

Reproducible science: Module 8

R Git and Github: The trio

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Hard way of doing things is Git Bash

- Why shall we bother doing it hard? Simple because if ever R Studio fails, you know an alternative. The second reason is in presence of conflict you might have only one option of doing it by hand.
- I agree that the integration of R git and Github is powerful

Requirements to link Git and Github

- Set the same email for both Git and Github
- Set the same username (ideally) for both Git and Github
- Make sure you configure R Studio to open Git Bash
- Make sure you connect your computer/R Studio with Github Doing so will not only allow communication between Git and Github but also to allow clicking to automate actions in R studion

How to link your computer to your github **securely**

You need to set an SSH Key.

Please follow instructions below.

Setting up git in R Studio

Few basic git commands

How to create SSH key in R studio step 1

How to create SSH key in R studio step 2

How to create SSH key in R studio step 3

How to create SSH key in R studio step 4

paste the ssh key generated in rstudio here

Add SSH key

Switch to another account

Go to your personal profile

SSH keys

New SSH key

This is a list of SSH keys associated with your account. Remove any keys that you do not recognize.

Key Name	Key Text	Added On	Permissions	Actions
my_Dell_notebook	SHA256:5qodm1Iy1IOXYnK27MU7RjF+CwbTWkuLZq5eAdqgpoY	Added on 21 Oct 2021	Never used — Read/write	Delete

Check out our guide to [generating SSH keys](#) or troubleshoot [common SSH problems](#).

this is the ssh key we added now the rstudio can access github via this ssh key

step 4 creat a new repository in your github account and get its ssh link

How to create a new repository on github

How to clone the repository in R studio

How R studio looks like repo is cloned

Thank you for listening!

Any questions now or email me at dossa@xtbg.org.cn

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