Automate the Testing of JSL Using Hamcrest

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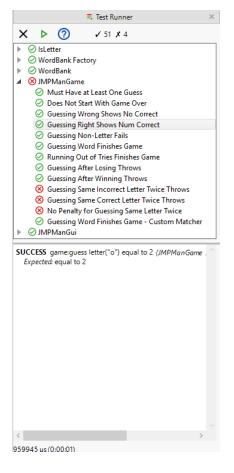




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Red to Green





Automated Testing

What did we just do?

- Determine if our script is performing as expected
- Realized it wasn't working correctly
- Fixed the bug
- Verified that it was fixed



Automated Testing Why?

- Respond quickly when something breaks
- Aid in fix by knowing how it broke
- Reduce tedious manual testing
- Clearly define the boundaries of your application
- Testing smaller pieces



What is Hamcrest?

How did we do it?

- Using a new JSL library called JSL-Hamcrest
 - Adapted from original version for Java
- By writing tests
 - Built from assertions about the scripts behavior
- And running them
 - In an automated way
 - With clear reporting of success and failure



Using Hamcrest



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- Actual: was "ham sandwich"
- Expected: an anagram of "matchers"



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Writing Tests



Why do I want Test Cases?

- Group your tests
- Name your tests
- Isolate them from each other
 - Delete symbols
 - Close Windows
- Increase consistency
- Reduce duplication
 - Setup
 - Teardown

```
case = ut test case("GroupA")
  <<Setup(Expr(...));

ut test(case, "Test", Expr(
   ut assert that(...)
));

ut test("GroupB", "Test", Expr(
   ut assert that(...)
));</pre>
```





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Writing Test Cases



Extending JSL-Hamcrest

Writing your own Matchers and Reporters

Matchers

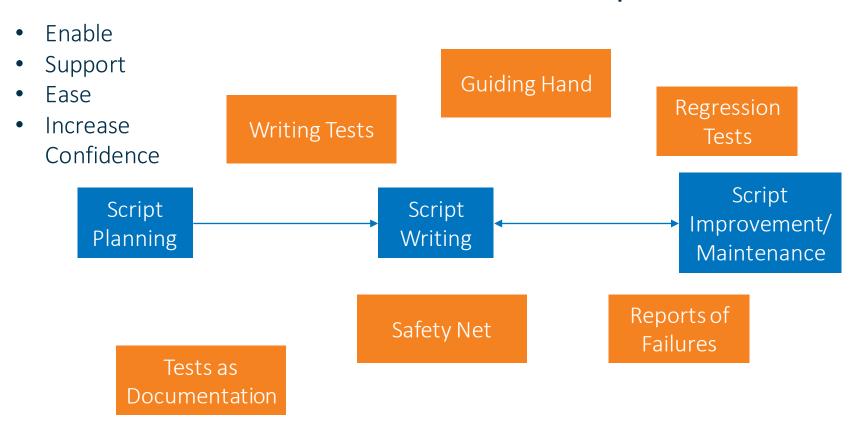
- Write matchers that are
 - Domain specific
 - Meaningful to you
- JSL-Hamcrest has a suite of built-in Matchers

Reporters

- Create reporters that
 - Fit into an existing process
 - Look the way you want them to
- JSL-Hamcrest has several built-in Reporters
 - Write failures to the Log Window
 - Write success/failures to a Test Runner GUI



How can JSL-Hamcrest help?





v1.1

Available Now for JMP 14.1+

Get it on the JMP User Community and GitHub

Tell us what you think or contribute back on GitHub!

Release of JSL-Hamcrest 1.1 Includes

- Library with
 - Test Cases
 - Suite of Matchers
 - Several Reporters
 - Documentation
- Add-In providing
 - The above library
 - Test Runner GUI
 - One-click "Run Tests"
- Used to test JMP itself



Questions?

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