Come Test-Drive With Me

(even if you can't drive yet)

Why we're here

- Appreciated the invitation to non-programmers
- We're test-driving stuff
- Want to be more of an advocate for TDD
- To understand best/better practices in order to advocate
- To learn some stuff

Objectives (red bar)

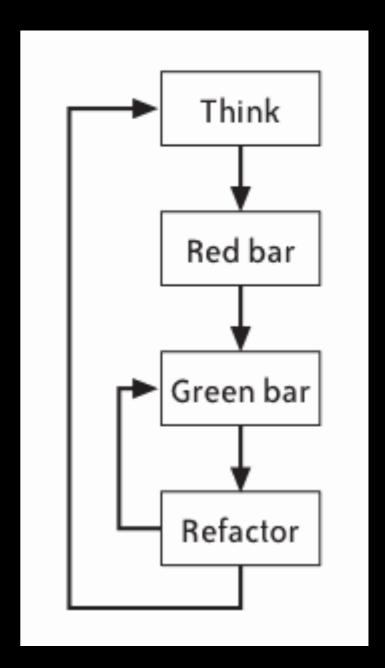
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TDD: Basics

Red: write a test that fails

Green: write just enough code to pass

Refactor: clean up the design



https://www.jamesshore.com/Agile-Book/test_driven_development.html

Drivers: Assemble!

- 3-8 people needed to do the work
- One driver at a time
- Rotate every three minutes
- Everyone else:
 - Get close enough to hear them speak
 - Hold your questions until the debrief

Get to know the code

- Run it
- Run the tests
- Read the tests
- Read the code
- Exploratory Testing: Play with the app

(Find and) Fix the bug

https://github.com/msilpala/kotlin-wordcount/tree/after_agile_and_beyond_2019

- First add a test for it
- Make the test pass. Cheat for speed
- Refactor to clean up your cheat

Debrief

- What surprised you?
- What did you learn?
- What did you observe?
- What did you like or dislike?

Takeaways

- What did you observe about the app and tests?
 - It seemed really quick to add tests.

Add A Feature

- Make it work for multiple lines of input
- First: prove that it doesn't already work
- Then: make it work
- Finally: make it clean

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TDD In the Real World

What have you heard and seen?

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Further Learning

- Test-Driven Development, Kent Beck
- <u>Test-Driven</u>, Lasse Koskela
- TDD chapter from The Art of Agile Software Development, James Shore
- Meet-ups, consultants, coaches, other A&B sessions

Questions? Suggestions?

Your ideas can be my next red bars for this workshop

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Thank You!