



Python Level 3

Advanced Course Class 3

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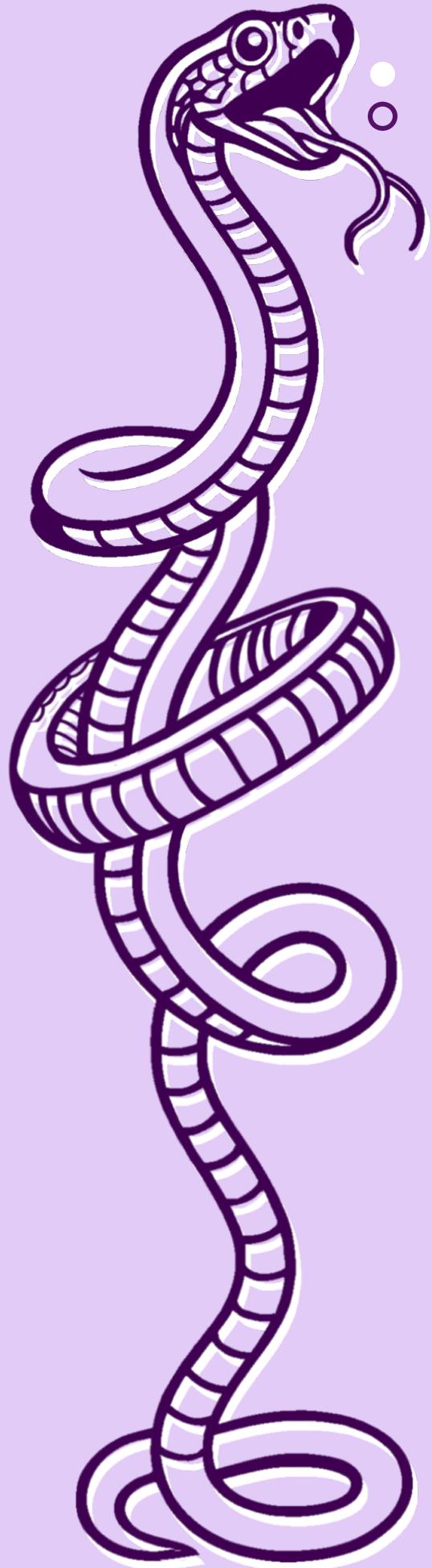


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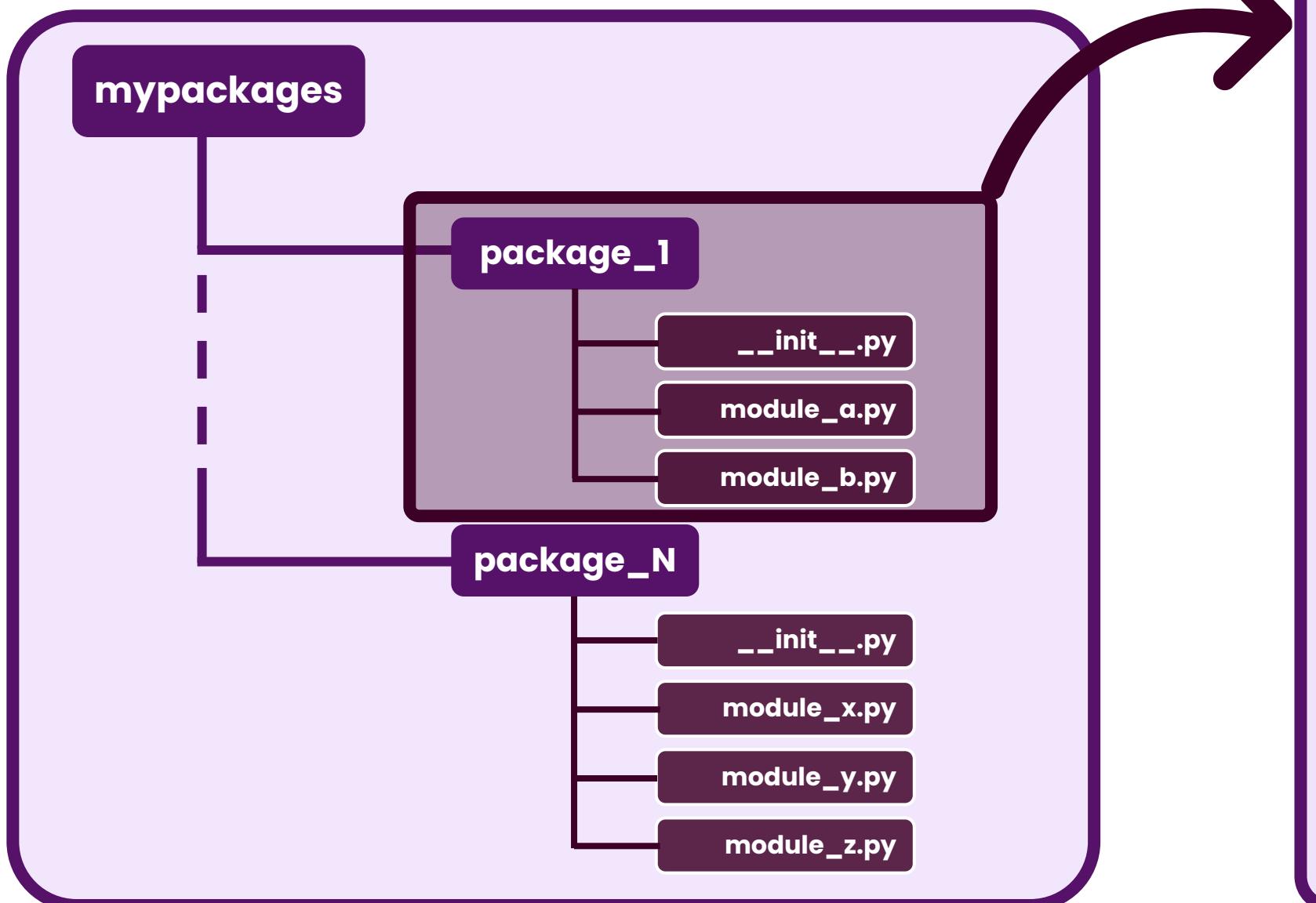
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PYTHON MODULES



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A Python **module** is a **file** containing Python **definitions** and **statements**. A module can define **functions**, **classes**, and **variables**. A module can also include **runnable code**. Grouping related code into a module **makes the code easier to understand and use**. It also makes the code logically organized.



package_1

```
__init__.py
```

module_a.py

```
# Classes
class MyClassA:
    pass
class MyClassB:
    pass

# Functions
def myfunction_A():
    pass
def myfunction_B():
    pass
```

module_b.py

```
(...)
```

PYTHON MODULES

BUILT-IN MODULES

Python comes with a large **Standard Library**, that is, a collection of **ready-made modules** that you can use without installing anything.



module_examples.py

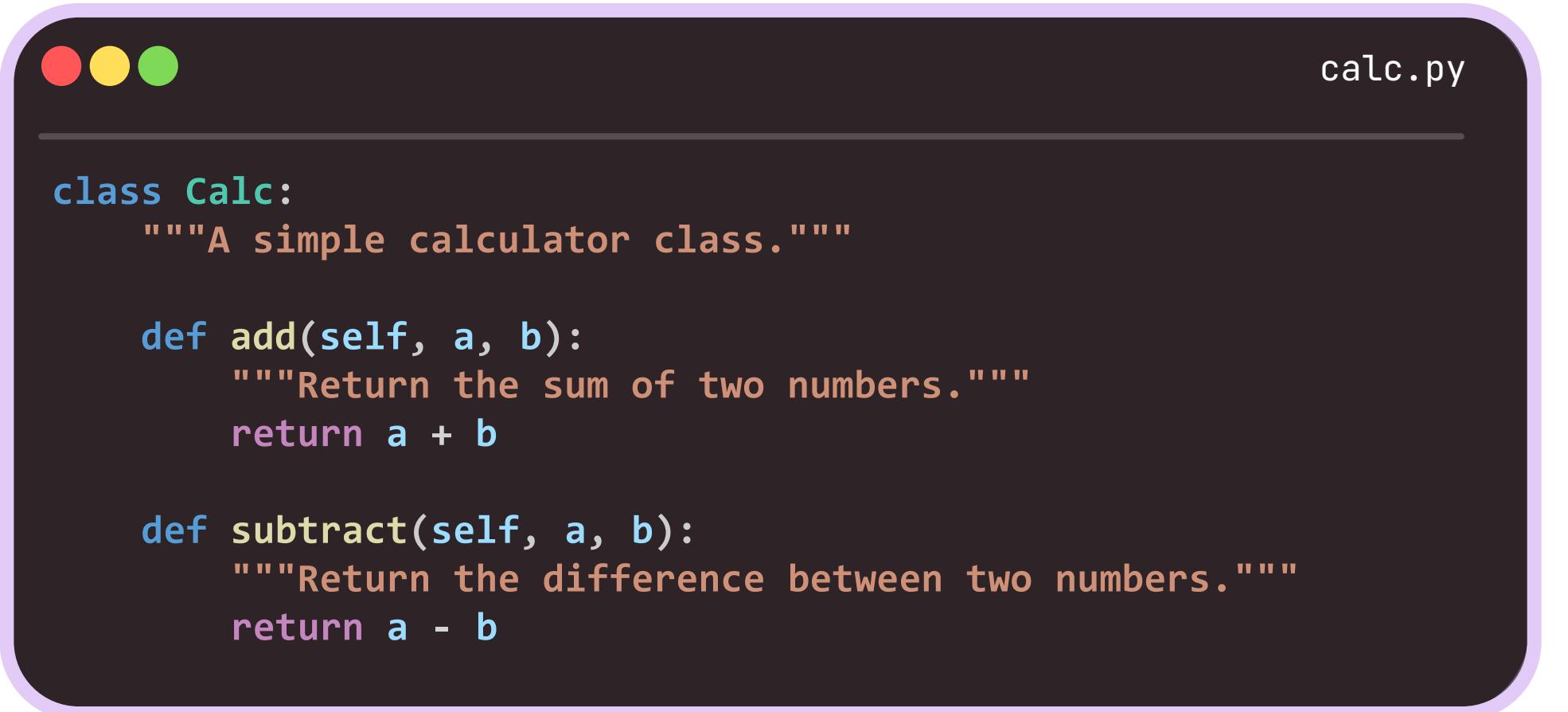
```
import datetime
import math
import random
import os

print(datetime.datetime.now()) # prints current date and time
print(math.pi, math.sqrt(16)) # 3.141592653589793 4.0
print(random.choice(['Python', 'R', 'SQL']))
print(os.getcwd()) # current directory
```

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CREATING CUSTOM MODULES

Let's create a simple **calc.py** in which we define two functions, one **add** and another **subtract**.

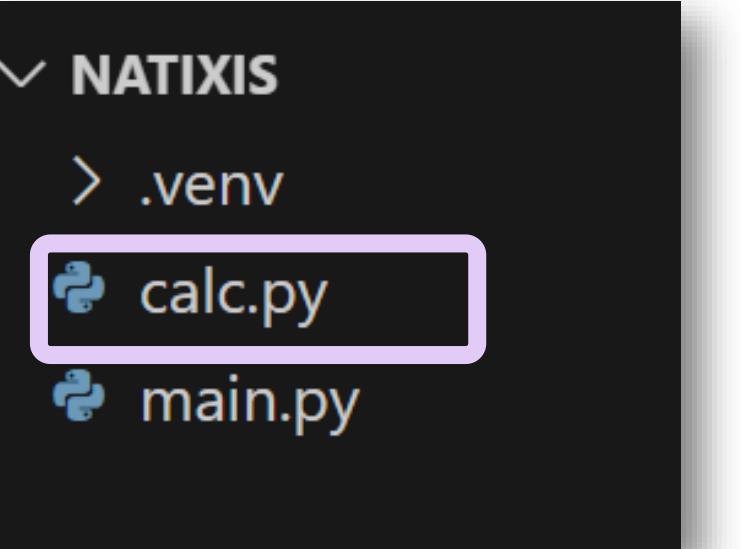


```
calc.py

class Calc:
    """A simple calculator class."""

    def add(self, a, b):
        """Return the sum of two numbers."""
        return a + b

    def subtract(self, a, b):
        """Return the difference between two numbers."""
        return a - b
```



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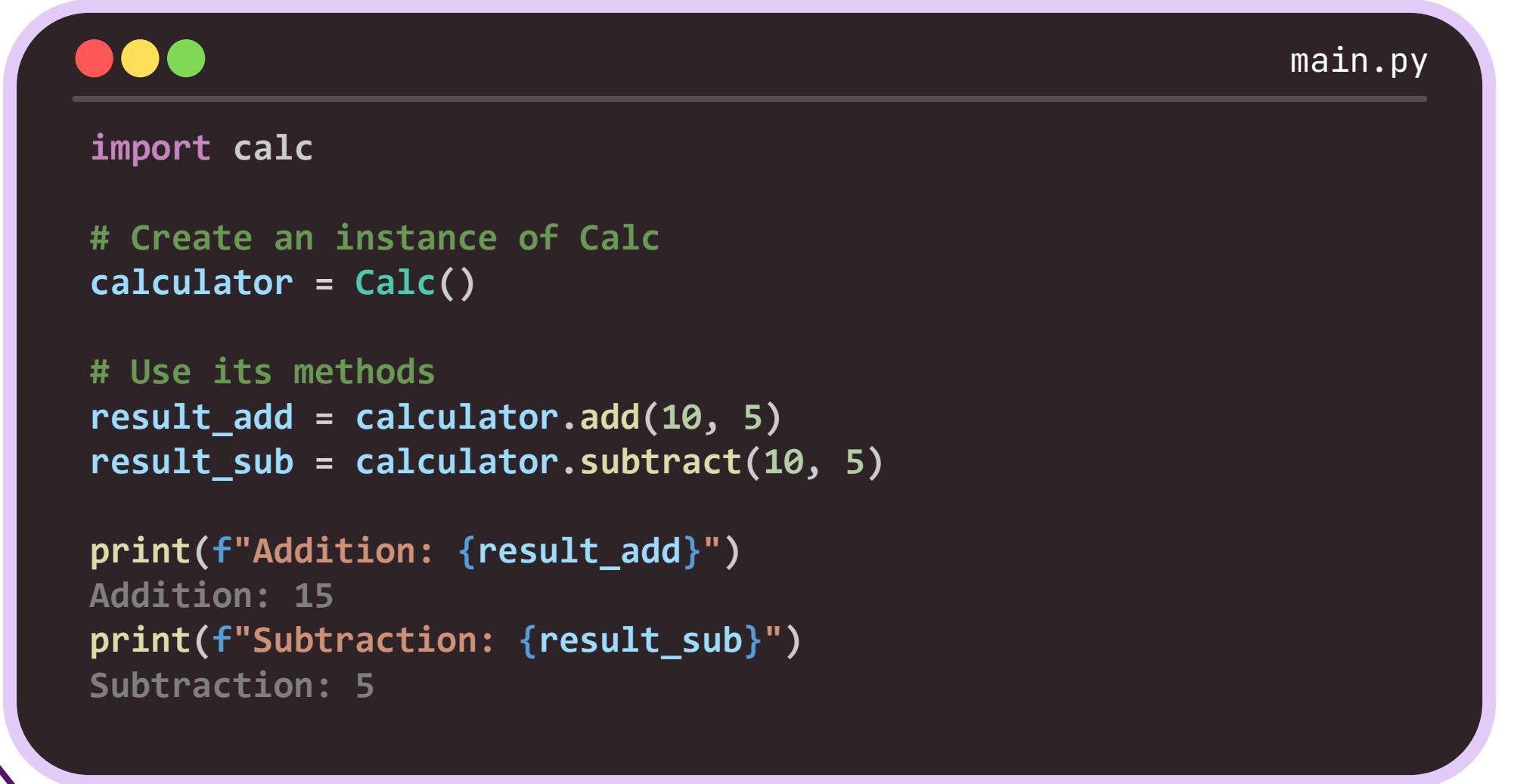
Good practice: include **docstrings** (triple quotes) to describe what each method does.

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IMPORTING MODULES

We can **import** the functions and classes defined in a **module** to another module using the **import** statement in some other Python source file. When the interpreter encounters an import statement, it imports the module if the module is present in the **search path**.

A **search path** is a list of directories that the interpreter searches for importing a module.

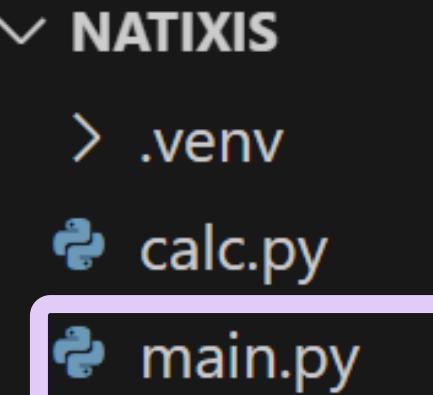


```
main.py
import calc

# Create an instance of Calc
calculator = Calc()

# Use its methods
result_add = calculator.add(10, 5)
result_sub = calculator.subtract(10, 5)

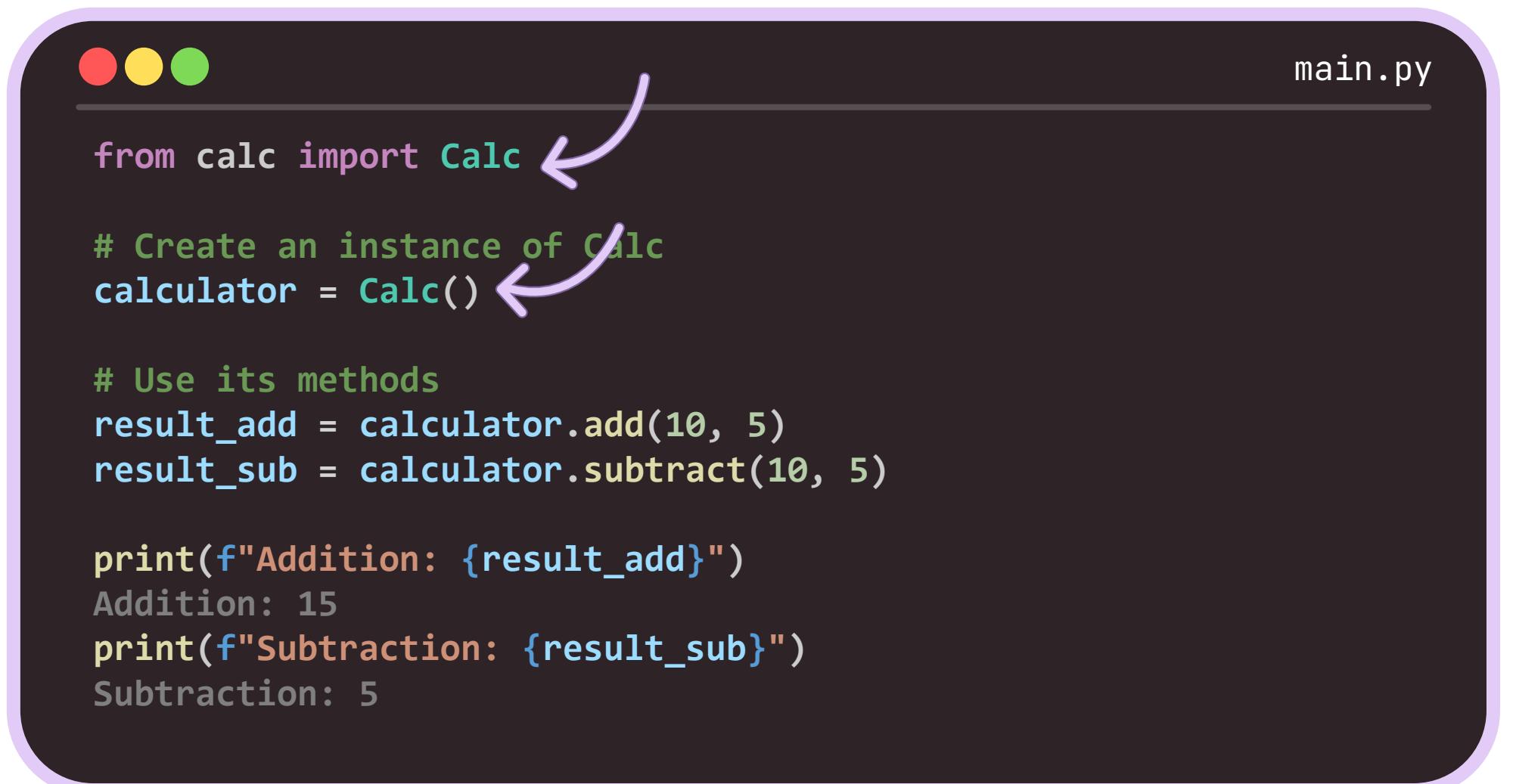
print(f"Addition: {result_add}")
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print(f"Subtraction: {result_sub}")
Subtraction: 5
```



IMPORTING CUSTOM MODULES

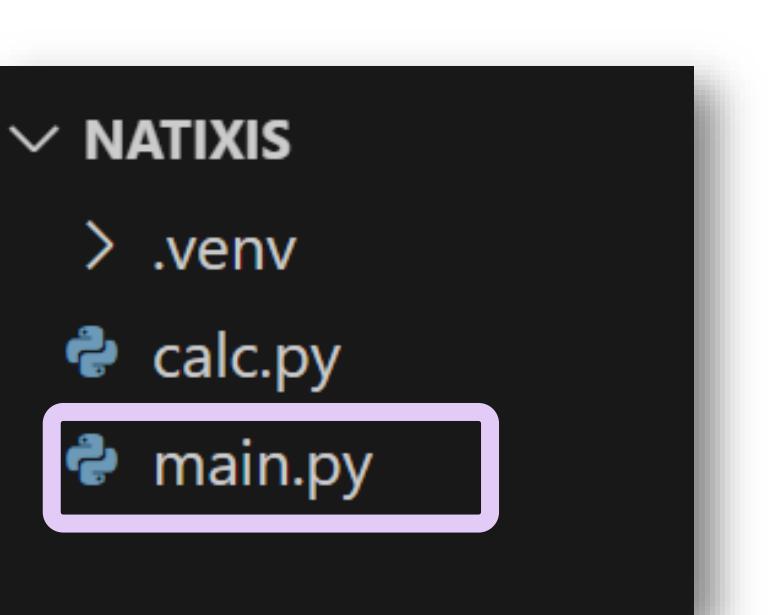
IMPORT FROM STATEMENT

Python's **from** statement lets you **import specific attributes** from a module **without importing the module as a whole**.



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from calc import Calc
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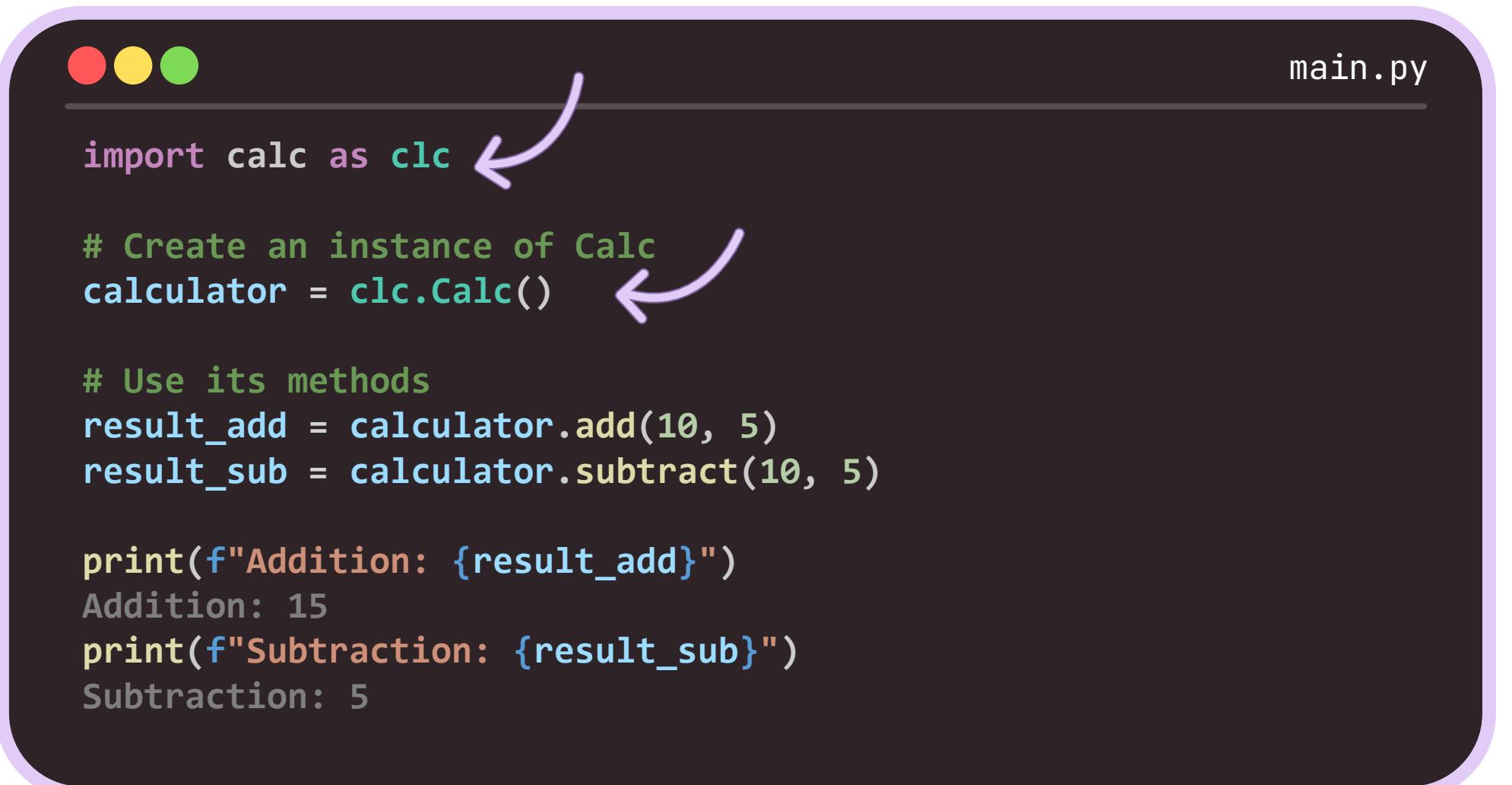


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RENAMING MODULES

Module names can be long or long, used often, or might conflict with another name in your program.

The **as** keyword in Python allows providing an **alternative name** to the module, known as an **alias**.



```
main.py
import calc as clc

# Create an instance of Calc
calculator = clc.Calc()

# Use its methods
result_add = calculator.add(10, 5)
result_sub = calculator.subtract(10, 5)

print(f"Addition: {result_add}")
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The `*` wildcard used with the **from import** statement is used **to import all the names** from a module to a current namespace.

While this works, it is **not considered good practice** in most situations.

```
main.py
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from statistics import *
from numpy import *

print(mean([1,2,3])) # which mean is this? statistics or numpy?
```

When using `from module import *`, Python imports in order: **later imports silently overwrite earlier names** with the same identifier.

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REASONS TO AVOID *

1. **Namespace pollution:** It imports **every** variable, function, and class from the module into your current namespace.
2. **Reduced readability:** it becomes unclear which module a function or variable came from. This makes **maintenance and debugging harder**, especially in large projects.
3. **Unexpected behavior:** If a module changes in future versions (e.g., adds new functions), **your code may break or behave differently** without you realizing it.
4. **No auto-completion or static analysis:** Modern **editors** and **IDEs cannot easily provide code hints** or autocomplete when everything is imported blindly.

PYTHON PACKAGES

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A Python **package** is way to organize **related modules** into a **single directory structure**, making projects **easier to maintain**. A package is simply a **folder** containing:

- One or more **.py** files (modules), and
- A special file called **__init__.py**

ROLE OF **__init__**

The **__init__.py** file tells Python that the directory **should be treated as a package**. Without it, Python will not recognize the folder as importable*. It can:

- Be **empty**
- Contain **initialization code** or **imports** for easier access.

*in versions before 3.3, though keeping it is still best practice.

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__init__.py

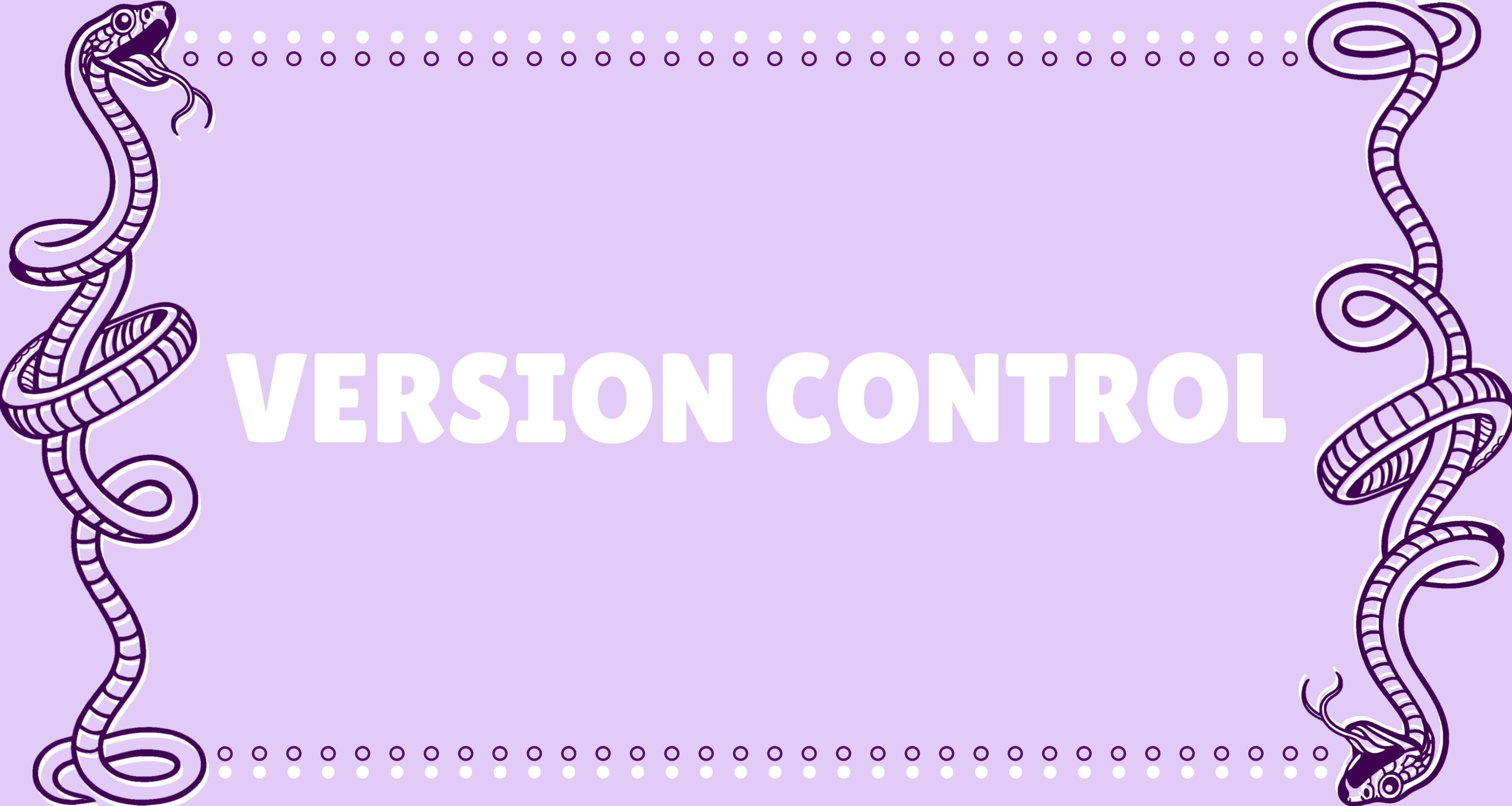
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WHY VERSION CONTROL MATTERS

Version control (also known as **source control** or **revision control**) ensures **traceability**, **collaboration**, and **stability** in software projects, especially when working with others.

Version control is essential to:

- Keep track of **what changed**, **when**, and **by whom**.
- **Revert** (or **rollback**) a previous version if something breaks.
- Collaborate safely **without overwriting** each other's work.
- Maintain a **complete history** of the project's evolution.
- **Identify issues quickly**.

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Git is the most widely used distributed version control system today, powering powers platforms like **GitHub**, **GitLab**, and **Bitbucket**.

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CORE CONCEPTS

Version control is built around a few fundamental concepts that define how changes to code are tracked, managed, and shared:

REPOSITORY

The **main project folder** tracked by version control, containing all files, subfolders, and the complete history of changes. Repositories can be **local** (on a computer) or **remote** (e.g., on GitHub)

COMMIT

Represents a **snapshot** of the project at a given moment. Each commit includes, **what** changed, **who** made the change, and **when** the change was made.

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BRANCH

An **independent** line of development. Allows experimenting or developing new features without affecting the main codebase. The **main** or **master** branch contains the **stable** version of the code.

MERGE

Combines the work from one branch to another. When a feature is ready, it's **merged back** into the main branch. **Conflicts may occur** if the same part of the code was changed differently.

PULL REQUEST

A formal way to **propose changes** before merging. It allows teammates to **review**, **comment**, and **approve** code, ensuring quality.

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GIT



Git is a **distributed version control system (DVCS)** created by Linus Torvalds in 2005 to manage the development of the Linux kernel.

Git has since become the **industry standard for tracking and coordinating code changes** across teams and projects. It allows developers to:

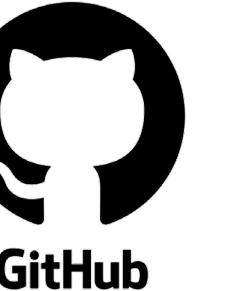
- **Record snapshots** of a project's state through **commits**.
- **Work concurrently** on different **branches** without interfering with each other.
- **Merge** changes back into the main codebase once **tested** and **approved**.
- **Revert** to previous versions when errors occur.

Each developer's local repository is a **complete copy of the project** including its full history, enabling work even without an internet connection.

Git is the **engine** behind version control. It keeps **every version** of the code **safe**, **synchronized**, and **recoverable**.

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GITHUB



GitHub is a **cloud-based platform** built around Git, designed to **host repositories**. It acts as the **remote counterpart** to a local Git repository, allowing teams to **synchronize their work, review code, and collaborate and manage projects** from anywhere.

GitHub delivers tools beyond basic version control, providing:

- **Remote hosting** of Git repositories.
- **Pull requests (PRs)** for reviewing and merging code changes.
- **Issues and discussions** to track bugs, tasks, and feedback.
- **Actions** for continuous integration and automation (CI/CD).
- **Wikis** and documentation to support project transparency.
- **Permission, issue, and workflow management**.
- Easy integration with tools like **Streamlit Cloud**, **Docker Hub**, and **CI/CD pipelines**.

GitHub is the workshop where developers collaborate, review, and share their work.

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ESSENTIAL GIT COMMANDS

Git operationalizes version control through a **set of fundamental commands**. These include, but are not limited to:

Command	Purpose
<code>git init</code>	Initialize a new local repository and begin version tracking.
<code>git status</code>	Display the state of the working directory and staging area.
<code>git add</code>	Stage changes to be included in the next commit.
<code>git commit</code>	Record a snapshot of staged changes to the repository history.
<code>git diff</code>	Show differences between file versions, commits, or branches.
<code>git branch</code>	List, create, or delete branches within the repository.
<code>git checkout / git switch</code>	Move between branches or restore files to a previous state.
<code>git merge*</code>	Integrate changes from one branch into another.
<code>git rebase*</code>	Reapply commits from one branch onto another, creating a linear project history.
<code>git remote add origin <url></code>	Link the local repository to a remote (commonly named origin).
<code>git push</code>	Upload local commits to a remote repository (e.g., GitHub).
<code>git pull</code>	Fetch and integrate changes from the remote repository into the local branch.

* `git merge` and `git rebase` achieve similar goals, but through different strategies: `merge` preserves the **full commit history**, while `rebase` rewrites it **linearly**.

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INSTALLING GIT

Go to <https://git-scm.com/downloads> Choose the installer for your operating system:

- **Windows**: .exe installer (includes Git Bash)
- **MacOS**: .dmg installer or install via Homebrew
- **Linux**: use a package manager.

Download for Windows

[Click here to download](#) the latest (2.51.0(2)) x64 version of Git for Windows. This is the most recent maintained build. It was released 14 days ago, on 2025-09-29.

CHECKING INSTALLATION



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```
> git --version  
git version 2.x.x
```

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CONFIGURING GIT

Before creating your first repository, set your **user identity**.



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```
> git config --global user.name "Your Name"  
> git config --global user.email "your@email.com"
```

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Optional: set your **default branch**'s name to **main** instead of **master** (modern convention)



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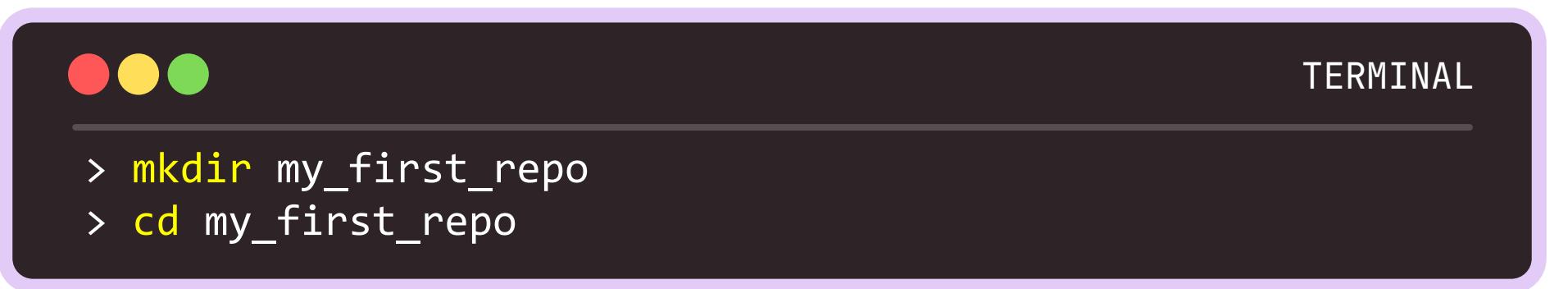
```
> git config --global init.defaultBranch main
```

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CREATING A GIT REPOSITORY

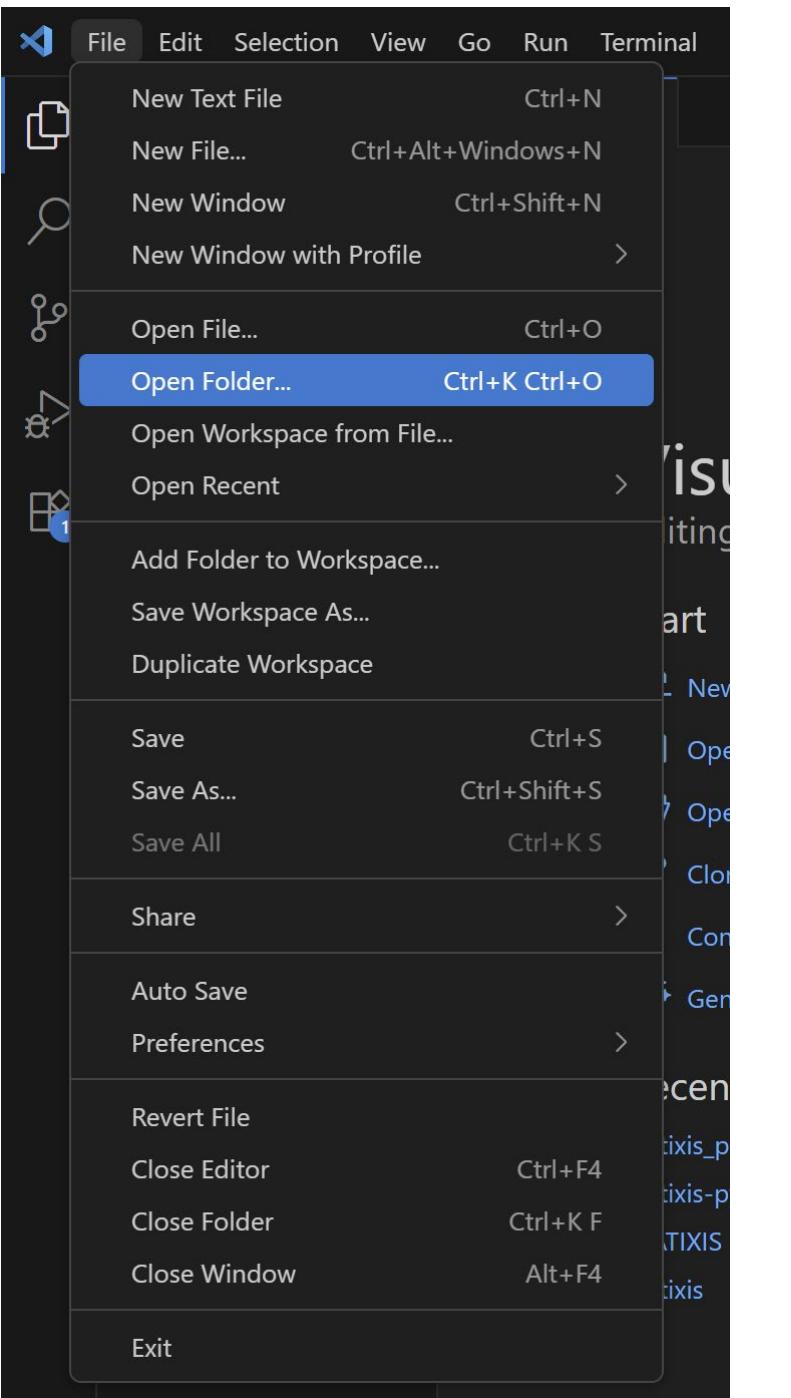
1 Open the Project Folder

In VS Code, go to File → Open Folder... and select your project directory, or create a new directory using **mkdir** and change directory (**cd**) to it.



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```
> mkdir my_first_repo
> cd my_first_repo
```



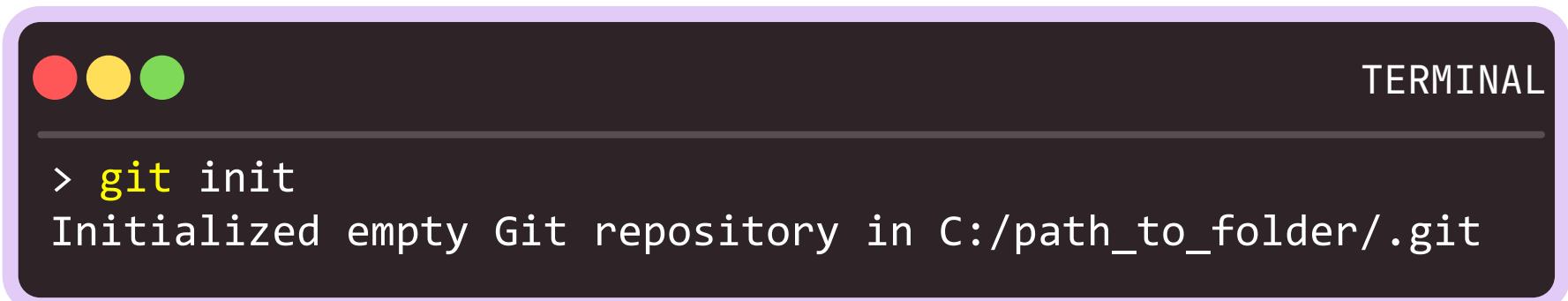
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2 Initialize Git

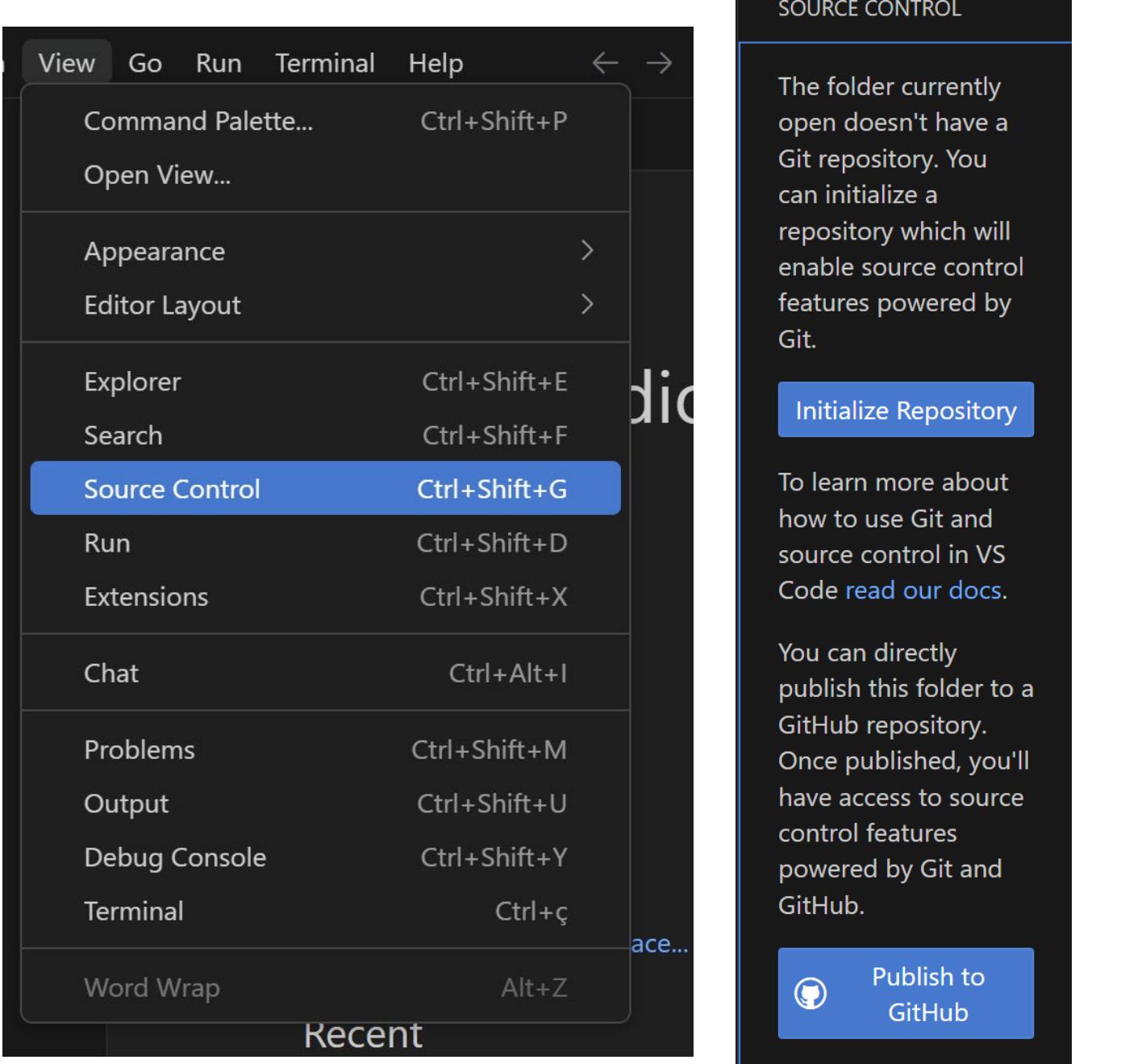
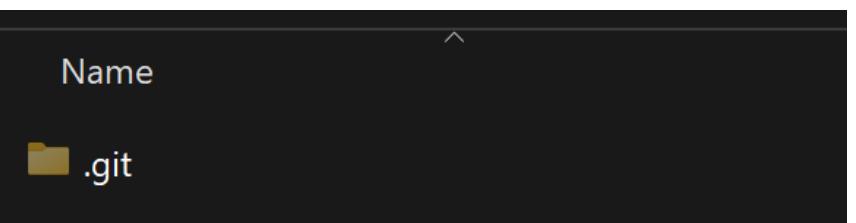
Click **Initialize Repository** in the **Source Control** panel or open the VS Code terminal and run:



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```
> git init
Initialized empty Git repository in C:/path_to_folder/.git
```

A hidden **.git** directory is created, making the project now **tracked by Git**.



SOURCE CONTROL

The folder currently open doesn't have a Git repository. You can initialize a repository which will enable source control features powered by Git.

Initialize Repository

To learn more about how to use Git and source control in VS Code [read our docs](#).

You can directly publish this folder to a GitHub repository. Once published, you'll have access to source control features powered by Git and GitHub.

Publish to GitHub

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3 Create a README file

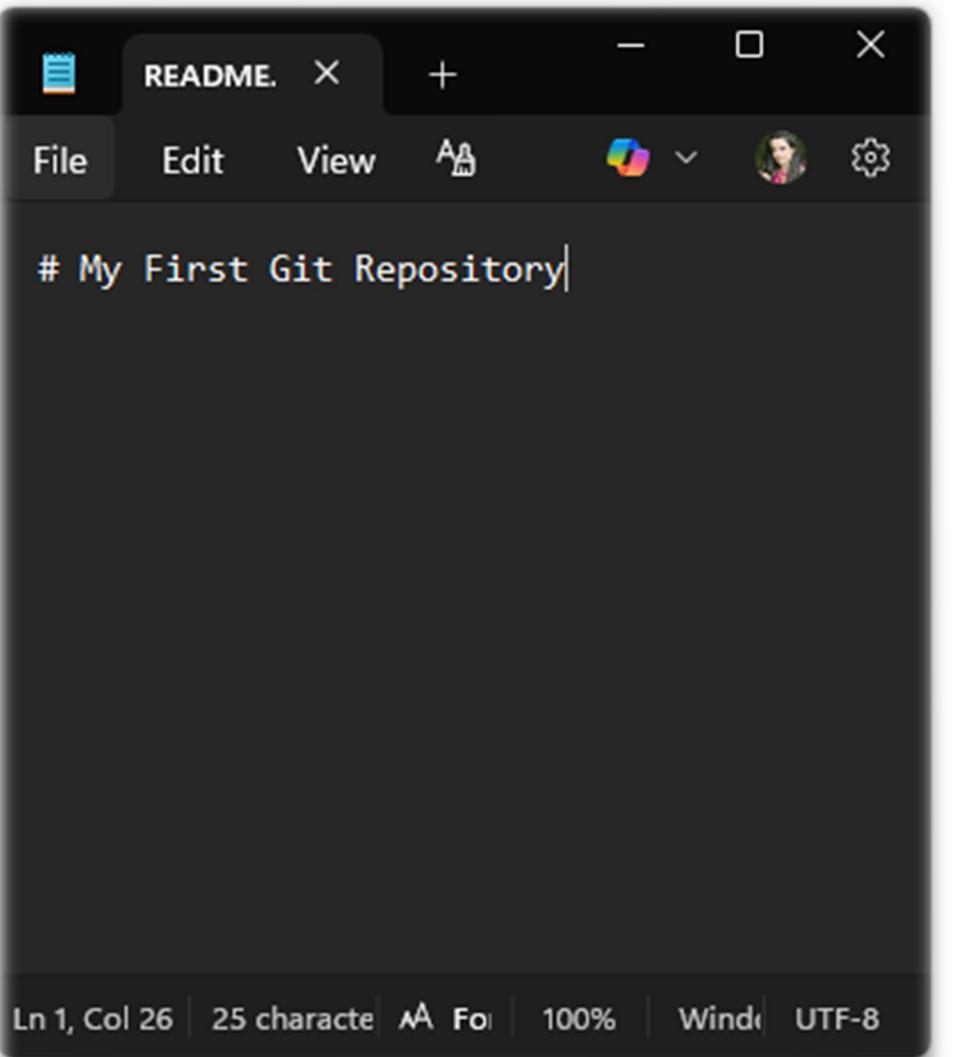
Before making your first commit, create at least one file in your project folder so Git has something to track.

You can do it via **VS Code**:

1. Click New File
2. Name it README.MD
3. Add a short line, such as: # My First Git Repository

Or using the terminal:

```
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> notepad README.md  
[will create and open the file]
```



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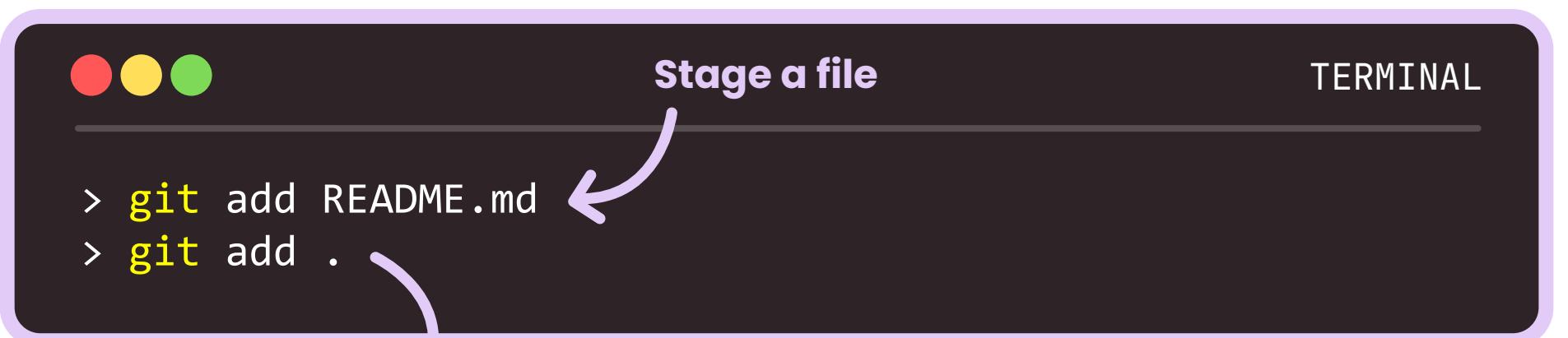
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4 Stage your files

You can stage all your files at once or one by one.

In the **Source Control** panel, hover over your files and click **+** to **stage** them.

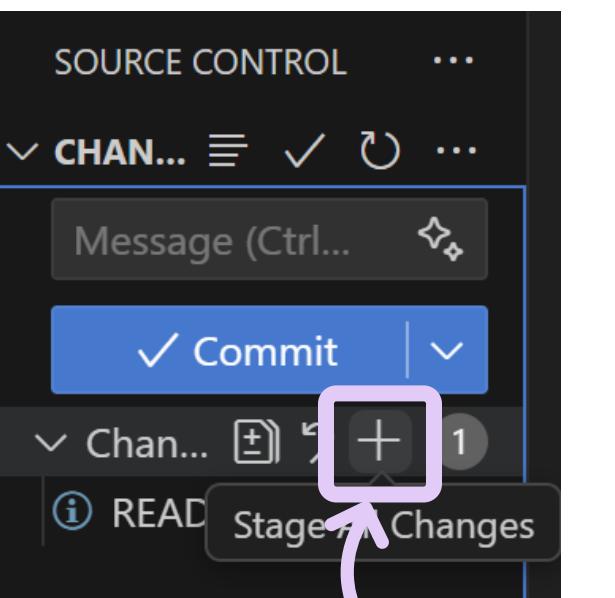
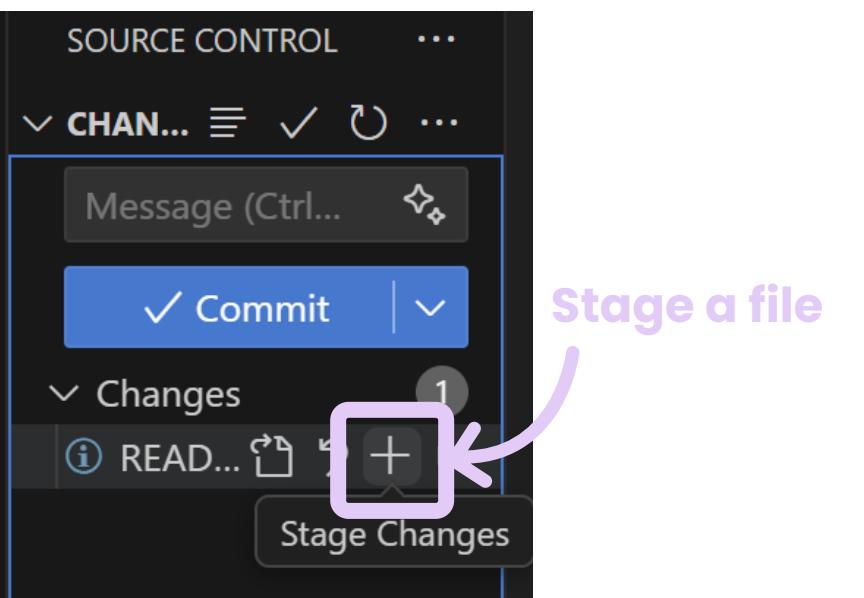
Or, using the terminal:



The terminal window shows two commands:

```
> git add README.md  
> git add .
```

A purple arrow points from the first command to the text "Stage a file". Another purple arrow points from the second command to the text "Stage all files".



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④ Exclude files from Git

The `.gitignore` file tells Git which files or folders **should not be tracked**. This keeps your repository clean and avoids pushing unnecessary or sensitive files to GitHub.

How to Create a `.gitignore` file

In VS Code:

1. In your project root, right-click → **New File** → name it `.gitignore`.
2. Add entries for files/folders you don't want tracked.
3. Save the file before running `git add .` or making your first commit

Or, using the terminal:



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```
> notepad .gitignore
```

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5 Stage empty directories

Git doesn't track **empty directories** by default. If you want to keep a folder structure in your repository, create an **empty file** inside it named **.gitkeep**.

Example (Terminal)

```
> mkdir data
> cd data
> notepad .gitkeep
> cd ..
```

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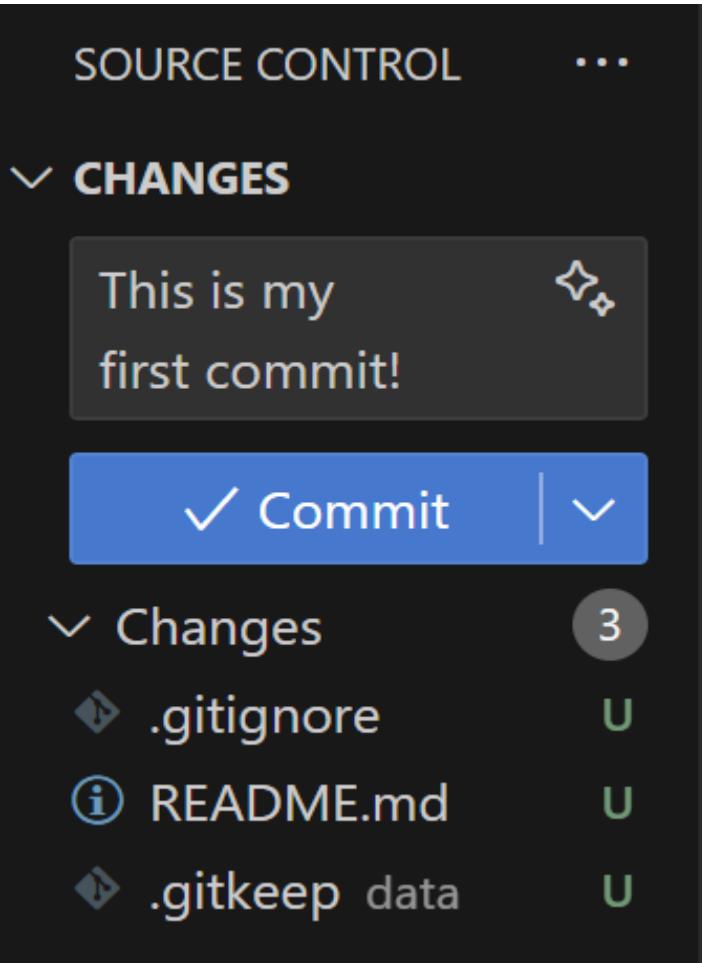
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5 Commit your changes

In VS Code, enter a commit message (e.g. *This is my first commit!*) at the top of the panel and press **Ctrl + Enter**.



Or use the terminal:

A screenshot of a terminal window titled 'TERMINAL'. It shows two commands: '> git add .' and '> git commit -m "This is my first commit!"'. A pink arrow points from the text 'The -m flag adds a short message describing what was done.' down to the '-m' flag in the second command.

The **-m** flag adds a short message describing what was done.

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6 Create or Login to your GitHub Account

Go to <https://github.com>. If you don't have an account:

1. Click **Sign up** in the top-right corner.
2. Enter your details (email, password, and unique username)
3. Select the free plan (allows unlimited public and private repositories)
4. Verify your email to activate the account.

Sign up for GitHub

 Continue with Google

 Continue with Apple

or

Email*

Email

Password*

Password

Password should be at least 15 characters OR at least 8 characters including a number and a lowercase letter.

Username*

Username

Username may only contain alphanumeric characters or single hyphens, and cannot begin or end with a hyphen.

Your Country/Region*

Portugal

For compliance reasons, we're required to collect country information to send you occasional updates and announcements.

Email preferences

Receive occasional product updates and announcements

Create account >

By creating an account, you agree to the [Terms of Service](#). For more information about GitHub's privacy practices, see the [GitHub Privacy Statement](#). We'll occasionally send you account-related emails.

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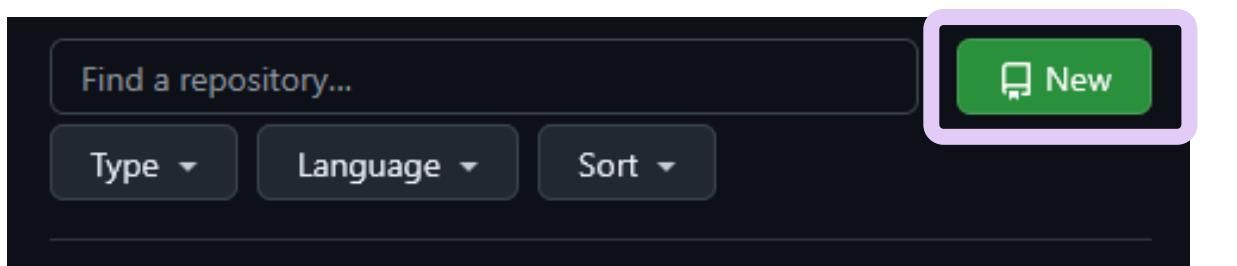
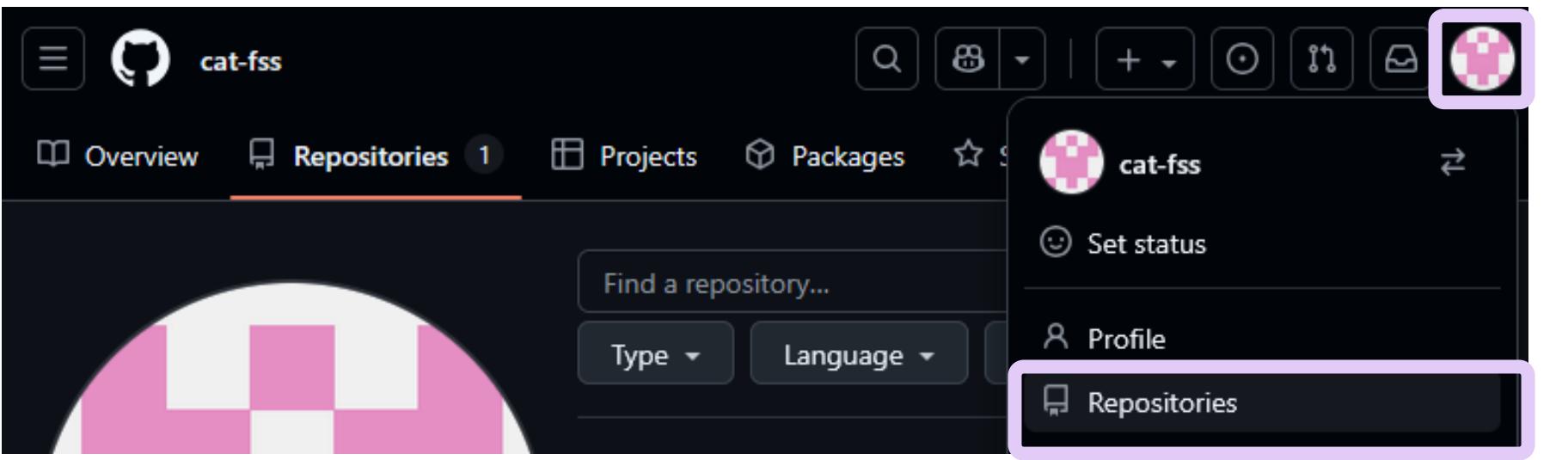
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7 Create an empty repository on GitHub

Click on your **profile picture** in the top-right corner, then select **repositories**. Then, select **New** on the repositories page.

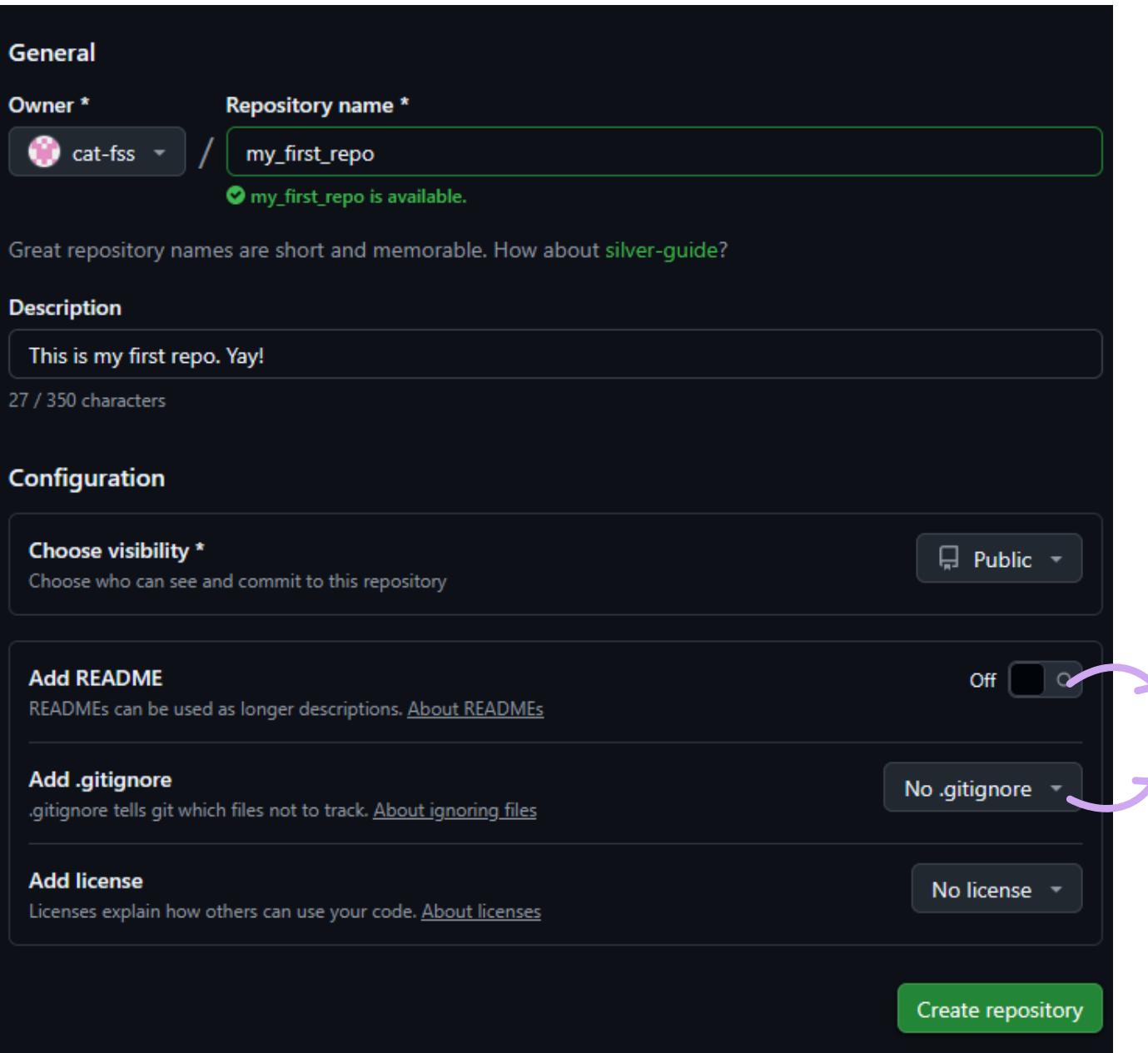
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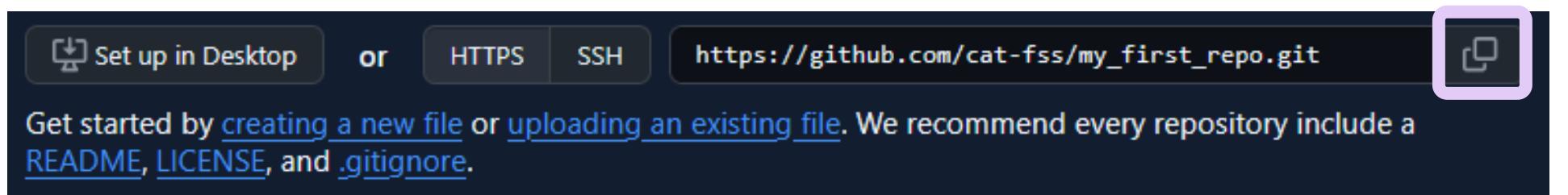
Keep these options off so you don't have conflicts with your local version!

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8 Connect your local repository to GitHub

Copy your repository's URL.



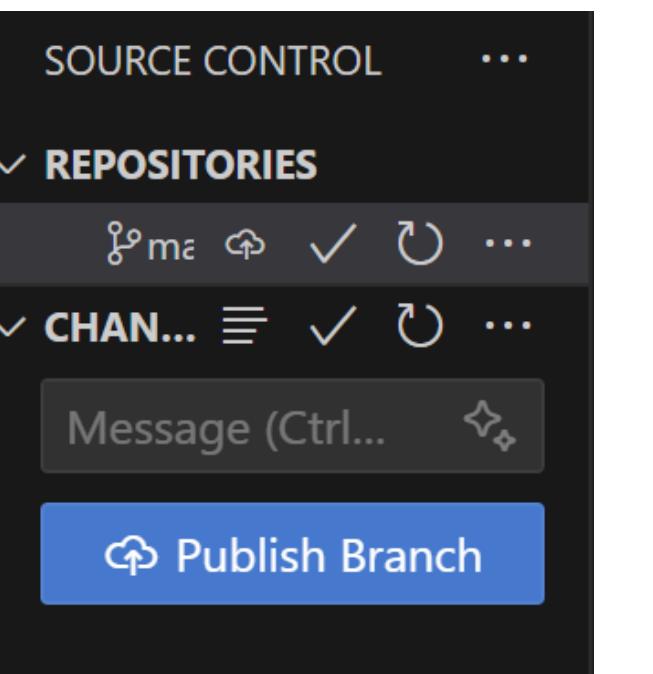
In VS Code's terminal:

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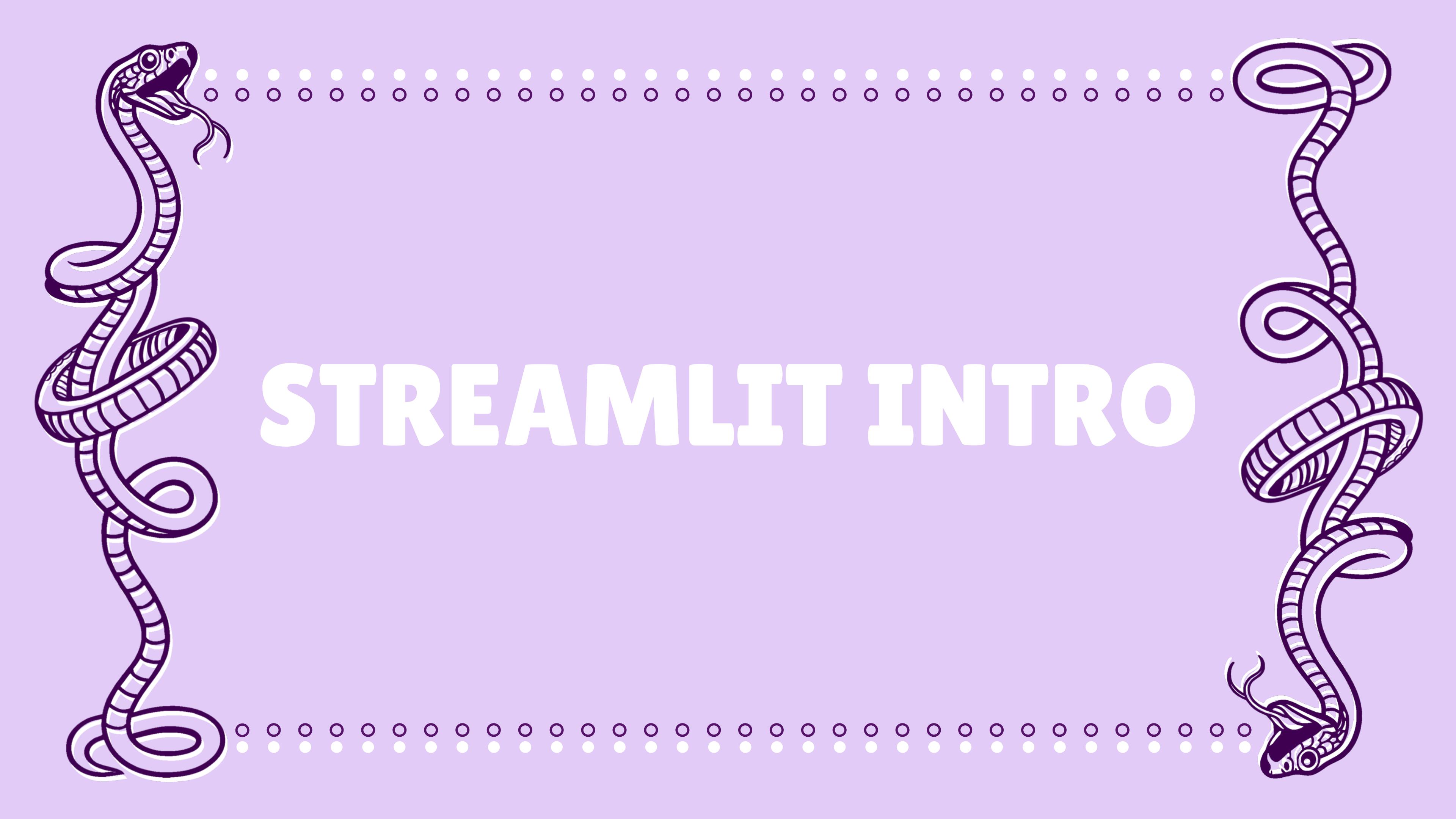
```
> git branch -M main
> git remote add origin https://github.com/<username>/<repo>.git
> git push -u origin main
```

Move/ rename the branch, even if the target name (main) already exists.
Set upstream (remember that the **local branch main is linked to the remote branch main on origin**)

You can also connect directly through the **Source Control** → **Publish Branch** option



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STREAMLIT INTRO

STREAMLIT

WHAT IS STREAMLIT?



Streamlit is an open-source Python framework that allows **building interactive web applications** directly from python scripts without needing any frontend development skills.

It is designed for **data scientists**, **researchers**, and **developers** who want to quickly transform data and models into interactive dashboards or tools.

The full documentation for Streamlit can be found at <https://docs.streamlit.io/develop/api-reference>.

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Streamlit turns Python scripts into shareable web apps.

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WHY USE STREAMLIT?



Feature	Benefit
Simplicity	Write apps using pure Python. No need for HTML, CSS, or JavaScript.
Integration	Works directly with Pandas, Matplotlib, Plotly, and machine learning libraries.
Real-time updates	Auto-refreshes when the script is modified, which is ideal for development.
Deployment	Easily deploy to Streamlit Cloud or other hosting services.

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INSTALLING STREAMLIT

Streamlit is installed like any other Python library:



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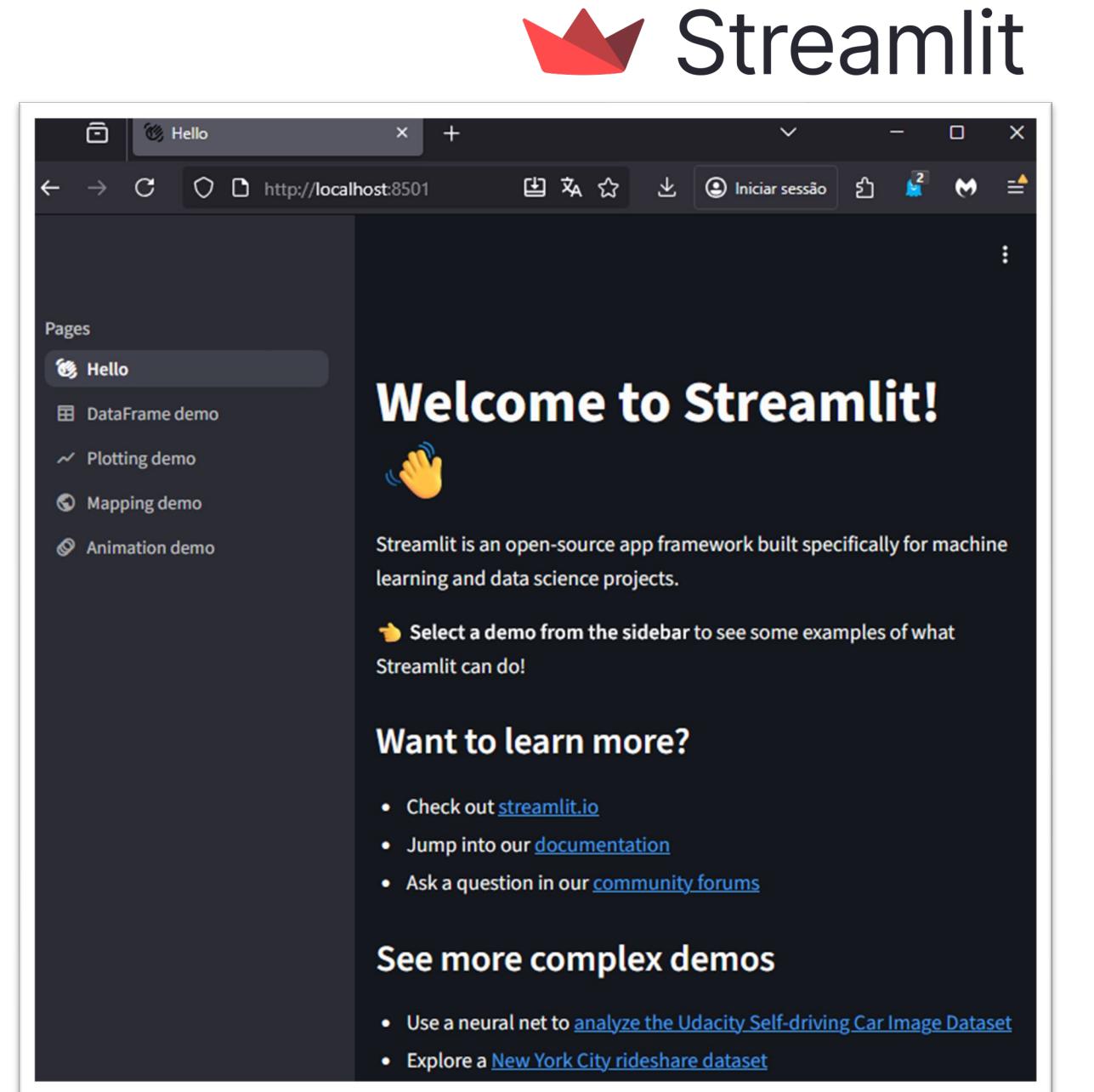
```
> pip install streamlit  
[Successfully installed...]
```

Verify Installation:



main.py

```
> streamlit hello
```



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CREATING AND RUNNING A STREAMLIT APP

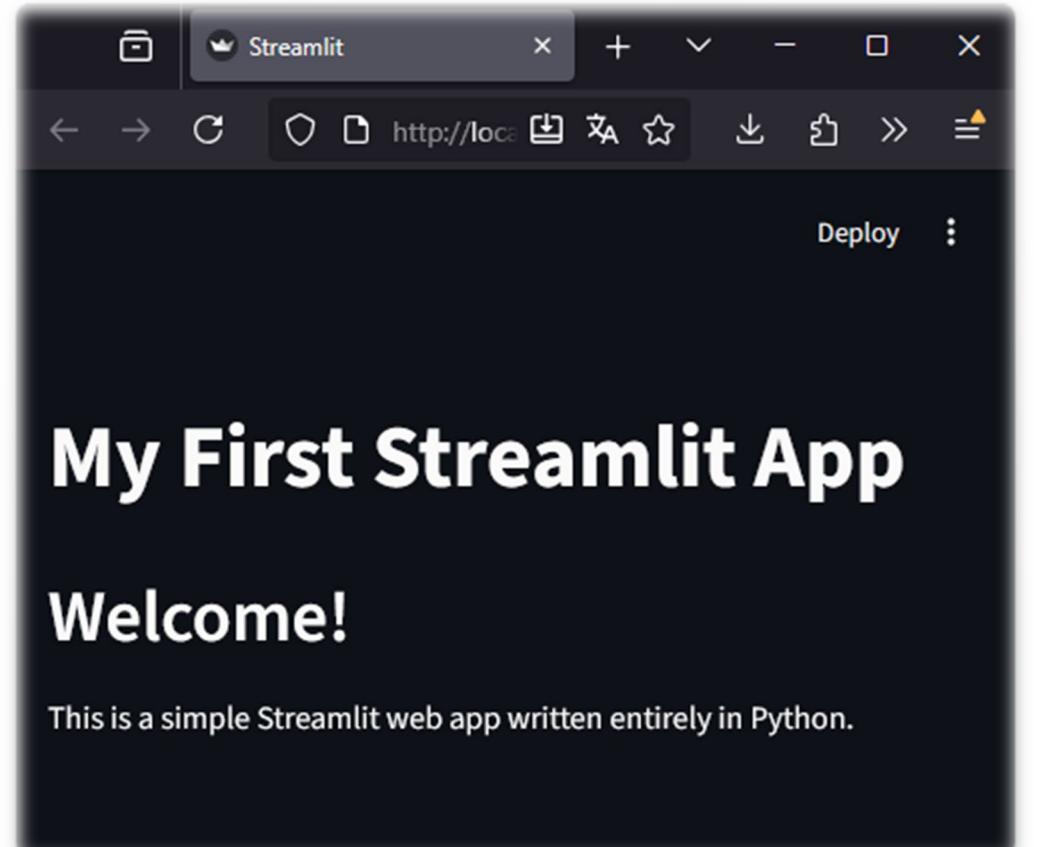
1 Write a Simple Script

```
app.py
import streamlit as st

st.title("My First Streamlit App")
st.header("Welcome!")
st.write("This is a simple Streamlit web app written entirely in Python.")
```

2 In the terminal (not Python) execute:

```
app.py
> streamlit run app.py
```



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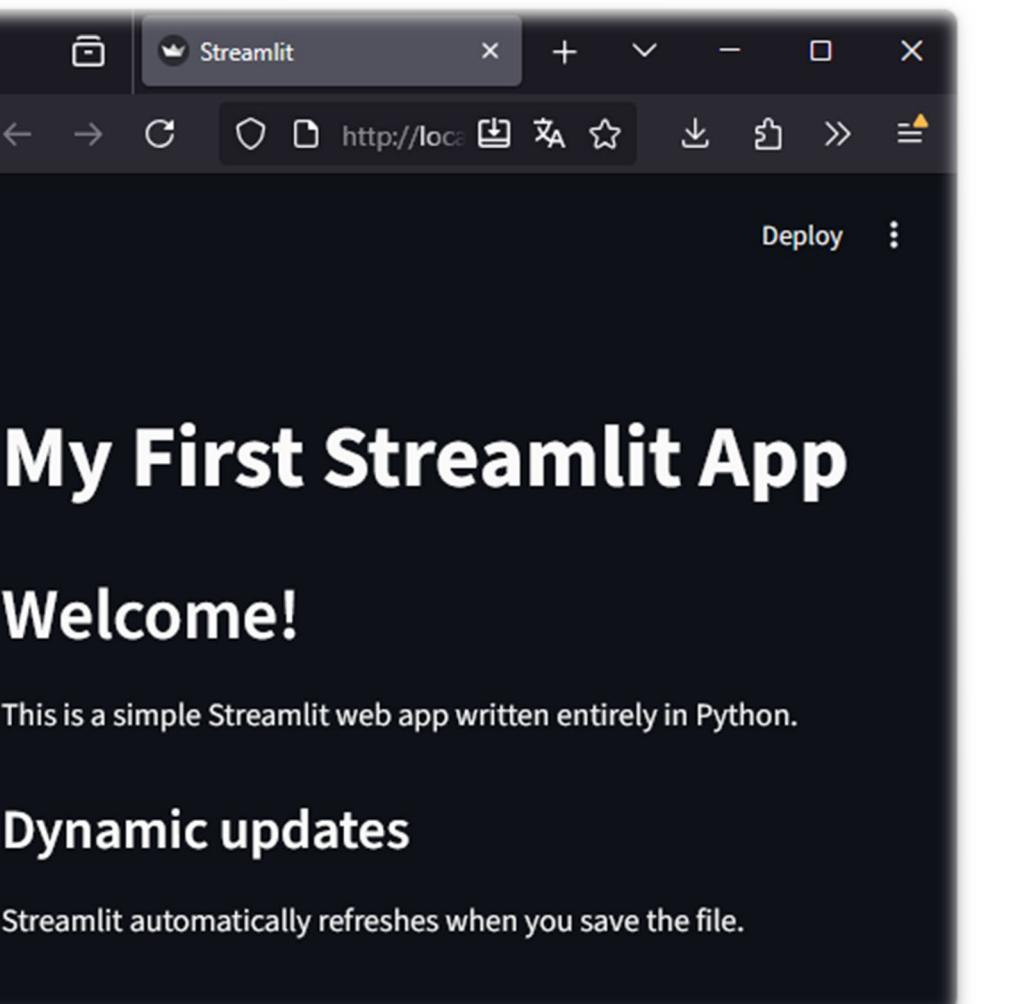
CREATING AND RUNNING A STREAMLIT APP

3 Edit and Observe

```
app.py  
● ● ●  
import streamlit as st  
  
st.subheader("Dynamic updates")  
st.write("Streamlit automatically refreshes when you save the file.")
```

4 Stop the Server

When finished, stop the app by pressing **Ctrl + C** in the terminal.



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COMPONENTS OVERVIEW

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1 Text and Display

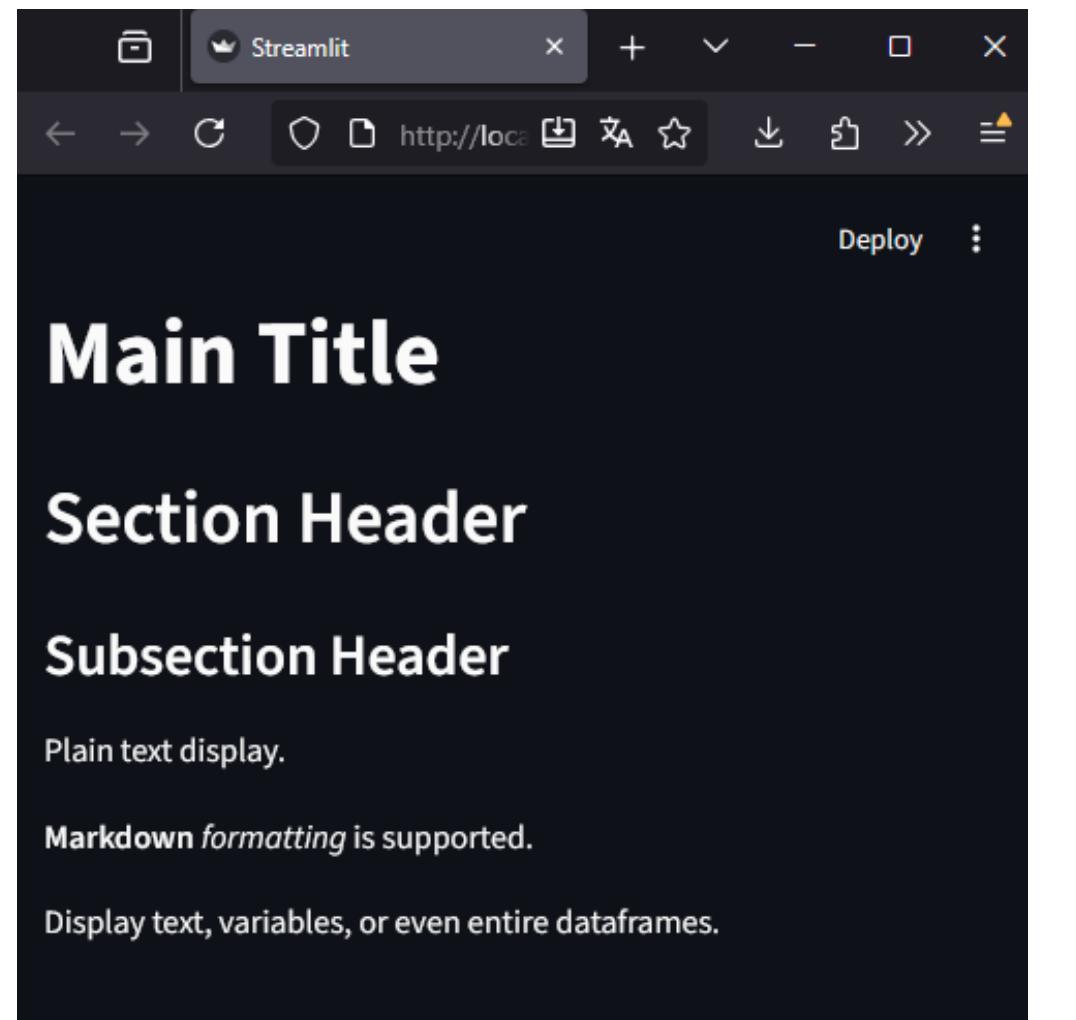
Used to display text, formatted output, or markdown.

...

```
import streamlit as st

st.title("Main Title")
st.header("Section Header")
st.subheader("Subsection Header")
st.text("Plain text display.")
st.markdown("**Markdown** _formatting_ is supported.")
st.write("Display text, variables, or even entire dataframes.")

(
) Automatically adapts to any type (text, numbers, dataframes, etc.)
```



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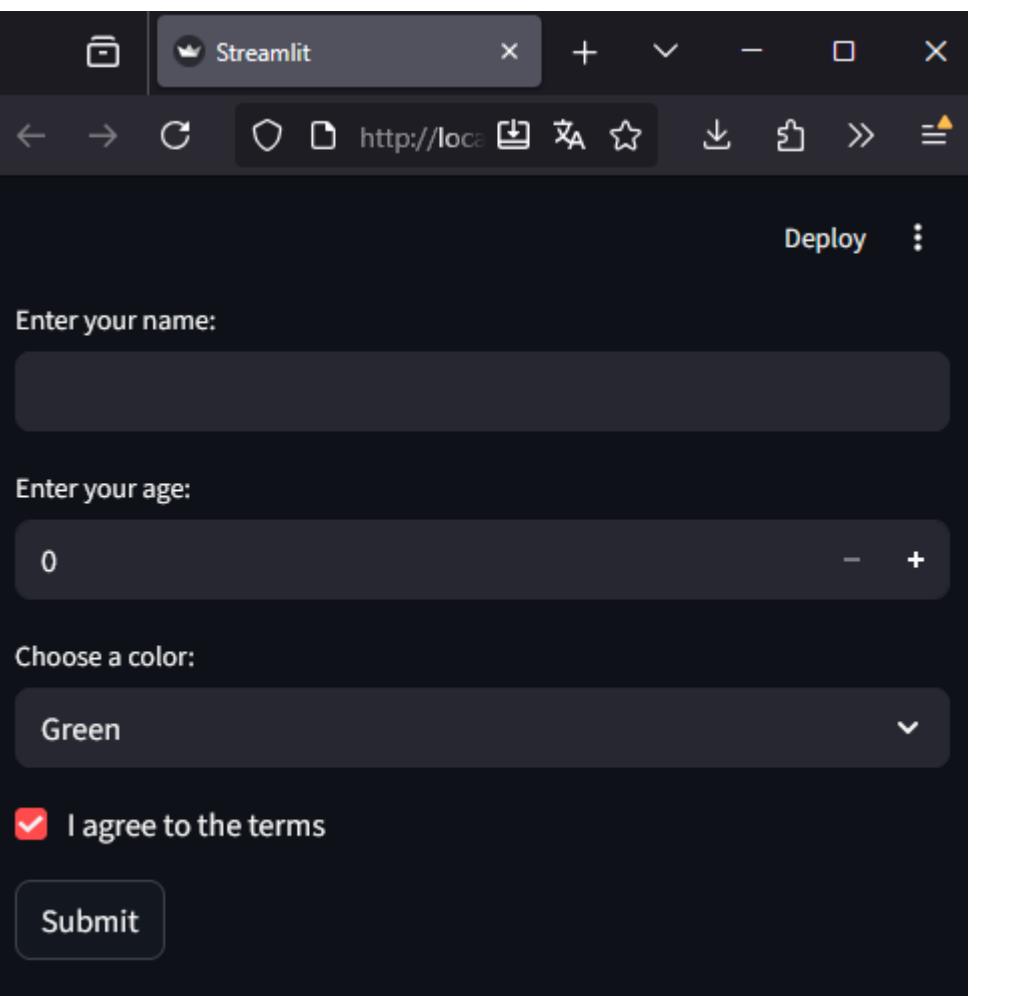
2 Input

Enable interaction with the user. These widgets return values that can be stored in variables and used dynamically.

```
app.py

import streamlit as st

name = st.text_input("Enter your name:")
age = st.number_input("Enter your age:", min_value=0, max_value=120)
color = st.selectbox("Choose a color:", ["Red", "Green", "Blue"])
agree = st.checkbox("I agree to the terms")
clicked = st.button("Submit")
```



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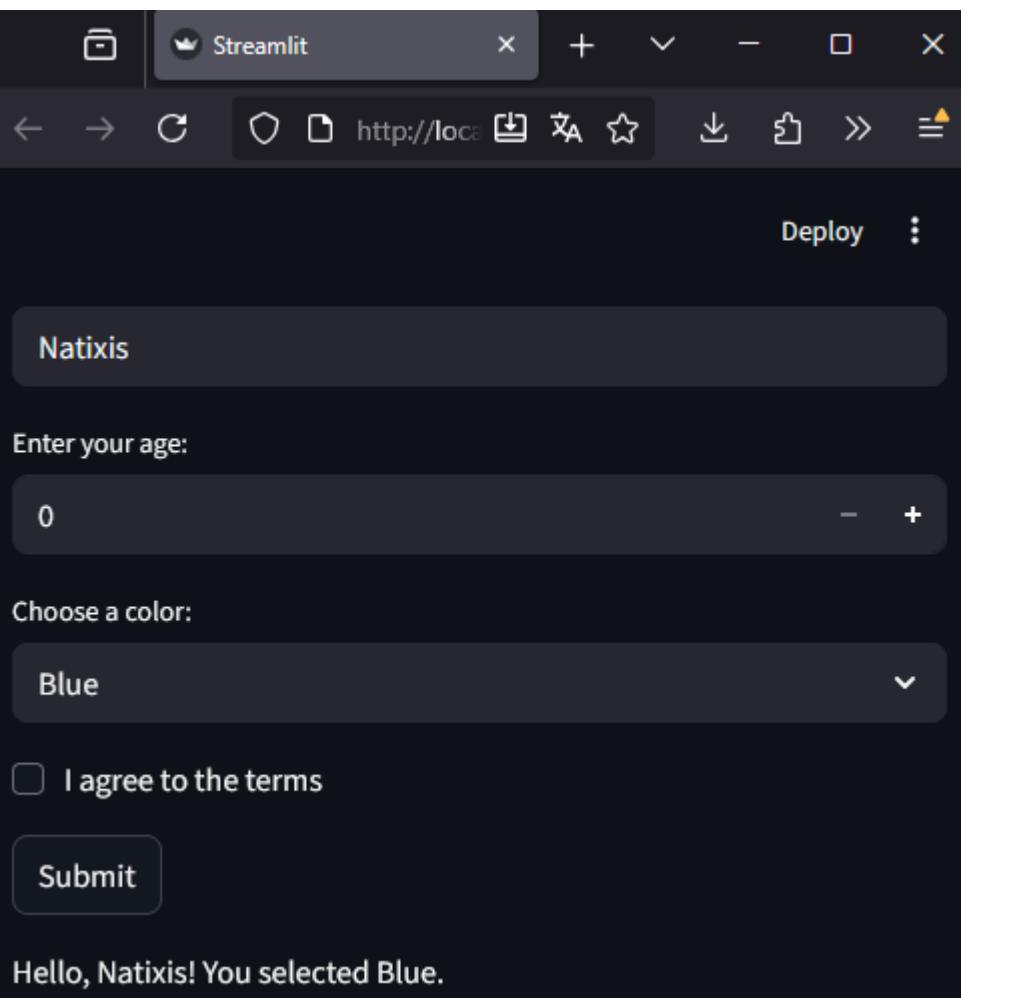
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agree = st.checkbox("I agree to the terms")  
clicked = st.button("Submit")  
  
if clicked:  
    st.write(f"Hello, {name}! You selected {color}.")
```



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3 Data Display

Used to integrate with Pandas, NumPy, and visualization libraries.



app.py

```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import streamlit as st

df = pd.DataFrame({
    "A": np.random.randn(5),
    "B": np.random.randn(5),
})

st.dataframe(df)          # Interactive table
st.table(df.head())       # Static table
st.line_chart(df)         # Quick visualization
st.bar_chart(df)
```



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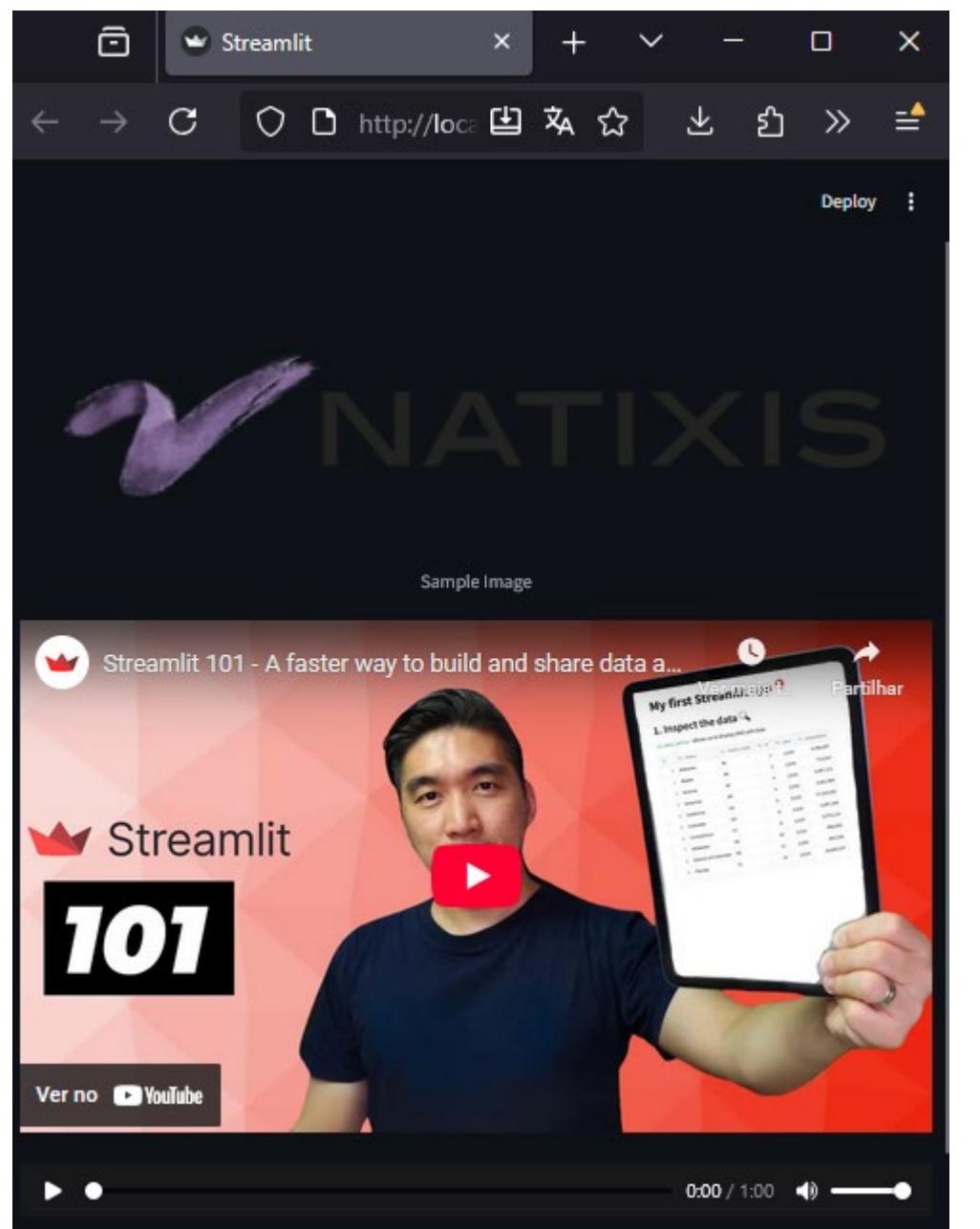
COMPONENTS OVERVIEW

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4 Media Components

Display images, videos, and audio files.

```
app.py  
import streamlit as st  
  
st.image("example.png",  
         caption="Sample Image",  
         use_container_width=True)  
st.video("example.mp4")  
st.audio("example.mp3")
```



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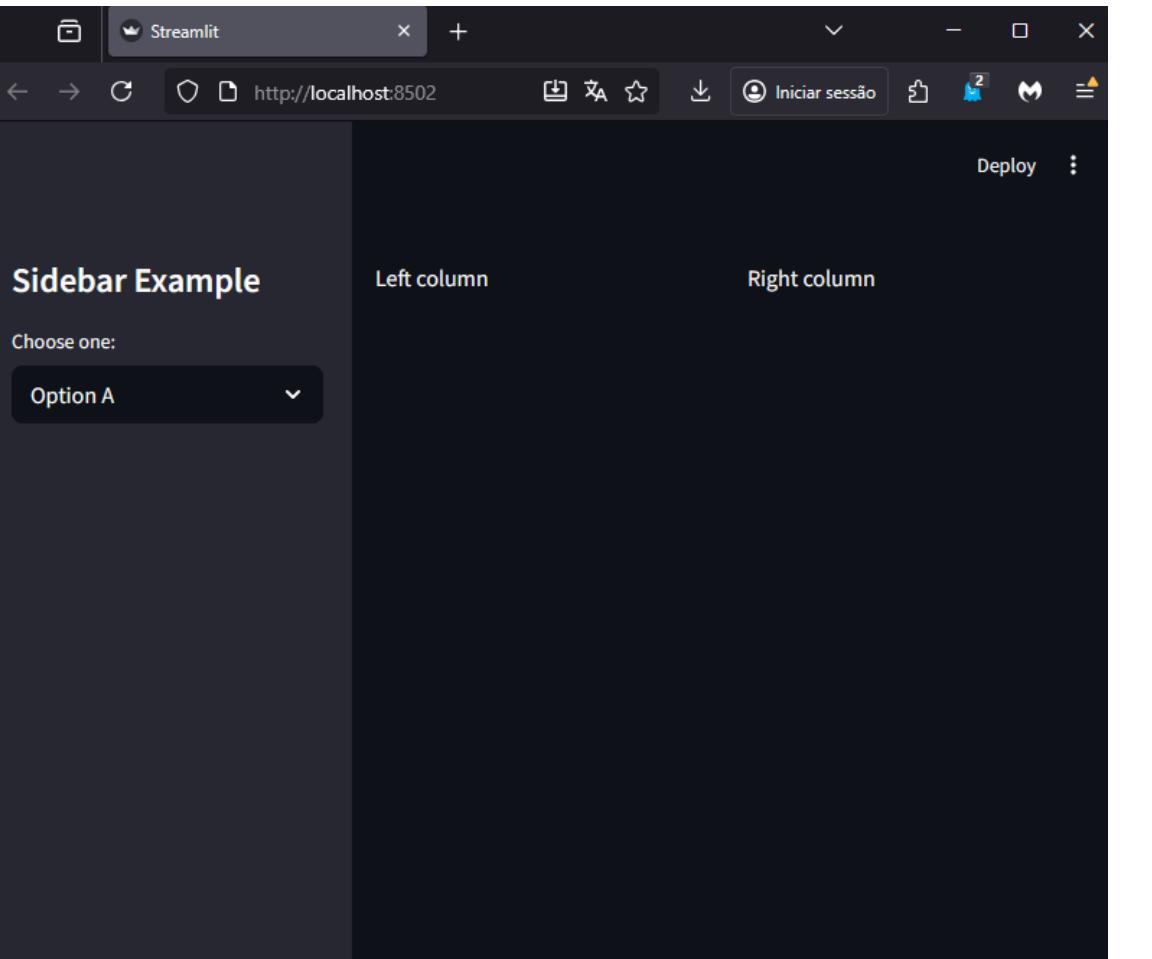
5 Layout and Organization

Control the structure of the app.

```
app.py
import streamlit as st

st.sidebar.title("Sidebar Example")
option = st.sidebar.selectbox(
    "Choose one:", ["Option A", "Option B"])

col1, col2 = st.columns(2)
col1.write("Left column")
col2.write("Right column")
```



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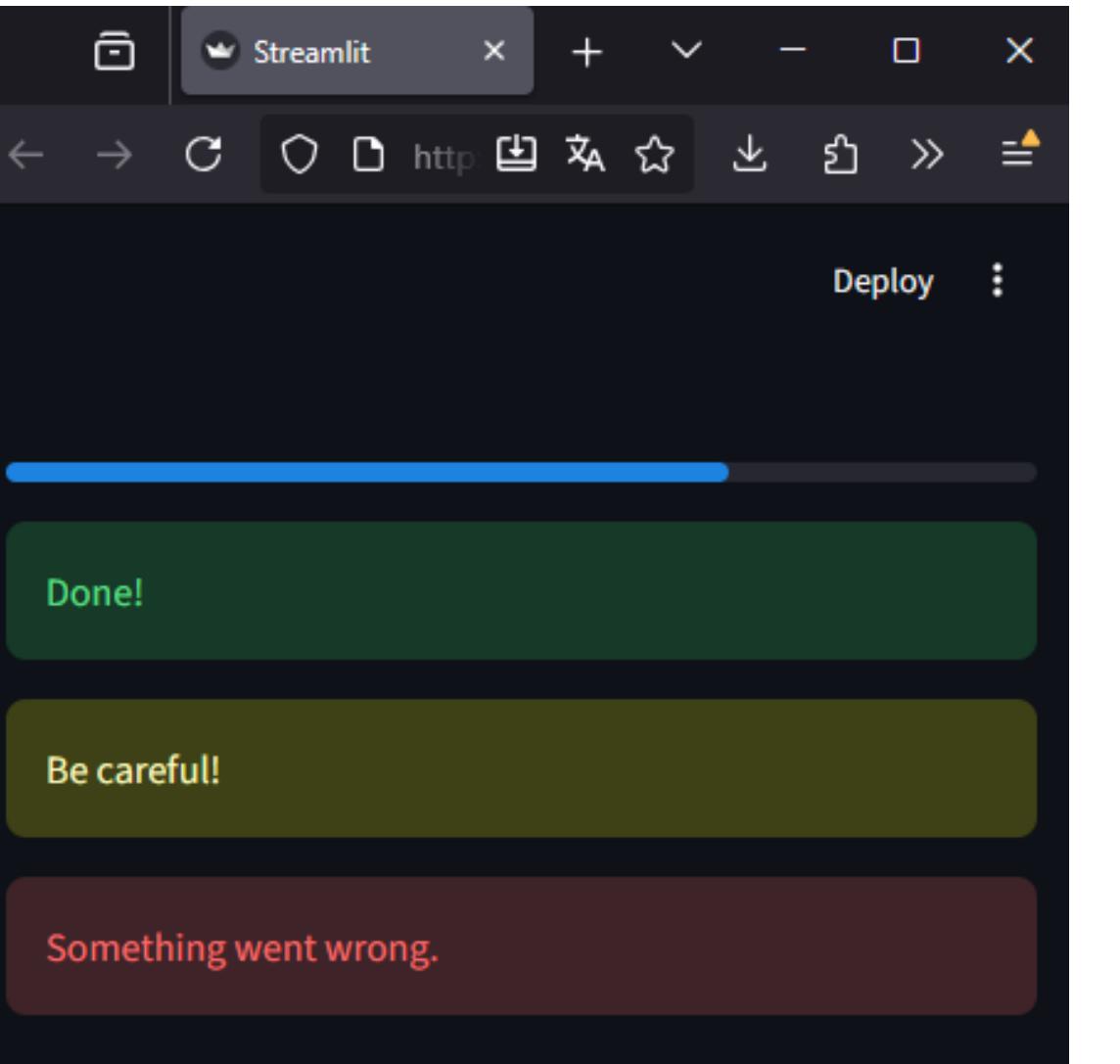
6 Status and Progress

Show progress or feedback during operations.

```
app.py

import streamlit as st

st.progress(70)
st.spinner("Processing...")
st.success("Done!")
st.warning("Be careful!")
st.error("Something went wrong.")
```



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LOAD A CSV FILE

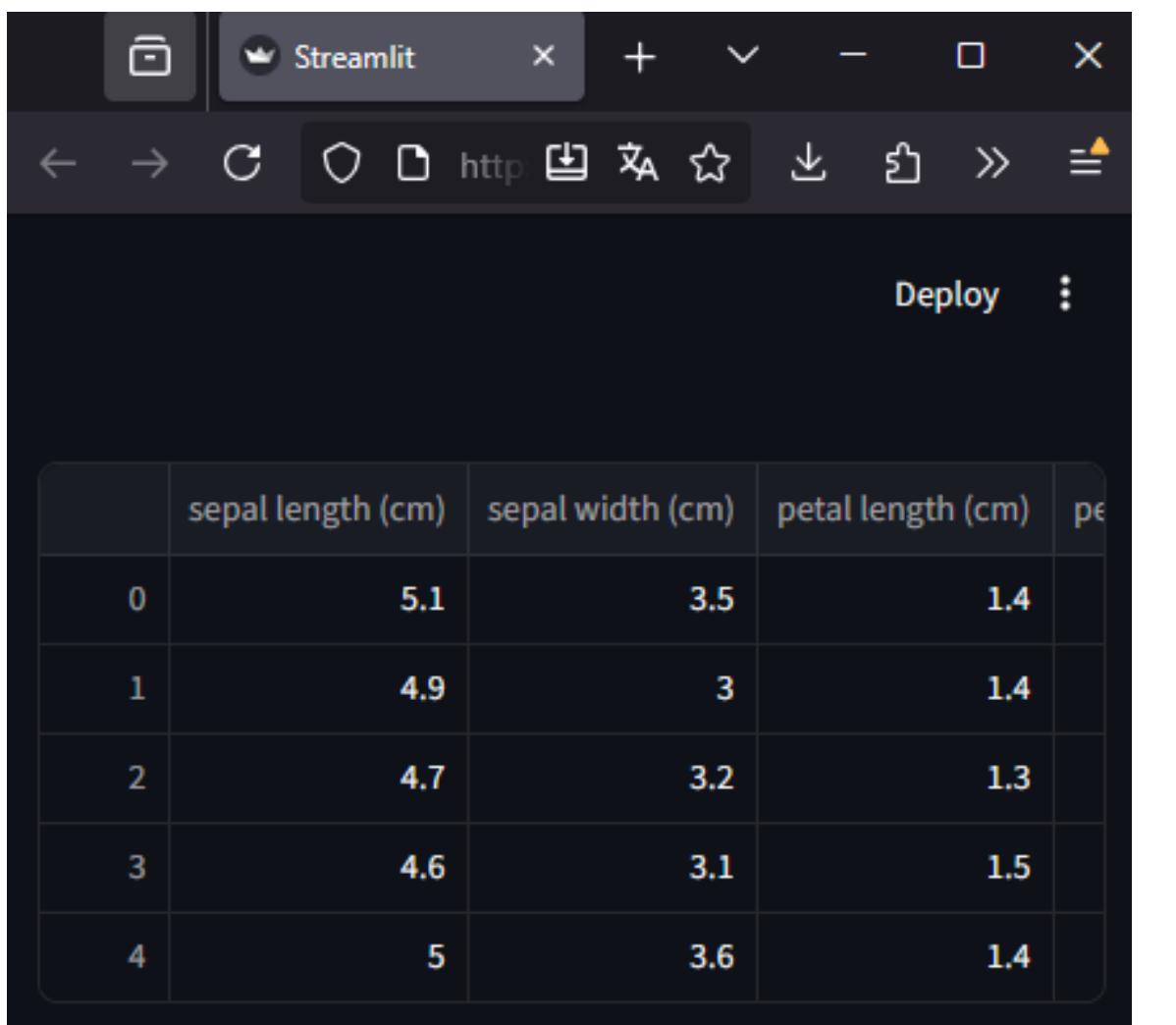
A dataset can be read directly from the project folder or from an URL.

```
app.py

import streamlit as st
from sklearn import datasets
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

iris = datasets.load_iris()
df = pd.DataFrame(
    data= np.c_[iris['data'], iris['target']],
    columns= iris['feature_names'] + ['target'])

st.write(df.head())
```



The screenshot shows a Streamlit application window titled "Streamlit". The browser toolbar includes icons for back, forward, refresh, and search. On the right, there are "Deploy" and three-dot menu buttons. The main content area displays a table with the first five rows of the Iris dataset. The columns are labeled: "sepal length (cm)", "sepal width (cm)", "petal length (cm)", and "petal width (cm)". The data is as follows:

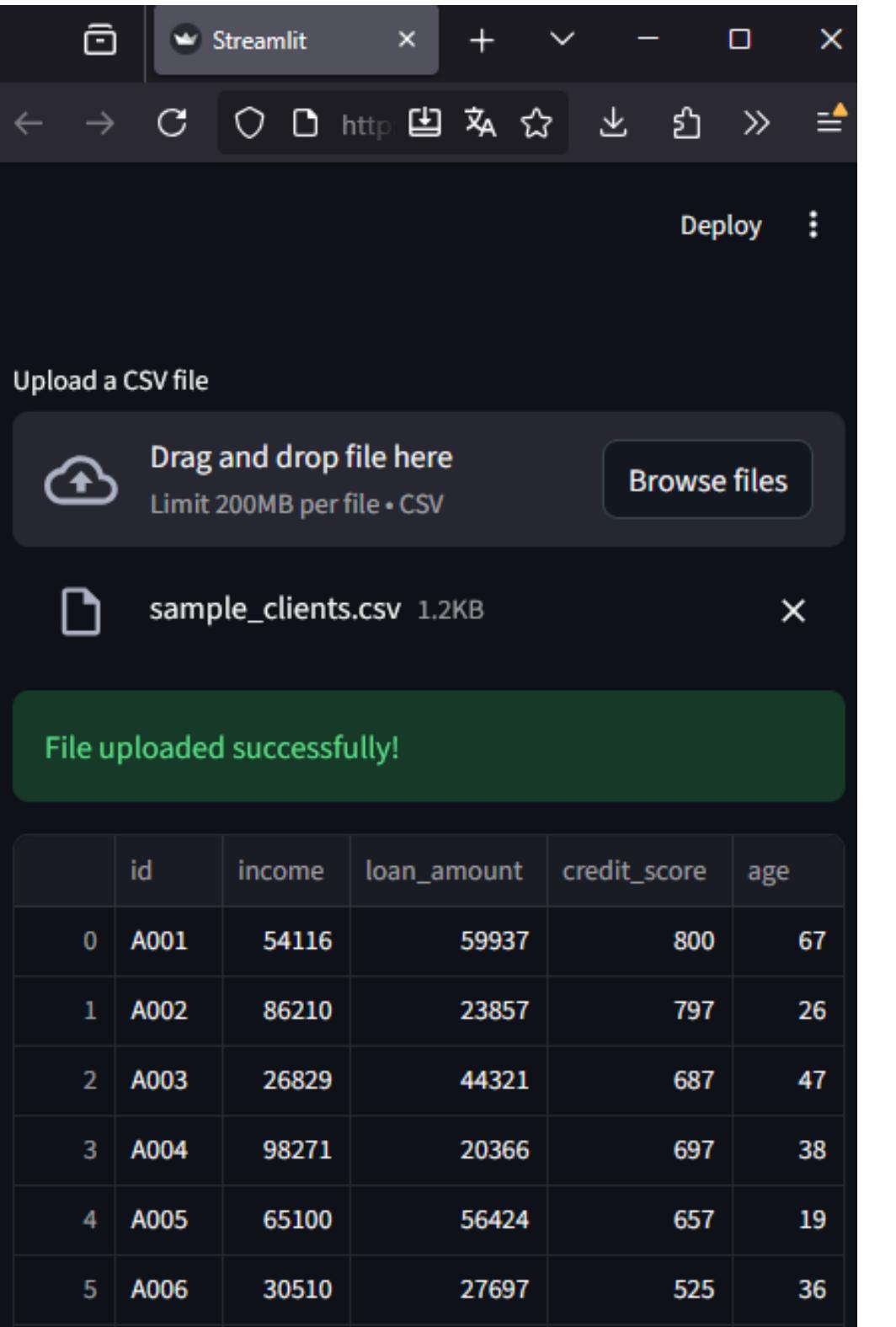
	sepal length (cm)	sepal width (cm)	petal length (cm)	petal width (cm)
0	5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2
1	4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2
2	4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2
3	4.6	3.1	1.5	0.2
4	5.0	3.6	1.4	0.2

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ALLOW USER TO UPLOAD FILE

Streamlit provides a **file uploader widget** to load data dynamically.

```
app.py  
import streamlit as st  
import pandas as pd  
  
uploaded_file = st.file_uploader(  
    "Upload a CSV file",  
    type=["csv"])  
  
if uploaded_file is not None:  
    df = pd.read_csv(uploaded_file)  
    st.success("File uploaded successfully!")  
    st.dataframe(df)
```

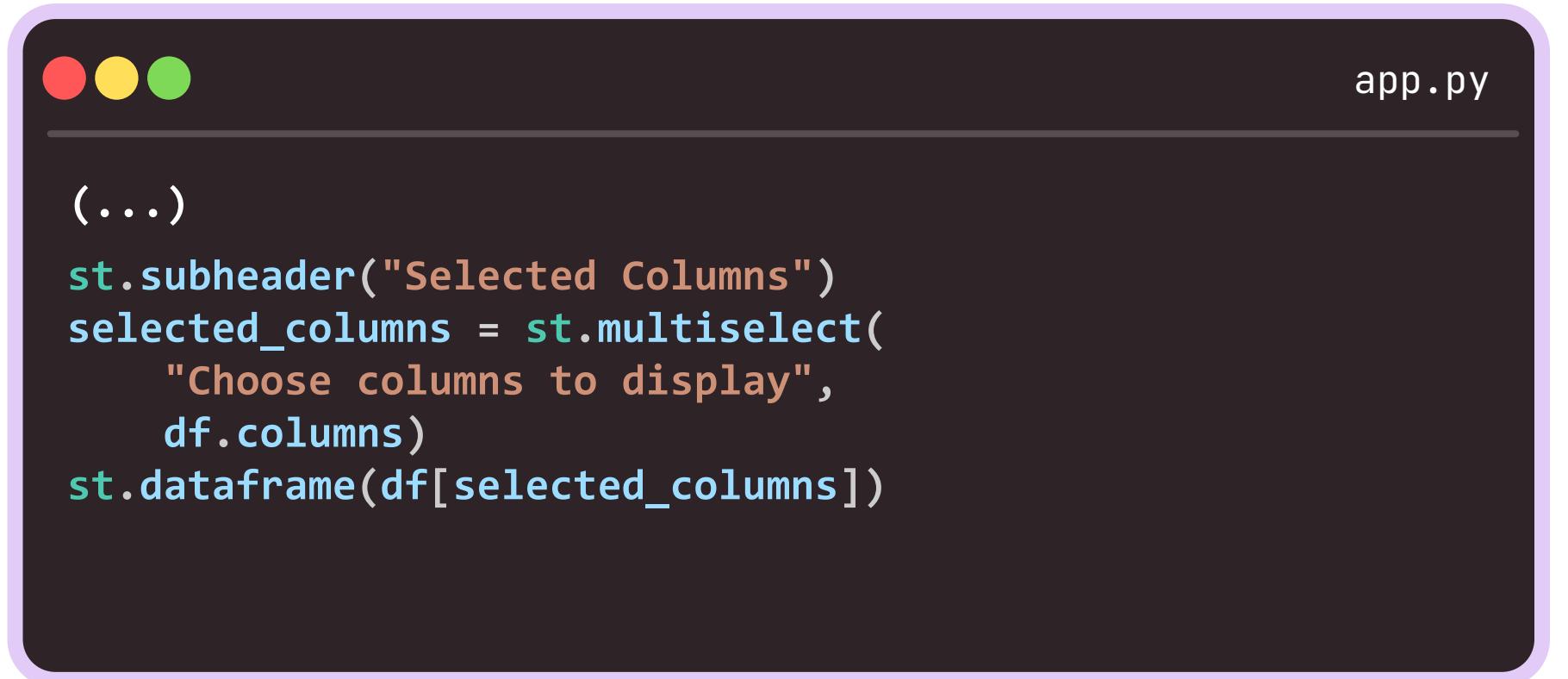


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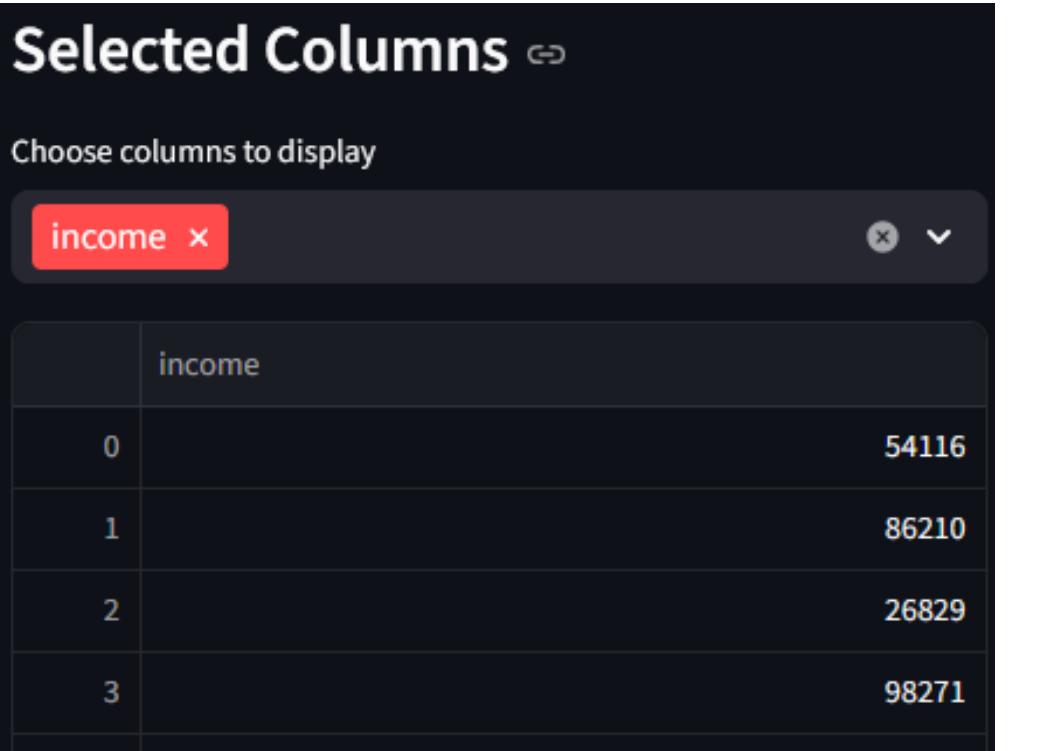
PERFORM BASIC OPERATIONS

The dataset can now be manipulated using **pandas**.



app.py

```
(...)
st.subheader("Selected Columns")
selected_columns = st.multiselect(
    "Choose columns to display",
    df.columns)
st.dataframe(df[selected_columns])
```



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CUSTOMIZATION

A well-designed interface improves readability, usability, and engagement. Streamlit allows several levels of customization – from **themes** and **layout** to **page configuration**.

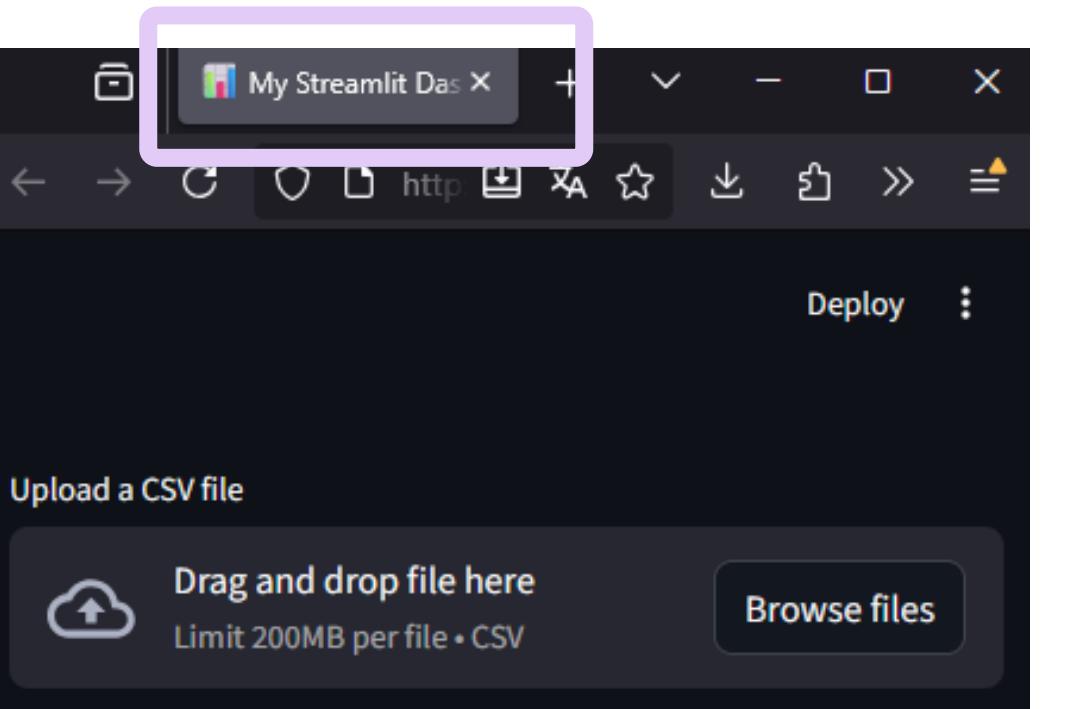
1 Page Configuration

Define the app's title, icon, and layout.

```
app.py
import streamlit as st
import pandas as pd

st.set_page_config(
    page_title="My Streamlit Dashboard",
    page_icon="📊",
    layout="wide", # "centered" or "wide"
    initial_sidebar_state="expanded"
)
```

This line should appear **before** any other Streamlit commands!



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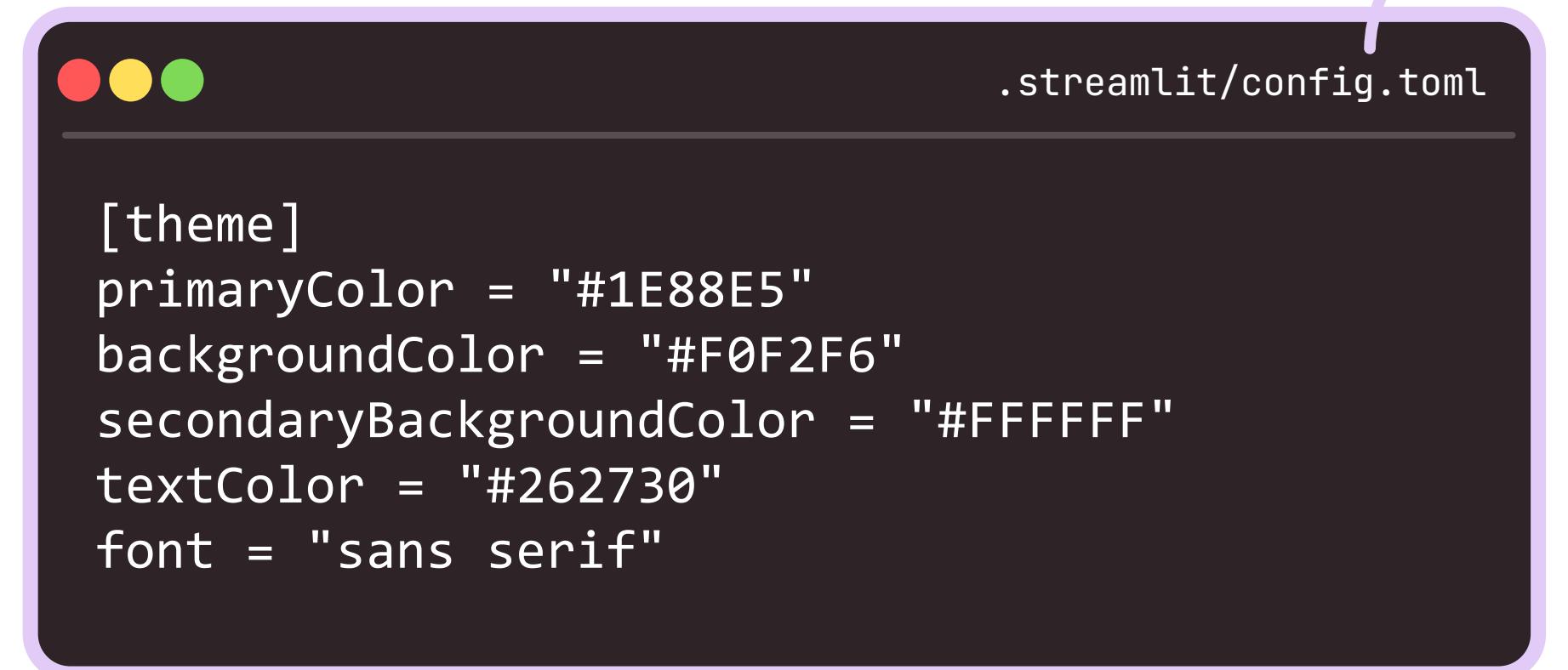
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2 Themes

Streamlit supports **built-in themes** (Light/Dark) and **custom color palettes**.

Create a file named
.streamlit/config.toml in
the project root



```
[theme]
primaryColor = "#1E88E5"
backgroundColor = "#F0F2F6"
secondaryBackgroundColor = "#FFFFFF"
textColor = "#262730"
font = "sans serif"
```

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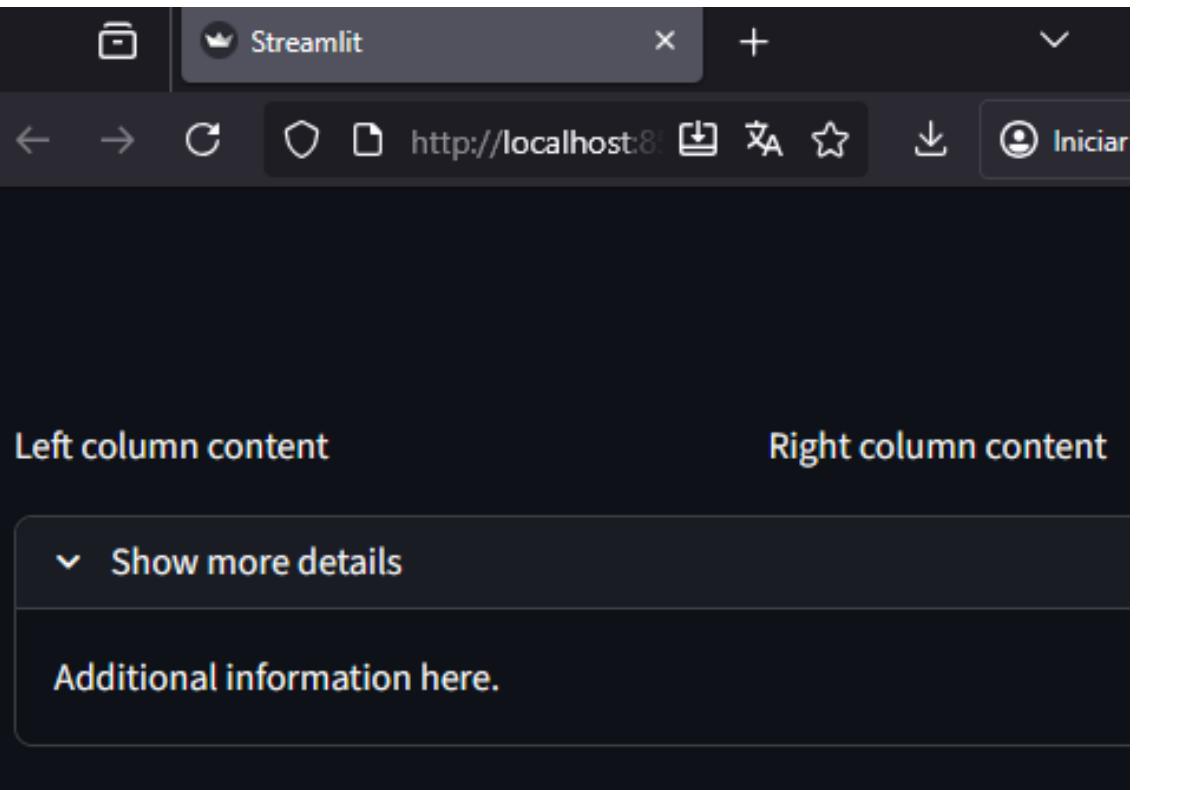
3 Layout

Use **columns**, **sidebars**, and **expanders** to organize the interface.

```
app.py
import streamlit as st
import pandas as pd

col1, col2 = st.columns(2)
col1.write("Left column content")
col2.write("Right column content")

with st.expander("Show more details"):
    st.write("Additional information here.")
```



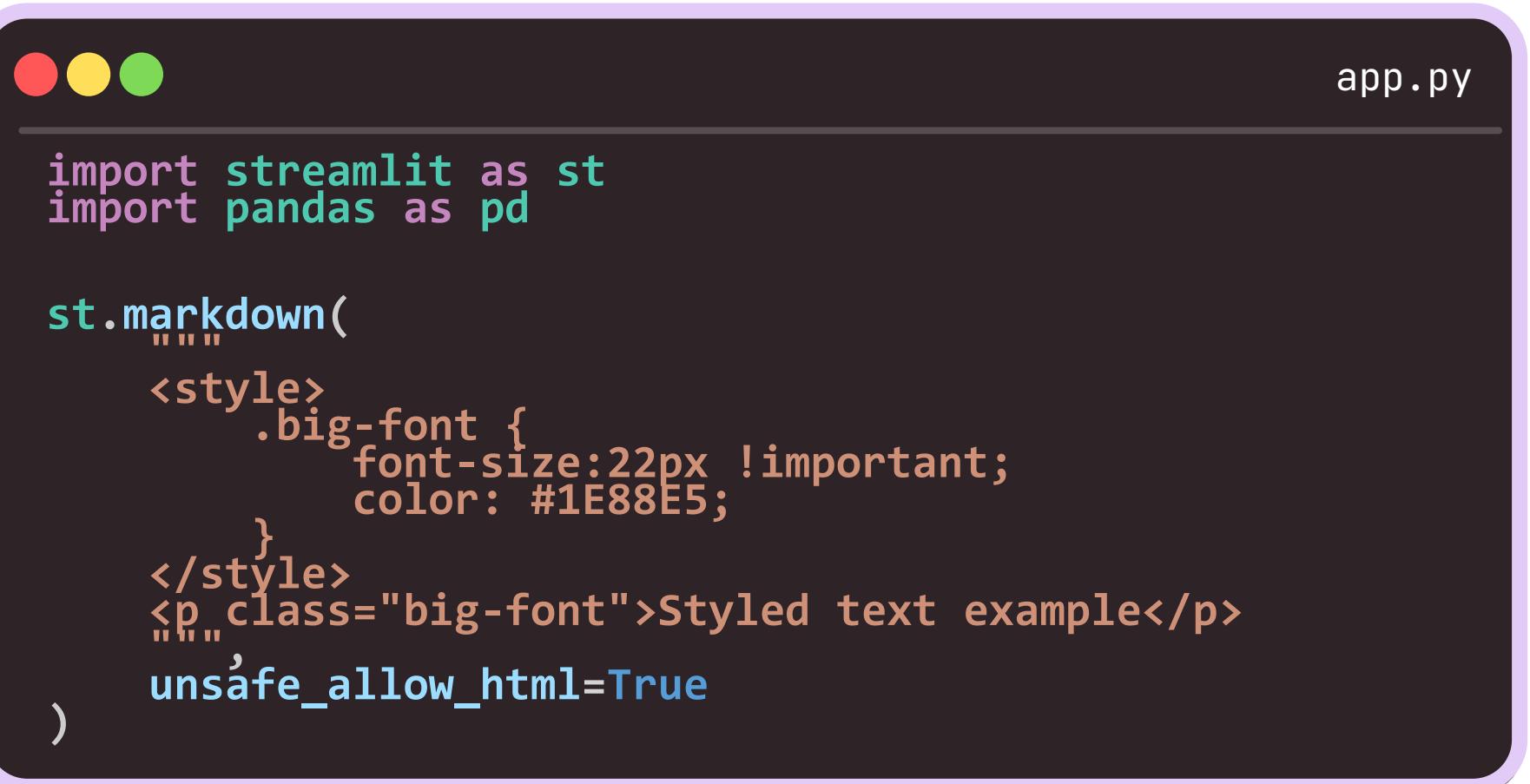
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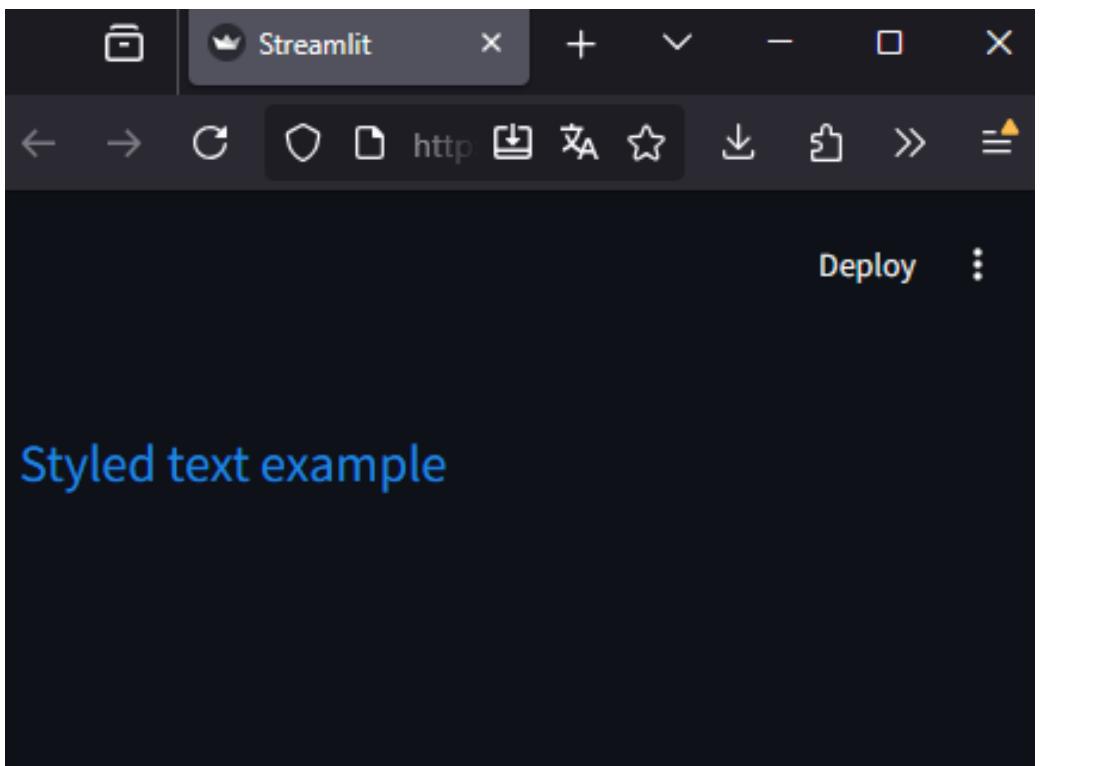
4 Custom HTML and CSS

HTML/CSS can be injected into Streamlit for fine-grained control using `st.markdown` with `unsafe_allow_html=True`



```
app.py
import streamlit as st
import pandas as pd

st.markdown(
    """
        <style>
            .big-font {
                font-size:22px !important;
                color: #1E88E5;
            }
        </style>
        <p class="big-font">Styled text example</p>
    """
    unsafe_allow_html=True
)
```



Use with care. This bypasses Streamlit's built-in style safety and **can break layout consistency**.

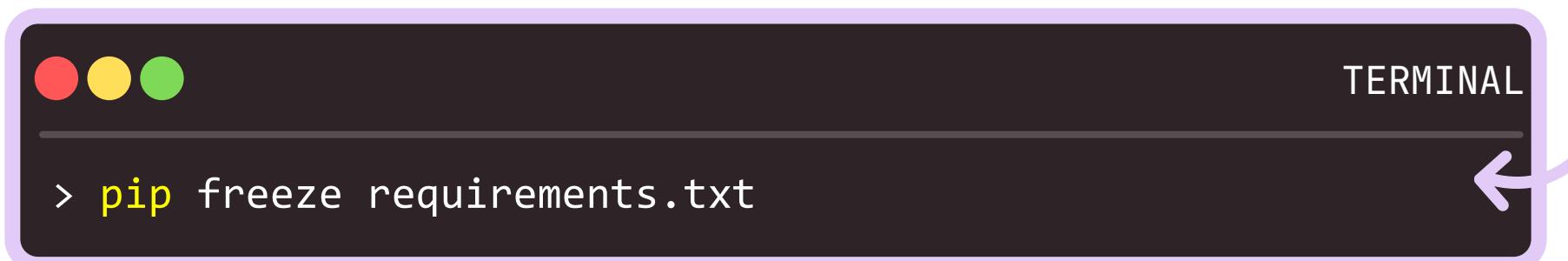
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DEPLOYING STREAMLIT APPS

Once your app runs locally, the next step is to **share it with others**: teammates, students, or the public. **Deployment** allows anyone to access your Streamlit app directly through a web browser, without installing Python or dependencies.

1 Prepare the Project Directory

1. Create a **requirements.txt** file



A terminal window with three colored icons (red, yellow, green) at the top. The word "TERMINAL" is written vertically on the right side. Below the icons, there is a horizontal line. At the bottom of the terminal window, the command `> pip freeze requirements.txt` is written in yellow text.

Ensures the deployment environment matches the local setup

2. Make sure your app folder includes: **app.py** and **requirements.py**

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② Push the app to Git

Commit and **push** your files



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```
> git add .
> git commit -m "Initial Streamlit app"
> git push -u origin main
```

Verify that **app.py** and **requirements.txt** appear in your GitHub repo.

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3 Deploy on Streamlit Cloud

1. Go to <https://share.streamlit.io>
2. Log in with your GitHub Account and set up your Streamlit account.
3. Click **Create App**.
4. Select **Deploy a public app from GitHub**.

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What would you like to do?



Deploy a public app from GitHub

My code is ready on a GitHub repo, and it is totally awesome.

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I want to see what kind of amazing concoctions you have for me.

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First name

Catarina

Last name

Santos

Primary email

catfssantos@gmail.com

What's your functional area?

Machine Learning

What stage of app development are you at?

I'm still building my app.

Country or region

Portugal

I would like to receive emails about upcoming events, products and services from Streamlit.

By submitting this form, I understand Snowflake will process my personal information in accordance with [Snowflake's Privacy Notice](#). Additionally, I agree to the Streamlit Community Cloud [Terms of Service](#) and understand Streamlit will process my personal information in accordance with [Streamlit's Privacy Notice](#).

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③ Deploy on Streamlit Cloud

5. Select repository **name**, **branch** (main), and **file path** (app.py)
6. Click **Deploy**.

Streamlit will:

- Install dependencies from requirements.txt
- Launch the app on a public URL like <https://myfirstrepo-at-natixis.streamlit.app/>
- Automatically **detect changes** on GitHub and **redeploy** the app.

Deploy an app

The screenshot shows the Streamlit Cloud deployment interface. It has four input fields: 'Repository' (cat-fss/my_first_repo), 'Branch' (main), 'Main file path' (app.py), and 'App URL (optional)' (myfirstrepo-at-natixis.streamlit.app). A green message at the bottom says 'Domain is available'.

Repository ? Paste GitHub URL
cat-fss/my_first_repo

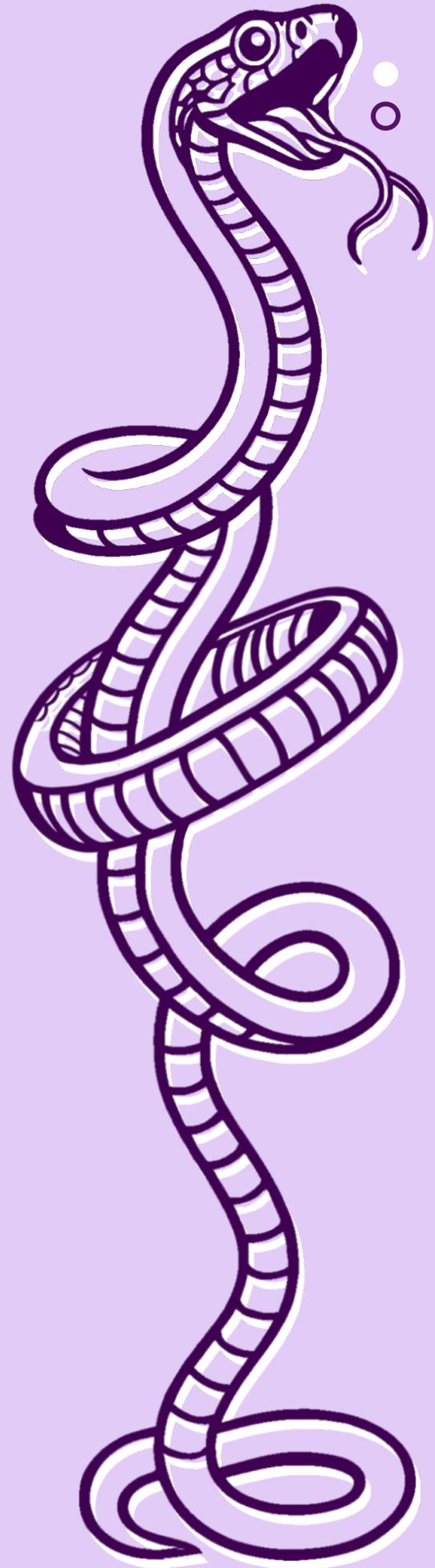
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myfirstrepo-at-natixis.streamlit.app

Domain is available

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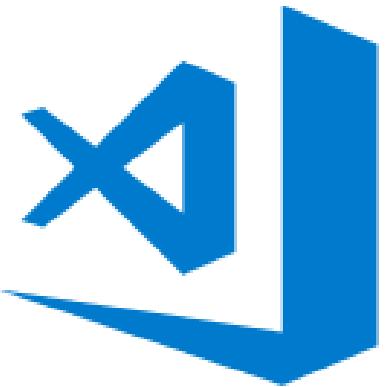


YOU WON'T MASTER A SKILL IF YOU DON'T PRACTICE!

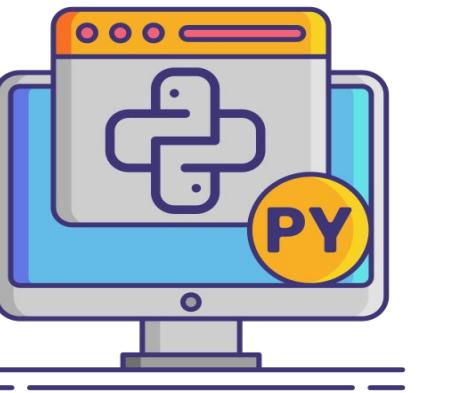


EXERCISES – LEARN BY DOING

In order to facilitate the learning process of Python **we have prepared for each session a python file** where you can find **exercises** that will help you to grasp the introduced Python concepts.



Visual Studio Code



We will use **VS CODE** as our Python program IDE

EXERCISES FOR TODAY

The screenshot shows a GitHub repository page for 'Natixis Python Level 3'. The repository has 0 forks and no releases published. It features sections for Course Overview and Course Structure (Intermediate Python - Level 3). A link to exercises is provided at the bottom.

README.md added initial course structure and .README~ 17 hours ago

README

Natixis Python Level 3

Course Overview

This advanced Python course is designed for students who have already mastered intermediate programming concepts and want to expand their skills toward object-oriented programming (OOP), modular design, and interactive application development. Students will learn to structure Python code professionally, understand reusability and abstraction, manage projects using Git and GitHub, and create Streamlit applications for data-driven interfaces.

Course Structure (Intermediate Python - Level 3)

Link to exercises: https://github.com/cat-fss/natixis_python_level_3/blob/master/exercises/Class3_exercises.py

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Report repository

Releases

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Packages

No packages published

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WHY SHOULD YOU DEACTIVATE CO-PILOT?

As **beginners in Python programming**, it's crucial to focus on truly understanding how code works, rather than just seeing it appear. Tools like GitHub Copilot can be tempting, but they **often offer solutions without explanation**, making it easy to skip the learning process. While these tools are designed to assist, **not replace your thinking**, they can encourage you to rely on solutions you don't fully grasp—and they're not always correct. To truly learn, you need to write, debug, and explore code on your own. **By turning off Copilot** during the early stages of your learning, you give yourself the opportunity to develop real problem-solving skills, build confidence, and create a strong foundation. Later, when you have a solid grasp of the basics, Copilot can serve as a useful support tool, but always approach its suggestions with a critical mindset, not blind trust.

Steps to turn-off GitHub Copilot:

1. Go to Settings (File > Preferences > Settings or press Ctrl+,).
2. In the search bar, type: Copilot.
3. Find the setting GitHub Copilot: Enable.
4. Uncheck it to disable Copilot globally.





THANK YOU 😊

Questions?

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