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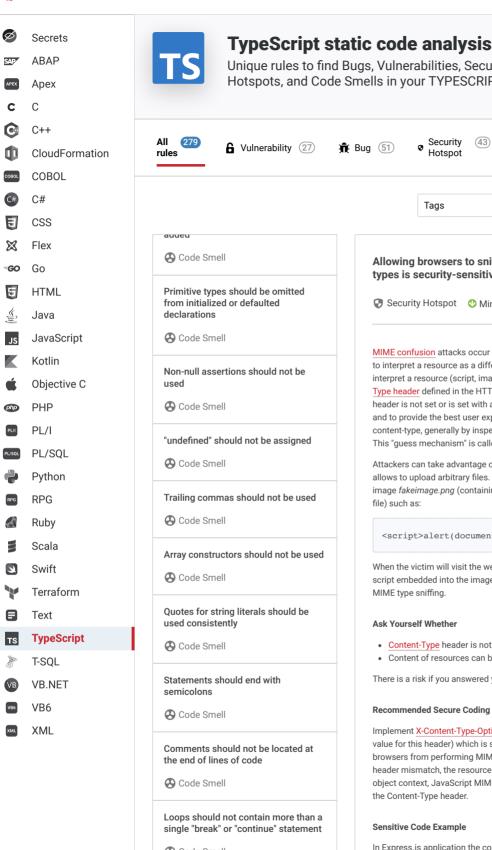
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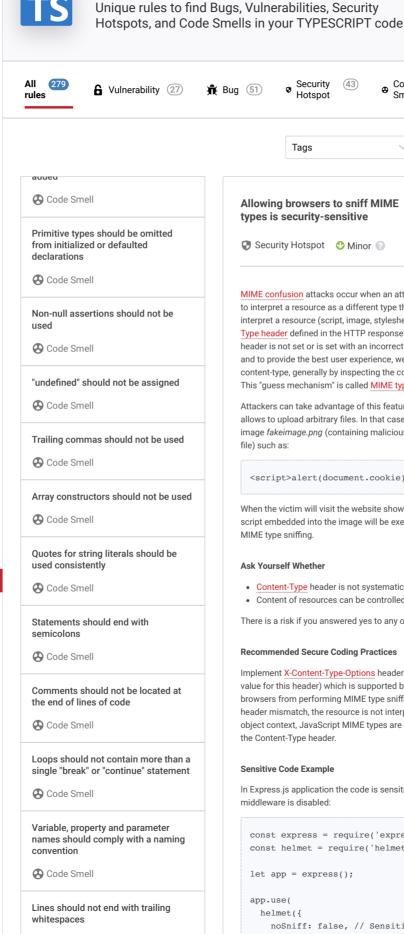
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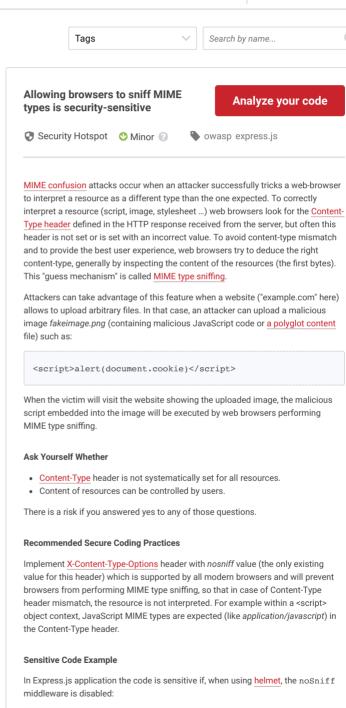


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const express = require('express');

noSniff: false, // Sensitive

const helmet = require('helmet');

let app = express();

app.use(

})

helmet({

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Files should contain an empty newline at the end

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An open curly brace should be located at the end of a line

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Tabulation characters should not be used

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Function and method names should comply with a naming convention

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Compliant Solution

When using helmet in an Express.js application, the noSniff middleware should be enabled (it is also done by default):

```
const express = require('express');
const helmet= require('helmet');
let app = express();
app.use(helmet.noSniff());
```

See

- OWASP Top 10 2021 Category A5 Security Misconfiguration
- OWASP Top 10 2017 Category A6 Security Misconfiguration
- developer.mozilla.org X-Content-Type-Options
- blog.mozilla.org Mitigating MIME Confusion Attacks in Firefox

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