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There are several Subversion workflows and properties that are similar to existing functionality on GitHub Enterprise Server.

> **Note**: Subversion support will be removed from GitHub on January 8, 2024. A future release of GitHub Enterprise Server after January 8, 2024 will also remove Subversion support. To read more about this, see [the GitHub blog](#).

Executable files (`svn:executable`) 🔗

We convert `svn:executable` properties by updating the file mode directly before adding it to the Git repository.

MIME types (`svn:mime-type`) 🔗

GitHub Enterprise Server internally tracks the mime-type properties of files and the commits that added them.

Ignoring unversioned items (`svn:ignore`) 🔗

If you've set files and directories to be ignored in Subversion, GitHub Enterprise Server will track them internally. Files ignored by subversion clients are completely distinct from entries in a *.gitignore* file.

Currently unsupported properties 🔗

GitHub Enterprise Server doesn't currently support `svn:externals`, `svn:global-ignores`, or any properties not listed above, including custom properties.