Java static code analysis

Unique rules to find Bugs, Vulnerabilities, Security Hotspots, and Code Smells in your JAVA code

The ternary operator should not be used
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Standard functional interfaces should not be redefined
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"NullPointerException" should not be caught
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"NullPointerException" should not be explicitly thrown
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Classes should not have too many methods
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Methods should not have too many lines
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Track uses of "NOSONAR" comments
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Classes and enums with private members should have a constructor
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Track comments matching a regular expression
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Statements should be on separate lines
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Classes should not be coupled to too many other classes (Single Responsibility Principle)
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"java.lang.Error" should not be extended

Classes with only "static" methods should not be instantiated

Analyze your code

Code Smell Major clumsy

`static` methods can be accessed without an instance of the enclosing class, so there's no reason to instantiate a class that has only `static` methods.

Noncompliant Code Example

```
public class TextUtils {
  public static String stripHtml(String source) {
    return source.replaceAll("<[^>]+>", "");
  }
}

public class TextManipulator {

  // ...

  public void cleanText(String source) {
    TextUtils textUtils = new TextUtils(); // Noncompliant

    String stripped = textUtils.stripHtml(source);

    //...
  }
}
```

Compliant Solution

```
public class TextUtils {
  public static String stripHtml(String source) {
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  }
}

public class TextManipulator {

  // ...

  public void cleanText(String source) {
    String stripped = TextUtils.stripHtml(source);

    //...
  }
}
```

See Also

- {rule:java:S1118} - Utility classes should not have public constructors

Available In:

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Anonymous classes should not have too many lines

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Public types, methods and fields (API) should be documented with Javadoc

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Exception handlers should preserve the original exceptions

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Checked exceptions should not be thrown

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