



# TDD

# Test-Driven Development

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# Why should we test?

- Spend less time debugging 🕒
- Reduce fear of changing 😬
- Good documentation 📖
- Cyclic feedback -> can help for design decisions ↻

# What we test?

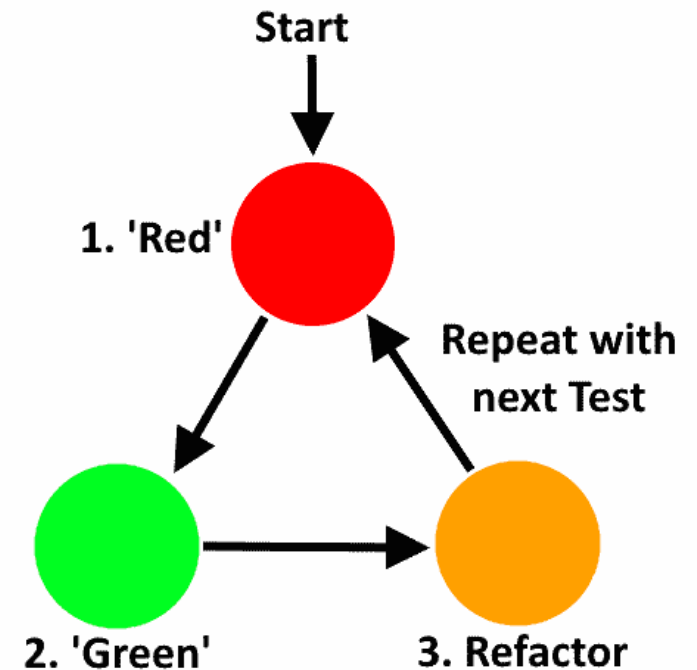
- Test behavior
- Give a test a meaningful name
- Avoid
  - using technical names
  - leaking implementation details
  - writing technical tests - test de behavior!

```
public class ShoppingCartShould {  
  
    @Test  
    void haveSize1WhenAddToCardCalled(){  
        ShoppingCart shoppingCard = new ShoppingCart();  
        Product item = new Product( test: "Test");  
  
        shoppingCard.addToCard(item);  
  
        assertEquals( expected: 1, shoppingCard.getList().size());  
    }  
  
    @Test  
    void haveOneProductInWhenAdded(){  
        ShoppingCart shoppingCard = new ShoppingCart();  
        Product item = new Product( test: "Test");  
  
        shoppingCard.addToCard(item);  
  
        assertEquals( expected: 1, shoppingCard.size());  
    }  
}
```



# How we test?

- Follow the **red** - **green** - **refactor** cycle
- Red phase -> Write a failing test
- Green phase -> Write enough to pass the test
- Refactor phase -> Refactor the code



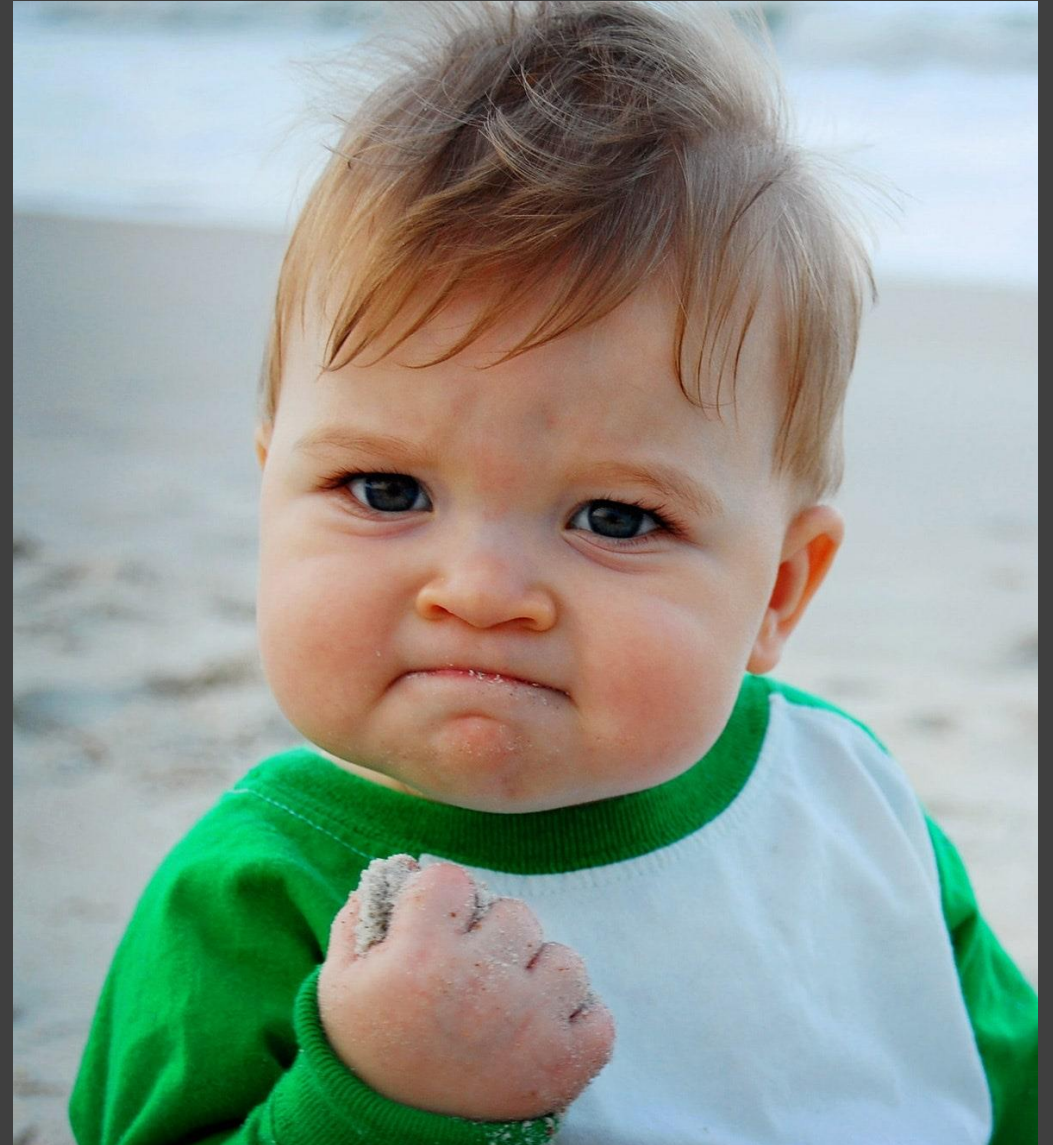
# Red phase

- Write a failing test
- See the test fail for the right reason
- Write the assertions first a work backwards
- Ensure the feedback of the failing test is meaningful



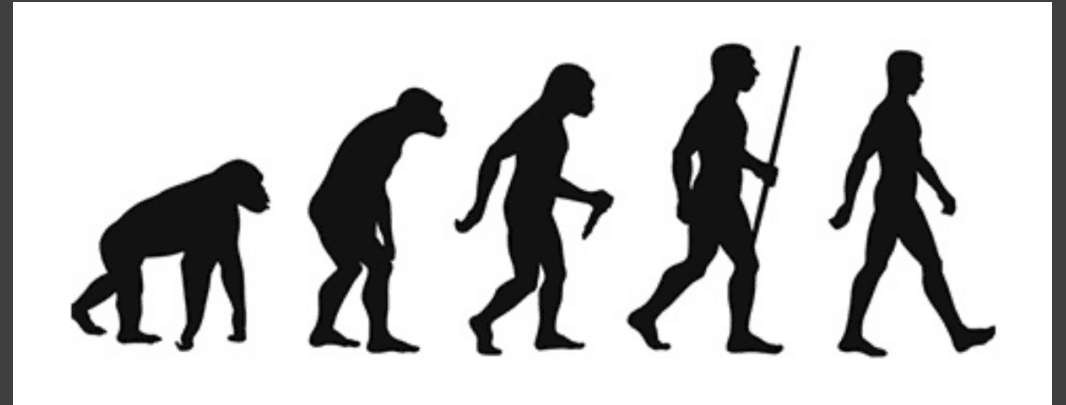
# Green phase

- Write the simplest code to pass
  - Any code
  - Improvements on next stage
- Red -> green
  - Fake it
  - Obvious implementation
  - Triangulation



# Refactor phase

- Refactor aggressively ☐☐
- Refactor with the IDE
- Refactor production and test code independently
- Use the rule of three



# Every TDD expert has small feet

- Make progress in small steps
- Not the fastest but the safest way
- Speed up the TDD process a lot
- Skip steps -> missing benefits





# TDD in real life

