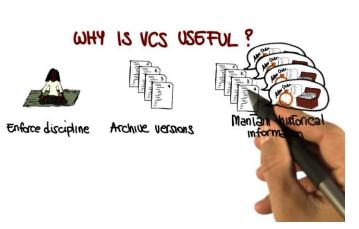
# **Version Control System**

## Why it is useful?

- Collaboration
- Storing versions (Properly)
- Restoring Previous versions
- Understanding what happened
- Backup

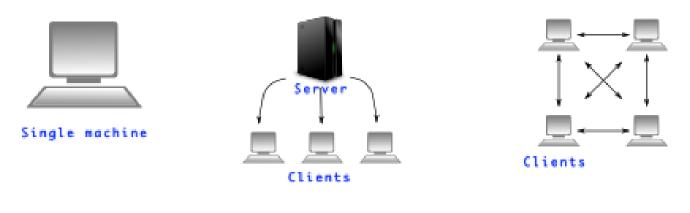


## **Types of Version Control System**

• Centralized Version Control System

Local

• Distributed / Decentralized Version Control System



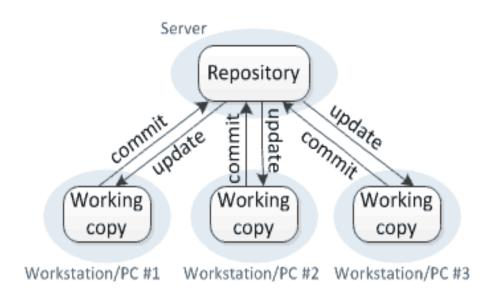
Centralised

Distributed

### **Centralized Version Control System**

Use central server to store all files and

enables team collaboration

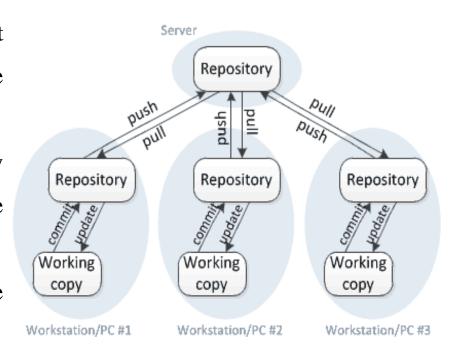


## **Issues in Centralized Version Control System**

- If central server goes down, during that time no one can collaborate at all.
- If the disk of the central server gets corrupted and proper backup has not been taken, then you will lose the entire history of the project

## **Decentralized Version Control System**

- Clients not only check out the latest snapshot of the directory but they also fully mirror the repository.
- If server goes down, then the repository from any client can be copied back to the server to restore it.
- Every checkout is the full backup of the repository.



## **Examples for Decentralized Version Control System**

- GitHub
- Bitbucket
- GitLab



### Git

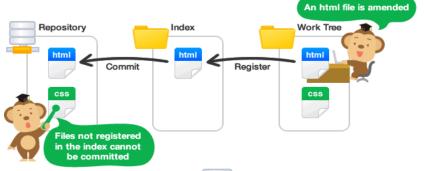
- In Git you can commit changes, create branches, view logs, etc. when you are offline.
- You require network connection only to publish your changes and take the latest changes.

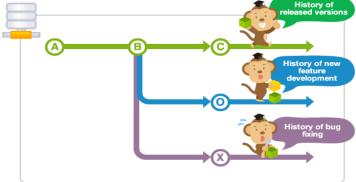
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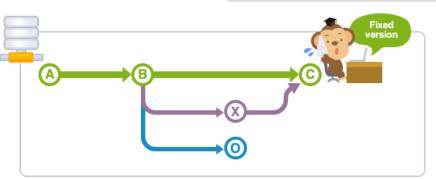


## **Advantages of Git**

- Fast and small
- Implicit backup
- Security
- No need of powerful hardware
- Easier branching







### **Installation**

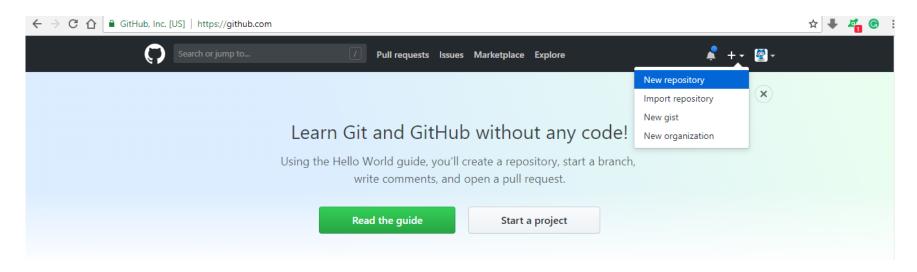
*Linux:* sudo apt install git-all

Windows: <u>Download</u>

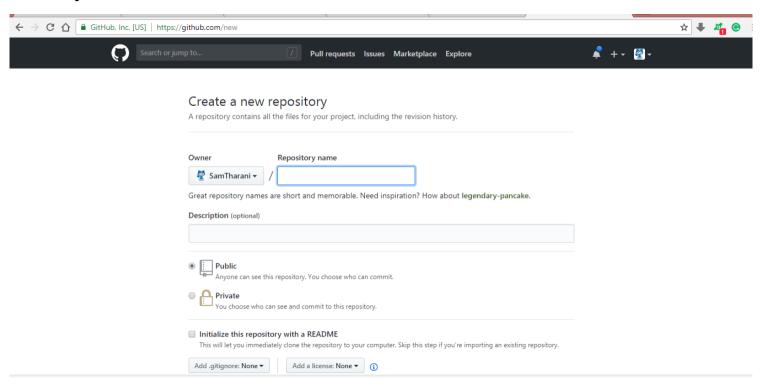
## Getting Start to work with git

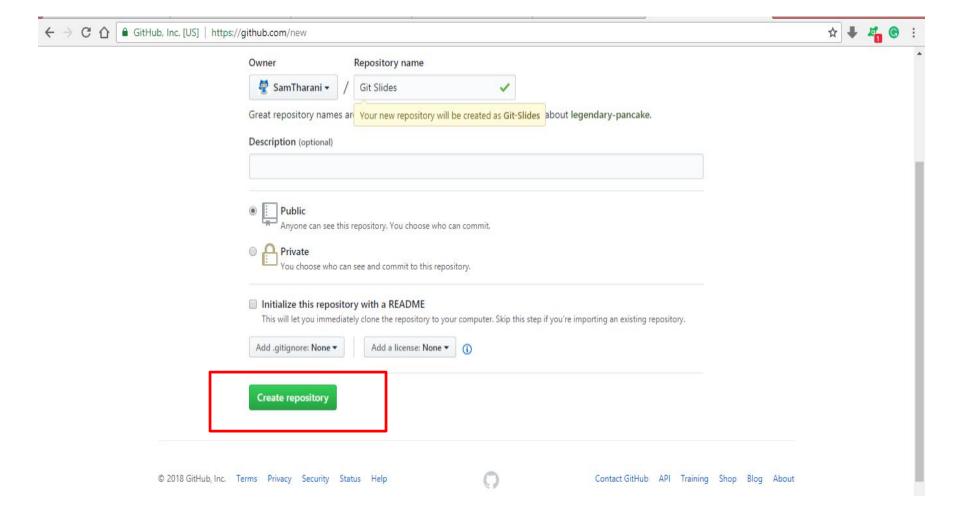
#### Step 1

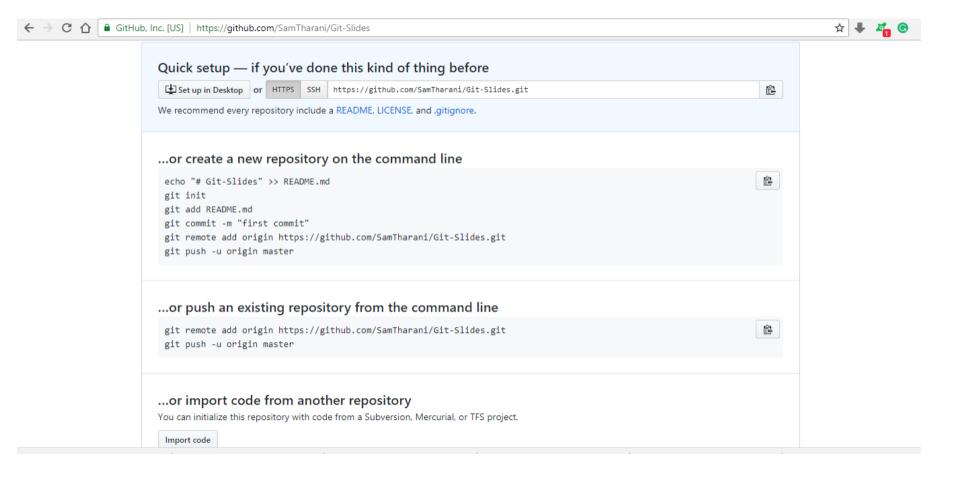
Create new repository in gitHub.



#### Fill necessary details.







## Staging environment in git

#### Step 3

• Create a file.

```
$ touch <fileName>
```

• Create a new folder to the repository

```
$ mkdir <folderName>
```

• Use the **git status** command to see which files"git knows exist.

```
$ git status
```

#### Step 4

- Add a file to a commit, you first need to add it to the staging environment.
  - \$ add . or git add <newFolderName> then git add <filename>
- Add a file in a folder
  - \$ git add <newFolderName>\fileName

#### Step 5

- Package them into a commit using the git commit
  - \$ git commit -m "Your message about the commit"

#### Step 6

Configure the usename and password

```
$ git config --global user.name "<username>"
$ git config --global user.password "<password>"
```

#### Step 7

• Upload the file into Github repository git push

```
$ git push -u origin master
```

## Create branch in git

#### Step 5

• To create new branch.

```
$ git checkout -b <my branch name>
```

• To check available branches **git branch** 

```
$ git branch
```

- Conflicts generally arise when two people have changed the same lines in a file, or if one developer deleted a file while another developer was modifying it.
- In these cases, Git cannot automatically determine what is correct.
- Conflicts only affect the developer conducting the **merge**, the rest of the team is unaware of the conflict.
- Git will mark the file as being conflicted and halt the merging process.
- It is then the developers' responsibility to resolve the conflict.

#### Identify conflict

```
$ git status
On branch master
You have unmerged paths.
(fix conflicts and run "git commit")
(use "git merge --abort" to abort the merge)
Unmerged paths:
(use "git add <file>..." to mark resolution)
both modified: merge.txt
```

#### Identify conflict

```
$ vi merge.txt
<<<<< HEAD
this is some content to mess with
content to append</pre>
```

totally different content to merge later

>>>>> new\_branch\_to\_merge\_later

#### Identify conflict

- These new lines as "conflict dividers".
- The ====== line is the "center" of the conflict.
- All the content between the center and the <<<<< HEAD line is content that exists in the current branch master which the HEAD ref is pointing to.
- Alternatively all content between the center and >>>>>> new\_branch\_to\_merge\_later is content that is present in our merging branch.

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- Partial stashes
- Creating a branch from your stash
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#### Stashing your work

```
$ git stash
```

takes your uncommitted changes (both staged and unstaged), saves them away for later use, and then reverts them from your working copy

#### Note:

stash is local to your Git repository; stashes are not transferred to the server when you push.

#### Re-applying your stashed changes

```
$ git stash pop
```

Popping your stash removes the changes from your stash and re-applies them to your working copy.

```
.$ git stash apply
```

This is useful if you want to apply the same stashed changes to multiple branches

#### Stashing untracked or ignored files

```
$ git stash -u
```

tells git stash to also stash your untracked files.

```
.$ git stash -a
```

tells git stash to also stash your ignored files.

#### Managing multiple stashes

```
$ git stash list
```

View multiple stashes on top of the branch.

```
$ git stash save "message"
```

Annotate the stash with description.

```
$ git stash pop stash_identifier
```

re-apply the given stash into the current working copy

#### Viewing stash diffs

```
$ git stash show
```

View a summary of a stash.

```
$ git stash show -p
```

View the full difference of the stash.

Creating a branch from your stash

```
$ git stash branch
```

#### • Clean up your stash

```
$ git stash clear
```

Delete all of your stashes.