



Workshop Version Control: Getting Started with Git

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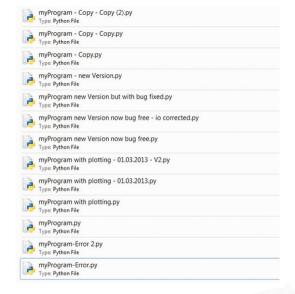


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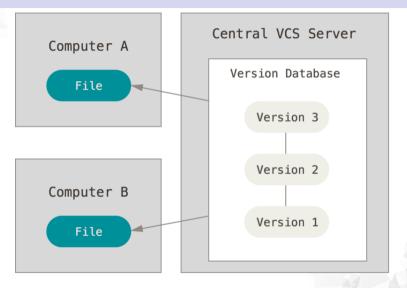
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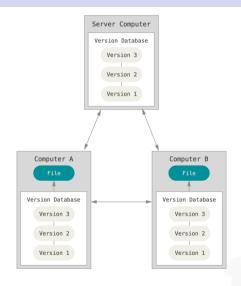
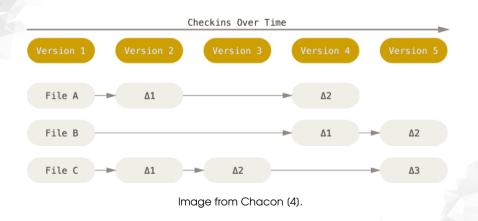


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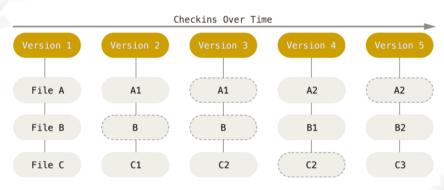
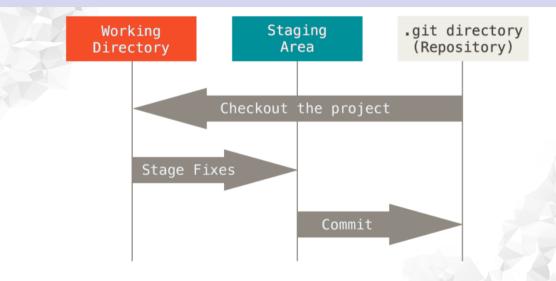
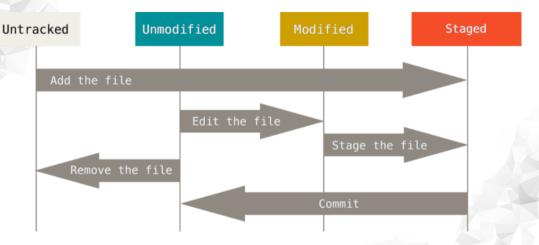


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Basics: The Three States



Basics: Recording Changes



Basics: Commits

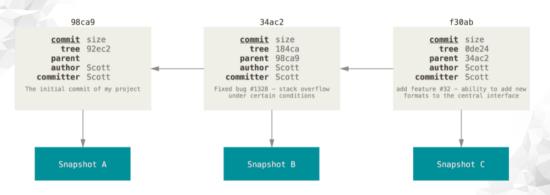


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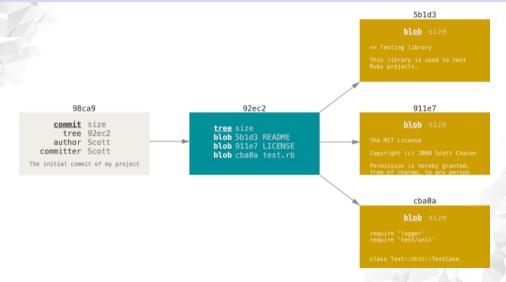


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Git by Example

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- 1. Initial Setup
- 2. Initializing Repositories
- 3. gitignore
- 4. Branches
- 5. Remotes
- 6. Servers
- 7. Workflow

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.

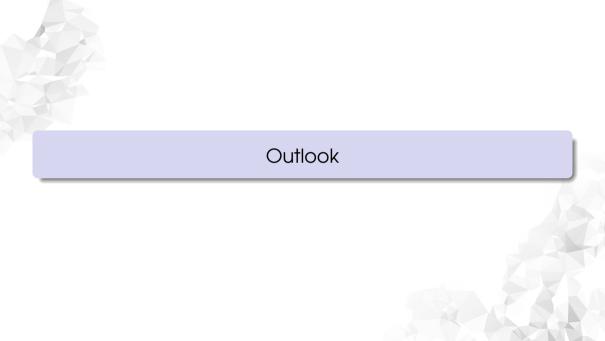
Rules of Thumb: Commit Messages

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
- 2. Use SSH keys
- 3. If you are alone, use the default branch
- 4. Use the rules of a good Git commit message
- 5. Thou shalt not kill



Outlook

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

Thank you for Your Attention!

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