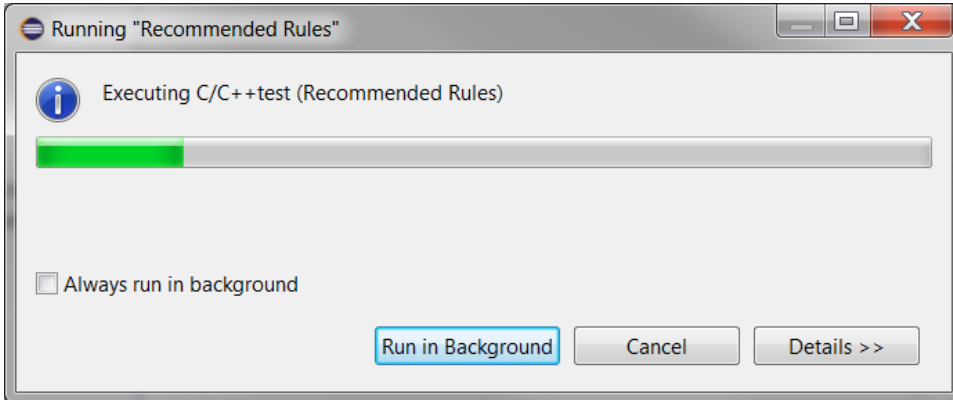


# Running Static Analysis

The Engine must be enabled to run code analysis (see [Enabling and Configuring the Engine](#)). Enabling the Engine makes a test configuration active. You can change the active test configuration (see [Setting the Active Test Configuration](#)) and save frequently used test configurations in the Configurations settings (see [Saving Test Configurations to the Favorites Menu](#)).

1. Select a file, project, or directory of files that you want to analyze.
2. To run the active configuration, choose **Parasoft> Run "[name of active test configuration]"** or click the **Run "[name of active test configuration]"** toolbar button.  
To run a favorite configuration or a recently run configuration, choose **Parasoft> Favorites and Run History> "[name of test configuration]"**. Your IDE will show the progress bar, and the console panel will display information about the analysis; see [Customizing Console Verbosity](#) for details on configuring the level of detail reported.



3. Choose **Parasoft> Show View> Findings** to view static analysis results; see [Viewing Findings](#).
4. You can also enable the **Generate reports** option and click **OK** when the analysis completes to view a report configured according to your settings; see [Generating Reports](#).

