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- IBM Security AppScan Source for Analysis, Developer and Remediation
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Agenda

- Trends in Application Security
 - Introducing AppScan Source Edition
 - Vulnerability Matrix
 - Source and Sink View
 - Traces
 - Remediation Assistance
- Reporting
 - Reporting Console
 - Deployment Use Cases



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Security Breaches and Newsflash



Facebook to Encrypt UIDs After App Security Breach

By: *Chloe Albanesius*
10.21.2010



03 Aug 2012 [Organizations have poor digital document security, survey reveals](#)

At study by the Ponemon Institute shows 63% of organizations do not fully secure confidential documents.



News

[Hacker attacks against retailers up 43 percent](#)

Much of the surge can be blamed on SQL injection and the use of exploit toolkits, according to researchers.

October 12, 2011

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Security is an Enterprise Responsibility



Executives



Across 1000s of applications, from all different sources..... how do I know if and where I am at risk?

Security Analysts



How can I quickly assess applications, triage results and provide actionable guidance to my organization ?

Auditors



How can I quickly get the most complete and defensible assessment?

Developers



How can I prioritize and quickly clear security issues from my to do list?

Spectrum of skills and focus

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IBM Security Systems AppScan – SDLC Coverage

CODE

BUILD

QA

SECURITY

IBM Security System AppScan Enterprise / Reporting Console



AppScan Source Edition
(server & clients)



AppScan Build Ed
(scanning agent)



(scanning agent) (QA clients)
AppScan Tester Ed



AppScan Enterprise user
(web client)



AppScan Standard Ed
(desktop)



Rational Application Developer

Rational Software Analyzer



Rational ClearCase



Rational BuildForge



Rational Quality Manager



AppScan Express
(desktop)

Rational ClearQuest / Defect Management



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Build security testing into the IDE*

Automate Security / Compliance testing in the Build Process

Security / compliance testing incorporated into testing & remediation workflows

Security & Compliance Testing, oversight, control, policy, audits



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Introducing AppScan Source Edition

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What is IBM Security AppScan Source Edition?

IBM Security AppScan Source for Analysis:

Workbench to configure applications and projects, scan code,

- *Analyze,*
- *Triage, and*
- *Take action on priority vulnerabilities.*

IBM Security AppScan Source for Automation:

- *-Allows you to automate key aspects of the Security AppScan Source workflow*
- *- Integrate security with build environments (Ant, Make, Maven plugin) during the software development life cycle.*

IBM Security AppScan Source for Development:

- *Integration with*
- *-Visual Studio,*
- *-Eclipse workbench,*
- *-Rational® Application Developer for WebSphere® Software (RAD)*

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
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Differences Between SAST and DAST Approaches

	 Static Analysis	 Dynamic Analysis
Scan input	Scans source code and bytecode for security and quality issues. Requires access to source or bytecode	Scans running web applications. Requires starting point URL, and login credentials where relevant
Assessment techniques	Uses “taint analysis” and pattern matching techniques to locate issues	Tampering of HTTP messages to locate application and infrastructure layer issues
Where does it fit in application development lifecycle	Early – fits best during application development and build automation	Later – fits best in QA and security verification of production applications
Results & Output	Results are presented by line of code, source to sink functions flow	Results are presented as HTTP messages (exploit requests)

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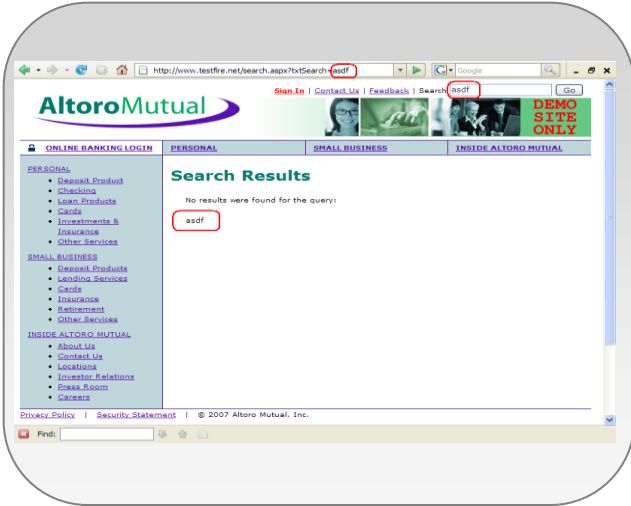
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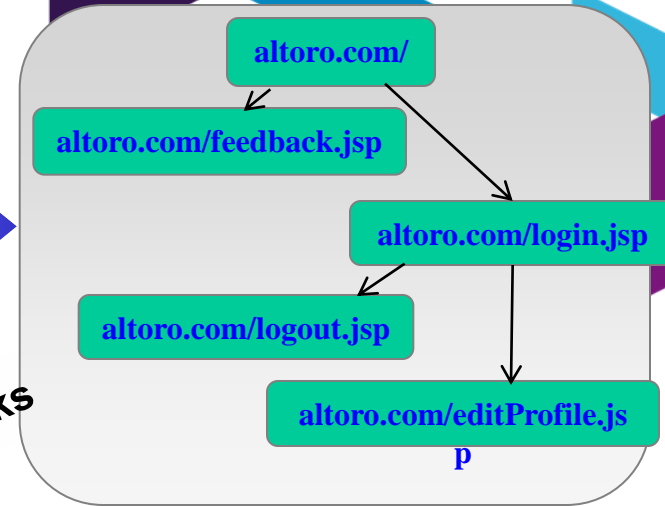
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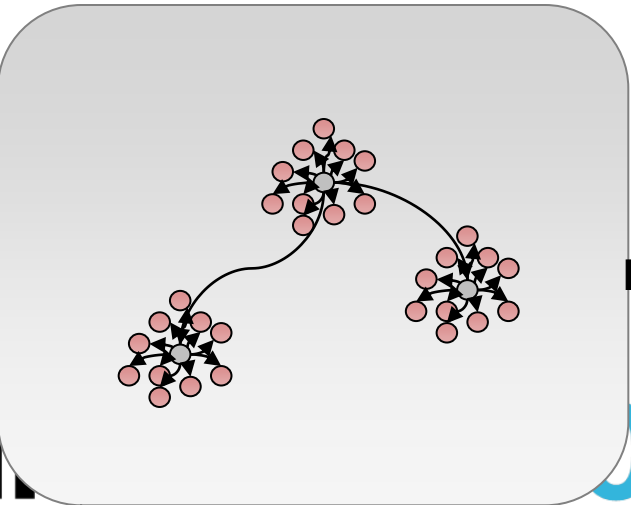
Dynamic Security Analysis – Simplified Example



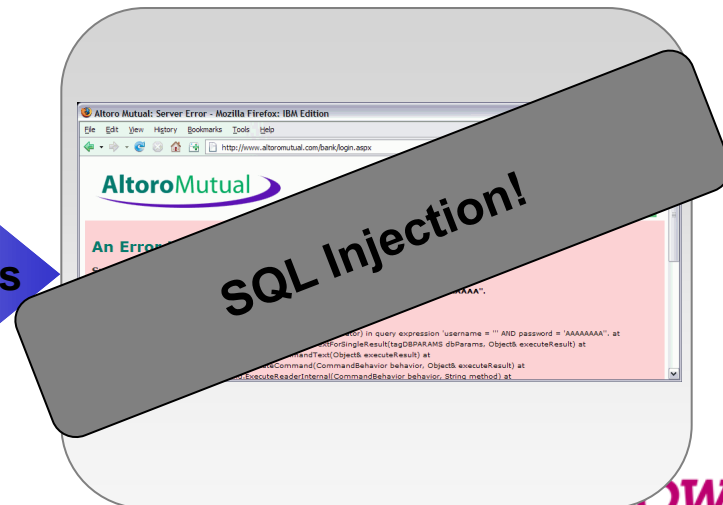
Crawl Site



Fuzz with Known Attacks



Identify Vulnerabilities





Static Security Analysis – Simplified Example

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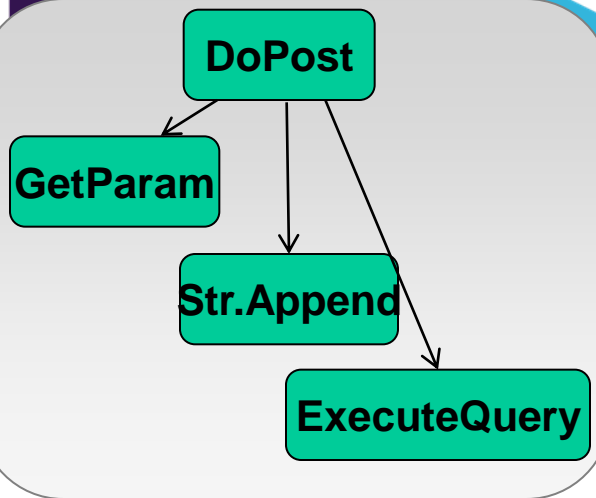
DoPost() {
  String username =
  request.getParameter("username");
  String password =
  request.getParameter("password");

  String query = "SELECT * from
  tUsers where " + "userid='" +
  username + "' " + "AND
  password='" + password + "'";

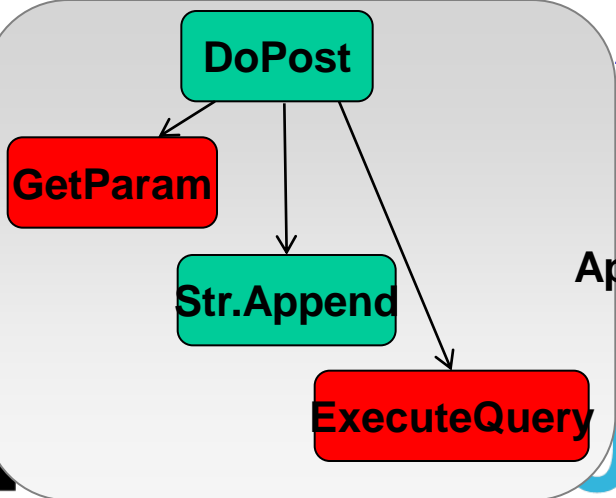
  ResultSet rs =
  stmt.executeQuery(query);
}

```

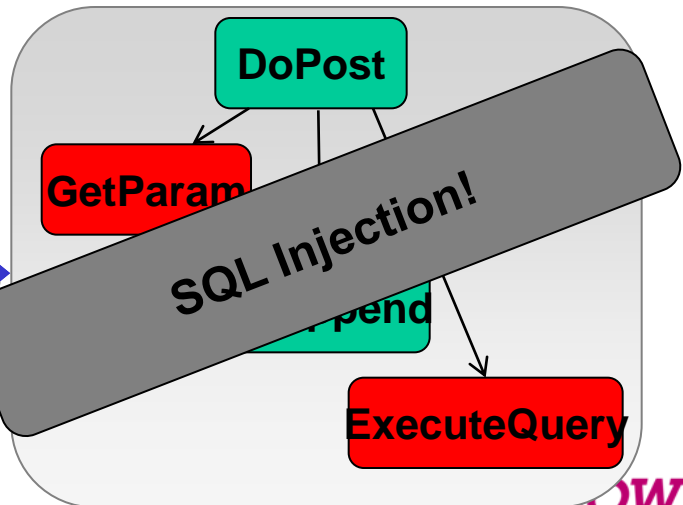
Compile & Translate



Apply API Rules



Apply Vulnerability Rules



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Data Flow Analysis

Config Files

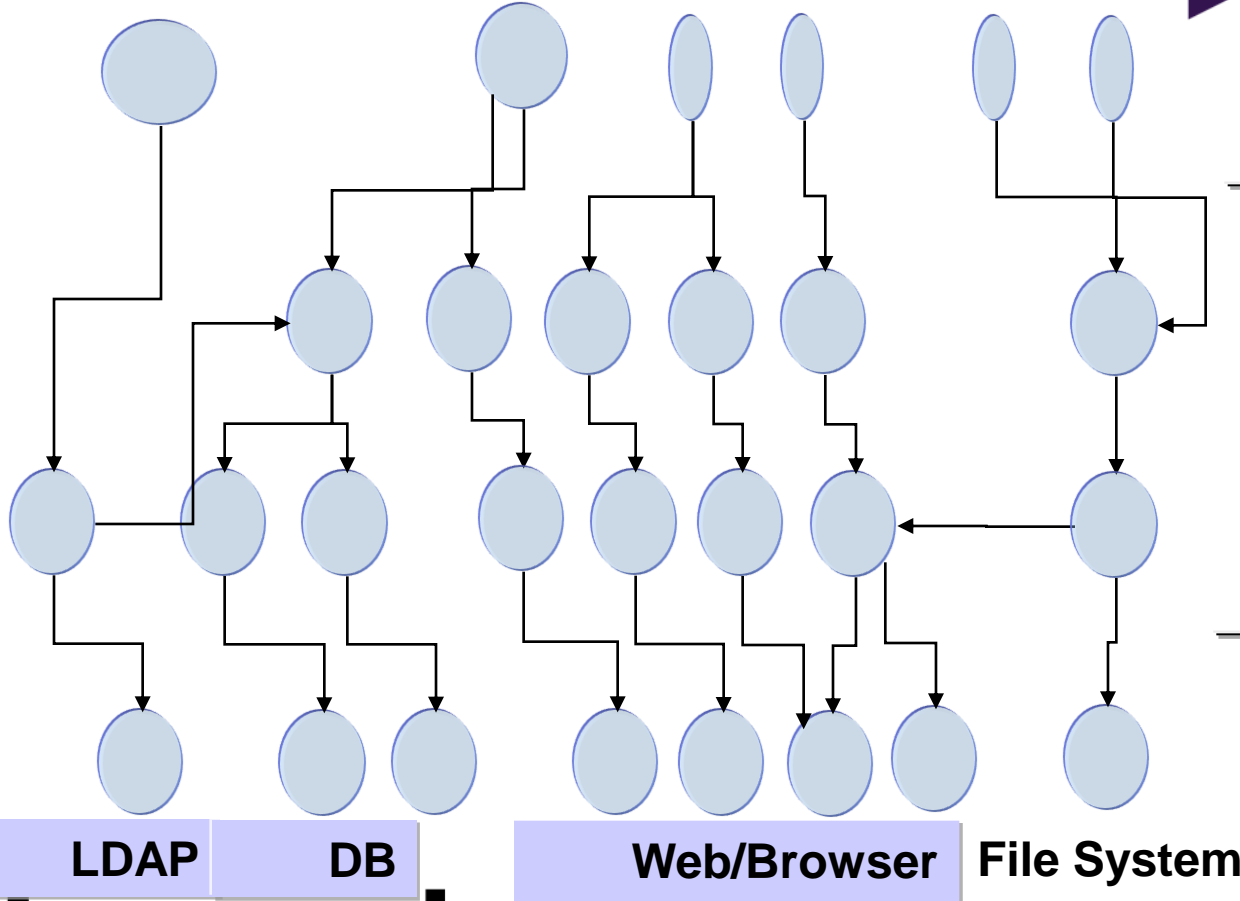
Web/Browser

DB

Sources

Intermediate Nodes

Sinks



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AppScan Source Workflow...

IBM Security AppScan Source for Analysis with Developer plug-in and Remediation

Scan Source Code

Triage Results

Resolve issues

Verify fixes

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IBM Security AppScan Source Edition Configuration

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Out-of-the-Box

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Android▪ Java▪ JSP▪ C▪ C++▪ .NET▪ C#▪ VB.NET▪ ASP.NET▪ Classic ASP (VB6) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ PHP▪ HTML▪ Perl▪ ColdFusion▪ Client-Side JavaScript▪ Server-Side JavaScript▪ VBScript |
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Import Eclipse and RAD Workspaces
Import .NET Solutions

Build Management Integration
Ant
Maven
Make
Automated Wizards

Scan Debug-Flagged Bytecode
Java
.NET

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Vulnerability Matrix

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The Vulnerability Matrix

- Isolates confirmed vulnerabilities
- Speeds security triage
- Overcomes lack of security expertise

By separating findings by confidence level tradeoffs between false positive and false negative reduction are greatly reduced

- Type I: may have validator
- Type II: Unknown sink or no confirmed dangerous source

Confirmed Vulnerabilities

Reset	Vulnerability	Exceptions		Totals
		Type I	Type II	
High	12	96	67	175
Medium	3	14	25	42
Low	63	32	67	162
Totals	78	142	159	379

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Type I Findings

- A code element or structure that can create a vulnerability when used incorrectly. A Type I Exception appears more likely to be vulnerable based on the information available to the IBM Security AppScan Source analytics.
- Gray boxes in the Trace Diagram indicate a 'taint propagator'

Webgoat_0020Manual.lessons.SQLInjection.EditProfile_jsp

_jspService

javax.servlet.http.HttpSession

getAttribute

org.owasp.webgoat.session.Employee

getTitle

javax.servlet.jsp.JspWriter

print

'Medium Trust' Findings

Reset	Vulnerability	Exceptions		Totals
		Type I	Type II	
High	12	96	67	175
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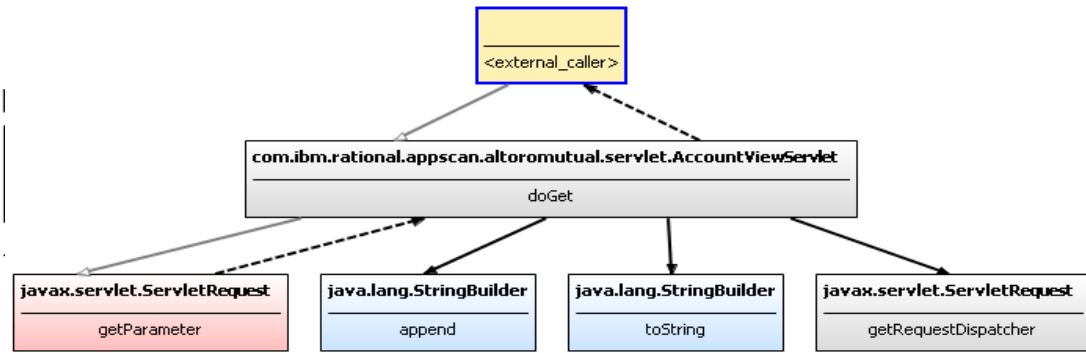
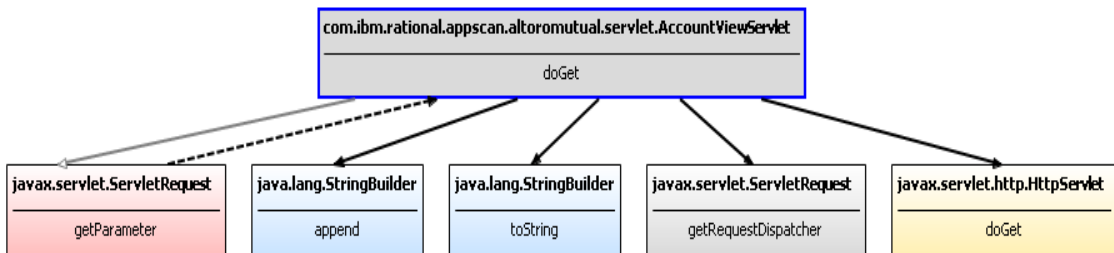


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Type II Findings

- There are two types of Type II findings
- Findings without traces are dangerous sinks that potentially do not have a dangerous trace that reaches them
- Findings with traces are “lost sinks” that means that AppScan Source does not know what the risk of the trace could be because
 - The Trace ends in a Sink that has no rule in the database
 - The trace reaches the end of the call tree without ever hitting a potential sink



‘Low Trust’ Findings

A screenshot of the AppScan Metrics table. The table has columns for Reset, Vulnerability, Exceptions (Type I and Type II), and Totals. The rows are categorized by severity: High, Medium, Low, and Totals. The Type II column is circled in black, and an arrow points from the text 'Low Trust Findings' to this column.

Reset	Vulnerability	Exceptions		Totals
		Type I	Type II	
High	12	96	67	175
Medium	3	14	25	42
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Totals	78	142	159	379



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Sources & Sinks View

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Sources & Sinks View

Find Important Sources and Sinks

The screenshot shows the 'Sources and Sinks' view in IBM Rational AppScan. The left pane shows a tree view of sources and sinks. The main pane displays a table of sources and sinks with columns for Package/Class/Method, Total, Remaining, Require, and Remove. The 'Require' column has a checkbox that is checked for 'javax.servlet'. Below this is a table of vulnerability traces with columns for Trace, Severity, Classification, Vulnerability Type, and API.

Package/Class/Method	Total	Remaining	Require	Remove
AltoroJ_00202	6	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
AltoroJ_00202.admin	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
AltoroJ_00202.bank	6	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
com.ibm.rational.appscan.altoromutual.servlet	28	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
com.ibm.rational.appscan.altoromutual.util	11	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
java.lang	113	25	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
javax.servlet			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
javax.servlet.http			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Trace	Severity	Classification	Vulnerability Type	API
	High	Type I	Validation.Required.URL.Redirect	javax.servlet.http.HttpServletResp
	High	Type II	Validation.Required	javax.servlet.ServletRequest.getP
	High	Type I	AccessControl.Bypass	javax.servlet.RequestDispatcher.f
	High	Type II	Validation.Required	javax.servlet.ServletRequest.getP
	High	Type II	Validation.Required	javax.servlet.ServletRequest.getP
	High	Type II	Validation.Required	javax.servlet.ServletRequest.getP
	High	Type II	Validation.Required	javax.servlet.ServletRequest.getP
	High	Type I	AccessControl.Bypass	javax.servlet.RequestDispatcher.f

Intermediate Calls Table

- Review all Sources and Sinks found in an Application scan
- Alerts you to places rules may need to be set (missing sources or lost sinks entries)
- User Intermediate Calls Table to filter unwanted calls



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Trace

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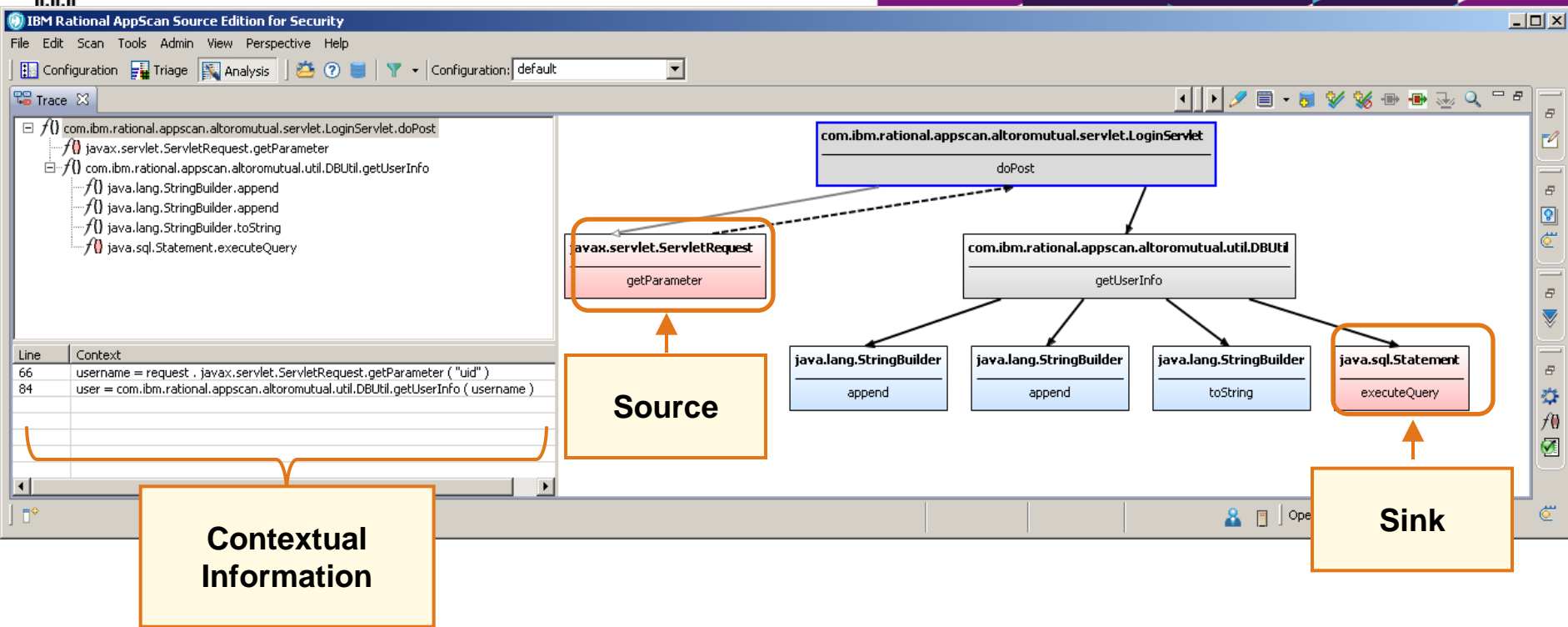
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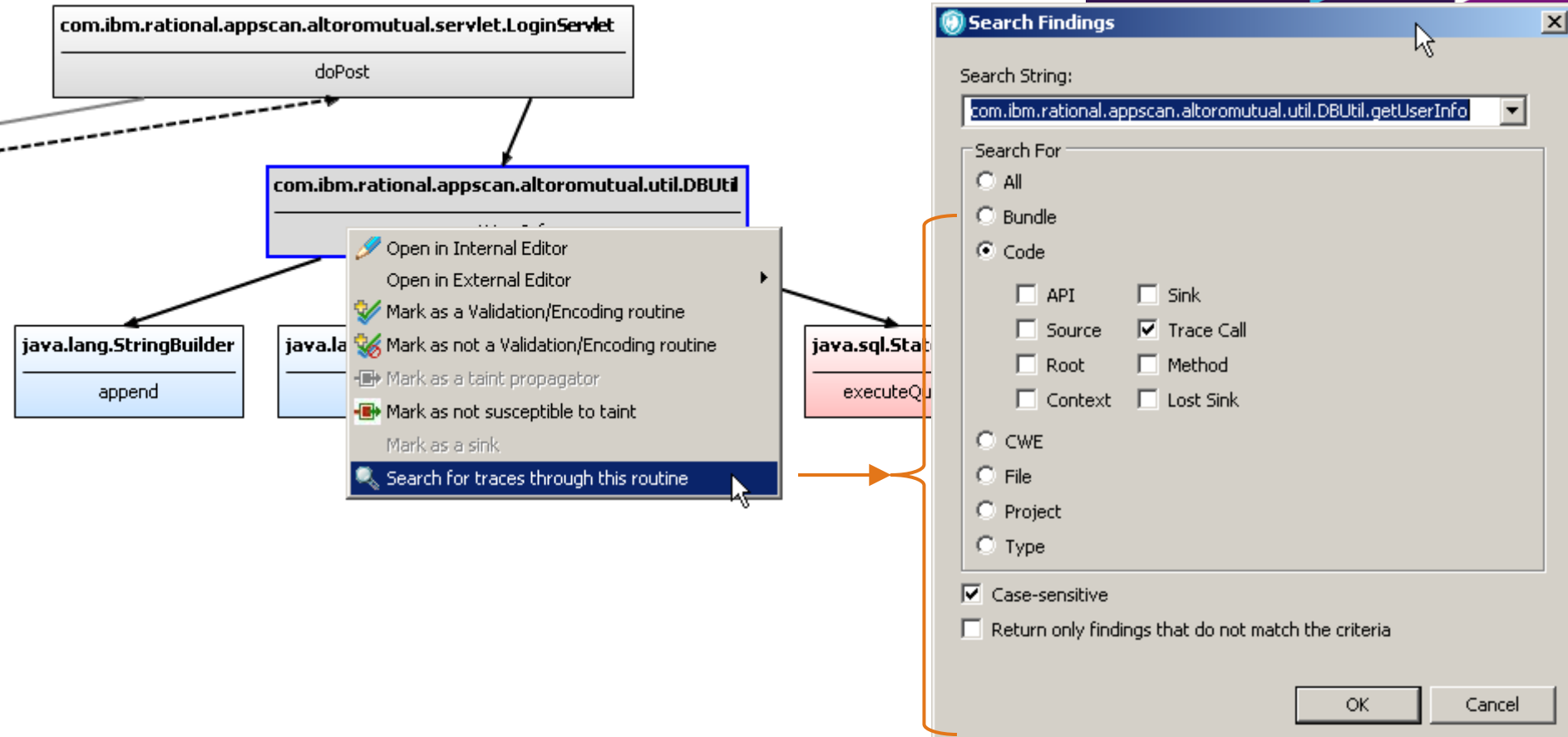
Trace View



- Graphical representation of the data flow of a vulnerability from the entry point (Source) to the exit point (Sink)
- Speeds understanding of a vulnerability by seeing all 'touch-points' within the codebase
- Quickly review the relevant source code by double clicking each node, to take you directly to its location in the relevant source



Trace View - Searching



- Right click to on a node and click Search
 - returns all Traces with that node
- Example: Group all findings that pass through a node where validation should have occurred
- Example: Group all findings that go to a particular sink the customer is concerned about



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Remediation Assistance

The screenshot shows a web application interface for 'Remediation Assistance'. The main content area displays a vulnerability report for 'JDBC executeQuery'. The report includes a description of the vulnerability, an example code snippet, and a 'CWE Link' highlighted in a yellow box. The 'CWE Link' is a blue link labeled '89 - SQL Injection' in the breadcrumb navigation. The example code is as follows:

```
final String custID = httpRequest.getParameter("custID");
final String sql = "Select * From Customer Where CustomerID = '" + custID + "'";
final Statement statement = connection.createStatement();
final boolean rsReturned = statement.execute(sql);
while (true)
{
    if (rsReturned)
    {
        ResultSet rs = s.getResultSet();
        // do something with result set
        rs.close();
    }
    if (!s.getMoreResults())
    {
        // no more results so exit loop
        break;
    }
}
s.close();
con.close();
```

- In Context Remediation Assistance
- Available for every finding created by AppScan Source

Provides

- Information about the vulnerability
- Bad coding examples
- Good coding examples
- Links to the Common Weakness Enumeration (CWE) database, which is a third party maintained database with additional detailed information





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Reporting Fundamentals



- IBM Security AppScan Source provides two distinct options for reporting
 - Built-In reporting allows high level reports from any *single* assessment
 - Online reporting through the IBM AppScan Reporting Console allows reporting on all scans in a collaborative web-based environment.
- Reports built into AppScan Source
 - DISA Application Security and Development STIG V2 R1
 - DISA Application Security and Development STIG V2 R1 - Checklist
 - OWASP Top Ten
 - OWASP Top Ten 2007
 - PCI Data Security Standard
 - Software Security Profile (Our own deep audit report)
- Additional 40 reports, including trending reports, in Reporting Console

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Reporting in IBM Security AppScan Source – Report Example

Webgoat Manual - OWASP Top Ten 2007 Report - Mozilla Firefox

File Edit View History Bookmarks Tools Help

file:///C:/Program%20Files/IBM/AppScan%20Source/reports/OWASP%20Top%20Ten%202007%20Report.html

Rational AppScan Source Edition Report for the OWASP Top 10 2007

Webgoat Manual - OWASP Top Ten 2007 Report

Scan Date: Jan 19, 2011 10:37:57 PM
Report Generated: Feb 9, 2011 2:47:58 PM

OWASP Top Ten Report Card

- [A1 - Cross Site Scripting \(XSS\)](#)
- [A2 - Injection Flaws](#)
- [A3 - Malicious File Execution](#)
- [A4 - Insecure Direct Object Reference](#)
- [A5 - Cross Site Request Forgery \(CSRF\)](#)

About the OWASP Top Ten

The OWASP Top Ten describes the most critical vulnerabilities that may be the Open Web Application Security Project (OWASP).

Detailed Findings by Category

- [A1 - Cross Site Scripting \(XSS\)](#)

Description:

XSS flaws occur whenever an application takes user supplied input and displays it to other users without validating or encoding that content. XSS allows attackers to hijack user sessions, deface web sites, etc.

Class	Type	File	Line	CWE ID	Trace	Notes
Injection.SQL		C:\WebGoat-5.1\project\JavaSource\org\lowaspwebgoat\lessons\BackDoors.java	108	89		

```
statement.executeUpdate(arrSQL[1]);  
  
getLessonTracker(s).setStage(2);  
s.setMessage("You have succeeded in exploiting the vulnerable query and created  
another SQL statement. Now move to stage 2 to  
earn how to create a backdoor or a DB worm");  
}
```

```
ResultSet rs = statement.executeQuery(arrSQL[0]);  
if (rs.next())  
{  
    Table t = new Table(0).setCellSpacing(0).setCellPadding(0).setBorder(1);  
    TR tr = new TR();
```

Method	File	Line	Tainted Arg
org.owasp.webgoat.lessons.BackDoors.concept1	project\JavaSource\org\lowaspwebgoat\lessons\BackDoors.java	92	
org.owasp.webgoat.session.ParameterParser.getRawParameter	project\JavaSource\org\lowaspwebgoat\lessons\BackDoors.java	92	
org.owasp.webgoat.session.ParameterParser.getRawParameter	project\JavaSource\org\lowaspwebgoat\session\ParameterParser.java	613	
javax.servlet.ServletRequest.getParameterValues	project\JavaSource\org\lowaspwebgoat\session\ParameterParser.java	632	
java.lang.StringBuilder.append	project\JavaSource\org\lowaspwebgoat\lessons\BackDoors.java	95	
java.lang.StringBuilder.toString	project\JavaSource\org\lowaspwebgoat\lessons\BackDoors.java	95	
java.lang.String.split	project\JavaSource\org\lowaspwebgoat\lessons\BackDoors.java	96	
java.sql.Statement.executeQuery	project\JavaSource\org\lowaspwebgoat\lessons\BackDoors.java	108	

NOTE! Remediation Assistance is not included in these reports!
Link to CWE ID present in the result redirecting to the CWE website for mitigation assistance.



IBM AppScan Reporting Console – Aggregated Reporting

Reporting – aggregation & correlation of static analysis and dynamic analysis assessment results

IBM Rational AppScan Enterprise Edition

Common ASE Service Account | Help | Support | About | Log Out

Training | Jobs & Reports | Administration

Jobs & Reports > Default Folder > Altoro Assessment > Altoro - security assessments > Security Issues

Security Issues

Export | Email

Last Updated: 8/8/2010 10:28:18 PM

Summary | Group | Show | Search | Layout

There are 299 issues of 64 different types across 6 URLs

All items

Items 26-50 of 299

Action: Export to Excel

	Status	Issue	Issue Type	Test URL	Element	Source	API	Threat Class	Type
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	90*	Communications.Unencrypted			C:\WebTest\Default.aspx.cs	System.Web.UI.We...	Information Disclosure: Inf...	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	20*	Cross-Site Scripting	http://revelation/acmehack...	uid			Client-side Attacks: Cross-s...	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	30*	CrossSiteScripting			C:\WebTest\Default.aspx.cs	System.Web.UI.We...	Client-side Attacks: Cross-s...	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	89*	Cryptography.InsecureAlg...			C:\WebTest\Default.aspx.cs	System.Web.UI.We...	Application Privacy Tests	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	297*	Denial-of-Service	http://revelation/acmehack...	uid			Logical Attacks: Denial of S...	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	222*	ErrorHandling.RevealDetail...			C:\WebTest\Default.aspx.cs	System.Web.UI.We...	Information Disclosure: Inf...	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	298*	File Parameter Shell Comma...	http://revelation/acmehack...	uid			Command Execution: OS C...	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	169*	FileInclusion			C:\WebTest\Default.aspx.cs	System.Web.UI.We...	Logical Attacks: Abuse of F...	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	293*	Format String Remote Com...	http://revelation/acmehack...	uid			Command Execution: Form...	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	11*	Inadequate Account Lockout	http://revelation/acmehack...	uid			Authentication: Brute Force	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	Open	117*	Injection			C:\WebTest\Default.aspx.cs	System.Web.UI.We...	Logical Attacks: Abuse of F...	Application

Aggregated report – issue discovered using static analysis (source file, API, etc.)

Aggregated report – issue discovered using dynamic analysis (URL, element, etc.)

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