

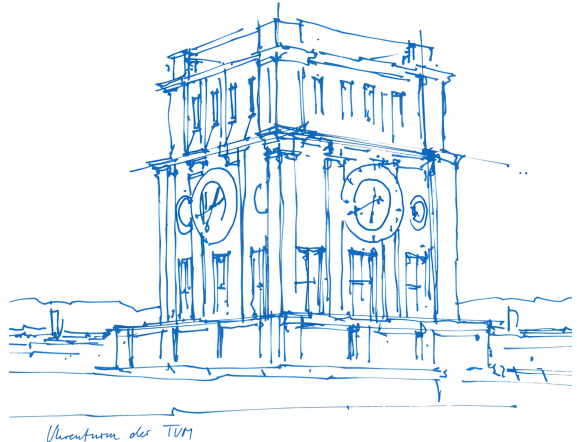
Open Source Lab

Source Code Hosting

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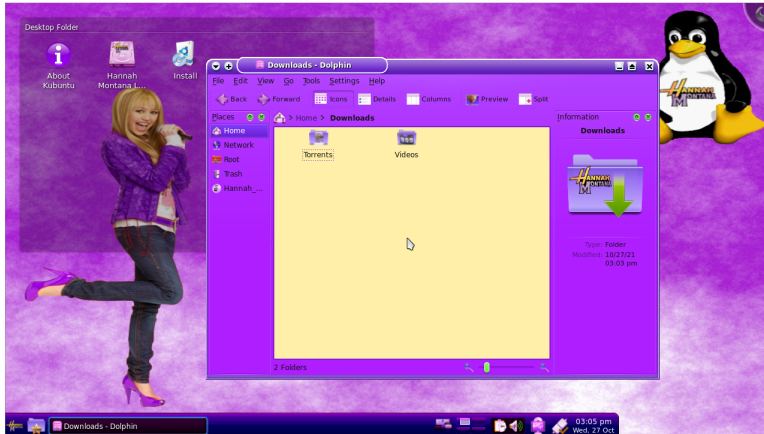
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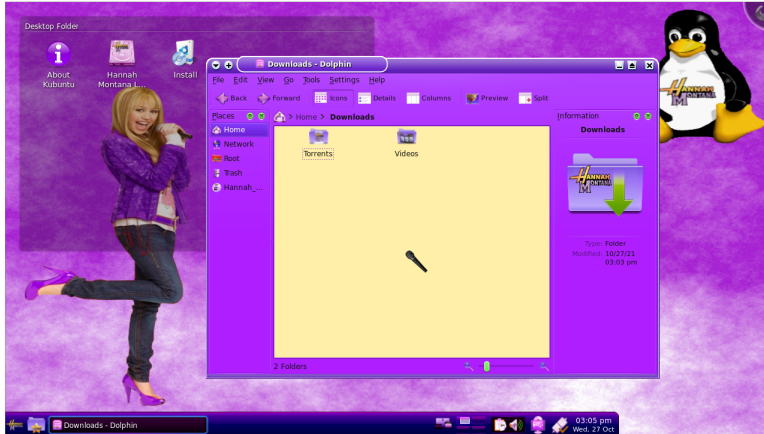


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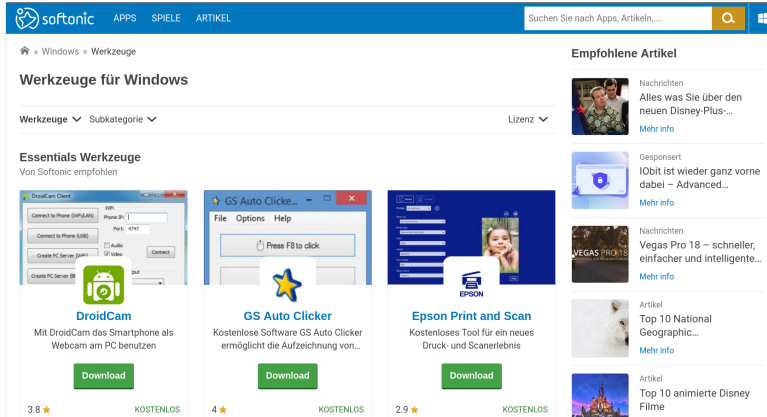


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A Way to Publish





The screenshot shows the Softonic website interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with 'softonic', 'APPS', 'SPIELE', and 'ARTIKEL'. A search bar on the right says 'Suchen Sie nach Apps, Artikeln,...'. Below the navigation bar, the breadcrumb trail reads '» Windows » Werkzeuge'. The main heading is 'Werkzeuge für Windows'. There are dropdown menus for 'Werkzeuge' and 'Subkategorie', and a 'Lizenz' dropdown. The section 'Essentials Werkzeuge' is highlighted, with the text 'Von Softonic empfohlen'. Three software cards are displayed: 'DroidCam' (3.8 stars, KOSTENLOS), 'GS Auto Clicker' (4 stars, KOSTENLOS), and 'Epson Print and Scan' (2.9 stars, KOSTENLOS). Each card includes a screenshot of the software interface, a description, and a green 'Download' button. On the right side, there's a section 'Empfohlene Artikel' (Recommended Articles) with a list of articles, each with a thumbnail, title, and a 'Mehr info' link.

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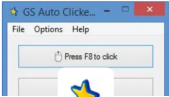


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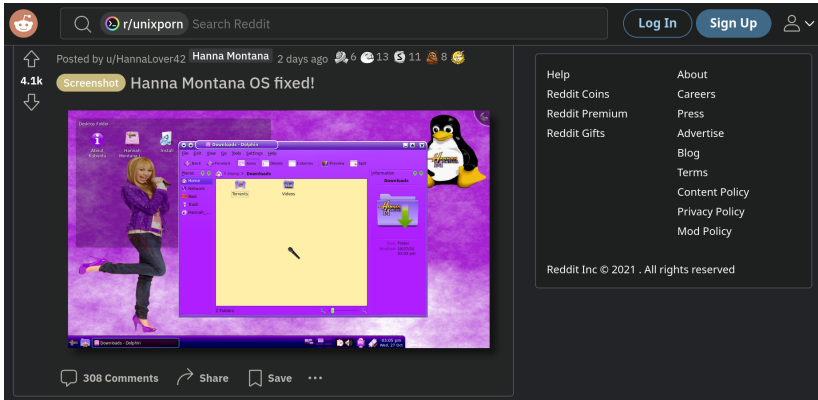
Top 10 National Geographic...

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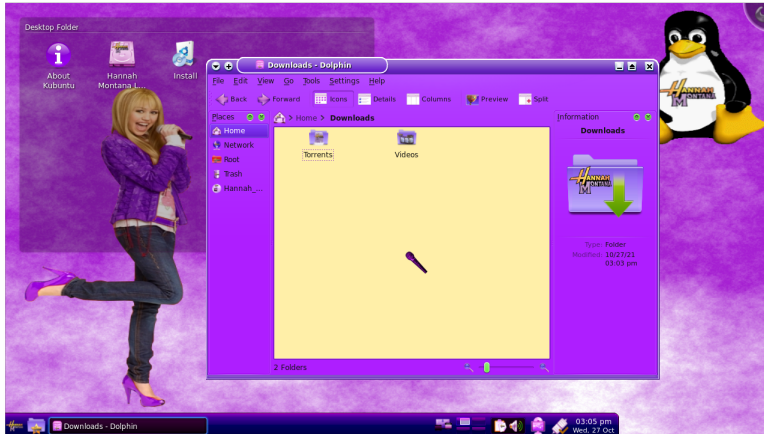


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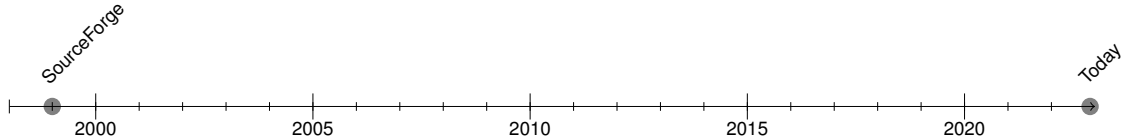


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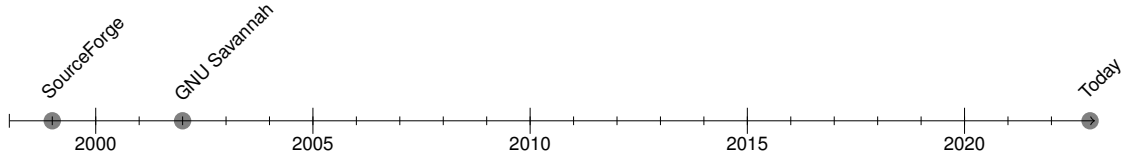
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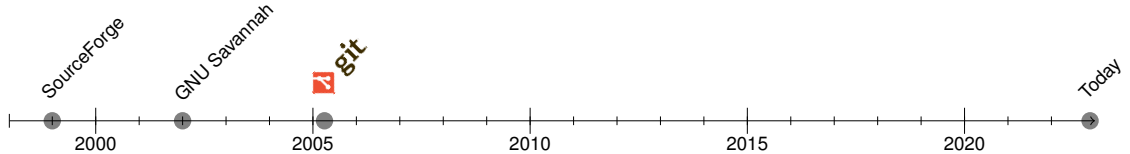
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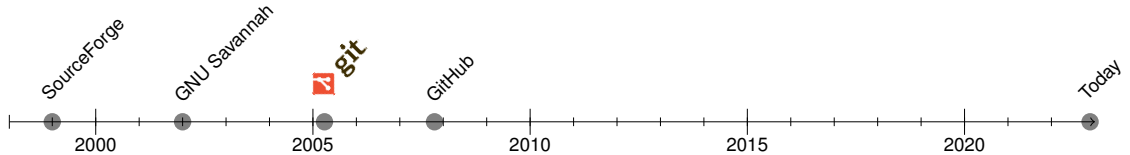
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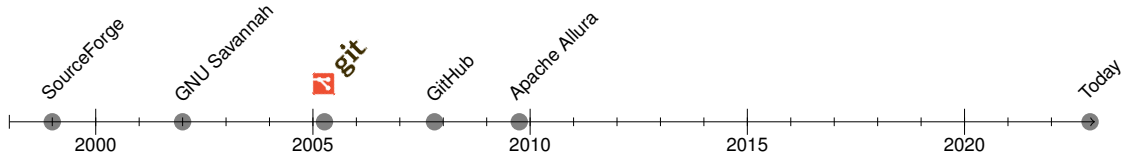
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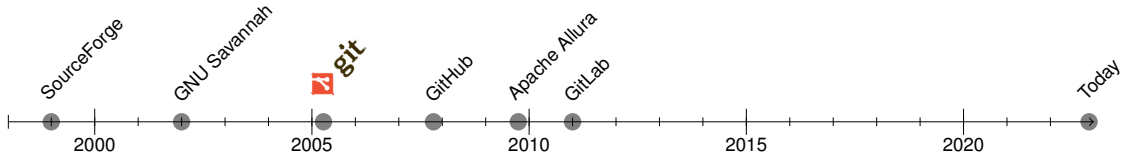
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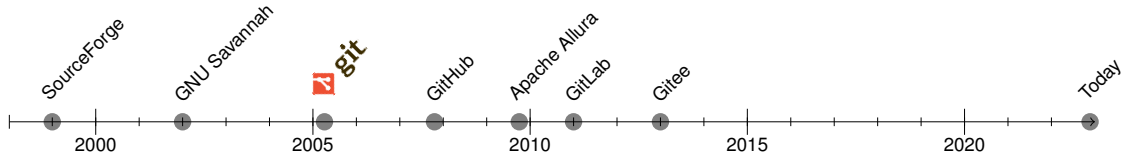
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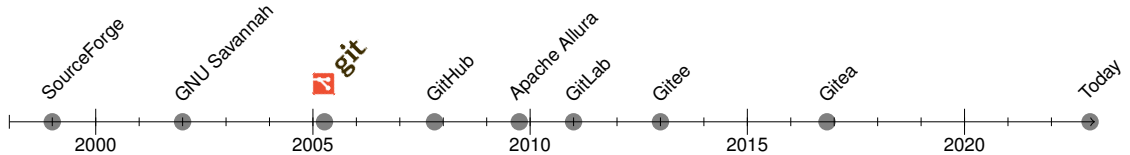
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Advantages

- The threaded nature of emails.
- User generation of patches.
- Free mixing of discussion and patches.
- Does **not** depend on a company!

Based on: <https://begriffs.com/posts/2018-06-05-mailing-list-vs-github.html>

Mailing Lists - Example

```

From      Chengfeng Ye <>
Subject   [PATCH] sound/usb: fix null pointer dereference on pointer cs_desc
Date      Sun, 24 Oct 2021 04:17:36 -0700

The pointer cs_desc return from snd_usb_find_clock_source could
be null, so there is a potential null pointer dereference issue.
Fix this by adding a null check before dereference.

Fixes: 9ec73005 ("ALSA: usb-audio: Refactoring UAC2/3 clock setup code")
Signed-off-by: Chengfeng Ye <cyeaa@connect.ust.hk>
---
 sound/usb/clock.c | 4 +++
 1 file changed, 4 insertions(+)

diff --git a/sound/usb/clock.c b/sound/usb/clock.c
index 81d5ce07d548..98345a695dcc 100644
--- a/sound/usb/clock.c
+++ b/sound/usb/clock.c
@@ -496,6 +496,10 @@ int snd_usb_set_sample_rate_v2v3(struct snd_usb_audio *chip,
     union uac23_clock_source_desc *cs_desc;

     cs_desc = snd_usb_find_clock_source(chip, clock, fmt->protocol);
+
+    if (!cs_desc)
+        return 0;
+
     if (fmt->protocol == UAC_VERSION_3)
         bmControls = le32_to_cpu(cs_desc->v3.bmControls);
     else
--
2.17.1

```

Source: <https://lkml.org/lkml/2021/10/24/86>

Git Diff

```
git diff <commit-hash-1> <commit-hash-2>
```

```
diff --git a/cpr/curlholder.cpp b/cpr/curlholder.cpp
index 4596ed7f..c70026ec 100644
--- a/cpr/curlholder.cpp
+++ b/cpr/curlholder.cpp
@@ -29,7 +29,7 @@ CurlHolder::~CurlHolder() {

    std::string CurlHolder::urlEncode(const std::string& s) const {
        assert(handle);
-       char* output = curl_easy_escape(handle, s.c_str(), s.length());
+       char* output = curl_easy_escape(handle, s.c_str(), static_cast<int>(s.length()));
        if (output) {
            std::string result = output;
            curl_free(output);
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Git Patch

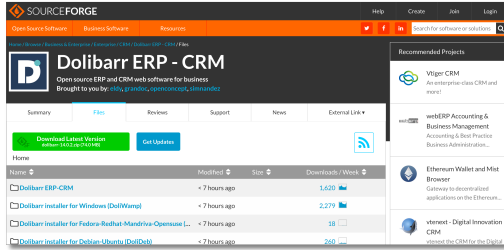
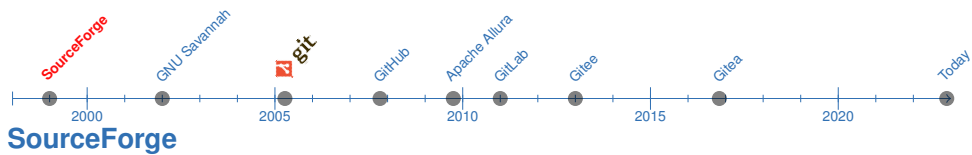
```
git format-patch -1 <commit-hash>
```

```
From 67b5c0be845d6b6e3a3bf8ed0c1fe38c533c22dc Mon Sep 17 00:00:00 2001
From: Kili <kili+git@mailbox.org>
Date: Tue, 19 Oct 2021 17:45:37 +0200
Subject: [PATCH] Fix bugprone narrowing conversions
```

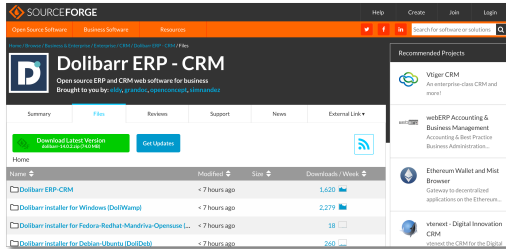
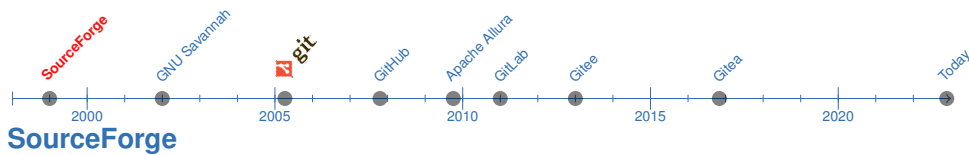
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---
cpr/curlholder.cpp | 4 +---
cpr/util.cpp | 3 +-
2 files changed, 4 insertions(+), 3 deletions(-)

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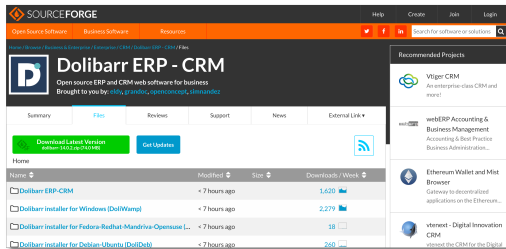
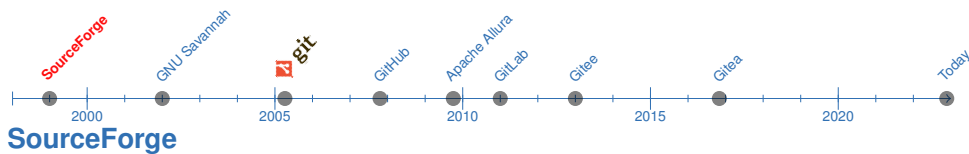


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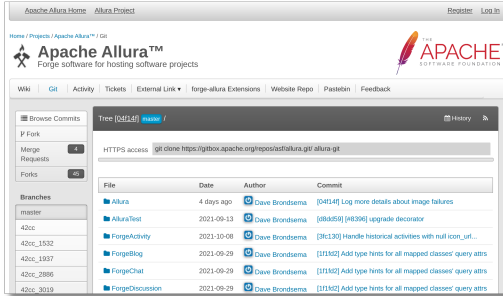
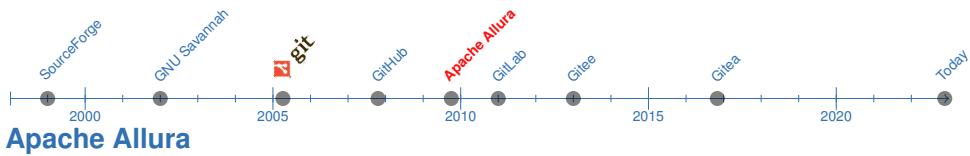
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- Founded in 1999
- First provider of a centralized location for free and open-source software
- PHP backend released in January 2000 (SourceForge Alexandria)
- Last **free** release November 2001
- Then SourceForge Enterprise Edition or SFEE ⇒ TeamForge
- Between 2003 and 2005, a lot of stuff was broken
- 2006 first profitable quarter and integration of Google ads
- Since 2013, bundleware

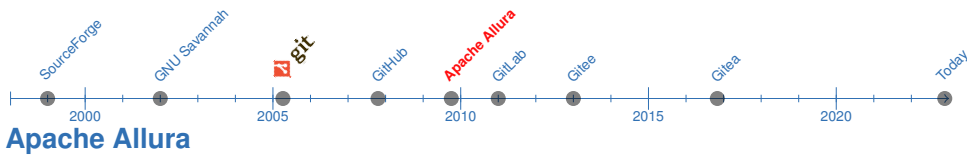


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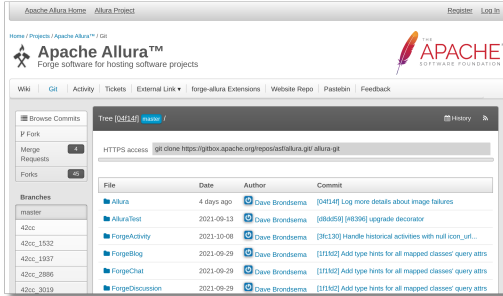
- Has been temporarily banned in China three times: in September 2002, July 2008 (for about a month), and August 6, 2012 (for several days).
- September 2012: Acquired from Geeknet by the online job site Dice.com for \$20 million
- January 2016: Sold to the San Diego-based BIZX, LLC (Slashdot Media since 2019) for an undisclosed amount



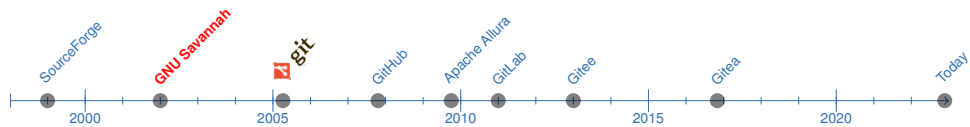
<https://forge-allura.apache.org/p/allura/git/ci/master/tree/>



- Started in October 2009 as a Python, open-source reimplementation for the developer tools from SourceForge
- First announced in March 2011
- Platform for new projects on SourceForge since July 2011
- Since March 2013, part of the Apache Software Foundation (ASF)



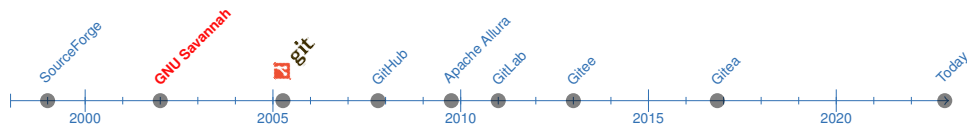
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GNU Savannah

The screenshot shows the GNU GRUB - Git Repositories page on GNU Savannah. The page has a yellow header with the GNU Savannah logo (a bull) and the title "GNU GRUB - Git Repositories". Below the header is a navigation bar with links: Group, Main, Homepage, Download, Mailing lists, Source code, Bugs, Tasks, and News. The main content area is divided into two sections: "Browsing the Git Repository" and "Getting a Copy of the Git Repository". The "Browsing the Git Repository" section contains a paragraph about browsing the repository and a link to "Browse Sources Repository". The "Getting a Copy of the Git Repository" section contains two subsections: "Anonymous clone:" and "Member clone:", each followed by a code block showing the git clone command. The left sidebar contains links for "Not Logged in", "This Page", "Search", "Hosted Projects", and "Site Help".

<https://savannah.gnu.org>

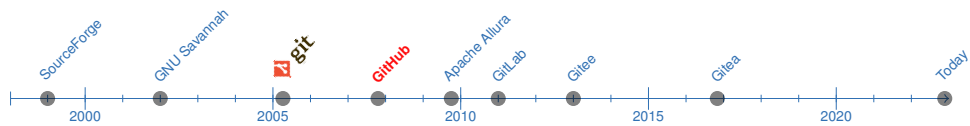


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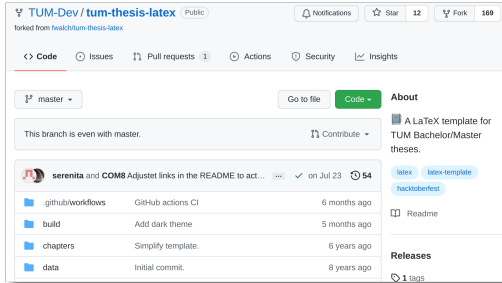
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<https://savannah.gnu.org>

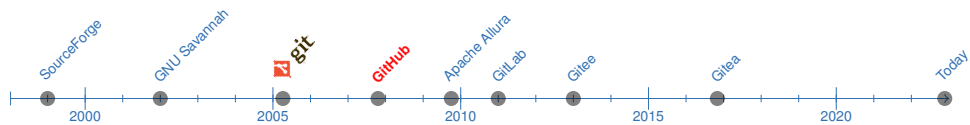
- Loïc Dachary installed SourceForge for GNU projects.
- SourceForge turned into proprietary software ⇒ fork (2001/2002)
- Only for free software without **ANY** proprietary parts like image formats, etc.
- Split into savannah.gnu.org and savannah.nongnu.org
- Host for all GNU projects



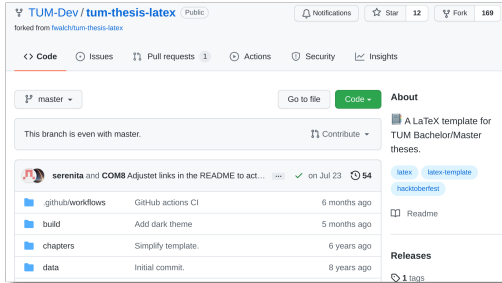
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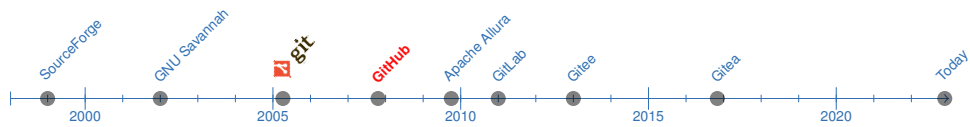


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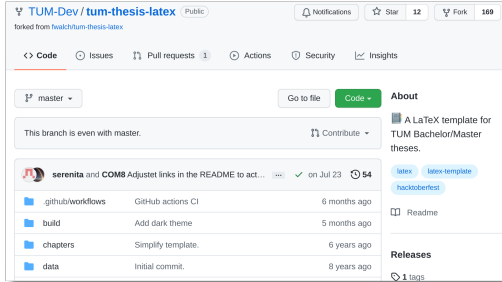


<https://github.com>

- Initially written using Ruby on Rails, but more recently broken up into services using e.g. Go, Java and even some Haskell
- Development of the GitHub.com platform began on October 19, 2007
- Launched in April 2008
- 2010 surpassed SourceForge and Google Code

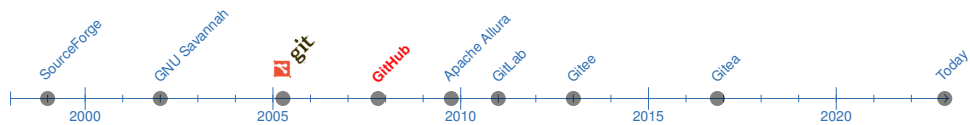


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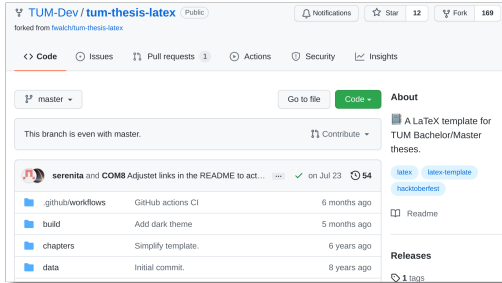


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- November 2011 GitHub Enterprise is available (self-hosted)
- July 2012 Andreessen Horowitz invested \$100 million in venture capital
- Bought by Microsoft in 2018 for \$ 7.5 Billion
- November 2020, source code for GitHub Enterprise Server was leaked
- Freemium model (Support, GitHub Enterprise Server, Job postings, CI minutes, ...)



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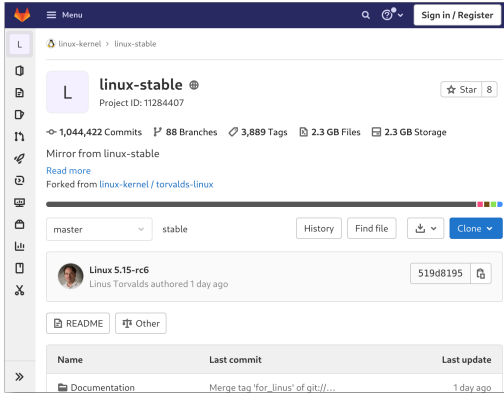


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- Censorship: youtube-dl, Russian suicide manuals
- “Supports” Open Source, but their code is **not** Open Source!
- 2019 blocking developers in Iran, Crimea, Cuba, North Korea, and Syria
- Hosts the code for ICE (U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement)
- Some internal drama. . .



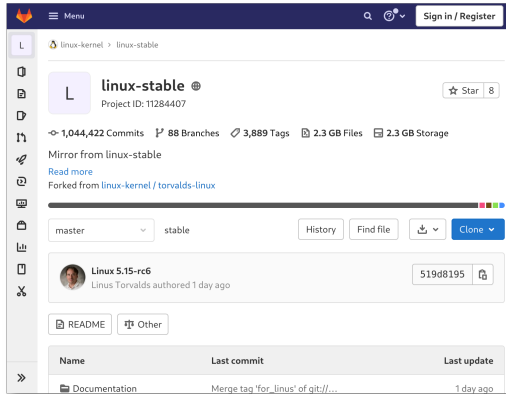
GitLab



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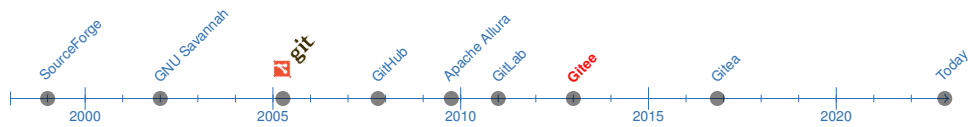


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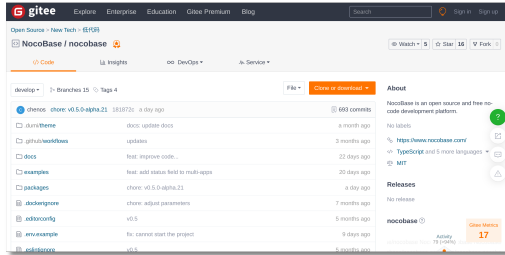


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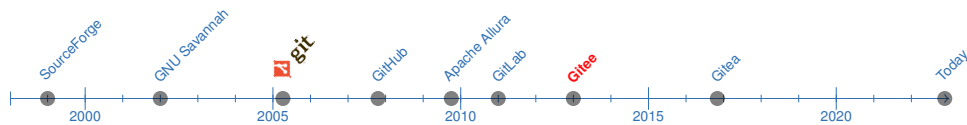
- Code written in Ruby and later parts in Go
- First version 2011
- GitLab.com since 2012
- Since July 2013: GitLab CE: Community Edition and GitLab EE: Enterprise Edition under the MIT License.
- February 2014 Gitlab EE changed to the “GitLab Enterprise Edition License”
- You can host your own instance
- Freemium model (Support, GitLab EE, CI minutes, ...)



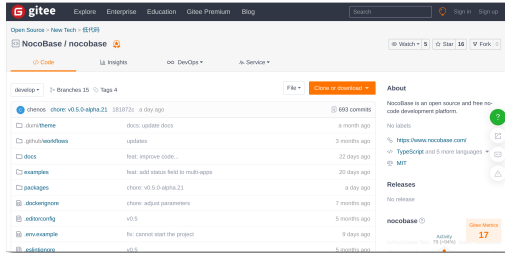
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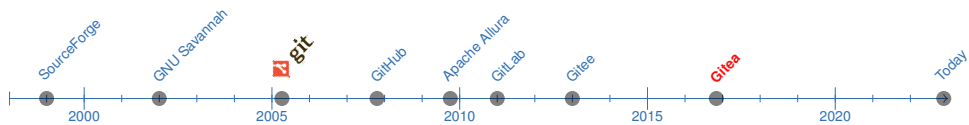


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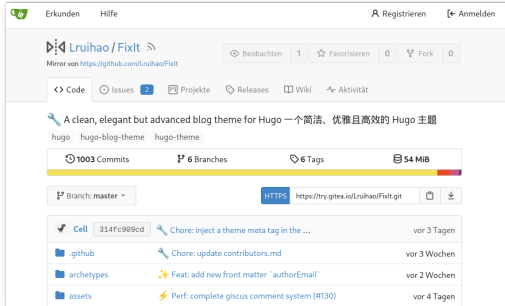


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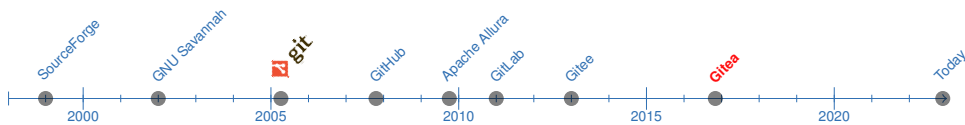
- “Chinese” GitHub
- Operator: Shenzhen AOSI Network Information Co., Ltd.
- Launched by Open Source China in 2013
- Since May 2020, Gitee has grown from 5 million registered users to 8 million (as of May 2022)



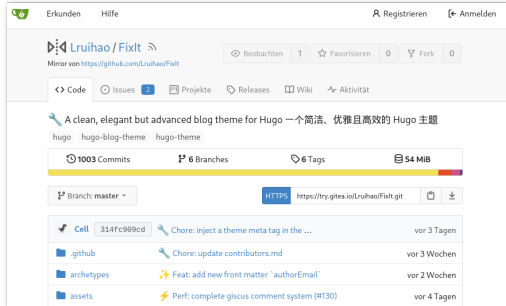
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- Open-source forge software
- Written in go
- Came from a fork of Gogs in November of 2016 since it was under the control of a single maintainer. Users were frustrated.
- Design based on the old GitHub design
- Code hosted on GitHub:
<https://github.com/go-gitea/gitea>