Adopting GitHub in Enterprise World

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Developer experience matters!

- Fully integrated platform from idea-to-production with end-to-end traceability
- Simple management with one platform to onboard, one set of policies, and one self-contained security model
- Collaborative, automated workflows
- Seamless access to open source and innersource
- Developer focused security and compliance



Happier developers Happier customers Faster feedback **Customers Products Better** experiences

higher customer ratings

Ship faster

- faster deployments
- shorter lead times
- more features customers care about

Ship more securely

- higher software quality
- fewer change failures
- faster remediation times



Overview

- Enterprise Account(s)
 - Security
 - Enterprise Policies
 - Billing and usage
- Organization(s)
 - Organization policies
- Repositories
- Teams



Enterprise Managed Users

- AAD or Okta (7k integrations)
 - mass onboarding, one-click removal
- SAML: Single Sign-On, Multi-factor authentication
- Team membership provisioning & automatic user removal with SCIM
- Company-owned accounts
 - managed user identified
 - user audit trail
- Private repositories only
 - reduce IP leakage
- Read-only access to OSS/GitHub.com



Access Control - Roles

- Default access roles:
 - Read
 - Write
 - Triage
 - Maintain
 - Admin
- You can create custom roles as well



One organization or multiple?

One GitHub organization

- High level of collaboration is required between business units
- Low administrative overhead

Multiple GitHub organizations

- High level of separation is required between business units
- High(er) administrative overhead

Pro Tip: Less is more



Collaboration and Planning

- Keep repositories as open as possible within the company, and encourage collaboration
 - Create internal communities & celebrate wins
 - Encourage Innersourcing by tagging repos to indicate reusability
 - Contribute ideas & content, not just code
 - Use "needs help" tag & encourage peer learning
 - Define contribution policies



Collaboration and Planning (continued)

- Train developers to look for existing code before writing something new
- Protected Branches ensure collaborators on your repo can't make irrevocable changes
 - Code review approval
 - Required Status Checks
 - Enforce signed commits
 - Include administrators



Collaboration and Planning (continued)

- Pull Request early & often (keep them small)
 - PR early, PR often, and keep them small
 - Not every pull request has to be merged!
 - Use Draft PRs
 - Use Pull Request templates
- Innersourcing goes beyond raw code sharing
 - Use private packages to reuse code as versioned dependencies
 - Config-as-code = collaborate on env setup, workflows, & security
- Automate, automate, then automate some more!



Collaboration across tooling

GitHub Projects, JIRA, Azure Boards

- Deep-linking from work items to code
- State synchronization between code & issues
- Board state display (badges) in GitHub

Microsoft Teams, Slack

- View repository, PRs, & issues in Teams tab
- Search repos, issue commands, get notifications
- In-context conversations & holistic personal views

GitHub for Mobile

• Collaborate on the go! Edit issues & pull requests; search for users/repos/orgs; comment, react, and merge code in a portable mobile-optimized interface.



CICD and Automation

- Ensure safe use of public GitHub Actions
 - GitHub verification badge on public actions is not enough
 - Limit what actions can be used by your organization(s)
 - Create internal GitHub Actions catalog
 - Create separate GitHub organization to test actions
 - Review the source code and trust the publisher / action
 - Fork public GitHub Action repositories and take control



CICD and Automation (continued)

- Ensure safe use of public GitHub Actions (continued)
 - Use SHA hashes for public GitHub Actions, if needed
 - Set default GITHUB_TOKEN permissions to read
 - Take advantage of Dependabot for actions
- Store sensitive data as secrets in GitHub or external key vault
- Promote workflow best practices using reusable workflows and starter workflows



CICD and Automation (continued)

- Use GitHub Apps to improve your workflows
- Use private runners
 - Secure access to private runners
 - Implement ephemeral private runners hosted in a k8s cluster
 - Do not use private runners for public repos
 - Be aware of dangers of untrusted input and incoming PRs from the forks



Security & Compliance

- Access, Policies & Compliance
 - SSO Access Controls
 - Real-time inventory of dependency insights
 - License compliance
 - Policy management
 - Private Secret Scanning



Security & Compliance (continued)

- Vulnerability Management
 - Dependency scanning
 - Largest vulnerability database
 - Automated security updates

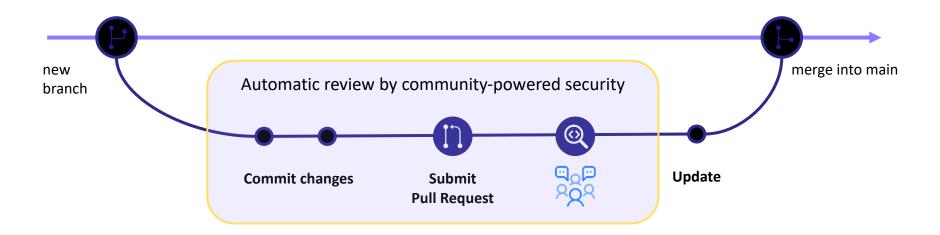


Security & Compliance (continued)

- Advanced Security
 - Advanced code analysis
 - Vulnerability hunting tool
 - Community of top security experts
 - Private Secret Scanning



Integrated Security Analysis





Administration and Maintenance

- Take advantage of team synchronization with AAD
- Enable MFA, of course
- Tune GitHub notification settings
- Configure GitHub policies at various levels
- Audit log keeps track of changes in GitHub
- GitHub App is your best friend. Also, so is GitHub CLI
- Look into adopting Codespaces. Seriously, Codespaces are great!



Moving to GitHub?

- Self-migrate from any git-based solution via web-based wizard or command line/scripting
- Advanced migration using GitHub Enterprise Importer (GEI, formerly Octoshift)
- Professional Services available for managed migrations



Thank you

