iOS Code Analysis Tools The Battle

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Intro

- Why we need code analysis?
- What did code analysis help?
- What do we have for iOS Developer?

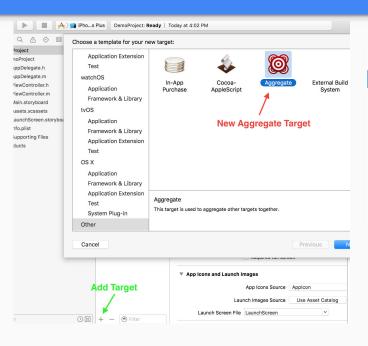
Achievements and progress

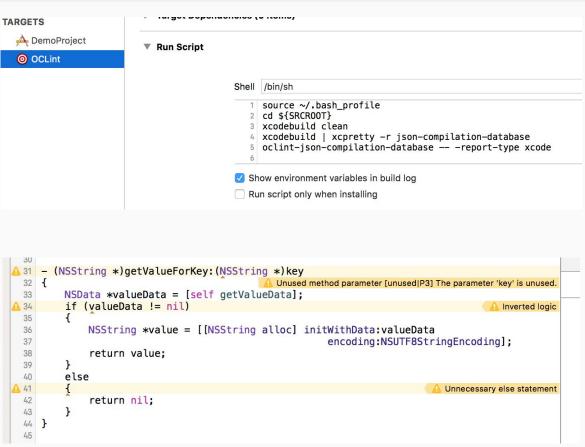
- Apply Code Analysis for Objective-C project
- Apply Code Analysis for Swift project
- Apply Code Analysis for Hybrid project (Objective-C and Swift)

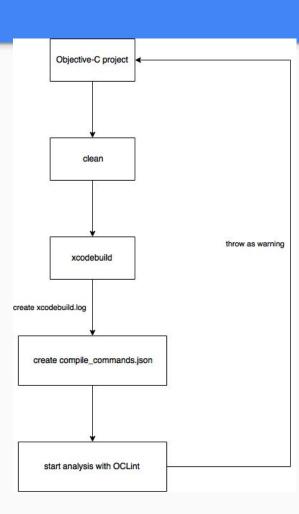
Interesting Tools

- OCLint (Open Source)
- Infer (Open Source)
- SwiftLint (Open Source)
- Objective-Clean (Paid)

- It is open source
- Supported only Clang (C, C++ and Objective C.)
- Still in development
- Can be integrated with many tools (xcodebuild, xctool, xcpretty)
 - Also could be integrated with Xcode project







Problems found

- RVM Dependency
- Project is not good with new Xcode (Lot of issues)
- Required skilled in command line
- Document is poor

Infer

- Developed by Facebook
- Support Java, C, C++, and Objective-C
- Written in OCaml
- Easy to set up

Infer

Problems found

- Bug with xcpretty
- It is separate from Xcode (Another flow)
- Had to clean every time before be analyzed.

```
ERROR RUNNING CAPTURE: Bi_inbuf.End_of_input
Raised at file "src/bi_inbuf.ml", line 49, characters 6-24
Called from file "src/bi_io.ml" (inlined), line 508, characters 12-35
Called from file "atd/clang_ast_b.ml", line 27505, characters 7-24
Called from file "clang/Capture.ml", line 48, characters 8-39
Called from file "clang/Capture.ml" (inlined), line 93, characters 6-35
Called from file "clang/Capture.ml", line 157, characters 26-73
```

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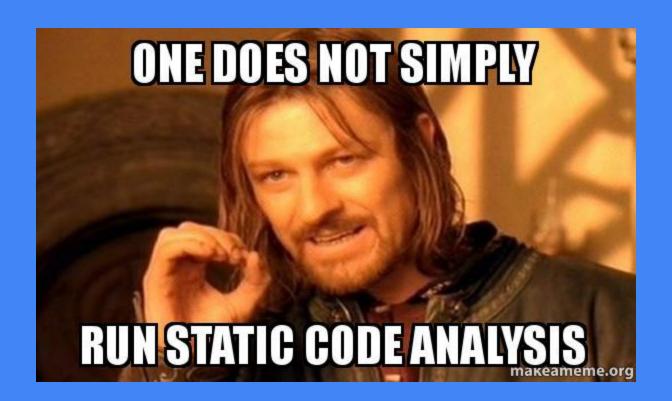
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```
class Hello: NSObject {
   let noWarning = NSNumber() as! Int
   let hasWarning = NSNumber() as! Int
   let noWarning2 = NSNumber() as! Int //
   let noWarning3 = NSNumber() as! Int
}
```

Next Steps

- Integration with CI as process
- Customize rules to our needs





Thanks!

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