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# **buildtest Documentation**

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## SOURCE CODE

- buildtest framework: <https://github.com/buildtesters/buildtest>
- buildtest schemas: <https://github.com/buildtesters/schemas>



## TEST REPOSITORIES

- Cori @ NERSC: <https://github.com/buildtesters/buildtest-cori>
- Stampede2 @ TACC: <https://github.com/buildtesters/buildtest-stampede2>



## USEFUL LINKS

- Documentation: <http://buildtest.rtf.d.io/>
- Schema Docs: <https://buildtesters.github.io/schemas/>
- ReadTheDocs: <https://readthedocs.org/projects/buildtest/>
- Travis: <https://travis-ci.com/buildtesters/buildtest>
- CodeCov: <https://codecov.io/gh/buildtesters/buildtest>
- Coveralls: <https://coveralls.io/github/buildtesters/buildtest>
- CodeFactor: <https://www.codefactor.io/repository/github/buildtesters/buildtest>
- Snyk: <https://app.snyk.io/org/buildtesters/>
- Slack Channel: <http://hpcbuildtest.slack.com>. [Click Here](#) to Join Slack



## DESCRIPTION

`buildtest` is a HPC testing framework to help sites perform acceptance & regression testing of an HPC system. `buildtest` utilizes `json schema` to define structure of test written in YAML called a **Buildspec File**. The `schema docs` is a resource that hosts `buildtest` schemas and documents all field attributes for each schema, this will be useful when you are *Writing buildspecs*.

A spin-off project called `lmodule` which is a Python API for `Lmod`. The `buildtest` module features were deprecated and moved to `lmodule` with the main object of automating module load testing. For more details on `lmodule` see <https://github.com/buildtesters/lmodule>

To get started with `buildtest`, please review the *Terminology* and proceed to *Installing buildtest* followed by *Getting Started with buildtest*.

For additional reference, you can read *Summary of buildtest* and *Conference and Publications*.

## 5.1 Summary of buildtest

### Contents

- *Summary of buildtest*
  - *Background*
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### 5.1.1 Background

HPC computing environment is a tightly coupled system that includes a cluster of nodes and accelerators interconnected with a high-speed interconnect, a parallel filesystem, multiple storage tiers, a batch scheduler for users to submit jobs to the cluster and a software stack for users to run their workflows. A **software stack is a collection of compilers, MPI, libraries, system utilities and scientific packages** typically installed in a parallel file-system. A module tool like `environment-modules` or `Lmod` is generally used for loading the software environment into the users' shell environment.

Software are packaged in various forms that determine how they are installed. A few package formats are: `binary`, `Makefile`, `CMake`, `Autoconf`, `github`, `PyPi`, `Conda`, `RPM`, `tarball`, `rubygem`, `MakeCp`, `jar`, and many more. With many packaging formats, this creates a burden for HPC support team to learn how to build software since each one has a unique build process. Software build tools like `EasyBuild` and `Spack` can build up to 1000+ software packages by supporting many packaging formats to address all sorts of software builds. `Easybuild` and `Spack` provide end-end software build automation that helps HPC site to build a very large software stack with many combinatorial software configurations. During the installation, some packages will provide a test harness that can be executed via `Easybuild` or `Spack` which typically invokes a `make test` or `ctest` for packages that follow `ConfigureMake`, `Autoconf`, or `CMake` install process.

Many HPC sites rely on their users for testing the software stack, and some sites may develop in-house test scripts to run sanity check for popular scientific tools. Despite these efforts, there is little or no collaboration between HPC sites on sharing tests because they are site-specific and often provide no documentation. For many sites, the HPC support team don't have the time for conducting software stack testing because:

1. lack of domain expertise and understaffed
2. no standard test-suite and framework to automate test build and execution.

Frankly, HPC support teams are so busy with important day-day operation and engineering projects that software testing is either neglected or left to end-users. This demands for a concerted effort by HPC community to **build a strong open-source community** around software stack testing.

There are two points that need to be addressed. First, we need a **framework to do automatic testing** of installed software stack. Second, is to **build a test repository** for scientific software that is community driven and reusable amongst the HPC community. An automated test framework is a harness for *automating* the test creation process, but it requires a community contribution to accumulate this repository on per-package basis.

**buildtest** was designed to address both these points, it is a **framework** to perform automatic testing and it provides a repository of test-configurations that can be shared by HPC community.

### 5.1.2 Motivation

There are many build automations tools for compiling source code into binary code, the most used tool is the **make** utility found in most Linux systems. Build scripts like **configure**, **cmake** and **autoconf** can generate files used by `make` for installing the software. `Makefile` is a file used by `make` program that shows how to compile and link a program which is the basis for building a software package. One can invoke **make test** which will run the target named **test** in `Makefile` that dictates how tests are compiled and run. `Makefile` is hard to interpret and requires in-depth experience with shell-scripting and strong understanding of how package is built and tested. Note that package maintainers must provide the source files, headers, and additional libraries to test the software and `make test` simply the test compilation and execution. Tools like `configure`, `cmake` and `autoconf` are insufficient for testing because HPC software stack consist of applications packaged in many formats and some are `make`-incompatible.

We wanted a framework that hides the complexity for compiling source code and provide an easy markup language to define test configuration to create the test. This leads to **buildtest**, a framework that automates test creation by using test configuration written in `YAML` syntax. `YAML` was picked given its simplicity and it lowers the barrier for new to start sharing test configuration in order to build a comprehensive test suite that will work with **buildtest**.



### 5.1.3 Inception of buildtest

buildtest was founded by [Shahzeb Siddiqui](#) in 2017 when he was at [Pfizer](#) tasked for testing software stack for a data center migration.

Shahzeb was tasked with testing the software ecosystem by focusing on the most important application due to time constraints. During this period, several dozen test scripts were developed in shell-script that targeted core HPC tools such as compilers, **MPI**, **R**, **Python**, etc. A single master script was used to run all the tests which led to buildtest.

### 5.1.4 Target Audience & Use Case

buildtest target audience is the following:

- *HPC Staff*: that wants to perform acceptance & regression testing of their HPC system.
- *Research Software Engineers*: that want to test software installed in HPC system

buildtest is not

- replacement for *make*, *cmake*, *autoconf*, *ctest*
- a software build framework (*easybuild*, *spack*, *nix*, *guix*)
- a replacement for benchmark tools or test suite from upstream package
- a replacement for writing tests, you will need to write your tests defined by buildtest schemas, however you can copy/paste & adapt tests from other sites that are applicable to you.

Typical use-case :

1. Run your test suite during system maintenance
2. Perform daily tests for testing various system components. These tests should be short
3. Run weekly/biweekly test on medium/large workload including micro-benchmark

If you are interested in buildtest, please [Join Slack Channel](#) and your feedback will help improve buildtest.

### 5.1.5 Timeline

Date	Description
<b>Feb 18th 2017</b>	Start of project
<b>Aug 20th 2017</b>	In <a href="#">v0.1.5</a> buildtest was converted from bash to Python and project was moved into github <a href="https://github.com/HPC-buildtest/buildtest">https://github.com/HPC-buildtest/buildtest</a>
<b>Sep 11th 2018</b>	In <a href="#">v0.4.0</a> buildtest was ported from Python 2 to 3
<b>Mar 3rd 2020</b>	A spin-off project called <a href="#">lmodule</a> was formed based on buildtest module features

## 5.1.6 Related Projects and community efforts

- **ReFrame**: Regression FRAME work for Software Testing. ReFrame is developed by [CSCS](#)
- **Pavilion2**: is a framework for running and analyzing tests targeting HPC systems. Pavilion2 is developed by [LANL](#)
- **Automatic Testing of Installed Software (ATIS)** - This project was presented by Xavier Besseron in [FOSDEM14](#) however this project is no longer in development.
- **hpcswtest** - is a HPC Software Stack testing framework by [Idaho National Lab](#) however this project is no longer in development.

The [System Test Working Group](#) hosted a [BOF HPC System Testing: Procedures, Acceptance, Regression Testing, and Automation](#) in SuperComputing '19. This working group is aimed at discussing acceptance and regression testing procedure and lessons learned from other HPC centers.

## 5.2 Terminology

Name	Description
<b>Buildspec</b>	is a YAML file that buildtest interprets when generating the test. A Buildspec may contain one or more test that is validated by a <a href="#">Buildspec Schema</a> .
<b>Schema</b>	is a JSON file that defines structure of a buildspec file and it is used for validating a buildspec
<b>Global Schema</b>	is a JSON schema that is validated for all schema types
<b>Sub Schema</b>	A buildspec is validated with one sub-schema defined by <code>type</code> field.
<b>Test Script</b>	is a generated shell script by buildtest as a result of processing one of the <a href="#">Buildspec</a> .
<b>Settings</b>	is a buildtest configuration file in YAML that configures buildtest at your site. The Settings file must be compatible with the <a href="#">Settings Schema</a> .
<b>Settings Schema</b>	is a special schema file that defines structure of buildtest settings.
<b>Executor</b>	is responsible for running a <b>TestScript</b> . An executor can be of several types such as <code>local</code> , <code>slurm</code> which defines if test is run locally or via a scheduler. The executors are defined in the <a href="#">Settings</a> file.

## 5.3 Installing buildtest

### 5.3.1 Requirements

You need the following packages to get started.

- Python  $\geq 3.6$

### 5.3.2 Cloning buildtest

To get started, clone the buildtest repository in your local machine as follows:

```
$ git clone https://github.com/buildtesters/buildtest.git
```

If you prefer the SSH method, make sure your GitHub account is configured properly, for more details see [Connecting to GitHub with SSH](#)

Once your account is configured you can clone the repository as follows:

```
$ git clone git@github.com:buildtesters/buildtest.git
```

If you prefer the latest code release, please pull the **devel** branch:

```
$ git clone -b devel git@github.com:buildtesters/buildtest.git
```

Or you may switch to the **devel** branch if you already cloned it:

```
$ git checkout devel
```

### 5.3.3 Installing buildtest

To install buildtest run the following:

```
# for site installed python
$ pip install --user .

# for virtual environment, local install
$ pip install .
```

You may want to create an isolated python environment of choice depending on your preference you can use any of the following

- [virtualenv](#)
- [conda](#)
- [pipenv](#)

### 5.3.4 Development Dependencies (Optional)

If you plan to contribute back to buildtest, you will need to install additional dependencies found in the requirements file in `docs/requirements.txt` as follows:

```
$ pip install -r docs/requirements.txt
```

### 5.3.5 Usage (buildtest --help)

Once you are setup, you can run `buildtest --help` for more details on how to use buildtest. Shown below is the output

```
$ buildtest --help
usage: buildtest [options] [COMMANDS]

buildtest is a HPC testing framework for building and executing tests. Buildtest comes
↳ with a set of json-schemas used to write test configuration (Buildspecs) in YAML to
↳ generate test scripts.

optional arguments:
  -h, --help            show this help message and exit
  -V, --version          show program's version number and exit
  -d {DEBUG,INFO,WARNING,ERROR,CRITICAL}, --debug {DEBUG,INFO,WARNING,ERROR,CRITICAL}
                        Enable debugging messages.

COMMANDS:

  build                  Options for building test scripts
  buildspec             Command options for buildspecs
  report                Show report for test results
  schema                Commands for viewing buildtest schemas
  config                Buildtest Configuration Menu

{build,buildspec,report,schema,config}

Documentation: https://buildtest.readthedocs.io/en/latest/index.html
```

buildtest commands make use of sub-commands (i.e `buildtest <subcommand>`). For more details on any sub-command run:

```
$ buildtest <subcommand> --help
```

If you have got this far, please go to the next section on *Configuring buildtest*

## 5.4 Getting Started with buildtest

### 5.4.1 Interacting with the client

After you install buildtest, you should find the client on your path:

```
$ which buildtest
~/.local/bin/buildtest
```

If you don't see buildtest go back and review section *Installing buildtest*.

## 5.4.2 Buildsspecs

### Finding Buildsspecs

buildtest is able to find and validate all buildsspecs in your repos. The command `buildtest buildspec` comes with the following options.

```
$ buildtest buildspec --help
usage: buildtest [options] [COMMANDS] buildspec [-h] {find,view,edit} ...

optional arguments:
  -h, --help            show this help message and exit

subcommands:
  Commands options for Buildsspecs

  {find,view,edit}
    find                find all buildsspecs
    view                view a buildspec
    edit                edit a buildspec
```

To find all buildsspecs run `buildtest buildspec find` which will discover all buildsspecs in all repos. buildtest will recursively traverse all repos and seek out all `.yaml` extensions so make sure your buildsspecs conform to the file extension.

```
$ buildtest buildspec find
Searching buildspec in following directories: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↳ tutorials
Found 14 buildsspecs
Validated 5/14 buildsspecs
Validated 10/14 buildsspecs
Validated 14/14 buildsspecs

Detected 1 invalid buildsspecs

Writing invalid buildsspecs to file: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/buildspec.
↳ error

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| Name                | Type   | Executor | Tags          | Description      |
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| systemd_default_target | script | local.bash | ['tutorials'] | check if default_
↳ target is multi-user.target
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↳ +-----+
| _bin_sh_shell        | script | local.sh   | ['tutorials'] | /bin/sh shell_
↳ example
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| _bin_bash_shell      | script | local.bash | ['tutorials'] | /bin/bash shell_
↳ example
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bash_shell	script	local.bash	['tutorials']	bash shell_
↪example				
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sh_shell	script	local.sh	['tutorials']	sh shell example_
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shell_options	script	local.sh	['tutorials']	shell options _
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environment_variables	script	local.bash	['tutorials']	Declare_
↪environment variables				
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variables	script	local.bash	['tutorials']	Declare shell_
↪variables				
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selinux_disable	script	local.bash	['tutorials']	Check if SELinux_
↪is Disabled				
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exit1_fail	script	local.sh	['tutorials']	exit 1 by_
↪default is FAIL				
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↪				
exit1_pass	script	local.sh	['tutorials']	report exit 1 as_
↪PASS				
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+				
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returncode_mismatch	script	local.sh	['tutorials']	exit 2 failed_
↪since it failed to match returncode 1				
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↪				
wrongexecutor	script	badexecutor	['tutorials']	valid test but_
↪invalid executor name so test won't run				
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circle_area	script	local.python	['tutorials']	Calculate circle_
↪of area given a radius				
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skip	script	local.bash	['tutorials']	_
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unskipped	script	local.bash	['tutorials']	_
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vecadd_gnu	compiler	local.bash	['tutorials']	Vector Addition_
↪example with GNU compiler				
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↪				
hello_f	compiler	local.bash	['tutorials']	Hello World_
↪Fortran Compilation				

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```

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| hello_c          | compiler | local.bash | ['tutorials'] | Hello World C_
| Compilation      |         |             |               |
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| hello_cplusplus  | compiler | local.bash | ['tutorials'] | Hello World C++_
| Compilation      |         |             |               |
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| cc_example       | compiler | local.bash | ['tutorials'] | Example by using_
| cc to set C compiler |         |             |               |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| fc_example       | compiler | local.bash | ['tutorials'] | Example by using_
| fc to set Fortran compiler |         |             |               |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| cxx_example      | compiler | local.bash | ['tutorials'] | Example by using_
| cxx to set C++ compiler |         |             |               |
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| pre_post_build_run | compiler | local.bash | ['tutorials'] | example using_
| pre_build, post_build, pre_run, post_run example |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| executable_arguments | compiler | local.bash | ['tutorials'] | Passing_
| arguments example   |         |             |               |
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```

buildtest will find all buildsspecs and validate each file with the appropriate schema type. buildsspecs that pass validation will be displayed on screen. buildtest will report all invalid buildsspecs in a text file for you to review.

buildtest will cache the results in **var/buildspec-cache.json** so subsequent runs to buildtest buildspec find will be much faster since we read from cache. If you make changes to buildspect you may want to rebuild cache using buildtest buildspect find --clear.

## Viewing Buildspects

If you want to view or edit a buildspect you can type the name of test. Since we can have more than one test in a buildspect, opening any of the *name* entry that map to same file will result in same operation.

For example, we can view systemd\_default\_target as follows

```

$ buildtest buildspect view systemd_default_target
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  systemd_default_target:
    executor: local.bash
    type: script
    description: check if default target is multi-user.target
    tags: [tutorials]
    run: |
      if [ "multi-user.target" == `systemctl get-default` ]; then
        echo "multi-user is the default target";

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```
    exit 0
fi
echo "multi-user is not the default target";
exit 1
status:
    returncode: 0
```

## Editing Buildspecs

To edit a buildspec you can run `buildtest buildspec edit <name>` which will open file in editor. Once you make change, buildtest will validate the buildspec upon closure, if there is an issue buildtest will report an error during validation and you will be prompted to fix issue until it is resolved.

For example we can see an output message after editing file, user will be prompted to press a key which will open the file in editor:

```
$ buildtest buildspec edit systemd_default_target
version 1.1 is not known for type {'1.0': 'script-v1.0.schema.json', 'latest':
↪'script-v1.0.schema.json'}. Try using latest.
Press any key to continue
```

### 5.4.3 Build Usage

The `buildtest build` command is used for building and running tests. Buildtest will read one or more Buildsspecs (YAML) file that adheres to one of the buildtest schemas. For a complete list of build options, run `buildtest build --help`

```
$ buildtest build --help
usage: buildtest [options] [COMMANDS] build [-h] [-b BUILDSPEC] [-t TESTDIR] [--
↪settings SETTINGS] [-x EXCLUDE]
                                     [--tags TAGS] [-s {parse,build}]

optional arguments:
  -h, --help                show this help message and exit
  -b BUILDSPEC, --buildspec BUILDSPEC
                           Specify a Builds spec (YAML) file to build and run the test.
  -t TESTDIR, --testdir TESTDIR
                           specify a custom test directory. By default, use .buildtest_
↪in $PWD.
  --settings SETTINGS      Specify an alternate buildtest settings file to use
  -x EXCLUDE, --exclude EXCLUDE
                           Exclude one or more configs from processing. Configs can be_
↪files or directories.
  --tags TAGS              Specify buildsspecs by tags
  -s {parse,build}, --stage {parse,build}
                           control behavior of buildtest build
```

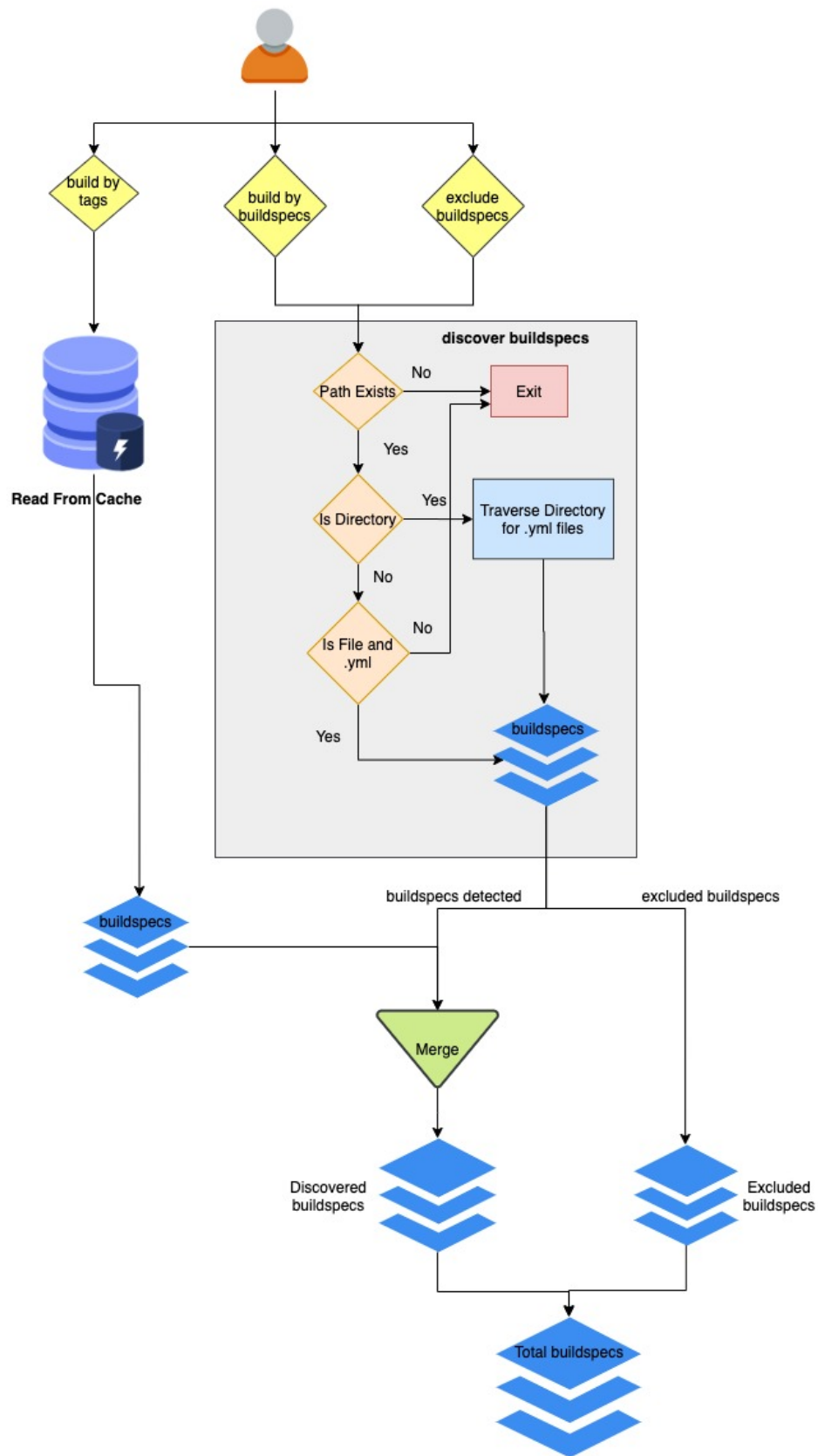


### 5.4.4 Discover Buildsspecs

The buildspec search resolution is described as follows:

- If file doesn't exist, check for file in *buildspec roots* and break after first match
- If buildspec path is a directory, traverse directory recursively to find all `.yaml` extensions
- If buildspec path is a file, check if file extension is not `.yaml`, exit immediately

Shown below is a diagram on how buildtest discovers buildsspecs. The user inputs a buildspec via `--buildspec` or tags (`--tags`) *Building By Tags* which will discover the buildsspecs. User can *Excluding Buildsspecs* using `--exclude` option which is processed after discovering buildsspecs. The excluded buildsspecs are removed from list if found and final list of buildsspecs is processed.



### 5.4.5 Building a Test

To build a test, we use the `--buildspec` or short option `-b` to specify the path to Buildspec file.

Let's see some examples, first we specify a full path to buildspect file

```
$ buildtest build -b /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml
Paths:

Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

+-----+
| Stage: Discovered Buildspects |
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/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Parsing Buildspects |
+-----+

  schemafile          | validstate   | buildspec
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↪-----
script-v1.0.schema.json | True         | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪tutorials/systemd.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Building Test |
+-----+

  Name                  | Schema File          | Test Path                  | Buildspect
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↪-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪-----
systemd_default_target | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/systemd/systemd_default_target/generate.sh | /Users/
↪siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Running Test |
+-----+

  name                  | executor   | status   | returncode | testpath
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↪-----
systemd_default_target | local.bash | FAIL     | 1          | /Users/siddiq90/
↪Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/systemd/systemd_default_target/generate.sh

+-----+
| Stage: Test Summary |
+-----+

Executed 1 tests
Passed Tests: 0/1 Percentage: 0.000%
Failed Tests: 1/1 Percentage: 100.000%
```

buildtest won't accept `.yaml` file extension for file, this can be demonstrated as follows:

```
$ buidtest build -b tests/examples/buildspecs/os.yaml
Paths:

Prefix: /private/tmp
Buildspec Search Path: ['/Users/siddiq90/.buidtest/site']
Test Directory: /private/tmp/tests
tests/examples/buildspecs/os.yaml does not end in file extension .yaml
```

**buidtest** can perform a directory build for instance let's build for directory `tests/examples/buildspecs` where **buidtest** will recursively search for all `.yaml` files

```
$ buidtest build -b tests/examples/buildspecs/
Paths:

Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/var/tests

+-----+
| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
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/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yaml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yaml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/python-shell.yaml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/environment.yaml

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| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
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  schemafilename      | validstate | buildspec
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↳ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/
↳ examples/buildspecs/slurm.yaml
↳ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/
↳ examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yaml
↳ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/
↳ examples/buildspecs/python-shell.yaml
↳ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/
↳ examples/buildspecs/environment.yaml

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| Stage: Building Test |
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  Name                  | Schema File                  | Test Path                  | Buildspec
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↳
↳ slurm_down_nodes_reason | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buidtest/var/tests/local.bash/slurm/slurm_down_nodes_reason/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yaml
↳ slurm_not_responding_nodes | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buidtest/var/tests/local.bash/slurm/slurm_not_responding_nodes/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yaml
↳ _bin_sh_shell          | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buidtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/_bin_sh_shell/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buidtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yaml
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_bin_bash_shell          | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/_bin_bash_shell/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
bash_shell              | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/bash_shell/generate.sh          | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
sh_shell                | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/sh_shell/generate.sh              | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
shell_options           | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/shell_options/generate.sh         | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
circle_area             | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.python/python-shell/circle_area/generate.py         | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/python-shell.yml
hello_dinosaur          | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/environment/hello_dinosaur/generate.sh         | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/environment.yml

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| Stage: Running Test |
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name                | executor   | status   | returncode | testpath
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↳ -----
↳ ---
slurm_down_nodes_reason | local.bash | PASS    | 0          | /Users/
↳ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/slurm/slurm_down_nodes_reason/
↳ generate.sh
slurm_not_responding_nodes | local.bash | PASS    | 0          | /Users/
↳ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/slurm/slurm_not_responding_nodes/
↳ generate.sh
_bin_sh_shell         | local.sh   | PASS    | 0          | /Users/
↳ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/_bin_sh_shell/
↳ generate.sh
_bin_bash_shell       | local.bash | PASS    | 0          | /Users/
↳ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/_bin_bash_shell/
↳ generate.sh
bash_shell            | local.bash | PASS    | 0          | /Users/
↳ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/bash_shell/
↳ generate.sh
sh_shell              | local.sh   | PASS    | 0          | /Users/
↳ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/sh_shell/generate.sh
shell_options         | local.sh   | PASS    | 0          | /Users/
↳ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/shell_options/
↳ generate.sh
circle_area           | local.python | FAIL    | 2          | /Users/
↳ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.python/python-shell/circle_area/
↳ generate.py
hello_dinosaur        | local.bash | PASS    | 0          | /Users/
↳ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/environment/hello_dinosaur/
↳ generate.sh

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| Stage: Test Summary |
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```
Executed 9 tests
Passed Tests: 8/9 Percentage: 88.889%
Failed Tests: 1/9 Percentage: 11.111%
```

In next section, you will see, we can build multiple buildsspecs and interchange file and directory with `-b` option.

## Building Multiple Buildsspecs

Buildtest supports building multiple buildsspecs, just specify the `-b` option for every Builds spec you want to build. In this example, we specify a file and directory path. The search resolution is performed for every argument (`-b`) independently, and accumulated into list.

```
$ buildtest build -b tests/examples/buildspecs/ -b tutorials/systemd.yml
Paths:

Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

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| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
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/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/python-shell.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/environment.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yml

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| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
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  schemafile          | validstate | buildspec
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↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/
↪ examples/buildspecs/python-shell.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/systemd.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/
↪ examples/buildspecs/environment.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/
↪ examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/
↪ examples/buildspecs/slurm.yml

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| Stage: Building Test |
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  Name                  | Schema File          | Test Path          | Builds
  ↪                    +-----+-----+-----+-----
  ↪                    +-----+-----+-----+-----
  ↪                    +-----+-----+-----+-----
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circle_area          | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.python/python-shell/circle_area/generate.py | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/python-shell.yml
systemd_default_target | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/systemd/systemd_default_target/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml
hello_dinosaur       | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/environment/hello_dinosaur/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/environment.yml
_bin_sh_shell        | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/_bin_sh_shell/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
_bin_bash_shell       | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/_bin_bash_shell/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
bash_shell           | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/bash_shell/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
sh_shell             | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/sh_shell/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
shell_options         | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/shell_options/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml
slurm_down_nodes_reason | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/slurm/slurm_down_nodes_reason/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yml
slurm_not_responding_nodes | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/slurm/slurm_not_responding_nodes/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yml

```

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| Stage: Running Test |
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```

name	executor	status	returncode	testpath
circle_area	local.python	FAIL	2	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.python/python-shell/circle_area/generate.py
systemd_default_target	local.bash	FAIL	1	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/systemd/systemd_default_target/generate.sh
hello_dinosaur	local.bash	PASS	0	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/environment/hello_dinosaur/generate.sh
_bin_sh_shell	local.sh	PASS	0	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/_bin_sh_shell/generate.sh
_bin_bash_shell	local.bash	PASS	0	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/_bin_bash_shell/generate.sh
bash_shell	local.bash	PASS	0	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/bash_shell/generate.sh

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sh_shell | local.sh | PASS | 0 | /Users/
↪siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/sh_shell/generate.sh
shell_options | local.sh | PASS | 0 | /Users/
↪siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/shell_options/
↪generate.sh
slurm_down_nodes_reason | local.bash | PASS | 0 | /Users/
↪siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/slurm/slurm_down_nodes_reason/
↪generate.sh
slurm_not_responding_nodes | local.bash | PASS | 0 | /Users/
↪siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/slurm/slurm_not_responding_nodes/
↪generate.sh

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| Stage: Test Summary |
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Executed 10 tests
Passed Tests: 8/10 Percentage: 80.000%
Failed Tests: 2/10 Percentage: 20.000%
```

## Excluding Buildspects

Buildtest provides `--exclude` option or short option `-x` to exclude buildspects which can be useful when you want to build all buildspects in a directory but exclude a few buildspects or exclude a sub-directory.

For example we can build all buildspects in `examples` but exclude file `examples/systemd.yml` by running:

```
$ buildtest build -b examples -x examples/systemd.yml
```

buildtest will discover all Buildspects and then exclude any buildspects specified by `-x` option. You can specify `-x` multiple times just like `-b` option.

For example, we can undo discovery by passing same option to `-b` and `-x` as follows:

```
$ buildtest build -b examples/ -x examples/
There are no Buildspect files to process.
```

Buildtest will stop immediately if there are no Buildspects to process, this is true if you were to specify files instead of directory.

## Building By Tags

buildtest can perform builds by tags by using `--tags` option. In order to use this feature, buildspects must be in cache so you must run `buildtest buildspect find` or see [Finding Buildspects](#).

To build all tutorials tests you can perform `buildtest build --tags tutorials`. In the buildspect there is a field `tags: [tutorials]` to classify tests. buildtest will read the cache file `var/buildspect-cache.json` and see which buildspects have a matching tag. You should run `buildtest buildspect find` atleast once, in order to detect cache file.

```
$ buildtest build --tags tutorials
Paths:
_____
Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests
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| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
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/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/vars.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/pre_post_build_run.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/environment.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/selinux.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/python-shell.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/invalid_executor.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/skip_tests.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/passing_args.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/vecadd.yml

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| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
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[skip] test is skipped.
  schemafile          | validstate | buildspect
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↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/vars.yml
↪ compiler-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/compiler/pre_post_build_run.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/environment.yml
↪ compiler-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/systemd.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/selinux.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/shell_examples.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/python-shell.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/invalid_executor.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/skip_tests.yml
↪ compiler-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/compiler/passing_args.yml
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/pass_returncode.yml
↪ compiler-v1.0.schema.json | True      | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/compiler/vecadd.yml

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| Stage: Building Test |
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Name	Schema File	Test Path	
↳ Builds spec			
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↳ variables	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/vars/variables/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/vars.yml			
↳ pre_post_build_run	compiler-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/pre_post_build_run/pre_post_build_run/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/pre_post_build_run.yml			
↳ environment_variables	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/environment/environment_variables/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/environment.yml			
↳ hello_f	compiler-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_f/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml			
↳ hello_c	compiler-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_c/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml			
↳ hello_cplusplus	compiler-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_cplusplus/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml			
↳ cc_example	compiler-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/cc_example/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml			
↳ fc_example	compiler-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/fc_example/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml			
↳ cxx_example	compiler-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/cxx_example/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml			
↳ systemd_default_target	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/systemd/systemd_default_target/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml			
↳ selinux_disable	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/selinux/selinux_disable/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/selinux.yml			
↳ _bin_sh_shell	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/_bin_sh_shell/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml			
↳ _bin_bash_shell	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/_bin_bash_shell/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml			
↳ bash_shell	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/bash_shell/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml			
↳ sh_shell	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/sh_shell/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml			
↳ shell_options	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/shell_options/generate.sh	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml			
↳ circle_area	script-v1.0.schema.json	/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.python/python-shell/circle_area/generate.py	/
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/python-shell.yml			

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wrongexecutor      | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/badexecutor/invalid_executor/wrongexecutor/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/invalid_executor.yml
unskipped          | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/skip_tests/unskipped/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/skip_tests.yml
executable_arguments | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/passing_args/executable_arguments/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/passing_args.yml
exit1_fail         | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/exit1_fail/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml
exit1_pass         | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/exit1_pass/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml
returncode_mismatch | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/returncode_mismatch/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml
vecadd_gnu         | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/vecadd/vecadd_gnu/generate.sh | /
↳ Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/vecadd.yml

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| Stage: Running Test |
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[wrongexecutor]: Failed to Run Test
name           | executor      | status   | returncode | testpath
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↳ -----
↳ ----
variables       | local.bash    | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/vars/variables/generate.sh
pre_post_build_run | local.bash    | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/pre_post_build_run/pre_post_build_run/
↳ generate.sh
environment_variables | local.bash    | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/environment/environment_variables/generate.
↳ sh
hello_f         | local.bash    | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_f/generate.sh
hello_c         | local.bash    | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_c/generate.sh
hello_cplusplus | local.bash    | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_cplusplus/generate.sh
cc_example      | local.bash    | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/cc_example/generate.sh
fc_example      | local.bash    | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/fc_example/generate.sh
cxx_example     | local.bash    | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/cxx_example/generate.sh
systemd_default_target | local.bash    | FAIL     | 1          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/systemd/systemd_default_target/generate.sh
selinux_disable | local.bash    | FAIL     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/selinux/selinux_disable/generate.sh
_bin_sh_shell   | local.sh      | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/
↳ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/_bin_sh_shell/generate.sh
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_bin_bash_shell      | local.bash | PASS | 0 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/_bin_bash_shell/generate.sh
bash_shell          | local.bash | PASS | 0 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/shell_examples/bash_shell/generate.sh
sh_shell            | local.sh   | PASS | 0 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/sh_shell/generate.sh
shell_options       | local.sh   | PASS | 0 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/shell_examples/shell_options/generate.sh
circle_area         | local.python | FAIL | 2 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.python/python-shell/circle_area/generate.py
unskipped           | local.bash | PASS | 0 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/skip_tests/unskipped/generate.sh
executable_arguments | local.bash | PASS | 0 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/passing_args/executable_arguments/generate.
↳sh
exit1_fail          | local.sh   | FAIL | 1 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/exit1_fail/generate.sh
exit1_pass          | local.sh   | PASS | 1 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/exit1_pass/generate.sh
returncode_mismatch | local.sh   | FAIL | 2 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/returncode_mismatch/generate.
↳sh
vecadd_gnu          | local.bash | FAIL | 0 | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/vecadd/vecadd_gnu/generate.sh

```

Error Messages from Stage: Run

```

[wrongexecutor]: executor badexecutor is not defined in /Users/siddiq90/.buildtest/
↳config.yml

```

```

+-----+
| Stage: Test Summary |
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```

```

Executed 23 tests
Passed Tests: 17/23 Percentage: 73.913%
Failed Tests: 6/23 Percentage: 26.087%

```

## 5.4.6 Control builds by Stages

You can control behavior of `buildtest build` command to stop at certain point using `--stage` option. This takes two values `parse` or `build`, which will stop `buildtest` after parsing buildsspecs or building the test content.

If you want to know your buildsspecs are valid you can use `--stage=parse` to stop after parsing the buildspec. Shown below is an example build where we stop after parse stage.

```

$ buildtest build -b tutorials/systemd.yml --stage=parse
Paths:

Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

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```

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| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
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/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
+-----+

  schemafile          | validstate  | buildspec
+-----+-----+-----+
↪-----
  script-v1.0.schema.json | True          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪tutorials/systemd.yml

```

Likewise, if you want to troubleshoot your test script without running them you can use `--stage=build` which will stop after building your test script. This can be extremely useful when writing your buildsspecs and not having to run your tests. In this next example, we stop our after the build stage using `--stage=build`.

```

$ buildtest build -b tutorials/systemd.yml --stage=build
Paths:
-----
Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

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| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
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/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
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  schemafile          | validstate  | buildspec
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↪-----
  script-v1.0.schema.json | True          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪tutorials/systemd.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Building Test |
+-----+

Name                  | Schema File          | Test Path                                     | Buildspec
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↪-----
  systemd_default_target | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/systemd/systemd_default_target/generate.sh | /Users/
↪siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml

```

## Invalid Buildsspecs

buildtest will skip any buildsspecs that fail to validate, in that case the test script will not be generated. Here is an example where we have an invalid buildspec.

```
$ buildtest build -b tutorials/invalid_buildspec_section.yml
Paths:

-----
Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

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| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
+-----+

/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/invalid_buildspec_section.yml

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| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
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  schemafile    | validstate    | buildspec
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Error Messages from Stage: Parse

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Skipping /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/invalid_buildspec_section.yml
↪since it failed to validate

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| Stage: Building Test |
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  Name    | Schema File    | Test Path    | Buildspec
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+-----+
| Stage: Running Test |
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  name    | executor    | status    | returncode    | testpath
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No tests were executed
```

buildtest may skip tests from running if buildspec specifies an invalid executor name since buildtest needs to know this in order to delegate test to Executor class responsible for running the test. Here is an example where test failed to run since we provided invalid executor.

```
$ buildtest build -b tutorials/invalid_executor.yml
Paths:

-----
Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

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| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
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```

/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/invalid_executor.yml

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| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
+-----+

  schemafile          | validstate   | buildspec
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↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True         | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/invalid_executor.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Building Test |
+-----+

Name          | Schema File          | Test Path          | Buildspec
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↪-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪ wrongexecutor | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/
↪ tests/badexecutor/invalid_executor/wrongexecutor/generate.sh | /Users/siddiq90/
↪ Documents/buildtest/tutorials/invalid_executor.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Running Test |
+-----+

[wrongexecutor]: Failed to Run Test
name | executor | status | returncode | testpath
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Error Messages from Stage: Run

[wrongexecutor]: executor badexecutor is not defined in /Users/siddiq90/.buildtest/
↪ config.yml

No tests were executed

```

### 5.4.7 Buildtest Report

The `buildtest report` command will show result of all tests in a tabular form. Shown below is an example

```

$ buildtest report

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| id          |          | state | returncode | starttime |
↪          | endtime   | runtime | tags       | buildspec |
↪          |          |          |          |          |
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| systemd_default_target_2020-09-02-21-41 | FAIL | 1 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:41:56 | 2020/09/02 21:41:56 | 0.0213593 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml |
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| systemd_default_target_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 1 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.0125463 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml |
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| systemd_default_target_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 1 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00771781 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml |
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| slurm_down_nodes_reason_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.0110754 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yml |
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| slurm_down_nodes_reason_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.00830546 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yml |
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| slurm_not_responding_nodes_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.00802073 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yml |
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| slurm_not_responding_nodes_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.00736713 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yml |
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| _bin_sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.0125264 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| _bin_sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.014642 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| _bin_bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.00878803 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| _bin_bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.00996381 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.00561796 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.00678369 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.0102359 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.0110021 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| shell_options_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.0104085 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| shell_options_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.0115846 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| circle_area_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 2 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.0096071 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/python-shell.yml |
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| circle_area_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 2 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.0117158 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/python-shell.yml |
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| hello_dinosaur_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.00698703 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/environment.yml |
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| hello_dinosaur_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.0071777 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/environment.yml |
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| variables_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:20 | 2020/09/02 21:42:20 | 0.00946478 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tutorials/vars.yml |
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| pre_post_build_run_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:20 | 2020/09/02 21:42:20 | 0.661319 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tutorials/compiler/pre_post_build_run.yml |
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| environment_variables_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:20 | 2020/09/02 21:42:20 | 0.0120327 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tutorials/environment.yml |
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| hello_f_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:20 | 2020/09/02 21:42:20 | 0.00786752 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml |
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| hello_f_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:43 | 2020/09/02 21:42:43 | 0.013958 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml |
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| hello_c_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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↳buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml |
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| hello_c_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:43 | 2020/09/02 21:42:43 | 0.235872 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml |
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| hello_cplusplus_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:21 | 2020/09/02 21:42:21 | 0.461781 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tutorials/compiler/gnu_hello.yml |
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| hello_cplusplus_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:43 | 2020/09/02 21:42:44 | 0.498086 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml |
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| cc_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:21 | 2020/09/02 21:42:21 | 0.230038 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml |
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| cc_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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↪buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml |
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| fc_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:21 | 2020/09/02 21:42:21 | 0.00840816 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml |
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| fc_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:44 | 2020/09/02 21:42:44 | 0.0103057 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml |
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| cxx_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:21 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.45725 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml |
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| cxx_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:44 | 2020/09/02 21:42:44 | 0.505495 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml |
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| selinux_disable_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00954966 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/selinux.yml |
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| _bin_sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.0126632 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml |
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| _bin_bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.0085432 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00603703 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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↪buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml |
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| shell_options_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.0104522 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| circle_area_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 2 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00808543 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/python-shell.yml |
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| unskipped_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00792155 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/skip_tests.yml |
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| unskipped_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:49 | 2020/09/02 21:42:49 | 0.042425 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/skip_tests.yml |
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| executable_arguments_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.232554 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/compiler/passing_args.yml |
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| exit1_fail_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 1 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00782586 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml |
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| exit1_fail_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 1 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:48 | 2020/09/02 21:42:48 | 0.0132099 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml |
```

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	exit1_pass_2020-09-02-21-42		PASS		1   2020/09/02_
↪	21:42:22   2020/09/02 21:42:22   0.00772625		tutorials		/Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪	buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml				
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	exit1_pass_2020-09-02-21-42		PASS		1   2020/09/02_
↪	21:42:48   2020/09/02 21:42:48   0.0110667		tutorials		/Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪	buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml				
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	returncode_mismatch_2020-09-02-21-42		FAIL		2   2020/09/02_
↪	21:42:22   2020/09/02 21:42:22   0.00836054		tutorials		/Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪	buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml				
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	returncode_mismatch_2020-09-02-21-42		FAIL		2   2020/09/02_
↪	21:42:48   2020/09/02 21:42:48   0.00940911		tutorials		/Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪	buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml				
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	vecadd_gnu_2020-09-02-21-42		FAIL		0   2020/09/02_
↪	21:42:22   2020/09/02 21:42:22   0.0267169		tutorials		/Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪	buildtest/tutorials/compilers/vecadd.yml				
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	vecadd_gnu_2020-09-02-21-42		FAIL		0   2020/09/02_
↪	21:42:46   2020/09/02 21:42:46   0.0421426		tutorials		/Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪	buildtest/tutorials/compilers/vecadd.yml				
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buildtest will store result metadata of each test in a file `var/report.json` which is found in root of buildtest. This file is updated upon every `buildtest build` command. For more information see [Test Reports \(buildtest report\)](#).

## 5.4.8 Debug Mode

buildtest can stream logs to `stdout` stream for debugging. You can use `buildtest -d <DEBUGLEVEL>` or long option `--debug` with any buildtest commands. The `DEBUGLEVEL` are: `DEBUG`, `INFO`, `WARNING`, `ERROR`, `CRITICAL` which controls log level to be displayed in console. buildtest is using `logging.setLevel` to control log level.

The same content is logged in **buildtest.log** with default log level of `DEBUG`. If you want to get all logs use `-d DEBUG` with your buildtest command:

```
buildtest -d DEBUG <command>
```

### 5.4.9 Logfile

Currently, buildtest will write the log file for any `buildtest build` command in `buildtest.log` of the current directory. The logfile will be overwritten if you run repetitive commands from same directory. A permanent log file location will be implemented (TBD).

## 5.5 Configuring buildtest

The buildtest configuration file is used for configuring behavior of buildtest. There is a json schema file `settings.schema.json` that defines structure on how to write your configuration file.

For more details on schema attributes see [Settings Schema Documentation](#)

### 5.5.1 Default Configuration

The default configuration for buildtest can be found in the git repo relative to root of buildtest at `buildtest/settings/config.yml`. User may override the default configuration by creating their custom file in `$HOME/.buildtest/config.yml`.

Shown below is the default configuration.

```
executors:
  local:
    bash:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using bash shell
      shell: bash

    sh:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using sh shell
      shell: sh

    python:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using python shell
      shell: python
config:
  editor: vi
```

### 5.5.2 Executors

Executors are responsible for running jobs, currently buildtest supports the following executors:

- local
- slurm
- lsf

There is a `ssh` executor is supported in schema but currently not implemented in buildtest.

The local executor is responsible for submitting jobs locally. Currently, buildtest supports `bash`, `sh` and `python` shell. The executors are referenced in your builds spec with the `executor` key as follows:

```
executor: local.bash
```

The `executor` key in buildtest settings is of type `object`, the sub-fields are `local`, `ssh`, and `slurm`.

## Local Executors

In this example below we define a local executor named *bash* that is referenced in buildspec executor: `local.bash`:

```
executors:
  local:
    bash:
      shell: bash
```

Each local executor requires the `shell` key which takes the pattern `^(/bin/bash|/bin/sh|sh|bash|python) .*`

Any buildspec that references the executor `local.bash` will submit job as `bash /path/to/test.sh`.

You can pass options to shell which will get passed into each job submission. For instance if you want bash executor to submit jobs by login mode you can do the following:

```
executors:
  local:
    login_bash:
      shell: bash --login
```

Then you can reference this executor as executor: `local.login_bash` and your tests will be submitted via `bash --login /path/to/test.sh`.

## Slurm Executors

The slurm executors are defined in the following section:

```
executors:
  slurm:
    <slurm-executor1>:
    <slurm-executor2>:
```

Slurm executors are responsible for submitting jobs to slurm resource manager. You can define as many slurm executors as you wish, so long as you have a unique name to reference each executor. Generally, you will need one slurm executor per partition or qos that you have at your site. Let's take a look at an example slurm executor called `normal`:

```
executors:
  slurm:
    normal:
      options: ["-C haswell"]
      qos: normal
```

This executor can be referenced in buildspec as executor: `slurm.normal`. This executor defines the following:

- `qos`: `normal` will add `-q normal` to the launcher command. buildtest will check if qos is found in slurm configuration. If not found, buildtest will reject job submission.
- `options` key is used to pass any options to launcher command. In this example we add `-C haswell`.

### 5.5.3 buildtest configuration for Cori @ NERSC

Let's take a look at Cori buildtest configuration:

```
executors:

  defaults:
    pollinterval: 10
    launcher: sbatch

  local:
    bash:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using bash shell
      shell: bash

    sh:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using sh shell
      shell: sh

    python:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using python shell
      shell: python

  slurm:
    debug:
      description: jobs for debug qos
      qos: debug
      cluster: cori

    shared:
      description: jobs for shared qos
      qos: shared

    bigmem:
      description: bigmem jobs
      cluster: escori
      qos: bigmem

    xfer:
      description: xfer qos jobs
      qos: xfer

    gpu:
      description: submit jobs to GPU partition
      options: ["-C gpu"]
      cluster: escori

  config:
    editor: vi
    paths:
      prefix: $HOME/cache/
```

In this setting, we define 3 LocalExecutors: `local.bash`, `local.sh` and `local.python` and 5 SlurmExecutors: `slurm.debug`, `slurm.shared`, `slurm.bigmem`, `slurm.xfer`, and `slurm.gpu`. We also introduce section `defaults` section to default configuration for executors.

At the moment, the `launcher` and `pollinterval` are available fields in default which only apply for SlurmExecutor and LSFExecutor. Currently, buildtest supports batch submission via `sbatch` so all SlurmExecutors will inherit `sbatch` as launcher. The `pollinterval` field is used with SlurmExecutor to poll jobs at set interval in seconds



when job active in queue (PENDING, RUNNING).

At Cori, jobs are submitted via qos instead of partition so each slurm executor has the *qos* key. The *description* key is a brief description of the executor which you can use to document the behavior of the executor. The *cluster* field specifies which slurm cluster to use, at Cori in order to use *bigmem* qos we need to specify `-M escori` where *escori* is the slurm cluster. buildtest will detect slurm configuration and check if cluster is a valid cluster name. In addition, *sacct* will poll job against the cluster name (`sacct -M <cluster>`).

The *options* field is use to specify any additional options to launcher (*sbatch*) on command line. For *slurm.gpu* executor, we use this executor for submit to CoriGPU which requires `sbatch -M escori -C gpu`. Any additional *#SBATCH* options are defined in *buildspec* using *sbatch* key.

## 5.5.4 buildtest configuration for Ascent @ OLCF

*Ascent* is a training system for Summit at OLCF, which is using a IBM Load Sharing Facility (LSF) as their batch scheduler. Ascent has two queues *batch* and *test*. To define LSF Executor we set top-level key *lsf* in *executors* section.

The default launcher is *bsub* which can be defined under *defaults*. The *pollinterval* will poll LSF jobs every 10 seconds using *bjobs*. The *pollinterval* accepts a range between 10 - 300 seconds as defined in schema. In order to avoid polling scheduler excessively pick a number that is best suitable for your site.

```
executors:
  defaults:
    launcher: bsub
    pollinterval: 10
  local:
    bash:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using bash shell
      shell: bash

    sh:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using sh shell
      shell: sh

    python:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using python shell
      shell: python
  lsf:
    batch:
      queue: batch
    test:
      queue: test
  config:
    editor: vi
    paths:
      prefix: /tmp
```

### 5.5.5 buildspec roots

buildtest can detect buildspec using `buildspec_roots` keyword. For example we clone the repo <https://github.com/buildtesters/buildtest-cori> at `/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest-cori`

```
config:
  editor: vi
  paths:
    buildspec_roots:
      - /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest-cori
```

If you run `buildtest buildspec find --clear` it will detect all buildspecs in `buildspec_roots`. buildtest will find all `.yaml` extension. By default buildtest will add the `$BUILDTEST_ROOT/tutorials` to search path, where `$BUILDTEST_ROOT` is root of buildtest repo.

### 5.5.6 Example Configurations

buildtest provides a few example configurations for configuring buildtest this can be retrieved by running `buildtest schema -n settings.schema.json --examples` or short option `(-e)`, which will validate each example with schema file `settings.schema.json`.

```
$ buildtest schema -n settings.schema.json -e
```

```
File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/settings.schema.
↪json/valid/local-executor.yaml
Valid State: True
```

---

```
executors:
  local:
    bash:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using bash shell
      shell: bash
      before_script: |
        time
        echo "commands run before job"
      after_script: |
        time
        echo "commands run after job"

    sh:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using sh shell
      shell: sh

    python:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using python shell
      shell: python
config:
  editor: vi
  paths:
    prefix: /tmp
```

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```
File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/settings.schema.
→json/valid/ssh-executor.yml
Valid State: True
```

---

```
executors:
  ssh:
    localhost:
      host: localhost
      user: siddiq90
      identity_file: ~/.ssh/id_rsa
config:
  editor: vi
  paths:
    prefix: /tmp
```

```
File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/settings.schema.
→json/valid/slurm-example.yml
Valid State: True
```

---

```
executors:
  defaults:
    pollinterval: 20
  slurm:
    normal:
      options: ["-C haswell"]
      qos: normal
      before_script: |
        time
        echo "commands run before job"
      after_script: |
        time
        echo "commands run after job"
config:
  editor: vi
  paths:
    prefix: /tmp
```

```
File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/settings.schema.
→json/valid/combined_executor.yml
Valid State: True
```

---

```
executors:
  local:
    bash:
      description: submit jobs on local machine
```

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```
    shell: bash -v

slurm:
  haswell:
    launcher: sbatch
    options:
      - "-p haswell"
      - "-t 00:10"

lsf:
  batch:
    launcher: bsub
    options:
      - "-q batch"
      - "-t 00:10"

ssh:
  login:
    host: cori
    user: root
    identity_file: ~/.ssh/nersc

config:
  editor: vi
  paths:
    prefix: /tmp
    clonepath: /tmp/repo
    logdir: /tmp/logs
    testdir: /tmp/buildtest/tests

File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/settings.schema.
↪ json/valid/lsf-example.yml
Valid State: True
```

---

```
executors:
  defaults:
    pollinterval: 10
    launcher: bsub
  lsf:
    batch:
      description: "LSF Executor name 'batch' that submits jobs to 'batch' queue"
      queue: batch
      options: ["-W 20"]
      before_script: |
        time
        echo "commands run before job"
      after_script: |
        time
        echo "commands run after job"
    test:
      description: "LSF Executor name 'test' that submits jobs to 'test' queue"
      launcher: bsub
      queue: test
      options: ["-W 20"]
```

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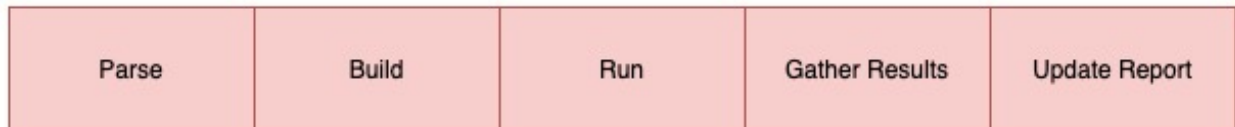
```
config:
  editor: vi
```

If you want to retrieve full json schema file run `buildtest schema -n settings.schema.json --json` or short option `-j`

## 5.6 Builder Process

buildtest will process all buildsspecs that are discovered see diagram *Discover Buildsspecs*. The **BuildspecParser** class is responsible for validating the buildspec. The validation is performed using `jsonschema.validate`. The parser will validate every buildspec using the `global.schema.json` which validates the top-level structure. This is performed using `BuildspecParser._validate_global` method.

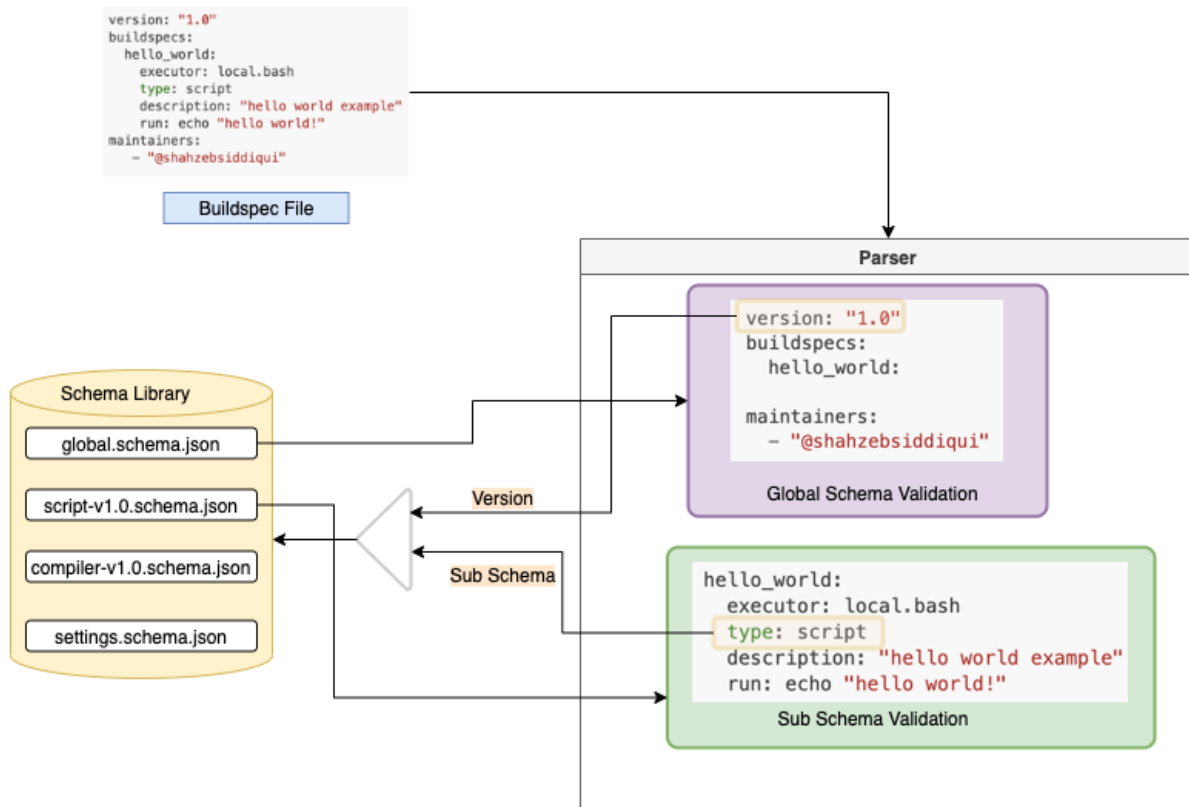
The build pipeline is comprised of 5 stages shown below. Every buildspec goes through this pipeline, if one stage fails, buildtest will skip the test. For instance, a buildspec that fails `Parse` stage will not be built. It is possible a buildspec passes `Parse` stage but fails to build because we have an *Control builds by Stages* for example an invalid executor name.



### 5.6.1 Parse Stage

A buildspec file may contain one or more test sections specified via `buildspec` field. Each test is validated by a sub-schema specified by `type` field. The `BuildspecParser._validate` method will validate buildspec test section with the sub-schema.




In this diagram, a buildspec file is passed to the Parser and validated with global schema and a sub-schema.






buildtest will invoke BuildspecParser against all discovered buildsspecs and catch exceptions **ValidationError** and **SystemExit** and ignore those buildsspecs. Next buildtest will build each test, this is implemented using base class *BuilderBase*. The subclass for **BuilderBase** such as **ScriptBuilder** and **CompilerBuilder** are responsible for generating the test script based on the `type` field.

- `type: script` will invoke **ScriptBuilder** class
- `type: compiler` will invoke **CompilerBuilder** class

This allows buildtest to extend **BuilderBase** class and each subclass is responsible for one schema type.

BuildspecParser class	
<hr/>	
<b><code>__init__(self, buildspec)</code> method</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ <code>load_recipe()</code></li> <li>+ <code>self._validate_global()</code></li> <li>+ <code>self._validate()</code></li> </ul>	
<b><code>_validate_global</code> method</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ validate recipe with <code>global.schema.json</code></li> <li>+ return <b>ValidationError</b> if validation failed</li> </ul>	
<b><code>_validate</code> method</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ get <b>version</b> field from recipe</li> <li>+ for every buildspec section               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ check if <b>type</b> field is defined in recipe</li> <li>+ check if <b>type</b> field is in schema lookup table (script, compiler, python)</li> <li>+ check if <b>type + version</b> (script-1.0) in lookup table</li> <li>+ return <b>ValidationError, SystemExit</b> upon failure</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
<b><code>get_builders(testdir)</code> method</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ for every buildspec section               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ invoke <code>ScriptBuilder</code> class if <b>type == "script"</b></li> <li>+ invoke <code>CompilerBuilder</code> class if <b>type == "compiler"</b></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

The **BuildExecutor** class is responsible for initializing the executors defined in your *Configuring buildtest*. The **BuildExecutor** class is invoked once and buildtest configuration is passed to this class. buildtest will process all executors defined in *executors* field by invoking the appropriate sub-class. The *local*, *slurm*, *lsf* executors are implemented in class **LocalExecutor**, **SlurmExecutor**, **LSFExecutor** that are sub-class of **BaseExecutor**. The **BaseExecutor** class is responsible for implementing common methods for all executors. Each executor class is responsible for running test that is performed in the **Run** stage of the general pipeline.

BuildExecutor class	
<b><code>__init__(self, config)</code> method</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ Initialize executors from buildtest configuration</li><li>+ for all <b>local</b>, <b>slurm</b>, <b>lsf</b> executors invoke <b>LocalExecutor</b>, <b>SlurmExecutor</b>, <b>LSFExecutor</b> class</li><li>+ store all executors in self.executors</li></ul>	
<b><code>_chose_executor(self, builder)</code> method</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ chose executor based on <b>executor</b> field defined in buildspect recipe.</li><li>+ if executor not found or invalid executor <b>raise error</b></li><li>+ return executor object</li></ul>	
<b><code>run(self, builder)</code> method</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ if executor.type is <b>local</b> then invoke <b>executor.run()</b></li><li>+ if executor.type is <b>lsf</b> or <b>slurm</b> then invoke <b>executor.dispatch()</b></li><li>+ return result</li></ul>	
<b><code>poll(self, builder)</code> method</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ if executor.type == "local" return <b>True</b></li><li>+ if executor.type == "slurm"</li><li>+ check if slurm job state in <b>PENDING</b> or <b>RUNNING</b> and invoke <b>executor.poll</b></li><li>+ elif executor.type == "lsf"</li><li>+ check if lsf job state in <b>PEND</b> or <b>RUN</b> and invoke <b>executor.poll</b></li><li>+ gather job results by running <b>executor.gather</b></li><li>+ return <b>True</b> if job is complete otherwise return <b>False</b></li></ul>	

## 5.7 Schemas

### 5.7.1 Global Schema

The global schema is validated with for all schema types and is the top-level schema when defining a Buildspect.

For more details see [Global Schema Documentation](#).

#### Schema Files

- Production Schema
- Development Schema



## Global Keys in buildspec

The global keys required for buildspec are `version` and `buildspecs`. The `version` key is required to validate with sub-schema when used with `type` field. The `buildspecs` is the start of test section. The `maintainers` is an optional field that is an array which can be used to identity maintainer of test. To understand how buildtest validates the buildspec see [Parse Stage](#).

Shown below is an example buildspec:

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  hello_world:
    executor: local.bash
    type: script
    description: "hello world example"
    run: echo "hello world!"
maintainers:
  - "@shahzebsiddiqui"
```

In this example, the global schema validates the following section:

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  hello_world:

maintainers:
  - "@shahzebsiddiqui"
```

The field `version` `buildspecs` and `maintainers` are validated with `global.schema.json` using `json-schema.validate` method. The sub-schema is the following section which is validated with the `type` schema:

```
hello_world:
  executor: local.bash
  type: script
  description: "hello world example"
  run: echo "hello world!"
```

Every sub-schema requires **type** field in this case, `type: script` directs buildtest to validate with the script schema. All type schemas have a version, currently buildtest supports **1.0** version for all type schemas. The `version: "1.0"` is used to select the version of the type schema, in this example we validate with the schema `script-v1.0.schema.json`.

## Test Names

The **buildspecs** is an object that defines one or more test, the test names take the following pattern `"^[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$"`. In the previous example the test name is **hello\_world**. You must have unique test names in your **buildspecs** section, otherwise you will have an invalid buildspec file.

---

**Note:** We refer to the entire YAML content as **buildspec file**, this is not to be confused with the **buildspecs** field.

---

You may define multiple tests in a single buildspec file, shown below is an example using both script and compiler schema:

```

version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  hello_f:
    type: compiler
    description: "Hello World Fortran Compilation"
    executor: local.bash
    module:
      - "module purge && module load gcc"
    build:
      source: "src/hello.f90"
      name: gnu
      fflags: -Wall

environment_variables:
  executor: local.bash
  type: script
  env:
    FIRST_NAME: avocado
    LAST_NAME: dinosaur
  run: |
    hostname
    whoami
    echo $USER
    printf "${FIRST_NAME} ${LAST_NAME}\n"

```

In this example we have two tests **hello\_f** and **environment\_variables**. The test **hello\_f** is using the [compiler-v1.0.schema.json](#) for validation because `type: compiler` is set in sub-schema while **environment\_variables** test is using [script-v1.0.schema.json](#) for validation because `type: script` is set.

## Schema Naming Convention

All schema files use the file extension **.schema.json** to distinguish itself as a json schema definition from an ordinary json file. All sub-schemas must be versioned, with the exception of `global.schema.json`.

If you have got this far you may proceed with [Writing buildspecs](#)

## Examples

You can see below a list of global schema examples that can be accessible via `buildtest schema -n global.schema.json -e`

```

$ buildtest schema -n global.schema.json -e

File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/global.schema.
↪json/valid/examples.yml
Valid State: True

version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  # testing all caps
  ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ:

```

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```

type: script
executor: local.bash
run: "hostname"

# testing all lowercase letters
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  run: "hostname"

# testing both caps and lowercase and numbers
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZabcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz0123456789:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  run: "hostname"

# testing '_' followed by all caps, lowercase and numbers
_ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZabcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz0123456789:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  run: "hostname"

# testing '_' in middle and end of word
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ_abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz_0123456789_:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  run: "hostname"

```

File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/global.schema.  
 ↳ json/invalid/maintainers\_type\_mismatch.yml  
 Valid State: FAIL

```

version: "1.0"
# wrong type for maintainers key, expects a string
maintainers: 1
buildspecs:
  hostname:
    type: script
    run: "hostname"

```

Validation Error

```

↳ _____
1 is not of type 'array'

```

```

Failed validating 'type' in schema['properties']['maintainers']:
  {'description': 'One or more maintainers or aliases',
   'items': {'type': 'string'},
   'minItems': 1,
   'type': 'array'}

```

```

On instance['maintainers']:
  1

```

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```
File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/global.schema.
→json/invalid/invalid_pattern.yml
Valid State: FAIL
```

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  # invalid pattern for test. Must be matching regex "[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$" when
  →declaring a dict
  (badname:
    type: script
    run: "ping login 1"
```

Validation Error

```
→
'(badname' does not match '[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$'
```

```
Failed validating 'pattern' in schema['properties']['buildspecs']['propertyNames']:
  {'pattern': '[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$'}
```

```
On instance['buildspecs']:
  '(badname'
```

```
File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/global.schema.
→json/invalid/missing-version.yml
Valid State: FAIL
```

```
buildspecs:
  # Shell would be accepted to indicate a single line shell command (or similar)
  login_node_check:
    type: script
    run: "ping login 1"
```

Validation Error

```
→
'version' is a required property
```

```
Failed validating 'required' in schema:
  {'$id': 'https://buildtesters.github.io/schemas/schemas/global.schema.json',
   '$schema': 'http://json-schema.org/draft-07/schema#',
   'additionalProperties': False,
   'definitions': {'bsub': {'description': 'This field is used for '
                                         'specifying #BSUB options in '
                                         'test script. buildtest will '
                                         'insert #BSUB in front of '
                                         'each value',
                               'items': {'type': 'string'},
                               'type': 'array'},
                   'env': {'description': 'One or more key value pairs '
                                         'for an environment '
                                         '(key=value)',
                               'items': {'minItems': 1,
                                         'propertyNames': {'pattern': '[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$'}},
                   'pattern': {'pattern': '[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$'}},
   'required': ['version', 'login_node_check', 'pattern']},
  {'version': '1.0',
   'login_node_check': {'type': 'script', 'run': 'ping login 1'},
   'pattern': '[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$'}
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        'type': 'object'},
        'minItems': 1,
        'type': 'object'},
    'executor': {'description': 'Select one of the '
                                'executor name defined in '
                                'your configuration file '
                                '(``config.yml``). Every '
                                'buildspec must have an '
                                'executor which is '
                                'responsible for running '
                                'job. ',
                 'type': 'string'},
    'sbatch': {'description': 'This field is used for '
                              'specifying #SBATCH options '
                              'in test script. buildtest '
                              'will insert #SBATCH in '
                              'front of each value',
               'items': {'type': 'string'},
               'type': 'array'},
    'skip': {'description': 'The ``skip`` is a boolean '
                            'field that can be used to '
                            'skip tests during builds. By '
                            'default buildtest will build '
                            'and run all tests in your '
                            'buildspec file, if ``skip: '
                            'True`` is set it will skip '
                            'the buildspec.',
             'type': 'boolean'},
    'status': {'additionalProperties': False,
               'description': 'The status section '
                              'describes how buildtest '
                              'detects PASS/FAIL on test. '
                              'By default returncode 0 is '
                              'a PASS and anything else '
                              'is a FAIL, however '
                              'buildtest can support '
                              'other types of PASS/FAIL '
                              'conditions.',
               'properties': {'regex': {'description': 'Perform '
                                                         'regular '
                                                         'expression '
                                                         'search '
                                                         'using '
                                                         '``re. '
                                                         'python '
                                                         'module '
                                                         'on '
                                                         'stdout/ '
                                                         'stream '
                                                         'for '
                                                         'reporting '
                                                         'if '
                                                         'test '
                                                         '``PASS``. ',
                                                         'properties': {'exp': {
        ↳ 'description': 'Specify '
    
```

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```

→      'a '
→      'regular '
→      'expression '
→      'to '
→      'run '
→      'with '
→      'input '
→      'stream '
→      'specified '
→      'by '
→      '``stream`` '
→      'field. '
→      'buildtest '
→      'uses '
→      're.search '
→      'when '
→      'performing '
→      'regex',
→
→                                          'type
→: 'string'},
→                                          'stream': {
→'description': 'The '
→      'stream '
→      'field '
→      'can '
→      'be '
→      'stdout '
→      'or '
→      'stderr. '
→      'buildtest '
→
→      'will '

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↳      'read '
↳      'the '
↳      'output '
↳      'or '
↳      'error '
↳      'stream '
↳      'after '
↳      'completion '
↳      'of '
↳      'test '
↳      'and '
↳      'check '
↳      'if '
↳      'regex '
↳      'matches '
↳      'in '
↳      'stream',
↳ 'enum': ['stdout',
↳         'stderr'],
↳ 'type': 'string'}},
                                'required': ['stream',
                                'exp'],
                                'type': 'object'},
    'returncode': {'description': 'By '
                                'default,
↳ '
↳ 'returncode '
                                '0 '
                                'is '
                                'PASS, '
                                'if '
                                'you '
                                'want '
                                'to '
                                'emulate
↳ '

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                                'a '
                                'non-
↪ zero '
                                'to '
                                'pass '
                                'then '
                                'specify
↪ '
                                'an '
↪ 'expected '
                                'return '
                                'code. '
↪ 'buildtest '
                                'will '
                                'match '
                                'actual '
↪ 'returncode '
                                'with '
                                'one '
                                'defined
↪ '
                                'in '
                                'this '
                                'field, '
                                'if '
                                'there '
                                'is '
                                'a '
                                'match '
↪ 'buildtest '
                                'will '
                                'report '
                                'as '
                                '``PASS``
↪ ',
                                'type': 'integer'},
                                'slurm_job_state_codes': {'description
↪ ': 'This '
↪ 'field '
↪ 'can '
↪ 'be '
↪ 'used '
↪ 'for '
↪ 'checking '
↪ 'Slurm '

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↪ 'Job '
↪ 'State, '
↪ 'if '
↪ 'there '
↪ 'is '
↪ 'a '
↪ 'match '
↪ 'buildtest '
↪ 'will '
↪ 'report '
↪ 'as '
↪ '``PASS`` ',
                                'enum': [
↪ 'COMPLETED',
↪ 'FAILED',
↪ 'OUT_OF_MEMORY',
↪ 'TIMEOUT'],
                                'type':
↪ 'string'}},
                                'type': 'object'},
    'tags': {'description': 'Classify tests using a tag '
                            'name, this can be used for '
                            'categorizing test and '
                            'building tests using '
                            '``--tags`` option',
              'items': {'type': 'string'},
              'minItems': 1,
              'type': 'array'}},
    'description': 'buildtest global schema is validated for all '
                  'buildspecs. The global schema defines top-level '
                  'structure of builds spec and definitions that are '
                  'inherited for sub-schemas',
    'properties': {'buildspecs': {'description': 'This section is used to '
                                                'define one or more '
                                                'tests (buildspecs). '
                                                'Each test must be '
                                                'unique name',
                                  'propertyNames': {'pattern': '^[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_
↪]*$'},
                                  'type': 'object'},
                  'maintainers': {'description': 'One or more '
                                                'maintainers or aliases',

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```

        'items': {'type': 'string'},
        'minItems': 1,
        'type': 'array'},
    'version': {'description': 'The semver version of the '
                             'schema to use (x.x).',
               'type': 'string'}},
    'required': ['version', 'buildspecs'],
    'title': 'global schema',
    'type': 'object'}

```

On instance:

```

{'buildspecs': {'login_node_check': {'run': 'ping login 1',
                                     'type': 'script'}}}

```

### global.schema.json

```

$ buildtest schema -n global.schema.json -j
{
  "$id": "https://buildtesters.github.io/schemas/schemas/global.schema.json",
  "$schema": "http://json-schema.org/draft-07/schema#",
  "title": "global schema",
  "description": "buildtest global schema is validated for all buildspecs. The global_
↪ schema defines top-level structure of buildspec and defintions that are inherited_
↪ for sub-schemas",
  "type": "object",
  "required": [
    "version",
    "buildspecs"
  ],
  "additionalProperties": false,
  "properties": {
    "version": {
      "type": "string",
      "description": "The semver version of the schema to use (x.x).",
    },
    "maintainers": {
      "type": "array",
      "description": "One or more maintainers or aliases",
      "minItems": 1,
      "items": {
        "type": "string"
      }
    },
    "buildspecs": {
      "type": "object",
      "description": "This section is used to define one or more tests (buildspecs)._
↪ Each test must be unique name",
      "propertyNames": {
        "pattern": "^[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$"
      }
    },
    "definitions": {
      "env": {
        "type": "object",

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```

    "description": "One or more key value pairs for an environment (key=value)",
    "minItems": 1,
    "items": {
      "type": "object",
      "minItems": 1,
      "propertyNames": {
        "pattern": "^[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$"
      }
    }
  },
  "tags": {
    "type": "array",
    "description": "Classify tests using a tag name, this can be used for
↳ categorizing test and building tests using ``--tags`` option",
    "minItems": 1,
    "items": {
      "type": "string"
    }
  },
  "skip": {
    "type": "boolean",
    "description": "The ``skip`` is a boolean field that can be used to skip tests
↳ during builds. By default buildtest will build and run all tests in your buildspeg
↳ file, if ``skip: True`` is set it will skip the buildspeg."
  },
  "executor": {
    "type": "string",
    "description": "Select one of the executor name defined in your configuration
↳ file (``config.yml``). Every buildspeg must have an executor which is responsible
↳ for running job. "
  },
  "sbatch": {
    "type": "array",
    "description": "This field is used for specifying #SBATCH options in test
↳ script. buildtest will insert #SBATCH in front of each value",
    "items": {
      "type": "string"
    }
  },
  "bsub": {
    "type": "array",
    "description": "This field is used for specifying #BSUB options in test script.
↳ buildtest will insert #BSUB in front of each value",
    "items": {
      "type": "string"
    }
  },
  "status": {
    "type": "object",
    "description": "The status section describes how buildtest detects PASS/FAIL on
↳ test. By default returncode 0 is a PASS and anything else is a FAIL, however
↳ buildtest can support other types of PASS/FAIL conditions.",
    "additionalProperties": false,
    "properties": {
      "slurm_job_state_codes": {
        "type": "string",
        "enum": [

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```

        "COMPLETED",
        "FAILED",
        "OUT_OF_MEMORY",
        "TIMEOUT"
    ],
    "description": "This field can be used for checking Slurm Job State, if
↳there is a match buildtest will report as ``PASS`` "
    },
    "returncode": {
        "type": "integer",
        "description": "By default, returncode 0 is PASS, if you want to emulate a
↳non-zero returncode to pass then specify an expected return code. buildtest will
↳match actual returncode with one defined in this field, if there is a match
↳buildtest will report as ``PASS``"
    },
    "regex": {
        "type": "object",
        "description": "Perform regular expression search using ``re.search``
↳python module on stdout/stderr stream for reporting if test ``PASS``. ",
        "properties": {
            "stream": {
                "type": "string",
                "enum": [
                    "stdout",
                    "stderr"
                ],
                "description": "The stream field can be stdout or stderr. buildtest
↳will read the output or error stream after completion of test and check if regex
↳matches in stream"
            },
            "exp": {
                "type": "string",
                "description": "Specify a regular expression to run with input stream
↳specified by ``stream`` field. buildtest uses re.search when performing regex"
            }
        },
        "required": [
            "stream",
            "exp"
        ]
    }
}

```

## 5.7.2 Writing buildspecs

buildspec is your test recipe that buildtest processes to generate a test script. A buildspec can be composed of several test sections. The buildspec file is validated with the *Global Schema* and each test section is validated with a sub-schema defined by the `type` field.

Let's start off with an example:

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  variables:
    type: script
    executor: local.bash
    vars:
      X: 1
      Y: 2
    run: echo "$X+$Y=" $((X+Y))
```

buildtest will validate the entire file with `global.schema.json`, the schema requires **version** and **buildspec** in order to validate file. The **buildspec** is where you define each test. In this example there is one test called **variables**. The test requires a **type** field which is the sub-schema used to validate the test section. In this example `type: script` informs buildtest to use the *Script Schema* when validating test section.

Each subschema has a list of field attributes that are supported, for example the fields: **type**, **executor**, **vars** and **run** are all valid fields supported by the script schema. The **version** field informs which version of subschema to use. Currently all sub-schemas are at version 1.0 where buildtest will validate with a schema `script-v1.0.schema.json`. In future, we can support multiple versions of subschema for backwards compatibility.

The **executor** key is required for all sub-schemas which instructs buildtest which executor to use when running the test. The executors are defined in your buildtest settings in *Configuring buildtest*.

In this example we define variables using the `vars` section which is a Key/Value pair for variable assignment. The `run` section is required for script schema which defines the content of the test script.

Let's look at a more interesting example, shown below is a multi line run example using the *script* schema with test name called `systemd_default_target`, shown below is the content of test:

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  systemd_default_target:
    executor: local.bash
    type: script
    description: check if default target is multi-user.target
    run: |
      if [ "multi-user.target" == `systemctl get-default` ]; then
        echo "multi-user is the default target";
        exit 0
      fi
      echo "multi-user is not the default target";
      exit 1
    status:
      returncode: 0
```

The test name **systemd\_default\_target** defined in **buildspec** section is validated with the following pattern `^[A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$`. This test will use the executor **local.bash** which means it will use the Local Executor with an executor name *bash* defined in the buildtest settings. The default buildtest settings will provide a bash executor as follows:

```
executors:
  local:
    bash:
      description: submit jobs on local machine using bash shell
      shell: bash
```

The `shell: bash` indicates this executor will use *bash* to run the test scripts. To reference this executor use the format `<type>.<name>` in this case **local.bash** refers to bash executor.

The `description` field is an optional key that can be used to provide a brief summary of the test. In this example we can a full multi-line run section, this is achieved in YAML using `run:` followed by content of run section tab indented 2 spaces.

In this example we introduce a new field *status* that is used for controlling how buildtest will mark test state. By default, a returncode of **0** is PASS and non-zero is a **FAIL**. Currently buildtest reports only two states: PASS, FAIL. In this example, buildtest will match the actual returncode with one defined in key *returncode* in the status section.

## Script Schema

The script schema is used for writing simple scripts (bash, sh, python) in Builds spec. To use this schema you must set `type: script`. The *run* field is responsible for writing the content of test. The [Production Schema](#) and [Development Schema](#) are kept in sync where any schema development is done in **Development Schema** followed by merge to **Production Schema**.

## Return Code Matching

In this next example we will illustrate the concept of returncode match with different exit codes. In this example we have three tests called `exit1_fail`, `exit1_pass` and `returncode_mismatch`. All test are using the `local.sh` executor which is using `sh` to run the test. We expect **exit1\_fail** and **returncode\_mismatch** to FAIL while **exit1\_pass** will PASS since returncode matches

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:

  exit1_fail:
    executor: local.sh
    type: script
    description: exit 1 by default is FAIL
    run: exit 1

  exit1_pass:
    executor: local.sh
    type: script
    description: report exit 1 as PASS
    run: exit 1
    status:
      returncode: 1

  returncode_mismatch:
    executor: local.sh
    type: script
    description: exit 2 failed since it failed to match returncode 1
    run: exit 2
    status:
      returncode: 1
```

To demonstrate we will build this test and pay close attention to the Status field in output

```
$ buildtest build -b tutorials/pass_returncode.yml
Paths:

Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

+-----+
| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
+-----+

/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
+-----+

  schemafile          | validstate  | buildspec
+-----+-----+-----+
↪ script-v1.0.schema.json | True          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/pass_returncode.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Building Test |
+-----+

Name                  | Schema File          | Test Path          | Buildspec
+-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪
↪
↪
↪ exit1_fail          | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/exit1_fail/generate.sh | /Users/
↪ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml
↪ exit1_pass          | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/exit1_pass/generate.sh | /Users/
↪ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml
↪ returncode_mismatch | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/returncode_mismatch/generate.sh | /Users/
↪ siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Running Test |
+-----+

name                  | executor   | status   | returncode | testpath
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪
↪ exit1_fail          | local.sh   | FAIL     | 1          | /Users/siddiq90/
↪ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/exit1_fail/generate.sh
↪ exit1_pass          | local.sh   | PASS     | 1          | /Users/siddiq90/
↪ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/exit1_pass/generate.sh
↪ returncode_mismatch | local.sh   | FAIL     | 2          | /Users/siddiq90/
↪ Documents/buildtest/var/tests/local.sh/pass_returncode/returncode_mismatch/generate.
↪ sh

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```
| Stage: Test Summary |
+-----+

Executed 3 tests
Passed Tests: 1/3 Percentage: 33.333%
Failed Tests: 2/3 Percentage: 66.667%
```

## Python example

You can use *script* schema to write python scripts using the run section. This can be achieved if you use the `local.python` executor assuming you have this defined in your buildtest configuration.

Here is a python example calculating area of circle:

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  circle_area:
    executor: local.python
    type: script
    shell: python
    description: "Calculate circle of area given a radius"
    tags: ["python"]
    run: |
      import math
      radius = 2
      area = math.pi * radius * radius
      print("Circle Radius ", radius)
      print("Area of circle ", area)
```

The `shell: python` will let us write python script in the `run` section. The `tags` field can be used to classify test, the field expects an array of string items.

---

**Note:** Python scripts are very picky when it comes to formatting, in the `run` section if you are defining multiline python script you must remember to use 2 space indent to register multiline string. buildtest will extract the content from run section and inject in your test script. To ensure proper formatting for a more complex python script you may be better of writing a python script in separate file and call it in `run` section.

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## Skipping test

By default, buildtest will run all tests defined in `buildspecs` section, if you want to skip a test use the `skip:` field which expects a boolean value. Shown below is an example test:

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  skip:
    type: script
    executor: local.bash
    skip: true
    run: hostname

  unskipped:
    type: script
```

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```

executor: local.bash
skip: false
run: hostname

```

The first test *skip* will be skipped by buildtest because `skip: true` is defined.

**Note:** YAML and JSON have different representation for boolean. For json schema valid values are `true` and `false` see <https://json-schema.org/understanding-json-schema/reference/boolean.html> however YAML has many more representation for boolean see <https://yaml.org/type/bool.html>. You may use any of the YAML boolean, however it's best to stick with json schema values `true` and `false`.

Here is an example build, notice message `[skip] test is skipped` during the build stage

```

$ buildtest build -b tutorials/skip_tests.yml
Paths:
-----
Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

+-----+
| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
+-----+

/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/skip_tests.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
+-----+

[skip] test is skipped.
  schemafile          | validstate  | buildspec
-----+-----+-----
↪-----
  script-v1.0.schema.json | True        | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪tutorials/skip_tests.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Building Test |
+-----+

  Name          | Schema File          | Test Path          | Buildspec
  ↪-----+-----+-----+-----
  ↪-----
  ↪-----
  unskipped | script-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests/
  ↪local.bash/skip_tests/unskipped/generate.sh | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
  ↪tutorials/skip_tests.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Running Test |
+-----+

  name          | executor   | status  | returncode | testpath
  -----+-----+-----+-----+-----
  ↪-----

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```

unskipped | local.bash | PASS      |          0 | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/skip_tests/unskipped/generate.sh

+-----+
| Stage: Test Summary |
+-----+

Executed 1 tests
Passed Tests: 1/1 Percentage: 100.000%
Failed Tests: 0/1 Percentage: 0.000%
```

## Script Schema and Examples

buildtest command line interface provides access to schemas and example buildspects for each schemas.

To retrieve the full json schema of script schema you can run the following:

```
buildtest schema -n script-v1.0.schema.json --json
```

The example buildspects are validated with the schema, so they are self-documentating examples. For example, you can retrieve the script examples using `buildtest schema -n script-v1.0.schema.json -e`. Shown below we show valid and invalid examples. The examples are validated with the schema `script-v1.0.schema.json`.

```

$ buildtest schema -n script-v1.0.schema.json -e

File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/script-v1.0.
↳schema.json/valid/examples.yml
Valid State: True

-----

version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  multiline_run:
    executor: local.bash
    type: script
    description: multiline run command
    run: |
      echo "1"
      echo "2"

  single_command_run:
    executor: local.bash
    type: script
    description: single command as a string for run command
    run: "hostname"

  declare_env:
    executor: local.bash
    type: script
    description: declaring environment variables
    env:
      FOO: BAR
```

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```
X: 1
run: |
    echo $FOO
    echo $X

declare_vars:
    executor: local.bash
    type: script
    description: declaring variables
    vars:
        First: Bob
        Last: Bill
    run: |
        echo "First:" $First
        echo "Last:" $Last

declare_shell_sh:
    executor: local.sh
    type: script
    description: declare shell name to sh
    shell: sh
    run: hostname

declare_shell_bash:
    executor: local.bash
    type: script
    description: declare shell name to bash
    shell: bash
    run: hostname

declare_shell_python:
    executor: local.python
    type: script
    description: declare shell name to python
    shell: python
    run: |
        print("Hello World")

declare_shell_bin_bash:
    executor: local.bash
    type: script
    description: declare shell name to /bin/bash
    shell: "/bin/bash -e"
    run: hostname

declare_shell_name_bin_sh:
    executor: local.script
    type: script
    description: declare shell name to /bin/sh
    shell: "/bin/sh -e"
    run: hostname

declare_shell_opts:
    executor: local.sh
    type: script
```

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```
description: declare shell name to sh
shell: "sh -e"
run: hostname

declare_shebang:
  executor: local.bash
  type: script
  description: declare shell name to sh
  shebang: "#!/usr/bin/env bash"
  run: hostname

status_returncode:
  executor: local.bash
  type: script
  description: This test pass because using a valid return code
  run: hostname
  status:
    returncode: 0

status_regex:
  executor: local.bash
  type: script
  description: This test pass with a regular expression status check
  run: hostname
  status:
    regex:
      stream: stdout
      exp: "^$"

status_regex_returncode:
  executor: local.bash
  type: script
  description: This test fails because returncode and regex specified
  run: hostname
  status:
    returncode: 0
    regex:
      stream: stdout
      exp: "^hello"

sbatch_example:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: This test pass sbatch options in test.
  sbatch:
    - "-t 10:00:00"
    - "-p normal"
    - "-N 1"
    - "-n 8"
  run: hostname

skip_example:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: this test is skip
  skip: true
  run: hostname
```

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```

tag_example:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: This is a tag example
  sbatch:
    - "-t 10:00:00"
    - "-p normal"
    - "-N 1"
    - "-n 8"
  tags: [slurm]
  run: hostname

```

File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/script-v1.0.  
 ↳ schema.json/invalid/examples.yml  
 Valid State: FAIL

```

version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  invalid_test_name_&!@#%$:
    type: script
    executor: local.bash
    description: "invalid test name"

  invalid_bash:
    type: script
    executor: local.bash
    shell: "bash-missing-run"

  missing_run_key:
    type: script
    executor: local.bash
    description: invalid key name roon, missing run key
    roon: |
      systemctl is-active slurmd
      systemctl is-enabled slurmd | grep enabled

  invalid_env_type:
    type: script
    executor: local.bash
    description: env key should be a dictionary
    env:
      - FOO=BAR
    run: echo $FOO

  invalid_vars_type:
    type: script
    executor: local.bash
    description: var key should be a dictionary
    vars:
      - FOO=BAR
    run: echo $FOO

```

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```
invalid_description:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description:
    - "Multi Line description"
    - "is not accepted"

invalid_regex_stream:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: This test fails because of invalid regex stream
  run: hostname
  status:
    regex:
      stream: file
      exp: "world$"

missing_regex_exp:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: This test fails because of missing key 'exp' in regex
  run: hostname
  status:
    regex:
      stream: stdout

invalid_returncode_type:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: This test fails because of invalid return code type
  run: hostname
  status:
    returncode: ["1"]

invalid_shell_usr_bin_bash:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: invalid shell name, since we only support 'sh', 'bash', 'python' '/'
↪bin/bash' /bin/sh
  shell: /usr/bin/bash
  run: hostname

invalid_shell_type:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: invalid shell type must be a string
  shell: ["/bin/bash"]
  run: hostname

invalid_type_shell_shebang:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: invalid type for shell shebang, must be a string
  shebang: ["#!/bin/bash"]
  run: hostname
```

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```
invalid_skip_value:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: invalid value for skip, must be boolean
  skip: 1
  run: hostname

invalid_tags_value:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: invalid tag value must be all string items
  tags: ["compiler", 400 ]
  run: hostname

additionalProperties_test:
  type: script
  executor: local.bash
  description: additional properties are not allowed so any invalid key/value pair
↳ will result in error
  FOO: BAR
  run: hostname
```

---

Validation Error

---

```
↳ 'invalid_test_name_&!@#$$' does not match '^ [A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$'

Failed validating 'pattern' in schema['properties']['buildspecs']['propertyNames']:
  {'pattern': '^ [A-Za-z_][A-Za-z0-9_]*$'}

On instance['buildspecs']:
  'invalid_test_name_&!@#$$'
```

### 5.7.3 Compiler Schema

The compiler schema is used for compilation of programs, currently we support single source file compilation.

#### Schema Files

- [Production Schema](#)
- [Development Schema](#)

#### Compilation Examples

In order to use the compiler schema you must set `type: compiler` in your sub-schema. We assume the reader has basic understanding of [Global Schema](#) validation.

The **type**, **compiler**, and **executor** are required keys for the schema.

Shown below are 6 test examples performing Hello World compilation with C, C++, and Fortran using GNU compiler

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  hello_f:
    type: compiler
    description: "Hello World Fortran Compilation"
    executor: local.bash
    tags: [tutorials]
    build:
      source: "src/hello.f90"
      name: gnu
      fflags: -Wall

  hello_c:
    type: compiler
    description: "Hello World C Compilation"
    executor: local.bash
    tags: [tutorials]
    build:
      source: "src/hello.c"
      name: gnu
      cflags: -Wall

  hello_cplusplus:
    type: compiler
    description: "Hello World C++ Compilation"
    executor: local.bash
    tags: [tutorials]
    build:
      source: "src/hello.cpp"
      name: gnu
      cxxflags: -Wall

  cc_example:
    type: compiler
    description: Example by using cc to set C compiler
    executor: local.bash
    tags: [tutorials]
    build:
      source: "src/hello.c"
      name: gnu
      cc: gcc

  fc_example:
    type: compiler
    description: Example by using fc to set Fortran compiler
    executor: local.bash
    tags: [tutorials]
    build:
      source: "src/hello.f90"
      name: gnu
      fc: gfortran

  cxx_example:
    type: compiler
    description: Example by using cxx to set C++ compiler
    executor: local.bash
    tags: [tutorials]
```

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```

build:
  source: "src/hello.cpp"
  name: gnu
  cxx: g++

```

The tests `hello_f`, `hello_c` and `hello_cplusplus` rely on buildtest to detect compiler wrappers while tests `cc_example`, `fc_example`, `cxx_example` rely on user to specify compiler wrappers manually.

The `compiler` object is start of compilation section, the required keys are `source` and `name`. The **source** key requires an input program for compilation, this can be a file relative to buildspec file or an absolute path. In this example our source examples are in `src` directory. The `name` field informs buildtest to auto-detect compiler wrappers (`cc`, `fc`, `cxx`).

The compilation pattern buildtest utilizes is the following:

```

# C example
$cc $cppflags $cflags -o <executable> $SOURCE $ldflags

# Fortran example
$cxx $cppflags $cxxflags -o <executable> $SOURCE $ldflags

# Fortran example
$fc $cppflags $fflags -o <executable> $SOURCE $ldflags

```

If you specify `cc`, `fc` and `cxx` field attributes you are responsible for selecting the correct compiler wrapper. You can use `cflags`, `cxxflags` and `fflags` field to pass compiler options to C, C++ and Fortran compilers.

Shown below is an example build for the buildspec example

```

$ buildtest build -b tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml
Paths:
-----
Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

+-----+
| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
+-----+

/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Parsing Buildsspecs |
+-----+

  schemafile          | validstate   | buildspec
+-----+-----+-----+
↪ compiler-v1.0.schema.json | True          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Building Test |
+-----+

  Name          | Schema File          | Test Path          | Builds
+-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪                                     ↪

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```

hello_f      | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↳var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_f/generate.sh      | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml
hello_c      | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↳var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_c/generate.sh      | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml
hello_cplusplus | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↳var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_cplusplus/generate.sh | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml
cc_example   | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↳var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/cc_example/generate.sh    | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml
fc_example   | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↳var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/fc_example/generate.sh    | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml
cxx_example  | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↳var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/cxx_example/generate.sh   | /Users/siddiq90/
↳Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Running Test |
+-----+

name          | executor   | status   | returncode | testpath
+-----+
↳-----
hello_f      | local.bash | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_f/generate.sh
hello_c      | local.bash | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_c/generate.sh
hello_cplusplus | local.bash | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/hello_cplusplus/generate.sh
cc_example   | local.bash | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/cc_example/generate.sh
fc_example   | local.bash | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/fc_example/generate.sh
cxx_example  | local.bash | PASS     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/gnu_hello/cxx_example/generate.sh

+-----+
| Stage: Test Summary |
+-----+

Executed 6 tests
Passed Tests: 6/6 Percentage: 100.000%
Failed Tests: 0/6 Percentage: 0.000%

```

The generated test for test name **hello\_f** is the following:

```

#!/bin/bash
gfortran -Wall -o hello.f90.exe /global/u1/s/siddiq90/tutorials/examples/serial/src/
↳hello.f90
./hello.f90.exe

```

buildtest will fill in the compilation line based on compilation pattern. buildtest, will detect the file extensions and perform a lookup to find the programming language, and finally generate the appropriate C, C++, or Fortran compilation based on language detected.

buildtest detects the programming language and it finds **.f90** file extension and infers it must be Fortran program, hence gfortran was selected. The executable name is generated by adding **.exe** to end of source file name so we get **hello.f90.exe**. Finally, we run the executable.

## File Extension Language Table

Shown below is the file extension table for your reference

Table 1: File Extension Language Mapping

Language	File Extension
<b>C</b>	.c
<b>C++</b>	.cc .cxx .cpp .c++
<b>Fortran</b>	.f90 .F90 .f95 .f .F .FOR .for .FTN .ftn

## Passing Arguments

If you want to pass options to executable command use the `args` key. Shown below is an example test

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  executable_arguments:
    type: compiler
    description: Passing arguments example
    executor: local.bash
    tags: [tutorials]
    build:
      source: "src/argc.c"
      name: gnu
      cflags: -Wall
    run:
      args: "1 2 3"
```

The `exec_args` will pass options to the executable, use this if your binary requires input arguments. Shown below is a generated test:

```
#!/bin/bash
gcc -Wall -o argc.c.exe /global/ul/s/siddiq90/tutorials/examples/serial/src/argc.c
./argc.c.exe 1 2 3
```

## OpenMP Example

Here is an example OpenMP reduction test that runs on 1 node using 32 tasks on a haswell node:

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  reduction:
    type: compiler
    executor: slurm.debug
    sbatch: ["-N 1", "--ntasks-per-node 32", "-C haswell", "-t 1"]
    module:
      - "module load PrgEnv-gnu"
    env:
```

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```
OMP_NUM_THREADS: 32
OMP_PROC_BIND: spread
OMP_PLACES: cores
build:
  source: src/reduction.c
  name: gnu
  cflags: -fopenmp
  tags: [openmp]
```

In this example, we use the SlurmExecutor `slurm.debug`, the source file is `src/reduction.c` that is relative to `buildspec` file. The environment variables are defined using `env` section. To enable openmp flag, for GNU compilers we pass `-fopenmp` to C compiler. Finally we classify this test using `tags` key which is set to `openmp`.

The generated test looks as follows:

```
#!/bin/bash
#SBATCH -N 1
#SBATCH --ntasks-per-node 32
#SBATCH -C haswell
#SBATCH -t 1
export OMP_NUM_THREADS=32
export OMP_PROC_BIND=spread
export OMP_PLACES=cores
module load PrgEnv-gnu
gcc -fopenmp -o reduction.c.exe /global/u1/s/siddiq90/buildtest-cori/apps/openmp/src/
↪reduction.c
./reduction.c.exe
```

## MPI Example

In this example we run a MPI Laplace code using 4 process on a KNL node using the module `PrgEnv-intel`. The executable is launched using `srun`, that is set via `launcher` field. The source code `src/laplace_mpi.c` must be run with 4 process, for this test we allocate 1 node with 4 tasks.

The `name` field is a required field, buildtest uses this field to select the appropriate subclass, when you set `name: intel` buildtest will select the `IntelCompiler` subclass which sets the `cc`, `fc` and `cxx` variables automatically. If you want to specify your compiler variables you can use `cc`, `fc` and `cxx` fields and buildtest will honor your options.

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  laplace_mpi:
    type: compiler
    description: Laplace MPI code in C
    sbatch: ["-C knl", "-N 1", "-n 4"]
    executor: slurm.debug
    tags: ["mpi"]
    module:
      - "module load PrgEnv-intel"
    build:
      name: intel
      source: src/laplace_mpi.c
      cflags: -O3
    run:
      launcher: srun -n 4
```

The generated test is as follows:

```
#!/bin/bash
#SBATCH -C knl
#SBATCH -N 1
#SBATCH -n 4
module load PrgEnv-intel
icc -O3 -o laplace_mpi.c.exe /global/u1/s/siddiq90/buildtest-cori/apps/mpi/src/
↪laplace_mpi.c
srun -n 4 ./laplace_mpi.c.exe
```

Shown below is a sample build for this buildspect:

```
$ buildtest build -b mpi/laplace_mpi.yml
Paths:
-----
Prefix: /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache
Buildspec Search Path: ['/global/u1/s/siddiq90/buildtest/tutorials']
Test Directory: /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache/tests

+-----+
| Stage: Discovered Buildspects |
+-----+

/global/u1/s/siddiq90/buildtest-cori/apps/mpi/laplace_mpi.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Building Test |
+-----+

Name          | Schema File          | Test Path
↪              | Buildspec
-----+-----+-----+
↪
laplace_mpi | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache/tests/laplace_
↪mpi/laplace_mpi.sh | /global/u1/s/siddiq90/buildtest-cori/apps/mpi/laplace_mpi.yml

+-----+
| Stage: Running Test |
+-----+

[laplace_mpi] job dispatched to scheduler
[laplace_mpi] acquiring job id in 2 seconds
name          | executor   | status   | returncode | testpath
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪
laplace_mpi | slurm.debug | N/A      | 0          | /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache/
↪tests/laplace_mpi/laplace_mpi.sh

Polling Jobs in 10 seconds

[laplace_mpi]: JobID 33306420 in COMPLETED state

Polling Jobs in 10 seconds

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```

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```
| Stage: Final Results after Polling all Jobs |
+-----+
name      | executor  | status   | returncode | testpath
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
laplace_mpi | slurm.debug | PASS    | 0          | /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache/
tests/laplace_mpi/laplace_mpi.sh

+-----+
| Stage: Test Summary |
+-----+

Executed 1 tests
Passed Tests: 1/1 Percentage: 100.000%
Failed Tests: 0/1 Percentage: 0.000%
```

## OpenACC Examples

Next, we will make use of an OpenACC vector addition example shown below is an example test

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  vecadd_gnu:
    type: compiler
    description: Vector Addition example with GNU compiler
    tags: [tutorials]
    executor: local.bash
    build:
      name: gnu
      source: src/vecAdd.c
      cflags: -fopenacc
      ldflags: -lm
    status:
      regex:
        stream: stdout
        exp: "^final result: 1.000000$"
```

To compile OpenACC program with gnu compiler we must use `-fopenacc` flag, this program requires linking with math library so we can specify linker flags (`ldflags`) using `ldflags: -lm`.

The output of this test will generate a single line output as follows:

```
final result: 1.000000
```

The status field with regex is used for checking output stream using `stream: stdout` and `exp` key to specify regular expression to use. If we are to build this test, you will notice the run section will have a Status of PASS

```
$ buildtest build -b tutorials/compilers/vecadd.yml
Paths:
-----
Test Directory: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/tests

+-----+
| Stage: Discovered Buildspscs |
```

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```

+-----+
/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/vecadd.yml
+-----+
| Stage: Parsing Buildspects |
+-----+

  schemafile          | validstate   | buildspec
+-----+-----+-----+
↪ compiler-v1.0.schema.json | True         | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↪ tutorials/compilers/vecadd.yml
+-----+

| Stage: Building Test |
+-----+

Name          | Schema File          | Test Path          | Buildspec
+-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪
↪
vecadd_gnu | compiler-v1.0.schema.json | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/
↪ tests/local.bash/vecadd/vecadd_gnu/generate.sh | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪ buildtest/tutorials/compilers/vecadd.yml
+-----+

| Stage: Running Test |
+-----+

name          | executor    | status   | returncode | testpath
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪
↪ vecadd_gnu | local.bash | FAIL     | 0          | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪ buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/vecadd/vecadd_gnu/generate.sh
+-----+

| Stage: Test Summary |
+-----+

Executed 1 tests
Passed Tests: 0/1 Percentage: 0.000%
Failed Tests: 1/1 Percentage: 100.000%

```

The regular expression is performed using [re.search](#), for example if we can change the `exp` field as follows:

```
exp: "^final result: 0.99$"
```

Next if we re-run test we will notice the Status is FAIL even though we have a Return Code of 0:

```

+-----+
| Stage: Running Test |
+-----+

name          | executor    | status   | returncode | testpath
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪

```

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```
vecadd_gnu | local.bash | FAIL | 0 | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/var/tests/local.bash/vecadd/vecadd_gnu/run_script.sh
```

In the next example, we extend the previous buildspec test to run at Cori GPU machine using Slurm scheduler. We use the executor `slurm.gpu` where our executor is defined as follows:

```
gpu:
  description: submit jobs to GPU partition
  options: ["-C gpu"]
  cluster: escori
```

In order to submit job to the Cori GPU cluster we must use `sbatch -C gpu -M escori` which is what `slurm.gpu` executor is doing.

In this example we make use of `module` field to load modules into the test, for this test we load the modules `cuda` and `gcc/8.1.1-openacc-gcc-8-branch-20190215`. This test will launch job via `srun` and check job state code is `COMPLETED`.

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  vecadd_openacc_gnu:
    type: compiler
    description: Vector Addition example with GNU compiler
    executor: slurm.gpu
    sbatch: ["-G 1", "-t 5", "-N 1"]
    module:
      - "module load cuda"
      - "module load gcc/8.1.1-openacc-gcc-8-branch-20190215"
    build:
      name: gnu
      source: src/vecAdd.c
      cflags: -fopenacc
      ldflags: -lm
    run:
      launcher: srun
    status:
      slurm_job_state_codes: COMPLETED
```

buildtest will generate the following test, buildtest will add the `#SBATCH` directives followed by module commands. The executable is run via `srun` because we specify the `launcher` field.

```
#!/bin/bash
#SBATCH -G 1
#SBATCH -t 5
#SBATCH -N 1
module load cuda
module load gcc/8.1.1-openacc-gcc-8-branch-20190215
gcc -fopenacc -o vecAdd.c.exe /global/u1/s/siddiq90/buildtest-cori/apps/openacc/src/
↪vecAdd.c -lm
srun ./vecAdd.c.exe
```

In this next example, we build same test using `hpcsdk` compiler by NVIDIA that acquired PGI compiler. At cori, we must load `hpcsdk` and `cuda` module in order to use the `hpcsdk` compiler. The name is a required field however buildtest will ignore since we specify `cc` field. NVIDIA changed their compiler names instead of `pgcc` we must use `nvc` with flag `-acc` to offload to GPU. For CoriGPU we must use `srun` to acquire GPU access hence `launcher` field is set to `srun`.



```

version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  vecadd_hpcsdk_gnu:
    type: compiler
    description: Vector Addition example with hpcsdk (pgi) compiler
    executor: slurm.gpu
    sbatch: ["-G 1", "-t 5", "-N 1"]
    module:
      - "module load hpcsdk"
      - "module load cuda"
    build:
      name: pgi
      cc: nvc
      source: src/vecAdd.c
      cflags: -acc
      ldflags: -lm
    run:
      launcher: srun

```

### Pre/Post sections for build and run section

The compiler schema comes with `pre_build`, `post_build`, `pre_run` and `post_run` fields where you can insert commands before and after build or run section. The **build** section is where we compile code, and **run** section is where compiled binary is executed.

Shown below is an example to illustrate this behavior:

```

version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  executable_arguments:
    type: compiler
    description: example using pre_build, post_build, pre_run, post_run example
    executor: local.bash
    tags: [tutorials]
    pre_build: |
      echo "This is a pre-build section"
      gcc --version
    build:
      source: "src/hello.c"
      name: gnu
      cflags: -Wall
    post_build: |
      echo "This is post-build section"
    pre_run: |
      echo "This is pre-run section"
      export FOO=BAR
    post_run: |
      echo "This is post-run section"

```

The format of the test structure is the following:

```

#!/{shebang path} -- defaults to #!/bin/bash depends on executor name (local.bash, ↵
↵local.sh)
{job directives} -- sbatch or bsub field
{environment variables} -- env field
{variable declaration} -- vars field

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```
{module commands} -- modules field

{pre build commands} -- pre_build field
{compile program} -- build field
{post build commands} -- post_build field

{pre run commands} -- pre_run field
{run executable} -- run field
{post run commands} -- post_run field
```

The generated test for this buildspec is the following:

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "This is a pre-build section"
gcc --version

gcc -Wall -o hello.c.exe /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/src/
↪hello.c
echo "This is post-build section"

echo "This is pre-run section"
export FOO=BAR

./hello.c.exe
echo "This is post-run section"
```

## Compiler Schema Examples

The compiler schema examples can be retrieved via `buildtest schema -n compiler-v1.0.schema.json -e` which shows a list of valid/invalid buildspec examples using type: `compiler`. Each example is validated with schema `compiler-v1.0.schema.json` and error message from invalid examples are also shown in example output.

```
$ buildtest schema -n compiler-v1.0.schema.json -e

File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/compiler-v1.0.
↪schema.json/valid/examples.yml
Valid State: True

version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  gnu_example:
    executor: local.bash
    type: compiler
    description: "gnu example with modules, and cflags example"
    module:
      - "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
      - "module purge && module load gcc/6.0"
    build:
      name: gnu
      source: src/hello.c
```

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```

    cflags: "-O1"

intel_example:
    executor: local.bash
    type: compiler
    description: "intel example using cflags"
    module:
        - "module purge && module load intel/17"
        - "module purge && module load intel/18"
    build:
        name: intel
        source: src/hello.c
        cflags: "-O1"

pgi_example:
    executor: local.bash
    type: compiler
    description: "pgi example using cxxflags, ldflags key"
    module:
        - "module purge && module load pgi"
    build:
        source: src/hello.cpp
        name: pgi
        cxxflags: "-O1"
        ldflags: "-lm"

cray_example:
    executor: local.bash
    type: compiler
    description: "cray example using fflags and cppflags"
    sbatch: ["-C knl", "-q normal", "-t 01:00"]
    build:
        name: cray
        source: src/hello.f90
        fflags: "-O1"
        cppflags: "-DFOO"

cc_example:
    type: compiler
    description: Example by using cc to set C compiler
    executor: local.bash
    build:
        source: "src/hello.c"
        name: gnu
        cc: gcc

fc_example:
    type: compiler
    description: Example by using fc to set Fortran compiler
    executor: local.bash
    build:
        source: "src/hello.f90"
        name: gnu
        fc: gfortran

cxx_example:

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```
type: compiler
description: Example by using cxx to set C++ compiler
executor: local.bash
build:
  source: "src/hello.cpp"
  name: gnu
  cxx: g++

args_example:
  type: compiler
  description: Launcher example
  executor: local.bash
  build:
    source: "src/hello.cpp"
    name: gnu
  run:
    args: "1 2 4"

mpi_launcher_example:
  type: compiler
  description: Launcher example
  executor: local.bash
  build:
    source: "src/hello.cpp"
    name: gnu
    cxx: mpicxx
    cxxflags: "-O3"
  run:
    launcher: mpirun -np 2
```

File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/examples/compiler-v1.0.  
↪schema.json/invalid/examples.yml  
Valid State: FAIL

---

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  missing_type:
    executor: local.bash
    description: "type key is missing, this is a required field"
    module:
      - "module purge && module load intel/17"
      - "module purge && module load intel/18"
    build:
      source: src/hello.c
      name: intel
      cflags: "-O1"

  missing_build:
    executor: local.bash
    type: compiler
    description: "build key is missing, this is a required field"
```

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```

module:
  - "module purge && module load intel/17"
  - "module purge && module load intel/18"

invalid_type_value:
  executor: local.bash
  type: script
  description: "invalid value for type field must be 'compiler' "
  module:
    - "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
    - "module purge && module load gcc/6.0"
  build:
    source: src/hello.c
    name: gnu
    cflags: "-O1"

invalid_description_value:
  executor: local.bash
  type: compiler
  description: 1
  module:
    - "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
    - "module purge && module load gcc/6.0"
  build:
    source: src/hello.c
    name: gnu
    cflags: "-O1"

invalid_type_module:
  executor: local.bash
  type: compiler
  description: "type for 'module' key, expecting type 'array' but received 'string'
↪ "
  module: "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
  build:
    source: src/hello.c
    name: gnu
    cflags: "-O1"

module_mismatch_array_items:
  executor: local.bash
  type: compiler
  description: "The module is an array of string items, this test as a mix of ↪
↪ numbers and string"
  module:
    - 1
    - "module purge && module load intel"
  build:
    source: src/hello.c
    name: intel
    cflags: "-O1"

missing_source_in_compiler:
  executor: local.bash
  type: compiler
  description: "missing source key in compiler object"
  module:

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```

- "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
build:
  name: gnu
  cflags: "-O1"

missing_name_in_build:
  executor: local.bash
  type: compiler
  description: "missing name key in build object"
  module:
  - "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
  build:
    source: src/hello.c

name_type_mismatch:
  executor: local.bash
  type: compiler
  description: "compiler 'name' expects a string but received a list"
  module:
  - "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
  build:
    source: src/hello.c
    name: ["gnu", "intel"]
    cflags: "-O1"
    ldflags: "-lm"

test_additionalProperties_compiler:
  executor: local.bash
  type: compiler
  description: "test additionalProperties in compiler object. Schema does not allow ↵
↵for additional keys"
  module:
  - "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
  build:
    source: src/hello.c
    foo: bar
    name: gnu
    cflags: "-O1"
    ldflags: "-lm"

test_additionalProperties_main_schema:
  executor: local.bash
  type: compiler
  description: "test additionalProperties in main schema"
  foo: bar
  module:
  - "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
  build:
    source: src/hello.c
    name: gnu
    cflags: "-O1"
    ldflags: "-lm"

type_mismatch_args:
  executor: local.bash
  type: compiler

```

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```

description: "type mismatch on args key"
module:
- "module purge && module load gcc/4.0"
build:
  source: src/hello.c
  name: gnu
  cflags: "-O1"
  ldflags: "-lm"

run:
  args: 1

```

Validation Error

Did not find 'type' key in test section: missing\_type

### 5.7.4 Batch Scheduler Support

buildtest batch scheduler support is an experimental feature, currently buildtest supports Slurm and LSF Executor. In order for buildtest to submit jobs to scheduler, you must define a slurm or lsf executor.

#### Slurm Executor (Experimental Feature)

The `SlurmExecutor` class is responsible for managing slurm jobs which will perform the following action

1. Check slurm binary `sbatch` and `sacct`.
2. Dispatch Job and acquire job ID using `sacct`.
3. Poll all slurm jobs until all have finished
4. Gather Job results once job is complete via `sacct`.

buildtest will dispatch all jobs and poll all jobs in a `while (True)` until all jobs are complete. If job is in **[PENDING | RUNNING ]** then buildtest will keep polling at a set interval. Once job is not in **PENDING** or **RUNNING** stage, buildtest will gather job results and wait until all jobs have finished.

In order to use a slurm scheduler, you must define a *Slurm Executors* and reference it via `executor`. In this example we have a slurm executor `slurm.debug`, in addition we can specify **#SBATCH** directives using `sbatch` field. The `sbatch` field is a list of string types, buildtest will insert **#SBATCH** directive in front of each value.

Shown below is an example buildspec:

```

version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  slurm_metadata:
    description: Get metadata from compute node when submitting job
    type: script
    executor: slurm.debug
    sbatch:
      - "-t 00:05"
      - "-C haswell"
      - "-N 1"
    run: |
      export SLURM_JOB_NAME="firstjob"
      echo "jobname:" $SLURM_JOB_NAME

```

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```
echo "slurmdb host:" $SLURMD_NODENAME
echo "pid:" $SLURM_TASK_PID
echo "submit host:" $SLURM_SUBMIT_HOST
echo "nodeid:" $SLURM_NODEID
echo "partition:" $SLURM_JOB_PARTITION
```

buildtest will add the #SBATCH directives at top of script followed by content in the run section. Shown below is the example test content

```
#!/bin/bash
#SBATCH -t 00:05
#SBATCH -C haswell
#SBATCH -N 1
export SLURM_JOB_NAME="firstjob"
echo "jobname:" $SLURM_JOB_NAME
echo "slurmdb host:" $SLURMD_NODENAME
echo "pid:" $SLURM_TASK_PID
echo "submit host:" $SLURM_SUBMIT_HOST
echo "nodeid:" $SLURM_NODEID
echo "partition:" $SLURM_JOB_PARTITION
```

The slurm.debug executor in our settings.yml is defined as follows:

```
slurm:
  debug:
    description: jobs for debug qos
    qos: debug
    cluster: cori
```

With this setting, any buildspec test that use slurm.debug executor will result in the following launch option: sbatch --qos debug --cluster cori </path/to/script.sh>.

Unlike the LocalExecutor, the **Run stage**, will dispatch the slurm job and poll until job is completed. Once job is complete, it will gather the results and terminate. In Run stage, buildtest will mark status as N/A for jobs submitted to scheduler, this is because we don't have result until we finish polling and gather results. buildtest keeps track of all buildsspecs, testscripts to be run and their results. A test using LocalExecutor will run test in **Run Stage** and returncode will be retrieved and status can be calculated immediately. For Slurm Jobs, buildtest dispatches the job and process next job. buildtest will show output of all tests after **Polling Stage** with test results of all tests. A slurm job with exit code 0 will be marked with status PASS.

Shown below is an example build for this test

```
$ buildtest build -b metadata.yml
Paths:
-----
Prefix: /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache
Buildspec Search Path: ['/global/homes/s/siddiq90/.buildtest/site']
Test Directory: /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache/tests

+-----+
| Stage: Discovered Buildsspecs |
+-----+

/global/u1/s/siddiq90/buildtest-cori/slurm/valid_jobs/metadata.yml

+-----+
```

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```

| Stage: Building Test |
+-----+

Name          | Schema File          | Test Path
↪             | Buildspec
+-----+
↪
↪
slurm_metadata | script-v1.0.schema.json | /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache/tests/
↪metadata/slurm_metadata.sh | /global/u1/s/siddiq90/buildtest-cori/slurm/valid_jobs/
↪metadata.yml
+-----+

| Stage: Running Test |
+-----+

[slurm_metadata] job dispatched to scheduler
[slurm_metadata] acquiring job id in 2 seconds
name          | executor   | status | returncode | testpath
+-----+
↪
slurm_metadata | slurm.debug | N/A    |            0 | /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache/
↪tests/metadata/slurm_metadata.sh

Polling Jobs in 10 seconds

[slurm_metadata]: JobID 32740760 in PENDING state

Polling Jobs in 10 seconds

[slurm_metadata]: JobID 32740760 in COMPLETED state

Polling Jobs in 10 seconds

+-----+
| Stage: Final Results after Polling all Jobs |
+-----+

name          | executor   | status | returncode | testpath
+-----+
↪
slurm_metadata | slurm.debug | PASS   |            0 | /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache/
↪tests/metadata/slurm_metadata.sh
+-----+

| Stage: Test Summary |
+-----+

Executed 1 tests
Passed Tests: 1/1 Percentage: 100.000%
Failed Tests: 0/1 Percentage: 0.000%

```

The **SlurmExecutor** class responsible for managing slurm job will retrieve the following format fields using `sacct`

during gather stage once job is finished:

- “Account”
- “AllocNodes”
- “AllocTRES”
- “ConsumedEnergyRaw”
- “CPUTimeRaw”
- “End”
- “ExitCode”
- “JobID”
- “JobName”
- “NCPUS”
- “NNodes”
- “QOS”
- “ReqGRES”
- “ReqMem”
- “ReqNodes”
- “ReqTRES”
- “Start”
- “State”
- “Submit”
- “UID”
- “User”
- “WorkDir”

buildtest can check status based on Slurm Job State, this is defined by `State` field in `sacct`. In next example, we introduce field `slurm_job_state_codes` which is part of `status` field. This field expects one of the following values: `[COMPLETED, FAILED, OUT_OF_MEMORY, TIMEOUT]` This is an example of simulating fail job by expecting a return code of 1 with job state of `FAILED`.

```
version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  wall_timeout:
    type: script
    executor: slurm.debug
    sbatch: [ "-t 2", "-C haswell", "-n 1" ]
    run: exit 1
    status:
      slurm_job_state_codes: "FAILED"
```

If we run this test, buildtest will mark this test as `PASS` because the slurm job state matches with expected result even though returncode is 1.

```

+-----+
| Stage: Final Results after Polling all Jobs |
+-----+

name          | executor    | status    | returncode | testpath
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
↪-----↪
wall_timeout  | slurm.debug | PASS      | 1          | /global/u1/s/siddiq90/cache/
↪tests/exit1/wall_timeout.sh

```

If you examine the logfile `buildtest.log` you will see an entry of `sacct` command run to gather results followed by list of field and value output:

```

2020-07-22 18:20:48,170 [base.py:587 - gather() ] - [DEBUG] Gather slurm job data by ↪
↪running: sacct -j 32741040 -X -n -P -o Account,AllocNodes,AllocTRES,
↪ConsumedEnergyRaw,CPUTimeRaw,End,ExitCode,JobID,JobName,NCPUS,NNodes,QOS,ReqGRES,
↪ReqMem,ReqNodes,ReqTRES,Start,State,Submit,UID,User,WorkDir -M cori
...
2020-07-22 18:20:48,405 [base.py:598 - gather() ] - [DEBUG] field: State    value: ↪
↪FAILED

```

## LSF Executor (Experimental)

The **LSFExecutor** is responsible for submitting jobs to LSF scheduler. The **LSFExecutor** behaves similar to **SlurmExecutor** with the five stages implemented as class methods:

- Check: check lsf binaries (`bsub`, `bjobs`)
- Load: load lsf executor from buildtest configuration `config.yml`
- Dispatch: Dispatch job using `bsub` and retrieve JobID
- Poll: Poll job using `bjobs` to retrieve job state
- Gather: Retrieve job results once job is finished

The `bsub` key works similar to `sbatch` key which allows one to specify **#BSUB** directive into job script. This example will use the `lsf.batch` executor with executor name `batch` defined in buildtest configuration.

```

version: "1.0"
buildspecs:
  hostname:
    type: script
    executor: lsf.batch
    bsub: [ "-W 10", "-nnodes 1" ]

    run: jsrun hostname

```

The **LSFExecutor** `poll` method will retrieve job state using `bjobs -noheader -o 'stat' <JOBID>`. The **LSFExecutor** will poll job so long as they are in **PEND** or **RUN** state. Once job is not in any of the two states, **LSFExecutor** will proceed to `gather` stage and acquire job results.

The **LSFExecutor** `gather` method will retrieve the following format fields using `bjobs`

- “job\_name”
- “stat”
- “user”

- “user\_group”
- “queue”
- “proj\_name”
- “pids”
- “exit\_code”
- “from\_host”
- “exec\_host”
- “submit\_time”
- “start\_time”
- “finish\_time”
- “nthreads”
- “exec\_home”
- “exec\_cwd”
- “output\_file”
- “error\_file”

## 5.8 Introspection Operation

### 5.8.1 Config Options (`buildtest config --help`)

```
$ buildtest config --help
usage: buildtest [options] [COMMANDS] config [-h] {view,edit,validate,summary} ...

optional arguments:
  -h, --help            show this help message and exit

subcommands:
  buildtest configuration

{view,edit,validate,summary}
  view                View Buildtest Configuration File
  edit                Edit Buildtest Configuration File
  validate            Validate buildtest settings file with schema.
  summary             Provide summary of buildtest settings.
```

The `buildtest config` command allows user to see view or edit your buildtest settings file (`settings.yml`). To see content of your buildtest settings run:

```
buildtest config view
```

Shown below is an example output.

```
$ buildtest config view
executors:
  local:
  bash:
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```

    description: submit jobs on local machine using bash shell
    shell: bash
  sh:
    description: submit jobs on local machine using sh shell
    shell: sh
  python:
    description: submit jobs on local machine using python shell
    shell: python
config:
  editor: vi
  paths:
    buildspect_roots:
      - /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest-cori

```

Likewise, you can edit the file by running:

```
buildtest config edit
```

To check if your buildtest settings is valid, run `buildtest config validate`. This will validate your `settings.yml` with the schema `settings.schema.json`. The output will be the following.

```
$ buildtest config validate
/Users/siddiq90/.buildtest/config.yml is valid
```

If there is an error during validation, the output from `jsonschema.exceptions.ValidationError` will be displayed in terminal. For example the error below indicates there was an error on `editor` key in `config` object which expects the editor to be one of the enum types [`vi`, `vim`, `nano`, `emacs`]:

```
$ buildtest config validate
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "/Users/siddiq90/.local/share/virtualenvs/buildtest-1gHVG2Pd/bin/buildtest",
↳ line 11, in <module>
    load_entry_point('buildtest', 'console_scripts', 'buildtest')()
  File "/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/main.py", line 32, in main
    check_settings()
  File "/Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/config.py", line 71, in check_
↳ settings
    validate(instance=user_schema, schema=config_schema)
  File "/Users/siddiq90/.local/share/virtualenvs/buildtest-1gHVG2Pd/lib/python3.7/
↳ site-packages/jsonschema/validators.py", line 899, in validate
    raise error
jsonschema.exceptions.ValidationError: 'gedit' is not one of ['vi', 'vim', 'nano',
↳ 'emacs']

Failed validating 'enum' in schema['properties']['config']['properties']['editor']:
    {'default': 'vim',
     'enum': ['vi', 'vim', 'nano', 'emacs'],
     'type': 'string'}

On instance['config']['editor']:
    'gedit'
```

You can get a summary of buildtest using `buildtest config summary`, this will display information from several sources into one single command along.

```
$ buildtest config summary
buildtest version: 0.8.0
  buildtest Path: /Users/siddiq90/.local/share/virtualenvs/buildtest-1gHVG2Pd/bin/
↳ buildtest
Machine Details
-----
Operating System: Darwin 19.5.0
Hostname: DOE-7086392.local
Machine: x86_64
Processor: i386
Python Path /Users/siddiq90/.local/share/virtualenvs/buildtest-1gHVG2Pd/bin/python
Python Version: 3.7.3
User: siddiq90
Buildtest Settings
-----
Buildtest Settings: /Users/siddiq90/.buildtest/config.yml
Buildtest Settings is VALID
Executors: ['local.bash', 'local.sh', 'local.python']
Buildtest Repositories:
-----
Repo File: /Users/siddiq90/.buildtest/repo.yaml
Active Repos: ['buildtesters/tutorials']
Repo Paths: ['/private/tmp/github.com/buildtesters/tutorials']
Buildspec Cache File: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/var/buildspec.cache
Number of buildspecs: 13
Number of Tests: 27
Tests: ['systemd_default_target', '_bin_sh_shell', '_bin_bash_shell', 'bash_shell',
↳ 'sh_shell', 'shell_options', 'environment_variables', 'variables', 'selinux_disable
↳ ', 'exit1_fail', 'exit1_pass', 'returncode_mismatch', 'wrongexecutor', 'circle_area
↳ ', 'skip', 'unskipped', 'vecadd_gnu', 'hello_f', 'hello_c', 'hello_cplusplus',
↳ 'hello_f', 'hello_c', 'hello_cplusplus', 'cc_example', 'fc_example', 'cxx_example',
↳ 'executable_arguments']
Buildtest Schemas
-----
Available Schemas: ['script-v1.0.schema.json', 'compiler-v1.0.schema.json', 'global.
↳ schema.json', 'settings.schema.json']
Supported Sub-Schemas
-----
script-v1.0.schema.json : /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/
↳ script/script-v1.0.schema.json
Examples Directory for schema: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/
↳ schemas/script/examples
compiler-v1.0.schema.json : /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/schemas/
↳ compiler/compiler-v1.0.schema.json
Examples Directory for schema: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/buildtest/
↳ schemas/compiler/examples
```

### 5.8.2 Access to buildtest schemas

The `buildtest schema` command can show you list of available schemas just run the command with no options and it will show all the json schemas buildtest supports.

```
$ buildtest schema
script-v1.0.schema.json
compiler-v1.0.schema.json
global.schema.json
settings.schema.json
```

Shown below is the command usage of `buildtest schema`

```
$ buildtest schema --help
usage: buildtest [options] [COMMANDS] schema [-h] [-n Schema Name] [-e] [-j]

optional arguments:
  -h, --help                show this help message and exit
  -n Schema Name, --name Schema Name
                           show schema by name (e.g., script)
  -e, --example             Show schema examples that are validated by corresponding
  ↪ schemafile
  -j, --json                Display json schema file
```

The json schemas are hosted on the web at <https://buildtesters.github.io/schemas/>. buildtest provides a means to display the json schema from the buildtest interface. Note that buildtest will show the schemas provided in buildtest repo and not ones provided by `schemas` repo. This is because, we let development of schema run independent of the framework.

To select a JSON schema use the `--name` option to select a schema, for example to view a JSON Schema for **script-v1.0.schema.json** run the following:

```
$ buildtest schema --name script-v1.0.schema.json --json
```

Similarly, if you want to view example buildsspecs for a schema use the `--example` option with a schema. For example to view all example schemas for **compiler-v1.0.schema.json** run the following:

```
$ buildtest schema --name compiler-v1.0.schema.json --example
```

### 5.8.3 Buildspec Features

```
$ buildtest buildspec --help
usage: buildtest [options] [COMMANDS] buildspec [-h] {find,view,edit} ...

optional arguments:
  -h, --help                show this help message and exit

subcommands:
  Commands options for Buildsspecs

  {find,view,edit}
    find                    find all buildsspecs
    view                   view a buildspec
    edit                   edit a buildspec
```

The `buildtest buildspec find` loads all buildsspecs specified in *buildspec roots* from your configuration file. To build your cache just run:

```
$ buildtest buildspec find
```

To rebuild your cache, which you may need to do if you add more directories to `buildspec_roots` in your configuration or edit some buildspec run:

```
$ buildtest buildspec find --clear
```

This will rebuild your cache and validate all buildspecs with updated files. Currently, we don't support automatic rebuild of cache.

Shown below is a list of options for `buildtest buildspec find` command.

```
$ buildtest buildspec find --help
usage: buildtest [options] [COMMANDS] buildspec find [-h] [-c] [-t] [-bf]

optional arguments:
  -h, --help                show this help message and exit
  -c, --clear                Clear buildspec cache and find all buildspecs again
  -t, --tags                List all available tags
  -bf, --buildspec-files    Get all buildspec files from cache
```

If you want to retrieve all unique tags from all buildspecs you can run `buildtest buildspec find --tags`

```
$ buildtest buildspec find --tags
Searching buildspec in following directories: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↳ tutorials
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| Tags   |
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| tutorials |
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```

If you want to find all buildspec files in cache run `buildtest buildspec find --buildspec-files`

```
$ buildtest buildspec find --buildspec-files
Searching buildspec in following directories: /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/
↳ tutorials
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| buildspecs                                     |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/systemd.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/environment.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/vars.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/selinux.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/invalid_executor.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/python-shell.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/skip_tests.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/vecadd.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/gnu_hello.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/pre_post_build_run.yml |
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| /Users/siddiq90/Documents/buildtest/tutorials/compilers/passing_args.yml |
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```

buildtest keeps track of all test results which can be retrieved via **buildtest report**. Shown below is command usage.

You may run `buildtest report` and `buildtest` will display report with default format fields.

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| slurm_down_nodes_reason_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.00830546 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/slurm.yml |
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| slurm_not_responding_nodes_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.00802073 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| slurm_not_responding_nodes_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.00736713 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| _bin_sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.0125264 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| _bin_sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| _bin_bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:01 | 2020/09/02 21:42:01 | 0.00561796 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.00678369 | | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:06 | 2020/09/02 21:42:06 | 0.0110021 | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| shell_options_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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↳buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/shell_examples.yml |
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| shell_options_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| circle_area_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 2 | 2020/09/02_
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| circle_area_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 2 | 2020/09/02_
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↳buildtest/tests/examples/buildspecs/python-shell.yml |
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| hello_dinosaur_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| hello_dinosaur_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| variables_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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↳buildtest/tutorials/vars.yml |
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| pre_post_build_run_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↳21:42:20 | 2020/09/02 21:42:20 | 0.661319 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↳buildtest/tutorials/compilers/pre_post_build_run.yml |
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| environment_variables_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| hello_f_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| hello_f_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| hello_c_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| hello_cplusplus_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| hello_cplusplus_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| cc_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| cc_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| fc_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| fc_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| cxx_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| cxx_example_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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| selinux_disable_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 0 | 2020/09/02_
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↪buildtest/tutorials/selinux.yml |
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| _bin_sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.0126632 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml |
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| _bin_bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.0085432 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml |
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| bash_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00603703 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/shell_examples.yml |
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| sh_shell_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00911067 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| shell_options_2020-09-02-21-42 | PASS | 0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.0104522 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| circle_area_2020-09-02-21-42          | FAIL    |          2 | 2020/09/02_
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↪buildtest/tutorials/python-shell.yml   |
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| unskipped_2020-09-02-21-42            | PASS    |          0 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00792155 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| unskipped_2020-09-02-21-42            | PASS    |          0 | 2020/09/02_
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| executable_arguments_2020-09-02-21-42  | PASS    |          0 | 2020/09/02_
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| exit1_fail_2020-09-02-21-42            | FAIL    |          1 | 2020/09/02_
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| exit1_fail_2020-09-02-21-42            | FAIL    |          1 | 2020/09/02_
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| exit1_pass_2020-09-02-21-42            | PASS    |          1 | 2020/09/02_
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| exit1_pass_2020-09-02-21-42            | PASS    |          1 | 2020/09/02_
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| returncode_mismatch_2020-09-02-21-42   | FAIL    |          2 | 2020/09/02_
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.00836054 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
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| returncode_mismatch_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 2 | 2020/09/02
↪21:42:48 | 2020/09/02 21:42:48 | 0.00940911 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/pass_returncode.yml |
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| vecadd_gnu_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 0 | 2020/09/02
↪21:42:22 | 2020/09/02 21:42:22 | 0.0267169 | tutorials | /Users/siddiq90/Documents/
↪buildtest/tutorials/compiler/vecadd.yml |
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| vecadd_gnu_2020-09-02-21-42 | FAIL | 0 | 2020/09/02
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There are more fields captured in the report, so if you want to see a list of available format fields run `buildtest report --helpformat`.

\$ buildtest report --helpformat	
Fields	Description
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buildspec	Buildspec file
name	Name of test defined in buildspec
id	Unique Build Identifier
testroot	Root of test directory
testpath	Path to test
command	Command executed
outfile	Output file
errfile	Error File
schemafilename	Schema file used for validation
executor	Executor name
tags	Tag name
starttime	Start Time of test in date format
endtime	End Time for Test in date format
runtime	Total runtime in seconds
state	Test State reported by buildtest (PASS/FAIL)
returncode	Return Code from Test Execution

You can filter report using `--format field` which expects field name separated by comma (i.e **`--format <field1>,<field2>`**). In this example we format by fields `--format name,type,executor,state,returncode`

```
$ buildtest report --format name,schemafile,executor,state,returncode
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| name           | schemafile           | executor   | state  | returncode |
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| systemd_default_target | script-v1.0.schema.json | local.bash | FAIL   | 1          |
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systemd_default_target	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.bash	FAIL		U
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systemd_default_target	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.bash	FAIL		U
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hello_dinosaur	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.bash	FAIL		U
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hello_dinosaur	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.bash	PASS		U
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circle_area	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.python	PASS		U
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circle_area	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.python	PASS		U
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_bin_sh_shell	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.sh	PASS		U
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bash_shell	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.bash	FAIL		U
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bash_shell	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.bash	PASS		U
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sh_shell	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.sh	PASS		U
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sh_shell	script-v1.0.schema.json	local.sh	PASS		U
↪ 0					
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↪-----+					
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| shell_options                | script-v1.0.schema.json | local.sh      | PASS      |  |
| 0 |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
|-----+
| slurm_down_nodes_reason      | script-v1.0.schema.json | local.bash    | FAIL      |  |
| 127 |
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|-----+
| slurm_down_nodes_reason      | script-v1.0.schema.json | local.bash    | PASS      |  |
| 0 |
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|-----+
| slurm_not_responding_nodes   | script-v1.0.schema.json | local.bash    | FAIL      |  |
| 127 |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
|-----+
| slurm_not_responding_nodes   | script-v1.0.schema.json | local.bash    | PASS      |  |
| 0 |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
|-----+
| selinux_disable              | script-v1.0.schema.json | local.bash    | PASS      |  |
| 0 |
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|-----+

```

## 5.9 Conference and Publications

### 5.9.1 Talks

Date	Title	Link
Feb 2nd 2020	<b>buildtest: HPC Software Stack Testing Framework @ FOSDEM20</b>	<a href="#">PDF</a> , <a href="#">VIDEO</a>
Jan 30th 2020	<b>buildtest: HPC Software Stack Testing Framework @ 5thEasybuildUserMeeting</b>	<a href="#">PDF</a> , <a href="#">VIDEO</a>
Nov 18th 2019	<b>buildtest: A Software Testing Framework with Module Operations for HPC systems @ SC19 in HUST workshop</b>	<a href="#">PDF</a>
June 22th 2018	<b>Software Stack Testing with buildtest @ HPCKP18</b>	<a href="#">PDF</a>
June 15th 2017	<b>HPC Application Testing Framework - buildtest @ HPCKP17</b>	<a href="#">PDF</a>

### 5.9.2 Publications

- Siddiqui S. (2020) **Buildtest: A Software Testing Framework with Module Operations for HPC Systems** . In: Juckeland G., Chandrasekaran S. (eds) **Tools and Techniques for High Performance Computing. HUST 2019, SE-HER 2019, WIHPC 2019.** Communications in Computer and Information Science, vol 1190. Springer, Cham

### 5.9.3 Article

- <https://www.hpcwire.com/2019/01/17/pfizer-hpc-engineer-aims-to-automate-software-stack-testing/>

## 5.10 Contributing Guide

There are many ways you can help contribute to buildtest that may include

- File an [issue](#) with the framework
- Proofread documentation and report or fix issues
- Participate in discussions and join the slack [channel](#)
- Share your tests
- Provide feedback on buildtest options.
  1. What features you *like/dislike*
  2. What features you would like to have
  3. What testing capabilities matter most for you

### 5.10.1 Maintainers

If you need to get hold of a buildtest maintainer, please contact one of the maintainers.

Maintainers are listed in alphabetical order by last name:

- Shahzeb Siddiqui (@[shahzebsiddiqui](#))
- Vanessa Sochat (@[vsoch](#))

### 5.10.2 General Tips

1. It's good practice to link PR to an issue during commit message. Such as stating `Fix #132` for fixing issue 132.
2. If you have an issue, ask your question in slack before reporting issue. If your issue is not resolved check any open issues for resolution before creating a new issue.
3. For new features or significant code refactor please notify maintainers and open an issue before working on task to keep everyone informed.
4. If you open an issue, please respond back during discussion, if there is no activity the issue will be closed.
5. Please refrain from opening duplicate issue, check if there is an existing issue addressing similar problem, instead you can participate in discussion in the issue or contact appropriate individuals directly in slack.
6. There should not be any branches other than `master` or `devel`. Feature branches should be pushed to your fork and not to origin.

### 5.10.3 Contributing Topics

#### Getting Started

Contribution is not easy, so we created this document to describe how to get you setup so you can contribute back and make everyone's life easier.

#### GitHub Account

If you don't have a GitHub account please [register](#) your account

#### Fork the repo

First, you'll need to fork the repo <https://github.com/buildtesters/buildtest>

You might need to setup your SSH keys in your git profile if you are using ssh option for cloning. For more details on setting up SSH keys in your profile, follow instruction found in <https://help.github.com/articles/connecting-to-github-with-ssh/>

SSH key will help you pull and push to repository without requesting for password for every commit. Once you have forked the repo, clone your local repo:

```
git clone git@github.com:YOUR\_GITHUB\_LOGIN/buildtest.git
```

#### Adding Upstream Remote

First you need to add the upstream repo, to do this you can issue the following:

```
git remote add upstream git@github.com/buildtesters/buildtest.git
```

The upstream tag is used to sync changes from upstream repo to keep your repo in sync before you contribute back.

Make sure you have set your user name and email set properly in git configuration. We don't want commits from unknown users. This can be done by setting the following:

```
git config user.name "First Last"
git config user.email "abc@example.com"
```

For more details see [First Time Git Setup](#)

#### Sync your branch from upstream

The devel from upstream will get Pull Requests from other contributors, in-order to sync your forked repo with upstream, run the commands below:

```
cd buildtest
git checkout devel
git fetch upstream devel
git pull upstream devel
```

Once the changes are pulled locally you can sync devel branch with your fork as follows:

```
git checkout devel
git push origin devel
```

Repeat this same operation with `master` branch if you want to sync it with upstream repo

## Feature Branch

Please make sure to create a new branch when adding and new feature. Do not push to `master` or `devel` branch on your fork or upstream.

Create a new branch from `devel` as follows:

```
cd buildtest
git checkout devel
git checkout -b featureX
```

Once you are ready to push to your fork repo do the following:

```
git push origin featureX
```

Once the branch is created in your fork, you can create a PR for the `devel` branch for upstream repo (<https://github.com/buildtesters/buildtest>)

## Pull Request Review

Once you have submitted a Pull Request, please check the automated checks that are run for your PR to ensure checks are passed. Please wait for buildtest maintainers to review your PR and provide feedback. If the reviewer requests some changes, then you are requested to make changes and update the branch used for sending PR

Often times, you may start a feature branch and your PR get's out of sync with `devel` branch which may lead to conflicts, this is a result of merging incoming PRs that may cause your PR to be out of date. The maintainers will check for this during PR review or GitHub will report file conflicts during merge.

Syncing your feature branch with `devel` is out of scope for this documentation, however you can use the steps below as a *guide* when you run into this issue.

Anyhow, you may want to take the steps to first sync `devel` branch and then selectively rebase or merge `devel` into your feature branch.

First go to `devel` branch and fetch changes from upstream:

```
git checkout devel
git fetch upstream devel
```

Note you shouldn't be making any changes to your local `devel` branch, if `git fetch` was successful you can merge your `devel` with upstream as follows:

```
git merge upstream/devel
```

Next, navigate to your feature branch and sync feature changes with `devel`:

```
git checkout <feature-branch>
git merge devel
```

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**Note:** Running above command will sync your feature branch with `devel` but you may have some file conflicts depending on files changed during PR. You will need to resolve them manually before pushing your changes

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Instead of merge from `devel` you can rebase your commits interactively when syncing with `devel`. This can be done by running:

```
git rebase -i devel
```

Once you have synced your branch push your changes and check if file conflicts are resolved in your Pull Request:

```
git push origin <feature-branch>
```

## GitHub Integrations

buildtest has several github integration, including automated checks during PR that maintainers will check during the PR review. You should check results from the [buildtest actions](#) that are also typically linked as part of the pull request testing suite.

It's good practice to check Travis [builds](#) since we use Travis to run regression test and Codecov and Coveralls depend on Travis to pass all checks.

You will want to make sure code is formatted via black as we have automated checks for python formatting. If you have not setup the black hook check out [Configuring Black Pre-Commit Hook](#)

If you notice the black linter step in [GitHub Actions](#) is failing, make sure you have the right version of black installation.

## GitHub Apps

The following apps are configured with buildtest.

- [Travis CI](#) - Test and deploy with confidence. Trusted by over 800,000 users, Travis CI is the leading hosted continuous integration system.
- [CodeCov](#) - Codecov provides highly integrated tools to group, merge, archive and compare coverage reports
- [Coveralls](#) - Coveralls is a web service to help you track your code coverage over time, and ensure that all your new code is fully covered.
- [CodeFactor](#) - CodeFactor instantly performs Code Review with every GitHub Commit or PR. Zero setup time. Get actionable feedback within seconds. Customize rules, get refactoring tips and ignore irrelevant issues.
- [Snyk](#) - Snyk tracks vulnerabilities in over 800,000 open source packages, and helps protect over 25,000 applications.

## GitHub Actions

buildtest runs a few automated checks via GitHub Actions that can be found in `.github/workflows`

- [Black](#) - Black auto-formats Python code, so we let **black** take care of formatting the entire project so you can focus more time in development. The workflow is defined in [black.yml](#).
- [urlchecker-action](#) - is a GitHub action to collect and check URLs in project code and documentation. There is an automated check for every issued PR and the workflow is defined in [urlchecker.yml](#)

## Configuring Black Pre-Commit Hook

To configure pre-commit hook, make sure `pre-commit` is available if not `pip install pre-commit`. The `pre-commit` is available if you install buildtest dependencies.

You can configure `.pre-commit-config.yaml` with the version of python you are using. It is currently setup to run for python 3.7 version as follows:

```
language_version: python3.7
```

Alter this value based on python version you are using or refer to [black version control integration](#).

To install the pre-commit hook run:

```
$ pre-commit install
pre-commit installed at .git/hooks/pre-commit
```

This will invoke hook `.git/hooks/pre-commit` prior to `git commit`. Shown below we attempt to commit which resulted in pre commit hook and caused black to format code.

```
$ git commit -m "test black commit with precommit"
black.....Failed
- hook id: black
- files were modified by this hook

reformatted buildtest/config.py
All done!
1 file reformatted.
```

If you are interested in running black locally to see diff result from black without auto-formatting code, you can do the following:

```
$ black --check --diff .
--- tests/test_inspect.py      2020-02-25 18:58:58.360360 +0000
+++ tests/test_inspect.py      2020-02-25 18:59:07.336414 +0000
@@ -18,11 +18,11 @@
     def test_distro_short():
         assert "rhel" == distro_short("Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server")
         assert "centos" == distro_short("CentOS")
         assert "suse" == distro_short("SUSE Linux Enterprise Server")
-    x=0+1*3
+    x = 0 + 1 * 3
```

The changes will be shown with lines removed or added via `-` and `+`. For more details refer to [black documentation](#).

## pyflakes

There is an automated test to check for unused imports using pyflakes. pyflakes should be available in your python environment if you installed buildtest extra dependencies in requirements.txt (pip install -r docs/requirements.txt).

You can run pyflakes against buildtest source by running:

```
pyflakes buildtest
```

If you see errors, please fix them and wait for CI checks to pass.

## GitHub Bots

buildtest has a few bots to do various operations that are described below.

- **Stale** - stale bot is used to close outdated issues. This is configured in .github/stale.yml. If there is no activity on a issue after certain time period, **probot-stale** will mark the issue and project maintainers can close it manually. For more details on Stale refer to the [documentation](#)
- **CodeCov** - The codecov bot will report codecov report from the issued pull request once coverage report is complete. The configuration for codecov is defined in .codecov.yml found in root of repo.
- **Pull Request Size** - is a bot that labels Pull Request by number of **changed** lines of code.
- **Trafico** - is a bot that automatically labels Pull Request depending on their status, during code reviews. The configuration is found in .github/trafico.yml.

## Building Documentation

### ReadTheDocs

buildtest [documentation](#) is hosted by ReadTheDocs at <https://readthedocs.org> which is a documentation platform for building and hosting your docs.

buildtest project can be found at <https://readthedocs.org/projects/buildtest/> which will show the recent builds and project setting. If you are interested in becoming a maintainer, please contact **Shahzeb Siddiqui** (shahzebmsiddiqui@gmail.com) to grant access to this project.

## Setup

buildtest documentation is located in top-level directory docs. If you want to build the documentation you will need to make sure your python environment has all the packages defined in docs/requirements.txt. If your environment is already setup as described in [Installing buildtest](#) then you can skip this step.

To install your python packages, you can run the following:

```
pip install -r docs/requirements.txt
```

## Building docs locally

To build your documentation simply run the following:

```
cd docs
make clean
make html
```

It is best practice to run `make clean` to ensure sphinx will remove old html content from previous builds, but it is ok to skip this step if you are making minor changes.

Running `make html` will build the sphinx project and generate all the html files in `docs/_build/html`. Once this process is complete you may want to view the documentation. If you have `firefox` in your system you can simply run the following:

```
make view
```

This will open a `firefox` session to the root of your documentation that was recently generated. Make sure you have X11 forwarding in order for `firefox` to work properly. Refer to the `Makefile` to see all of the make tags or run `make` or `make help` for additional help.

## Automate Documentation Examples

`buildtest` has a script in `$BUILDTEST_ROOT/buildtest/docgen/main.py` to automate documentation examples. This script can be run as follows:

```
cd $BUILDTEST_ROOT
python $BUILDTEST_ROOT/buildtest/docgen/main.py
```

This assumes your `buildtest` environment is setup, the script will write documentation test examples in `docs/docgen`. Consider running this script when **adding**, **modifying**, or **removing** documentation examples. Once the test are complete, you will want to add the tests, commit and push as follows:

```
git add docs/docgen
git commit -m <MESSAGE>
git push
```

## Regression Tests

`buildtest` has a suite of regression tests to verify the state of `buildtest`. These tests are located in the top-level directory `tests`. `buildtest` is using `pytest` for running the regression tests.

## Getting Started

In order to write regression tests, you should have `pytest` and `coverage` installed in your python environment. You can do this by installing all dependencies found in `requirements` file:

```
pip install -r docs/requirements.txt
```



## Writing Regression Tests

If you want to write a new regression test, you should get familiar with the coverage report gather in [codecov](#) and [coveralls](#) . The coverage report will give a detailed line-line coverage of source code HIT/MISS when running the regression test. Increasing coverage report would be great way to write a new regression test.

The `tests` directory is structured in a way that each source file has a corresponding test file that starts with `test_`. For instance, if you want to write a test for `buildtest/utils/command.py`, there will be a corresponding test under `tests/utils/test_command.py`.

If you adding a new directory, make sure the name corresponds to one found under `buildtest` directory and add a `__init__.py` in the new directory. This is required by `pytest` for test discovery. All test methods must start with `test_` in order for `pytest` to run your regression test.

Shown below is a simple test that always passes

```
def test_regression_example1():
    assert True
```

For more details on writing tests with `pytest` see [Getting-Started](#).

## Running Test with pytest

To run all the tests you can run the following:

```
pytest tests/
```

Some other options can be useful for troubleshooting such as:

```
# print passed test with output
pytest -rP tests

# print all failed tests
pytest -rf tests

# print all test with verbose
pytest -v tests

# print all except Pass tests
pytest -ra tests
```

For a complete list of options refer to `pytest` [documentation](#) or run `pytest --help`.

You may want to run coverage against your test, this can be done by running:

```
coverage run -m pytest tests
```

This can be used with `coverage report` to show coverage results of your regression test run locally. Shown below is an example output:

```
$ coverage report
```

Name	Stmts	Miss	Branch	BrPart	Cover
-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
buildtest/__init__.py	2	0	0	0	100%
buildtest/buildsystem/__init__.py	0	0	0	0	100%
buildtest/buildsystem/base.py	222	19	76	19	85%
buildtest/buildsystem/schemas/__init__.py	0	0	0	0	100%

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buildtest/buildsystem/schemas/utils.py	53	8	26	8	77%
buildtest/config.py	65	29	28	5	48%
buildtest/defaults.py	18	0	0	0	100%
buildtest/exceptions.py	5	1	2	1	71%
buildtest/log.py	18	0	0	0	100%
buildtest/main.py	11	11	0	0	0%
buildtest/menu/__init__.py	62	47	4	0	23%
buildtest/menu/build.py	62	52	28	0	11%
buildtest/menu/config.py	35	1	18	0	98%
buildtest/menu/get.py	31	23	10	0	20%
buildtest/menu/show.py	17	3	6	3	74%
buildtest/menu/status.py	11	8	2	0	23%
buildtest/system.py	37	37	10	0	0%
buildtest/utils/__init__.py	0	0	0	0	100%
buildtest/utils/command.py	49	2	12	3	92%
buildtest/utils/file.py	46	0	14	2	97%
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TOTAL	744	241	236	41	63%

You may want to run `coverage report -m` which will show missing line numbers in report. For more details on coverage refer to [coverage documentation](#).

## Tox

buildtest provides a `tox.ini` configuration to allow user to test regression test in isolated virtual environment. To get started install tox:

```
pip install tox
```

Refer to [tox documentation](#) for more details. To run tox for all environment you can run:

```
tox
```

If your system has one python instance let's say python 3.7 you can test for python 3.7 environment by running `tox -e py37`.

## Maintainer Guide

This is a guide for buildtest maintainers

## Incoming Pull Request

These are just a few points to consider when dealing with incoming pull requests

1. Any incoming Pull Request should be assigned to one or more maintainers for review.
2. Upon approval, the PR should be **Squash and Merge**. If it's important to preserve a few commits during PR then **Rebase and Merge** is acceptable.
3. The final commit PR commit, either Squash Commit or Rebase should have meaningful comments and if possible link to the github issue.
4. Maintainers can request user to put meaningful commit if author has not provided a meaningful message (i.e `git commit --amend`)

5. All incoming PRs should be label by maintainer to help sort through PRs. Trafico and Pull Request bot will label PRs with additional labels, the maintainers are responsible for labeling PRs based on functionality.
6. Maintainers are requested that committer name and email is from a valid Github account. If not please request the committer to fix the author name and email.
7. All incoming PRs should be pushed to `devel` branch, if you see any PR sent to any other branch please inform code owner to fix it

## Release Process

Every buildtest release will be tagged with a version number using format **X.Y.Z**. Every release will have a git tags such as `v1.2.3` to correspond to release **1.2.3**. Git tags should be pushed to upstream by **release manager** only. The process for pushing git tags can be described in the following article: [Git Basics - Tagging](#)

We will create annotated tags as follows:

```
git tag -a v1.2.3 -m "buildtest version 1.2.3"
```

Once tag is created you can view the tag details by running either:

```
git tag
git show v1.2.3
```

We have created the tag locally, next we must push the tag to the upstream repo by doing the following:

```
git push origin v.1.2.3
```

Every release must have a release note that is maintained in file [CHANGELOG.rst](#)

Under buildtest [releases](#) a new release can be created that corresponds to the git tag. In the release summary, just direct with a message stating **refer to CHANGELOG.rst for more details**

Once the release is published, make sure to open a pull request from `devel` -> `master` and **Rebase and Merge** to master branch. If there are conflicts during merge for any reason, then simply remove `master` and create a master branch from `devel`.

## Default Branch

The `master` branch should be setup as the default branch.

## Branch Settings

All maintainers are encouraged to view branch [settings](#) for `devel` and `master`. If something is not correct please consult with the maintainers.

The master and devel branches should be protected branches and master should be enabled as default branch. Shown below is the expected configuration.

We have disabled Merge Commits for the Merge button in Pull Request. This was done because we wanted a linear history as a requirement for devel branch. This avoids having a maintainer accidentally merge a PR with Merge Commit which adds an extra commit.

Shown below is the recommended configuration.

## Merge button

When merging pull requests, you can allow any combination of merge commits, squashing, or rebasing. At least one option must be enabled. If you have linear history requirement enabled on any protected branch, you must enable squashing or rebasing.

<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Allow merge commits</b> Add all commits from the head branch to the base branch with a merge commit.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Allow squash merging</b> Combine all commits from the head branch into a single commit in the base branch.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Allow rebase merging</b> Add all commits from the head branch onto the base branch individually.

If you notice a deviation, please consult with the maintainers.

### Google Analytics

The buildtest site is tracked via Google Analytics, if you are interested in get access contact **Shahzeb Siddiqui** (@shahzebsiddiqui)

### Read The Docs Access

buildtest project for readthedocs can be found at <https://readthedocs.org/projects/buildtest/>. If you need to administer project configuration, please contact **Shahzeb Siddiqui** @shahzebsiddiqui to gain access.

### Slack Admin Access

If you need admin access to Slack Channel please contact **Shahzeb Siddiqui** @shahzebsiddiqui. The slack admin link is <https://hpcbuildtest.slack.com/admin>

## 5.11 API Reference

This page contains auto-generated API reference documentation<sup>1</sup>.

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<sup>1</sup> Created with sphinx-autoapi

### 5.11.1 buildtest

#### Subpackages

`buildtest.buildsystem`

#### Submodules

`buildtest.buildsystem.base`

BuilderBase class is an abstract class that defines common functions for any types of builders. Each type schema (script, compiler) is implemented as separate Builder.

ScriptBuilder class implements ‘type: script’ CompilerBuilder class implements ‘type: compiler’

#### Module Contents

##### Classes

<i>BuilderBase</i> (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)	The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for
<i>CompilerBuilder</i> (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)	The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for
<i>CrayCompiler</i> (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)	The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for
<i>GNUCompiler</i> (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)	The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for
<i>IntelCompiler</i> (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)	The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for
<i>PGICompiler</i> (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)	The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for
<i>ScriptBuilder</i> (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)	The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for

**class** `buildtest.buildsystem.base.BuilderBase` (*name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None*)

The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for any kind of builder.

**\_\_repr\_\_** (*self*)

        Return repr(self).

**\_\_str\_\_** (*self*)

        Return str(self).

**\_build\_setup** (*self*)

        This method is the setup operation to get ready to build test which includes getting unique build id, setting up metadata object to store test details such as where test will be located and directory of test. This section cannot be reached without a valid, loaded recipe.

**\_generate\_build\_id** (*self*)

        Generate a build id based on the Builds spec name, and datetime.

**\_write\_test** (*self*)

        This method is responsible for invoking `generate_script` that formulates content of testscript which

is implemented in each subclass. Next we write content to file and apply 755 permission on script so it has executable permission.

**build** (*self*)

This method is responsible for invoking setup, creating test directory and writing test. This method is called from an instance object of this class that does `builder.build()`.

**generate\_script** (*self*)

Build the testscript content implemented in each subclass

**get\_bsub** (*self*)

**get\_environment** (*self*)

Retrieve a list of environment variables defined in builds spec and return them as list with the shell equivalent command

**Returns** list of environment variable lines to add to test script.

**Return type** list

**get\_sbatch** (*self*)

**get\_test\_extension** (*self*)

Return the test extension, which depends on the shell used. Based on the value of `shell` key we return the shell extension.

shell: python -> py shell: bash -> sh (default)

**Returns** returns test extension based on shell type

**Return type** str

**get\_variables** (*self*)

Retrieve a list of variables defined in builds spec and return them as list with the shell equivalent command.

**Returns** list of variables variable lines to add to test script.

**Return type** list

**class** `buildtest.buildsystem.base.CompilerBuilder` (*name*, *recipe*, *buildspec*, *test-dir=None*)

Bases: `buildtest.buildsystem.base.BuilderBase`

The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for any kind of builder.

**cc**

**cflags**

**cppflags**

**cxx**

**cxxflags**

**executable**

**fc**

**fflags**

**lang\_ext\_table**

**ldflags**

**type = compiler**

**build\_run\_cmd** (*self*)

This method builds the run command which refers to how to run the generated binary after compilation.

**detect\_lang** (*self*, *sourcefile*)

This method will return the Programming Language based by looking up file extension of source file.

**generate\_compile\_cmd** (*self*)

This method generates the compilation line and returns the output as a list. The compilation line depends on the the language detected that is stored in variable `self.lang`.

**generate\_script** (*self*)

This method will build the test content from a Builds spec that uses compiler schema. We need a ‘compiler’ and ‘source’ key which specifies the source files to compile. We resolve the source file path which can be an absolute value or relative path with respect to Builds spec. The file extension of sourcefile is used to detect the Programming Language which is used to lookup the compiler wrapper based on Language + Compiler. During compiler detection, we set class variables `self.cc`, `self.cxx`, `self.fc`, `self.cflags`, `self.cxxflags`, `self.fflags`, `self.cppflags`, `self.ldflags`. Finally we generate the compile command and add each instruction to `lines` which contains content of test. Upon completion, we return a list that contains content of the test.

**get\_cc** (*self*)

**get\_cflags** (*self*)

**get\_cppflags** (*self*)

**get\_cxx** (*self*)

**get\_cxxflags** (*self*)

**get\_fc** (*self*)

**get\_fflags** (*self*)

**get\_ldflags** (*self*)

**get\_modules** (*self*, *modules*)

Return a list of modules as a list

**get\_path** (*self*)

This method returns the full path for GNU Compilers: gcc, g++, gfortran

**resolve\_source** (*self*, *source*)

This method resolves full path to source file, it checks for absolute path first before checking relative path that is relative to Builds spec recipe.

**set\_cc** (*self*, *cc*)

**set\_cflags** (*self*, *cflags*)

**set\_cppflags** (*self*, *cppflags*)

**set\_cxx** (*self*, *cxx*)

**set\_cxxflags** (*self*, *cxxflags*)

**set\_executable\_name** (*self*, *name=None*)

This method set the executable name. One may specify a custom name to executable via `name` argument. Otherwise the executable is using the filename of `self.sourcefile` and adding `.exe` extension at end.

**set\_fc** (*self*, *fc*)

**set\_fflags** (*self*, *fflags*)



```
set_ldflags (self, ldflags)
```

```
setup (self)
```

```
class buildtest.buildsystem.base.CrayCompiler (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)
```

Bases: *buildtest.buildsystem.base.CompilerBuilder*

The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for any kind of builder.

```
cc = cc
```

```
cxx = CC
```

```
fc = ftn
```

```
class buildtest.buildsystem.base.GNUCompiler (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)
```

Bases: *buildtest.buildsystem.base.CompilerBuilder*

The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for any kind of builder.

```
cc = gcc
```

```
cxx = g++
```

```
fc = gfortran
```

```
class buildtest.buildsystem.base.IntelCompiler (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)
```

Bases: *buildtest.buildsystem.base.CompilerBuilder*

The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for any kind of builder.

```
cc = icc
```

```
cxx = icpc
```

```
fc = ifort
```

```
class buildtest.buildsystem.base.PGICCompiler (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)
```

Bases: *buildtest.buildsystem.base.CompilerBuilder*

The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for any kind of builder.

```
cc = pgcc
```

```
cxx = pgc++
```

```
fc = pgfortran
```

```
class buildtest.buildsystem.base.ScriptBuilder (name, recipe, buildspec, testdir=None)
```

Bases: *buildtest.buildsystem.base.BuilderBase*

The BuilderBase is an abstract class that implements common functions for any kind of builder.

```
type = script
```

```
generate_script (self)
```

This method builds the testscript content based on the builder type. For ScriptBuilder we need to add the shebang, environment variables and the run section. Environment variables are declared first followed by run section

**Returns** return content of test script

**Return type** list

## buildtest.buildsystem.parser

BuildspecParser is intended to read in a Buildspec file with one or more test blocks, and then generate builders based on the type of each. The BuilderBase is the base class for all builders that expose functions to run builds.

## Module Contents

### Classes

<i>BuildspecParser</i> (buildspec)	A BuildspecParser is a base class for loading and validating a Buildspec file.
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**class** buildtest.buildsystem.parser.**BuildspecParser** (*buildspec*)

A BuildspecParser is a base class for loading and validating a Buildspec file. The type (e.g., script) and version are derived from reading in the file, and then matching to a Buildspec schema, each of which is developed at <https://github.com/buildtesters/schemas> and added to subfolders named accordingly under buildtest/buildsystem/schemas. The schema object can load in a general Buildspec file to validate it, and then match it to a Buildspec Schema available. If the version of a schema is not specified, we use the latest. If the schema fails validation check, then we stop immediately.

**\_\_repr\_\_** (*self*)  
Return repr(self).

**\_\_str\_\_** (*self*)  
Return str(self).

**\_validate** (*self*)  
Given a loaded recipe, validate that the type is known in the lookup to buildtest. If a version is provided, honor it. If not, use latest. We also don't allow repeated keys in the same file.

**\_validate\_global** (*self*)  
The global validation ensures that the overall structure of the file is sound for further parsing. We load in the global.schema.json for this purpose. The function also allows a custom Buildspec to extend the usage of the class.

**get** (*self*, *name*)  
Given the name of a section (typically a build configuration name) return the loaded section from self.recipe. If you need to parse through just section names, use self.keys() to filter out metadata.

**get\_builders** (*self*, *testdir*)  
Based on a loaded Buildspec file, return the correct builder for each based on the type. Each type is associated with a known Builder class.

Parameters:

**Parameters** **testdir** (*str*, *optional*) – Test Destination directory, specified by –testdir

**keys** (*self*)  
Return the list of keys for the loaded Buildspec recipe, not including the metadata keys defined for any global recipe.

`buildtest.docgen`

## Submodules

`buildtest.docgen.main`

This file is used for generating documentation tests.

## Module Contents

### Functions

<code>build_helper()</code>	This method will write output of several helper options for all sub-commands in buildtest
<code>generate_tests(prefix, cmd_dict)</code>	
<code>introspection_cmds()</code>	
<code>main()</code>	
<code>run(query)</code>	The <code>run()</code> method will execute the command and retrieve the output as part of documentation examples
<code>schemas()</code>	
<code>tutorial()</code>	
<code>writer(fname, out, query)</code>	

`buildtest.docgen.main.build_helper()`

This method will write output of several helper options for all sub-commands in buildtest

`buildtest.docgen.main.docgen`

`buildtest.docgen.main.generate_tests(prefix, cmd_dict)`

`buildtest.docgen.main.introspection_cmds()`

`buildtest.docgen.main.main()`

`buildtest.docgen.main.root`

`buildtest.docgen.main.run(query)`

The `run()` method will execute the command and retrieve the output as part of documentation examples

`buildtest.docgen.main.schemas()`

`buildtest.docgen.main.tutorial()`

`buildtest.docgen.main.writer(fname, out, query)`

`buildtest.executors`

## Submodules

`buildtest.executors.base`

BuildExecutor: manager for test executors

## Module Contents

### Classes

<code>BaseExecutor(name, settings, config_opts)</code>	The BaseExecutor is an abstract base class for all executors. All
<code>SSHExecutor(name, settings, config_opts)</code>	The BaseExecutor is an abstract base class for all executors. All

**class** `buildtest.executors.base.BaseExecutor` (*name, settings, config\_opts*)

The BaseExecutor is an abstract base class for all executors. All executors must have a listing of steps and `dryrun_steps`

**steps** = ['setup', 'run']

**type** = base

**\_\_repr\_\_** (*self*)  
Return repr(self).

**\_\_str\_\_** (*self*)  
Return str(self).

**check\_regex** (*self, regex*)

This method conducts a regular expression check using 're.search' with regular expression defined in Builds spec. User must specify an output stream (stdout, stderr) to select when performing regex. In buildtest, this would read the .out or .err file based on stream and run the regular expression to see if there is a match.

Parameters:

**Parameters** **regex** (*str, required*) – Regular expression object defined in Builds spec file

**Returns** A boolean return True/False based on if re.search is successful or not

**Return type** bool

**check\_test\_state** (*self*)

This method is responsible for detecting state of test (PASS/FAIL) based on returncode or regular expression.

**get\_formatted\_time** (*self, key, fmt='%Y/%m/%d %X'*)

Given some timestamp key in self.metadata, return a pretty printed version of it. This is intended to log in the console for the user.

Parameters:

key: The key to look up in the metadata `fmt`: the format string to use

**load** (*self*)

Load a particular configuration based on the name. This method should set defaults for the executor, and will vary based on the class.

**run** (*self*)

The run step basically runs the build. This is run after setup so we are sure that the builder is defined. This is also where we set the result to return.

**write\_testresults** (*self, out, err*)

This method writes test results into output and error file.

Parameters :param out: content of output stream :type out: list :param err: content of error stream :type err: list

**class** buildtest.executors.base.**SSHExecutor** (*name, settings, config\_opts*)

Bases: *buildtest.executors.base.BaseExecutor*

The BaseExecutor is an abstract base class for all executors. All executors must have a listing of steps and dryrun\_steps

**type** = ssh

## buildtest.executors.local

This module implements the LocalExecutor class responsible for submitting jobs to localhost. This class is called in class BuildExecutor when initializing the executors.

## Module Contents

### Classes

<i>LocalExecutor</i> (name, settings, config_opts)	The BaseExecutor is an abstract base class for all executors. All
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**class** buildtest.executors.local.**LocalExecutor** (*name, settings, config\_opts*)

Bases: *buildtest.executors.base.BaseExecutor*

The BaseExecutor is an abstract base class for all executors. All executors must have a listing of steps and dryrun\_steps

**type** = local

**check** (*self*)

**load** (*self*)

Load a particular configuration based on the name. This method should set defaults for the executor, and will vary based on the class.

**run** (*self*)

This method is responsible for running test for LocalExecutor which runs test locally. We keep track of metadata in *self.builder.metadata* and *self.result* keeps track of run result. The output and error file is written to filesystem. After test

## buildtest.executors.lsf

This module implements the LSFExecutor class responsible for submitting jobs to LSF Scheduler. This class is called in class BuildExecutor when initializing the executors.

## Module Contents

### Classes

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<code>LSFExecutor(name, settings, config_opts)</code>	The LSFExecutor class is responsible for submitting jobs to LSF Scheduler.
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**class** buildtest.executors.lsf.**LSFExecutor** (*name, settings, config\_opts*)

Bases: `buildtest.executors.base.BaseExecutor`

The LSFExecutor class is responsible for submitting jobs to LSF Scheduler. The LSFExecutor performs the following steps

check: check if lsf queue is available for accepting jobs. load: load lsf configuration from buildtest configuration file dispatch: dispatch job to scheduler and acquire job ID poll: wait for LSF jobs to finish gather: Once job is complete, gather job data

`format_fields = ['job_name', 'stat', 'user', 'user_group', 'queue', 'proj_name', 'pids`

`job_state`

`poll_cmd = bjobs`

`steps = ['check', 'dispatch', 'poll', 'gather', 'close']`

`type = lsf`

**check** (*self*)

Checking binary for lsf launcher and poll command. If not found we raise error

**dispatch** (*self*)

This method is responsible for dispatching job to slurm scheduler.

**gather** (*self*)

Gather Job detail after completion of job. This method will retrieve output fields defined for `self.format_fields`. buildtest will run `bjobs -o '<field1> ... <fieldN>' <JOBID> -json`.

**load** (*self*)

Load the a LSF executor configuration from buildtest settings.

**poll** (*self*)

This method will poll for job by using `bjobs` and return state of job. The command to be run is `bjobs -noheader -o 'stat' <JOBID>`

which returns job state.

**buildtest.executors.setup**

This module is responsible for setup of executors defined in buildtest configuration. The BuildExecutor class initializes the executors and chooses the executor class (LocalExecutor, LSFExecutor, SlurmExecutor) to call depending on executor name.

**Module Contents****Classes**


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<i>BuildExecutor</i> (config_opts)	A BuildExecutor is a base class some type of executor, defined under
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**class** buildtest.executors.setup.**BuildExecutor** (*config\_opts*)

A BuildExecutor is a base class some type of executor, defined under the buildtest/settings/default-config.json schema. For example, the types “local” and “slurm” would map to *LocalExecutor* and *SlurmExecutor* here, each expecting a particular set of variables under the config options. If options are required and not provided, we exit on error. If they are optional and not provided, we use reasonable defaults.

**\_\_repr\_\_** (*self*)  
Return repr(self).

**\_\_str\_\_** (*self*)  
Return str(self).

**\_choose\_executor** (*self, builder*)  
Choose executor is called at the onset of a run or dryrun. We look at the builder metadata to determine if a default is set for the executor, and fall back to the default.

Parameters:

**Parameters builder** (*buildtest.buildsystem.BuilderBase (or subclass)*) – the builder with the loaded Buildspeg.

**get** (*self, name*)  
Given the name of an executor return the executor for running a buildtest build, or get the default.

**poll** (*self, builder*)

**run** (*self, builder*)  
Given a buildtest.buildsystem.BuildspecParser (subclass) go through the steps defined for the executor to run the build. This should be instantiated by the subclass. For a simple script run, we expect a setup, build, and finish.

**Parameters builder** (*buildtest.buildsystem.BuilderBase (or subclass)*) – the builder with the loaded test configuration.

**setup** (*self*)  
This method creates directory `var/executors/<executor-name>` for every executor defined in buildtest configuration and write scripts `before_script.sh` and `after_script.sh` if the fields `before_script` and `after_script` defined in executor. This method is called after executors are initialized in the class `__init__` method

## buildtest.executors.slurm

This module implements the SlurmExecutor class responsible for submitting jobs to Slurm Scheduler. This class is called in class BuildExecutor when initializing the executors.

## Module Contents

### Classes

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<i>SlurmExecutor</i> (name, settings, config_opts)	The SlurmExecutor class is responsible for submitting jobs to Slurm Scheduler.
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**class** buildtest.executors.slurm.**SlurmExecutor** (*name, settings, config\_opts*)

Bases: *buildtest.executors.base.BaseExecutor*

The SlurmExecutor class is responsible for submitting jobs to Slurm Scheduler. The SlurmExecutor performs the following steps

check: check if slurm partition is available for accepting jobs. load: load slurm configuration from buildtest configuration file dispatch: dispatch job to scheduler and acquire job ID poll: wait for Slurm jobs to finish gather: Once job is complete, gather job data

**job\_state**

**poll\_cmd** = **sacct**

**sacct\_fields** = ['Account', 'AllocNodes', 'AllocTRES', 'ConsumedEnergyRaw', 'CPUTimeRaw']

**steps** = ['dispatch', 'poll', 'gather', 'close']

**type** = **slurm**

**check** (*self*)

Check slurm binary is available before running tests. This will check the launcher (sbatch) and sacct are available. If qos, partition, and cluster key defined we check if its a valid entity in slurm configuration. For partition, we also check if its in the up state before dispatching jobs. This method will raise an exception of type SystemExit if any checks fail.

**dispatch** (*self*)

This method is responsible for dispatching job to slurm scheduler.

**gather** (*self*)

Gather Slurm detail after job completion

**load** (*self*)

Load the a slurm executor configuration from buildtest settings.

**poll** (*self*)

This method will poll for job each interval specified by time interval until job finishes. We use *sacct* to poll for job id and sleep for given time interval until trying again. The command to be run is `sacct -j <jobid> -o State -n -X -P`



## buildtest.menu

buildtest menu: include functions to build, get test configurations, and interact with a global configuration for buildtest.

## Submodules

### buildtest.menu.build

This module contains all the methods related to “buildtest build” which is used for building test scripts from a Buildspec

## Module Contents

### Functions

<code>discover_buildspecs(buildspec)</code>	Given a buildspec file specified by the user with buildtest build --buildspec,
<code>discover_buildspecs_by_tags(input_tag)</code>	This method discovers buildspecs by tags, using --tags option
<code>func_build_subcmd(args, config_opts)</code>	Entry point for buildtest build sub-command. This method will discover

#### buildtest.menu.build.discover\_buildspecs (buildspec)

Given a buildspec file specified by the user with buildtest build --buildspec, discover one or more files and return a list for buildtest to parse. Examples of intended functionality are documented here. For all of the below, test config root refers to \$HOME/.buildtest/site

# A relative path to a file in the PWD (outside of test config root, returns single) buildtest build --buildspec relative-folder/hello.sh.yml

# A relative path to a file in build test root (returns single) buildtest build --buildspec github.com/buildtesters/tutorials/hello-world/hello.sh.yml

# relative directory path (returns multiple) buildtest build --buildspec hello-world

# relative directory path in build test root (returns multiple) buildtest build --buildspec github.com/buildtesters/tutorials/hello-world/

#### buildtest.menu.build.discover\_buildspecs\_by\_tags (input\_tag)

This method discovers buildspecs by tags, using --tags option from buildtest build command. This method will read BUILDSPEC\_CACHE\_FILE and search for tags key in buildspec recipe and match with input tag. Since tags field is a list, we check if input tag is in list and if so we add the entire buildspec into a list. The return is a list of buildspec files to process.

**Parameters** `input_tag` (*string*) – Input tags from command line argument buildtest build --tags <tags>

**Returns** a list of buildspec files that match tag name

**Return type** list

#### buildtest.menu.build.func\_build\_subcmd (args, config\_opts)

Entry point for buildtest build sub-command. This method will discover Buildspecs in method

`discover_buildspecs`. If there is an exclusion list this will be checked, once buildtest knows all Buildspecs to process it will begin validation by calling `BuildspecParser` and followed by an executor instance by invoking `BuildExecutor` that is responsible for executing the test based on the executor type. A report of all builds, along with test summary will be displayed to screen.

Parameters:

**Parameters** `args` (*dict*, *required*) – arguments passed from command line

**Return type** `None`

`buildtest.menu.build.logger`

`buildtest.menu.buildspec`

## Module Contents

### Functions

<code>func_buildspec_edit(args)</code>	This method implement buildtest buildspec edit which
<code>func_buildspec_find(args)</code>	Entry point for buildtest buildspec find. This method
<code>func_buildspec_view(args)</code>	This method implements buildtest buildspec view which shows
<code>func_buildspec_view_edit(buildspec, view=False, edit=False)</code>	This is a shared method for buildtest buildspec view and
<code>get_all_tags(cache)</code>	
<code>get_buildspecfiles(cache)</code>	
<code>rebuild_buildspec_cache(paths)</code>	

`buildtest.menu.buildspec.func_buildspec_edit(args)`

This method implement buildtest buildspec edit which allows one to edit a Buildspec file with one of the editors set in buildtest settings.

`buildtest.menu.buildspec.func_buildspec_find(args)`

Entry point for buildtest buildspec find. This method will attempt to read for buildspec cache file (`BUILDSPEC_CACHE_FILE`) if found and print a list of all buildspecs. Otherwise, it will read the repo file (`REPO_FILE`) and find all buildspecs and validate them via `BuildspecParser`. `BuildspecParser` will raise `SystemError` or `ValidationError` if a buildspec is invalid which will be added to list of invalid buildspecs. Finally we print a list of all valid buildspecs and any invalid buildspecs are written to file along with error message.

Parameters

**Parameters** `args` – Input argument from command line passed from argparse

**Returns** A list of valid buildspecs found in all repositories.

`buildtest.menu.buildspec.func_buildspec_view(args)`

This method implements buildtest buildspec view which shows content of a buildspec file

`buildtest.menu.buildspec.func_buildspec_view_edit(buildspec, view=False, edit=False)`

This is a shared method for buildtest buildspec view and buildtest buildspec edit.

Parameters: :param buildspec: buildspec file section to view or edit. :param view: boolean to determine if we want to view buildspec file :param edit: boolean to control if we want to edit buildspec file in editor. :return:

Shows the content of buildspec or let's user interactively edit buildspec. An exception can be raised if it's unable to find buildspec

`buildtest.menu.buildspec.get_all_tags(cache)`

`buildtest.menu.buildspec.get_buildspecfiles(cache)`

`buildtest.menu.buildspec.rebuild_buildspec_cache(paths)`

## `buildtest.menu.config`

### Module Contents

#### Functions

<code>func_config_edit(args=None)</code>	Edit buildtest configuration in editor. This implements buildtest config edit
<code>func_config_summary(args=None)</code>	This method implements buildtest config summary option. In this method
<code>func_config_validate(args=None)</code>	This method implements buildtest config validate which attempts to
<code>func_config_view(args=None)</code>	View buildtest configuration file. This implements buildtest config view

`buildtest.menu.config.func_config_edit(args=None)`

Edit buildtest configuration in editor. This implements buildtest config edit

`buildtest.menu.config.func_config_summary(args=None)`

This method implements buildtest config summary option. In this method we will display a summary of System Details, Buildtest settings, Schemas, Repository details, Buildsspecs files and test names.

`buildtest.menu.config.func_config_validate(args=None)`

This method implements buildtest config validate which attempts to validate buildtest settings with schema. If it not validate an exception an exception of type `SystemError` is raised. We invoke `check_settings` method which will validate the configuration, if it fails we except an exception of type `ValidationError` which we catch and print message.

`buildtest.menu.config.func_config_view(args=None)`

View buildtest configuration file. This implements buildtest config view

## `buildtest.menu.report`

### Module Contents

#### Functions

<code>func_report(args=None)</code>	
<code>update_report(valid_builders)</code>	This method will update BUILD_REPORT after every test run performed

`buildtest.menu.report.func_report(args=None)`

`buildtest.menu.report.update_report(valid_builders)`

This method will update BUILD\_REPORT after every test run performed by buildtest build. If BUILD\_REPORT is not created, we will create file and update json file by extracting contents from builder.metadata

Parameters

**Parameters** `valid_builders` – builder object that were successful during build and able to execute test

`buildtest.menu.schema`

## Module Contents

### Functions

<code>func_schema(args)</code>	This method implements command buildtest schema which shows a list
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`buildtest.menu.schema.func_schema(args)`

This method implements command buildtest schema which shows a list of schemas, their json content and list of schema examples. The input args is an instance of argparse class that contains user selection via command line. This method can do the following

buildtest schema - Show all schema names buildtest schema --name <NAME> -j ``.  
View json content of a specified schema ``buildtest schema --name <NAME>  
-e. Show schema examples Parameters:

**Parameters** `args` (<class 'argparse.Namespace'>) – instance of argparse class

**Result** output of json schema on console

## Package Contents

### Classes

<code>BuildTestParser()</code>
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### Functions

<code>func_buildspec_edit(args)</code>	This method implement buildtest buildspec edit which
<code>func_buildspec_find(args)</code>	Entry point for buildtest buildspec find. This method
<code>func_buildspec_view(args)</code>	This method implements buildtest buildspec view which shows
<code>func_config_edit(args=None)</code>	Edit buildtest configuration in editor. This implements buildtest config edit

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<code>func_config_summary(args=None)</code>	This method implements buildtest config summary option. In this method
<code>func_config_validate(args=None)</code>	This method implements buildtest config validate which attempts to
<code>func_config_view(args=None)</code>	View buildtest configuration file. This implements buildtest config view
<code>func_report(args=None)</code>	
<code>func_schema(args)</code>	This method implements command buildtest schema which shows a list

```
buildtest.menu.BUILDTEST_VERSION = 0.8.0
```

```
class buildtest.menu.BuildTestParser
```

```
    build_menu(self)
```

```
        This method implements the buildtest build command
```

```
            # single buildspec file
```

```
            buildtest build -b <file>
```

```
            # single buildspec directory (builds all buildspec in directory)
```

```
            buildtest build -b <dir>
```

```
            # build a buildspec and exclude some buildspecs. The exclude (-x) accepts both file and directory
```

```
            buildtest build -b <file> -x <file>
```

```
            # multiple buildspecs build and exclude
```

```
            buildtest build -b <file> -b <dir> -x <file> -x <file>
```

```
    buildspec_menu(self)
```

```
        This method implements buildtest buildspec command
```

```
        Command Usage
```

```
            # find all buildspecs
```

```
            buildtest buildspec find
```

```
            # view a buildspec file
```

```
            buildtest buildspec view <name>
```

```
            # edit and validate a buildspec file
```

```
            buildtest buildspec edit <name>
```

```
    config_menu(self)
```

```
        This method adds argparse argument for buildtest config
```

```
        Command Usage
```

```
            # view buildtest settings file
```

```
            buildtest config view
```

```
            # open buildtest settings in editor and validate upon saving
```

```
            buildtest config edit
```

```
            # validate buildtest settings
```

```

    buildtest config validate
    # summary of buildtest
    buildtest config summary

```

**main\_menu** (*self*)  
 This method adds argument to ArgumentParser to main menu of buildtest

**parse\_options** (*self*)  
 This method parses the argument from ArgumentParser class and returns the arguments. We store extra (non parsed arguments) with the class if they are needed.

**Returns** return a parsed dictionary returned by ArgumentParser

**Return type** dict

**report\_menu** (*self*)  
 This method implements the buildtest report command options

**schema\_menu** (*self*)  
 This method adds argparse argument for buildtest show

Command Usage

```

    # list all schema names
    -buildtest schema

    # list all schema in json
    -buildtest schema -j

    # list schema global.schema.json in json
    -buildtest schema -n global.schema.json -j

    # list schema examples for global.schema.json
    -buildtest schema -n global.schema.json -e

```

buildtest.menu.**func\_buildspec\_edit** (*args*)  
 This method implement buildtest buildspec edit which allows one to edit a Buildspec file with one of the editors set in buildtest settings.

buildtest.menu.**func\_buildspec\_find** (*args*)  
 Entry point for buildtest buildspec find. This method will attempt to read for buildspec cache file (BUILDSPEC\_CACHE\_FILE) if found and print a list of all buildspecs. Otherwise, it will read the repo file (REPO\_FILE) and find all buildspecs and validate them via BuildspecParser. BuildspecParser will raise SystemError or ValidationError if a buildspec is invalid which will be added to list of invalid buildspecs. Finally we print a list of all valid buildspecs and any invalid buildspecs are written to file along with error message.

Parameters

**Parameters** *args* – Input argument from command line passed from argparse

**Returns** A list of valid buildspecs found in all repositories.

buildtest.menu.**func\_buildspec\_view** (*args*)  
 This method implements buildtest buildspec view which shows content of a buildspec file

buildtest.menu.**func\_config\_edit** (*args=None*)  
 Edit buildtest configuration in editor. This implements buildtest config edit

`buildtest.menu.func_config_summary` (*args=None*)

This method implements `buildtest config summary` option. In this method we will display a summary of System Details, Buildtest settings, Schemas, Repository details, Buildsspecs files and test names.

`buildtest.menu.func_config_validate` (*args=None*)

This method implements `buildtest config validate` which attempts to validate buildtest settings with schema. If it not validate an exception an exception of type `SystemError` is raised. We invoke `check_settings` method which will validate the configuration, if it fails we except an exception of type `ValidationError` which we catch and print message.

`buildtest.menu.func_config_view` (*args=None*)

View buildtest configuration file. This implements `buildtest config view`

`buildtest.menu.func_report` (*args=None*)

`buildtest.menu.func_schema` (*args*)

This method implements command `buildtest schema` which shows a list of schemas, their json content and list of schema examples. The input *args* is an instance of `argparse` class that contains user selection via command line. This method can do the following

```
buildtest schema - Show all schema names buildtest schema --name <NAME> -j ``.
View json content of a specified schema ``buildtest schema --name <NAME>
-e. Show schema examples Parameters:
```

**Parameters** *args* (`<class 'argparse.Namespace'>`) – instance of `argparse` class

**Result** output of json schema on console

`buildtest.menu.supported_schemas`

`buildtest.schemas`

## Submodules

`buildtest.schemas.defaults`

## Module Contents

`buildtest.schemas.defaults.compiler_schema`

`buildtest.schemas.defaults.compiler_schema_file = compiler-v1.0.schema.json`

`buildtest.schemas.defaults.global_schema`

`buildtest.schemas.defaults.global_schema_file = global.schema.json`

`buildtest.schemas.defaults.here`

`buildtest.schemas.defaults.schema_table`

`buildtest.schemas.defaults.script_schema`

`buildtest.schemas.defaults.script_schema_file = script-v1.0.schema.json`

## buildtest.schemas.utils

Utility and helper functions for schemas.

## Module Contents

### Functions

<code>get_schema_fullpath(schema_file, name=None)</code>	Return the full path of a schema file (expected to be under schemas)
<code>load_recipe(path)</code>	Load a yaml recipe file. The file must be in .yaml extension
<code>load_schema(path)</code>	Load a json schema file, the file extension must be '.schema.json'

`buildtest.schemas.utils.get_schema_fullpath(schema_file, name=None)`

Return the full path of a schema file (expected to be under schemas)

Parameters:

schema\_file: the path to the schema file. name: the schema type. If not provided, derived from filename.

`buildtest.schemas.utils.here`

`buildtest.schemas.utils.load_recipe(path)`

Load a yaml recipe file. The file must be in .yaml extension for buildtest to load.

Parameters:

path: the path to the recipe file.

`buildtest.schemas.utils.load_schema(path)`

Load a json schema file, the file extension must be '.schema.json'

Parameters:

path: the path to the schema file.

## buildtest.settings

## buildtest.utils

### Submodules

`buildtest.utils.command`

## Module Contents

### Classes

<code>BuildTestCommand(cmd=None)</code>	Class method to invoke shell commands and retrieve output and error.
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<i>Capturing()</i>	capture output from stdout and stderr into capture object.
<b>class</b> buildtest.utils.command. <b>BuildTestCommand</b> ( <i>cmd=None</i> ) Class method to invoke shell commands and retrieve output and error. This class is inspired and derived from utils functions in <a href="https://github.com/vsoch/scif">https://github.com/vsoch/scif</a>	
<b>decode</b> ( <i>self, line</i> )	Given a line of output (error or regular) decode using the system default, if appropriate
<b>execute</b> ( <i>self</i> )	Execute a system command and return output and error. :param cmd: shell command to execute :type cmd: str, required :return: Output and Error from shell command :rtype: two str objects
<b>get_error</b> ( <i>self</i> )	Returns the error from shell command :rtype: str
<b>get_output</b> ( <i>self</i> )	Returns the output from shell command :rtype: str
<b>returnCode</b> ( <i>self</i> )	Returns the return code from shell command :rtype: int
<b>set_command</b> ( <i>self, cmd</i> )	parse is called when a new command is provided to ensure we have a list. We don't check that the executable is on the path, as the initialization might not occur in the runtime environment.
<b>class</b> buildtest.utils.command. <b>Capturing</b> capture output from stdout and stderr into capture object. This is based off of <a href="https://github.com/vsoch/gridtest">github.com/vsoch/gridtest</a> but modified to write files. The stderr and stdout are set to temporary files at the init of the capture, and then they are closed when we exit. This means expected usage looks like:	
<b>with Capturing() as capture:</b> process = subprocess.Popen(...)	
And then the output and error are retrieved from reading the files: and exposed as properties to the client:	
capture.out capture.err	
And cleanup means deleting these files, if they exist.	
<b>__enter__</b> ( <i>self</i> )	
<b>__exit__</b> ( <i>self, *args</i> )	
<b>cleanup</b> ( <i>self</i> )	
<b>property err</b> ( <i>self</i> )	Return error stream. Returns empty string if empty or doesn't exist. Returns (str) : error stream written to file
<b>property out</b> ( <i>self</i> )	Return output stream. Returns empty string if empty or doesn't exist. Returns (str) : output stream written to file
<b>set_stderr</b> ( <i>self</i> )	
<b>set_stdout</b> ( <i>self</i> )	

## buildtest.utils.file

This module provides some generic file and directory level operation that include the following: 1. Check if path is a File or Directory via `is_file()`, `is_dir()` 2. Create a directory via `create_dir()` 3. Walk a directory tree based on single extension using `walk_tree()` 4. Resolve path including shell and user expansion along with getting realpath to file using `resolve_path()` 5. Read and write a file via `read_file()`, `write_file()`

## Module Contents

### Functions

<code>create_dir(dirname)</code>	Create directory if it doesn't exist. Runs a "try" block
<code>is_dir(dirname)</code>	This method will check if a directory exist and if not found throws an exception.
<code>is_file(fname)</code>	This method will check if file exist and if not found throws an exception.
<code>read_file(filepath)</code>	This method is used to read a file specified by argument <code>filepath</code> . If <code>filepath</code> is not a string we raise
<code>resolve_path(path, exist=True)</code>	This method will resolve a file path to account for shell expansion and resolve paths in
<code>walk_tree(root_dir, ext)</code>	This method will traverse a directory tree and return list of files
<code>write_file(filepath, content)</code>	This method is used to write an input <code>content</code> to a file specified by <code>filepath</code> . Both <code>filepath</code>

`buildtest.utils.file.create_dir(dirname)`

Create directory if it doesn't exist. Runs a "try" block to run `os.makedirs()` which creates all sub-directories if they dont exist. Catches exception of type `OSError` and prints message

Parameters:

**Parameters** `dirname` (*string*, *required*) – directory path to create

**Returns** creates the directory or print an exception message upon failure

**Return type** Catches exception of type `OSError`

`buildtest.utils.file.is_dir(dirname)`

This method will check if a directory exist and if not found throws an exception.

Parameters:

**Parameters** `dir` (*str*, *required*) – directory path

**Returns** returns a boolean `True/False` depending on if input is a valid directory.

**Return type** `bool`

`buildtest.utils.file.is_file(fname)`

This method will check if file exist and if not found throws an exception.

**Parameters** `file` (*str*, *required*) – file path

**Returns** returns a boolean `True/False` depending on if input is a valid file.

**Return type** `bool`

`buildtest.utils.file.logger`

`buildtest.utils.file.read_file(filepath)`

This method is used to read a file specified by argument `filepath`. If `filepath` is not a string we raise an error. We also run `resolve_path` to get `realpath` to file and account for shell or user expansion. The return from `resolve_path` will be a valid file or `None` so we check if input is an invalid file. Finally we read the file and return the content of the file as a string.

Parameters:

**Parameters** `filepath(str, required)` – file name to read

**Raises** `SystemError`: If `filepath` is not a string `SystemError`: If `filepath` is not valid file

**Returns** return content of file as a string

**Return type** `str`

`buildtest.utils.file.resolve_path(path, exist=True)`

This method will resolve a file path to account for shell expansion and resolve paths in when a symlink is provided in the file. This method assumes file already exists.

Parameters:

**Parameters** `path(str, required)` – file path to resolve

**Returns** return `realpath` to file if found otherwise return `None`

**Return type** `str` or `None`

`buildtest.utils.file.walk_tree(root_dir, ext)`

This method will traverse a directory tree and return list of files based on extension type. This method invokes `is_dir()` to check if directory exists before traversal.

Parameters:

**Parameters**

- **root\_dir** `(str, required)` – directory path to traverse
- **ext** `(str, required)` – file extensions to search in traversal

**Returns** returns a list of file paths

**Return type** `list`

`buildtest.utils.file.write_file(filepath, content)`

This method is used to write an input content to a file specified by `filepath`. Both `filepath` and `content` must be a `str`. An error is raised if `filepath` is not a string or a directory. If ``content is not a `str`, we return `None` since we can't process the content for writing. Finally, we write the content to file and return. A successful write will return nothing otherwise an exception will occur during the write process.

Parameters:

**Parameters**

- **filepath** `(str, required)` – file name to write
- **content** `(str, required)` – content to write to file

**Raises** `SystemError`: System error if `filepath` is not string `SystemError`: System error if `filepath` is a directory

**Returns** Return nothing if write is successful. A system error if `filepath` is not `str` or directory. If argument `content` is not `str` we return `None`

`buildtest.utils.shell`

## Module Contents

### Classes

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*Shell*(shell='bash')

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**class** `buildtest.utils.shell.Shell` (shell='bash')

**\_\_repr\_\_** (self)  
Return repr(self).

**\_\_str\_\_** (self)  
Return str(self).

**get** (self)  
Return shell attributes as a dictionary

**property** `opts` (self)  
retrieve the shell opts that are set on init, and updated with setter

**property** `path` (self)  
This method returns the full path to shell program using `shutil.which()` If shell program is not found we raise an exception. The shebang is updated assuming path is valid which is just adding character '#' in front of path. The return is full path to shell program. This method automatically updates the shell path when there is a change in attribute `self.name`

```
>>> shell = Shell("bash")
>>> shell.path
'/usr/bin/bash'
>>> shell.name="sh"
>>> shell.path
'/usr/bin/sh'
```

`buildtest.utils.timer`

## Module Contents

### Classes

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*Timer*()

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**class** `buildtest.utils.timer.Timer`

**start** (self)  
Start a new timer

**stop** (self)  
Stop the timer, and report the elapsed time

**exception** `buildtest.utils.timer.TimerError`

Bases: `Exception`

A custom exception used to report errors in use of Timer class

## Submodules

`buildtest.config`

## Module Contents

### Functions

<code>check_settings(settings_path=None, tor_check=True)</code>	execu-	Checks all keys in configuration file (settings/config.yml) are valid
<code>load_settings(settings_path=None)</code>		Load the default settings file if no argument is specified.
<code>validate_lsf_executors(lsf_executors)</code>		
<code>validate_slurm_executors(slurm_executor)</code>		This method will validate slurm executors, we check if partition, qos,

`buildtest.config.check_settings(settings_path=None, executor_check=True)`

Checks all keys in configuration file (settings/config.yml) are valid keys and ensure value of each key matches expected type. For some keys special logic is taken to ensure values are correct and directory path exists.

If any error is found buildtest will terminate immediately.

Parameters:

**Parameters** `settings_path` (*str, optional*) – Path to buildtest settings file

**Returns** returns gracefully if all checks passes otherwise terminate immediately

**Return type** exit code 1 if checks failed

`buildtest.config.load_settings(settings_path=None)`

Load the default settings file if no argument is specified.

Parameters:

**Parameters** `settings_path` (*str, optional*) – Path to buildtest settings file

`buildtest.config.logger`

`buildtest.config.validate_lsf_executors(lsf_executors)`

`buildtest.config.validate_slurm_executors(slurm_executor)`

This method will validate slurm executors, we check if partition, qos, and cluster fields are valid values by retrieving details from slurm configuration. These checks are performed if partition, qos or cluster field is specified in slurm executor section.

**Parameters** `slurm_executor` – list of slurm executors defined in settings['executors']['slurm'] dictionary, where settings is loaded buildtest setting

## **buildtest.defaults**

Buildtest defaults, including environment variables and paths, are defined or derived here.

### **Module Contents**

```
buildtest.defaults.BUILDSPEC_CACHE_FILE
buildtest.defaults.BUILDSPEC_DEFAULT_PATH
buildtest.defaults.BUILDTEST_ROOT
buildtest.defaults.BUILDTEST_SETTINGS_FILE
buildtest.defaults.BUILDTEST_USER_HOME
buildtest.defaults.BUILD_REPORT
buildtest.defaults.DEFAULT_SETTINGS_FILE
buildtest.defaults.DEFAULT_SETTINGS_SCHEMA
buildtest.defaults.executor_root
buildtest.defaults.logID = buildtest
buildtest.defaults.supported_schemas
buildtest.defaults.supported_type_schemas = ['script-v1.0.schema.json', 'compiler-v1.0.sche
buildtest.defaults.userhome
buildtest.defaults.var_root
```

## **buildtest.exceptions**

### **Module Contents**

```
exception buildtest.exceptions.BuildTestError(msg, *args)
    Bases: Exception
    Class responsible for error handling in buildtest. This is a sub-class of Exception class.
    __str__(self)
        Return str(self).
```

## **buildtest.log**

Methods related to buildtest logging

## Module Contents

### Functions

<code>init_logfile(logfile)</code>	Initialize a log file intended for a builder. This requires
<code>streamlog(debuglevel)</code>	

`buildtest.log.init_logfile(logfile)`

Initialize a log file intended for a builder. This requires passing the filename intended for the log (from the builder) and returns the logger.

`buildtest.log.streamlog(debuglevel)`

### `buildtest.main`

## Module Contents

### Functions

<code>main()</code>	Entry point to buildtest.
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`buildtest.main.main()`

Entry point to buildtest.

### `buildtest.system`

This module detects System changes defined in class BuildTestSystem.

## Module Contents

### Classes

<code>BuildTestSystem()</code>	BuildTestSystem is a class that detects system configuration and outputs the result
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### Functions

<code>get_lsf_queues()</code>	Return json dictionary of available LSF Queues and their queue states
<code>get_slurm_clusters()</code>	
<code>get_slurm_partitions()</code>	Get slurm partitions
<code>get_slurm_qos()</code>	Return all slurm qos

`class buildtest.system.BuildTestSystem`

BuildTestSystem is a class that detects system configuration and outputs the result in .run file which are generated upon test execution. This module also keeps track of what is supported (or not supported) for a system.

### **system**

#### **check\_lmod** (*self*)

Check if the system has Lmod installed, determine by setting of LMOD\_DIR variable

#### **check\_scheduler** (*self*)

Check for batch scheduler. Currently checks for LSF or SLURM by running `bhosts` and `sinfo` command. It must be present in `$PATH` when running buildtest. Since it's unlikely for a single host to have more than one scheduler, we check for multiple and return the first found.

**Returns** return string **LSF** or **SLURM**. If neither found returns **None**

**Return type** str or None

#### **init\_system** (*self*)

Based on the module "distro" set the linux distribution name and version

`buildtest.system.get_lsf_queues()`

Return json dictionary of available LSF Queues and their queue states

`buildtest.system.get_slurm_clusters()`

`buildtest.system.get_slurm_partitions()`

Get slurm partitions

`buildtest.system.get_slurm_qos()`

Return all slurm qos

### **Package Contents**

`buildtest.BUILDTEST_VERSION = 0.8.0`

`buildtest.__version__`



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