A Java course

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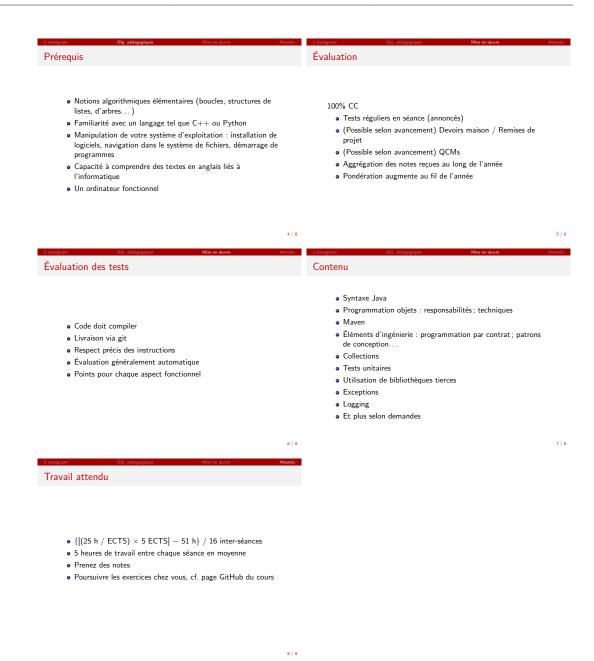
1. Presentation

Présentation¹

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 $^{^{1}\} https://github.com/oliviercailloux/java-course/raw/main/L3/Pr\%C3\%A9 sentation\%20 du\%20 cours\%20 Objet/presentation.pdf$



2. Shell

2.1. Introduction

A shell (also called a terminal or a command line interface) permits to invoke programs by typing commands.

- Under Linux, use BASH (Bourne-again Shell), for example.
- Under Windows, choose one of these routes.
 - Install git²; use Git BASH (recommended for beginners);
 - use (Windows) PowerShell³, which is probably installed already (recommended for power users).

² https://git-scm.com/download

³ https://docs.microsoft.com/powershell/scripting/install/installing-windows-powershell

• (Different shells admit slightly different syntax and provide slightly different capabilities, and commands sometimes differ, but the commands we will need for this course are the same in most classical shells, except when indicated.)

2.2. Basics

Read Introduction to command line⁴ for the very basics of using a shell. Use \uparrow (keyboard up arrow⁵) to reuse previous commands. (This tutorial⁶ could help as well.)

At the end of this part you are supposed to be able to use a shell to, at least, change directory and list files.

2.3. About arguments

A shell command contains (typically) a program name, followed by arguments, separated by spaces. Example: touch afile anotherfile calls the program touch with two arguments. This command creates two empty files, afile and anotherfile, if they do not exist already.

Any argument can be surrounded by quotes, thus, the commands touch "afile" "another-file" or touch afile anotherfile or touch "afile" anotherfile are equivalent to the previous one. *However*, to form a single argument containing spaces, quotes are *mandatory*. Example: touch "a file" "another file" contains two arguments: a file and another file. Thus, this command creates two files, named a file and another file, with spaces in their names. The command touch a file another file (without quotes) would instead create four files.

Here are other examples for better understanding what an argument is: the command ls -a has one argument, -a. It is equivalent to ls "-a". The command ls --color=always "a file" has two arguments. It is equivalent to ls "--color=always" "a file". The command git config --type bool --get core.filemode has five arguments (considering git as the program name and config as its first argument).

2.4. Exercice

Open a shell, navigate (using cd) to some different place of your choice on your hard disk, create a file my file.txt there (using the shell), delete it with your graphical file explorer, check in the terminal that it has disappeared (using the shell).

2.5. Relative and absolute paths

It is often necessary to refer to files or directories as arguments to commands in the terminal. You do this usually by using absolute or relative file or directory paths.

A file or a directory stored on your hard disk has an absolute "path" (or, less technically, "name") that refers to it unambiguously. For example, under Linux (or MacOS): /home/user2/statusReport; and under Windows: C:\Documents\myprojectdirectory\README.txt. (Windows uses backslashes instead of slashes to separate path names and a slightly different naming scheme.) Examples in this course follow the Linux-like naming.

The term "path" comes from the fact that this way of referring to files correspond to following a path in a tree that represents the hierarchy of files on your file system. In the file system displayed below (from Oracle tutorial⁸), a file has the path /home/user1/foo, for example.

⁴ https://tutorial.djangogirls.org/en/intro_to_command_line/

⁵ https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Arrow_keys

⁶ https://www.lamsade.dauphine.fr/~bnegrevergne/ens/Unix/static/TP_Shell_Unix.pdf

⁷ https://git-scm.com/docs/git-config

⁸ https://docs.oracle.com/javase/tutorial/essential/io/path.html

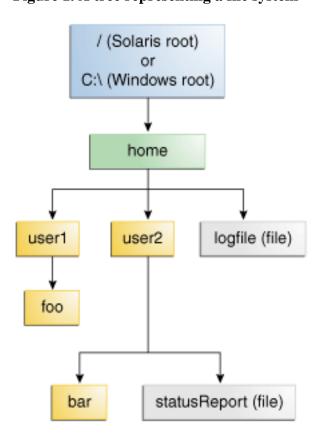


Figure 1. A tree representing a file system

A file or a directory can also be referred to using a path that is *relative* to another directory. For example, relative to the directory /home/user2/, a relative path for the file in the above example is statusReport. A path relative to /home/ is user2/statusReport. Relative paths can also use . . segments to "climb up" one level in the hierarchy. That is, relative to /home/user2/bar/, a path of the example file is . ./statusReport. The mechanism for referring to directories using relative paths is similar. For example, a relative path to refer to the directory /home/user2/bar/, relative to /home/, is user2/bar/. A relative path never starts with a /, an absolute path always does (this is also true under Windows, if replacing / with \ and neglecting the drive letter).

Referring to some file or directory as an argument of a command typed in a terminal can usually be done using its absolute path or its path relative to your current directory. For example, if you are in the directory /home/user2/, you can use both /home/user2/statusReport or status-Report to refer to the same file.

You can use the special name . to refer to the current directory. For example, you can use 1s somepath to list the content of the directory specified by somepath, and thus typing 1s . lists the content of your current directory.

This course uses Linux-like commands (in particular, uses forward slashes to separate paths), which you should be able to use in any of the environments listed here above: Git BASH emulates a Linux environment and PowerShell authorizes⁹ this use.

2.5.1. Exercice

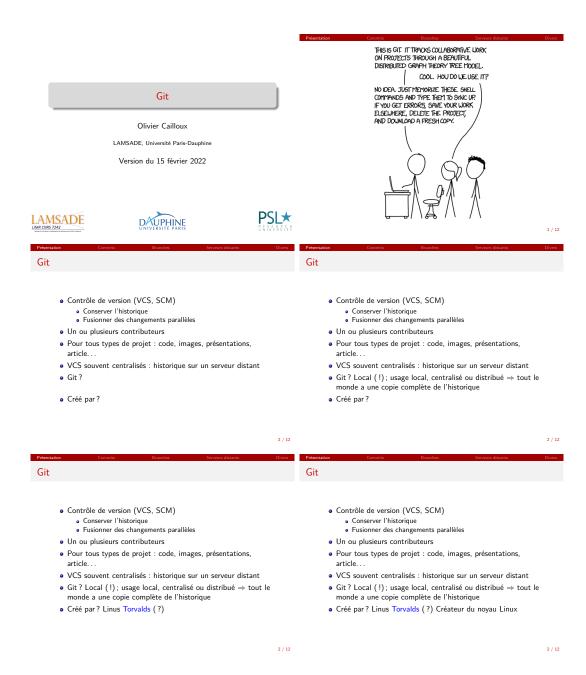
Open a shell, navigate (using cd) to some directory of your choice D1. Use 1s to list the content of a directory D2 that is not a subdirectory of D1, using an absolute name for D2, then using a relative name. Still from D1, create a file in D2, using touch, by using an absolute file name as argument, then using a relative file name as argument.

 $^{^9 \} https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/powershell/module/microsoft.powershell.core/about/about_path_syntax$

3. Git

3.1. Presentation

Présentation¹⁰



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Commits et historique

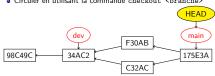
- Blob : capture d'un fichier à un moment donné
- ullet Commit : identifié par un hash SHA-1
 - Contient : structure de répertoires ; blobs ; auteur. .
- Histoire : un DAG de « commits »
- ullet Conservée dans un $d\acute{e}p\^{o}t$ (repository)



Circuler dans l'historique

- Références git (git refs) : branches et références spéciales
- Références pointent vers des commits ou vers d'autres refs
- Branche : pointe un commit
- HEAD: pointe un commit, et généralement une branche; appelés actuels
- Indique le commit d'où est issu la version actuelle
- Circuler en utilisant la commande checkout

 tranche>



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Work dir (WD)

- Histoire conservée localement dans .git à la racine du projet
- WD (« work dir ») : version du projet (fichiers et sous-répert.)
- Interaction avec sous-rép. .git via commandes git

/root

/.git /rép1 /fich1

/fich2

Préparer un commit

 Work dir
 Index
 HEAD

 /rép1
 /rép1

 /fich1'
 /fich1

 /fich2'
 /fich2'

 /fich3
 /fich2'

- \bullet Index : changements à apporter au prochain commit
- HEAD : état capturé dans le commit référencé
- Initialisation nouveau dépôt?
- Juste après un commit?

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Préparer un commit

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Préparer un commit

Work dir	Index	HEAD
/rép1		/rép1
/fich1'		/fich1
/fich2'	/fich2'	/fich2
/fich3		

- \bullet Index : changements à apporter au prochain commit
- HEAD : état capturé dans le commit référencé
- Initialisation nouveau dépôt? Index et HEAD vides
- Juste après un commit ? Index vide

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Préparer un commit : commandes

- \bullet git add fichier: blob mis dans index (« staged »)
- \bullet git status : liste untracked, ${}_{\text{tracked-}} modified,$ staged
- \bullet git status --short $_{\text{(sauf merge conflict)}}: idx \ VS \ HEAD; \ WD \ VS \ idx.$
- git diff : WD VS index
- \bullet git diff --staged : index VS HEAD
- git commit : commenter et expédier! (Renvoie son id SHA-1)
- git commit -v : voir l'index en détail
- NB : commit bouge la branche actuelle

Branches et HEAD

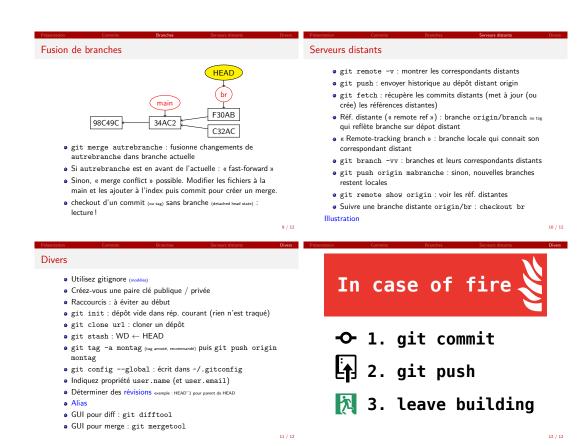
- Branche : pointeur vers un commit
- \bullet HEAD : pointeur vers $\mbox{\scriptsize (typiquement)}$ une branche et un commit
- Branche actuelle désignée par HEAD



- 98C49C 34AC2 commit : avance HEAD et branche actuelle
- git branch truc : crée branche truc. HEAD inchangé!
- ullet git checkout truc : change HEAD et met à jour WD

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3.2. Introduction

Prerequisites:

- Install git¹¹.
- We will start learning with the command line interface of git. If you are not used to using a shell, read the Shell¹² document. Under Windows, use Git BASH which provides completion. (Power users may prefer to use PowerShell¹³ with posh-git.)

Then see:

- présentation ¹⁴ (or read below),
- configure¹⁵ git,
- step-by-step exercices ¹⁶,
- Git branching 1¹⁷, Git branching 2¹⁸, Git branching 3¹⁹
- best practices²⁰.

¹¹ https://git-scm.com/download

¹² https://github.com/oliviercailloux/java-course/blob/main/Git/Shell.adoc

¹³ https://www.develves.net/blogs/asd/articles/using-git-with-powershell-on-windows-10/

¹⁴ https://raw.githubusercontent.com/oliviercailloux/java-course/main/Git/Pr%C3%A9sentation/presentation.pdf

¹⁵ https://github.com/oliviercailloux/java-course/blob/main/Git/README.adoc#configure-git

¹⁶ https://github.com/oliviercailloux/java-course/blob/main/Git/Step-by-step.adoc

¹⁷ https://github.com/oliviercailloux/java-course/blob/main/Git/Git%20branching%201.adoc

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¹⁹ https://github.com/oliviercailloux/java-course/blob/main/Git/Git%20branching%203.adoc

²⁰ https://github.com/oliviercailloux/java-course/blob/main/Git/Best%20practices.adoc

3.3. Learning the basics

There are two ways to learn the basics of Git: the frustrating and long way, and the nice and short way. The frustrating and long way is the one you find yourself into if you do not read anything about git (because you do not have time) and just try to deal with it by running commands that you found on the web, that you do not fully understand, that you supposed would achieve just what you need, and that instead created a mess that you ignore how to repair.

To save time, read the Pro Git²¹ book. For the basics, you really only need to read the following sections.

- 1.3²² What is Git?
- 1.6²³ Getting Started First-Time Git Setup
- 2.1²⁴ Getting a Git Repository
- 2.2²⁵ Recording Changes to the Repository
- 2.3²⁶ Viewing the Commit History
- 2.5²⁷ Working with Remotes
- 3.1²⁸ Git Branching Branches in a Nutshell
- 3.2²⁹ Git Branching Basic Branching and Merging
- 3.5³⁰ Git Branching Remote Branches

Hint: do not try to remember all the shortcut commands and options git provides. You just need those ones: git config --global ... (just for the initial configuration); git clone <url>
 or git init to start the fun; git status, git diff, git add <files>, git commit and git merge to enrich your local history; git branch <name> to create branches; git log and git checkout
branch/commit> to navigate your history; git fetch and git push to synchronize with your remote repository. You can learn the rest when and if you need it.

3.4. Configure git

Git can be configured by associating string values to "options". An option can be configured locally (for a given repository) or globally (for every time you use git on that system).

• Type git config --global --list to see which options are currently configured globally

Here we want to associate your name as a value to the option user.name. Git will use this to sign your commits.

- Type git config --global --get user.name to see the value currently associated to the option user.name
- Type git config --global --add user.name MyUserName to associate the value MyUserName to the option user.name

²¹ https://git-scm.com/book

²² https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Getting-Started-What-is-Git%3F

²³ https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Getting-Started-First-Time-Git-Setup

²⁴ https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Git-Basics-Getting-a-Git-Repository

²⁵ https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Git-Basics-Recording-Changes-to-the-Repository

²⁶ https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Git-Basics-Viewing-the-Commit-History

²⁷ https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Git-Basics-Working-with-Remotes

²⁸ https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Git-Branching-Branches-in-a-Nutshell

²⁹ https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Git-Branching-Basic-Branching-and-Merging

³⁰ https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Git-Branching-Remote-Branches

· Check again the value currently associated to the option user.name

For more info: initial setup³¹; GitHub usage of user.name³² and user.email³³

3.5. About authentication on GitHub

Authentication fails if you use your GitHub password. You must use a personal access token instead. See Cloning with HTTPS URLs³⁴, follow the instructions to create a "fine-grained personal access token".

3.6. References

- The git Cheat sheets³⁵,
- The git name³⁶.
- Learn Git Branching tutorial³⁷ and live demo³⁸
- Git-SCM³⁹: Videos; Cheat Sheets; Book Pro Git⁴⁰ (free, as in speech and beer)
- Videos (I haven't watched any of those): see Git-SCM videos 41; Videos by Tower 42
- Working with git: A quick and useful guide⁴³ about workflow on GitHub; a branching model⁴⁴; prefer fetch then merge⁴⁵ to pull; the scout pattern⁴⁶ for merging
- GUIs: I recommend using the one integrated with your IDE; other options include Git Cola⁴⁷ (in particular git-cola dag); I've been recommended GitKraken⁴⁸ (but it is only free for public repos⁴⁹; or through GitHub Student Pack⁵⁰)

³¹ https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2/Getting-Started-First-Time-Git-Setup

https://docs.github.com/en/get-started/getting-started-with-git/setting-your-username-in-git#about-git-usernames

³³ https://help.github.com/en/github/setting-up-and-managing-your-github-user-account/setting-your-commit-email-address

³⁴ https://docs.github.com/en/get-started/getting-started-with-git/about-remote-repositories#cloning-with-https-urls

³⁵ https://github.github.com/training-kit/

³⁶ https://git.wiki.kernel.org/index.php/Git_FAQ#Why_the_.27Git.27_name.3F

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³⁸ https://learngitbranching.js.org/?NODEMO

³⁹ https://git-scm.com/

⁴⁰ https://git-scm.com/book

⁴¹ https://git-scm.com/videos

⁴² https://www.git-tower.com/learn/git/videos

⁴³ https://guides.github.com/introduction/flow/

⁴⁴ https://nvie.com/posts/a-successful-git-branching-model/

https://longair.net/blog/2009/04/16/git-fetch-and-merge/

⁴⁶ http://think-like-a-git.net/sections/testing-out-merges/the-scout-pattern.html

⁴⁷ https://git-cola.github.io/

⁴⁸ https://www.gitkraken.com/

⁴⁹ https://www.gitkraken.com/pricing#git-gui-features

⁵⁰ https://help.gitkraken.com/gitkraken-client/gitkraken-edu-pack/