Understanding Git with Alloy Milestone 2

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Where were we?

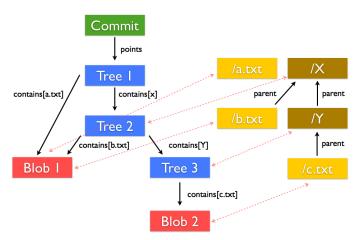
- Focusing on Index + Object Model
- No problem with add and rm operations
- Commit Big Problem







The problem







How did we solve it?

Abstraction

- In each commit there is relation between Objects and Paths
- Facts to reflect the parent relationship

sig Commit extends Object {

parent : set Commit, abs: Path -> Object

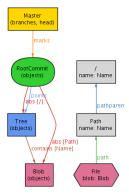
points : Tree,

```
all c: Commit{
   let objs = c.points.*(contents.Name){
      c.abs in Path some -> lone objs
      (c.abs).(c.points) in Root
      all p,q : (c.abs).univ | p -> q in pathparent
         implies q.(c.abs) \rightarrow p.(c.abs) \rightarrow p.name in contents
      all t, o : objs, n : Name | t -> o -> n in contents
         implies all y : c.abs.t | some x : c.abs.o
            x \rightarrow y in pathparent and x.name = n
```

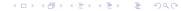




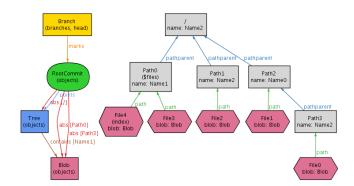
The abstraction relation







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Model

```
abstract sig Object {
   objects: set State
sig Blob extends Object {}
sig Tree extends Object {
   contains : Name -> lone (Tree+Blob)
                                           sig Path {
                                              pathparent : Ione Path,
                                              name: Name
sig Commit extends Object {
   points : Tree,
   parent : set Commit,
                                           sig File {
   abs: Path -> Object
                                              path: Path,
                                              blob: Blob,
                                              index: set State
sig RootCommit extends Commit {}
sig Branch{
  marks: Commit one -> State,
  branches: set State,
  head: set State
Ione sig Master extends Branch {}
```





Operations - add and rm

add

Add a file with the current content to the index

```
index.s' = index.s +
f - ((f.path).\sim path -f)
...
```

rm

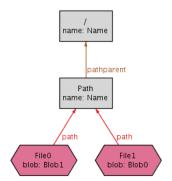
Remove the file from index

```
 \begin{array}{lll} \dots \\ \text{index.s'} &= & \text{index.s} - & \text{f} \end{array}
```





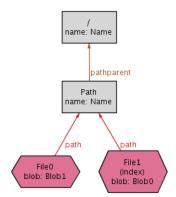
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Operations - commit

commit

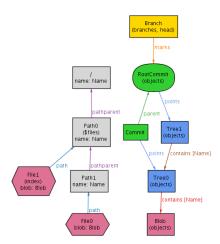
Creates a commit, from the index

```
...
(head.s').(marks.s').parent = (head.s).(marks.s)
...
(index.s).path.*pathparent = (head.s').(marks.s').abs.univ
all f:index.s | f.path -> f.blob in (head.s').(marks.s').abs
...
```





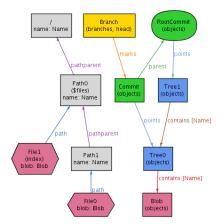
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Operations - branch

branch

Creates a new branch pointing to the current one

```
...
branches.s' = branches.s + b
marks.s' = marks.s + b -> (head.s).(marks.s)
...
```

branch -d

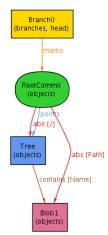
Removes a branch if it is not pointed by the head

```
branches.s' = branches.s - b
marks.s' = marks.s - b -> Commit
```





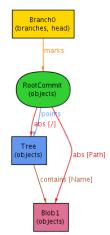
Operations - branch

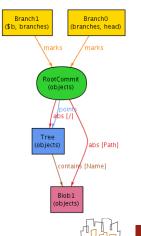






Operations - branch









Operations - checkout

Updates the head and the index to reflect a certain commit pointed by a branch

Problems

- Difficult to understand the pre conditions
- There are no specifications



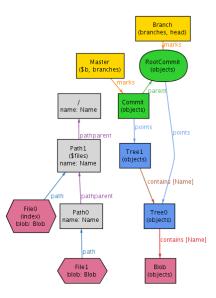


Pre conditions found relatively to the index

- Removed files are ignored
- Not modified files since last commit are ignored
- New files or Modified files:
 - if file exists on destination commit then:
 - the content is the same as in index, or
 - the content in the destination commit is the same as in the current commit
 - if the files does not exists in the destination commit
 - it also does not exist on the current commit



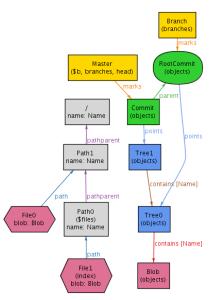
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Properties



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