



Workshop Version Control: Getting Started with Git

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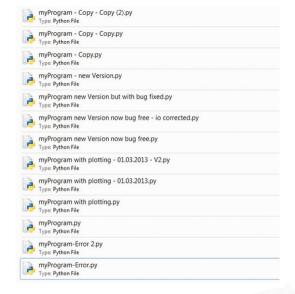


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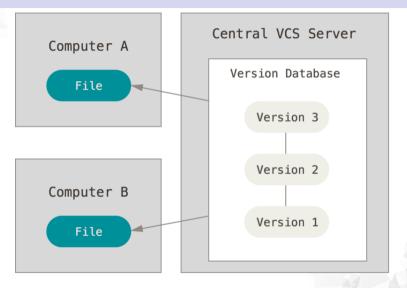
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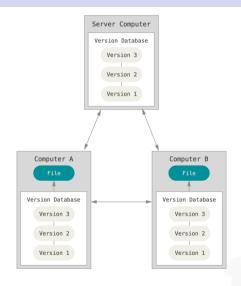
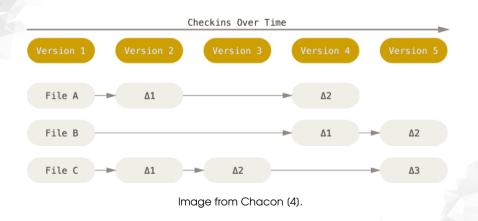


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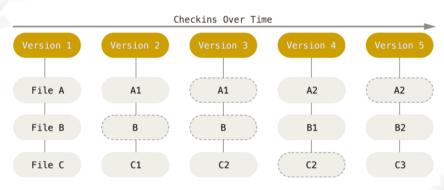
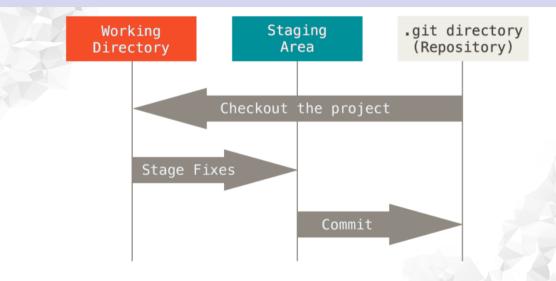
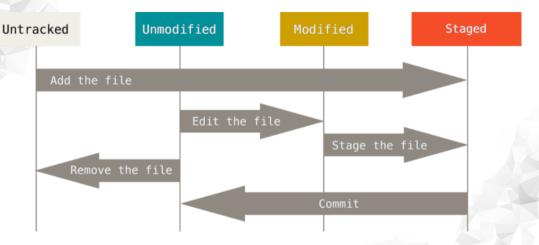


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Basics: The Three States



Basics: Recording Changes



Basics: Commits

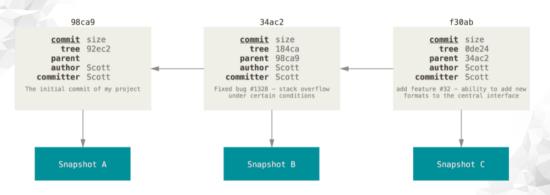


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Basics: Commit Tree

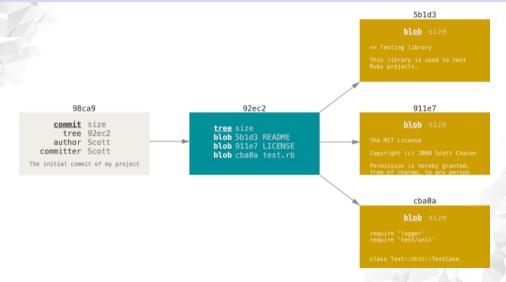


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Git by Example

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- 1. Initial Setup
- 2. Initializing Repositories
- 3. gitignore

Rules of Thumb

Rules of Thumb: Commit Messages

T		COMMENT	DATE
4	Q	CREATED MAIN LOOP & TIMING CONTROL	14 HOURS AGO
	\rightarrow	ENABLED CONFIG FILE PARSING	9 HOURS AGO
	φ	MISC BUGFIXES	5 HOURS AGO
ı	φ	CODE ADDITIONS/EDITS	4 HOURS AGO
ı	Q.	MORE CODE	4 HOURS AGO
	þ	HERE HAVE CODE	4 HOURS AGO
	0	ARAAAAAA	3 HOURS AGO
	¢	ADKFJ5LKDFJ5DKLFJ	3 HOURS AGO
	¢	MY HANDS ARE TYPING WORDS	2 HOURS AGO
L	<u> </u>	HAAAAAAANDS	2 HOURS AGO

AS A PROJECT DRAGS ON, MY GIT COMMIT MESSAGES GET LESS AND LESS INFORMATIVE.

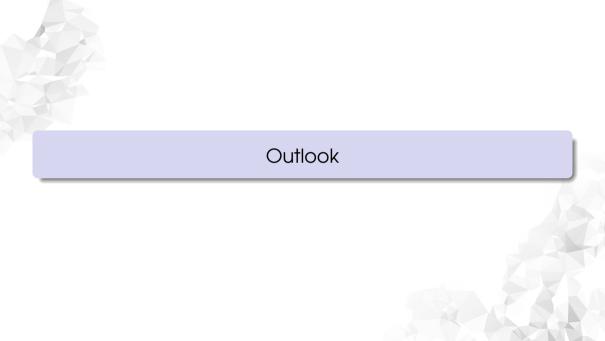
Rules of Thumb: Commit Messages

The seven rules of a great Git commit message

- 1. Separate subject from body with a blank line
- 2. Limit the subject line to 50 characters
- 3. Capitalize the subject line
- 4. Do not end the subject line with a period
- 5. Use the imperative mood in the subject line
- 6. Wrap the body at 72 characters
- 7. Use the body to explain what and why vs. how

Rules of Thumb

1. Use gitignore whitelisting



Outlook

- Submodules
- ► Hooks
- ▶ Merge and Rebase
- Cherrypick
- Stashing
- ► Signing your Work
- Searching
- Attributes

Thank you for Your Attention!

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