

Wann führen Qualitäts- analysen zu guter Software? Erfahrungen aus 7 Jahren Praxiseinsatz

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Über Mich

Forschung

- Clone Detection
- Architekturanalyse

Beratung

- Mitgründer
- Qualitäts-Bewertung & Qualitäts-Controlling

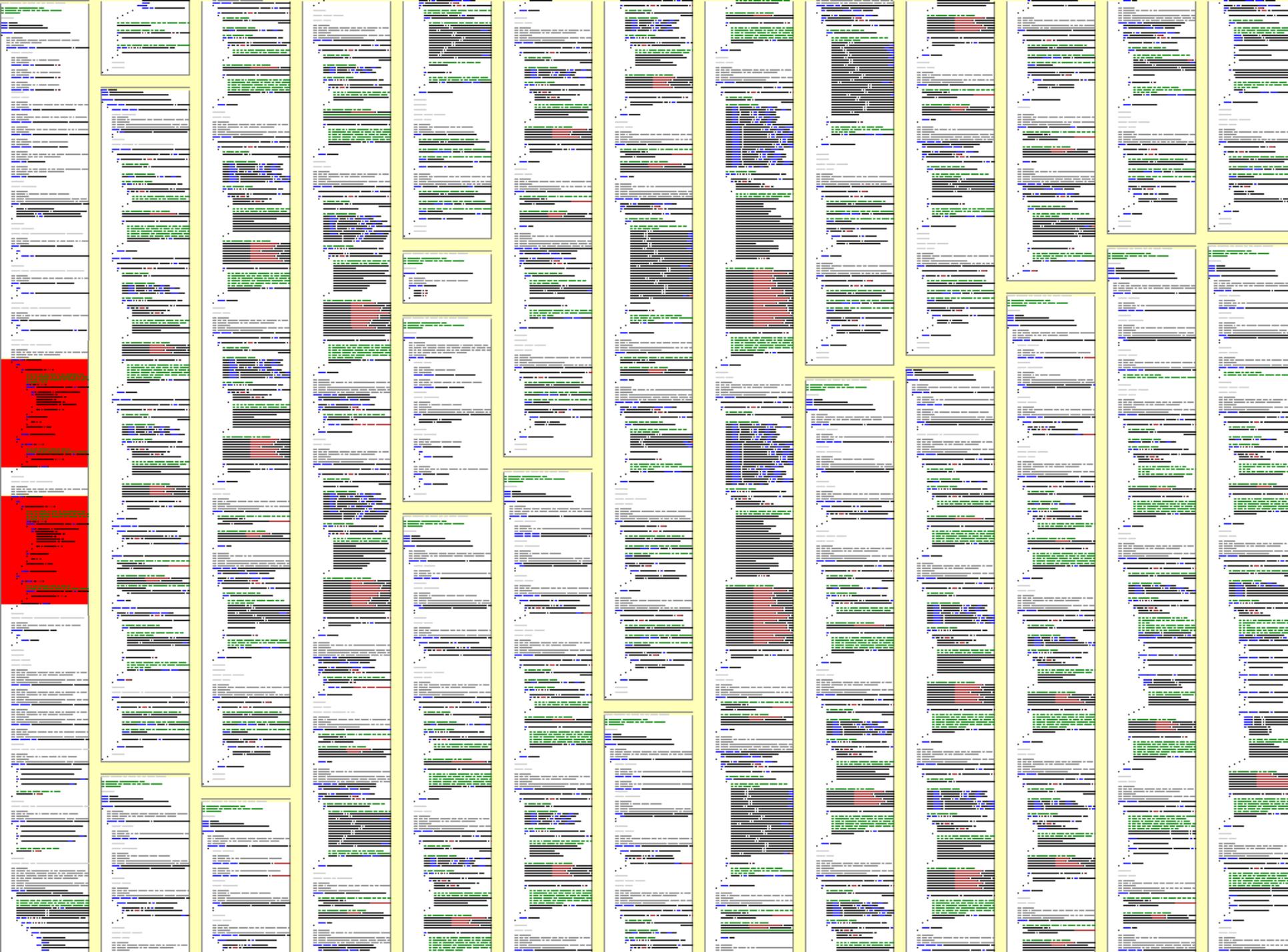


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            ModelElement el = elements[i];
            res.append(showElementLink(el)).append(HTML.LINE_BREAK);
            found = true;
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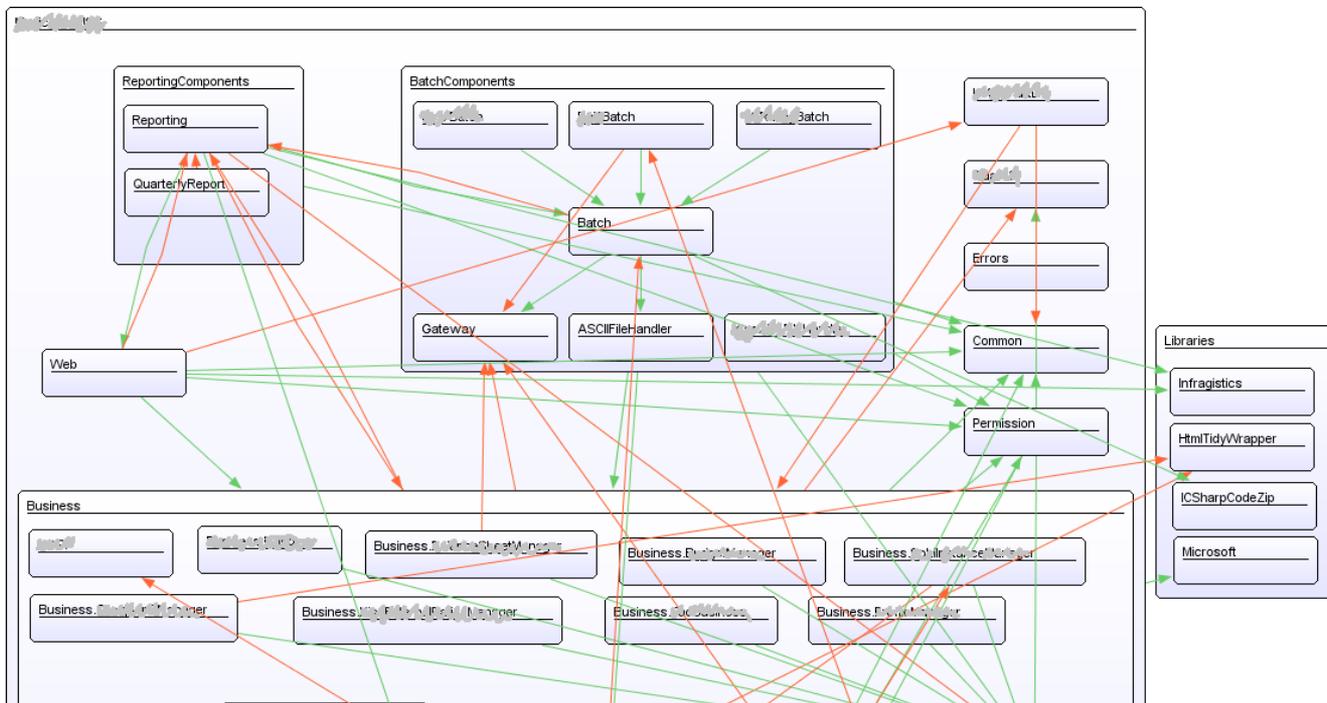
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- Über 100 Fehler in produktiver Software



- 52% aller ungewollten Unterschiede fehlerhaft

Juergens, Deissenboeck et al: *Do Code Clones Matter?* ICSE 2009

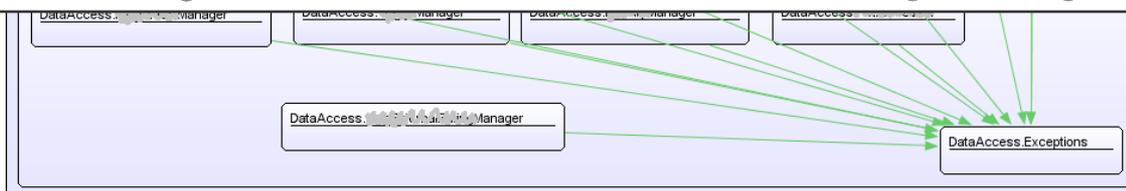


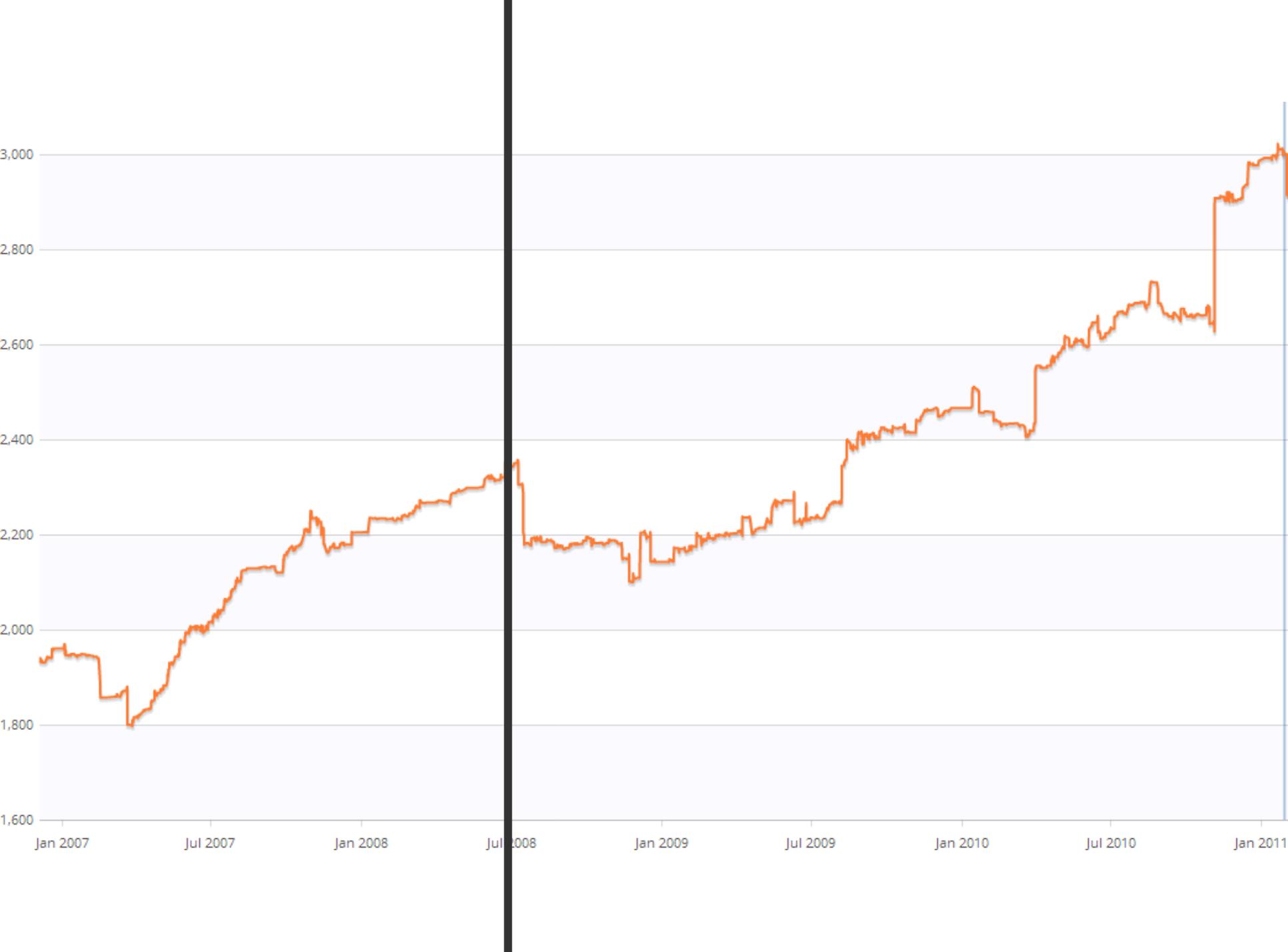
Studie

- Auslassungen in Dokumentation
- Aufdeckung von Fehlern
- Katalysator für Architekturdiskussionen

Munich Re

Feilkas, Juergens et al: *Loss of Architectural Knowledge During Evolution* ICPC 2009







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BANKERS BOX

Ch - Comb withly Note
33250

soft cloths

For cleaning
Such as Plastic
Food Containers,
Lamp Shades,
Games, Stereo
Speakers, Etc.

33250

See Files
inside
K4

SOLE F80





WARNING
BRIGHT LIGHT
- Do not stare into light beam
- Do not view at close range
Failure to do so will cause
permanent eye damage

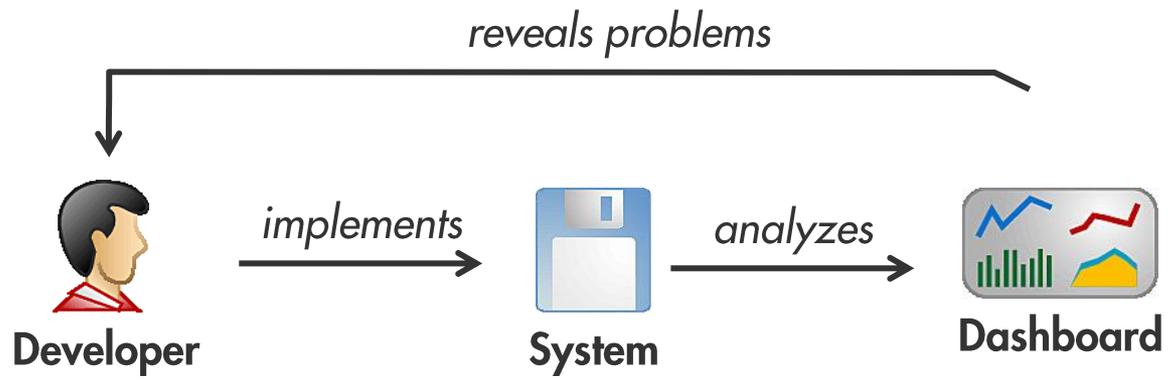
$$171 - 5.2 \cdot \ln(\text{avgHV}) - 0.23 \cdot \ln(\text{avgCC}(g)) - 16.2 \cdot \ln(\text{avgLOC}) + 50 \cdot \sin(\sqrt{2.4 \cdot \text{perCM}})$$

HV: Halstead Volume CC: Cyclomatic Complexity
LOC: lines of code perCM: % Comment Lines

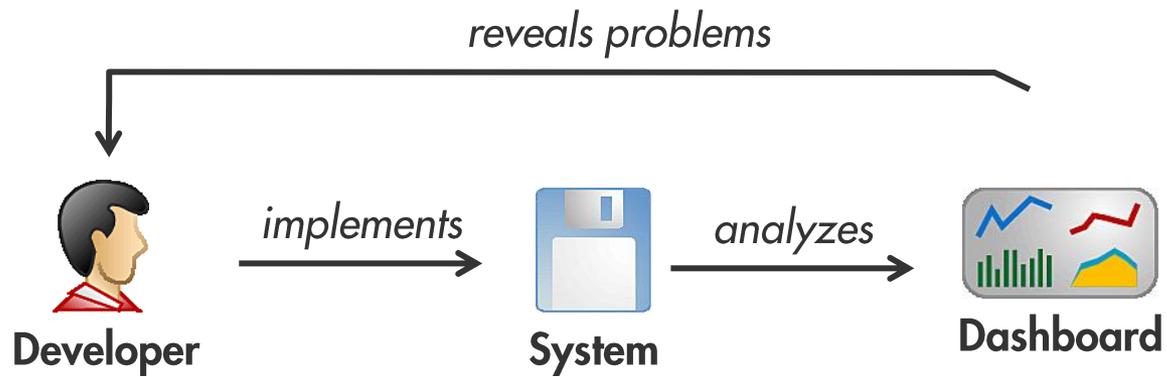


Best Practice: Zielorientierte Analysen

- Objektiv
- Auswirkungen von Code-Änderungen verständlich
- Actionable
- Nachvollziehbarer Zusammenhang zu Wartungstätigkeit

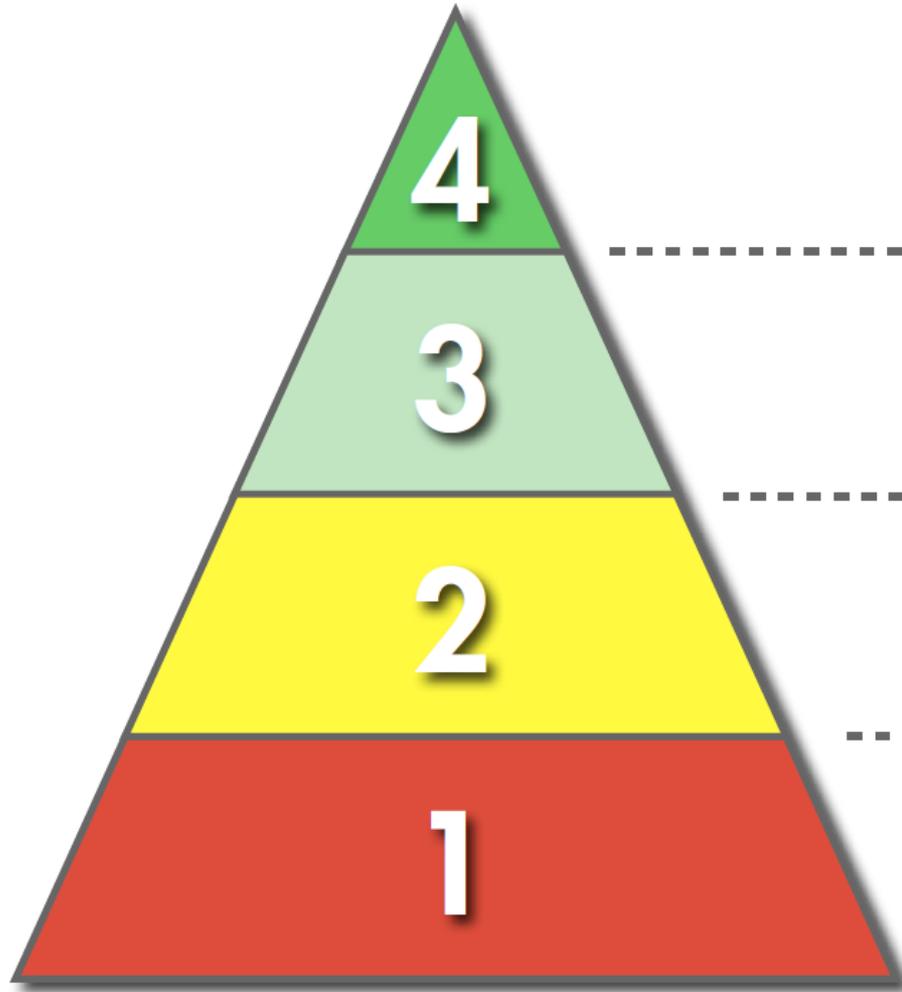






- Information overflow
=> Analyseergebnisse werden ignoriert





Keine Defizite

Keine Defizite in geändertem Code

Keine neuen Defizite

Egal





ACT-1270 Fixing Inconsistent handling of serializable process variables

by [Victoria King](#) in revision [e1aa41b4b133d269980fff3f81d008da8f21a109](#) (git)

Jun 29 2012

16:05

changed 2 files

-4 findings



ACT-1258 Merging Pablo's work into trunk

by [Jacob Nelson](#) in revision [9e664a1f0676cedcbe03415a253e8c3e4a58944c](#) (git)

Jun 29 2012

14:41

added 3 files, changed 2 files

-1 findings



Fix for ACT-1059: Task#setDelegationState(DelegationState) was not saved in database

by [Michael Harris](#) in revision [1f48dcad04bc4a621e60af047fb121ae161bca30](#) (git)

Jun 28 2012

21:45

changed 3 files

+2 findings



ACT-991 Removed user id from exception message in order not to leak sensitive information

by [Michael Harris](#) in revision [e9a09424e6309c854c44ac5d08740a8ffb082fc9](#) (git)

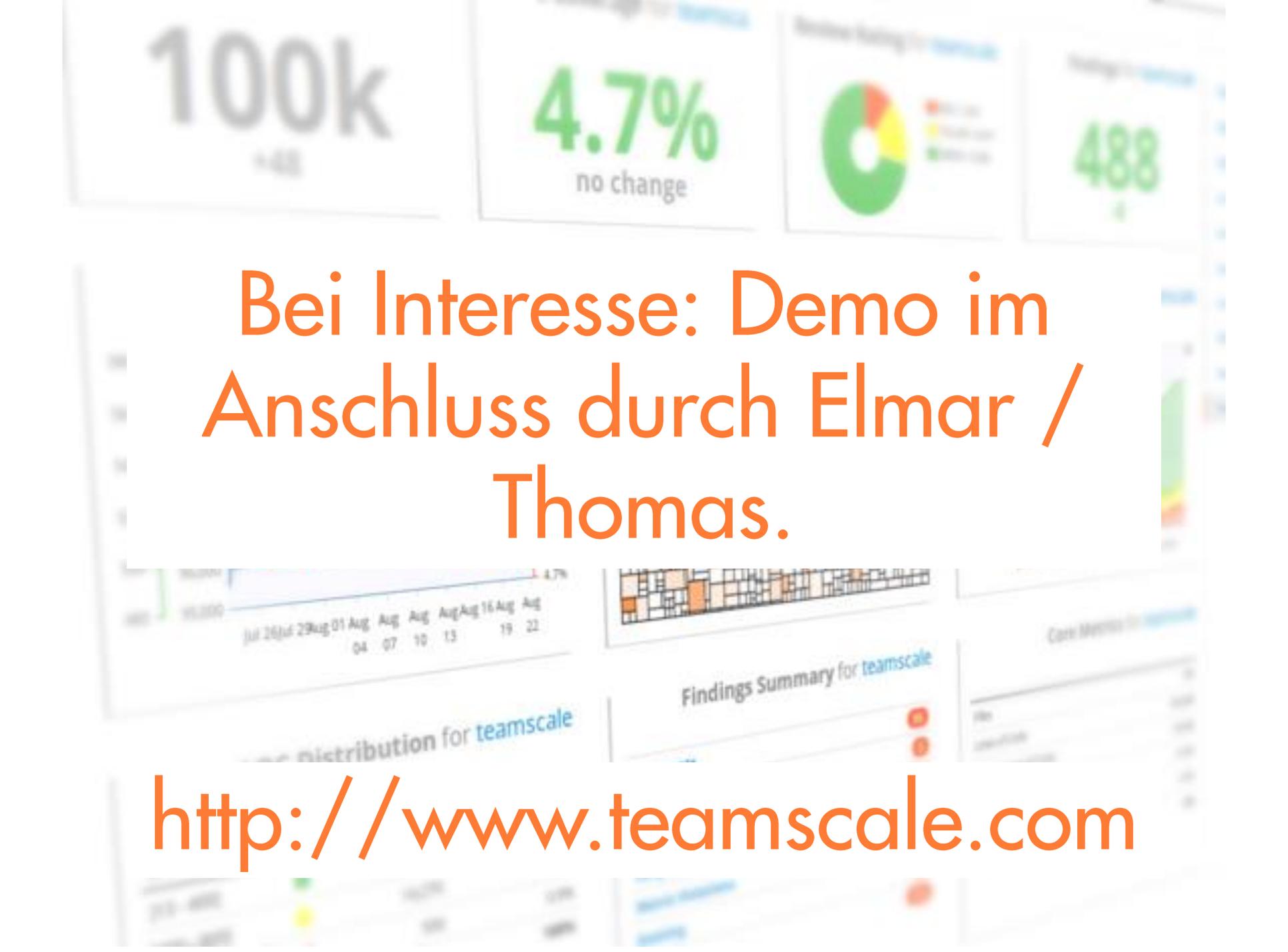
Jun 28 2012

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changed 2 files

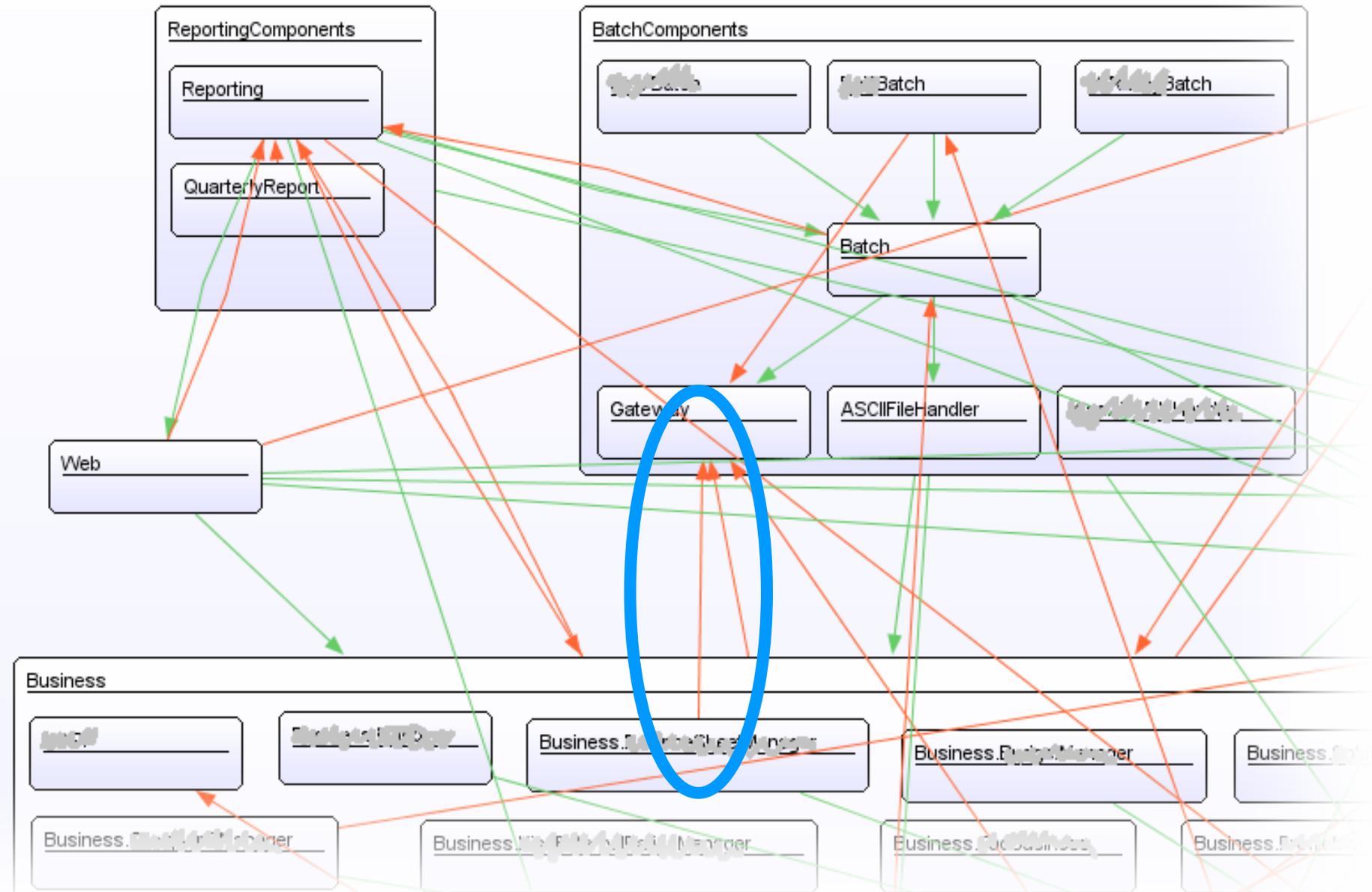
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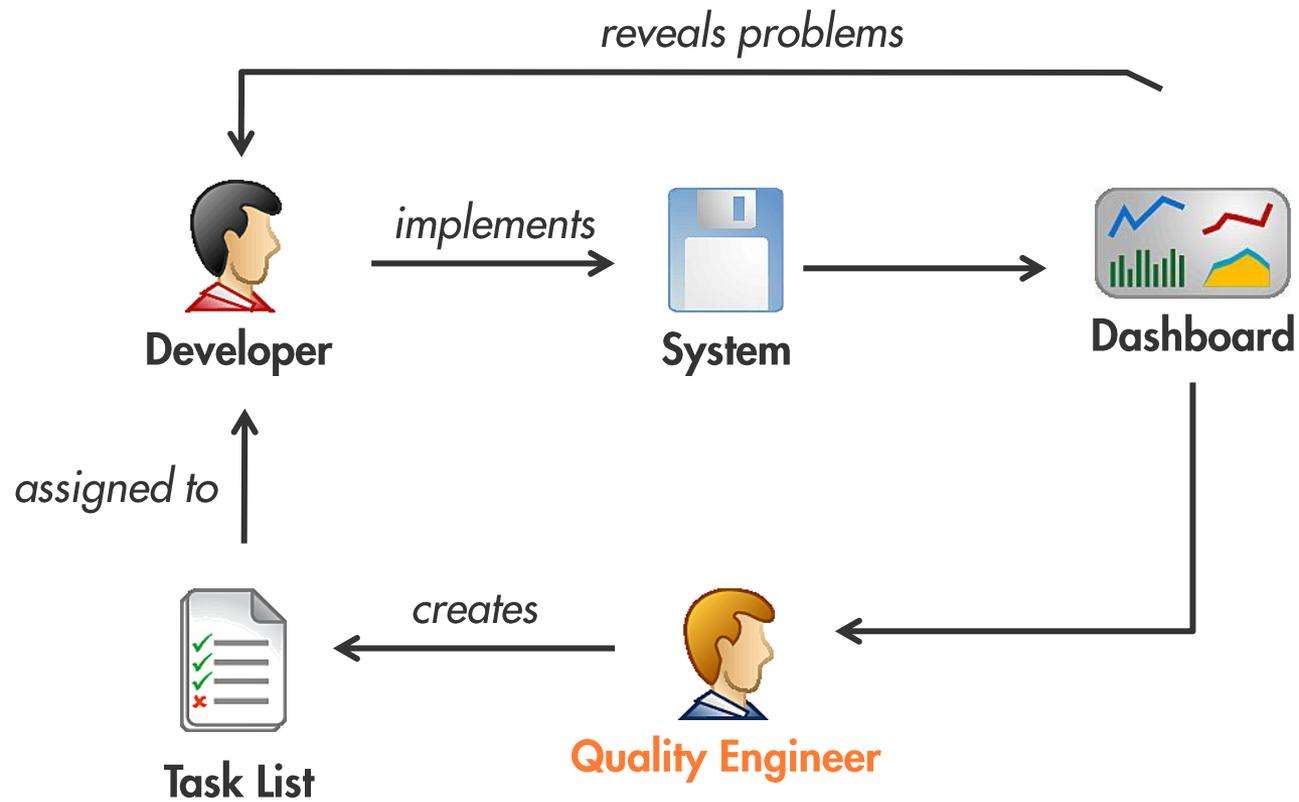


A blurred screenshot of a dashboard with various data visualizations. At the top left, there is a large number '100k'. To its right, a green percentage '4.7%' is displayed above the text 'no change'. Further right, a donut chart is visible. At the top right, the number '488' is shown. Below the main text, there are several smaller charts and tables, including one with a date range from 'Jul 26' to 'Aug 22' and another titled 'Findings Summary for teamscale'.

Bei Interesse: Demo im
Anschluss durch Elmar /
Thomas.

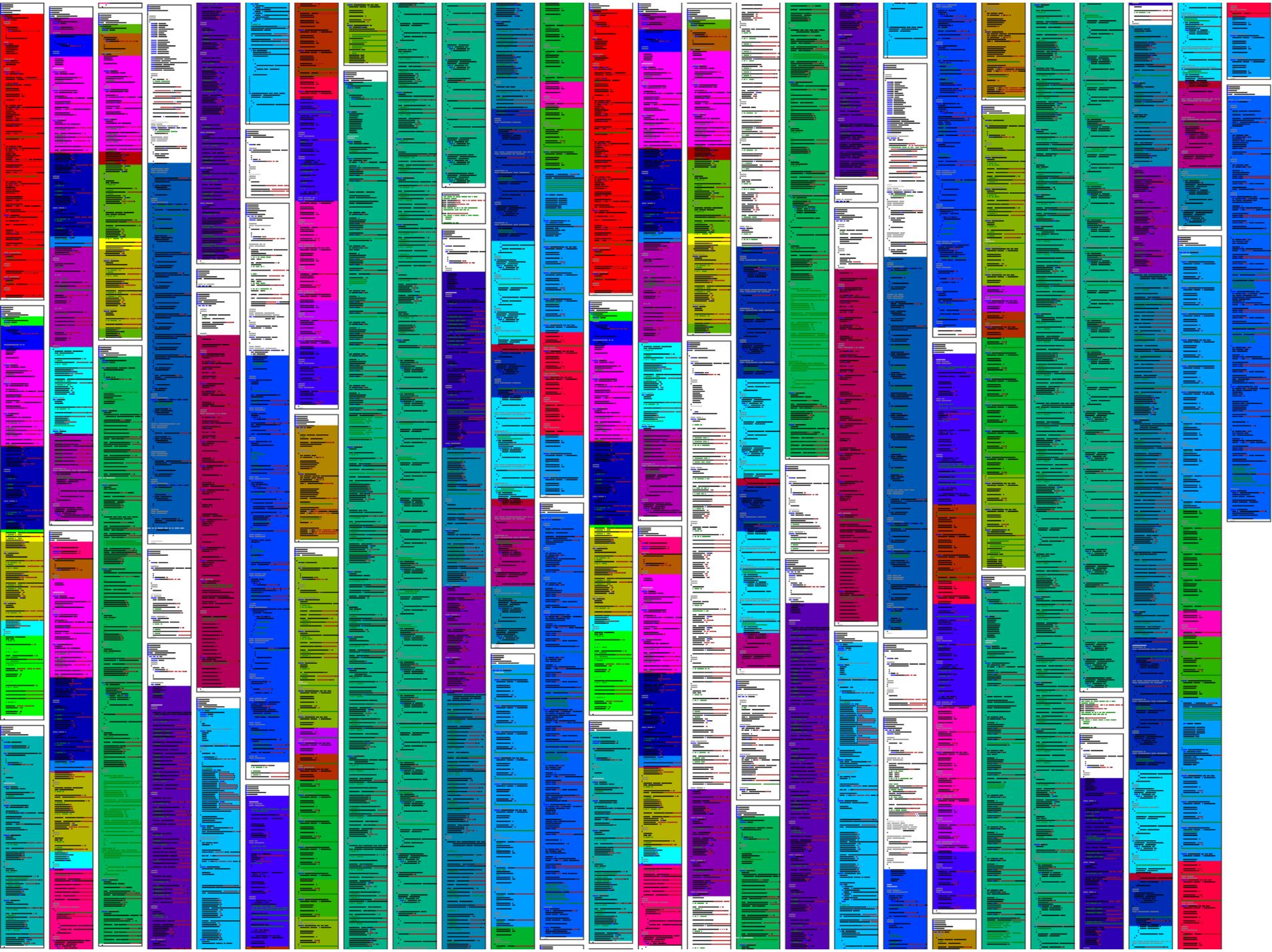
<http://www.teamscale.com>

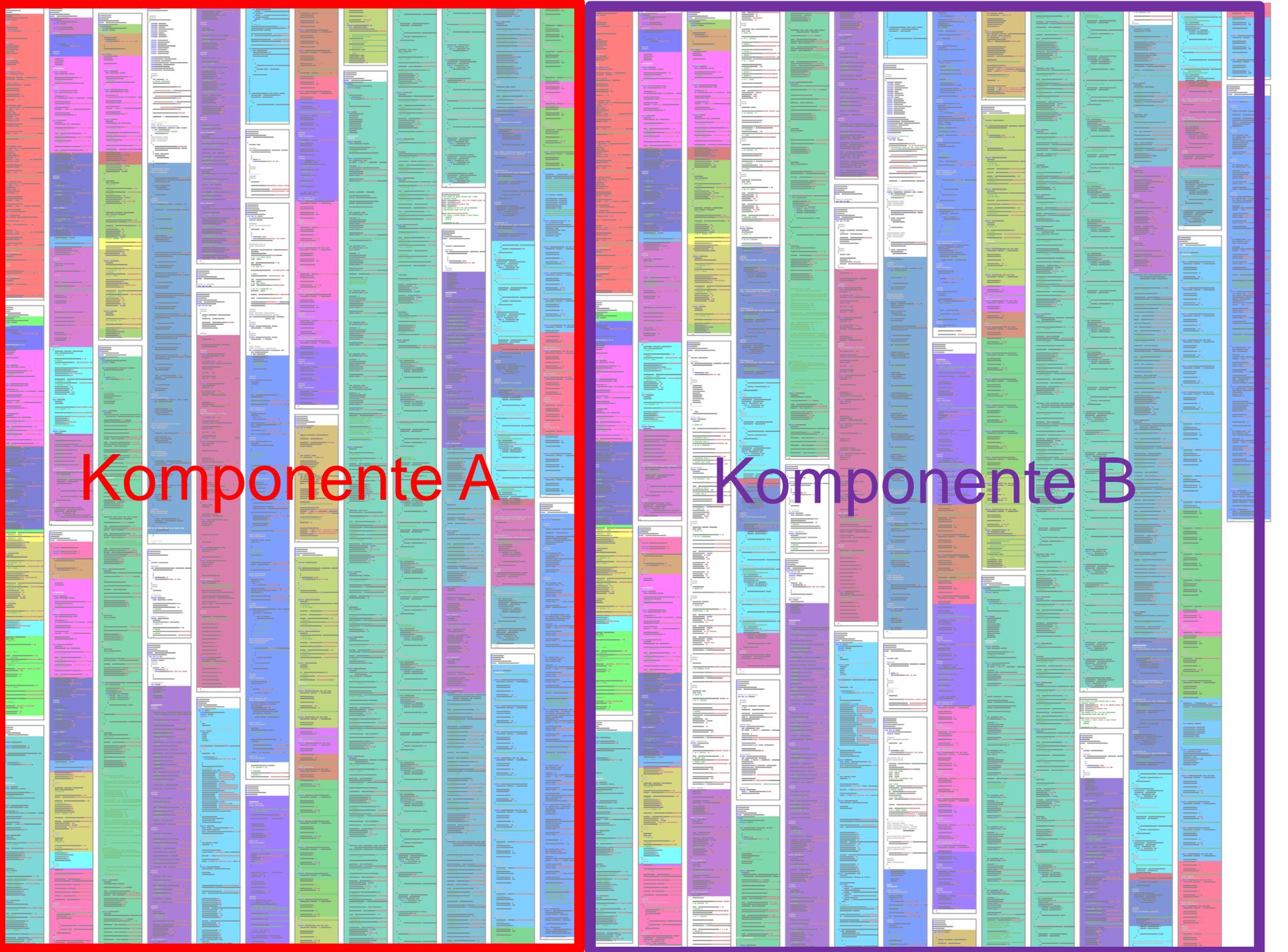




- Awareness of Management?
=> Keine Ressourcen, wenig Verbesserung







Komponente A

Komponente B

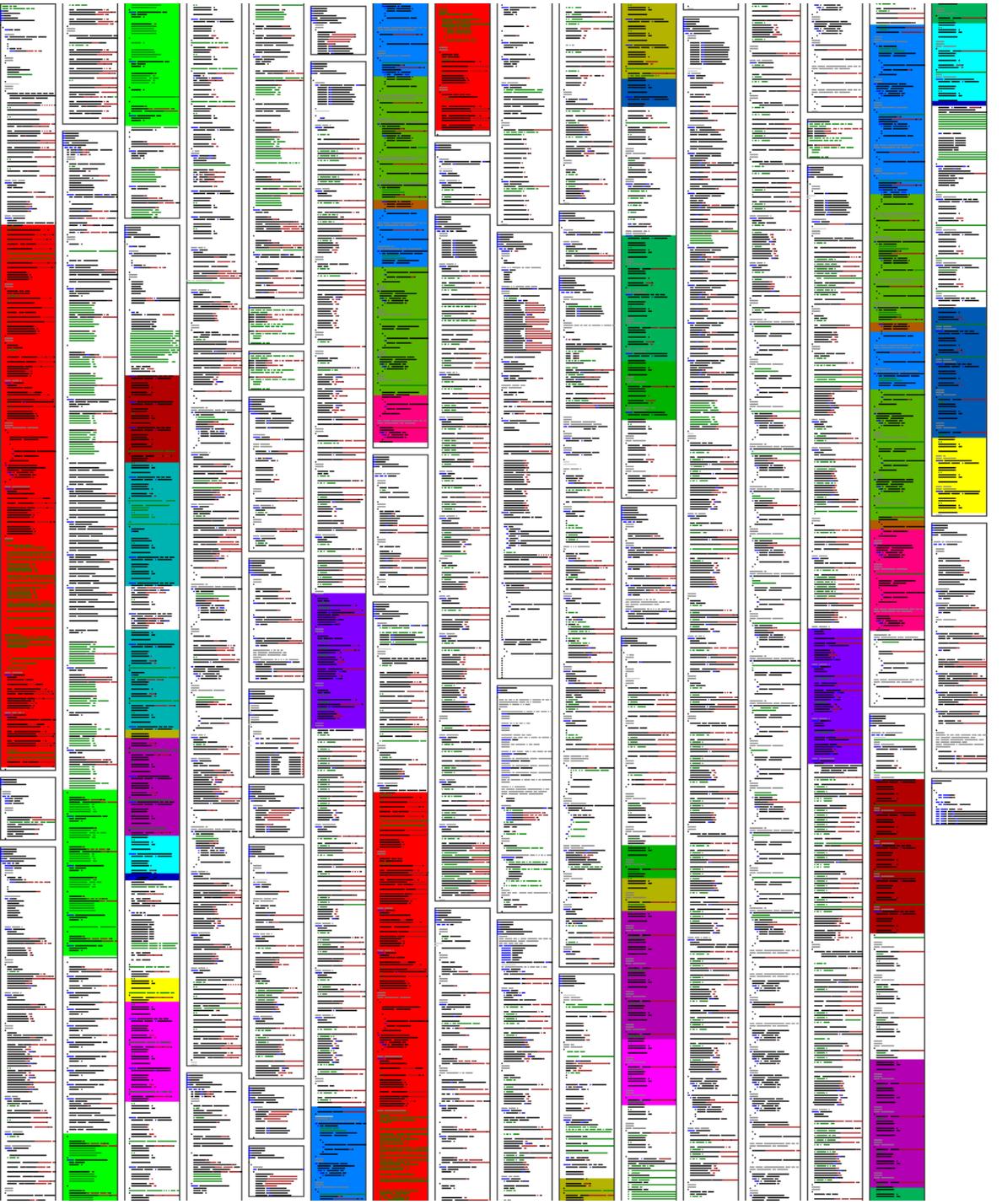
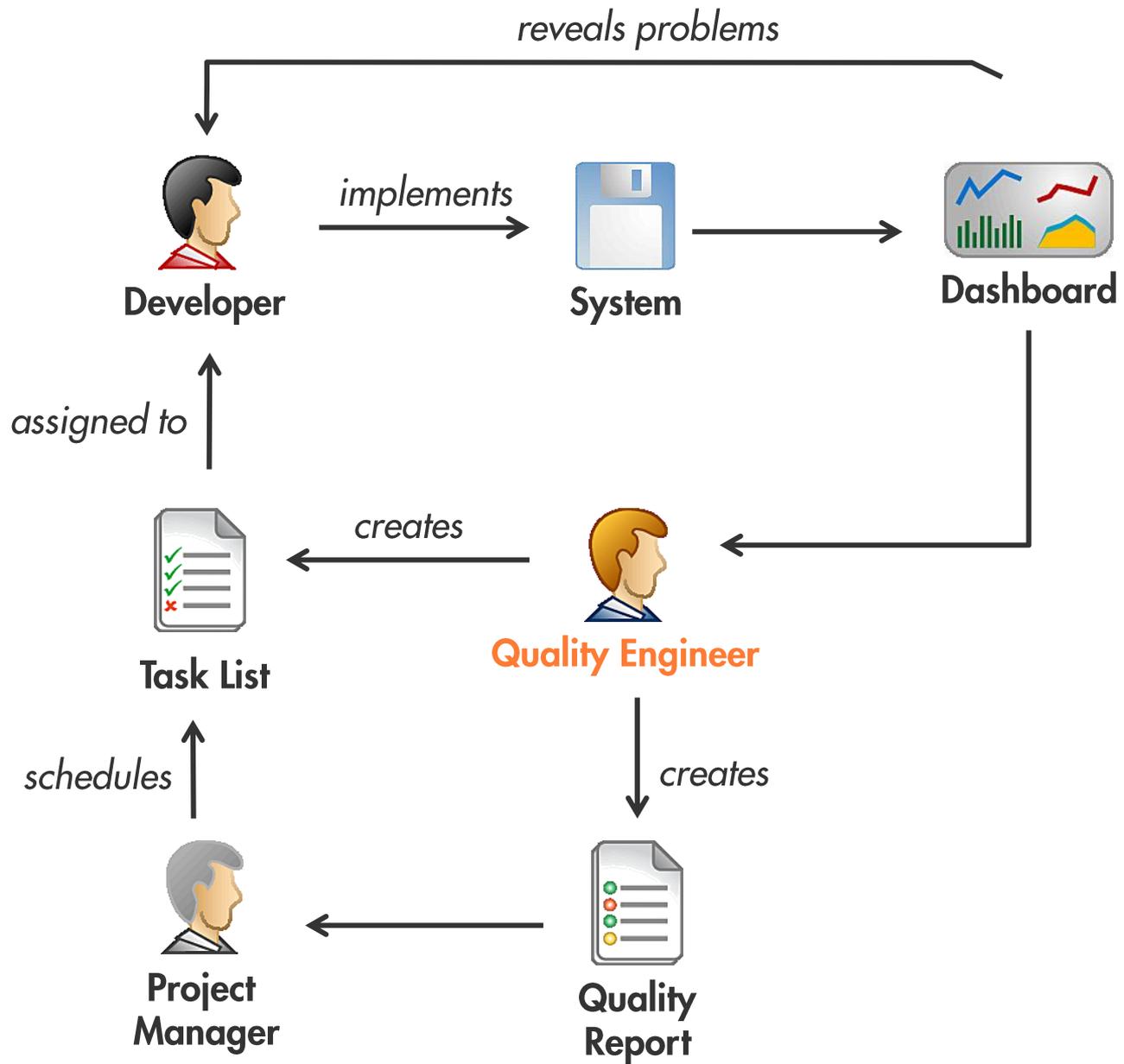


Figure 1: Genomic data visualization across 22 chromosomes, showing colored segments and associated plots.

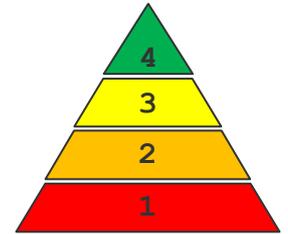


Best Practice: Quality Reports

Quality Indicator	Full Assessment		Delta Assessment	
Stability of Regular Team Builds	Build is stable.	✓	At the time of the last report, there was no automated build at all.	➔
Architecture Conformance	There are zero violations.	✓	Architecture specification was completed and is now fully	➔
Stability of U Tests	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px;"> <h3>1.7 Duplicated Code ✗ ➔</h3> <p>TQE Target: Clone coverage of less than 10%.</p> <div style="text-align: center;"> <h4>Clone Coverage</h4> <p>0.0 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7 0.8 0.9 1.0 %</p> </div> </div>			
Code Coverage				
Compiler Warnings				
Coding Guidelines Violations				
Duplicated Code	With a clone coverage of 12.2% the threshold of 10% is slightly violated.	✗	Clone coverage did not change significantly.	➔
File Size	The threshold regarding files > 400 LOC is violated.	✗	Use of partial classes improves the metric values but does not improve code quality	➔

Best Practice: TQE Tasks

- Bei jedem Report identifiziert
- Passend zu Quality Goal des Projekts
- Projekt entscheidet *ob* und *wann*



form routine.

99902 [*Duplicated Code*] Remove duplicated code in function modules

(from l. 169),

(from l. 274) and (from ll. 279, 577 and 1037) which recently were equally modified in 5 clone instances. Each duplicate is 91 lines long and equal unless two literals.

log parts.

99914 [*Nesting Depth*] Restructure function module

to reduce the deep nesting which was added. E.g. by extracting code within loops to helper function modules.

99915 [*Nesting Depth*] Restructure function module

Assessment of Overall System

X An automatic regular build needs to be established

The architecture specification

X Unit tests are not executed automatically

X The code expansion warnings.

✓ The number of warnings is slightly below thresholds

X With 12.8% the amount is slightly above threshold.

X File sizes are not permitted thresholds

X Nesting depth is above the permitted

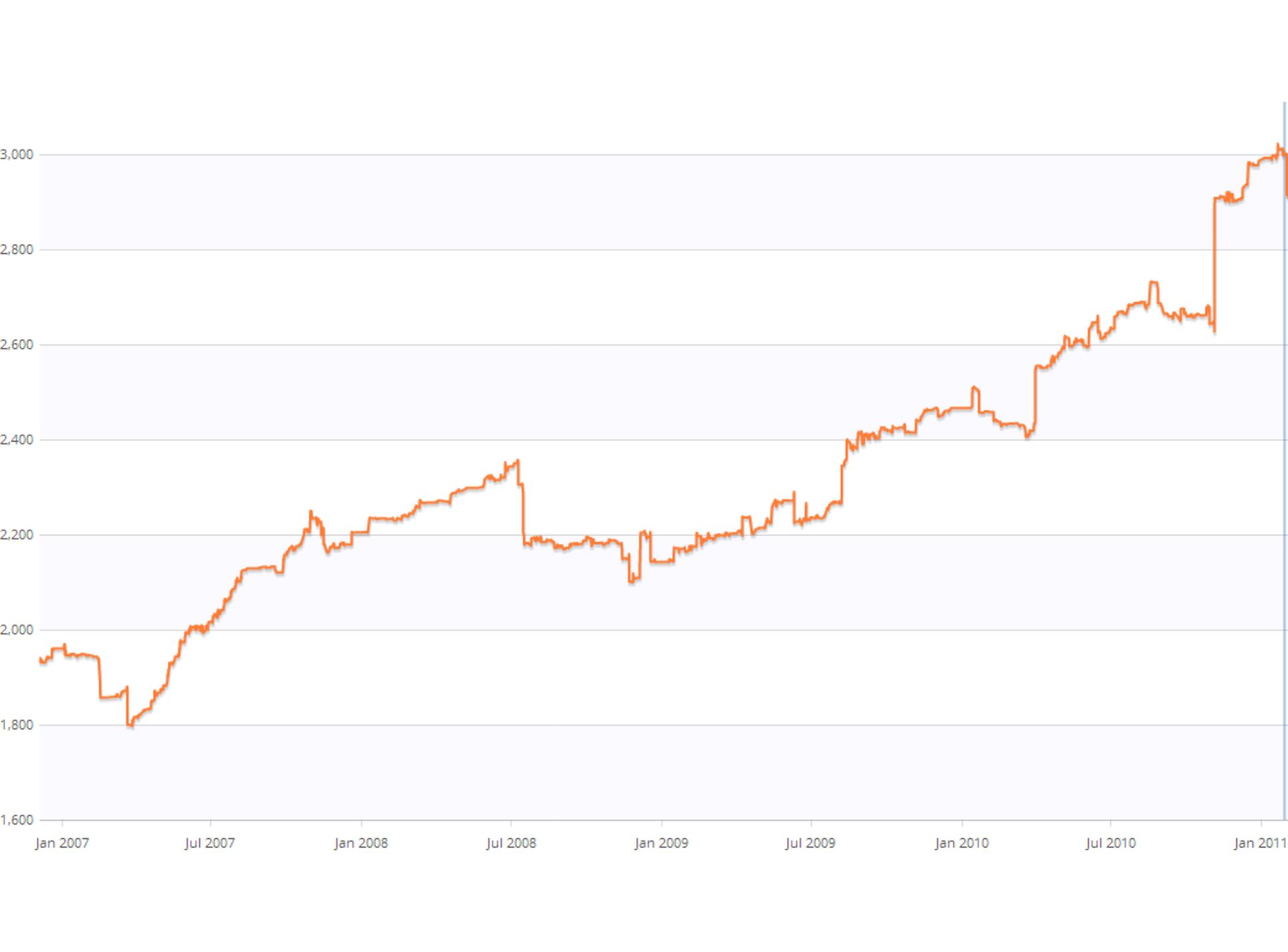
X Method length is not permitted thresholds

Element	Delta Assessment
	At the time of the last report, there was no automated build at all. 
	Architecture specification was completed and is now fully adhered to. 
	The number of warnings was significantly reduced, fixes actual quality. 
	The amount of one FxCop violations. X
	Clone coverage significantly improved. X
	Use of parallelism regarding files > 100k. X
	All nesting levels have been removed. ✓
	The amount of methods longer than 100 lines decreased. X

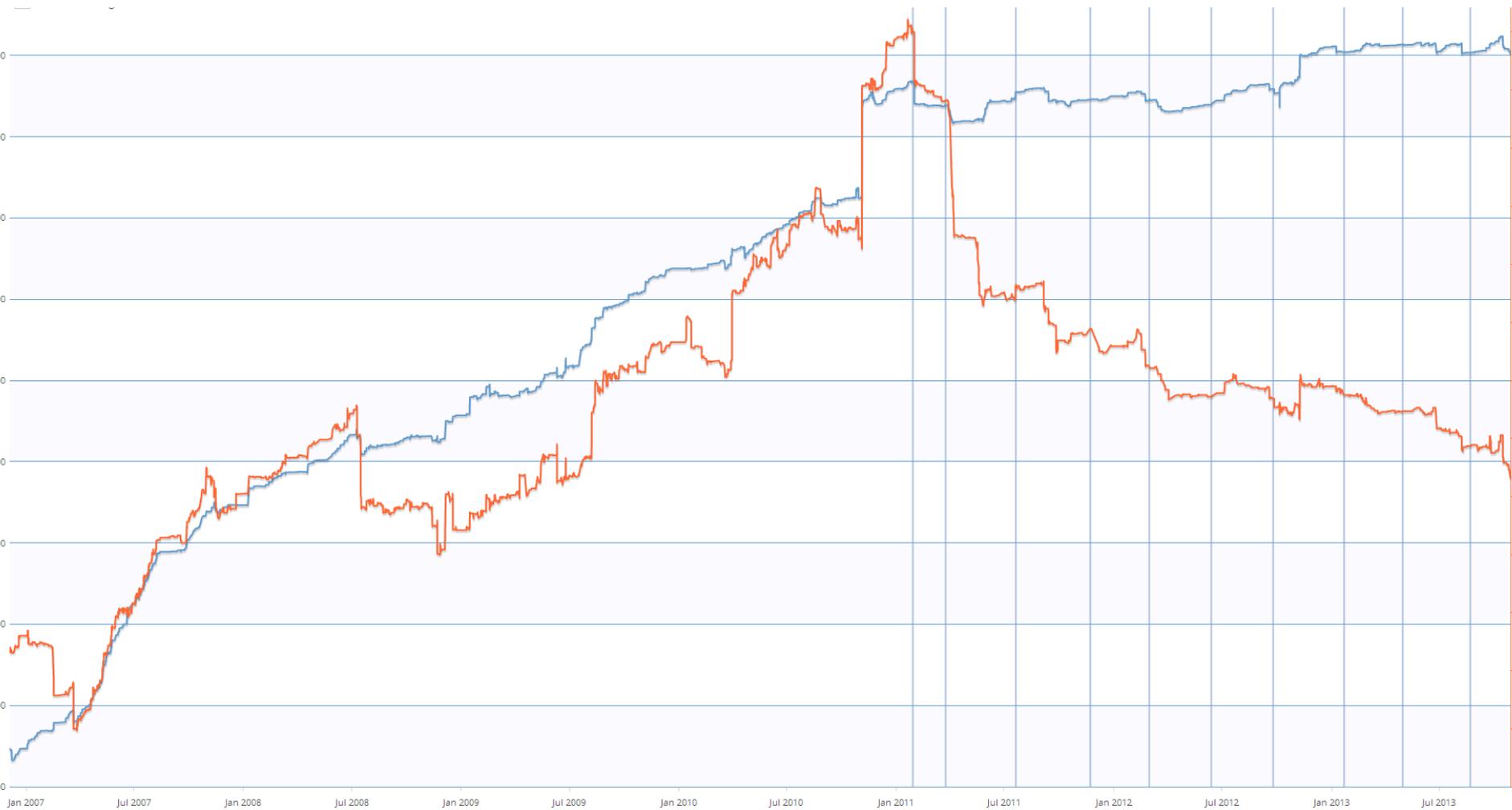
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Assessment Compared to Baseline

The build is stable	✓		
No policy is violated	✓	No change	
Failing tests get fixed with delay		Most ignored tests are now passing	
0 compiler warnings	✓	The amount of compiler warnings decreased	
248 files with violations	X	The amount of violations decreased	
7,3% clone coverage	✓	The clone coverage decreased significantly	
45,6% code in long files	X	The amount of very long files has been significantly reduced	
1,7% deeply nested code	✓	The amount of findings decreased significantly	
26,1% code in long methods		Less code in long methods	







Weitere Best Practices

- Spezifische Sichten für Stakeholder (aber: Transparenz!)
- Code Peer-Reviews
- Projektspezifisches Tailoring der Analysen
- Manuelle Reviews von KPI Verbesserungen
- Vollautomatische *Messung*. Manuelle *Bewertung*.
- Schnellstmögliches Feedback (Integration in IDE, Daily Builds, ...)
- ...

**Plakate
ankleben
verboten**

**Plakate
annageln
erlaubt?**

Baran.

Fazit

Qualitätsanalysewerkzeuge sind notwendig, aber nicht hinreichend für Verbesserung der Software-Qualität.

Nachhaltige Verbesserung erfordert die Unterstützung von Entwicklern und Management und die Integration in den Entwicklungsprozess.

Kontakt

Ich bin noch länger hier freue mich auf Diskussionen 😊

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