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PHP static code analysis

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

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Regular expression quantifiers and character classes should be used concisely

Code Smell

Character classes should be preferred over reluctant quantifiers in regular expressions

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A subclass should not be in the same "catch" clause as a parent class

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Jump statements should not be redundant

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"catch" clauses should do more than rethrow

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"&&" and "||" should be used

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Identical expressions should not be used on both sides of a binary operator

Analyze your code

Bug Major

Using the same value on either side of a binary operator is almost always a mistake. In the case of logical operators, it is either a copy/paste error and therefore a bug, or it is simply wasted code, and should be simplified. In the case of bitwise operators and most binary mathematical operators, having the same value on both sides of an operator yields predictable results, and should be simplified.

Noncompliant Code Example

```
if ( $a == $a ) { // always true
    doZ();
}
if ( $a != $a ) { // always false
    doY();
}
if ( $a == $b && $a == $b ) { // if the first one is true
    doX();
}
if ( $a == $b || $a == $b ) { // if the first one is true
    doW();
}

$j = 5 / 5; //always 1
$k = 5 - 5; //always 0
```

Exceptions

Left-shifting 1 onto 1 is common in the construction of bit masks, and is ignored.





```
$i = 1 << 1; // Compliant
$j = $a << $a; // Noncompliant
```

See

- {rule:php:S1656} - Implements a check on =.

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Boolean checks should not be inverted  Code Smell
Local variables should not be declared and then immediately returned or thrown  Code Smell
Unused local variables should be removed  Code Smell
"switch" statements should have at least 3 "case" clauses  Code Smell