# GitLab Walkthrough 1 Creating a Repository

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## 1 Creating a Remote Repository on GitLab

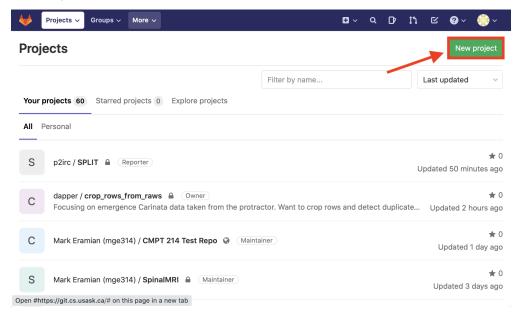
#### Step 1: Log in

Log in to git.cs.usask.ca using a web browser..

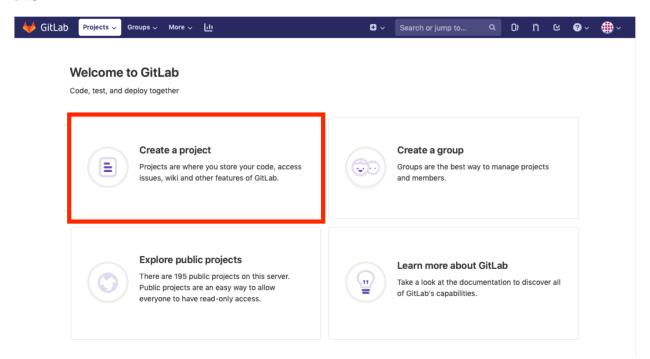
#### Step 2: Request Creation of a New Project

What to do to create a new project (repository) depends on whether you have used git.cs.usask.ca before.

If you already have projects at the repository, you will be shown a list of your projects (if you don't see this, click the "gitlab" icon in the very top left). In this case look for a green "New Project" button at the top-right of the window. Click on "New Project" (pictured below).



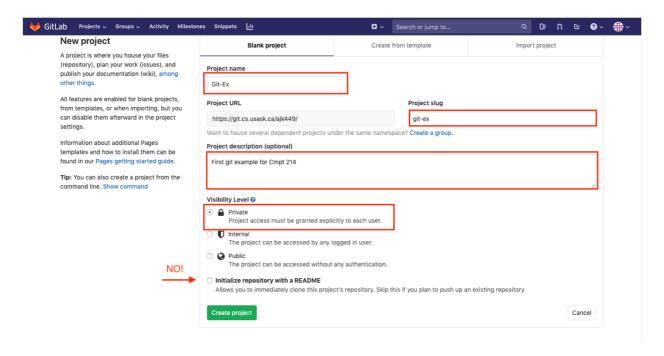
If you do not yet have any projects on git.cs.usask.ca the interface, you should see this:



and you should click on "Create a Project".

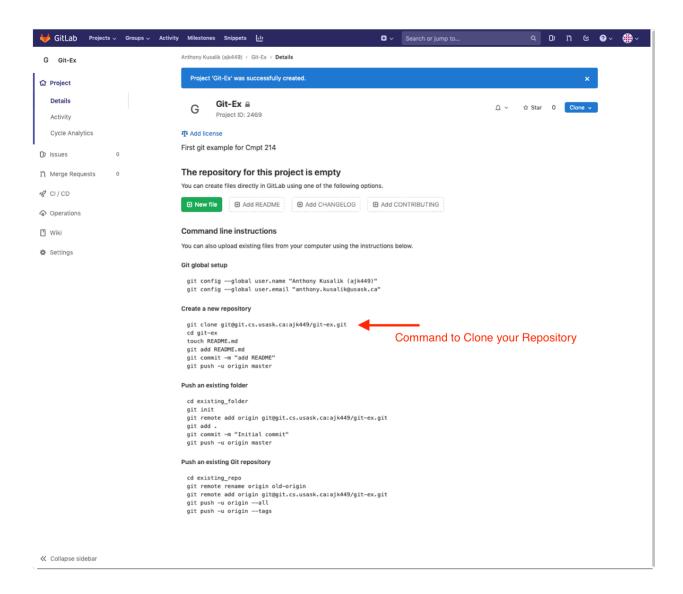
### **Step 3: Fill in Project Information**

You will now see the new project creation screen. Give your project a name and a description. Also provide a "slug" if that field is not automatically filled in (this is just the filename of your git repository on the server - you should leave it the same as the "project name"). For the purposes of CMPT 214, choose "Private" as the visibility level. Do not check "Initialize repository with a README". Things should look like this:



When all of this is filled in, click the green "Create project" button. Congratulations! You have created a remote Git repository!

In the following window (example pictured below) there will be sets of commands that you can use (from a local machine) to populate your project in the remote repository. Make a note of the URL that is to be used to obtain a local clone of this repository.



#### Step 4: Make sure AutoDevOps is Turned Off

By default something called "Auto DevOps" is turned on for all projects with the current version of GitLab. For purposes of CMPT 214 this facility should be turned off. The tech staff have tried to do this for the local instance of GitLab at git.cs.usask.ca. However, the facility might still end up being turned on. If "Auto DevOps" needs to be turned off for a project, the following describes how to do it.

In the window presented after GitLab creates your new project, there is a set of icons along the left side. One of them is "Settings". Click on it to get a pull-down menu. Select "CI/CD" from that menu. You should then get a window for "CI/CD Settings". In that window look for "Auto DevOps". On the right should be an "Expand" button. Expand "Auto DevOps". If "Default to Auto DevOps pipeline" is checked, uncheck it. Click on "Save Changes".

