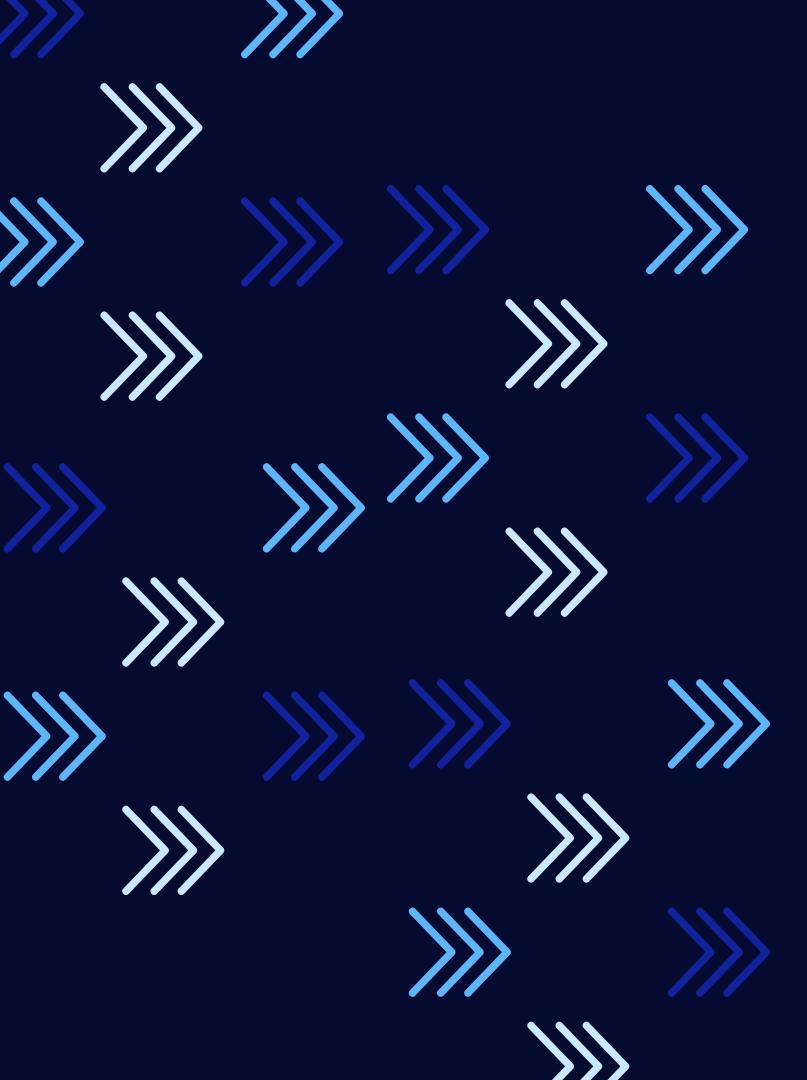


### GITHUB

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## WHATIS GITHUB

- Web-based platform built on Git.
- Designed for version control and collaboration in software development.

#### THE HISTORY OF GITHUB

GitHub was founded in 2008 by Tom Preston-Werner, Chris Wanstrath, and PJ Hyett. It gained rapid popularity among developers due to its intuitive interface and robust features for collaboration. In 2018, Microsoft acquired GitHub for \$7.5 billion, although it continues to operate as an independent platform.



### PURPOSE OF GITHUB

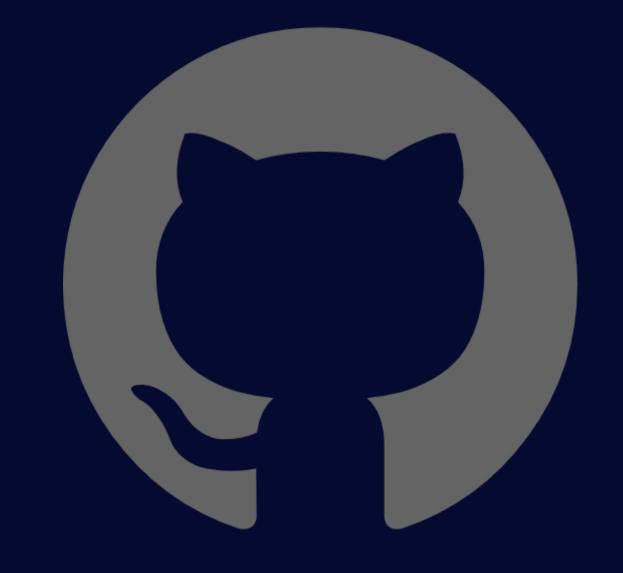
GitHub serves several purposes in the software development lifecycle, including:

1. Version Control

2. Collaboration

3. Project Management

Code Hosting



#### HOW GITHUB WORKS:

- 1. Create a Repository: Users create repositories to store their code and related files.
- 2. Add and Commit Changes: Developers make changes to their code, stage those changes, and commit them to the repository.
- 3. Branching and Merging: GitHub allows users to create branches to work on features or fixes independently. Once changes are ready, they can be merged back into the main branch.
- 4. Collaboration: Multiple developers can collaborate on a project by forking repositories, creating pull requests, and reviewing each other's code.
- 5. Continuous Integration and Deployment: GitHub integrates with various CI/CD tools to automate testing and deployment processes.

# CREATING A REPOSITORY ON GITHUB:

- 1. Log in to your GitHub account.
- 2. Click on the "+" icon in the top-right corner and select "New repository."
- 3. Choose a name for your repository, add an optional description, and select other settings like visibility (public or private) and initialization with a README file.
  - Click "Create repository."

# UPLOADING A FILE TO YOUR REPOSITORY:

- 1. Open the repository on GitHub.
- 2. Click the "Add file" drop-down button and select the "Upload file" option.
- 3. Drag and drop the file from your computer or click "Select file" to select the file from the file system.
- 4. Once you have selected the file, click "Commit Changes" to upload it to the repository.

