

# Mining Repository Data to Debug Software Development Teams

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- Clone Detection, Architecture Analysis
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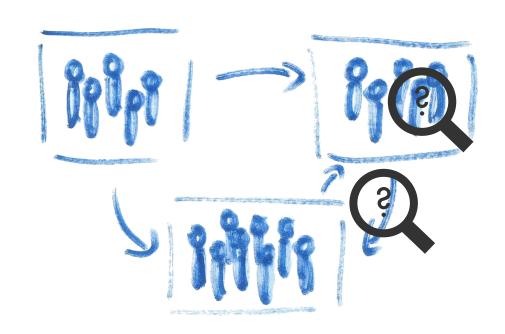
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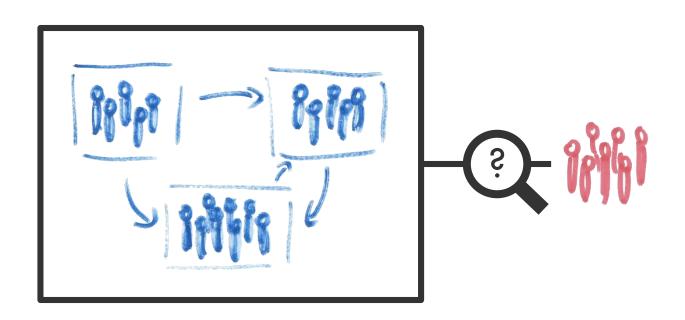
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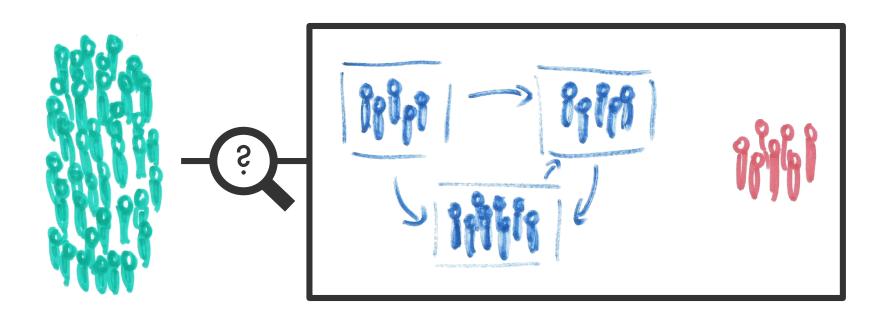
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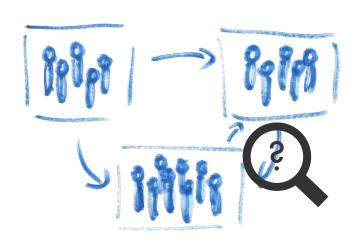
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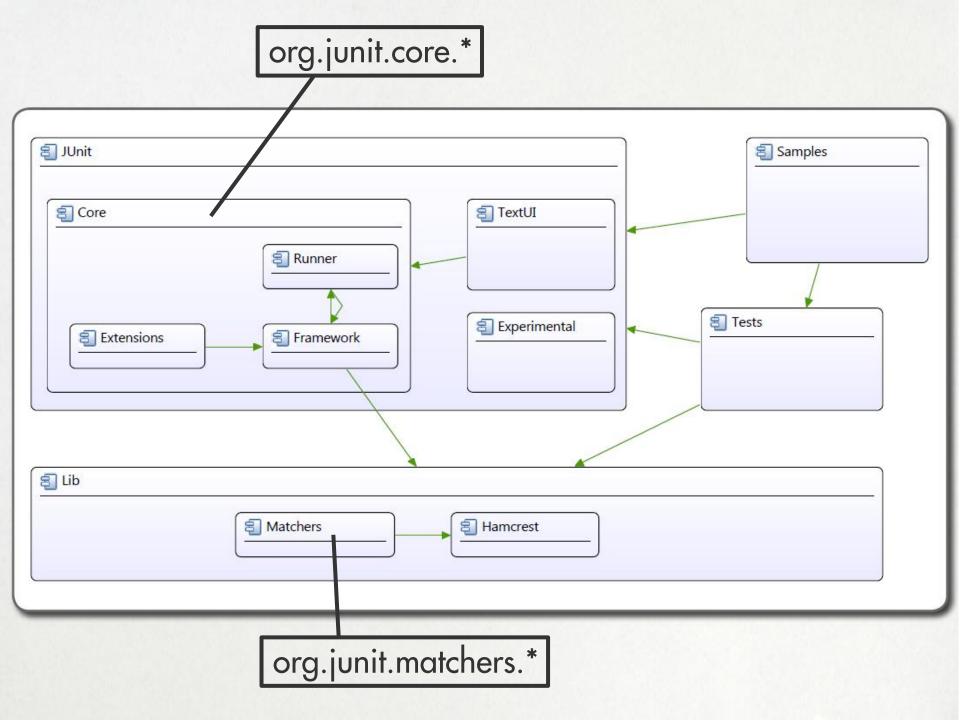


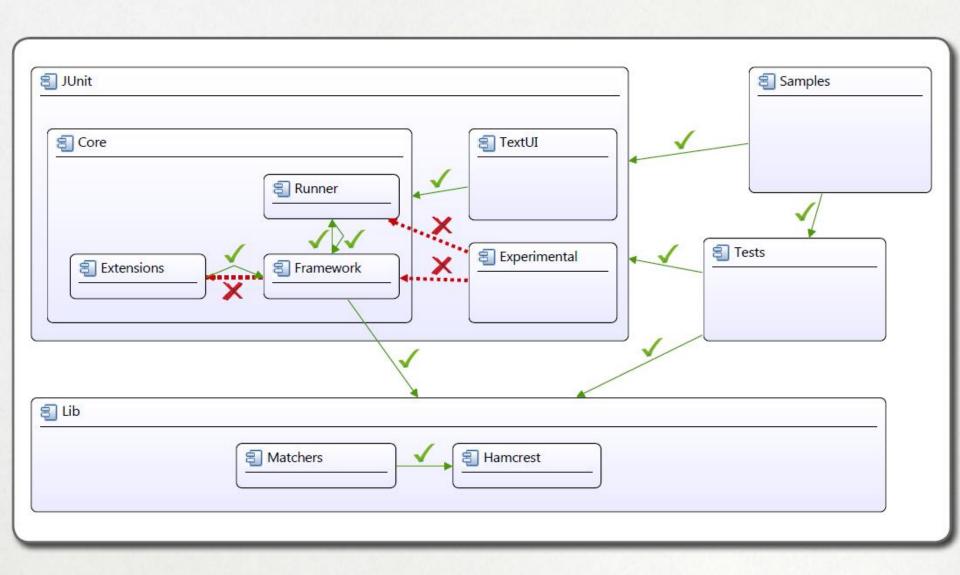


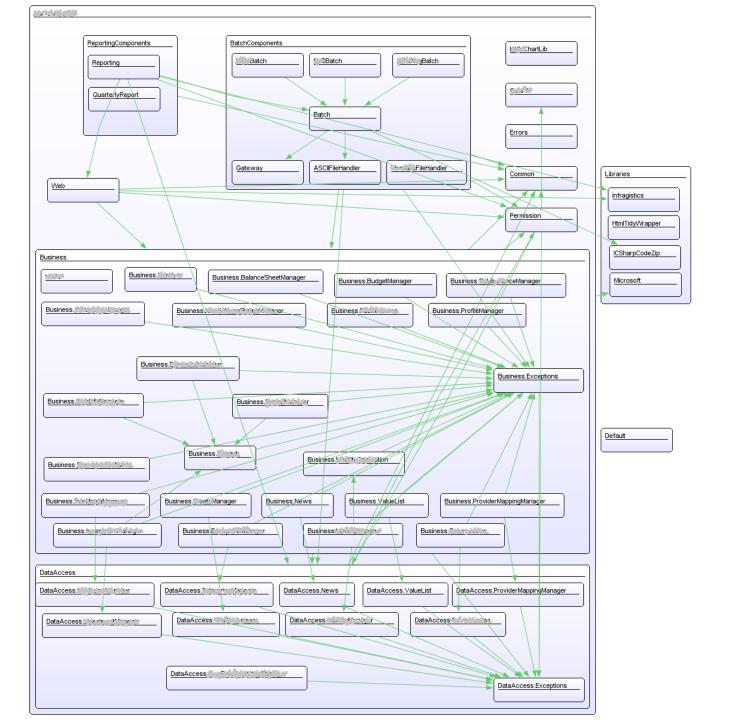


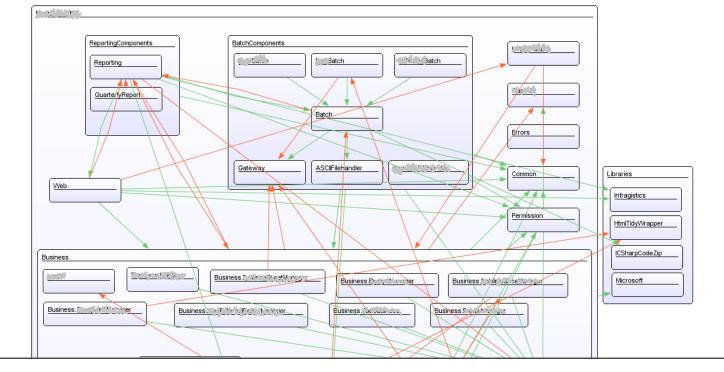












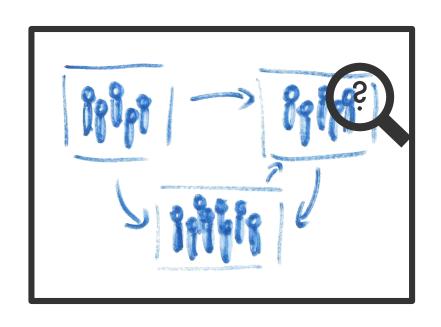
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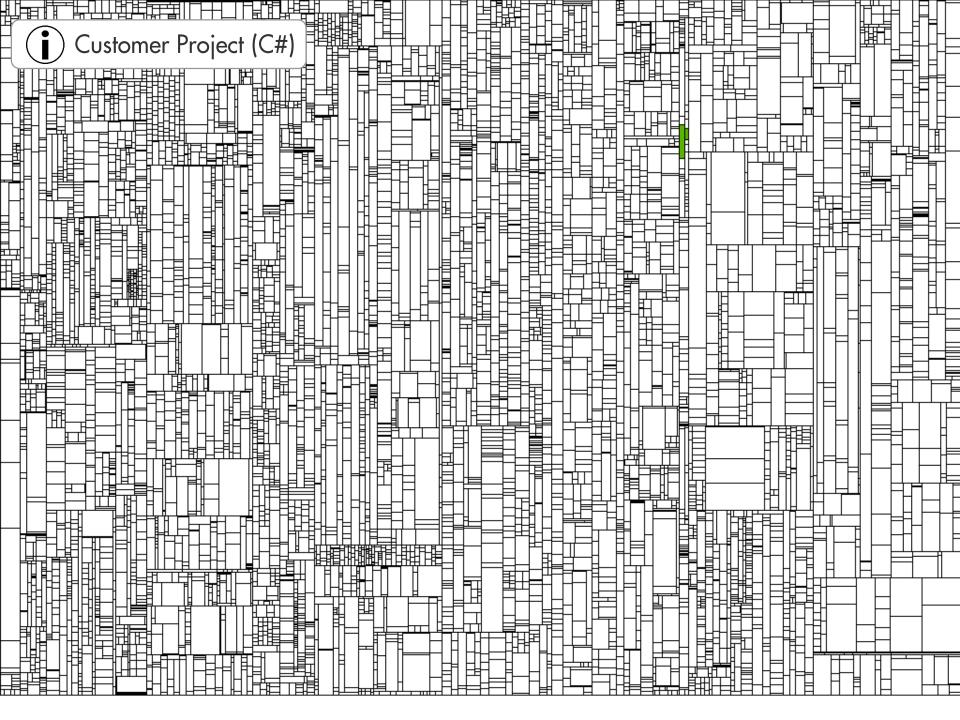
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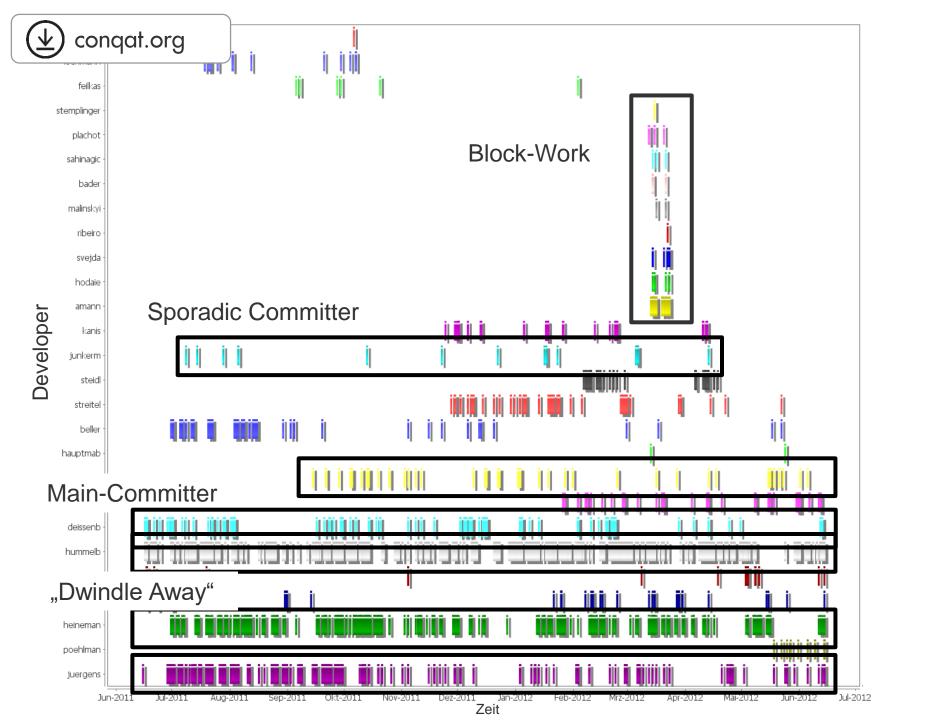
- Omissions in Documentation
- Revealed bugs
- Basis for architecture discussions

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



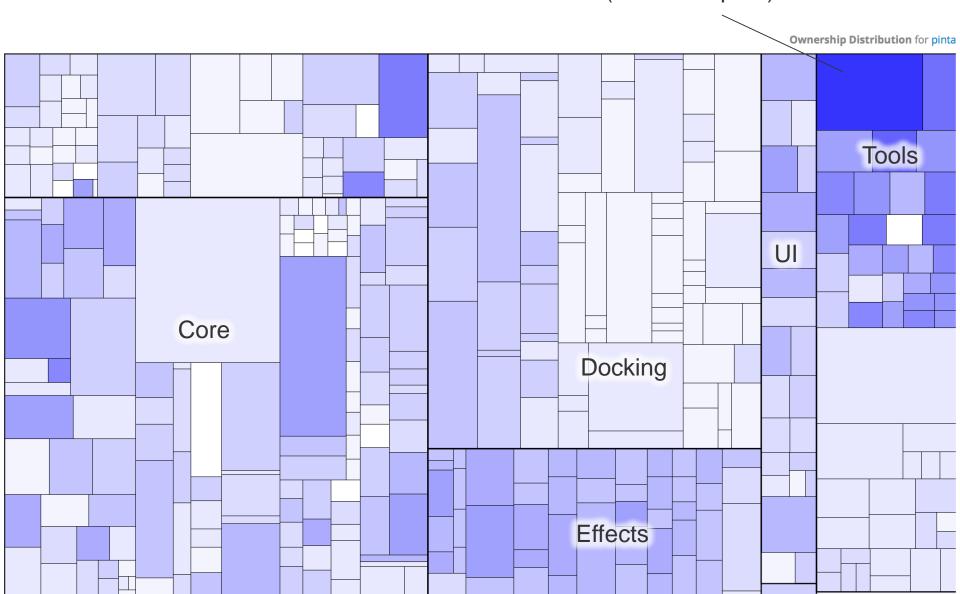


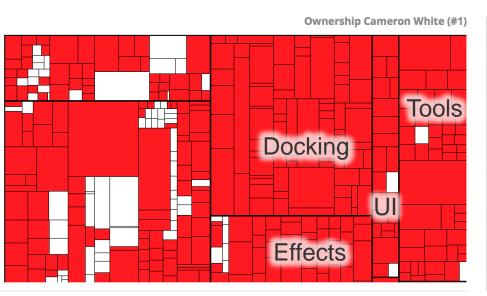


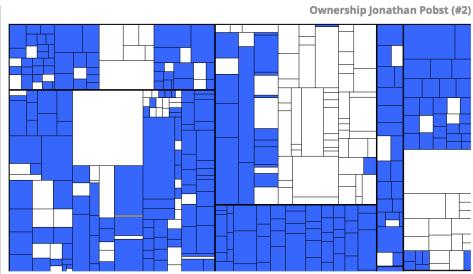




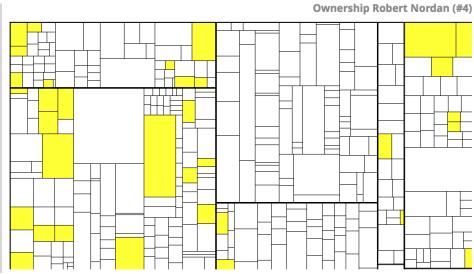
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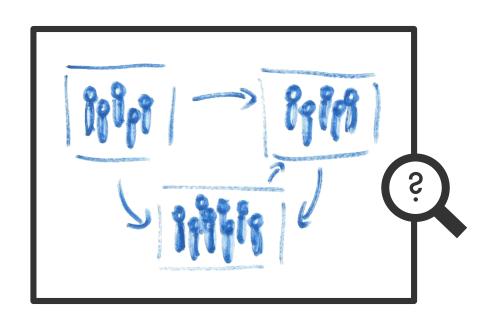


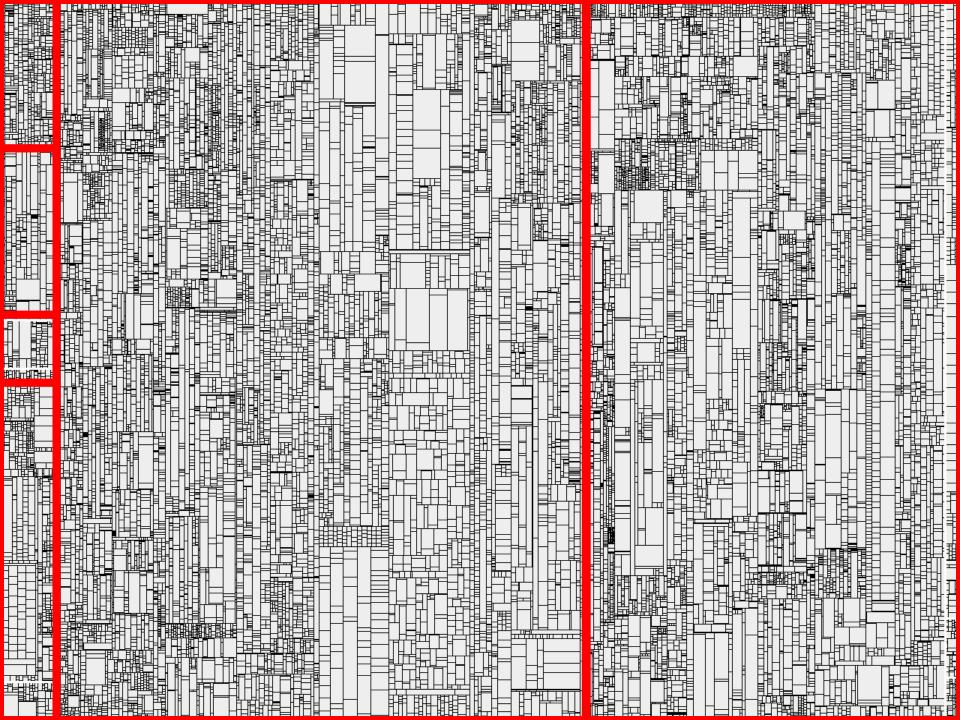


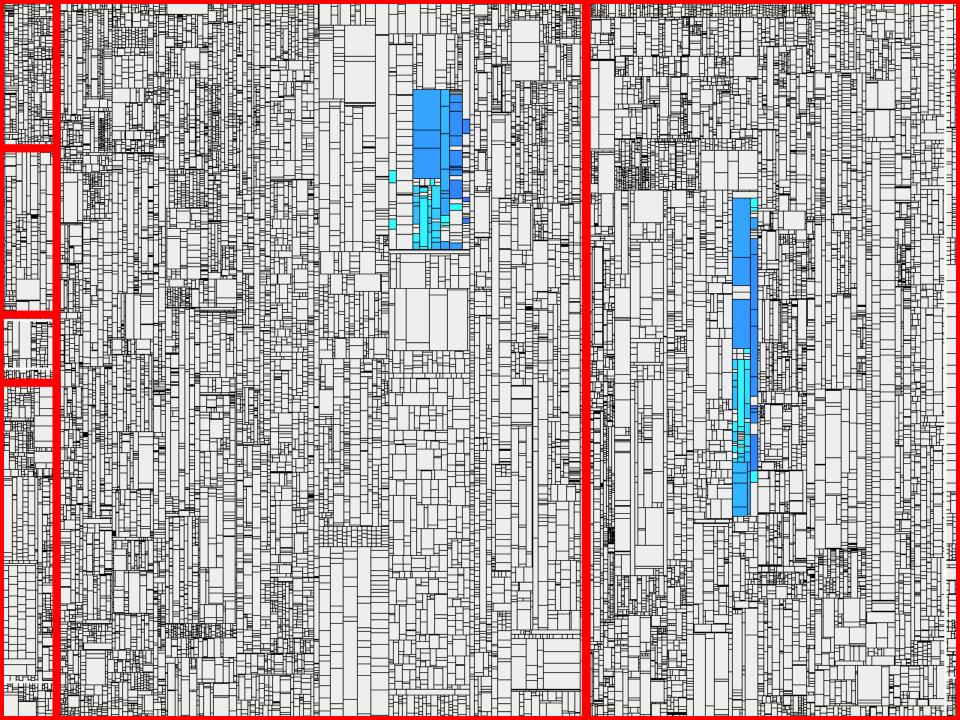


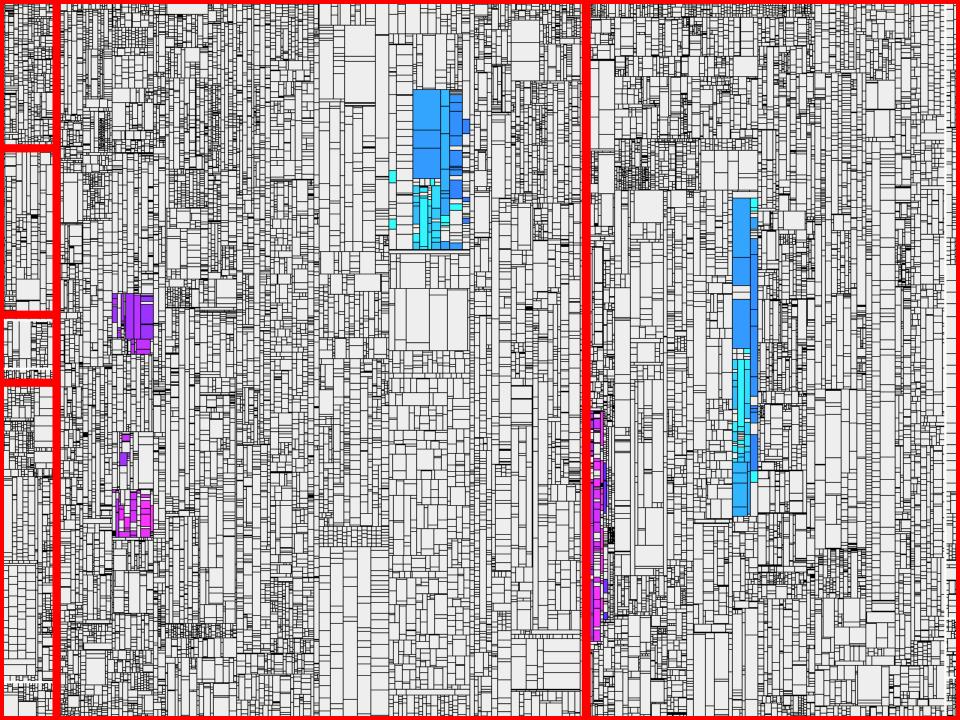










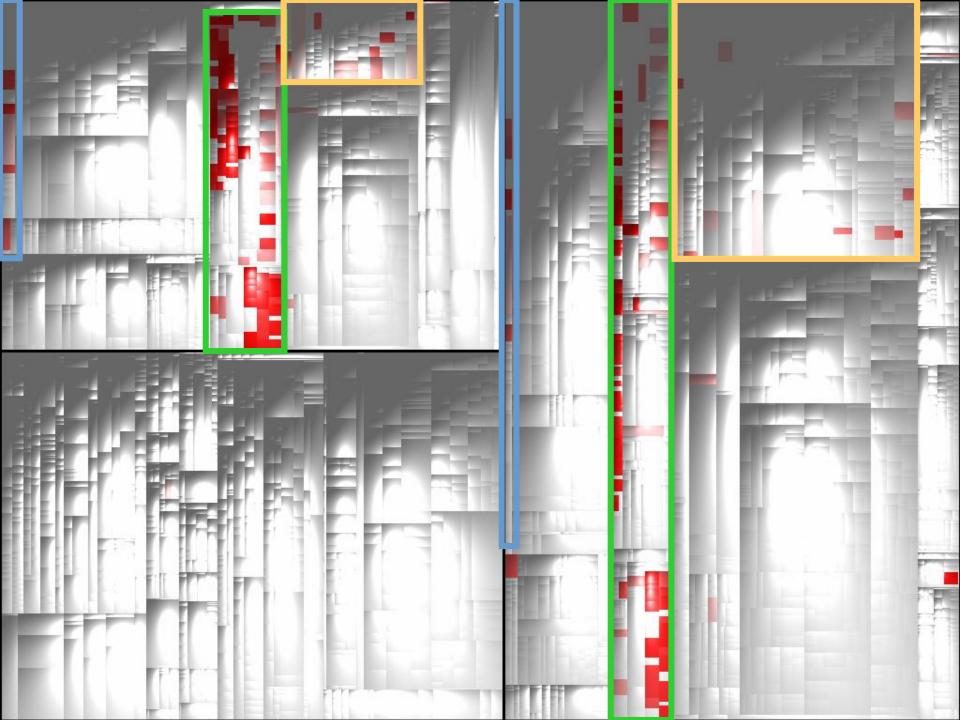




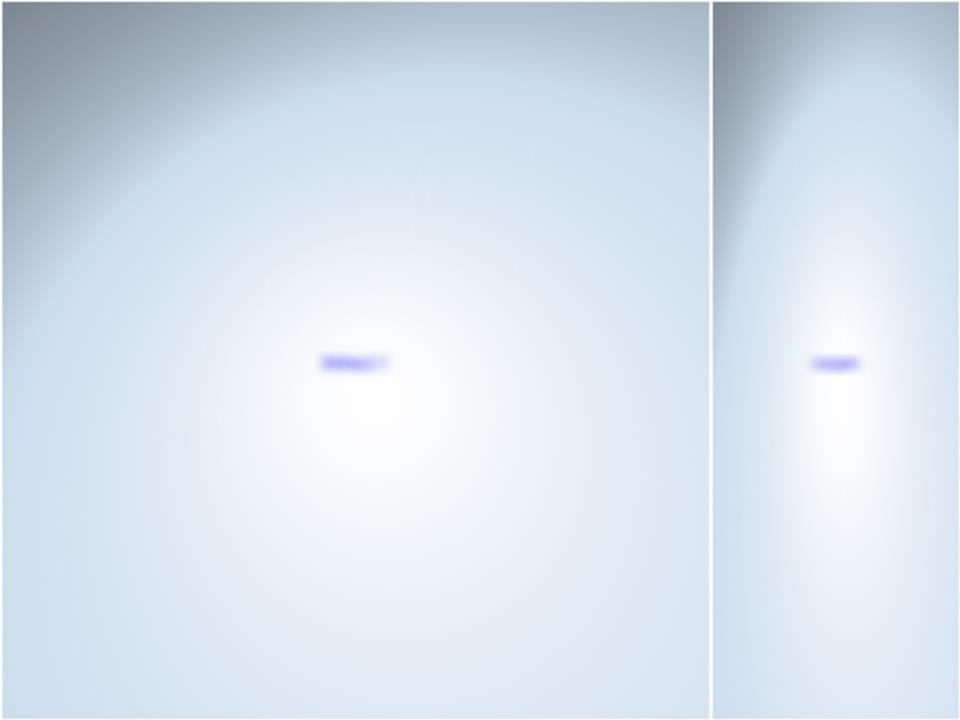
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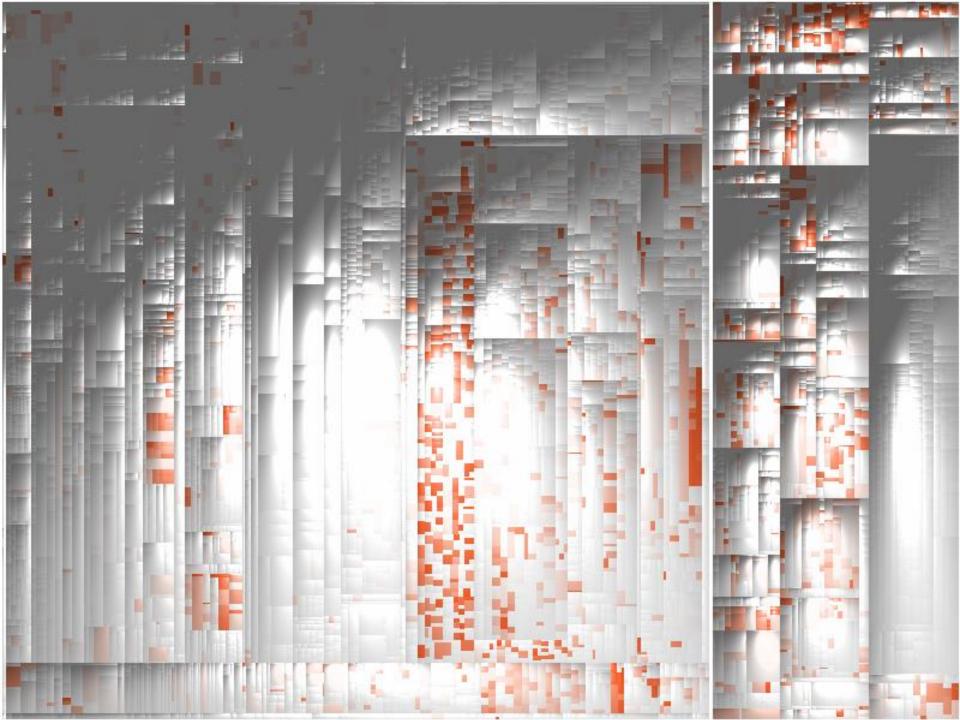
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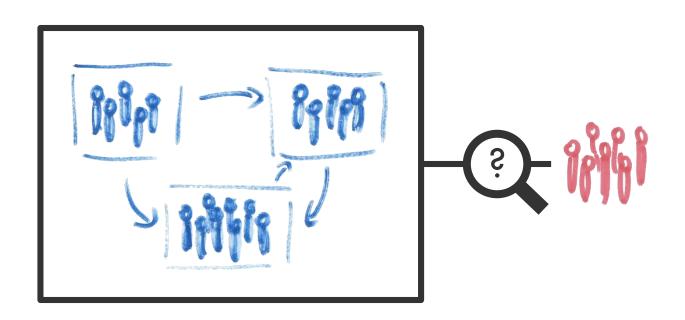
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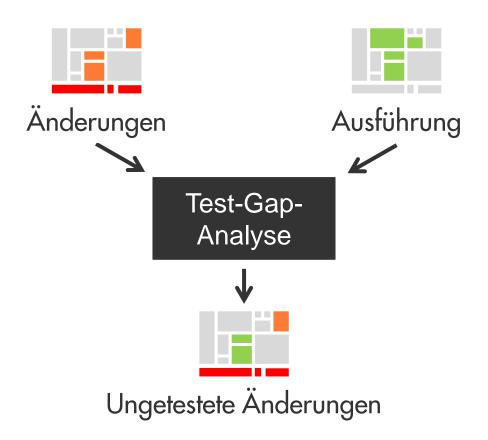
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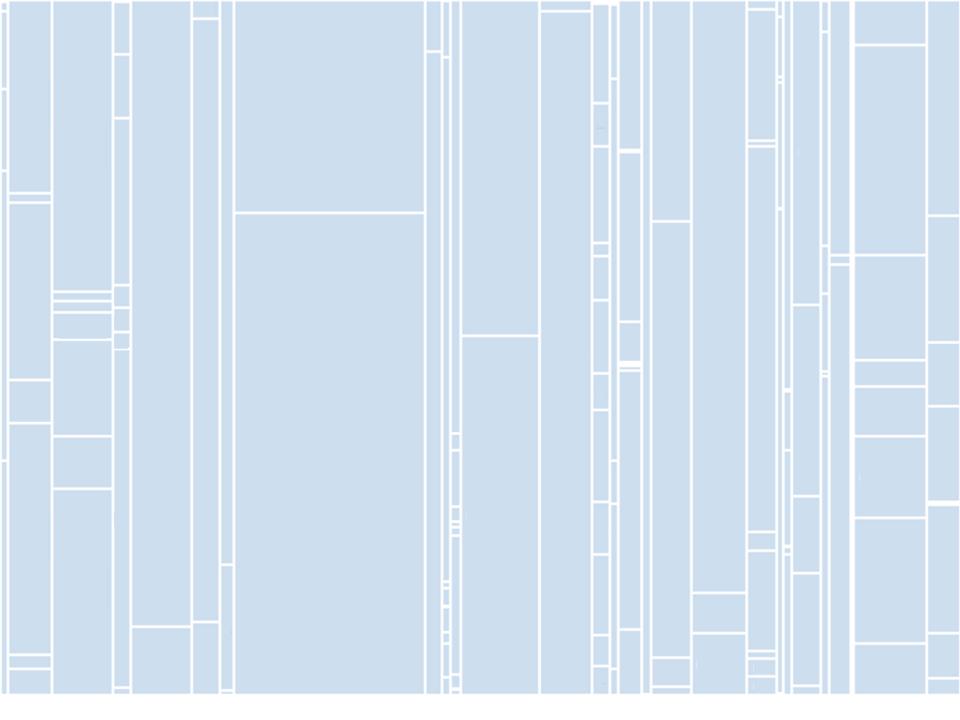


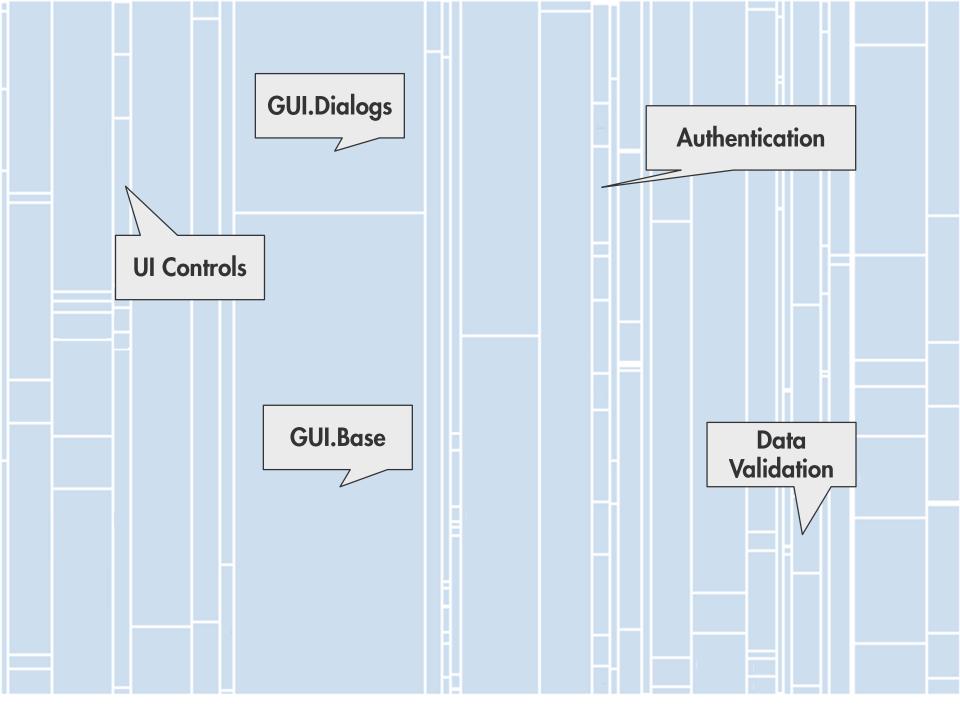


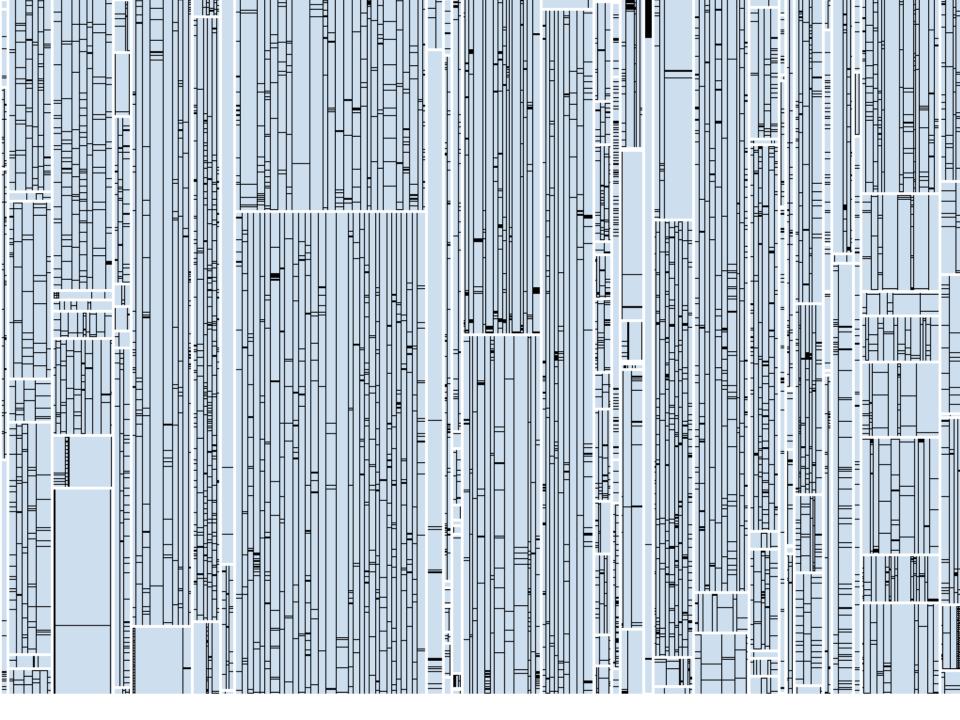


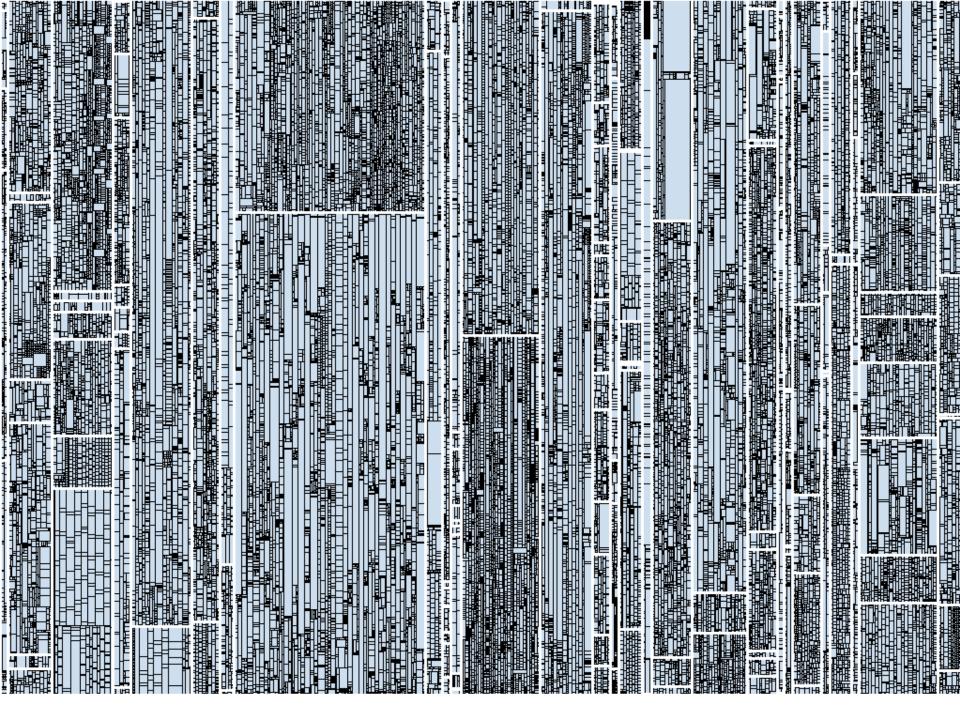
### **Anatomy of Test Gap Analysis**

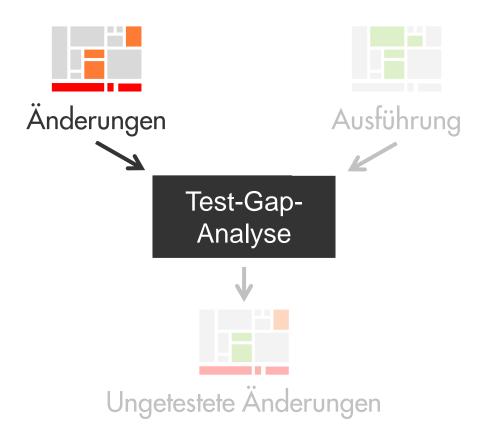


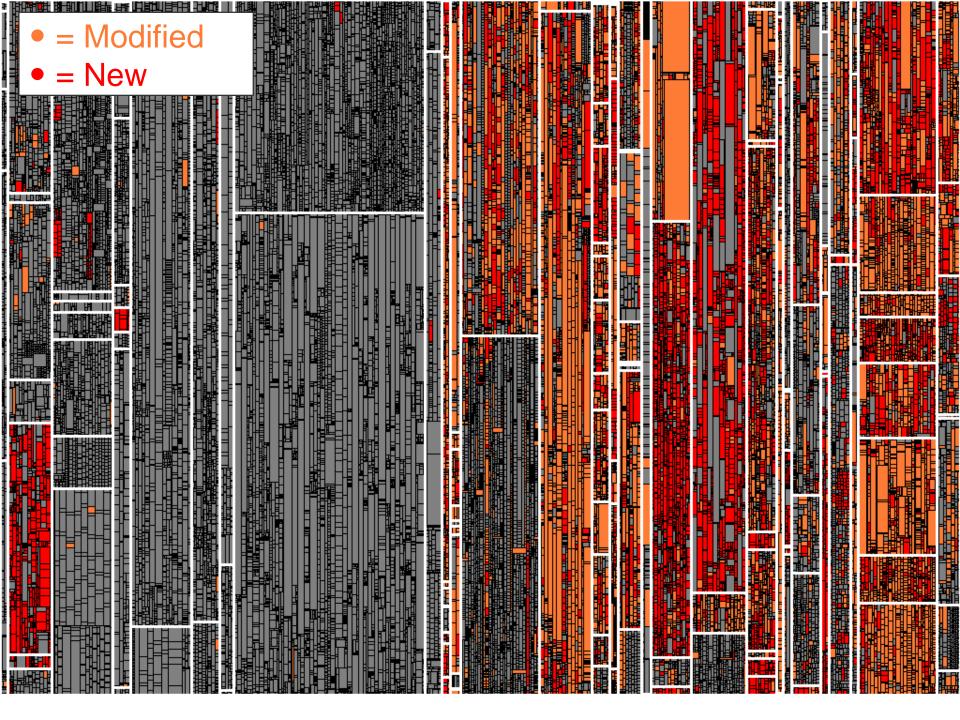


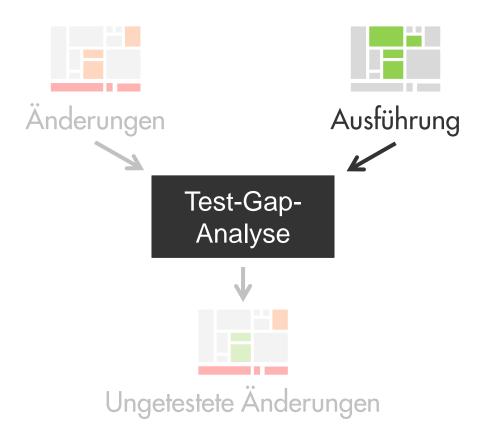


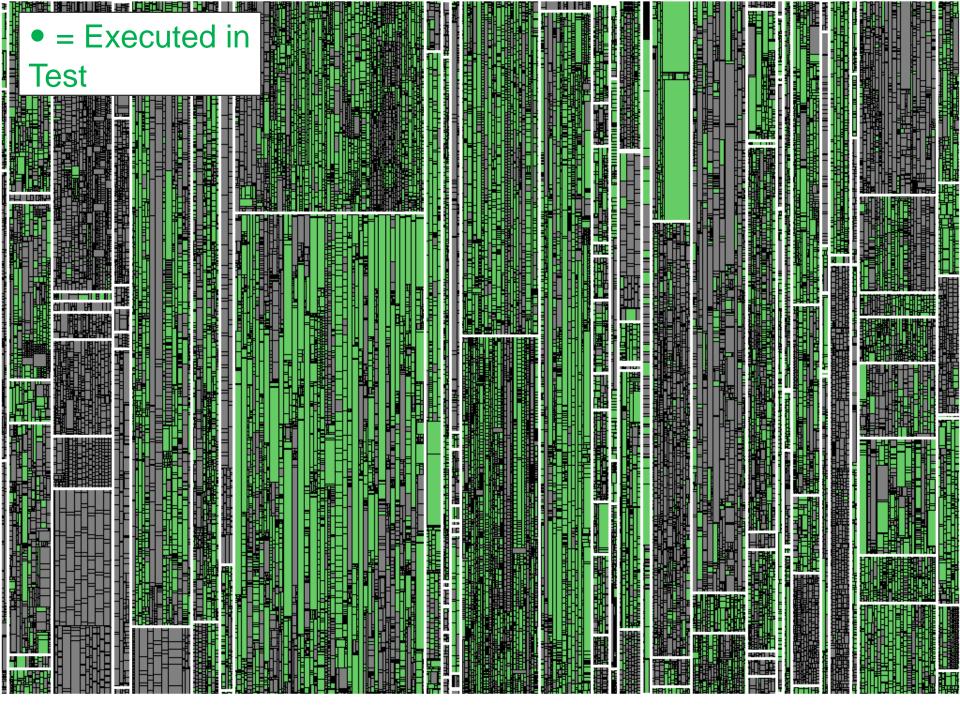


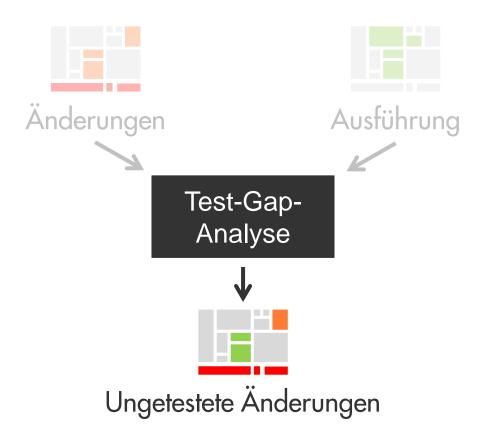


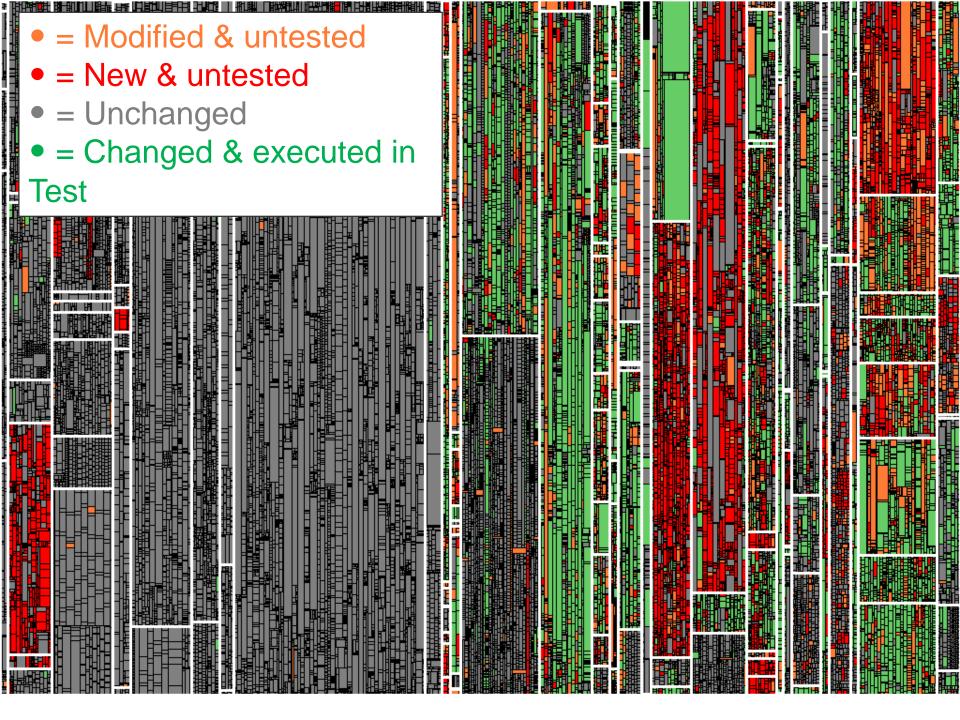


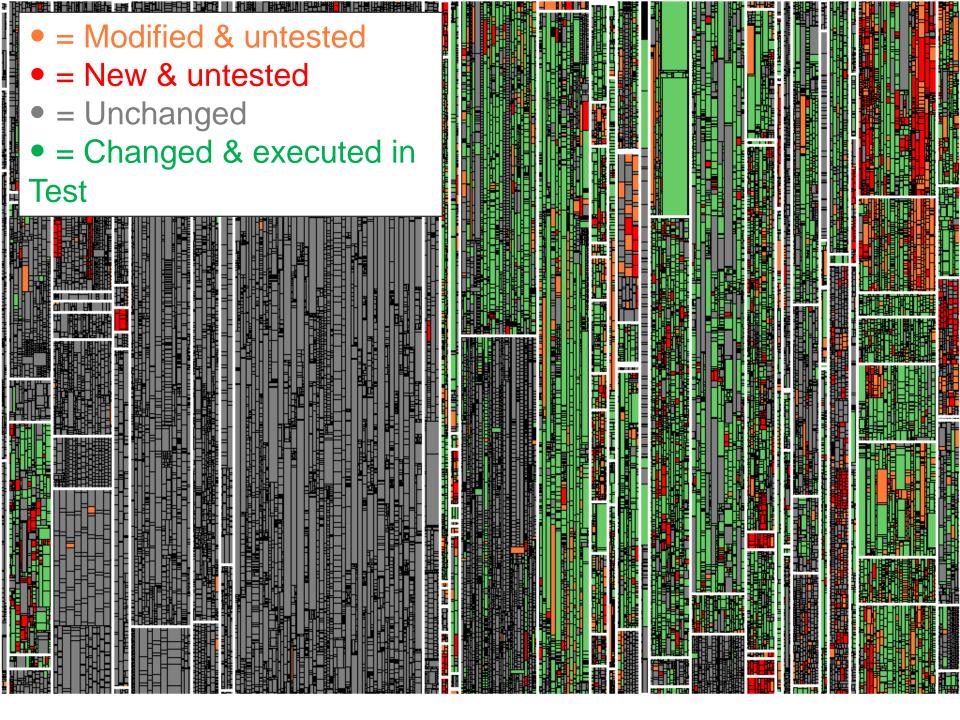






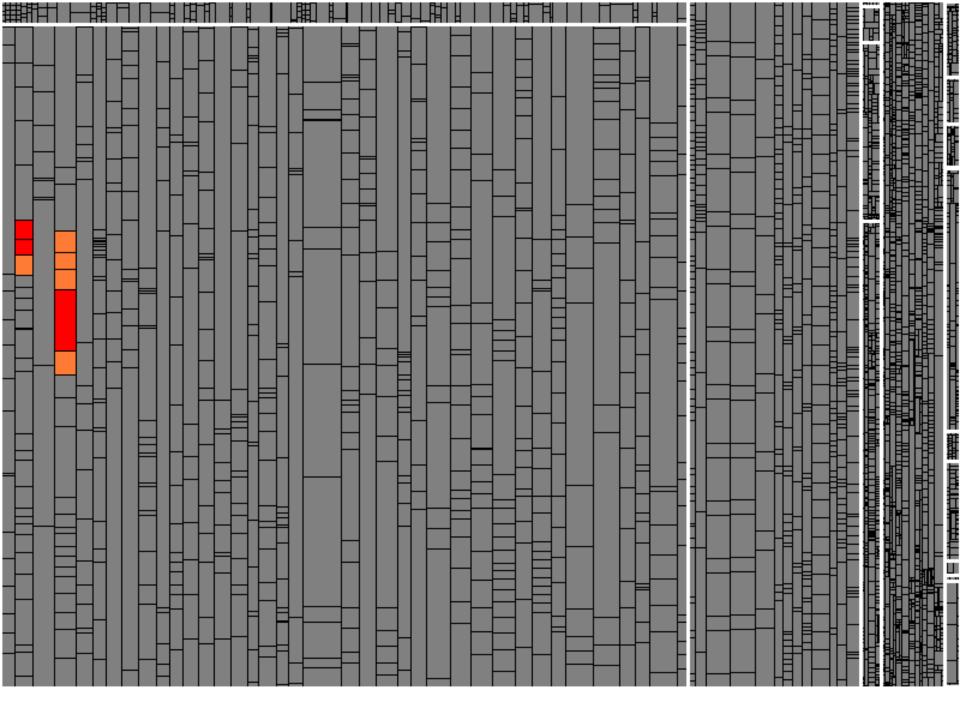


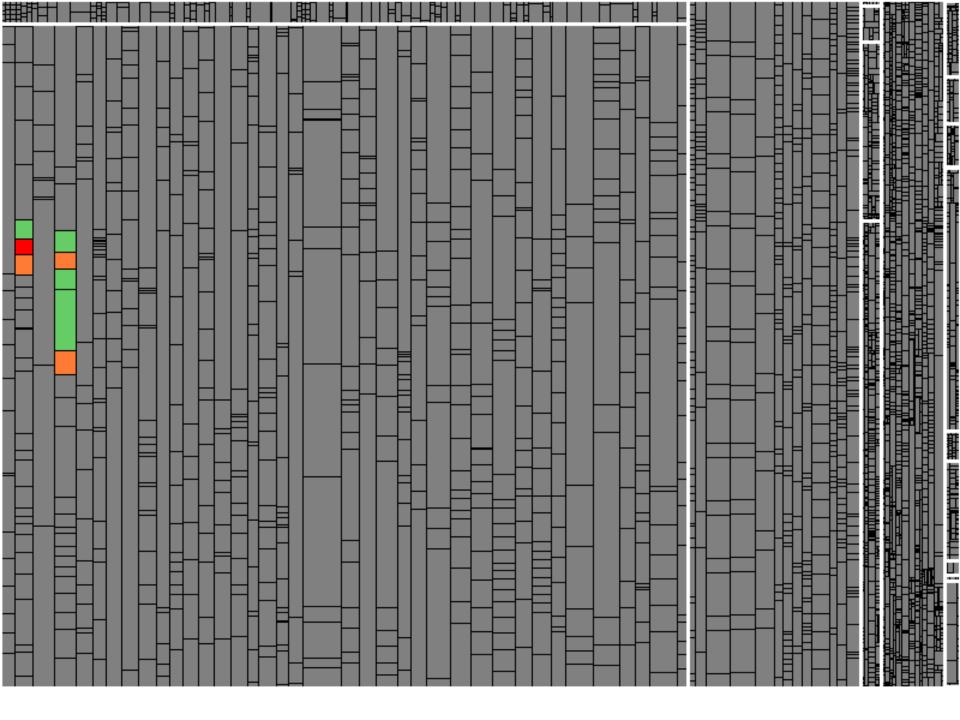


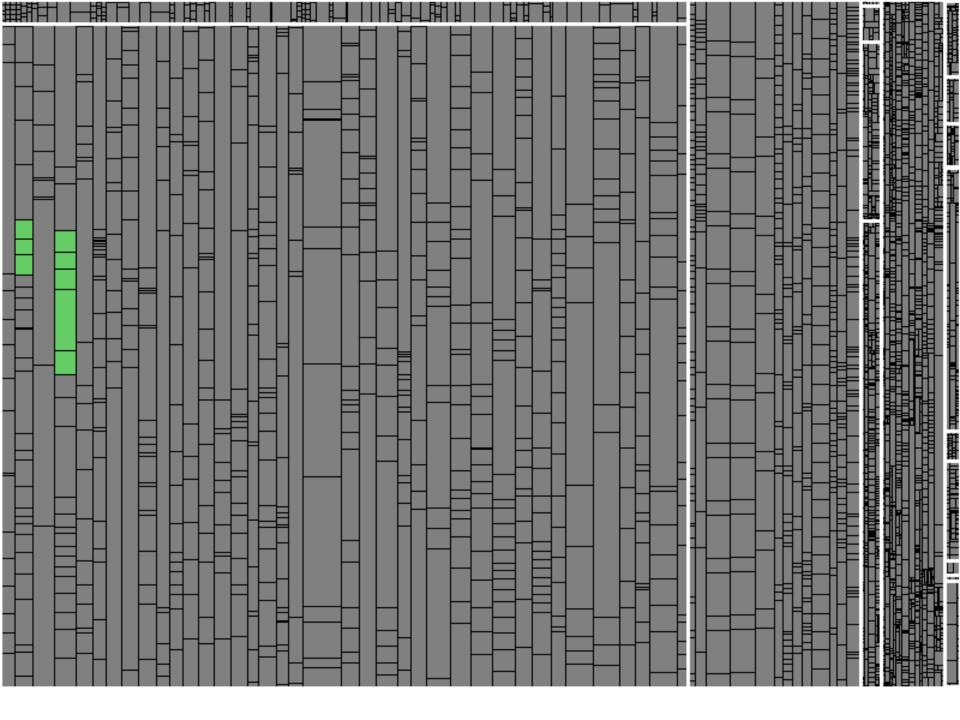


100% Change Cverage → 0 Bugs

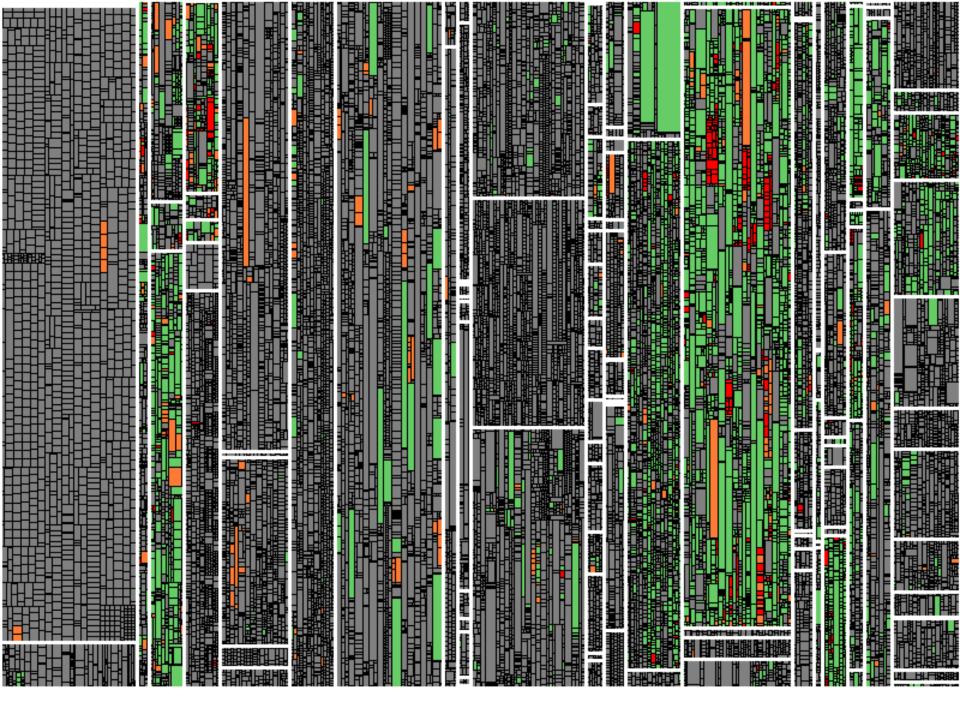
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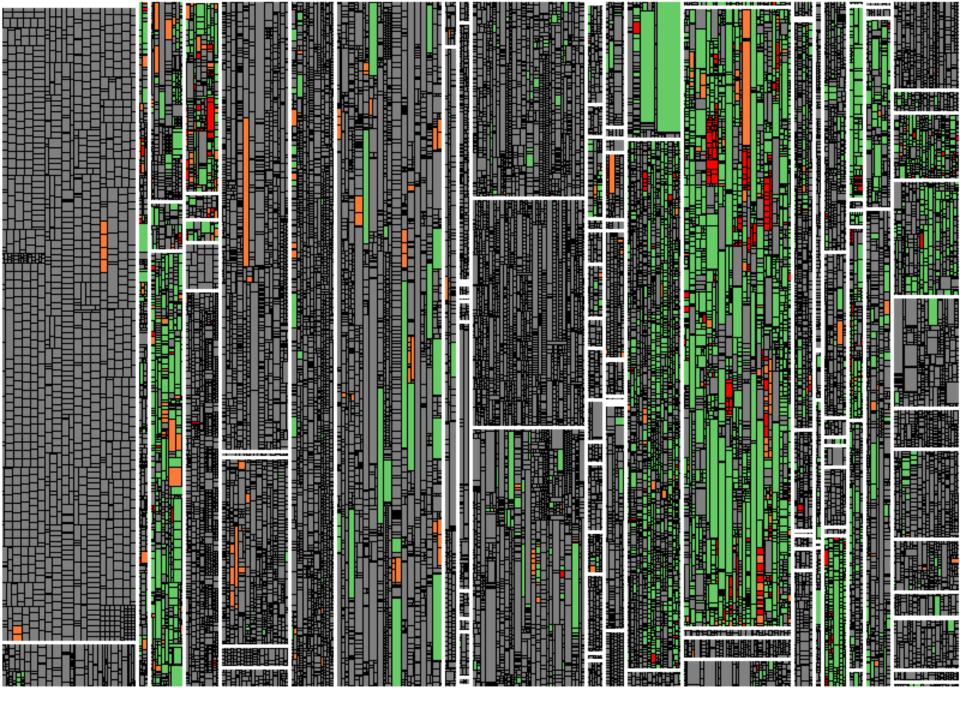


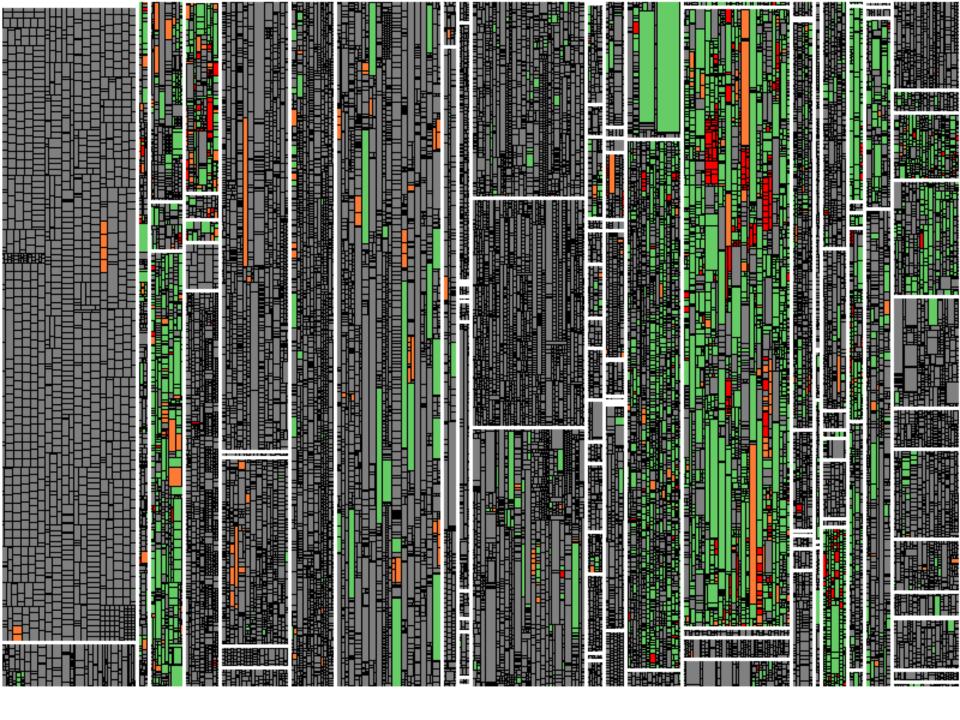


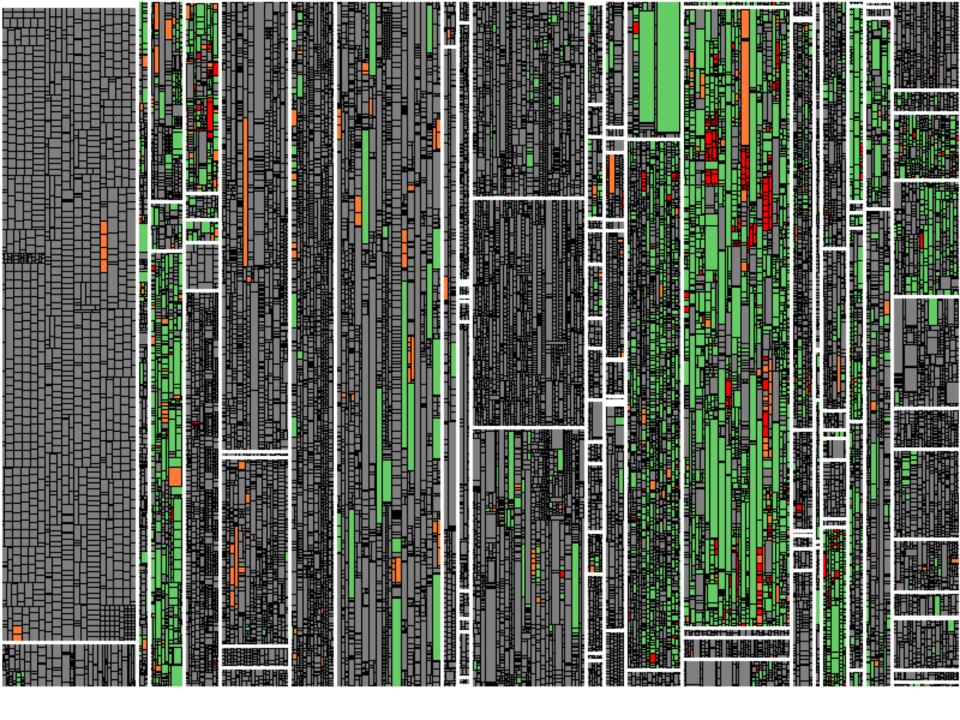


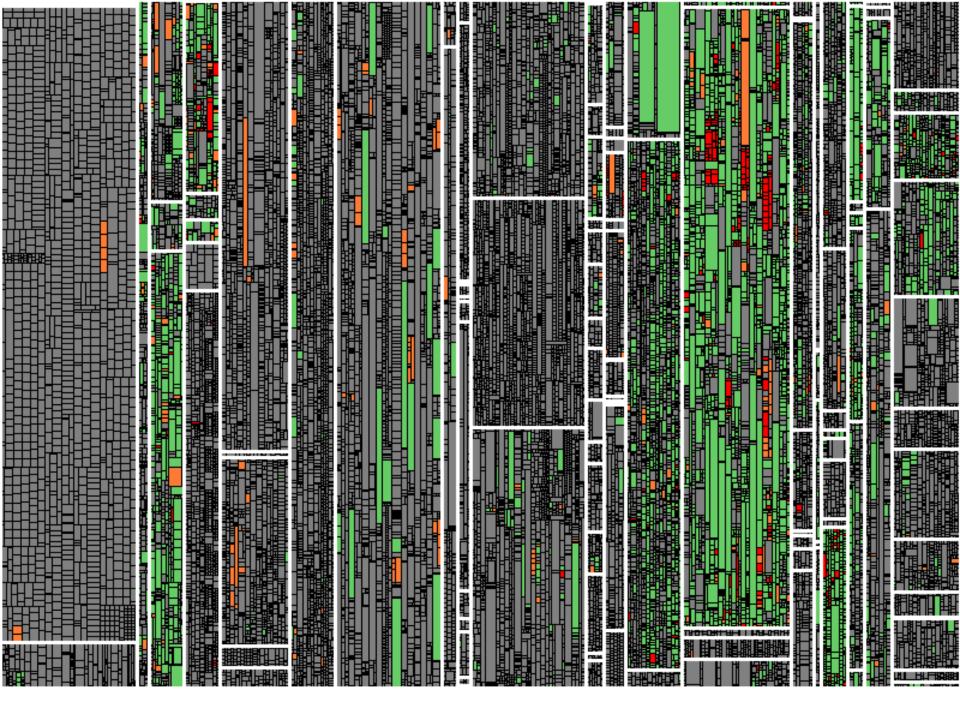
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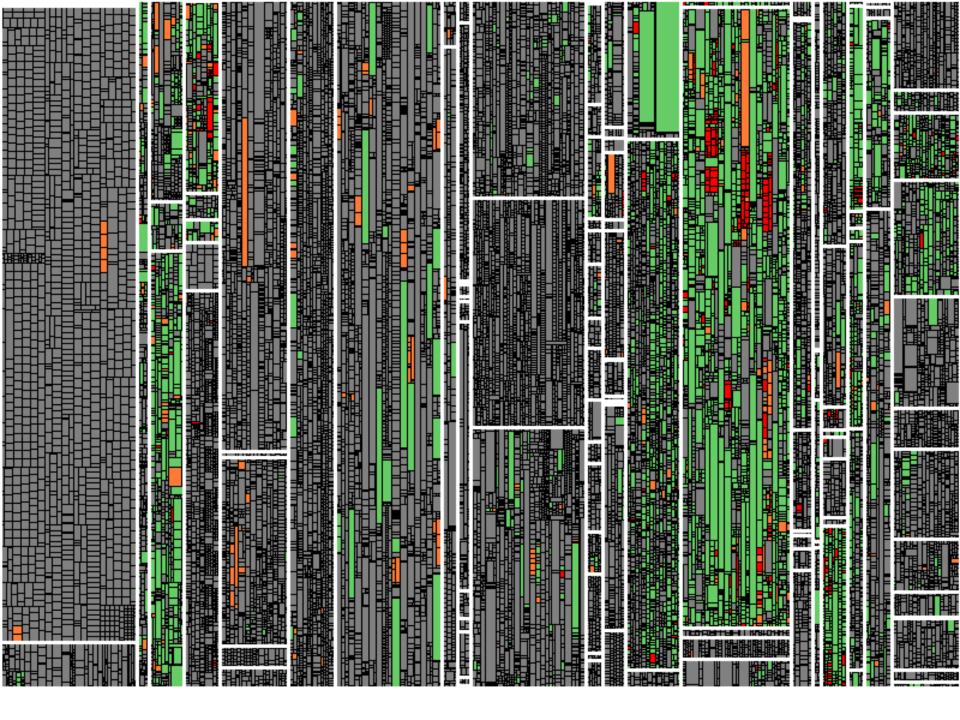


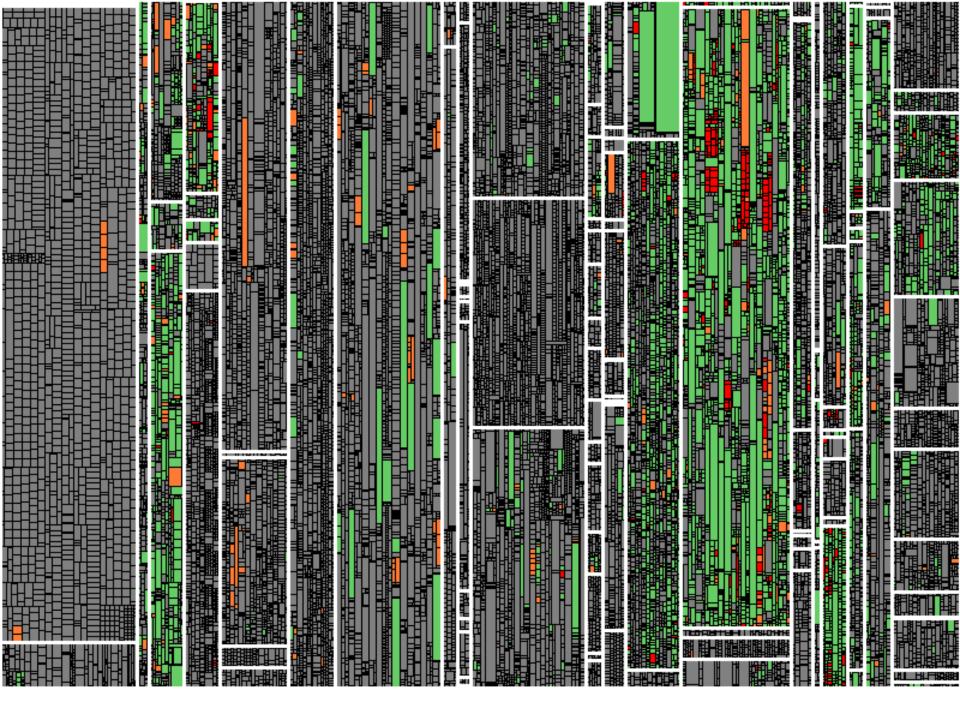


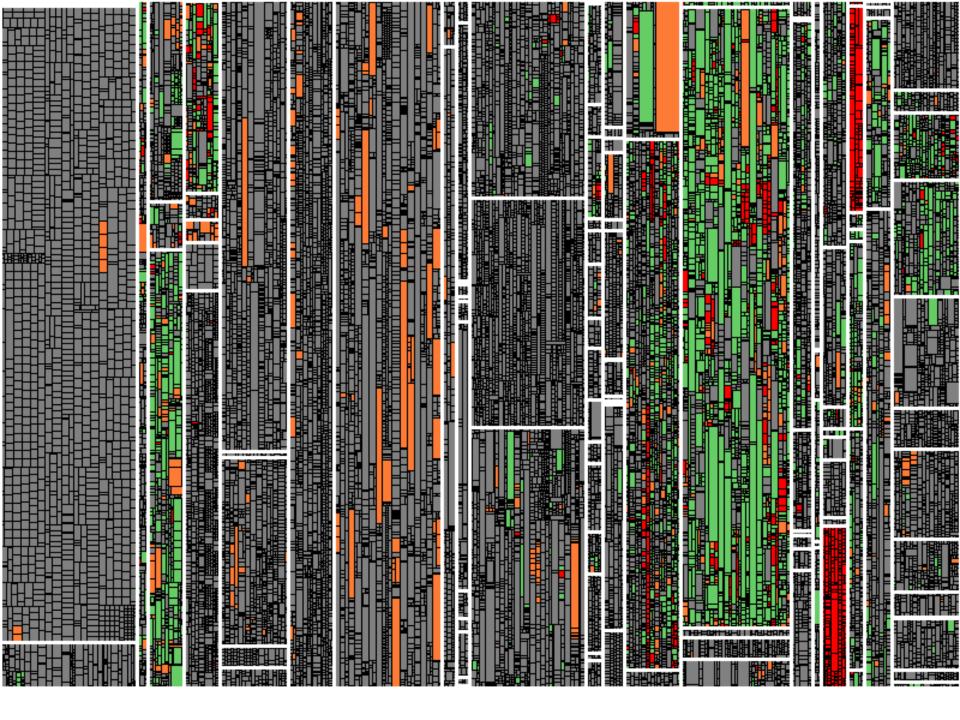


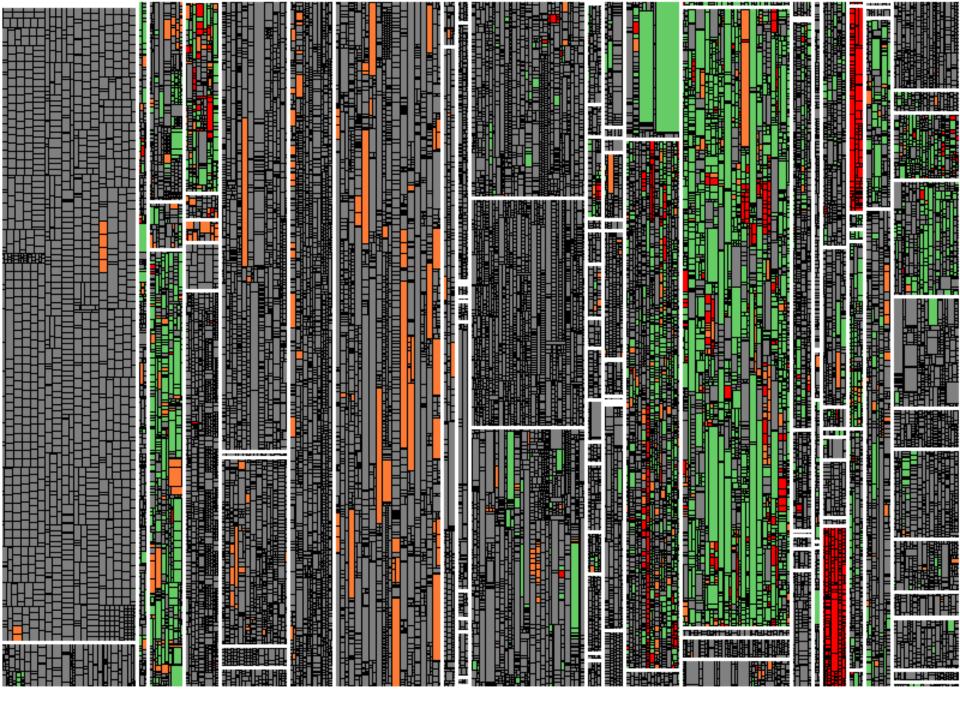


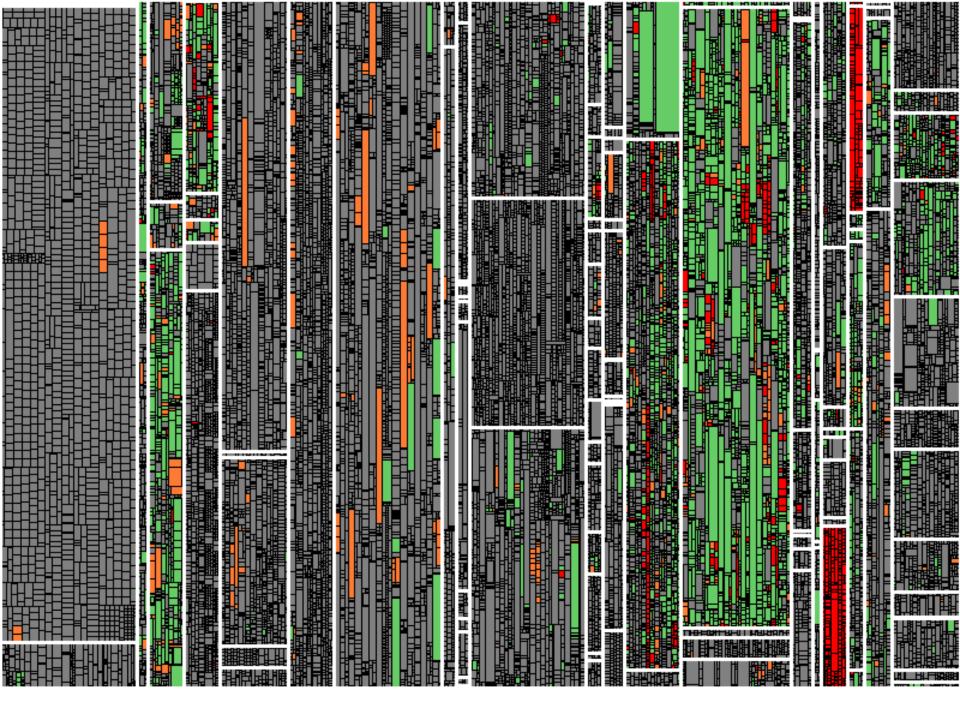


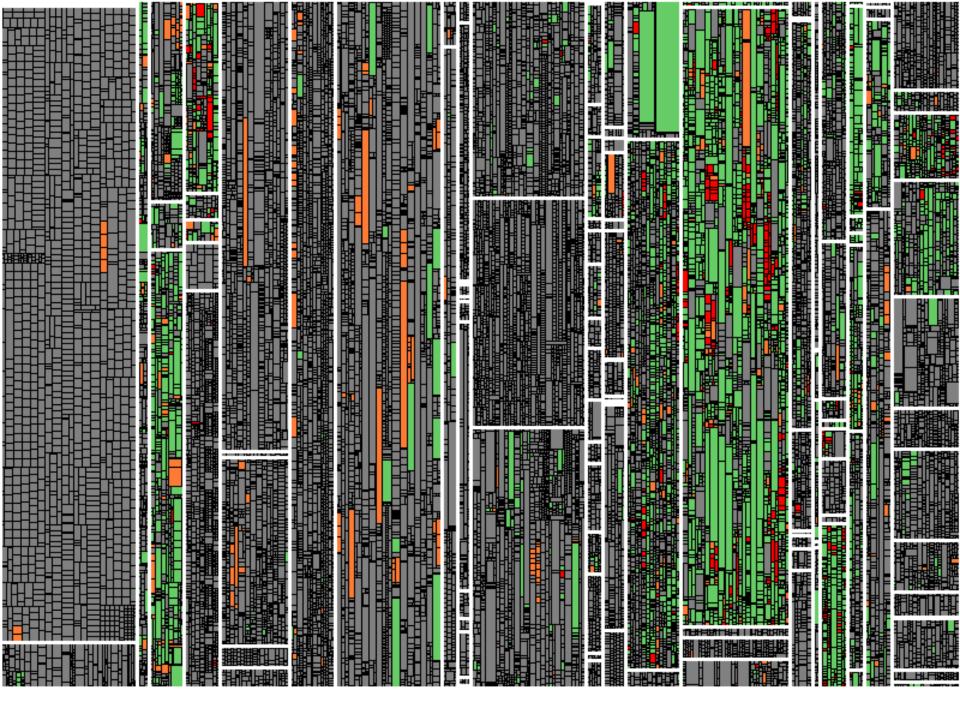


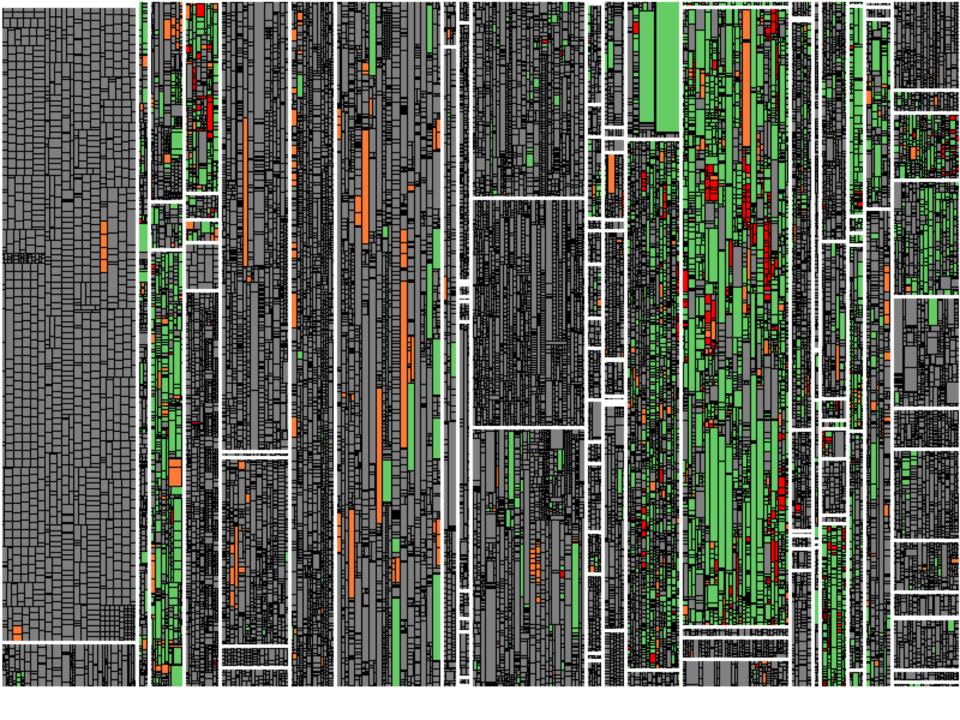


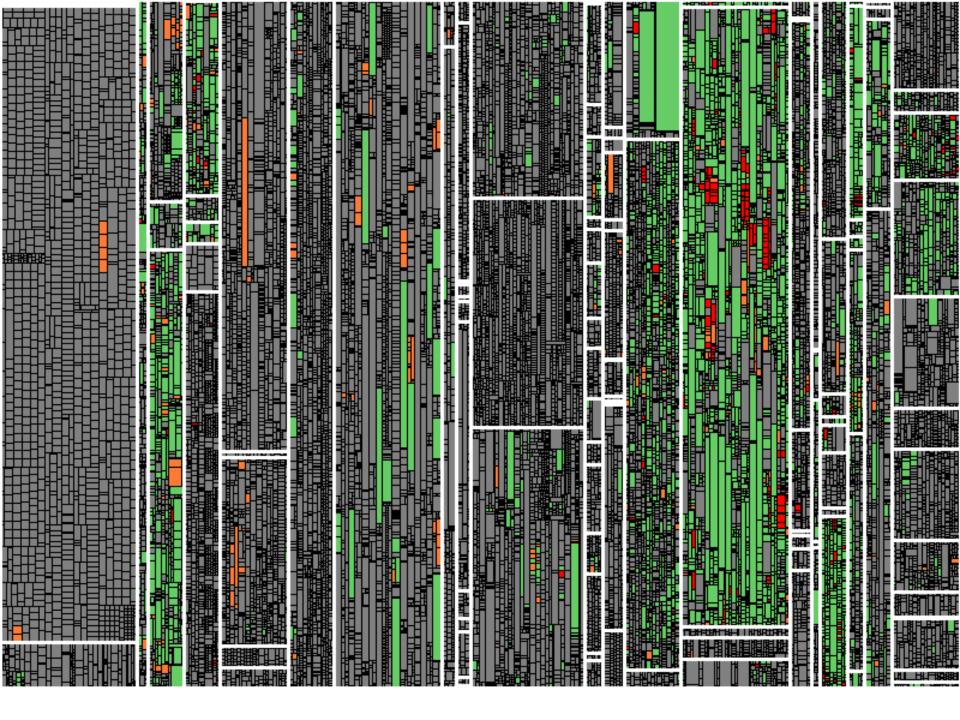


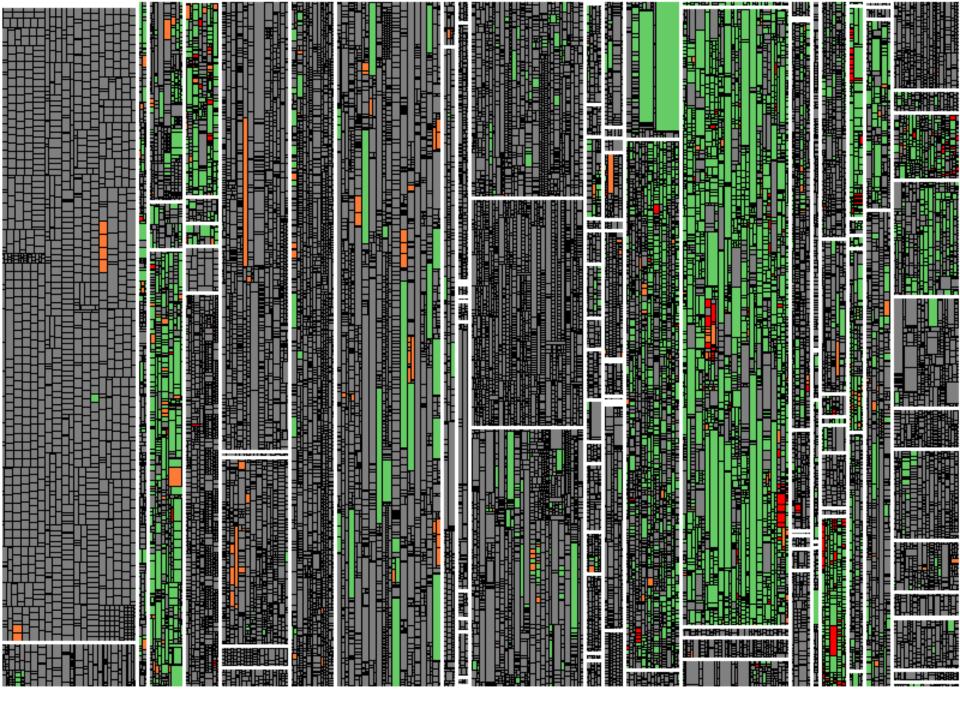


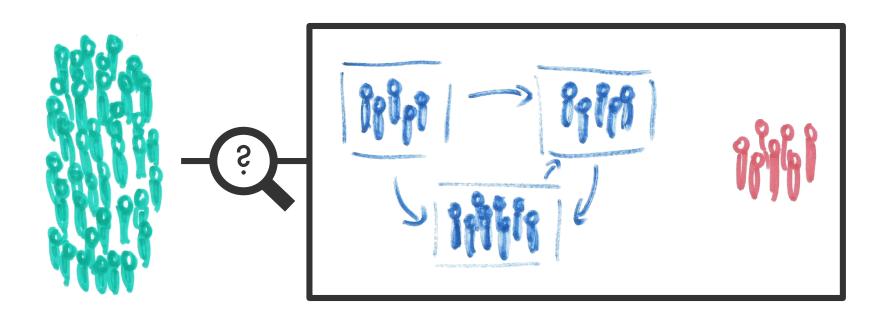






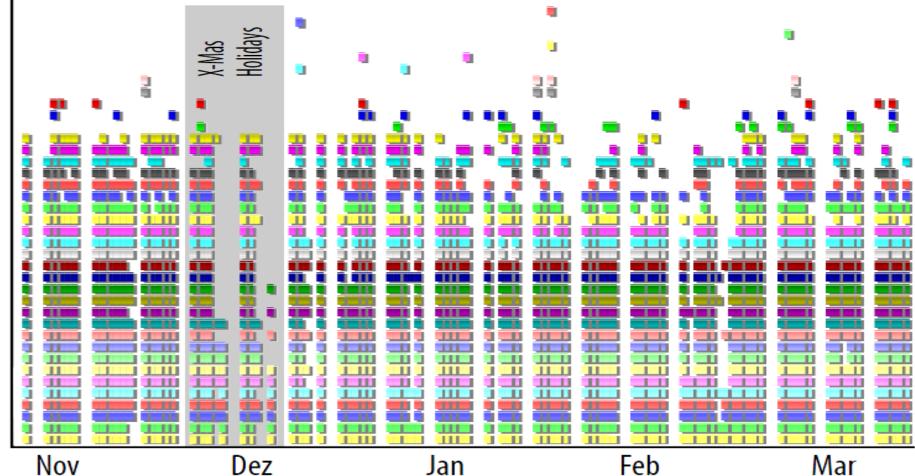


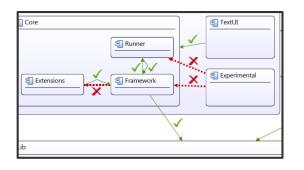


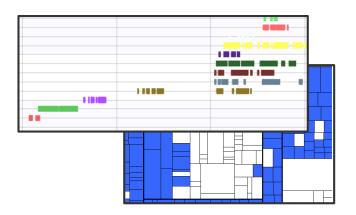


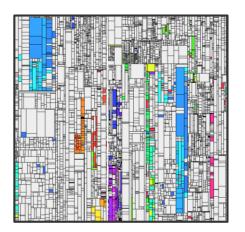
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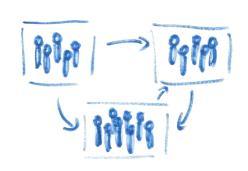




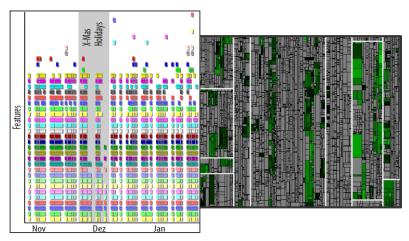


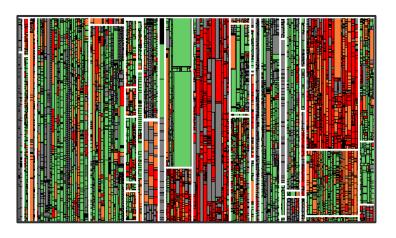




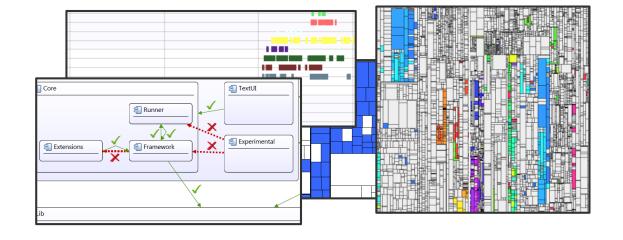




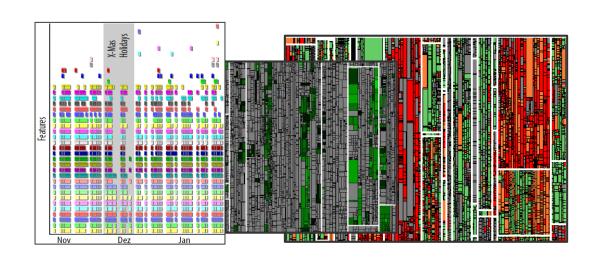




#### Static Analyses



# Dynamic Analyses



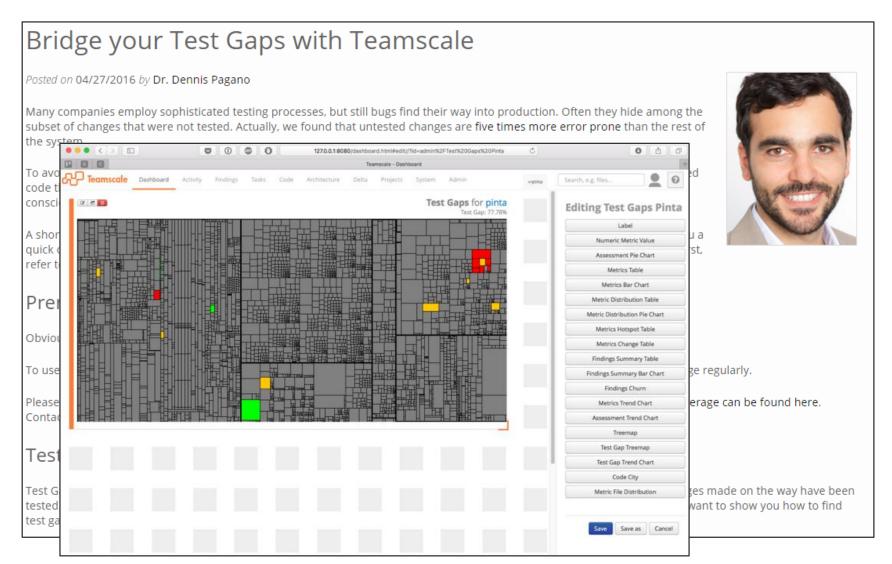
# Summary

Problems arise, if technical and organizational architecture do not fit together.

There are useful dynamic and static analyses available, that can discover symptoms of a mismatch to help fix them.

While highly automated, these analyses require experience for configuration and result interpretation. I'd like to share mine if you like.

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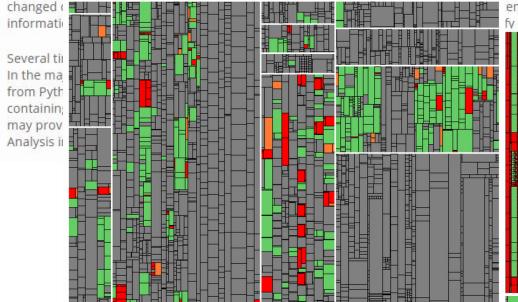


#### Software Quality Blog

#### Testing Changes in SAP BW Applications

Posted on 04/29/2015 by Dr. Andreas Göb

As my colleague Fabian explained a few weeks ago, a combination of change detection and execution logging can substantially increase transparency regarding which recent changes of a software system have actually been covered by the testing process. I will not repeat all the details of the Test Gap Analysis approach here, but instead just summarize the core idea: Untested new or



em. Therefore it makes sense to use fy those changed but untested areas.

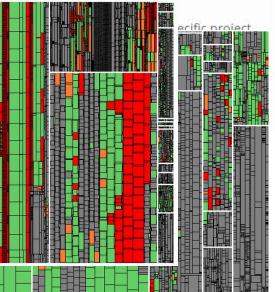




Figure 1: Test Gaps in Manually Maintained ABAP code only

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## Software Quality Blog

#### Practical Guide to Code Clones (Part 1)

Posted on 07/16/2014 by Dr. Benjamin Hummel

One well known principle in software engineering states don't repeat yourself, also known as the DRY principle. A very obvious violation of DRY is the application of copy/paste to create duplicates of large portions of source code within the same code base. These duplicate pieces of code, also known as code clones, have been subject to lots of research in the last two decades. In this two-part post I want to summarize those parts of the current knowledge that I find most relevant to the practitioner, especially the impact of clones on software dev



Posted on 07/30/2014 by Dr. Benjamin Hummel

In the previous part we introduced the notion of code clones and discussed, whether and under which circumstances cloning in your code base can be a problem for development and maintenance. In this post, I will introduce ways and tools to deal with code clones in your code base. After reading this, you should be able to select and apply a detection tool to inspect the clones in your own code base.



https://www.cqse.eu/en/blog/practical-guide-to-code-clones-part1/



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