Group Tests Into an Orchestration

Turn individual tests into a suite, and decide who acts on the result.

Before you start

> At least two tests in one project.

Lab tasks

1. Create a new orchestration. Name it after what it proves, not when it runs.
2. Select the project first, then the tests. The Projects field takes more than one, and until at least one is in it the Tests field simply has nothing to offer.
3. Leave the schedule on **On Demand** and create it.
4. Run it. Record the total duration and compare it to running the tests individually.
5. Open the run history entry, then drill from the suite result into one individual test's steps.
6. Write down who in your team would read this result, and where they would see it. If you cannot answer, do not schedule it.

Checkpoint

You have finished when:

- ☐ Your orchestration shows one completed run with a duration.
- ☐ You can get from the suite result to an individual red step.
- ☐ You have named a person who would act on a failure.

Stretch challenges

- Add your broken test from Lab 5 and watch a partial failure report.
- Plan a smoke suite of five tests. Justify each one.
- Work out the monthly run count of an hourly schedule before setting one.

Notes