

CSE 5382 Secure Programming Fall 2018, Programming Assignment 1
Introduction to Static Analysis
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Tool Versions

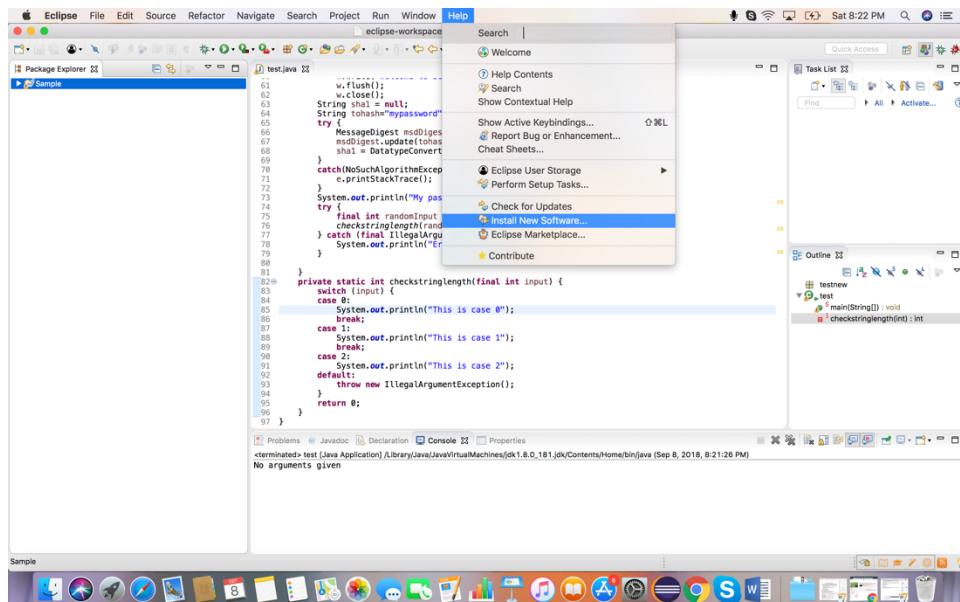
The tools I have used to test the code are:

- Eclipse IDE for Java Developers, Java JDK 8
- Findbugs - 3.0.1, findsecbugs-plugin-1.8.0

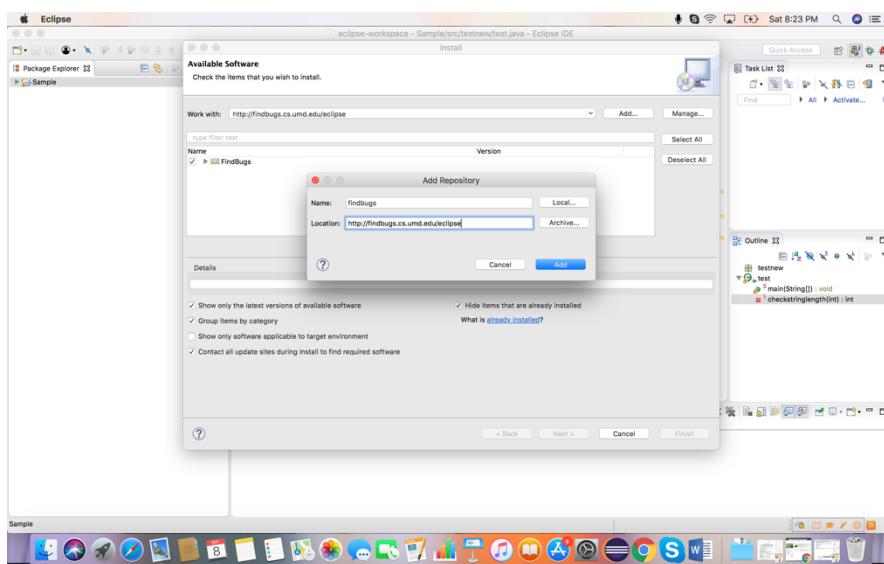
Tool Invocation Process

1. As Eclipse is installed, From Help tab, go to “Install New Software” to add the Findbugs plugin as shown below:

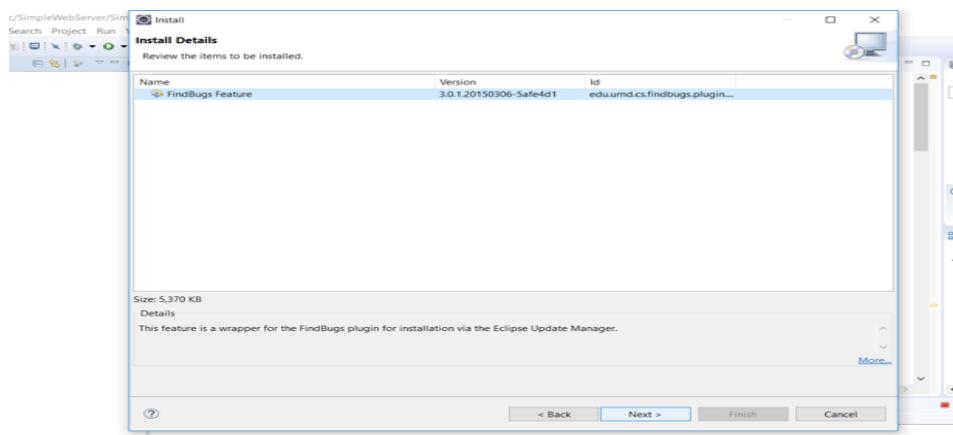
- a. Click on “Install New Software”



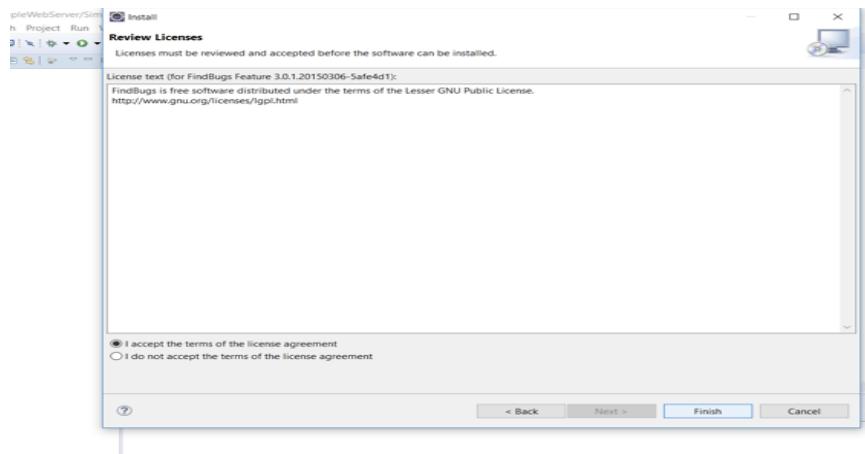
- b. Give the url to get the findbugs plugin for eclipse as: <http://findbugs.cs.umd.edu/eclipse> and click on “Add”



c. Click ‘Next’ again as shown below:



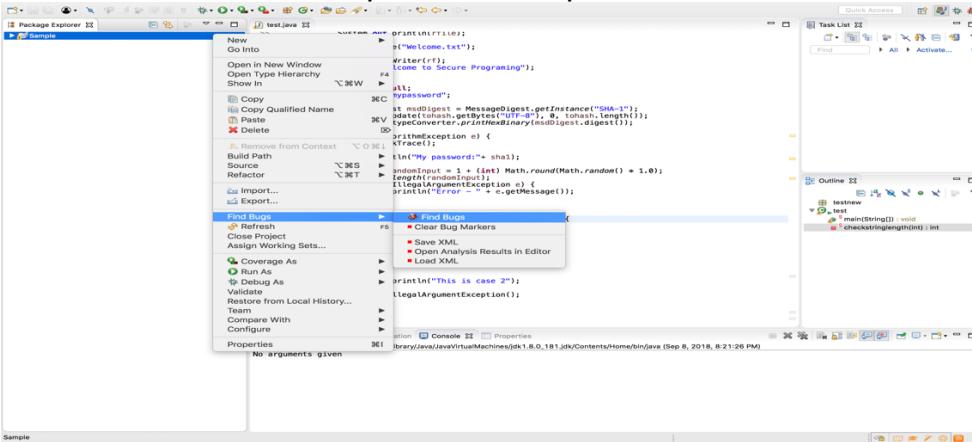
d. Select ‘I accept’ and click Finish to complete the installation Findbugs plugin for eclipse:



e. It will ask you to restart eclipse, click ok to restart eclipse.

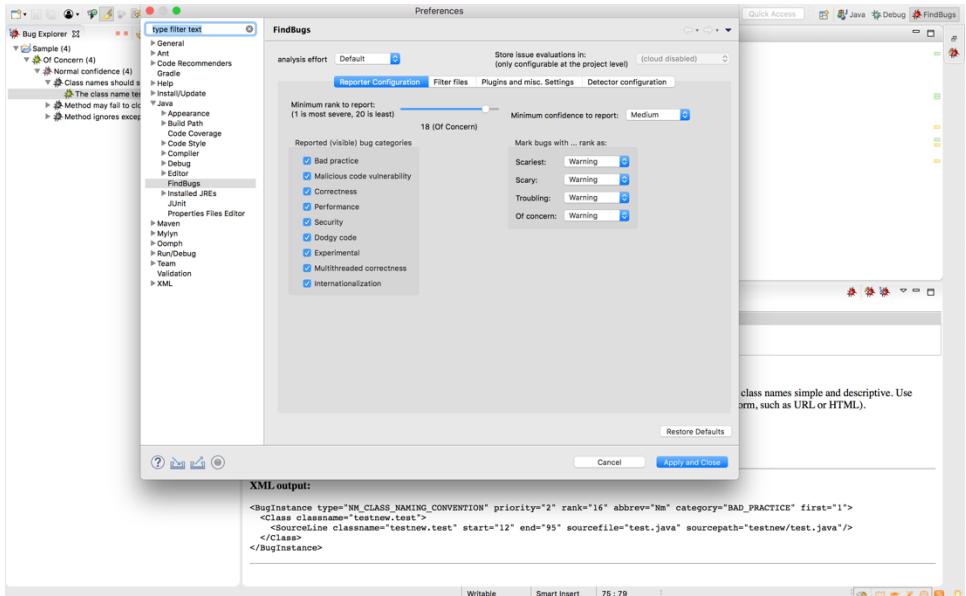
f. To run the tool, select the project in the package explorer and select Find Bugs and in the sub menu, select ‘Find Bugs’ again.

g. Added the included example in the eclipse

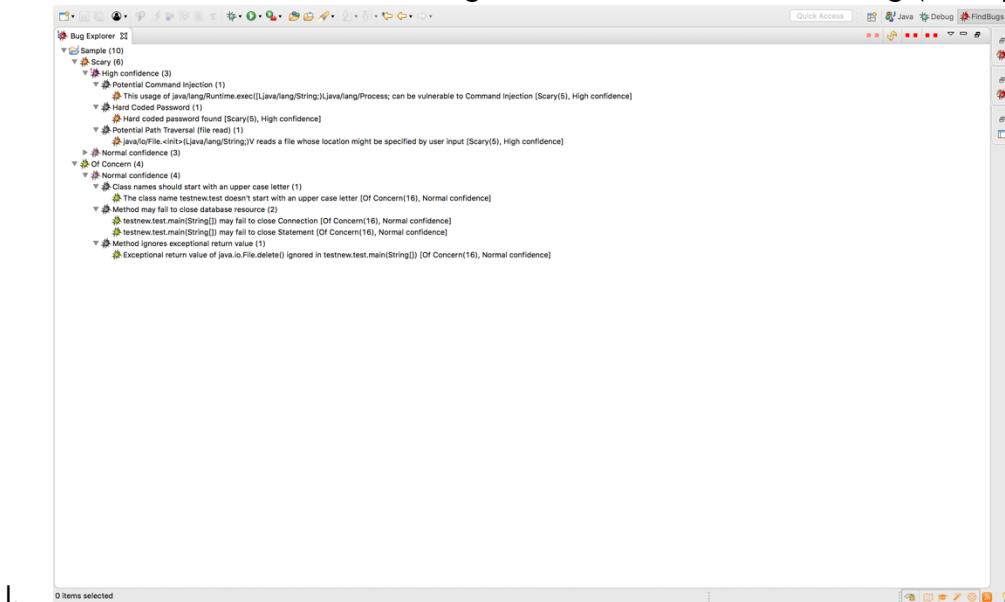


h.

- i. The below Find bugs explorer will display the bugs present in the code
- j. The recommended configuration to use with Find Security Bugs is to limit the scan to Securityonly bug detectors. Go to Eclipse -> Preferences (Mac) or Window -> Preferences (Windows). Then go to Java -> FindBugs, and make sure only "Security" is checked on the "Reporting configuration" tab's "Reported (visible) bug categories" list.



- k. This is enabled for the following screenshots. Able to find 10 bugs(6 scary, 4 of concern)



m. Bug 1

```

public class test{
    public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
        Connection connull;
        if(args.length<1){
            System.out.println("No arguments given");
            System.exit(1);
        }
        //Returns the Runtime object
        Runtime rt = Runtime.getRuntime();
        String[] cmd = new String[3];
        cmd[0] = "cmd.exe";
        cmd[1] = "/c";
        cmd[2] = "dir" + args[0];
        rt.exec(cmd);
        try {
            con = DriverManager.getConnection("", "APP", "");
            Statement stmt=con.createStatement();
            ResultSet rs =stmt.executeQuery("select * from users where ac_name='"+ username+"'");
            while (rs.next()) {
                String users=rs.getString("uname");
                System.out.println(users);
            }
        } catch(Exception ex) {
            ex.printStackTrace();
        }
        Scanner scan=new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.print("Enter file path");
        String path=scan.nextLine();
        if(path.contains("\\")||path.contains("/")){
    
```

Bug: The class name testnew.test doesn't start with an upper case letter
Class names should be nouns, in mixed case with the first letter of each internal word capitalized. Try to keep your class names simple and descriptive. Use whole words-avoid acronyms and abbreviations (unless the abbreviation is much more widely used than the long form, such as URL or HTML).

Rank: Of Concern (16), **confidence:** Normal
Pattern: NM_CLASS_NAMING_CONVENTION
Type: Nm, **Category:** BAD_PRACTICE (Bad practice)

XML.output:

```

<BugInstance type="NM_CLASS_NAMING_CONVENTION" priority="2" rank="16" abbrev="Nm" category="BAD_PRACTICE" first="1">
<Class classname="testnew.test" start="12" end="95" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>

```

n. Bug 2

```

public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
    Connection connull;
    if(args.length<1){
        System.out.println("No arguments given");
        System.exit(1);
    }
    //Returns the Runtime object
    Runtime rt = Runtime.getRuntime();
    String[] cmd = new String[3];
    cmd[0] = "cmd.exe";
    cmd[1] = "/c";
    cmd[2] = "dir" + args[0];
    rt.exec(cmd);
    try {
        con = DriverManager.getConnection("", "APP", "");
    
```

Bug: This usage of java.lang.Runtime.exec([Ljava/lang/String;)Ljava/lang/Process; can be vulnerable to Command Injection
The highlighted API is used to execute a system command. If unfiltered input is passed to this API, it can lead to arbitrary command execution.

Vulnerable Code:

```

import java.lang.Runtime;
Runtime r = Runtime.getRuntime();
r.exec("ls|sh -c some_tool" + input);

```

References:
OWASP: Command Injection
OWASP: Top 10 2013-A1-Injection
CWE-78: Improper Neutralization of Special Elements used in an OS Command ('OS Command Injection')

Rank: Scary (5), **confidence:** High
Pattern: COMMAND_INJECTION
Type: SECCI, **Category:** SECURITY (Security)

XML.output:

```

<BugInstance type="COMMAND_INJECTION" priority="1" rank="5" abbrev="SECCI" category="SECURITY" first="1">

```

o. Bug 3 `testnew.test.main(String[])` may fail to close Connection [Of Concern(16), Normal confidence]

```

13@ public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
14     Connection connnull;
15     if(args.length < 1) {
16         System.out.println("No arguments given");
17         System.exit(1);
18     }
19     //Returns the Runtime object
20     Runtime rt = Runtime.getRuntime();
21     String[] cmd = new String[3];
22     cmd[0] = "cmd.exe";
23     cmd[1] = "/C";
24     cmd[2] = "dir" + args[0];
25     rt.exec(cmd);
26     {
27         Connection conncon;
28         Statement stmtcon;
29         String qry="select * from bank_accounts where ac_name='"+ username+"'";
30         ResultSet rs=stmtcon.executeQuery(qry);
31     }
32 }

```

Bug: Empty database password in `testnew.test.main(String[])`

This code creates a database connect using a blank or empty password. This indicates that the database is not protected by a password.

Rank: Scary (7), **confidence:** Normal
Pattern: DMI_EMPTY_DB_PASSWORD
Type: Dm, Category: SECURITY (Security)

XML output:

```

<BugInstance type="DMI_EMPTY_DB_PASSWORD" priority="2" rank="7" abbrev="Dm" category="SECURITY" first="1">
<Class classname="testnew.test" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</Class>
<Method classname="testnew.test" name="main" signature="([Ljava/lang/String;)V" isStatic="true">
<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="14" end="91" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="204" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
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<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="27" end="27" startBytecode="72" endBytecode="72" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</Method>
</BugInstance>

```

o. Bug 3 `testnew.test.main(String[])` may fail to close Connection [Of Concern(16), Normal confidence]

```

13@ public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
14     Connection connnull;
15     if(args.length < 1) {
16         System.out.println("No arguments given");
17         System.exit(1);
18     }
19     //Returns the Runtime object
20     Runtime rt = Runtime.getRuntime();
21     String[] cmd = new String[3];
22     cmd[0] = "cmd";
23     cmd[1] = "/C";
24     cmd[2] = "dir" + args[0];
25     rt.exec(cmd);
26     {
27         Connection conncon;
28         Statement stmtcon;
29         String qry="select * from bank_accounts where ac_name='"+ username+"'";
30         ResultSet rs=stmtcon.executeQuery(qry);
31     }
32 }

```

Bug: `testnew.test.main(String[])` may fail to close Statement

The method creates a database resource (such as a database connection or row set), does not assign it to any fields, pass it to other methods, or return it, and does not appear to close the object on all paths out of the method. Failure to close database resources on all paths out of a method may result in poor performance, and could cause the application to have problems communicating with the database.

Rank: Of Concern (16), **confidence:** Normal
Pattern: ODR_OPEN_DATABASE_RESOURCE
Type: ODR, Category: BAD_PRACTICE (Bad practice)

XML output:

```

<BugInstance type="ODR_OPEN_DATABASE_RESOURCE" priority="2" rank="16" abbrev="ODR" category="BAD_PRACTICE" first="1">
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</Class>
<Method classname="testnew.test" name="main" signature="([Ljava/lang/String;)V" isStatic="true">
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<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="28" end="28" startBytecode="77" endBytecode="77" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</Method>
</BugInstance>

```

p. Bug 4 `testnew.test.main(String[])` may fail to close Statement [Of Concern(16), Normal confidence]

q. Bug 5 `java.io.File.<init>(Ljava/lang/String;)V` reads a file whose location might be specified by user input [Scary(6), High confidence]

```

31     while (rs.next()) {
32         String usersrs.getString("uname");
33         System.out.println(users);
34     }
35 }
catch(Exception ex) {
36     ex.printStackTrace();
37 }
Scanner scanner = Scanner(System.in);
38 scanner.print("Enter file path");
39 System.out.print(scanner.nextLine());
40 String fpPathScan.nextLine();
41 if(fpPathScan.startsWith("./archive")) {
42     File file=new File(fpPath);
43     file.delete();
44 }
final String fpText=null;
Pattern p = Pattern.compile( "ab");
Matcher m = p.matcher(fpText);

```

Bug: `java.io.File.<init>(Ljava/lang/String;)V` reads a file whose location might be specified by user input

A file is opened to read its content. The filename comes from an `input` parameter. If an unfiltered parameter is passed to this file API, files from an arbitrary filesystem location could be read.

This rule identifies potential path traversal vulnerabilities. In many cases, the constructed file path cannot be controlled by the user. If that is the case, the reported instance is a false positive.

Vulnerable Code:

```

@GET
@Patch("/images/{image}")
@Produces("image/*")
public Response getImage(@javax.ws.rsPathParam("image") String image) {
    File file = new File("resources/images/", image); //Weak point
    if (!file.exists()) {
        return Response.status(Status.NOT_FOUND).build();
    }
}

```

q. Bug 5 `java.io.File.<init>(Ljava/lang/String;)V` reads a file whose location might be specified by user input [Scary(6), High confidence]

```

31     while (rs.next()) {
32         String usersrs.getString("uname");
33         System.out.println(users);
34     }
35 }
catch(Exception ex) {
36     ex.printStackTrace();
37 }
Scanner scanner = Scanner(System.in);
38 scanner.print("Enter file path");
39 System.out.print(scanner.nextLine());
40 String fpPathScan.nextLine();
41 if(fpPathScan.startsWith("./archive")) {
42     File file=new File(fpPath);
43     file.delete();
44 }
Exceptional return value of java.io.File.delete() ignored in testnew.test.main(String[])

```

Bug: Exceptional return value of `java.io.File.delete()` ignored in `testnew.test.main(String[])`

This method returns a value that is not checked. The return value should be checked since it can indicate an unusual or unexpected function execution. For example, the `File.delete()` method returns false if the file could not be successfully deleted (rather than throwing an Exception). If you don't check the result, you won't notice if the method invocation signals unexpected behavior by returning an atypical return value.

Rank: Of Concern (16), confidence: Normal
 Pattern: RV_RETURN_VALUE_IGNORED_BAD_PRACTICE
 Type: RV, Category: BAD_PRACTICE (Bad practice)

XML output:

```

<BugInstance type="RV_RETURN_VALUE_IGNORED_BAD_PRACTICE" priority="2" rank="16" abbrev="RV" category="BAD_PRACTICE" first="1">
<Class classname="testnew.test">
<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
<Class classname="testnew.test" name="main" signature="([Ljava/lang/String;)V" istatic="true">
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<Method classname="java.io.File" name="delete" signature="()Z" istatic="false" role="METHOD_CALLED">
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<Method classname="testnew.test" start="44" end="44" startBytecode="191" endBytecode="191" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="44" end="44" startBytecode="191" endBytecode="191" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</BugInstance>

```

r. Bug 6 `Exceptional return value of java.io.File.delete() ignored in testnew.test.main(String[])` [Of Concern(16), Normal confidence]

Bug: SHA-1 is not a recommended cryptographic hash function

The algorithms SHA-1 is not a recommended algorithm for hash password, for signature verification and other uses. **PBKDF2** should be used to hash password for security.

SHA-1 for digital signature generation:
SHA-1 may only be used for digital signature generation where specifically allowed by NIST protocol-specific guidance. For all other applications, SHA-1 shall not be used for digital signature generation.

SHA-1 for digital signature verification:
For digital signature verification, SHA-1 is allowed for legacy-use.

SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512, SHA-512/256, and SHA-512/256:
The use of these hash functions is acceptable for all hash function applications.

- **NIST Transitions: Recommendation for Transitioning the Use of Cryptographic Algorithms and Key Lengths p.15**

"The main idea of a PBKDF is to slow dictionary or brute force attacks on the passwords by increasing the time needed to test each password. An attacker with a list of likely passwords can evaluate the PBKDF using the known iteration counter and the salt. Since an attacker has to spend a significant amount of computing time for each try, it becomes harder to apply the dictionary or brute force attacks."

- **NIST Recommendation for Password-Based Key Derivation p.12**

Vulnerable Code:

```
MessageDigest sha1Digest = MessageDigest.getInstance("SHA1");
sha1Digest.update(password.getBytes());
byte[] hashValue = sha1Digest.digest();
```

Solution (Using bouncy castle):

```
public static byte[] getEncryptedPassword(String password, byte[] salt) throws NoSuchAlgorithmException, InvalidKeySpecException {
    PBEKeySpec spec = new PBEKeySpec(password.toCharArray(), salt, 4096, 256);
    SecretKeyFactory f = SecretKeyFactory.getInstance("PBKDF2WithHmacSHA256");
    return f.generateSecret(spec).getEncoded();
}
```

s. Bug 7

Solution (Using bouncy castle):

```
public static byte[] getEncryptedPassword(String password, byte[] salt) throws NoSuchAlgorithmException, InvalidKeySpecException {
    KeySpec spec = new PBEKeySpec(password.toCharArray(), salt, 4096, 256 * 8);
    SecretKeyFactory f = SecretKeyFactory.getInstance("PBKDF2WithHmacSHA256");
    return f.generateSecret(spec).getEncoded();
}
```

References:

- Google blog: SHA1 Deprecation: What You Need to Know
- Google Online Security Blog: Gradually sunsetting SHA-1
- NIST Transitions: Recommendation for Transitioning the Use of Cryptographic Algorithms and Key Lengths
- NIST Recommendation for Password-Based Key Derivation
- Stackoverflow: Reliable implementation of PBKDF2-HMAC-SHA256 for Java
- CWE-347: Use of a Broken or Risky Cryptographic Algorithm

Rank: Scary (7), confidence: Normal
Pattern: WEAK_MESSAGE_DIGEST_SHA1
Type: SECSSHAI, Category: SECURITY (Security)

XML output:

```
<BugInstance type="WEAK_MESSAGE_DIGEST_SHA1" priority="2" rank="7" abbrev="SECSSHAI" category="SECURITY" first="1">
<Class classname="test.java">
```

t. Bug 8

Bug Explorer

Sample (10)

- Scary (6)**
 - High confidence (3)**
 - Java.lang.Runtime.exec (1)
 - This usage of `java.lang.Runtime.exec()` is problematic
 - Potential Path Traversal (file read) (1)**
 - `java.io.File.<in>(Ljava/lang/String;)V` reads a file
 - Normal confidence (3)**
 - Hard Coded Password (1)
 - Emitted database password in testnew.test.mnar (1)
 - Predictable pseudorandom number generator (1)
 - The use of `java.lang.Math.random()` is predictable
 - String is a weak hash function (1)
 - String is not a recommended cryptographic hash (1)
 - Of Concern (4)**
 - Class names should start with an upper case letter (1)
 - The class name `testnew.test` doesn't start with an uppercase letter
 - Method ignores exception return value (1)
 - `testnew.test.main(String[])` may fail to close its streams
 - Method ignores exceptional return value (1)
 - `testnew.test.main(String[])` may fail to close its streams
 - Method ignores exceptional return value of `java.io.File.delete()` (1)
 - Exceptional return value of `java.io.File.delete()` is not handled

Bug Info

The use of `java.lang.Math.random()` is predictable
Value [java.lang.Math.random()]

```
try {
    final int randomInput = 1 + (int) Math.round(Math.random() * 1.0);
    checkStringLength(randomInput);
} catch (final IllegalArgumentException e) {
    System.out.println("Error - " + e.getMessage());
}
```

References

- Cracking Random Number Generators - Part 1 (<http://jazzy.id.au>)
- CERT_MSC02_J_Generate strong random numbers
- CWE-330: Use of Insufficiently Random Values
- Predicting Struts CSRF Token (Example of real-life vulnerability and exploitation)

Rank: Scary (7), **confidence:** Normal
Pattern: PREDICTABLE_RANDOM
Type: SECPR, **Category:** SECURITY (Security)

XML output:

```
<BugInstance type="PREDICTABLE_RANDOM" priority="2" rank="7" abbrev="SECPR" category="SECURITY" first="1">
<Class classname="testnew.test">
  <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</Class>
<Method classname="testnew.test" name="main" signature="([Ljava/lang/String;)V" isStatic="true">
  <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="1" end="91" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="1172" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</Method>
<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="75" end="75" startBytecode="402" endBytecode="402" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
<String value="java.lang.Math.random()"/>
</BugInstance>
```

Reported by: com.kitturen.findebugs.PredictableRandomDetector
Contributed by plugin: com.kitturen.findebugs
Provider: Find Security Bugs (<https://findsecbugs.github.io>)

u. Bug 9 The use of `java.lang.Math.random()` is predictable [Scary(7), Normal confidence]

a. When the Security Mode is not enabled, ie only findbugs Able to find 4 bugs(Of Concern)

Bug Explorer

Sample (4)

- Of Concern (4)**
 - Normal confidence (4)**
 - Class names should start with an upper case letter (1)**
 - The class name `testnew.test` doesn't start with an uppercase letter
 - Method ignores exception return value (1)**
 - `testnew.test.main(String[])` may fail to close its streams
 - Method ignores exceptional return value (1)**
 - `testnew.test.main(String[])` may fail to close its streams
 - Method ignores exceptional return value of `java.io.File.delete()` (1)**
 - Exceptional return value of `java.io.File.delete()` is not handled

FindBugs

Preferences

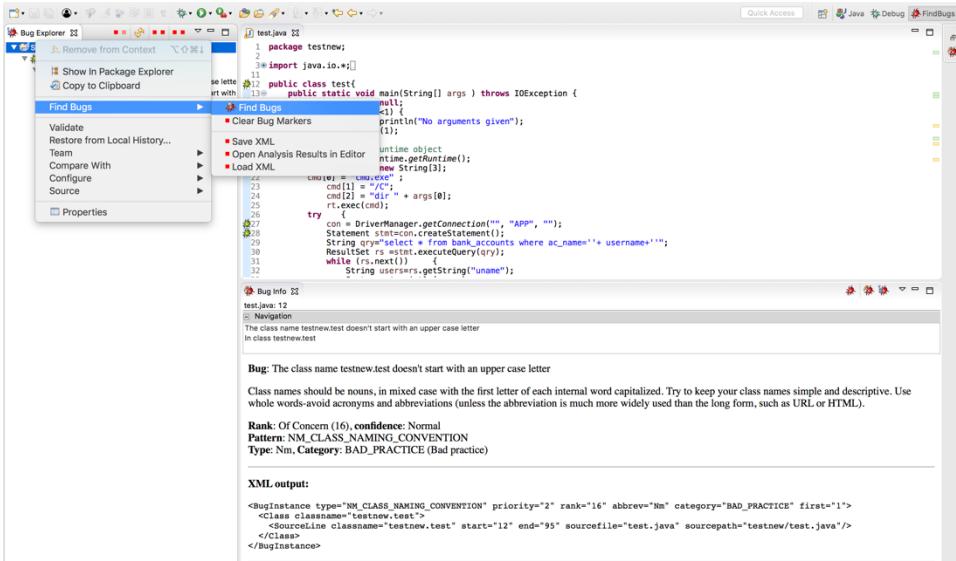
Reporter Configuration

analysis effort: Default
Store issue evaluations in: (only configurable at the project level) [cloud disabled]
Minimum rank to report: (1 is most severe, 20 is least) 16 (Of Concern)
Minimum confidence to report: Medium
Reported (visible) bug categories:
 Bad practice
 Malicious code vulnerability
 Correctness
 Performance
 Security
 Dodgy code
 Experimental
 Multithreaded correctness
 Internationalization

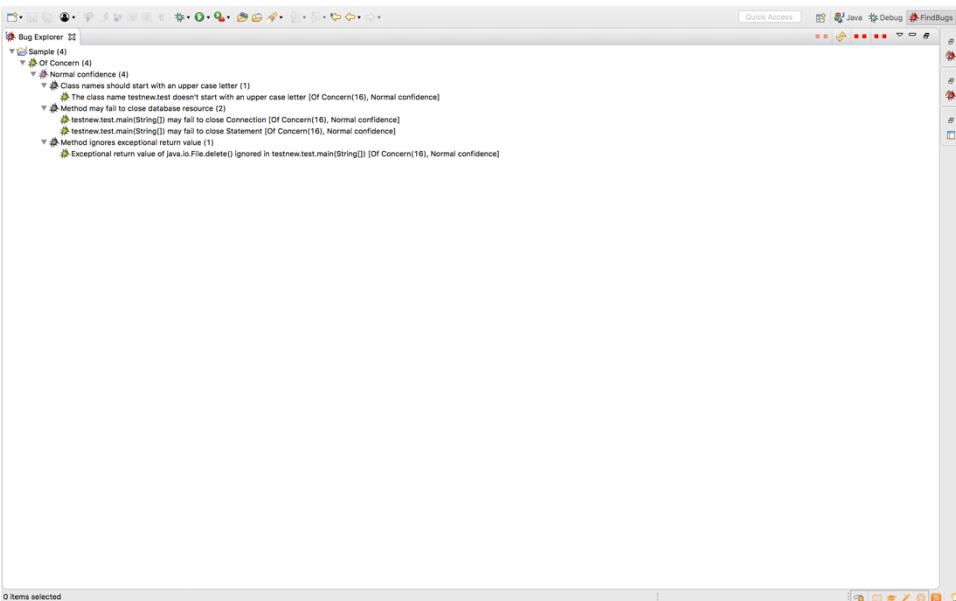
Mark bugs with ... rank as:
Scarlet: Warning
Scary: Warning
Troubling: Warning
Of concern: Warning

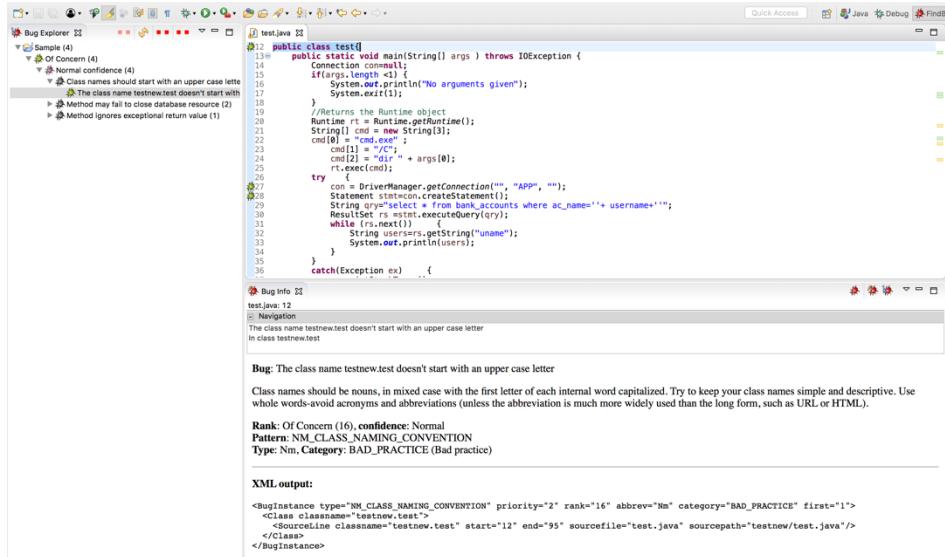
XML output:

```
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</Class>
</BugInstance>
```



b.





```

12 public class Test{
13     public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
14         Connection con=null;
15         if(args.length <1>){
16             System.out.println("No arguments given");
17             System.exit(1);
18         }
19         //Returns the Runtime object
20         Runtime rt = Runtime.getRuntime();
21         String[] cmd = new String[3];
22         cmd[0] = "cmd.exe";
23         cmd[1] = "/c";
24         cmd[2] = "dir" + args[0];
25         rt.exec(cmd);
26     }
27     try {
28         con = DriverManager.getConnection("", "APP", "");
29         Statement stmt=con.createStatement();
30         String qry="select * from bank_accounts where ac_name='"+username+"'";
31         ResultSet rs =stmt.executeQuery(qry);
32         while (rs.next()) {
33             String user=rs.getString("uname");
34             System.out.println(user);
35         }
36     } catch(Exception ex) {
37     }
}

```

Bug Info: test.java 12

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In class testnew.test

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Class names should be nouns, in mixed case with the first letter of each internal word capitalized. Try to keep your class names simple and descriptive. Use whole words-avoid acronyms and abbreviations (unless the abbreviation is much more widely used than the long form, such as URL or HTML).

Rank: Of Concern (16), **confidence:** Normal
Pattern: NM_CLASS_NAMING_CONVENTION
Type: Nm, Category: BAD_PRACTICE (Bad practice)

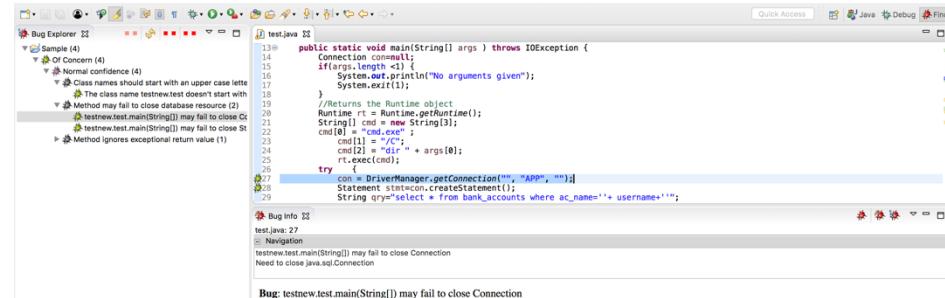
XML output:

```

<BugInstance type="NM_CLASS_NAMING_CONVENTION" priority="2" rank="16" abrev="Nm" category="BAD_PRACTICE" first="1">
<Class classname="testnew.test">
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</Class>
</BugInstance>

```

d. Bug 1 [The class name testnew.test doesn't start with an upper case letter (Of Concern(16), Normal confidence)]



```

13 public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
14     Connection con=null;
15     if(args.length <1>){
16         System.out.println("No arguments given");
17         System.exit(1);
18     }
19     //Returns the Runtime object
20     Runtime rt = Runtime.getRuntime();
21     String[] cmd = new String[3];
22     cmd[0] = "cmd.exe";
23     cmd[1] = "/c";
24     cmd[2] = "dir" + args[0];
25     rt.exec(cmd);
26     try {
27         con = DriverManager.getConnection("", "APP", "");
28         Statement stmt=con.createStatement();
29         String qry="select * from bank_accounts where ac_name='"+username+"'";
30     } catch(Exception ex) {
31     }
}

```

Bug Info: test.java 27

Bug: testnew.test.main(String[]) may fail to close Connection

testnew.test.main(String[]) may fail to close Connection

Need to close java.sql.Connection

Bug: testnew.test.main(String[]) may fail to close Connection

The method creates a database resource (such as a database connection or row set), does not assign it to any fields, pass it to other methods, or return it, and does not appear to close the object on all paths out of the method. Failure to close database resources on all paths out of a method may result in poor performance, and could cause the application to have problems communicating with the database.

Rank: Of Concern (16), **confidence:** Normal
Pattern: ODR_OPEN_DATABASE_RESOURCE
Type: ODR, Category: BAD_PRACTICE (Bad practice)

XML output:

```

<BugInstance type="ODR_OPEN_DATABASE_RESOURCE" priority="2" rank="16" abrev="ODR" category="BAD_PRACTICE" first="1">
<Class classname="testnew.test">
<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</Class>
<Method classname="testnew.test" name="main" signature="([Ljava/lang/String;)V" isStatic="true">
<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="14" end="81" startByCode="0" endByCode="204" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</Method>
<Type descriptor="Ljava/sql/Connection;" role="TYPE_CLOSEIT">
<SourceLine classname="java.sql.Connection" sourcefile="Connection.java" sourcepath="java/sql/Connection.java"/>
</Type>
<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="22" end="27" startByCode="72" endByCode="72" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
<SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="27" end="27" startByCode="72" endByCode="72" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</BugInstance>

```

e. Bug 2 [testnew.test.main(String[]) may fail to close Connection (Of Concern(16), Normal confidence)]

```

public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
    Connection connnull;
    if(args.length < 1) {
        System.out.println("No arguments given");
        System.exit(1);
    }
    //Returns the Runtime object
    Runtime rt = Runtime.getRuntime();
    String[] cmd = new String[3];
    cmd[0] = "cmd";
    cmd[1] = "/";
    cmd[2] = args[0];
    rt.exec(cmd);
}
try {
    con = DriverManager.getConnection("", "APP", "");
    Statement statement[] = con.createStatement();
    String query="select * from bank_accounts where ac_name='"+username+"'";
}

```

Bug Info

test.java:28

Navigation

testnew.test.main(String[]) may fail to close Statement
Need to close java.sql.Statement

Bug: testnew.test.main(String[]) may fail to close Statement

The method creates a database resource (such as a database connection or row set), does not assign it to any fields, pass it to other methods, or return it, and does not appear to close the object on all paths out of the method. Failure to close database resources on all paths out of a method may result in poor performance, and could cause the application to have problems communicating with the database.

Rank: Of Concern (16), confidence: Normal
Pattern: ODR_OPEN_DATABASE_RESOURCE
Type: ODR, Category: BAD_PRACTICE (Bad practice)

XML output:

```

<BugInstance type="ODR_OPEN_DATABASE_RESOURCE" priority="2" rank="16" abbrev="ODR" category="BAD_PRACTICE" first="1">
    <Class classname="testnew.test">
        <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
    </Class>
    <Method classname="testnew.test" name="main" signature="([Ljava/lang/String;)V" isStatic="true">
        <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="14" end="81" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="204" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
    </Method>
    <Type descriptor="Ljava/sql/Statement;" role="TYPE_CLOSEISIT">
        <SourceLine classname="java.sql.Statement" start="1092" end="1168" sourcefile="Statement.java" sourcepath="java/sql/Statement.java"/>
    </Type>
    <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="28" end="28" startBytecode="77" endBytecode="77" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
    <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="28" end="28" startBytecode="77" endBytecode="77" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</BugInstance>

```

f. Bug 3

```

        catch(Exception ex) {
            ex.printStackTrace();
        }
        Scanner scanner=new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.print("Enter file path:");
        String path=scanner.nextLine();
        if(path.startsWith("archive/")) {
            File filenew=new File(path);
            filenew.delete();
        }
        final String abmnull= null;
        Pattern p=Pattern.compile("abm");
        Matcher m = p.matcher("IPtext");
        while(m.find()) {
            System.out.println("Pattern found from ");
            File f=new File("Welcome.txt");
            BufferedReader br=new BufferedReader(new FileReader(f));

```

Bug Info

test.java:44

Navigation

Exceptional return value of java.io.File.delete() ignored in testnew.test.main(String[])

Bug: Exceptional return value of java.io.File.delete() ignored in testnew.test.main(String[])

This method returns a value that is not checked. The return value should be checked since it can indicate an unusual or unexpected function execution. For example, the File.delete() method returns false if the file could not be successfully deleted (rather than throwing an Exception). If you don't check the result, you won't notice if the method invocation signals unexpected behavior by returning an atypical return value.

Rank: Of Concern (16), confidence: Normal
Pattern: RV_RETURN_VALUE_IGNORED_BAD_PRACTICE
Type: RV, Category: BAD_PRACTICE (Bad practice)

XML output:

```

<BugInstance type="RV_RETURN_VALUE_IGNORED_BAD_PRACTICE" priority="2" rank="16" abbrev="RV" category="BAD_PRACTICE" first="1">
    <Class classname="testnew.test">
        <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
    </Class>
    <Method classname="testnew.test" name="main" signature="([Ljava/lang/String;)V" isStatic="true">
        <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="14" end="81" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="1172" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
    </Method>
    <Method classname="java.io.File" name="delete" signature="()Z" isStatic="false" role="METHOD_CALLED">
        <SourceLine classname="java.io.File" start="1034" end="1041" startBytecode="91" sourcefile="File.java" sourcepath="java/io/File.java"/>
    </Method>
    <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="44" end="44" startBytecode="191" endBytecode="191" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
    <SourceLine classname="testnew.test" start="44" end="44" startBytecode="191" endBytecode="191" sourcefile="test.java" sourcepath="testnew/test.java"/>
</BugInstance>

```

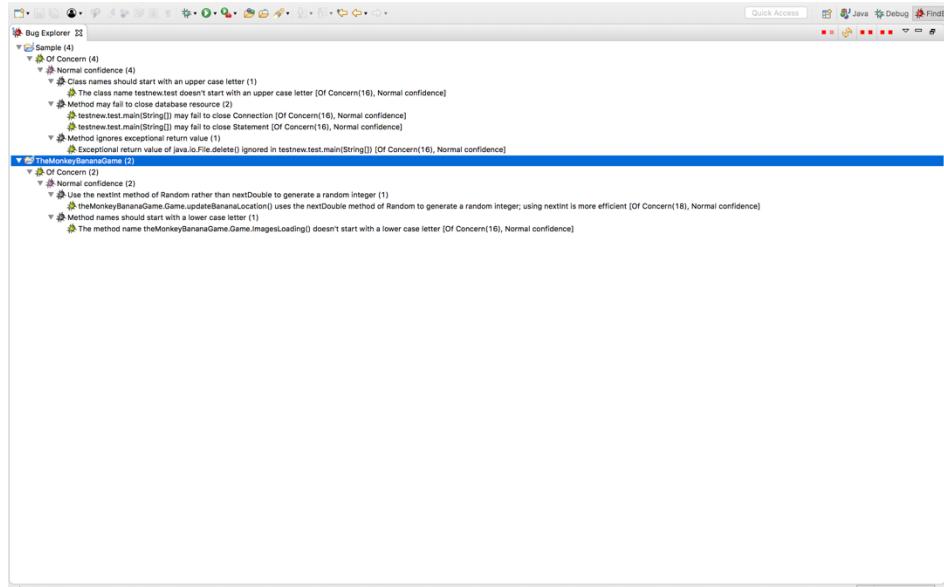
g. Bug 4

Exceptional return value of java.io.File.delete() ignored in testnew.test.main(String[])

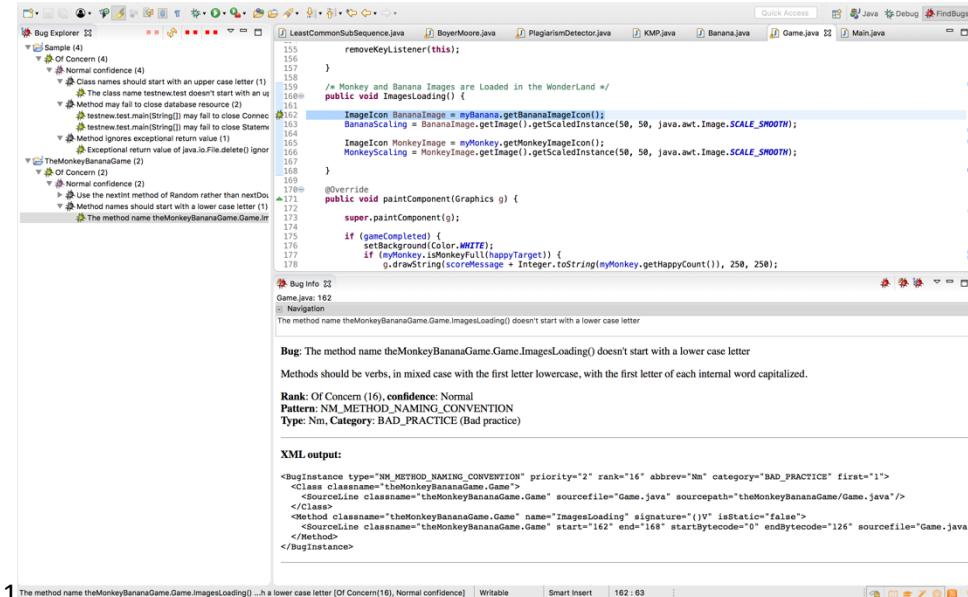
My code (TheMonkeyBananaGame):

Reference: <https://github.com/svrswetha/Software-Design-Patterns>

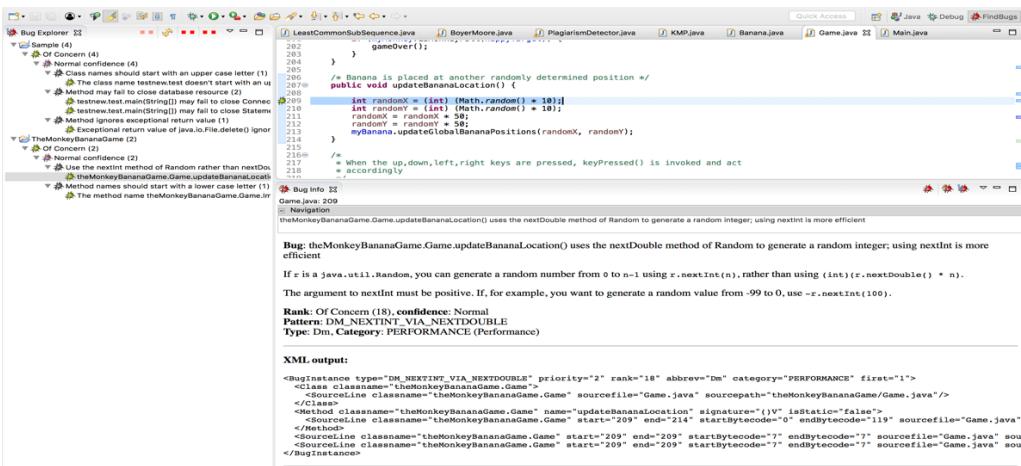
I have used findbugs & Security Bugs is to limit the scan to Securityonly bug detectors on My Code(TheMonkeyBananaGame). With Security mode disabled(Findbugs), it gave 2 bugs



a.

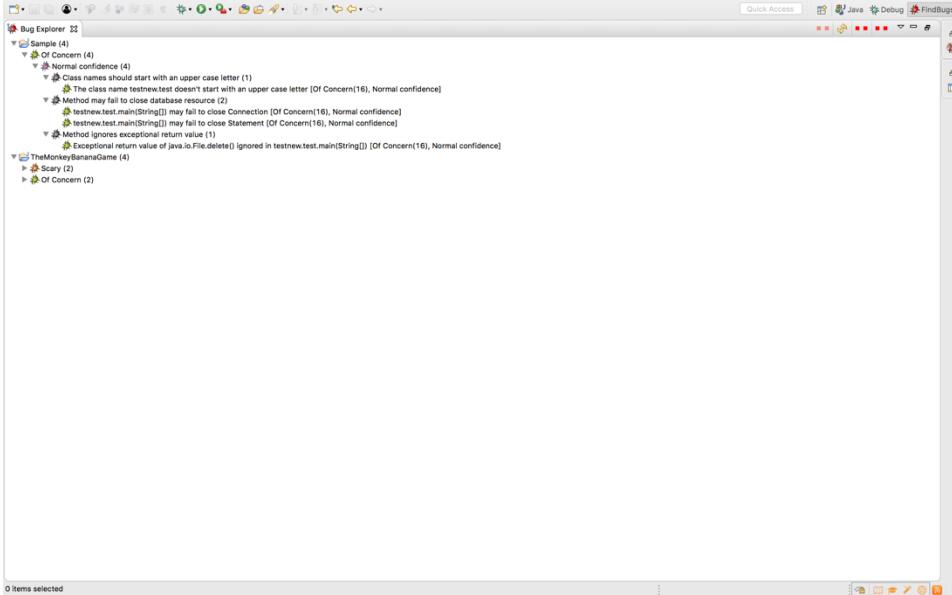


b. Bug 1

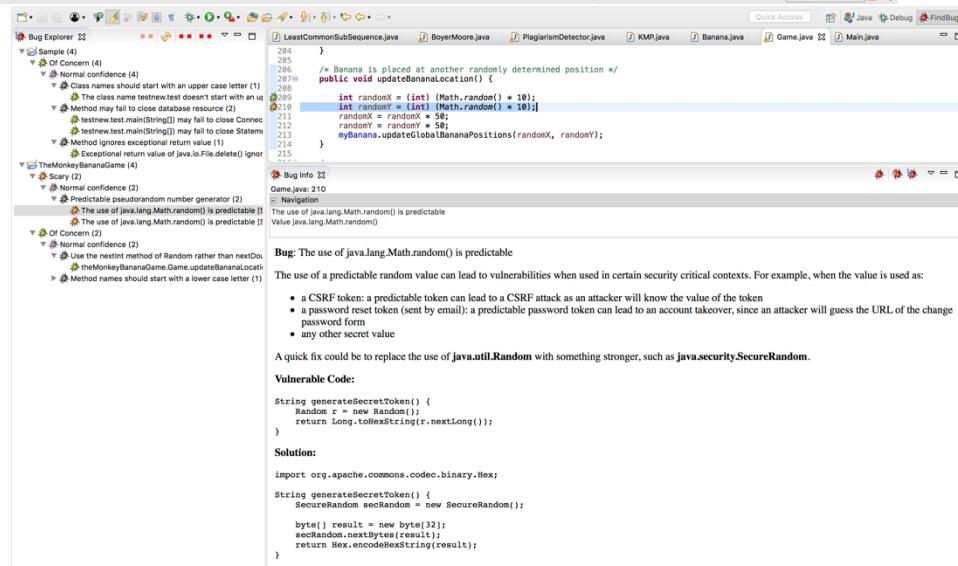


c. Bug 2

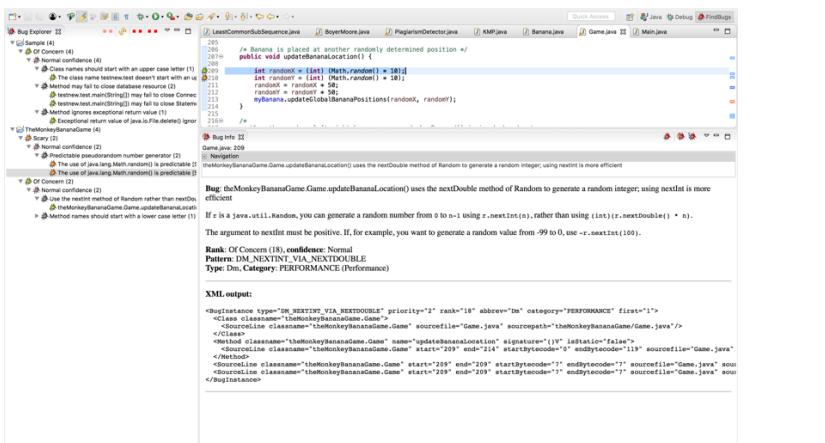
d. When the Security mode is enabled (FindSecurityBugs), it gave 4 bugs



e.



f. Bug 1



g. Bug 2

Bug Explorer [4] Quick Access Java Debug FindBugs

Sample (4)

- Of Concern (4)
 - Normal confidence (4)
 - Predictable pseudorandom number generator (2)
 - The use of java.lang.Math.random() is predictable [1]
 - The use of java.lang.Math.random() is predictable [2]
 - Method may fail to close database resource (2)
 - testnew.main[String[]] may fail to close Connection [1]
 - testnew.main[String[]] may fail to close Statement [2]
 - Method ignores exceptional return value (1)
 - Exceptional return value of java.io.File.delete() ignored
- Scary (2)
 - Normal confidence (2)
 - Predictable pseudorandom number generator (2)
 - The use of java.lang.Math.random() is predictable [1]
 - The use of java.lang.Math.random() is predictable [2]
- Of Concern (2)
 - Normal confidence (2)
 - Use the nextInt method of Random rather than nextDouble [1]
 - theMonkeyBananaGame.Game.updateBananaLocation() uses the nextDouble method of Random to generate a random integer; using nextInt is more efficient

Bug: theMonkeyBananaGame.Game.updateBananaLocation() uses the nextDouble method of Random to generate a random integer; using nextInt is more efficient

If r is a java.util.Random, you can generate a random number from 0 to n-1 using r.nextInt(), rather than using (int)(r.nextDouble() * n).

The argument to nextInt must be positive. If, for example, you want to generate a random value from -99 to 0, use -r.nextInt(100).

Rank: Of Concern (18), confidence: Normal
Pattern: DM_NEXTINT_VIA_NEXTDOUBLE
Type: Dm, Category: PERFORMANCE (Performance)

XML output:

```
<BugInstance type="DM_NEXTINT_VIA_NEXTDOUBLE" priority="2" rank="18" abbrev="Dm" category="PERFORMANCE" first="1">
<Class classname="theMonkeyBananaGame.Game">
<SourceLine classname="theMonkeyBananaGame.Game" sourcefile="Game.java" sourcepath="theMonkeyBananaGame/Game.java"/>
</Class>
<Method classname="theMonkeyBananaGame.Game" name="updateBananaLocation" signature="()V" isStatic="false">
<SourceLine classname="theMonkeyBananaGame.Game" start="209" end="214" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="119" sourcefile="Game.java"/>
<Method>
<SourceLine classname="theMonkeyBananaGame.Game" start="209" end="209" startBytecode="?" endBytecode="?" sourcefile="Game.java" sou
</SourceLine>
</Method>
</BugInstance>
```

h. Bug 3 The use of java.lang.Math.random() is predictable [Scary(7), Normal confidence]

Bug Explorer [4] Quick Access Java Debug FindBugs

Sample (4)

- Of Concern (4)
 - Normal confidence (4)
 - Class names should start with an upper case letter (1)
 - The class name testnew.test doesn't start with an uppercase letter [1]
 - Method may fail to close database resource (2)
 - testnew.main[String[]] may fail to close Connection [1]
 - testnew.main[String[]] may fail to close Statement [2]
 - Method ignores exceptional return value (1)
 - Exceptional return value of java.io.File.delete() ignored
- Scary (2)
 - Normal confidence (2)
 - Predictable pseudorandom number generator (2)
 - The use of java.lang.Math.random() is predictable [1]
 - The use of java.lang.Math.random() is predictable [2]
- Of Concern (2)
 - Normal confidence (2)
 - Use the nextInt method of Random rather than nextDouble [1]
 - theMonkeyBananaGame.Game.updateBananaLocati

Bug: The method name theMonkeyBananaGame.Game.ImagesLoading() doesn't start with a lower case letter

Methods should be verbs, in mixed case with the first letter lowercase, with the first letter of each internal word capitalized.

Rank: Of Concern (16), confidence: Normal
Pattern: NM_METHOD_NAMING_CONVENTION
Type: Nm, Category: BAD_PRACTICE (Bad practice)

XML output:

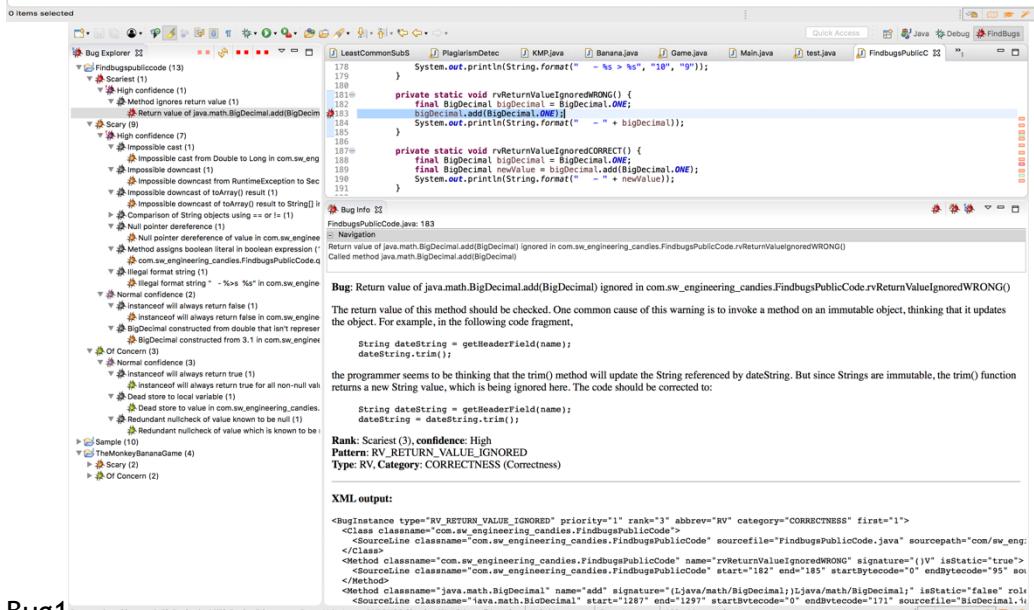
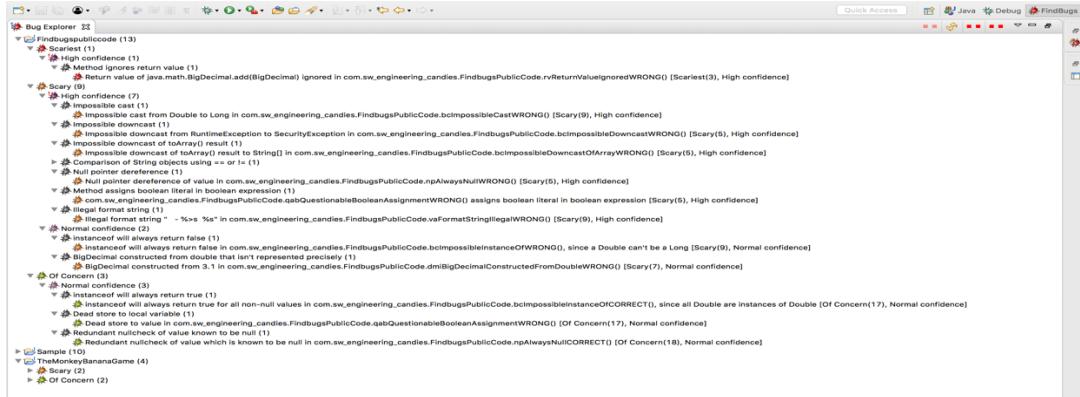
```
<BugInstance type="NM_METHOD_NAMING_CONVENTION" priority="2" rank="16" abbrev="Nm" category="BAD_PRACTICE" first="1">
<Class classname="theMonkeyBananaGame.Game">
<SourceLine classname="theMonkeyBananaGame.Game" sourcefile="Game.java" sourcepath="theMonkeyBananaGame/Game.java"/>
</Class>
<Method classname="theMonkeyBananaGame.Game" name="ImagesLoading" signature="()V" isStatic="false">
<SourceLine classname="theMonkeyBananaGame.Game" start="162" end="168" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="126" sourcefile="Game.java"/>
</Method>
</BugInstance>
```

i. Bug 4 The method name theMonkeyBananaGame.Game.ImagesLoading() ...h a lower case letter [Of Concern(16), Normal confidence]

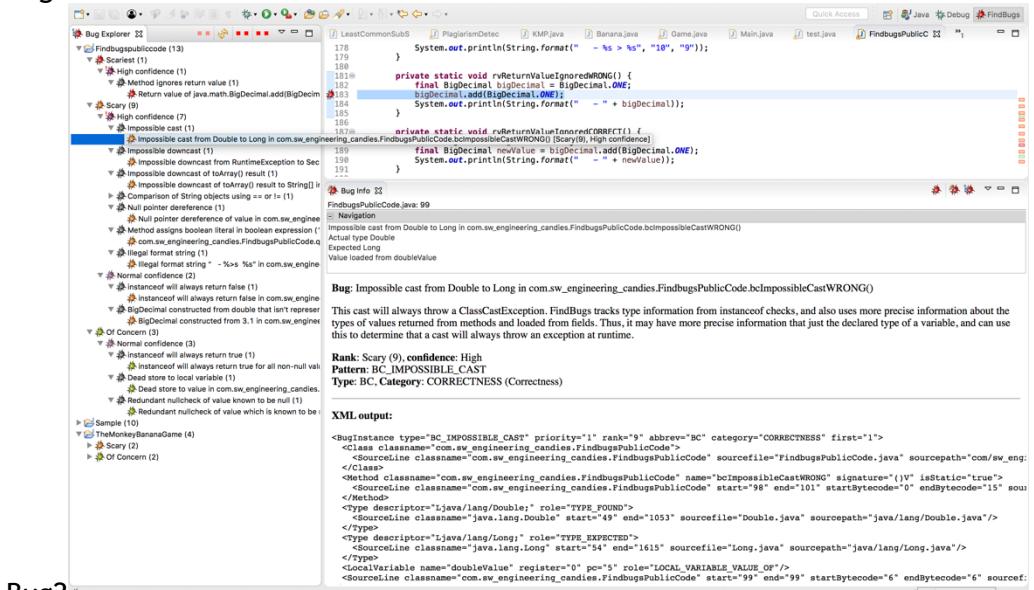
Public Code:

With the findbugs along with security category enabled or disabled, the below code is giving 13 bugs.

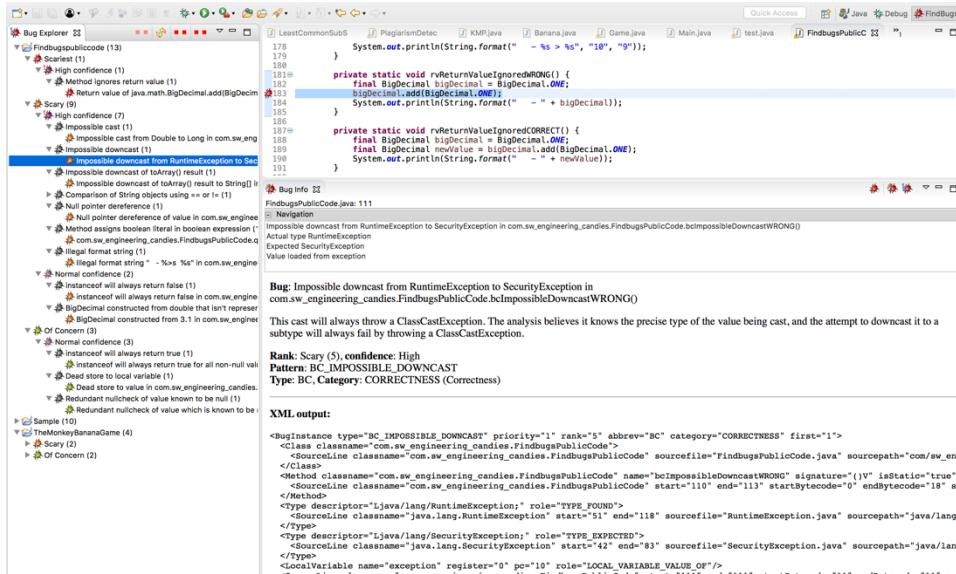
Reference:<http://www.sw-engineering-candies.com/blog-1/findbugstmwarningsbysample-part1>



Bug1



Bug2

Bug3 

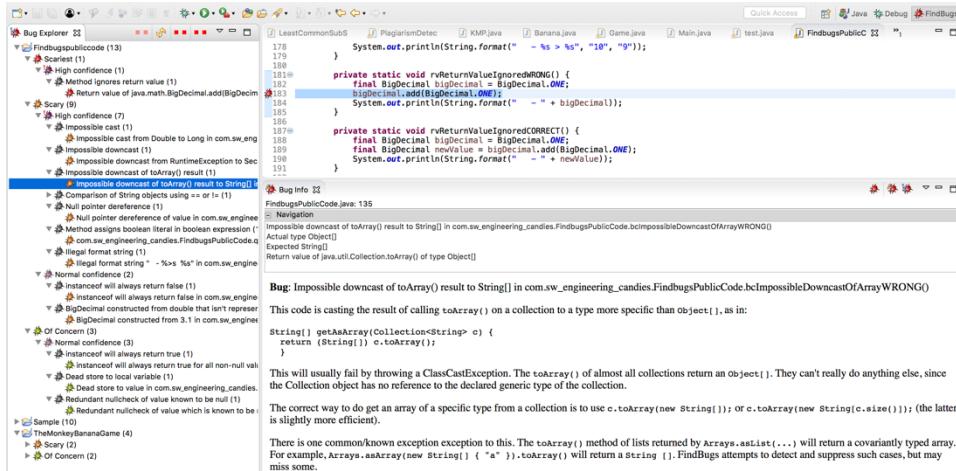
```

private static void rValueIgnoredWRONG() {
    final BigDecimal bigDecimal = BigDecimal.ONE;
    bigDecimal.add(BigDecimal.ZERO);
    System.out.println(String.format(" - %s > %s", "10", "0"));
}

private static void rValueIgnoredCORRECT() {
    final BigDecimal bigDecimal = BigDecimal.ONE;
    final BigDecimal newValue = bigDecimal.add(BigDecimal.ONE);
    System.out.println(String.format(" - %s + %s", bigDecimal));
}

```

Bug3

Bug3 

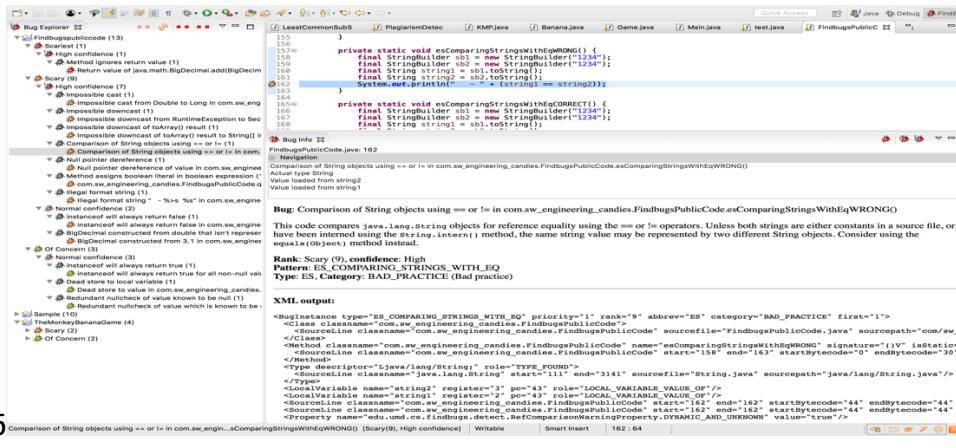
```

private static void rValueIgnoredWRONG() {
    final String[] strings = new String[1];
    strings[0] = "abc";
    System.out.println(String.format(" - %s > %s", "10", "0"));
}

private static void rValueIgnoredCORRECT() {
    final String[] strings = new String[1];
    strings[0] = "abc";
    System.out.println(String.format(" - %s + %s", strings));
}

```

Bug4

Bug4 

```

private static void esComparingStringsWithEqWRONG() {
    final StringBuilder sb1 = new StringBuilder("1234");
    final String string1 = sb1.toString();
    final StringBuilder sb2 = new StringBuilder("1234");
    final String string2 = sb2.toString();
    System.out.println(string1 == string2);
}

private static void esComparingStringsWithEqCORRECT() {
    final StringBuilder sb1 = new StringBuilder("1234");
    final String string1 = sb1.toString();
    final StringBuilder sb2 = new StringBuilder("1234");
    final String string2 = sb2.toString();
    System.out.println(string1.equals(string2));
}

```

Bug6

```

<BugInstance type="NP_ALWAYS_NULL" priority="1" rank="5" abbrev="NP" category="CORRECTNESS" first="1">
    <Class classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode">
        <SourceLine classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" sourcefile="FindbugsPublicCode.java" sourcepath="com/sw_eng/FindbugsPublicCode.java" start="195" end="196" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="169" source="final String string1 = sb1.toString(); final String string2 = sb2.toString(); System.out.println(" " + [string1 == string2]);" />
    </Class>
    <Method classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" name="npAlwaysNullWRONG" signature="()V" isStatic="true">
        <SourceLine classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" start="194" end="200" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="169" source="final String string1 = sb1.toString(); final String string2 = sb2.toString(); System.out.println(" " + [string1 == string2]);" />
    </Method>
    <LocalVariable name="value" register="0" pc="11" role="LOCAL_VARIABLE_VALUE_OF"/>
    <SourceLine classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" start="195" end="195" startBytecode="12" endBytecode="12" source="final String string1 = sb1.toString(); final String string2 = sb2.toString(); System.out.println(" " + [string1 == string2]);" />
</BugInstance>

```

Bug6

Bug7

```

<BugInstance type="QBA_QUESTIONABLE_BOOLEAN_ASSIGNMENT" priority="1" rank="5" abbrev="QBA" category="CORRECTNESS" first="1">
    <Class classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode">
        <SourceLine classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" sourcefile="FindbugsPublicCode.java" sourcepath="com/sw_eng/FindbugsPublicCode.java" start="212" end="218" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="11" source="final String string1 = sb1.toString(); final String string2 = sb2.toString(); System.out.println(" " + [string1 == string2]);" />
    </Class>
    <Method classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" name="qbaQuestionableBooleanAssignmentWRONG" signature="()V" isStatic="true">
        <SourceLine classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" start="213" end="213" startBytecode="5" endBytecode="5" source="final String string1 = sb1.toString(); final String string2 = sb2.toString(); System.out.println(" " + [string1 == string2]);" />
    </Method>
</BugInstance>

```

Bug7

The screenshot shows the Eclipse IDE interface with several error and warning pop-ups displayed across the top and bottom of the screen. The code being analyzed is related to the FindBugs library, specifically the `FindBugsPublicCode` package.

FindBugs (13 errors)

- Scarcity (1)
 - High confidence (1)
 - Method ignores return value (1)
 - Return value of `java.math.BigDecimal.add(BigDecim...`- Scarcy (1)
 - High confidence (1)
 - Impossible cast (1)
 - Impossible cast from Double to Long in `com.sw....`
 - Impossible downcast (1)
 - Impossible downcast from RuntimeException to Sec...
 - Impossible downcast of `takayuki` result (1)
 - Impossible downcast of `takayuki` result to `String` (1)- Comparison of String objects using == or != (1)
 - Comparison of String objects using == or != in `com....`
- Null pointer dereferencing (1)
 - Null pointer dereferencing of `value` in `com....`
- Method assigns boolean literal to boolean expression (1)
 - Method assigns boolean literal to boolean expression in `com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode....`
- Illegal format string (1)
 - Illegal format string: "%s>s %s" in `com.sw....`

FindBugs (1 warning)

- FormatStringIllegalCode.java: 174
 - Navigation

Illegal format string: "%s>s %s" in `com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode.vaFormatStringIllegalWRONG()`. Called method `String.format(String, Object)`. Format string: "%s>s %s"

Bug Info

FormatStringIllegalCode.java: 174

Bug: Illegal format string - '%s>s %s' in `com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode.vaFormatStringIllegalWRONG()`

The format string is syntactically invalid, and a runtime exception will occur when this statement is executed.

Rank: Scary (9), **confidence**: High

Pattern: VA_FORMAT_STRING_ILLEGAL

Type: FS, **Category**: CORRECTNESS (Correctness)

XML output

```
<Bug instance-type="VA_FORMAT_STRING_ILLEGAL" priority="1" id="9" abbrev="F9" category="CORRECTNESS" first="1">
    <Class classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" />
    <Sourcefile classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" sourcefile="FindbugsPublicCode.java" sourcepad="com.sw...." />
    <Class classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" name="vaFormatStringIllegalWRONG" signature="(V)V" isStatic="true" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="61" sourcefile="FindbugsPublicCode.java" sourcepad="com.sw...." />
    <Method>
        <Decl classname="java.lang.String" name="format" signature="(Ljava/lang/String;[Ljava/lang/Object;)Ljava/lang/String;" isStatic="true" startBytecode="2940" endBytecode="2940" startBytecode="0" endBytecode="39" sourcefile="String.java" sourcepad="com.sw...." />
        <String value=" - %s>s %s" name="STRING_FORMAT_STRING" />
        <Sourcefile classname="com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode" start="174" end="174" startBytecode="19" endBytecode="19" sourcefile="FindbugsPublicCode.java" sourcepad="com.sw...." />
    </Method>
</Bug>
```

Bug8

The screenshot shows the FindBugs IDE interface with several tabs open:

- Java Explorer
- LeastCommonSubs
- PlagiarismDete...
- KMP.java
- Banana.java
- Game.java
- Main.java
- test.java
- FindbugsPublicCode
- Scary(1)
- Of Concern(3)
- Sample(19)
- TheMazeBananaGame(4)
- Scary(2)
- Of Concern(2)

The main pane displays search results for 'FindbugsPublicCode.java' under the 'Scary' category:

Scary(1)

- High confidence (1)
 - Method ignores return value (1)
 - Return value of java.math.BigDecimal.add(BigDecim...
- Medium confidence (7)
 - Impossible cast (1)
 - Impossible cast from Double to Long in com.sw.engi...
 - Impossible downcast from RuntimeException to Se...
 - Impossible downcast of to(kay) result (1)
 - Impossible downcast of to(kay) result (1)
 - Comparison of String objects using == or != (1)
 - Comparison of String objects using == or != in com...
 - Null pointer dereference of value in com.sw.engine...
 - Method assigns boolean literal in boolean expression (1)
 - com.sw.engineering_candies.FindbugsPublicCode...
 - Illegal formating (1)
 - Illegal formating (1)
 - Normal confidence (2)
 - Instanceof will always return false (1)
 - Instanceof will always return false in com.sw.engine...
 - Redundant instanceof construction from double that isn't representable (1)
 - Redundant instanceof construction from 3.1 in com.sw.engine...

Bug10

The screenshot shows the FindBugs IDE interface with several tabs open. The main editor window displays a Java file named `FindbugsPublicCode.java`. Numerous code snippets are highlighted in yellow and red, indicating various types of bugs found by the FindBugs tool. These include issues like `Scary1`, `Scary2`, `Scary3`, `High confidence`, `Impossible downcast`, `Impossible downcast from RuntimeException`, `Impossible downcast of toValue(result)`, `Instanceof will always return true`, `Comparison of String objects using == or !=`, `Comparison of String objects using <= or >=`, `Nil pointer dereference`, `Nil pointer dereference of value in com_sw_engineering_candies.FindbugsPublicCode.bcImpossibleInstanceOfINCORRECT()`, `Normal confidence`, `Instanced will always return true`, `Instanced will always return true for non-null values`, `Dead store to local variable`, `Dead store to value in com_sw_engineering_candies.FindbugsPublicCode.java`, `Redundant nullcheck of value known to be null`, and `Redundant nullcheck of value which is known to be null`. The left sidebar lists other files and sample projects. A navigation bar at the top includes tabs for `Java` and `Debug`.

```

155     }
156     private static void esComparingStringWithEqWRONG() {
157         final StringBuilder sb1 = new StringBuilder("1234");
158         final StringBuilder sb2 = new StringBuilder("1234");
159         final String string1 = sb1.toString();
160         final String string2 = sb2.toString();
161         final String string3 = sb1.toString();
162         System.out.println(" - " + (string1 == string2));
163     }
164     private static void esComparingStringWithEqCORRECT() {
165         final StringBuilder sb1 = new StringBuilder("1234");
166         final StringBuilder sb2 = new StringBuilder("1234");
167         final String string1 = sb1.toString();
168         final String string2 = sb2.toString();

```

Bug Info

FindbugsPublicCode.java: 213

Navigation

Dead store to value in com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode.qbQuestionableBooleanAssignmentWRONG()

Note that Sun's Java compiler often generates dead stores for final local variables. Because FindBugs is a bytecode-based tool, there is no easy way to eliminate these false positives.

Rank: Of Concern (17), **confidence:** Normal
Pattern: DLS_DEAD_LOCAL_STORE
Type: DLS, Category: STYLE (Dodgy code)

XMLE output:

```

<BugInstance type="DLS_DEAD_LOCAL_STORE" priority="2" rank="17" abbrev="DLS" category="STYLE" first="1">
    <Class classname="com.sw_engineering_candies.FindbugsPublicCode">
        <SourceLine classname="com.sw_engineering_candies.FindbugsPublicCode" sourcefile="FindbugsPublicCode.java" sourcepath="com/sw_eng/classname">
            <Method classname="com.sw_engineering_candies.FindbugsPublicCode" name="qbQuestionableBooleanAssignmentWRONG" signature="()V" isStatic="true">
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                        <Property name="edu.umd.cs.findbugs.detect.DeadLocalStoreProperty.BAE_VALUE" value="true"/>
                    <Property name="edu.umd.cs.findbugs.detect.DeadLocalStoreProperty.LOCAL_NAME" value="value"/>
                    <Property name="edu.umd.cs.findbugs.detect.DeadLocalStoreProperty.NO_LOADS" value="true"/>
    </BugInstance>

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Bug12

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155     }
156     private static void esComparingStringWithEqWRONG() {
157         final StringBuilder sb1 = new StringBuilder("1234");
158         final StringBuilder sb2 = new StringBuilder("1234");
159         final String string1 = sb1.toString();
160         final String string2 = sb2.toString();
161         final String string3 = sb1.toString();
162         System.out.println(" - " + (string1 == string2));
163     }
164     private static void esComparingStringWithEqCORRECT() {
165         final StringBuilder sb1 = new StringBuilder("1234");
166         final StringBuilder sb2 = new StringBuilder("1234");
167         final String string1 = sb1.toString();
168         final String string2 = sb2.toString();

```

Bug Info

FindbugsPublicCode.java: 204

Navigation

Redundant nullcheck of value which is known to be null in com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode.qbAlwaysNull(CORRECT)

Redundant nullcheck of value which is known to be null in com.sw.engineering.candies.FindbugsPublicCode.qbAlwaysNull(CORRECT)

This method contains a redundant check of a known null value against the constant null.

Rank: Of Concern (18), **confidence:** Normal
Pattern: RCN_REDUNDANT_NULLCHECK_OF_NULL_VALUE
Type: RCN, Category: STYLE (dodgy code)

XMLE output:

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<BugInstance type="RCN_REDUNDANT_NULLCHECK_OF_NULL_VALUE" priority="2" rank="18" abbrev="RCN" category="STYLE" first="1">
    <Class classname="com.sw_engineering_candies.FindbugsPublicCode">
        <SourceLine classname="com.sw_engineering_candies.FindbugsPublicCode" sourcefile="FindbugsPublicCode.java" sourcepath="com/sw_eng/classname">
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Bug13

1. What does it take as input?

It takes Java Byte code as an Input.

2. What “bugs” does it find? (And not find?)

FindBugs: Performance, Bad practice, Dodgy, Internationalization, Malicious code, Vulnerability, Bogus random, Noise, Correctness, Multithreaded, Style.

FindBugs cannot find Security category, so we have FindSecurityBugs with the security mode enabled.

FindSecurityBugs[Security Bugs is to limit the scan to Security only bug detectors on, ie when the security category is enabled it is FindSecurityBugs]: Security

3. How?

FindBugs/FindSecurityBugs will find based on the suspicious patterns in the byte code and when it hits such byte strings in our byte code, it flags it to vulnerability.