

GitHub Source Control Workshop

Abertay Programming Society
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Have you got a GitHub account yet?!

Announcements

 Please give us your membership payments members will be rewarded;)

 All the examples / code from last week is now on our GitHub page

https://github.com/AbertayProgrammers



What is 'Version Control', and why should you care?

- A system that means you can keep track of changes to a file/files over time and revert to specific versions later on
- Especially useful for group projects (3rd year) as it allows you to 'merge' your version of something with another version of it

You can:

- Revert selected files / entire project back to a previous state
- Compare changes over time
- See modification / problem history
- o And more!

Installing Git

Already installed on lab computers.

Windows:

http://git-scm.com/download/win

Linux:

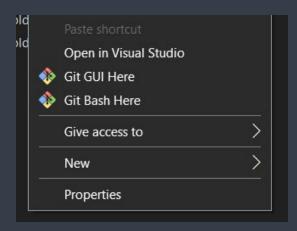
You will probably already have git installed!

Bash

Bash stands for "Bourne-Again Shell"

Basically it's a command line interface we'll use for Git.

Right click in a directory and click "Git Bash Here"



Useful bash commands

cd - change directory

touch - create a new file

mkdir - make directory

ls - display a list of the contents of the current directory

Create a project!

Just make a folder and create a .txt text document

Create a Github repository

Create a Github account

Click "New repository"

Upload project to GitHub

- Open your project directory in Bash
- git init
- git add .
- git commit -m "<descriptive message>"
- git remote add origin <your github repo>.git
- git push -u origin master

Also...

Need to set identity
 (i.e. login)

Do both of these commands

```
C:\Users\Jessica\md5crack>git commit -m "first commit"
*** Please tell me who you are.
Run
 git config --global user.email "you@example.com"
 git config --global user.name "Your Name"
to set your account's default identity.
Omit --global to set the identity only in this repository.
fatal: unable to auto-detect email address (got 'Jessica@Jessica-PC.(none)')
C:\Users\Jessica\md5crack>_
```

Git pull

- Git pull incorporates changes from the remote repository to local repository
- Git pull "<repository>"

Branches

Good for adding new features separately before combining them with your project

Good for when you have multiple people working on a project

Creating a new branch

• git checkout -b branch_name

Switching to another branch

git checkout branch_name

Git merge

- Git merge incorporates changes from selected branches to master
- Git merge "<branch>"

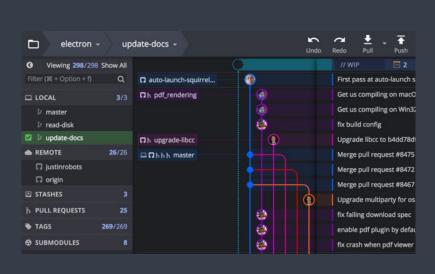
Diff

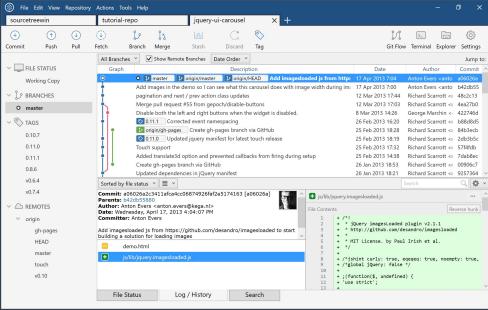
git diff

• git diff master:./file branch-name:./file

Git GUIs

Eg GitKraken, Sourcetree





IDE plugins

- Plugins are built-in for majority of IDEs
 - Visual Studio
 - JetBrains
 - Sublime
 - o Atom
 - Etc etc
- Some others have plugins to download
 - (e.g. EGit)

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Hacktoberfest

Hacktoberfest

Registration is open! https://hacktoberfest.digitalocean.com

You are now ready to take part - have a look: https://github.com/search?q=label%3Ahacktoberfest+state%3Aopen&type=Issues

More on this next week!
But if you want to start then get going.
First 50,000 participants get a T-Shirt!

Thanks for listening!

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if (Questions)
  return answer;
else
  print('See you next week!');
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