



GitHub

Introduction to Git and GitHub

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What is a 'version control system?'

- a way to manage files and directories
- track changes over time
- recall previous versions
- 'source control' is a subset of a VCS.

Some history of source control...

(1972) Source Code Control System (SCCS)

- closed source, part of UNIX

(1982) Revision Control System(RCS)

- open source

(1986) Concurrent Versions System (CVS)

- open source



(2000) Apache Subversion (SVN)

- open source



...more history

(2000) BitKeeper SCM



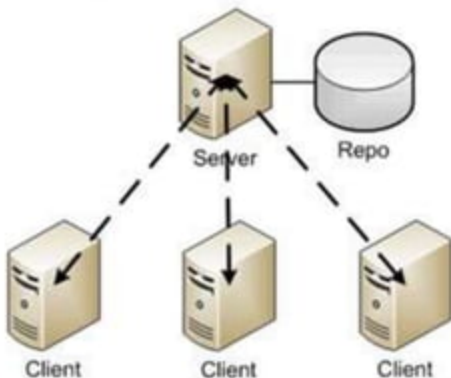
- closed source, proprietary, used with source code management of Linux kernel
- free until 2005
- distributed version control

Distributed version control

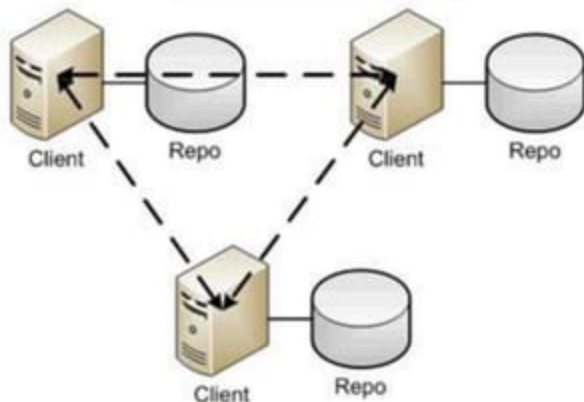
No central server

Every developer is a client, the server and the repository

Traditional



Distributed



Source: <http://bit.ly/1SH4E23>

What is git?

What is git?



- created by Linus Torvalds, April 2005
- replacement for BitKeeper to manage Linux kernel changes
- a command line version control program
- uses checksums to ensure data integrity
- distributed version control (like BitKeeper)
- cross-platform (including Windows!)
- open source, free

Popularity

Results of the Eclipse Community Survey regarding SVN and Git usage:

Year	Git	Subversion
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2009	2.4%	57.5%
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2010	6.8%	58.3%
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2011	12.8%	51.3%
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2012	27.6%	46.0%
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2013	36.3%	37.8%
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<https://www.openhub.net/repositories/compare>

<http://bit.ly/1QyLoOu>

<http://www.indeed.com/jobtrends/q-svn-q-git-q-subversion-q-github.html?relative=1>

Git distributed version control

- “If you’re not distributed, you’re not worth using.” – Linus Torvalds
- no need to connect to central server
- can work without internet connection
- no single failure point
- developers can work independently and merge their work later
- every copy of a Git repository can serve either as the server or as a client (and has complete history!)
- Git tracks **changes**, not versions
- Bunch of little **change sets** floating around

Is Git for me?

- People primarily working with source code
- Anyone wanting to track edits (especially changes to text files)
 - review history of changes
 - anyone wanting to share, merge changes
- Anyone not afraid of command line tools



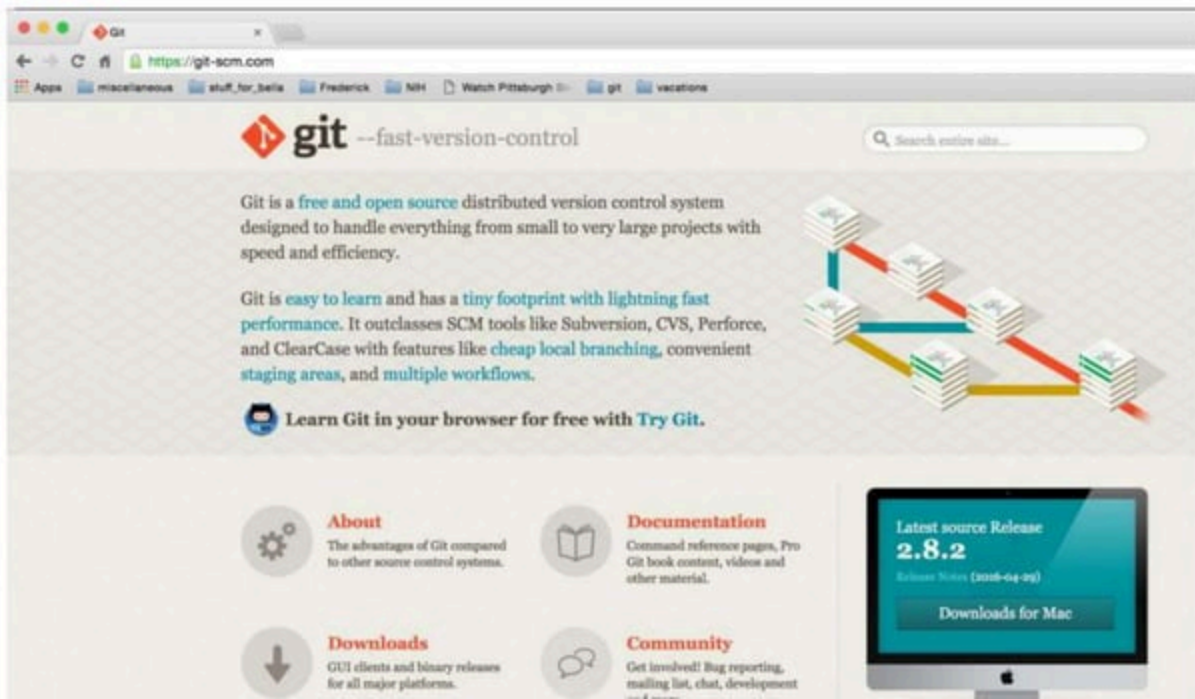
Most popular languages used with Git

- HTML
- CSS
- Javascript
- Python
- ASP
- Scala
- Shell scripts
- PHP
- Ruby
- Ruby on Rails
- Perl
- Java
- C
- C++
- C#
- Objective C
- Haskell
- CoffeeScript
- ActionScript

Not as useful for image, movies, music...and files that must be interpreted (.pdf, .psd, etc.)

How do I get it?

<http://git-scm.com>



The screenshot shows the Git website homepage in a web browser. The browser's address bar displays <https://git-scm.com>. The page features the Git logo and the tagline "--fast-version-control". A search bar is located in the top right corner. The main content area describes Git as a free and open source distributed version control system, highlighting its speed, efficiency, ease of learning, and small footprint. It also mentions its advantages over other SCM tools like Subversion, CVS, Perforce, and ClearCase. A diagram on the right illustrates a branching model with stacks of code and colored lines representing branches. Below the main text, there are four sections: "About" (comparing Git to other systems), "Documentation" (providing links to command reference, Pro Git book, and videos), "Downloads" (listing GUI clients and binary releases), and "Community" (encouraging bug reporting and participation). A sidebar on the right promotes the latest source release (2.8.2) and provides a link to download for Mac.

git --fast-version-control

Search entire site...

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.

Git is **easy to learn** and has a **tiny footprint with lightning fast performance**. It outclasses SCM tools like Subversion, CVS, Perforce, and ClearCase with features like **cheap local branching**, convenient staging areas, and **multiple workflows**.

 Learn Git in your browser for free with **Try Git**.

About
The advantages of Git compared to other source control systems.

Documentation
Command reference pages, Pro Git book content, videos and other material.

Downloads
GUI clients and binary releases for all major platforms.

Community
Get involved! Bug reporting, mailing list, chat, development and more.

Latest source Release
2.8.2
Release Notes (2018-04-29)
[Downloads for Mac](#)

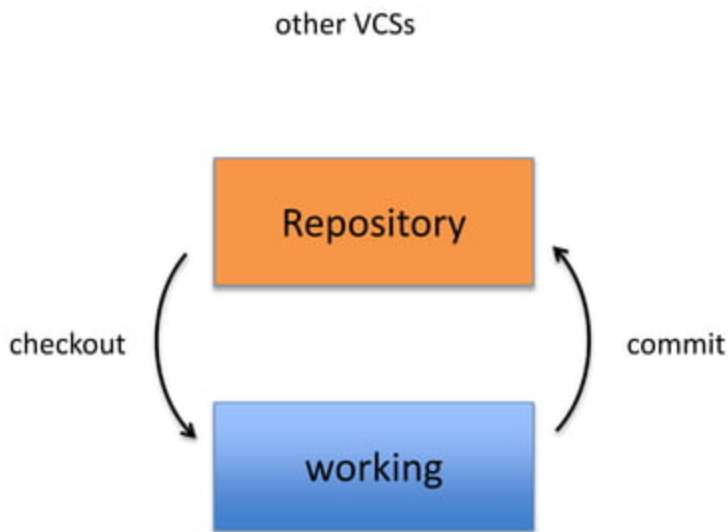
Git install tip

- Much better to set up on a per-user basis (instead of a global, system-wide install)

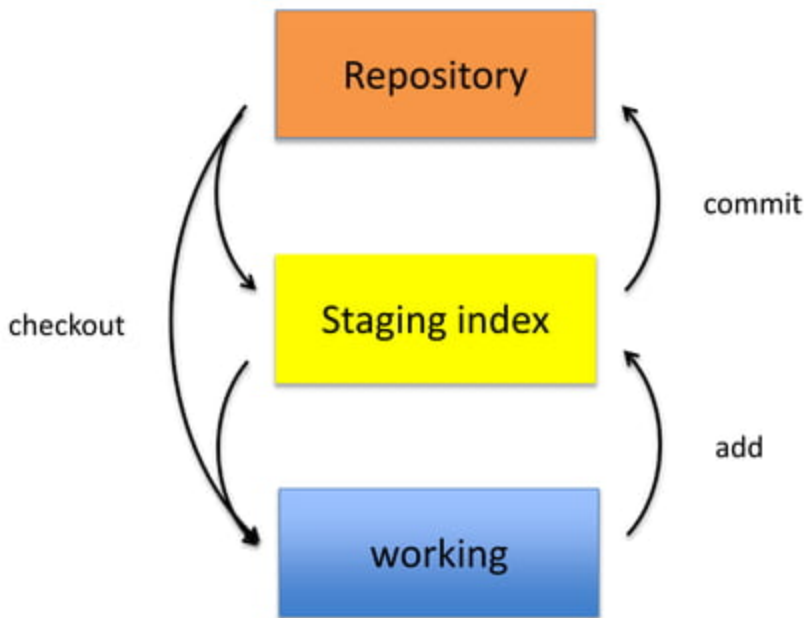
What is a repository?

- “repo” = repository
- usually used to organize a single project
- repos can contain folders and files, images, videos, spreadsheets, and data sets – anything your project needs

Two-tree architecture



Git uses a three-tree architecture



A simple Git workflow

1. Initialize a new project in a directory:

`git init`

```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop ]$ mkdir new_project
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop ]$ cd new_project/
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ git init
Initialized empty Git repository in /Users/dolanmi/Desktop/new_project/.git/
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$
```

2. Add a file using a text editor to the directory
3. Add every change that has been made to the directory:

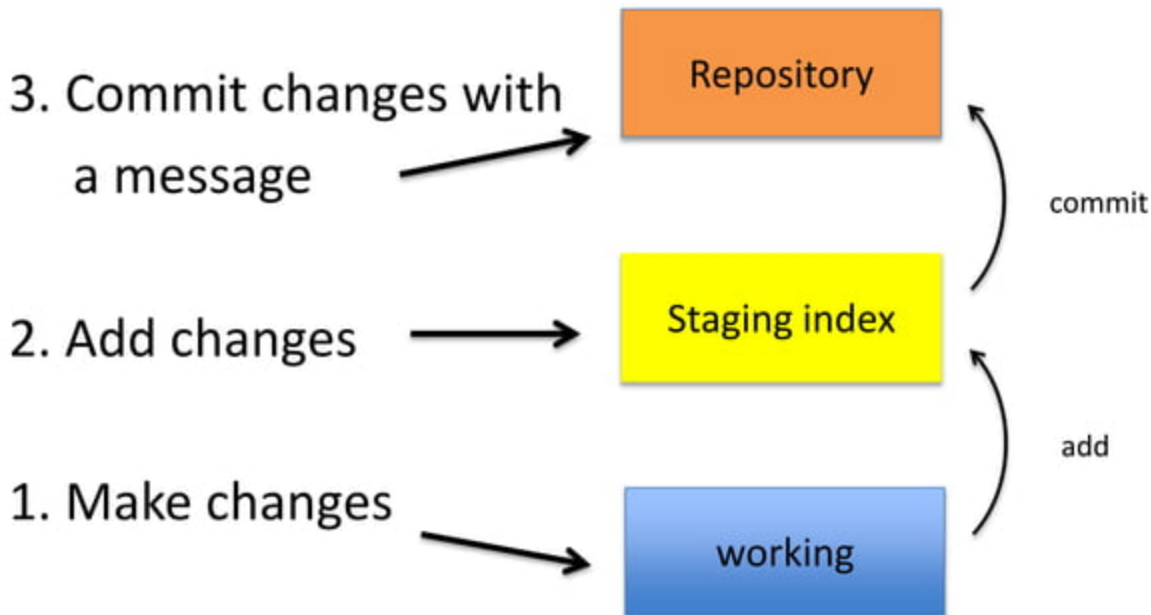
`git add .`

4. Commit the change to the repo:

`git commit -m "important message here"`

```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ git add .
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ git commit -m "Add message to file.txt"
[master (root-commit) 1a7e4a5] Add message to file.txt
 1 file changed, 1 insertion(+)
 create mode 100644 file.txt
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$
```

After initializing a new git repo...



A note about commit messages

- Tell what it does (present tense)
- Single line summary followed by blank space followed by more complete description
- Keep lines to ≤ 72 characters
- Ticket or bug number helps

Good and bad examples

Bad: “Typo fix”

Good: “Add missing / in CSS section”

Bad: “Updates the table. We’ll discuss next
Monday with Darrell.”

Bad: `git commit -m "Fix login bug"`

Good: `git commit -m`



Redirect user to the requested page after login

`https://trello.com/path/to/relevant/card`

Users were being redirected to the home page after login, which is less useful than redirecting to the page they had originally requested before being redirected to the login form.

- * Store requested path in a session variable
- * Redirect to the stored location after successfully logging in the user

How to I see what was done?

git log

```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ git log
commit 6c40ffd9ba4ba1567eb6fcd3715f12a15b0a678d
Author: mchldln <dolanmi@niaid.nih.gov>
Date:   Mon May 2 18:11:23 2016 -0400

    Add message to text file
[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ █
```

```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/bcbb/portal_project/git/BCBBportalXI ]$ git log
commit f8c00639a649a122446040b15185cc09c4c5c71c
Author: Yamil Boo <yamil.booirizarry@nih.gov>
Date: Fri Apr 29 15:02:56 2016 -0400
```

update headers

```
commit eb0cf49cc05786cbc7314902f06af5a9ad93149e
Author: Yamil Boo <yamil.booirizarry@nih.gov>
Date: Tue Apr 26 12:07:32 2016 -0400
```

update name link and about page

```
commit 44c433a1794cfef211d5116568dcf6e67d518b2f
Author: Yamil Boo <yamil.booirizarry@nih.gov>
Date: Mon Apr 25 15:45:27 2016 -0400
```

remove about, change font family in the name

```
commit 898be0093a995c08a7a4f99219abee255b94a874
Author: Yamil Boo <yamil.booirizarry@nih.gov>
Date: Fri Apr 22 09:30:49 2016 -0400
```

updating header and sidenav bar

```
commit c5f689ed0b8c71582b3d301e2282f9e6472962c6
Author: Yamil Boo <yamil.booirizarry@nih.gov>
Date: Thu Apr 21 14:29:20 2016 -0400
```

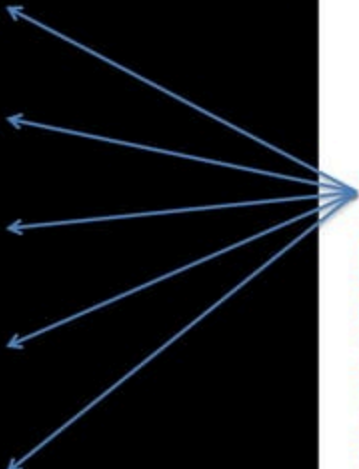
change the name to code

```
commit 4463ea2d1c75b80af9d2894feb2eb3ded7fe40c9
:
commit f8c00639a649a122446040b15185cc09c4c5c71c
Author: Yamil Boo <yamil.booirizarry@nih.gov>
Date: Fri Apr 29 15:02:56 2016 -0400
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update name link and about page

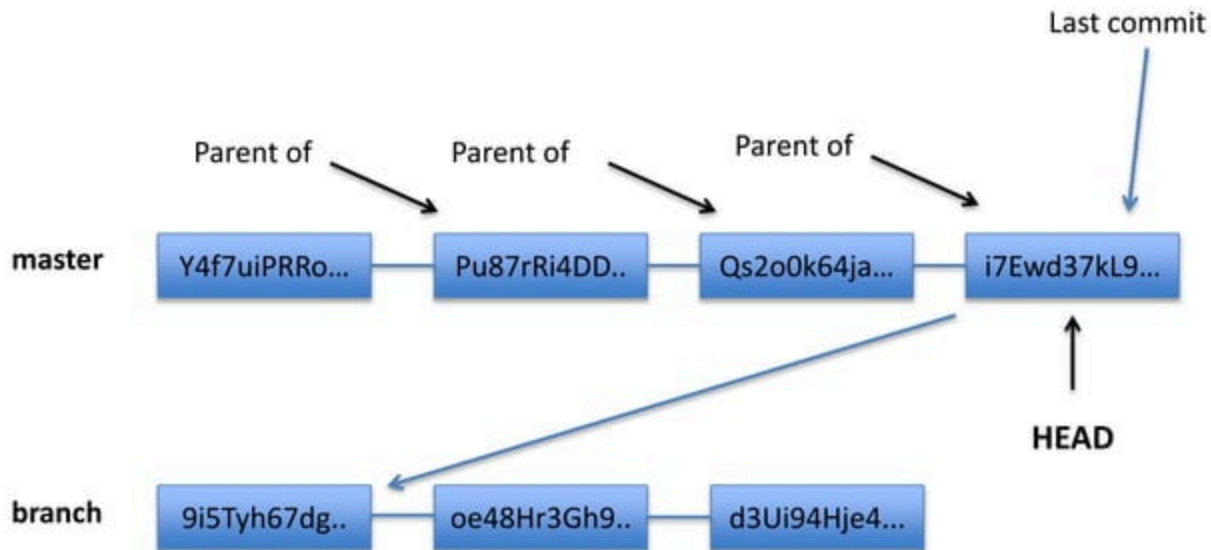


SHA1
generated by
SHA1
encryption
algorithm

The HEAD pointer

- points to a specific commit in repo
- as new commits are made, the pointer changes
- **HEAD always points to the “tip” of the currently checked-out branch in the repo**
- (not the working directory or staging index)
- last state of repo (what was checked out initially)
- HEAD points to parent of next commit (where writing the next commit takes place)





Which files were changed and where do they sit in the three tree?

`git status` – allows one to see where files are in the three tree scheme

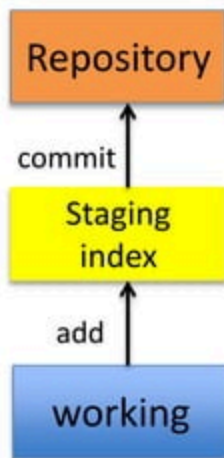
```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ git status
On branch master
Changes not staged for commit:
  (use "git add <file>..." to update what will be committed)
  (use "git checkout -- <file>..." to discard changes in working directory)

        modified:   file.txt

no changes added to commit (use "git add" and/or "git commit -a")
```

```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ git status
On branch master
Changes to be committed:
  (use "git reset HEAD <file>..." to unstage)

        modified:   file.txt
```



What changed in working directory?

`git diff` – compares changes to files between repo and working directory

```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ git diff
diff --git a/file.txt b/file.txt
index 4e1c952..bd5fd23 100644
--- a/file.txt
+++ b/file.txt
@@ -1, +1 @@
-NIEHS is not great!
+NIEHS is great!
```

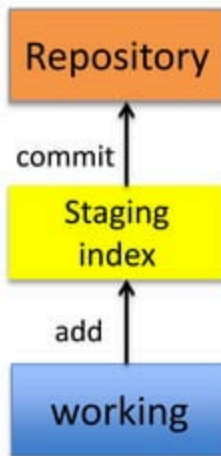
Line numbers in file

Removed

Added

Note: `git diff --staged` - compares staging index to repo

Note: `git diff filename` can be used as well



Deleting files from the repo

`git rm filename.txt`

- moves deleted file change to staging area
- It is not enough to delete the file in your working directory. You must commit the change.



Deleting files from the repo

```
[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project]$ git add file.txt
[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project]$ git commit -m "message"
[master (root-commit) 1edae8] message
 1 file changed, 1 insertion(+)
 create mode 100644 file.txt
[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project]$ git status
On branch master
nothing to commit, working directory clean
[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project]$ git rm file.txt
rm 'file.txt'
[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project]$ git status
On branch master
Changes to be committed:
  (use "git reset HEAD <file>..." to unstage)

        deleted:    file.txt

[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project]$ git commit -m "delete file.txt"
[master c4f8073] delete file.txt
 1 file changed, 1 deletion(-)
 delete mode 100644 file.txt

[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project]$ git status
On branch master
nothing to commit, working directory clean
```

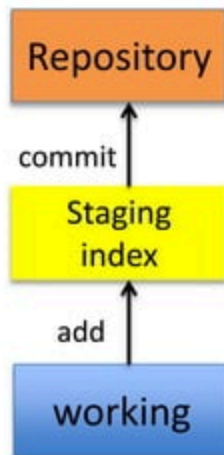
Moving (renaming) files

`git mv filename1.txt filename2.txt`

```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ git mv file2.txt file1.txt
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project ]$ git status
On branch master
Changes to be committed:
  (use "git reset HEAD <file>..." to unstage)

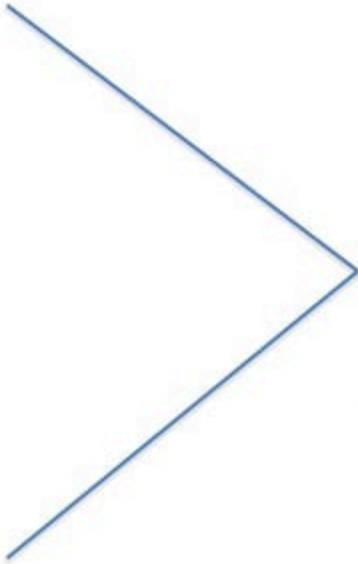
        renamed:    file2.txt -> file1.txt
```

Note: File file1.txt was committed to repo earlier.



Good news!

git init
git status
git log
git add
git commit
git diff
git rm
git mv



75% of the time you'll be using
only these commands

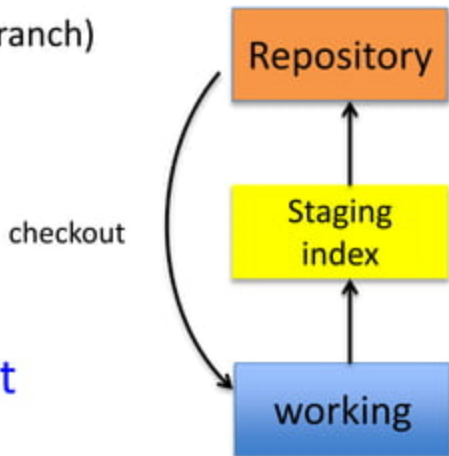
What if I want to undo changes made to working directory?

`git checkout something`

(where "something" is a file or an entire branch)

- git checkout will grab the file from the repo
- *Example:* `git checkout -- file1.txt`

(“checkout file ‘file1.txt’ from the current branch”)



What if I want to undo changes added to staging area?

`git reset HEAD filename.txt`

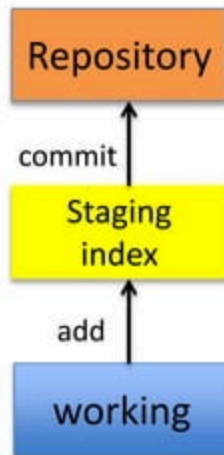
```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ vi file4.txt
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git add .
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git status
On branch master
Changes to be committed:
  (use "git reset HEAD <file>..." to unstage)

    modified:   file4.txt

[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git reset HEAD file4.txt
Unstaged changes after reset:
M   file4.txt
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git status
On branch master
Changes not staged for commit:
  (use "git add <file>..." to update what will be committed)
  (use "git checkout -- <file>..." to discard changes in working directory)

    modified:   file4.txt

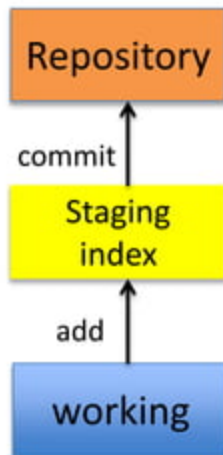
no changes added to commit (use "git add" and/or "git commit -a")
```



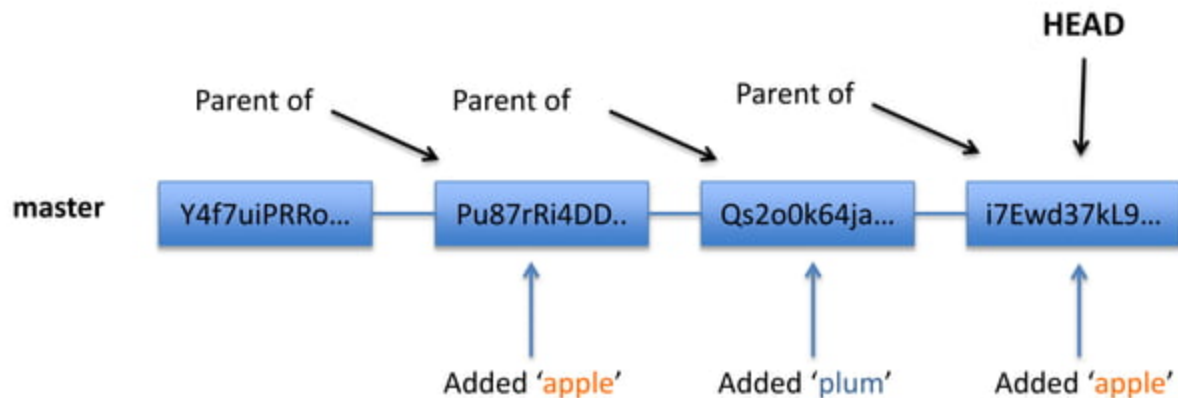
What if I want to undo changes committed to the repo?

`git commit --amend -m "message"`

- allows one to amend a change to the last commit
- anything in staging area will be amended to the last commit



Note: To undo changes to older commits, make a new commit



Obtain older versions

```
[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2]$ git log
commit 60f1c1a034fdcab4e8127d36556a881e7778c2ec
Author: mchldln <dolanmi@niaid.nih.gov>
Date: Tue May 3 17:00:36 2016 -0400

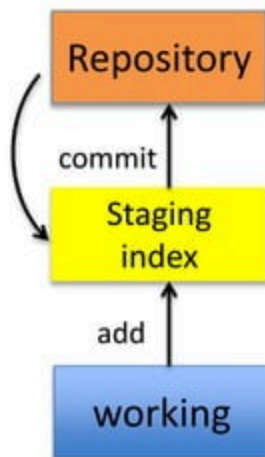
    another message yet

commit d685ff9a41a9eec62e6010827513e33ba1abc0d6
Author: mchldln <dolanmi@niaid.nih.gov>
Date: Tue May 3 17:00:09 2016 -0400

    another message

commit 6e073c640928b1470f8443e594fb63063c87bcf7
Author: mchldln <dolanmi@niaid.nih.gov>
Date: Tue May 3 14:25:38 2016 -0400

    message
```



`git checkout 6e073c640928b -- filename.txt`

Note: Checking out older commits places them into the staging area

git checkout 6e073c640928b -- filename.txt

```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git checkout 6e073c640928b -- file4.txt
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git status
On branch master
Changes to be committed:
  (use "git reset HEAD <file>..." to unstage)

        modified:   file4.txt

[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git diff
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git diff --staged
diff --git a/file4.txt b/file4.txt
index 56392a0..9c595a6 100644
--- a/file4.txt
+++ b/file4.txt
@@ -1,1 @@
-temp temp temp 2
+temp
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git reset HEAD file4.txt
Unstaged changes after reset:
M       file4.txt
```

Repository

Staging
index

working

Which files are in a repo?

git ls-tree tree-ish

tree-ish – a way to reference a repo
full SHA, part SHA, HEAD, others

```
[dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2]$ git ls-tree HEAD
100644 blob 5626abf0f72e58d7a153368ba57db4c673c0e171    file1.txt
100644 blob f719efd430d52bcfc8566a43b2eb655688d38871    file2.txt
100644 blob a5648e79c58aab29ec5e45e99781edd7263e19e7    file3.txt
100644 blob 9c595a6fb7692405a5c4a10e1caf93d7a5bd9c37    file4.txt
040000 tree 6460ee80311f76a04b884e60f25400cf30b477b9    sub_dir
```

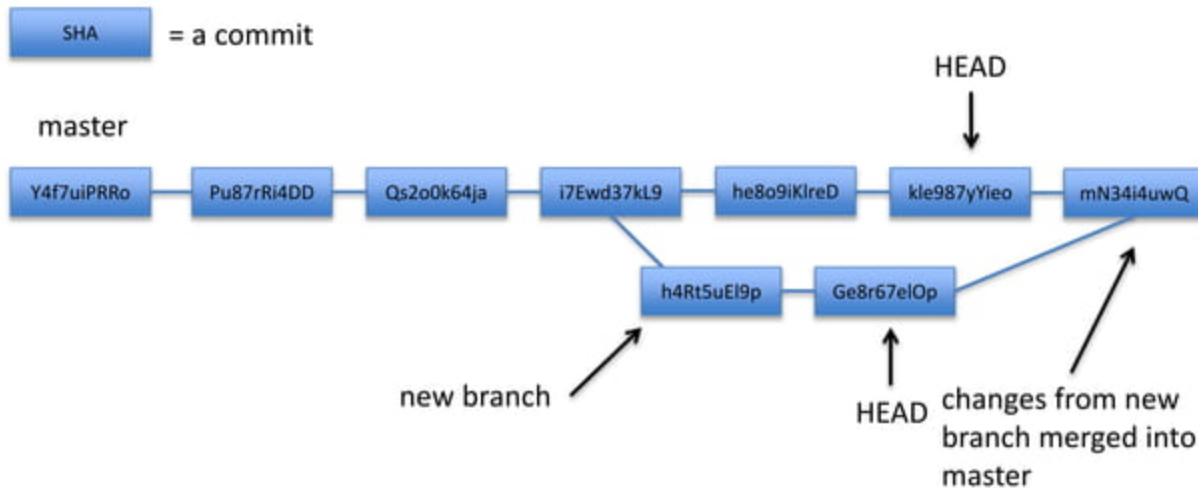
blob = file, tree = directory

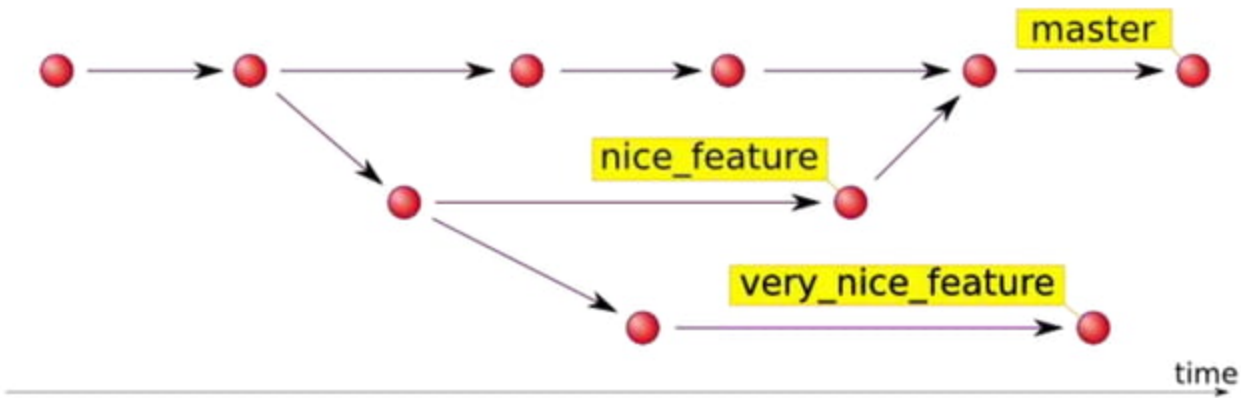
branching



- allows one to try new ideas
- If an idea doesn't work, throw away the branch. Don't have to undo many changes to master branch
- If it *does* work, merge ideas into master branch.
- There is only one working directory

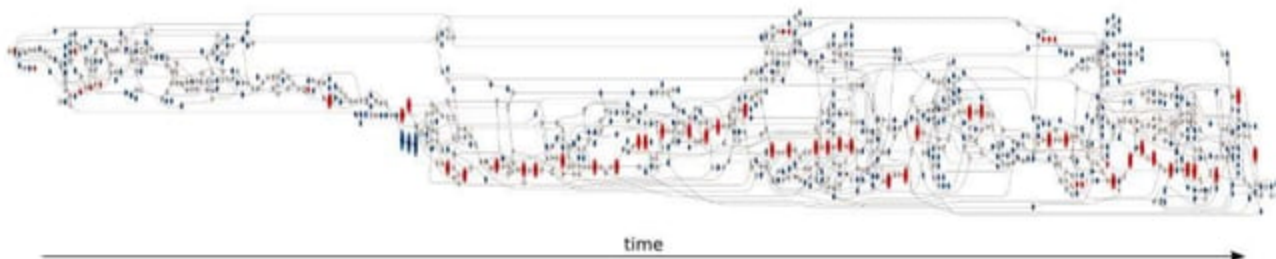
Branching and merging example





Source: <http://hades.github.io/2010/01/git-your-friend-not-foe-vol-2-branches/>

16 forks and 7 contributors to the master branch



red - commits pointed to by tags
blue - branch heads
white - merge and bifurcation commits.

In which branch am I?

git branch

```
[dolanmi]$ git branch  
* master
```

How do I create a new branch?

`git branch new_branch_name`

```
[dolanmi]$ git branch
* master
  new_feature
```

Note: At this point, both HEADs of the branches are pointing to the same commit (that of master)

How do I switch to new branch?

`git checkout new_branch_name`

```
[dolanmi]$ git checkout new_feature
Switched to branch 'new_feature'
[dolanmi]$ git branch
  master
* new_feature
```

At this point, one can switch between branches, making commits, etc. in either branch, while the two stay separate from one another.

Note: In order to switch to another branch, your current working directory must be clean (no conflicts, resulting in data loss).

Comparing branches

`git diff first_branch..second_branch`

```
[dolanmi]$ git diff master..new_feature
diff --git a/file1.txt b/file1.txt
index 5626abf..1684a0f 100644
--- a/file1.txt
+++ b/file1.txt
@@ -1,1 @@
-one
+new information
```

How do I merge a branch?

From the branch into which you want to merge another branch....

`git merge` branch_to_merge

```
[dolanmi]$ git branch
* master
  new_feature
[dolanmi]$ git merge new_feature
Updating 3789cd3..1214807
Fast-forward
 file1.txt | 2 +-
 1 file changed, 1 insertion(+), 1 deletion(-)
[dolanmi]$ git diff master..new_feature
[dolanmi]$
```

Note: Always have a clean working directory when merging

“fast-forward” merge occurs when HEAD of master branch is seen when looking back

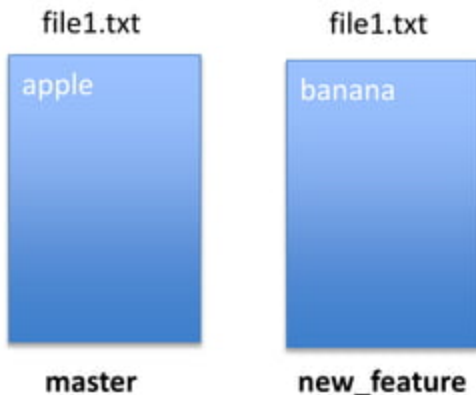


“recursive” merge occurs by looking back and combining ancestors to resolve merge



merge conflicts

What if there are two changes to same line in two different commits?



```
[dolanmi]$ git merge new_feature
Auto-merging file1.txt
CONFLICT (content): Merge conflict in file1.txt
Automatic merge failed; fix conflicts and then commit the result.
```

Resolving merge conflicts

Git will notate the conflict in the files!

```
<<<<<< HEAD  
apple  
=====  
banana  
>>>>>> new_feature
```

Solutions:

1. Abort the merge using `git merge --abort`
2. Manually fix the conflict
3. Use a merge tool (there are many out there)

Graphing merge history

git log --graph --oneline --all --decorate

```
[dolanmil]$ git log --graph --oneline --all --decorate
* 7367e1e (HEAD -> master) fix merge conflict
|\
| * b4f09a5 (new_feature) add banana
| * | df043c1 add apple
|/
* 1214807 new information added
* 3789cd3 file3.txt
* 6bfebcd new dir
* 730c6bd files
* 48f1ecf c
* 60f1c1a another message yet
* d685ff9 another message
* 6e073c6 message
```

Tips to reduce merge pain

- merge often
- keep commits small/focused
- bring changes occurring to master into your branch frequently (“tracking”)

What is



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How people build software

Millions of developers use GitHub to build personal projects, support their businesses, and work together on open source technologies.

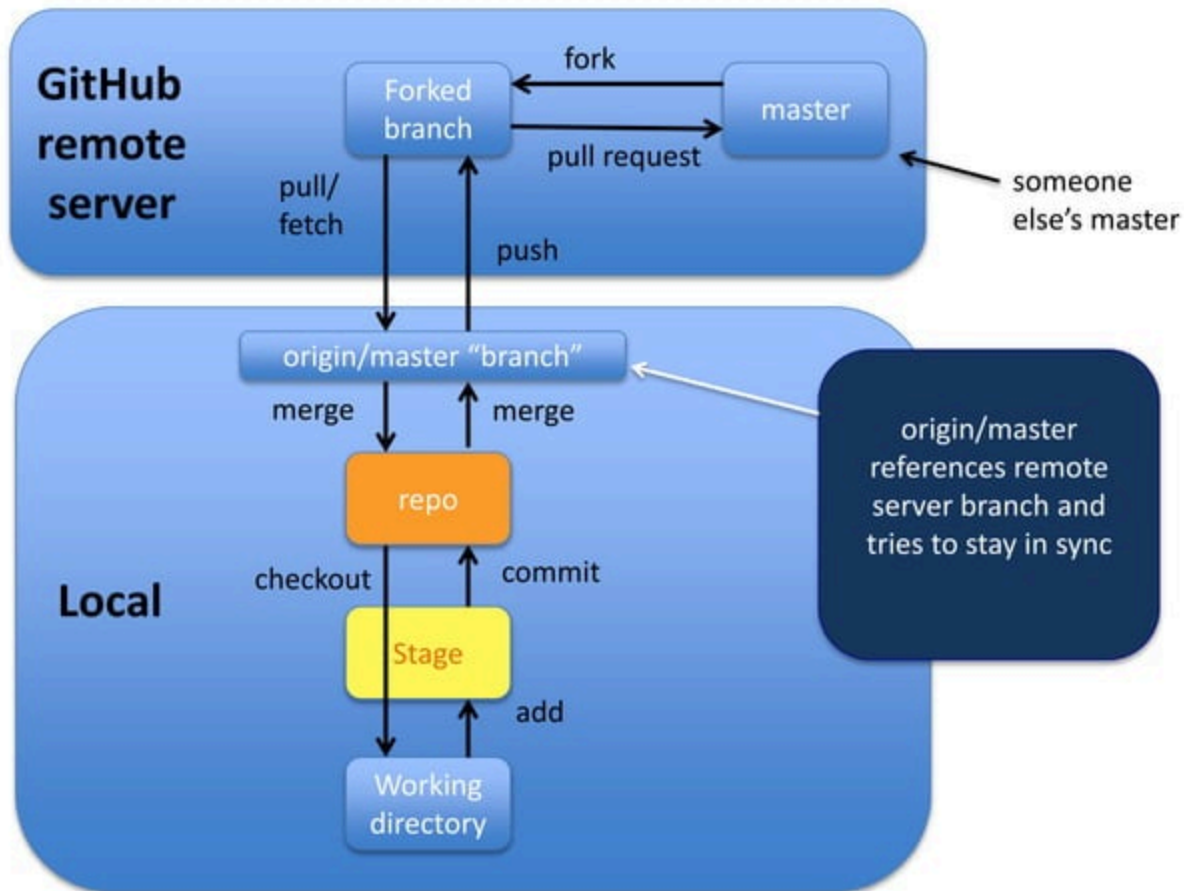
Use at least one letter, one numeral, and seven characters.

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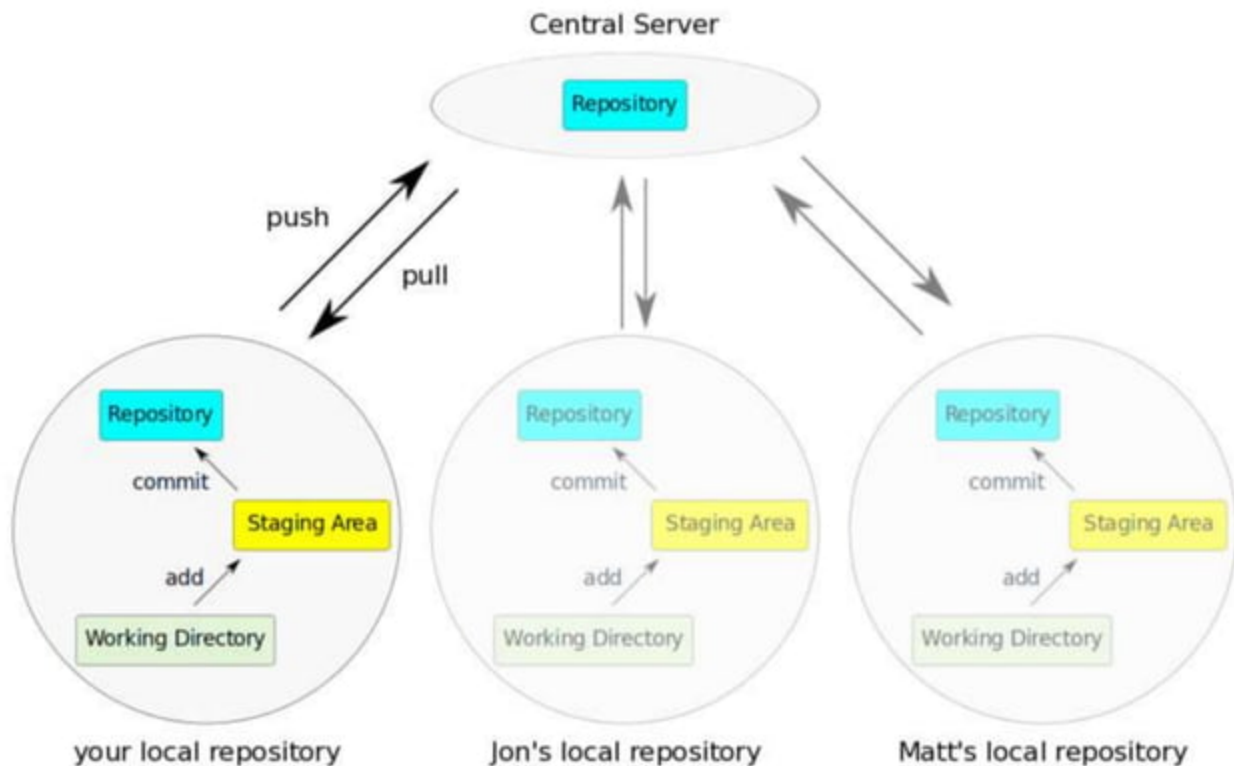
GitHub

- **a platform to host git code repositories**
- <http://github.com>
- launched in 2008
- most popular Git host
- allows users to collaborate on projects from anywhere
- GitHub makes git social!
- Free to start



Important to remember

Sometimes developers *choose* to place repo on GitHub as a centralized place where everyone commits changes, but it **doesn't have to be on GitHub**





This repository Search

Pull requests Issues Gist



mchidin / open-sourcerer
forked from diyopen-sourcerer

Unwatch 1

Star 0

Fork 113

Code

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DIY Skill — Edit

124 commits

1 branch

0 releases

36 contributors

Branch: master

New pull request

New file

Upload files

Find file

HTTPS

https://github.com/mchid1



Download ZIP

This branch is 2 commits ahead of diy:master.

Pull request

Compare



mchidin Corrected typo

Latest commit ecd8d3b 6 days ago



gitignore

Add gitignore

3 years ago



README.md

added my name on README.md

2 years ago



collaborative-story.txt

Corrected typo

6 days ago



new-features.txt

Add lines to collaborative-story, new-features and ultimate-cookie vl...

2 years ago



script.md

Updated script.md

3 years ago



ultimate-cookie.txt

Add lines to collaborative-story, new-features and ultimate-cookie vl...

2 years ago

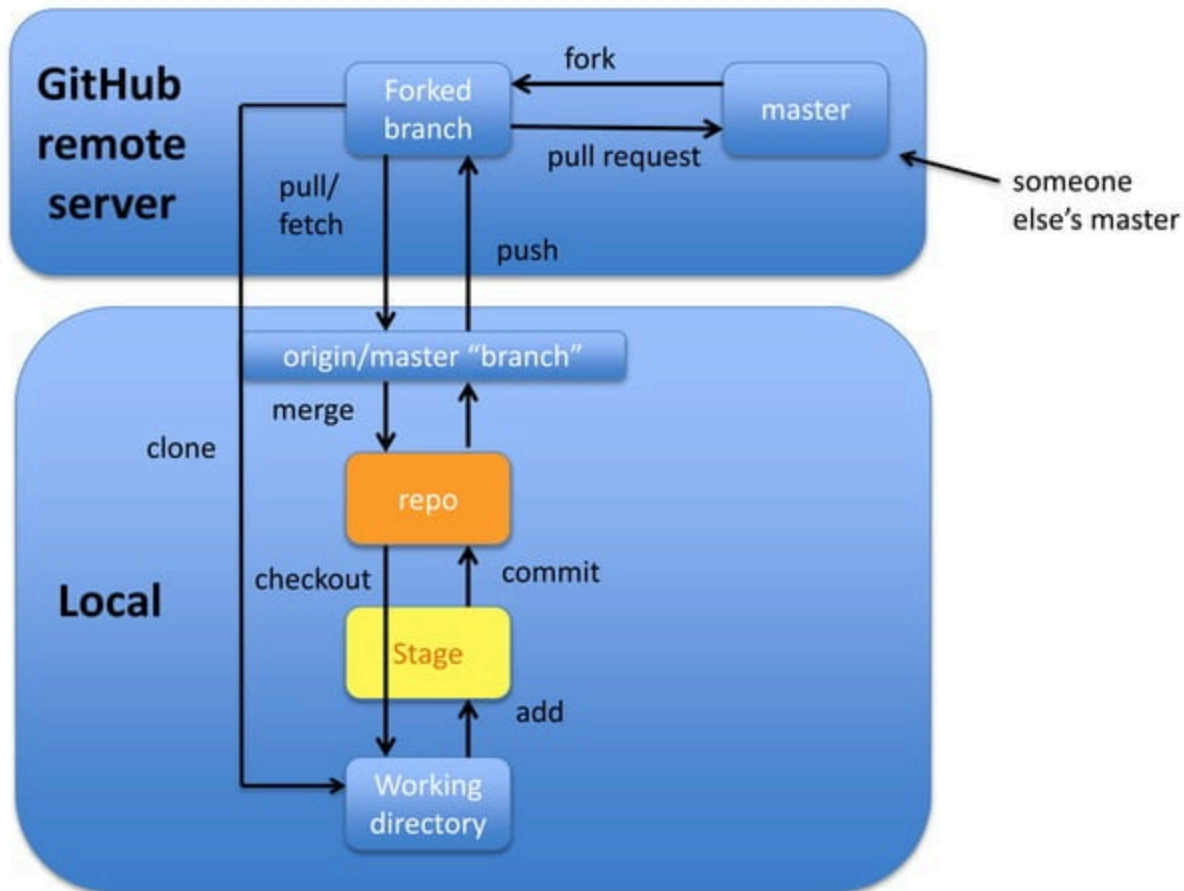


README.md

Copying (cloning) files from remote repo to local machine

`git clone` URL <new_dir_name>

```
[dolanmi]$ git clone https://github.com/mchldn/open-sourcerer.git program_one
Cloning into 'program_one'...
remote: Counting objects: 294, done.
remote: Total 294 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0), pack-reused 294
Receiving objects: 100% (294/294), 45.83 KiB | 0 bytes/s, done.
Resolving deltas: 100% (149/149), done.
Checking connectivity... done.
[dolanmi]$ ls
program_one
[dolanmi]$ cd program_one/
[dolanmi]$ ls -aFlt
total 72
drwxrwxr-x  9 dolanmi  NIH\Domain Users   306 May  4 17:26 ./
drwxrwxr-x 13 dolanmi  NIH\Domain Users   442 May  4 17:26 .git/
-rw-rw-r--  1 dolanmi  NIH\Domain Users    19 May  4 17:26 .gitignore
-rw-rw-r--  1 dolanmi  NIH\Domain Users   586 May  4 17:26 README.md
-rw-rw-r--  1 dolanmi  NIH\Domain Users  2938 May  4 17:26 collaborative-story.txt
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-rw-rw-r--  1 dolanmi  NIH\Domain Users 12984 May  4 17:26 script.md
-rw-rw-r--  1 dolanmi  NIH\Domain Users   192 May  4 17:26 ultimate-cookie.txt
drwxrwxr-x  3 dolanmi  NIH\Domain Users   102 May  4 17:26 ../
```



How do I link my local repo to a remote repo?

```
git remote add <alias> <URL>
```

Note: This just establishes a connection...no files are copied/moved

Note: Yes! You may have more than one remote linked to your local directory!

Which remotes am I linked to?

```
git remote
```

Pushing to a remote repo

`git push` local_branch_alias branch_name

```
[dolanmi]$ git push origin master
Counting objects: 3, done.
Delta compression using up to 8 threads.
Compressing objects: 100% (3/3), done.
Writing objects: 100% (3/3), 280 bytes | 0 bytes/s, done.
Total 3 (delta 2), reused 0 (delta 0)
To https://github.com/mchldln/open-sourcerer.git
ecd0d3b..212432e master -> master
```


Fetching from a remote repo

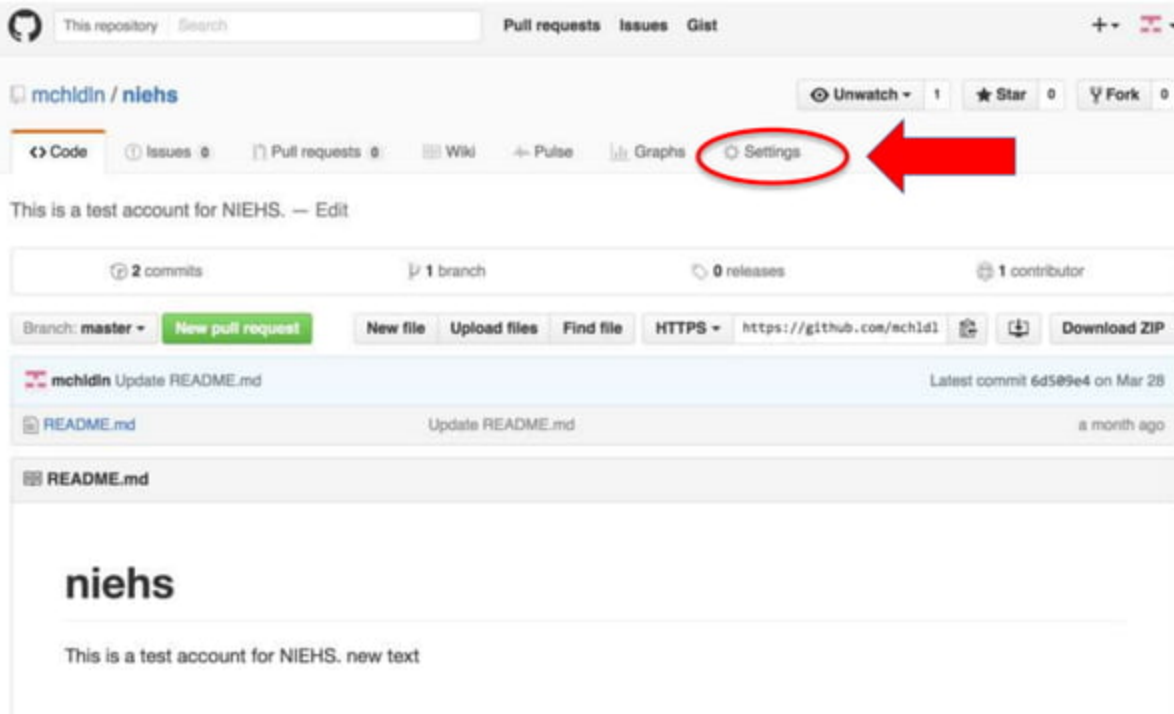
`git fetch remote_repo_name`

Fetch in no way changes a your working dir or any commits that you've made.

- Fetch before you work
- Fetch before you push
- Fetch often

git merge must be done to merge fetched changes into local branch

Collaborating with Git



The screenshot shows the GitHub interface for the repository 'mchldn / niehs'. At the top, there's a navigation bar with 'Pull requests', 'Issues', and 'Gist'. Below this, the repository name 'mchldn / niehs' is displayed, along with 'Unwatch', 'Star', and 'Fork' buttons. A secondary navigation bar contains tabs for 'Code', 'Issues', 'Pull requests', 'Wiki', 'Pulse', 'Graphs', and 'Settings'. The 'Settings' tab is circled in red, and a large red arrow points to it from the right. Below the tabs, it says 'This is a test account for NIEHS. — Edit'. A summary bar shows '2 commits', '1 branch', '0 releases', and '1 contributor'. Below this is a section for the 'master' branch with a 'New pull request' button and links for 'New file', 'Upload files', 'Find file', 'HTTPS', and 'Download ZIP'. The commit history shows 'mchldn Update README.md' as the latest commit. The 'README.md' file is listed, and its content is shown below, starting with the heading 'niehs' and the text 'This is a test account for NIEHS. new text'.

This repository

Pull requests Issues Gist

mchldn / niehs

Unwatch 1 Star 0 Fork 0

Code Issues Pull requests Wiki Pulse Graphs **Settings**

This is a test account for NIEHS. — Edit

2 commits 1 branch 0 releases 1 contributor

Branch: master New pull request

New file Upload files Find file HTTPS https://github.com/mchldn

mchldn Update README.md Latest commit 6d509e4 on Mar 28

README.md Update README.md a month ago

README.md

niehs

This is a test account for NIEHS. new text

Collaborating with Git

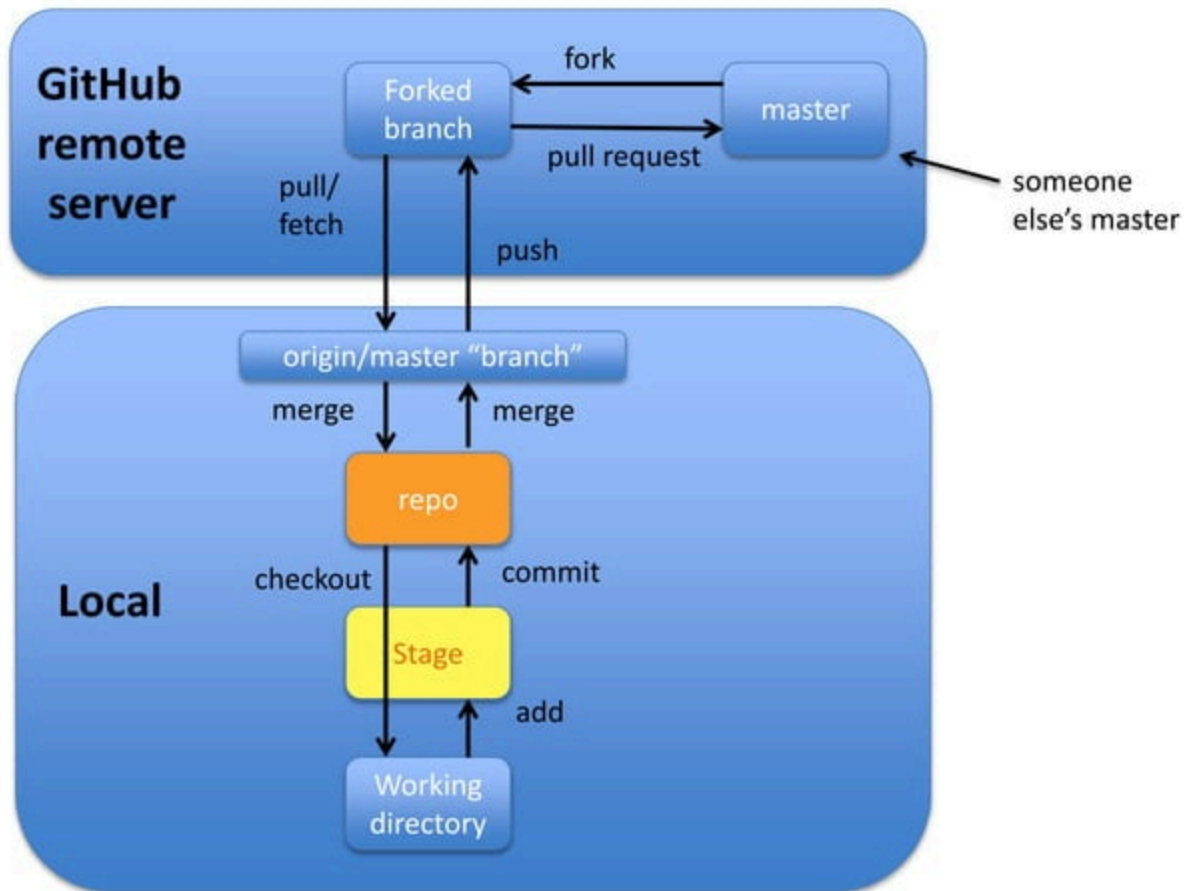
The image shows a screenshot of the GitHub web interface for the repository `mchldn / niehs`. On the left sidebar, the `Collaborators` link is circled in red, with a red arrow pointing from it to a large blue rectangular overlay box. The overlay box contains the following text:

Email sent along with link; collaborator has read/write access.

Everyone has read access

If you want write access and you haven't been invited, "fork" the repo

The background interface includes the repository name, navigation links like `Code`, `Issues`, and `Pull requests`, and a footer with copyright information for GitHub, Inc. and various links like `Status`, `API`, `Training`, `Shop`, `Blog`, and `About`.



GitHub Gist

<https://gist.github.com/>

GitHub Gist

Search...

All gists GitHub

Sign up for a GitHub account

Sign in

Instantly share code, notes, and snippets.

Gist description...

Filename including extension...

Spaces 2 No wrap

1

Add file

Create secret gist

Create public gist

Good resources

- Git from Git: <https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2>
- A guided tour that walks through the fundamentals of Git:
<https://githowto.com>
- Linus Torvalds on Git:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=idLyobOhtO4>
- Git tutorial from Atlassian:
<https://www.atlassian.com/git/tutorials/>
- A number of easy-to-understand guides by the GitHub folks
<https://guides.github.com>

git commit -a

- Allows one to add to staging index and commit *at the same time*
- Grabs everything in working directory
- Files not tracked or being deleted are not included

git log --oneline

- gets first line and checksum of all commits in current branch

```
[ dolanmi L02029756 ~/Desktop/new_project2 ]$ git log --oneline
3789cd3 file3.txt
6bfebcd new dir
730c6bd files
48f1ecf c
60f1c1a another message yet
d685ff9 another message
6e073c6 message
```


`git diff g5iU0oPe7x`

When using checksum of older commit, will show you all changes compared to those in your working directory

Renaming and deleting branches

`git branch -m/--move old_name new_name`

`git branch -d branch_name`

Note: Must not be in branch_name

Note: Must not have commits in branch_name unmerged in branch from which you are deleting

`git branch -D branch_name`

Note: If you are **really** sure that you want to delete branch with commits

Tagging

- Git has the ability to tag specific points in history as being important, such as releases versions (v.1.0, 2.0, ...)

git tag

```
$ git tag  
v0.1  
v1.3
```

Tagging

Two types of tags:

lightweight – a pointer to a specific commit –
basically a SHA stored in a file

```
git tag tag_name
```

annotated – a full object stored in the Git database –
SHA, tagger name, email, date, message
and can be signed and verified with GNU
Privacy Guard (GPG)

```
git tag -a tag_name -m "message"
```

How do I see tags?

git show tag_name

```
$ git show v1.4-lw
commit ca82a6dff817ec66f44342007202690a93763949
Author: Scott Chacon <schacon@gee-mail.com>
Date:   Mon Mar 17 21:52:11 2008 -0700
```

changed the version number

Lightweight tag

```
$ git show v1.4
tag v1.4
Tagger: Ben Straub <ben@straub.cc>
Date:   Sat May 3 20:19:12 2014 -0700
```

my version 1.4

```
commit ca82a6dff817ec66f44342007202690a93763949
Author: Scott Chacon <schacon@gee-mail.com>
Date:   Mon Mar 17 21:52:11 2008 -0700
```

changed the version number

Annotated tag