



# Git

Configuration Management  
(Version Control)



## So what is Git?

- Version Control System
- Made by Linus Torvalds! (developer of the Linux kernel)



# Git Advantages

- Distributed (everyone has their own code repository local to them!)
- Open Source (everyone likes open source code :) )



# General Git Workflow

1. `git init`
2. `git add filename`
3. `git commit -m "Initial commit"`
4. `git push origin master`



# Git Concept: Init

What does it do: Initializes a Git repository locally

Example command:  
**git init**

Add a **.gitignore** file if required.



# Git Concept: Status

**What does it do:** Shows you the status of your current repository which shows files to be added, modified and untracked files as well.

Example command:  
**git status**

```
# On branch master
# Changes to be committed:
# (use "git reset HEAD <file>..." to unstage)
#
#modified:   hello.py
#
# Changes not staged for commit:
# (use "git add <file>..." to update what will be committed
# (use "git checkout -- <file>..." to discard changes in working directory)
#
#modified:   main.py
#
# Untracked files:
# (use "git add <file>..." to include in what will be committed)
#
#hello.pyc
```



## Git Concept: Add / Remove

**What does it do:** As you can probably tell from the name, it adds or removes a file!

Example command:

**git add filename OR git rm filename**



## Git Concept: Commit

**What does it do:** This commits your changes to the repository. If you don't do this, your changes will not be saved!

Example command:

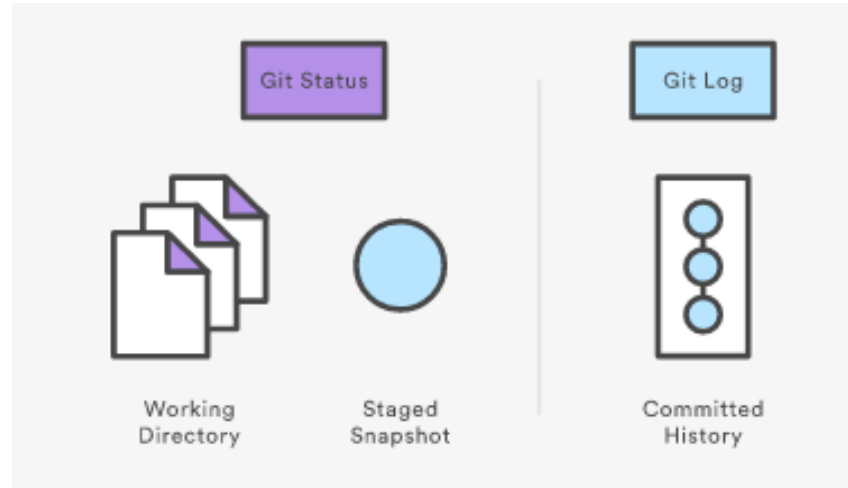
**git commit -m "Some Message!"**



# Git Concept: Log

What does it do: Shows the history of commits into the system.

Example command:  
**git log**





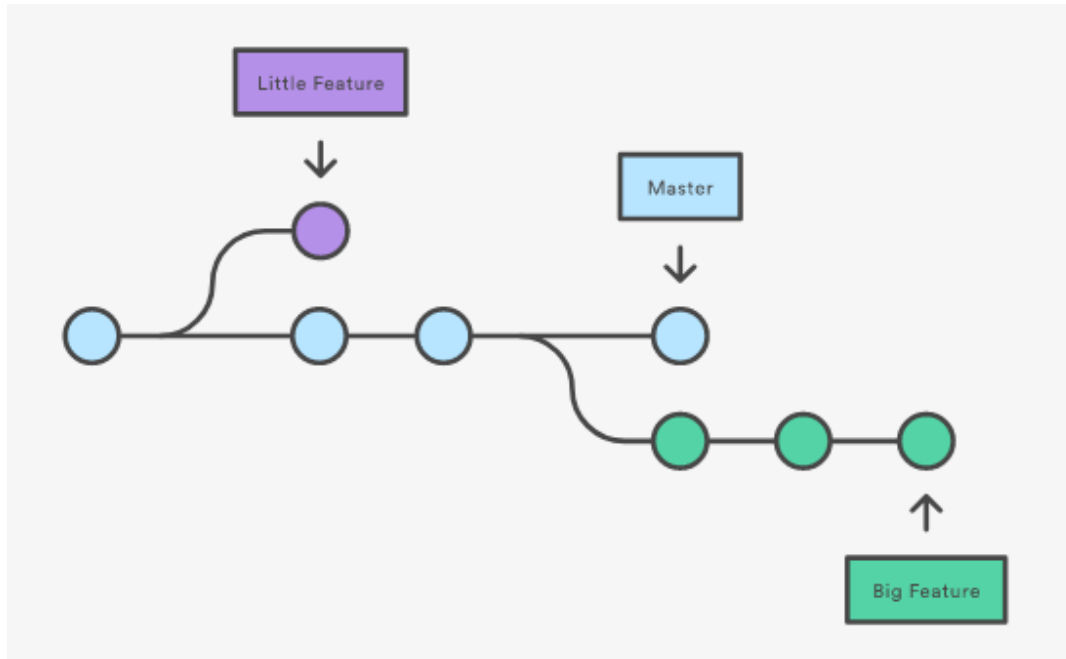
## Git Concept: Clone

**What does it do:** Clones an entire Git repository, similar to svn checkout but you get the whole copy, so for a Git repository with a lot of history, this operation can potentially take a while

Example command:

**git clone <<URL>>**

# Git Concept: Branching





# **And Many More!**

References:

<https://www.atlassian.com/git/tutorials>

<https://git-scm.com/>