

A RackUnit Toolkit

Growing Racket's Testing Ecosystem

I love RackUnit

but sometimes it's not enough

I made some stuff

mock

disposable

fixture

expect

Factorial time!

fact.rkt

```
#lang racket

(provide factorial)

(define (factorial n)
  (apply * (range 1 n)))
```

Totally typical testing

fact.rkt

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#lang racket

(provide factorial)

(define (factorial n)
  (apply * (range 1 n)))

(module+ test
  (require rackunit)
  (check-equal? (factorial 1) 1)
  (check-equal? (factorial 4) 24))
```

Running tests

```
> raco test fact.rkt
raco test: (submod "fact.rkt" test)
-----
FAILURE
name:      check-equal?
location:   fact.rkt:11:2
actual:     6
expected:   24
-----
1/2 test failures
```

DrRacket runs them too!

Fixing bugs

fact.rkt

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Fixing bugs

fact.rkt

```
#lang racket

(provide factorial)

(define (factorial n)
  (apply * (range 1 (add1 n)))))

(module+ test
  (require rackunit)
  (check-equal? (factorial 1) 1)
  (check-equal? (factorial 4) 24))
```

Submodules!

client.rkt

```
#lang racket

;; imports factorial
;; doesn't run tests
(require "fact.rkt")

;; doesn't import factorial
;; runs tests
(require (submod "fact.rkt" test))
```



but...

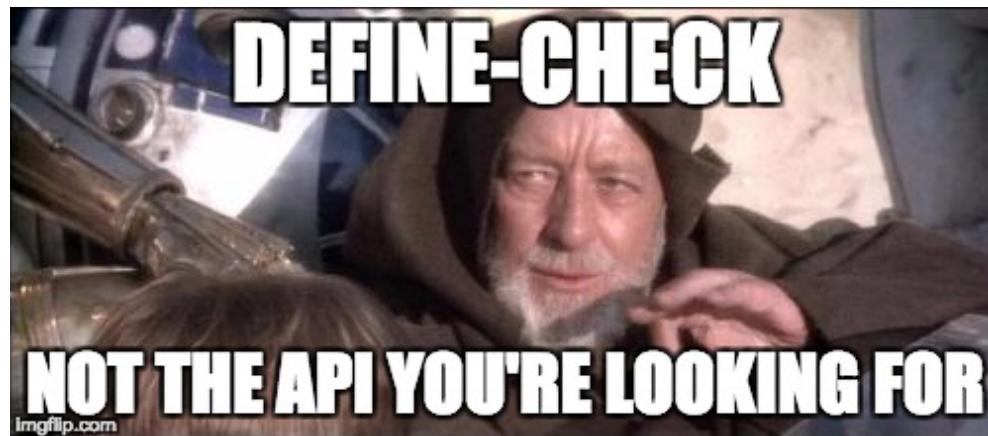
Not much out of the box

<code>check-eq?</code>	<code>check-not-eq?</code>
<code>check-eqv?</code>	<code>check-not-eqv?</code>
<code>check-equal?</code>	<code>check-not-equal?</code>
<code>check</code>	<code>check-=</code>
<code>check-true</code>	<code>check-false</code>
<code>check-not-false</code>	<code>check-pred</code>
<code>check-exn</code>	<code>check-not-exn</code>
<code>check-match</code>	<code>check-regexp-match</code>

how to test...

<code>stdout?</code>	<code>logging?</code>
<code>macros?</code>	<code>#langs?</code>
<code>network?</code>	<code>mutation?</code>

What about custom checks?



Imperative and uncomposable

custom.rkt

```
#lang racket

(define-check (check-foo arg1 arg2)
  ; ; nested check info interferes
  (check-equal? arg1 (something))
  ; ; exceptions and control flow are hard
  ; ; to abstract over
  (with-check-info (['expected "not bar"])
    (fail-check-if-bar))
  (with-check-info (['expected "not baz"])
    (fail-check-if-baz))))
```

Unusable with macros

match.rkt

```
#lang racket

(define-syntax (check-match stx)
  (syntax-case stx ()
    [(_ actual expected pred)
     (quasisyntax
      (let ([actual-val actual])
        (with-check-info*
          (list (make-check-name 'check-match)
                (make-check-location
                  (syntax->location (quote-syntax #,(datum->syntax #f 'loc stx))))
                (make-check-expression '#,(syntax->datum stx))
                (make-check-actual actual-val)
                (make-check-expected 'expected)))
        (lambda ()
          (check-true (match actual-val
                           [expected pred]
                           [_ #f])))))
    [_ actual expected)
     (syntax/loc stx (check-match actual expected #t))])))
```

I'VE GOT A BAD FEEL ABOUT THIS SCOOB



yikes

Controlling test evaluation

case.rkt

```
#lang racket

;; exception causes whole case to fail
;; remaining checks after exn not run
(test-case "some-test"
  (some-setup)
  (check-stuff)
  (some-teardown))
```

Except... not very well

case.rkt

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#lang racket

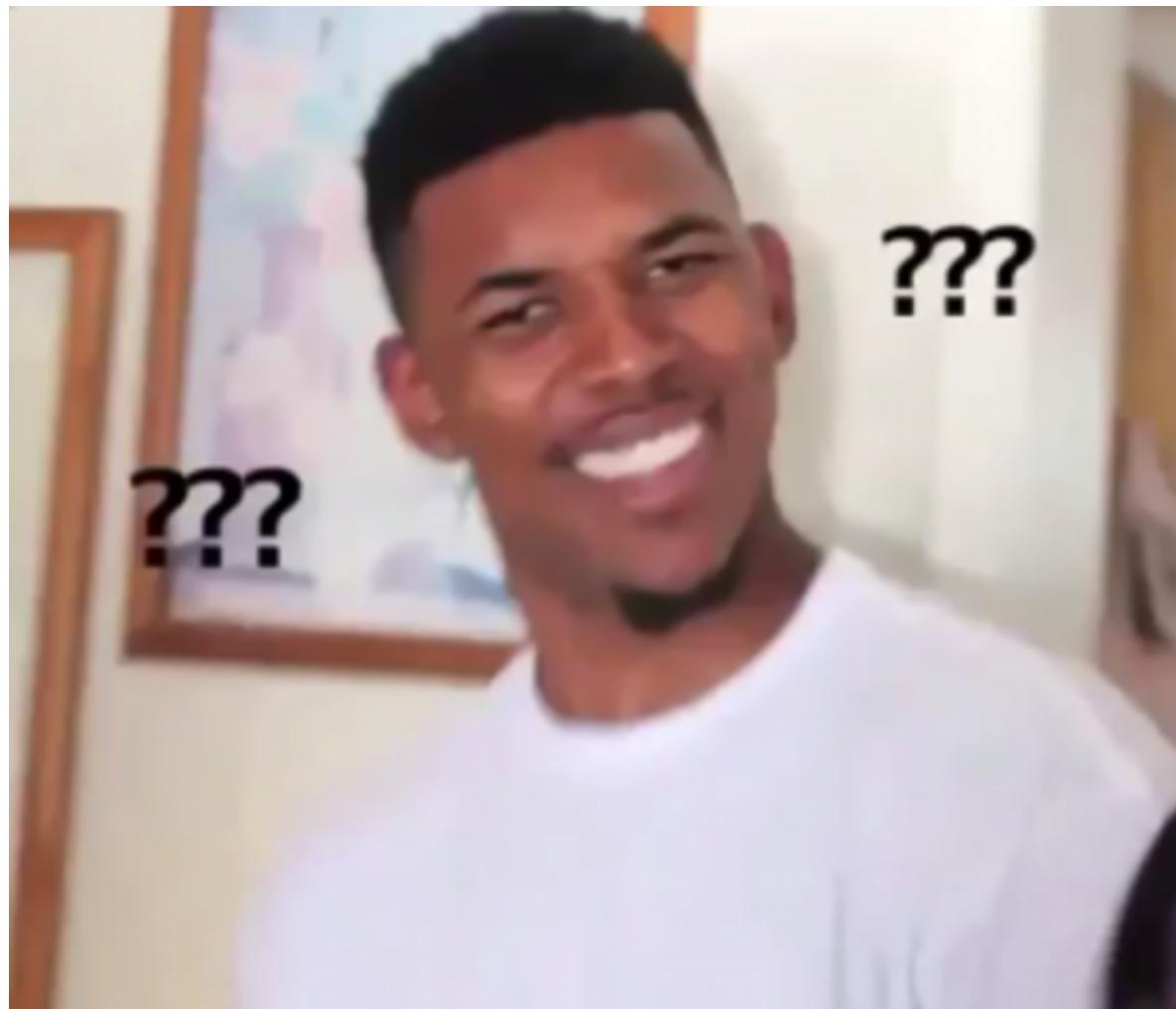
(test-case "some-test"
  (some-setup)
  (check-stuff) ; ; if this fails...
  (some-teardown)) ; ; cleanup work not done!
```

Except... not very well

case.rkt

```
#lang racket

(test-case "some-test"
  (some-setup)
  (check-stuff)
  (test-case "nested-test"
    (check-nested-stuff)) ;; if THIS fails
  (check-other-stuff) ;; this still runs!
  (some-teardown))
```



screw it I'll write libraries anyway

First library: test mocks

`raco pkg install mock`

`(require mock)`

sneaky functions that spy on callers

Remembering calls

```
> (define m (mock #:behavior displayln))
> (m "foo")
foo
> (mock-calls m)
(list
 (mock-call #f (arguments "foo") '(<void>)))
```

Shadowing real functions

mock.rkt

```
#lang racket

(define/mock (friendly-ai)
  #:mock displayln #:as disp-mock
  #:with-behavior void
  (displayln "Hello world!")
  (displayln "Totally not evil, I swear!"))

;; prints a trustworthy promise
(friendly-ai)
```

Shadowing real functions

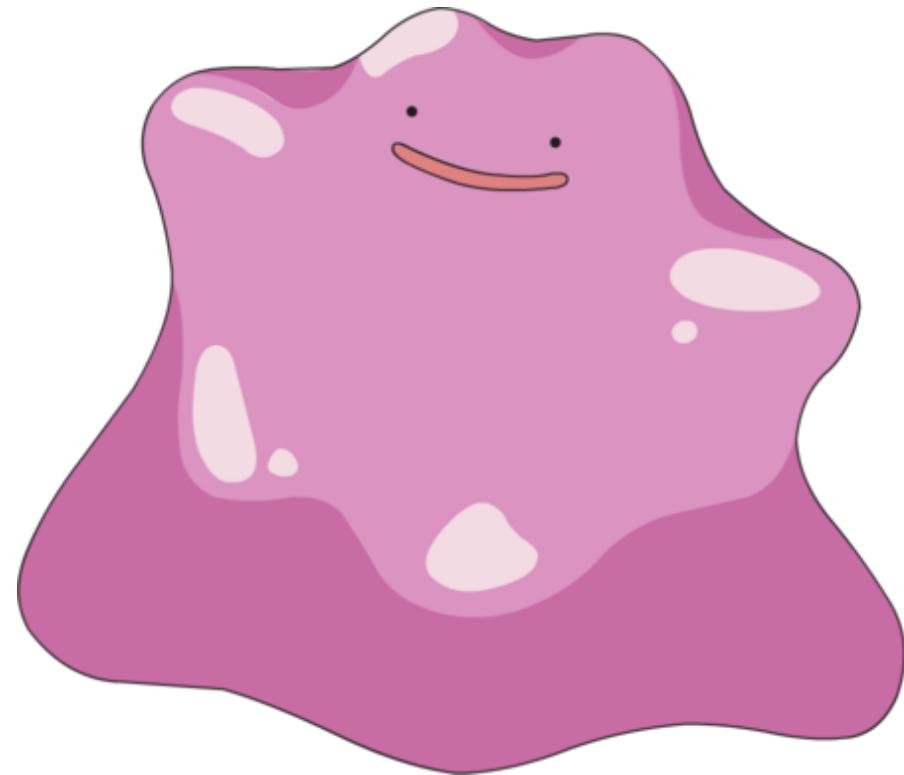
mock.rkt

```
#lang racket

(define/mock (friendly-ai)
  #:mock displayln #:as disp-mock
  #:with-behavior void
  (displayln "Hello world!")
  (displayln "Totally not evil, I swear!"))

;; prints nothing and records calls
(with-mocks friendly-ai
  (friendly-ai)
  (mock-calls disp-mock)) ;; returns two calls
```

The Ditto of testing



great when the real deal isn't around

Second library: disposable values

```
raco pkg install disposable  
(require disposable)  
create and destroy things
```

Creation and destruction

disposable.rkt

```
#lang racket

(define (light!) (make-universe ...))
(define (darkness! univ)
  (destroy-universe univ ...))

(define disposable-universe
  (disposable light! darkness!))
```

One disposable, many uses

disposable.rkt

```
#lang racket

;; cleaned up after stuff ...
(with-disposable ([u disposable-universe])
  stuff ...)

;; cleaned up after timeout
(define u/alarm
  (acquire disposable-universe
    #:dispose-evt (alarm-evt ...)))

;; cleaned up when program ends
(define u/global
  (acquire-global disposable-universe))
```

Disposables compose monadically

disp-monad.rkt

```
#lang racket

(define (disposable-galaxy univ)
  (define (create) ...)
  (define (destroy glxy) ...)
  (disposable create destroy))

(define disp
  (disposable-chain disposable-universe
                     disposable-galaxy))

(with-disposable ([g disp])
  do some stuff ...)
```

Automatic resource pooling

pool.rkt

```
#lang racket

(define pool-disp
  (disposable-pool disposable-universe
    #:max 10 #:max-idle 3))

;; pool-disp creates a pool and returns
;; another disposable which uses the pool
(define univ-disp/pool
  (acquire-global pool-disp))

(with-disposable ([u univ-disp/pool])
  ;; u returned to pool afterwards
  stuff ...)
```

what's this got to do with testing?

Third library: test fixtures

```
raco pkg install fixture  
(require fixture)  
automagic test setup and teardown
```

Disposable-powered test cases

fix.rkt

```
#lang racket

(define disp-db-user (disposable ...))

(define-fixture user disp-db-user)

(test-case/fixture "database-test"
  #:fixture user
  ;; get test user with (current-user)
  do some stuff ...)
;; cleaned up when test case exits
```

Test case isolation

```
fix-isolate.rkt
```

```
#lang racket

;; outer case and nested cases all
;; get different users
(test-case/fixture "all-tests"
  #:fixture user
  (test-case "test1" ...)
  (test-case "test2" ...)
  (test-case "test3" ...))
```

Failure info

```
fix-info.rkt
```

```
#lang racket
```

```
(define-fixture user disp-db-user
  #:info-proc user->string)

(test-case/fixture "db-test"
  #:fixture user
  ; ; all fixture values captured
  ; ; on failure
  (check-true #f))
```

Failure info

```
-----  
db-test  
FAILURE  
fixtures:  
  user:          user2571@test.localhost  
  name:          check-true  
  location:     fix-info.rkt:13:2  
  params:        ' (#f)  
-----
```

fixtures
+ disposable pools

= fast tests



but extending rackunit is still hard

Last library: expect

```
raco pkg install expect  
(require expect)
```

composable pure functional assertions

The core problem

```
problem.rkt
```

```
#lang racket

(define-check (custom-check ...)
  ; either fails or returns void
  ; no information for custom-check
  ; limited control of base-check
  (base-check ...))
```

Rethinking interfaces

```
(check-equal? 1 2)
```

```
(check-expect 1 (expect-equal? 2))
```

Pure functional assertions

```
> (expectation-apply (expect-equal? '(1 2 3 4))
                      '(1 foo 3 4))

(list
 (fault
  "a different value"
  (compare-attribute
   "equal? to 2" #<procedure:equal?> 2)
  (self-attribute "'foo" 'foo)
  (list (sequence-context
         "item at position 1" 1))))
```

Expectation check failure output

```
-----  
FAILURE  
name:           check-expect  
location:       my-test.rkt:5:0  
subject:        (1 foo 3 4)  
actual:         'foo  
expected:       equal? to 2  
context:  
    in:           item at position 1  
  
Expected a different value  
-----
```

Faults, attributes, and contexts

fault.rkt

```
#lang racket

(struct attribute (description))
(struct context (description))

(fault #:summary <string summary>
       #:expected <attribute>
       #:actual <attribute>
       #:contexts (list <context> ...))
```

Example

compound.rkt

```
#lang racket

(check-expect (hash 'foo (set 1 2 3))
              (expect-hash
               'foo (expect-subset (set 1 2))))
```

```
-----
FAILURE
name:      check-expect
location:   compound.rkt:3:0
subject:    #hash((foo . #<set: 1 3 2>))
actual:     (set 1 3 2)
expected:   not 3 contained with set-member?
context:
  in:        value for key 'foo

Expected values to not be contained
-----
```

Composing expectations

```
(expect-all exp ...)

(expect-return 5)

(expect-call (arguments 'foo) (expect-return 5))

(expect-raise (expect-struct exn [exn-message ...]))

(expect-expand stx (expect-raise ...))

(expect-compare free-identifier=? #'cons)
```

Where to go from here

```
(check-forall <generator> <exp>)

(expect-quadratic-time <generator>

(expect-faster <generator> <slow-func-impl>

(expect-public-modules <pkg> expect Documented)

(expect-pkg-deps <pkg> expect-has-license)

(expect-public-functions expect-has-contract)
```

That's all folks!

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