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1 Preface

The CxQuery API Guide documents the Checkmarx Query Language (CxQL) used in CxAudit to query source code.

CxQL allows us to virtually data-mine any aspect of the source, and to build custom queries.

Checkmarx-provided queries are written using the CxQL.

These queries can be inherited, expanded, or rewritten.

Note: CxQL queries are language-dependent.

2 Introduction

A query written in Checkmarx Query Language allows us to analyze the scanned code and return a list of results.

Each result can be an element in the scanned code (e.g. a variable) or a “flow” – a path in the code consisting of an ordered list of these elements.

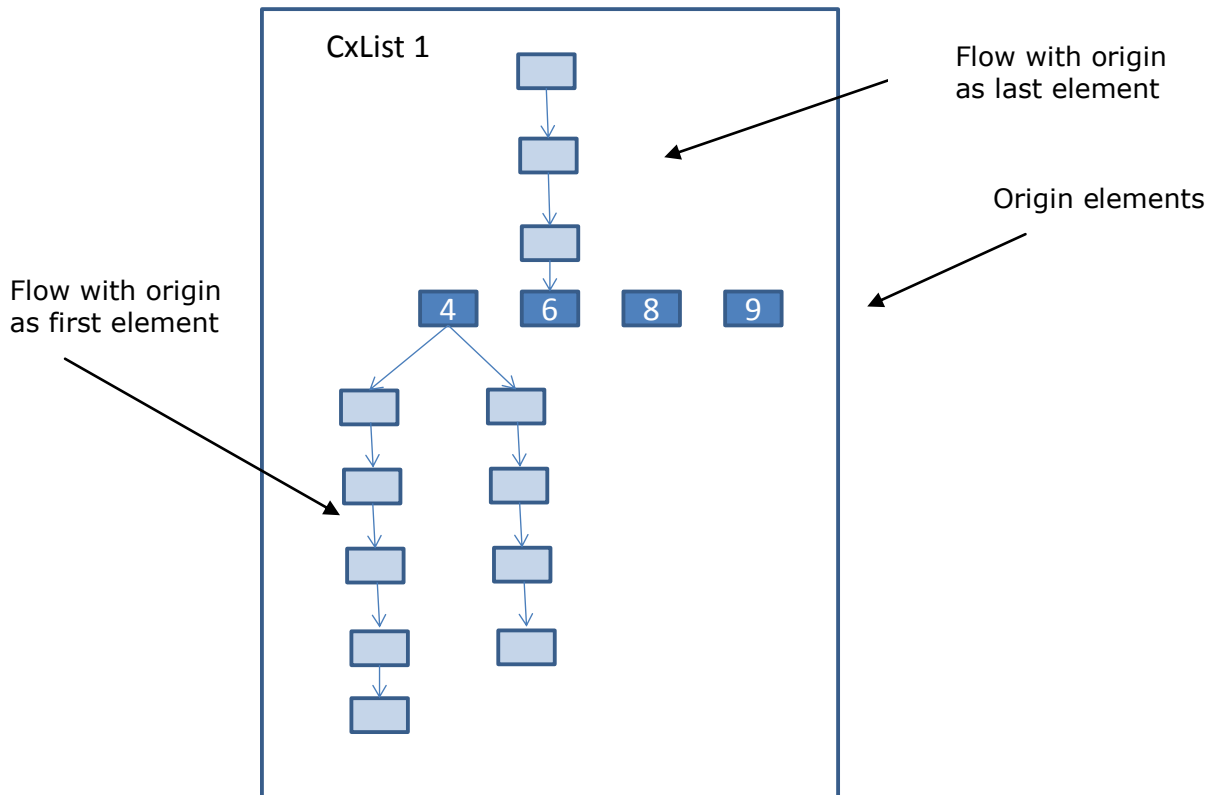
2.1 Definitions

Basic code element – Code elements such as variables, method invocations and assignments that have representation in the code model.

Data flow (flow) – an ordered list of code elements that represent a possible data change progression in the program from a certain location where the data has changed and the end location where that change had an affect (as a subsequent data change).

Every flow is attached to an origin basic code element. This origin element may be the first or last code element in the flow. The origin element appears as the first element in the flow if that element was queried as to whether it influenced other elements. The origin element appears as the last element in the flow if that element was queried as to whether it was influenced by other elements.

CxList - the central data type in CxQL. The CxList is a list that consists of basic code elements such as variables, method invocations, assignments, and so forth. Each element may have an attached flow, if the element was added to the CxList because it fulfilled a certain flow query.



There are two special CxList objects by default:

All – contains all elements in the scanned code, and

result – the return value of the query.

Note: All contains only basic code elements (without any flow).

2.2 Queries and Commands:

Now we are ready for our first query:

CXQL

```
This example demonstrates the use of "All" and "result" objects
result = All;
```

This would return a list of all objects in the code

CxList includes a vast assortment of commands. In the following example, we investigate the CxList FindByName command:

CXQL

```
result = All.FindByName("*MyName*")
This would return a list of all objects in the code which their name
contains the string "MyName".
```

It is the same as:

```
CxList cm1 = All.FindByName("*MyName*");
result = cm1;
```

Because the return value of almost every command is also of type CxList, several commands can be executed consecutively as shown in the example below.

It is important to note that most CxList methods return a subset of the original CxList (we can think of the method as a **filter**).

So in the example below, consisting of chained method calls:

```
All.FindByName("*.MyName").FindByType (typeof(MemberAccess))
```

The order of execution is:

- 1 Return a CxList consisting of a subset of "All" (all elements in code) with name containing MyName .
- 2 Return a subset of the previous result , only those of type MemberAccess.

CXQL

```
result = All.FindByName("*.MyName").FindByType (typeof(MemberAccess));
This would return a list of all access data members in the code whose name
contains the string "MyName" (e.g. a = b.MyName ).
First we find all objects whose name ends with ".MyName", and on the result
```



```
we execute another command that retrieves only access members.  
This is the same as the following:
```

```
result = All.FindByType (typeof(MemberAccess)).FindByName("*.MyName");
```

While the result in both cases is identical (order of filtering doesn't matter), the choice of execution order can have a noticeable effect on performance.

2.2.1 Data Flow Graph

We have seen in the previous section several commands that can operate on CxList objects. All the commands were "static" since they locate elements in the code, but they do not capture the flow between elements. The Data Flow Graph (DFG) in Source Code Analysis (SCA) describes how data is flowed through the program. Object A is "data influenced by" object B if the value of B flows to A.

In the example below, **d** is "data influenced by" **a** and **b**, but not by **c**. This means that both **a** and **b** are "data influencing on" **d**, but not on **c**.

```
C#  
  
a = 5;  
b = 6;  
c = 7;  
d = a + b;
```

2.2.2 Control Dependence Graph

Another term commonly used in Source Code Analysis is the **Control Dependence Graph (CDG)**, which for each statement in the code, describes the condition that determines if the statement will execute.

For example:

```
C#  
  
If (a > b)  
{  
    b = 2;  
    If (b > c)  
    {  
        c = 3;  
    }  
    d = 4;  
}  
e = 5;
```

The statement "b=2" will execute only if the condition "a>b" is true. In other words, "a>b" determines if "b=2" will execute, so:

"b=2" is "control influenced by" "a>b",

and conversely:

"a>b" is "control influencing on" "b=2".

Let's look at "c=3". Its execution depends on both "a>3" and "b>c", so the following query would return two results:
CxQL

```
result = All.ControlInfluencingOn(All.FindByShortName("*3"));
```

Let's look at "d = 4". Its execution depends only on "a>b", whereas "e=5"'s execution does not depend on anything.

Notice: What is the difference between "**All.DataInfluencingOn(X)**" and "**X.DataInfluencedBy(All)**"? The answer is clear if we remember that the result of a command is **always** a subset of the CxList it was operated on. The first command returns all the elements in **All** that are data-influencing on **X**. The second command returns all the elements in **X** that are data-influenced by at least one element in "**All**", so at most, the result will be **X** itself, and not the elements influencing on **X**.

When the output is a path, the Checkmarx interface and reports display the path.

3 Using CxDebug

The CxDebug method is a way to output debug messages from within a query, in the CxAudit environment.

The messages can be seen in the CxAudit bottom window, in the tab named "Debug Messages".

The most common case is when exceptions happen, so that the exception details can be viewed after the query has finished.

For example:

```
CXQL
foreach (CxList rt in redirectThings)
{
    try
    {
        [...]
    }
    catch (Exception ex)
    {
        // in case of an exception in the loop
        CxDebug(ex);
    }
}
```

It can also be used for more detailed inspection of the query behavior from within the query itself.

For example:

```
CXQL
if(hexEquiv != "")
{
    CxDebug("hexEquiv=" + hexEquiv + ", #finds=" + finds.Count);
    count++;
} else {
    CxDebug("hexEquiv=empty" + hexEquiv + ", #finds=" +
finds.Count);
}
```

Note that CxDebug cannot display CxList data directly. Executing **CxDebug(myCxList)** will yield just an integer value.

However, in many cases (when the CxList does not represent a path), one can retrieve and output the CxList element fields.

For example:

```
CXQL
CxList inputs = Find_Inputs();
```

```
foreach (CxList inp in inputs)
{
    CSharpGraph inp_Graph = inp.data.GetByIndex(0) as CSharpGraph;
    String inp_Name = inp_Graph.ShortName;
    CxDebug("Name = " + inp_Name);
}
```

4 Methods documentation

4.1 CxList.Add Method (int, IGraph)

Adds to the current instance the given graph node, indexed by the given id.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public void Add(int id, IGraph node)
```

Parameters

Id

Id of the node to be added to the graph node.

Node

Graph node to be associated to the given Id.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.Add() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a == 33)
    b = 6;

CxList myList = All.FindByName("a");
CSharpGraph nodeGraph = All.FindByName("b").GetFirstGraph();
myList.Add(nodeGraph.NodeId, nodeGraph);
result = myList;

The resulting list will include the initial two "a"'s and the first
b
```

4.2 CxList.Add Method (CxList)

Add all the elements from the given CxList to the current instance.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public void Add(CxList list)
```

Parameters

list

The CxList to be added to the current CxList instance.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.Add() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a == 33)
    b = 6;

CxList list_a = All.FindByName("a");
CxList list_b = All.FindByName("b");
list_a.Add(list_b);
result = list_a;
The resulting list will contain 4 elements
```

4.3 CxList.Add Method (KeyValuePair<int, IGraph>)

Add the given pair to the current CxList instance.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public void Add(KeyValuePair<int, IGraph> dictionary)
```

Parameters

dictionary

Pair to be added to the current CxList instance.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.Add() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a == 33)
    b = 6;

CxList myList = All.FindByName("a");
foreach(KeyValuePair<int,IGraph> entry in All.FindByName("b"))
{
    myList.Add(entry);
}
result = myList;
The resulting list will contain 4 elements
```

4.4 CxList.CallingMethodOfAny Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and are methods or constructors declarations which matches the given CxList elements.

Syntax

```
CxQL  
public CxList CallingMethodOfAny(CxList elements)
```

Parameters

elements

The list of elements containing the methods or constructors to look for their declaration.

Return Value

The methods or constructor declarations which matches the given CxList elements.

Example

```
CxQL  
  
This example demonstrates the CxList.CallingMethodOfAny() method.  
The input source code is:  
void foo()  
{  
    int goo = 3;  
    int boo = 5;  
}  
  
result = All.CallingMethodOfAny(All.FindByName ("oo"));  
  
The result would consist of 1 item:  
foo (in void foo())
```


4.5 CxList.Clear Method ()

Clears the information in “this” instance.

Syntax

```
CxQL  
public bool Clear()
```

Parameters

None

Return Value

None

Comments

This method removes all the information stored in the List.

Example

```
CxQL  
  
This example demonstrates the CxList.Clear() method.  
  
CxList myList = All;  
MessageBox.Show(myList.Count.ToString());  
  
myList.Clear();  
MessageBox.Show(myList.Count.ToString());
```

4.6 CxList Concatenate Methods

4.6.1 CxList.Concatenate Method (CxList list, bool _testFlow)

Concatenates two nodes into a flow.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList Concatenate (CxList list, bool _testFlow)
```

Parameters

list

A CxList containing one node only. This node will be concatenated to **this** instance

_testFlow

If true, searches for a flow between **this** instance and **list**. Otherwise, connects the two nodes directly (more efficient).

Return Value

A flow that starts with **this** instance node, and ends with the **list** parameter node.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

1. If either **this** instance or **list** parameter contains more than one node or contains flows, the function return value is undefined.
2. This function is deprecated, use **ConcatenatePath** instead.

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the Concatenate method.

```
CxQL
void main()
{
    int a = 1;
    int b = 2;
    int c = a + b;
    printf("%d", c);
}

CxList one = All.FindByName("1");
CxList two = All.FindByName("2");
result = one.Concatenate(two);
```

```
the result would be -
  1 flow found:
    [1] -> [2]
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v7.1.2

4.6.2 CxList.Concatenate Method (CxList list)

Concatenates two nodes into a flow.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList Concatenate (CxList list)
```

Parameters

list

A CxList containing one node only. This node will be concatenated to **this** instance

Return Value

A flow that starts with **this** instance node, and ends with the **list** parameter node.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

1. This function calls CxList.Concatenate(list, true).
2. If either this instance or list parameter contains more than one node or contains flows, the function return value is undefined.
3. This function is deprecated, use ConcatenatePath instead.

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v7.1.2

4.6.3 CxList.ConcatenatePath Method (CxList list, bool _testFlow)

Concatenates two flows into one connected flow.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ConcatenatePath (CxList list, bool _testFlow)
```

Parameters

list

A CxList containing one flow only. This flow will be concatenated to **this** instance

_testFlow

If true, searches for a flow between **this** instance and **list**. Otherwise, connects the two flows directly (more efficient).

Return Value

A flow that starts with **this** instance flow, and ends with the **list** parameter flow.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

Both **this** instance and **list** have to contain only one flow (or one node as a private case), otherwise return value is undefined.

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the ConcatenatePath method.

```
CXQL

void main()
{
    int a = 1;
    int b = 2;
}

CxList one = All.FindByName("1");
CxList a = All.FindByShortName("a").FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
CxList flow1 = a.InfluencedBy(one); // [1] -> [a]

CxList two = All.FindByName("2");
CxList b = All.FindByShortName("b").FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
CxList flow2 = b.InfluencedBy(two); // [2] -> [b]

result = flow2.ConcatenatePath(flow1);

the result would be -
1 flow found:
[2] -> [b] -> [1] -> [a]
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v7.1.2

4.6.4 CxList.ConcatenatePath Method (CxList list)

Concatenates two flows into one connected flow.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ConcatenatePath (CxList list)
```

Parameters

list

A CxList containing one flow only. This flow will be concatenated to **this** instance

Return Value

A flow that starts with **this** instance flow, and ends with the **list** parameter flow.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

1. This function calls CxList.ConcatenatePath(list, true).
2. Both this instance and list have to contain only one flow (or one node as a private case), otherwise return value is undefined.

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v7.1.2

4.6.5 CxList.ConcatenateAllPaths Method (CxList list, bool _testFlow)

Concatenates all flows in this instance to all flows in **list**.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ConcatenateAllPaths (CxList list, bool _testFlow)
```

Parameters

list

A CxList containing flows. These flow will be concatenated to the flows in **this** instance

_testFlow

If true, searches for a flow between **this** instance and **list**. Otherwise, connects the two flows directly (more efficient).

Return Value

A product of all flows in **this** instance with the ones in **list** parameter.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

If **this** instance contains n flows in it and **list** contains m flows in it, the return set will contain $n \times m$ flows, where each flow from **this** instance will be concatenated to each flow from **list**.

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the ConcatenateAllPaths method.

```
CxQL

void main()
{
    int a = 1;
    int b = 2;
}

CxList one = All.FindByName("1");
CxList a = All.FindByShortName("a").FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
CxList flow1 = a.InfluencedBy(one); // [1] -> [a]
CxList two = All.FindByName("2");
CxList b = All.FindByShortName("b").FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
CxList flow2 = b.InfluencedBy(two); // [2] -> [b]
CxList flow = flow1 + flow2;
result = flow.ConcatenateAllPaths(flow);
the result would be -
    4 flow found:
        [1] -> [a] -> [1] -> [a]
        [1] -> [a] -> [2] -> [b]
        [2] -> [b] -> [1] -> [a]
        [2] -> [b] -> [2] -> [b]
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v7.1.2

4.6.6 CxList.ConcatenateAllPaths Method (CxList list)

Concatenates all flows in this instance to all flows in **list**.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ConcatenateAllPaths (CxList list)
```

Parameters

list

A CxList containing flows. These flow will be concatenated to the flows in **this** instance

Return Value

A product of all flows in **this** instance with the ones in **list** parameter.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

1. This function calls `CxList.ConcatenateAllPaths(list, true)`.
2. If this instance contains n flows in it and `list` contains m flows in it, the return set will contain $n \times m$ flows, where each flow from this instance will be concatenated to each flow from `list`.

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v7.1.2

4.6.7 CxList.ConcatenateAllSources Method (CxList list)

Concatenates the node in `list` to each node in `this` instance.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ConcatenateAllSources (CxList list)
```

Parameters

list

A `CxList` containing one node only. This node will be concatenated to each node in `this` instance

Return Value

Flows that starts with `this` instance nodes, and end with the `list` parameter node.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

1. If the `list` parameter contains more than one node or contains flows or `this` instance contains flows, the function return value is undefined.
2. The number of the returned items is same as the number of items in `this` instance.
3. This function calls the `Concatenate` function for each item in `this` instance with `list` as parameter.

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the `ConcatenateAllSources` method.

```
CXQL
void main()
```

```

{
    int a = 1;
    int b = 2;
}

CxList a = All.FindByShortName("a").FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
CxList b = All.FindByShortName("b").FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
CxList main = All.FindByShortName("main");
CxList list = a + b;
result = list.ConcatenateAllSources(main);

the result would be -
2 flow found:
    [a] -> [main]
    [b] -> [main]
    
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v7.1.2

4.6.8 CxList.ConcatenateAllTargets Method (CxList list)

Concatenates the each node in **list** to the node in **this** instance.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ConcatenateAllSources (CxList list)
```

Parameters

list

A CxList containing nodes only. Each node will be concatenated to the node in **this** instance

Return Value

Flows that starts with **this** instance node, and end with the **list** parameter nodes.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

1. If the **this** instance parameter contains more than one node or contains flows or **list** contains flows, the function return value is undefined.
2. The number of the returned items is same as the number of items in **list**.
3. This function calls the Concatenate function for **this** instance with each item in **list** as parameter.

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the `ConcatenateAllSources` method.

CxQL

```
void main()
{
    int a = 1;
    int b = 2;
}

CxList a = All.FindByShortName("a").FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
CxList b = All.FindByShortName("b").FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
CxList main = All.FindByShortName("main");
CxList list = a + b;
result = main.ConcatenateAllSources(list);

the result would be -
2 flow found:
    [main] -> [a]
    [main] -> [b]
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v7.1.2

4.7 CxList.Contained Method (CxList, GetStartEndNodesType)

Returns a subset of “this” instance whose elements are contained in the given list, filtered according to the given nodes type.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList Contained(CxList pathList, GetStartEndNodesType requestedType)
```

Parameters

pathList

The list where the method looks for the requested node type.

requestedType

An enum matching the relevant GetStartEndNodes types, which are:

[EndNodesOnly](#), [StartNodesOnly](#), [StartAndEndNodes](#), [AllNodes](#) and [AllButNotStartAndEnd](#)

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance with elements from the requested nodes type.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.Contained() method.
The input source code is:

int b = 2, a = 5, c;
if (a > b)
    b = 3;
c = b;

result = All.FindByName("b").Contained(All.InfluencedBy(All.FindById(43)),
GetStartEndNodesType.AllNodes);

The result would consist of 1 item:
    b

result = All.FindByName("a").Contained(All.InfluencedBy(All.FindById(43)),
GetStartEndNodesType.EndNodesOnly);
```

```
The result would consist of 0 items
```

4.8 CxList.ExtractFromSOQL Method ()

Extracts the parameters of a SOQL statement into a dictionary.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public Dictionary<String, List<String>> ExtractFromSOQL()
```

Return Value

A dictionary with keys that match SOQL keywords and their relevant parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.ExtractFromSOQL() method.
The input source code is:

int b = 0;
String a = "select * from table where x=" + b;

result = All.ExtractFromSOQL();

the result would consist of 3 results:
    { "select" : "*",
      "from"   : "table",
      "where"  : "x=" }
```

4.9 CxList.ExtractFromSOQL Method (string)

Extracts the parameters of the given keyword from a SOQL statement into a list.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public List<string> ExtractFromSOQL(string keyword)
```

Parameters

keyword

The SOQL keyword to extract.

Return Value

A list with the parameters of the keyword.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the ExtractFromSOQL method.

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.ExtractFromSOQL() method.
The input source code is:

int b = 0;
String a = "select * from table where x=" + b;

result = All.ExtractFromSOQL("select");

the result would be -
    1 item found:
        ["*"]
```

4.10 CxList Flow Queries

4.10.1 CxList.ControlInfluencedBy Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are control influenced by the CxList specified in parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- `ControlInfluencedBy(list, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm)`

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ControlInfluencedBy(CxList influencing)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList control-influencing on “this” instance.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance control influenced by the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.ControlInfluencedBy() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = 6;

CxList gt = All.FindByPosition(7,2);    The greater-than sign
result = All.ControlInfluencedBy(gt);

the result would be -
    3 items found:
        b,
        =,
        6
```

4.10.2 CxList.ControlInfluencedBy Method (CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are control influenced by the specified CxList using the influence algorithm indicated in the second parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ControlInfluencedBy(CxList influencing,
InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation algorithm)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList control-influencing on “this” instance.

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance control-influenced by the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.ControlInfluencedBy() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = 6;

CxList gt = All.FindByPosition(7,2);    The greater-than sign
result = All.ControlInfluencedBy(gt,
    CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm);

the result would be -
    3 items found:
        b,
        =,
        6
```

4.10.3 CxList.ControlInfluencedByAndNotSanitized Method (CxList, CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are control-influenced by the CxList specified in the first parameter and not sanitized by the CxList specified in the second parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- `ControlInfluencedByAndNotSanitized(influencing, sanitized, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm)`

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ControlInfluencedByAndNotSanitized(CxList influencing, CxList
sanitized)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList control-influencing on “this” instance.

Sanitized

CxList of sanitizations

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance control influenced by the specified CxList and not sanitized.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL This example demonstrates the CxList.
ControlInfluencedByAndNotSanitized () method.

The input source code is:
bool b = true;
if (b)
    int i = 3;

CxList b_var = All.FindByShortName("b");
CxList sanitized = All.FindByShortName("sanitize*");
result = All.ControlInfluencedByAndNotSanitized(b_var, sanitized);

the result would be -
4 items found:
```



```
int,
i,
=,
3
```

4.10.4 CxList.ControlInfluencedByAndNotSanitized Method (CxList, CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are control influenced by the CxList specified in first parameter and not sanitized by the CxList specified in the second parameter, using the influence algorithm specified in the third parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ControlInfluencedByAndNotSanitized(CxList influencing, CxList
sanitized, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation algorithm)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList control-influencing on “this” instance.

Sanitized

CxList of sanitizations

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance control influenced by the specified CxList and not sanitized.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL This example demonstrates the CxList.
ControlInfluencedByAndNotSanitized () method.

The input source code is:
bool b = true;
if (b)
    int i = 3;

CxList b_var = All.FindByShortName("b");
CxList sanitized = All.FindByShortName("*sanitize*");
```

```
result = All.ControlInfluencedByAndNotSanitized(b_var, sanitized,
CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm);
```

```
the result would be -
  4 items found:
    int,
    i,
    =,
    3
```

4.10.5 CxList.ControlInfluencingOn Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are control influencing on the specified CxList.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- ControlInfluencingOn(list, [InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm](#))

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ControlInfluencingOn(CxList influenced)
```

Parameters

Influenced

CxList control-influenced by "this" instance.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance control influencing on the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.ControlInfluencingOn() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = 6;

CxList six = All.FindByName("6");
result = All.ControlInfluencingOn(six);
```

```

the result would be -
  1 item found:
  >
    
```

4.10.6 CxList.ControlInfluencingOn Method (CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are control influencing on the specified CxList using the influence algorithm specified in the second parameter.

Syntax

```

CxQL
public CxList ControlInfluencingOn(CxList influenced)
    
```

Parameters

Influenced

CxList control-influenced by “this” instance.

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance control influencing on the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```

CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.ControlInfluencingOn() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = 6;

CxList six = All.FindByName("6");
result = All.ControlInfluencingOn(six,
                                CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm);

the result would be -
  1 item found:
    
```

>

4.10.7 CxList.ControlInfluencingOnAndNotSanitized Method (CxList, CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are control influenced by the CxList specified in the first parameter and not sanitized by the CxList specified in the second parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- `ControlInfluencingOnAndNotSanitized(influencing, sanitized, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm)`

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ControlInfluencingOnAndNotSanitized(CxList influenced, CxList
sanitized)
```

Parameters

Influenced

CxList control-influenced by "this" instance.

Sanitized

CxList of sanitization

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance control influencing on the specified CxList and not sanitized.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.ControlInfluencingOnAndNotSanitized()
method.
The input source code is:

bool b = true;
if (a)
    int i = 6;

CxList i_var = All.FindByShortName("i");
CxList sanitized = All.FindByShortName("sanitize*");
result = All.ControlInfluencingOnAndNotSanitized(i_var, sanitized);

the result would be -
1 item found:
```

a

4.10.8 CxList.ControlInfluencingOnAndNotSanitized Method (CxList, CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are control influenced by the CxList specified in the first parameter and not sanitized by the CxList specified in the second parameter using the influence algorithm specified in the third parameter.

Syntax

CxQL

```
public CxList ControlInfluencingOnAndNotSanitized(CxList influenced, CxList
sanitized, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation algorithm)
```

Parameters

Influenced

CxList control-influenced by “this” instance.

Sanitized

CxList of sanitization

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance control influencing on the specified CxList and not sanitized.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

CXQL

This example demonstrates the `CxList.ControlInfluencingOnAndNotSanitized()` method.

The input source code is:

```
bool b = true;
if (a)
    int i = 6;
```

```
CxList i_var = All.FindByShortName("i");
```

```
CxList sanitized = All.FindByShortName("*sanitize*");
```

```
result = All.ControlInfluencingOnAndNotSanitized(i_var, sanitized,
```

```
CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm);
```

```
the result would be -  
  1 item found:  
    a
```

4.11 CxList.DataInfluencedBy Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are data influenced by the CxList specified in parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- DataInfluencedBy(list, [InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm](#))

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList DataInfluencedBy(CxList influencing)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList data-influencing on “this” instance.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance data influenced by the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.DataInfluencedBy() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = a;

CxList five = All.FindByName("5");
result = All.DataInfluencedBy(five);

the result would be -
6 items found:
    a (in a = 5),
    a (in a > 3),
    > (in a > 3),
    a (in b = a),
    = (in b = a),
    b (in b = a)
```

4.12 CxList.DataInfluencedBy Method (CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are data influenced by the CxList specified in the first parameter using the influence algorithm specified in the second parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList DataInfluencedBy(CxList influencing, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation algorithm)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList data-influencing on "this" instance.

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance data influenced by the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.DataInfluencedBy() method.
The input source code is:

```
int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = a;
```

```
CxList five = All.FindByName("5");
result = All.DataInfluencedBy(five,
CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm);
```

the result would be -
6 items found:
a (in a = 5),
a (in a > 3),
> (in a > 3),


```
a (in b = a),  
= (in b = a),  
b (in b = a)
```

4.13 CxList.DataInfluencingOn Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are data influencing on the CxList specified in parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- `DataInfluencingOn(list, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm)`

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList DataInfluencingOn(CxList influenced)
```

Parameters

Influenced

CxList data-influenced by "this" instance.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance data influencing on the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.DataInfluencingOn() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = a;

CxList b = All.FindByName("*.b");
result = All.DataInfluencingOn(b);

the result would be -
3 items found:
    a (in b = a),
    a (in a = 5),
    5 (in a = 5)
```

4.14 CxList.DataInfluencingOn Method (CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are data influencing on the CxList specified in the first parameter using the influence algorithm specified in the second parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList DataInfluencingOn(CxList influenced, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation algorithm)
```

Parameters

Influenced

CxList data-influenced by "this" instance.

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance data influencing on the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.DataInfluencingOn() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = a;

CxList b = All.FindByName("*.b");
result = All.DataInfluencingOn(b,
    CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm);

the result would be -
    3 items found:
        a (in b = a),
        a (in a = 5),
        5 (in a = 5)
```

4.15 CxList.InfluencedBy Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are influenced (either data or control) by the CxList specified in parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- InfluencedBy(list, [InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm](#))

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InfluencedBy(CxList influencing)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList data-influencing on "this" instance.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance influenced by (either data or control) the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.InfluencedBy() method.
Notice the difference between ControlInfluencedBy, DataInfluencedBy and
InfluencedBy
The input source code is:
int b = 2, a = 5, c;
if (a > b)
    b = 3;
c = b;
result = All.InfluencedBy(All.FindById(43)); // 5
Notice that among all the results also c (in c = b) appears because c is
data-dependant on b=3, which in turn is control dependant on a > b, which
itself is data-dependant on a = 5.

result = All.DataInfluencedBy(All.FindById(43)); // 5
Notice that now c (in c = b) doesn't appear because its value is not
influenced by 5.

result = All.ControlInfluencedBy(All.FindById(43)); // 5
Notice that now c (in c = b) doesn't appear because it is not control
dependant by 5.
```

4.16 CxList.InfluencedBy Method (CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are influenced (either data or control) by the CxList specified in the first parameter using the influence algorithm specified in the second parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InfluencedBy(CxList influencing, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation algorithm)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList data-influencing on “this” instance.

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance influenced by (either data or control) the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.InfluencedBy() method.
Notice the difference between ControlInfluencedBy, DataInfluencedBy and
InfluencedBy
The input source code is:
int b = 2, a = 5, c;
if (a > b)
    b = 3;
c = b;
result = All.InfluencedBy(All.FindById(43),
    CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm); // 5
Notice that among all the results also c (in c = b) appears because c is
data-dependant on b=3, which in turn is control dependant on a > b, which
itself is data-dependant on a = 5.

result = All.DataInfluencedBy(All.FindById(43)); // 5
Notice that now c (in c = b) doesn't appear because its value is not
influenced by 5.
```

```
result = All.ControlInfluencedBy(All.FindById(43)); // 5  
Notice that now c (in c = b) doesn't appear because it is not control  
dependant by 5.
```

4.17 CxList.InfluencedByAndNotSanitized Method (CxList, CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are influenced by the CxList specified in the first parameter, and their influencing path doesn’t contain elements from the CxList specified in the second parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- `InfluencedByAndNotSanitized(influencing, sanitized, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm)`

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InfluencedByAndnotSanitized(CxList influencing, CxList
sanitization)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList influencing on “this” instance.

Sanitization

CxList that "cuts" the influencing path.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance and its elements are influenced by the first specified parameter, and their influencing path doesn’t contain element from the second CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.InfluencedByAndNotSanitized()
method.
The input source code is:

    string s = input();
    string s1 = fixSql(s);
    string s2 = s + s1;

    execute(s);      (*)
    execute(s1);
```

```
execute(s2);      (*)  
  
s = s1;  
execute(s);  
execute(s1);  
execute(s2);      (*)  
  
s2 = s;  
execute(s);  
execute(s1);  
execute(s2);
```

```
CxList execute = All.FindByName("execute");  
CxList input = All.FindByName("input");  
CxList fixSql = All.FindByName("fixSql");  
result = execute.InfluencedByAndNotSanitized(input, fixSql);
```

Notice that only the lines marked with a (*) are returned. These are the only statements that have an influencing path from the input() command, without being completely sanitized by fixSql().

4.18 CxList.InfluencedByAndNotSanitized Method (CxList, CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are influenced by the CxList specified in the first parameter, and their influencing path doesn't contain elements from the CxList specified in the second parameter, using the influence algorithm specified in the third parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InfluencedByAndnotSanitized(CxList influencing, CxList
sanitization, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation algorithm)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList influencing on "this" instance.

Sanitization

CxList that "cuts" the influencing path.

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance and its elements are influenced by the first specified parameter, and their influencing path doesn't contain element from the second CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.InfluencedByAndNotSanitized()
method.
The input source code is:

    string s = input();
    string s1 = fixSql(s);
    string s2 = s + s1;

    execute(s);      (*)
    execute(s1);
```

```
execute(s2);      (*)

s = s1;
execute(s);
execute(s1);
execute(s2);      (*)

s2 = s;
execute(s);
execute(s1);
execute(s2);
```

```
CxList execute = All.FindByName("execute");
CxList input = All.FindByName("input");
CxList fixSql = All.FindByName("fixSql");
result = execute.InfluencedByAndNotSanitized(input, fixSql,
    CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm);
```

Notice that only the lines marked with a (*) are returned. These are the only statements that have an influencing path from the input() command, without being completely sanitized by fixSql().

4.19 CxList.InfluencingOn Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are influencing (data and control) on the CxList specified in parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- `InfluencingOn(influenced, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm)`

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InfluencingOn (CxList influenced)
```

Parameters

Influenced

CxList influenced by "this" instance.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance influencing on the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.InfluencingOn() method.
The input source code is:

int a;
a = 5;
b = a;

CxList b_var = All.FindByShortName("b");
result = All.InfluencingOn(b_var);

the result would be -
    3 items found:
        5,
        a,
        a
```

Version Information

CxAudit

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.20 CxList.InfluencingOn Method (CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are influencing (data and control) on the CxList specified in the first parameter using the influence algorithm specified in the second parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InfluencingOn (CxList influenced, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation
algorithm)
```

Parameters

Influenced

CxList influenced by “this” instance.

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance influencing on the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.InfluencingOn() method.
The input source code is:

int a;
a = 5;
b = a;

CxList b_var = All.FindByShortName("b");
result = All.InfluencingOn(b_var,
    CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm);

the result would be -
    3 items found:
        5,
        a,
        a
```

4.21 CxList.InfluencingOnAndNotSanitized Method (CxList,CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are influencing on (Data or Control), and an influencing path exists which doesn't contain elements from the sanitization.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- InfluencingOnAndNotSanitized(list, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.OldAlgorithm)**

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InfluencingOnAndNotSanitized (CxList influencing, CxList sanitization)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList influencing on "this" instance.

Sanitization

CxList that "cuts" the influencing path

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance and its elements are influencing on the first specified parameter, and their influencing path doesn't contain elements from the CxList specified in second parameter.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.InfluencingOnandNotSanitized() method.
The input source code is:
    string s = input();
    string s1 = fixSql(s);
    string s2 = s + s1;

    execute(s);      (*)
    execute(s1);
    execute(s2);    (*)

    s = s1;
```

```
execute(s);
execute(s1);
execute(s2);      (*)

s2 = s;
execute(s);
execute(s1);
execute(s2);
CxList execute = All.FindByName("execute");
CxList input = All.FindByName("input");
CxList fixSql = All.FindByName("fixSql");
result = input.InfluencingOnAndNotSanitized(execute, fixSql);

Notice that only the first line is returned (string s = input();)
```

4.22 CxList.InfluencingOnAndNotSanitized Method (CxList, CxList, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are influencing on (Data or Control), and an influencing path exists which doesn't contain elements from the sanitization using the influence algorithm specified in the third parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InfluencingOnAndNotSanitized (CxList influencing, CxList
sanitization, InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation algorithm)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList influencing on this instance.

Sanitization

CxList that "cuts" the influencing path

Algorithm

An enum matching the relevant InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation options which are:

[OldAlgorithm](#), [NewAlgorithm](#)

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance and its elements are influencing on the first specified parameter, and their influencing path doesn't contain elements from the CxList specified in the second parameter.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.InfluencingOnandNotSanitized()
method.
The input source code is:
    string s = input();
    string s1 = fixSql(s);
    string s2 = s + s1;

    execute(s);      (*)
    execute(s1);
    execute(s2);    (*)
```

```
s = s1;
execute(s);
execute(s1);
execute(s2);      (*)

s2 = s;
execute(s);
execute(s1);
execute(s2);
CxList execute = All.FindByName("execute");
CxList input = All.FindByName("input");
CxList fixSql = All.FindByName("fixSql");
result = input.InfluencingOnAndNotSanitized(execute, fixSql,
      CxList.InfluenceAlgorithmCalculation.NewAlgorithm);

Notice that only the first line is returned (string s = input();)
```


4.23 CxList.NotInfluencedBy Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are not influenced (either data or control) by the CxList specified in parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList NotInfluencedBy(CxList influencing)
```

Parameters

Influencing

CxList data on “this” instance.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance not influenced by (either data or control) the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.NotInfluencedBy() method.

The input source code is:
int b = 2, a = 5, c;
if (a > b)
    b = 3;
c = b;

result = All.NotInfluencedBy(All.FindById(43)); // 5
Notice that among all the results also b (in b = 2) appears because it does not influence the value of a.
```

4.24 CxList.NotInfluencingOn Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are not influencing (data and control) on the CxList specified in parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList NotInfluencingOn (CxList notInfluenced)
```

Parameters

NotInfluenced

CxList data in "this" instance.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance not influencing on the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.InfluencingOn() method.
The input source code is:

int a, c = 3;
a = 5;
b = a;

CxList b_var = All.FindByShortName("b");
result = All.NotInfluencingOn(b_var);

the result would be -
  2 items found:
    c,
    3
```

4.25 CxList.FindAllMembers Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance, with elements that are members of the classes in the given CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindAllMembers(CxList Ids)
```

Parameters

Ids

The list of Classes whose members are to be found.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance, with elements that are members of the classes in the given CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindAllMembers() method.
The input source code is:

public class MyClass
{
    public int b, a = 5;
    boolean c=false;
}
result = All.FindAllMembers(All.FindByName("MyClass"));
The result would consist of 3 items:
    b (public int b, a = 5;),
    a (public int b, a = 5;),
    c (boolean c=false)
```

4.26 CxList.FindAllReferences Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance, with elements that are references of the given CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindAllReferences(CxList referenced)
```

Parameters

Referenced

The CxList whose references are to be found.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance, with elements that are references of the given CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindAllReferences() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = a;

result = All.FindAllReferences(All.FindById(36));

the result would consist of 3 items:
    a (in a = 5),
    a (in a > 5),
    a (in b = a)
```

4.27 CxList.FindByAssignmentSide Method (AssignmentSide)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are being on the given side of an assignment expression.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByAssignmentSide(CxList.AssignmentSide side)
```

Parameters

side

The side of the assignment expression, which can be one of the following values: [Left](#), [Right](#) (see Section [AssignmentSide](#)).

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance on the specified side of an assignment expression.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByAssignmentSide() method.
The input source code is:

a = 3;
b = a;
if (a == 4)
    b = a - 1;

result = All.FindByAssignmentSide(CxList.AssignmentSide.Left);

The result would consist of 3 items:
    a (in a = 3),
    b (in b = a),
    b (in b = a - 1)
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.28 CxList.FindByCustomAttribute Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are custom attributes of the specified name.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByCustomAttribute(string Name)
```

Parameters

Name

The attribute name.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance with custom attributes of the specified name.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByCustomAttribute() method.
The input source code is:

[webMethod]
void foo()
{

}

result = All.FindByCustomAttribute("webMethod");

the result would consist of 1 item:
    foo
```

4.29 CxList.FindByExtendedType Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and the type of its elements match the type specified as parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByExtendedType (string extendedType)
```

Parameters

extendedType

The extended type of the objects to be found. Prefix and postfix wildcard (*) are supported.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance and its elements are those with type specified by the parameter.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByExtendedType() method.
The input source code is:

MyClass a;
MyClassExtended b;
int c;
a.DataMember = 3;
c = a.Method();

result = All.FindByExtendedType ("MyClass*");
the result would consists of 4 items:
    a (in MyClass a)
    b (in MyClassExtended b)
    a (in a.DataMember = 3)
    a (in b = a.Method())
```

4.30 CxList.FindByFathers Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are those that their CxDOM-Fathers are in the specified CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByFathers(CxList fathers)
```

Parameters

fathers

A CxList consisting of the Fathers to be matched.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance and its elements are those which their CxDOM-Fathers are in the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByFather() method.
First we find the number "3", then we seek for 3's father (which is the
assignment expression), finally we look for the assignment-expression's
sons (the "a" and the "3")
Input source code is:

a = 3;
b = a;
if (a == 4)
    b = a - 1;
CxList three = All.FindByName("*.3");
CxList threesFathers = three.GetFathers();
Result = All.FindByFathers(threesFathers);
the result would be -
2 items found:
    a (in a = 3),
    3 (in a = 3)
```


4.31 CxList.FindByFieldAttributes Method (Modifiers)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are modified by the modifier (private, external, etc).

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByFieldAttributes(Modifiers attrib)
```

Parameters

Attrib

Attribute of the fields to be found.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance and its elements are those with attribute *attrib*.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByAttributes() method.
Input source code is:
public class c11{
    private void foo(){
    protected void guu(){
    private int a,b;
    protected int c;
}

result=All.FindByFieldAttributes(Modifiers.Protected);
the result would be -
2 items found:
    guu (in protected void guu(){}),
    c (int c;)
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAuditv2.0.5

4.32 CxList.FindByFileName Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are in a given source code file.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByFileName(string FileName)
```

Parameters

FileName

String with the file name.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance with elements from a given file name.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByFileName() method.
The input source code is:

//file myCode.cs
class C1 {
    void foo() {
        int i;
    }
}

result = All.FindByFileName("*myCode.cs");

the result consists of 5 items:
    C1
    void,
    foo,
    int,
    i
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.33 CxList.FindById Method (int)

Finds all objects with the specified id. This method is mainly used to find all the uses of a code element (e.g. variable, class).

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindById (int id)
```

Parameters

id
id number to be found.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance and its elements that have the specified id number.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindById() method.
The input source code is:

```
a = 3;
b = a;
if (a == 4)
    b = a - 1;
```

```
result = All.FindById(60);
```

the result would be -
1 item found:
b (in b = a - 1)

4.34 CxList.FindByInitialization Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and contains elements initialized by the given CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByInitialization(CxList initializers)
```

Parameters

initializers

A CxList with initializers to search in "this" instance.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance containing declarators initialized by the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByInitialization() method.
The input source code is:

int b = 5;

CxList declarators = All.FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
result= declarators.FindByInitialization(All);

the result would consist of 1 item:
    b
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.35 CxList.FindByLanguage Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance whose elements are from the given language.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByLanguage (string languageName)
```

Parameters

languageName

Language name to search.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance whose elements are from the given language.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByLanguage() method.
The input source code is:
//file myCode.cs
class myCode {

}

//file MyCode.java
class MyCode {

}

result = All.FindByLanguage ("Java");
the result would consist of 1 item:
    myCode (class MyCode)
```

4.36 CxList.FindByMemberAccess Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance where its elements are the ones that match the given member being accessed. Notice that this is a case-sensitive search. For a non case-sensitive search, please use the FindByMemberAccess Method (string, bool) instead.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByMemberAccess(string memberAccess)
```

Parameters

memberAccess

Contains both the name of the type and the name of the accessed member in the qualified notation (eg. "CheckBoxList.SelectedValue"). Prefix and suffix wild card (*) are permitted.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance where its elements are the ones which their given member is accessed.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByMemberAccess() method.
The input source code is:

MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();
result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass.DataMember");
the result would consist of 1 item:
    a.DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)

result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass.Met*");

the result would consist of 1 item:
    a.Method (in b = a.Method())
```

4.37 CxList.FindByMemberAccess Method (string,bool)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance where its elements are the ones that match the given member being accessed. This search allows both case-sensitive and non case-sensitive searches.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByMemberAccess(string memberAccess, bool caseSensitive)
```

Parameters

memberAccess

Contains both the name of the type and the name of the accessed member in qualified notation (eg. "CheckBoxList.SelectedValue"). Prefix and suffix wild card (*) are permitted.

caseSensitive

Boolean which indicates to the search to be (or not) case sensitive.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance where its elements are the ones which their specified member is accessed.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByMemberAccess() method.
The input source code is:

MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();
result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass.dataMember", true);
Notice that the result would consist of 0 items because the search is case-sensitive.

result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass.dataMember", false);
The result would consist of 1 item:
    a.DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)

result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass.met*", true);
Notice that the result would consist of 0 items because the search is case-sensitive.
```

```
result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass.met*", false);  
the result would consist of 1 item:  
a.Method (in b = a.Method())
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.38 CxList.FindByMemberAccess Method (string,string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance where its elements are the ones that match the given member being accessed. This is a case-sensitive search by both the name of the type and the name of the accessed member. For a non case-sensitive search please use the `FindByMemberAccess Method(string, string, bool)` instead.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByMemberAccess(string typeName, string memberName)
```

Parameters

typeName

Contains the name of the accessed type (eg. "CheckBoxList");

memberName

Contains the name of the accessed member (eg. "SelectedValue");

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance where its elements are the ones which their specified member is accessed.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByMemberAccess() method.
The input source code is:
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();
result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass", "DataMember");

The result would consist of 1 item:
    a.DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)

result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass", "Met*");

The result would consist of 1 item:
    a.Method (in b = a.DataMethod())
```

4.39 CxList.FindByMemberAccess Method (string, string, bool)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance where its elements are the ones that match the given member being accessed. This search allows both case-sensitive and non case-sensitive searches by the type name and the name of the accessed member.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByMemberAccess(string typeName, string memberName, bool
caseSensitive)
```

Parameters

typeName

Contains the name of the accessed type (eg. "CheckBoxList");

memberName

Contains the name of the accessed member (eg. "SelectedValue");

caseSensitive

Boolean which indicates to the search to be (or not) case sensitive.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance where its elements are the ones which their specified member is accessed.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByMemberAccess() method.
The input source code is:
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();
result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass", "dataMember", true);

the result would consist of 0 item because it is a case-sensitive search.

result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass", "dataMember", false);
```

```
the result would consist of 1 item:
```

```
    a.DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)
```

```
result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass", "met*", true);
```

```
the result would consist of 0 item, because it is a case-sensitive search.
```

```
result = All.FindByMemberAccess("MyClass", "met*", false);
```

```
the result would consist of 1 item:
```

```
    a.Method (in b = a.DataMethod())
```

4.40 CxList.FindByMethodReturnType Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are method declarators of a given return type.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByMethodReturnType(string type)
```

Parameters

type

The return type name string.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance with method declarators of a given return type.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByMethodReturnType() method.
The input source code is:

MyType foo() {
    ...
}

result = All.FindByMethodReturnType("MyType");

the result would consists of 1 item:
    foo
```

4.41 CxList.FindByName Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the given parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByName(string name)
```

Parameters

name

The name of the objects to look for. Prefix and postfix wildcard (*) are supported.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the given parameter.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByName() method.
The input source code is:

MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByName("*Member*");

the result would consist of 1 item:
    a.DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)
```

4.42 CxList.FindByName Method (string, int, int)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the given parameter (optionally with wildcards) and is not shorter than minLength and not longer than maxLength.

Syntax

CxQL

```
public CxList FindByName(string name, int minLength, int maxLength)
```

Parameters

name

Contains the name of the objects. Prefix and postfix wildcard (*) are supported.

minLength

Minimum length of the searched strings.

maxLength

Maximum length of the searched strings.

Result

A subset of “this” instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the given parameter, according to the given length interval.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByName() method.
The input source code is:

```
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();
```

```
result = All.FindByName("*Me*", 3, 7);
the result would consist of 1 item:
    Method (in b = a.Method())
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v2.0.5

4.43 CxList.FindByName Method (string, bool)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the given parameter, according to the specified comparison criteria.

Syntax

CxQL

```
public CxList FindByName(string name, bool caseSensitive)
```

Parameters

name

Contains the name of the objects. Prefix and postfix wildcard (*) are supported.

caseSensitive

Boolean which indicates to the search to be (or not) case sensitive.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the given parameter, according to the given comparison criteria. The *caseSensitive* boolean value defines the ability to search using case sensitive or case insensitive comparison.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

CxQL

```
This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByName() method.
The input source code is:
```

```
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();
```

```
result = All.FindByName("*member*", true);
the result would consist of 0 items.
```

```
result = All.FindByName("*member*", false);
the result would consist of 1 item:
    a.DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.44 CxList.FindByName Method (string, StringComparison)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the given parameter. The comparison method specified in parameter is used for matching.

Syntax

CxQL

```
public CxList FindByName(string name, StringComparison comparisonType)
```

Parameters

name

The name of the objects to look for. Prefix and postfix wildcard (*) are supported.

comparisonType

StringComparison type to be used in name comparison. One of the following values: *CurrentCulture*, *CurrentCultureIgnoreCase*, *InvariantCulture*, *InvariantCultureIgnoreCase*, *Ordinal*, *OrdinalIgnoreCase*

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the given parameter.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByName() method.
The input source code is:

```
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();
```

```
result = All.FindByName("*member*", StringComparison.OrdinalIgnoreCase);
the result would consist of 1 item:
    DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)
```

4.45 CxList.FindByName Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are the ones which their names are equal to the given list.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByName(CxList nodesList)
```

Parameters

nodesList

The list of nodes containing the names to be found.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance and its elements are the ones which the name is contained in the given list.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByName() method.
The input source code is:

MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByName(All.FindByType(typeof(MemberAccess)));

the result would consist of 3 items:
  a (in MyClass a)
  a (in a.DataMember = 3)
  a (in b = a.Method())
```

4.46 CxList.FindByName Method (CxList, bool)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are the ones which their names are equal to the list given.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByName(CxList nodesList, bool CaseSensitive)
```

Parameters

nodesList

The list of nodes containing the names to be found.

CaseSensitive

Boolean which indicates to the search to be (or not) case sensitive.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance and its elements are the ones which their name is contained in the given list, according to the specified case sensitivity comparison criteria.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByName() method.
The input source code is:

MyClass A;
int a;
A.DataMember = 3;
a = A.Method();

result = All.FindByName(All.FindByType(typeof(MemberAccess)), false);

the result would consist of 5 items:
    A (in MyClass A)
    a (in int a)
    A (in A.DataMember = 3)
    a (in a = A.Method())
    A (in a = A.Method())
```

4.47 CxList.FindByPosition Method (int line)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are the ones which are located in the specified line.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPosition(int line)
```

Parameters

Line

Line number in the source code.

Return Value

A subset of this instance which are located in the specified line.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByPosition method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPosition() method.
The input source code is:
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByPosition (3);
the result would be -
    5 items found:
        = (in a.DataMember = 3)
        = (in a.DataMember = 3)
        a (in a.DataMember = 3)
        DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)
        3 (in a.DataMember = 3)
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.48 CxList.FindByParameters Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are methods of the given CxList with the specified parameters.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByParameters (CxList paramList)
```

Parameters

paramList

CxList of method parameters.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance with methods whose parameters are given in the list.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByParameters() method.
The input source code is:

foo("myVar");

CxList var = All.FindByShortName("myVar");
result = All. FindByParameters(var);

the result would consist of 1 item:
    foo
```

4.49 CxList.FindByParameterValue Method (int, string, BinaryOperator)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance with methods where a given parameter number is equal (or not) to the specified value.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByParameterValue(int ParamNo, string ParamValue,
                                   BinaryOperator opr)
```

Parameters

ParamNo

Zero-based index of the parameter

ParamValue

The value of the parameter

BinaryOperator

One of the followings values:

`BinaryOperator.IdentityEquality`

`BinaryOperator.IdentityInequality`

Return Value

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance with methods where a given parameter number is equal (or not) to the specified value.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByParameterValue() method.
The input source code is:
a = Method("val1", 1);
a = Method("val2", 2);
result =
All.FindByParameterValue(0,"value1",BinaryOperator.IdentityEquality);
    the result would consist of 1 item:
        Method (in a = Method("val1", 1))
result=All.FindByParameterValue(0,"val1",BinaryOperator.IdentityInequality);
    the result would consist of 1 item:
        Method (in a = Method("val2", 2))
result=All.FindByParameterValue(1,"2",BinaryOperator.IdentityEquality);
    the result would consist of 1 item:
```

```
Method (in a = Method("val2", 2))
```

4.50 CxList.FindByParameterValue Method (int, int, BinaryOperator)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are methods whose parameters values (referred by their index) are equal (or not).

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByParameterValue(int paramNo1, int paramNo2, BinaryOperator
opr)
```

Parameters

paramNo1

Zero-based index of the parameter.

paramNo2

Zero-based index of the parameter.

opr

One of the following values:

`BinaryOperator.IdentityEquality`

`BinaryOperator.IdentityInequality`

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance whose parameter values are equal or not equal (depending on the operator chosen).

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

CxQL

This example demonstrates the `CxList.GetParameters()` method.
The input source code is:

```
foo(1, i, 1);
```

```
CxList methods = All.FindByType(typeof(MethodInvokeExpr));
result = All.FindByParameterValue(0, 2, BinaryOperator.IdentityEquality);
```

the result would consist of 1 item:
foo (first parameter value is equal to the third one)

4.51 CxList.FindByPosition Method (int)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are in the given line number.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPosition(int line)
```

Parameters

line

The line number.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance with elements from the given line.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPosition() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = 6;

result = All.FindByPosition(2);

the result would consist of 4 items:
    if
    a,
    >,
    3
```

4.52 CxList.FindByPosition Method (int, int)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are located in the given line and column number.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPosition(int line, int col)
```

Parameters

Line

Line number in the source code.

Col

Column number in the source code.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance with elements from the given line and column.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPosition() method.
The input source code is:

MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByPosition (3, 16);
the result would consist of 1 item:
    3 (in a.DataMember = 3)
```

4.53 CxList.FindByPosition Method (int, int, int)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are in the given line/column and with the given length.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPosition(int line, int col, int length)
```

Parameters

line

The line number.

col

The column number.

length

The element length.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance with elements from the given line, column and with the given length.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPosition() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a == 33)
    b = 6;

result = All.FindByPosition(2, 5, 1);

the result would consist of 1 item:
    a
```

4.54 CxList.FindByPosition Method (string, int)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and its elements are located in the given file and line number.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPosition(string file, int line)
```

Parameters

file

File name in the source code.

line

Line number in the source code.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance which is located in the given file and line.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPosition() method.
The input source code is (file name "Mycode.java"):

MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 5;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByPosition ("MyCode.java", 3);
the result would consist of 1 item:
    5 (in a.DataMember = 5)
```

4.55 CxList.FindByPosition Method (string, int, int)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are located in the given file, line and column.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPosition(string file, int line, int col)
```

Parameters

file

File name in the source code.

line

Line number in the source code.

col

Column number in the source code.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance which is located in the given file, line and column.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

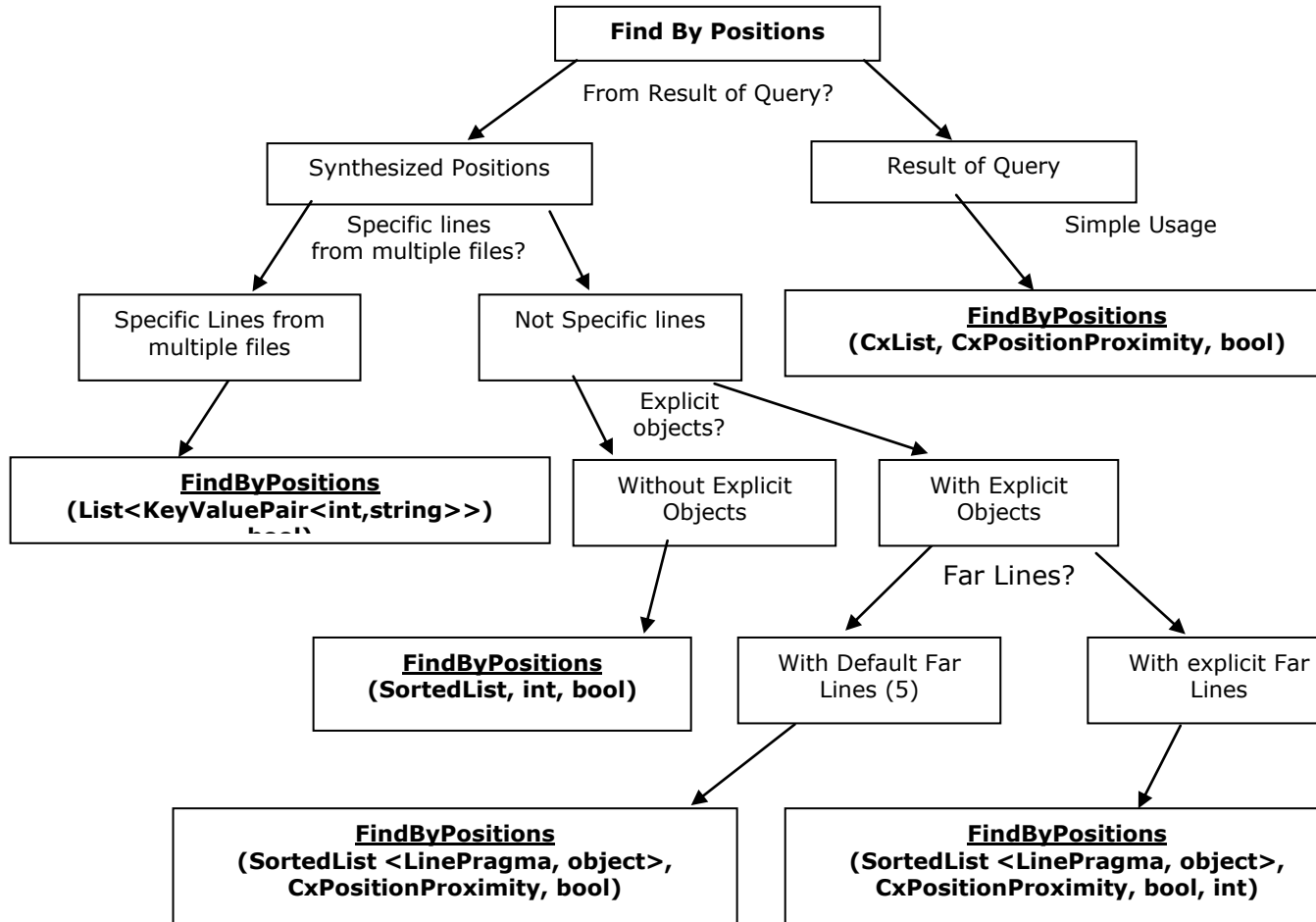
This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPosition() method.
file name "Mycode.java"
The input source code is:
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 5;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByPosition ("MyCode.java", 3, 16);
the result would be -
    1 item found:
        5 (in a.DataMember = 5)
```

4.56 CxList.FindByPositions Methods

There are four methods (atomic queries) for using the "Find By Positions" method CxQL.

The recommended selection between the possible methods should be done according to the following tree:



4.56.1 CxList.FindByPositions Method (SortedList, int, bool)

Finds the elements of "this" instance at positions given in the pragmas list.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPositions(SortedList pragmas, int extendMatch, bool oneOnly)
```

Parameters

pragmas

A sorted list containing the pragmas to match.

extendMatch

Defines the closeness of the matching results:

0 => *ExactMatch*: find exact match

1 => *FindInLine*: extend search to objects in closest position within same line

2 => *FindClosestMatch*: extend match to closest position within the same file

oneOnly

If true, it returns one result per position.

Return Value

The elements from "this" instance that are at the required positions.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	First parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

CxQL

This example demonstrates the `CxList.FindByPositions()` method.
The input source code is:

```
int b, a = 5;
if (a == 33)
    b = 6;
```

```
CxList list = All.FindByName("b");
SortedList sorted = new SortedList(new
DataCollections.LinePragmaComparer());
foreach (KeyValuePair<int, IGraph> dic in list.data){
    sorted.Add(dic.value.LinePragma, null);
}
result = All.FindByPositions(sorted, 1, true);
```

the result would consist of 2 items:

```
b (in int b)
b (in b = 6)
```

4.56.2 CxList.FindByPositions Method (CxList, CxPositionProximity, bool)

Finds the elements of "this" instance at positions given in the list using the proximity given in parameter.

Syntax

CxQL

```
public CxList FindByPositions(CxList positions, CxPositionProximity extendMatch,
bool oneOnly)
```

Parameters

positions

A list containing the pragmas to match.

extendMatch

Defines the closeness of the matching results. One of the following values:

ExactMatch: find exact match

FindInLine: extend search to objects in closest position within same line

FindClosestMatch: extend match to closest position within the same file

oneOnly

If true, it returns one result per position.

Return Value

The elements of "this" instance that are at the given positions.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	First parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPositions() method.
The input source code is:
int b, a = 5;
if (a == 33)
    b = 6;

CxList list = All.FindByName("b");
result = All.FindByPositions(list, CxPositionProximity.FindInLine, false);

the result would be all the elements in the 5 lines closer to lines that
appear variable b -
2 items found
    b (in int b)
    b (in b = 6)
```

4.56.3 CxList.indByPositions Method (SortedList<LinePragma,object>, CxPositionProximity, bool)

Finds the elements of "this" instance at positions given in the pragmas list using the proximity from the parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPositions(SortedList<LinePragma,object> pragmas,
CxPositionProximity extendMatch, bool oneOnly)
```


Parameters

pragmas

A sorted list containing the pragmas to match.

extendMatch

Defines the closeness of the matching results. One of the following values:

FindInLine: extend search to objects in closest position within same line.

FindClosestMatch: extend match to closest position within the same file.

ExactMatch: find exact match.

oneOnly

If true, it returns one result per position.

Return Value

The elements from the current instance that are at the given positions.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPositions() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a == 33)
    b = 6;

CxList list = All.FindByName("b");
SortedList<LinePragma, object> sorted =
new SortedList<LinePragma, object>(new
DataCollections.LinePragmaComparer());

foreach (KeyValuePair<int, IGraph> dic in list.data) {
    sorted.Add(dic.Value.LinePragma, null);
}

result = All.FindByPositions(sorted, CxList.CxPositionProximity.FindInLine,
true);

the result would consist of 2 items:
    b (in int b)
    b (in b = 6)
```

4.56.4 CxList.FindByPositions Method (SortedList<LinePragma,object>, CxPositionProximity, bool, int)

Finds the elements of "this" instance at positions given in the pragmas list using the proximity given in parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPositions(SortedList<LinePragma,object> pragmas,
CxPositionProximity extendMatch, bool oneOnly, int farLines)
```

Parameters

pragmas

A sorted list containing the pragmas to match.

extendMatch

Defines the closeness of the matching results. One of the following values:

FindInLine: extend search to objects in closest position within same line.

FindClosestMatch: extend match to closest position within the same file.

ExactMatch: find exact match.

oneOnly

If true, it returns one result per position.

farLines

Acceptable line distance to look for (the default recommended setting is 5).

Return Value

The elements from "this" instance that are at the given positions.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

This example demonstrates the `CxList.FindByPositions()` method.
The input source code is:

```
int b, a = 5;
if (a == 33)
    b = 6;

CxList list = All.FindByName("b");
SortedList<LinePragma, object> sorted =
new SortedList<LinePragma, object>(new
DataCollections.LinePragmaComparer());

foreach (KeyValuePair<int, IGraph> dic in list.data) {
    sorted.Add(dic.Value.LinePragma, null);
}
```

```
result = All.FindByPositions(sorted, CxList.CxPositionProximity.FindInLine,
true, 5);
```

```
the result would consist of 2 items:
    b (in int b)
    b (in b = 6)
```

4.56.5 CxList.FindByPositions Method (List<KeyValuePair<int, string>>)

Finds the elements of "this" instance at lines of files given in parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByPositions(List<KeyValuePair<int, string>> lines)
```

Parameters

lines

A list of pairs line/filename to search the elements.

Return Value

The subset of elements from "this" instance that are in the files given at the lines requested.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPositions() method.
The input source code is (file name is "MyCode.cs"):

    int b, a = 5;
    if (a == 33)
        b = 6;

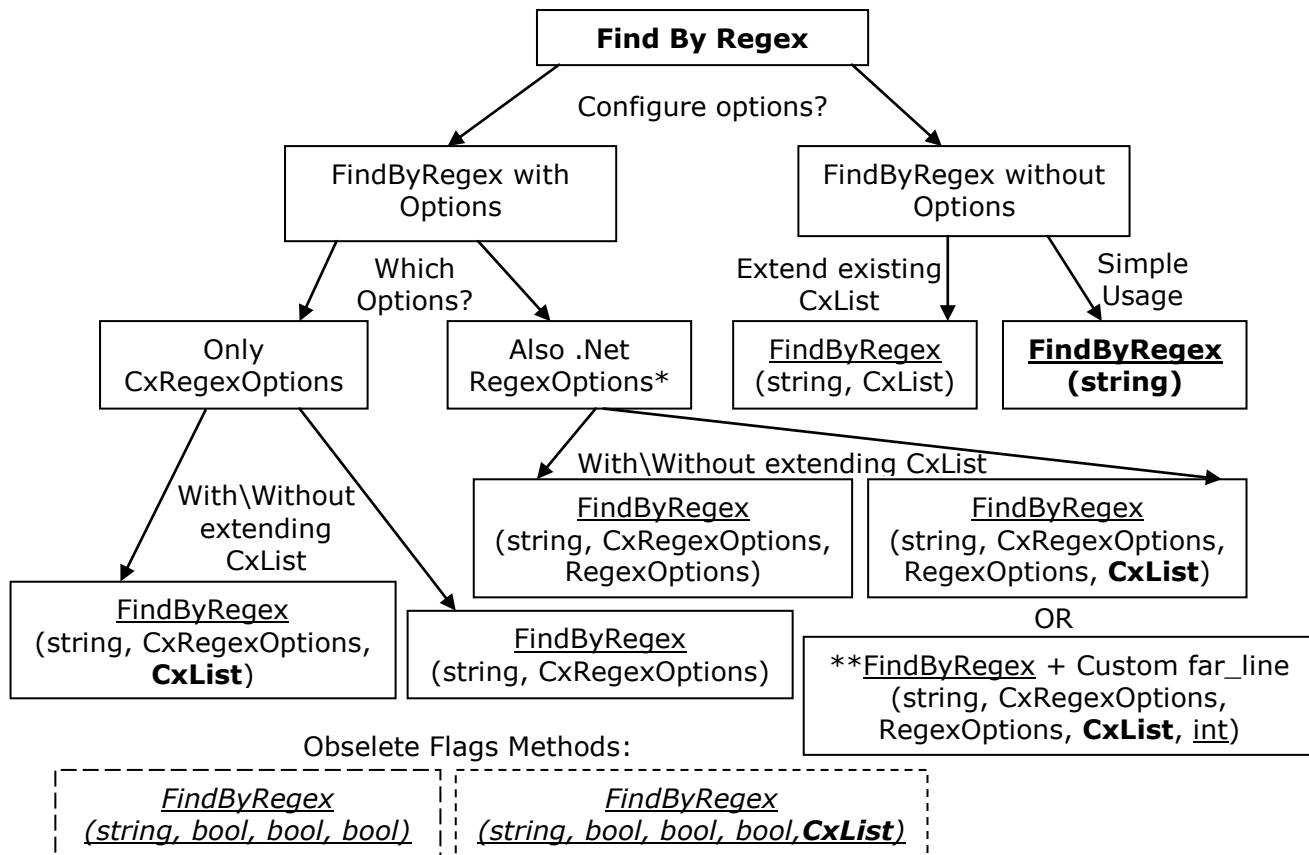
KeyValuePair<int,string> position= new
KeyValuePair<int,string>(3,"path\\MyCode.cs");
List<KeyValuePair<int,string>> list = new List<KeyValuePair<int,string>>();
list.Add(position);
result = All.FindByPositions(list);

the result would consist of 3 items:
    b
    =
    6
```

4.57 CxList.FindByRegex Methods

There are few methods (atomic queries) for using the "Find By Regex" algorithm in CxQL, some of them are obsolete and not recommended, and some of them are more comfortable according to the required parameters scenario.

The recommended selection between the possible methods should be done according to the following tree:



- Even without mentioning it explicitly in the parameter, the `RegexOptions.Multiline` and `RegexOptions.Singleline` are always enabled in the Find-By-Regex algorithm in these queries.
- Customizing the FAR_LINES parameter is possible using the new method (the default value of this parameter is 5 and it is relevant for searching regex matches in comments).
- The full path (including namespaces) of the `CxRegexOptions` enum is `CxList.CxRegexOptions`.
- The full path (including namespaces) of the `RegexOptions` enum is `System.Text.RegularExpressions.RegexOptions`.

4.57.1 CxList.FindByRegex Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements match the specified regular expression string.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- `FindByRegex(expression, null)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, CxRegexOptions.None)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, CxRegexOptions.None, RegexOptions.None)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, CxRegexOptions.None, RegexOptions.None, null)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, CxRegexOptions.None, RegexOptions.None, null, 5)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, false, true, false)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, false, true, false, null)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, CxRegexOptions.None, null)`

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByRegex(string expression)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression string.

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the `FindByRegex` method.

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByRegex() method.
The input source code is:

int a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    foo(a);

result = All.FindByRegex(@"(\s)?foo\(");

the result would be -
    1 item found:
        foo
```

Version Information

Supported from: CxAudit v1.8.1

4.57.2 CxList.FindByRegex Method (string, bool, bool, bool)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements match the specified regular expression string, according to specified flag parameters.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is highly recommended to use the enum instead of the confusing flags:

- FindByRegex(expression, searchInComments, searchInStringLiterals, recursive, null)
- The 3 flags are translated to CxRegexOptions enum in the following way (bitmask supported):
 - (false, false, false) => CxRegexOptions.DoNotSearchInStringLiterals
 - (false, false, true) => CxRegexOptions.DoNotSearchInStringLiterals | CxRegexOptions.AllowOverlaps
 - (false, true, false) => CxRegexOptions.None
 - (false, true, true) => CxRegexOptions.AllowOverlaps
 - (true, false, false) => CxRegexOptions.SearchInComments | CxRegexOptions.DoNotSearchInStringLiterals
 - (true, false, true) => CxRegexOptions.SearchInComments | CxRegexOptions.DoNotSearchInStringLiterals | CxRegexOptions.AllowOverlaps
 - (true, true, false) => CxRegexOptions.SearchInComments
 - (true, true, true) => CxRegexOptions.SearchInComments | CxRegexOptions.AllowOverlaps

After translating the flags to CxRegexOptions enum this call is equivalent to the following calls:

- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions)
- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, RegexOptions.None)
- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, RegexOptions.None, null)
- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, RegexOptions.None, null, 5)
- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, null)

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByRegex(string expression, bool searchInComments, bool searchInStringLiterals, bool recursive)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression string.

searchInComments

Positive if searching inside comments is desired.

searchInStringLiterals

Positive if searching inside string literals is desired.

recursive

Positive if it is desired to allow regex matches to overlap.

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression according to the additional parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	Expression parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByRegex method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByRegex() method.
The input source code is:

int a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    foo(a);

result = All.FindByRegex(@"(\s)?foo\(", false, true, false);

the result would be -
1 item found:
foo
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.57.3 CxList.FindByRegex Method (string, bool, bool, bool, CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements match the specified regular expression string, according to specified flag parameters and fill the extended results parameter with the strings of the matches.

- The 3 flags are translated to CxRegexOptions enum in the following way (bitmask supported):
 - (false, false, false) => CxRegexOptions.DoNotSearchInStringLiterals
 - (false, false, true) =>

- `CxRegexOptions.DoNotSearchInStringLiterals` | `CxRegexOptions.AllowOverlaps`
 - `(false, true, false) => CxRegexOptions.None`
 - `(false, true, true) => CxRegexOptions.AllowOverlaps`
 - `(true, false, false) =>`
 - `CxRegexOptions.SearchInComments` | `CxRegexOptions.DoNotSearchInStringLiterals`
 - `(true, false, true) =>`
 - `CxRegexOptions.SearchInComments` | `CxRegexOptions.DoNotSearchInStringLiterals` | `CxRegexOptions.AllowOverlaps`
 - `(true, true, false) => CxRegexOptions.SearchInComments`
 - `(true, true, true) =>`
 - `CxRegexOptions.SearchInComments` | `CxRegexOptions.AllowOverlaps`

After translating the flags to `CxRegexOptions` enum this call is equivalent to the following calls:

(It is highly recommended to use the enum instead of the confusing flags)

- `FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, RegexOptions.None, cxList)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, RegexOptions.None, cxList, 5)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, cxList)`

Syntax

CxQL

```
public CxList FindByRegex(string expression, bool searchInComments, bool searchInStringLiterals, bool recursive, CxList extendedResults)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression string.

searchInComments

Positive if searching inside comments is desired.

searchInStringLiterals

Positive if searching inside string literals is desired.

recursive

Positive if it is desired to allow regex matches to overlap.

extendedResults

`extendedResults` parameter is filled with the strings of the matches.

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression according to the additional parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	Expression parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByRegex method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByRegex() method.
The input source code is:

int a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    foo(a);

result = All.FindByRegex(@"(\s)?foo\"", false, true, false,
All.NewCxList());

the result would be -
  1 item found:
    foo
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.57.4 CxList.FindByRegex Method (string, CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements match the specified regular expression string, and fill the extended results parameter with the strings of the matches.

This query search source files with regex, and return the closest same line DOM object to the matches.

If no such object exists, returns the closest object in a successive line.

Search does not include searching inside comments and string literals, and regex matches are not allowed to overlap. The matching strings are returned in the extendedResults parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls:

- FindByRegex(expression, CxRegexOptions.None, RegexOptions.None, cxList)
- FindByRegex(expression, CxRegexOptions.None, RegexOptions.None, cxList, 5)
- FindByRegex(expression, false, true, false, cxList)
 - Using the Boolean flags option is not recommended, use the enums instead.
- FindByRegex(expression, CxRegexOptions.None, cxList)

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByRegex(string expression , CxList extendedResults)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression string.

extendedResults

extendedResults parameter is filled with the strings of the matches.

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression according to the additional parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	Expression parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByRegex method.

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByRegex() method.
The input source code is:

int a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    foo(a);

result = All.FindByRegex(@"(\s)?foo\(", All.NewCxList());

the result would be -
    1 item found:
        foo
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.57.5 CxList.FindByRegex Method (string, CxRegexOptions)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements match the specified regular expression string, according to specified Checkmarx Regex Options defined in the second parameter.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, [RegexOptions.None](#))
- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, [RegexOptions.None](#), null)

- `FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, RegexOptions.None, null, 5)`
- `FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, null)`

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByRegex(string expression , CxRegexOptions cxOptions)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression string.

cxOptions

An enum matching the relevant CxRegexOptions which are:

[None](#), [SearchInComments](#), [DoNotSearchInStringLiterals](#), [AllowOverlaps](#) and

[SearchOnlyInComments](#)

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression according to the additional parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	Expression parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByRegex method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByRegex() method.
The input source code is:

int a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    foo(a);

result = All.FindByRegex(@"(\s)?foo\(", CxList.CxRegexOptions.None);

the result would be -
    1 item found:
        foo
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.57.6 CxList.FindByRegex Method (string, CxRegexOptions, CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements match the specified regular expression string, according to specified Checkmarx Regex Options defined in the second parameter, and also fill the extended results parameter with the strings of the matches.

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, RegexOptions.None, cxList)
- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, RegexOptions.None, cxList, 5)

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByRegex(string expression , CxRegexOptions cxOptions, CxList
extendedResults)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression string.

cxOptions

An enum matching the relevant CxRegexOptions which are:

[None](#), [SearchInComments](#), [DoNotSearchInStringLiterals](#), [AllowOverlaps](#) and

[SearchOnlyInComments](#)

extendedResults

extendedResults parameter is filled with the strings of the matches.

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression according to the additional parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	Expression parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByRegex method.

```
CXQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByRegex() method.
The input source code is:

int a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    foo(a);
```

```
result = All.FindByRegex(@"(\s)?foo\(", CxList.CxRegexOptions.None,
All.NewCxList());
```

```
the result would be -
  1 item found:
    foo
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.57.7 CxList.FindByRegex Method (string, CxRegexOptions, RegexOptions)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements match the specified regular expression string, according to specified Regex Options defined in the parameters ([Checkmarx regex options](#) and [standard regex options](#)).

This call is equivalent to the following calls and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, regexOptions, null)
- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, regexOptions, null, 5)

Syntax

CxQL

```
public CxList FindByRegex(string expression , CxRegexOptions cxOptions,
RegexOptions regularOptions)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression string.

cxOptions

An enum matching the relevant CxRegexOptions which are:

[None](#), [SearchInComments](#), [DoNotSearchInStringLiterals](#), [AllowOverlaps](#) and

[SearchOnlyInComments](#)

regularOptions

Options to add to the regular expression (case sensitivity, etc.)

In addition to the user-defined regular-expression-options in this arguments, the alogrith also uses the following regex-options by default: [RegexOptions.Multiline](#), [RegexOptions.Singleline](#).

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression according to the additional parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
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[ArgumentNullException](#)
Expression parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByRegex method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByRegex() method.
The input source code is:

int a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    foo(a);

result = All.FindByRegex(@"(\s)?foo\(", CxList.CxRegexOptions.None,
System.Text.RegularExpressions.RegexOptions.None);

the result would be -
    1 item found:
        foo
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.57.8 CxList.FindByRegex Method (string, CxRegexOptions, RegexOptions, CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements match the specified regular expression string, according to specified Regex Options defined in the parameters ([Checkmarx regex options](#) and [standard regex options](#)), and also fill the extended results parameter with the strings of the matches.

This call is equivalent to the following call and it is recommended to use the short call format by default:

- FindByRegex(expression, cxRegexOptions, regexOptions, cxList, 5)

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByRegex(string expression , CxRegexOptions cxOptions,
RegexOptions regularOptions, CxList extendedResults)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression string.

cxOptions

An enum matching the relevant CxRegexOptions which are:

[None](#), [SearchInComments](#), [DoNotSearchInStringLiterals](#), [AllowOverlaps](#) and [SearchOnlyInComments](#)

regularOptions

Options to add to the regular expression (case sensitivity, etc.)

In addition to the user-defined regular-expression-options in this arguments, the alogrith also uses the following regex-options by default: [RegexOptions.Multiline](#), [RegexOptions.Singleline](#).

extendedResults

extendedResults parameter is filled with the strings of the matches.

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression according to the additional parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	Expression parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByRegex method.

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByRegex() method.
The input source code is:

int a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    foo(a);

result = All.FindByRegex(@"(\s)?foo\(", CxList.CxRegexOptions.None,
System.Text.RegularExpressions.RegexOptions.None, All.NewCxList());

the result would be -
    1 item found:
        foo
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.57.9 CxList.FindByRegex Method (string, CxRegexOptions, RegexOptions, CxList, int)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements match the specified regular expression string, according to specified Regex Options defined in the parameters ([Checkmarx regex options](#) and [standard regex options](#)), and also fill the extended results parameter with the strings of the matches.

Also get a customized far-lines parameter to be considered as acceptable lines distance when looking for regex in comments.

All the other calls to "FindByRegex.." with \ without different parameters lead in the end to this specific method.

Syntax

CxQL

```
public CxList FindByRegex(string expression , CxRegexOptions cxOptions,
    RegexOptions regularOptions, CxList extendedResults, int farLines)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression string.

cxOptions

An enum matching the relevant CxRegexOptions which are:

[None](#), [SearchInComments](#), [DoNotSearchInStringLiterals](#), [AllowOverlaps](#) and

[SearchOnlyInComments](#)

regularOptions

Options to add to the regular expression (case sensitivity, etc.)

In addition to the user-defined regular-expression-options in this arguments, the algorith also uses the following regex-options by default: [RegexOptions.Multiline](#),

[RegexOptions.Singleline](#).

extendedResults

extendedResults parameter is filled with the strings of the matches.

farLines

Configure the line distance to look for regex matches in comments (it is **5** lines by default).

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression according to the additional parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	Expression parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByRegex method.

CxQL

This example demonstrates the `CxList.FindByRegex()` method.
The input source code is:

```
int a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    foo(a);

result = All.FindByRegex(@"(\s)?foo\(", CxList.CxRegexOptions.None,
System.Text.RegularExpressions.RegexOptions.None, All.NewCxList(), 5);

the result would be -
    1 item found:
        foo
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.57.10 CxList.FindByRegexSecondOrder Method (string, CxList)

Filters a CxList of Comments DOM objects according to a check of whether a Comment object contain a match to the provided regex expression, and returns closest DOM object to those that pass the filter.

Used in [C\C++ MISRA](#) Preset queries in order to validate comments style.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByRegexSecondOrder(string expression , CxList extendedResults)
```

Parameters

expression

Regular expression search string.

inputList

The comments CxList that's should be filtered.

Return Value

A subset of this instance matches the given regular expression according to the additional parameters.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	Expression parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the `FindByRegexSecondOrder` method.

```
CxQL
```

This example demonstrates the `CxList.FindByRegexSecondOrder()` method. The input source code is taken from MISRA Code_Commented_Out query:

```
/* Function comment is compliant. * /  
void mc2_0202 ( void )  
{  
use_int32(0); // Comment Not Compliant  
}  
*/  
  
// Find all comments ending with } or ;  
CxList extendedResult = All.NewCxList();  
  
// All /* */ comments  
CxList res = All.FindByRegex(@"\/\*.*?\*\/", true, false, false,  
extendedResult);  
  
// Search results for } or ; at end of comment  
result = All.FindByRegexSecondOrder(@"[;}]s*\*\/", extendedResult);  
The result will be the commented out function which is found out by this  
regex
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.58 CxList.FindByReturnType Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByReturnType(String Type)
```

Parameters

Type

The type of the objects to be found

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified return type.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByReturnType method.

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByReturnType() method.
The input source code is:
public class a
{
    int bla()
    {
        int b, a = 5;
        if (a == 33)
            b = 6;
        return b;
    }
}
result = All.FindByReturnType ("int");
the result would be -
1 items found:
    bla() (in int bla())
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.59 CxList.FindByShortName Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are the ones which their short name is the specified string.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByShortName(string Name)
```

Parameters

Name

The short name of the objects to look for. Prefix and postfix wildcard (*) are supported.

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the specified string.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByShortName method.

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByShortName() method.
The input source code is:

MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByShortName("Method");

the result would be -
  1 item found:
    Method ( in b = a.Method() )
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.60 CxList.FindByShortName Method (string, bool)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are the ones which their short name is the specified string, according to the specified comparison criteria.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByName(string ShortName, bool caseSensitive)
```

Parameters

ShortName

Contains the short name of the objects. Prefix and postfix wildcard (*) are supported.

caseSensitive

Boolean which indicates to the search to be (or not) case sensitive.

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are the ones which their short name is the specified string, according to the specified comparison criteria. Where the caseSensitive value can be true for case sensitive and false for case insensitive.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByShortName method.

CXQL

```
This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByShortName() method.
The input source code is:
```

```
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();
```

```
result = All.FindByShortName("method", true);
```

```
the result would be -
    0 items found
```

```
result = All.FindByShortName("method", false);
```

```
the result would be -
```

```
1 item found:  
  a.Method (in b = a.Method() )
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.61 CxList.FindByShortName Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are the ones which their short name is the specified string.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByShortName(CxList nodesList)
```

Parameters

nodesList

The short name of the objects to look for. Prefix and postfix wildcard (*) are supported.

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are the ones which their name is the specified string.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByShortName method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByShortName() method.
The input source code is:

class Program
{
    static void Main(string[] args)
    {
        customer c = new customer();
    }
}
class Customer{}
class User{}
CxList classes = All.FindByType(typeof(ClassDecl));
CxList types = All.FindByType(typeof(TypeRef));
CxList classesWithInstances = classes - classes.FindByShortName(types);

the result would be -
3 item found:
    Customer ( in class Customer{})
    Program ( in class Program)
    User ( in class User{})
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.62 CxList.FindByShortName Method (CxList, bool)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are the ones which their short name is the specified string, according to the specified comparison criteria.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByName(CxList nodesList, bool caseSensitive)
```

Parameters

nodesList

Contains the short name of the objects. Prefix and postfix wildcard (*) are supported.

caseSensitive

Boolean which indicates to the search to be (or not) case sensitive.

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are the ones which their short name is the specified string, according to the specified comparison criteria. Where the caseSensitive value can be true for case sensitive and false for case insensitive.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByShortName method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByShortName() method.
The input source code is:

class Program
{
    static void Main(string[] args)
    {
        Customer c = new customer();
    }
}
```



```

    }
class Customer{}
class User{}

CxList classes = All.FindByType(typeof(ClassDecl));
CxList types = All.FindByType(typeof(TypeRef));
CxList classesWithInstances = classes - classes.FindByShortName(types, true);

the result would be -
    the same as FindByShortName(CxList nodesList)

CxList classes = All.FindByType(typeof(ClassDecl));
CxList types = All.FindByType(typeof(TypeRef));
CxList classesWithInstances = classes - classes.FindByShortName(types, false);

the result would be -
    2 item found:
        Program ( in class Program)
        User ( in class User{})

```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.63 CxList.FindByType Method (CxDOMType)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type of code element.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByType(CxDOMType TypeName)
```

Parameters

TypeName

The type of the objects to be found

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type of code element.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByType method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByType() method.
The input source code is:
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByType (typeof(MemberAccess));
the result would be -
    2 items found:
        a.DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)
        a.Method (in b = a.Method())
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.64 CxList.FindByType Method (CxDOMType, bool)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type of code element.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByType(CxDOMType TypeName, bool CaseSensitive)
```

Parameters

TypeName

The type of the objects to be found

CaseSensitive

Ignore case true/false

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type of code element.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByType method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByType() method.
The input source code is:
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByType (typeof(MemberAccess),true);
the result would be -
  2 items found:
    a.DataMember (in a.DataMember = 3)
    a.Method (in b = a.Method())
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.65 CxList.FindByType Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByType(String Type)
```

Parameters

Type

The type of the objects to be found

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByType method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByType() method.
The input source code is:
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByType ("MyClass");
the result would be -
    3 items found:
        a (in MyClass a)
        a (in a.DataMember = 3)
        a (in b = a.Method())
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.66 CxList.FindByType Method (string, bool)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByType(String Type, bool CaseSensitive)
```

Parameters

Type

The type of the objects to be found

CaseSensitive

Ignore case true/false

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByType method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByType() method.
The input source code is:
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

result = All.FindByType ("MyClass",true);
the result would be -
    3 items found:
        a (in MyClass a)
        a (in a.DataMember = 3)
        a (in b = a.Method())
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.67 CxList.FindByTypes Method (string[])

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified type.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindByType(String[] Types)
```

Parameters

Types

The types of the objects to be found

Return Value

A subset of this instance and its elements are of the specified types.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByType method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByType() method.
The input source code is:
MyClass a;
int b;
a.DataMember = 3;
b = a.Method();

String[] arr = new String[]{"MyClass","int"};
result = All.FindByTypes(arr);
the result would be -
    6 items found:
        a (in MyClass a)
        a (in a.DataMember = 3)
        a (in b = a.Method())
        b (in int b)
        b (in b = a.Method())
        MyClass (in MyClass a)
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.68 CxList.FindDefinition Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance, with elements that are the definition locations of the first element in the given CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindDefinition(CxList items)
```

Parameters

Items

Items whose definition to be found.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance, with elements that are the definition locations of the first element in the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindDefinition() method.
The input source code is:

int b, a = 5;
if (a > 3)
    b = a;

result = All.FindDefinition(All.FindByName("*b*"));

The result would consist of 1 item:
    b (in int b, a = 5)
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.69 CxList.FindInitialization Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of “this” instance and the elements are the initialization values of the elements from the given CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList FindInitialization(CxList declarators)
```

Parameters

Declarators

A CxList of declarators.

Return Value

A subset of “this” instance whose elements are the initialization values of the given CxList elements.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindInitialization() method.
The input source code is:

int b = 5;

CxList declarators = All.FindByType(typeof(Declarator));
result = All.FindInitialization(declarators);

The result would consist of 1 item:
    5
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.70 CxList.GetAncOfType Method (Type)

Returns a CxList with all the elements that are CxDOM first ancestor of the calling CxList and which are of type t. First ancestor means that it searches upward in the CxDOM graph until the first ancestor matching the condition (type t), and NOT that it searches only for fathers

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList GetAncOfType(Type t)
```

Parameters

The type of DOM object the methods looks for

Return Value

Returns a CxList with all the CxDOM elements of type t, which are first ancestor, of some element in the calling CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

This command does not return a subset of the CxList, but a subset of All.

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the GetAncOfType method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.GetAncOfType() method.
The input source code is:
if (a>b)
{
    c=100;
}
else
{
    if(a<100)
    {
        d=200;
    }
}

result = All.FindByName("d"). GetAncOfType(typeof(IfStmt));
the result would be -
1 item found:
if (in if(a<100))
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v2.0.5

4.71 CxList.GetArrayOfNodeIds Method ()

Returns a ArrayList which is a set of all elements IDs All this CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public ArrayList GetArrayOfNodeIds()
```

Parameters

None

Return Value

ArrayList which is a set of all elements IDs All this CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the FindByReturnType method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByReturnType() method.
The input source code is:
public class a
{
void foo(){
    MyClass a;
    int b;
    a.DataMember = 3;
    b = a.Method();
}
}
CxList ls = All;
foreach(int NodeId in ls.GetArrayOfNodeIds())
{
    if(NodeId !=1)
    {
        result = All.FindById(NodeId);
    }
}
}
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit : v1.8.1

4.72 CxList.GetByAncs Method (CxList)

Returns all elements in this instance that is a CxDOM descendant of an element of the parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL  
public CxList GetByAncs(CxList Ancs)
```

Parameters

Ancs

The Ancestors whose descendants are to be returned

Return Value

Returns all elements in this instance that descends any of the elements in the parameter

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the GetByAncs method.

```
CxQL  
  
This example demonstrates the CxList.GetByAncs() method.  
The input source code is:  
public notmuch (boolean tf)  
{  
    boolean localboolean = tf;  
}  
  
result = All.GetByAncs(All.FindByName("notmuch"));  
  
6 items found:  
notmuch  
boolean (in Boolean tf)  
tf  
boolean  
localboolean  
=  
tf (in localboolean=tf)
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v2.0.5

4.73 CxList.GetByBinaryOperator Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are binary expressions with a given binary operator.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList GetByBinaryOperator(BinaryOperator opr)
```

Parameters

opt
Enum type of binary operators.

Return Value

A subset of this instance with binary expressions which have a given binary operator.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the GetByBinaryOperator method.

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.GetByBinaryOperator() method.
The input source code is:

int i;
if(i < 1)
    ...

result = All.GetByBinaryOperator(BinaryOperator.LessThan);

the result would be -
1 item found:
<
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.74 CxList.GetByClass Method (CxList)

Returns all elements in “this” instance that belong to any of the classes in the parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL  
public int GetByClass(CxList classes)
```

Parameters

classes

The classes whose elements to be returned

Return Value

Returns all elements in this instance that belong to any of the classes in the parameter

Example

CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.GetByClass() method.
The input source code is:

```
class c11  
{  
    void foo()  
    {  
        int a = 3;  
        int b = 5;  
    }  
}  
class c12  
{  
    void foo2()  
    {  
        int c = 3;  
    }  
}
```

```
result = All.GetByClass(All.FindByName("*.c11")).FindByName("3");
```

The result would consist of 1 item found:

3 (in int a = 3)

Notice that 3 (in int c = 3) doesn't appear in the results, since it is not in the "c11" class

4.75 CxList.GetByMethod Method (CxList)

Returns all elements in this instance that belong to any of the methods in the parameter

Syntax

```
CxQL  
public int GetByMethod(CxList methods)
```

Parameters

methods

The methods whose elements to be returned

Return Value

Returns all elements in this instance that belong to any of the methods in the parameter

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the GetByMethod method.

```
CxQL  
  
This example demonstrates the CxList.GetByMethod() method.  
The input source code is:  
class c11  
{  
    void foo()  
    {  
        int a = 3;  
        int b = 5;  
    }  
    void foo2()  
    {  
        int c = 3;  
    }  
}  
  
result = All.GetByClass(All.FindByName("foo2")).FindByName("3");  
  
1 item found:  
    3 (in int c = 3)  
    Notice that 3 (in int a = 3) doesn't appear in the results, since it is not  
    in the "foo2" method
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v2.0.5

4.76 CxList.GetClass Method (CxList)

Returns the classes of this instance containing the objects in the parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL  
public CxList GetClass(CxList elements)
```

Parameters

elements

The elements whose classes to be returned

Return Value

Returns the classes of this instance containing the objects in the parameter.

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the GetClass method.

CxQL

```
This example demonstrates the CxList.GetClass() method.
```

```
The input source code is:
```

```
class c11  
{  
    void foo()  
    {  
        int a = 3;  
        int b = 5;  
    }  
}
```

```
result = All.GetClass(All.FindByName ("5"));
```

```
1 item found:  
c11 (in class c11)
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v2.0.5

4.77 CxList.GetCxListByPath Method ()

Create enumerator on CxList that enumerate on all existing paths.

Syntax

CxQL

```
public IEnumerable<CxList> GetCxListByPath()
```

Parameters

No parameters

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

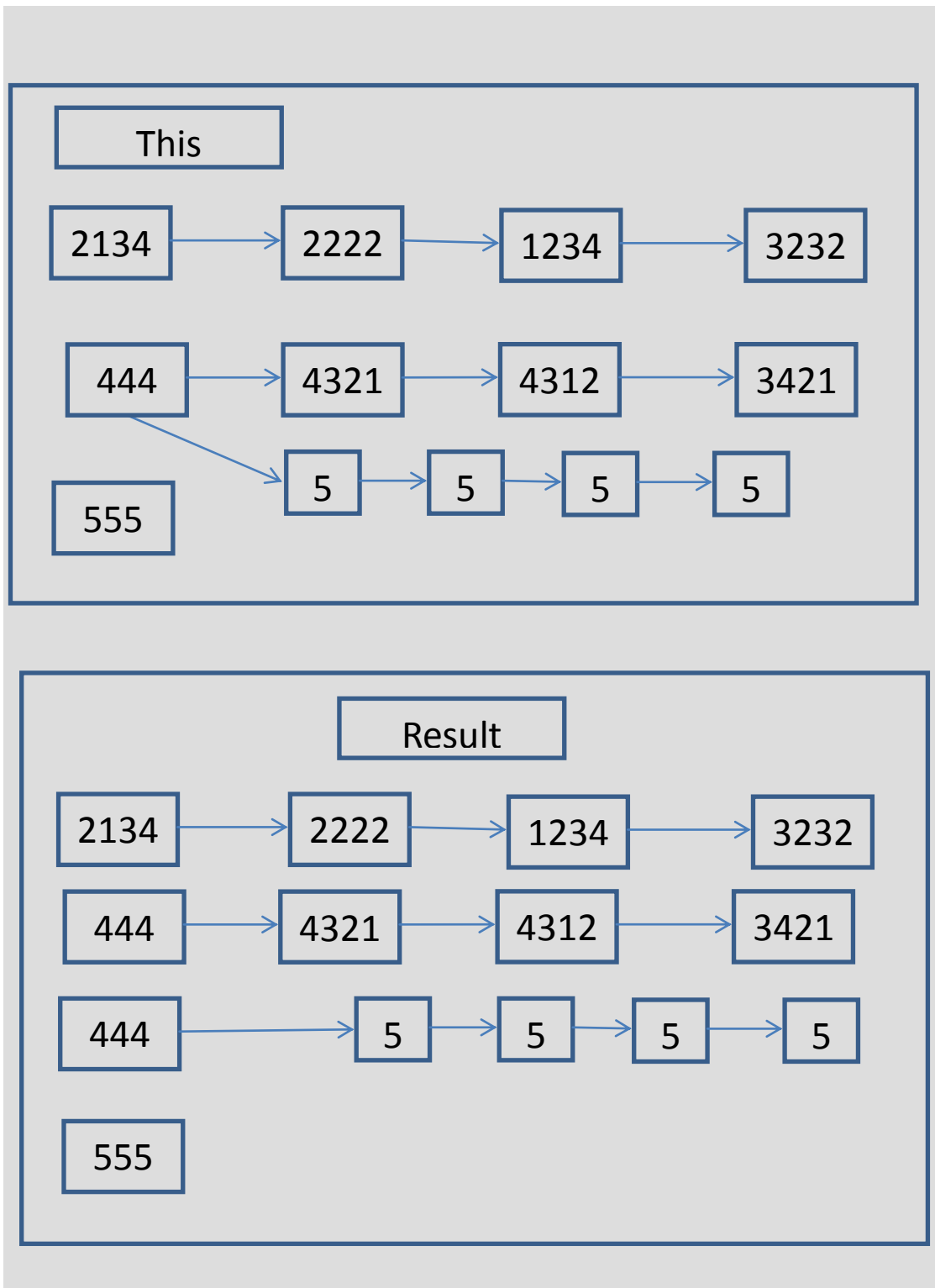
None

Example

CxQL

```
This example demonstrates the IEnumerable<CxList> GetCxListByPath() method.

foreach (CxList thisCxList in this.GetCxListByPath())
{
    // thisCxList shall include one node and one path. If in "this" exists
nodes without
    // paths than thisCxList will have only one node.
}
```



Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v7.1.3

4.78 CxList.GetEnumerator Method ()

Return IEnumerator of CxList.Data

Syntax

```
CxQL
public IEnumerator GetEnumerator()
```

Parameters

none

Return Value

Enumerator of CxList.Data.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

Not in use (deprecated). A simpler implementation is by:

```
foreach (CxList cxItem in resultList)
{
    :
}
```

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the GetEnumerator, CxDebug and GetFirstGraph
method.
The input source code is:

class c11
{
    void foo()
    {
        int a = 3;
        int b = 5;
    }
}

IEnumerator ieNum = All.GetEnumerator();
bool finish = false;
int i = 1;
while (!finish)
{
```

```

if (!ieNum.MoveNext())
{
    finish = true;
}
else
{
    CxList curr = (CxList) ieNum.Current;
    if (curr.GetFirstGraph() != null)
    {
        CxDebug("#=" + i.ToString() +
            " curr name = " + curr.GetName() + " type = " +
            curr.GetFirstGraph().GraphType.ToString());
        i++;
    }
}
}
}

```

the result would be on DebugMessage tab in CxAudit program

Query	Results	Comments	Debug Messages
Query Name	Debug Message		
CxDefaultQuery	#=1 curr name = DefaultNamespace type = NamespaceDecl		
CxDefaultQuery	#=2 curr name = cl1 type = ClassDecl		
CxDefaultQuery	#=3 curr name = type = MemberDeclCollection		
CxDefaultQuery	#=4 curr name = foo type = MethodDecl		
CxDefaultQuery	#=5 curr name = void type = TypeRef		
CxDefaultQuery	#=6 curr name = type = StatementCollection		
CxDefaultQuery	#=7 curr name = type = VariableDeclStmt		
CxDefaultQuery	#=8 curr name = int type = TypeRef		
CxDefaultQuery	#=9 curr name = a type = Declarator		
CxDefaultQuery	#=10 curr name = 3 type = IntegerLiteral		
CxDefaultQuery	#=11 curr name = type = VariableDeclStmt		
CxDefaultQuery	#=12 curr name = int type = TypeRef		
CxDefaultQuery	#=13 curr name = b type = Declarator		
CxDefaultQuery	#=14 curr name = 5 type = IntegerLiteral		

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.79 CxList.GetFathers Method ()

Returns a CxList which contains the direct fathers of the elements of “this” instance.

Syntax

```
CxQL  
public CxList GetFathers ()
```

Return Value

A CxList which contains the direct fathers of the element of “this” instance.

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL  
  
This example demonstrates the CxList.GetFathers () method.  
The input source code is:  
  
int b, a = 5;  
if (a > 3)  
    b = 6;  
  
CxList six = All.FindByName("6");  
result = six.GetFathers();  
  
the result would consist of 1 item found:  
=
```

4.80 CxList.GetFinallyClause Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are finally clauses of the specified CxList of try statements.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList GetFinallyClause (CxList TryList)
```

Parameters

TryList
CxList of try statements.

Return Value

A subset of this instance with finally clauses.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the GetFinallyClause method.

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.GetFinallyClause() method.
The input source code is:

int j;
try
{
    int i = 0;
    j = 1 / i;
}
finally
{
    j = 1;
}

CxList Try = All.FindByType(typeof(TryCatchFinallyStmt));
result = All.GetFinallyClause(Try);

the result would be -
    1 item found:
        finally
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.81 CxList.GetFirstGraph Method ()

Returns a first data element in requested CxList. Using to get internal data of first object in requested CxList

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CSharpGraph GetFirstGraph()
```

Parameters

none

Return Value

A first element in Data. If CxList empty return null.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

N/A

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.GetFirstGraph() method.
The input source code is:

class c11
{
    void foo()
    {
        int a = 3;
        int b = 5;
    }
}

result = All.FindByShortName("foo");
if (result.Count > 0)
    CxDebug(result.GetFirstGraph().ShortName);

the result would be on DebugMessage tab in CxAudit program
foo
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.82 CxList.GetMembersOfTarget Method ()

Returns a CxList with all found members of the specified target.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList GetMembersOfTarget()
```

Return Value

A CxList with members of a given target.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the GetMembersOfTarget method.

CxQL

```
This example demonstrates the CxList.GetMembersOfTarget() method.
The input source code is:
```

```
StreamWriter sw = new StreamWriter();
sw.Write("");
```

```
CxList swriter = All.FindByType("StreamWriter");
result = swriter.GetMembersOfTarget();
```

```
the result would be -
  1 item found:
    write
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.83 CxList.GetMethod Method (CxList)

Returns CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are methods of the specified CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList GetMethod(CxList list)
```

Parameters

List
CxList of any DOM objects.

Return Value

A subset of this instance which contains methods of the specified CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the GetMethod method.

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.GetMethod() method.
The input source code is:

class C1
{
    void foo()
    {
        int i = 1;
        i++;
    }
}

CxList I_var = All.FindByShortName("i");
result = All.GetMethod(I_var);

the result would be -
    1 item found:
    foo
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.84 CxList.GetName Method ()

Returns a first data element name in requested CxList. Using to get internal data of first object in requested CxList

Syntax

```
CxQL  
public string GetName()
```

Parameters

none

Return Value

A name of the first element in Data. If CxList empty return null.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

None

Example

```
CxQL  
  
This example demonstrates the CxList.GetName() method.  
The input source code is:  
  
class c11  
{  
    void foo()  
    {  
        int a = 3;  
        int b = 5;  
    }  
}  
result = All.FindByShortName("foo");  
if (result.Count > 0)  
    CxDebug(result.GetName());  
  
the result would be on DebugMessage tab in CxAudit program  
foo
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.85 CxList.GetParameters Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of this instance and its elements are parameters of methods elements provided in CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList GetParameters (CxList MethodsList)
```

Parameters

MethodList

CxList of methods.

Return Value

Returns a CxList with all the parameters, from instance CxList, of the methods in MethodsLis.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.GetParameters(MethodsList) method.
The input source code is:

foo(1, 3, i);

CxList methods = All.FindByType(typeof(MethodInvokeExpr));
result = All.GetParameters(methods);

the result would consist of 3 items:
    1,
    3,
    i
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.86 CxList.GetParameters Method (CxList, int)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of instance CxList and its elements are parameters of methods elements provided in CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList GetParameters (CxList MethodsList, int paramNo)
```

Parameters

MethodList

CxList of methods.

paramNo

The number of parameter to return (begins with 0)

Return Value

Returns a CxList with paramNo parameters, from instance CxList, of the methods in MethodsList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.GetParameters(MethodsList,paramNo)
method.
The input source code is:

    foo(1, 3, i);

CxList methods = All.FindByType(typeof(MethodInvokeExpr));
result = All.GetParameters(methods, 1);

the result would consist of 1 items:
    3
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v1.8.1

4.87 CxList.GetPathsOrigins Method ()

Returns a CxList which is a subset of instance CxList and contains end nodes of paths.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList GetPathsOrigins ()
```

Return Value

Returns CxList that contains end nodes of paths

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.GetPathsOrigins() method.
The input source code is:

public void setString (String str){
    if (str.length >0){
        lst.add(str);
    }
}

CxList paths = All.DataInfluencingOn(All.FindByShortName("add"));
result = paths.GetPathsOrigins();

the result would consist of 3 items:
    lst      (in lst.add(str);)
    str      (in lst.add(str);)
    str      (in (String str);)
```

4.88 CxList.GetStartsAndEndNodes Method (GetStartEndNodesType)

Returns CxList which is a subset of instance CxList and contains start nodes or end nodes or both start and nodes of path or all nodes in path.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList GetStartsAndEndNodes (GetStartEndNodesType type)
```

Parameters

Type

The type of nodes to be returned:

CxList.GetStartEndNodesType.StartNodesOnly

CxList.GetStartEndNodesType.EndNodesOnly

CxList.GetStartEndNodesType.StartAndEndNodes

CxList.GetStartEndNodesType.AllNodes

Return Value

Returns CxList which is a start nodes or end nodes or both start and nodes of path or all nodes in path.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.GetStartsAndEndNodes (type) method.
The input source code is:

public void setString (String str){
    lst.add(str);
}

CxList paths = All.DataInfluencingOn(All.FindByShortName("add"));

1. result =
paths.GetStartsAndEndNodes(CxList.GetStartEndNodesTypeStartNodesOnly);
the result would consist of 2 items:
    lst    (in lst.add(str);)
    str    (in (String str);)
```

```

2. result = paths.GetStartsAndEndNodes(CxList.GetStartEndNodeType
EndNodesOnly);
the result would consist of 1 items:
    add (in lst.add(str);)
3. result=
paths.GetStartsAndEndNodes(CxList.GetStartEndNodeType.StartAndEndNodes)
;
the result would consist of 3 items:
    lst (in lst.add(str);)
    str (in (String str);)
    add (in lst.add(str);)
4. result =
paths.GetStartsAndEndNodes(CxList.GetStartEndNodeType.AllNodes);
the result would consist of 4 items:
    lst (in lst.add(str);)
    str (in (String str);)
    add (in lst.add(str);)
    str (in lst.add(str);)
5. result =
paths.GetStartsAndEndNodes(CxList.GetStartEndNodeType.AllButNotStartAnd
End);
the result would consist of 2 items:
    lst (in lst.add(str);)
    str (in lst.add(str);)
  
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** v7.1.2

4.89 CxList.GetTargetOfMembers Method ()

Returns the list of elements which are the targets from the members of "this" instance.

Syntax

```
CxQL  
public CxList GetTargetOfMembers()
```

Parameters

none

Return Value

A list of objects from which "this" instance elements are member of.

Example

```
CxQL
```

This example demonstrates the `CxList.GetTargetOfMembers()` method.

The input source code is:

```
class c11  
{  
    void foo()  
    {  
        int a = obj.func();  
    }  
}
```

```
result = All.FindByName ("*.func").GetTargetOfMembers();
```

The result would consist of 1 item:

```
obj (in int a = obj.func())
```

4.90 CxList.InheritsFrom Method (string)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are inherited from the given class name.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InheritsFrom(string baseClassName)
```

Parameters

baseClassName

The name of the base class.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance which elements are inherited from the given base class name.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.InheritsFrom() method.
The input source code is:

class BClass
{
}

class CClass : BClass
{
}

result = All.InheritsFrom("BClass");

The result would consist of 1 item:
    CClass
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.91 CxList.InheritsFrom Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of "this" instance and its elements are inherited from the given CxList of classes.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList InheritsFrom(CxList baseClassList)
```

Parameters

baseClassList

The CxList of base classes.

Return Value

A subset of "this" instance which elements are inherited from the given base classes.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Comments

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.InheritsFrom() method.
The input source code is:

class BClass
{
}

class CClass : BClass
{
}

CxList c1 = All.FindByName("BClass");
result = All.InheritsFrom(c1);

The result would consist of 1 item:
    CClass
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

4.92 CxList.IntersectWithNodes Method (CxList)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of paths, which are the instance CxList, that includes elements of intersected CxList.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList IntersectWithNodes (CxList intersect)
```

Parameters

intersect

intersected CxList elements

Return Value

Returns a CxList which is a subset of paths , that includes elements of intersected CxList.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.FindByPosition() method.
The input source code is:

public void setString (String str){
    if (str.length >0){
        lst.add(str);
    }
    else{
        string otherStr ="string is empty";
        lst.add(otherStr);
    }
}

CxList intersect = All.FindByShortName("otherStr");
CxList paths = All.DataInfluencingOn(All.FindByShortName("add"));
result = paths.IntersectWithNodes(intersect);

the result would consist of 3 items:
    all ending at add    (in lst.add(otherStr);)
    starting
        otherStr        (in lst.add(otherStr);)
        otherStr        (in String otherStr ="string is empty";)
```

```
"string is empty" (in String otherStr ="string is empty";)
```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** 7.1.2

4.93 CxList.ReduceFlow Method (CxList.ReduceFlowType)

Returns CxList which is a subset of instance CxList and consists of longest paths to/from destination element for CxList.ReduceFlowType.ReduceSmallFlow parameter or shortest paths to/from destination element for CxList.ReduceFlowType.ReduceBigFlow parameter.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ReduceFlow (CxList.ReduceFlowType.)
```

Parameters

Type

The type of flow for reduce:

CxList.ReduceFlowType.ReduceBigFlow

CxList.ReduceFlowType.ReduceSmallFlow

Return Value

Returns CxList which is a subset of paths that consists of longest paths or shortest paths to/from destination element, depending on ReduceFlow methods parameter.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.ReduceFlow () method.
The input source code is:

ArrayList<String> lst = new ArrayList<String>();
public void setString (String str){
    if (str.length >0){
        lst.add(str);
    }
    else{
        String otherStr ="string is empty";
        lst.add(otherStr);
    }
}

CxList paths = All.DataInfluencingOn(All.FindByShortName("add"));

1.result = paths.ReduceFlow(CxList.ReduceFlowType.ReduceBigFlow);
the result would consist of 4 items:
```

```

    all ending at add (in lst.add(otherStr);)
    starting
      lst (in lst.add(str))
      str (in lst.add(str))
      lst (in lst.add(otherStr);)
      otherStr (in lst.add(otherStr);)

2. result = paths.ReduceFlow(CxList.ReduceFlowType.ReduceSmallFlow);

the result would consist of 4 items:
    all ending at add (in lst.add(otherStr);)
starting lst (in ArrayList<String> lst = new ArrayList<String>());
ending add (in lst.add(str);)

starting lst (in lst.add(str))
ending add (in lst.add(otherStr);)

starting str (in (String str))
ending add (in lst.add(str);)

starting "string is empty" (in String otherStr ="string is
empty");)
ending add (in lst.add(otherStr);)

```

Version Information

Supported from **CxAudit** 7.1.2

4.94 CxList.ReduceFlowByPragma Method ()

Returns a CxList which is a subset of instance CxList and consists of shortest paths from path starting line to path end line.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList ReduceFlowByPragma ()
```

Parameters

Return Value

Returns a CxList which are shortest paths from path starting line to path end line.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.ReduceFlowByPragma () method.
The input source code is:

public void setString (){
    String otherStr = otherStr;
    lst.add(otherStr);
}

CxList paths = All.DataInfluencedBy(All.FindByShortName("otherStr"));
result = paths.ReduceFlowByPragma();

the result would consist of 4 items:
  starts in otherStr of (String otherStr) ends in otherStr of
  (lst.add(otherStr);)
  starts in otherStr of (= otherStr;) ends in otherStr of (String
  otherStr)
  starts in otherStr of (String otherStr) ends in add of
  (lst.add(otherStr);)
  starts in otherStr of (lst.add(otherStr);) ends in add of
  (lst.add(otherStr);)
```


Version Information

Supported from CxAudit 7.1.2

4.95 CxList.SanitizeCxList Method (CxList sanitizeNodes)

Returns a CxList which is a subset of paths, which are the instance CxList, that doesn't include sanitize nodes.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public CxList SanitizeCxList (CxList sanitizeNodes)
```

Parameters

SanitizeNodes

CxList of sanitizer nodes.

Return Value

Returns a CxList which is a subset of paths that doesn't include sanitize nodes.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

The return value may be empty (Count = 0).

Example

```
CXQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.SanitizeCxList () method.
The input source code is:

public void setString (String input){
    String otherStr = input;
    lst.add(otherStr);
}

CxList paths = All.DataInfluencingOn(All.FindByShortName("add"));
CxList sanitizeNodes = All.FindByShortName("input");
result = paths.SanitizeCxList(sanitizeNodes);

the result would consist of 3 items:
all ends with add in lst.add(otherStr);
starts:
otherStr    (in String otherStr = input;)
lst         (in lst.add(otherStr);)
otherStr    (in lst.add(otherStr);)
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit 7.1.2

4.96 CxList.FillGraphsList Method (CxList)

Fills graphs for the list of roots given.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public void FillGraphsList (CxList graphRoots)
```

Parameters

graphRoots

List of roots to be filled with the graphs.

Return Value

None.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
NullReferenceException	parameter is a null reference

Example

```
CxQL
This example demonstrates the CxList.FillGraphsList () method.
With any Input source code, the method can be called after a Query.
result=All;
FillGraphsList(result);
At this point, the result list is filled with the Graphs.
```

4.97 CxList.FillGraphsList Method (CSharpGraph)

Fill graphs from one root element.

Syntax

```
CxQL
public void FillGraphsList (CSharpGraph graphRoot)
```

Parameters

graphRoot

CSharpGraph instance to be filled with Graphs.

Return Value

None.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Example

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxList.FillGraphsList () method.
with any Input source code, the method can be called after a Query.
first=All.GetFirstGraph();
FillGraphsList(first);
At this point, the first is filled with the Graphs.
```

5 CxList operators

The operators of the `CxList` class are listed here.

Public Operators

<code>==</code> Operator	Determines whether two specified <code>CxList</code> objects have the same values.
<code>!=</code> Operator	Determines whether two specified <code>CxList</code> objects do not have the same values (they differ by a least one value).
<code>+</code> Operator	Merges two specified <code>CxList</code> objects (same as <code> </code> operator)
<code>-</code> Operator	Removes the values of second specified <code>CxList</code> object from the first one.
<code>&</code> Operators	Intersects the values of the two specified <code>CxList</code> objects (same as <code>*</code> operator)
<code> </code> Operator	Merges two specified <code>CxList</code> object (same as <code>+</code> operator)
<code>*</code> Operator	Intersects the values of the two specified <code>CxList</code> objects (same as <code>&</code> operator)
<code><</code> Operator	Return true if the first specified <code>CxList</code> is completely contained within the second one.
<code>></code> Operator	Return true if the second specified <code>CxList</code> is completely contained within the first one.
<code><=</code> Operator	Return true if the first specified <code>CxList</code> is completely contained within the second one or they are equal.
<code>=></code> Operator	Return true if the second specified <code>CxList</code> is completely contained within the first one or they are equal.

6 CxQuery Miscellaneous Methods

6.1 CxDebug Method (string)

Display string to DebugMessages tab in CxAudit program

Syntax

```
CxQL
public void CxDebug(string)
```

Parameters

String to be displayed.

Return Value

none.

Exceptions

Exception type	Condition
ArgumentNullException	parameter is a null reference

Remarks

All calling to CxDebug should be removed from production version!!!

In debug version the results will appears in log of CxAudit program too.

Example

The following code example shows how you can use the CxDebug method.

```
CxQL

This example demonstrates the CxDebug method.
The input source code is:

class c11
{
    void foo()
    {
        int a = 3;
        int b = 5;
    }
}

result = All.FindByShortName("foo");
if (result.Count > 0)
    CxDebug(result.GetFirstGraph().ShortName);
CxDebug("number of DOM elements =" + All.Count);

the result would be - on DebugMessage tab in CxAudit program
foo
number of DOM elements = 14
```

Version Information

Supported from CxAudit v1.8.1

7 CxDOM Types

The built-in types in CxDOM are listed here:

Types	Types (cont.)	Types(Cont.)
AccessorDecl	DestructorDecl	ParamDecl
ArgumentRef	EnumDecl	PostfixExpr
ArrayCreateExpr	EnumMemberDecl	PrimitiveExpr
ArrayElementRef	EventDecl	PropertyDecl
ArrayInitializer	EventRef	PropertyRef
AssemblyReference	Expression	PropertySetValueRef
AssignExpr	ExprStmt	RankSpecifier
AttachDelegateStmt	FieldDecl	RealLiteral
BaseRef	FieldRef	Reference
BinaryExpr	ForEachStmt	RemoveDelegateStmt
BooleanLiteral	GotoStmt	ReturnStmt
BreakStmt	IfStmt	Statement
BuiltInType	Import	StaticRef
Case	IndexerDecl	StringLiteral
CastExpr	IndexerRef	StructDecl
Catch	IntegerLiteral	SubExpr
CharLiteral	InterfaceDecl	SwitchStmt
CheckedStmt	IterationStmt	TernaryExpr
ClassDecl	LabeledStmt	ThisRef
Comment	LinePragma	ThrowStmt
CommentStmt	LocalRef	TryCatchFinallyStmt
CompileUnit	LockStmt	TypeDecl
ConstantDecl	MemberAccess	TypeOfExpr
ConstantDeclStmt	MemberDecl	TypeRef
ConstructorDecl	MethodDecl	UnaryExpr
ContinueStmt	MethodInvokeExpr	UncheckedStmt
CreateDelegateExpr	MethodRef	UnknownReference
CSharpGraph	NamespaceDecl	UsingStmt

Types	Types (cont.)	Types(Cont.)
CustomAttributes	NullLiteral	VariableDecl
Declarator	ObjectCreateExpr	VariableDeclStmt
DelegateDecl	OperatorDecl	
DelegateInvokeExpr	Param	

Example

In order to better understand each of these types, try the following query:

CXQL

```
result = All.FindByType(typeof(IfStmt)); Change "IfStmt" to one of the
above
types.
```