

DevNet Experts.

Topic- GIT & GITLAB







OVERVIEW



- What is Version control?
- What is Source Code Management?
- What is Git?
- What is GitLab?

What is Version Control?

- Practice of tracking and managing changes to source code
- Source code can be anything like software code to build web sites, games, scientific applications
- Even network configuration files that contain the current state of the network
- Helps development teams to speed up development process in a dynamic and fast paced environment
- Helps devops teams to keep up the pace with development teams to speed up deployments

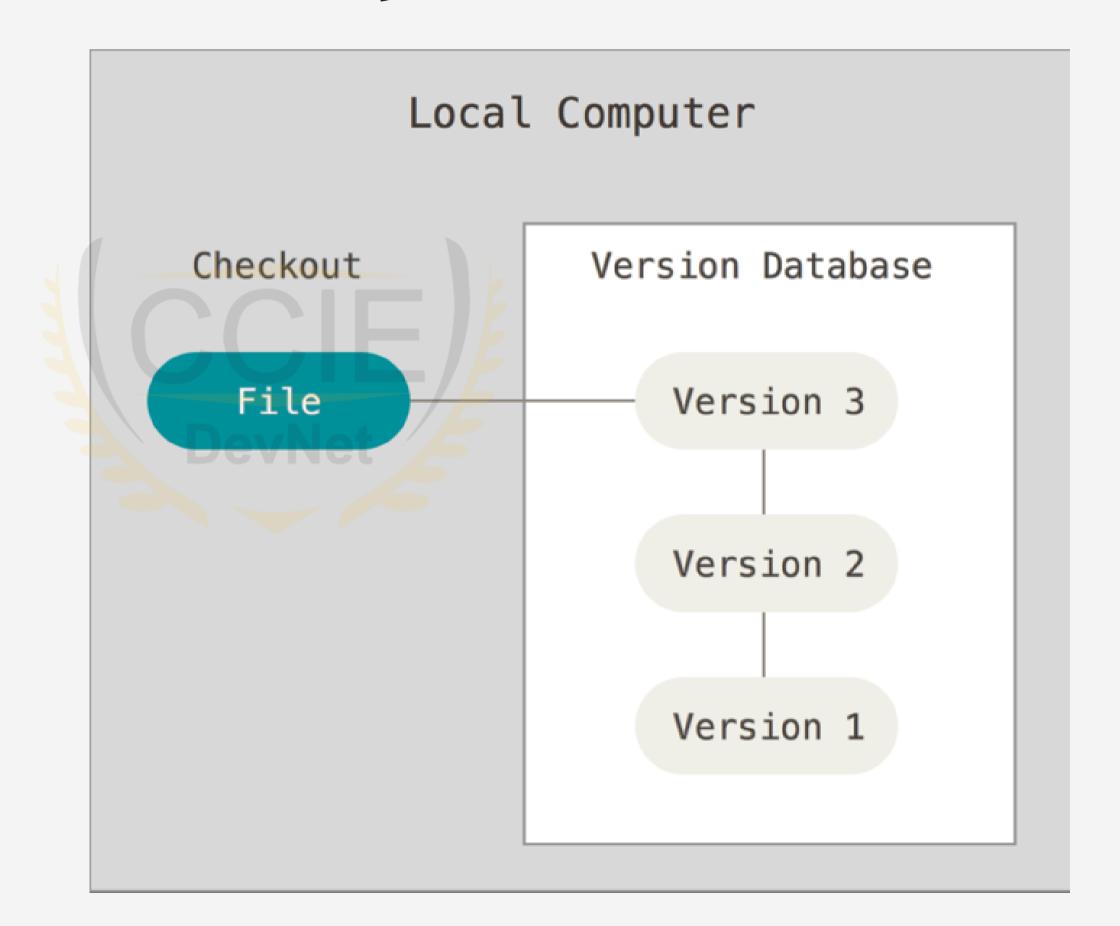


What is Source Code Management?

- Practice of tracking modification to a source code repository
- Tracks running history of changes to the code repository
- Helps resolve conflicts when merging updates from multiple contributors
- Helps to keep the communication overhead and management complexity when the repository and the number of contributors grow large



Local Version Control Systems.



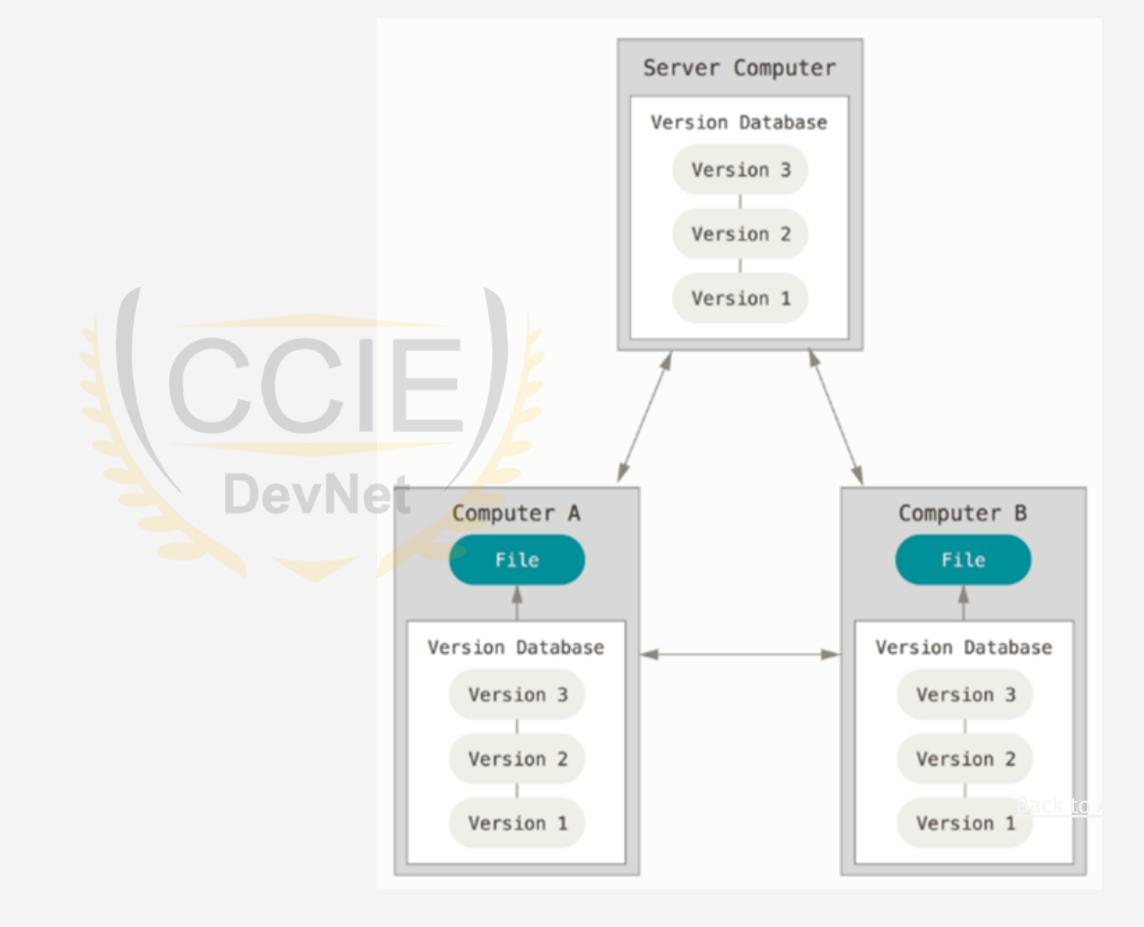


Centralized Version Control Systems.

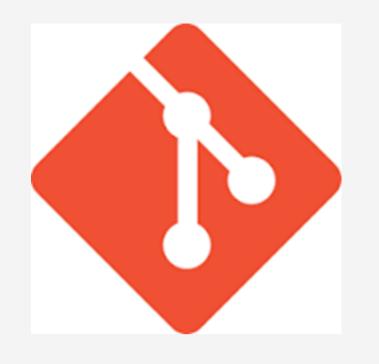
Central VCS Server Computer A Version Database File Version 3 Version 2 Computer B Version 1 File



Distributed Version Control Systems.







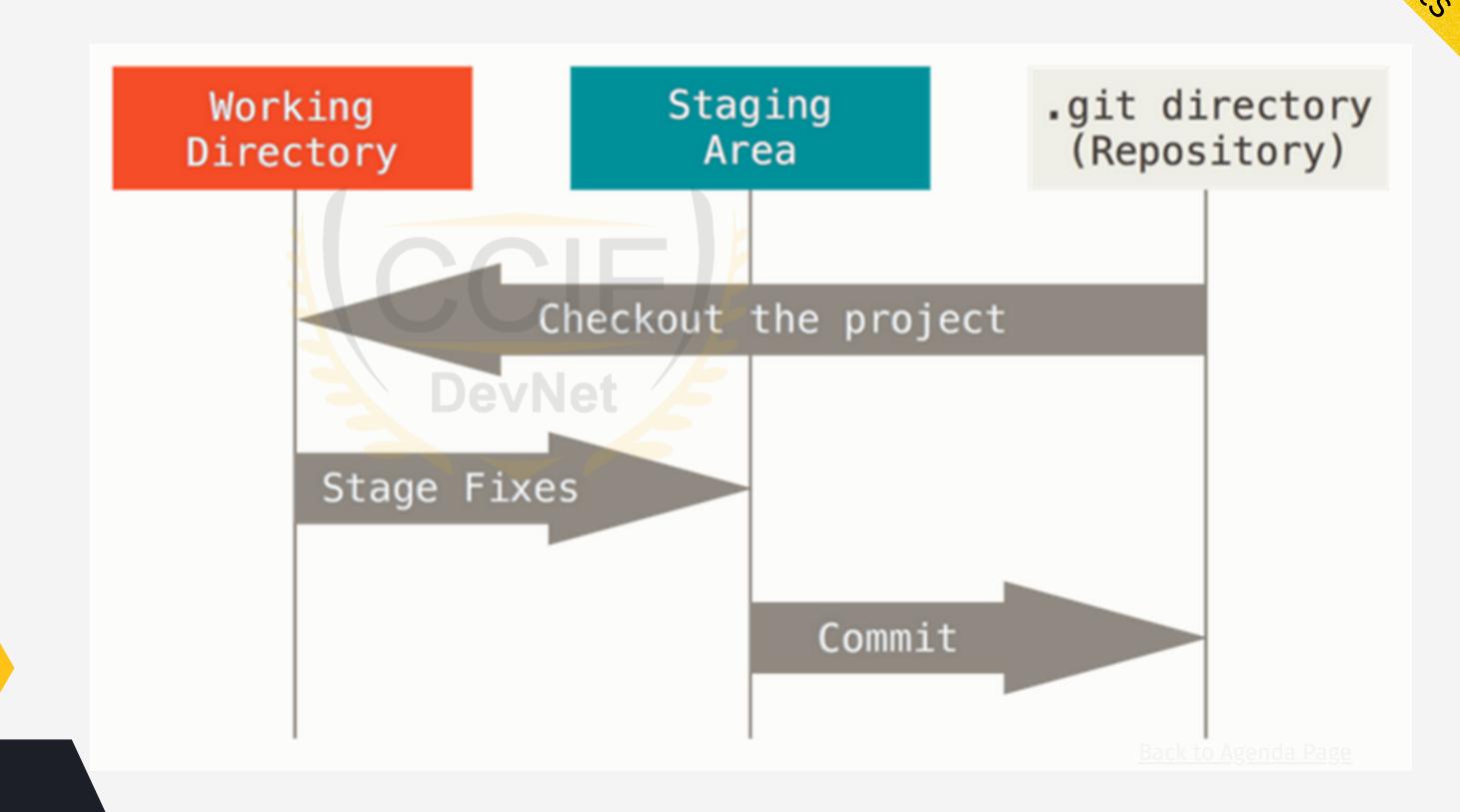
What is Git?

- Free and Open Source software for distributed version control.
- Files maintained by Git are mainly in three states.
- 1. **Modified** File is changed but not committed to a database
- 2. **Staged** Modified file marked in its current version to go into next commit
- 3. **Committed** Modifications are safely stored to the local versioning database



What is Git? (cont.)

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What is GitLab?

- Can be thought of as Web based version of Git plus some additional features
- GitLab adds the distributed aspect to Git version control and source code management
- GitLab projects hold the source code repositories





What is GitLab? (cont.)

Some additional features of GitLab

- Managing source code via GitLab projects
- Sharing source code Anyone with a link can clone a gitlab project into their local machine
- Wiki or Code Documentation Source code and the related documentation can be maintained together
- Bug tracking Has a built in issue tracking system
- CI/CD Supports Ci/CD via GitLab pipelines which are executed using GitLab Runners





