# Contributing

We're happy you want to contribute! You can help us in different ways:

- [Open an issue][1] with suggestions for improvements

- Fork this repository and submit a pull request

- Improve the [documentation][2] (separate repository)

[1]: https://github.com/rethinkdb/rethinkdb/issues

[2]: https://github.com/rethinkdb/docs

To submit a pull request, fork the [RebirthDB repository][3] and then clone your fork:

git clone git@github.com:<your-name>/rethinkdb.git

[3]: https://github.com/rethinkdb/rethinkdb

Make your suggested changes, `git push` and then [submit a pull request][4]. Note that before we can accept your pull requests, you need to sign our [Contributor License Agreement][5].

[4]: https://github.com/rethinkdb/rethinkdb/compare/

[5]: http://rethinkdb.com/community/cla/

## Resources

Some useful resources to get started:

\* [Building RebirthDB][6] from source

\* Overview of [what to find where][7] in the server source directory

\* Introduction to the [RebirthDB driver protocol][8]

\* [C++ coding style][9] for the RebirthDB server

[6]: http://rethinkdb.com/docs/build/

[7]: src/README.md

[8]: http://rethinkdb.com/docs/driver-spec/

[9]: STYLE.md