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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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Inheritance tree of classes should not be too deep	Code Smell
Nested blocks of code should not be left empty	Code Smell
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Unused "private" fields should be removed	Code Smell
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Function and method parameters' initial values should not be ignored	Bug
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Return values from functions without side effects should not be ignored

Analyze your code

Bug Major

When the call to a function doesn't have any side effect, what is the point of making the call if the results are ignored? In such cases, either the function call is useless and should be dropped, or the source code doesn't behave as expected.

Noncompliant Code Example


```
strlen($name); // Noncompliant; "strlen" has no side ef
```

Compliant Solution


```
$length = strlen($name);
```

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debug features activated is security-sensitive

 Security Hotspot


Creating cookies without the "HttpOnly" flag is security-sensitive

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Creating cookies without the "secure" flag is security-sensitive

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Using hardcoded IP addresses is security-sensitive

 Security Hotspot

Regular expression quantifiers and character classes should be used carefully