

Contributing to go-units

Want to hack on go-units? Awesome! Here are instructions to get you started.

go-units is a part of the [Docker](#) project, and follows the same rules and principles. If you're already familiar with the way Docker does things, you'll feel right at home.

Otherwise, go read Docker's [contributions guidelines](#), [issue triaging](#), [review process](#) and [branches and tags](#).

Sign your work

The sign-off is a simple line at the end of the explanation for the patch. Your signature certifies that you wrote the patch or otherwise have the right to pass it on as an open-source patch. The rules are pretty simple: if you can certify the below (from [developercertificate.org](#)):

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Developer Certificate of Origin
Version 1.1

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By making a contribution to this project, I certify that:

(a) The contribution was created in whole or in part by me and I
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(b) The contribution is based upon previous work that, to the best
    of my knowledge, is covered under an appropriate open source
    license and I have the right under that license to submit that
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    by me, under the same open source license (unless I am
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    it.

(d) I understand and agree that this project and the contribution
    are public and that a record of the contribution (including all
    personal information I submit with it, including my sign-off) is
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Then you just add a line to every git commit message:

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Signed-off-by: Joe Smith <joe.smith@email.com>
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Use your real name (sorry, no pseudonyms or anonymous contributions.)

If you set your `user.name` and `user.email` git configs, you can sign your commit automatically with `git commit -s`.