

# Quiz Questions | Answers

## Module 4 | Lesson 4.5 – Setting Up Env Variables

1. Why is it important to never commit database configuration variables to source code?

**A:** Database configuration variables should always be kept confidential and are responsible for setting up our app's runtime environment.

**B:** There is no issue with committing database configuration variables since they can always be changed.

**C:** Having too many database configuration variables in application source code can make things difficult to track.

**D:** Version control systems like Git can't maintain environment variables.

**Answer:** A - Database configuration variables should always be kept confidential and are responsible for setting up our app's runtime environment.

2. Which file allows us to declare the files we would want Git to not commit from a directory?

**A:** .env

**B:** .gitrc.json

**C:** .gitignore

**D:** gitignore.json

**Answer:** C - .gitignore

3. In Node environments, **process** is a global object that has information about the currently running process.

**A:** True

**B:** False

**Answer:** A - True