

Parallel & Distributed Computing: Lecture 2

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Markdown

Data Markup Languages

- Markup languages are designed for the processing, definition and presentation of text.
- The language specifies code for formatting, both the layout and style, within a text file.
- The code used to specify the formatting are called tags.
- HTML is an example of a widely known and used markup language.

Data Markup Language Examples

- 1 XML
- 2 JSON
- 3 Document markup languages

Data Markup: XML (Extensible Markup Language)

Metalanguage which allows users to **define** their own **customized markup languages**

```
<!DOCTYPE glossary PUBLIC "-//OASIS//DTD DocBook V3.1//EN">
<glossary><title>example glossary</title>
  <GlossDiv><title>S</title>
    <GlossList>
      <GlossEntry ID="SGML" SortAs="SGML">
        <GlossTerm>Standard Generalized Markup Language</GlossTerm>
        <Acronym>SGML</Acronym>
        <Abbrev>ISO 8879:1986</Abbrev>
        <GlossDef>
          <para>A meta-markup language, used to create markup
languages such as DocBook.</para>
          <GlossSeeAlso OtherTerm="GML">
            <GlossSeeAlso OtherTerm="XML">
          </GlossDef>
          <GlossSee OtherTerm="markup">
        </GlossEntry>
      </GlossList>
    </GlossDiv>
  </glossary>
```

Data Markup: JSON (JavaScript Object Notation)

Is often used for **serializing** and **transmitting structured data** over a network connection.

```
"glossary": {
  "title": "example glossary",
  "GlossDiv": {
    "title": "S",
    "GlossList": {
      "GlossEntry": {
        "ID": "SGML",
        "SortAs": "SGML",
        "GlossTerm": "Standard Generalized Markup Language",
        "Acronym": "SGML",
        "Abbrev": "ISO 8879:1986",
        "GlossDef": {
          "para": "A meta-markup language, used to create markup language",
          "GlossSeeAlso": ["GML", "XML"]
        },
        "GlossSee": "markup"
      }
    }
  }
}
```

Markdown

- [Markdown \(Wikipedia\)](#)
- [Statement by creator John Gruber](#)
- [Mastering Markdown](#)

Headers

```
# This is an <h1> tag  
## This is an <h2> tag  
##### This is an <h6> tag
```

This is an <h1> tag

This is an <h2> tag

This is an <h6> tag

Figure 1: **

Emphasis

```
*This text will be italic*  
_This will also be italic_
```

```
**This text will be bold**  
__This will also be bold__
```

```
_You can combine them_
```

This will also be italic

This text will be bold

This will also be bold

*You **can** combine them*

Figure 2: [Emphasis](#)

Lists

Unordered

Unordered

- Item 1
- Item 2
 - Item 2a
 - Item 2b
- * Item 1
- * Item 2
 - * Item 2a
 - * Item 2b

Ordered

Ordered

1. Item 1
2. Item 2
3. Item 3
 1. Item 3a
 2. Item 3b
1. Item 1
1. Item 2
1. Item 3
 1. Item 3a
 1. Item 3b

Figure 3: **

Images

![GitHub Logo](figs/julia)
Format: ![Alt Text](figs/



Figure 4: GitHub Logo

Links

- <http://github.com> - automatic!
- [GitHub] (<http://github.com>)

GitHub

Blockquotes

As Kanye West said:

```
> We're living the future so  
> the present is our past.
```

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Figure 5: [Blockquotes](#)

Inline code

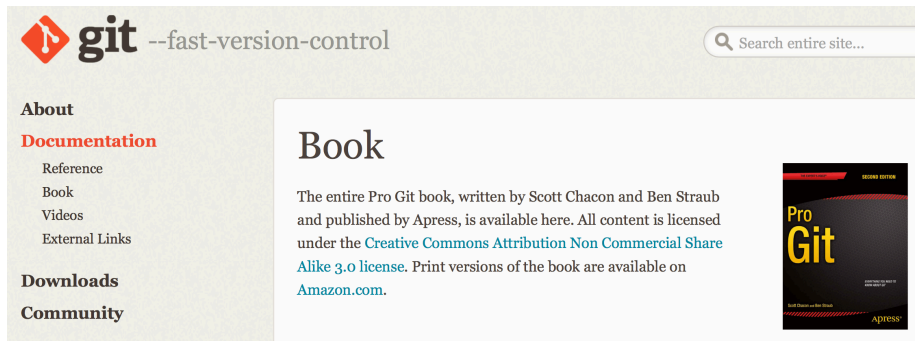
I think you should use an
`<addr>` element here instead.

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Figure 6: **

VCS (Version Control System): Git

Pro Git book



The screenshot shows the Pro Git book website. At the top left is the Git logo (a red diamond with a white branching diagram) followed by the text "git --fast-version-control". To the right is a search bar with a magnifying glass icon and the text "Search entire site...". Below the logo, there is a vertical menu with the following items: "About", "Documentation" (highlighted in red), "Reference", "Book", "Videos", and "External Links". Further down are "Downloads" and "Community". The main content area is titled "Book" in a large, bold, black font. Below this title, a paragraph states: "The entire Pro Git book, written by Scott Chacon and Ben Straub and published by Apress, is available here. All content is licensed under the [Creative Commons Attribution Non Commercial Share Alike 3.0 license](#). Print versions of the book are available on [Amazon.com](#)." To the right of this text is a small image of the book cover for "Pro Git, Second Edition" by Scott Chacon and Ben Straub, published by Apress. The cover is black with yellow and red text and graphics.

The entire Pro Git book, written by Scott Chacon and Ben Straub and published by Apress, is available [here](#).

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[Print versions](#) of the book are available on [Amazon.com](#).

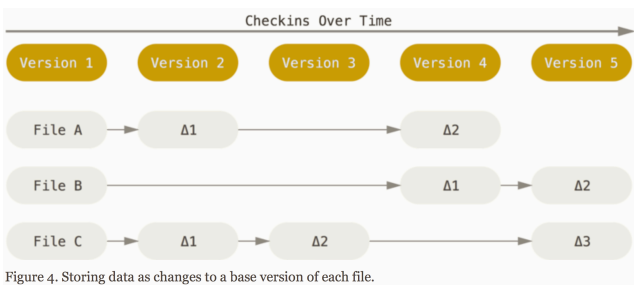
A Short History of Git

In 2005 the **Linux development** community (and in particular **Linus Torvalds**, the creator of Linux) developed their own **VCS (Version Control System)** tool.

Some of the goals of the new system were:

- **Speed**
- **Simple** design
- Strong support for **non-linear development** (thousands of parallel branches)
- **Fully distributed**
- Able to handle **large projects** like the Linux kernel **efficiently** (speed and data size)

Getting Started - Git Basics



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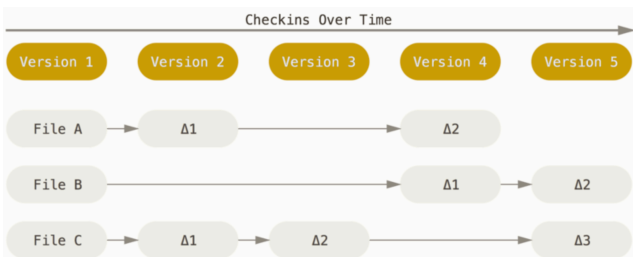


Figure 4. Storing data as changes to a base version of each file.

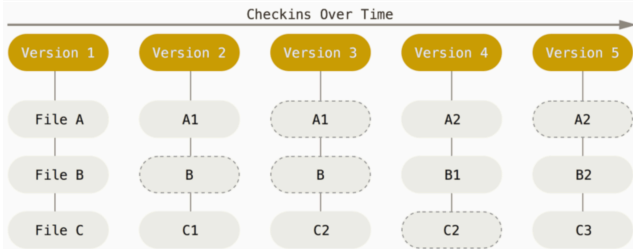


Figure 5. Storing data as snapshots of the project over time.

Git thinks of its data more like a series of snapshots of a miniature filesystem. With Git, every time you commit, you save the state of your project

This makes Git more like a mini filesystem with some incredibly powerful tools built on top of it, rather than simply a VCS

Git Objects

The core of Git is a simple **key-value data store** (object database)

Therefore you can insert **any kind of content** into a Git repository, for which Git will hand you back a **unique key** you can use later to retrieve that content.

Git would **take the content** you handed to it and merely **return the unique key** that would be used **to store** it as a **{blob}** in your **Git database**.

Git normally **creates** a **{tree}** by taking the state of your **staging area** or **index** and writing a series of tree objects from it.

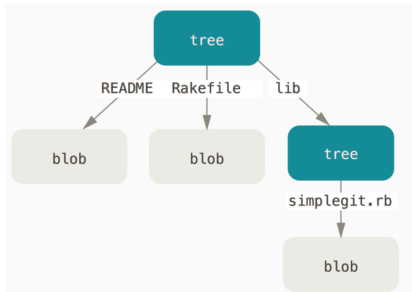


Figure 7: Simple version of the Git data model

Getting Started - Installing Git

First-Time Git Setup

Your Identity

```
$ git config --global user.name "John Doe"
$ git config --global user.email johndoe@example.com
```

Your Editor

```
$ git config --global core.editor emacs
```

Checking Your Settings

```
$ git config --list
user.name=John Doe
user.email=johndoe@example.com
color.status=auto
color.branch=auto
color.interactive=auto
color.diff=auto
...
```

Git basic workflow

- 1 You **modify files** in your **working tree**.
- 2 You **selectively stage** just **the changes** you want to be part of your next commit, which adds only those changes to the **staging area**.
- 3 You **do a commit**, which takes the files as they are in the staging area and **stores that snapshot** permanently to your **Git directory**.

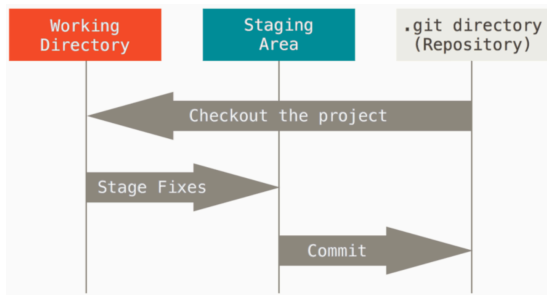


Figure 8: Git data structures

Git basic workflow

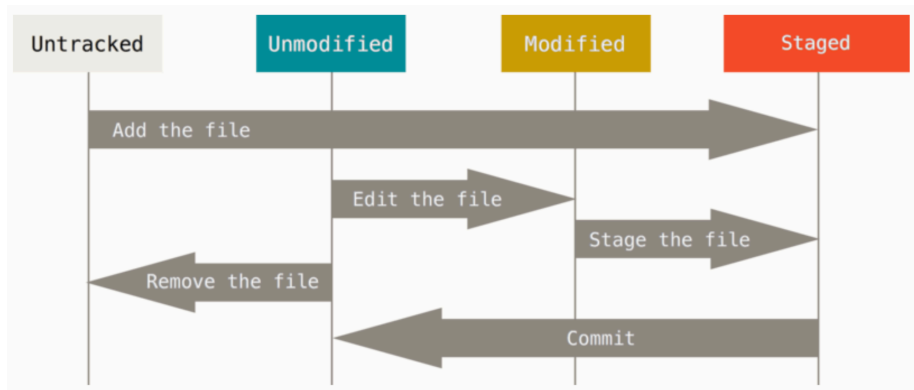


Figure 9: The lifecycle of the status of your files

Interactive creation of a git repo

```

✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo
16:35 $ ls
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo
16:35 $ ls -al
total 0
drwxr-xr-x  2 paoluzzi  staff   64 Sep 24 16:35 .
drwxr-xr-x  9 paoluzzi  staff  288 Sep 24 16:35 ..
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo
16:35 $ git init
Initialized empty Git repository in /Users/paoluzzi/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-
julia1-git1/local-repo/.git/
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo [master L|✓]
16:36 $ ls -al
total 0
drwxr-xr-x  3 paoluzzi  staff   96 Sep 24 16:36 .
drwxr-xr-x  9 paoluzzi  staff  288 Sep 24 16:36 ..
drwxr-xr-x  9 paoluzzi  staff  288 Sep 24 16:36 .git
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo [master L|✓]
16:36 $ git --version
git version 2.11.0
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo [master L|✓]
16:45 $ mkdir myproject
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo [master L|...2]
16:57 $ cd myproject
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo/myproject [master L|...2]
16:57 $ mkdir src

```

Figure 10: `git init`

Interactive creation of a git repo

```

✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo/myproject [master L|...2]
16:57 $ cat myfile.txt
cat: myfile.txt: No such file or directory
✗-1 ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo/myproject [master L|...2]
[]
17:00 $ touch myfile.txt
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo/myproject [master L|...3]
17:01 $ ls -al
total 0
drwxr-xr-x  4 paoluzzi  staff   128 Sep 24 17:01 .
drwxr-xr-x  6 paoluzzi  staff   192 Sep 24 17:01 ..
-rw-r--r--  1 paoluzzi  staff    0 Sep 24 17:01 myfile.txt
drwxr-xr-x  2 paoluzzi  staff    64 Sep 24 16:57 src
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo/myproject [master L|...3]
17:02 $ mv myfile.txt src/
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo/myproject [master L|...3]
17:03 $ nano src/myfile.txt
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo/myproject [master L|...3]
17:04 $ cat src/myfile.txt
Questo e' il mio primo file sotto git

```

Figure 11: populate the sorking directory

Interactive creation of a git repo

```

✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo [master L|...3]
17:06 $ ls -al
total 16
drwxr-xr-x  6 paoluzzi  staff   192 Sep 24 17:04 .
drwxr-xr-x  9 paoluzzi  staff   288 Sep 24 17:04 ..
-rw-r--r--@ 1 paoluzzi  staff  6148 Sep 24 16:56 .DS_Store
drwxr-xr-x  9 paoluzzi  staff   288 Sep 24 16:36 .git
drwxr-xr-x  4 paoluzzi  staff   128 Sep 24 16:56 latex-project
drwxr-xr-x  3 paoluzzi  staff    96 Sep 24 17:04 myproject
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo [master L|...3]
17:07 $ git add . -A
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo [master L|...3]
17:07 $ git status
On branch master

```

Initial commit

Changes to be committed:

(use "git rm --cached <file>..." to unstage)

```

new file:   .DS_Store
new file:   latex-project/.DS_Store
new file:   myproject/src/myfile.txt

```

Figure 12: git add files on stage

Interactive creation of a git repo

```

✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo [master L|●3]
[17:08 $ git commit -m "Initial commit"
[master (root-commit) 5886b42] Initial commit
  3 files changed, 3 insertions(+)
[ create mode 100644 .DS_Store
  create mode 100644 latex-project/.DS_Store
[ create mode 100644 myproject/src/myfile.txt
✓ ~/Documents/DID/DIDATTICA_2019/CPD/LEZIONI-2018/01-julia1-git1/local-repo [master L|✓]
[17:10 $ git status
On branch master
nothing to commit, working tree clean

```

Figure 13: [commit of repository status](#)

Git Tutorial (by Marino & Spini)

webcrumbs / **git-crumbs** Watch 1 Star 8 Fork 0

<> Code Issues 0 Pull requests 0 Projects 0 Wiki Insights

Git crumbs for beginners

26 commits 1 branch 0 releases 2 contributors MIT

Branch: master New pull request Create new file Upload files Find file Clone or download

federicospini Update Readme.md Latest commit bdbf8a6 on Mar 5, 2015

git	Update Readme.md	4 years ago
.gitignore	added ignoring files	7 years ago
.npmignore	added ignoring files	7 years ago
LICENSE	license	7 years ago
Readme.md	Update Readme.md	7 years ago
package.json	license	7 years ago

Simple daily git workflow



References

References

```
@book{Chacon:2014:PG:2695634,  
  author = {Chacon, Scott and Straub, Ben},  
  title = {Pro Git},  
  year = {2014},  
  isbn = {1484200772, 9781484200773},  
  edition = {2nd},  
  publisher = {Apress},  
  address = {Berkely, CA, USA},  
}
```