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1: Install Git on Linux

Use the following command to check the version of Git:

\$ git --version

Installing the latest version of Git

\$ sudo apt-get update

\$ sudo apt-get install git

2: Configure Git

Configuring the username and email id.

git config --global user.name "USERNAME" git config --global user.email "USERMAIL"

Note: In place of *USERNAME* and *USEREMAIL* use your github account's username and email id.

 Confirming the username and email id git config --global user.name git config --global user.email

 Enabling credentials storage globally git config --global credential.helper store

3: Clone a GitHub Repo.

 Open the **Terminal** tab on your lab and use the following command to clone the repository:

git clone URL

Note: Replace URL with the copied url from the repository

4: Create Git Aliases

- Creating aliases for common Git commands
- Open the terminal and execute the following commands to create the respective aliases:

git config --global alias.co checkout git config --global alias.br branch git config --global alias.ci commit git config --global alias.st status git config --global alias.ad add

 Use the following command to list all the git aliases:

git config -I | grep alias

5: Centralized Git Workflow

Cloning a GitHub repository

git clone <your_repository_name.git>

- Go to the repository folder using the cd command
- Adding a file to the cloned repository

touch demo.txt

• Use the following command to check the status of the repository:

git status

NOTE:If an **untracked file**, is available in the repository which is not added to Git, and Git is not able to track it.

 Use the following command to add the file to the staging area:

git add demo.txt

Check the repository status again

git status

• Use the following command to commit the changes in the repository:

git commit -m "Added a txt file"

• Use the following command to push the file to the main branch:

git push origin main

Also, if the command above throws an error, you can use:

git push -u origin master

6: Tracking File Changes

Make some changes in the file

vi demo.txt

 Add some sample content in the file demo.txt, for instance:

This is a Demo.txt file

- Save the file, and exit by pressing esc key and shift+: wq
- Use the following command to compare the file in the working directory with its last staging area:

git diff demo.txt

Note: The + statement is showing the changes in the file.

 Use the git add command to add the file to the staging area

git add demo.txt

Use the git diff command to track any changes

git diff demo.txt

 Use the following command to check the recent log of commits with -oneline flag

git log --oneline

7: Rolling Back to Previous Commits

- Rolling back to a previous commit using the reset command
- In the terminal, use the git log -oneline command to check the log of recent commits

Note: Ensure that you are in the repository directory that you have cloned. Make sure to type **cd** <**your_repository_name>** before you begin this step.

 Use the following command to rollback to a particular commit:

git reset COMMIT_VALUE

where **COMMIT_VALUE** is the number shown in front of each commit

- Rolling back to a previous commit using the revert command
- Use the following command to rollback to a particular commit:

git revert COMMIT_VALUE

where **COMMIT_VALUE** is the number shown in front of each commit

8: Cleaning the Working Directory

 Use the following command to perform a dry run on cleaning the untracked files:

git clean -n

• Use the following command to force clean the untracked files:

git clean -f

 Use the following command to clean the untracked directories:

git clean -f -d

9: Adding Changes to the Last Commit

 Use the following command to modify the most recent commit

git commit --amend

Editing the commit message in the text editor that shows up after executing the **amend** command.

10: Deleting Files in Git

 Use the following command to remove the file from the repository:

rm <YourFileName>

Committing the changes

11: Ignoring Files in Git

- Creating the **.gitignore** file

 Define the rules that you need to keep and save the file.
 - Execute the following commands to create the **.gitignore** file

touch .gitignore echo "README.txt">>.gitignore

12: Renaming Files in Git

Execute to rename the file
 git mv <old file name> <new file name>

13: Create a Repository in GitHub Using HTTPS

 In the terminal execute the following commands to create and initialize a Git repository

mkdir <your_repo-name>

cd <your_repo-name>
echo "your content" >> README.md
git init
git add README.md
git commit -m "first commit"
git branch -M main

 Create a new repositoryin git & Copy the HTTPS URL from the newly created repository

git remote add origin <Your HTTPS_URL>

 Execute the git remote -v command to check remote repository

14: Create a Repository in GitHub Using SSH

Generate a new SSH key

ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -C "<your_email@example.com>"

> Note: Replace <your_email@example.com> with your GitHub email address and press Enter for Enter a file in which to save the key and Enter passphrase

 Use the following command to open the id_rsa.pub file and copy the SSH key to the clipboard

cat < ~/.ssh/id_rsa.pub

- Go to github.com and click on the profile photo in the upper-right corner
- Click on the Settings button and navigate to SSH and GPG Keys
- Click on the New SSH Key button
- Enter the Title as mySSHKey and Key (copy paste the key that is displayed in your terminal) and click on the Add SSH key button
- Use the following commands to create and initialize a Git repository

mkdir <your_repo-name>

cd <your_repo-name>
echo "# your content" >> README.md
git init
git add README.md
git commit -m "first commit"
git branch -M main

Go to github create a new repository

Copy the SSH URL from the newly created repository
Use the following command to add a remote repository:
git remote add origin SSH_URL
Replace SSH_URL with the copied URL
Execute git remote -v command to check the remote repository

15: Fetching commits made in remote repo.

Fetching the changes from remote repository git fetch

git rebase origin/main

16: Create a Fork and Pull Request

- Create a Fork
- Cloning your Fork
- Type the following command on your terminal:

git clone [the copied HTTPS URL]

Note: Replace [the copied HTTPS URL] in the above command with the URL you copied from the Github page.

- The clone command creates a local git repository from your remote fork on GitHub.
- Sync fork with the original repository Navigate to the directory where the fork has been cloned.
- Use the following command to see the configured remote repository for your fork:

git remote -v

 Use git remote add upstream command, and paste the URL you copied

git remote add upstream [the copied HTTPS URL]

 Verify the new upstream repository you have specified for your fork:

git remote -v

 Use the git push command to upload your changes to your remote fork on GitHub:

git push

- Creating a Pull Request
- On the GitHub page of your remote fork, click the pull request button
- Wait for the owner to merge or comment on your changes

17: Pulling Commits from GitHub

• Check the logs for commits history

git log --oneline

Pull the main branch from the remote repository

git pull origin main

Checking the logs for the latest commits

git log --oneline

18: Merging Files Changes in Git

Create a Git repository on the local machine

git init

- Create a remote repository on GitHub, Add the file to it & Commit the changes in the GitHub remote repository
- Add the remote repository to the local repository using HTTPS url git remote add origin <Your HTTPS_URL>
- Verify the setup of remote repository:

git remote -v

 Pull files from remote repository, to download files from the remote repository

git pull origin main --allow-unrelatedhistories

Note: Please modify the above command to use the *main* or *master* branch depending on your repository structure.

• If you Edit the file in the remote repository, Changes will not yet reflect in the local repository

cat demo.txt

 So Merge the changes in edited file in the local and remote repository to update the local repository file:

git fetch

git checkout origin/main -- <file_name>

• Finalize the merge by creating a new commit using the following command:

git commit -m "'Merge' demo.txt from"

19: Git Upstream

 Create a repository on the local machine and

git init

- Create a remote repository on GitHub
- Add the remote repository to the local repository using HTTPS url

git remote add origin <Your HTTPS_URL>

 Run the following command to verify the setup of remote repository:

git remote -v

 Add upstream to the remote repository by executing the below command:

git remote add upstream <Your HTTPS_URL>

 Verifying if the remote repository is added correctly

git remote -v

Fetch upstream

git fetch upstream

• Updating the local branch with respect to the upstream branch

git checkout main

git merge upstream/main --allowunrelated-histories

Note: Please modify the above command to use the *main* or *master* branch depending on your repository structure.

20: Create and Delete Tag

Creating a tag

git tag <tagname>

Listing all the tags

git tag

Adding a description to your tag

git tag <tagname> -a

Save the file with ctrl + x

Deleting a tag

git tag -d <tagname>

21: Switching Between Branches

- Create a new branch, navigate to the repository folder
- Execute the following command to create a new branch:

git branch
 stranch_name>

Step 2: Switching to the new branch

 Use the following command to switch to the newly created branch:

git checkout <branch_name>

- Create a file and committing the changes
- Use the following commands to add the file to the
branch_name> and commit the changes:

git add file>

git commit -a -m "file modified"

• Check the status of the new branch

git status

• Use the following command to check the git logs:

git log --oneline

• Check the current branch using the following command:

git branch

 Use the following command to switch back to the main branch:

git checkout master

22: Merging Branches in Git

 Use the following command to switch back to the main branch:

git checkout main

• Use the following command to merge the test_branch to the main branch:

git merge <you-branch>

23: Resolving Merge Conflicts on Delete

- Merging the branches to create a conflict
- Use the following command to checkout the master branch

git checkout master

 Merge the <new-branch> branch with the master branch

git merge <new-branch>

- If The Auto-merging is failed because of the conflict in the file.
- Delete the conflicted file to resolve the merge conflict
- Use the following commands to delete the conflicted file and check the status of master branch

git rm demo.txt

git status

24: Resolving Merge Conflicts on Modifications

- Resolving the merge conflict by modifying the conflicted file
- Modify the file to resolve the conflict
- Remove line numbers from the content to resolve the merge conflictCheck the git status on master branch

25: Stashing in Git

- Use git stash to stash the changes and working on another branch
- Use the following command to stash the changes on master branch

git stash

Switch to new branch

git checkout -b <new-branch>

Create a file in the new branch

touch file.txt

Switch back to the master branch

git checkout master

26: Rebasing in Git

 Executing git rebase Use the following command to execute git rebasing:

git rebase --autostash main

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