



# **cookiecutter-qa Documentation**

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# CHAPTER 1

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## Getting Started

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### 1.1 cookiecutter QA

Cookiecutter QA let you create QA projects based on the [Cookiecutter](#) scaffolding project.

#### 1.1.1 Usage

Install [Cookiecutter](#), use `cookiecutter-qa` as project template and bake your new QA package providing some information:

```
$ pip install cookiecutter
$ cookiecutter https://github.com/tierratelematics/cookiecutter-qa
full_name [Davide Moro]:
email [davide.moro@gmail.com]:
github_username [tierratelematics]:
project_name [Project QA]:
project_slug [project_qa]:
project_short_description [Project QA contains all the boilerplate you need to create_↵
↵a QA package]:
version [0.0.1]:
create_author_file [y]:
Select open_source_license:
1 - MIT license
2 - BSD license
3 - ISC license
4 - Apache Software License 2.0
5 - GNU General Public License v3
6 - Not open source
Choose from 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 [1]: 4
Select command_line_interface:
1 - Click
2 - No command-line interface
Choose from 1, 2 [1]: 2
```

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```
base_url [https://www.tierratelematics.com]:
selenium_grid_url [http://USERNAME:ACCESS_KEY@hub.browserstack.com:80/wd/hub]: YOUR_
↪SELENIUM_GRID_URL_HERE
testrail [y]:
$ cd project_qa
```

As result cookiecutter will create for you a new package with a hello world test `pytest`, `Splinter`, BDD and page objects ready.

**Important note:** be aware that the `selenium_grid_url` will be saved in `project_name/Dockerfile` so keep in mind that before distributing your project!

## 1.1.2 How to use it

If you want to perform a quick tour create a [BrowserStack](#) free account and you will be able to run your tests against a real remote browser without having to install locally all the needed prerequisites (geckodriver, chromedriver, adjust executable paths, etc).

Once logged in on [BrowserStack](#) visit `Account > Settings`, copy the Automate's username and access key and generate a new cookiecutter project providing the remote selenium grid url following the format:

```
http://USERNAME:ACCESS_KEY@hub.browserstack.com:80/wd/hub
```

You can use any Selenium grid provider ([SauceLabs](#), [BrowserStack](#), [TestingBot](#)) or using your own local grid with [Zalenium](#).

## Docker

If you want to launch your hello world Selenium based tests against [BrowserStack](#) you can just type the following commands (Docker required):

```
$ make docker-run
```

or:

```
$ docker run --rm -it project_qa -epy36 -- \
  -vvv --splinter-webdriver=remote \
  --variables=credentials/credentials_template.yml \
  --splinter-remote-url=http://USERNAME:ACCESS_KEY@hub.browserstack.com:80/wd/hub \
  --variables capabilities/os/WIN10.json
  --variables capabilities/browsers/chrome/CHROME.json
  --variables capabilities/resolutions/1280x1024.json
```

## Tox

With tox:

```
$ pip install tox
$ tox -epy36 -- -vvv --splinter-webdriver=remote \
  --variables=credentials/credentials_template.yml \
  --splinter-remote-url=http://USERNAME:ACCESS_KEY@hub.browserstack.com:80/wd/hub \
  --variables capabilities/os/WIN10.json
```

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```
--variables capabilities/browsers/chrome/CHROME.json
--variables capabilities/resolutions/1280x1024.json
```

### 1.1.3 Run tests with local browsers

You can launch tests based on local browsers instead of relying to a remote ([SauceLabs](#), [BrowserStack](#), [TestingBot](#)) or local grid (using [Zalenium](#)) using the `--splinter-webdriver firefox` option for example.

See <https://github.com/pytest-dev/pytest-splinter#command-line-options>

Supported browser options:

- `firefox`
- `remote` (you need to provide a value for the `--splinter-remote-url` option)
- `chrome`
- `phantomjs`

Using local browsers it's up to you the configuration of `geckodriver`, `chromedriver`, executable path settings, using the latest drivers (eg: <https://github.com/mozilla/geckodriver/releases>) and updated browser versions.

### 1.1.4 pytest-play ready!

`cookiecutter-qa` supports also `pytest-play`.

If you are not keen on programming or page objects you can run scenarios using a `json` format.

See `test_play.py` and `play.json`.

### 1.1.5 Credits

- heavily based on `cookiecutter-pypackage`: [@audreyr](#)'s ultimate Python package project template.

### 1.1.6 Twitter

`cookiecutter-qa` tweets happens here:

- [@davidemoro](#)

### 1.1.7 Based on



### 1.1.8 Sponsored by







## 2.1 Prompts

When you create a package, you are prompted to enter these values.

### 2.1.1 Templated Values

The following appear in various parts of your generated project.

**full\_name** Your full name.

**email** Your email address.

**github\_username** Your GitHub username.

**project\_name** The name of your new Python package project. This is used in documentation, so spaces and any characters are fine here.

**project\_slug** The namespace of your Python package. This should be Python import-friendly. Typically, it is the slugified version of `project_name`.

**project\_short\_description** A 1-sentence description of what your Python package does.

**version** The starting version number of the package.

**create\_author\_file** Creates an author file

**open\_source\_license** Select an open source license or not open source

**command\_line\_interface** Whether to create a console script using Click. Console script entry point will match the `project_slug`. Options: ['Click', "No command-line interface"]

**base\_url** Your base url for your Splinter/Selenium tests

**selenium\_grid\_url** Your remote selenium grid url

**testrail** Upload test execution results to the Testrail (<https://github.com/dubner/pytest-testrail>) test management tool. If you don't have Testrail say n here







### 3.1 Console Script Setup

Optionally, your package can include a console script

#### 3.1.1 How It Works

If the ‘command\_line\_interface’ option is set to [‘click’] during setup, cookiecutter will add a file ‘cli.py’ in the project\_slug subdirectory. An entry point is added to setup.py that points to the main function in cli.py.

#### 3.1.2 Usage

To use the console script in development:

```
pip install -e projectdir
```

‘projectdir’ should be the top level project directory with the setup.py file

The script will be generated with output for no arguments and –help.

**--help**                      show help menu and exit

#### 3.1.3 Known Issues

Installing the project in a development environment using:

```
python setup.py develop
```

will not set up the entry point correctly. This is a known issue with Click. The following will work as expected:



```
python setup.py install  
pip install mypackage
```

With ‘mypackage’ adjusted to the specific project.

### 3.1.4 More Details

You can read more about Click at: <http://click.pocoo.org/>



## CHAPTER 4

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### Indices and tables

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