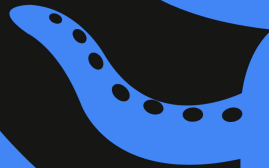


How to Turn your Github into a Lithub

Optionally: How to git gud



What is Github?

It's a method to save your code and upload it to the cloud

Version Control

- It remembers your past edits and keeps your project's history.

Collaborative

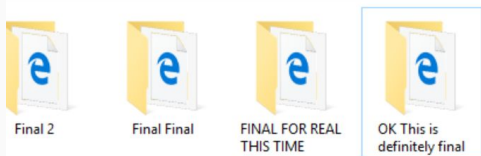
- Github makes it very easy to share your programs



I prefer the real version control



I said the *real* version control



Perfection

Why should you Learn Github?

- All your code is on the cloud.
- Almost every company/group uses Github.
- It works with any language.
- It works with any operating system
- It allows you to share your code with others.
- Two people can program the same project at the same time.

How to create an account

Go to <https://github.com/>

Please sign up **with your school email**. This will be important later.

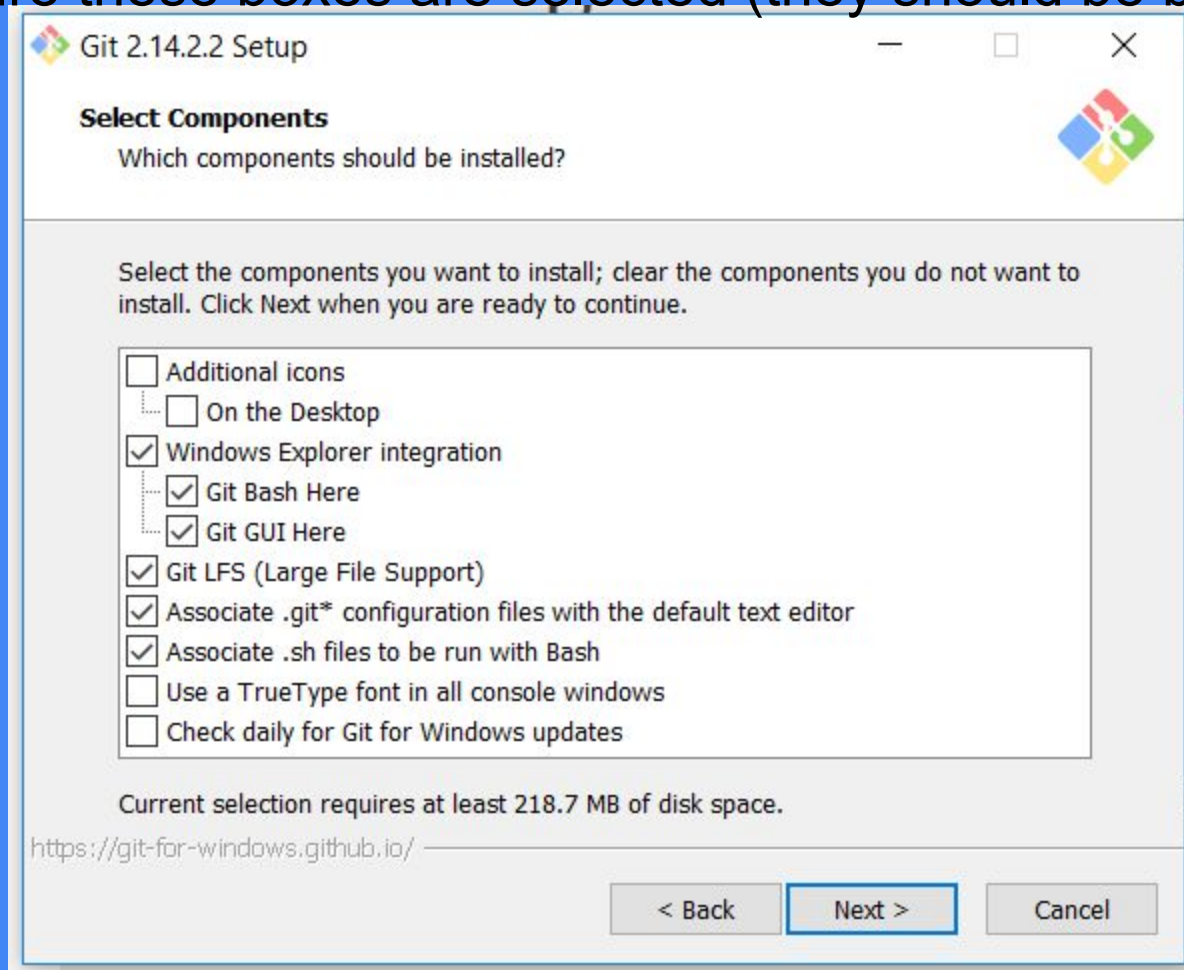
When signing up, pick the free option, you do not need to pay anything to use github.

Download Git Bash

Go to: <https://git-scm.com/downloads>

- Pick whatever operating system you are using
- The room's computers should have them installed.

Make Sure these boxes are selected (they should be by default)





Adjusting your PATH environment

How would you like to use Git from the command line?



☐ **Use Git from Git Bash only**

This is the safest choice as your PATH will not be modified at all. You will only be able to use the Git command line tools from Git Bash.

☒ **Use Git from the Windows Command Prompt**

This option is considered safe as it only adds some minimal Git wrappers to your PATH to avoid cluttering your environment with optional Unix tools. You will be able to use Git from both Git Bash and the Windows Command Prompt.

☐ **Use Git and optional Unix tools from the Windows Command Prompt**

Both Git and the optional Unix tools will be added to your PATH.

Warning: This will override Windows tools like "find" and "sort". Only use this option if you understand the implications.

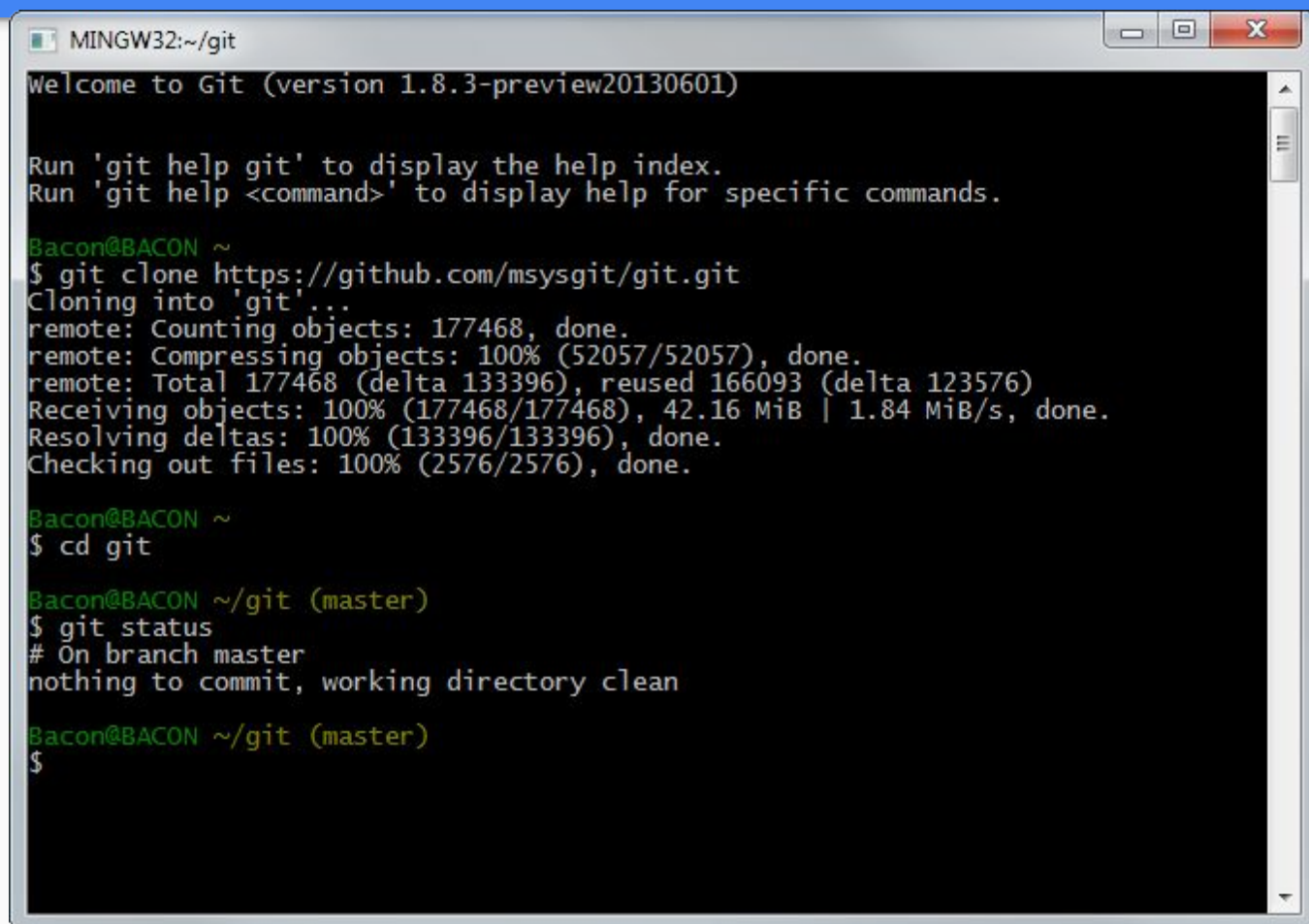
<https://git-for-windows.github.io/>

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Now for the fun stuff



```
MINGW32:~/git
Welcome to Git (version 1.8.3-preview20130601)

Run 'git help git' to display the help index.
Run 'git help <command>' to display help for specific commands.

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Cloning into 'git'...
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remote: Compressing objects: 100% (52057/52057), done.
remote: Total 177468 (delta 133396), reused 166093 (delta 123576)
Receiving objects: 100% (177468/177468), 42.16 MiB | 1.84 MiB/s, done.
Resolving deltas: 100% (133396/133396), done.
Checking out files: 100% (2576/2576), done.

Bacon@BACON ~
$ cd git

Bacon@BACON ~/git (master)
$ git status
# On branch master
nothing to commit, working directory clean

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Learning how to use a terminal

It's basically a text based adventure game, without the fun.

Very similar to Window's command prompt

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Home Directory

Working Directory

Commands to know

mkdir - make a new directory

- mkdir projects

cd - change directory

- cd c:\Users\
• cd .. goes backwards to parent directory c:\

ls - list all files in the directory

Understanding how the terminal works

Think of a directory like a room

- Unless you give the specific location of the item you want to use, you can only access things in that particular room (directory)
- You can only get to some rooms by going through others.

Keep in mind when typing out locations if the location has a space in it, you need to add quotes around the location eg: "C:/Program Files/"

```
cd
```

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 ~
```

```
$ cd c:/GitProjects
```

_____ Specific location to the file

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/GitProjects
```

```
$ ls
```

```
orhx/  s1/  server/
```

_____ Files I can interact with w/out specifying a certain location.

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/GitProjects
```

```
$
```

Git-specific commands

Every git-specific command will have the keyword “git” in front of it.

git init - Creates an empty git repository

git add - Adds files to the staging area

git commit - records changes to the repository

git push - moves local changes to the remote repository (cloud)

git pull - Download changes from remote repository (download and combine)

There are plenty more commands but these are the main five and the ones we're going to focus on for right now.

Create your first Repository

- Navigate to your C:/ Drive
- Make a new directory and give it a name, something like GitProjects or projects etc. (A projects folder here is optional, we do it at c:\ so we don't have to do too much typing)
- Navigate to that new GitProjects folder

 MINGW64:/c/projects

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 ~
```

```
$ cd c:/
```

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c
```

```
$ mkdir projects
```

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c
```

```
$ cd projects
```

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects
```

```
$ |
```


Create Your First Repository

- Make another directory and title it “test”
- Navigate to that test folder
- Initialize an empty git repository

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects
$ mkdir test

Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects
$ cd test

Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects/test
$ git init
Initialized empty Git repository in C:/projects/test/.git/

Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects/test (master)
$ |
```

Create your First Repository

The screenshot shows the GitHub homepage in a web browser. The browser's address bar displays 'https://github.com'. The GitHub navigation bar at the top includes a search bar, links for 'Pull requests', 'Issues', 'Marketplace', and 'Explore', and a '+ ' button. This '+ ' button is circled in red. A dropdown menu is visible, listing options: 'New repository', 'Import repository', 'New gist', and 'New organization'. The main content area on the left shows a feed of repository activity, including 'AlexRodgers created a repository MakersClub/test' and 'james-womack starred isocpp/CppCoreGuidelines'. On the right, there are sections for 'Repositories you contribute to' (listing 'FIRSTTeam389/Robot2017' and 'MakersClub/test') and 'Your repositories' (listing 'server', 'orhx', 'essay_creator', 'hack', 'youtube', 'KungFury', and 'stocks').

-Click the + button

-Select New repository

Create your First Repository

Create a new repository

A repository contains all the files for your project, including the revision history.

Owner

 AlexanderRodgers ▾

Repository name

/ github-demo ✓

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

Description (optional)

Demo for Github lesson

☒  **Public**

Anyone can see this repository. You choose who can commit.

☐  **Private**

You choose who can see and commit to this repository.

☐ **Initialize this repository with a README**

This will let you immediately clone the repository to your computer. Skip this step if you're importing an existing repository.

Add .gitignore: **None** ▾

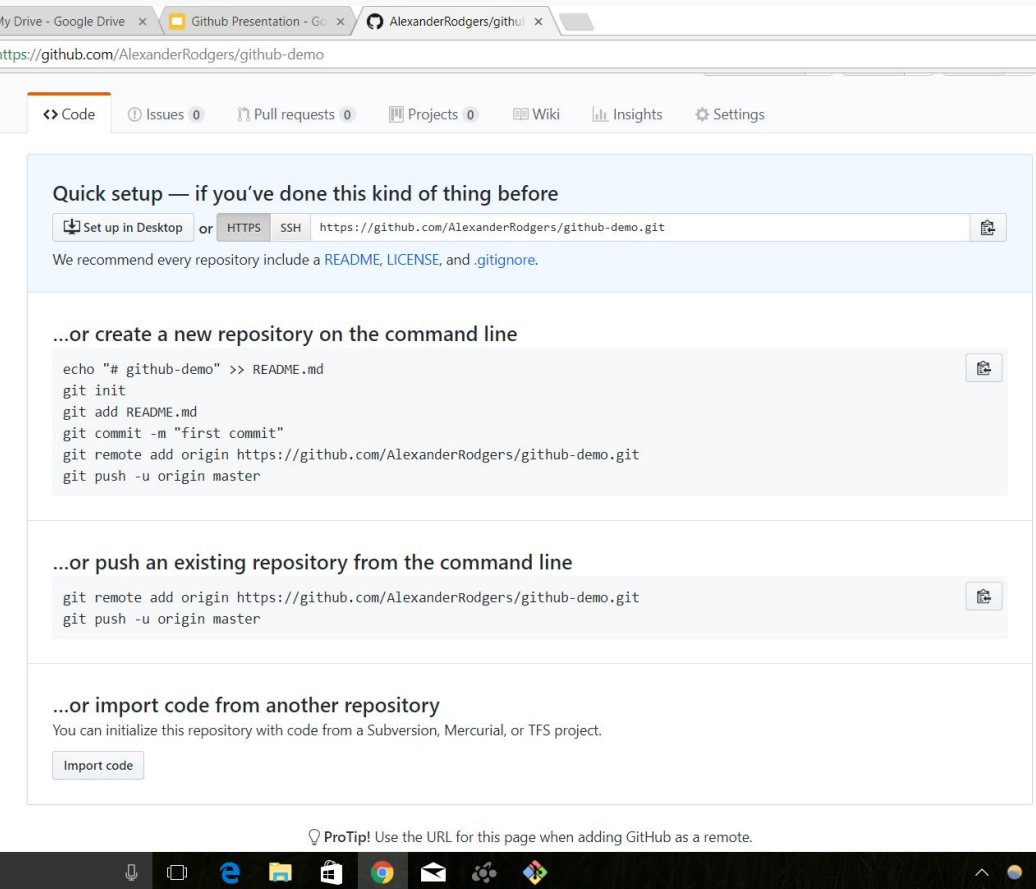
Add a license: **None** ▾



Create repository



- Give your repository a name and description.
- Select **public** under the repository description
- Press the green create button

Create your First Repository



The screenshot shows the GitHub web interface for a repository named 'github-demo' by user 'AlexanderRodgers'. The browser tabs include 'Google Drive', 'Github Presentation - Google Drive', and 'AlexanderRodgers/github'. The address bar shows the URL 'https://github.com/AlexanderRodgers/github-demo'. The navigation bar includes links for 'Code', 'Issues' (0), 'Pull requests' (0), 'Projects' (0), 'Wiki', 'Insights', and 'Settings'. The main content area is titled 'Quick setup — if you've done this kind of thing before' and offers three options: 'Set up in Desktop', 'HTTPS', and 'SSH'. The 'HTTPS' option is selected, showing the repository URL 'https://github.com/AlexanderRodgers/github-demo.git'. Below this, a recommendation states: 'We recommend every repository include a README, LICENSE, and .gitignore.' The next section, '...or create a new repository on the command line', provides a list of Git commands to initialize and push a new repository. The third section, '...or push an existing repository from the command line', provides commands to add a remote and push. The final section, '...or import code from another repository', includes a note about initializing from other VCS systems and an 'Import code' button. A 'ProTip!' at the bottom suggests using the URL for adding GitHub as a remote. The Windows taskbar is visible at the bottom with various application icons.

Quick setup — if you've done this kind of thing before

 Set up in Desktop or **HTTPS** SSH `https://github.com/AlexanderRodgers/github-demo.git` 

We recommend every repository include a [README](#), [LICENSE](#), and [.gitignore](#).

...or create a new repository on the command line

```
echo "# github-demo" >> README.md
git init
git add README.md
git commit -m "first commit"
git remote add origin https://github.com/AlexanderRodgers/github-demo.git
git push -u origin master
```


...or push an existing repository from the command line

```
git remote add origin https://github.com/AlexanderRodgers/github-demo.git
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```

...or import code from another repository

You can initialize this repository with code from a Subversion, Mercurial, or TFS project.

[Import code](#)

 **ProTip!** Use the URL for this page when adding GitHub as a remote.

- You should be seeing a webpage that looks something like this.
- Don't exit from this website just yet.

Create your First Repository

Let's create a file to upload.

- Create a .txt file through console.
- Add the file to your project (the . means add all new files in the directory)

Don't worry about the warning, it's not important.

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects/test (master)
```

```
$ echo 'Sample Text' > test.txt
```

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects/test (master)
```

```
$ git add .
```

```
warning: LF will be replaced by CRLF in test.txt.
```

```
The file will have its original line endings in your working directory.
```

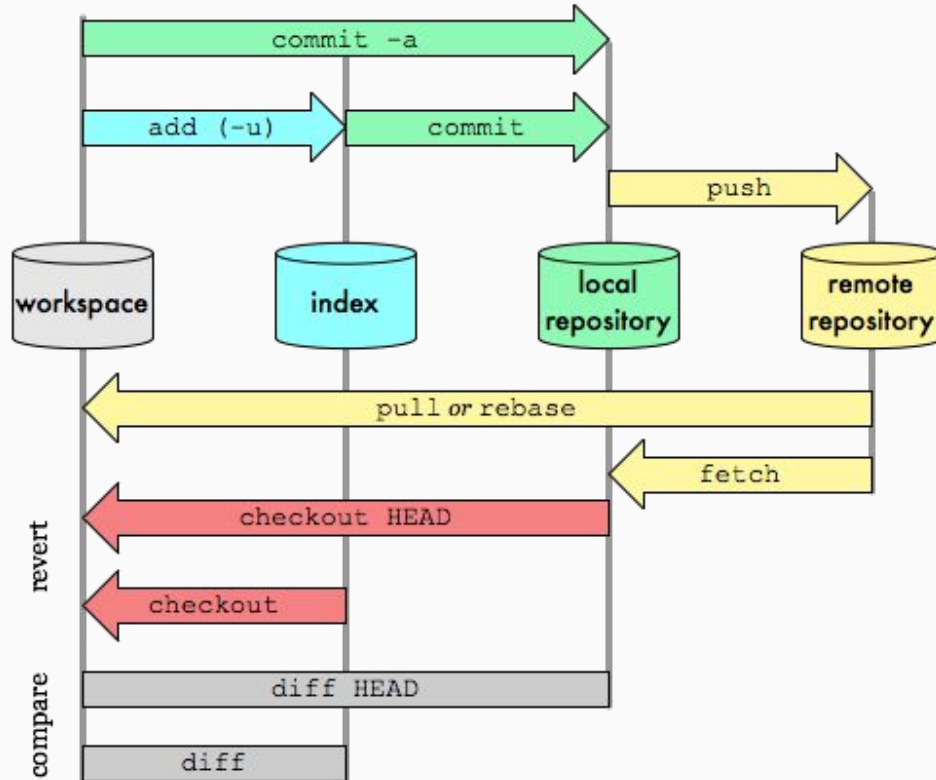
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```

```
$ |
```

What are we doing?

Git Data Transport Commands

<http://osteele.com>



- We're taking the code from our workspace and adding it to our local index (list of files in the project).
- Basically that means we are specifying what files we want to be part of our project.

Create your first Repository

- Once you are satisfied with your code commit it by using:
 - `git commit -m "What changes you made to the project"`
 - The `-m` of this command tells git bash that you are also sending a message about the changes you made to this project.
 - You should **always** add a commit message to the changes you made and **be specific**.

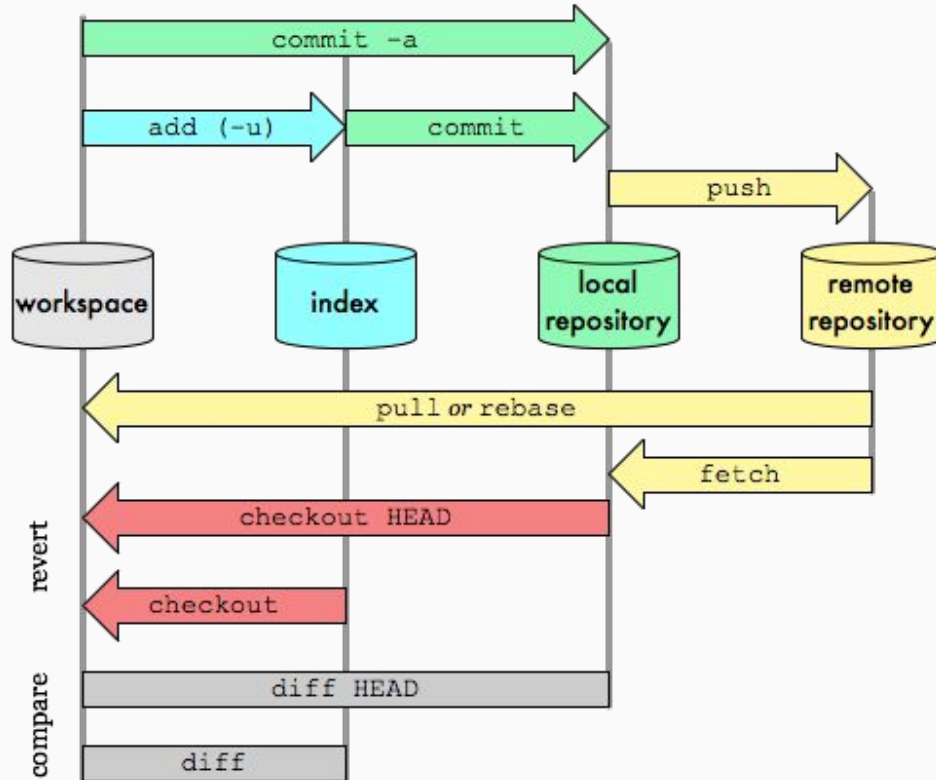
```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects/test (master)
$ git commit -m "Added some code"
[master (root-commit) d8e67e5] Added some code
1 file changed, 1 insertion(+)
create mode 100644 test.txt

Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects/test (master)
$ |
```

What are we doing?

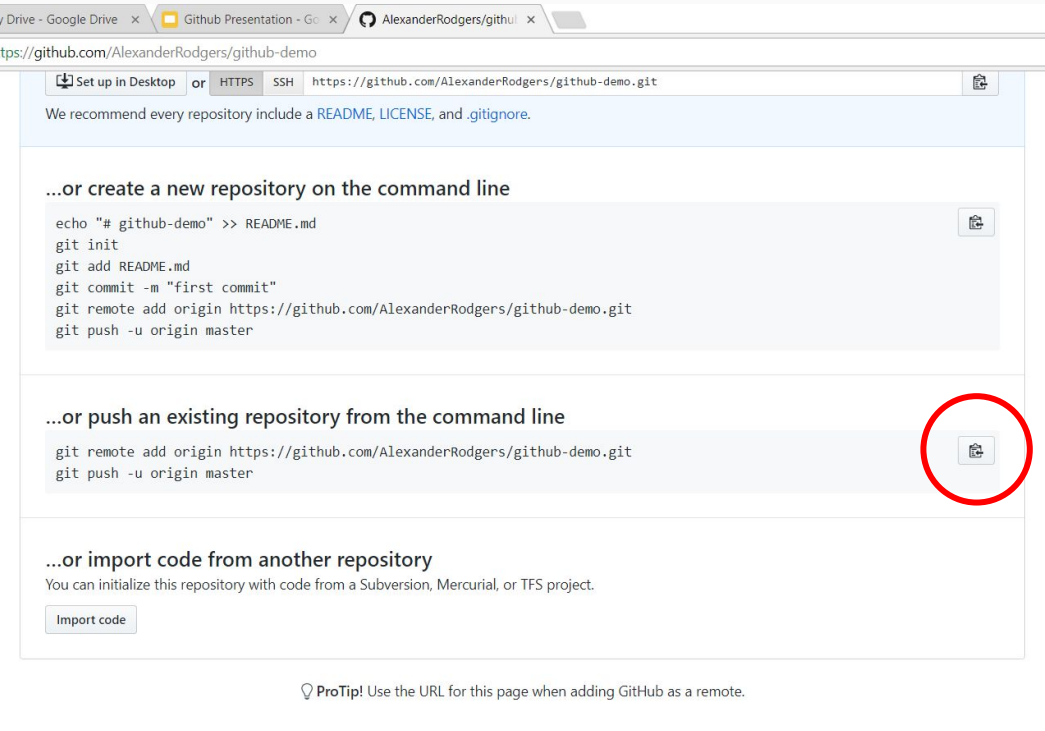
Git Data Transport Commands

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- We are setting the final version of all our code that will be added to the group project.
- All the code that is committed is saved locally so that even if the code is changed, we can still use this version.

Create your First Repository



Drive - Google Drive x Github Presentation - G x AlexanderRodgers/github x

tps://github.com/AlexanderRodgers/github-demo

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- Go back to that website.
- Click on the copy to clipboard button under the “push an existing repository from the command line” section.

Create your First Repository

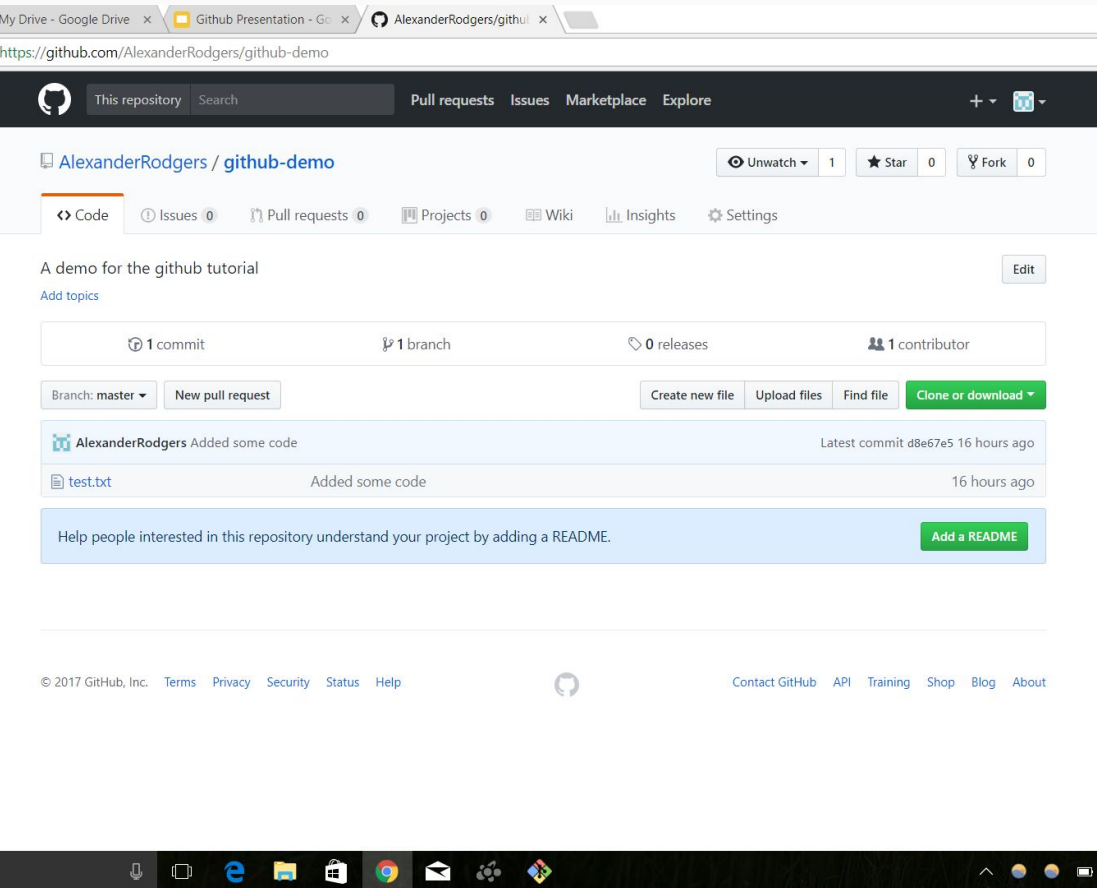
- Paste the code you just copied into the terminal.
 - You can paste into the terminal by right clicking with your mouse and selecting copy or using the shift+insert keys
- You may have to sign in. Just follow the instructions on the terminal.

```
Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects/test (master)
$ git remote add origin https://github.com/AlexanderRodgers/github-demo.git

Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects/test (master)
$ git push -u origin master
Counting objects: 3, done.
Writing objects: 100% (3/3), 224 bytes | 224.00 KiB/s, done.
Total 3 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0)
To https://github.com/AlexanderRodgers/github-demo.git
 * [new branch]      master -> master
Branch master set up to track remote branch master from origin.

Alex@Alex MINGW64 /c/projects/test (master)
$ |
```

Create your First Repository

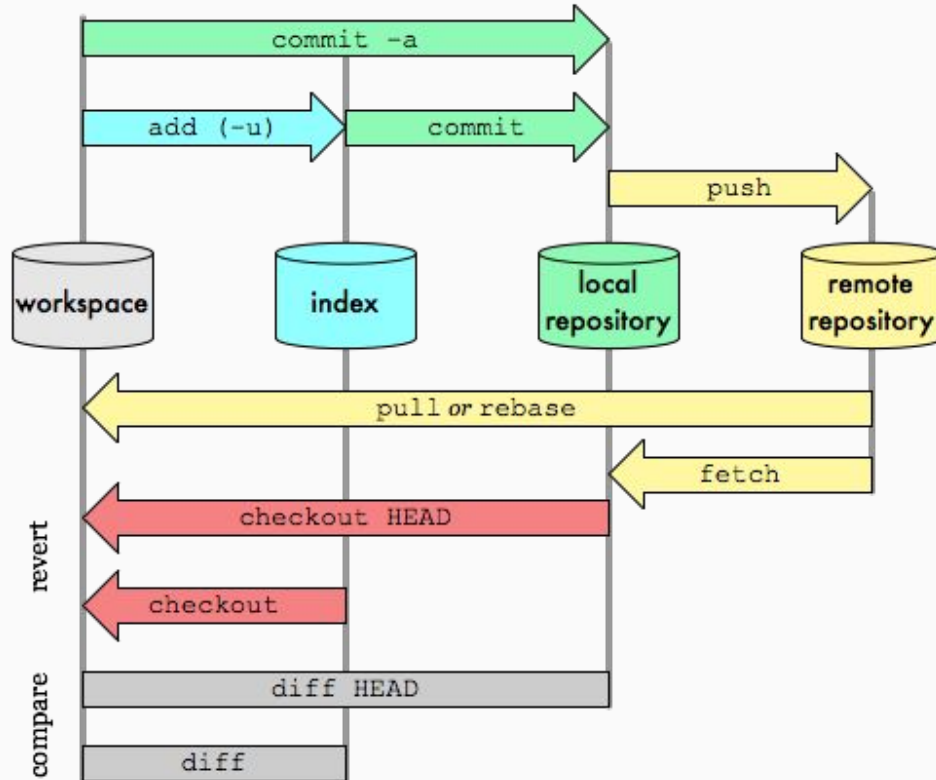


- Refresh your browser and you should see that your file has been uploaded!

What did we do?

Git Data Transport Commands

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- We uploaded *our* version of the project to the group project online.
- Now anyone apart of the project can take the code you made and download it using git pull.

Sign up for the Github Education Pack

Go to <https://education.github.com/pack>

- Verify Academic Status
- Describe how you are going to use Github Education Pack (it does not have to be long)

Boom. Free stuff.

Additional Resources

Youtube:

TheNewBoston

LearnCode.Academy

<https://guides.github.com/>

<https://try.github.io/levels/1/challenges/1>