01-GitBasics

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1 Git

Git is a free and open source distributed version control system designed to handle everything from small to very large projects with speed and efficiency.

Official website https://git-scm.com

1.1 GitHub

- Web-based hosting service for version control using Git.
- Offers all of the distributed version control and source code management (SCM) functionality of Git as well as adding its own features.
- Provides access control and several collaboration features such as bug tracking, feature requests, task management, and wikis for every project.
- Github is the largest host of source code in the world.

1.2 About SCM

- Records changes to a file or set of files over time.
- You can recall specific versions later.
- You can use it with nearly any type of file on a computer.
- This is the better way to collaborate on the same document.
- Every change is committed with an author and a date.
- Figures are downloaded from Pro Git book.
- "Become a git guru" tutorial (https://www.atlassian.com/git/tutorials).

1.3 Local Version Control System

• Collaboration is not really possible.

1.4 Distributed Version Control Systems

- Clients fully mirror the repository.
- You can collaborate with different groups of people in different ways simultaneously within the same project.

- No need of network connection.
- Multiple backups.

1.5 Configure Git

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Settings are saved on the computer for all your git repositories.
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```
git config --global user.name "Prenom Nom"
git config --global user.email "prenom.nom@univ-rennes2.fr"
```

1.6 Cloning the repository

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git clone ssh://svmass2/git/big-data.git
git clone https://github.com/pnavaro/big-data.git
To save your work locally create a branch
git checkout -b my_branch
```

Four File status in the repository

1.8 Git Workflow

Locally saving your modifications

Get your files status

```
[1]: %%bash
     git status
```

```
On branch master
Your branch is up to date with 'origin/master'.
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```
Untracked files:
```

```
(use "git add <file>..." to include in what will be committed)
      ../.doit.db.dat
      ../spark-3.0.0-bin-hadoop2.7.tgz
      ../spark-3.0.0-bin-hadoop2.7/
```

nothing added to commit but untracked files present (use "git add" to track)

1.10 Add the modified file to the index

```
git add your_notebook_copy.ipynb
```

Checking which files are ready to be committed.

ddc43b0..a4097ac master

```
[2]: %%bash
     git status
    On branch master
    Your branch is up to date with 'origin/master'.
    Untracked files:
      (use "git add <file>..." to include in what will be committed)
            ../.doit.db.dat
            ../spark-3.0.0-bin-hadoop2.7.tgz
            ../spark-3.0.0-bin-hadoop2.7/
    nothing added to commit but untracked files present (use "git add" to track)
    Now save your work, the branch is local.
    git commit -m 'Some modifications'
    1.11 Updating from the Repository
    If the master branch has changed. To get all new updates:
[3]: %%bash
     git pull origin master
    Updating ddc43b0..a4097ac
    Fast-forward
     .github/workflows/deploy.yml | 18 -----
     1 file changed, 18 deletions(-)
    warning: Pulling without specifying how to reconcile divergent branches is
    discouraged. You can squelch this message by running one of the following
    commands sometime before your next pull:
      git config pull.rebase false # merge (the default strategy)
      git config pull.rebase true
                                    # rebase
      git config pull.ff only
                                    # fast-forward only
    You can replace "git config" with "git config --global" to set a default
    preference for all repositories. You can also pass --rebase, --no-rebase,
    or --ff-only on the command line to override the configured default per
    invocation.
    From https://github.com/pnavaro/big-data
     * branch
                                    -> FETCH HEAD
                         master
```

-> origin/master

1.12 Solve conflicts

• If you have some conflicts, no problem just do :

git checkout notebook.ipynb

It will give you back the original version of notebook.ipynb

• If you have big troubles, you can do

git reset --hard

Be careful with this last command, you remove uncommitted changes.

1.13 Git through IDE

- Install bash-completion and source git-prompt.sh.
- Use Gui tools:
 - GitHub Desktop
 - Sourcetree
 - GitKraken
- VCS plugin of IDE
 - RStudio
 - Eclipse
 - JetBrains