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Fortify your DevOps security



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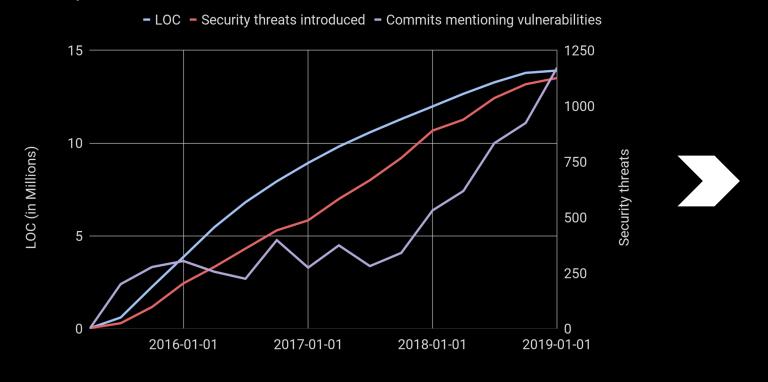
Why DevOps Security?





More code = more technical debt & exposure

Security threats continue to rise with LOC



Flaws in applications are consistently the #1 attack vector for breaches

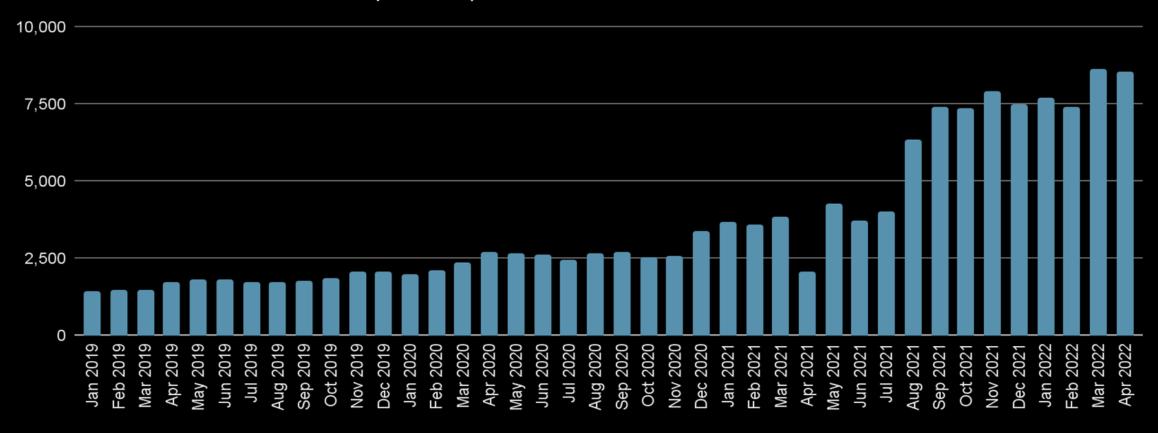
Source: GitHub Data Science Team analysis of 70 million lines of code in major OSS projects added over a 5 year period

Source: Verizon Data Breach Investigations reports 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2020.



We're seeing more credential leaks than ever

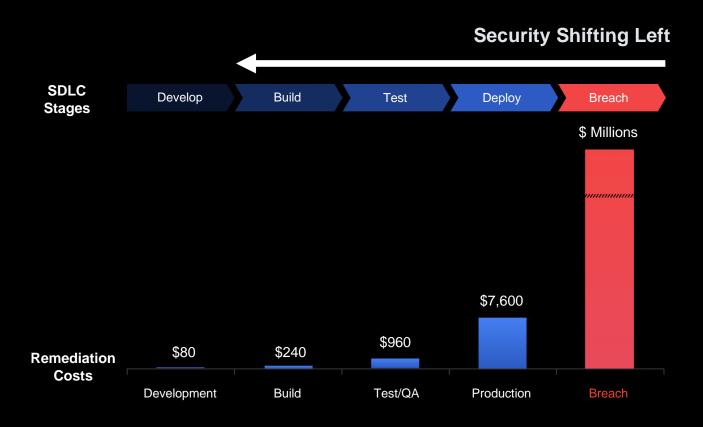
GitHub access tokens leaked in public repositories



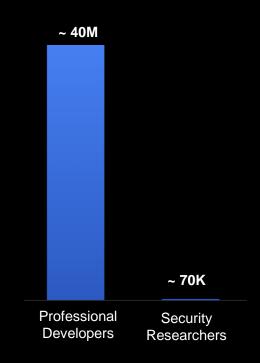


Source: GitHub data

Shifting security left, but why?



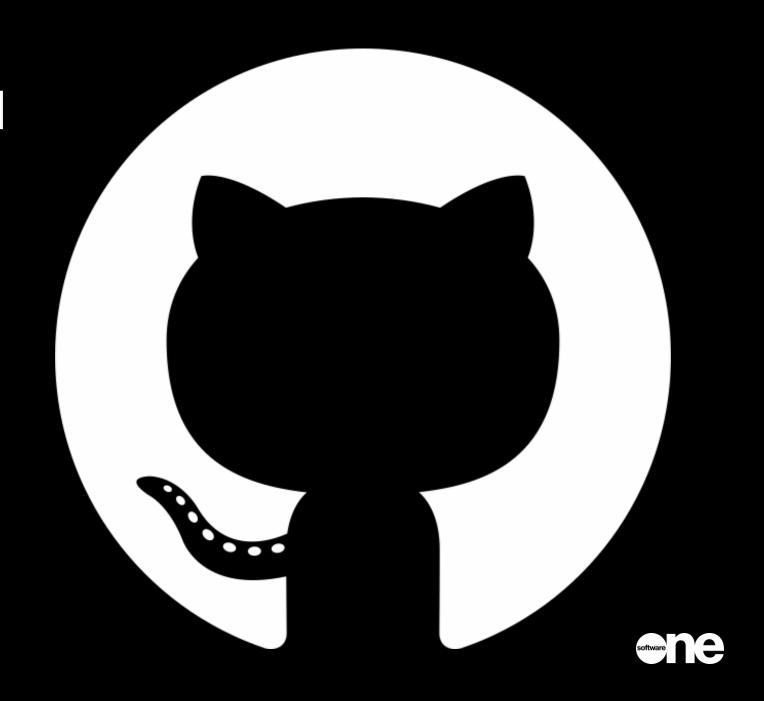
Vastly more cost effective to remediate during development



570 more developers than security researchers



GitHub Advanced Security



GitHub's Advanced Security Capabilities

	Public repository	Private repository without Advanced Security	Private repository with Advanced Security
Code scanning	✓	×	✓
CodeQL CLI	✓	×	~
Secret scanning	✓	×	~
Custom auto-triage rules	~	×	✓
Dependency review	✓	×	✓

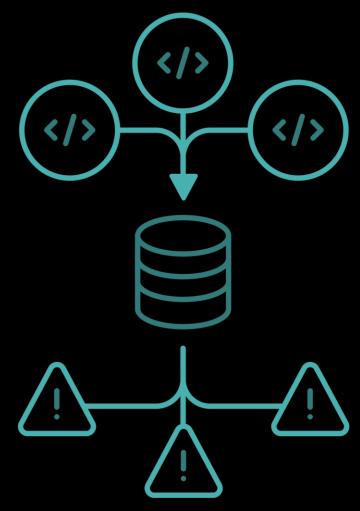


The Engine - CodeQL

Analyze code as data using expressive queries to say what you want to find, not how to find it

Quickly refine analyses to increase precision within your codebase

Share security knowledge within your teams using codified, readable and executable queries





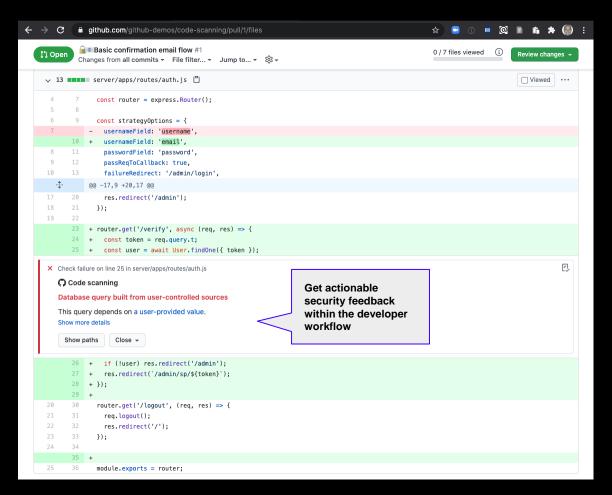
Secure your source code

Find and fix vulnerabilities as code is developed

- Deep Semantic Analysis
- Native to the developer experience
- Prevent vulnerabilities merging into main

Customize queries and leverage community

- Community of researchers collaborating
- Partner to respond to 0-days

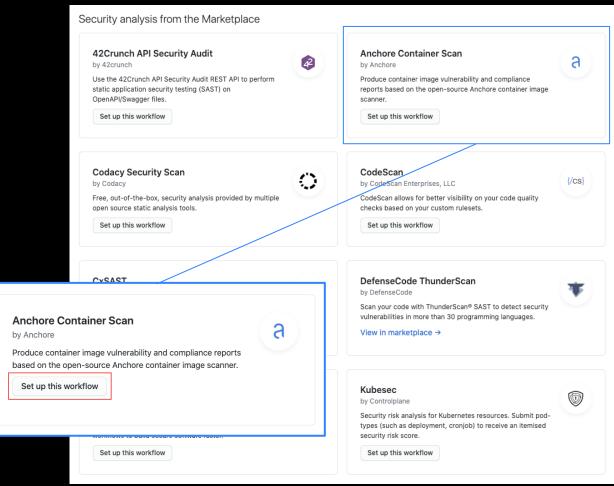




Ecosystem of Security tools

Power your security with an Ecosystem

- Single tools don't solve all security problems
- Platform for unification of Security tools
- Continuously growing ecosystem





Combining CodeQL with the world's largest developer community gives next generation SAST performance (Software Application Security Testing)

20,000

public repos have
enabled automated code
review using CodeQL
 (before it's native!)

1,700+

open source queries with contributions from Microsoft, Google and many others 72%

fix rate for potential vulnerabilities flagged in open source projects

35%

of recent JS CVEs
would have been
identified by a default
CodeQL query

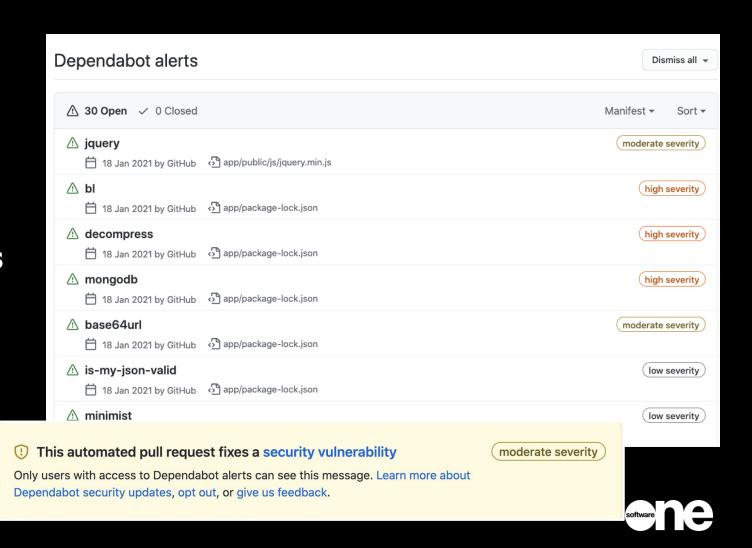
Secure your supply chain

Know your environment

- Dependency Graph
- Dependency Insights

Manage your dependencies

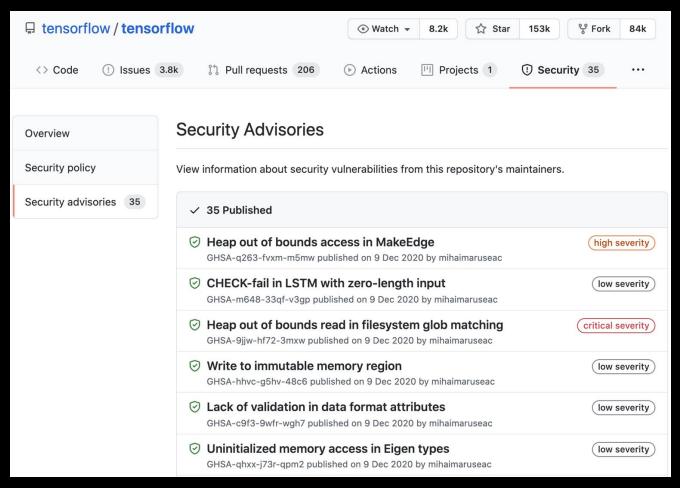
- Dependabot alerts
- Dependabot security updates
- Dependabot version updates



Secure your supply chain

Fix and publish vulnerability information

- SECURITY.md
- Security Advisories
- GitHub Advisory Database

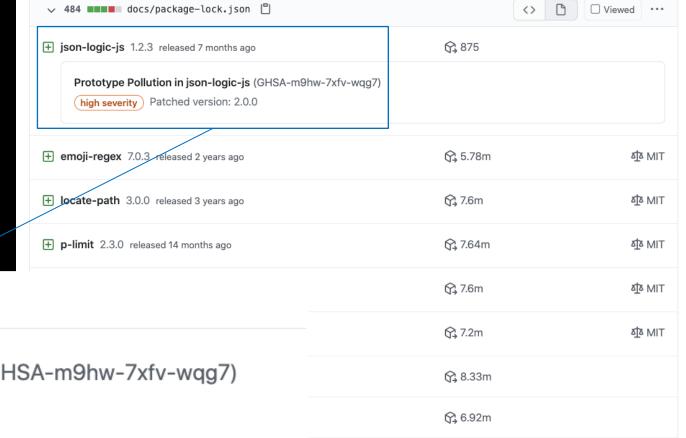




Secure your supply chain

Dependency Review

- Review Dependency
- Feedback in Pull Request
- Dependency Licensing



+ json-logic-js 1.2.3 released 7 months ago

Prototype Pollution in json-logic-js (GHSA-m9hw-7xfv-wqg7)

high severity

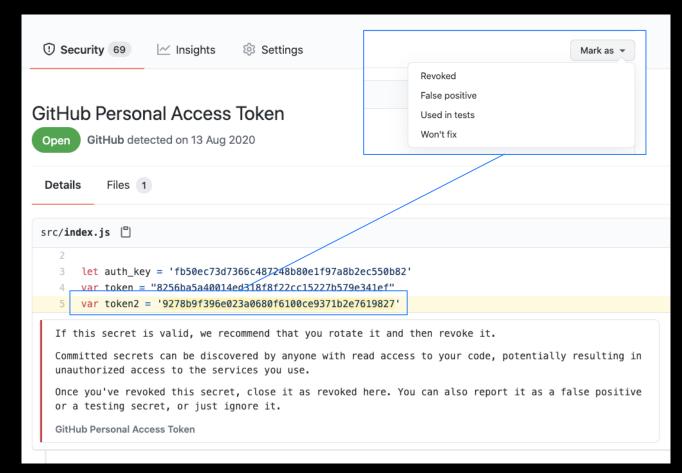
Patched version: 2.0.0



Secure your secrets

Find hard-coded secrets in code base

- Discover published secrets
- Git history and branch analysis
- Proactive prevent secrets from being leaked
- Continuous development with cloud partners

















































And more...

Secure your secrets

Find your custom secrets using custom patterns

- **Define custom patterns in GitHub**
- Repository, Organisation, and Server **Instance based patterns**

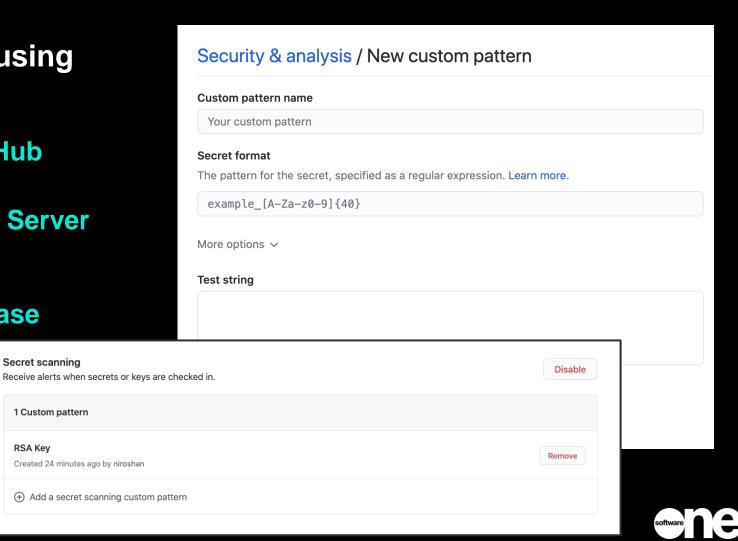
Secret scanning

RSA Kev

1 Custom pattern

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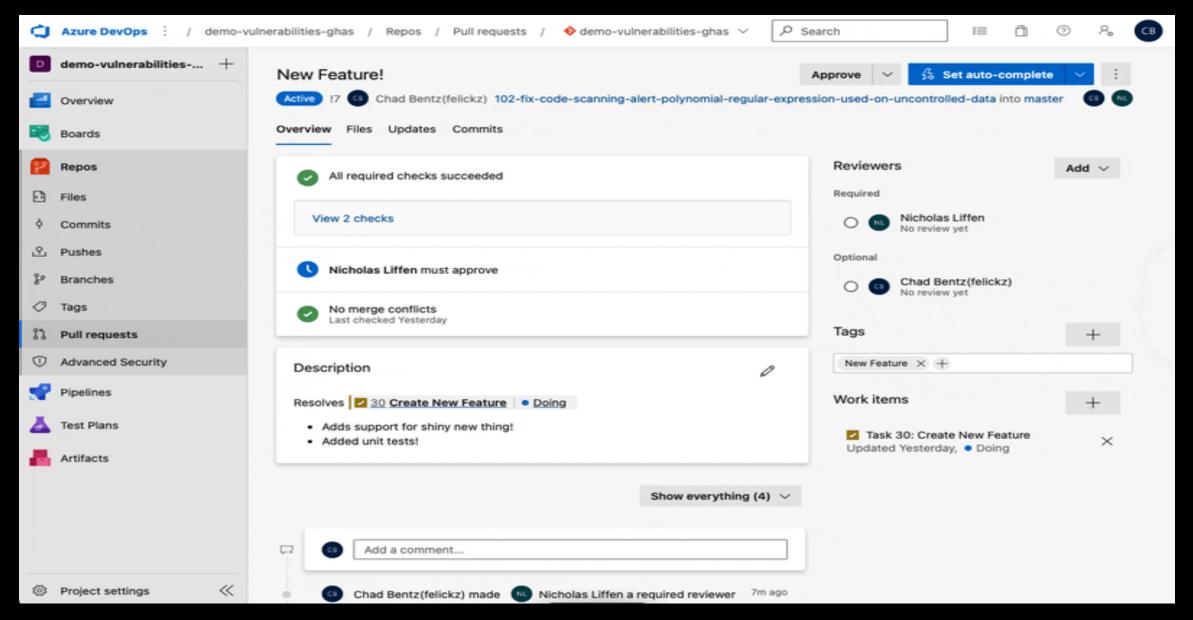
Test your patterns before release



GitHub Advanced Security is available also for Azure DevOps

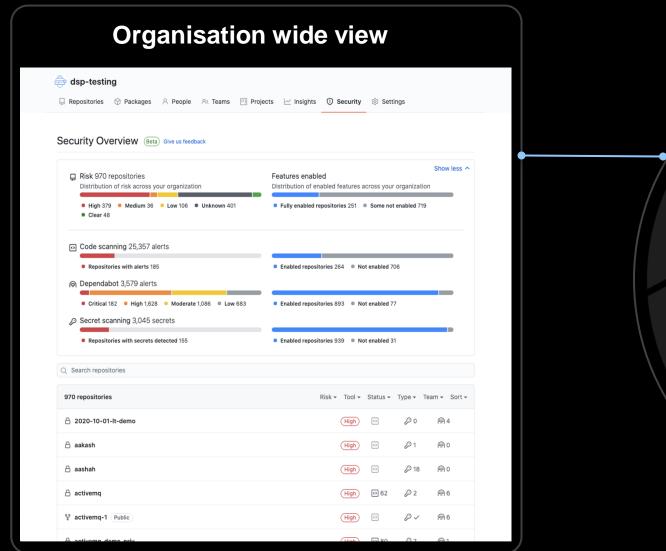


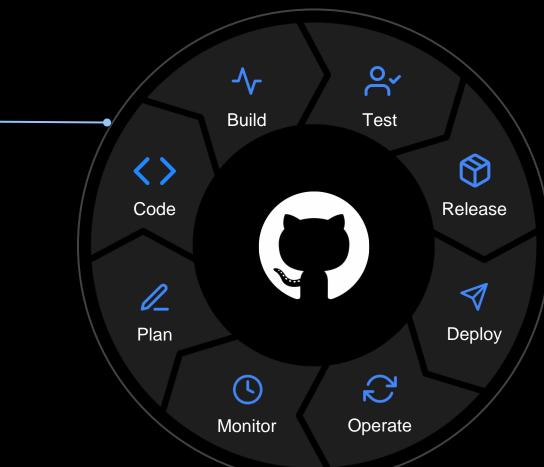






Security Built into the Developer LifeCycle







40 days

Mean time to remediate (MTTR)

for repos with Dependabot security updates

180+ days

Mean time to remediate (MTTR)
Industry norm

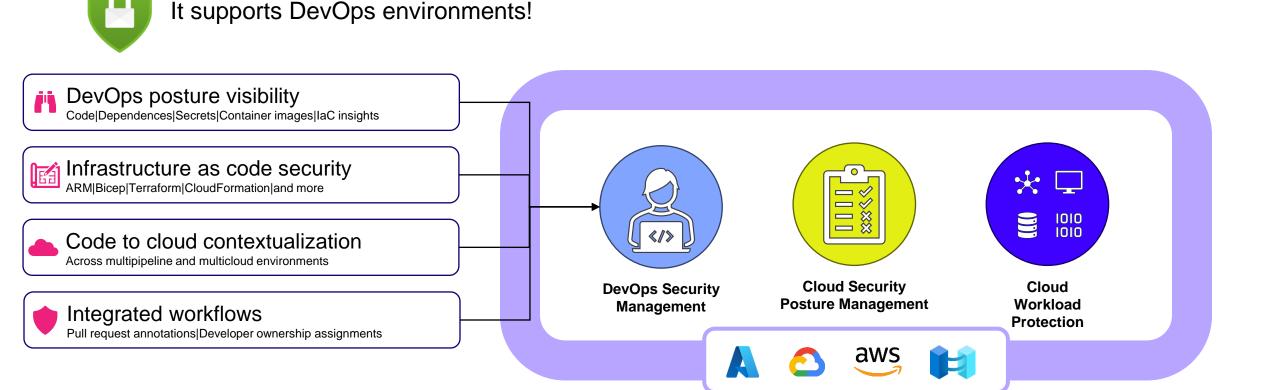


Do you really believe Ops people use GitHub?





What about Defender for Cloud?





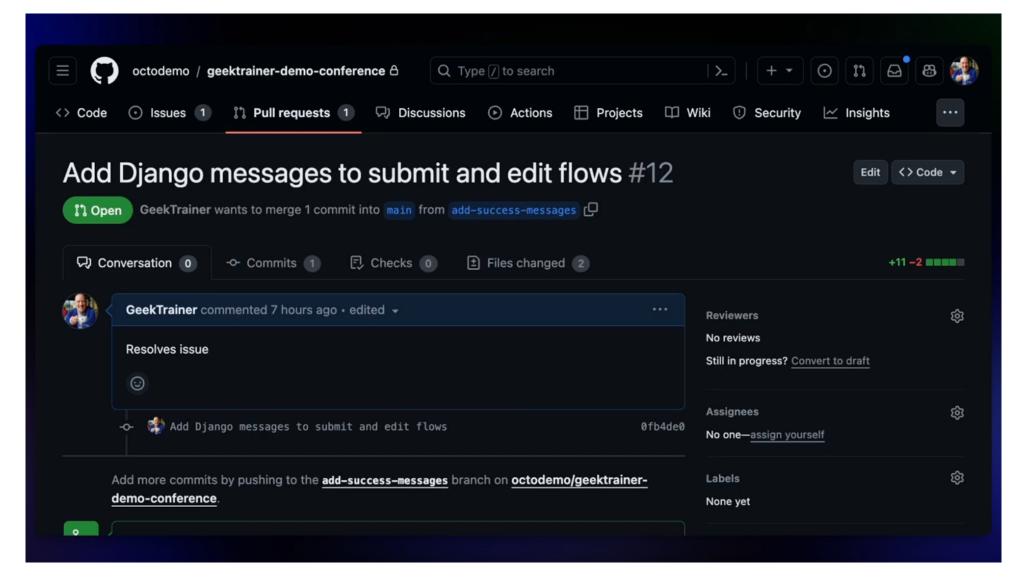
GitHub Copilot

You can't do a session in 2024 without talking about Copilots!





GitHub Copilot Enterprise – PR Review





Thank you and...

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