

# Test Driven Requirements

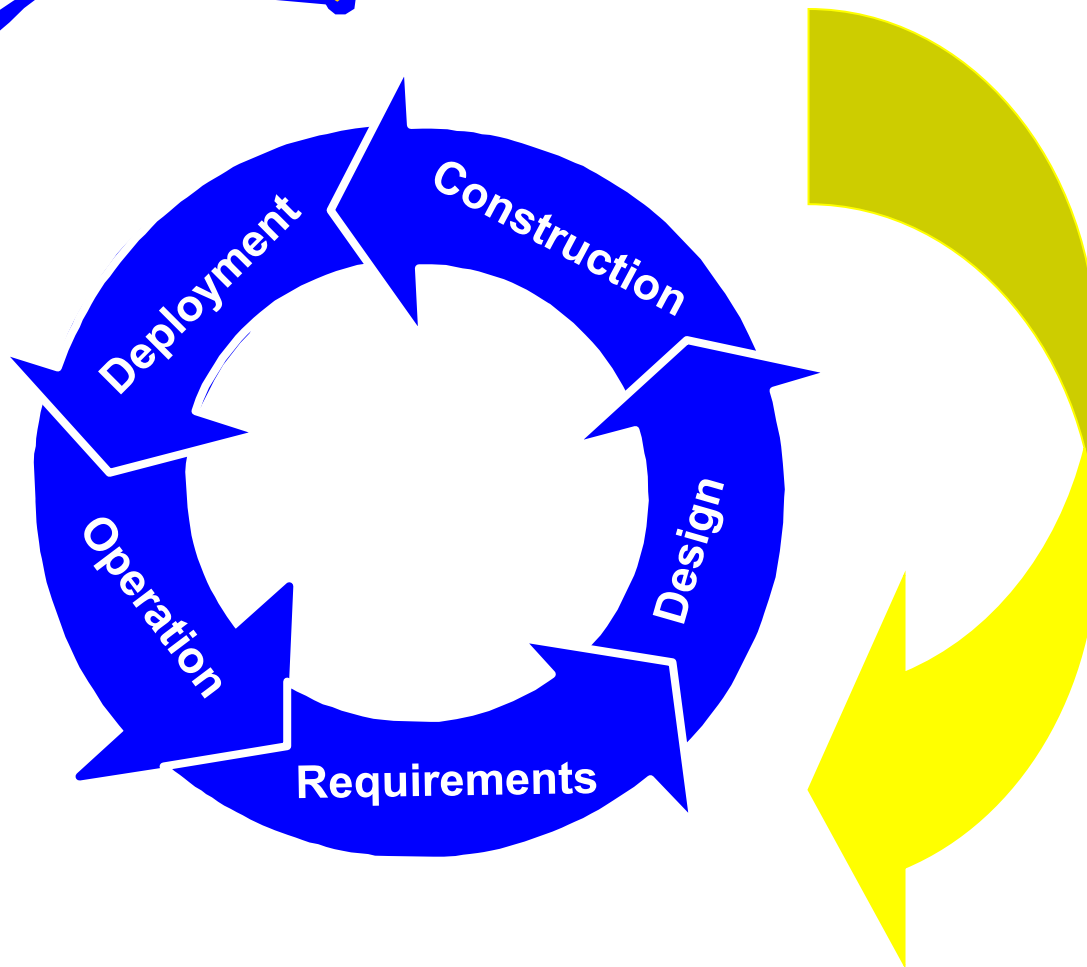
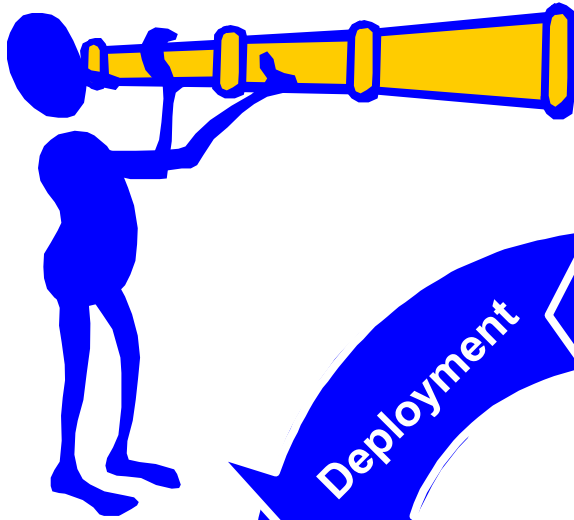
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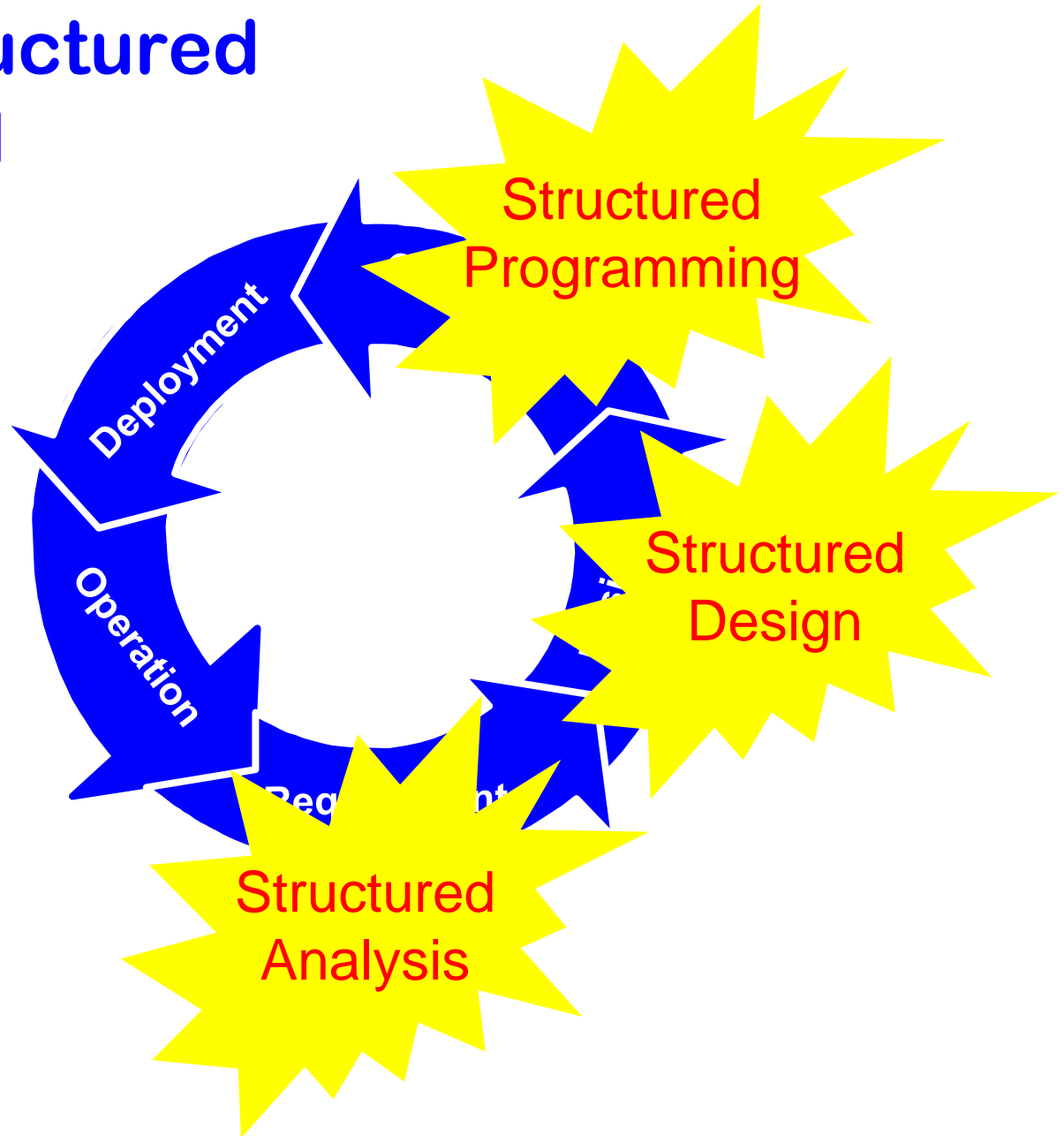
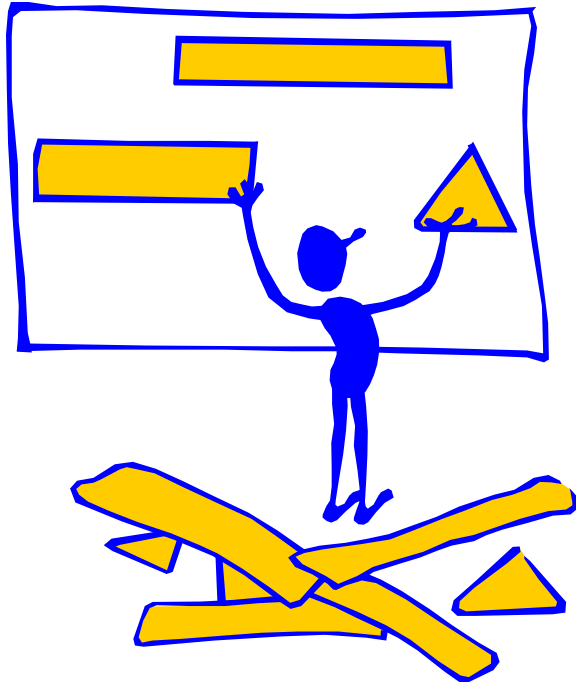
# Software Development Trends

# The Software Development Life Cycle

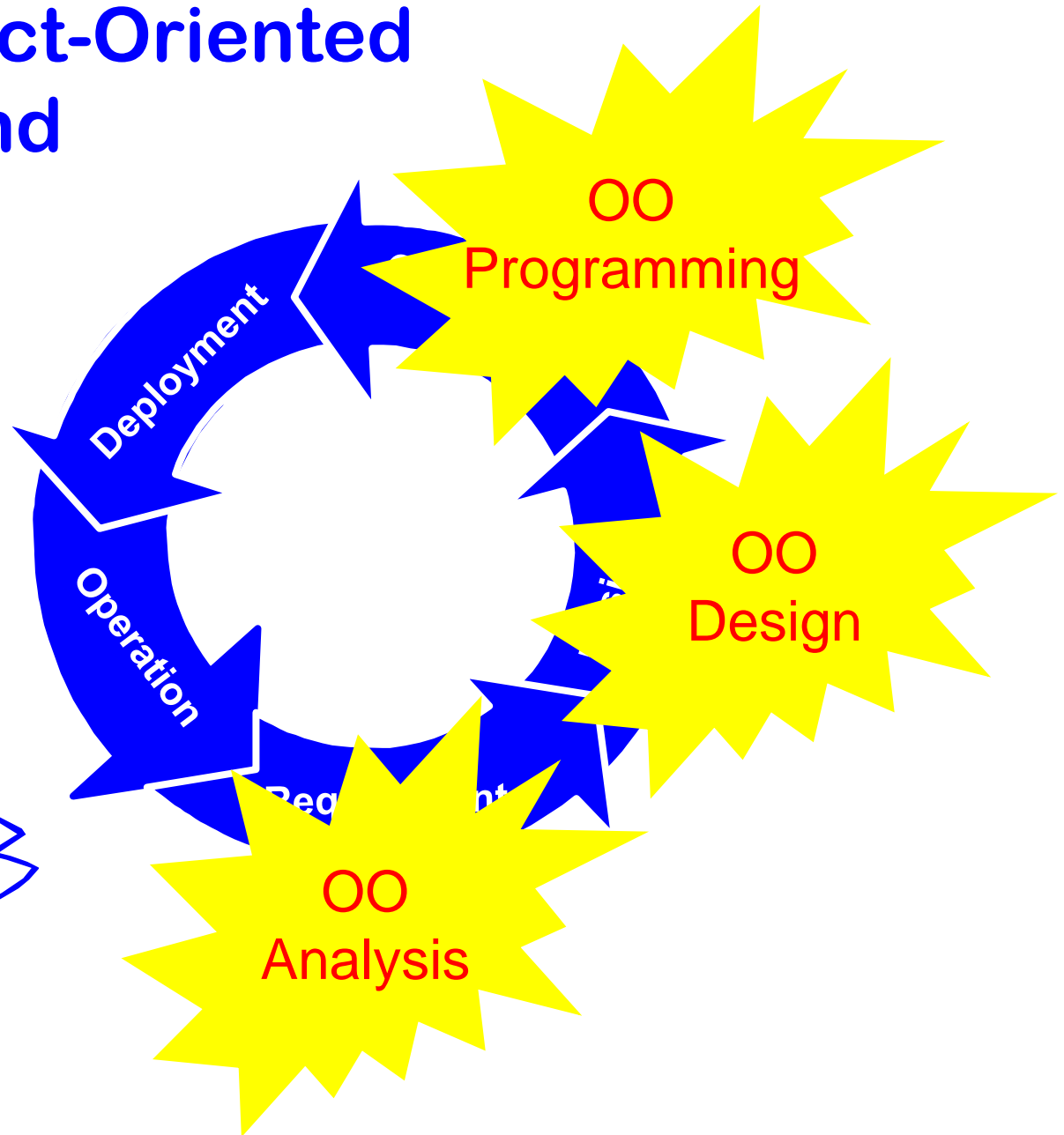


**Trends  
propagate  
backwards  
through the  
development  
life cycle**

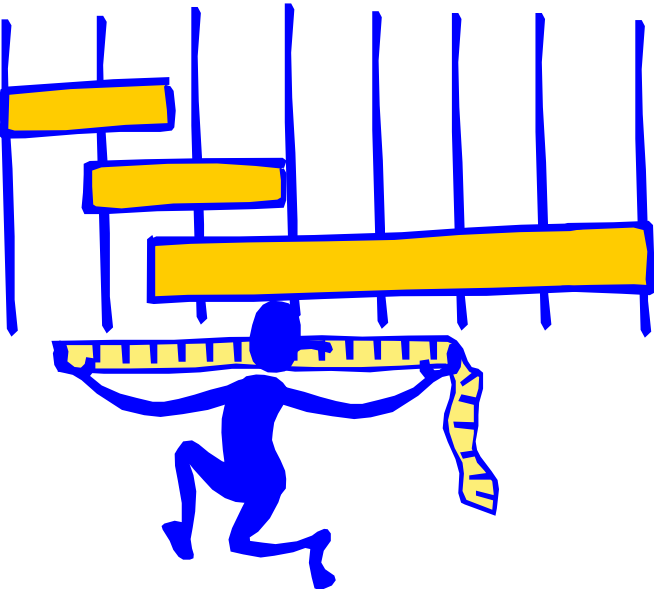
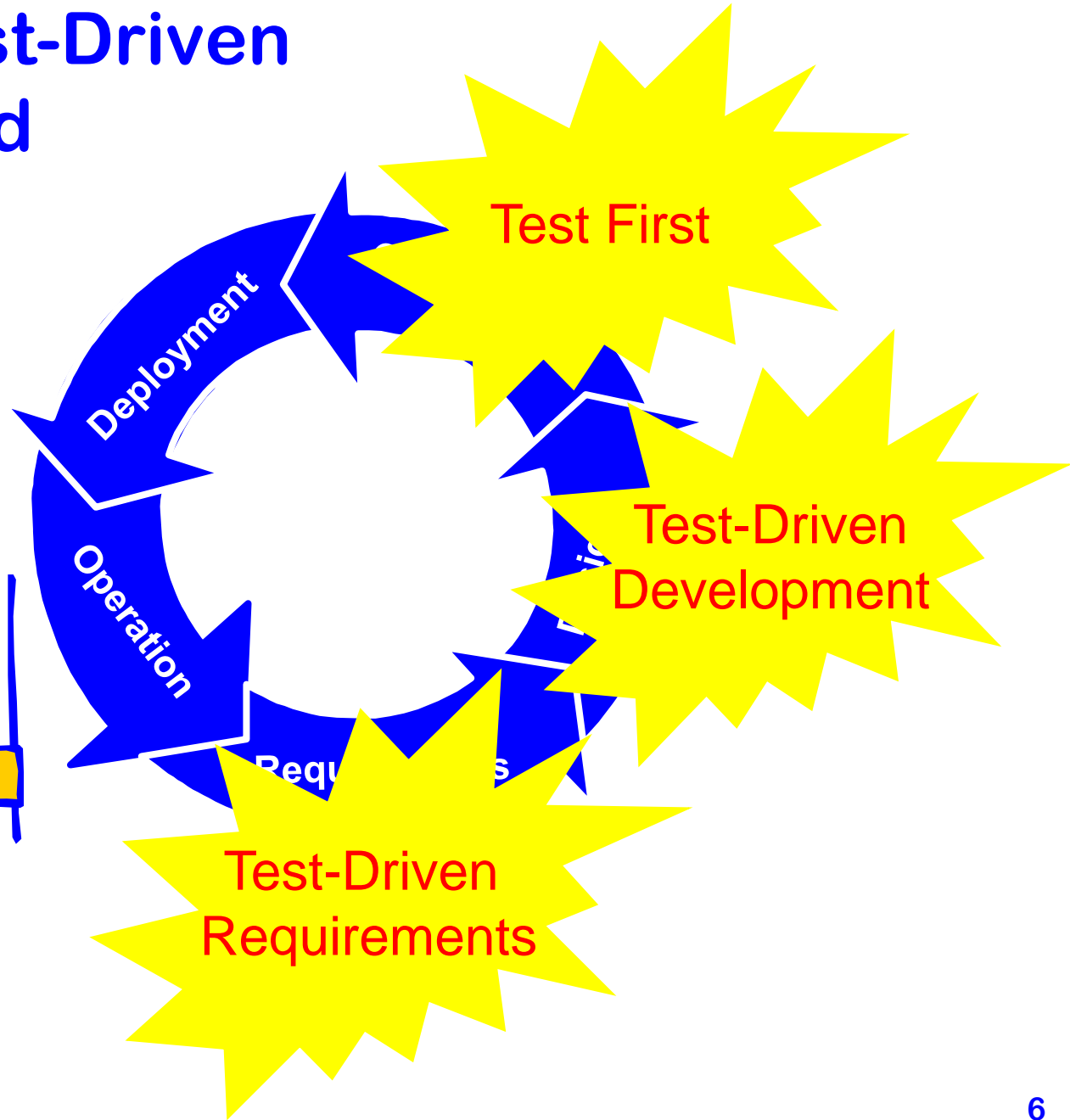
# 80's The Structured Trend



# 90's The Object-Oriented Trend

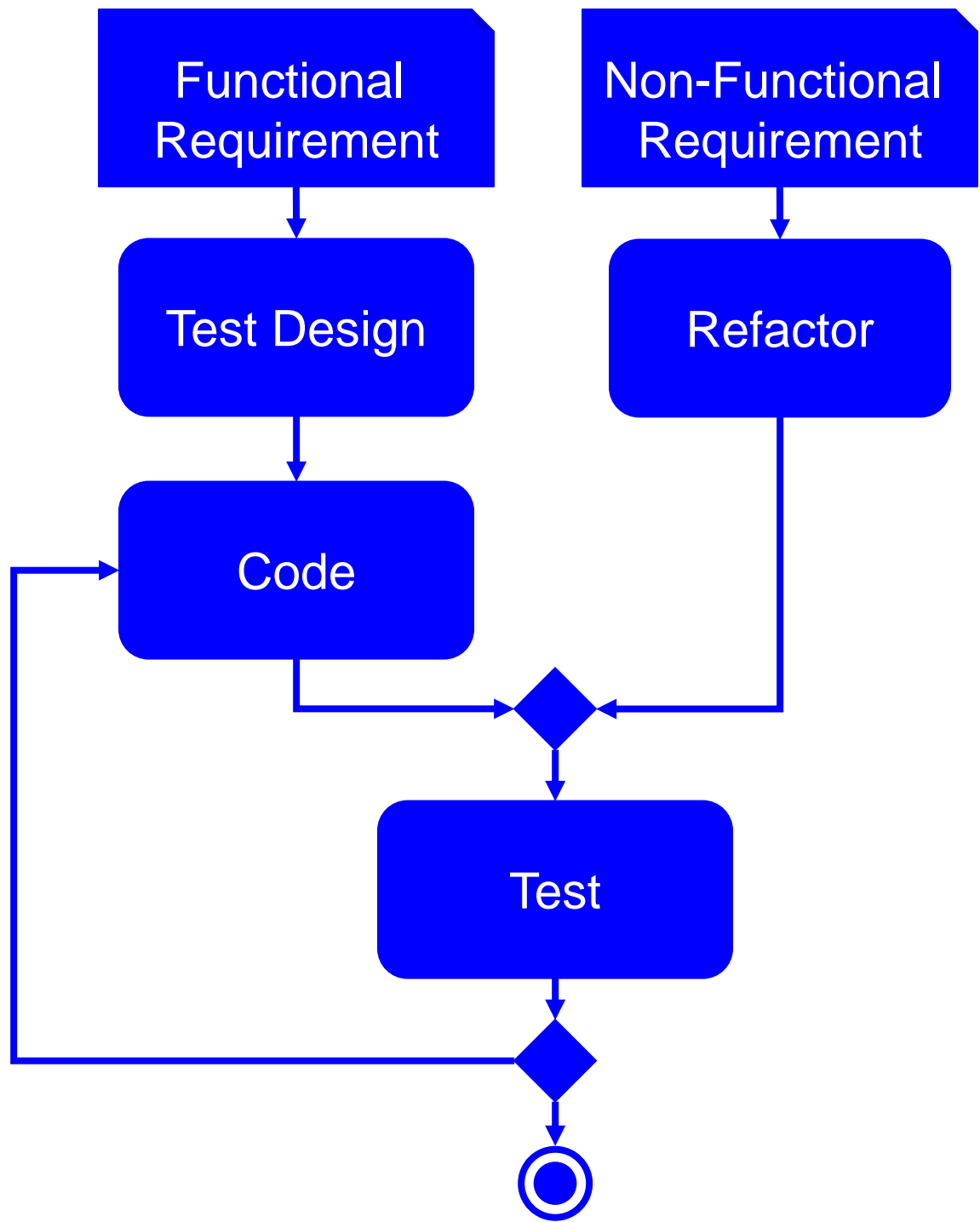


# 00's The Test-Driven Trend



# Brief Overview of Test-Driven Development

# Test-Driven Development

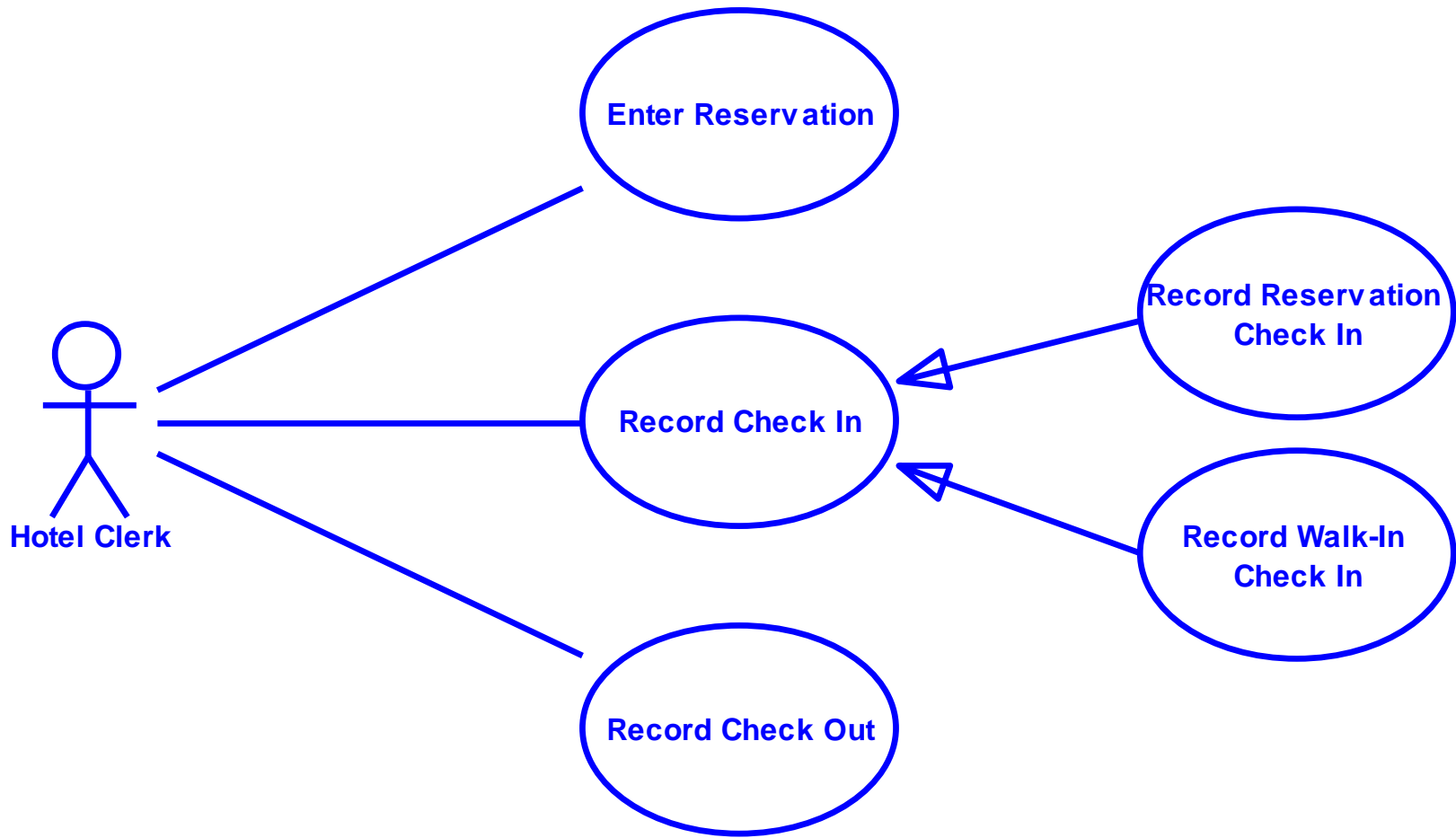




# Requirements

# Use Case Model

## Hotel



# Use Case

## Record Check Out

### Main Scenario

1. The hotel staff enter the guest's room number
2. The system displays the guest's stay details
3. The system calculates the room charge

### Alternate Scenarios

- a) **Late check out and no prior arrangement at step 3**
  - a1. The guest is charged for an extra night
- b) **Check out the same day as check in at step 3**
  - b1. The guest is charged for one night

### Business Rules

number of nights = today's date - check in date

room charge = number of nights x room rate

Normal check out time is 12pm

Guests may request a later check out time

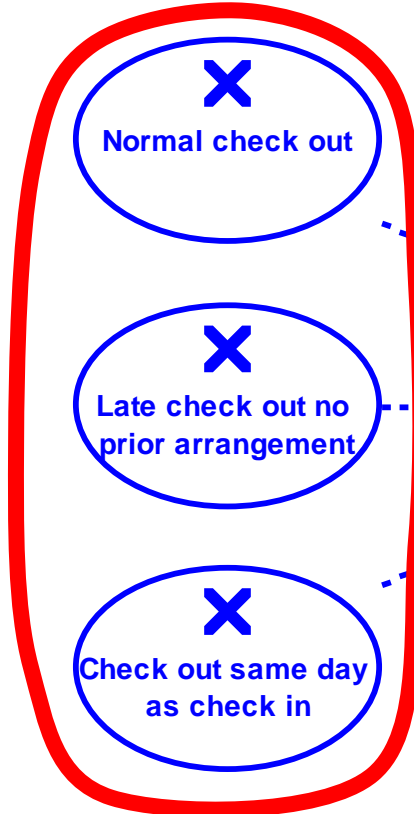
Late check outs must be before 6pm



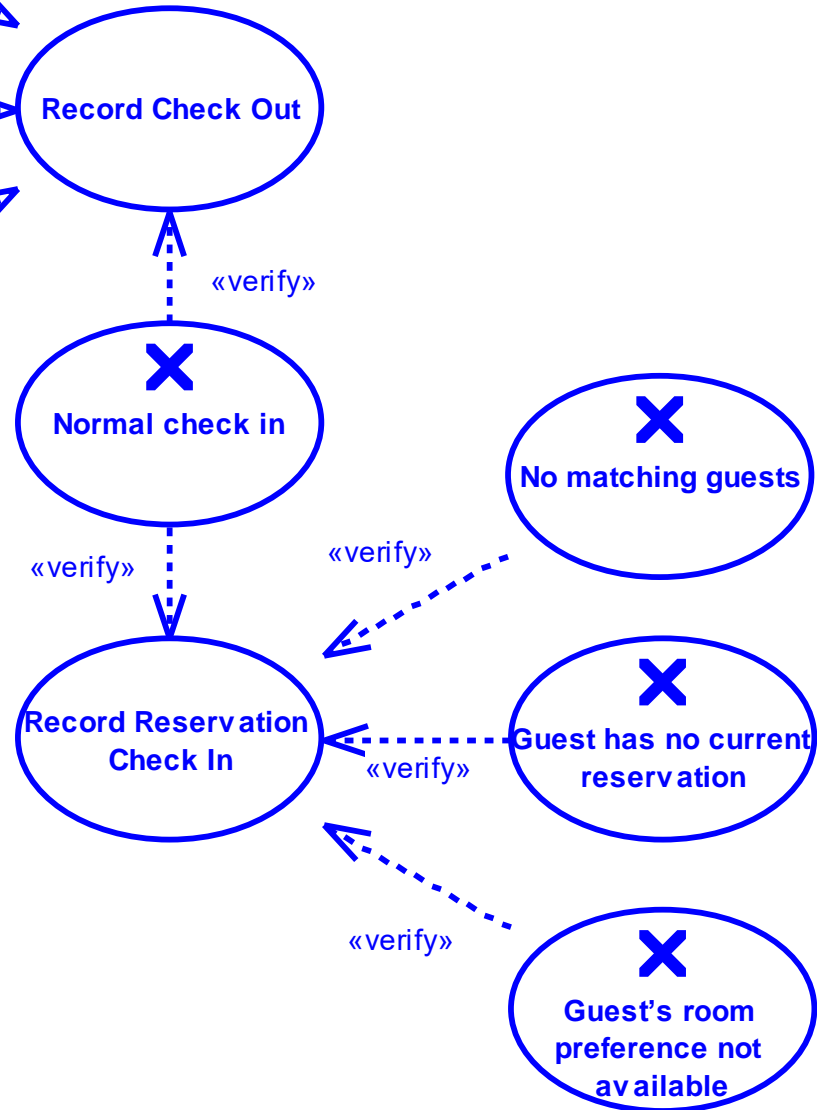
# Validation

# Testing Requirements

# Verification



## Test Cases Hotel



Today = 17/8/2006

# Requirements Verification

## Record Check Out

Check in date	Checkout time	Late checkout time	Room rate	Charge	Comment
12/8/2006	11:30 am	None	\$120	\$600	Normal check out
12/8/2006	5:30 pm	None	\$120	\$720	Late check out no prior arrangement
17/8/2006	11:30 pm	None	\$120	\$120	Check out same day as check in

# In-Depth Testing

- **Maximum length of stay?**
- **Maximum and minimum room rates?**
- **Check out same day as check in**
  - **With late check out no prior arrangement?**
  - **Check in after 12am?**

# Test Case Design Techniques



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## Black-box

- Equivalence partitioning
- Boundary value analysis
- Syntax testing
- Decision table testing
- State transition testing
- ...

## Glass-box

- Statement testing
- Branch/decision testing
- Condition testing
- Linear code sequence and jump (LCSAJ) testing
- Basis path testing
- Data flow testing
- ...

# Equivalence Partitioning

## Hotel Check Out

### Check in date

beginning  
of time

today - 30 days

today

end  
of time



### Charge

smallest  
number

0

1 night x cheapest  
room rate

30 nights x most  
expensive room

largest  
number



### Late check out time

12 am

12 pm

6 pm

12 am

none



Today = 17/8/2006

# Equivalence Partitioning

## Hotel Check Out

Test Case	Partitions	Check in date	Checkout time	Late checkout time	Room rate	Charge	Comment
1	1,4,10,13,18	8/7/2006	11:30 am	None	120	4800	Invalid check in date
2	2,4,10,13,17	12/8/2006	11:30 am	None	120	600	
3	3,4,10,13,15	27/8/2006	11:30 am	None	120	-1200	Invalid check in date
4	2,5,10,13,17	12/8/2006	5:30 pm	None	120	720	
5	2,5,8,13,17	12/8/2006	2:30 pm	3:00 pm	120	600	
6	2,6,8,13,17	12/8/2006	4:30 pm	3:00 pm	120	720	

# Equivalence Partitioning

## Hotel Check Out

Today = 17/8/2006

Who "tests the test cases"?

Test Case	Partitions	Check in date	Checkout time	Late checkout time	Room rate	Charge	Comment
7	2,4,7,13,17	12/8/2006	11:30 am	10:00 am	120	600	Invalid late check out time
8	2,5,9,13,17	12/8/2006	2:30 pm	8:00 pm	120	720	Invalid late check out time
9	2,4,10,11,15	12/8/2006	11:30 am	None	-120	-600	Invalid room rate
10	2,4,10,12,16	12/8/2006	11:30 am	None	10	50	Invalid room rate
11	2,4,10,14,18	12/8/2006	11:30 am	None	240	1200	Invalid room rate

- Confirms agreement of test outcomes

- Expected
- Actual

- Human test oracle

- Stakeholders
- Users
- Business analyst

# Test Oracle

- Automated test oracle

- Spreadsheets
- Automated test frameworks and tools

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet titled 'hotel.xls'. The spreadsheet contains a table with columns for 'No', 'Checkin Date', 'Checkout Time', and 'Calculated Charge'. A red box is overlaid on the spreadsheet with the text 'But is this testing or validating requirements?'.

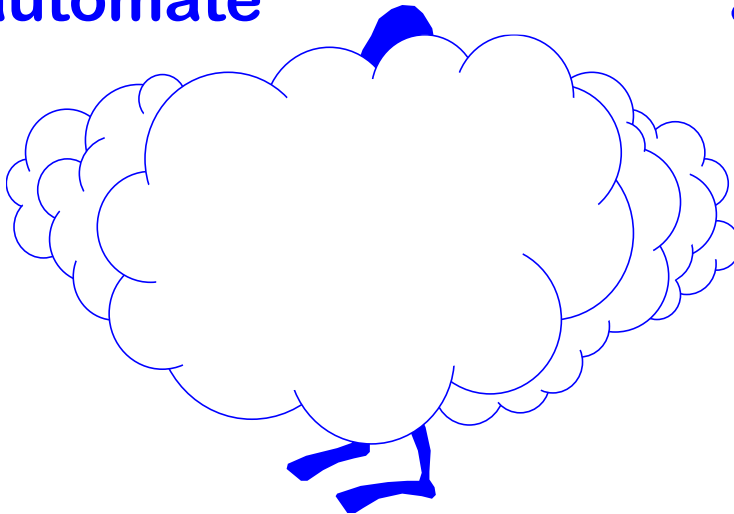
No	Checkin Date	Checkout Time	Calculated Charge
1	8-Jul-06		\$4,800.00
2	12-Aug-06		\$600.00
3	27-Aug-06		-\$1,200.00
4	12-Aug-06		\$720.00
5	12-Aug-06		\$800.00
6	12-Aug-06		\$720.00
7	12-Aug-06		\$600.00
8	12-Aug-06	2:00 PM	\$720.00
9	12-Aug-06	11:30 AM	None
10	12-Aug-06	11:30 AM	None
11	12-Aug-06	11:30 AM	None

# Test-Driven Requirements

# Requirements vs. Test Cases

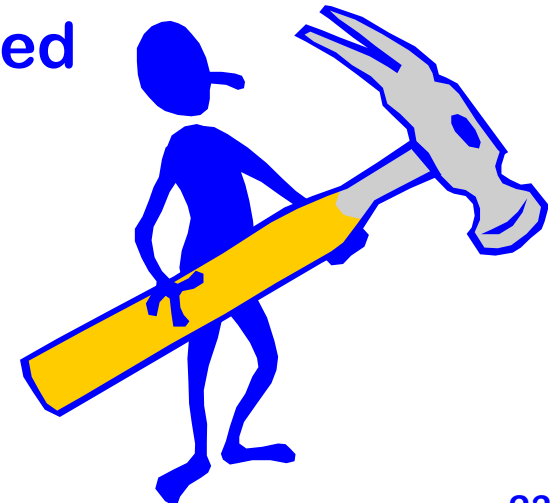
## Requirement

- Abstract
- “What should be”
- Validated by stakeholders
- Validation difficult to automate

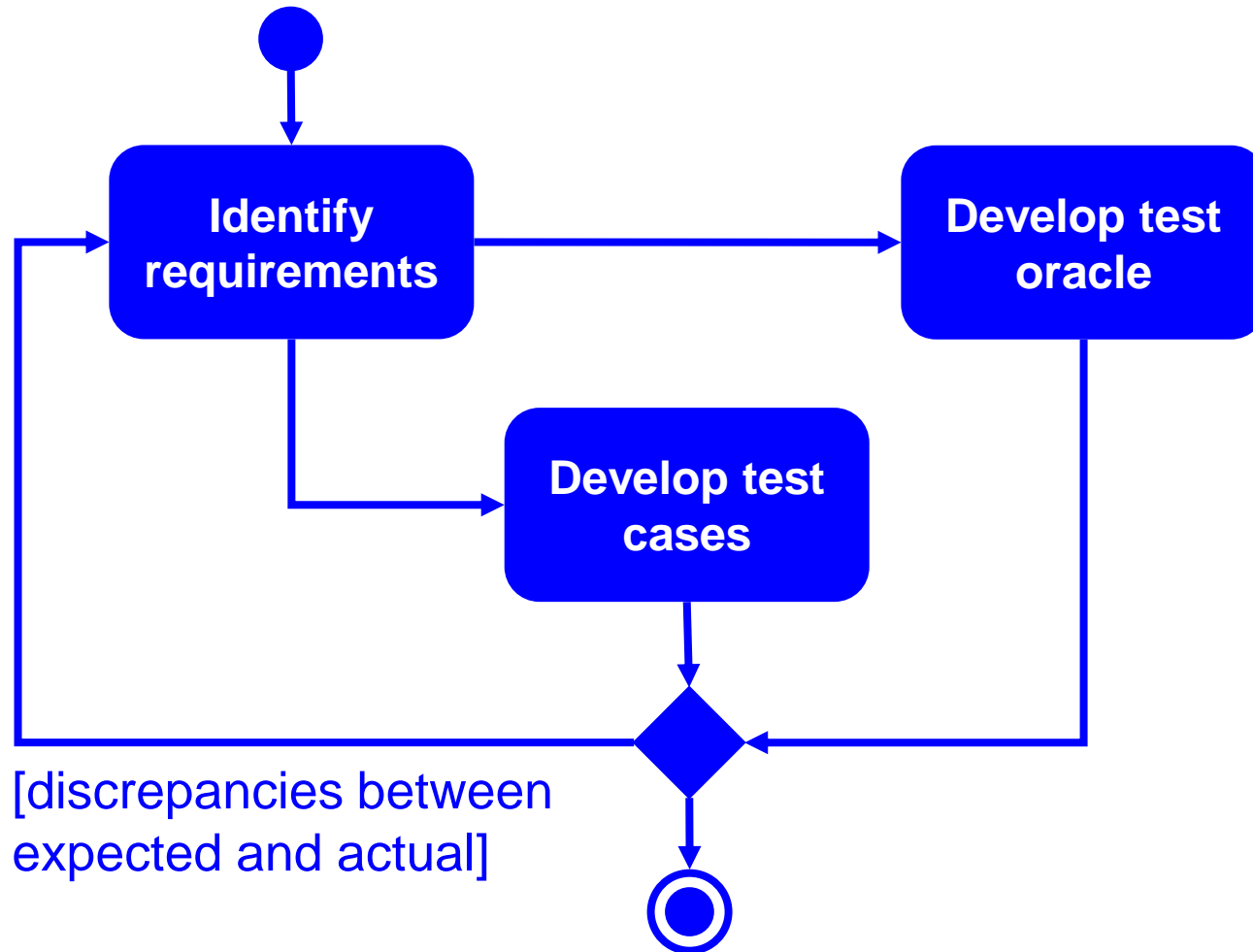


## Test Case

- Concrete
- “What should be
- “What should not be”
- Validated by test oracle
- Test oracle can be automated



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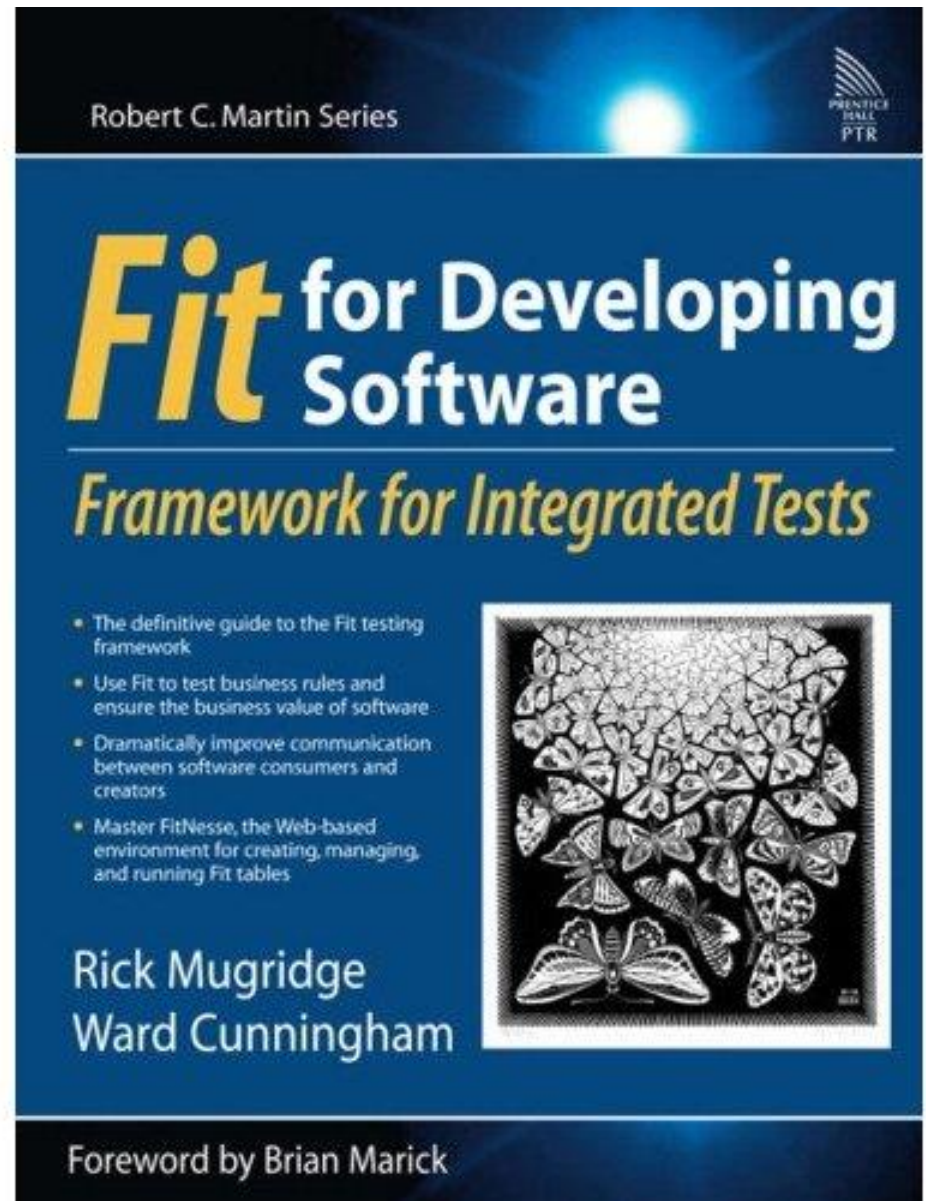


# **FIT**

# **Automated Test Framework**

# Framework For Integrated Tests (FIT)

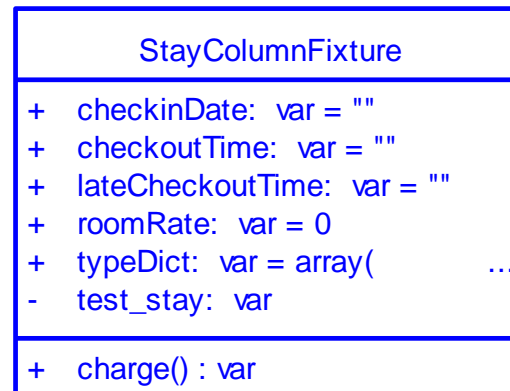
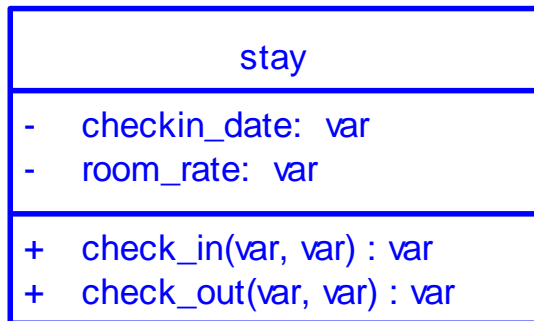
- [fit.c2.com/](http://fit.c2.com/)
- [fitnesse.org/](http://fitnesse.org/)



# HTML table

checkinDate	checkoutTime	lateCheckoutTime	roomRate	charge ()
1/07/06	11:30 AM	None	85	error
18/07/06	11:30 AM	None	250	error
12/08/06	11:30 AM	None	85	425
12/08/06	12:30 PM	None	85	510
12/08/06	11:45 PM	11:30 AM	85	error
12/08/06	2:15 PM	2:30 PM	85	425
12/08/06	2:15 PM	7:30 PM	85	error
12/08/06	7:30 PM	2:30 PM	85	510
12/08/06	11:30 AM	None	-85	error
16/08/06	11:30 AM	None	10	error
22/08/06	11:30 AM	None	85	error

## Target system



## Test fixture

start	eg.HotelFixture	
press	check in	
enter	room rate	85
enter	check in date	12/08/06
press	ok	
press	check out	
enter	check out time	11:30 AM
enter	late check out time	None
check	charge	426
press	ok	

