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GitHub History

GitHub is an open source version control system that allows code to be edited and changed by multiple people without problems. GitHub was created in 2008 by Tom Preston-Werner, P. J. Hyett, Chris Wanstrath, and Scott Chacon to use Git to keep code safe and to manage commits. There are multiple other platforms like GitLab, SourceForge, Cloud Source Repositories that are similar to GitHub but have some different advantages. For example, Cloud Source Repositories has an advantage because there is fast code search through the browser.