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Objective C static code analysis

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"memset" should not be used to delete sensitive data

Vulnerability

POSIX functions should not be called with arguments that trigger buffer overflows

Vulnerability

Function-like macros should not be invoked without all of their arguments

Bug

The address of an automatic object should not be assigned to another object that may persist after the first object has ceased to exist

Bug

"pthread_mutex_t" should be unlocked in the reverse order they were locked

Bug

"pthread_mutex_t" should be properly initialized and destroyed

Bug

"pthread_mutex_t" should not be consecutively locked or unlocked twice

Bug

Functions with "noreturn" attribute should not return

Bug

"memcpy" should only be called with pointers to trivially copyable types with no padding

Bug

Stack allocated memory and non-owned memory should not be freed

Bug

Closed resources should not be accessed

Bug

Dynamically allocated memory should be released

Bug

Assignments should not be made from within sub-expressions

Analyze your code

Code Smell Major cwe based-on-misra cert suspicious

Assignments within sub-expressions are hard to spot and therefore make the code less readable. Ideally, sub-expressions should not have side-effects.

Noncompliant Code Example

```
if ((str = cont.substring(pos1, pos2)).isEmpty()) { // Nonco
    //...
```

Compliant Solution

```
str = cont.substring(pos1, pos2);
if (str.isEmpty()) {
    //...
```

Exceptions

Assignments explicitly enclosed in parentheses are ignored.

```
while ((run = keepRunning())) {
    //...
}
```

See

- MISRA C:2004, 13.1 - Assignment operators shall not be used in expressions that yield a Boolean value
- MISRA C++:2008, 6-2-1 - Assignment operators shall not be used in sub-expressions
- MISRA C:2012, 13.4 - The result of an assignment operator should not be used
- [MITRE, CWE-481](#) - Assigning instead of Comparing
- [CERT, EXP45-C](#) - Do not perform assignments in selection statements
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