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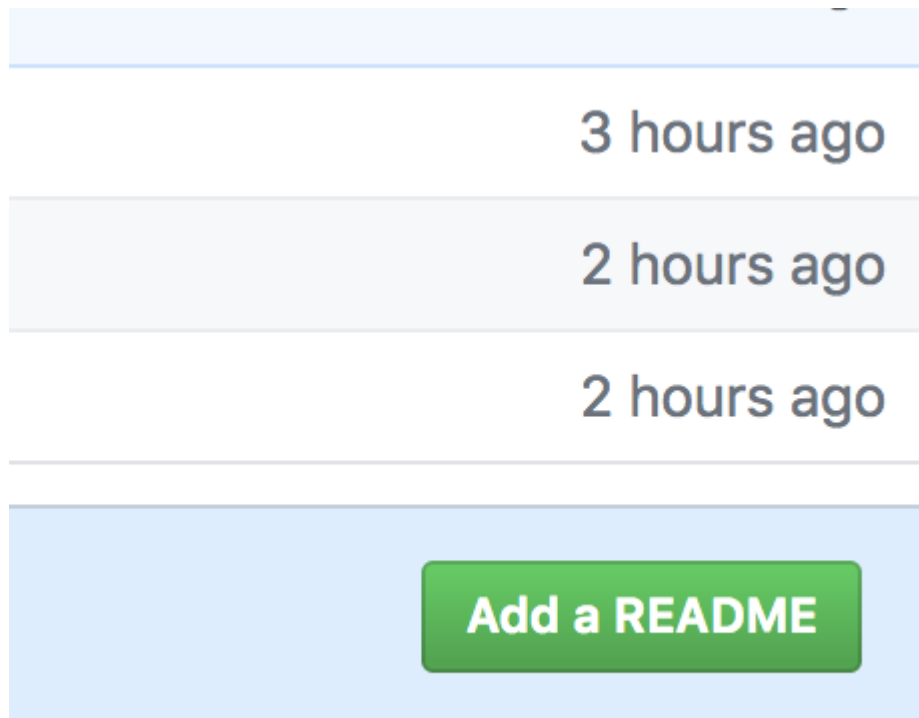
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Updating a File in GitHub

This section will be the same as the last, but in reverse — we'll make a change to our project **remotely** and synchronize that change to our project **locally**.

Navigate to your project page on GitHub: <https://github.com/YOURUSERNAME/example1>.

At the bottom, you should see a green “Add a README” button:



After clicking that button, add some text:



example1 / README.md or cancel

<> Edit new file

👁 Preview

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1 This is my README. Now you've read it.
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Now, scroll down to the bottom of the page, add a commit message, and click “Commit new file.” Make sure “Commit directly to the **master** branch” is selected.



Commit new file

Created README.md

Add an optional extended description...

- ☒  Commit directly to the **master** branch.
- ☐  Create a **new branch** for this commit and st

Commit new file

Cancel



