**GitHub procedure**

**Main branches are:**

master

Where the released version of the program goes, each commit should have a version number

develop

Parent branch for all the feature branches and where feature branches are merged after completion during development

feature branches

Start with “f/” and then a meaningful name of the feature being developed. Where the features get programmed, merged into development upon completion. Make sure you regularly pull features from develop.

release

A branch off the development branch where testing, bug fixing, and code review happens before merging with the master branch.

hotfix

For fixing any issues that are found in the master branch. When the hotfix is completed merge the code into development and master

**Naming conventions:**

* **lowercase** names
* Underscores for spaces