterations

	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U
1	Second_Answer	Agree_To_Terms_Of_Use_Checkbox	Click_Register_Button	Click_Change_link	Zipcode_change	Click_Change_Go_Button	Expected_Changed_Location	Expected_Messages
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- Multiple AUTs can be incorporated by adding tabs associated with other AUTs

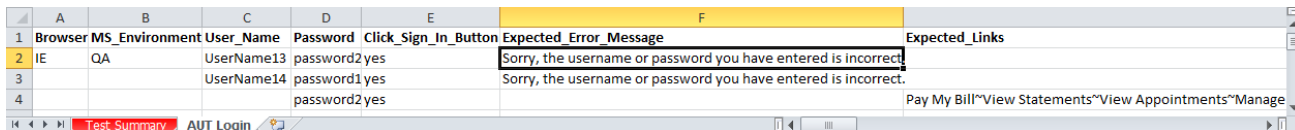
Front-End Description (con't)

- A Master Excel Template contains all the business process for a given application.



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- To create a new test, simply save the Master Template as another file, remove the tabs not required for the test and reorder in the order they will execute, then apply the **data**.



	A	B	C	D	E	F	
1	Browser MS_Environment	User_Name	Password	Click_Sign_In_Button	Expected_Error_Message	Expected_Links	
2	IE	QA	UserName13	password2yes	Sorry, the username or password you have entered is incorrect.		
3			UserName14	password1yes	Sorry, the username or password you have entered is incorrect.		
4			password2yes				Pay My Bill~View Statements~View Appointments~Manage

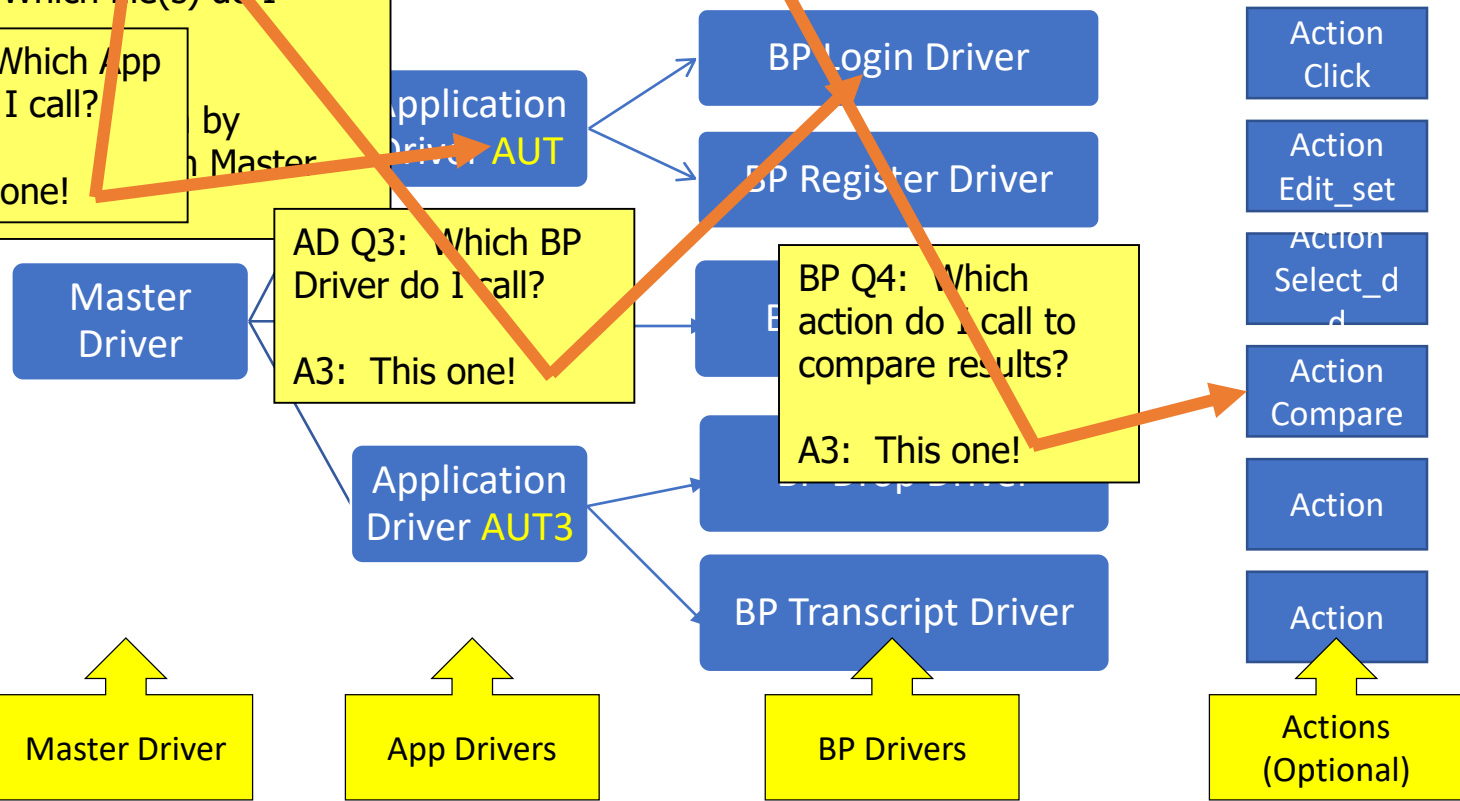
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4			password2	yes			Pay My Bill~View Statements~View Appointm

Front-end input data file

MD Q1: Which file(s) do I use?
 MD Q2: Which App Driver do I call?
 A2: This one!

AD Q3: Which BP Driver do I call?
 A3: This one!

BP Q4: Which action do I call to compare results?
 A3: This one!



Master Driver

App Drivers

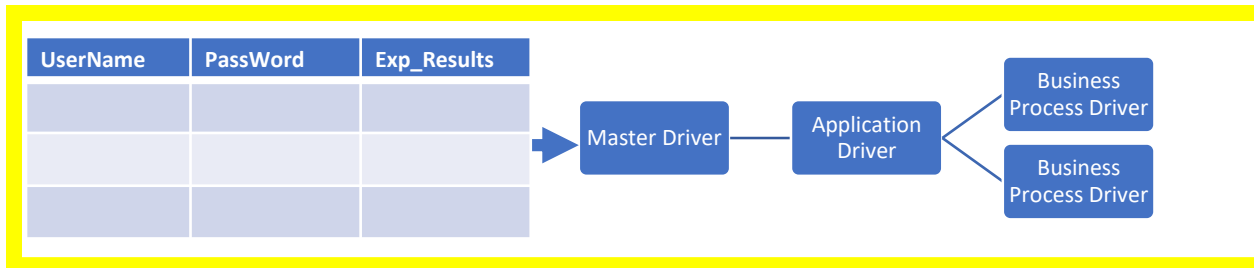
BP Drivers

Actions (Optional)



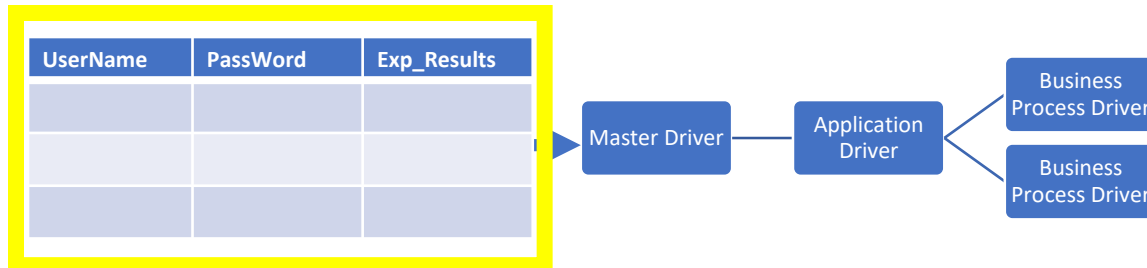
Framework Design Tips

1. Know your users
2. Document and communicate standards
3. Know the scope and expectations of automation within your organization



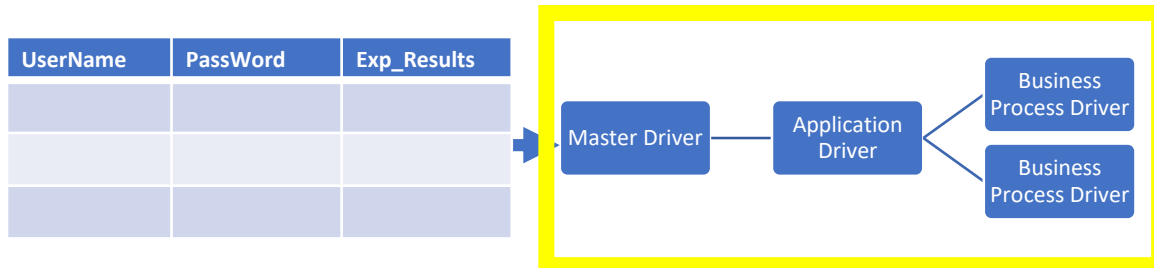
Front-End & Data Design Tips

4. Use common tool for data input
5. Incorporate simple keywords



Back-End Design

6. Build the back-end to support the front-end
7. Use good, common-sense coding best practices





Applying Your Framework

- Initially start with getting to CI and Continuous Delivery
- Start with automation of unit tests
- Automate your deployments to stage environment ASAP
- Configure CI system to launch all tests based upon appropriate event (build, deployment, or time)
- Releasing SW on daily basis? Time to look at Continuous Deployment



Thank you!

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Do's and Don'ts with HPE UFT/LeanFT

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Agenda

1. Shift Left vs. Shift Right
2. Installation
3. Object Identification
4. API testing
5. Using BPT
6. Execution of Tests (ALM / Jenkins)

Shift Left vs. Shift Right

- Before installing a certain Tool, define the goal of your testing activities
 - UFT: Shift Right
 - LeanFT: Shift Left
- Purpose of UFT
 - GUI and API tests
 - Integration tests, system tests
- Purpose LeanFT
 - Unit test, behavior driven and test driven development

→ Use the combined power of both tools!

Installation

- UFT
 - Local installation – admin rights
 - Supports Only Windows
 - Use Packaging in large companies
 - For using demo-application, requires WPF-Add-in (some companies do not install this)
 - ALM Client Log Wrapper helps in analysing BPT runs. Use also QC-Sense
- LeanFT is add-on Visual Studio or Eclipse
 - Windows and Linux
 - Prerequisite: Visual Studio, Eclipse, IntelliJ, NetBeans
 - Use in combination with test framework (JUnit, JUnit, TestNG, ...)
 - RunTime Engine in CI/CD engine

Object Identification

■ UFT

- stores object repository in a xml file
- Be careful in growing the object repository (too large files)
- Use native properties to extent identification
- Use regular expression, parameters, ...
- Descriptive Programming sometimes helpful for debugging

■ LeanFT

- Check supported technologies → and then give suggestion
- storage and using of objects inside code
- extra class (application model) (tsrx)

API testing

- UFT

- be careful for using in large tests (UFT tends to become in performant)
- Sometimes tedious to implement individual proxy-settings (e.g. OAUTH-Tokens not supported natively)

- LeanFT

- not natively support, but can be handled via webservice libraries for C#, JAVA

Using BPT

■ UFT

- Be careful in architecture using BPT – every business component is loaded from MF ALM
- use same application areas (so that UFT has not be started for every component)
- Best Practice: keep an eye on robustness rather than performance

■ LeanFT

- Use so-called LFT-components – which represent an analogon to BPT
- Integrate LFT into ALM – but can not be mixed with other types of BPT
- Best-practice: small tests, short run-times

Execution of Tests (ALM / Jenkins)

- UFT
 - ALM
 - ALM + Lab Extension
 - Octane
 - Challenges at customer side: unlock screensaver; get remote access to target machine for running UFT with technical user
- LeanFT
 - LeanFT-tests can only be run by the .dll or .jar-files
 - Manually import LEANFT-TEST
 - Use LeanFT export and import tool
 - Use VAPI-XP Test-type
 - Run from CI-Server (Jenkins)
 - Run from Octane

LeanFT & Selenium

- Use LeanFT for extent Selenium in object detection
- Run Selenium tests in MF Framework
 - C# (Selenium) → C# (LeanFT)
 - Java (Selenium) → Java (LeanFT)
- Configure webDriver is sometimes painful
- Big advantage LeanFT: Support (browser support, settings inside LeanFT – all this comes as patch)
 - Selenium is OpenSource

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