

Transitioning Apple's Downstream Repositories To The Monorepo

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Let's recreate our downstream repos

Let's improve our workflows

Monorepo Tooling

Downstream monorepo generation tools

Auto merger infrastructure and tools

GitHub PR & CI tools

```
$ git apple-llvm ...
```

```
$ git apple-llvm am ...
```

```
$ git apple-llvm pr ...
```

👉 github.com/apple/apple-llvm-infrastructure-tools

👉 LLVM Project License

Generating Downstream Monorepos

Downstreams @ Apple

3+ levels of forks / branches

Each level had llvm, clang, lldb, etc.

Git merges used between levels

<https://git.llvm.org/git/{llvm,clang,lldb,...}.git>



github.com/apple/swift-llvm, github.com/apple/swift-clang, github.com/apple/swift-lldb, ...



Internal master branch for llvm, clang, lldb, ...



Additional branches/forks of llvm, clang, ...

Monorepo Concerns

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github.com/apple/swift-llvm

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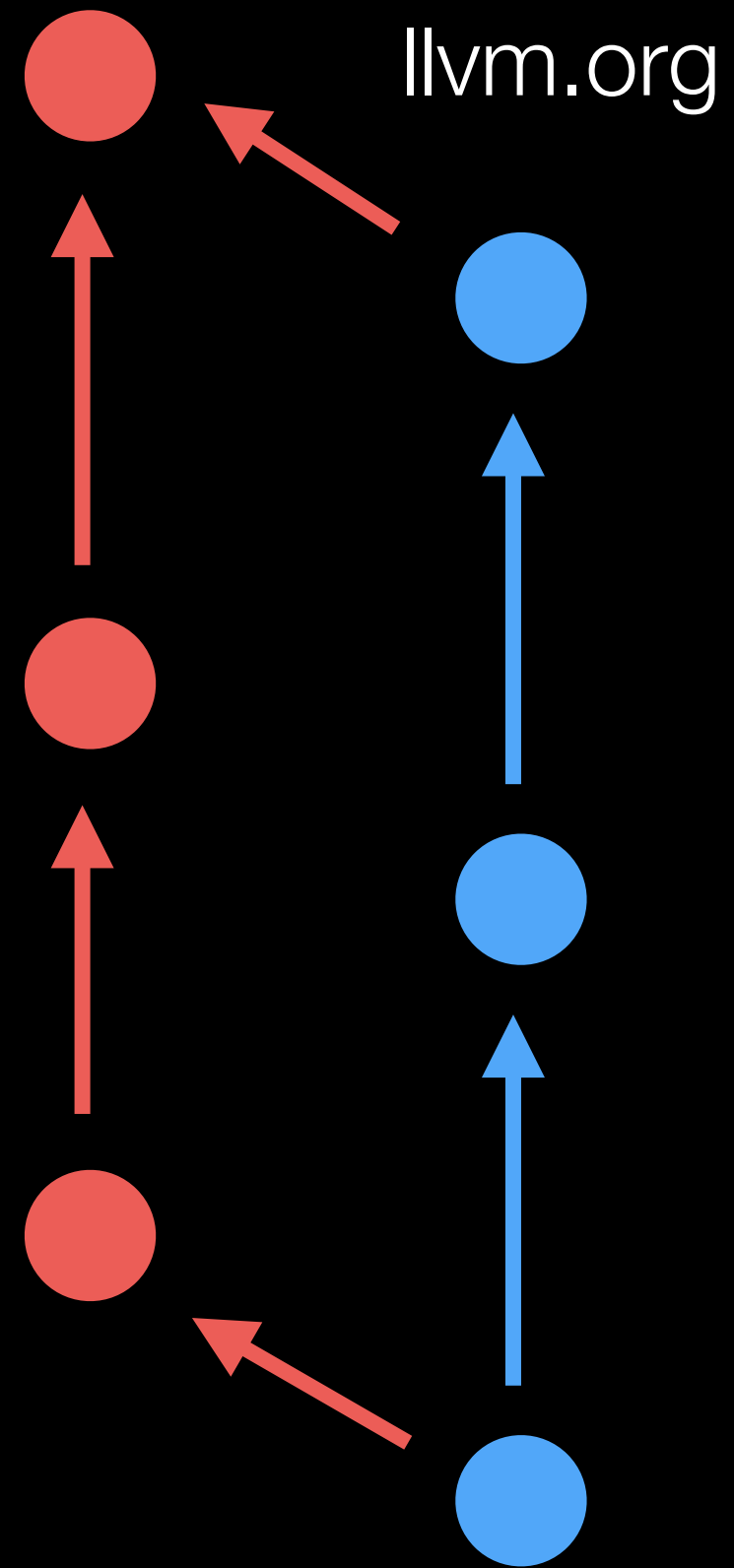
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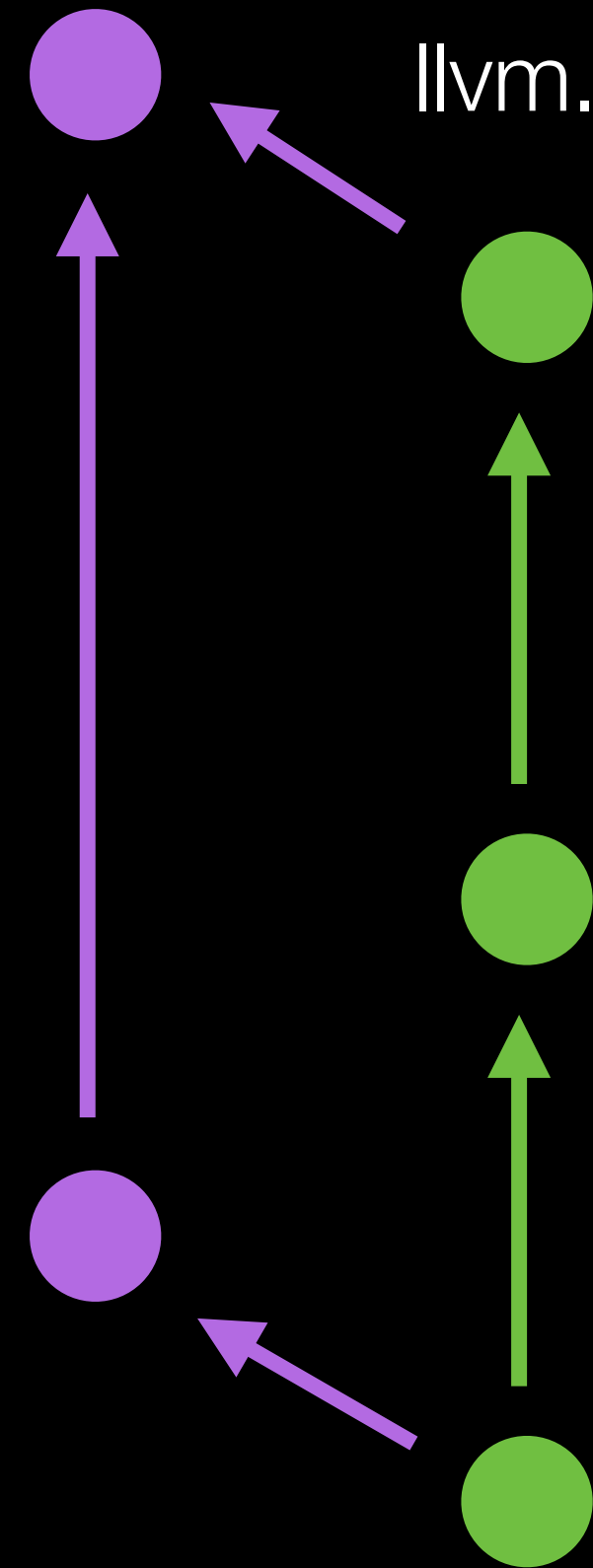
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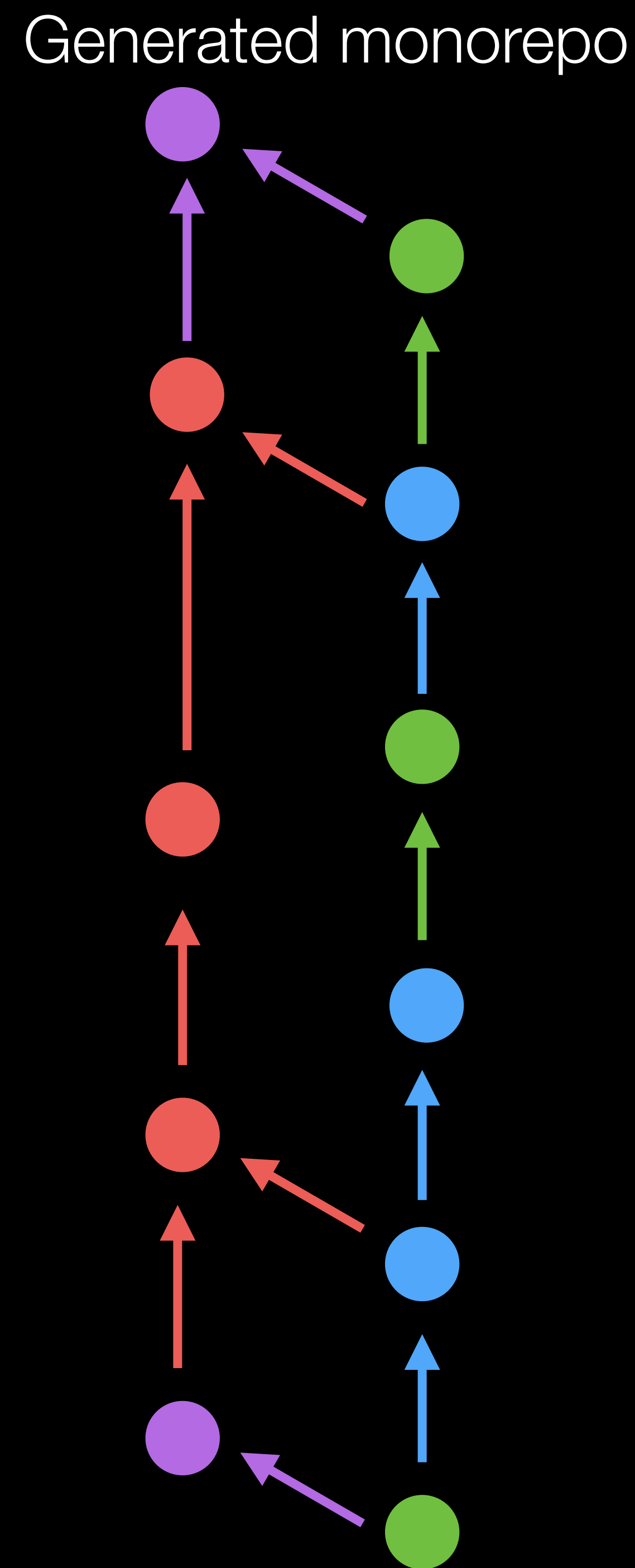
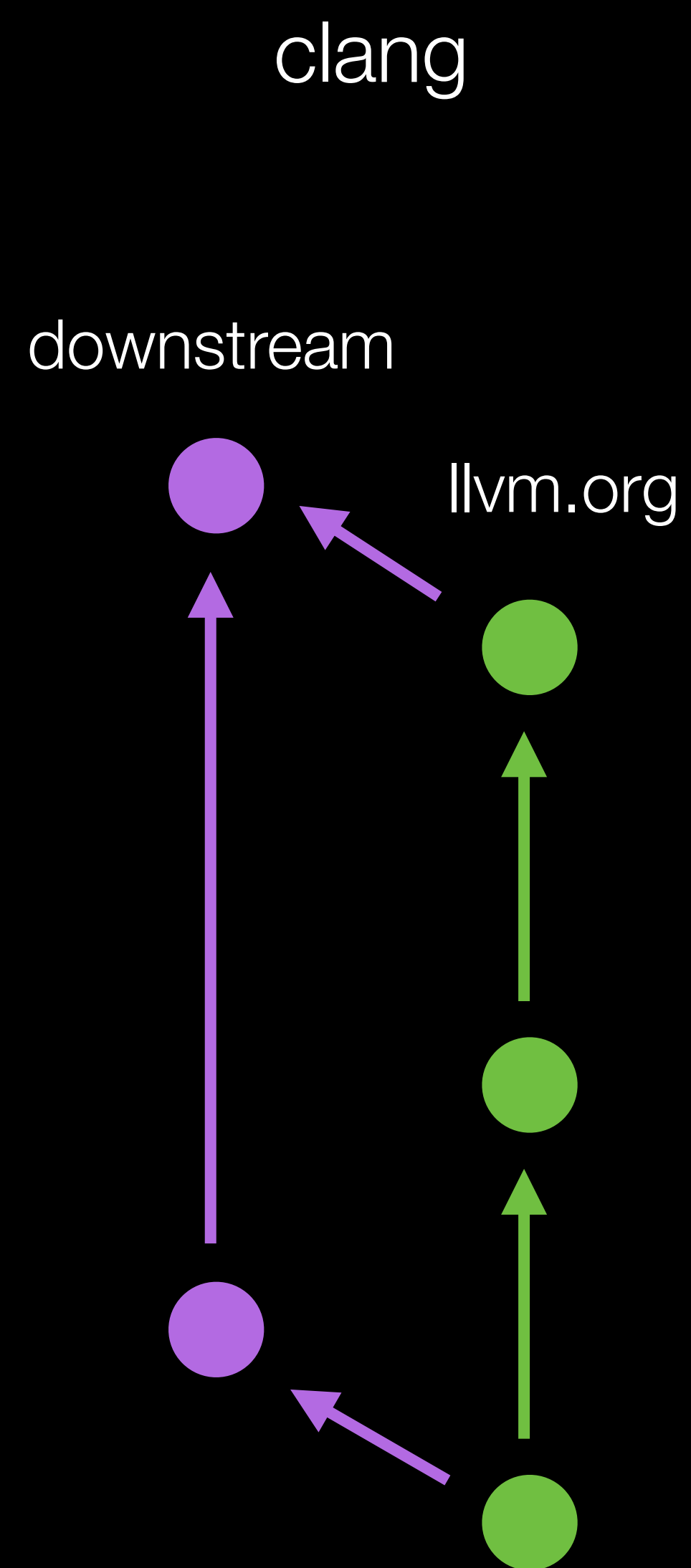
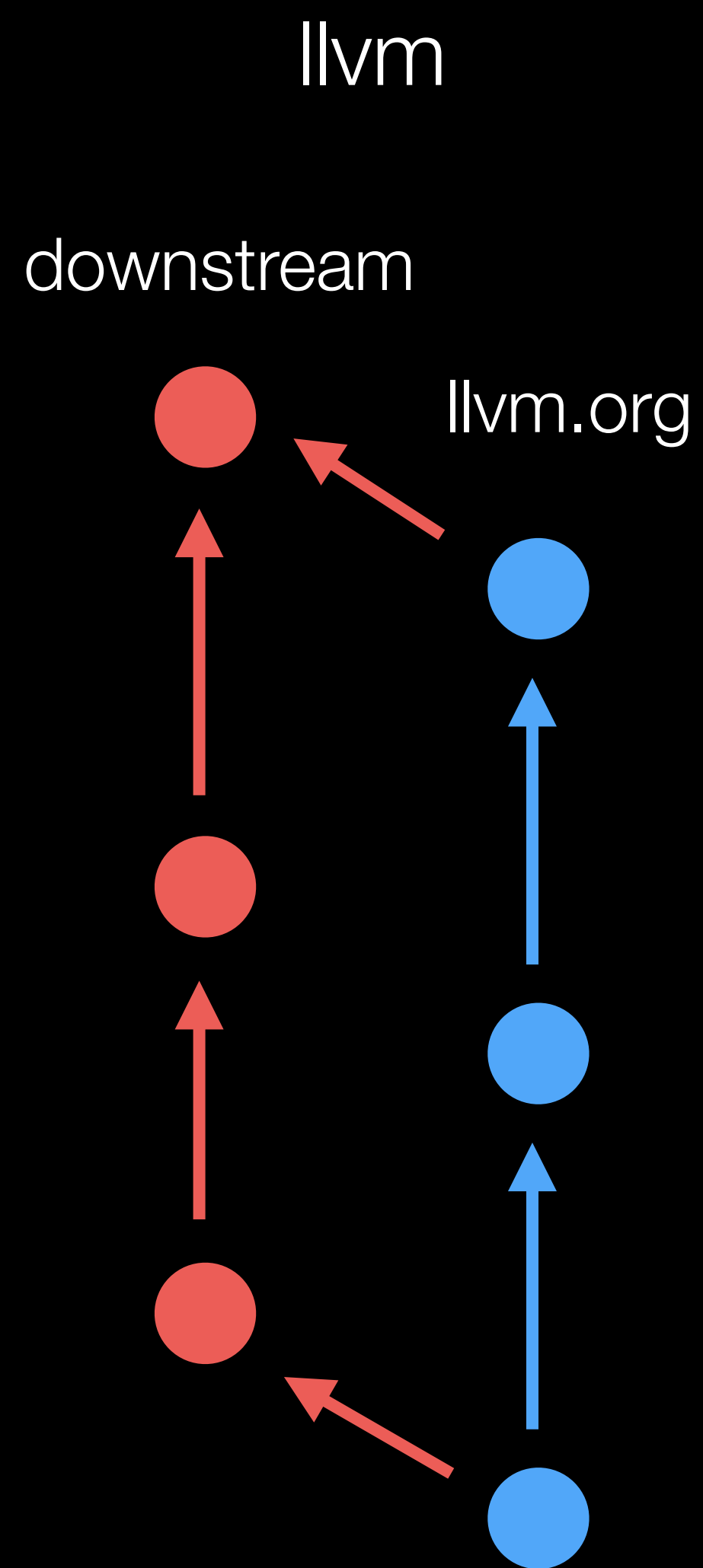


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Generated Monorepo

Upstream monorepo hashes are used

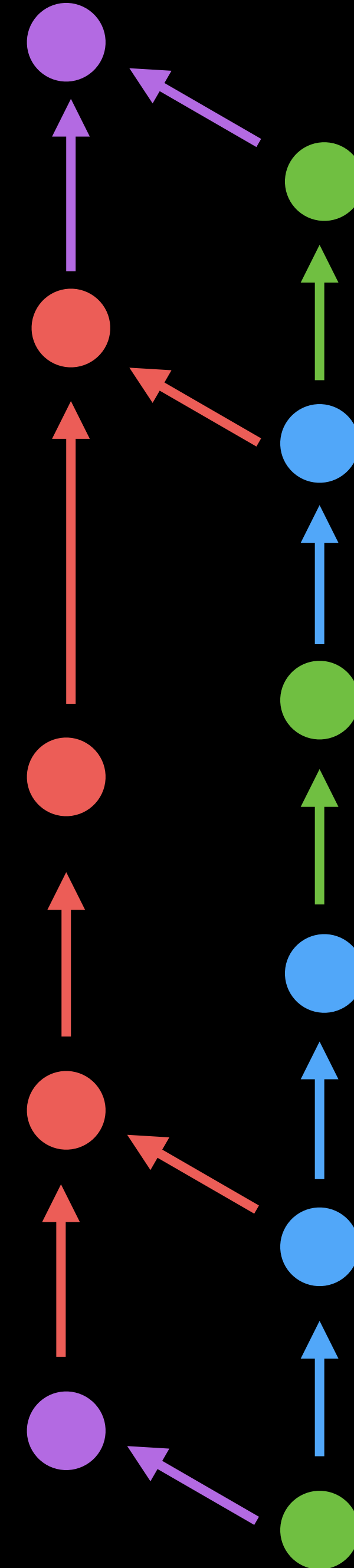
Downstream commit history preserved

Downstream tags preserved

A checkout of any downstream commit
contains full downstream monorepo



Generated monorepo



Workflow Improvements

Auto Merger

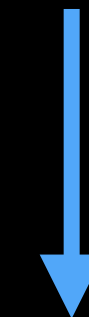
Merges upstream branches downstream

Configuration in target branch

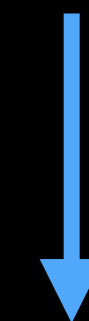
Builds and tests before merging

Merge conflicts create PRs

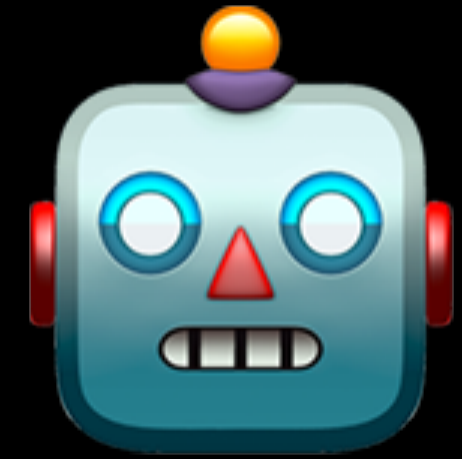
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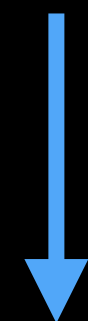
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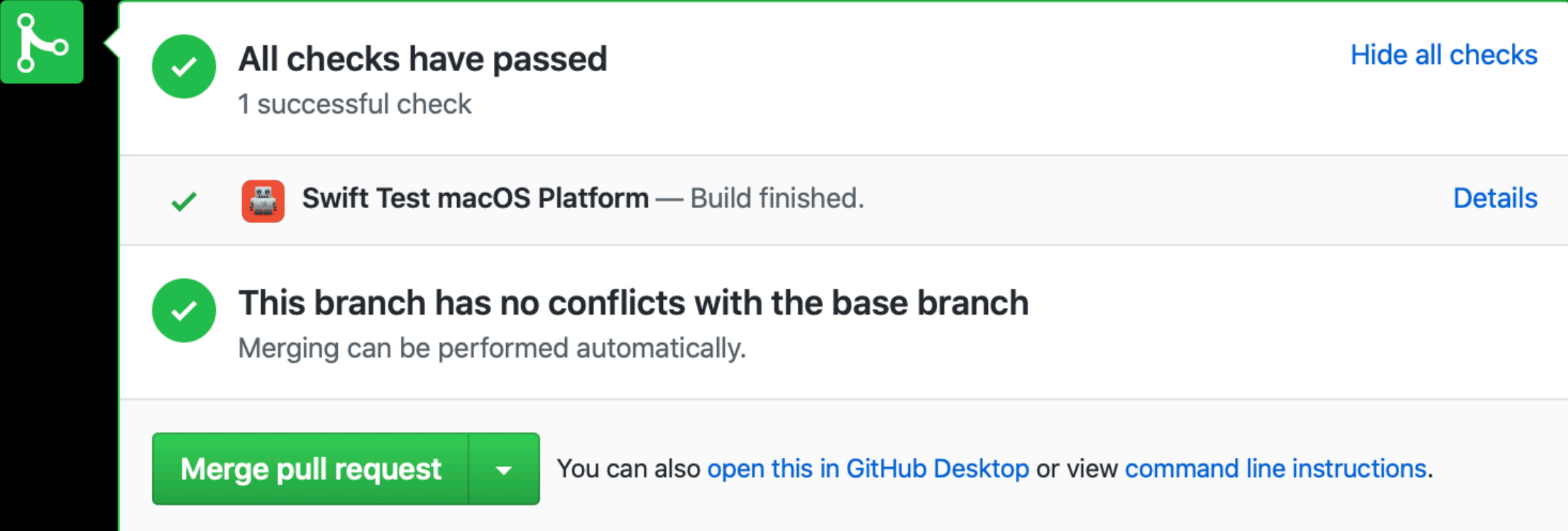
PR & CI Tools

Create, merge and list monorepo PRs


Test PRs using custom Jenkins test plans

Test PRs using `swift-ci`

```
$ git apple-llvm pr test #42
Triggering pull request testing for pr #42 by hyp:
Support git-cat-file as read_file function
✅ you commented "@swift-ci please test" on the pu
```




A screenshot of a GitHub pull request status card. It features a green checkmark icon on the left. The main content area shows three status items: 'All checks have passed' with a link to 'Hide all checks', 'Swift Test macOS Platform — Build finished.' with a 'Details' link, and 'This branch has no conflicts with the base branch' with a note that merging can be performed automatically. At the bottom, there is a green 'Merge pull request' button and a link to 'open this in GitHub Desktop' or view 'command line instructions'.



✓ All checks have passed
1 successful check

✓

 Swift Test macOS Platform — Build finished.

Details

✓ This branch has no conflicts with the base branch

Merging can be performed automatically.

Merge pull request

You can also [open this in GitHub Desktop](#) or view [command line instructions](#).

The End

Thank you!