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public class VerifyDate {
    //method to handle potential checks against two dates
     public static Date CheckDates(Date date1, Date date2) {
          //if date2 is within the next 30 days of date1, use date2. Otherwise use the end of the
month
          if(DateWithin30Days(date1,date2)) {
               return date2;
          } else {
               return SetEndOfMonthDate(date1);
          }
    }
    //method to check if date2 is within the next 30 days of date1
     @TestVisible private static Boolean DateWithin30Days(Date date1, Date date2) {
          //check for date2 being in the past
          if( date2 < date1) { return false; }
          //check that date2 is within (>=) 30 days of date1
          Date date30Days = date1.addDays(30); //create a date 30 days away from date1
          if( date2 >= date30Days ) { return false; }
          else { return true; }
    }
    //method to return the end of the month of a given date
     @TestVisible private static Date SetEndOfMonthDate(Date date1) {
          Integer totalDays = Date.daysInMonth(date1.year(), date1.month());
          Date lastDay = Date.newInstance(date1.year(), date1.month(), totalDays);
          return lastDay:
    }
}
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