

Version Control - A Brief Introduction to Git

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Why Version Control?

Maintain Multiple Versions

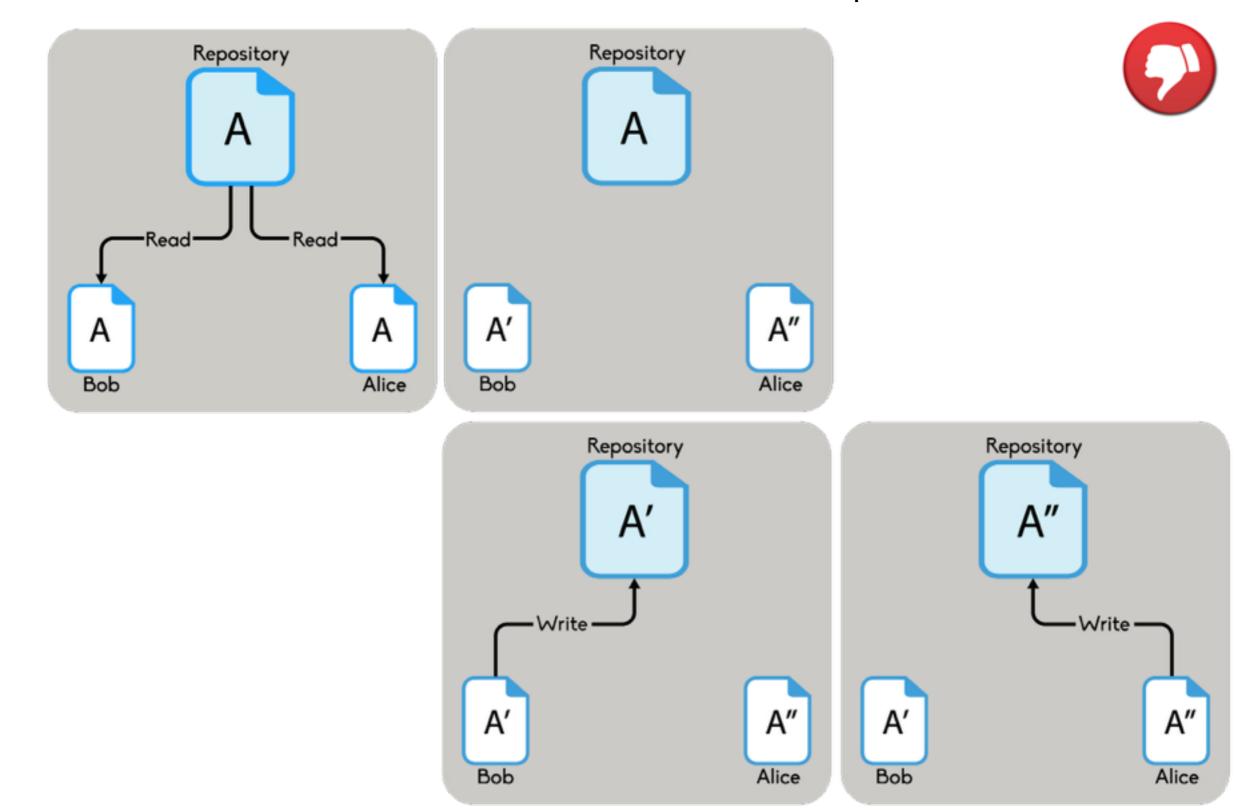
- Change version
- Safe backup



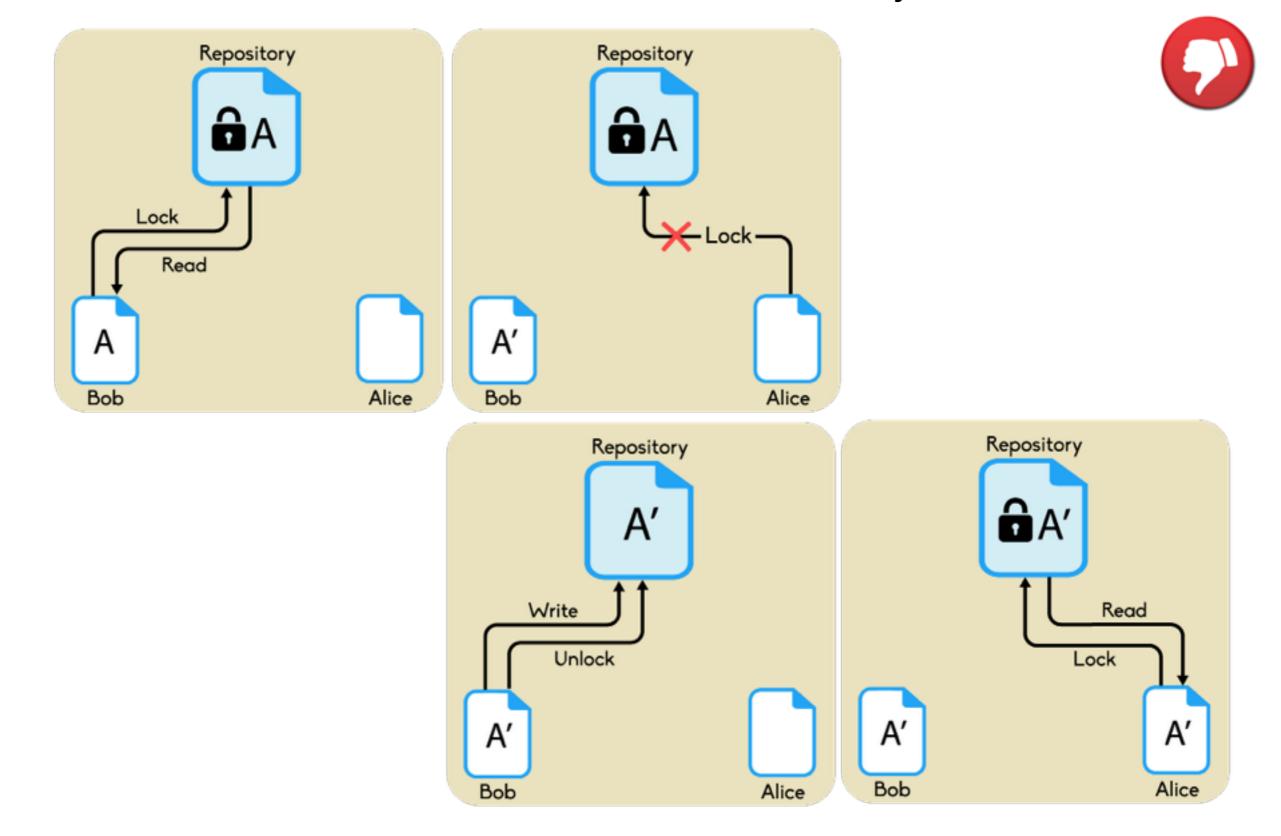




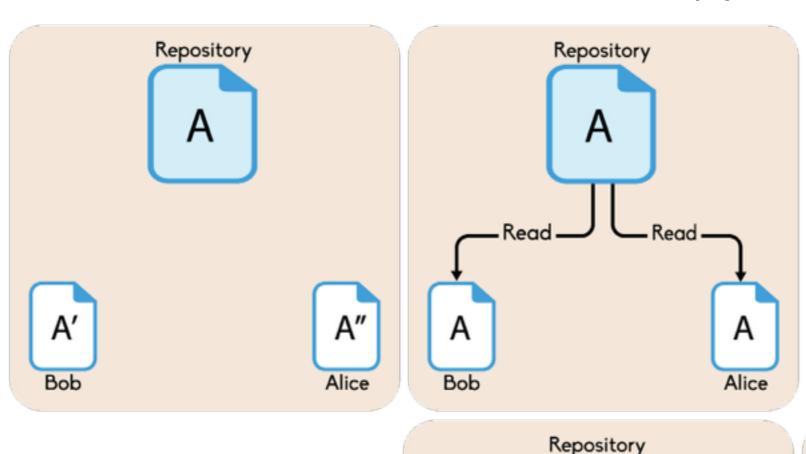
The problem to avoid

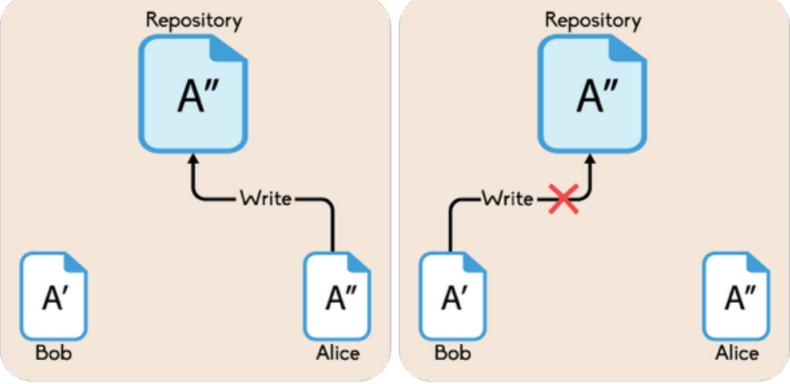


The lock-modify-unlock solution

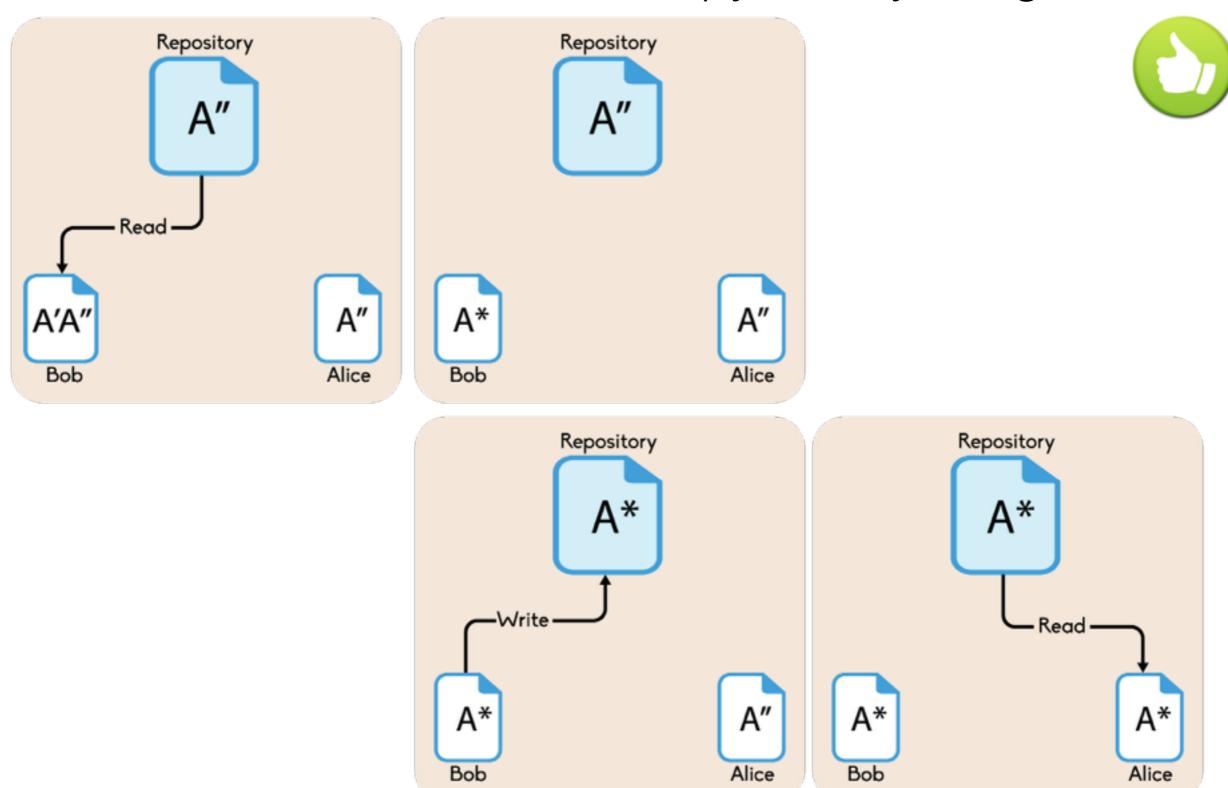


The copy-modify-merge solution

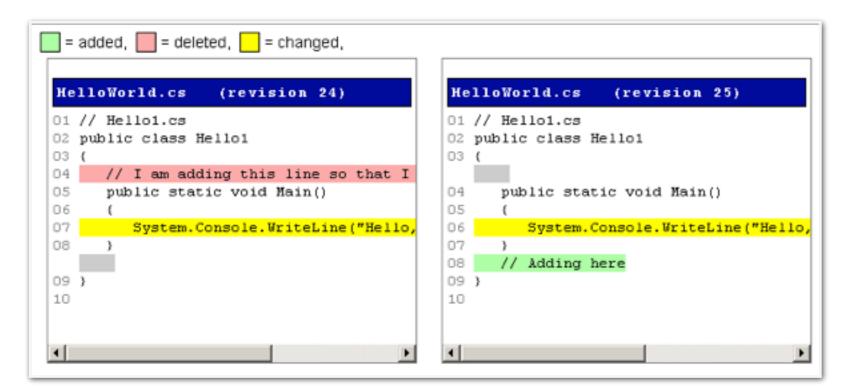




The copy-modify-merge solution



Monitor and Track Progress



Code Difference



Code Contribution

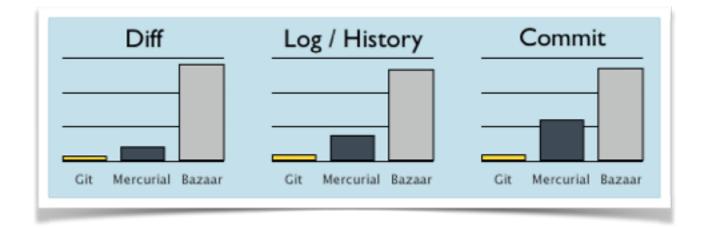




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- Performance
- Github
- Popular

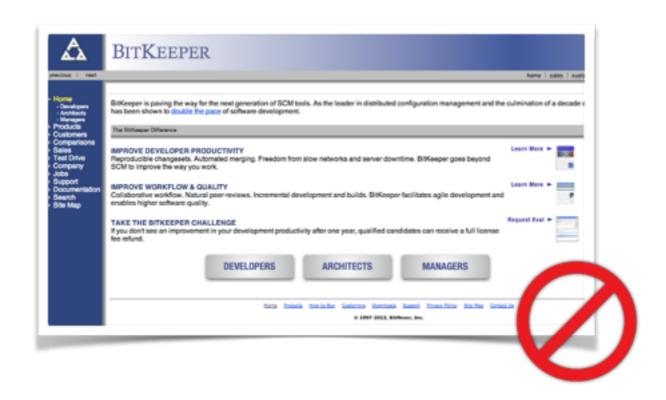






Git History









"I'm an egotistical bastard, and I name all my projects after myself.

First Linux, now git."

- Linus Torvalds

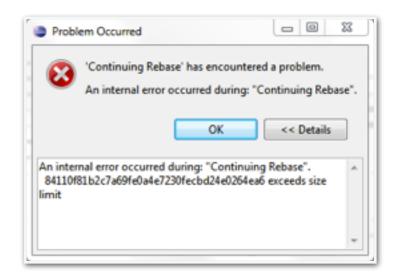
Why Command-Line?

Why Git Command-Line?

- Graphical clients are based on CLT
- Graphical clients could cause problems
- Integrated with shell scripts
- Graphical clients not always available







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##/bin/bash

## TAMER'S DEVELOPMENT SERVER BACKUP SCRIPT
## BACKUP CVS, BUG TRACKUNG and MERSITE with one command
## SCRIPT MUST BE RUN BY USER tower
## Precondition: directory ~/backup should exist
## Author: Tower

echo
echo "This script will backup the internal website, "
echo "cvs repository and bug database"
choice=""

## This function is simply to get a yes or no from the user
## keeps looping until the user enters a valid value
inputresOrNo() {
    choice=""
    read choice
    if [ -z Schoice ]
    then
        imputYesOrNo
fi

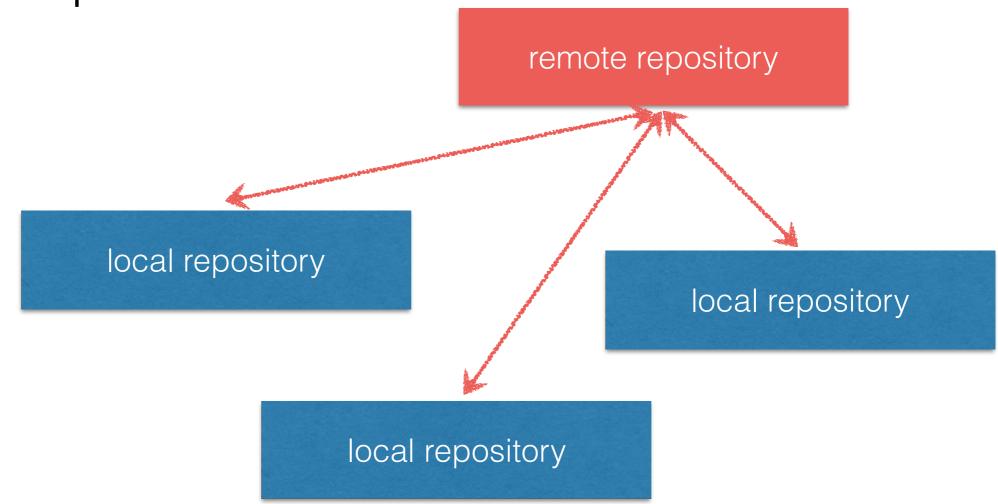
if [ Schoice == 'y' ] || [ Schoice == 'Y' ]
then
        choice=""
        choice=""
        if [ Schoice == 'n' ] || [ Schoice == 'Y' ]
then
        choice=""
        if [ Schoice != 'n' ] || [ Schoice != 'y' ]
then
        echo "Please enter 'y' or 'n'"
        imputYesOrNo
fi
```

Git Exercises

1. Create Git Repositories

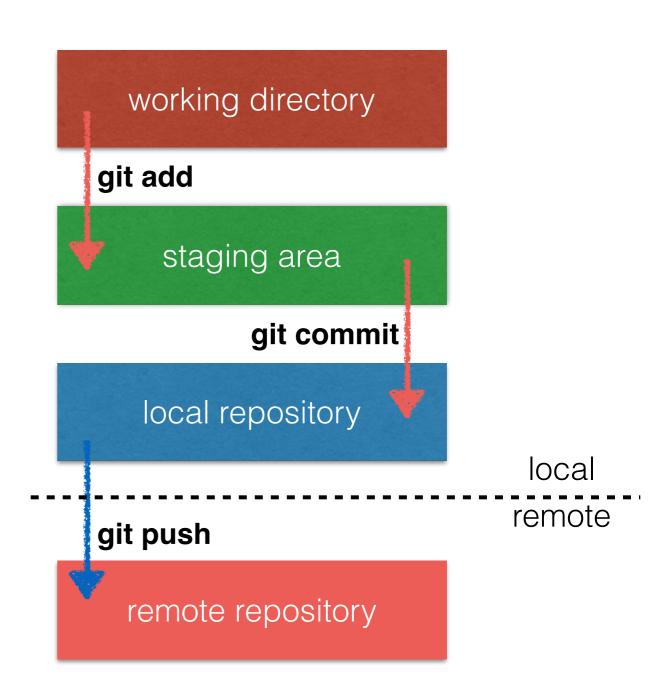
• git clone <repo>

git init <repo>



2. Add/Commit/Push

- git add <path>
- git commit
- git push



3. Check Status

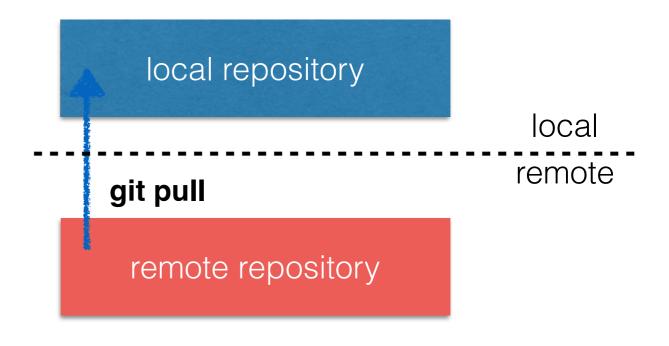
- git status
- git log
- git branch

```
|gh-pages x| → git status
On branch gh-pages
Changes to be committed:
  (use "git reset HEAD <file>..." to uns
                 images/boxes.png
      new file:
     new file: images/empty.png
                 images/ignored.png
      new file:
      new file:
                 images/pallet.png
      new file:
                 images/push.png
      new file:
                 images/truck.png
                 images/untracked.png
      new file:
Changes not staged for commit:
  (use "git add <file>..." to update v
  (use "git checkout -- <file>..." to
                                                        working dire
      modified:
                 index.html
      modified:
                 init.md
Untracked files:
  (use "git add <file>..." to inclu
                                                    committed)
      fork.md
```

4. Sync Changes & Resolve Conflicts

- git pull --rebase (referred approach)
- git pull

- git status
- clean up conflicts
- git add <conflicted file>
- git rebase --continue
- git push

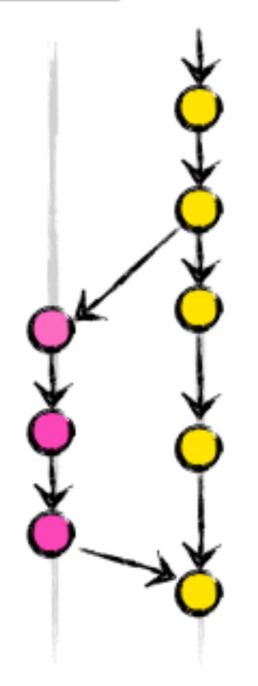


5. Branches

- git checkout -b
branch>
- git checkout <branch>
- git merge <branch>







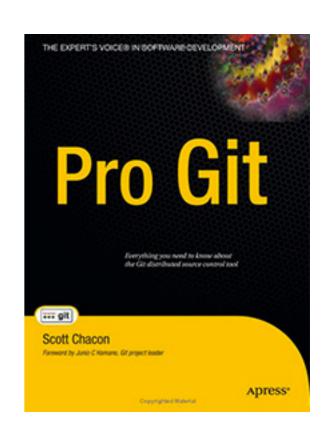
6. Git Undo

- Always backup first
- Google the solution



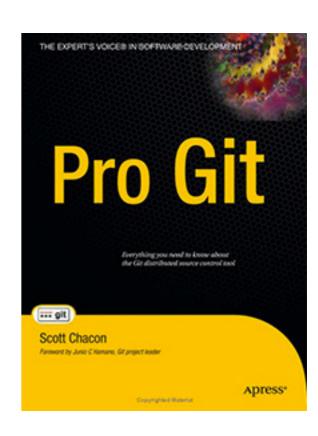
Git Learning Resources

- http://git-scm.com/
- https://www.youtube.com/user/GitHubGuides
- Google it!



Inclass Exercises

- Checkout git-exercise project
- Complete Exercise 1, 2, 3
- Finish Assignment 2



Git Basics Overview

