

Code Inspection Report

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Introduction

Bom Dia Academia é um software desenvolvido pelo grupo 114 que, através de uma interface gráfica, reúne as redes sociais Facebook e Twitter bem como um serviço de e-mail. Esta interface permite uma interação facilitada das redes tanto na visualização de conteúdo como na partilha ou envio de novas mensagens ou publicações.

Code inspection – Package do Twitter

Este package permite que se faça a interação com o Twitter, nomeadamente ler e tratar a Timeline bem como postar tweets.

<i>Meeting date:</i>	<i>3/12/2018</i>
<i>Meeting duration:</i>	<i>60 minutes</i>
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<i>Producer:</i>	<i>João Oliveira</i>
<i>Inspector:</i>	<i>José Santos</i>
<i>Recorder:</i>	<i>José Santos</i>
<i>Component name (Package/Class/Method):</i>	<i>Twitter</i>
<i>Component was compiled:</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Component was executed:</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Component was tested without errors:</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Testing coverage achieved:</i>	<i>88%</i>

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Found defects

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2	Twitter, TwitterApp, 25, 26	VC	Alguns atributos eram inicializados fora dos métodos quando na realidade só eram utilizados em um método.

Corrective measures

Os erros detetados foram corrigidos no momento.

Conclusions of the inspection process

Após a realização da inspeção foi possível concluir que o pacote associado ao Twitter tratava informação pouco complexa, sendo que os únicos aspetos a melhorar encontrados estão descritos na tabela acima. Como se tratavam de falhas simples, foram corrigidas na hora pelo autor da classe.

Code inspection – Package da Interface

Este package permite a interação gráfica entre todas as interfaces desenvolvidas.

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2	Interface, interface, sendNot(), line 245	FD	O nome deste método não está de acordo com a sua funcionalidade
3	Interface, interface, iconsAction(), line 300	MO	Este método apresenta código repetitivo

Corrective measures

A variável não local foi corrigida para variável local;

O método que apresentava um nome que não estava de acordo com a respetiva funcionalidade foi corrigido, passando a denominar-se “openEditor()”;

O último defeito encontrado ainda não foi corrigido. Tratava-se de uma função que associa cada interface às listas respetivas de timeline. A maneira de corrigir este erro seria, por exemplo, fazer uma função que recebesse como parâmetros a interface e a lista e os associasse, para posteriormente invocar.

Quem tratará deste erro será o José Santos.

Conclusions of the inspection process

Após a realização da inspeção foi possível concluir que o pacote associado à Interface possui algumas classes e é um pouco extenso. No entanto, não apresenta muitos erros nem graves e funciona conforme pretendido.

Code inspection – Package do Facebook

Este package permite a captação da timeline e outras interações com o Facebook

<i>Meeting date:</i>	5/12/2018
<i>Meeting duration:</i>	60 minutes
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<i>Producer:</i>	Ricardo Castro
<i>Inspector:</i>	Diogo Sousa
<i>Recorder:</i>	João Oliveira
<i>Component name (Package/Class/Method):</i>	Facebook
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3	Facebook, Extend, Extend, 22	FD	Método descontinuado mas funcional
4	Facebook, Timeline, Timeline, 27	FD	Método descontinuado mas funcional

Corrective measures

Para todos os ids, deveriam ser alteradas as funções para outras com funcionalidade semelhante mas que fossem suportadas atualmente. Isto deveria ser corrigido no próximo sprint mas como este não irá existir o defeito não será corrigido.

Conclusions of the inspection process

O código do facebook está funcional e corresponde às expetativas postas pelo grupo para o seu funcionamento. Os métodos descontinuados podiam ser trocados para outros com suporte mas funcionam perfeitamente e não são motivo de preocupação. No geral o código está bem estruturado.

Code inspection – Package do Email

Este package permite a interação com o e-mail.

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<i>Producer:</i>	Diogo Sousa
<i>Inspector:</i>	Ricardo Castro
<i>Recorder:</i>	José Santos
<i>Component name (Package/Class/Method):</i>	Mail
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Found defects

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1	Mail, MailHandler, receberEmail	VC	Alguns e-mails vêm desformatados

Corrective measures

Não será possível corrigir o erro, visto que não conseguimos identificar o que provoca a desformatação dos e-mails.

Conclusions of the inspection process

De um modo geral, o código está bem estruturado e bem otimizado. Todas as classes deste Package têm um header a explicar a sua função, bem como todos os métodos têm explicado detalhadamente os atributos que recebem, o seu output e a sua função.

Code inspection – Package do Common

Este package tem duas classes: StandardInfoStruct e XML. A primeira classe permite obter uma estrutura geral para os tipos de mensagens utilizados enquanto que a segunda permite a interação com o ficheiro XML, nomeadamente ler e escrever.

<i>Meeting date:</i>	<i>3/12/2018</i>
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<i>Moderator:</i>	<i>João Oliveira</i>
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<i>Recorder:</i>	<i>Ricardo Castro</i>
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<i>Component was compiled:</i>	<i>Yes</i>
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<i>Component was tested without errors:</i>	<i>Yes</i>
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- ☒ Are descriptive variable and constant names used in accord with naming conventions?
- ☐ Are there variables or attributes with confusingly similar names?
- ☒ Is every variable and attribute correctly typed?
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- ☒ Are all for-loop control variables declared in the loop header?
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2. Method Definition Defects (FD)

- ☒ Are descriptive method names used in accord with naming conventions?
- ☒ Is every method parameter value checked before being used?
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- ☒ For every object or array reference: Is the value certain to be non-null?

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- ☒ Are parentheses used to avoid ambiguity?

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- ☐ Has an "&" inadvertently been interchanged with a "&&" or a "|" for a "||"?

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- ☒ Are all exceptions handled appropriately?
- ☒ Does every method terminate?

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- ☒ Have all files been opened before use?
- ☒ Are the attributes of the input object consistent with the use of the file?
- ☒ Have all files been closed after use?
- ☐ Are there spelling or grammatical errors in any text printed or displayed?
- ☒ Are all I/O exceptions handled in a reasonable way?

9. Module Interface Defects (MI)

- ☒ Are the number, order, types, and values of parameters in every method call in agreement with the called method's declaration?
- ☐ Do the values in units agree (e.g., inches versus yards)?
- ☒ If an object or array is passed, does it get changed, and changed correctly by the called method?

10. Comment Defects (CM)

- ☒ Does every method, class, and file have an appropriate header comment?
- ☐ Does every attribute, variable, and constant declaration have a comment?
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Este package não foi exigente na inspeção do código, no entanto o erro encontrado permitiu um melhor desempenho na aplicação para o caso em que a exceção é utilizada.