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Using zope.location

Location

The Location base class is a mix-in that defines __parent__ and __name__ attributes.

Usage within an Object field:

```
>>> from zope.interface import implementer, Interface
>>> from zope.schema import Object
>>> from zope.schema.fieldproperty import FieldProperty
>>> from zope.location.interfaces import ILocation
>>> from zope.location.location import Location
>>> class IA (Interface):
       location = Object(schema=ILocation, required=False, default=None)
>>> @implementer(IA)
... class A (object):
       location = FieldProperty(IA['location'])
>>> a.location = Location()
>>> loc = Location(); loc.__name__ = u'foo'
>>> a.location = loc
>>> loc = Location(); loc.__name__ = None
>>> a.location = loc
>>> loc = Location(); loc.__name__ = b'foo'
>>> a.location = loc
Traceback (most recent call last):
WrongContainedType: ([WrongType('foo', <type 'unicode'>, '__name__')], 'location')
```

inside()

The inside function tells if 11 is inside 12. L1 is inside 12 if 12 is an ancestor of 11.

```
>>> o1 = Location()
>>> o2 = Location(); o2.__parent__ = o1
>>> o3 = Location(); o3.__parent__ = o2
>>> o4 = Location(); o4.__parent__ = o3
>>> from zope.location.location import inside
>>> inside(o1, o1)
True
>>> inside(o2, o1)
True
>>> inside(o3, o1)
True
>>> inside(04, 01)
True
>>> inside(o1, o4)
False
>>> inside(o1, None)
False
```

LocationProxy

LocationProxy is a non-picklable proxy that can be put around objects that don't implement ILocation.

```
>>> from zope.location.location import LocationProxy
>>> 1 = [1, 2, 3]
>>> ILocation.providedBy(1)
False
>>> p = LocationProxy(1, "Dad", "p")
>>> p
[1, 2, 3]
>>> ILocation.providedBy(p)
True
>>> p.__parent__
'Dad'
>>> p.__name__
'p'

>>> import pickle
>>> p2 = pickle.dumps(p)
Traceback (most recent call last):
...
TypeError: Not picklable
```

Proxies should get their doc strings from the object they proxy:

```
>>> p.__doc__ == 1.__doc__
True
```

If we get a "located class" somehow, its doc string well be available through proxy as well:

```
>>> class LocalClass(object):
...     """This is class that can be located"""
>>> p = LocationProxy(LocalClass)
>>> p.__doc__ == LocalClass.__doc__
True
```

LocationInterator()

This function allows us to iterate over object and all its parents.

```
>>> from zope.location.location import LocationIterator
>>> o1 = Location()
>>> o2 = Location()
>>> o3 = Location()
>>> o3.__parent__ = o2
>>> o2.__parent__ = o1

>>> iter = LocationIterator(o3)
>>> next(iter) is o3
True
>>> next(iter) is o2
True
>>> next(iter) is o1
True
>>> next(iter)
Traceback (most recent call last):
...
StopIteration
```

located()

located locates an object in another and returns it:

```
>>> from zope.location.location import located
>>> a = Location()
>>> parent = Location()
>>> a_located = located(a, parent, 'a')
>>> a_located is a
True
>>> a_located.__parent__ is parent
True
>>> a_located.__name__
'a'
```

If we locate the object again, nothing special happens:

```
>>> a_located_2 = located(a_located, parent, 'a')
>>> a_located_2 is a_located
True
```

If the object does not provide ILocation an adapter can be provided:

```
>>> import zope.interface
>>> import zope.component
>>> sm = zope.component.getGlobalSiteManager()
>>> sm.registerAdapter(LocationProxy, required=(zope.interface.Interface,))
>>> 1 = [1, 2, 3]
>>> parent = Location()
>>> l_located = located(l, parent, 'l')
>>> l_located.__parent__ is parent
>>> l_located.__name__
'1'
>>> l_located is l
False
>>> type(l_located)
<class 'zope.location.location.LocationProxy'>
>>> l_located_2 = located(l_located, parent, 'l')
>>> l_located_2 is l_located
```

When changing the name, we still do not get a different proxied object:

```
>>> l_located_3 = located(l_located, parent, 'new-name')
>>> l_located_3 is l_located_2
True
>>> sm.unregisterAdapter(LocationProxy, required=(zope.interface.Interface,))
True
```

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Hacking on zope.location

Getting the Code

The main repository for zope.location is in the Zope Foundation Github repository:

https://github.com/zopefoundation/zope.location

You can get a read-only checkout from there:

```
$ git clone https://github.com/zopefoundation/zope.location.git
```

or fork it and get a writeable checkout of your fork:

```
$ git clone git@github.com/jrandom/zope.location.git
```

The project also mirrors the trunk from the Github repository as a Bazaar branch on Launchpad:

https://code.launchpad.net/zope.location

You can branch the trunk from there using Bazaar:

```
$ bzr branch lp:zope.location
```

Working in a virtualenv

Installing

If you use the virtualenv package to create lightweight Python development environments, you can run the tests using nothing more than the python binary in a virtualenv. First, create a scratch environment:

```
$ /path/to/virtualenv --no-site-packages /tmp/hack-zope.location
```

Next, get this package registered as a "development egg" in the environment:

```
$ /tmp/hack-zope.location/bin/python setup.py develop
```

Running the tests

Then, you canrun the tests using the build-in setuptools testrunner:

If you have the nose package installed in the virtualeny, you can use its testrunner too:

If you have the coverage pacakge installed in the virtualenv, you can see how well the tests cover the code:

Building the documentation

zope.location uses the nifty Sphinx documentation system for building its docs. Using the same virtualenv you set up to run the tests, you can build the docs:

```
$ /tmp/hack-zope.location/bin/easy_install \
Sphinx repoze.sphinx.autoitnerface zope.component
...
$ cd docs
```

```
$ PATH=/tmp/hack-zope.location/bin:$PATH make html
sphinx-build -b html -d _build/doctrees . _build/html
...
build succeeded.
Build finished. The HTML pages are in _build/html.
```

You can also test the code snippets in the documentation:

Using zc.buildout

Setting up the buildout

zope.location ships with its own buildout.cfg file and bootstrap.py for setting up a development buildout:

```
$ /path/to/python2.7 bootstrap.py
...
Generated script '.../bin/buildout'
$ bin/buildout
Develop: '/home/jrandom/projects/Zope/zope.location/.'
...
Got coverage 3.7.1
```

Running the tests

You can now run the tests:

```
$ bin/test --all
Running zope.testing.testrunner.layer.UnitTests tests:
   Set up zope.testing.testrunner.layer.UnitTests in 0.000 seconds.
   Ran 79 tests with 0 failures and 0 errors in 0.000 seconds.
Tearing down left over layers:
   Tear down zope.testing.testrunner.layer.UnitTests in 0.000 seconds.
```

Using tox

Running Tests on Multiple Python Versions

tox is a Python-based test automation tool designed to run tests against multiple Python versions. It creates a virtualenv for each configured version, installs the current package and configured dependencies into each virtualenv, and then runs the configured commands.

zope.location configures the following tox environments via its tox.ini file:

- The py26, py27, py33, py34, and pypy environments builds a virtualenv with pypy, installs zope. location and dependencies, and runs the tests via python setup.py test -q.
- The coverage environment builds a virtualenv with python2.6, installs zope.location, installs nose and coverage, and runs nosetests with statement coverage.
- The docs environment builds a virtualenv with python2.6, installs zope.location, installs Sphinx and dependencies, and then builds the docs and exercises the doctest snippets.

This example requires that you have a working python2.6 on your path, as well as installing tox:

Running tox with no arguments runs all the configured environments, including building the docs and testing their snippets:

```
py32: commands succeeded
py33: commands succeeded
py34: commands succeeded
pypy: commands succeeded
coverage: commands succeeded
docs: commands succeeded
congratulations:)
```

Contributing to zope.location

Submitting a Bug Report

zope.location tracks its bugs on Github:

https://github.com/zopefoundation/zope.location/issues

Please submit bug reports and feature requests there.

Sharing Your Changes

Note: Please ensure that all tests are passing before you submit your code. If possible, your submission should include new tests for new features or bug fixes, although it is possible that you may have tested your new code by updating existing tests.

If have made a change you would like to share, the best route is to fork the Githb repository, check out your fork, make your changes on a branch in your fork, and push it. You can then submit a pull request from your branch:

https://github.com/zopefoundation/zope.location/pulls

If you branched the code from Launchpad using Bazaar, you have another option: you can "push" your branch to Launchpad:

```
$ bzr push lp:~jrandom/zope.location/cool_feature
```

After pushing your branch, you can link it to a bug report on Github, or request that the maintainers merge your branch using the Launchpad "merge request" feature.

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