5. Cloning a repo to local.

Cloning is the process of creating a copy of a remote repository to our local system. To clone a remote repository to our local system some steps have to be followed:

Step 1: Find the repository URL. It can be either HTTPS or SSH.

Step 2: Open a terminal or command prompt such as Git Bash on our local system.

Step 3: By using the cd command, navigate to the directory where we want to clone the remote repository.

Step 4: Now run the command ‘ git clone ‘ followed by the URL that we already copied in step 1.

Step 5: Once cloning is completed, a copy of the remote repository will be available in the specified directory.

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