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Swift static code analysis

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

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Hard-coded credentials are security-sensitive	Security Hotspot
Methods and field names should not be the same or differ only by capitalization	Code Smell
Cipher algorithms should be robust	Vulnerability
Using weak hashing algorithms is security-sensitive	Security Hotspot
Cognitive Complexity of functions should not be too high	Code Smell
"try!" should not be used	Code Smell
String literals should not be duplicated	Code Smell
Functions and closures should not be empty	Code Smell
Collection elements should not be replaced unconditionally	Bug
Collection sizes comparisons should make sense	Bug
All branches in a conditional structure should not have exactly the same implementation	Bug
Infix operators that end with "=" should update their left operands	Bug
Precedence and associativity of standard operators should not be changed	

SHA-1 and Message-Digest hash algorithms should not be used in secure contexts

Analyze your code

Vulnerability Critical ?

The MD5 algorithm and its successor, SHA-1, are no longer considered secure, because it is too easy to create hash collisions with them. That is, it takes too little computational effort to come up with a different input that produces the same MD5 or SHA-1 hash, and using the new, same-hash value gives an attacker the same access as if he had the originally-hashed value. This applies as well to the other Message-Digest algorithms: MD2, MD4, MD6, HAVAL-128, HMAC-MD5, DSA (which uses SHA-1), RIPEMD, RIPEMD-128, RIPEMD-160, HMACRIPEMD160.

Consider using safer alternatives, such as SHA-256, SHA-512 or SHA-3.

Noncompliant Code Example

```
import CryptoSwift

let bytes:Array<UInt8> = [0x01, 0x02, 0x03]
let digest = input.md5() // Noncompliant
```

Compliant Solution

```
import CryptoSwift

let bytes:Array<UInt8> = [0x01, 0x02, 0x03]
let digest = input.sha256() // Compliant
```

See

- OWASP Top 10 2017 Category A6 - Security Misconfiguration
- MITRE, CWE-328 - Reversible One-Way Hash
- MITRE, CWE-327 - Use of a Broken or Risky Cryptographic Algorithm
- SANS Top 25 - Porous Defenses
- SHAttered - The first concrete collision attack against SHA-1.

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 Bug
<div>Return values from functions without side effects should not be ignored</div> <div> Bug</div>
<div>Related "if/else if" statements and "cases" in a "switch" should not have the same condition</div> <div> Bug</div>
<div>Identical expressions should not be used on both sides of a binary operator</div> <div> Bug</div>
<div>All code should be reachable</div> <div> Bug</div>
<div>Loops with at most one iteration should be refactored</div> <div> Bug</div>
<div>"IBInspectable" should be used correctly</div> <div> Code Smell</div>
<div>Functions should not have identical implementations</div> <div> Code Smell</div>
<div>Ternary operators should not be nested</div> <div> Code Smell</div>
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