



Requirements & Testing

(Four Quadrants)

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(The Language of Data)















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Requirements Agenda

Business Data Analytics "The Language of Data"

01-FOUNDATION

- LAB-Introductions (Name, Job Title, Objectives)
- Dashboards and Robots (Data Mining & Machine Learning)
- Requirements and Testing (Four Quadrants)
- What are Structured Language Requirements? (Structured English and Structured Query Language)
- Why Should You Care? (Primary Source of Project Problems)
- How Do They Work? (Discreet Intellectual Property Inventory)
- Types of Requirements (Product, Project, DATA)
- Natural Language Processing (Morphology, Semantics, Syntax and Linguistics)
- OMG-SBVR (Semantics of Business Vocabulary & Rules)
- IEEE-EARS (Easy Approach to Requirements Syntax)
- INCOSE (Rules for Writing Requirements) & QVscribe
- Waterfall and Agile (Assembly Methods)

02-ELICIT

 LAB-Vision/Scope (Seek to Understand)

Elicitation Techniques:

- Document Analysis (Low Hanging Fruit)
- Interface Analysis (Navigation & Functionality)
- Benchmarking (Actual Data)
- Brainstorming (Every Idea is a Good Idea until it becomes a Bad Idea)
- Prototyping (Minimum Viable Product)
- Reverse Engineering (Begin with the End in Mind)
- Interview (Thinking Questions)
- Workshop (Group Interviews)
- Observation (What do you See?)
- Survey Questionnaire (Paper equals proof)

03-ANALYZE

- What are Models? (Pictures of Language)
- LAB-The Language of Modeling (GIVEN pre WHEN process THEN output-result)
- Types of Models (Context-Structure, Usage, Data Behavior, Process Flow)
- Context-Structure (Vision, Roadmap, Scope WBS)
- Usage (EPIC, UseCase, UserStory, Feature)
- Data Behavior (ERD, JOIN-Denormalization, Star Schema, Dimensional OLAP, Dashboard, Intelligence)
- Data Behavior (Data Dictionary, DataFlow, Data Structure Instance, Data Element Attribute, Data Store)
- Data Behavior (Process Logic, Business Rules)
- Process Flow (Swimlane)

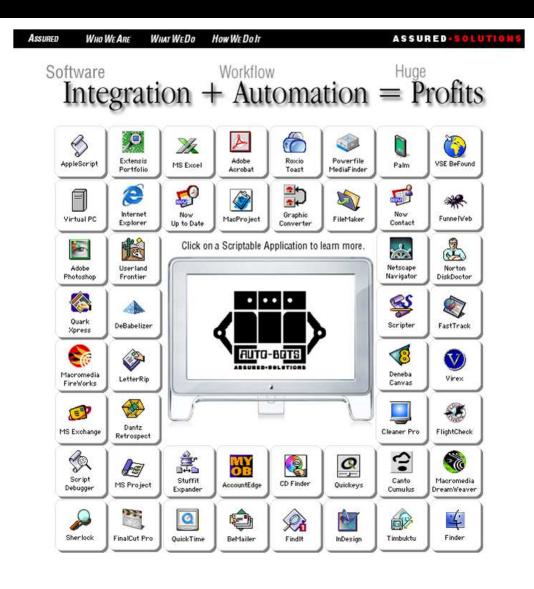
04-DOCUMENT

- Categorization, Organization, Documentation, Integration, Automation
- Making Documents Easy to Read (Fonts & Navigation)
- Document Types (BRD, TRD)
- LAB-Business Requirement Document (Concept of Operation)
- Technical Requirement Document (System Specification)

05-VALIDATE

- Validation thru Triangulation (Prep Drills)
- Traceability (Project Unique Identifier)
- Requirements Baseline (ROM Estimate, Planning Estimate, Definitive Estimate)
- LAB-Estimating Story Points (Complexity and Risk)
- Lessons Learned (Course Wrap-Up)

Assured Solutions







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Overview "Seek to Understand"

- Product and Process-oriented requirements
- Acceptance Criteria Test Cases
- Product and Process testing methods













A Requirement is a Testable Statement

Testable Statement (Test Case)

Main Clause
(Front)
(Back)

GIVEN pre WHEN process THEN result

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Testable Statement

Request: [CAPABILITY]

 We need our customers to know that we care about them.

As Measured By (AMB): [CONSTRAINT]

 95% of customer inquiries must be successfully resolved in the first contact by the end of Q4 this year.

"You Cannot Test a Request"

Writing System Requirements as TSS...

- THEN The System Shall... (TSS)
- THEN The System Shall Allow the User to...
- THEN The System Shall [CAPABILITY] "as measured by" [CONSTRAINT]
- THEN The System Shall [CAPABILITY] operating within [CONDITION] "as measured by" [CONSTRAINT]

Writing Business Requirements as User Stories...

- AS A [Actor/Job Title/Stakeholder]
- I NEED [CAPABILITY]
- SO THAT [BENEFIT]
- As Measured By [CONSTRAINT]

Writing Business Requirements as User Stories

As Measured By [CONSTRAINT] aka Acceptance Criteria:

- -GIVEN (Precondition, Input),
 - WHEN (Trigger, Process, Event) occurs,
 - **-THEN** (Planned Output-Result)
 - » TEST (ACTUAL Output)
 - » No Variance (Test Passes)

User Story

Banking Application

User Story: Transfer Money Between Accounts

As a Bank Customer

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Acceptance Criteria:

Given/When/Then

<u>Given</u> (a particular scenario- "Precondition")

When (the user does something- "Input") **Then** (this should be the result- "Planned Output")

TEST (ACTUAL Output)

Scenario 1 (Sufficient funds):

Given Account A has \$125 available

And Account B has \$375 available

When I transfer \$200 from B to A

Then I should see Confirmation Message

And A should have \$325 available

And B should have \$175 available

TEST (ACTUAL Output)

See Confirmation Message (Pass)

Scenario 2 (Insufficient funds):

Given Account A has \$125 available

And Account B has \$375 available

When I transfer \$200 from A to B

Then I should see an Error Message

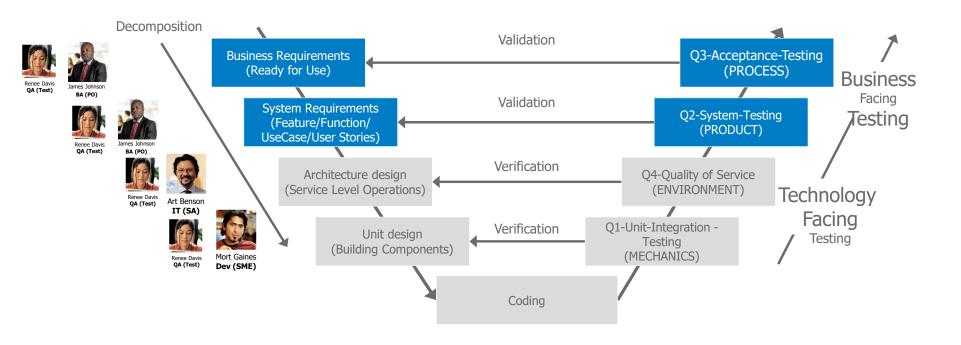
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And B should have \$375 available

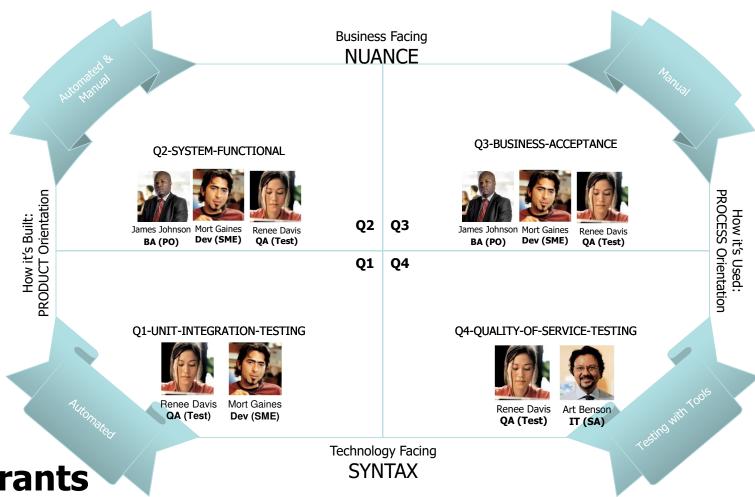
TEST (ACTUAL Output)

See Confirmation Message (Fail)

Requirements and Testing

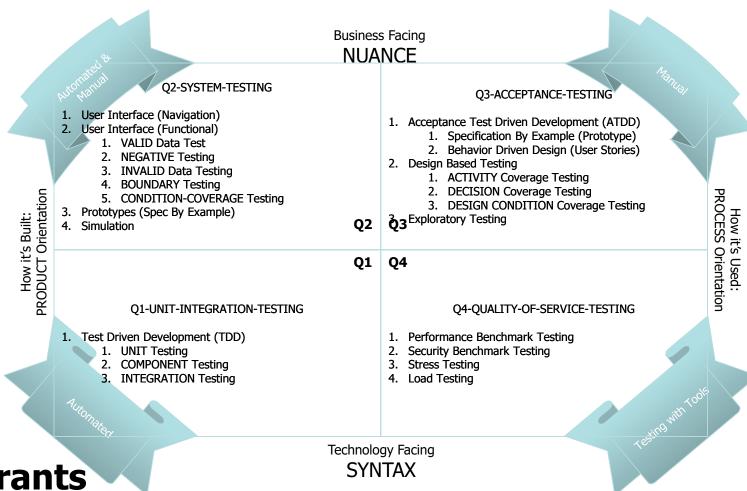


Four Quadrants of Testing



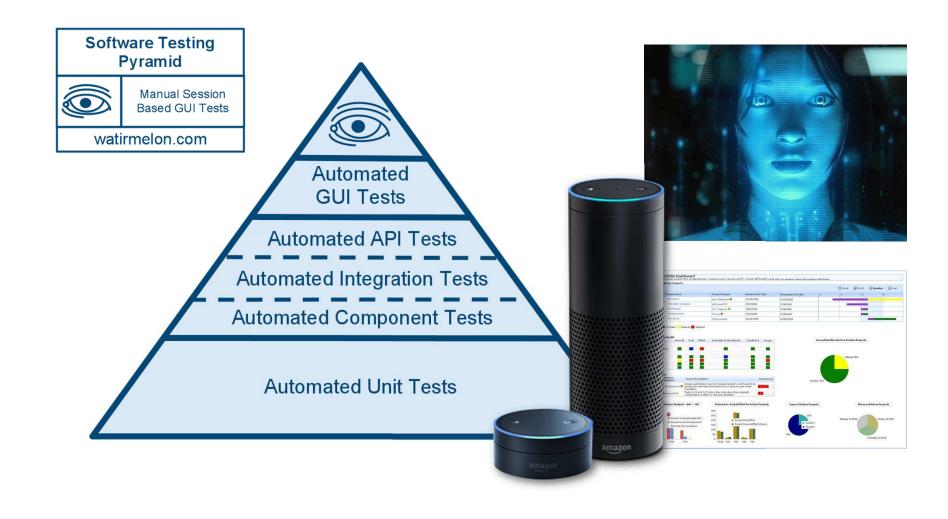
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TEST AUTOMATION > Automation Pyramid



Universal Testing Method

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1. Model the test space	Clearly define the system that will be tested & its context
2. Determine coverage	Decide what needs to be tested
3. Determine oracles	Identify the sources of truth for pass/fail judgments
4. Determine test procedures	Plan the details of how the testing will be performed
5. Configure the test system	Set everything up so you can begin testing
6. Operate the test system	Run your tests
7. Observe the test system	Keep track of the results of your tests
8. Evaluate the test results	Determine if each test passed or failed
9. Report test results	Communicate testing status and final results













In Summary "Train the Trainer"

- Q1-Unit Integration (Product Syntax)
- Q2-System Testing (Product Nuance)
- Q3-Acceptance Testing (Process Nuance)
- Q4-Quality of Service Testing (Process Syntax)













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