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Web
Automated
Testing
for
Enterprise
Reliability

Problem Statement

Websites

Omnipresent nowadays due to their usefulness.

Hotel Websites

Offer a **valuable service**.

Example: Priceline - \$9.22 billion in revenue in 2015.

They must be **reliable** to turn these kinds of profits.

Choice Hotels' Websites

Another **large** company, with huge profit margins.

They need to easily **manage** and **run** many websites **smoothly**.

Their Problem

The **testing** process isn't all automated.

Getting information **from a website into a testing suite** is time consuming and therefore expensive.

Current Testing Workflow

Navigate to a web page

Inspect elements

Transpose information

Automatically **run** test suite

Element Acquisition



```
<div class="component placename dropdown" uib-dropdown="">
  <div class="chcom-autosuggest dropdown" style="box-sizing: border-box; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; margin-right: 10px;" data-max-results-to-display="500" data-only-show-one-name-per-result languages="en" data-preferred-country="us" errorflag="searchUi.placeError" role="combobox" ng-style="{ 'box-sizing': 'border-box', display: 'inline-block', position: 'relative', width: '100%' }" ng-show="showing()">
    <input id="placename" class="form-control ng-pristine ng-valid ng-empty ng-valid" aria-describedby="placenameAlert" ch-focus-if="errorflag" aria-expanded="false" ng-style="{ 'padding-left': '10px' }" maxlength="255" type="text"></input>
    <div class="dropdown-menu ng-hide" aria-hidden="true" ng-show="showing()"></div>
    <div class="sr-only" aria-live="assertive" aria-atomic="true"></div>
  </div>
```

```
@Test
public void testFirstScript() throws Exception {
    driver.get(baseUrl + "/ServiceLogin?service=mail&passiv
    driver.findElement(By.id("Email")).clear();
    driver.findElement(By.id("Email")).sendKeys("XXXXXX");
    driver.findElement(By.id("Passwd")).clear();
    driver.findElement(By.id("Passwd")).sendKeys("XXXXXX");
    driver.findElement(By.id("signIn")).click();
}
```

Inspection

- ← Manually inspect elements on a webpage to obtain data
- ◎ Time intensive (and therefore expensive), tedious, and repetitive.
 - Exactly the strengths of computers

Transposition

- ← Manually plug in that information to the testing suite
- ◎ Same issues as above, plus human error.

There's got to be a better way!



Introducing

Chrome Testing Plugin

Solution Overview

Our proposed solution is to automatically extract web page elements and package them for various testing suites

Example Input

The screenshot shows the Choice Hotels website with a search form and promotional text. The search form includes fields for destination, check-in date, and check-out date. The promotional text reads: "How simple is it to get the lowest price? BADDA BOOK. BADDA BOOM.™ It's that simple. LEARN MORE". The background features a photograph of a Comfort Inn & Suites building.

Choice Hotels – Official Site x

Choice Hotels International, Inc. [US] | https://www.choicehotels.com

MANAGE RESERVATIONS | CUSTOMER SUPPORT | INCREASE CONTRAST | SELECT A LANGUAGE

CHOICE HOTELS

HOME VACATION RENTALS GROUPS EXPLORE +

CHOICE privileges REWARDS SIGN IN / JOIN

How simple is it to get the lowest price?

BADDA BOOK.
BADDA BOOM.™

It's that simple.

LEARN MORE

CITY, AIRPORT CODE, ATTRACTION

CHECK-IN

CHECK-OUT

What is Your Destination?

Mon, 04/10/2017

Tue, 04/11/2017

Example Output

```
Webpage elements retrieved from: https://www.choicehotels.com/ at Mon Apr 10 2017 20:07:10 GMT-0700 (Mountain Standard Time)
34 total elements retrieved, separated into 4 categories.
{
  "descriptiveName": "username",
  "fullHTML": "<input type=\"text\" aria-describedby=\"cpSignInUsernameError\" autocapitalize=\"none\" class=\"form-control ng-pr
  \"type\": \"Input\",
  \"class\": \"form-control ng-pristine ng-untouched ng-empty ng-invalid ng-invalid-required ng-valid-maxlength\",
  \"id\": \"cpSignInUsername\",
  \"name\": \"username\",
  \"xpath\": \"//*[@id=\"cpSignInUsername\"]\"
}
---
{
  \"descriptiveName\": \"password\",
  \"fullHTML\": \"<input type=\"password\" aria-describedby=\"cpSignInPasswordError\" autocomplete=\"off\" class=\"form-control ng-pr
  \"type\": \"Input\",
  \"class\": \"form-control ng-pristine ng-untouched ng-empty ng-invalid ng-invalid-required ng-valid-maxlength\",
  \"id\": \"cpSignInPassword\",
  \"name\": \"password\",
  \"xpath\": \"//*[@id=\"cpSignInPassword\"]\"
}
---
```

```
/*Webpage elements retrieved from: https://www.choicehotels.com/ at Fri Apr 07 2017 09:51:55 GMT-0700 (Mountain Standard Time)*/
import org.openqa.selenium.*;

public class SampleTestClass {

    public WebDriver webDriver;

    /*<input type="text" aria-describedby="cpSignInUsernameError" autocapitalize="none" class="form-control ng-pristine ng-untouched
    public void InputcpSignInUsername () {

        WebElement webElement = webDriver.findElement(By.name("username"));
        webElement.getAttribute("value");
    }

    public void setInputcpSignInUsername(String value){

        WebElement webElement = webDriver.findElement(By.name("username"));
        webElement.sendKeys(value);
    }

    /*<input type="password" aria-describedby="cpSignInPasswordError" autocomplete="off" class="form-control ng-pristine ng-untouched
    public void InputcpSignInPassword () {

        WebElement webElement = webDriver.findElement(By.name("password"));
        webElement.getAttribute("value");
    }
}
```

Solution Details

© Key Features:

- Pulls the UI Elements from a specific web-page
- Filters through for specific UI Elements
- Outputs into multiple file types
 - Some output file types can be used in testing suites

Overall, by using this extension the time it takes to test a Web-page would **significantly** drop.



Requirements and Specifications

Requirements and Acquisition

revisited

Key Requirements:

- © The tool needs be able to be used on any webpage.
- © The tool needs to be able to get the attributes of ALL UI elements on a page.
- © The tool needs to output formatted files to be used in various testing suites.
- © The tool should be fast, effective, and easy to use.



Architecture Overview

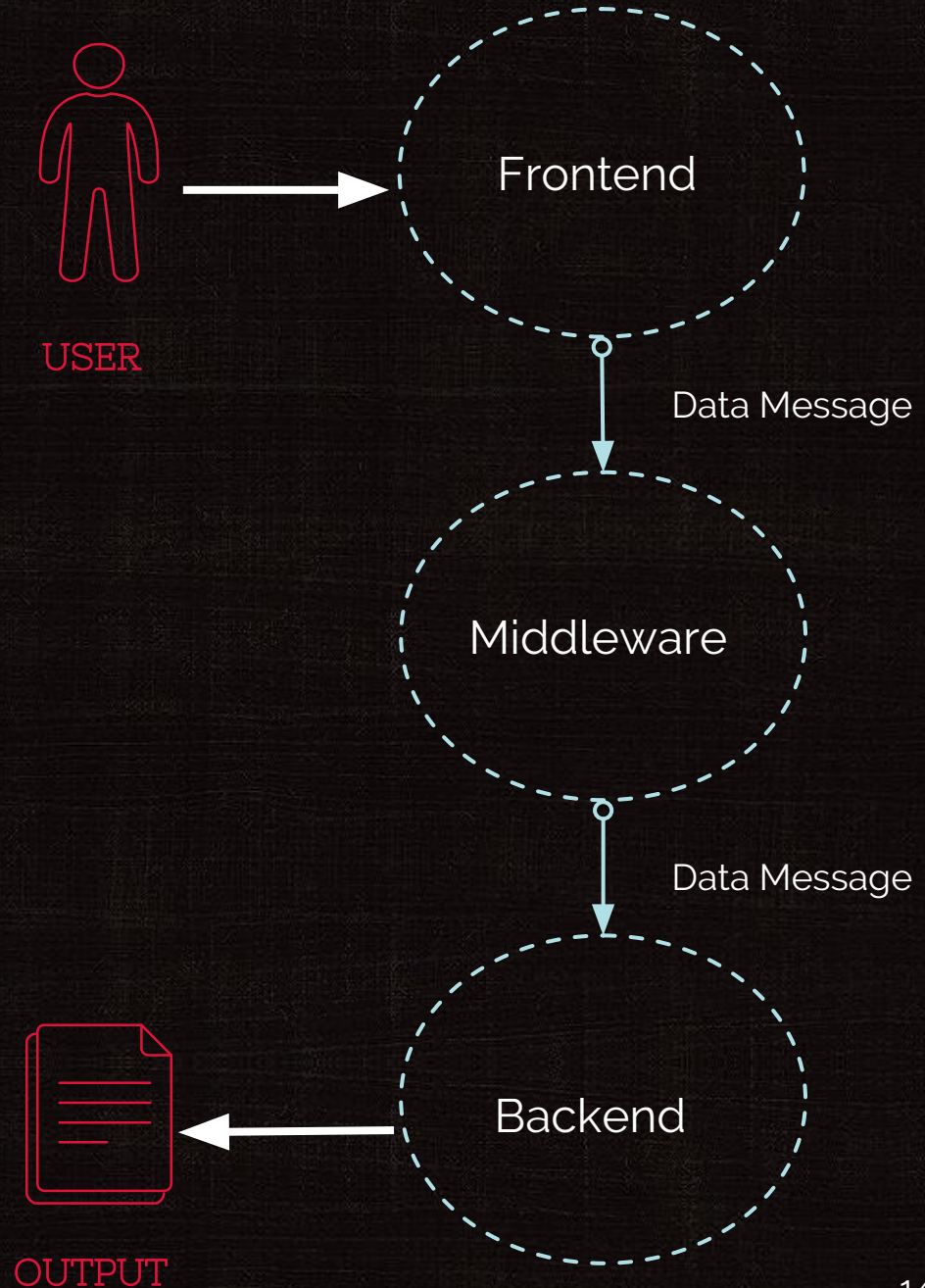
Structured Solution

Why A Chrome Extension?

- ◎ Browser Extension vs. Desktop application.
- ◎ Chrome Extension vs. Firefox Plugin

The Chrome Extension Structure.

- ◎ Javascript
- ◎ **Three** modules of execution:
 - **Frontend** (Interactive User Interface or UI)
 - **Middleware** (The "heavy lifting")
 - **Backend** (Make and deliver outputs)



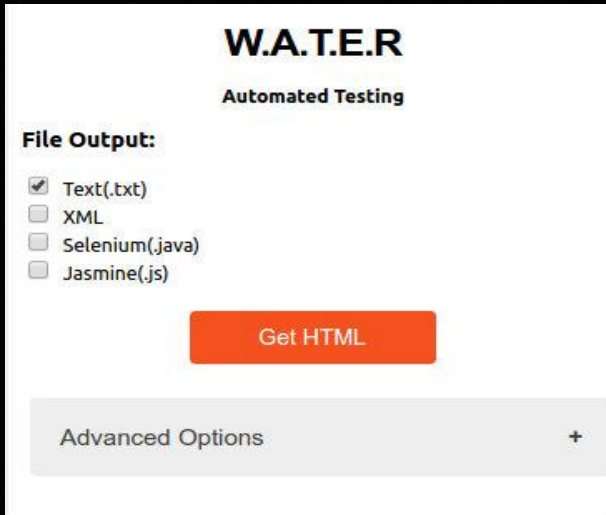


Implementation Overview

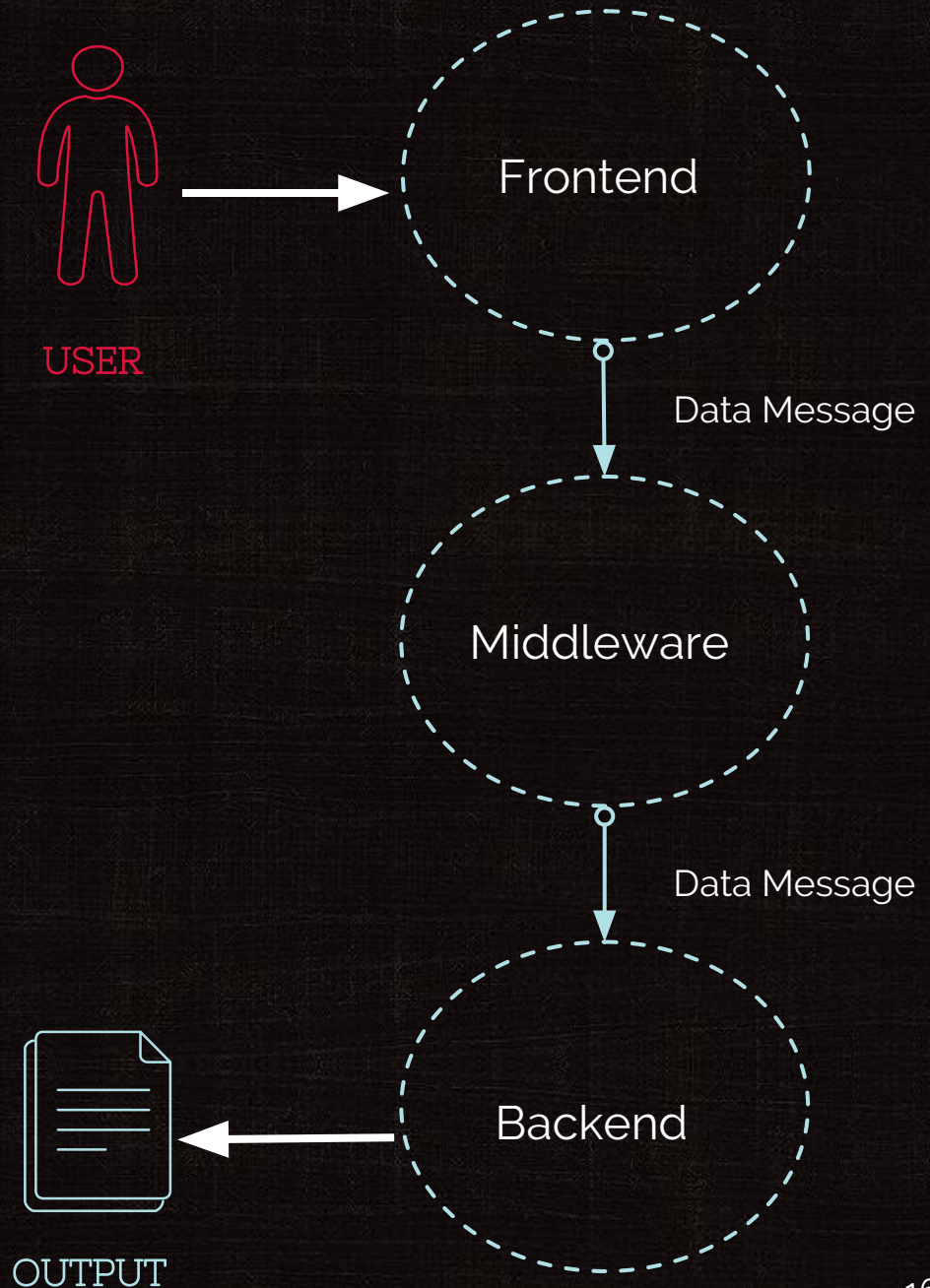
Frontend

Functionality

- © Provide GUI functionality.
(Error Checking)
- © Retrieve and package data from the GUI.
- © Send GUI data to the Middleware.



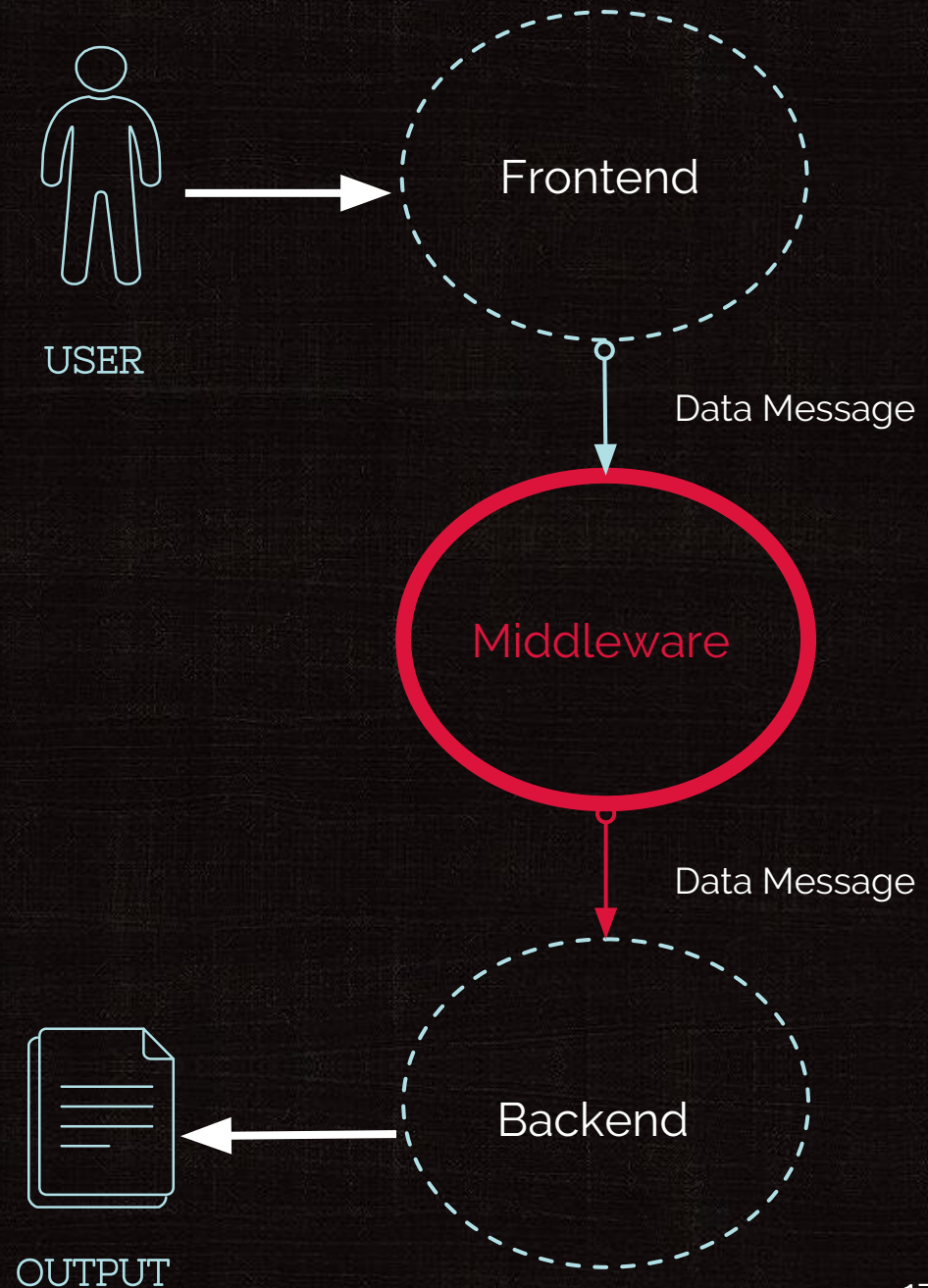
Plugin GUI Sample



Middleware

Functionality

- ⦿ Retrieve user GUI checkbox data from frontend module.
- ⦿ Pull all elements from the current page.
- ⦿ Filter out all UI elements. (Buttons, Links, Inputs, etc.)
- ⦿ Get attributes from each UI element (id, name, XPath, formulate descriptive name).
- ⦿ Package element data and send to the backend.



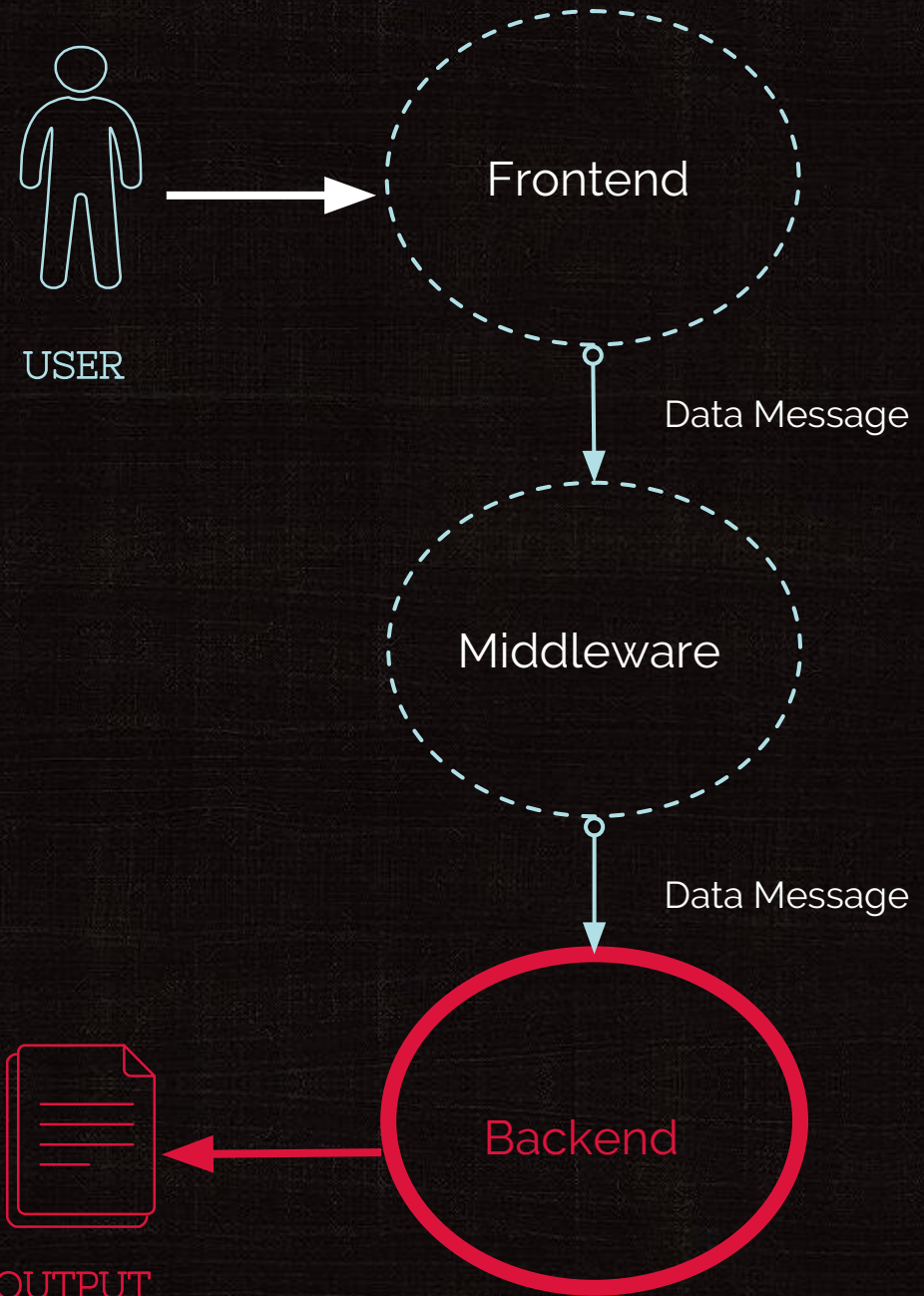
Backend

Functionality

- ⦿ Retrieve element data and GUI checkbox data (passed through the middleware).
- ⦿ Depending on output file selection, from UI data, create the files.
- ⦿ Download the files using Chrome API class.

water_result...java ^ water_results...xml ^

File Output Downloads





Prototype Review (Demo)



Challenges and Resolutions

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Challenge 1:

Completed

Adapting from
executable jar, into
browser plugin

Resolution 1:

We are fully integrated into the Chrome plugin.
We refined it into what we have just shown
you.

Challenge 2:

In Progress

Accommodating
Jasmine -

Getting JavaScript
object output

Resolution 2:

We are currently communicating with one of
the engineers at Choice to acquire more
knowledge on how this output file should look.

Challenges and Resolutions

Challenge 3:

Completed

Getting XPath of each element

Resolution 3:

We have successfully acquired the XPath of every element, using a component from an open source project.

Challenge 4:

In Progress

Supporting dynamic frameworks: JavaScript, Angular

Resolution 4:

Parsing unique elements within those frameworks. Such as: ng-click & onclick. We are successfully creating a separate method that grabs the particular data.














































Schedule

Rally

Team Status

Actions  

Iteration Two (02-23-2017 to 03-09-2017)

All	Rank	ID	Name	Work Product	Release	State	Capacity	Estimate	To Do	Actuals	Owner
<input type="checkbox"/>		#			All	All	0.0	40.0	23.0	1.0	Type to Filter...
<input type="checkbox"/>			Jason L (2 Tasks)					6.0	0.0		
		TA331356	Add further elements	US70024: getElementToParse()		  		3.0	0.0		Jason L
		TA332115	Work on sorting (via UI options)	US70021: sortElementArray()		  		3.0	0.0		Jason L
<input type="checkbox"/>			John S (3 Tasks)					9.0	6.0		
		TA331348	Create GUI	US70258: create GUI		  		3.0	0.0		John S
		TA332080	Add Advanced GUI Elements/Filters	US70258: create GUI		  		2.0	2.0		John S
		TA331351	Work on XPath implementation	US70032: getElementXPath()		  		4.0	4.0		John S
<input type="checkbox"/>			Max Wason (2 Tasks)					9.0	5.0		
		TA331358	Work on incremental implementation	US70014: getElement()		  		4.0	0.0		Max Wason
		TA332111	Filter element acquisition	US70014: getElement()		  		5.0	5.0		Max Wason
<input type="checkbox"/>			Peter H (6 Tasks)					16.0	12.0	1.0	
		TA332113	Initial Research/Implementen	US70036: writeJSObjectFile()		  		3.0	3.0		Peter H
		TA332114	Add basic objects/syntax	US70033: writeSeleniumFile()		  		3.0	3.0		Peter H
		TA332116	Initial implementation/research	US70030: getJSElements()		  		2.0	2.0		Peter H
		TA332117	Initial Research	US70031: getAngularElements()		  		2.0	2.0		Peter H
		TA331353	Initial XML Implementation	US70022: writeXMLFile()		  		4.0	0.0	1.0	Peter H
		TA332112	Flesh out with elements	US70022: writeXMLFile()		  		2.0	2.0		Peter H

2017 Spring Schedule

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Usability Testing

Testing Procedure

We will proceed with these following elements as our test procedure:

Scope

This begins with the W.A.T.E.R team explaining a small background of our product to the participants

Purpose:

We will identify concerns, goals, and questions for our test.

There will be an underlying theme of questions we will take into account during the test.

Schedule & Location

The test will be done at one of the homes of a W.A.T.E.R member.

Metrics:

Focused mainly on understanding, overall ease of use and satisfaction.

This will also be monitored before, during, and after the test.

Analysis

Quantitative Data

Record Data Such As:

- Success rates
- Task time
- Error Rates
- Satisfaction ratings

Qualitative Data

Record Data Such As:

- Observations about the navigations participants took
- Problems experienced
- Comments/recommendations
- Answers to questions



Conclusion



*Our project is an ambitious one.
The solution must be clean and elegant.*



Our solution, once implemented, will save our client tremendous resources.

From all of us at Team W.A.T.E.R

Thank you!

**ANY
QUESTIONS?**

