Microsoft Corporation announced its acquisition of GitHub in June 2018 for $7.5 billion. This move strengthened Microsoft's presence in the open-source community. Satya Nadella, CEO of Microsoft, emphasized that GitHub will remain an open platform for developers.

Since the acquisition, GitHub has introduced multiple AI-powered tools, such as GitHub Copilot, developed in collaboration with OpenAI. The tool assists developers by suggesting code in real time. OpenAI, the organization behind ChatGPT, continues to expand its partnerships with major tech companies, including Microsoft and NVIDIA.