

try this out, I did not test it, but from what i see in your code, alliances is not a json array, they are json objects based on a json document,

```
JsonObject rootobj = root.getAsJsonObject();
JsonElement match_number = rootobj.get("match_number");
JsonObject alliances = rootobj.getAsJsonObject("alliances");
JsonElement blue = alliances.getAsJsonElement("blue");
JsonElement red = alliances.getAsJsonElement("red");

System.out.println(match_number.getAsJsonElement().getAsString());
```

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just to note, i just tested it and it works fine. – faljbour Apr 25 '15 at 1:48

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Potential API Misuse

① Pop-up window

② API misuse description

You may want to check whether the receiver of `getAsString()` is not equal to null. 119 Github code examples also do this.

```
if (match_number!=null) {
    match_number.getAsString();
}
```

③ Fix suggestion

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See this in a GitHub example:

[CloudStack-extras/CloudBridge-archive](#)

[leandog/brazenhead](#)

[feroult/churndb](#)

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