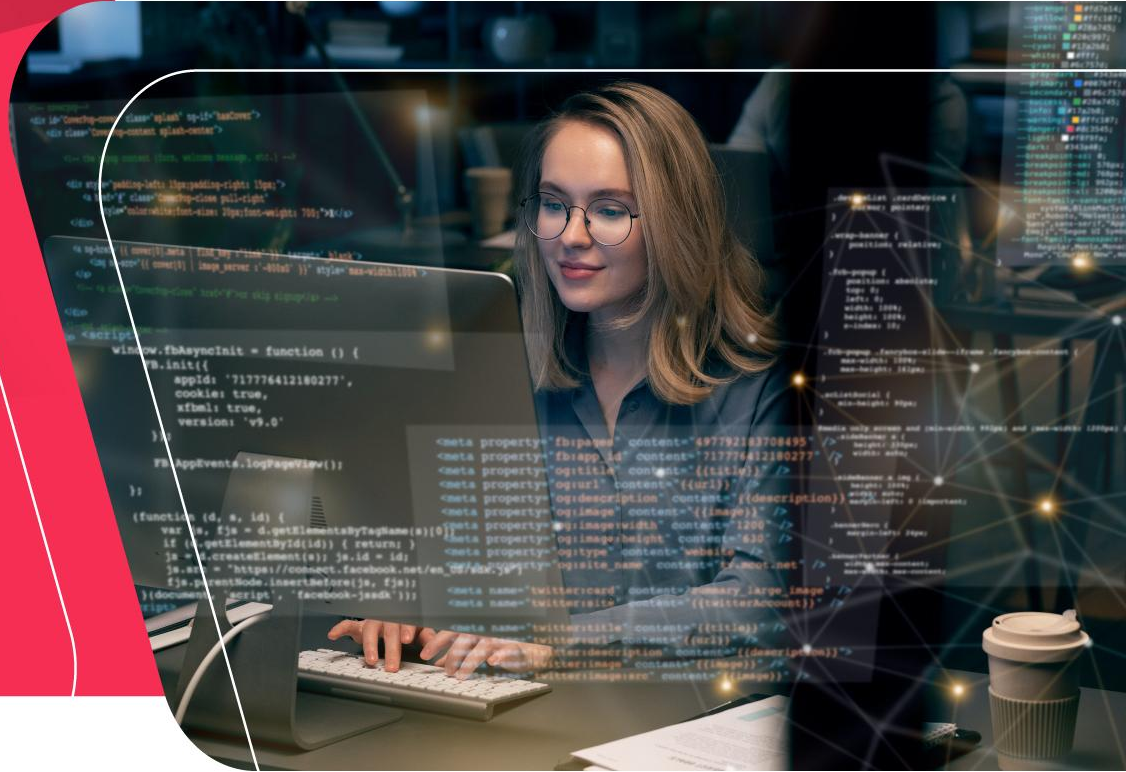


Java Bootcamp

Day 24





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An Intro to Git and GitHub



- The first two things you'll want to do are install git and create a free GitHub account.
- Follow the instructions [here](#) to install git (if it's not already installed). Note that for this tutorial **we will be using git on the command line only**. While there are some great git GUIs (graphical user interfaces), I think it's easier to learn git using **git-specific commands** first and then to try out a git GUI once you're more comfortable with the command.
- A note: 95% of other online git resources and discussions will also be for the command-line interface.
- Once you've done that, create a GitHub account [here](#).

- A quick aside: git and GitHub are **not** the same thing.
- **Git** is an open-source, version control tool created in 2005 by developers working on the Linux operating system; **GitHub** is a company founded in 2008 that makes **tools which integrate with git**.

 git	 GitHub
1. It is a software	1. It is a service
2. It is installed locally on the system	2. It is hosted on Web
3. It is a command line tool	3. It provides a graphical interface
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- You do not need GitHub to use git, but you cannot use GitHub without using git.
- There are many other alternatives to **GitHub**, such as **GitLab**, **BitBucket**, and “host-your-own” solutions such as gogs and gittea.
- All of these are referred to in git-speak as “remotes”, and all are completely optional. You do not need to use a remote to use git, but it will make sharing your code with others easier.

- When creating a new project on your local machine using git, you'll first create a new repository (or often, 'repo', for short).
- To use git we'll be using the terminal. If you don't have much experience with the terminal and basic commands, [check out this tutorial](#) (If you don't want/need a short history lesson, skip to step three.)

- To begin, open up a terminal and move to where you want to place the project on your local machine using the `cd` (change directory) command.
- For example, if you have a 'projects' folder on your desktop, you'd do something like:

```
mnelson:Desktop mnelson$ cd ~/Desktop  
mnelson:Desktop mnelson$ mkdir myproject  
mnelson:Desktop mnelson$ cd myproject/
```

- To initialize a git repository in the root of the folder, run the **git init** command:

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git init  
Initialized empty Git repository in  
/Users/mnelson/Desktop/myproject/.git/
```

- Go ahead and add a new file to the project, using any text editor you like or running a touch command. 'touch newfile.txt' just creates and saves a blank file named newfile.txt.
- Once you've added or modified files in a folder containing a git repo, git will notice that the file exists inside the repo. But, git won't track the file unless you explicitly tell it to.

- Git only saves/manages changes to files that it tracks, so we'll need to send a command to confirm that yes, we want git to track our new file.

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ touch mnelson.txt  
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ ls  
mnelson.txt
```

- After creating the new file, you can use the git status command to see which files git knows exist.

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git status  
On branch master
```

```
Initial commit
```

```
Untracked files:
```

```
(use "git add <file>..." to include in what will be committed)
```

```
mnelson.txt
```

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

- What this basically says is, "Hey, we noticed you created a new file called mnelson.txt, but unless you use the 'git add' command we aren't going to do anything with it."

- One of the most confusing parts when you're first learning git is the concept of the staging environment and how it relates to a commit.
- A commit is a record of what changes you have made since the last time you made a commit. Essentially, you make changes to your repo (for example, adding a file or modifying one) and then tell git to put those changes into a commit.
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- So, how do you tell git which files to put into a commit? This is where the staging environment or index come in.
- As seen in Step 2, when you make changes to your repo, **git notices that a file has changed but won't do anything with it** (like adding it in a commit).
- To add a file to a commit, you first need to add it to the **staging environment**.
To do this, you can use the **git add <filename>** command

- Once you've used the **git add** command to add all the files you want to the staging environment, you can then tell git to package them into a commit using the **git commit** command.
- Note: The staging environment, also called 'staging', is the new preferred term for this, but you can also see it referred to as the 'index'.

- Add a file to the staging environment using the git add command.
- If you rerun the git status command, you'll see that git has added the file to the staging environment (notice the "Changes to be committed" line).

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git status  
On branch master
```

```
Initial commit
```

```
Changes to be committed:  
  (use "git rm --cached <file>..." to unstage)
```

```
new file:   mnelson.txt
```

- To reiterate, **the file has not yet been added to a commit**, but it's about to be.

- It's time to create your first commit!
- Run the command **git commit -m "Your message about the commit"**

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git commit -m "This is my first commit!"  
[master (root-commit) b345d9a] This is my first commit!  
1 file changed, 1 insertion(+)  
create mode 100644 mnelson.txt
```

- The message at the end of the commit should be something related to what the commit contains - **maybe it's a new feature, maybe it's a bug fix, maybe it's just fixing a typo.**
- **Don't put a message like "asdfadsf" or "foobar".** That makes the other people who see your commit sad. Very, very, sad.

- Commits live forever in a repository (technically you *can* delete them if you really, really need to but it's messy), so **if you leave a clear explanation** of your changes it can be extremely helpful for future programmers (perhaps future you!) who are trying to **figure out why some change was made years later**.

- Now that you've made a new commit, let's try something a little more advanced.
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- For instance, if you want **to add a new page to your website** you can **create a new branch just for that page without affecting the main part of the project.**
- **Once you're done** with the page, you can **merge your changes from your branch into the primary branch.**
- When you **create a new branch**, Git keeps track of which **commit your branch 'branched' off of**, so it knows the history behind all the files.

- Let's say you are on the primary branch and want to create a new branch to develop your web page.
- Here's what you'll do: Run **git checkout -b <my branch name>**. This command will automatically create a new branch and then '**check you out**' on it, meaning **git will move you to that branch, off of the primary branch.**

- After running the above command, you can use the git branch command to confirm that your branch was created:

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git branch
master
* my-new-branch
```

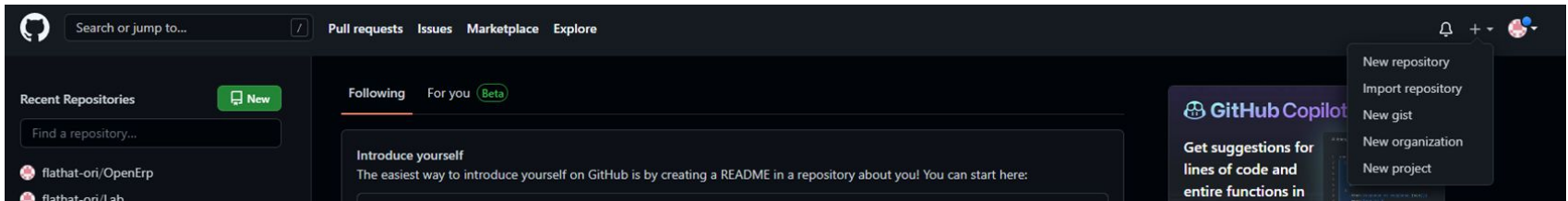
- The branch name with the **asterisk** next to it indicates which branch you're on at that given time.

- By default, every git repository's first branch is named ``master`` (and is typically used as the **primary branch in the project**).
- As part of the tech industry's general anti-racism work, some groups have begun to use alternate names for the default branch (we are using **“primary”** in this tutorial, for example).
- In other documentation and discussions, you may see **“master”**, or other terms, used to refer to the primary branch.

- Now, if you switch back to the primary branch and make some more commits, your new branch won't see any of those changes until you merge those changes onto your new branch.
- To switch to an existing branch (to the master branch for example), you can use git checkout again (without the -b flag) and pass the name of the branch you want to switch to:

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git checkout master  
Switched to branch 'master'  
mnelson:myproject mnelson$
```

- If you only want to keep track of your code locally, you don't need to use GitHub. But if you want to work with a team, you can use GitHub to collaboratively modify the project's code.
- To create a new repo on GitHub, log in and go to the GitHub home page. You can find the “New repository” option under the “+” sign next to your profile picture, in the top right corner of the navbar:



- After clicking the button, GitHub will ask you to name your repo and provide a brief description.
- When you're done filling out the information, press the 'Create repository' button to make your new repo.

Create a new repository

A repository contains all project files, including the revision history. Already have a project repository elsewhere? [Import a repository](#).

Owner *  dfryer1193 / Repository name * newrepo ✓

Great repository names are short and memorable. Need inspiration? How about [jubilant-memory](#)?

Description (optional)

My new repo!



Public

Anyone on the internet can see this repository. You choose who can commit.



Private

You choose who can see and commit to this repository.

Initialize this repository with:

Skip this step if you're importing an existing repository.

☐ Add a README file

This is where you can write a long description for your project. [Learn more](#).

☐ Add .gitignore

Choose which files not to track from a list of templates. [Learn more](#).

☐ Choose a license

A license tells others what they can and can't do with your code. [Learn more](#).

Create repository

- GitHub will ask if you want to create a new repo from scratch or if you want to add a repo you have created locally.
- In this case, since we've already created a new repo locally, we want to push that onto GitHub so follow the '...or push an existing repository from the command line' section:

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git remote add origin https://github.com/flathat-ori/newrepo.git
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git push -u origin master
Counting objects: 3, done.
Writing objects: 100% (3/3), 263 bytes | 0 bytes/s, done.
Total 3 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0)
To https://github.com/cubeton/mynewrepository.git
 * [new branch]      master -> master
Branch master set up to track remote branch master from origin.
```

- Now we'll push the commit in your branch to your new GitHub repo.
- This allows other people to see the changes you've made.
- If they're approved by the repository's owner, the changes can then be merged into the primary branch.

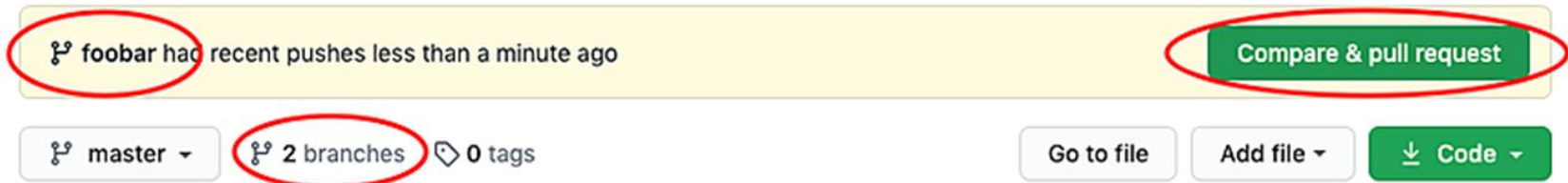
- To push changes onto a new branch on GitHub, you'll want to run **git push origin yourbranchname**.
- GitHub will automatically create the branch for you on the remote repository:

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git push origin my-new-branch
Counting objects: 3, done.
Delta compression using up to 8 threads.
Compressing objects: 100% (2/2), done.
Writing objects: 100% (3/3), 313 bytes | 0 bytes/s, done.
Total 3 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0)
To https://github.com/cubeton/mynewrepository.git
 * [new branch]      my-new-branch -> my-new-branch
```

- You might be wondering what that "origin" word means in the command above. What happens is that when you clone a remote repository to your local machine, git creates an alias for you.
- In nearly all cases this alias is called "origin." It's essentially shorthand for the remote repository's URL. So, to push your changes to the remote repository, you could've used either the command: **git push git@github.com:git/git.git yourbranchname** or **git push origin yourbranchname**

(If this is your first time using GitHub locally, it might prompt you to log in with your GitHub username and password.)

- If you refresh the GitHub page, you'll see note saying a branch with your name has just been pushed into the repository. You can also click the 'branches' link to see your branch listed there.

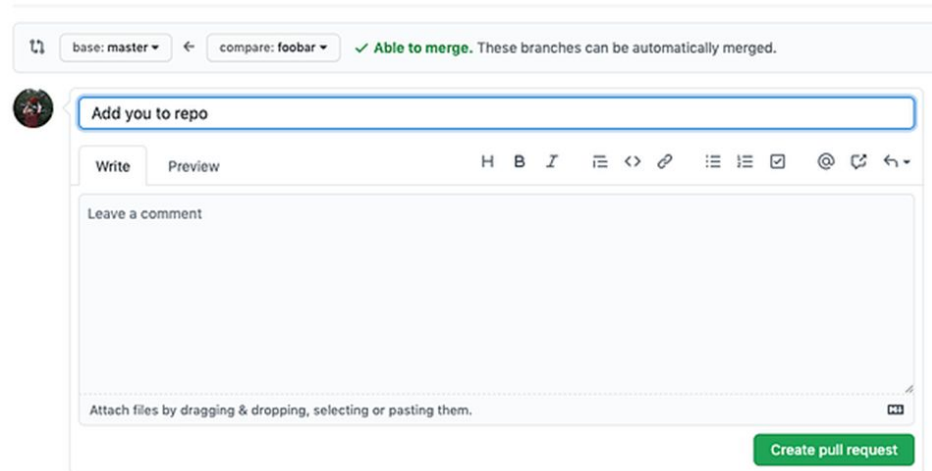


- Now click the green button in the screenshot above. We're going to make a pull request!

- A pull request (or PR) is a way to alert a repo's owners that you want to make some changes to their code. It allows them to review the code and make sure it looks good before putting your changes on the primary branch.
- This is what the PR page looks like before you've submitted it:

Open a pull request

Create a new pull request by comparing changes across two branches. If you need to, you can also [compare across forks](#).




The screenshot shows the GitHub interface for creating a pull request. At the top, it says 'Open a pull request' and provides a brief instruction. Below this, there are two dropdown menus: 'base: master' and 'compare: foobar', followed by a green checkmark and the text 'Able to merge. These branches can be automatically merged.' Below this is a section titled 'Add you to repo' with a search bar. Underneath is a 'Write' tab and a 'Preview' tab. The 'Write' tab is active, showing a large text area for 'Leave a comment' and a smaller area for 'Attach files by dragging & dropping, selecting or pasting them.' At the bottom right of the form is a green button labeled 'Create pull request'.

- And this is what it looks like once you've submitted the PR request:
- You might see a big green button at the bottom that says 'Merge pull request'. Clicking this means you'll merge your changes into the primary branch..



Add you to repo #1

- Go ahead and click the green 'Merge pull request' button. This will merge your changes into the primary branch.
- When you're done, I recommend deleting your branch (too many branches can become messy), so hit that grey 'Delete branch' button as well.



Add you to repo #1




Merged dfryer1193 merged 1 commit into `master` from `foobar`  now


Conversation **0** Commits **1** Checks **0** Files changed **1**

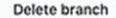
 dfryer1193 commented 1 minute ago  ...

No description provided.

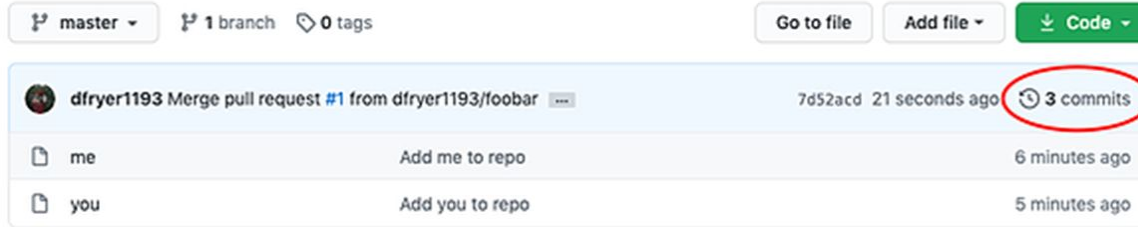
  Add you to repo 0e3b650

  dfryer1193 merged commit 7d52aed into `master` now 

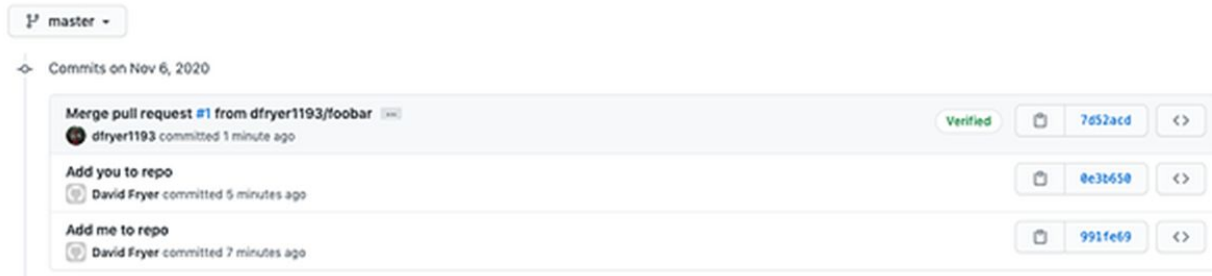
 **Pull request successfully merged and closed**

You're all set—the `foobar` branch can be safely deleted. 

- You can double check that your commits were merged by clicking on the 'Commits' link on the first page of your new repo.



- This will show you a list of all the commits in that branch. You can see the one I just merged right up top (Merge pull request #1).



- You can also see the hash code of the commit on the right hand side. A hash code is a unique identifier for that specific commit.
- It's useful for referring to specific commits and when undoing changes (use the `git revert <hash code number>` command to backtrack).

- Right now, the repo on GitHub looks a little different than what you have on your local machine.
- For example, the commit you made in your branch and merged into the primary branch doesn't exist in the primary branch on your local machine.
- In order to get the most recent changes that you or others have merged on GitHub, use the **git pull origin master** command (**when working on the primary branch**).

- In most cases, this can be shortened to “git pull”.

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git pull origin master
remote: Counting objects: 1, done.
remote: Total 1 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0), pack-reused 0
Unpacking objects: 100% (1/1), done.
From https://github.com/cubeton/mynewrepository
* branch                master      -> FETCH_HEAD
   b345d9a..5381b7c      master      -> origin/master
Merge made by the 'recursive' strategy.
 mnelson.txt | 1 +
 1 file changed, 1 insertion(+)
```

- This shows you all the files that have changed and how they've changed.

- Now we can use the git log command again to see all new commits.
- (You may need to switch branches back to the primary branch. You can do that using the git checkout master command.)

```
mnelson:myproject mnelson$ git log
commit 3e270876db0e5fffd3e9bfc5edede89b64b83812c
Merge: 4f1cb17 5381b7c
Author: Meghan Nelson <mnelson@hubspot.com>
Date:   Fri Sep 11 17:48:11 2015 -0400
```

```
Merge branch 'master' of https://github.com/cubeton/mynewrepository
```

```
commit 4f1cb1798b6e6890da797f98383e6337df577c2a
Author: Meghan Nelson <mnelson@hubspot.com>
Date:   Fri Sep 11 17:48:00 2015 -0400
```

```
added a new file
```

```
.....
```

```
Added some more text to my file
```

```
commit b345d9a25353037afdeaa9fcaf9f330effd157f1
Author: Meghan Nelson <mnelson@hubspot.com>
Date:   Thu Sep 10 17:42:15 2015 -0400
```

```
This is my first commit!
```

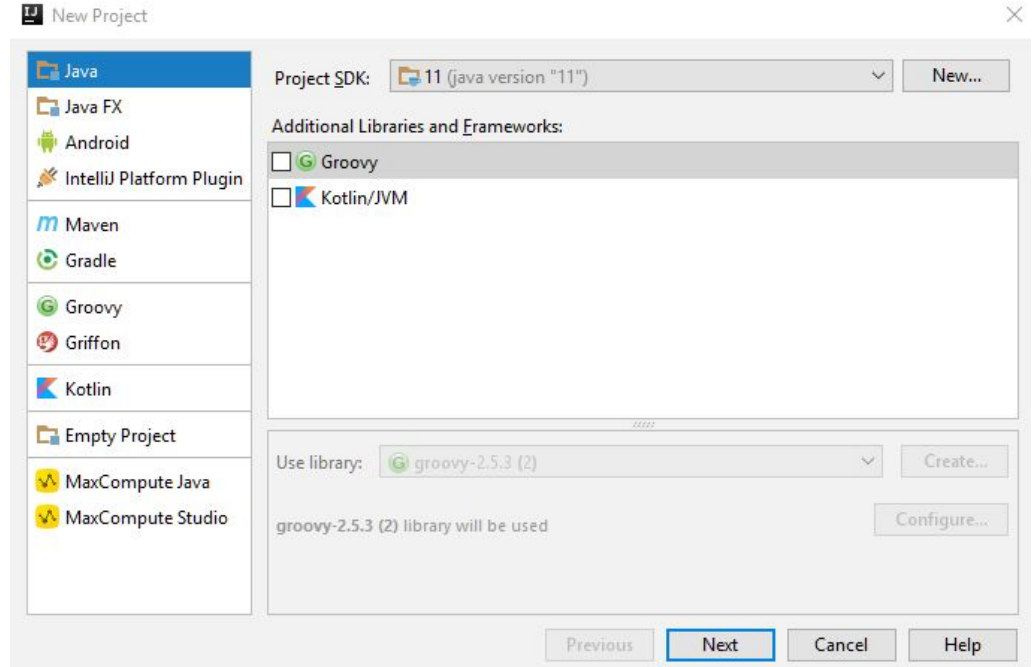
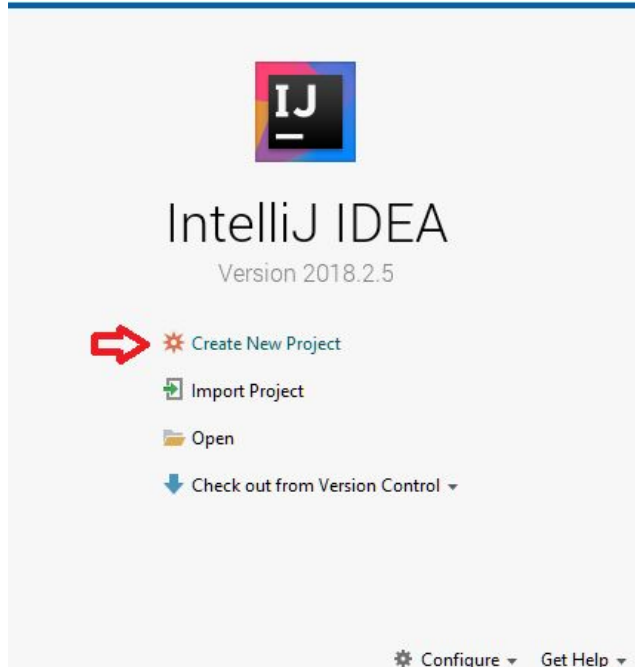
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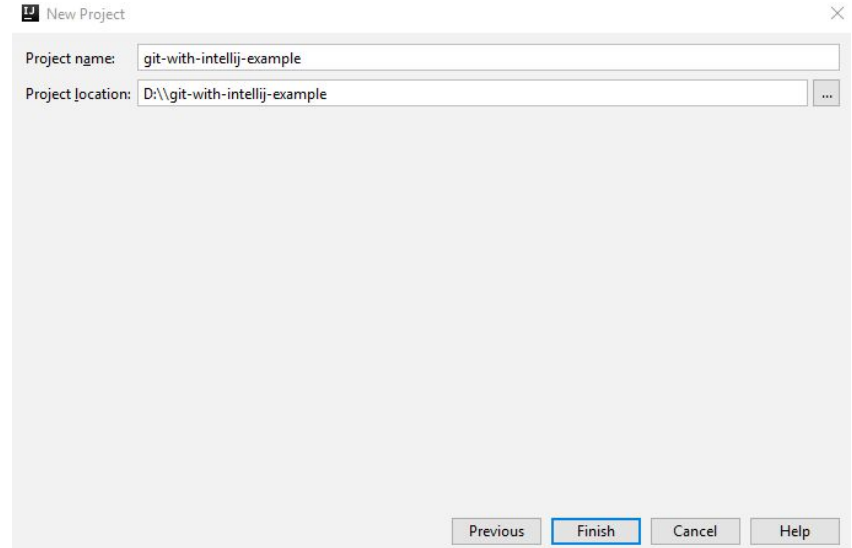
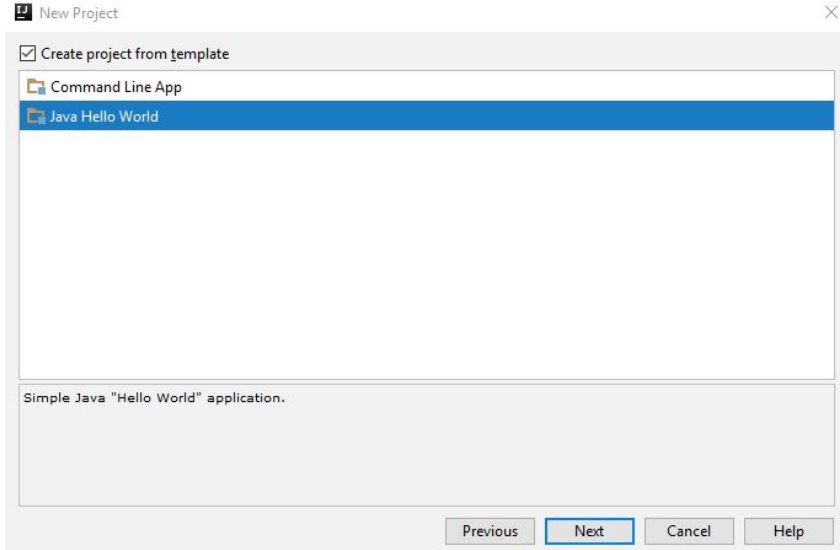


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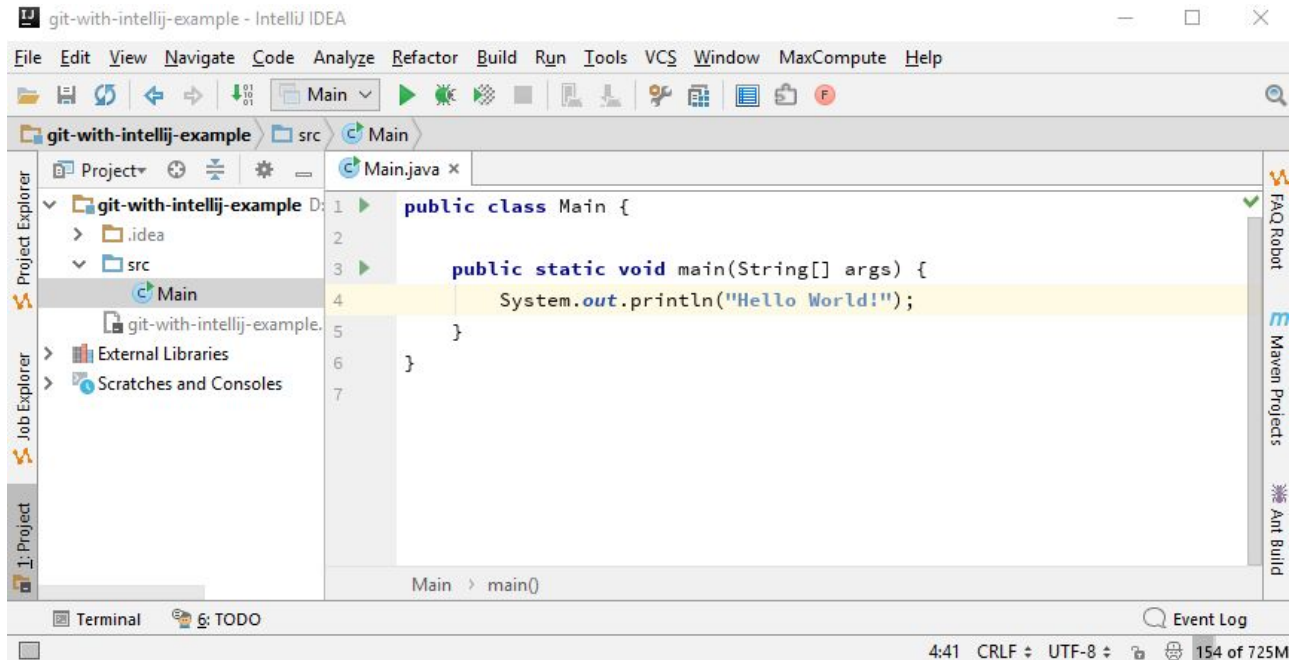


- IntelliJ (Ultimate and Community versions) have built-in support for Git. This tutorial will show how to configure and use Git for a Java project.

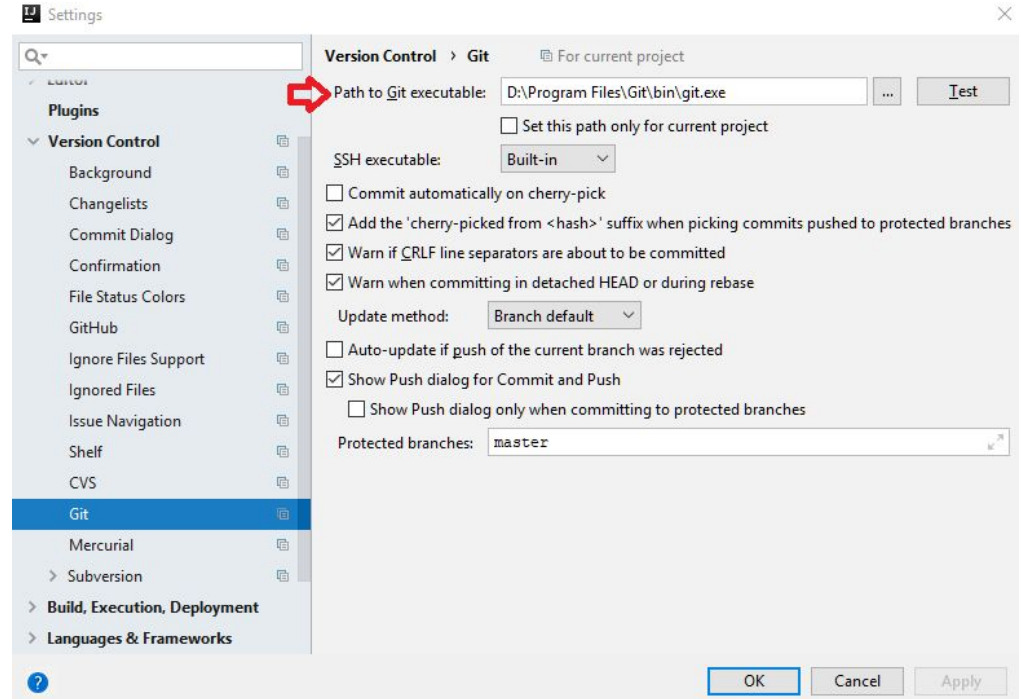




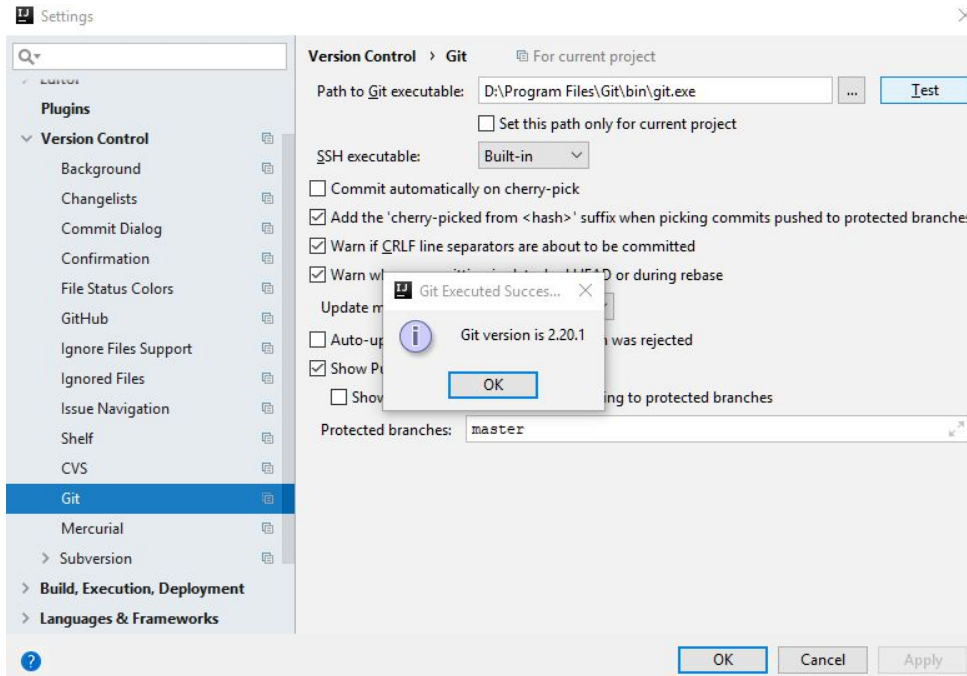
- The project with a Java class is created:



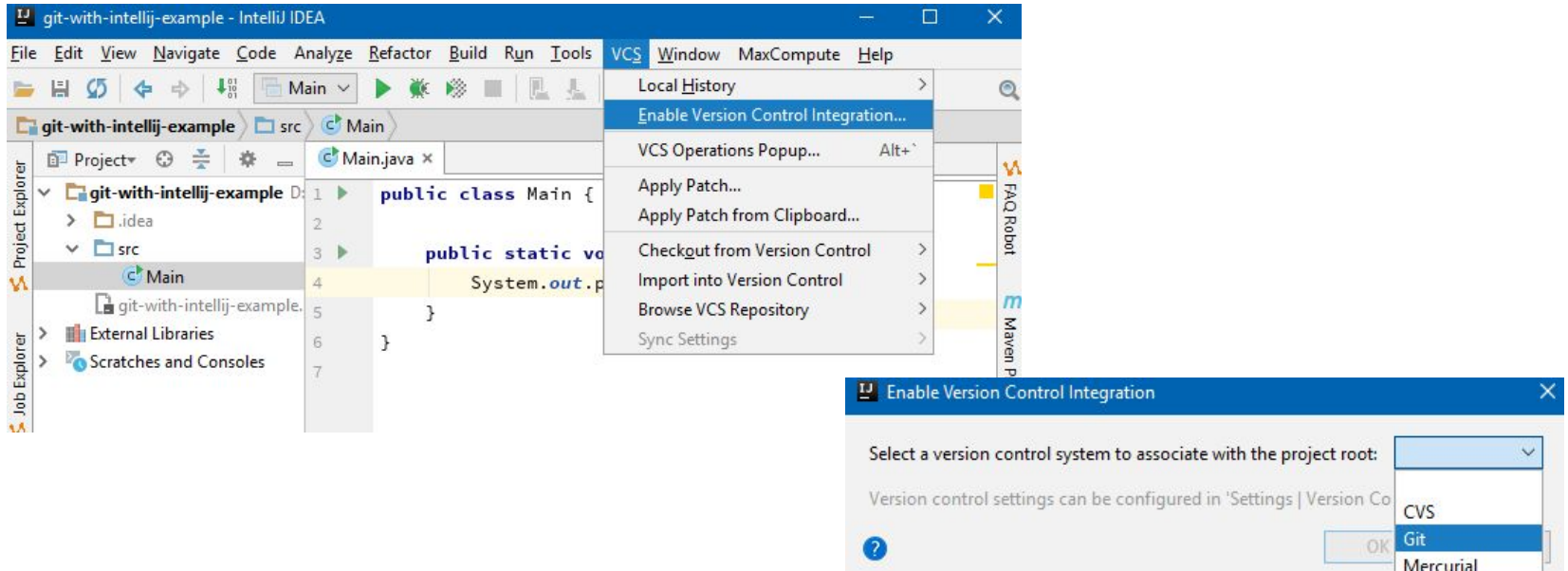
- Since IntelliJ does not come with Git distribution, we need to install it.
- Open Settings>Version Control>Git (Ctrl+Alt+S) and specify git external path as shown (this is just a one time configuration):



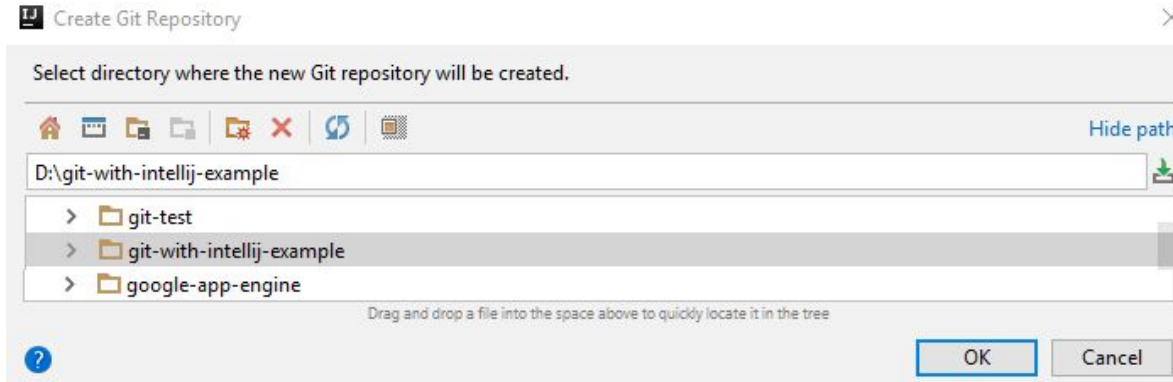
- Click on the Test button:



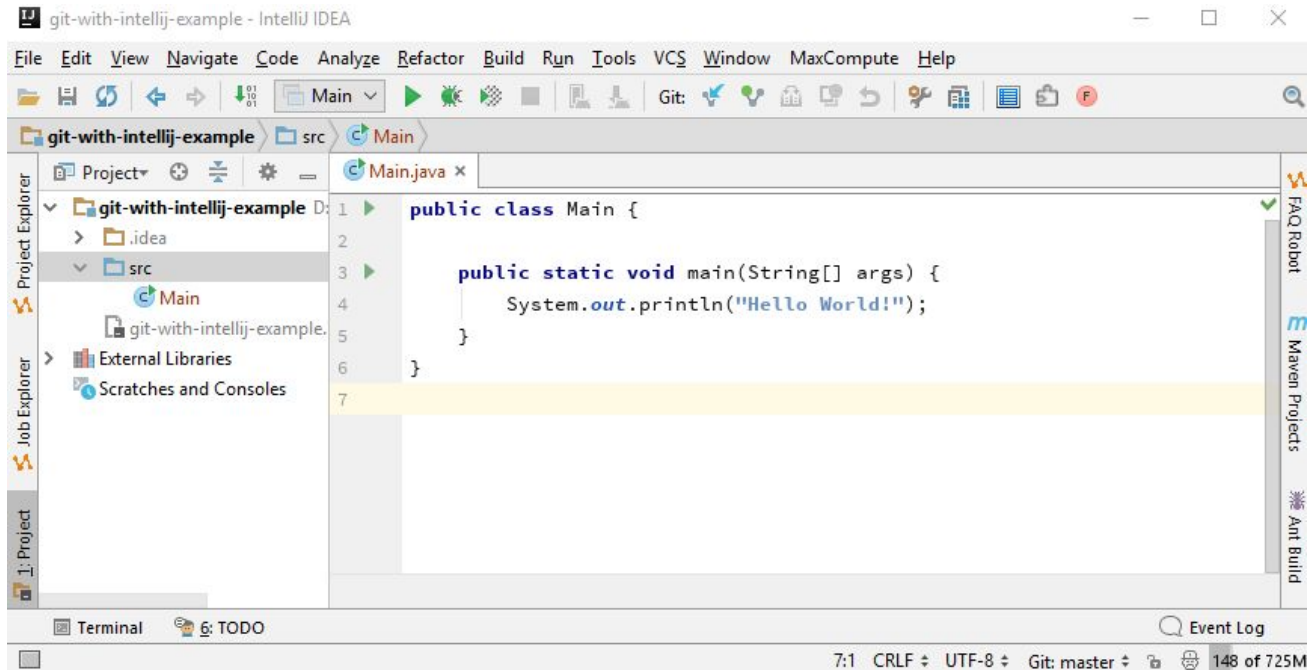
- Go to VCS>Enable Version Control Integration.., it will ask us to select the version control system and then the project where .git folder will be created:



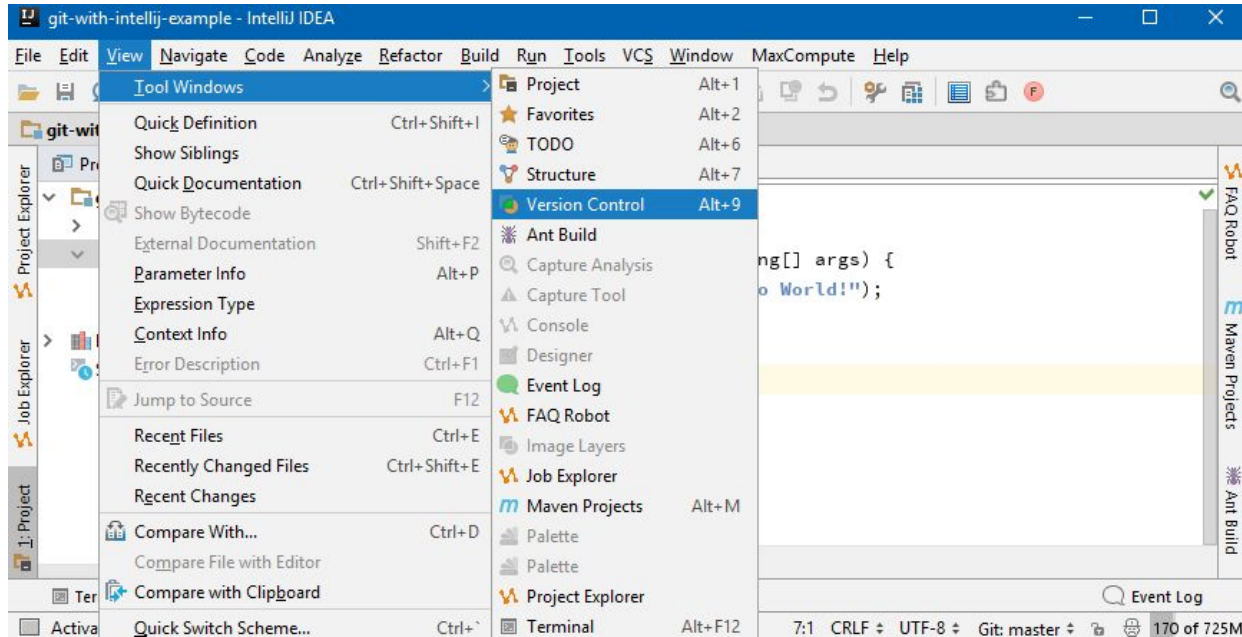
- Selecting our project:



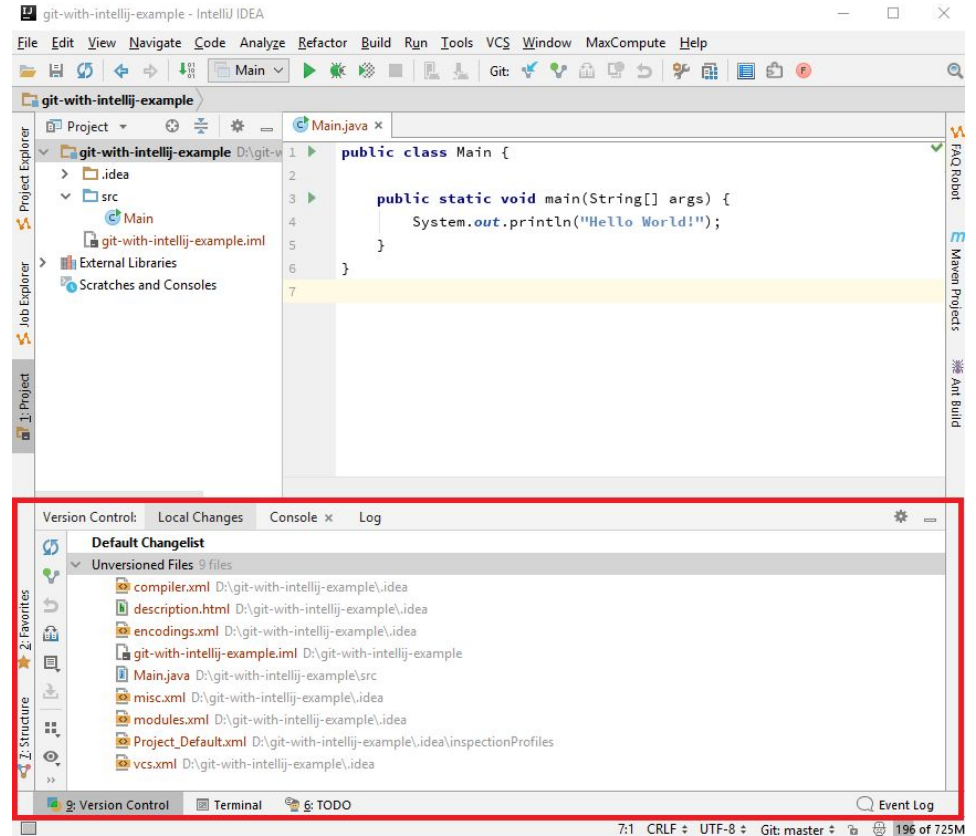
- Now the file colors in the project changed to red (red is used for untracked files):



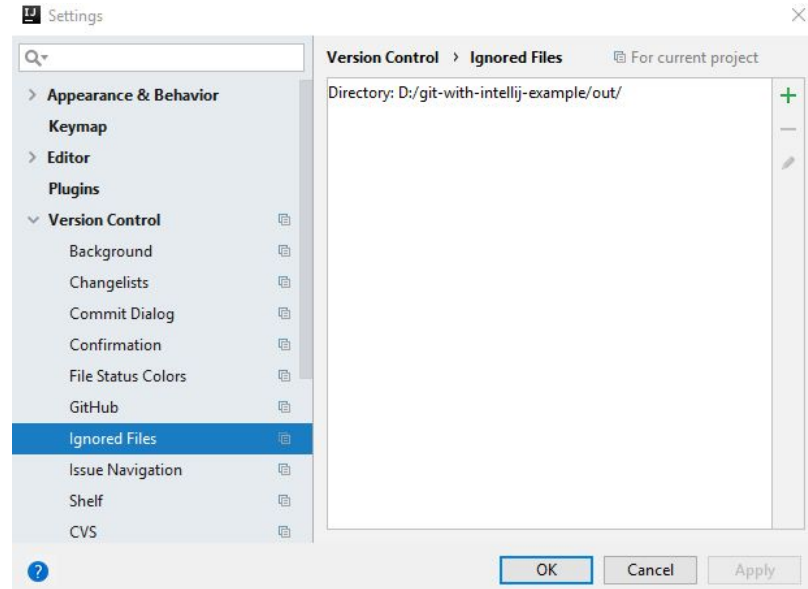
- Open View>Tool Windows>Version Control(Alt+9):



- As seen above 'Local Changes' tab shows all untracked files in red color.
- Let's ignore IntelliJ specific files.

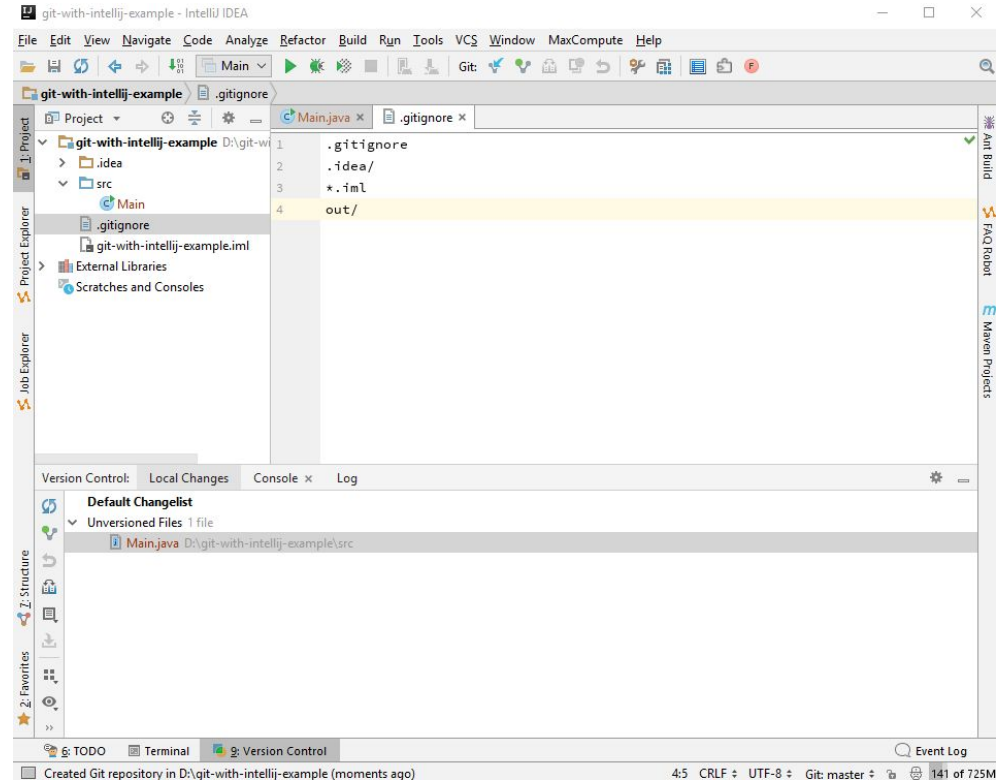


- IntelliJ has a setting to ignore files:



- Above view does not create .gitignore file, but it maintains an internal IntelliJ file for ignoring artifacts. We will not use this view and will create .gitignore file manually at the project's root.

- As seen in 'Local Changes' tab, all IntelliJ specific files disappeared and their color in the 'Project' tree view also turned to normal color.
- A plugin called .ignore, can be used which has a various useful functionality for creating/editing .gitignore files.



- In IntelliJ, each file has its own status marked with a specific color, check out [this](#) for color-to-status listing. The above color (red) shows that Main.java file is unversioned (untracked). Let's confirm that from git-bash:

```
Joe@jpc MINGW64 /d/git-with-intellij-example (master)
$ git status
On branch master

No commits yet

Untracked files:
  (use "git add <file>..." to include in what will be committed)

    src/

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

Joe@jpc MINGW64 /d/git-with-intellij-example (master)
$ git status src/
On branch master

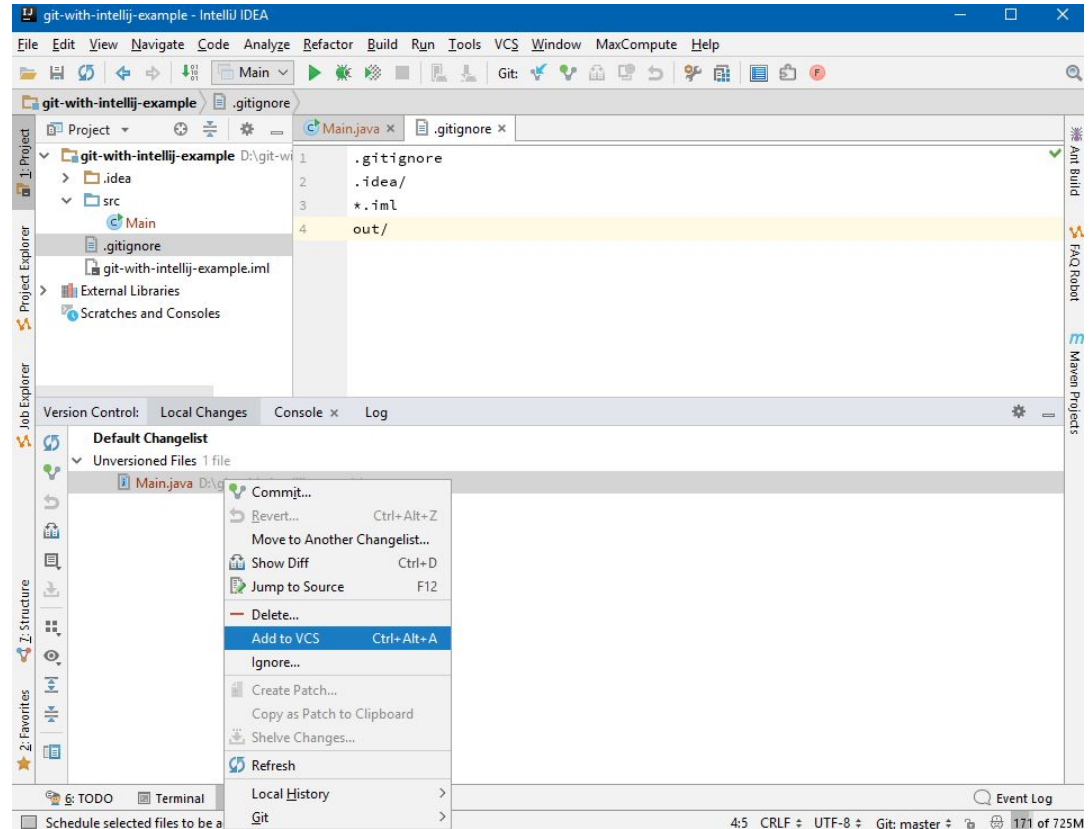
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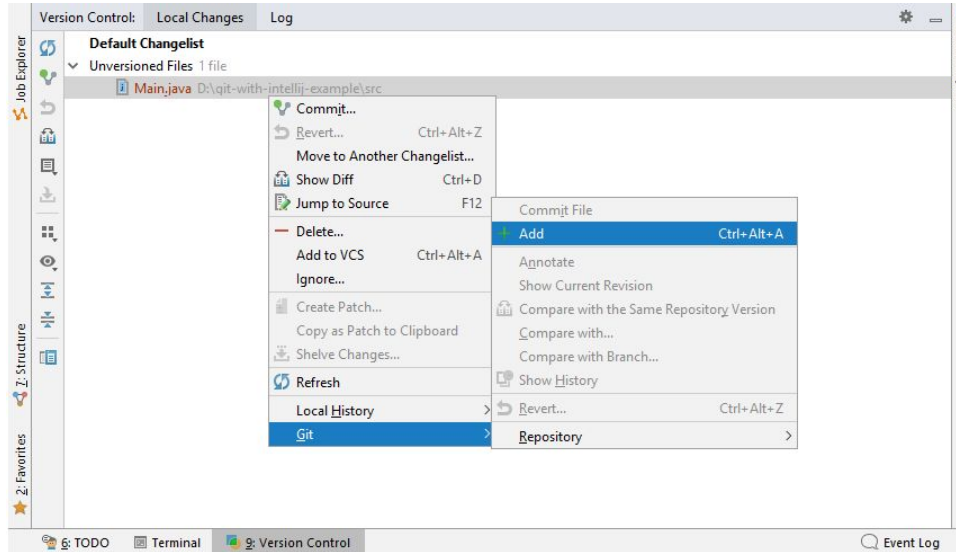
    src/Main.java

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

- Right click on the selected files to add them to staging as shown:

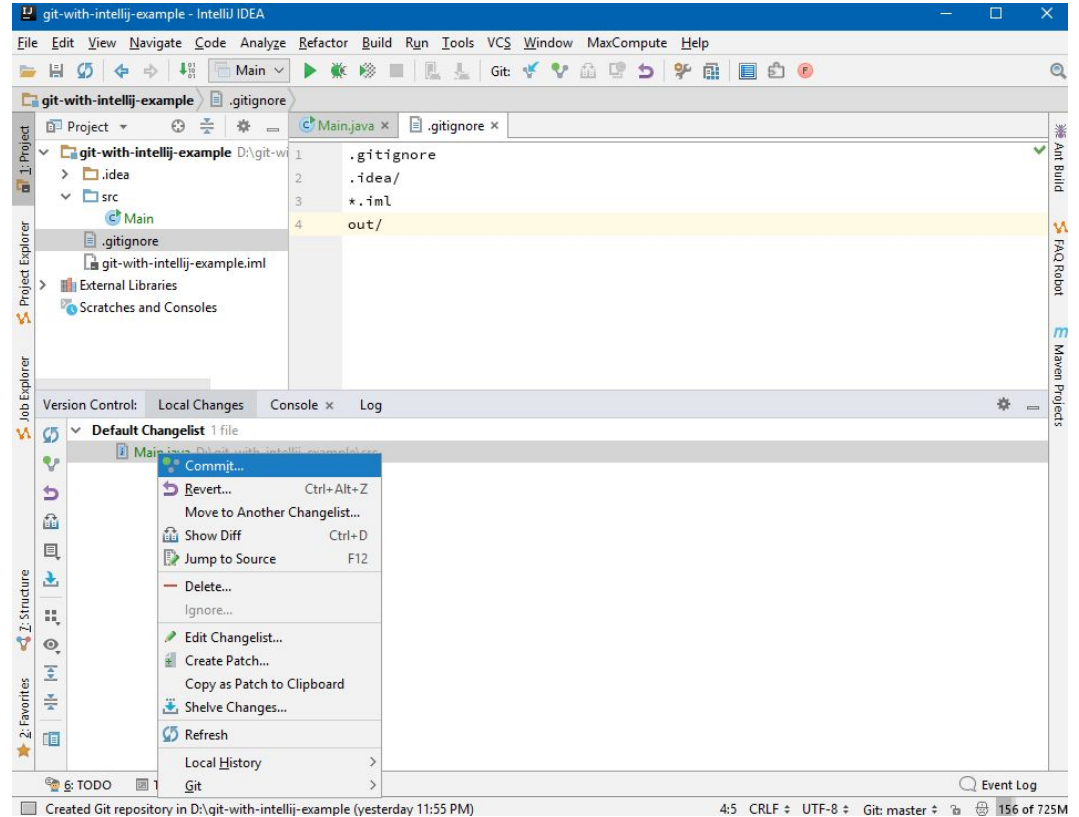


- Or we can also use right click>Git>Add as shown:

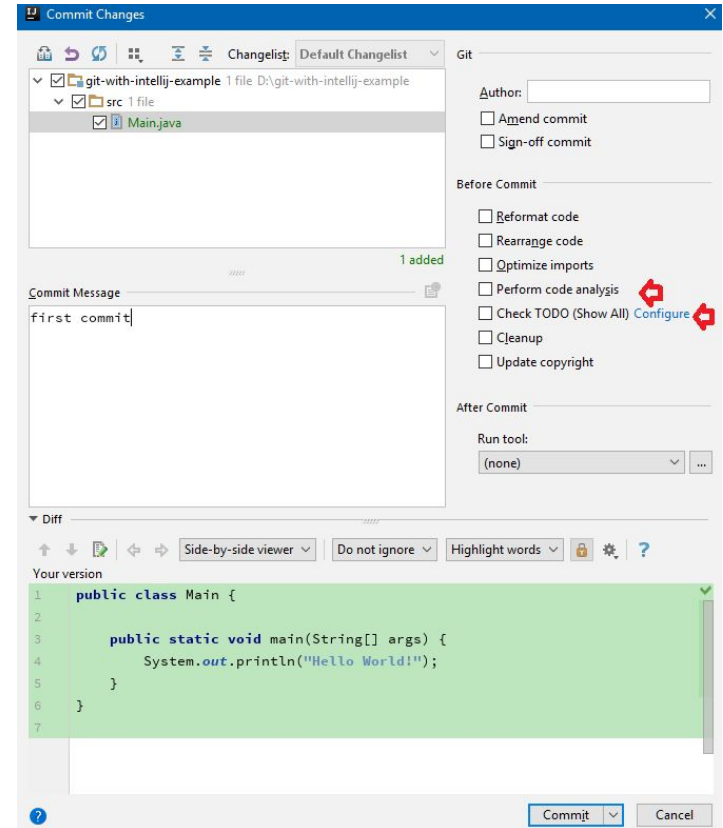


- After adding, the file color has changed to green (green is for newly added staged file).

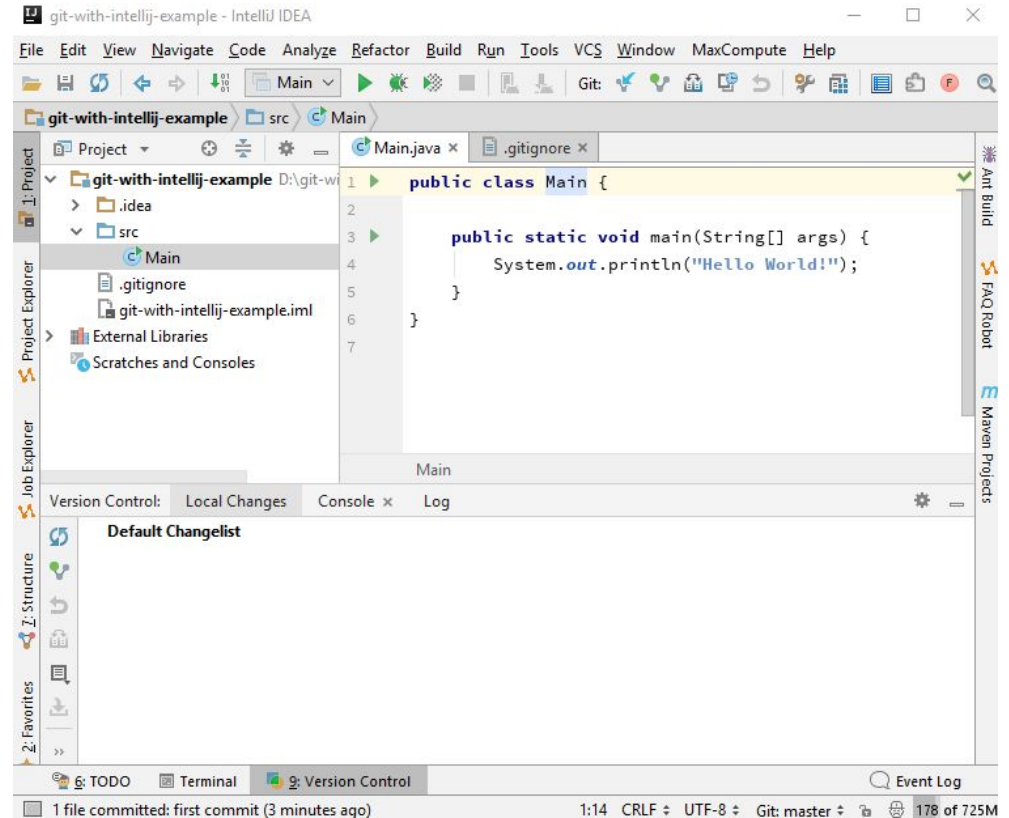
- Right click on the selected files to commit:



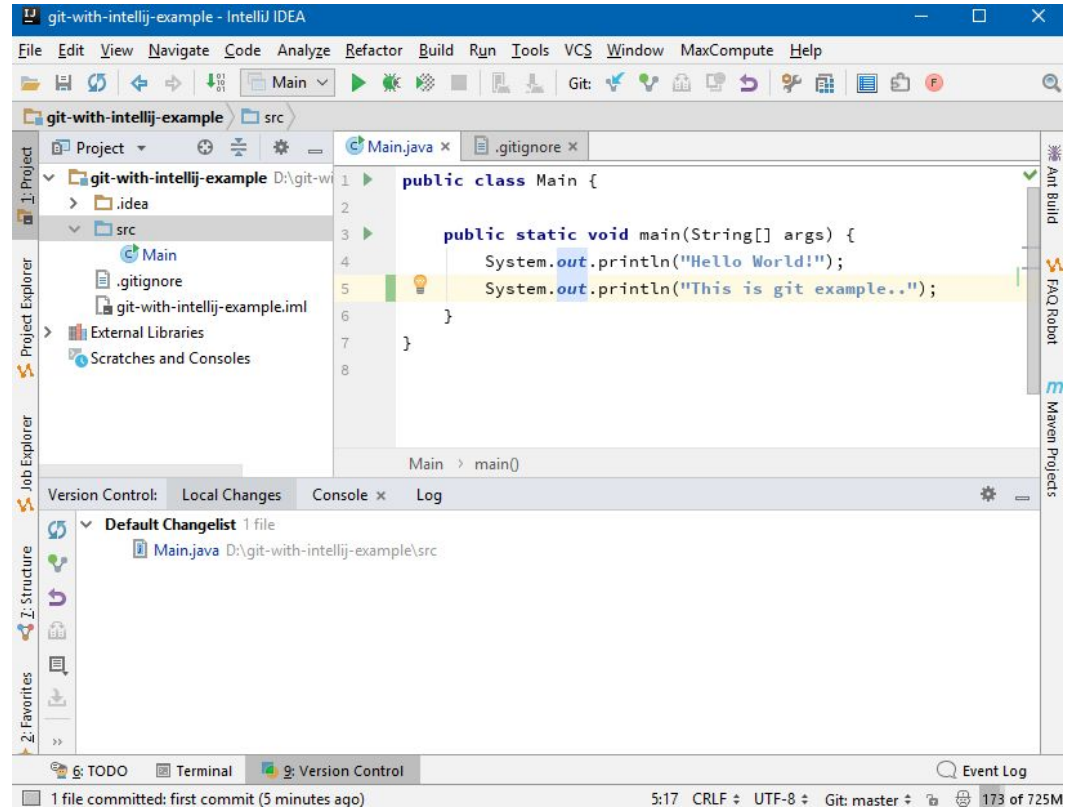
- Enter commit message.
- Also if you don't want to 'perform code analysis' and 'check TODO', uncheck those options (they are checked by default):



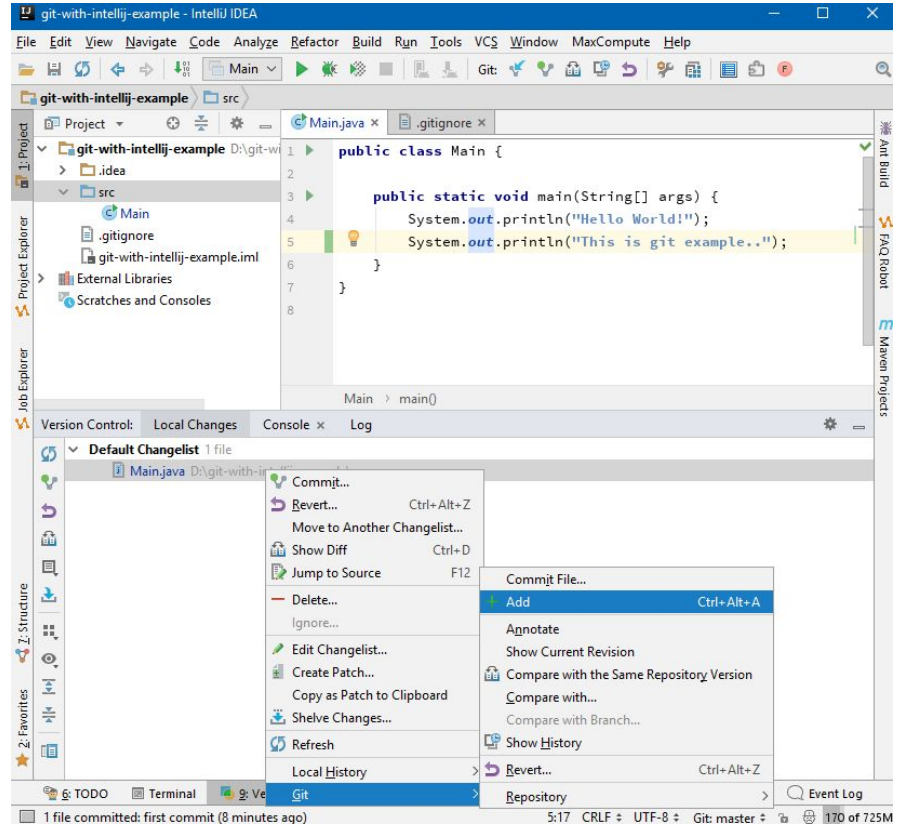
- Click on 'commit'. Now Files from 'Default changelist' will disappear.
- The committed files' color will change to the default color:

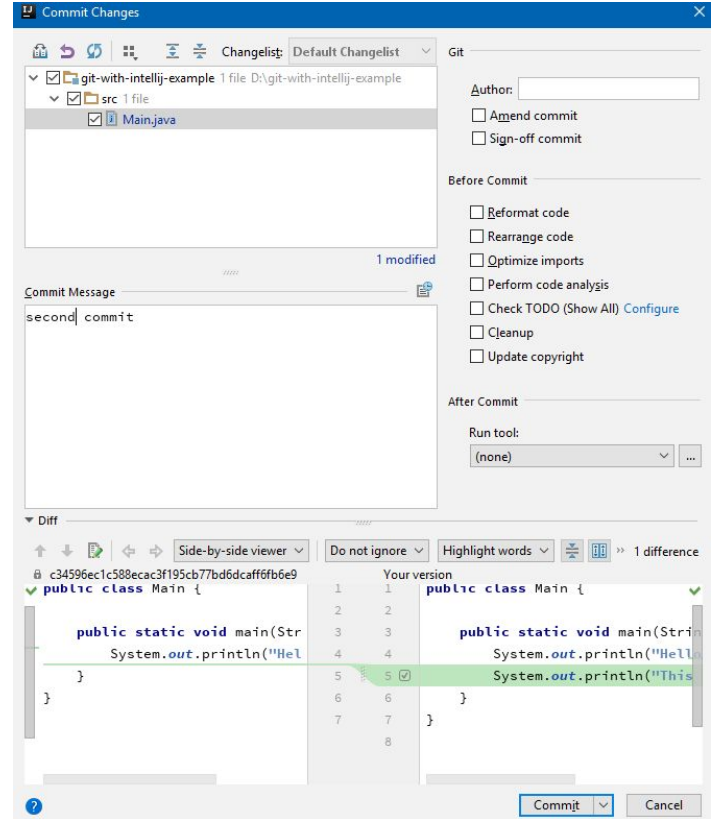
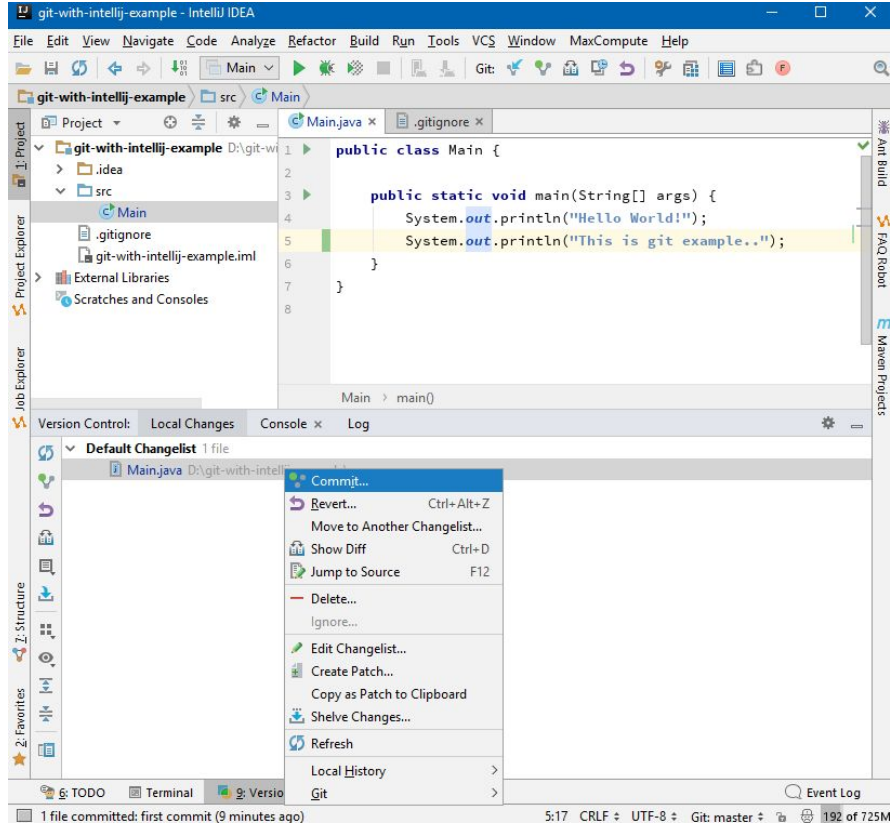


- Let's make some changes to our previously committed Java file.
- That will turn its color to blue:



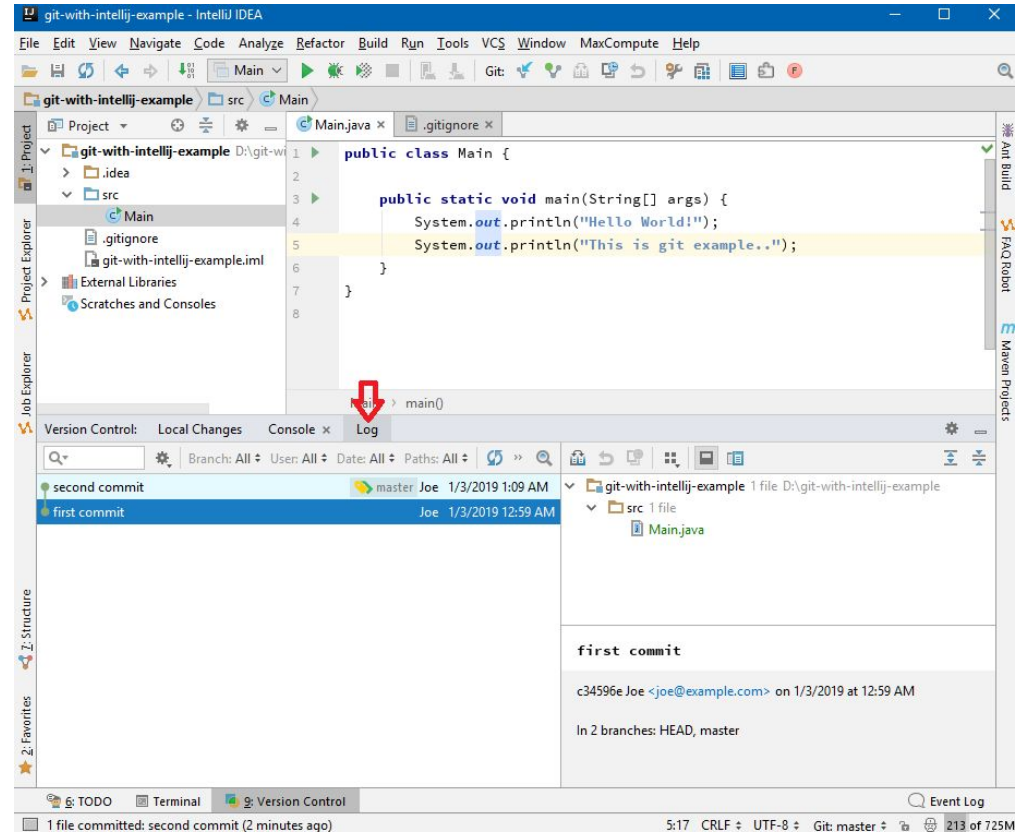
- Let's add the file to staging and then commit.
- In IntelliJ we can also commit files directly without adding them to staging first.
- The direct commit will perform both actions for us.



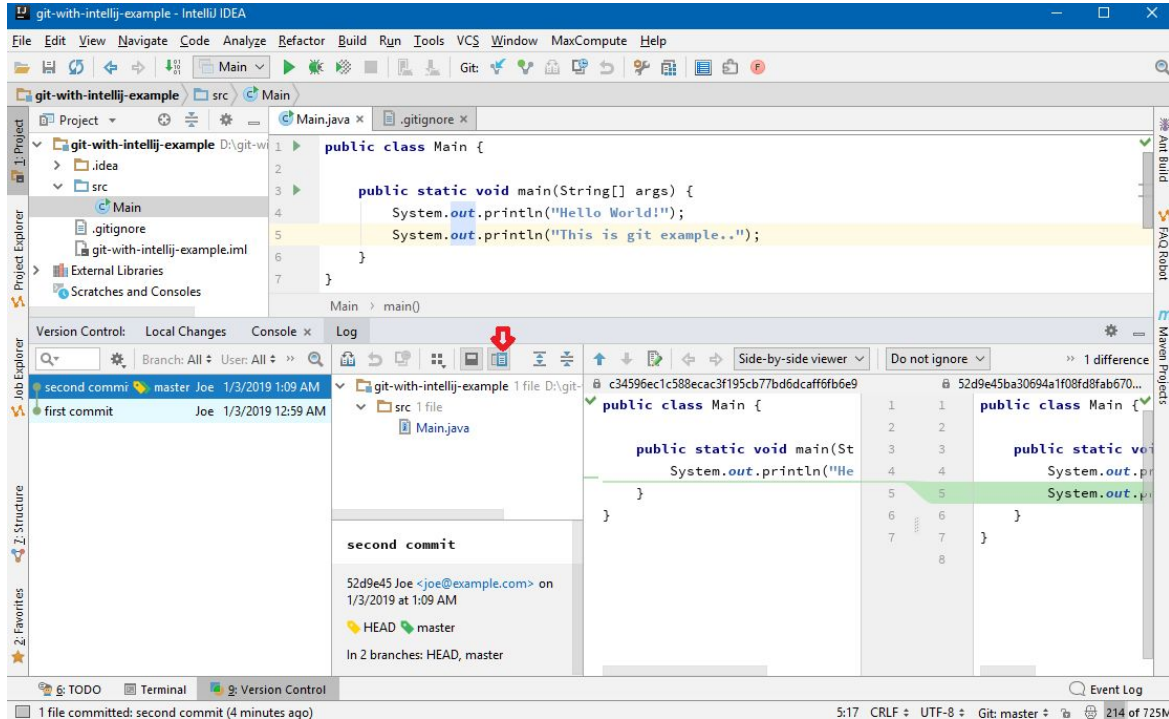


- To see git logs click on 'Log' tab in

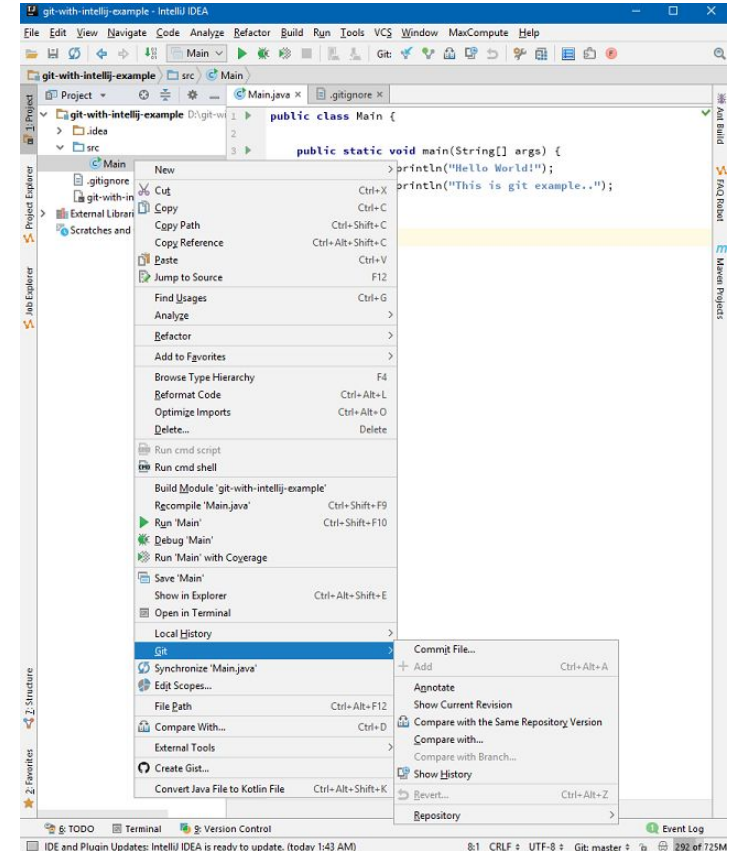
Version Control view:



- Toggle Select the "Preview Diff", that will show the change difference as well:



- Various Git operations can also be performed by invoking right click menu on the selected files:



ASSIGNMENT 02



Github & IntelliJ IDE



- <https://docs.github.com/en/authentication/keeping-your-account-and-data-secure/creating-a-personal-access-token>
- <https://www.jetbrains.com/help/idea/github.html>
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mM_drNdss4c

ASSIGNMENT 03 (HOME ASSIGNMENT)



Thank You

