

Analysis of JavaScript Web Applications Using SAFE 2.0

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Background

< JavaScript >

- Standard language for **web programming**
- Extremely **functional** & **dynamic**
- Often vulnerable to **programmer errors**

< Analysis Frameworks for JavaScript >

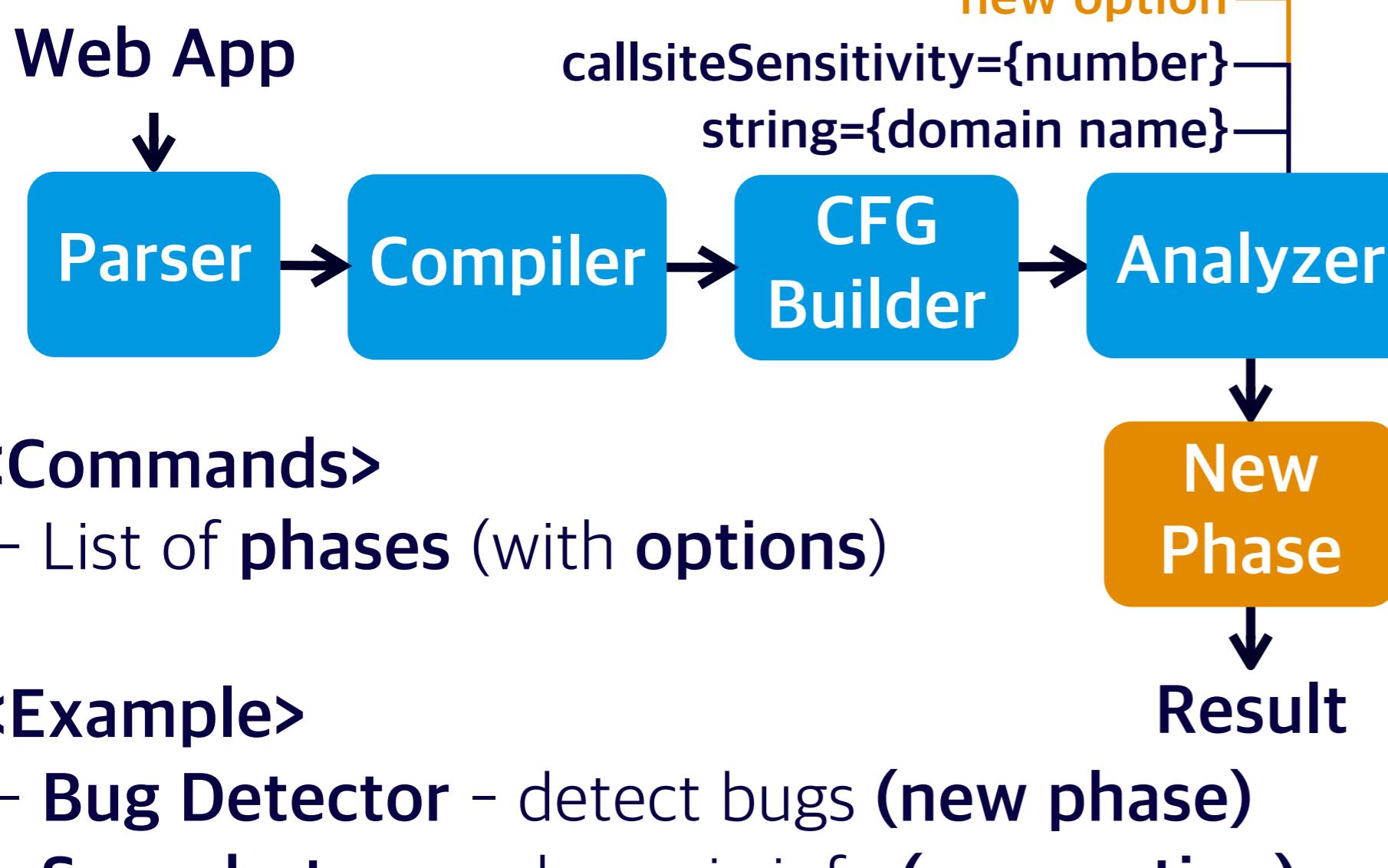
- SAFE / TAJS / WALA / ...
- Help **web-app developers** build correct programs by detecting bugs
- **BUT** poor **usability** for analysis developers

SAFE 2.0

A New Analysis Framework for JavaScript Web Applications

Extensibility

add new techniques easily



<Testing using Test262>

- **Test262 :**
The official ECMAScript conformance suite
- **Test** implementation of new techniques

```
> test262Test
[info] Run completed in 9 minutes, 32 seconds.
[info] Total number of tests run: 5552
[info] Suites: completed 1, aborted 0
[info] Tests: succeeded 5552, failed 0, canceled 0, ignored 0, pending 0
[info] All tests passed.
[success] Total time: 574 s, completed May 18, 2017 2:57:27 PM
```

Pluggability

code change



Analysis Techniques

Analysis Sensitivities



configure existing analysis techniques easily

```
"analyzer": {  
    "num": "sign",  
    "str": "set",  
    "callsite": 1  
}
```

config1.json

```
"analyzer": {  
    "num": "sign",  
    "str": "regular",  
    "callsite": 5  
}
```

config2.json

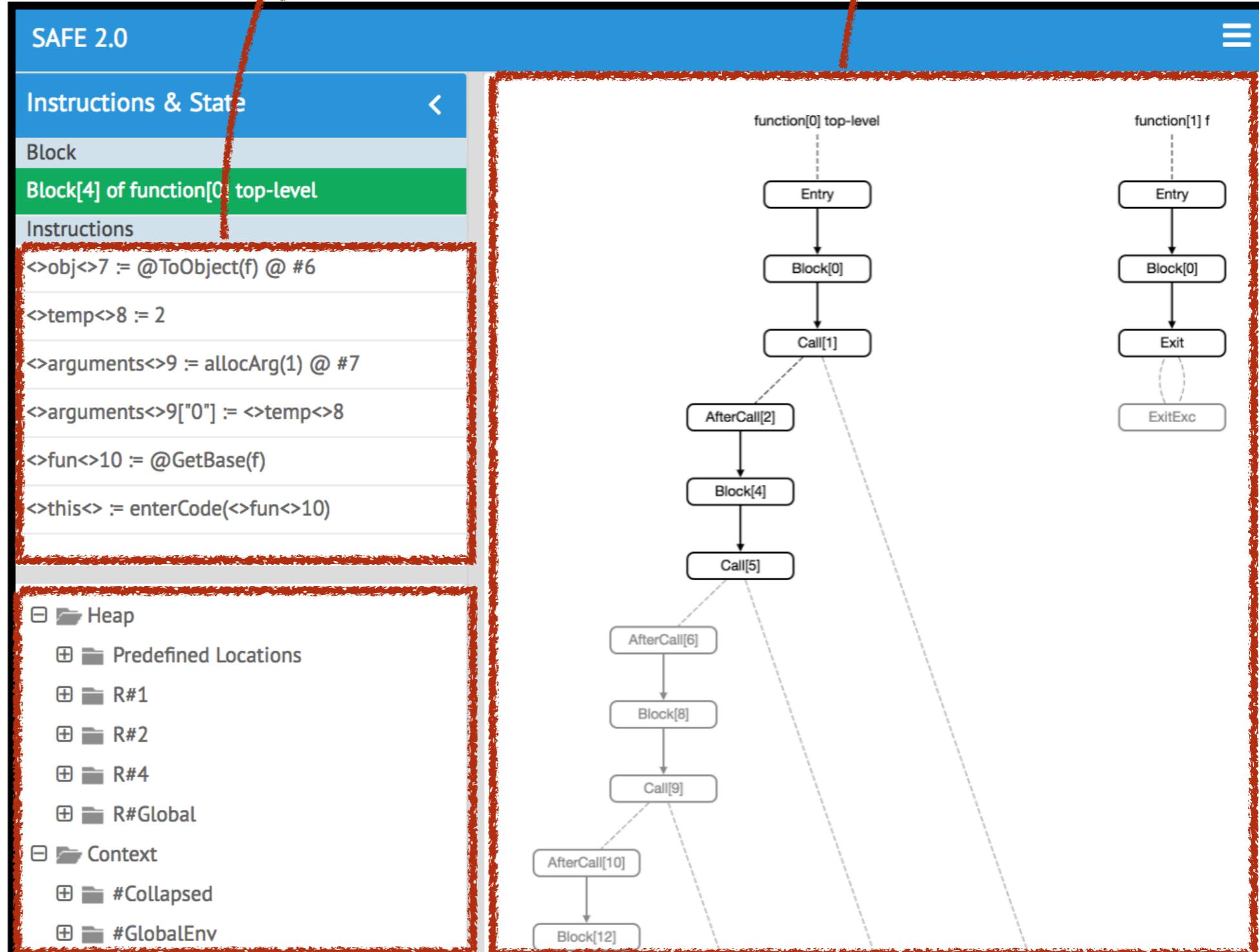
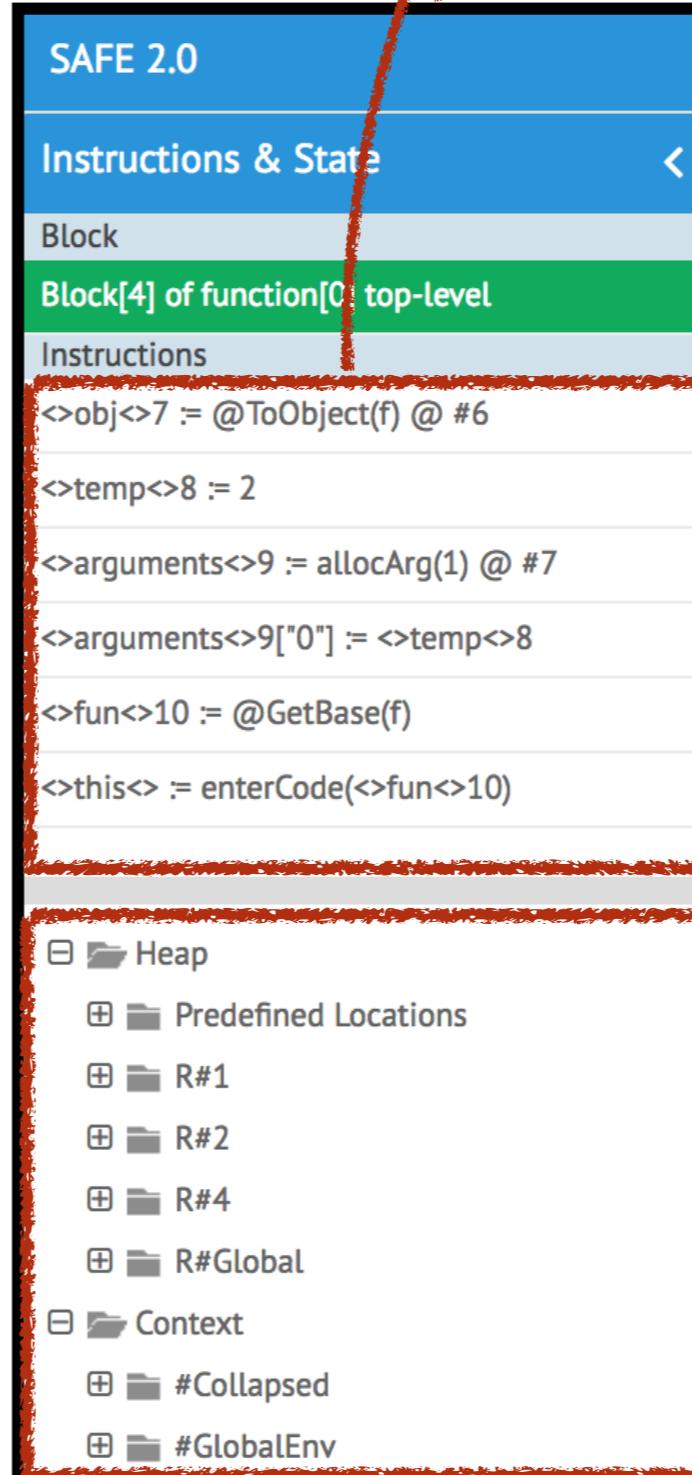
Debuggability

debug analysis easily

<HTML Debugger>

- Interactive debugging tool
- Instructions for each node
- Control flow graph (CFG)
- Current abstract state

Instructions



Current State