

# III. Config

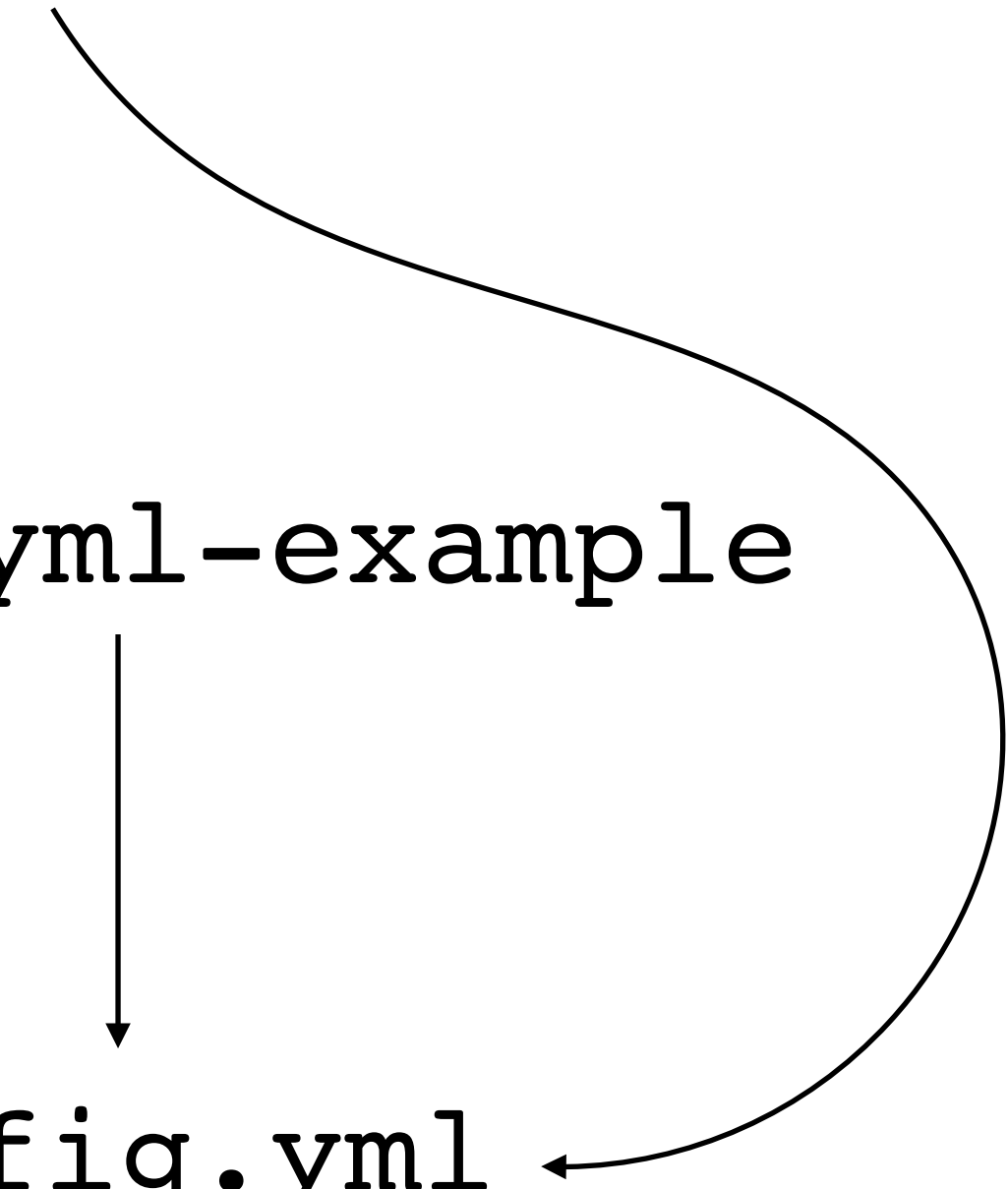
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```
db:  
  driver: postgres  
  host: example.com  
  port: 5432  
  username: root  
  password: secret  
  database: app
```

config.yml-example

config.yml



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- Another approach is to use config files **which are NOT checked into revision control.**
- This still has weaknesses because it's **easy to mistakenly check in** a config file to the repo.
- There is a tendency for config files to be scattered about in different places and different formats, making it **hard to see and manage** all the config in one place.