Tutorial IV: Unit Test

- What is Unit Test
- Three Principles
- Testing frameworks: JUnit for Java
  CppUnit for C++
  Unit Test for Web Service

http://www.cs.toronto.edu/~yijun/csc408h/handouts/unittest-HOWTO.html

What is Unit Test?

- Unit Test:
  A unit can be an operation, a class, a software package, or a subsystem
- Integration Test:
  Interactions between units
- System Test:
  System verification and validation as a whole
- Acceptance Test:
  Testing as an end user; Expected results from system

Three Principles

- Testing as you go: the earlier a bug is found, the better!
- Test can be done once a unit is ready:
  Bottom-up testing: with Drivers
  Top-down testing: with Stubs
- Design test cases systematically:
  Include boundary values for each feature
  Make sure every line of code is executed

What can be tested in units?

- A functional requirement
- Given input that satisfies the precondition, whether the output satisfies the post-condition
- A unit can be a member function, a class, a package or component or a subsystem ...
- Automation is the key! Replace user interaction with the scripts, if possible; replace some units with stubs
- A unit tested can still have bugs, but most trivial bugs should have been found
What can not?

• Generally, test can not replace the verification or code review
• Specifically for unit test, interactions between this unit and other units after integration, system and user acceptance are not possible when the system is not ready yet

JUnit and Example

• Refer to: http://www.junit.org
• Some concepts or classes:
  - Fixture: a set of objects against which tests are run
  - Test Case: a class which defines the fixture to run multiple tests
    - create a subclass of TestCase
    - add an instance variable for each part of the fixture
    - override `setUp()` to initialize the variables
    - override `tearDown()` to release any permanent resource allocated in `setUp`
  - setup: a method which sets up the fixture, called before a test is executed.
  - teardown: a method to tear down the fixture, called after a test is executed.
  - Test Suite: a collection of test cases.

JUnit and Example (cont’d)

TestRunner: a tool to define the test suite to be run and to display its results

• A JUnit example (in Eclipse):
  - source code: junit\samples\money (simplified)
  - functionality: single currency arithmetic

CppUnit and Example

• Refer to: http://cppunit.sourceforge.net/cgi-bin/moin.cgi
• A compiled CppUnit module in CDF /u/yijun/software/cppunit-1.10.2
• An example of CppUnit /cppunit-1.10.2/examples/money
Develop Web service in AXIS

See /u/yijun/software/axis-1_1/addr.sh

deploy.wsdd, undeploy.wsdd can be generated from WSDL:
  • java -cp $AXISCLASSPATH org.apache.axis.wsdl.WSDL2Java -s -d Session -Num:AddressFetcher2=samples.addr samples/addr/AddressBook.wsdl

Start a simple Axis server

Deploy the web service
  • java -cp $AXISCLASSPATH org.apache.axis.client.AdminClient -p 9012 samples/addr/deploy.wsdd

Call the web service from the client program
  • java -cp .:$AXISCLASSPATH samples.addr.Main -p 9012 $*

Test Web Service using JUnit

Test Cases (e.g. AddressBookTestCase.java) can be generated by:
  • java -cp $AXISCLASSPATH org.apache.axis.wsdl.WSDL2Java -s -d Session -Num:AddressFetcher2=samples.addr --testCase samples/addr/AddressBook.wsdl

Modify the generated AddressBookTestCase.java:

```java
public void doTest() throws Exception {
    String[] args = {"-p", "9012"};
    Main.main(args);
}
```

Run the following command:
  • java -cp .:$AXISCLASSPATH junit.textui.TestRunner -noloading samples.addr.AddressBookTestCase

Feedback from the client

Using proxy without session maintenance.
(queries without session should say: "ADDRESS NOT FOUND")
  >> Storing address for 'Purdue Boilermaker'
  >> Querying address for 'Purdue Boilermaker'
  >> Response is:
  [ADDRESS NOT FOUND]
  >> Querying address for 'Purdue Boilermaker' again
  >> Response is:
  [ADDRESS NOT FOUND]

Using proxy with session maintenance.
  >> Storing address for 'Purdue Boilermaker'
  >> Querying address for 'Purdue Boilermaker'
  >> Response is:
  1 University Drive
  West Lafayette, IN 47907
  Phone: (765) 494-4900
  >> Querying address for 'Purdue Boilermaker' again
  >> Response is:
  1 University Drive
  West Lafayette, IN 47907
  Phone: (765) 494-4900

Feedback from the Unit Test

- Testing address book sample.
  - Using proxy without session maintenance.
    (queries without session should say: "ADDRESS NOT FOUND")
    >> Storing address for 'Purdue Boilermaker'
    >> Querying address for 'Purdue Boilermaker'
    >> Response is:
    [ADDRESS NOT FOUND]
    >> Querying address for 'Purdue Boilermaker' again
    >> Response is:
    [ADDRESS NOT FOUND]

  - Using proxy with session maintenance.
    >> Storing address for 'Purdue Boilermaker'
    >> Querying address for 'Purdue Boilermaker'
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    West Lafayette, IN 47907
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    >> Querying address for 'Purdue Boilermaker' again
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    Phone: (765) 494-4900
- Test complete.
  • Time: 1.51
  • OK (1 test)