Principles of Software Construction: Objects, Design, and Concurrency

Managing change (2)

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Administrivia

- Homework 6 checkpoint deadline (Monday, April 30th)
- Homework 6 due Wednesday, May 2nd
- Final exam Monday May 7th 5:30-8:30 PH 100
- Review session Saturday May 5th WH 5403

Key concepts from Tuesday

Components of Modern CM

Version Control: Branches/Forks/Workflows Task and Build managers Build machines, virtual environments (dev stacks) Package managers Containers, VMs, in the Cloud Deployment – Infrastructure as Code. Data migration

Other issues: orchestration, inventory, compliance



Semantic Versioning for Releases

- Given a version number MAJOR.MINOR.PATCH, increment the:
 - MAJOR version when you make incompatible API changes,
 - MINOR version when you add functionality in a backwards-compatible manner, and
 - PATCH version when you make backwards-compatible bug fixes.
- Additional labels for pre-release and build metadata are available as extensions to the MAJOR.MINOR.PATCH format.

http://semver.org/

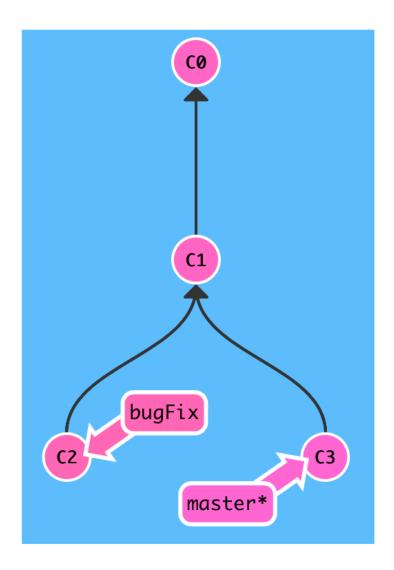


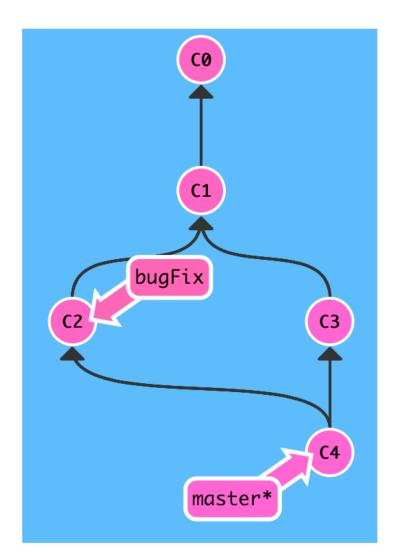
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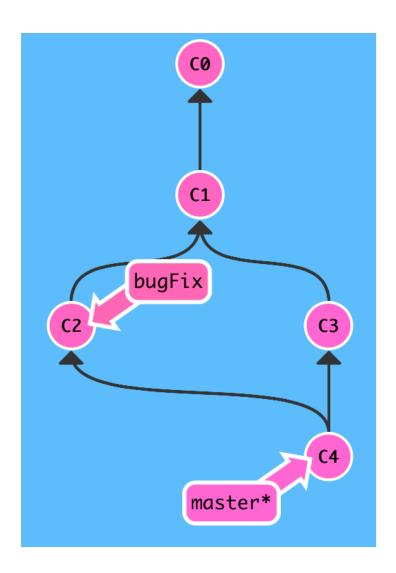
Three ways to move work around between branches
1) git merge bugFix (into master)

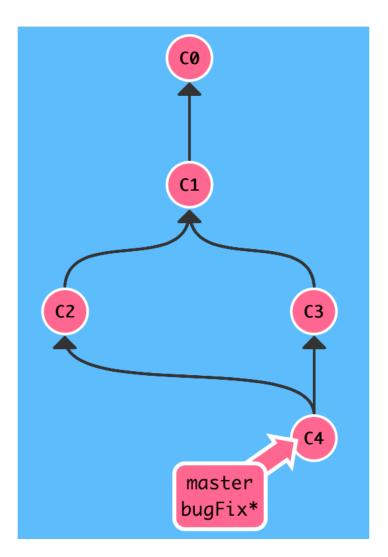






git checkout bugfix; git merge master (into bugFix)

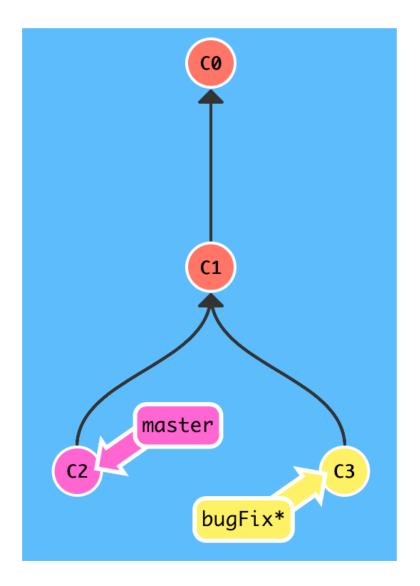


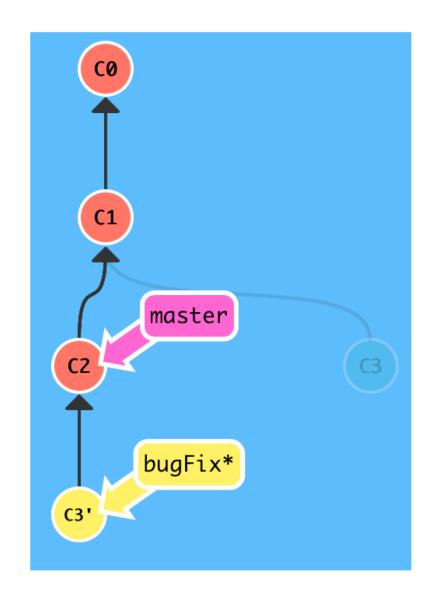




Move work from bugFix directly onto master

2) git rebase master

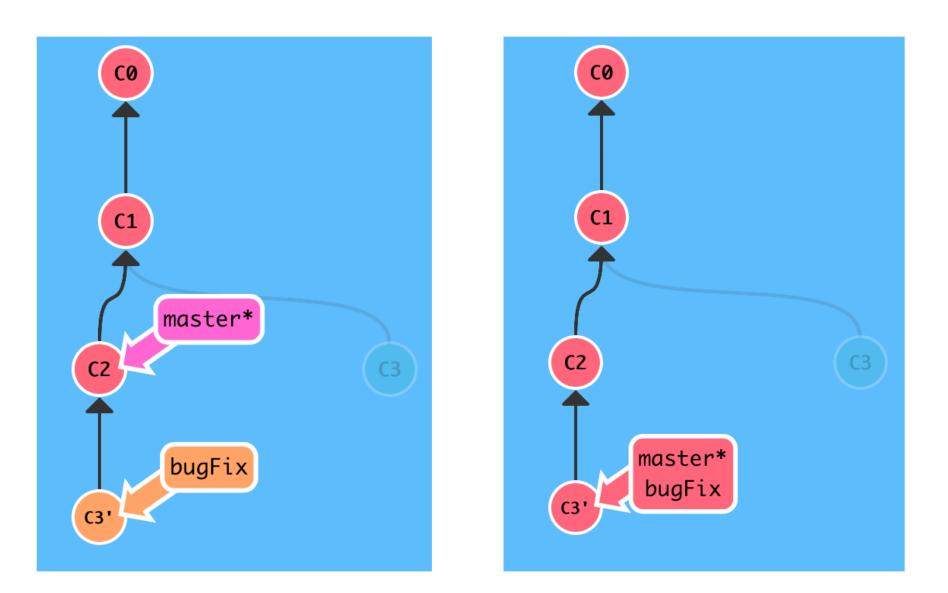






But master hasn't been updated, so:

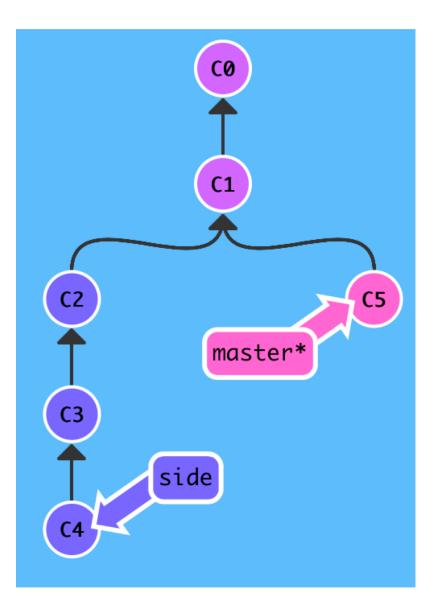
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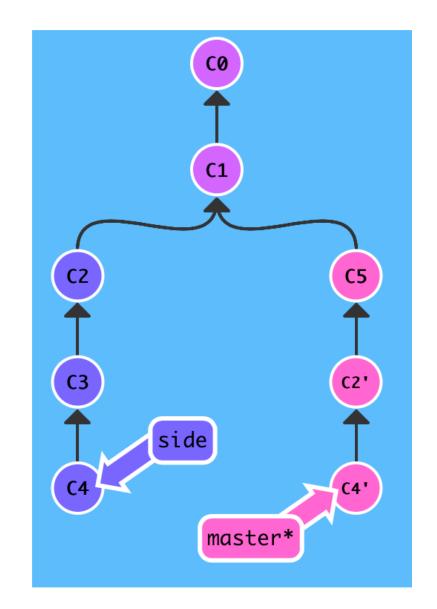


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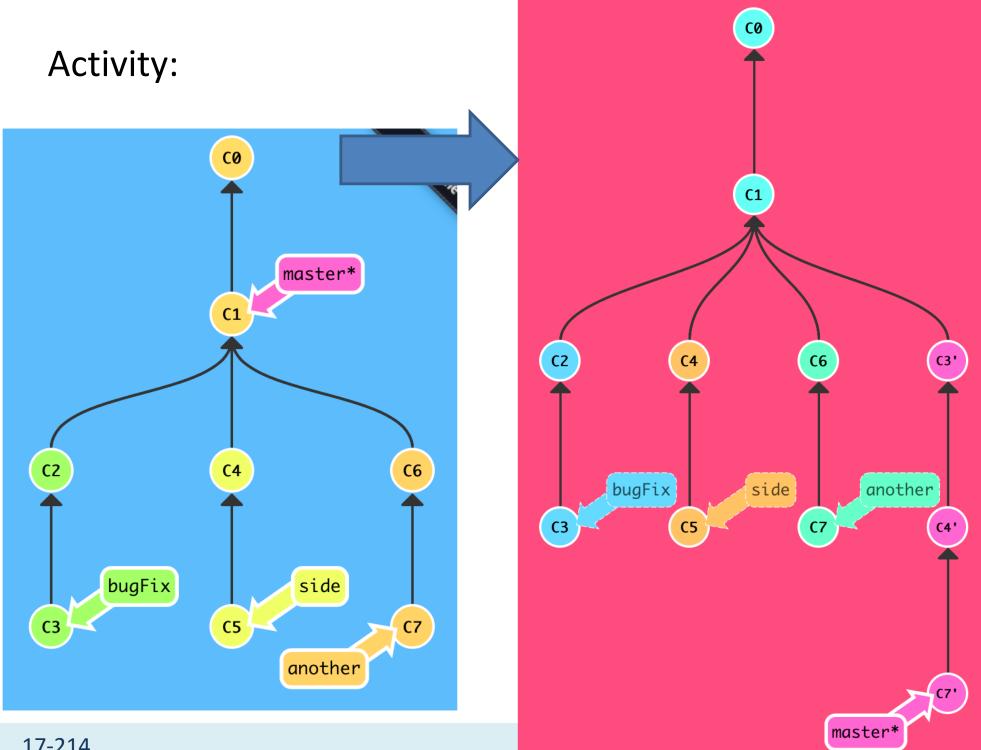
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3) git cherry-pick C2 C4



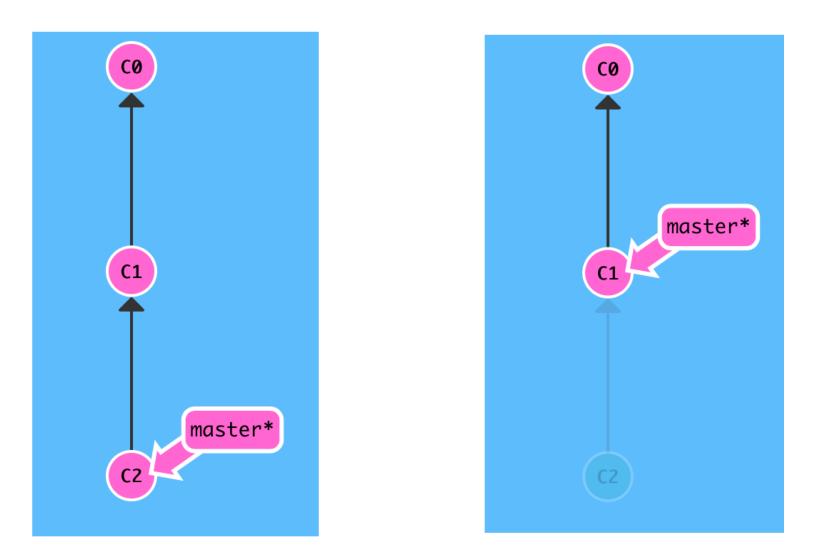






Ways to undo work (1) git reset HEAD~1

HEAD is the symbolic name for the currently checked out commit

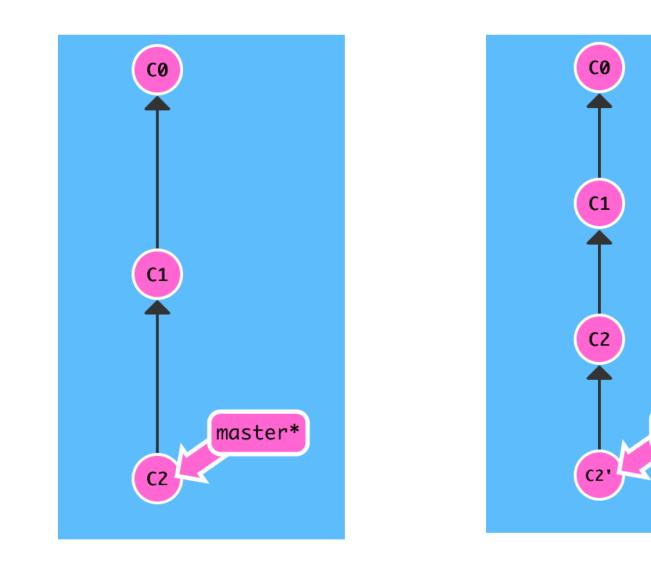




Ways to undo work (2)

git reset does not work for remote branches

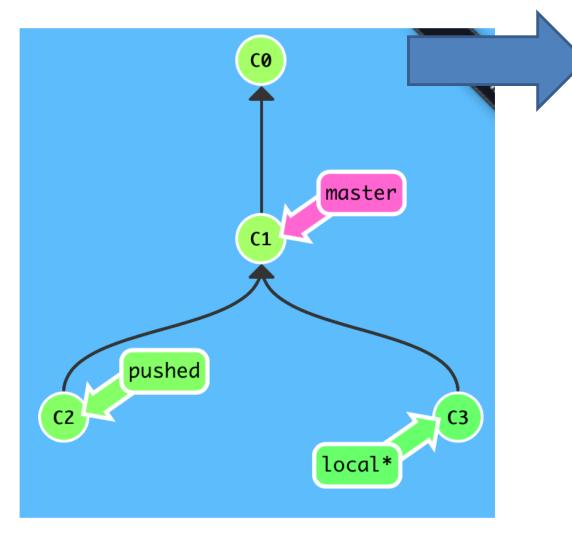
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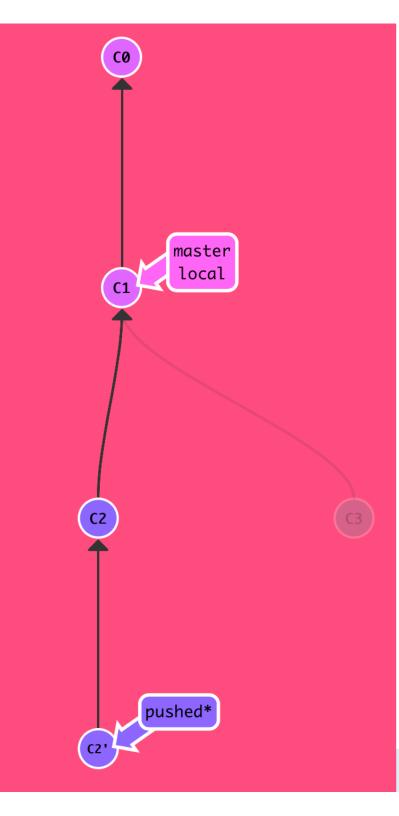




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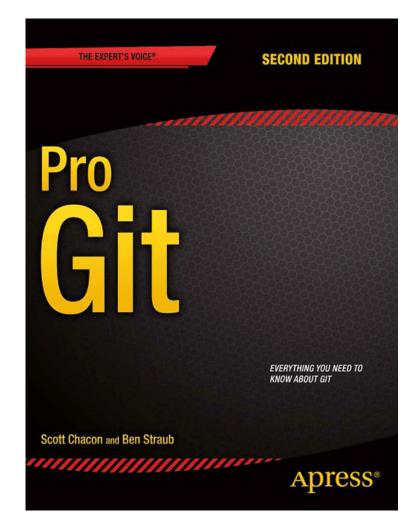






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 (second) most useful life skill you will have learned in 214



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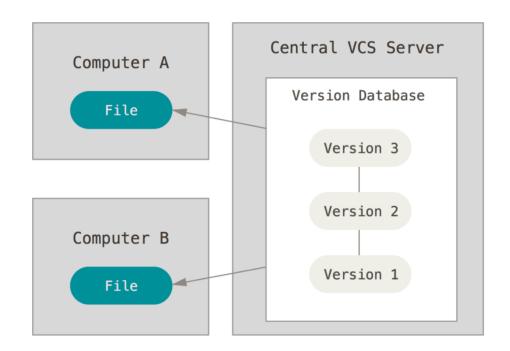


TYPES OF VERSION CONTROL



Centralized version control

- Single server that contains all the versioned files
- Clients check out/in files from that central place
- E.g., CVS, SVN (Subversion), and Perforce

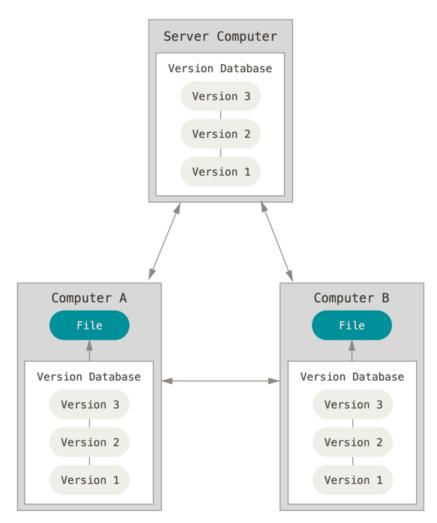


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Distributed version control

- Clients fully mirror the repository
 - Every clone is a full backup of *all* the data
- E.g., Git, Mercurial, Bazaar



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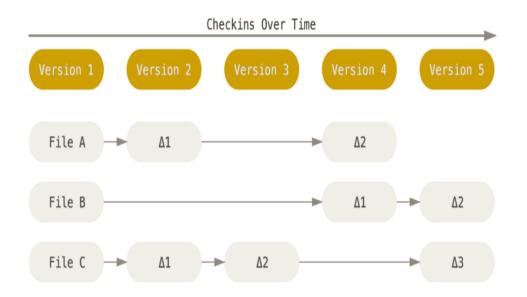


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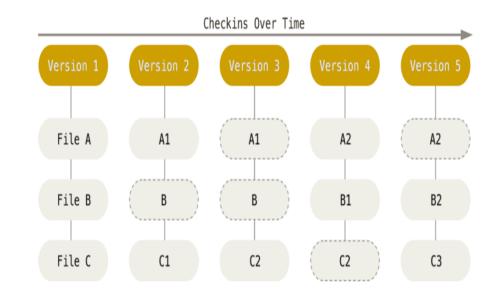
• In pairs, discuss advantages and disadvantages of centralized (e.g., SVN) vs decentralized (e.g., git) version control



Aside: Internals SVN (left) vs. Git (right)



- SVN stores changes to a base version of each file
- Version numbers (1, 2, 3, ...) are increased by one after each commit

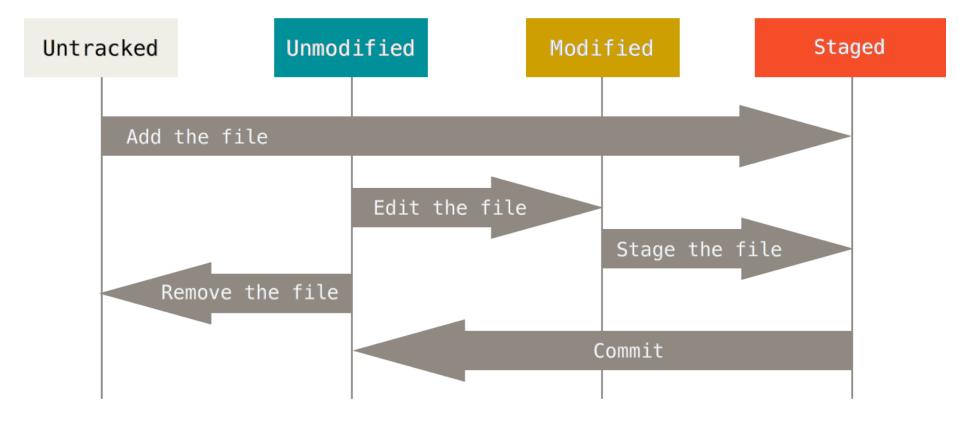


- Git stores each version as a snapshot
- If files have not changed, only a link to the previous file is stored
- Each version is referred by the SHA-1 hash of the contents

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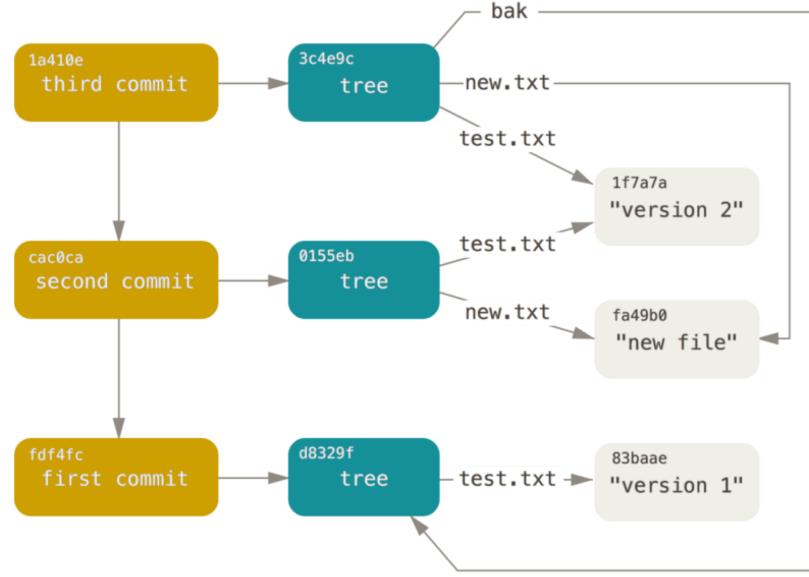


Aside: Git process



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Aside: Git object graph



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Aside: Which files to manage

- All code and noncode files
 - Java code
 - Build scripts
 - Documentation
- Exclude generated files (.class, ...)
- Most version control systems have a mechanism to exclude files (e.g., .gitignore)



Summary

- Version control has many advantages
 - History, traceability, versioning
 - Collaborative and parallel development
- Locking vs. merging and merge conflicts
- Collaboration with branches
- From local to central to distributed version control

