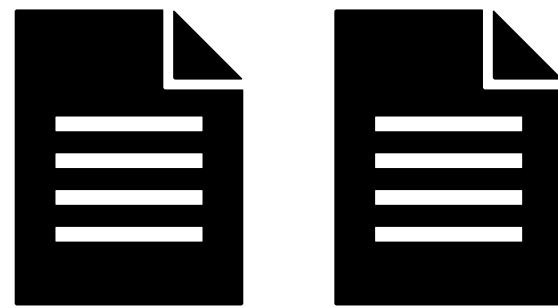


commit

- The act of creating a snapshot
- A project is made up of a bunch of commits
- Has 3 information
 1. How files changed from previous commit
 2. A hash code, uniquely identify the commit
 3. A reference to the previous commit

staging area

- Called the **staging area** or **index**
- An intermediate area where commits can be formatted and reviewed before completing the commit



Untracked changes



Staging area



Repository