

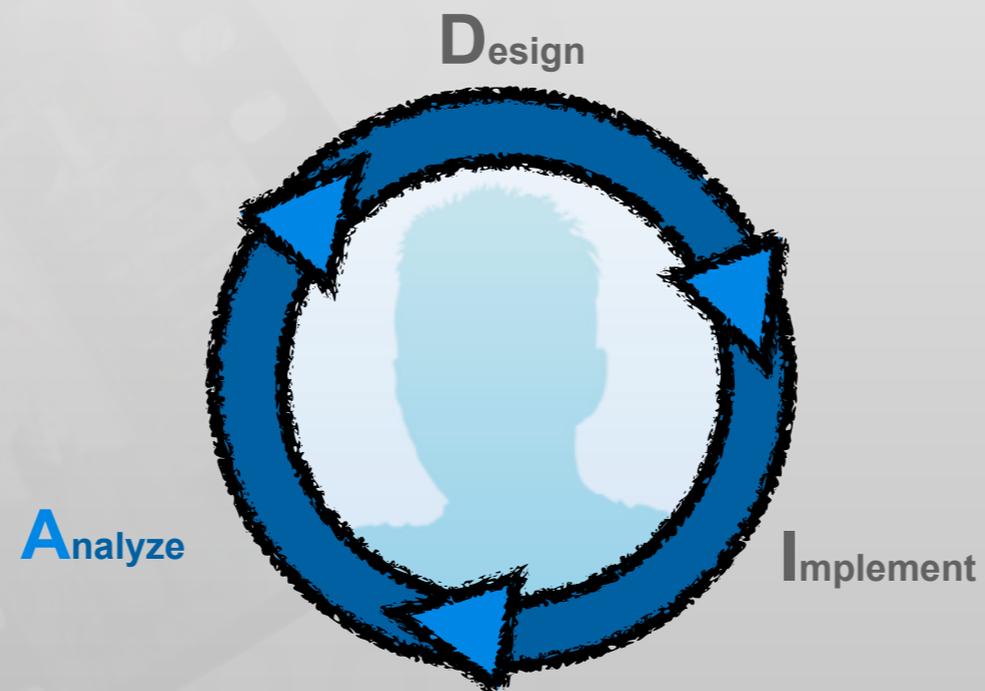
Research in Coding and IDEs

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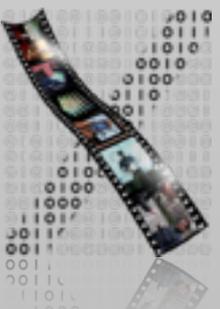
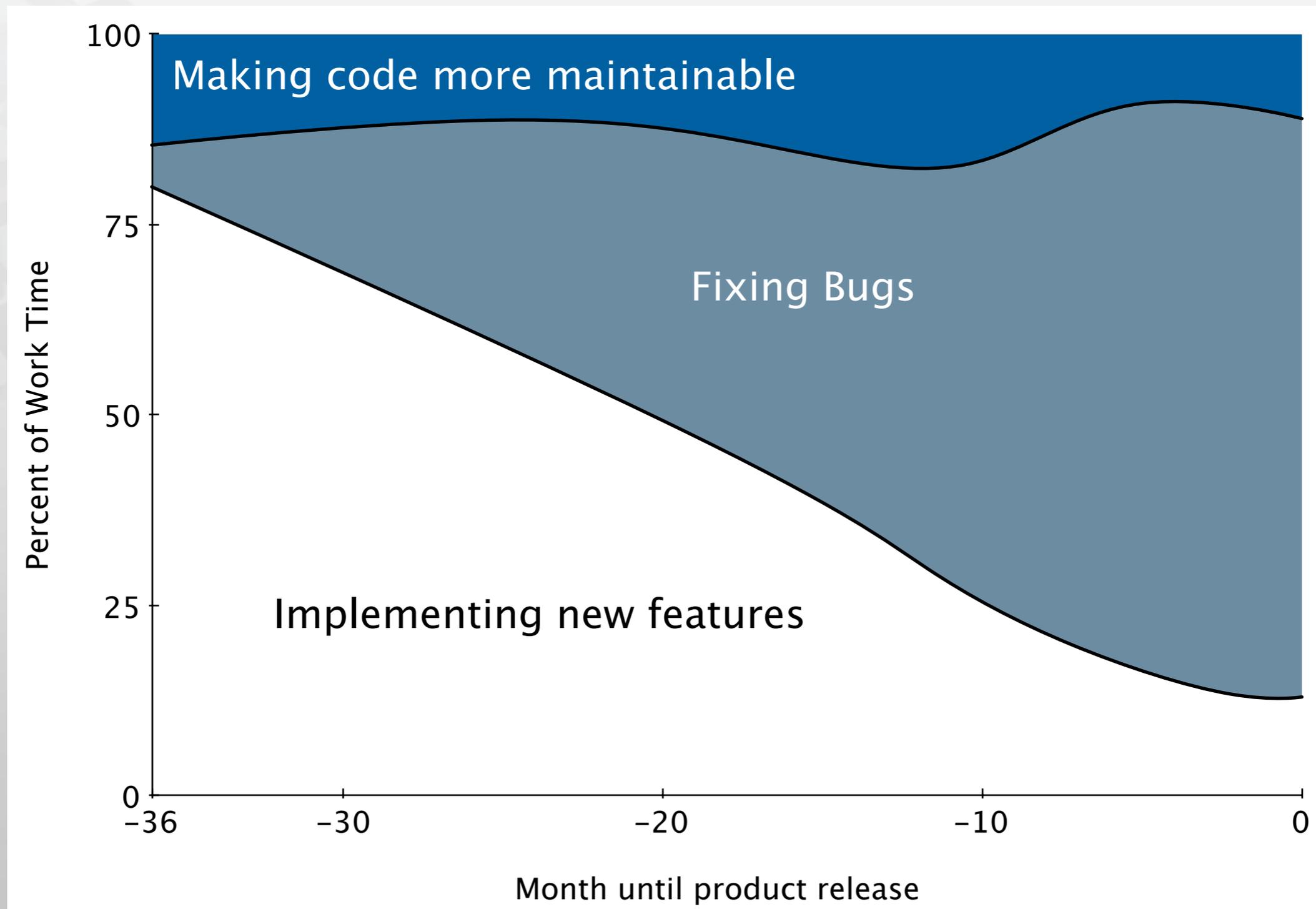


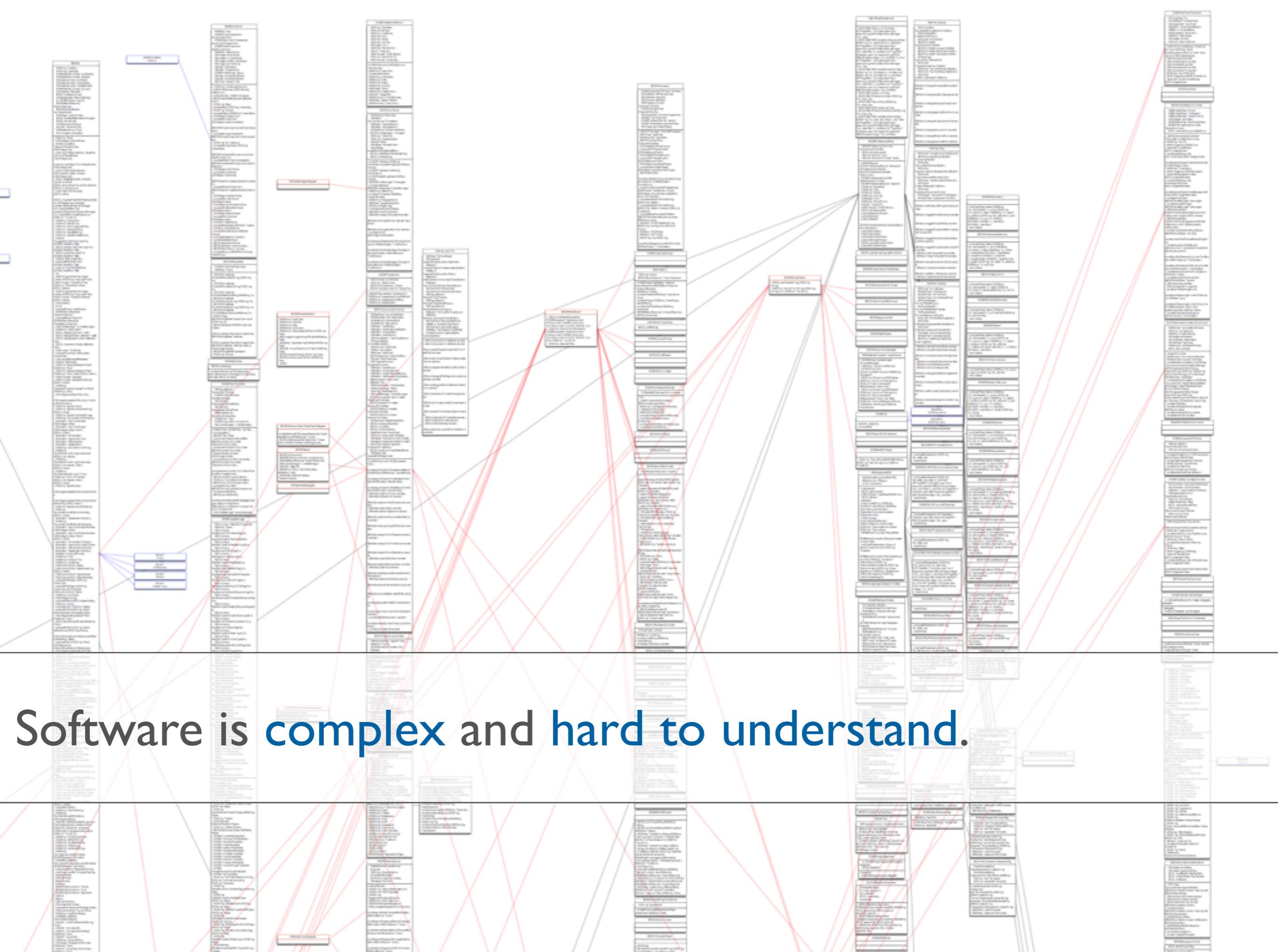
Status Quo



Time in Software Development

[LaToza2006, Maintaining mental models: a study of developer work habits]

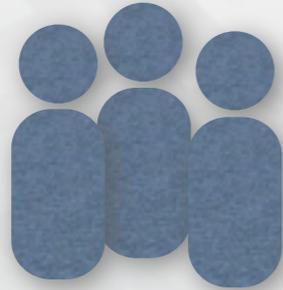




Software is **complex** and **hard to understand**.

Models for Developer Strategies

[Ko2006, An Exploratory Study of How Developers Seek, Relate, and Collect Relevant Information during Software Maintenance Tasks]



31 Professional Java Developers



5 Maintenance tasks
(3 Bugs, 2 Enhancements)

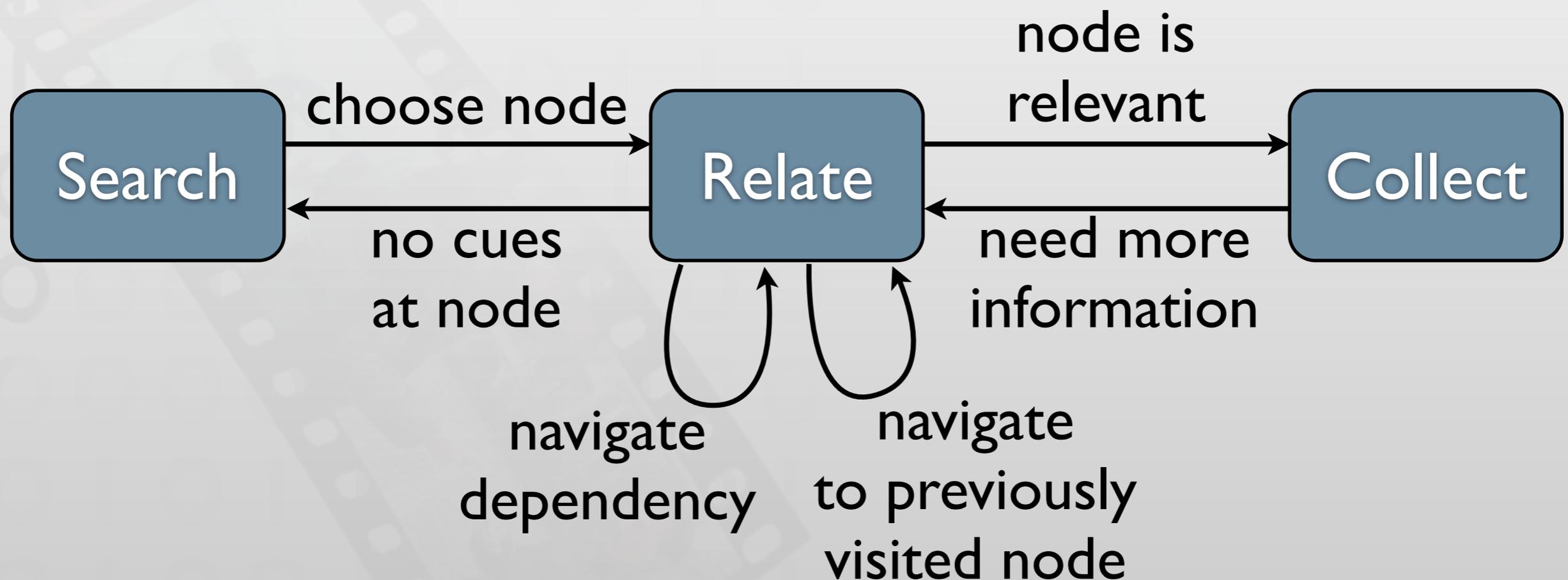


500 SLOC Java Paint
Application



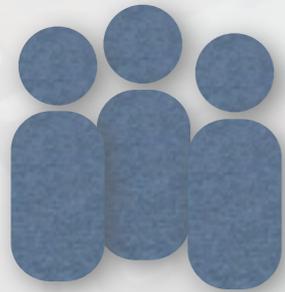
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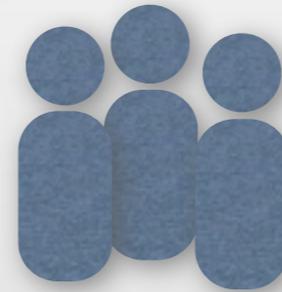


Models for Developer Strategies

[Sillito2008, Asking and Answering Questions during a Programming Change Task]



9 experienced developers (pair programming)



16 developers from industry



1 of 5 maintenance tasks per session



Real world change task



ArgoUML
60k SLOC

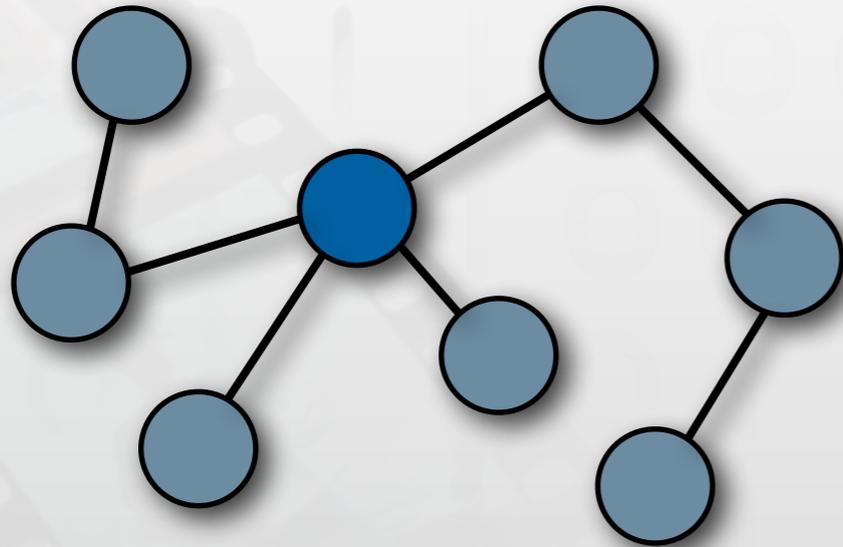


Real world sour code

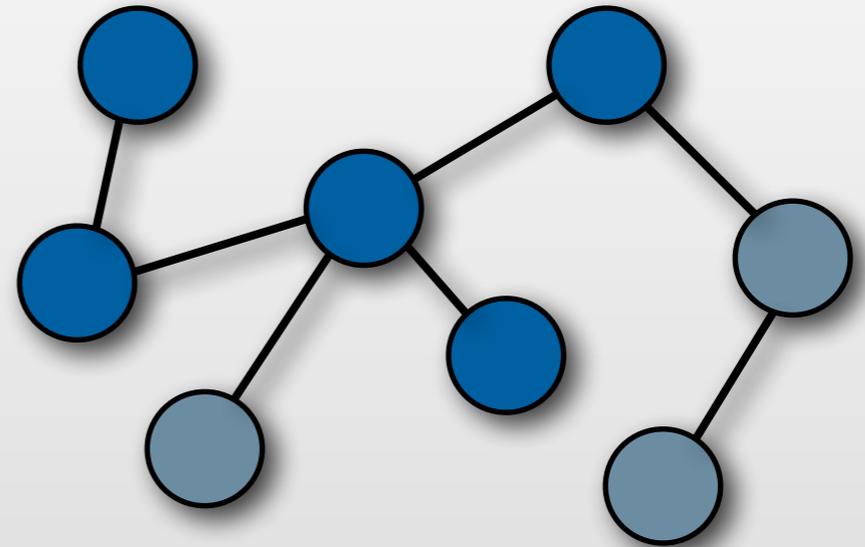


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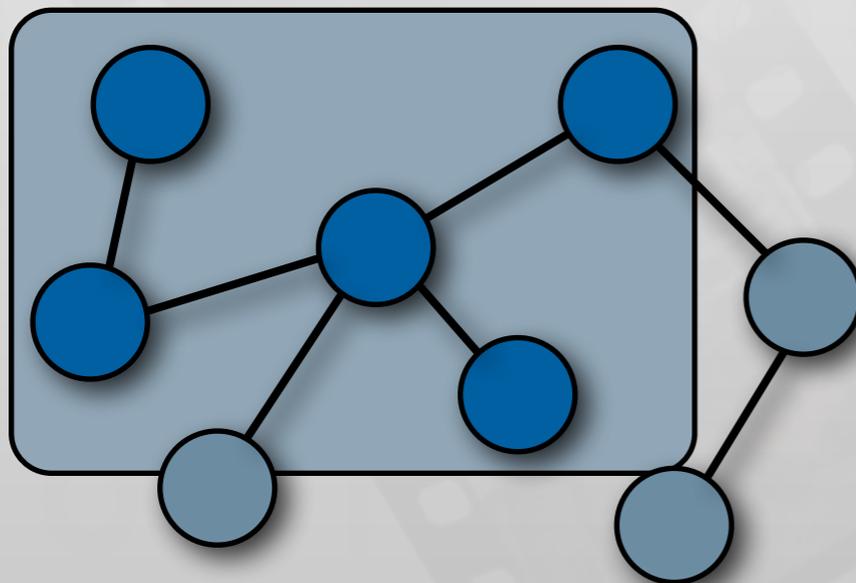
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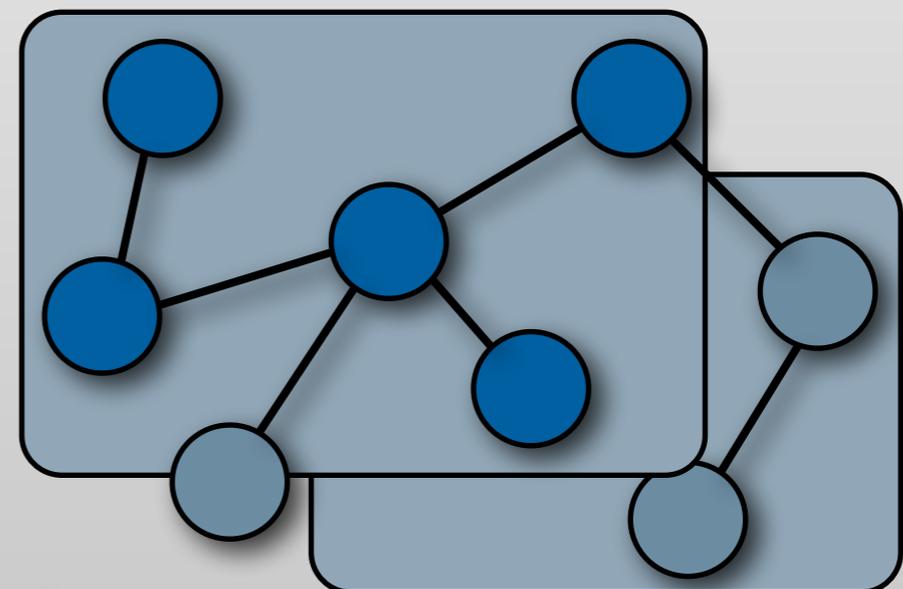
Finding focus points



Expanding focus points



Understanding a subgraph



Questions over groups of subgraphs



Package Explorer showing the project structure:

- org.jhotdraw
 - org.jhotdraw.applet
 - org.jhotdraw.application
 - org.jhotdraw.contrib
 - org.jhotdraw.contrib.dnd
 - org.jhotdraw.contrib.html
 - org.jhotdraw.contrib.zoom
 - org.jhotdraw.figures
 - org.jhotdraw.framework
 - org.jhotdraw.images
 - org.jhotdraw.samples
 - org.jhotdraw.samples.javadraw
 - AnimationDecorator.java
 - Animator.java
 - BouncingDrawing.java
 - FollowURLTool.java
 - JavaDrawApp.java
 - JavaDrawApplet.java
 - JavaDrawViewer.java
 - MySelectionTool.java
 - PatternPainter.java
 - URLTool.java
 - org.jhotdraw.samples.javadraw.sam
 - org.jhotdraw.samples.minimap
 - org.jhotdraw.samples.net
 - org.jhotdraw.samples.nothing
 - org.jhotdraw.samples.pert
 - org.jhotdraw.samples.pert.images
 - org.jhotdraw.standard
 - org.jhotdraw.test
 - org.jhotdraw.test.contrib
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 - org.jhotdraw.util
 - org.jhotdraw.util.collections.jdk11
 - org.jhotdraw.util.collections.jdk12

```

@(#)DesktopEvent.java

package org.jhotdraw.contrib;

import org.jhotdraw.framework.DrawingView;

/**
 * @author C.L.Gilbert <dnoyeb@users.sourceforge.net>
 * @version <CURRENT_VERSION$>
 */
public class DesktopEvent extends EventObject {
    private DrawingView myDrawingView;

    /**
     * Some events require the previous DrawingView (e.g. when a new DrawingView
     * is selected).
     */
    private DrawingView myPreviousDrawingView;

    public DesktopEvent(Desktop newSource, DrawingView newDrawingView) {
        this(newSource, newDrawingView, null);
    }

    public DesktopEvent(Desktop newSource, DrawingView newDrawingView, DrawingView newPreviousDV) {
        super(newSource);
        setDrawingView(newDrawingView);
        setPreviousDrawingView(newPreviousDV);
    }

    private void setDrawingView(DrawingView newDrawingView) {
        myDrawingView = newDrawingView;
    }

    public DrawingView getDrawingView() {
        return myDrawingView;
    }

    private void setPreviousDrawingView(DrawingView newPreviousDrawingView) {
        myPreviousDrawingView = newPreviousDrawingView;
    }

    public DrawingView getPreviousDrawingView() {
        return myPreviousDrawingView;
    }
}
    
```

Outline view showing the class structure:

- org.jhotdraw.contrib
 - import declarations
 - DesktopEvent
 - myDrawingView : DrawingView
 - myPreviousDrawingView : Drawl
 - DesktopEvent(Desktop, Drawing
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 - setDrawingView(DrawingView) :
 - getDrawingView() : DrawingView
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 - getPreviousDrawingView() : Draw

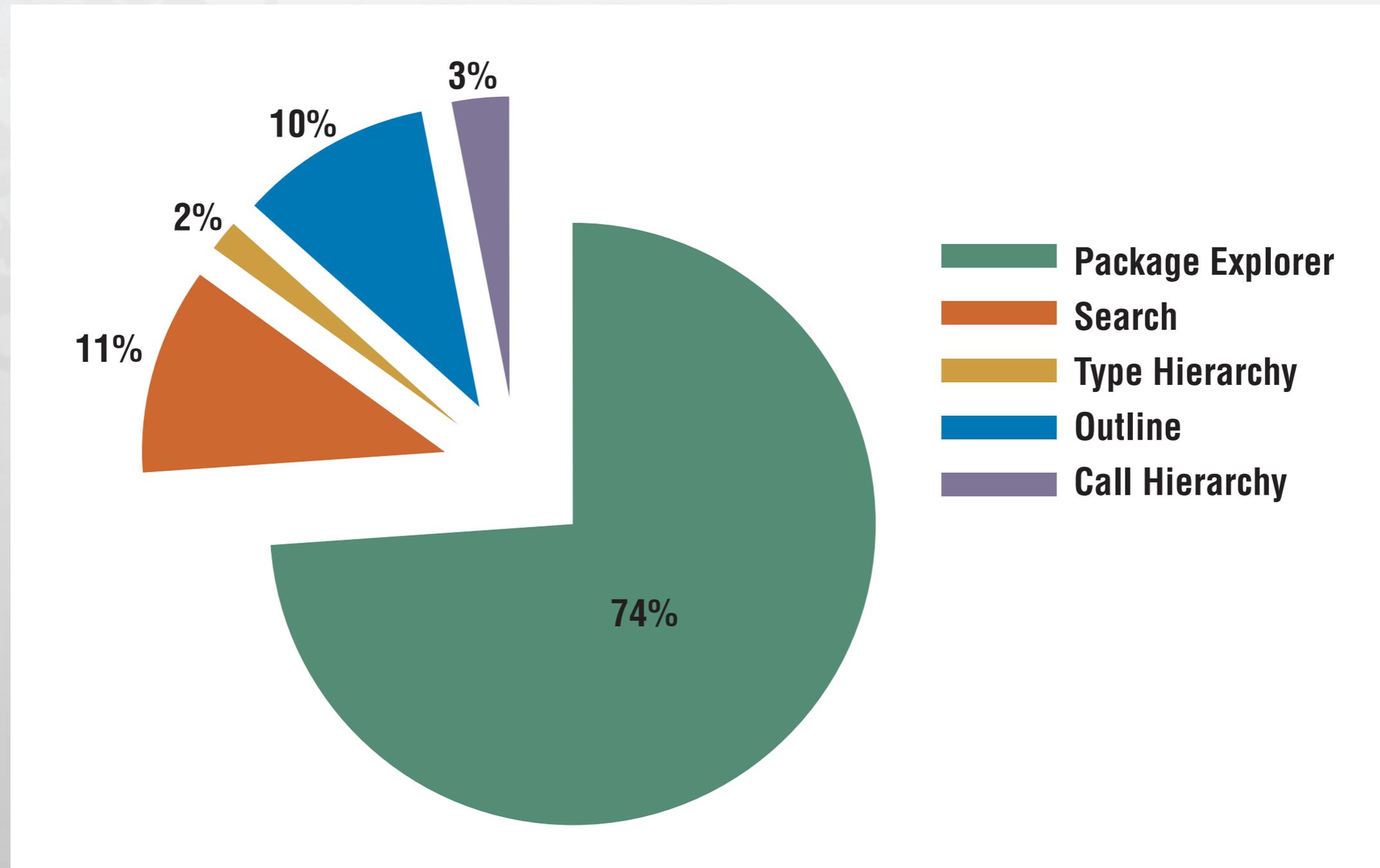
Problems, Javadoc, Declaration, Call Hierarchy tabs. Call Hierarchy view showing calls from 'DesktopEvent(Desktop, DrawingView, DrawingView)' in workspace:

- DesktopEvent(Desktop, DrawingView, DrawingView) - org.jhotdraw.contrib.DesktopEvent
 - EventObject(Object) - java.util.EventObject
 - setDrawingView(DrawingView) : void - org.jhotdraw.contrib.DesktopEvent
 - setPreviousDrawingView(DrawingView) : void - org.jhotdraw.contrib.DesktopEvent

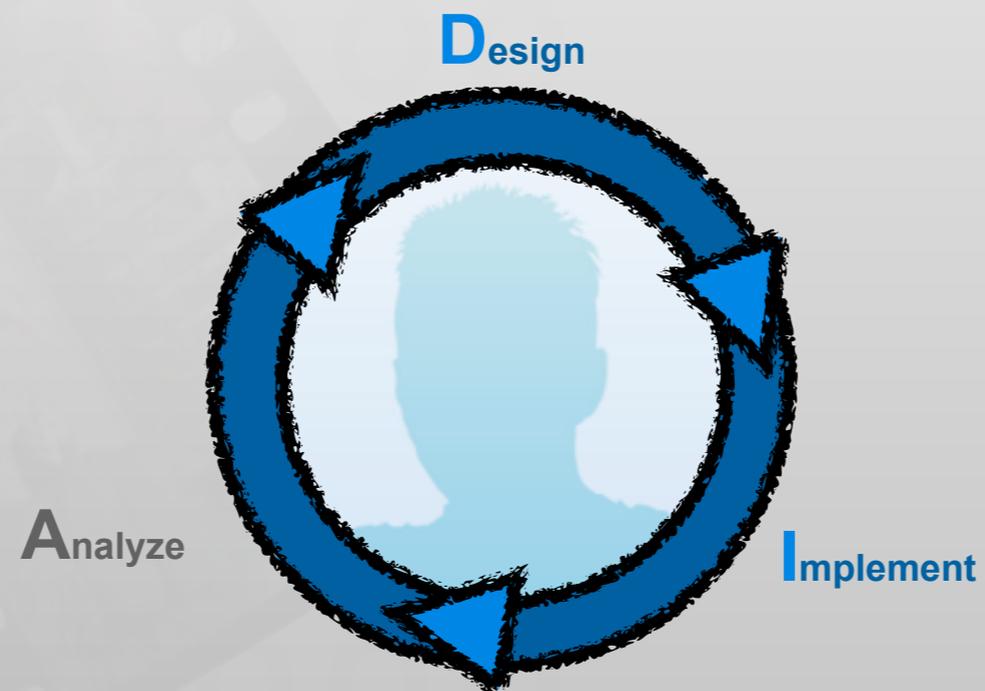
Line	Call

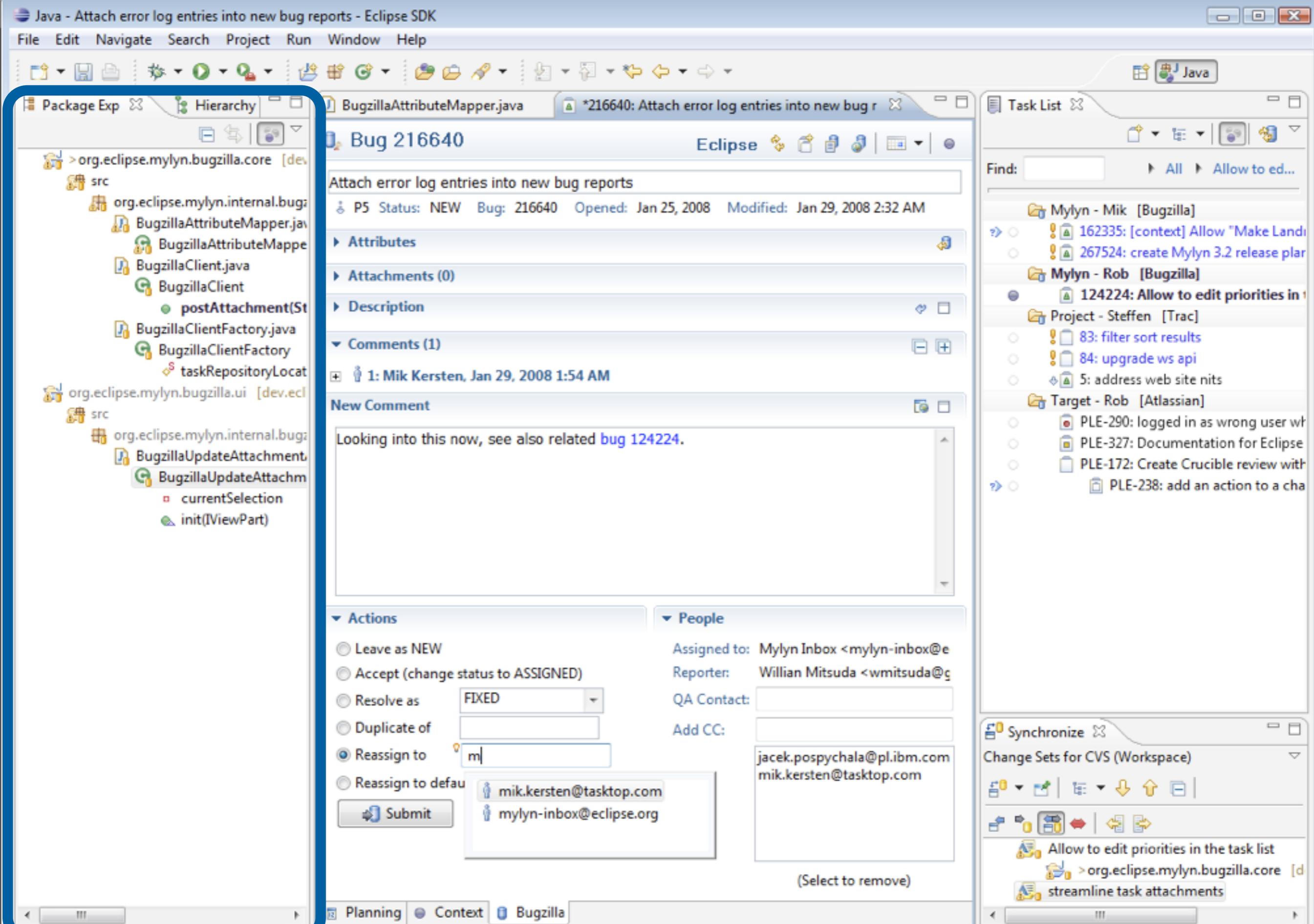
Tools Used in Eclipse

[Murphy2006, How Are Java Software Developers Using the Eclipse IDE?]



Easing Access to Task Context





[Kersten2006, Using Task Context to Improve Programmer Productivity]

Recommender Tools

[Singer2005, NavTracks: supporting navigation in software maintenance]

[DeLine2005, Easing program comprehension by sharing navigation data]

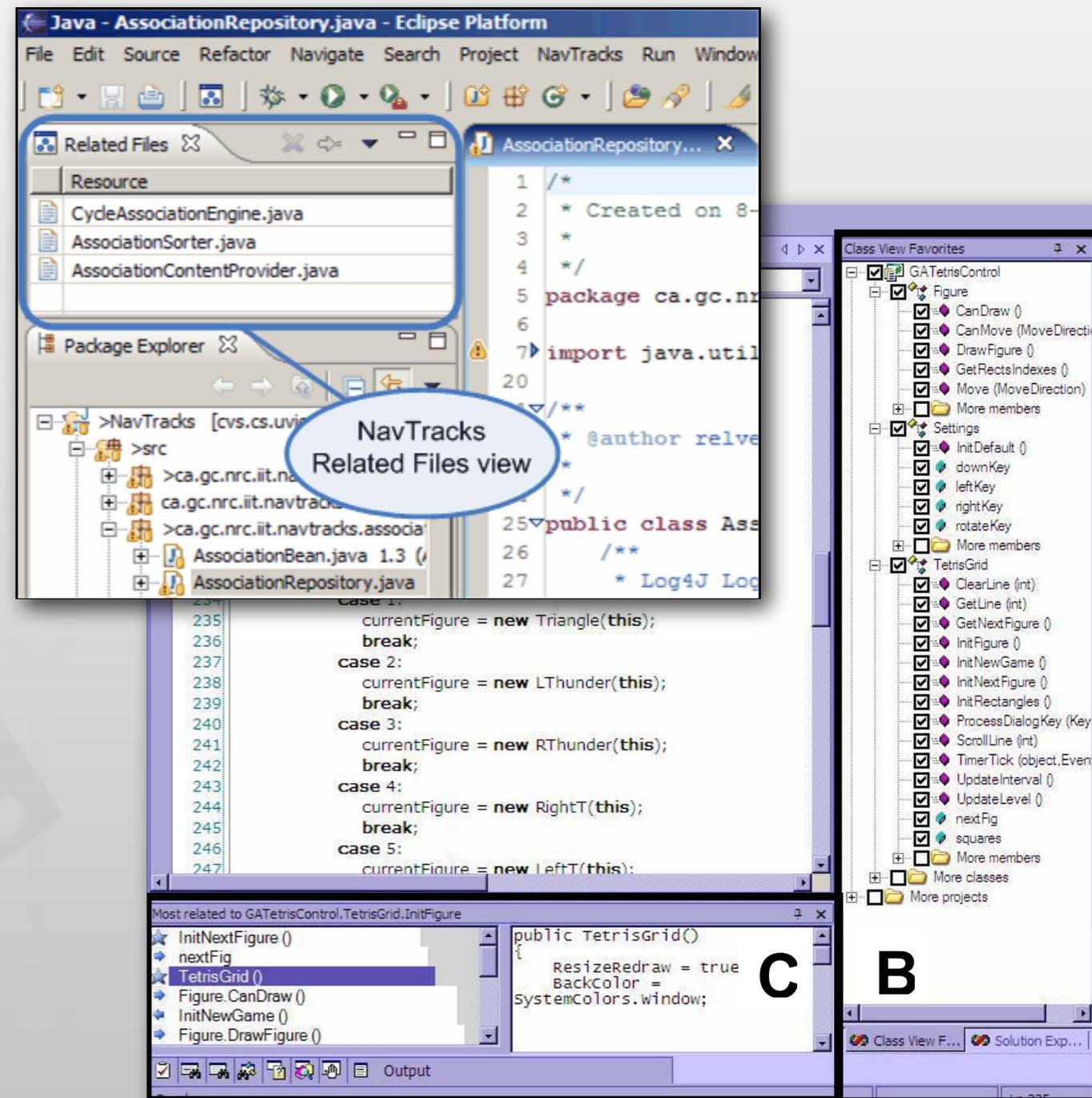
[Čubranic'2005, Hipikat: recommending pertinent software development artifacts]

- Calculate a Degree of Interest for source code elements based on:

- reading history
- editing history
- history of other team members
- information from version control systems

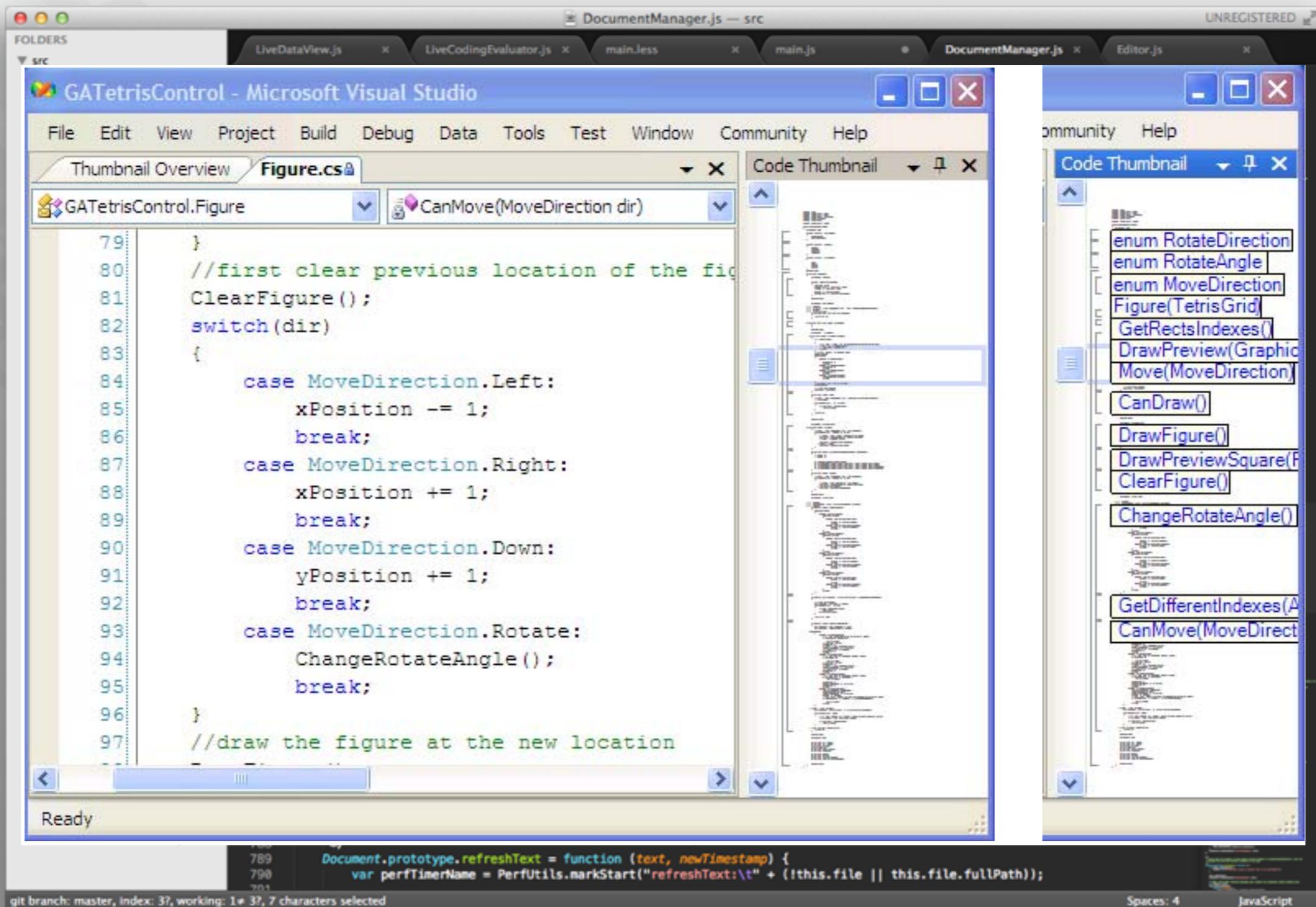
- Remaining Problems:

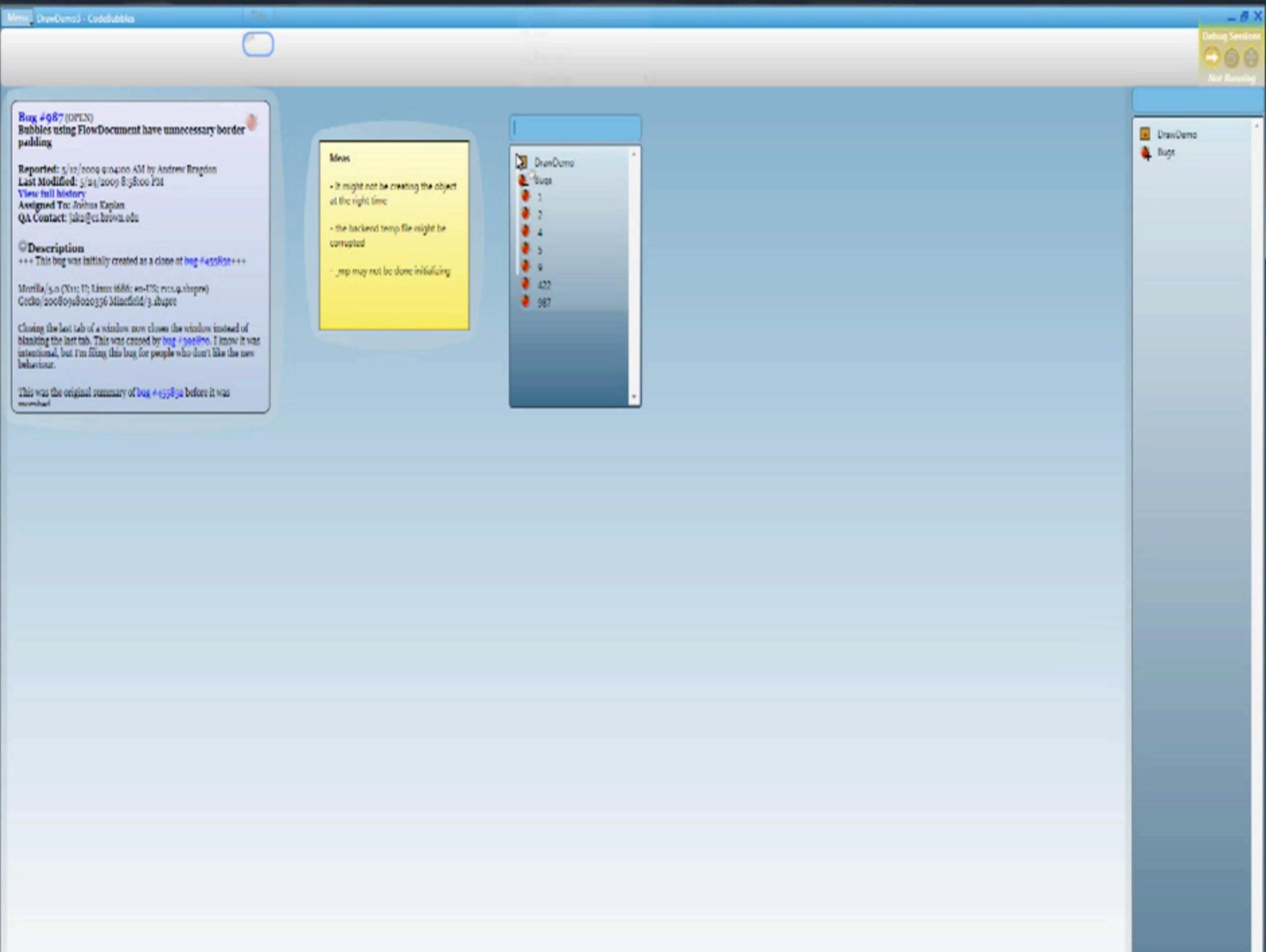
- Still only text-based visualization
- Recommendations for irrelevant code are still irrelevant



Changing the Presentation

[DeLine2006, CodeThumbnail2, Using Special Memory to Navigate Source Code]





[Bragdon2010, Code bubbles: a working set-based interface for code understanding and maintenance]

The image displays a screenshot of an IDE with several code bubbles overlaid on the source code. The bubbles are connected by lines, illustrating the flow of execution between different parts of the code. The IDE interface includes a menu bar, a toolbar, a main editor area, and a right-hand sidebar with a class hierarchy and member variables.

Code Bubble 1 (Left): Shows the `generateOrderedShapes()` method in `DrawDemo`. It iterates over `getInteractiveShapes()` and updates `updateShapes` based on certain conditions. It also calls `fillOrderedShapes()` and `layoutOrderedShapes()`.

Code Bubble 2 (Top Middle): Shows the `fillOrderedShapes()` method in `DrawDemo`. It initializes `_orderedShapes` and adds shapes to it, then calls `sortOrderedShapes()`.

Code Bubble 3 (Middle Right): Shows the `sortOrderedShapes()` method in `DrawDemo`. It sorts the shapes based on their width and height.

Code Bubble 4 (Bottom Middle): Shows the `layoutOrderedShapes()` method in `DrawDemo`. It sets the location of each shape based on its width and height, and updates the `currX` and `currY` variables.

Code Bubble 5 (Bottom Right): Shows the `computeOrderedShapesLayout()` method in `DrawDemo`. It computes the layout of the shapes and adds them to the `_orderedShapesLayout` vector.

Code Bubble 6 (Bottom Left): Shows the `layoutOrderedShapesLayout()` method in `DrawDemo`. It sets the location of each shape in the layout based on its width and height, and updates the `currX` and `currY` variables.

Code Bubble 7 (Middle Left): Shows the `storeShapeLocations()` method in `DrawDemo`. It stores the locations of the shapes in a `HashMap`.

Code Bubble 8 (Top Right): Shows the `computeOrderedShapesFlow()` method in `DrawDemo`. It computes the flow of the shapes and adds them to the `_orderedShapesLayout` vector.

Code Bubble 9 (Bottom Right): Shows the `computeOrderedShapesLayout()` method in `DrawDemo`. It computes the layout of the shapes and adds them to the `_orderedShapesLayout` vector.

Code Bubble 10 (Bottom Left): Shows the `layoutOrderedShapesLayout()` method in `DrawDemo`. It sets the location of each shape in the layout based on its width and height, and updates the `currX` and `currY` variables.

[Bragdon2010, Code bubbles: a working set-based interface for code understanding and maintenance]

DrawDemo3 MainPanel

```

DrawDemo3 MainPanel
lic string[] generateStatisticsMessages()
String msg1 =
    "there is currently 1 shape on the screen"

string[] messages = new string[1];
messages[0] = msg1;

return messages;

```

```

DrawDemo3 MainPanel
lic void handleBorderOfPanel(Panel panel,
    Color c)
panel.setBorder(new javax.swing.border.
    MatteBorder(1,1,1,1,c));

init();

```

```

DrawDemo3 MainPanel
lic void logKeyPress(String action)
_actionList.add(action);
writeMenuLog();

```

```

DrawDemo3 MainPanel
public void handleStatisticsGUI(String[]
    messages) {
    _statsButton = StatsButton.getInstance(
        messages);
}

```

```

DrawDemo3 StatsButton
protected void handleClick()
String displayText = "";
displayText += _messages[0];
setLogMax(displayText(displayText));
}

```

```

DrawDemo3 MainPanel
public ShapeButton[] createShapeButtons()
ShapeButton[] shp = new ShapeButton[4];
shp[0] = ShapeButton.getInstance("Line",
    this);
shp[1] = ShapeButton.getInstance(
    "Round Rectangle", this);
shp[2] = ShapeButton.getInstance("Ellipse",
    this);
shp[3] = ShapeButton.getInstance("Pie Shape",
    this);

_holder = new ButtonHolder(_lines);
return shp;
}

```

```

DrawDemo3 MainPanel
public static void test()
{
}

```

Toolbar Setup Code

```

DrawDemo3 MainPanel
private static final long serialVersionUID =
    1L;
private JButton _line0;
private JButton _statsButton;
private JButton _deleteShape;
private ButtonHolder _holder;
public LinkedList<String> _actions = new
    LinkedList<String>();
private DrawingPanel _dr;
private ShapeButtonPanel _shapeButtonPanel;

```

```

DRAWDEMO
ButtonHolder
_currentSelection private ShapeButton _currentSelection, _nextSelection;
setSelected public void setSelected(ShapeButton button){
DrawingPanel
isSpecifyDimensions return ShapeButton.isSpecifyDimensions();
MainPanel
_line0 private ShapeButton _line;
MainPanel
MainPanel ShapeButton[] shapeButtons = this.createShapeButtons();
createShapeButtons public ShapeButton[] createShapeButtons(){
    ShapeButton[] shp = new ShapeButton[4];
    ShapeButton shp = new ShapeButton(4);
    shp[0] = ShapeButton.getInstance("Line", this);
    shp[1] = ShapeButton.getInstance("Round Rectangle", this);
    shp[2] = ShapeButton.getInstance("Pie Shape", this);
    shp[3] = ShapeButton.getInstance("Pie Shape", this);
MainPanel
public Panel makeShapeButtonPanel(ShapeButton[] buttons){
ShapeButton

```

- DrawDemo
- Add Class...
- App
- ActionButton
- ButtonHolder
- CenterOfMassMenuItem
- ClearGridMenuButton
- DeleteButton
- DrawingPanel
- GridMenuButton
- HighlightedMenuButton
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- Top of file
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- writeToFile
- MainMenuMenuButton
- OrganizationButton
- PasswordCommandListen
- PasswordConfirmButton
- PasswordFrame
- PasswordHelpButton
- QuitButton
- ...

```

DrawDemo+DrawingFunc1+
private void generateOrderedShapes() {
    boolean updateShapes = false;

    for(Shape shape : getInteractiveShapes()){
        if(this.getWidth() != _lastWidth) {
            updateShapes = true;
            break;
        }

        if(!_prevShapeLocations.keySet().contains(
            shape)){
            updateShapes = true;
            break;
        }
        else {
            ShapeInfo info = _prevShapeLocations.
                get(shape);
            if(shape.getWidth() != info.width ||
                shape.getHeight() != info.height){
                updateShapes = true;
                break;
            }
        }
    }

    if(updateShapes)
        fillOrderedShapes();

    layoutOrderedRows();
}
    
```

```

DrawDemo+DrawingPanel+
private void fillOrderedShapes() {
    _orderedShapes = new Vector<Shape>();
    for(Shape shape : getInteractiveShapes())
        _orderedShapes.add(shape);

    sortOrderedShapes();
}
    
```

```

DrawDemo+DrawingPanel+
private void storeShapeLocations() {
    _prevShapeLocations = new HashMap<Shape,
        ShapeInfo>();
    for(Shape shape : getInteractiveShapes())
        _prevShapeLocations.put(shape, new
            ShapeInfo(shape.getWidth(), shape.getHeight(),
                shape.getWidth(), shape.getHeight()));
}
    
```

```

DrawDemo
DrawingPanel
_orderedShapes private Vector<Shape> _orderedShapes = new Vector<Shape>();
_fillOrderedShapes _orderedShapes = new Vector<Shape>();
_orderedShapes.add(shape);
_sortOrderedShapes let numShapes = _orderedShapes.size();
_orderedShapes.remove(0);
_orderedShapes.add(0, shape);
_findShortest if(_orderedShapes.elementAt(1).getWidth() < numWidth){
    shortest = _orderedShapes.elementAt(1);
}

@DrawDemo+DrawingPanel+
private void computeOrderedShapeFlow() {
    _orderedShapesLayout = new Vector<Vector<Shape>>();
    ...
    _orderedShapesLayout.add(new Vector<Shape>());
    for(Shape shape : _orderedShapes) {
        double shapeWidth = shape.getWidth();
        if(currWidth + shapeWidth + _horizontalPadding < _lastWidth){
            ...
        }
    }
}
    
```

```

DrawDemo+DrawingPanel+
private void layoutOrderedRows() {
    this.setActiveShape(null);
    _orderedShapesLayout();

    double currY = _verticalPadding;
    double currX = _horizontalPadding;
    double maxRow = 0;

    for(Vector<Shape> row :
        _orderedShapesLayout) {
        for(Shape shape : row) {
            shape.setLocation(currX, currY);
            currX += shape.getWidth() +
                _horizontalPadding;
            if(shape.getHeight() > maxRow)
                maxRow = shape.getHeight();
        }
        currX = _horizontalPadding;
        currY += maxRow;
    }
}
    
```

```

DrawDemo
DrawingFunc1
orderedShapesLayout private Vector<Vector<Shape>> _orderedShapesLayout

@DrawDemo+DrawingFunc1+
private void computeOrderedShapesLayout() {
    _orderedShapesLayout = new Vector<Vector<Shape>>();
    _lastWidth = this.getWidth();
    if(!_paddingQueried)
        ...
    double currWidth = _horizontalPadding;
    _orderedShapesLayout.add(new Vector<Shape>());
    for(Shape shape : _orderedShapes) {
        double shapeWidth = shape.getWidth();
        if(currWidth + shapeWidth + _horizontalPadding < _lastWidth){
            _orderedShapesLayout.lastElement().add(shape);
            currWidth += shapeWidth + _horizontalPadding;
        }
    }
}
    
```

Things to Remember

- OrderedShapesLayout is what you want, not orderedShapes
- Be sure to call layoutOrderedRows first

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```

DrawDemo+ShapeButton+
public void handleClick() {
    _pf.update(this);
    DrawingFunc1 df = _pf.getDF();
    Shape newShape = df.createShapeFromText(
        _text);
    newShape.setLocation(df.getRandomX(), df.
        getRandomY());
    df.add(newShape);
    df.makeShapeInteractive(newShape);
    pf.setActiveShape(newShape);
}
    
```

```

DrawDemo+DrawingPanel+
public Shape createShapeFromText(String text) {
    Shape s = null;

    if (this.isSpecifyDimensions()) {
        this.initialiseDimensions();
        this.setSpecifyDimensions();
    }
}
    
```

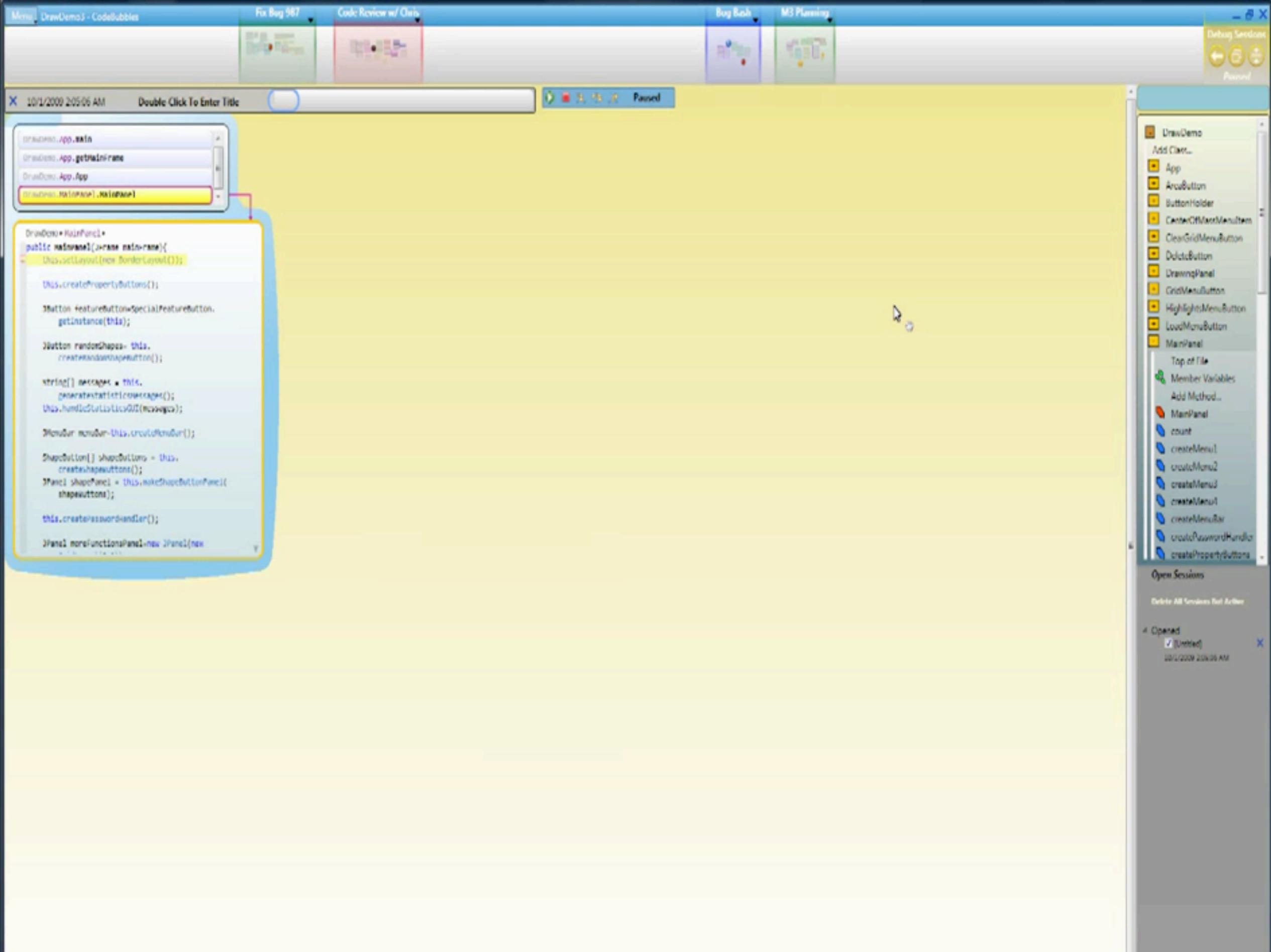
```

DrawDemo+DrawingPanel+
public void setSpecifyDimensions() {
    if (_currentButtonShape != null) {
        _currentButtonShape.setSpecify(
            _specificWidth, _specificHeight);
        updateColorKey();
    }
}
    
```

```

DrawDemo+DrawingPanel+
public void updateDisplay() {
    for (int i = 0; i < _items.length; i++)
        updateItem(i);
}

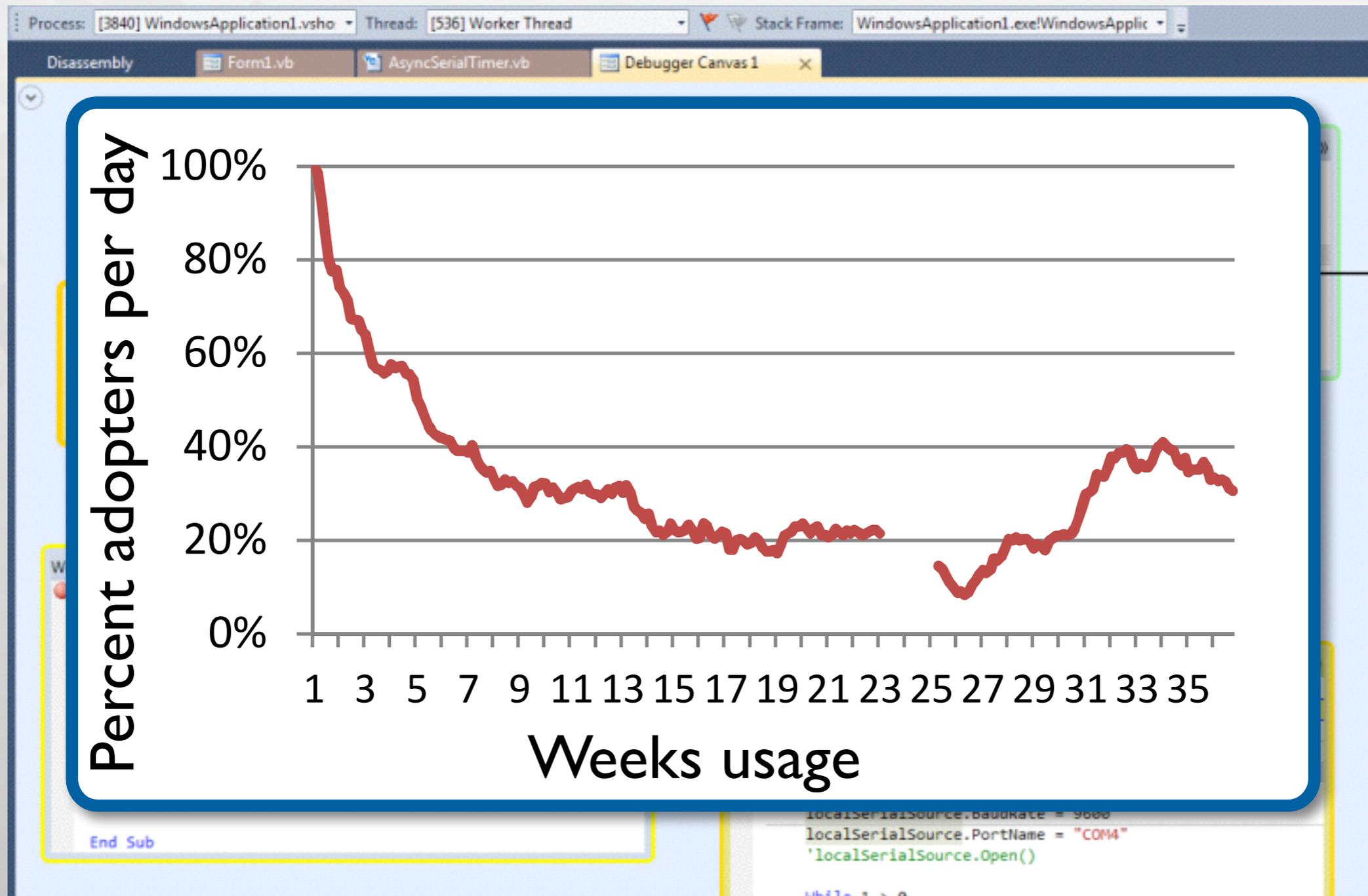
_updated = true;
}
    
```



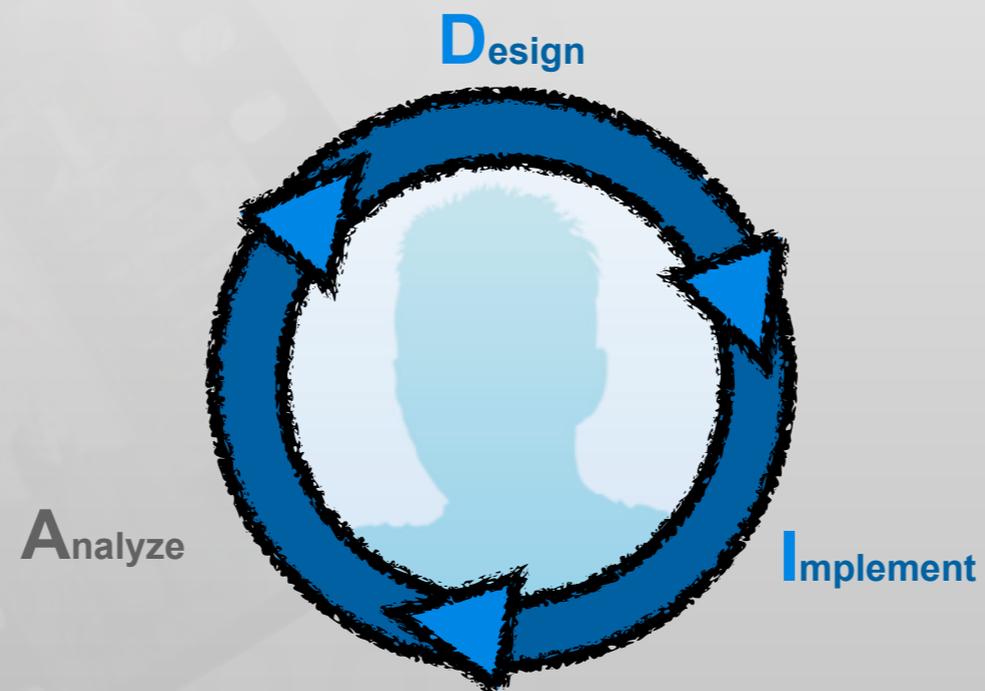
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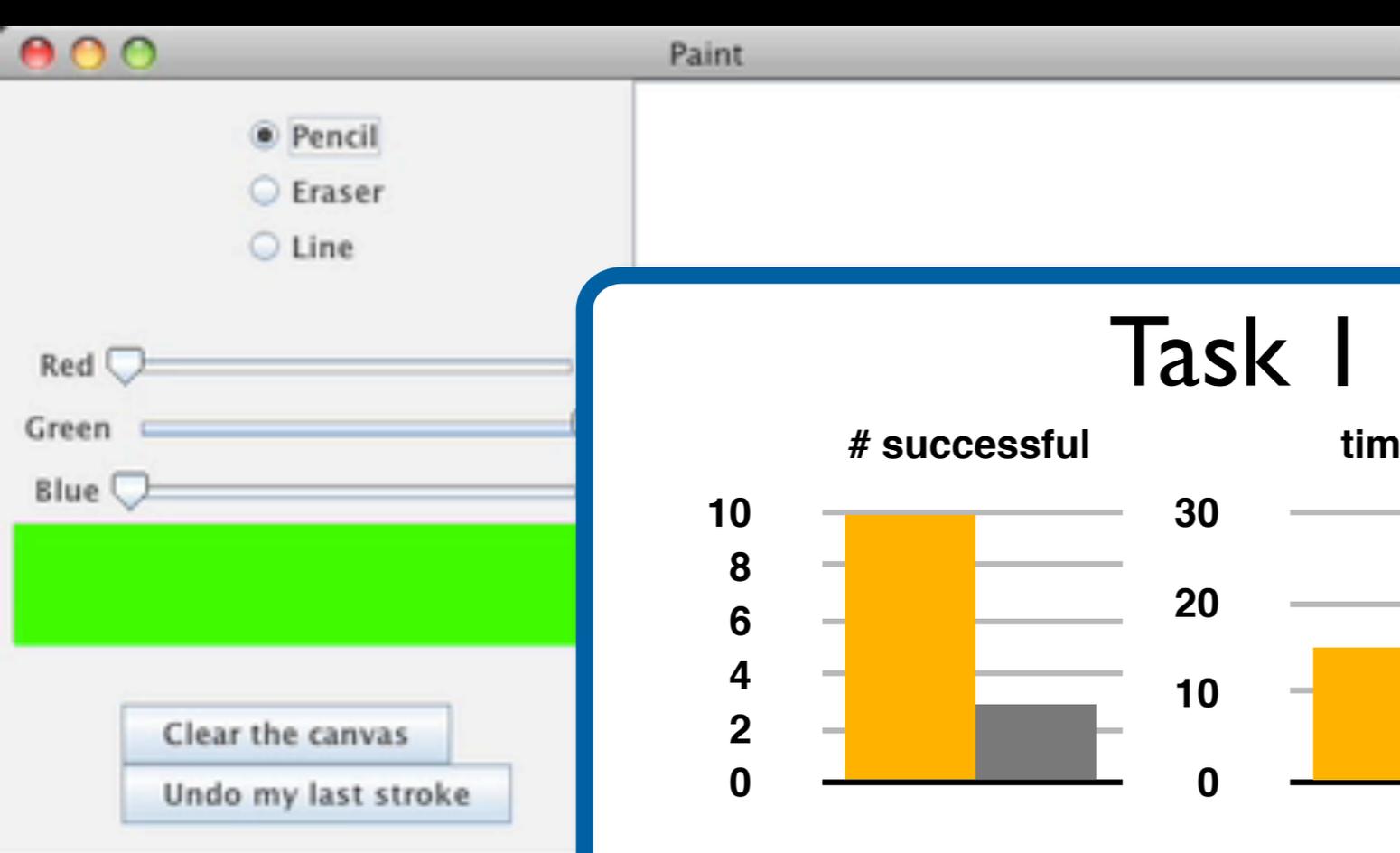
Canvas Interfaces in the Wild

[DeLine2012, Debugger Canvas: Industrial experience with the code bubbles paradigm]

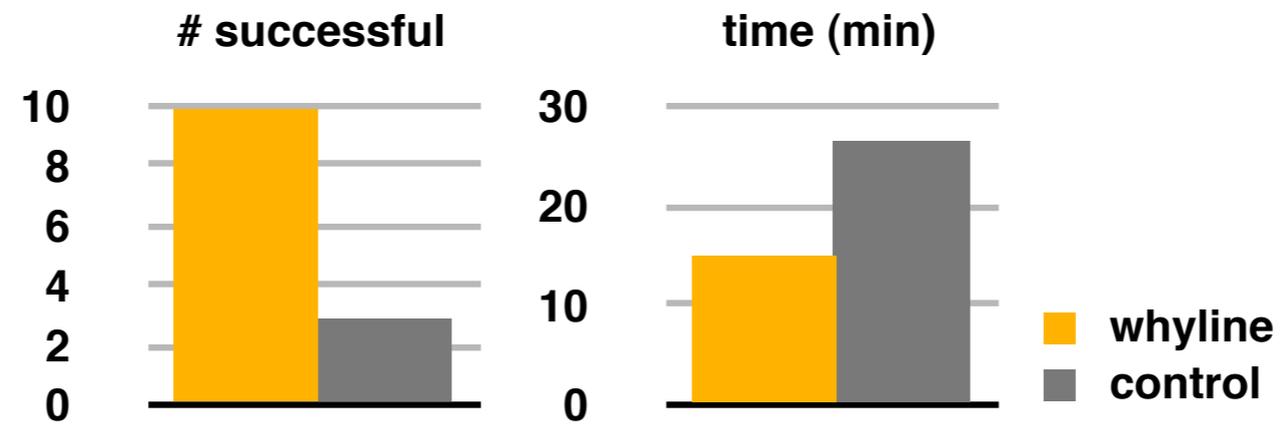


Utilizing the Call Graph

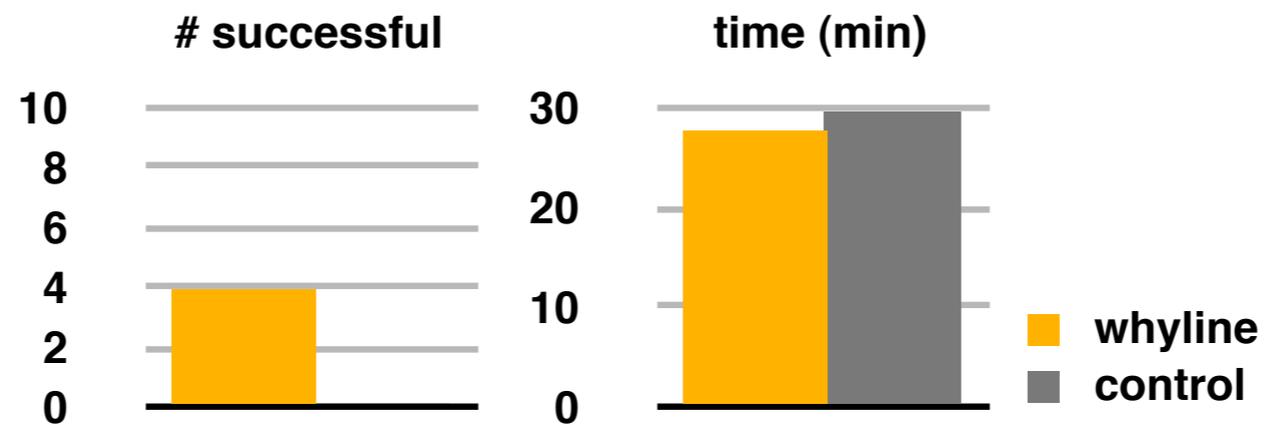




Task 1

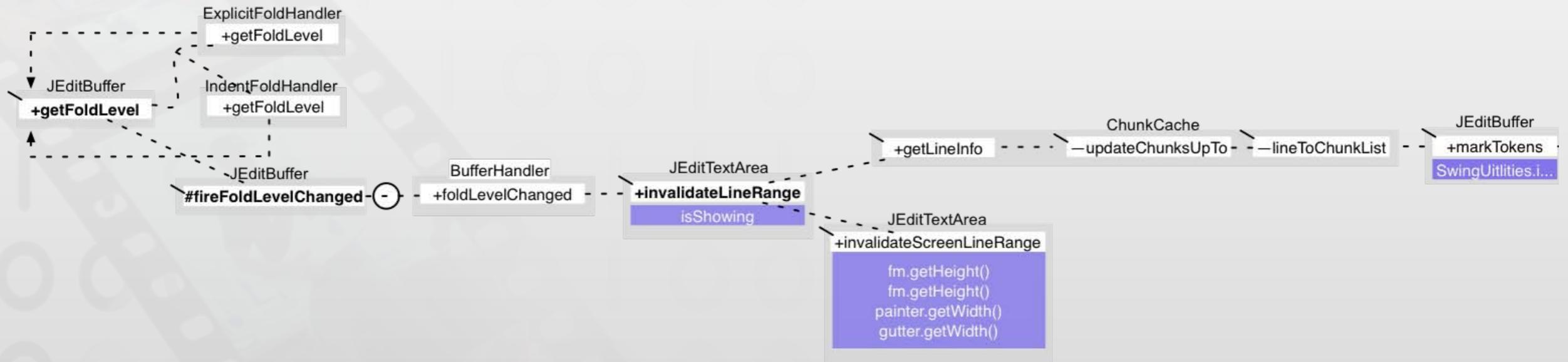


Task 2



Utilizing Call Graph Information

[LaToza2010, Searching Across Paths]



Legend

- `+methodName` public / protected / private method
- `#methodName` method visited by developer
- `-methodName` method with callers that are not shown
- `TypeName` type with type name
- method call that is always executed
- method call that might execute
- - - - - mutually exclusive method calls
- - ○ - - method call in a loop
- ↑ - - - - recursive method call
- - - - - paths of calls with hidden methods
- data flow
- expression expression that matches search



Static Analysis in the Wild

[Clang Static Analyzer, <http://clang-analyzer.llvm.org/>]

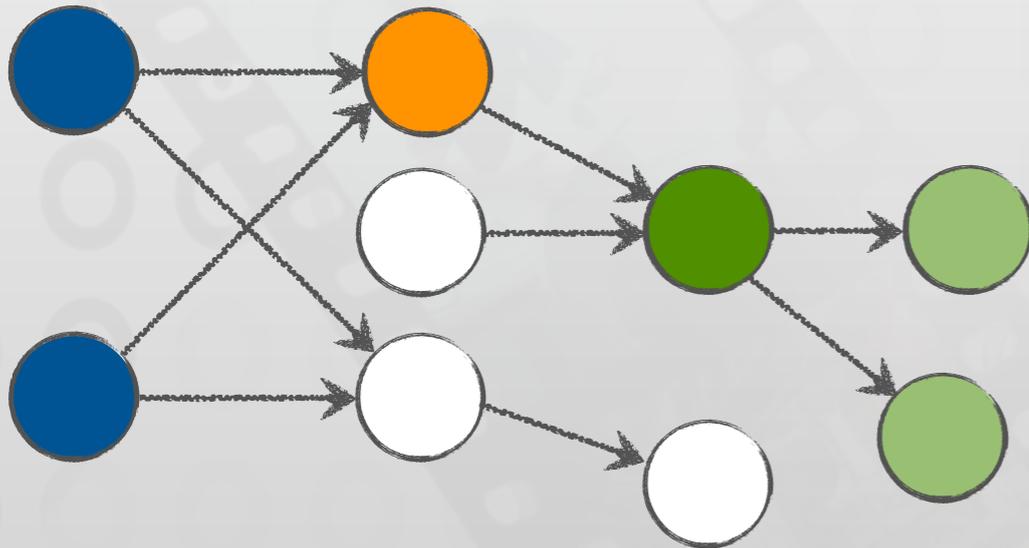
```
10 }
11
12 void foo(int x, int y) {
13     id obj = [[NSString alloc] init];
14     switch (x) {
15         case 0:
16             [obj release];
17             break;
18         case 1:
19             // [obj autorelease];
20             break;
21         default:
22             break;
23     }
24 }
```

Annotations in the screenshot:

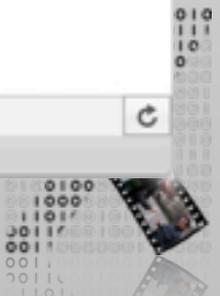
- Line 13: "Object allocated on line 13 is no longer referenced after this point and has a retain count of +1 (object leaked)"
- Line 14: "Method returns an Objective-C object with a +1 retain count (owning reference)"



Call Hierarchy

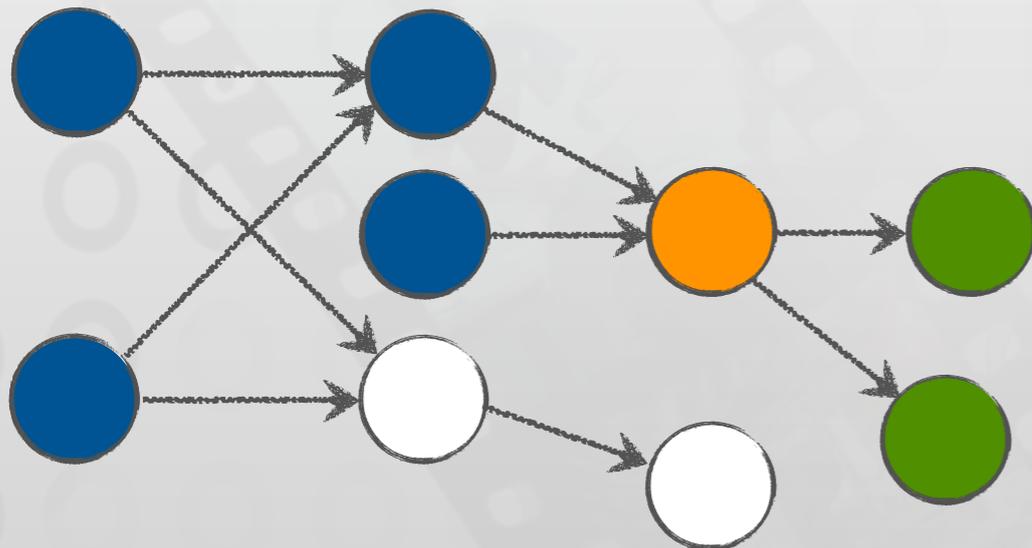


```
Converter.xcodeproj
MainController.m:39:1 -performCc C #
29 -(void)convertClicked:(id)sender;
30 {
31     //do something
32     if (self.theConverter == nil) {
33         self.theConverter = [[Converter alloc] init];
34     }
35
36     [self performConvert];
37 }
38
39 -(void)performConvert;
40 {
41     if ([[self.input floatValue] != 0] || [[self.input st
42     {
43         [self convert];
44     }
45 }
46
47 -(void)menuCallback:(id)sender;
48 {
49     [self convert];
50 }
51
52 //convert from Celsius
53 //to Fahrenheit
54 -(void)convert;
55 {
56     //get celsius value
57     float c = [self.input floatValue];
58
59     //convert to fahrenheit
60     float f = [self.theConverter c2f:c];
61
62     //update view
63     [self update:f];
64 }
65
66 -(void)update:(float)f;
67 {
68     //do something
69 }
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71 @end
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```



Stacksplorer

[Karrer2011, Stacksplorer: Call Graph Navigation Helps Increasing Code Maintenance Efficiency]

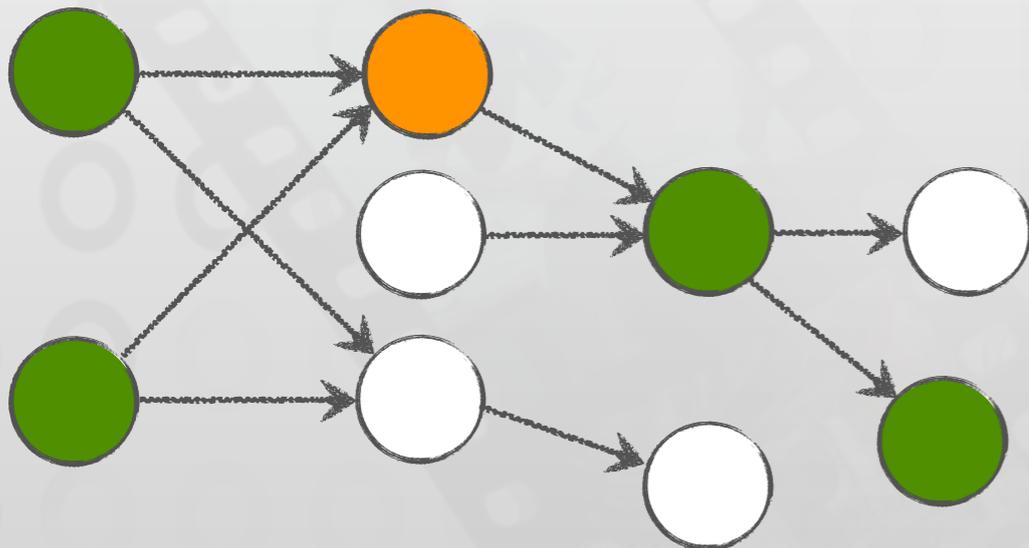


The screenshot shows the Stacksplorer tool interface. The main window displays Objective-C code for `MainController.m`. The code is annotated with call stack information. A blue box highlights the `performConvert` method call, which is linked to a call stack entry for `MainController` with the `convertClicked` method. An orange box highlights the `performConvert` method body, which contains a call to `convert`. This call is linked to a call stack entry for `MainController` with the `convert` method. A green box highlights the `convert` method body, which contains a call to `update`. This call is linked to a call stack entry for `MainController` with the `update` method. The right side of the interface shows a call stack with three entries for `MainController`, each with an `input` parameter and a `convert` method. The bottom right corner of the screenshot shows a green box representing the current method's call stack entry.



Blaze

[Krämer2012, Blaze: Supporting Two-phased Call Graph Navigation in Source Code]



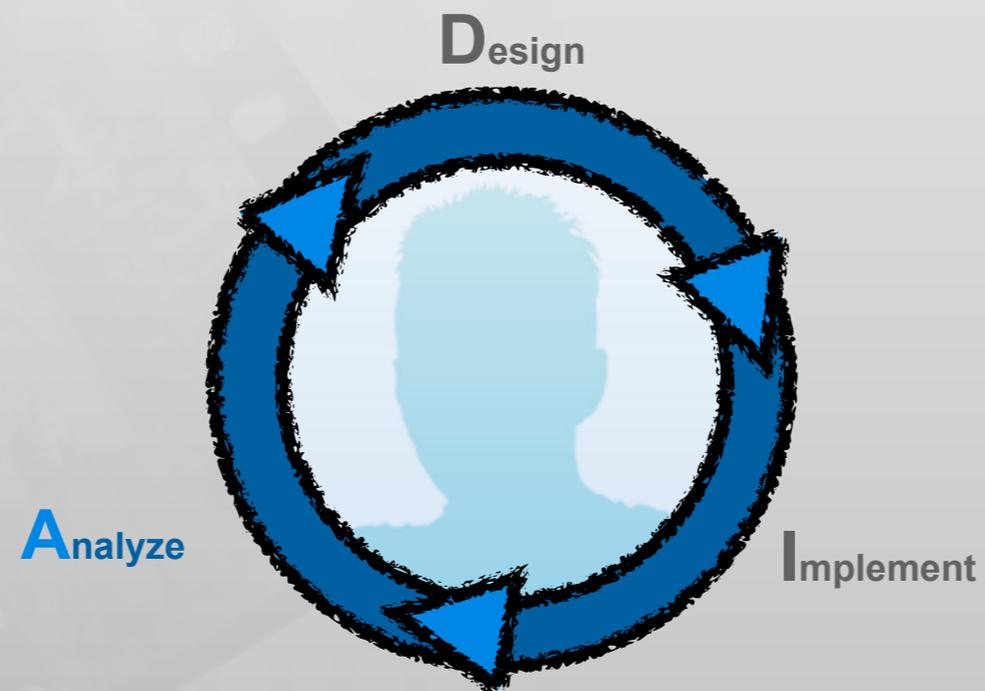
```
24 }
25 return self;
26 }
27
28
29 -(void)convertClicked:(id)sender;
30 {
31     //do something
32     if (self.theConverter == nil) {
33         self.theConverter = [[Converter alloc] init];
34     }
35
36     [self performConvert];
37 }
38
39 -(void)qw;
40 {
41     if ([[self.input floatValue] != 0] || ([[self.input stringValue] isEqual:
42         [self.input stringValue]]) {
43         [self convert];
44     }
45 }
46
47 -(void)menuCallback:(id)sender;
48 {
49     [self convert];
50 }
51
52 //convert from Celsius
53 //to Fahrenheit
54 -(void)convert;
55 {
56     //get celsius value
57     float c = [self.input floatValue];
58
59     //convert to fahrenheit
60     float f = [self.theConverter c2f:c];
61
62     //update view
63     [self update:f];
64 }
65
66
```

Call Graph Navigation Interface:

- MainController convertClicked:
- MainController performConvert
- MainController convert
- Converter c2f:



Analyzing Navigation Behavior



Information Foraging Theory



Predator



Scent



Prey



Information Foraging Theory

[Lawrance2010, Reactive information foraging for evolving goals]



Predator



Scent

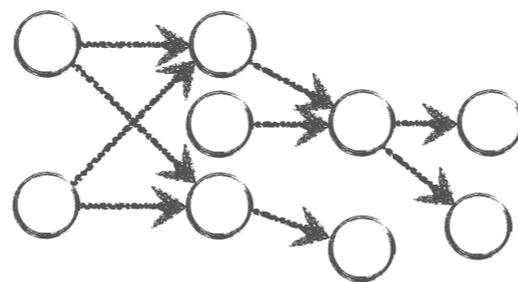


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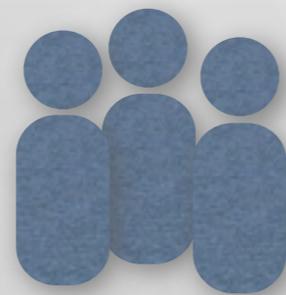


```
-(id)initWithBundle:(NSBundle *)plugin
{
    if (self = [super init]) {
        // reference to plugin's bundle, for resource access
        self.bundle = plugin;

        //register to notifications
        [[NSNotificationCenter defaultCenter] addObserver:self
        selector:@selector(onDidFinishSetup:) name:
        IDESourceCodeEditorDidFinishSetupNotification object:nil];
        [[NSNotificationCenter defaultCenter] addObserver:self
        selector:@selector(onTest:) name:
        DVTSourceExpressionSelectedExpressionDidChangeNotification
        object:nil];
    }
}
```



	Xcode	Call Hierarchy	Stacksplorer	Blaze
Find Change Location	Task Success Task Completion Time			
Side Effects of Change				



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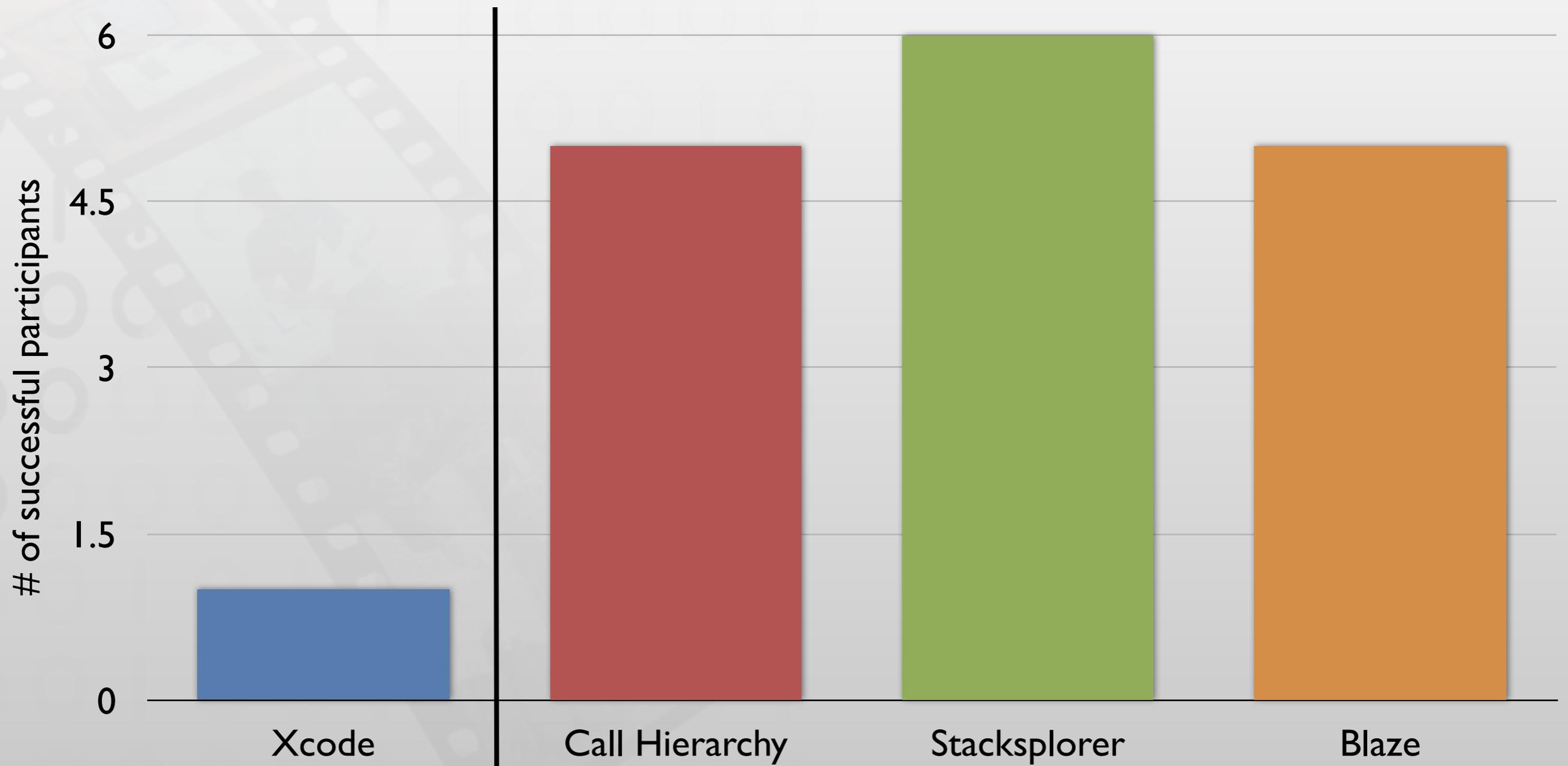
80.000 Lines of Code

[Krämer2013, How Tools in IDEs Shape Developers' Navigation Behavior]



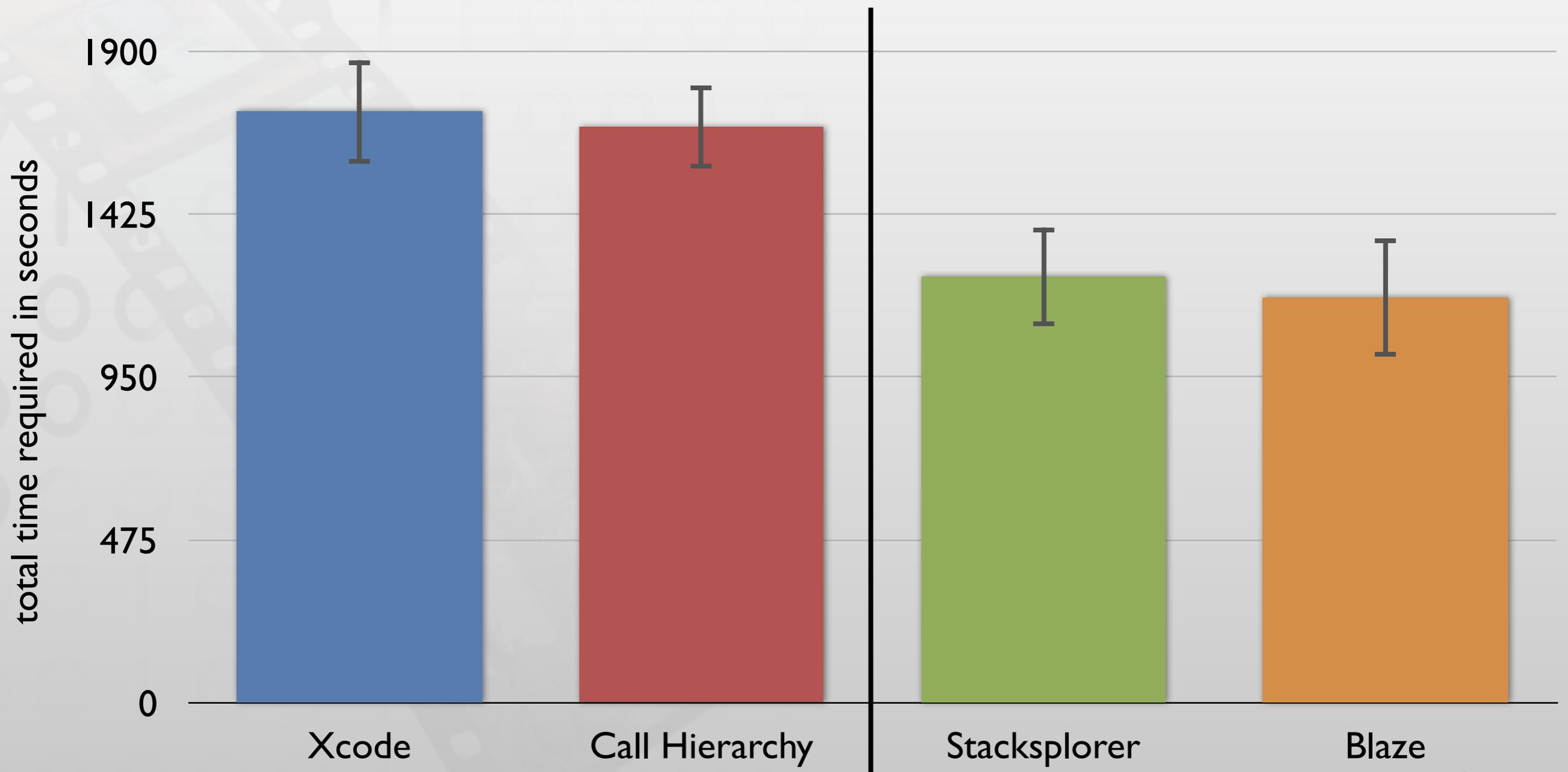
Task Success

$p = 0.015$



Task Completion Time

$p=0.022$



Effectiveness

Xcode

Call
Hierarchy

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Efficiency

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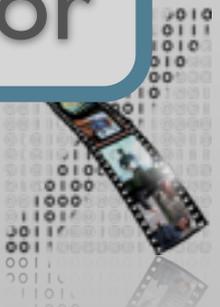
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Why?

UI Differences

Navigation Behavior

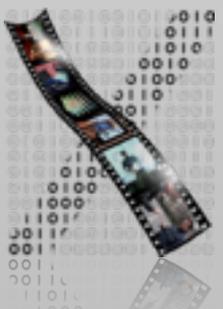
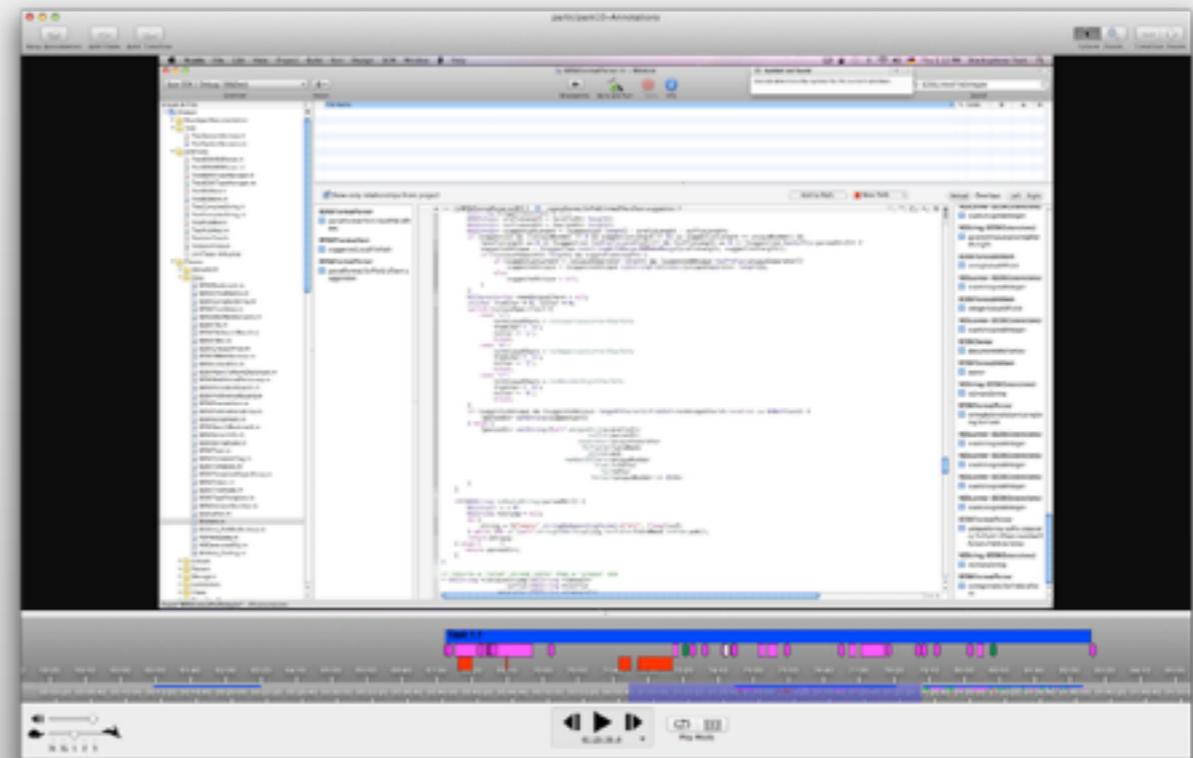
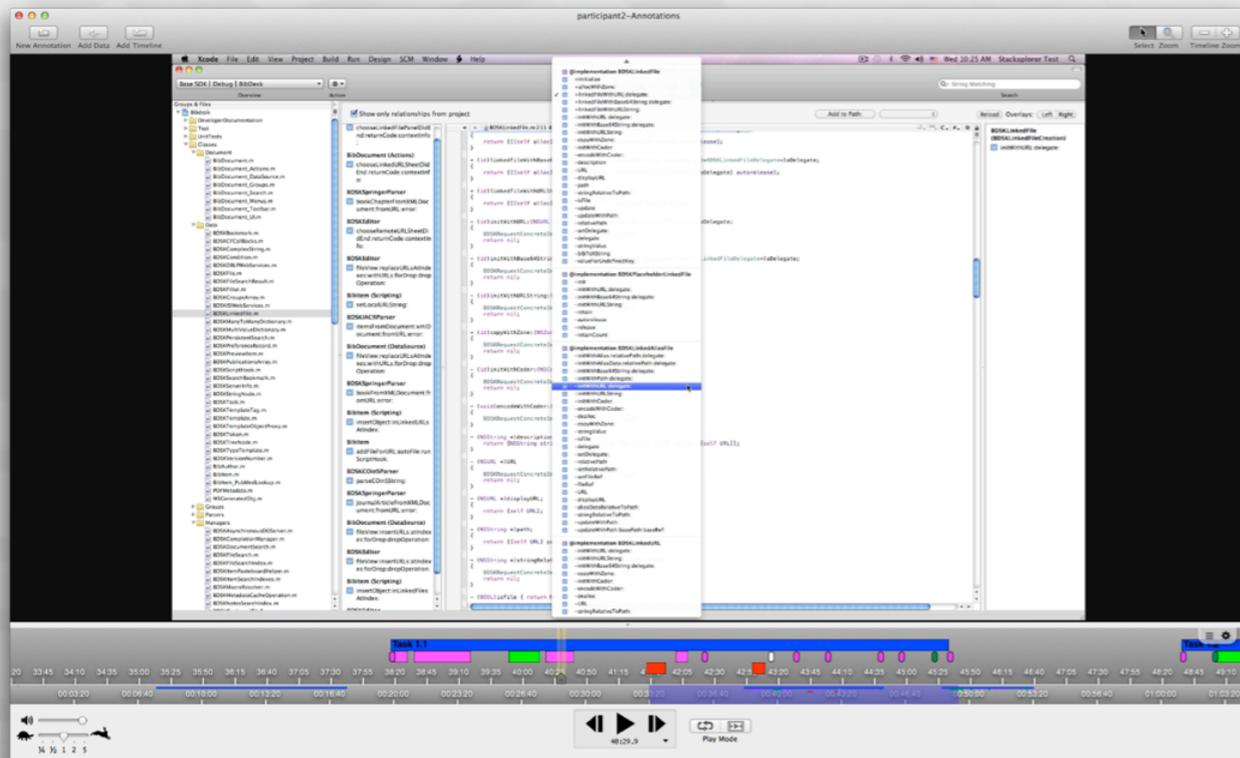


The screenshot displays a video player interface. The main content area shows a software development environment (Xcode) titled 'participant2-Annotations'. The Xcode interface includes a file browser on the left, a central editor showing code for 'BDSKLinkedFile', and a right-hand pane with a search bar and overlays. The timeline at the bottom shows a progress bar with various colored segments and playback controls.

[Fouse2011, ChronoViz: A system for supporting navigation of time-coded data]



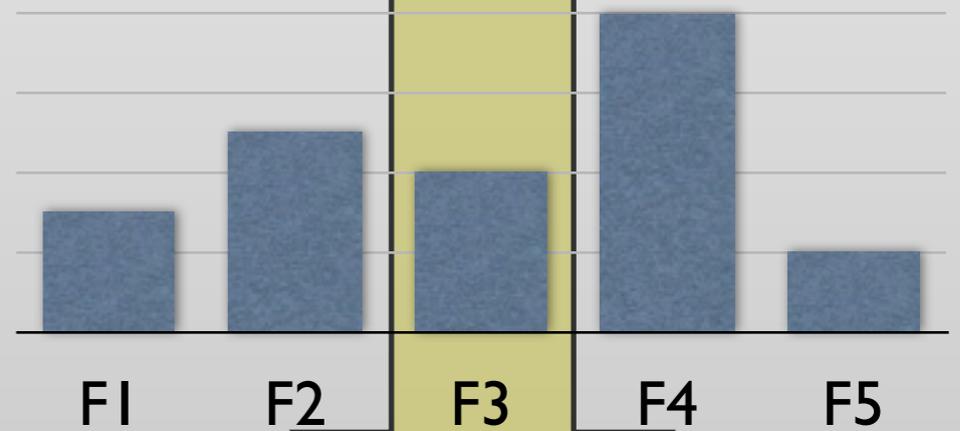
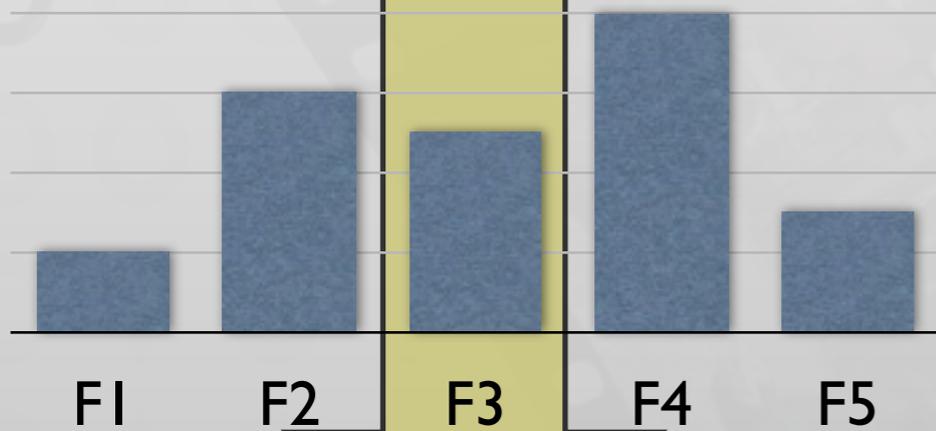
Comparing Navigation Behavior





$$I_1 = (p_{1,1}, \dots, p_{640,480})$$

$$I_2 = (p_{1,1}, \dots, p_{1024,768})$$

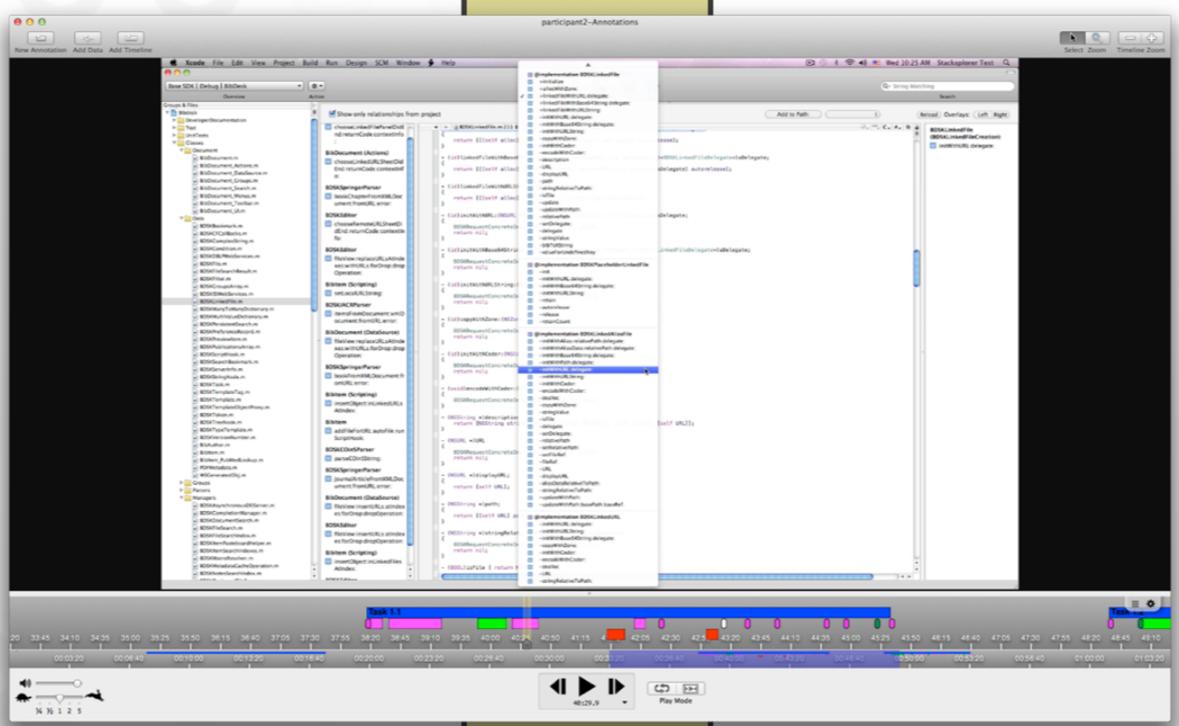


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- 1. Features
- 2. Transformations

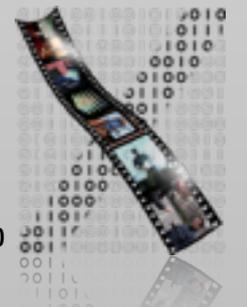
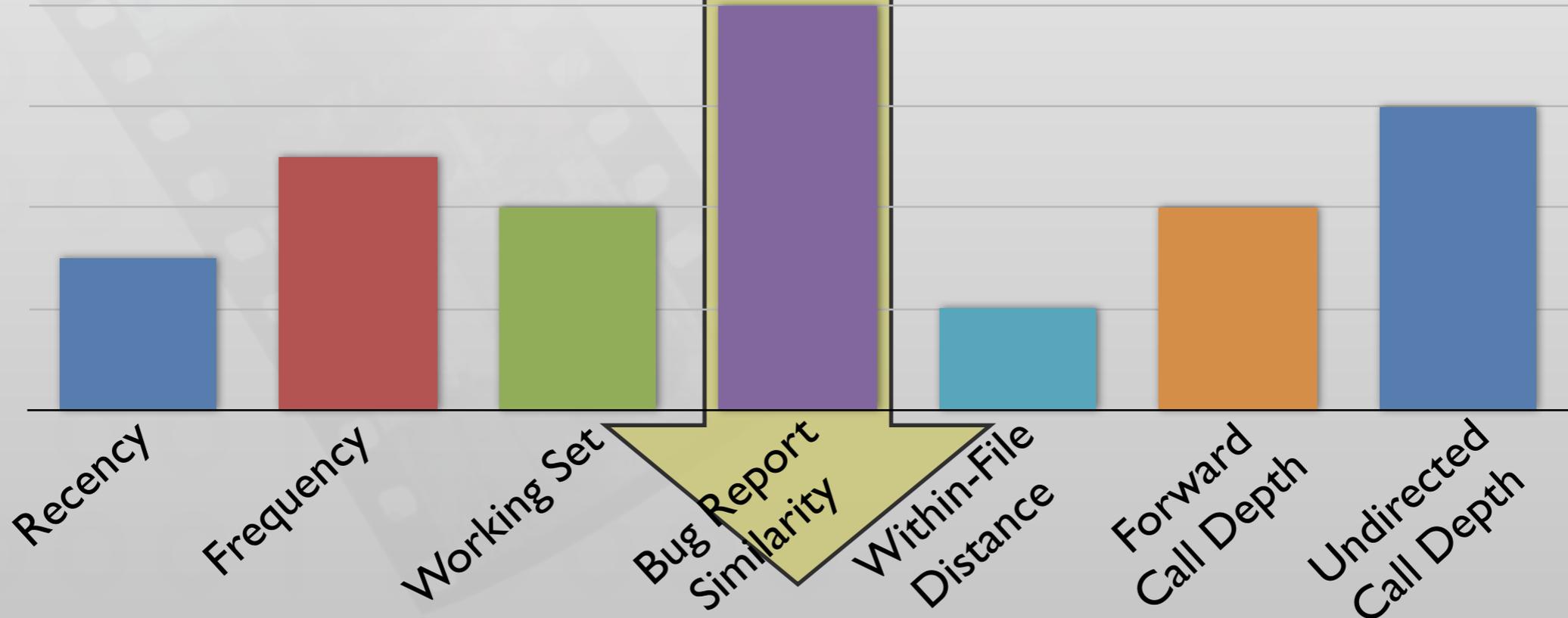


[Piorkowski2011,
Modeling programmer
navigation:A head-to-
head empirical evaluation
of predictive models]



$$H=(m_1, \dots, m_i)$$

Prediction Accuracy



A Predictor

[Piorkowski2011, Modeling programmer navigation: A head-to-head empirical evaluation of predictive models]

$H=(m$

Navigation History

$H = (a, b, a, d)$

M

All methods known
to developer at time
 i

M

A

Activation value for
each method in

A

A

R

Rank-transformed
version of

R

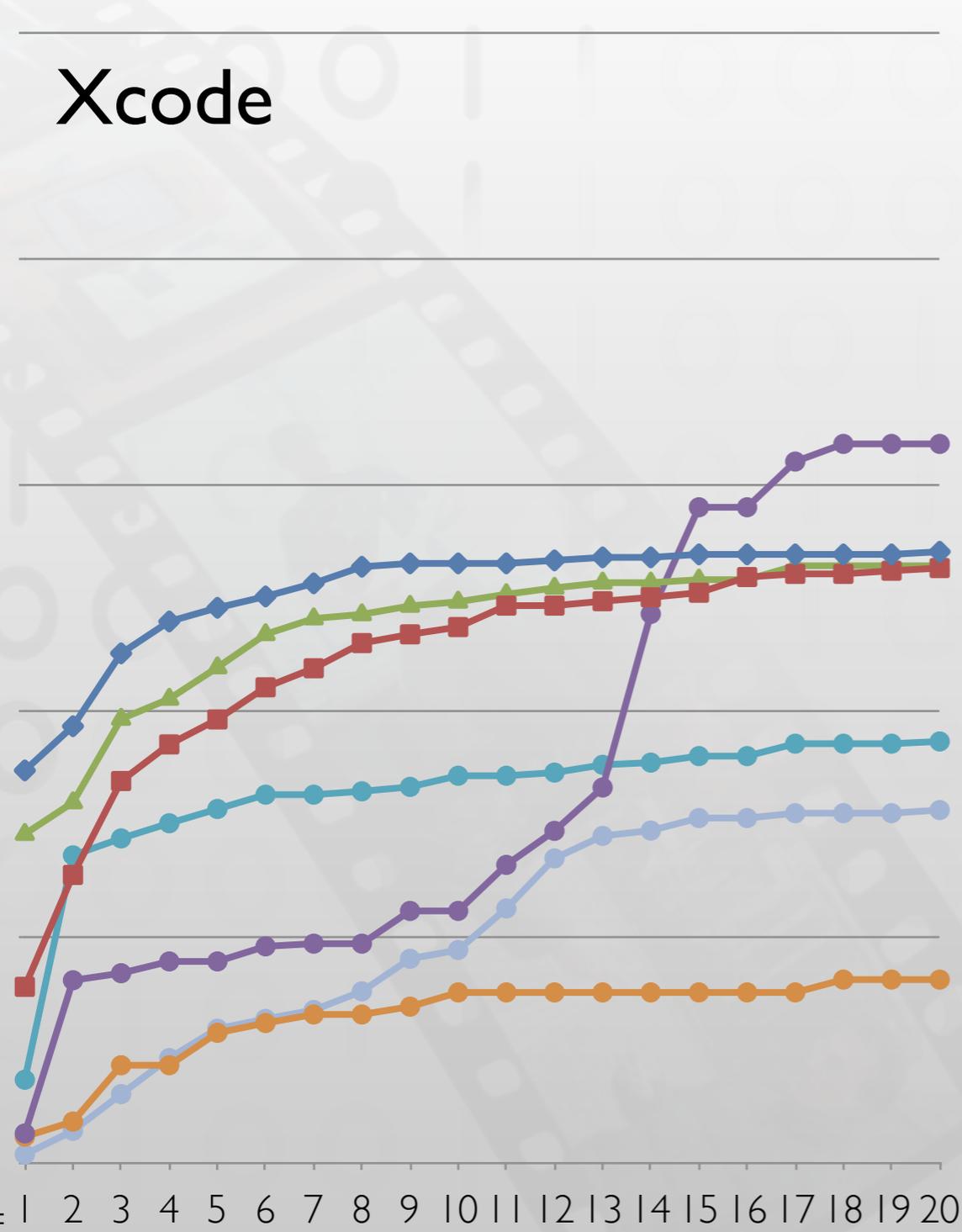
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Result: N top-ranked methods

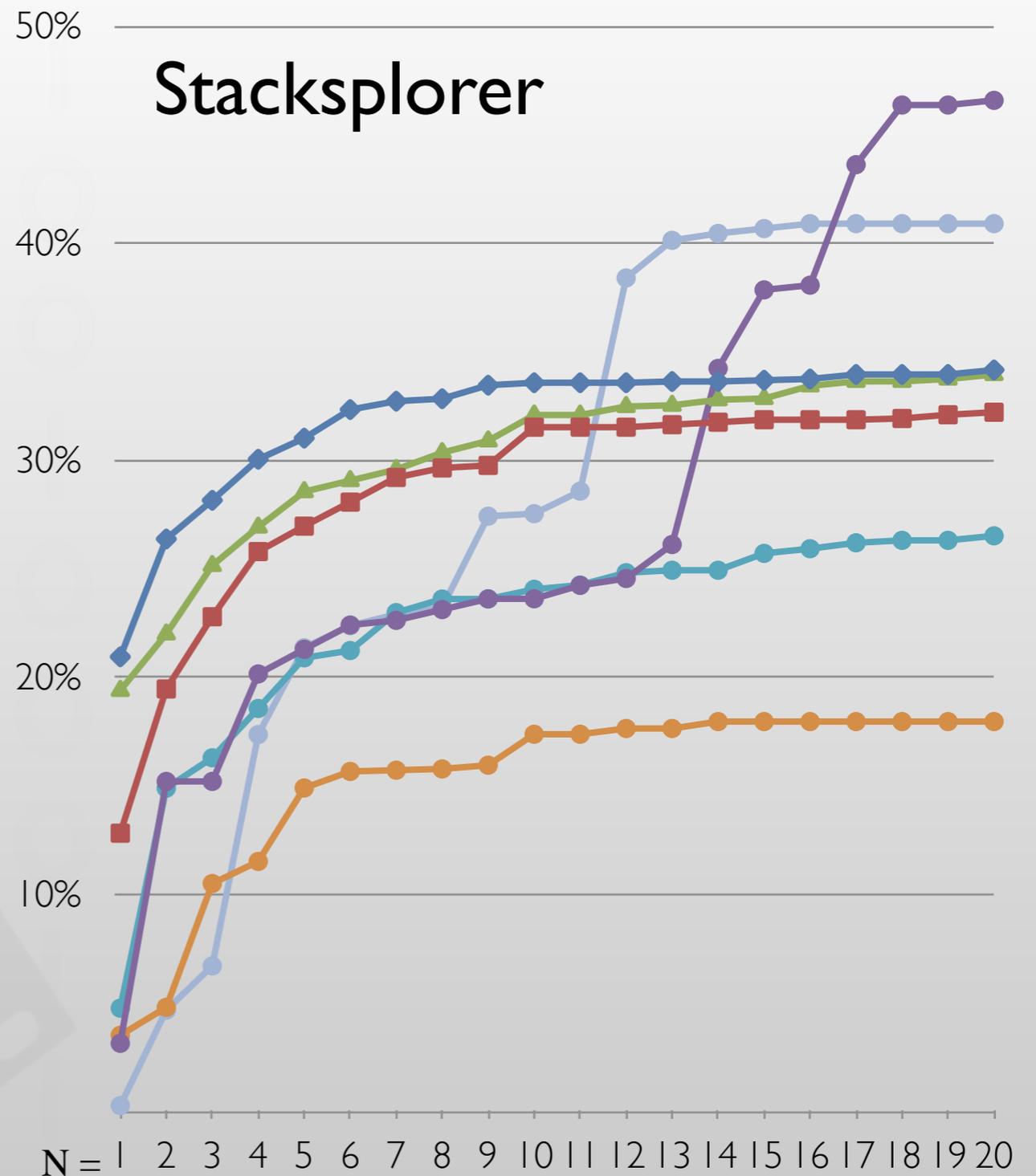


Prediction Accuracy

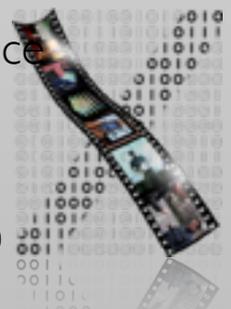
Xcode



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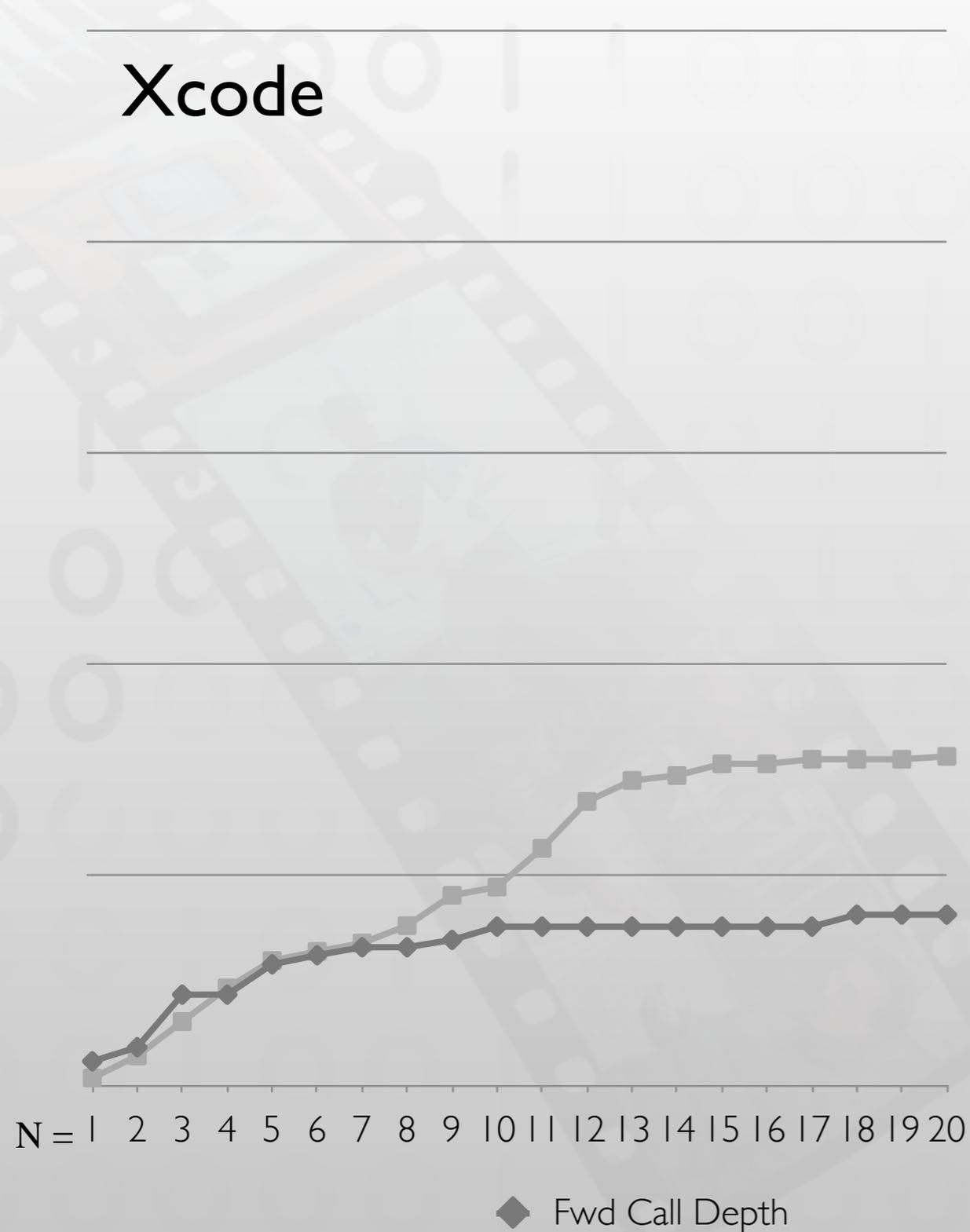


- ◆ Recency
- Frequency
- ▲ Working Set
- Bug Report Similarity
- Within File Distance
- Fwd Call Depth
- Undirected Call Depth

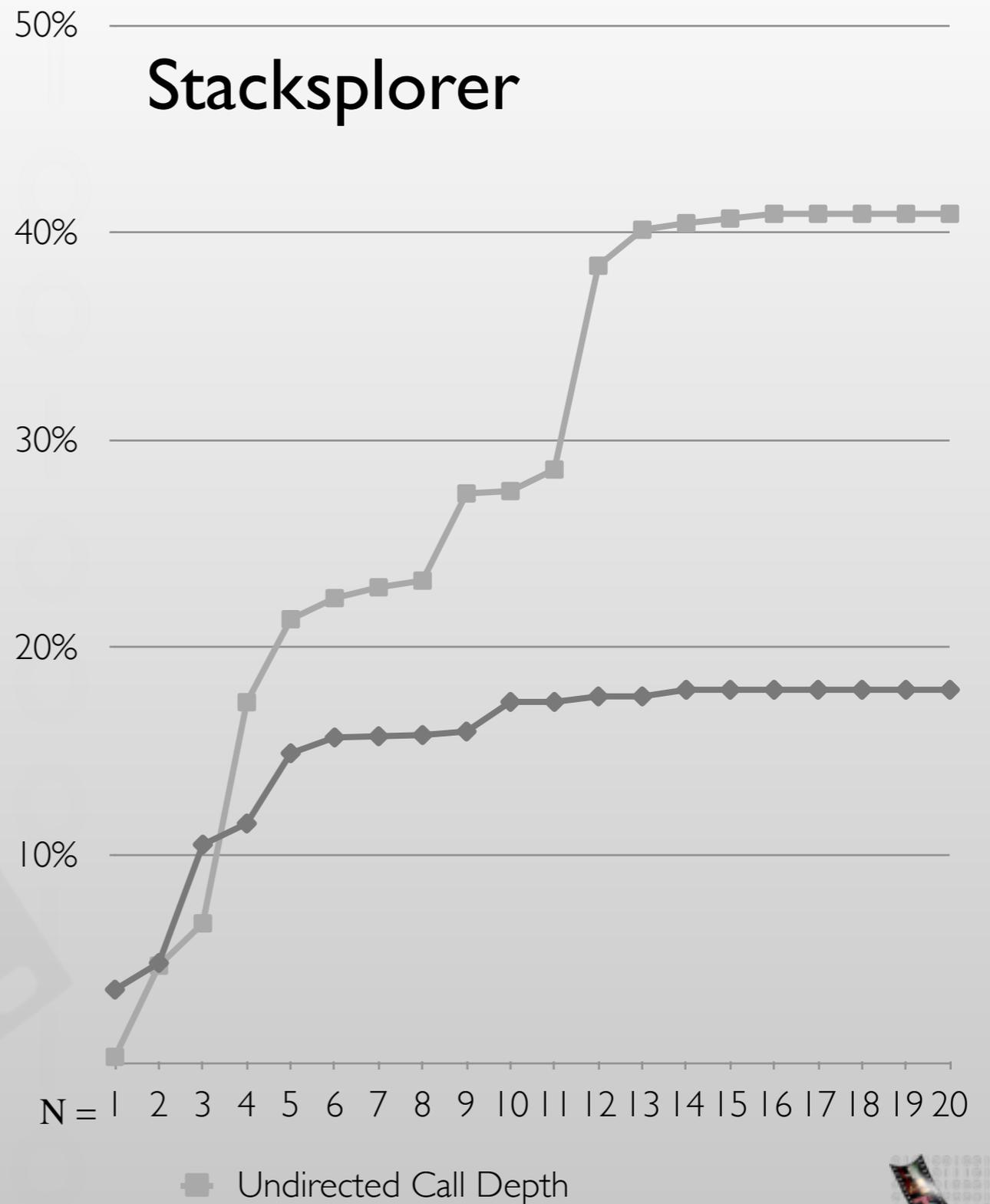


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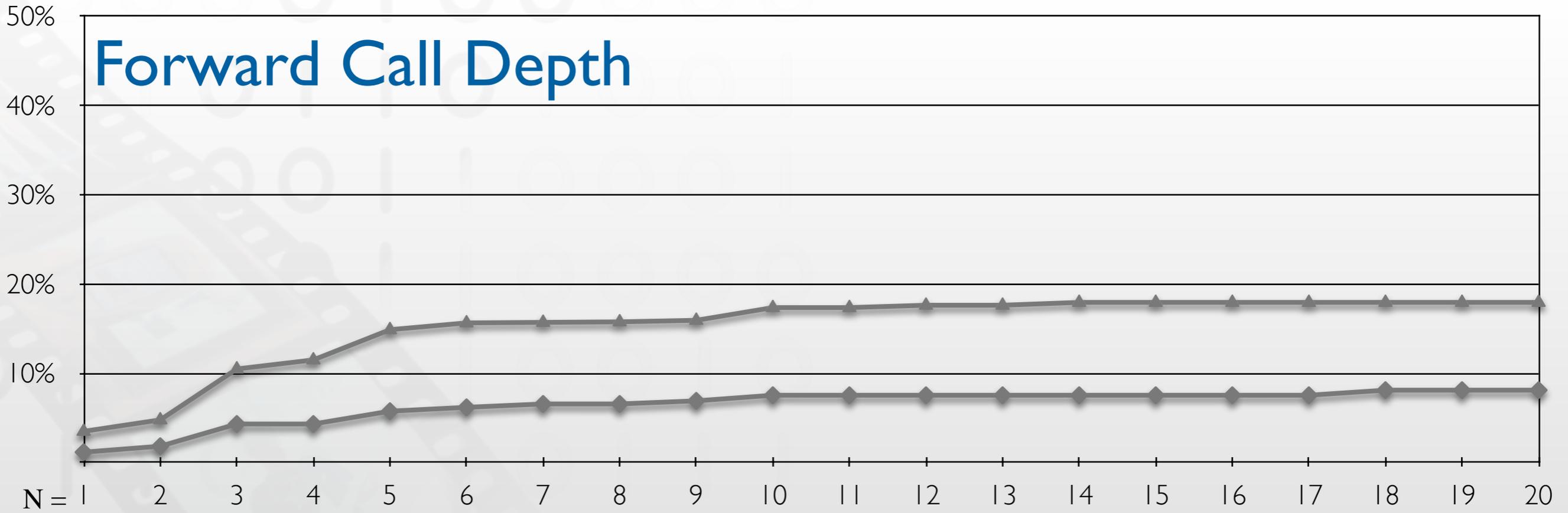
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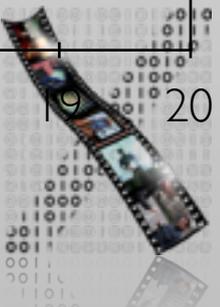
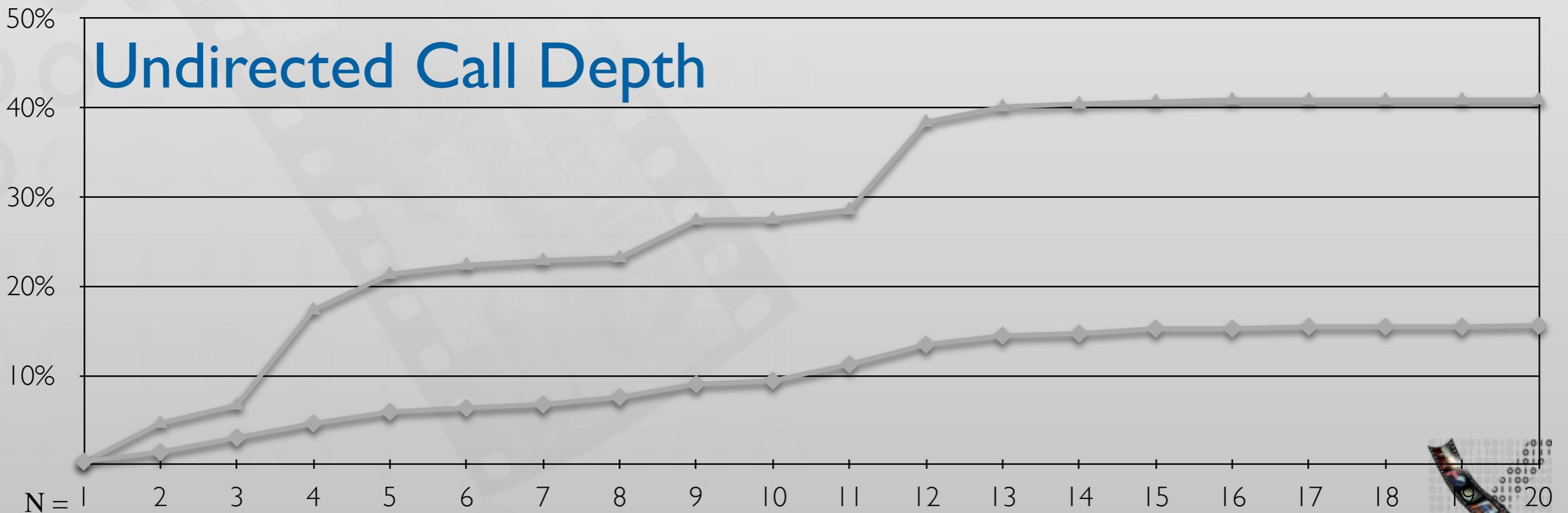
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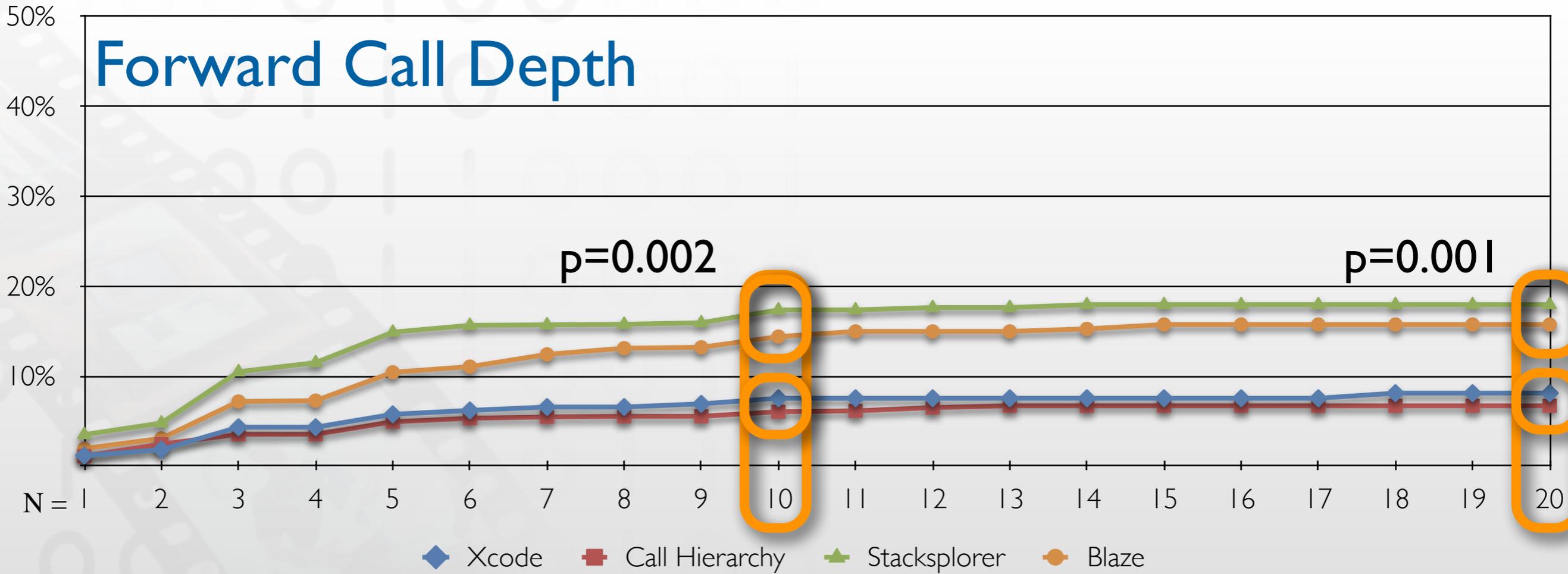
Forward Call Depth



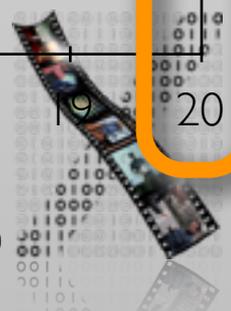
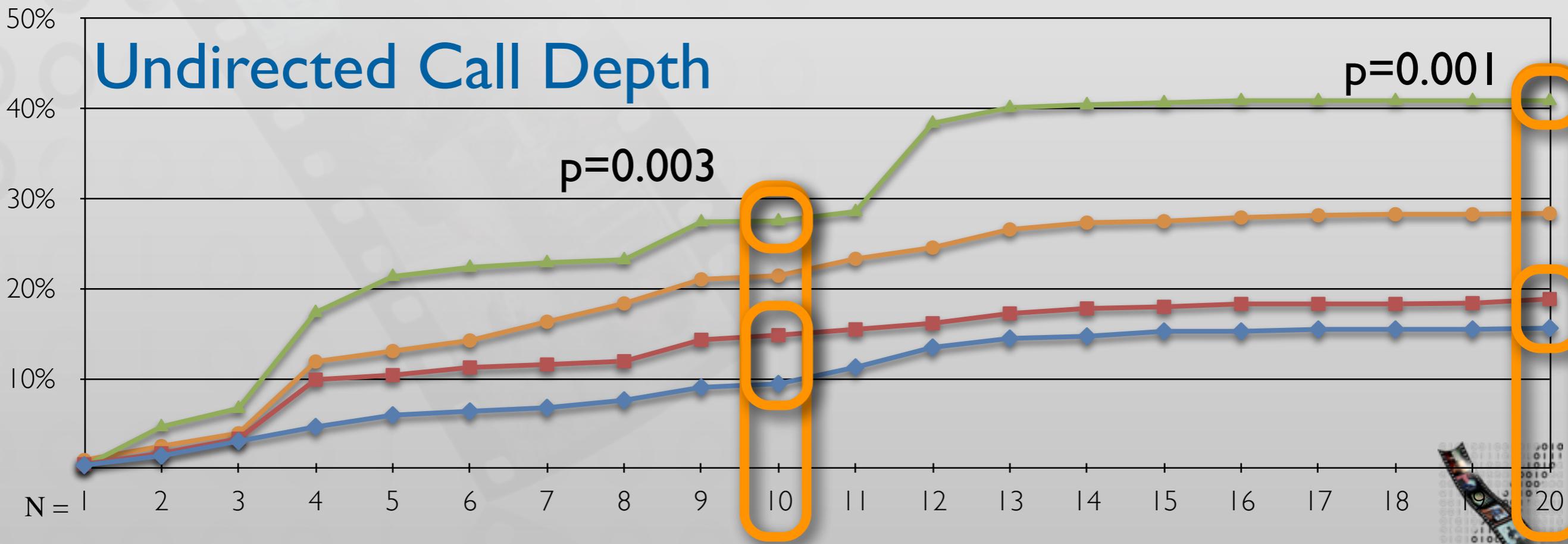
Undirected Call Depth



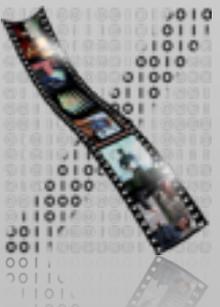
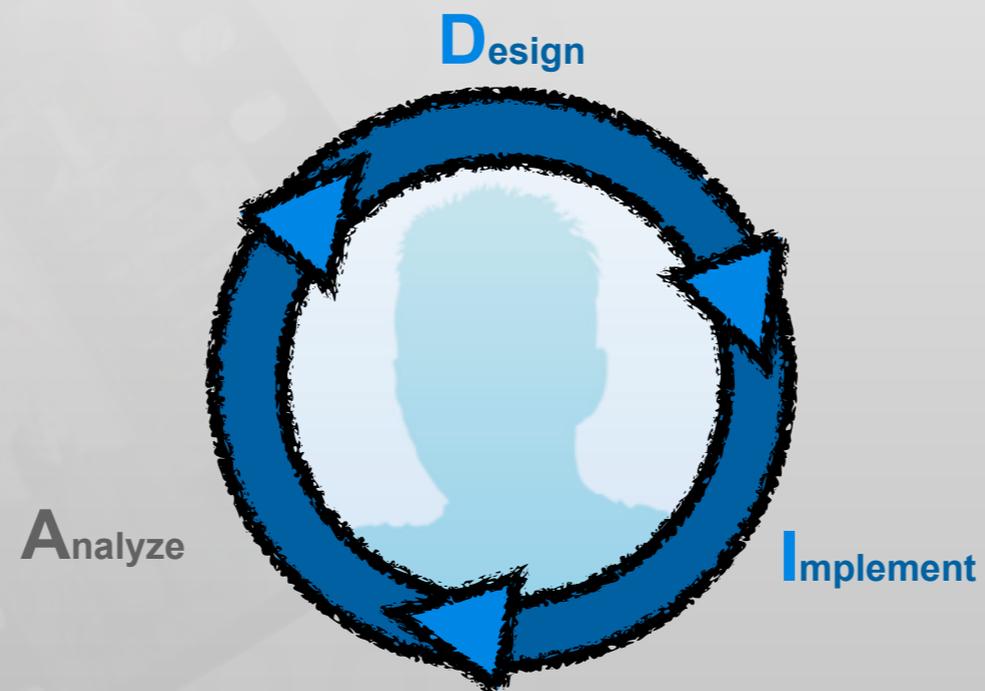
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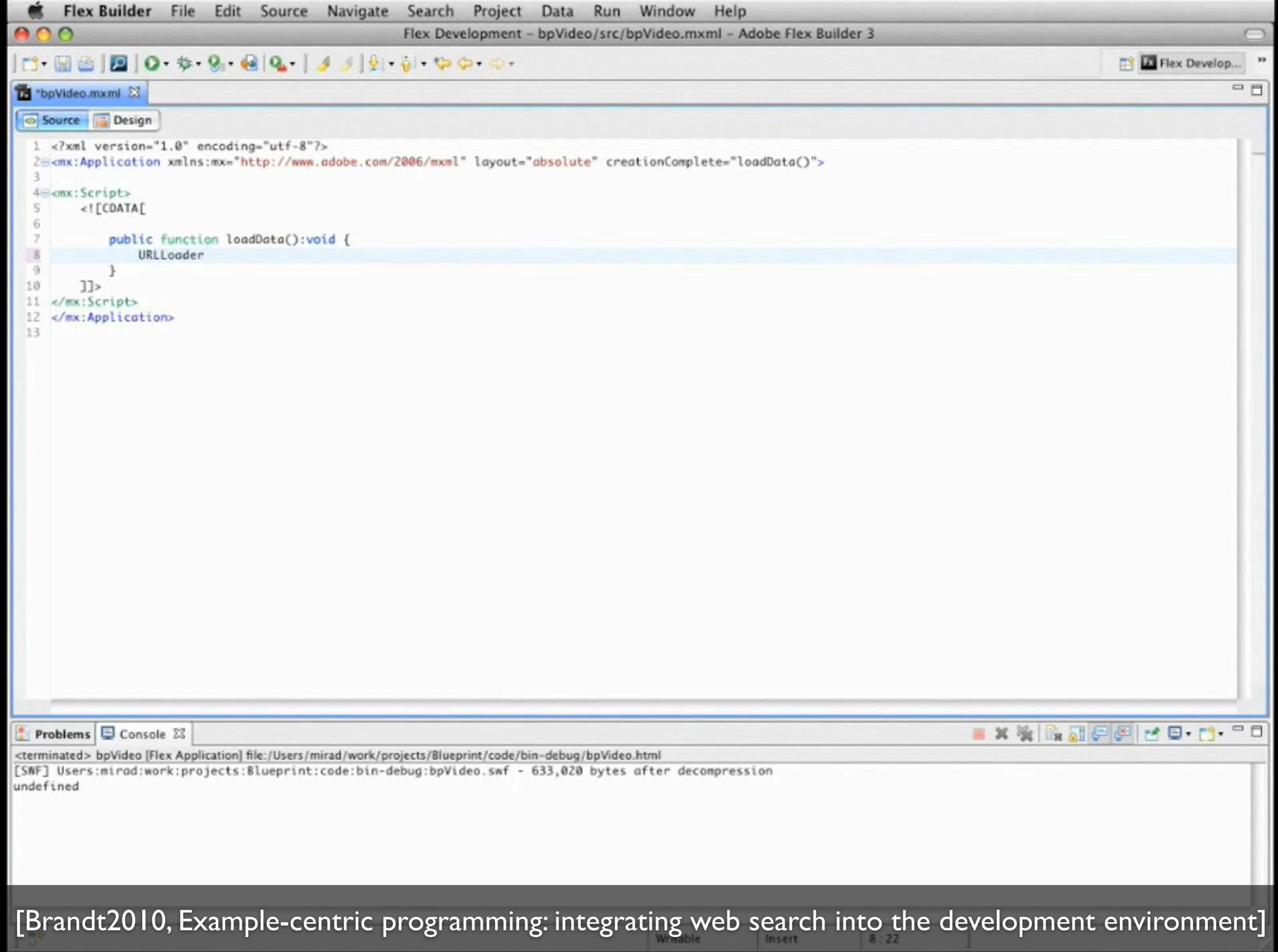


Undirected Call Depth



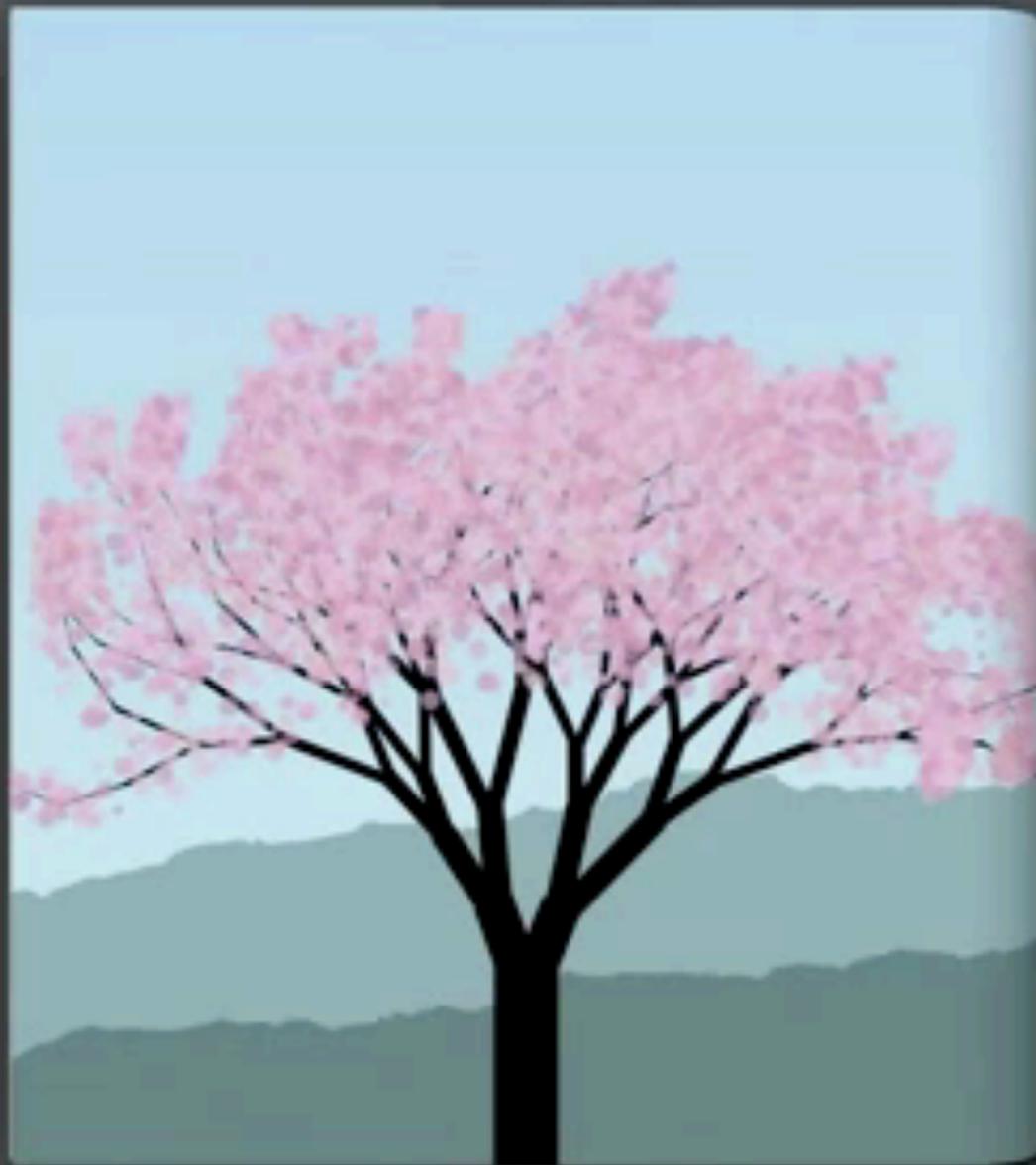
Away from static analysis only





[Brandt2010, Example-centric programming: integrating web search into the development environment]

// Introducing Codelets...



```
// tree
//
function drawTree () {
  var blossomPoints = [];

  resetRandom();
  drawBranches(0, -Math.PI/2, canvasWidth/2, canvasHeight, 30,
  resetRandom();
  drawBlossoms(blossomPoints);
}

function drawBranches (i,angle,x,y,width,blossomPoints) {
  ctx.save();

  var length = tween(1, 1, 60, 12, 3) + random(0.7, 1.3);
  if (i == 0) { length = 97; }

  ctx.translate(x,y);
  ctx.rotate(angle);
  ctx.fillStyle = "#8000";
  ctx.fillRect(0, -width/2, length, width);

  ctx.restore();

  var tipX = x + (length - width/2) * Math.cos(angle);
  var tipY = y + (length - width/2) * Math.sin(angle);

  if (i > 4) {
    blossomPoints.push([x,y,tipX,tipY]);
  }

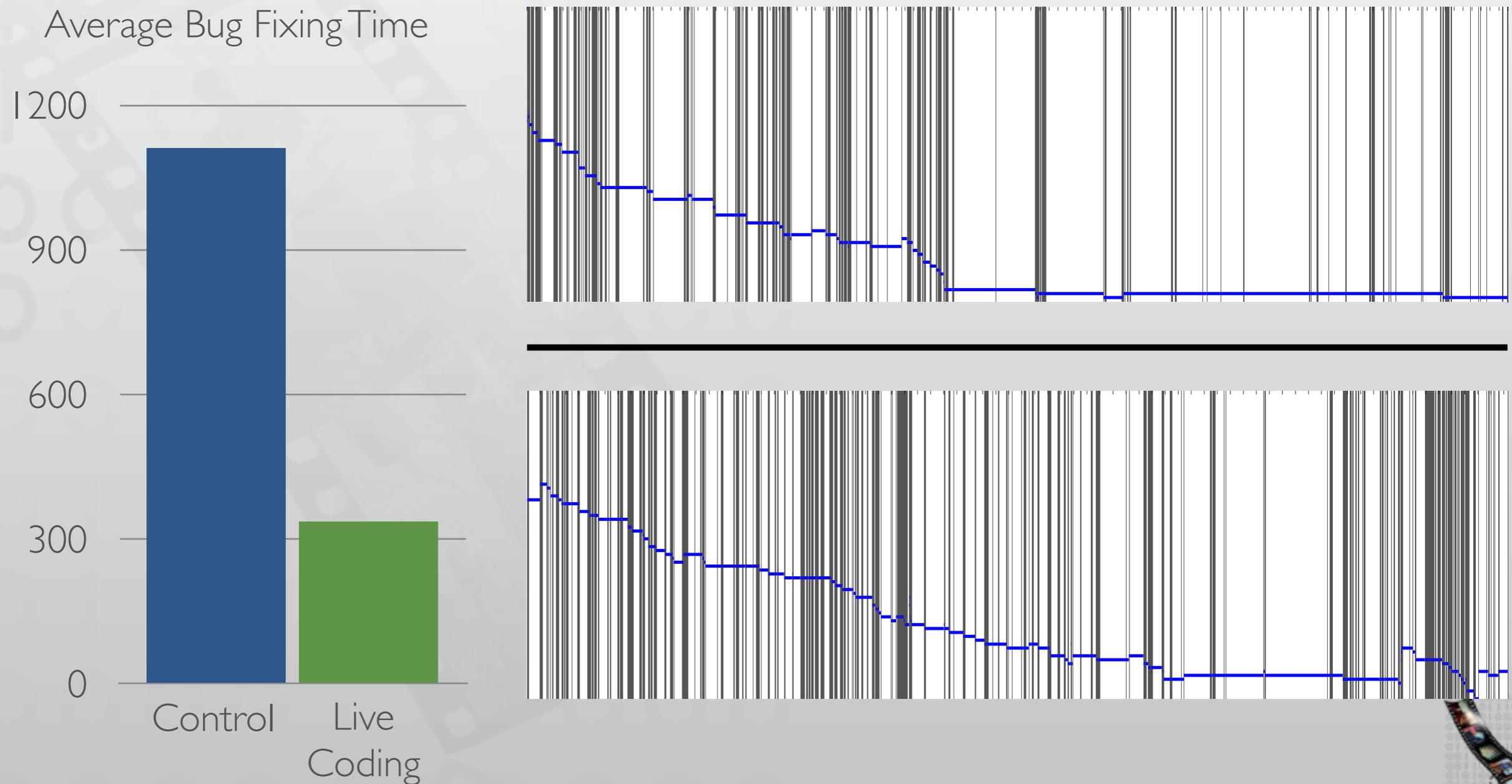
  if (i < 6) {
    drawBranches(i + 1, angle + random(-0.15, -0.05) * Math.PI);
    drawBranches(i + 1, angle + random( 0.15,  0.05) * Math.PI);
  }
  else if (i < 12) {
    drawBranches(i + 1, angle + random(-0.25, -0.05) * Math.PI);
    drawBranches(i + 1, angle + random( 0.25,  0.05) * Math.PI);
  }
}
```

Demo

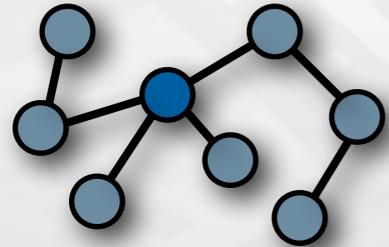


Live Coding Affects Coding Behavior

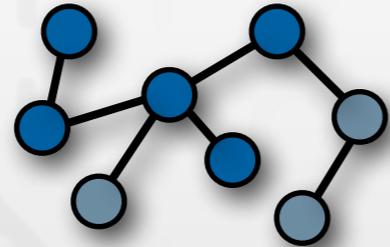
[Krämer2014, to appear, How Live Coding Affects Developers' Coding Behavior]



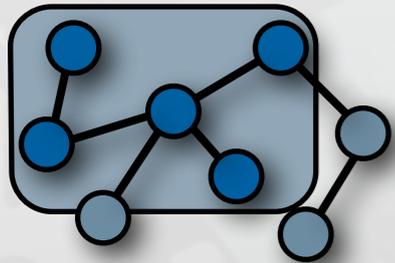
Summary



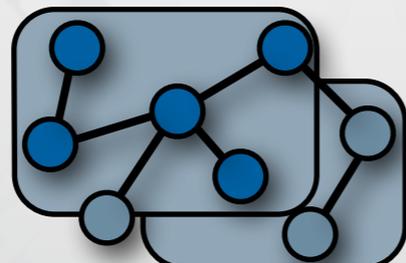
Finding focus points



Expanding focus points



Understanding a subgraph



Questions over groups of subgraphs

