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## **Branches and Master**

In Git, you can create multiple branches.

The default branch is master. Git creates master automatically when you first create a project with git init. If you're working on a large feature, it's common practice to:

- 1. Create a new branch.
- 2. Add and commit all the changes that deal with your new feature.
- 3. Merge your branch back into master when you're finished.

Branching is beyond the scope of this tutorial, but suffice it to say that, when we run git push origin master, we're pushing our default branch (master) to GitHub.com (origin).

