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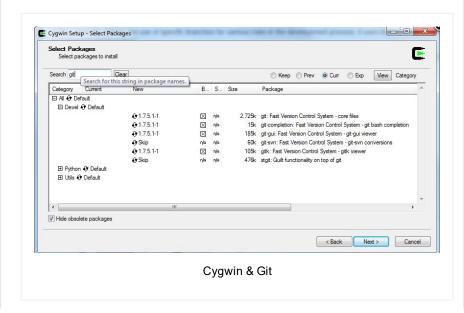
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# Setting up Cygwin with Git Tutorial

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#### Step 1: Download and install Cygwin.

Add additional packages to the Cygwin setup. Advance through the setup wizard accepting all default options until the "Select Pages" dialog is reached. Enter the word git into the Search input field and from the filtered list presented in the main dialog form select all relevant Git packages as per the following image:



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Select "Next" until the selected options as added to the local Cygwin installation.

Also search ssh and install as required.

#### Step 2: Configure global Git settings.

Create the global Git configuration file a.k.a .gitconfig and place into the user's Cygwin home folder. The following can be used as a template when creating this new resource:

```
2
   [user]
3
       name = FILL
4
       email = FILL@mydomain.com
5
   [core]
6
       editor = vim
7
       autocrlf = true
8
       fileMode = false
9
   [color]
10
       status = auto
11
       branch = auto
12
       interactive = auto
13
       diff = auto
14
   [branch]
15
       autosetuprebase = always
16
   [alias]
17
       br = branch
18
       co = checkout
19
       st = status
20
       rf = checkout HEAD --
21
       rh = reset --hard HEAD
22
       lg = log --oneline --abbrev-commit --all --g
23
       lg2 = log --oneline --abbrev-commit --all --
24
   [gui]
25
       fontdiff = -family Consolas -size 10 -weight
   [diff]
26
27
       tool = winmerge
28 [difftool]
29
       prompt = false
   [difftool "winmerge"]
30
       path = C:/Program Files (x86)/WinMerge/WinMe
31
32
       cmd = \"C:/Program Files (x86)/WinMerge/WinM
33
```

Ensure to replace the placeholders marked "FILL" with your own details before saving to the local directory. This file needs to be saved to the root of your cygwin account (usually referred to as ~/.gitconfig) and to the Git home directory under "C:\ProgramData\Cygwin\home\USER" where USER needs to be replaced with your username (e.g. john).

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#### Step 3: Setup SSH key in Stash.

If you are using Stash as the remote Git repository. Similar config might be required if you are using GitHUb as your repository as well to do SSH.

If you haven't already, generate an RSA SSH key pair (public + private) using Cygwin's ssh-keygen utility as show in the image below:

```
1 ssh-keygen -t rsa
```

```
**kumaras@AA117853 ~

*kumaras@AA117853 ~

# ssh-keygen -t rsa
Generating public/private rsa key pair.
Enter file in which to save the key //cygdrive/c/Users/akumaras/.ssh/id_rsa):
Enter passphrase (empty for no passphrase):
Enter same passphrase again:
Your identification has been saved in /cygdrive/c/Users/akumaras/.ssh/id_rsa.
Your public key fingerprint is:
e3:31:50:61:35:61:61:50:61:35:61:50:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:35:61:3
```

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press "Enter" through the questions prompted.

### Step 4: Copy the public key to the clipboard

```
1 $ cat ~/.ssh/id_rsa.pub | clip
```

Now, login to Stash (you should already have an account to do this) and once logged in, head to the Manage Account page by clicking on the Profile drop down menu in the top right-hand corner of the screen. Add the public key.

# Setting up .bashrc, inputrc, etc

For example, .basrc file may look like

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```
export HOMEDIR=/cygdrive/c/john
   export SVN_EDITOR=vim
   export PS1='\[\e]0;\W\a\]\[\e[32m\]\u@\h\[\e[33
export JAVA_HOME=/cygdrive/c/T00LS/java/jdk1.6.0
export MAVEN_HOME=/cygdrive/c/T00LS/maven/apache
  export MAVEN_OPTS="-Xms64m -Xmx512m -XX:MaxPermS
   export ANT_HOME=/cygdrive/c/TOOLS/ant/apache-ant
  export PATH=$JAVA_HOME/bin:$MAVEN_HOME/bin:~/bin
9
   export http_proxy=http://myproxy-server:8080
10
11 export JBOSS_HOME=/cygdrive/c/Users/john/Documen
12
13 alias fn='find . -type f -name'
14 alias fnd='find . -type d -name'
15 alias tarup='tar --exclude="maya-backend" --excl
16 alias runj='./run.sh -b 0.0.0.0'
18 alias runx="run xwin -multiwindow -clipboard"
20 alias work="cd /cyadrive/c/myapps/workspace/"
21 alias jbin="cd /cygdrive/c/Users/john/Documents/
```

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