NAME
>   git-web--browse – Git helper script to launch a web browser

SYNOPSIS
>   *git web−−browse* [<options>] <url|file>...

DESCRIPTION
>   This script tries, as much as possible, to display the URLs and FILEs that are passed as arguments, as
>   HTML pages in new tabs on an already opened web browser.
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>   The following browsers (or commands) are currently supported:
>
>   •   firefox (this is the default under X Window when not using KDE)
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>   •   iceweasel
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>   •   seamonkey
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>   •   iceape
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>   •   chromium (also supported as chromium−browser)
>
>   •   google−chrome (also supported as chrome)
>
>   •   konqueror (this is the default under KDE, see *Note about konqueror* below)
>
>   •   opera
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>   •   w3m (this is the default outside graphical environments)
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>   •   elinks
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>   •   links
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>   •   lynx
>
>   •   dillo
>
>   •   open (this is the default under Mac OS X GUI)
>
>   •   start (this is the default under MinGW)
>
>   •   cygstart (this is the default under Cygwin)
>
>   •   xdg−open
>
>   Custom commands may also be specified.

OPTIONS
>   −b <browser>, −−browser=<browser>
>   Use the specified browser. It must be in the list of supported browsers.
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>   −t <browser>, −−tool=<browser>
>   Same as above.
>
>   −c <conf.var>, −−config=<conf.var>
>   CONF.VAR is looked up in the Git config files. If it's set, then its value specifies the browser that
>   should be used.

CONFIGURATION VARIABLES
>   **CONF.VAR (from −c option) and web.browser**
>   The web browser can be specified using a configuration variable passed with the −c (or −−config)
>   command−line option, or the **web.browser** configuration variable if the former is not used.
>
>   **browser.<tool>.path**
>   You can explicitly provide a full path to your preferred browser by setting the configuration variable
>   **browser.<tool>.path**. For example, you can configure the absolute path to firefox by setting
>   *browser.firefox.path*. Otherwise, *git web−−browse* assumes the tool is available in PATH.

browser.<tool>.cmd

When the browser, specified by options or configuration variables, is not among the supported ones, then the corresponding **browser.<tool>.cmd** configuration variable will be looked up. If this variable exists then *git web−−browse* will treat the specified tool as a custom command and will use a shell eval to run the command with the URLs passed as arguments.

NOTE ABOUT KONQUEROR

When *konqueror* is specified by a command−line option or a configuration variable, we launch *kfmclient* to try to open the HTML man page on an already opened konqueror in a new tab if possible.

For consistency, we also try such a trick if *browser.konqueror.path* is set to something like **A_PATH_TO/konqueror**. That means we will try to launch **A_PATH_TO/kfmclient** instead.

If you really want to use *konqueror*, then you can use something like the following:

        [web]
                browser = konq

        [browser "konq"]
                cmd = A_PATH_TO/konqueror

Note about git−config −−global

Note that these configuration variables should probably be set using the **−−global** flag, for example like this:

$ git config −−global web.browser firefox

as they are probably more user specific than repository specific. See **git-config**(1) for more information about this.

GIT

Part of the **git**(1) suite