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Providing data in test fixturesExample test that needs test data; Using the admin application to create test data; Writing the function itself; Writing a test that uses the test data; Extracting the test data from the database; Getting the test data loaded during the test run; Creating data during test set up; Summary; Chapter 4: Getting Fancier: Django Unit Test Extensions; Organizing tests; Creating the survey application home page; Defining the survey application URLs; Developing views to serve pages; Creating templates for pages; Testing the survey home page  
Creating the survey detail pagesRefining the survey detail view; Templates for the survey detail pages; Basic testing of the survey detail pages; Customizing the admin add and change survey pages; Developing a custom survey form; Configuring admin to use the custom form; Testing the admin customization; Additional test support; Supporting additional HTTP methods; Maintaining persistent state; E-mail services; Providing test-specific URL configuration; Response context and template information; Testing transactional behavior  
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Debug support in the development server

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## Sommario/riassunto

This book teaches by example. It walks in detail through development of a sample application, illustrating each step via complete working code and either screenshots or console snippets. The cumbersome and time consuming task of debugging will be a cake walk with this book. If you are a Django application developer who wants to create robust applications quickly that work well and are easy to maintain in the long term, this book is for you. This book is the right pick if you want to be smartly tutored to make best use of Django's rich testing and debugging support and make testing an effortles

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