

Lesson-End Project

Creating and Managing a Git Repository for HTML Project Deployment

Project agenda: To create and manage a Git repository for a basic HTML project, simulating a real-world version control workflow. The process includes initializing a local repository, staging and committing project files, linking the repository to a remote GitHub repository, and pushing the code to the remote server.

Description: This project includes setting up a Git-based version control workflow for a simple HTML website. You are tasked with creating a local project directory, adding HTML files (index.html and schedule_meeting.html), writing a ReadMe.md file for documentation, and initializing a Git repository. The repository should then be connected to a remote GitHub repository, where all project files are committed and pushed.

Tools required: GitHub

Prerequisites: Basic understanding of GitHub

Expected deliverables: A structured project directory and a fully configured Git repository for a basic HTML website, including a ReadMe.md file with descriptive documentation. The deliverables will demonstrate a complete Git workflow, starting from local repository initialization, staging and committing files, to configuring a remote origin and pushing code to GitHub.

Steps to be followed:

1. Create the project directory
2. Add HTML files to the project directory
3. Create a ReadMe.md file
4. Initialize a local Git Repository
5. Create a remote Repository on GitHub
6. Add the remote origin
7. Stage files for commit
8. Push the code to GitHub

Step 1: Create the project directory

1.1 Open your terminal and run the following command to create a new directory:

mkdir assignment

```
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~$ mkdir assignment
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~$
```

1.2 Enter the following command to navigate to the newly created directory:

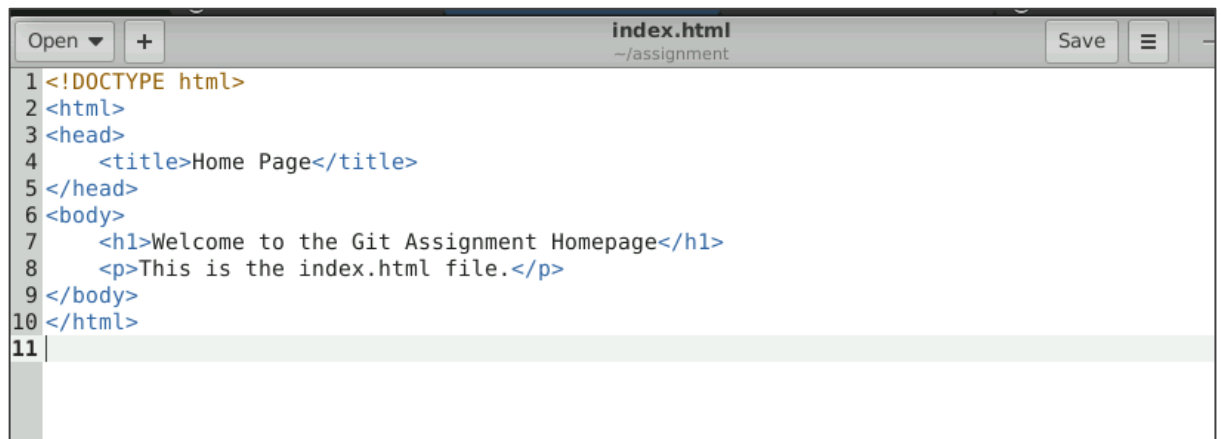
cd assignment

```
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~$ cd assignment
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$
```

Step 2: Add HTML files to the project directory

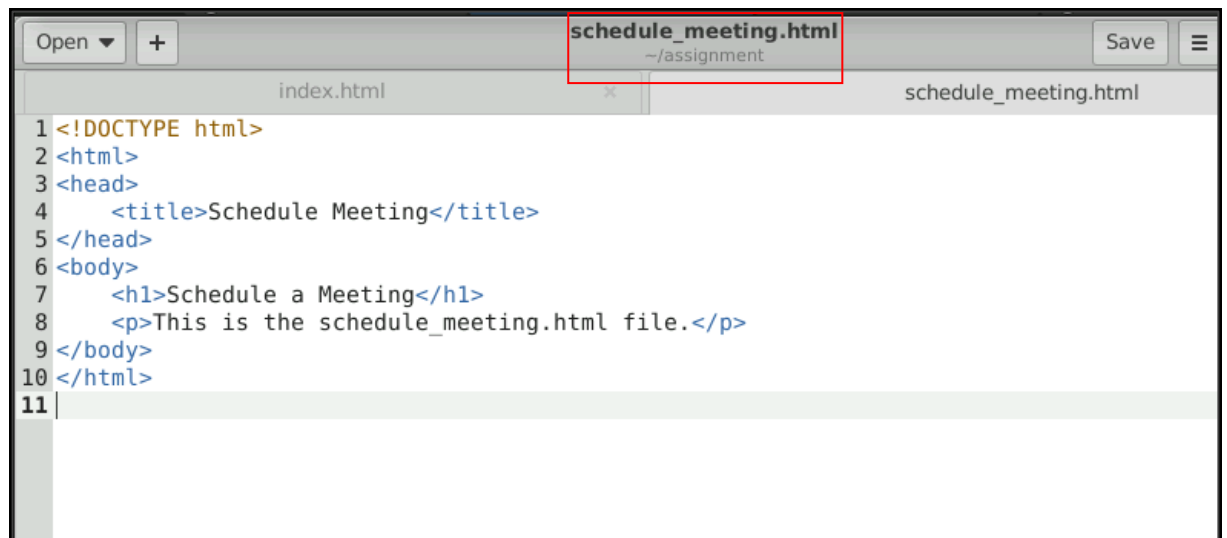
2.1 Open the text editor, create a file named `index.html`, and save it in the assignment folder; add the code below inside the file:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
  <title>Home Page</title>
</head>
<body>
  <h1>Welcome to the Git Assignment Homepage</h1>
  <p>This is the index.html file.</p>
</body>
</html>
```



2.2 Open the text editor, create a file named **`schedule_meeting.html`**, save it in the assignment folder, and add the code below inside the file:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
  <title>Schedule Meeting</title>
</head>
<body>
  <h1>Schedule a Meeting</h1>
  <p>This is the schedule_meeting.html file.</p>
</body>
</html>
```

A screenshot of a text editor window. The title bar shows 'schedule_meeting.html' and '~/.assignment'. The editor has two tabs: 'index.html' and 'schedule_meeting.html'. The 'schedule_meeting.html' tab is active, showing the following HTML code:

```
1 <!DOCTYPE html>
2 <html>
3 <head>
4   <title>Schedule Meeting</title>
5 </head>
6 <body>
7   <h1>Schedule a Meeting</h1>
8   <p>This is the schedule_meeting.html file.</p>
9 </body>
10 </html>
11 |
```

Step 3: Create a ReadMe.md file

- 3.1 Open the text editor and create a **ReadMe.md** file and save it in the assignment folder, add the line below inside the file:

This project contains two files: 'index.html' and 'schedule_meeting.html'.

A screenshot of a text editor window showing the content of a ReadMe.md file. The editor has a single tab with the following text:

```
1 # Git Assignment
2
3 This project contains two HTML files: `index.html` and `schedule_meeting.html`.
4
```

Step 4: Initialize a local Git Repository

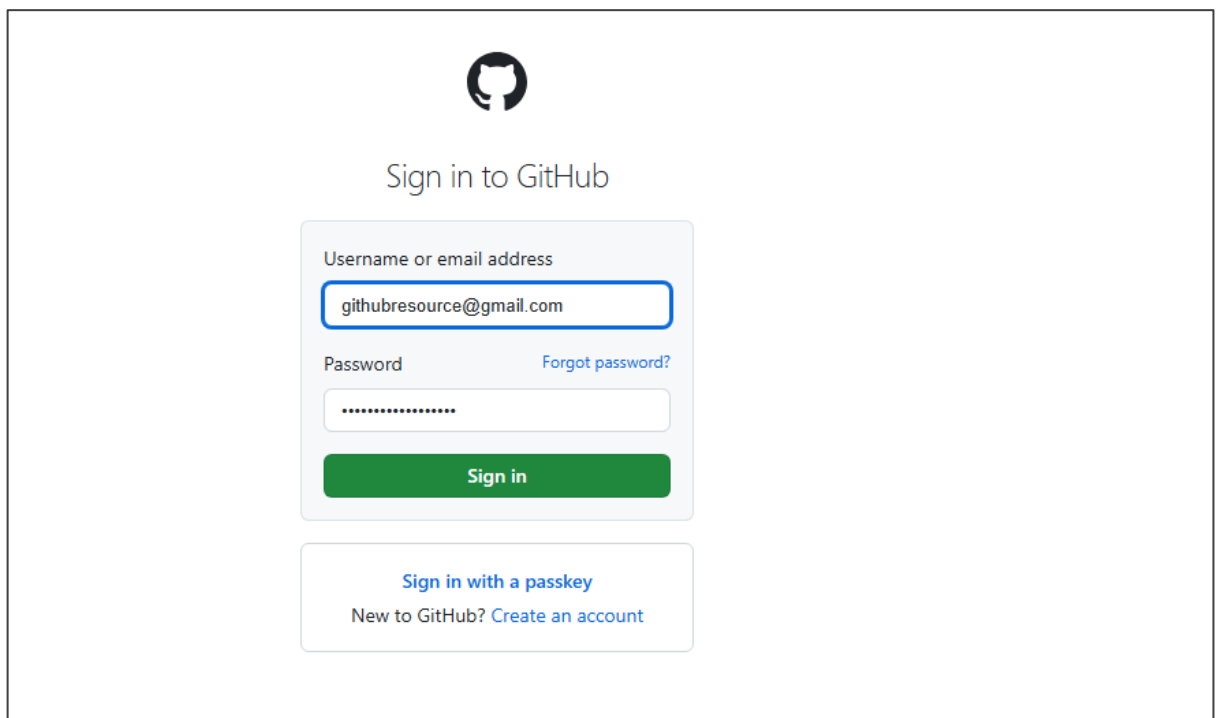
4.1 Open the terminal, in the assignment folder, run the command below:

git init

```
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$ git init
hint: Using 'master' as the name for the initial branch. This default branch name
hint: is subject to change. To configure the initial branch name to use in all
hint: of your new repositories, which will suppress this warning, call:
hint:
hint:   git config --global init.defaultBranch <name>
hint:
hint: Names commonly chosen instead of 'master' are 'main', 'trunk' and
hint: 'development'. The just-created branch can be renamed via this command:
hint:
hint:   git branch -m <name>
Initialized empty Git repository in /home/labuser/assignment/.git/
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$
```

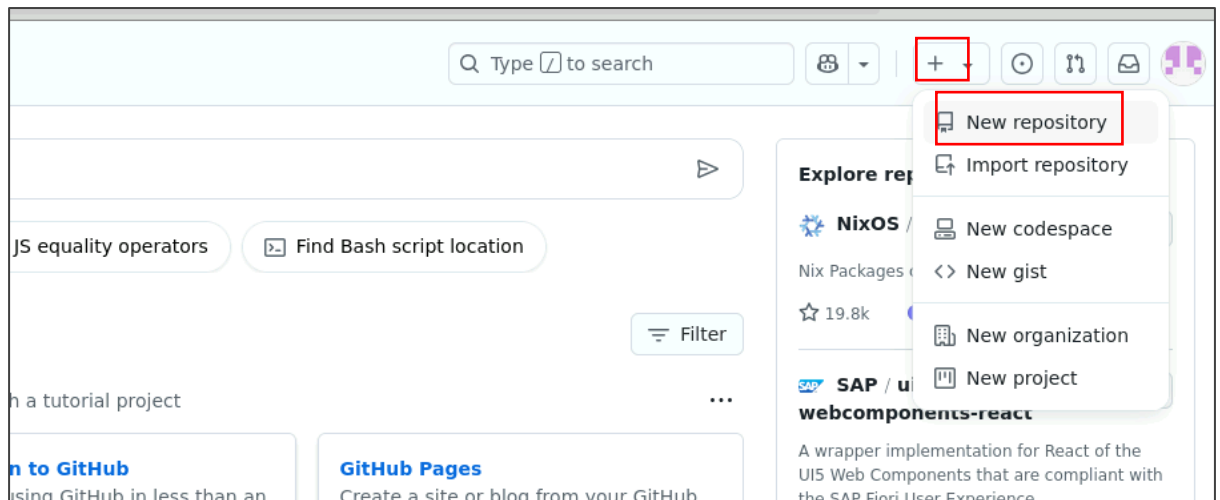
Step 5: Create a remote Repository on GitHub

5.1 Login to your GitHub account

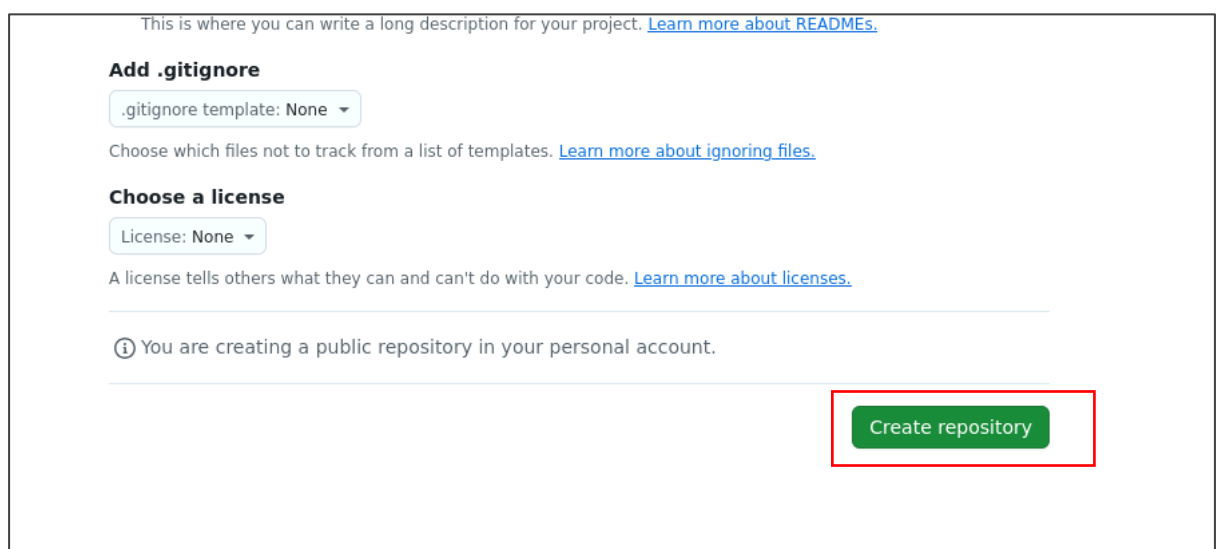
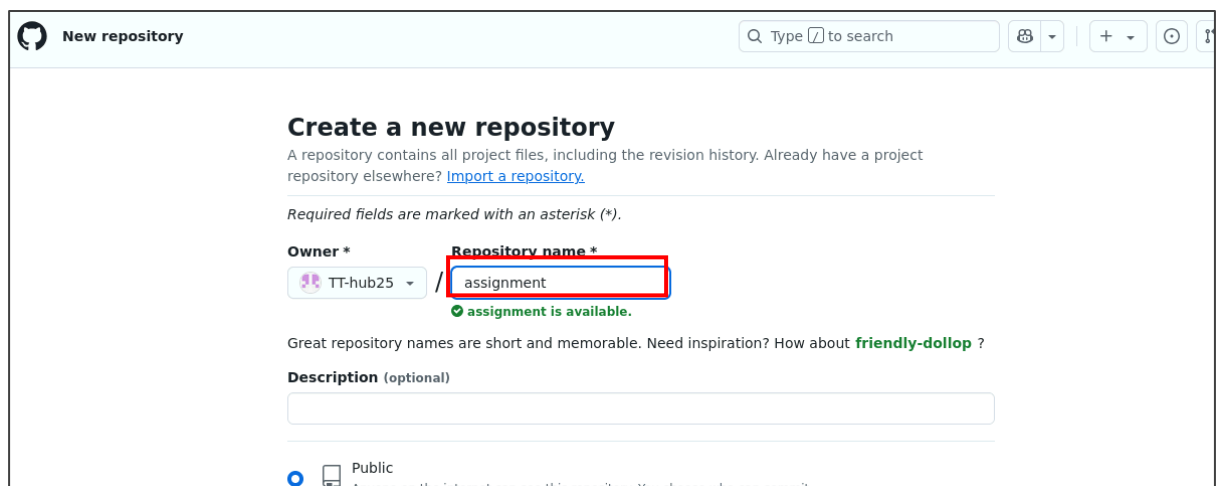


The image shows the GitHub sign-in page. At the top is the GitHub logo. Below it is the text "Sign in to GitHub". The main form has two input fields: "Username or email address" with the value "githubresource@gmail.com" and "Password" with masked characters. There is a "Forgot password?" link next to the password field. Below the inputs is a green "Sign in" button. At the bottom, there is a link "Sign in with a passkey" and a link "New to GitHub? Create an account".

5.2 Click on + and select **New repository**



5.3 Enter the Repository name as **assignment** and click on **Create repository**



Step 6: Add the remote origin

6.1 In your terminal, link the local repo with the remote repository by executing the command below:

git remote add origin <https://github.com/yourusername/assignment.git>

```
Initialized empty Git repository in /home/labuser/assignment/.git/  
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$ git remote add origin https://github.co/TT-hub25/assignment.git  
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$
```

Note: In the above command, replace **yourusername** with your GitHub username.

Step 7: Stage files for commit

7.1 In the terminal, add all files in the directory to the staging area using the command below:

git add .

```
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$ git add .  
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$
```

7.2 Run the command below to check which files are staged and ready to commit:

git status

```
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$ git status  
On branch master  
  
No commits yet  
  
Changes to be committed:  
  (use "git rm --cached <file>..." to unstage)  
    new file:   README.md  
    new file:   index.html  
    new file:   schedule_meeting.html  
  
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$
```

7.3 Commit the staged files with a meaningful message using the command below:

git commit -m "Initial commit with HTML files and README"

```
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$ git commit -m "Initial commit with HTML files and README"
Author identity unknown

*** Please tell me who you are.

Run

  git config --global user.email "you@example.com"
  git config --global user.name "Your Name"

to set your account's default identity.
Omit --global to set the identity only in this repository.

fatal: empty ident name (for <labuser@ip-172-31-27-85.ec2.internal>) not allowed
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$
```

Step 8: Push the code to GitHub

8.1 Push the code to the remote repository's master branch using the command below:

git push -u origin master

```
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$ git push -u origin master
Username for 'https://github.com': TT-hub25
Password for 'https://TT-hub25@github.com':
Enumerating objects: 5, done.
Counting objects: 100% (5/5), done.
Delta compression using up to 2 threads
Compressing objects: 100% (5/5), done.
Writing objects: 100% (5/5), 648 bytes | 648.00 KiB/s, done.
Total 5 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0), pack-reused 0
To https://github.com/TT-hub25/assignment.git
 * [new branch]      master -> master
Branch 'master' set up to track remote branch 'master' from 'origin'.
labuser@ip-172-31-27-85:~/assignment$
```

By following these steps, you have successfully created and managed a Git repository for a basic HTML project, simulating a real-world version control workflow.