Maverick - Commit Workflow with the EKL Extractor

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Context

In our 3DEXPERIENCE development workflow, we used to commit the `.3dxml` files with the source code copied manually from Data SetUp.

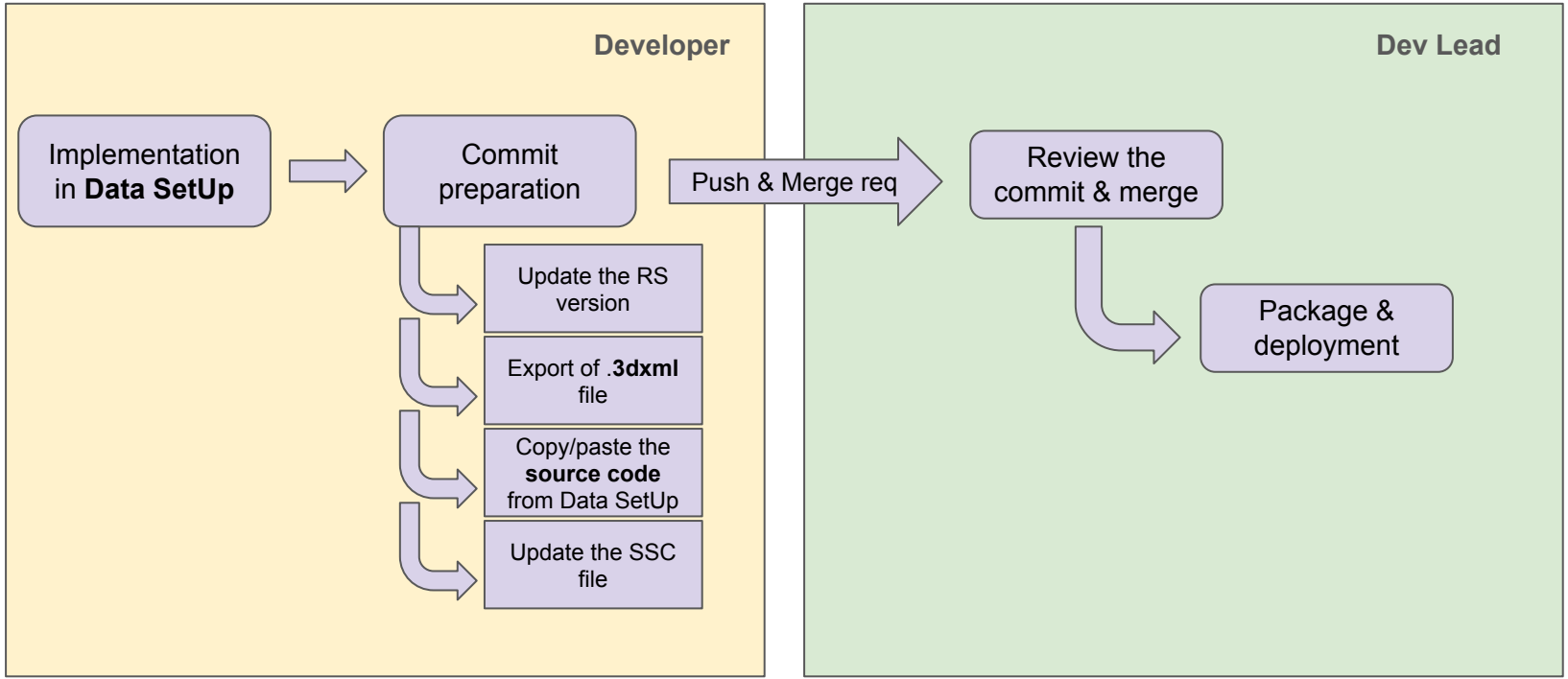
However, this process leads to some quality issues in our deliverables :

- **Lack of visibility**: Impossible to see what exactly changes in the `.3dxml`.
- **Risk of including unwanted modifications**: Another developer may modify the RS without the `.3dxml` exporter being aware.
- **Potential conflicts**: Risk of losing modifications if multiple developers work on the same RS without coordination.
- **Ineffective code review**: Impossible to precisely compare changes before committing.

Consequences

⚠️ Unintentional commits of modifications made by other developers.
⚠️ Difficulty in reverting changes or understanding the history of modifications.
⚠️ Risk of corruption or malfunction of RS due to uncontrolled changes.

Current WorkFlow



New Approach with the Extraction Tool

Objective:

- Enable developers to better secure the content of the exported `3dxml` files.
- Ensure that only the changes related to their own development are included.

Principle:

1. **Export the RS** from 3DEXPERIENCE.
2. **Use the tool** to extract all EKL code from the RS bound in the Collaborative Space.
3. **Compare differences** between versions to identify modifications.
4. **Commit only the relevant files**, excluding unintended changes.

Commit Workflow with the Tool

Detailed Steps:

1. **Export** the RS from 3DEXPERIENCE.
2. **Run the extraction tool** to retrieve all EKL code.
3. **Compare modifications** using a diff tool.
4. **Commit only the folder corresponding to the exported RS.**
5. **Ensure that the `.3dxml` file reflects only the intended changes.**

Benefits of This Approach :

✅ **Visibility**: Each developer knows exactly what they are committing.
✅ **Fewer conflicts**: Prevents the unintentional integration of changes from other branches.
✅ **Better traceability**: Enables precise tracking of code evolution.

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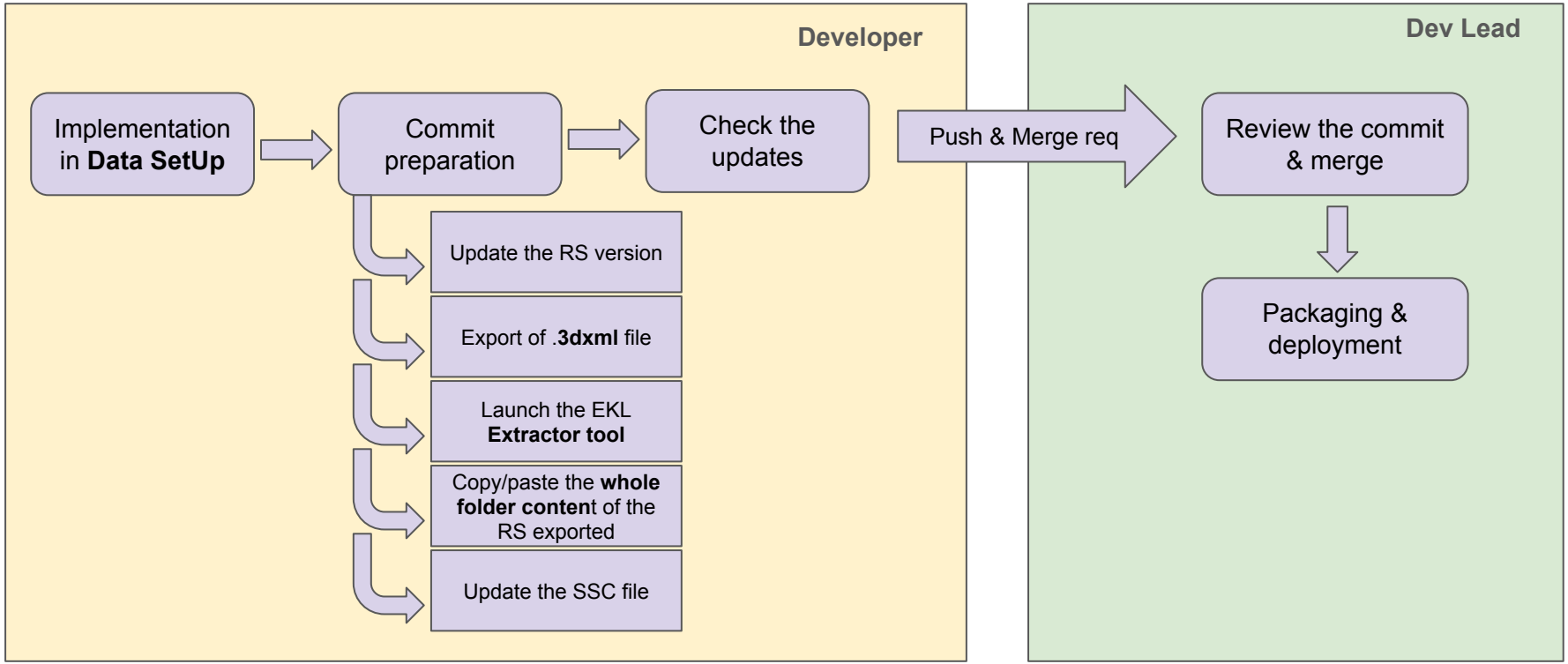

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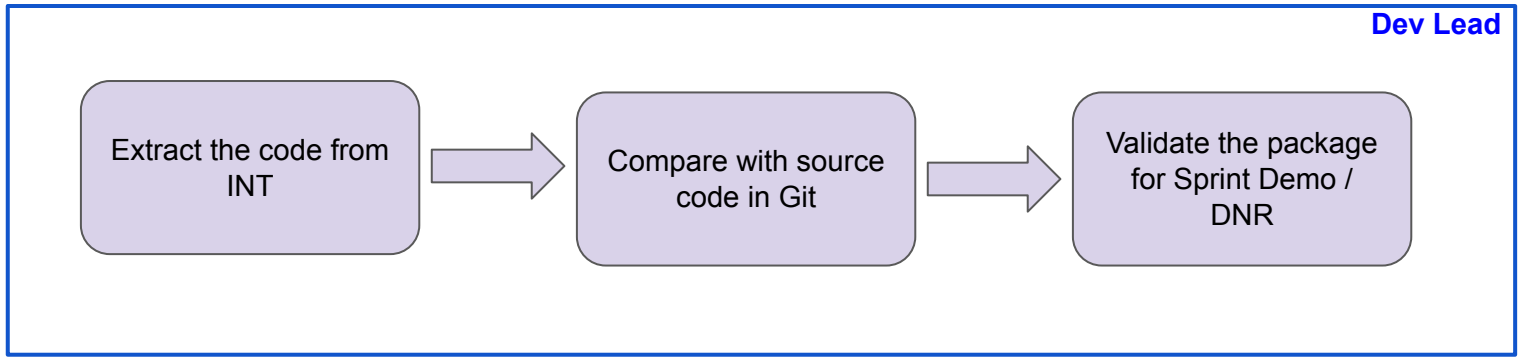
✅ **At the end of each sprint / Before DNR** : The Dev lead have to ensure the alignment of the code committed in Gitlab with the RseourceSets content in Integration platform



Conclusion

Adopting this tool and method will ensure a more rigorous commit process while reducing the risk of errors and conflicts. It is essential for every developer to make it a habit to use the tool before committing a `.3dxml` file.

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