

Assignment

- **1. What is Git and why is it used?**
- **Git:**
- Git is a tool that helps developers track and manage changes to their code.
- It keeps a history of every change, so you can go back to previous versions if needed.
- Git allows multiple people to work on the same project without messing up each other's work.
- It helps organize and merge changes made by different people. Git makes it easier to collaborate and work on software projects safely.
- **Why is it used:**
- **Track changes:** Git keeps a record of every change made to a project, so you can see what was changed, when, and by whom.
- **Collaboration:** Multiple people can work on the same project at the same time without overwriting each other's

work. Git helps merge everyone's changes smoothly.

- **Version control:** It allows you to go back to previous versions of your project if something goes wrong.
- **Backup:** Git helps prevent data loss by keeping copies of your project's history.
- **Branching:** Developers can work on different features or fixes at the same time in isolated branches, and later combine them back into the main project.
- **2. Explain the difference between Git and other version control systems.**
- The main difference between Git and other version control systems is how they store and manage project history
- Git is distributed, meaning each developer has a full copy of the project history on their own computer. You can work offline and still access everything.
- Other systems, like SVN or CVS, are centralized, meaning the project history is stored on a single server, and developers need to be online to access or update it.
- **3. How do you initialize a Git repository?**

- To initialize a Git repository, follow these steps:
- Open terminal (or command prompt).
- Navigate the project folder using the command `cd your-project-folder`.
- This is my path of the folder `C:/Program Files/Git/puorpale/gitpractise/demoapp/.git/`
- Run the command:
- `git init`
- **4. What is the purpose of the .gitignore file?**
- The .gitignore file is crucial for managing which files and directories Git should ignore during version control.
- Purpose of the .gitignore File:
- **Prevent Tracking Unnecessary Files:**
- It prevents temporary files (such as logs, cache files, or OS-specific files like .DS_Store on macOS) from being added to the repository.
- Files that are not essential to the project, like build or compiled files, should be ignored to keep the repository

clean and lightweight.

- **Ignore Sensitive Data:**
- It helps keep sensitive information (such as passwords, API keys, or personal config files) from being accidentally shared in the repository.
- **Avoid Conflicts:**
- It helps prevent conflicts in collaborative projects by ignoring files that may vary from one developer to another .
- **5. How do you stage changes in Git?**
- To stage changes in Git, we can use the git add command. This tells Git which changes we want to include in the next commit.
- Make changes to our files (e.g editing code, adding new files).
- To stage a single file, use:
- `git add filename` **e.g git add demo.java**
- To stage all changes (including new files, modified files, or deleted files), use:

- **git add .**
- Once the changes are staged, you can commit them to the Git repository with the **git commit** command. Staging allows you to carefully choose which changes to commit.
- **6. What is the difference between git commit and git commit -m?**
- **git commit:** it Opens a text editor where we can write a detailed commit message to describe our changes.
- **git commit -m "Your message":** Allows you to add a commit message directly in the command line without opening a text editor. simply type our message in quotes right after -m.
- **Example:**
- **git commit:** Opens an editor to write a message.
- **git commit -m "this is my first commit"**
- **7. How do you create a new branch in Git?**
- To create a new branch in Git, we use this command:
- **git branch new-branch-name**

- e.g git branch diamond
- **8. What is the difference between git merge and git rebase?**
- **git merge:** Combines the changes from one branch into another, creating a merge commit. This keeps the history of both branches and adds a "merge point" to show where they were combined.
- **git rebase:** Rewrites history by placing your changes on top of another branch. It makes the project history linear, without merge commits, as if the changes were made in a straight line.
- **9. What is the purpose of git stash?**
- git stash temporarily saves changes that you're not ready to commit, so you can switch to another branch without losing your work. Later, you can bring those changes back using git stash pop.
- **10. Explain the use of git pull and git fetch.**
- **git pull:** Fetches the latest changes from the remote repository and automatically merges them into your current branch.

- **git fetch:** Fetches the latest changes but doesn't merge them. You need to manually merge later.
- **11. How do you revert a commit in Git?**
- To undo a commit, use:
- **git revert <commit-id>**
- e.g **git revert 9a0c459bd54f21938a8f6b728395de7737d4f07a**
- **12. What is the difference between git clone and git fork?**
- **git clone:** Copies a remote repository to your local machine.
- **git fork:** Creates a copy of a remote repository under your own GitHub account, allowing you to make changes without affecting the original project.
- **13. Explain the concept of remote repositories in Git.**
- A remote repository is a version of our Git repository that is hosted on a server (like GitHub or GitLab). It allows multiple people to collaborate on the same project by pushing and pulling changes to/from the remote.
- **14. What are Git tags and how do you use them?**

- Git tags are labels that mark important points in the commit history, like a release version. You can create a tag using:
- `git tag <tag-name>`
- e.g `git tag v1.0`
- **15. How do you view the commit history in Git?**
- To view the commit history, use:
- `git log`
- This shows a list of commits with details like commit ID, author, and commit message.
- **16. What is the purpose of git diff?**
- `git diff` shows the differences between your current changes and the last commit, allowing you to see what has been added, modified, or deleted.
- **17. How do you delete a branch in Git?**
- To delete a branch locally, use:
- `git branch -d <branch-name>`
- e.g `git branch -d diamond`

- To delete a remote branch, use:
- `git push origin --delete <branch-name>`
- e.g `git push origin --delete diamond`
- **18. What are Git hooks and how are they used?**
- Git hooks are scripts that run at certain points in the Git process (like before a commit or push). For example, you can use a pre-commit hook to run tests before allowing a commit to happen.
- **19. Explain the concept of a pull request in Git.**
- A pull request is a way to propose changes to a project. After you've made changes in a branch, you open a pull request to request that your changes be merged into the main branch.
- **20. What is DevOps and why is it important?**
- DevOps is a set of practices that combine software development and IT operations to shorten the development lifecycle and deliver high-quality software more frequently. It promotes collaboration, automation, and continuous improvement.

- **21. Explain the key principles of DevOps.**
- **Key principles of DevOps include:**
- **Collaboration:** Developers and operations teams work together.
- **Automation:** Automating repetitive tasks like testing, deployment, and monitoring.
- **Continuous Integration/Continuous Deployment (CI/CD):** Frequent integration and deployment of code changes.
- **22. What are the benefits of continuous integration (CI)?**
- **CI allows developers to automatically test and integrate code changes into a shared repository, leading to:**
- **Faster feedback on code quality.**
- **Early detection of issues or bugs.**
- **Reduced integration problems as code is regularly merged.**
- **23. What is continuous delivery (CD) and how does it differ from continuous deployment?**
- **Continuous Delivery (CD):** Code is automatically prepared

for release but requires manual approval before being deployed to production.

- **Continuous Deployment (CD):** Code is automatically deployed to production without human intervention after passing tests.
- **24. Explain the concept of Infrastructure as Code (IaC).**
- IaC means managing and provisioning IT infrastructure (servers, networks, etc.) through code and automation, rather than manually configuring systems. This helps with consistency, repeatability, and scaling.
- **25. What tools are commonly used in a DevOps pipeline?**
- Common tools include:
- **CI/CD:** Jenkins, Travis CI, CircleCI.
- **Version control:** Git, GitHub, GitLab.
- **Configuration management:** Ansible, Chef, Puppet.
- **Containerization:** Docker, Kubernetes.
- **Monitoring:** Prometheus, Nagios.
- **26. What is the role of configuration management in**

DevOps?

- Configuration management automates and manages the setup of systems and environments, ensuring consistency across all servers and infrastructure. Tools like Ansible and Puppet are used to maintain this consistency.
- **27. How does containerization help in a DevOps environment?**
- Containerization (e.g., using Docker) packages an application with everything it needs to run (dependencies, libraries, etc.), ensuring that it runs the same way in different environments (development, testing, production).
- **28. What is the purpose of monitoring in DevOps?**
- Monitoring helps ensure that applications and systems are running smoothly. It involves tracking performance, detecting errors, and providing alerts to avoid downtime, enabling quick troubleshooting and improvements.
- **29. What are microservices and how do they relate to DevOps?**
- Microservices are small, independently deployable services

that work together to form a larger application. DevOps , like automation and CI/CD, are ideal for managing and deploying microservices.

- **30. Explain in detail about devops tools?**
- **Git:** Distributed version control, branching, and collaboration on source code.
- **Jenkins:** Automates building, testing, and deploying applications, supporting CI/CD pipelines.
- **Docker:** Packages applications and dependencies into containers for consistency across environments.
- **Kubernetes:** Orchestrates containerized applications, automating scaling, load balancing, and self-healing.
- **Ansible:** Automates system configurations and application deployments with simple, agentless management.
- **Terraform:** Manages infrastructure through code, enabling multi-cloud, declarative infrastructure provisioning.
- **Prometheus:** Monitors and collects metrics on applications and infrastructure, offering powerful querying and alerting.