

Road to Hacktoberfest



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Meet your instructor

Hi, I'm Vinit Shahdeo, a **GitHub Star** from India and a Senior Backend Engineer at **Novo**.



Why Open Source?


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I have been making a Chrome app called [Postman](#) for this type of stuff. All the other extensions seemed a bit dated so made my own. It also has a bunch of other features which have been helpful for documenting our own API here.




Postman now also has [native apps](#) (i.e. standalone) for Windows, Mac and Linux! It is more preferable now to use native apps, read more [here](#).

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Rakete1111
40.3k ● 10 ● 96 ● 128

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Abhinav
29.5k ● 8 ● 38 ● 48



Are you on GitHub?

> **git init**



source

[illegible]



Kickstart your open-source journey

> Why shall we join Hactkoberfest



Getting started

Kickstart your open-source journey with Hacktoberfest

Create a GitHub/Gitlab Account

Register for [Hacktoberfest](#) with your GitHub/Gitlab account.

Find repositories to contribute

Discover repositories, identify beginner-friendly issues based on your skills

Fix the issue and raise a PR

Follow README, set up the repo locally, write some code, raise PR.

Ways to contribute

Bugs

Fix bugs

Pick beginner-friendly issues.

Features

Enhance features

Work on feature requests.

Documentation

Write docs

Repos lack proper READMEs.

Tests

Write unit tests

Unit tests are always welcome.

Next steps

Hit the ground by raising a PR to [inspirational-quotes](#)

Kindly note that this PR will not be valid for Hacktoberfest

Find beginner-friendly issues

Filter issues on GitHub with **hacktoberfest** labels

Sit, contribute and relax!

Raise 4 pull requests by 31st October.

How to find issues?

Filter by labels and you're just a search away!

label:first-timers-only state:open type:issue

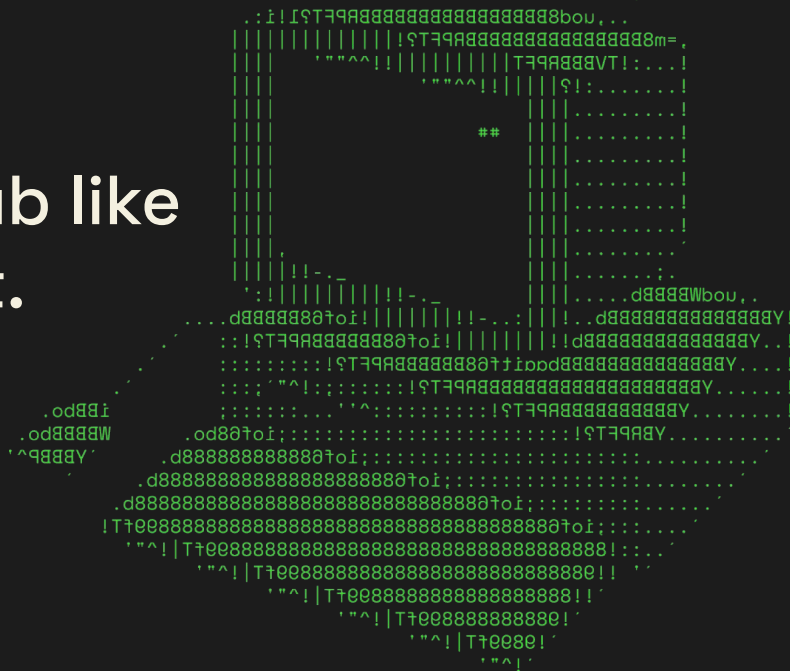
- [Search for label hacktoberfest](#) - Label especially created for Hacktoberfest.
- [Search for label first-timers-only](#) - Issues tailored for first-time contributors.
- [Search for label for-new-contributors](#) - Ideal for those new to open-source contributions.
- [Search for label good-first-issue](#) - Awesome beginner-friendly issues.
- [Search for label easy](#) - Simple issues to start your Hacktoberfest journey.

Search Engines for you!

- [Up for grabs](#)
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- [Good First Issues](#)

Maintain a streak on GitHub like you maintain on SnapChat.

Happy OpenSourcing!



Thanks for listening

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