

Custom rules development with SonarQube

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About the speaker

- Pronounced \zil.ke.ʁe\
- Started Riverside Software in 2007
- Continuous integration in OpenEdge
- Multiple open source projects

Why this session ?

OpenEdge plugin for SonarQube 282 / 282 files .1-SNAPSHOT

Leak Period: since 2.1.8-SNAPSHOT

Coverage Overview Size: Uncovered Lines

```
546  
547 @Override  
548 public String toString() {  
549     StringBuilder sb = new StringBuilder();  
550     for (SigAccessType type : accessTypes) {  
551         sb.append(type).append(' ');  
552     }  
553     sb.append(type).append(' ').append(returnType);  
554     if (returnType == DataType.CLASS) {  
555         sb.append('{').append(classReturnType).append('}');  
556     }  
}
```

Rename "type" which hides the field declared at line 545. ... last year ▼ L550 🔗

🗑️ Code Smell 📈 Major 🔵 Open Not assigned 5min effort 🗑️ cert, pitfall

Duplication

Cyclomatic Complexity

Everything is a plugin

- SonarQube is an extensible platform
 - Language support provided as plugins
 - Additional rules also provided as plugins
 - Web UI can be extended by plugins
- OpenEdge plugin available under an open-source license
- Rules available under a commercial model

Requirements – Java everywhere

- JDK 8
- Maven 3.5
- Eclipse or IntelliJ recommended
- SonarQube 6.7 or 7.3
- Git

Create a new plugin

```
🔒 dev.rssw.eu ▶ gquerret ▶ home ▶ dev ▶
```

```
git clone git@github.com:Riverside-Software/rules-plugin-template.git rules
```

```
Cloning into 'rules'...
```

```
remote: Enumerating objects: 145, done.
```

```
remote: Total 145 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0), pack-reused 145
```

```
Receiving objects: 100% (145/145), 21.13 KiB | 21.13 MiB/s, done.
```

```
Resolving deltas: 100% (37/37), done.
```

Build the plugin

```
dev.rssw.eu ▶ gquerret ▶ home ▶ dev ▶ rules ▶  
export JAVA_HOME=/opt/jdk-1.8.0_181
```

```
dev.rssw.eu ▶ gquerret ▶ home ▶ dev ▶ rules ▶  
/opt/maven-3.5.4/bin/mvn clean package
```

```
[INFO] Scanning for projects...
```

```
[INFO]
```

```
[INFO]
```

```
[INFO] -----  
[INFO] Building ACME rules for OpenEdge plugin 1.1.0
```

```
[INFO] -----
```

```
[INFO] ... SNIP ...
```

```
[INFO] Building jar: /home/dev/rules/target/acme-rules-plugin-1.1.0.jar
```

```
[INFO]
```

```
[INFO] BUILD SUCCESS
```

```
[INFO]
```

```
[INFO] -----  
[INFO] Total time: 5.144 s
```

First rule – The code

```
@Rule(priority = Priority.INFO, name = "No-op rule", tags = {"acme"})  
@SqaileConstantRemediation(value = "5min")  
public class NoOpRule extends OpenEdgeProparseCheck
```

The screenshot displays an IDE interface with a code smell issue highlighted. At the top, the issue is titled "No-op rule" with a path of "acme-rules:com.acme.rules.NoOpRule". Below the title, a metadata bar shows "Code Smell" (with a plus icon), "Info" (with an 'i' icon), "acme" (with a tag icon), "Available Since August 16, 2018", "OpenEdge rules (ACME) (OpenEdge)", and "Constant/issue: 5min".

The main editor area shows a file named "Test project" with the path "src/classes/rssw/MyEnum.cls". The code on line 1 is "ENUM rssw.MyEnum FLAGS:". A red box highlights a message area for this line, containing "Message here..." (with a three-dot menu), "2 years ago" (with a dropdown), "L1" (with a link icon), and a tag "acme". Below the message are several icons: "Code Smell" (plus icon), "Info" (i icon), "Open" (circle icon), "Not assigned" (dropdown), "5min effort", and "Comment".

Line 2 of the code is "DEFINE ENUM None = 0".

Rules registration

The screenshot displays a web interface for managing rules. On the left, there are filter sections for Language, Tag, and Repository. The Language filter is active, showing 'OpenEdge' (1) and 'OpenEdgeDB' (0). The Tag filter is also active, showing 'acme' (1). The Repository filter is active, showing several options, with 'OpenEdge rules (ACME) OpenEdge' selected (1). The main area shows a single rule, 'No-op rule', with a search bar and navigation controls. The top right corner indicates '1 / 1 rules'.

Search

Bulk Change Clear All Filters

↑ ↓ to select rules ← → to navigate ↻ 1 / 1 rules

Language

- OpenEdge 1
- OpenEdgeDB 0
- Search

Type

Tag

- acme 1
- Search

Repository

- OpenEdge rules (Riverside Software) OpenE 73
- Standard rules OpenEdge 13
- Common OpenEdge OpenEdge 6
- Common OpenEdgeDB OpenEdgeDB 6
- OpenEdge rules (Riverside Software) OpenEc 6
- OpenEdge rules (ACME) OpenEdge 1

No-op rule

OpenEdge Code Smell acme

pom.xml

```
<project ...>
  ...
  <groupId>eu.rssw.sonar.openedge</groupId>
  <artifactId>acme-rules-plugin</artifactId>
  <version>1.1.0</version>
  <packaging>sonar-plugin</packaging>
  ...
  <properties>
    ...
  </properties>
  ...
  <dependency>
    <groupId>eu.rssw.openedge.checks</groupId>
    <artifactId>openedge-checks</artifactId>
    <version>2.2.0</version>
    <scope>provided</scope>
  </dependency>
  ...

```

ACME Rules
ACME Rules

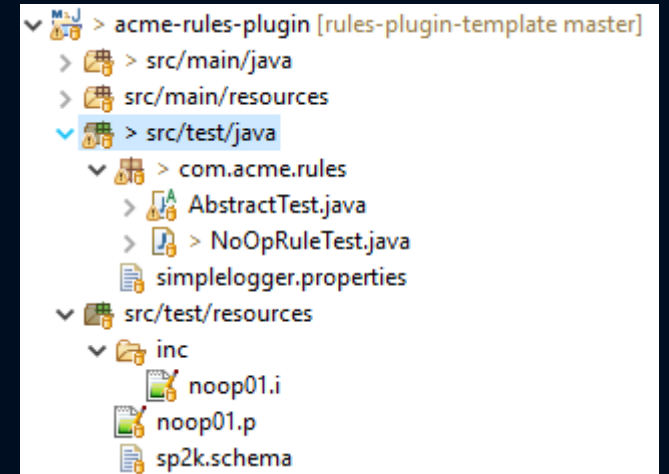
1.1.0 installed

[Homepage](#) [Issue Tracker](#)
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Uninstall

Unit tests

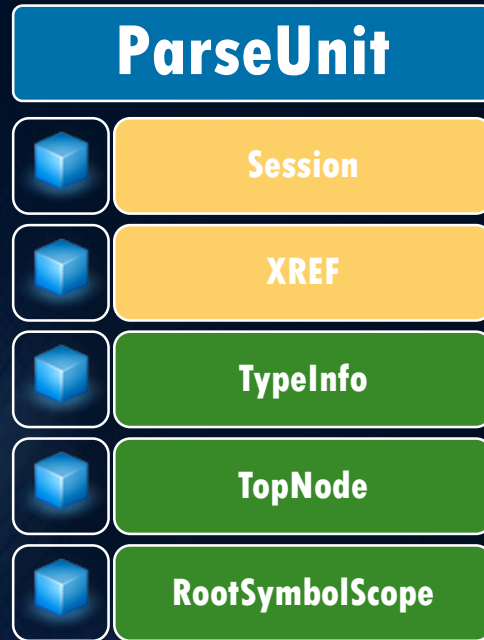
```
public class NoOpRuleTest extends AbstractTest {  
  
    @Test  
    public void test1() {  
        InputFile inputFile = getInputFile("noop01.p");  
        NoOpRule rule = new NoOpRule();  
        rule.setContext(ruleKey, context, null);  
        rule.initialize();  
        rule.sensorExecute(inputFile, getParseUnit(inputFile));  
  
        // This line has to be updated to match the rule's logic  
        Assert.assertEquals(context.allIssues().size(), 1);  
    }  
}
```



Unit tests – Better Context

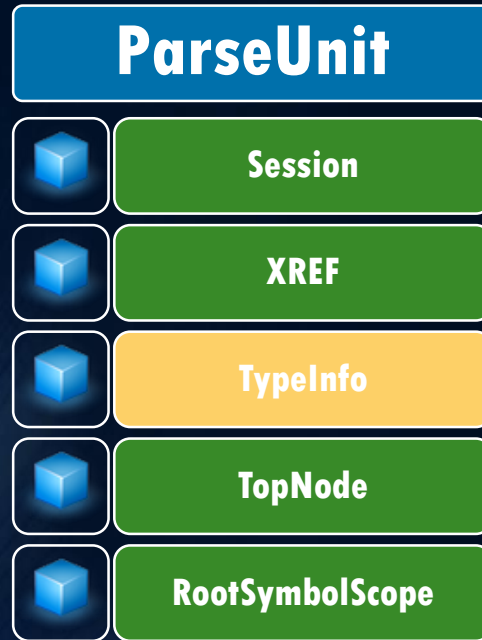
- Everything in AbstractTest class
 - Add database connections + aliases (default: sports2000, no alias)
 - Add PROPATH entries (default: src/test/resources + inc/ subdirectory)
 - Add rcode directory (default: no rcode)
 - Add XREF files (default: no XREF)
- Include PC T build is not easy
- Don't rely on anything out of the repository

OpenEdgeProparseCheck object



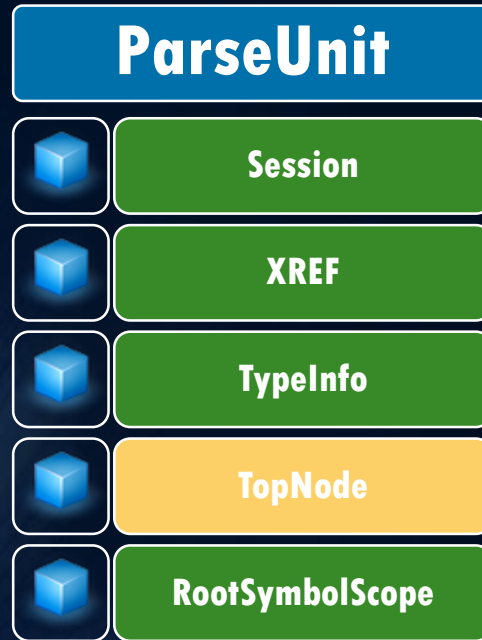
- RefactorSession
 - Schema + PROPATH + various utility methods
- XREF
 - org.w3c.dom.Document object
 - Use XPath to navigate objects

OpenEdgeProparseCheck object



- eu.rssw.pct.TypeInfo object for OOABL
 - Null if rcode is not available
 - Type name, parent object, interfaces, ...
 - Flags
 - Variables, properties, events
 - Tables and buffers
 - Methods

OpenEdgeProparseCheck object

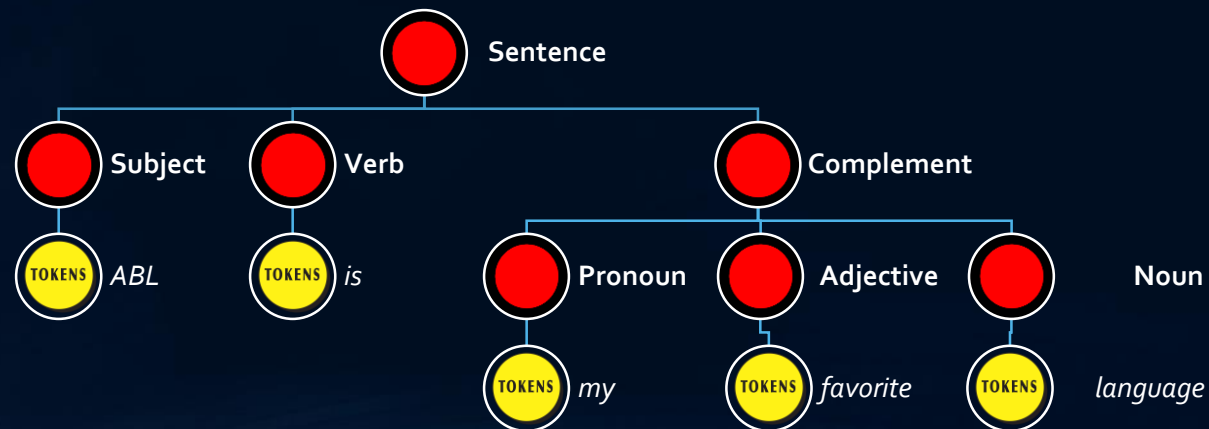


- `org.prorefactor.core.ProgramRootNode` object
 - Extends `org.prorefactor.core.JPNode`
- Tree structure representation of any source code
- First layer of the code parser

ANTLR (Another Tool for Language Recognition)

« *ABL is my favorite language.* »

<i>ABL</i>	<i>is</i>	<i>my</i>	<i>favorite</i>	<i>language</i>
<i>Subject</i>	<i>verb</i>	<i>pronoun</i>	<i>adjective</i>	<i>noun</i>



ANTLR – Lexer and preprocessor

```
&SCOPED-DEFINE NEW NEW
```

Preprocessor variable definition

```
{ lib/defvar.i suffix=xx }
```

Define suffix variable then include every token in include file

```
DEF var xx{&xyz}xx as // comment
```

```
  char /* comment 1 /* and 2 */ back
```

DEFINE

VARIABLE

ID (xxxxx)

AS

COMMENT

CHARACTER

```
to 1 */
```

```
&UNDEFINE NEW
```

Undefine variable

COMMENT

```
&IF DEFINED(NEW) &THEN
```

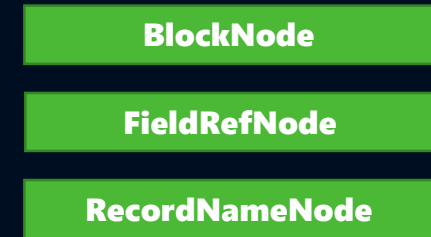
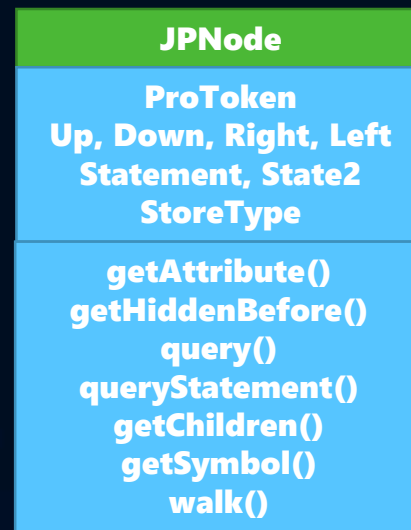
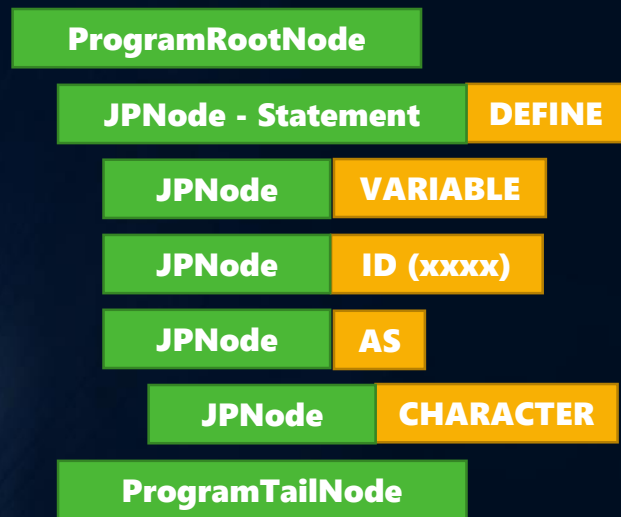
Evaluate expression, then skip tokens until &ENDIF

```
  def var yy as char no-undo.
```

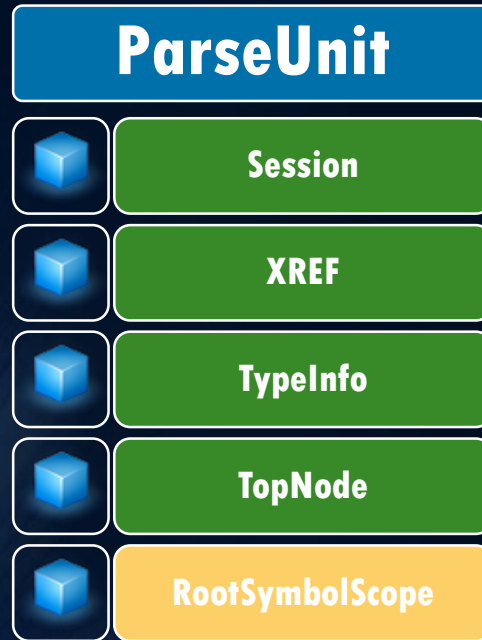
```
&ENDIF
```

- Each token is a `org.prorefactor.proparseantlr4.ProToken` object
- Has a `text`, and `begin / end position` (file number, line, column)
- Has a `node type` and a `channel ID`

ANTLR – Parser



OpenEdgeProparseCheck object



- Tree parsers are executed on the parse tree
 - Technology being replaced by ANTLR4 visitors
- Generates more advanced information on procedures and classes
 - Procedure / Method blocks
 - Associated buffers
 - Associated parameters and variables + references to those variables
 - Calls to external procedures / functions
 - Subscopes

Example rule 1 – Backslash in string

```
@Override
public void execute(InputFile file, ParseUnit unit) {
    for (JPNode node : unit.getTopNode().query(ABLNodeType.QSTRING)) {
        visitQuotedStringNode(file, node);
    }
}

private void visitQuotedStringNode(InputFile file, JPNode node) {
    String str = ProgressString.dequote(node.getText());
    int startPos = -1;
    List<Integer> lst = new ArrayList<>();
    while ((startPos = backslashMatcher.indexIn(str, startPos + 1)) != -1) {
        // Discard backslash following a tilde
        if ((startPos > 0) && (str.charAt(startPos - 1) == '~'))
            continue;
        // Discard backslash preceding a curly brace (handled by another rule)
        if ((startPos < str.length() - 1) && (str.charAt(startPos + 1) == '{'))
            continue;
        // Otherwise, log issue
        lst.add(startPos);
    }
    if (!lst.isEmpty()) {
        reportIssue(file, node,
            MessageFormat.format("Backslash found at position(s) {0}", Joiner.on(", ").skipNulls().join(lst)), true);
    }
}
```

Example rule 2 – No indexes

```
@Override
public void execute(InputFile file, ParseTree tree) {
    DumpFileVisitor visitor = new DumpFileVisitor("");
    tree.accept(visitor);
    for (Table tbl : visitor.getDatabase().getTables()) {
        if (tbl.getIndexes().isEmpty()) {
            reportIssue(file, tbl.getFirstLine(), "Table " + tbl.getName() + " has no index");
        }
    }
}
```

Example rule 3 – Unused variable

```
@Override
public void execute(InputFile file, ParseTree tree) {
    parseSymbolScope(file, unit.getRootScope());
    for (TreeParserSymbolScope scope : unit.getRootScope().getChildScopesDeep()) {
        parseSymbolScope(file, scope);
    }
}

private void parseSymbolScope(InputFile file, TreeParserSymbolScope scope) {
    for (Variable var : scope.getVariables()) {
        JPNode node = var.getDefineNode();
        if (node == null) node = var.getIndirectDefineIdNode();
        if ((var.getNumReads() == 0) && (var.getNumWrites() == 0))
            reportIssue(file, node, "Unused variable " + var.getName());
    }
}
```

SonarLint

- Custom rules can be executed on SonarQube and on SonarLint
- Some objects are not available in SonarLint:
 - XREF
 - Not all TypeInfo objects (depends on rcode)
- Issues reported on include files are not visible (for obvious reasons)

