

Git and GitHub

Day-2

Remote | Branching | Merging

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- **Basic Introduction to remote**

- Git vs GitHub
- Creating a GitHub account
- Pushing our local repo to GitHub
- Connecting a local repository to a remote (git remote add)
- Pushing to a remote repo (git push)
- Pulling changes from remote repo (git pull)
- Keeping our secrets secret with .gitignore

- **Branching and Merging**

- Understanding Branches
- Creating/Switching Branches
 - (git branch, checkout/switch)
- Rebase
- Squash
- Hands-on practice

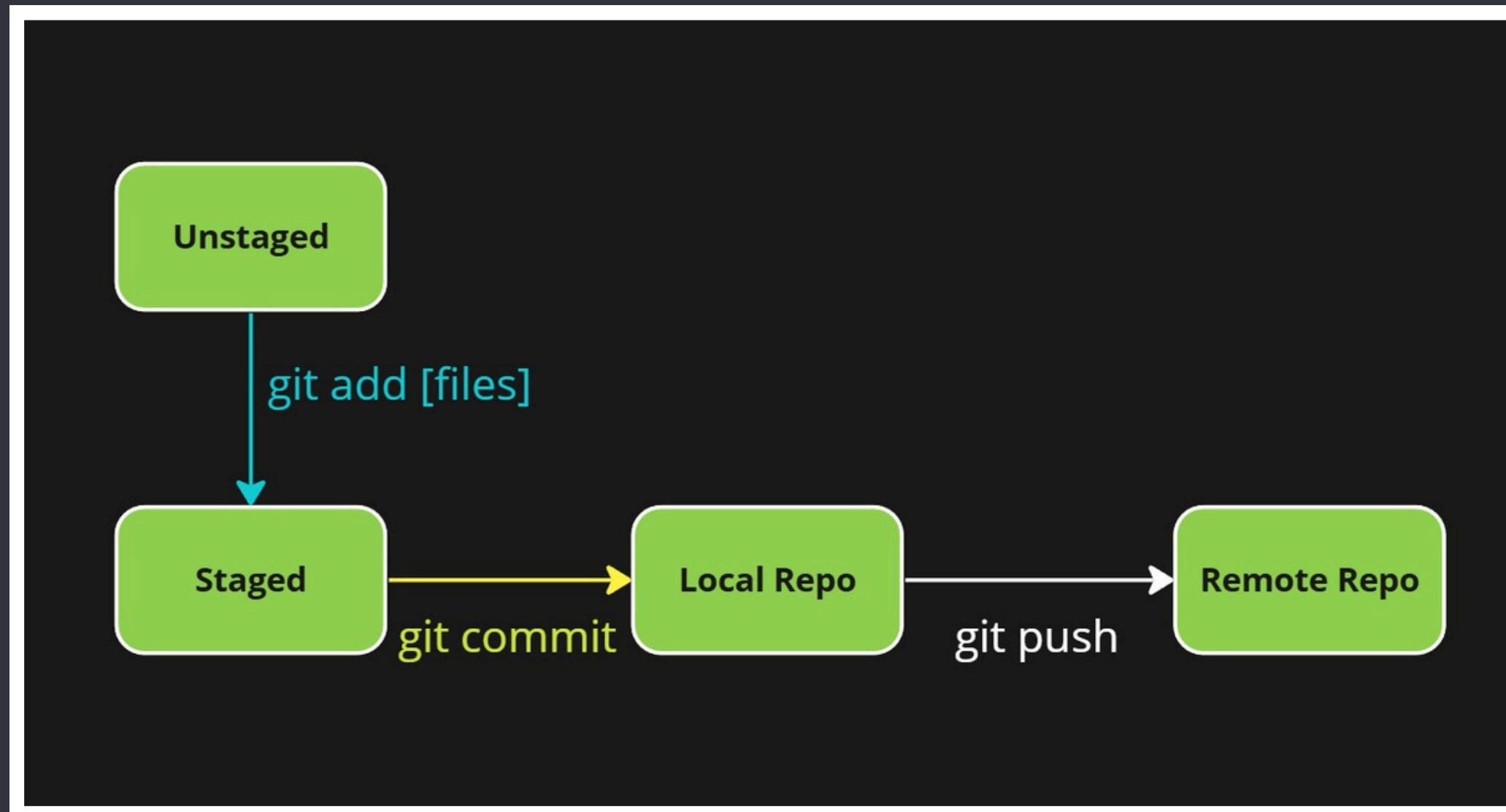
- **Merge Conflicts**

- Understanding merge conflicts
- Strategies to solve merge conflicts
- Hands-on practice

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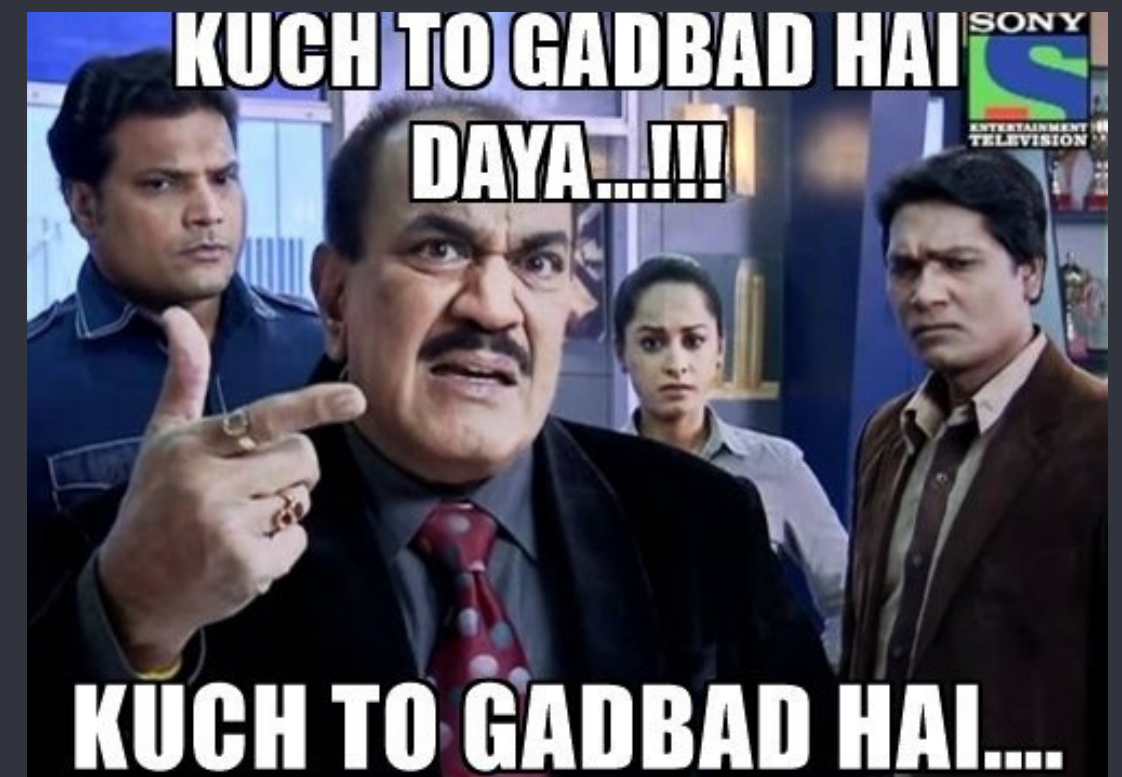


Workflow

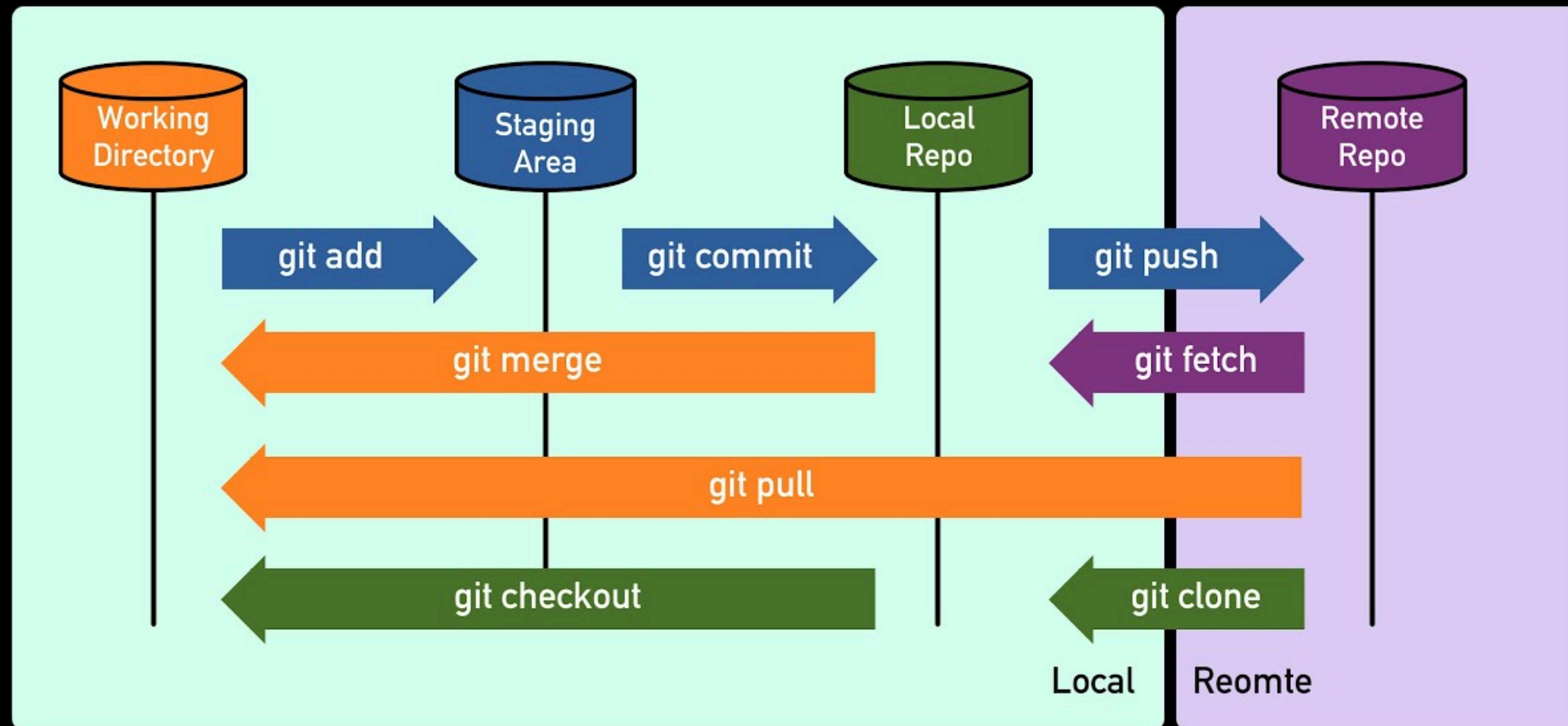


Add --> Commit --> Push

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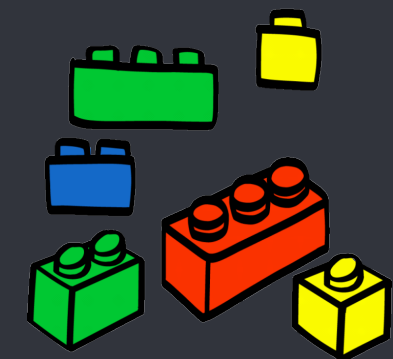
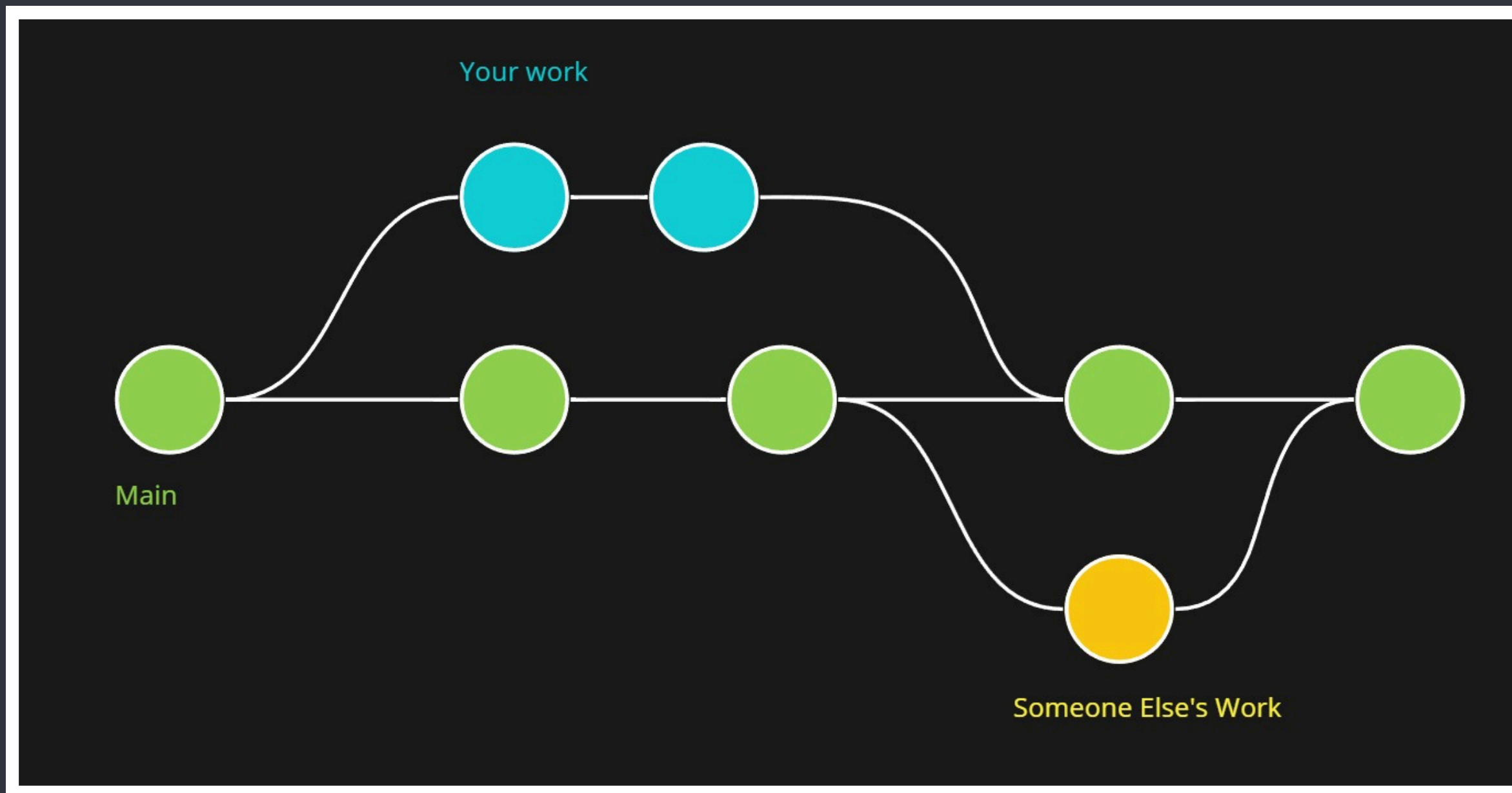
How Git Actually Works



Git Ignore

Files included in .gitignore file are ignored while committing and pushing the code.

Branching And Merging



Branching



```
1 git branch <branch-name>  
2 git checkout <branch-name>
```

Branching & Accessing the Branch

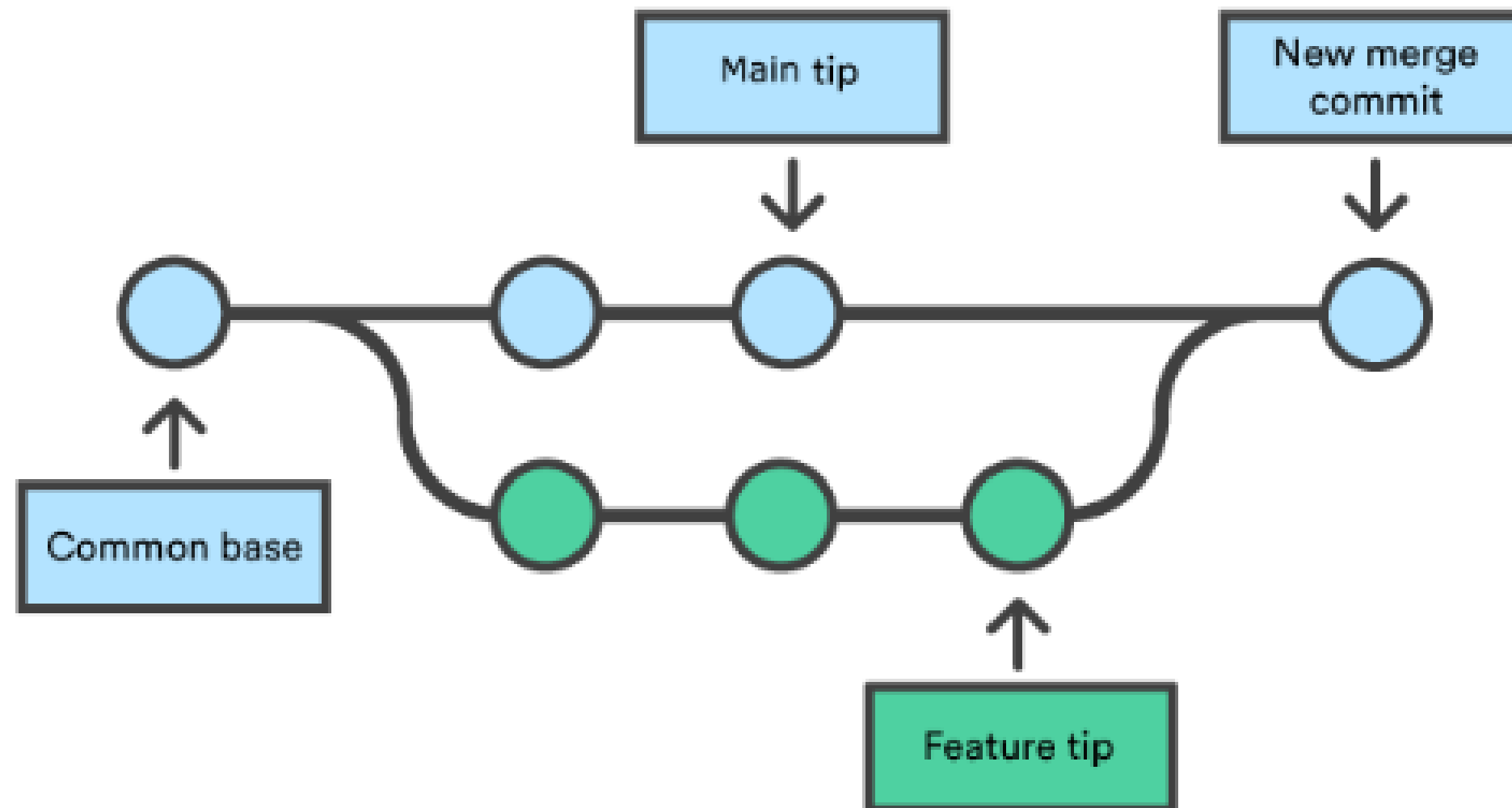


```
1 git checkout -b <branch-name>
```

Single Line Branching & Accessing

Naming Conventions

1. Use descriptive and meaningful names for branches, such as:
"feature/login-page", "fix/bug-123"
2. Use hyphens or slashes to separate words in branch names
3. Use prefixes like "feature/", "fix/", "hotfix/" to indicate the purpose of the branch
4. Use issue or ticket numbers in branch name for better tracking and traceability.



Merge

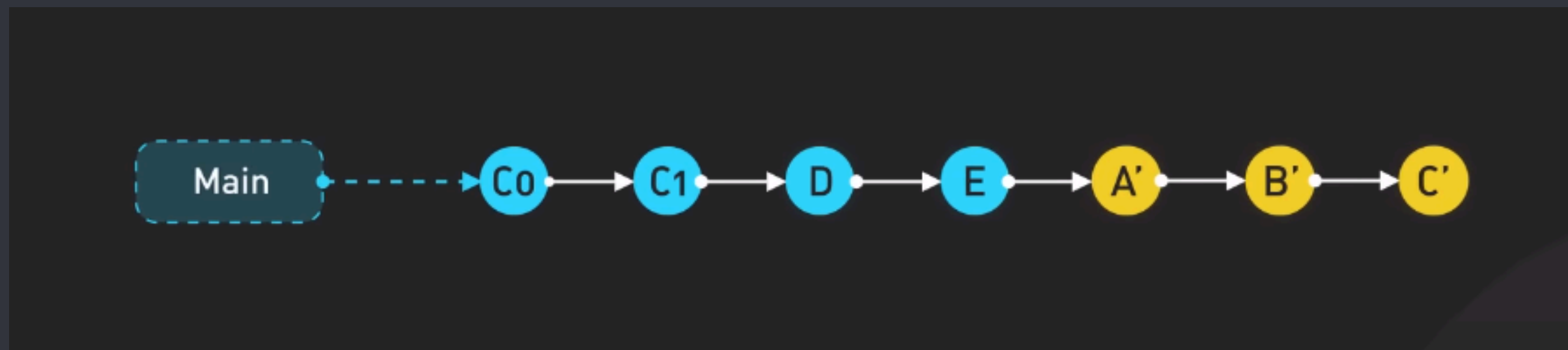
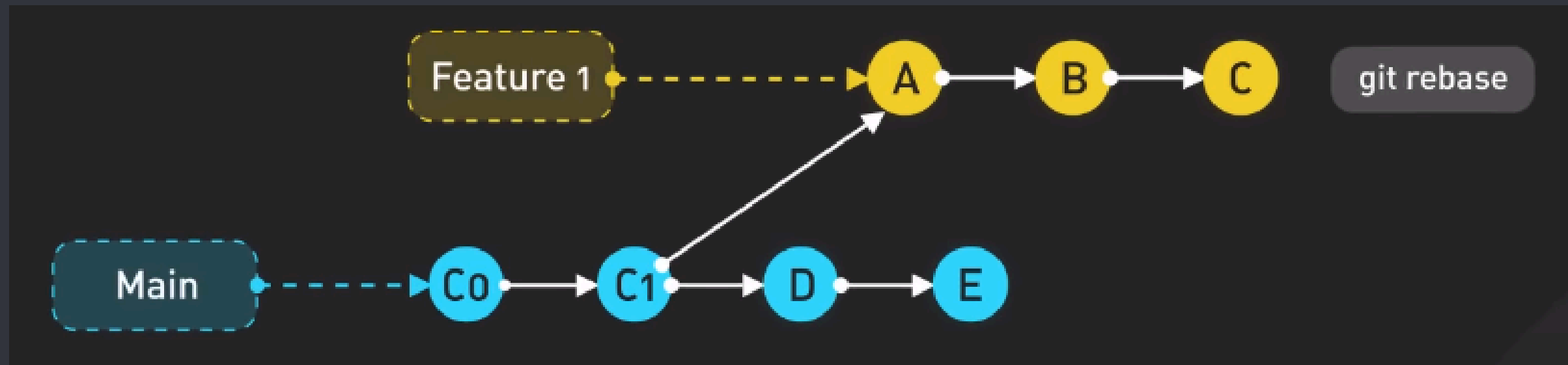
- Integrates changes from one branch.
- **Combines** changes from a feature or development branch into the main or release branch.
- **Preserves** the history of changes and ensures collaboration among team members.
- Allows developers to incorporate new features, bug fixes, or updates into the target branch



```
1  git merge <branch-name-to-merge>
2
3  #example:
4  git checkout main
5  git merge <branch-name>
```

Rebase

- Process of **moving** or combining a sequence of commits to a new base commit.
- Rewrites the commit history of a branch by **placing it on top of the target branch**.
- Useful for maintaining a clean and **linear commit history**, especially in collaborative environments





```
1  git rebase <branch-name-to-rebase>
2
3  #example:
4  git checkout <branch-name>
5  git rebase main
```


Squash

- Combines **multiple commits into a single commit**.
- Helps to condense the commit history, making it more concise and easier to follow.
- Useful for tidying up a series of minor or related commits before merging into the main branch.

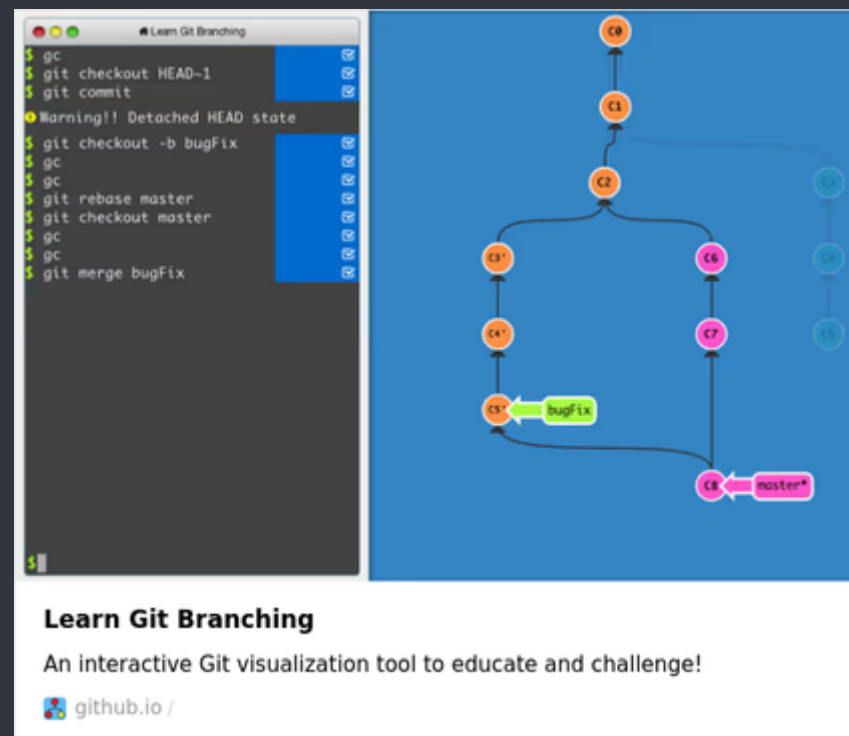
Conflicts

- Generally arise when two people have changed the same lines in a file, or if one developer deleted a file while another developer was modifying it.
- Git cannot automatically determine what is correct.
- Git will mark the file as being conflicted and halt the merging process.

Resolving Conflicts

```
src > colors.txt
1  red
   Accept Current Change | Accept Incoming Change | Accept Both Changes | Compare Changes
2  <<<<<< HEAD (Current Change)
3  green
4  =====
5  white
6  >>>>>> his-branch (Incoming Change)
7  blue
```

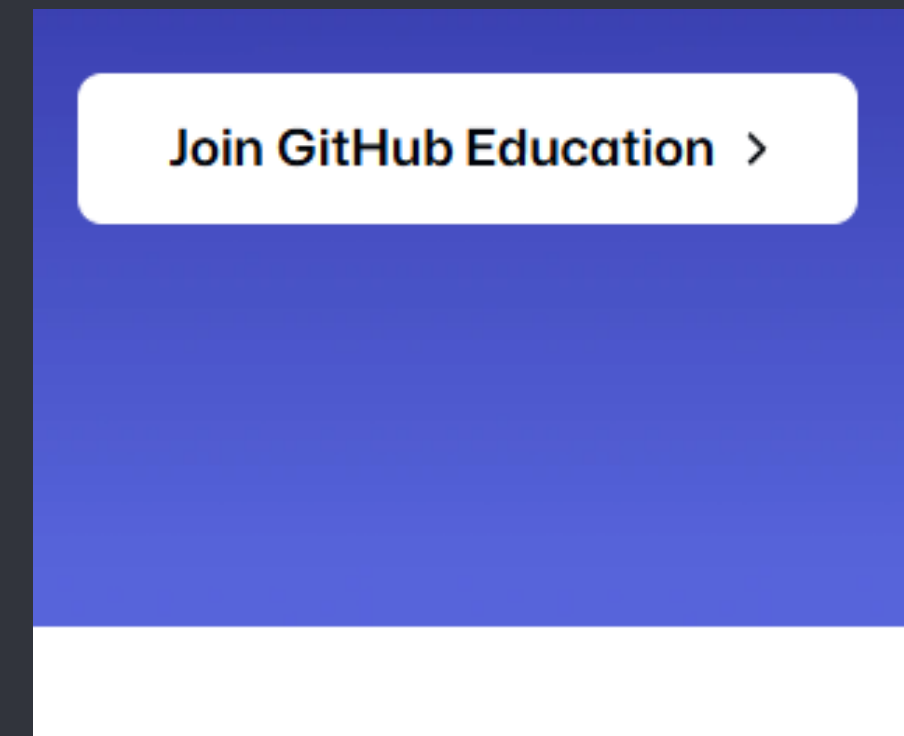
Resources



<https://learngitbranching.js.org/>



<https://education.github.com/git-cheat-sheet-education.pdf>



<https://github.com/edu/students>



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