

***** Tracking NULL Checks in Open-Source Java Systems *****

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- If statments in code: {  
if ((name == null) || (adress == null))  
if (customers != null)  
if ((c.name != null) && (c.adress != null))  
if (c != null)  
if ((customers.get(i).name.equals(name)) && (customers.get(i) != null))  
if ((newCity != null) && (newStreet != null))  
if ((cName == null) || (cAddress == null) || (cStreet == null))  
if ((obj != null) && (customer2.adress != null))  
if (b)  
if (customer2.getCustomerbyName(cName) == null)  
if (!b)  
if ((null == city2) || (Street2 == null))  
if (ad.city.equals("syria"))  
if (ad != null)  
}
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- Null comprands : {  
Null comparand[1] := name  
Null comparand[2] := adress  
Null comparand[3] := customers  
Null comparand[4] := c.name  
Null comparand[5] := c.adress  
Null comparand[6] := c  
Null comparand[7] := customers.get(i)  
Null comparand[8] := newCity  
Null comparand[9] := newStreet  
Null comparand[10] := cName  
Null comparand[11] := cAddress  
Null comparand[12] := cStreet  
Null comparand[13] := obj  
Null comparand[14] := customer2.adress  
Null comparand[15] := customer2.getCustomerbyName(cName)  
Null comparand[16] := city2  
Null comparand[17] := Street2  
Null comparand[18] := ad  
}
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-Null comprands type :{
name ,Type := Name
adress ,Type := Name
customers ,Type := Name
c.name ,Type := field access
c.adress ,Type := field access
c ,Type := Name
customers.get(i) ,Type := method call
newCity ,Type := Name
newStreet ,Type := Name
cName ,Type := Name
cAddress ,Type := Name
cStreet ,Type := Name
obj ,Type := Name
customer2.adress ,Type := field access
customer2.getCustomerbyName(cName) ,Type := method call
city2 ,Type := Name
Street2 ,Type := Name
ad ,Type := Name
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Null-c (name) Is a memeber variable
Null-c (adress) Is a memeber variable
Null-c (customers) Is a memeber variable
Null-c (c) Is a parameter variable
Null-c (newCity) Is a parameter variable
Null-c (newStreet) Is a parameter variable
Null-c (cName) Is a local variable
Null-c (cAddress) Is a local variable
Null-c (cStreet) Is a local variable
Null-c (obj) Is a local variable
Null-c (customer2.getCustomerbyName(cName)) Is a local variable
Null-c (city2) Is a parameter variable
Null-c (Street2) Is a local variable
Null-c (ad) Is a local variable
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- Null comparands definition :
NC_Def := ' String name; '
NC_Def := ' name = null; '
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NC_Def := ' this.name = name; '
NC_Def := ' Address address; '
NC_Def := ' adress = null; '
NC_Def := ' this.address = new Address(city, street); '
NC_Def := ' ArrayList<Customer> customers; '
NC_Def := ' customers = null; '
NC_Def := ' customers = new ArrayList<>(); '
NC_Def := ' String cName = in.next(); '
NC_Def := ' String cAddress = in.next(); '
NC_Def := ' String cStreet = in.next(); '
NC_Def := ' Object obj = (String) customer2.name; '
NC_Def := ' String city2 = in.next(); '
NC_Def := ' String Street2 = in.next(); '
NC_Def := ' Address ad = customer1.changeAddress(city2, cStreet); '

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- No assigned value to `name` in line 7, you should assign any value
 - `null` assigned to `name` in line 12, you should assign another value instead of `null`
 - `name` is a reference value assigned to `this.name` in line 18, you should check your assigned value.
 - No assigned value to `adress` in line 8, you should assign any value
 - `null` assigned to `adress` in line 13, you should assign another value instead of `null`
 - `new Address(city, street)` is a Object creation assigned to `this.adress` in line 19, you should check your assigned value.
 - No assigned value to `customers` in line 9, you should assign any value
 - `null` assigned to `customers` in line 14, you should assign another value instead of `null`
 - `new ArrayList<>()` is a Object creation assigned to `customers` in line 20, you should check your assigned value.
 - `in.next()` is a method call assigned to `String cName` in line 68, you should check your assigned value.
 - `in.next()` is a method call assigned to `String cAddress` in line 69, you should check your assigned value.
 - `in.next()` is a method call assigned to `String cStreet` in line 70, you should check your assigned value.

- (String) customer2.name is a casting assigned to Object obj in line 80, you should check your assigned value.
- in.next() is a method call assigned to String city2 in line 95, you should check your assigned value.
- in.next() is a method call assigned to String Street2 in line 96, you should check your assigned value.
- customer1.changeAddress(city2, cStreet) is a method call assigned to Address ad in line 100, you should check your assigned value.

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Average of If statments that contains null :=79.0%

Average of Members from all Null_comparand :=17.0%

Average of Parameters from all Null_comparand :=22.0%

Average of Locals from all Null_comparand :=39.0%

Average of Methode calls from all Null_comparand :=11.0%

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