



Optimize your monorepo experience

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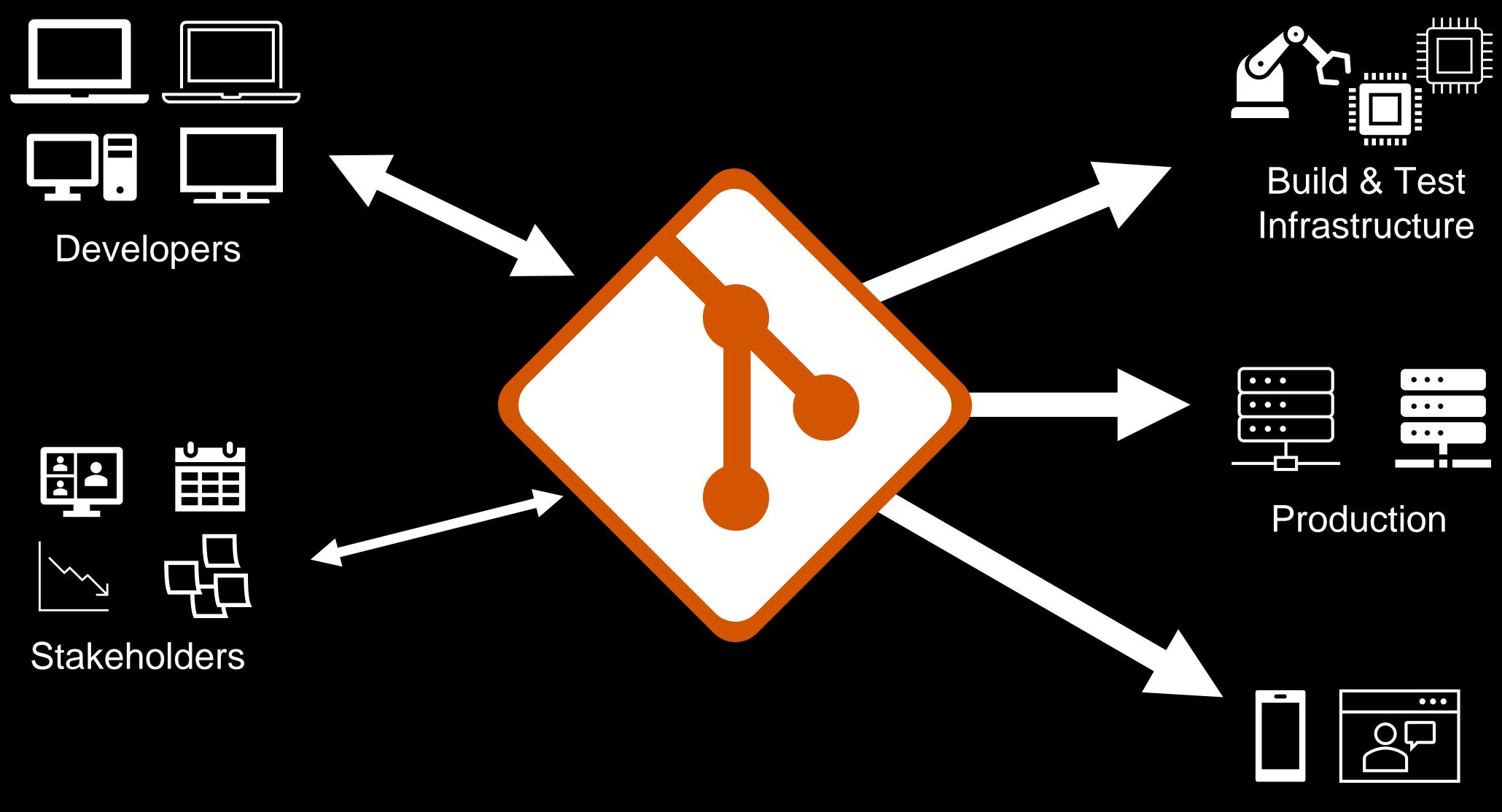
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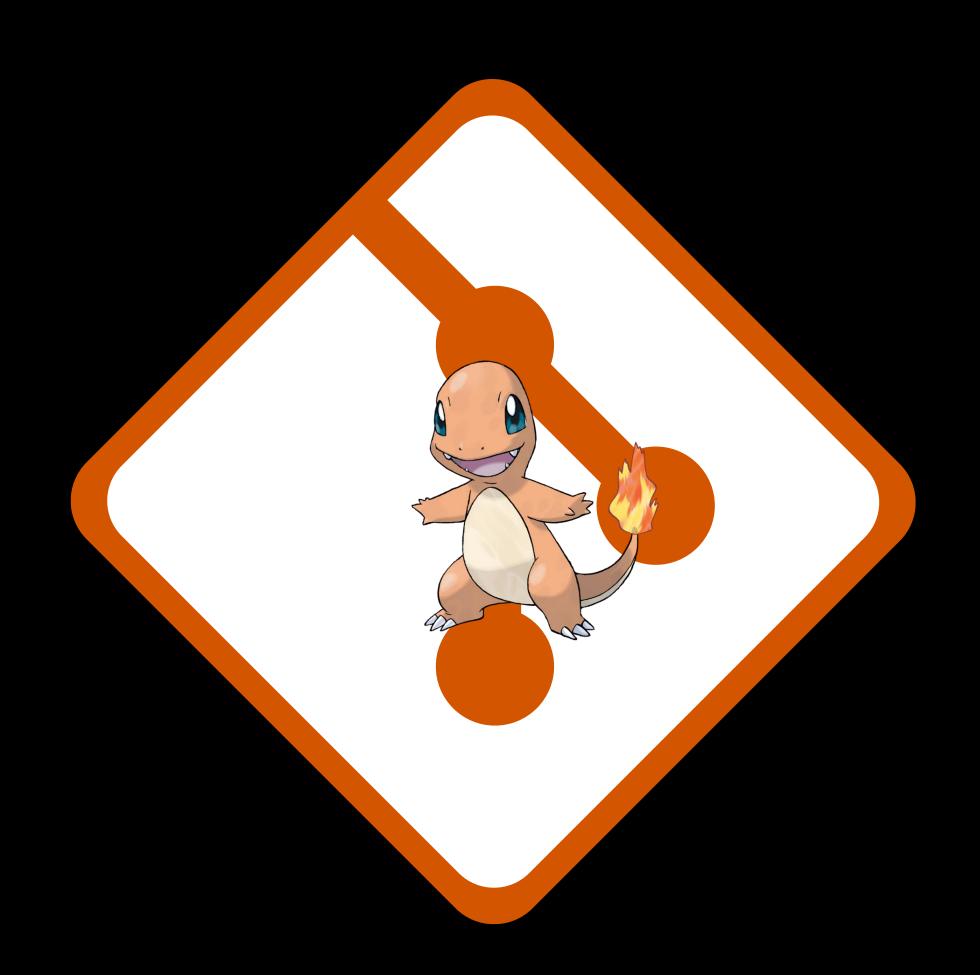


Releases

How do monorepos grow?



Growing in Git



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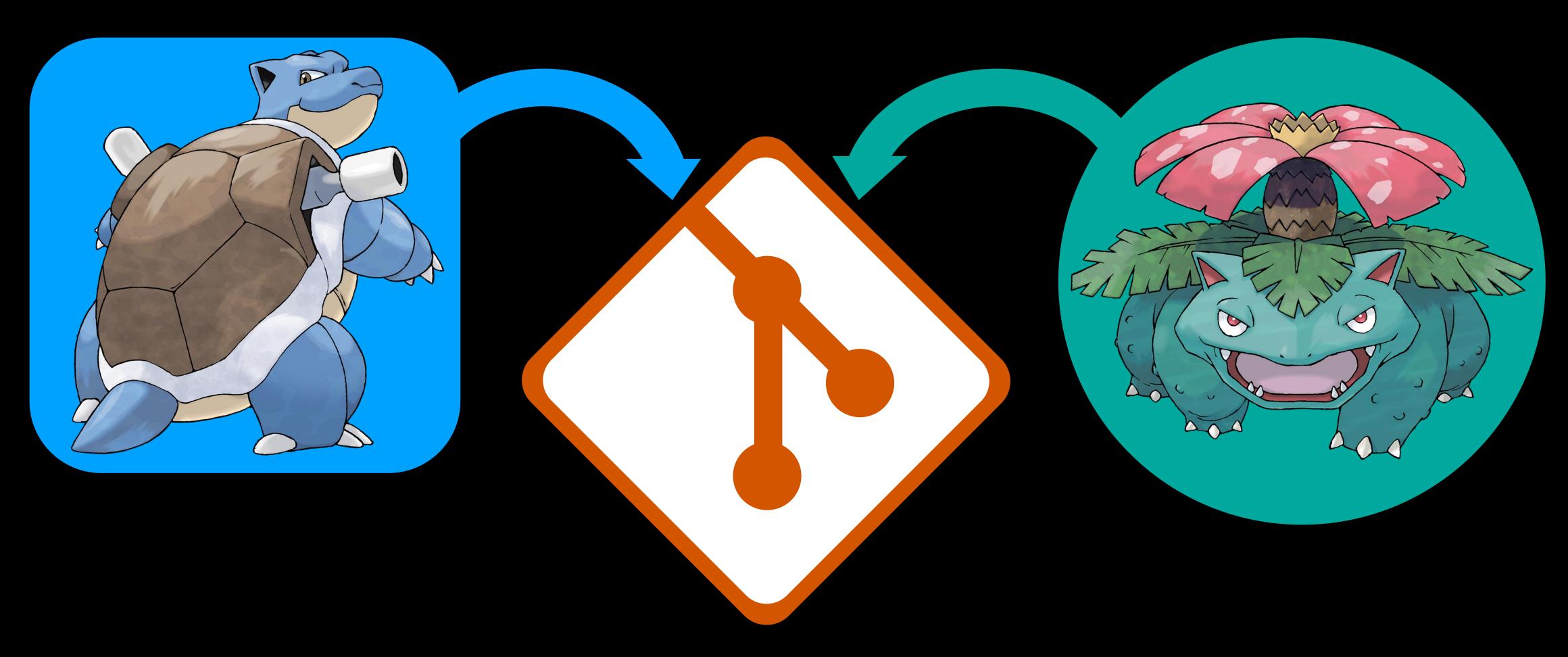


Growing in Git

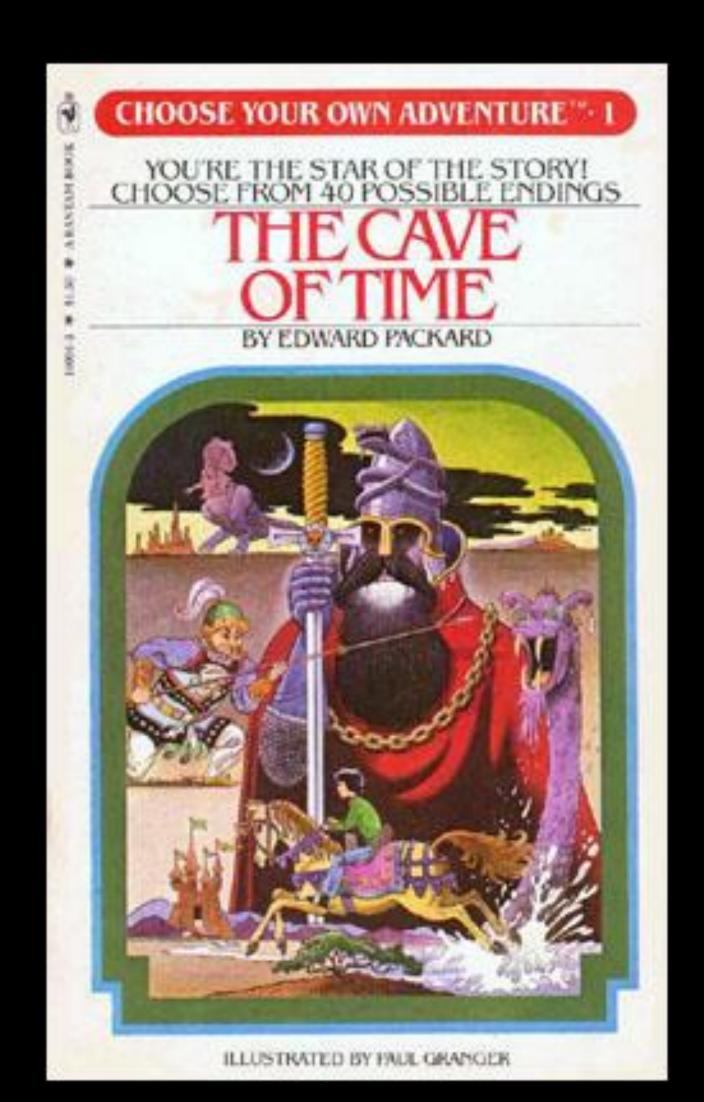




Migrating to Git



Your choices matter!

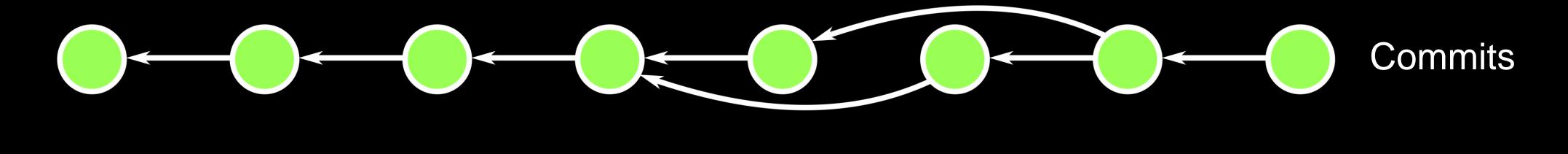


THE TAKE IN

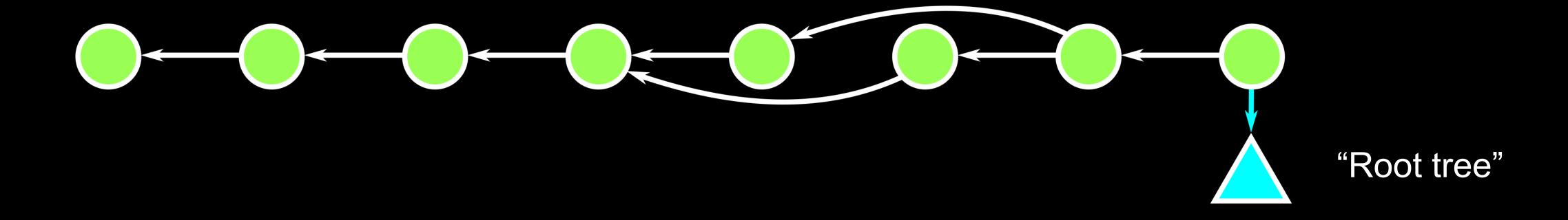
Code never gets faster, it can only do fewer things.

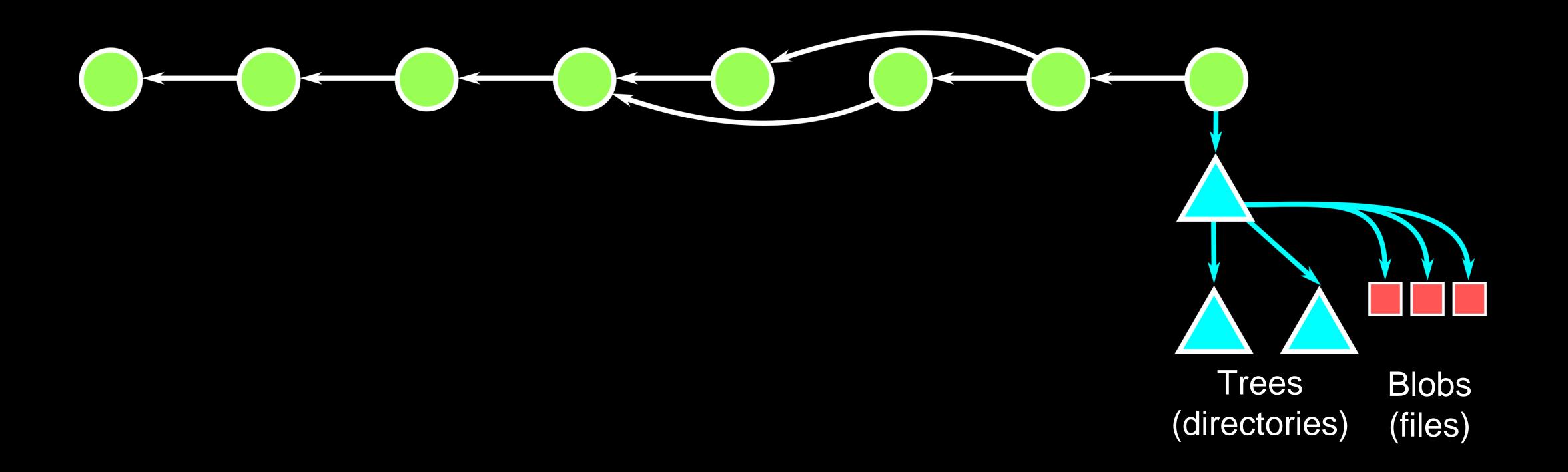
IT'S DANGEROUS TO GO ALONE! TAKE THIS.

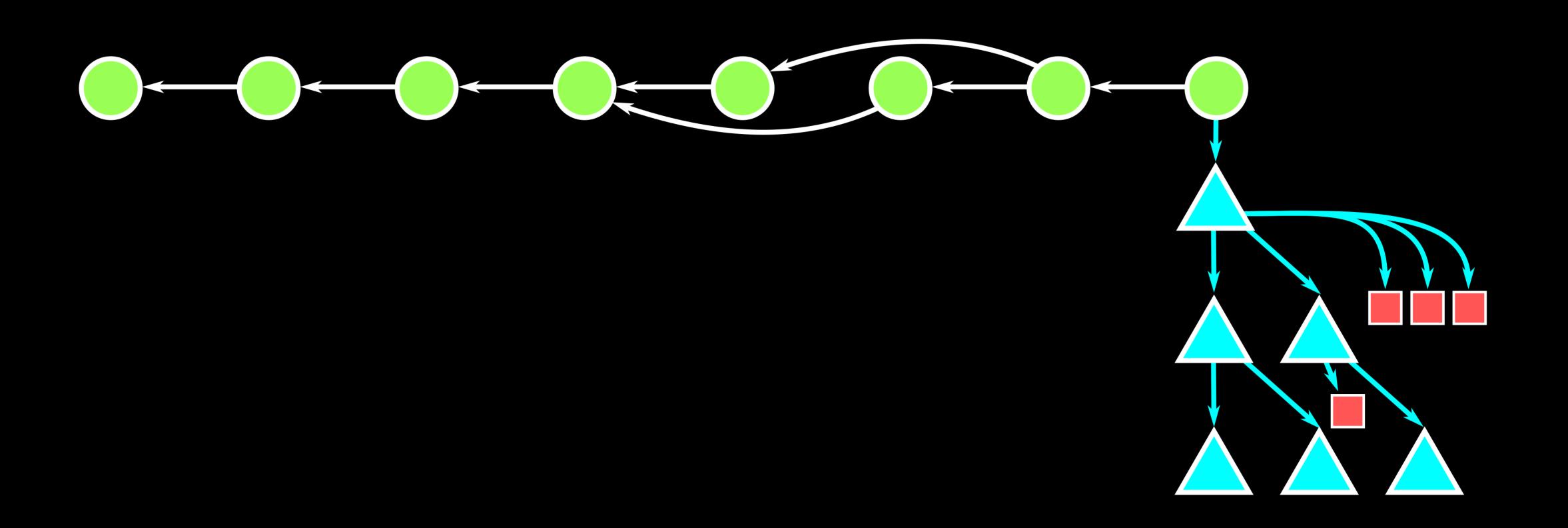


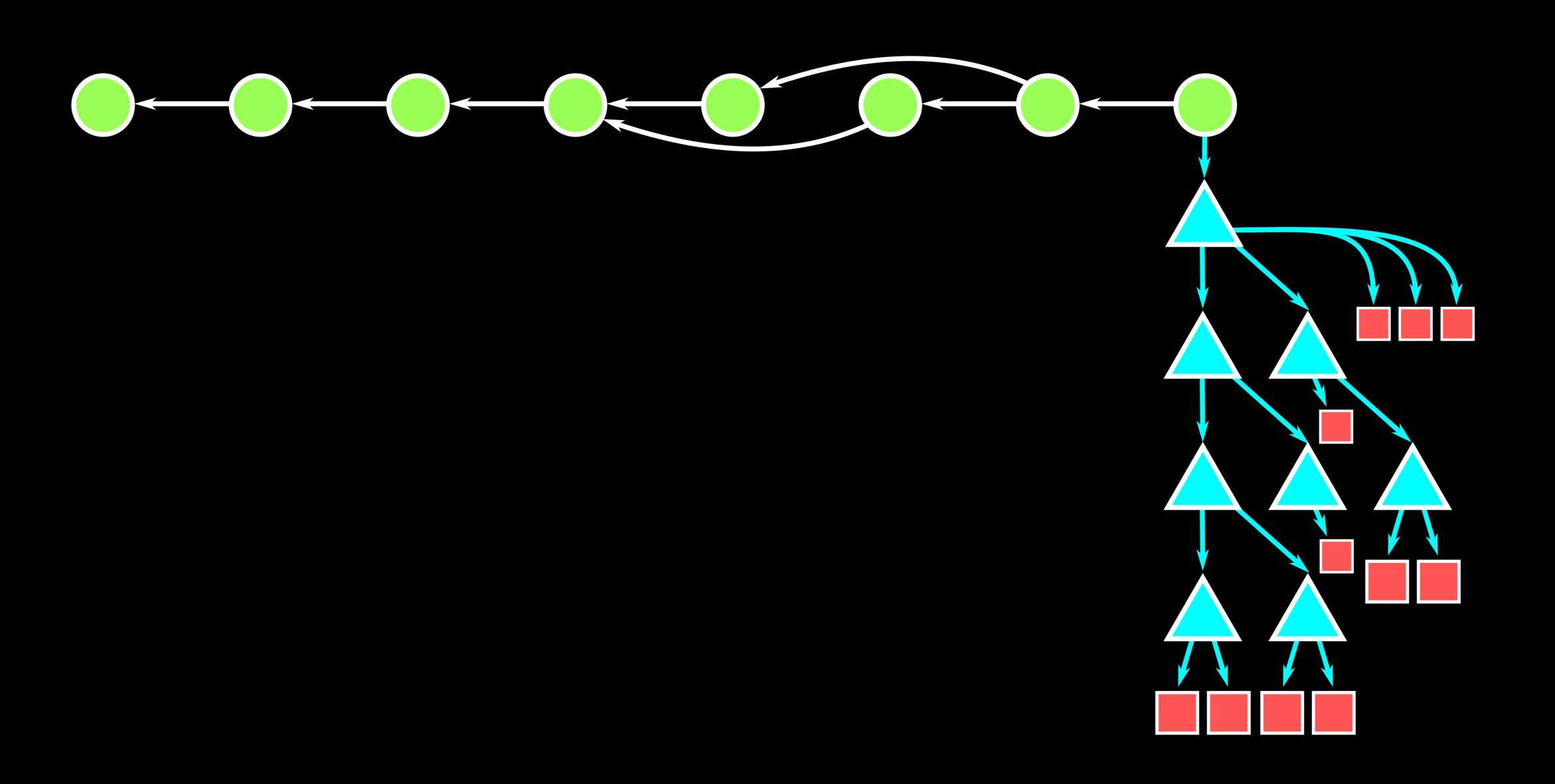


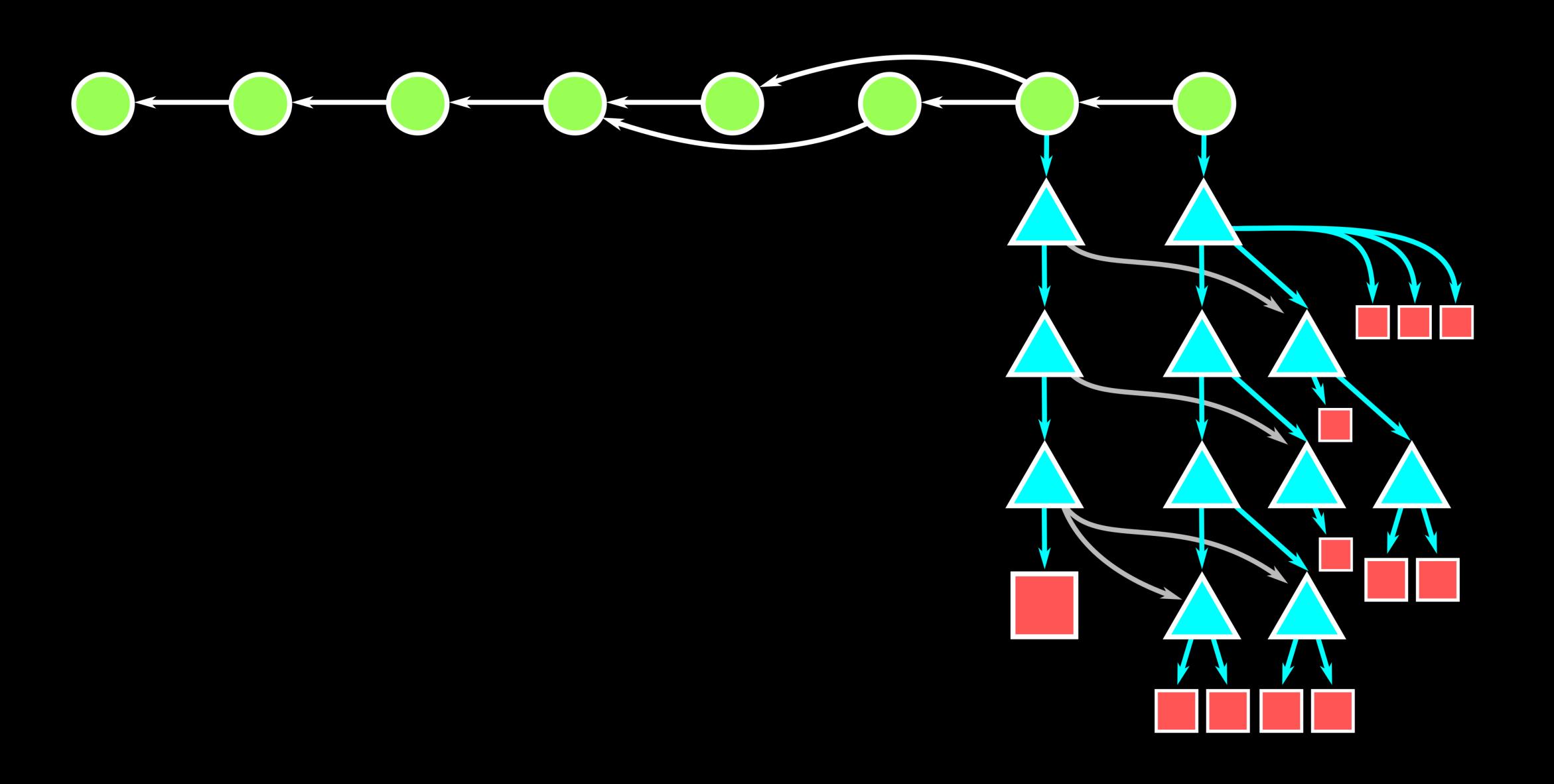
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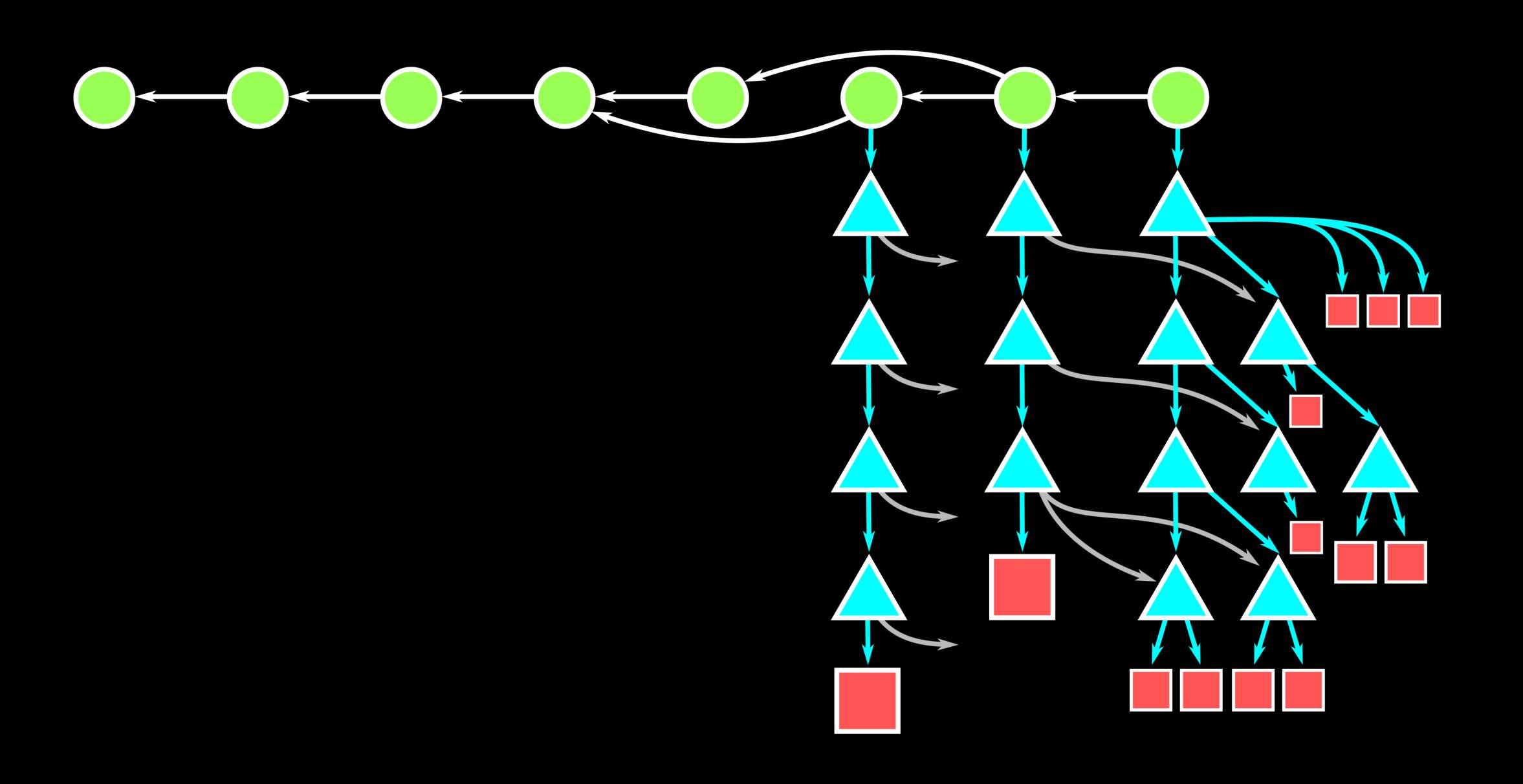


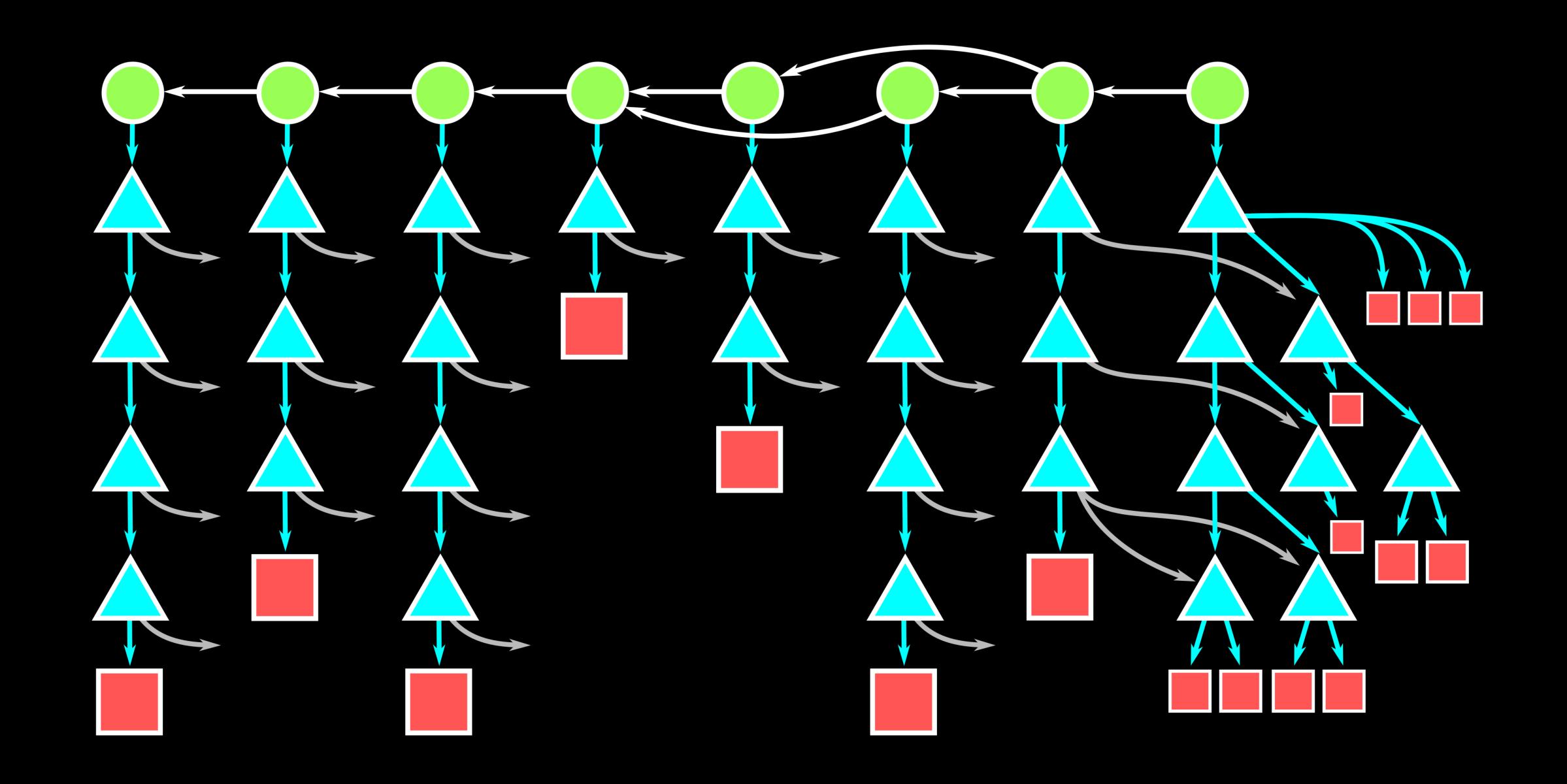






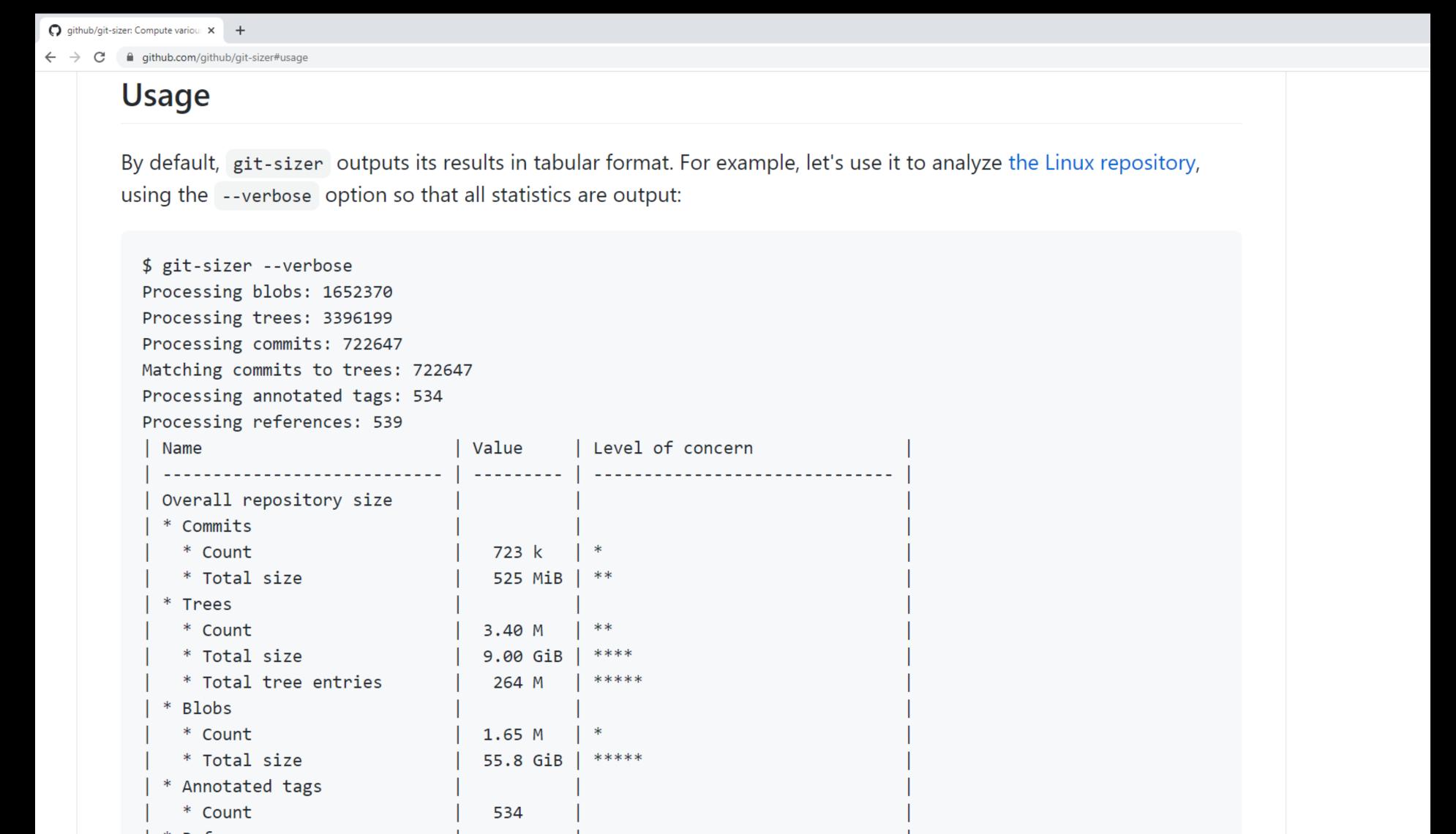


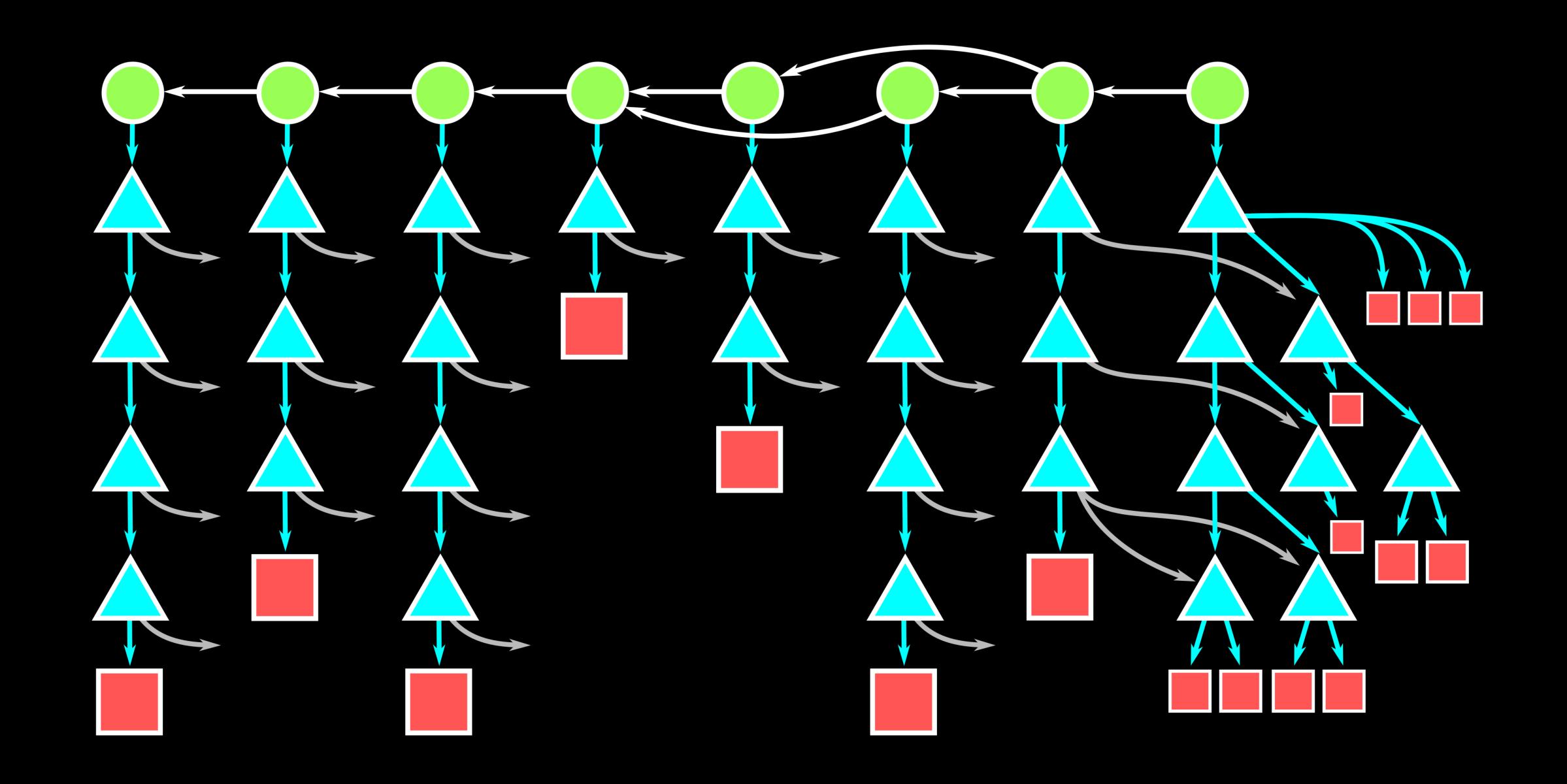




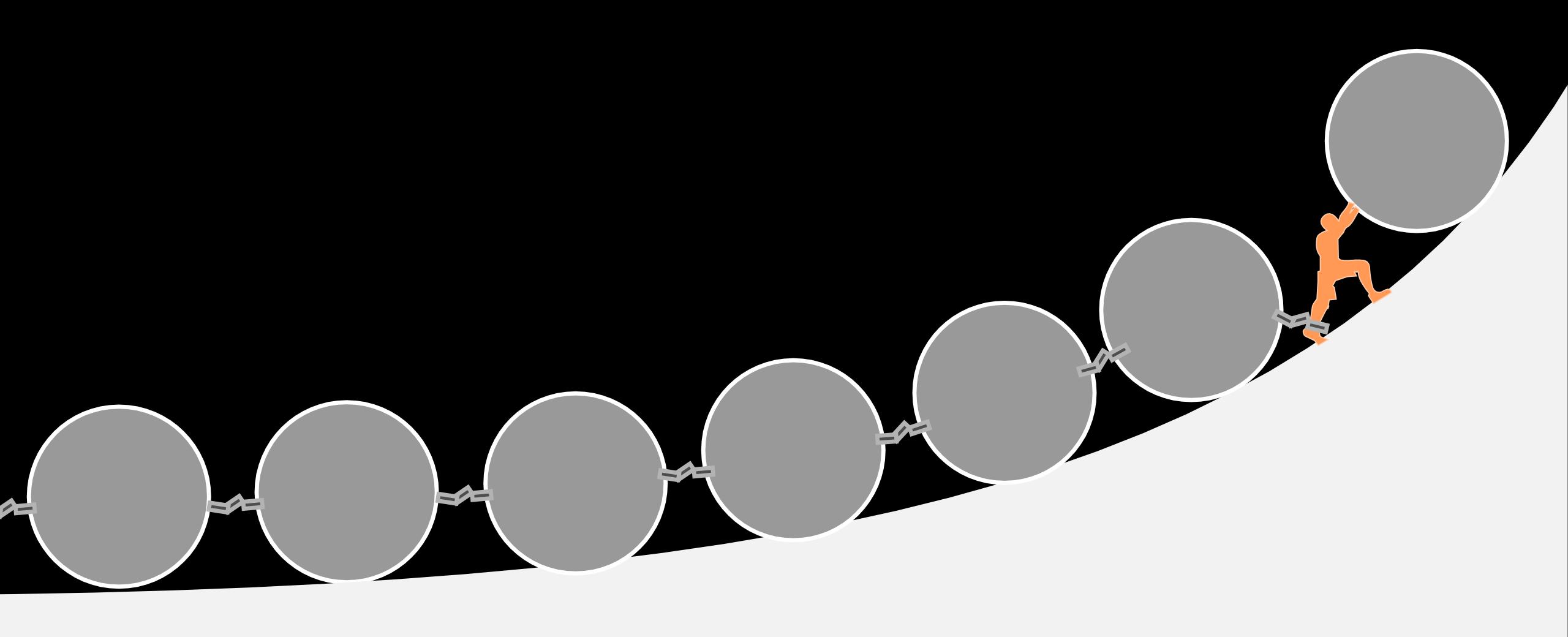
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https://github.com/github/git-sizer



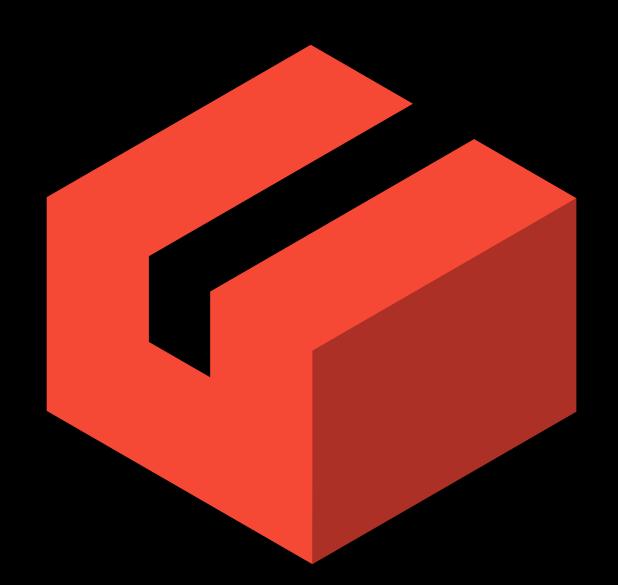


Large blobs dragging you down?

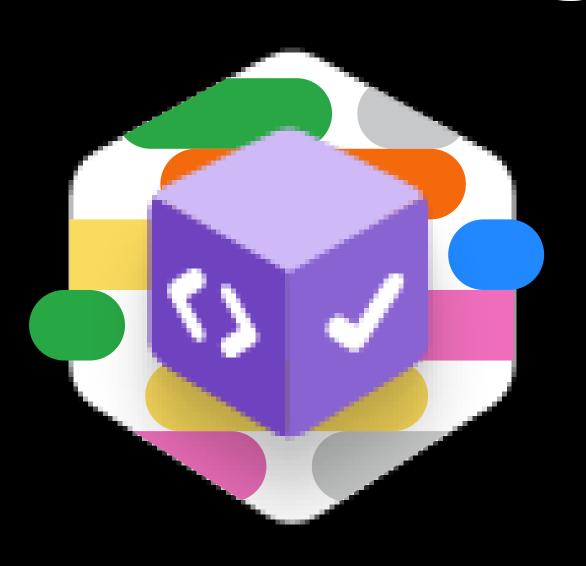


Kick out bad blobs!

Git LFS



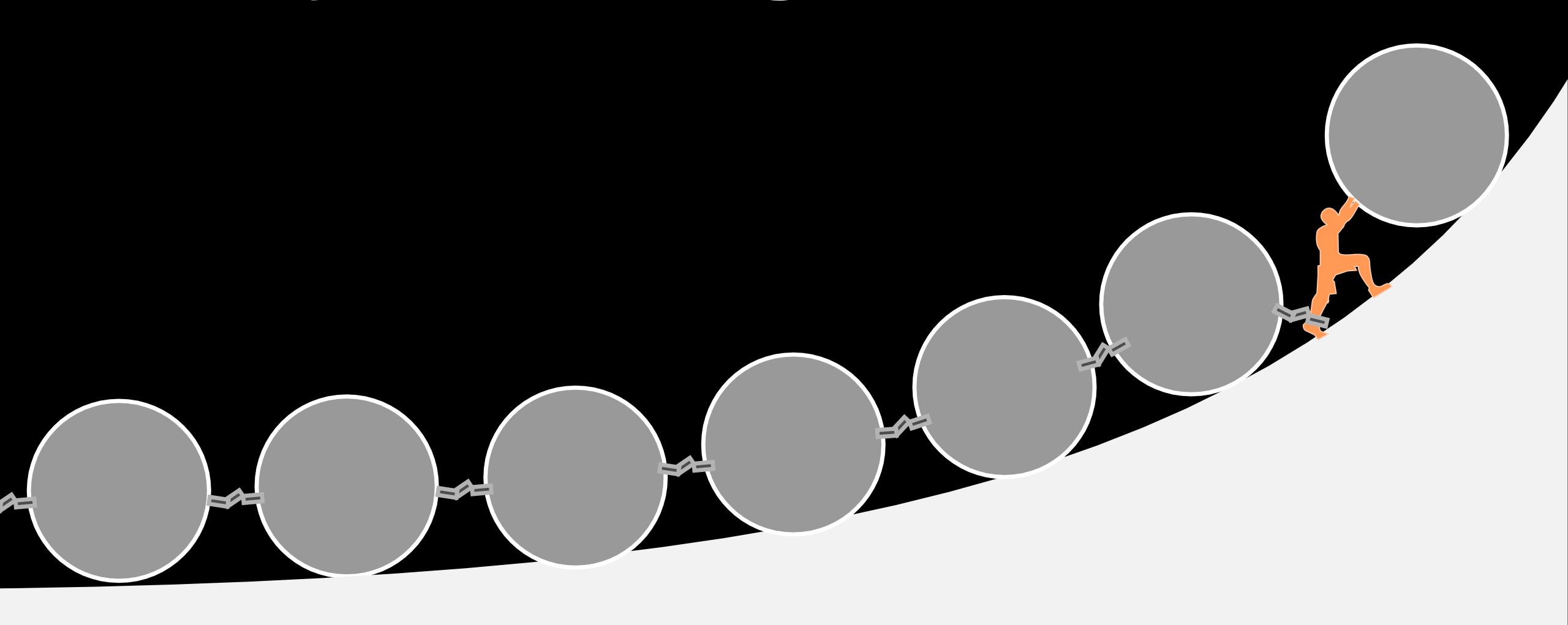
GitHub Packages



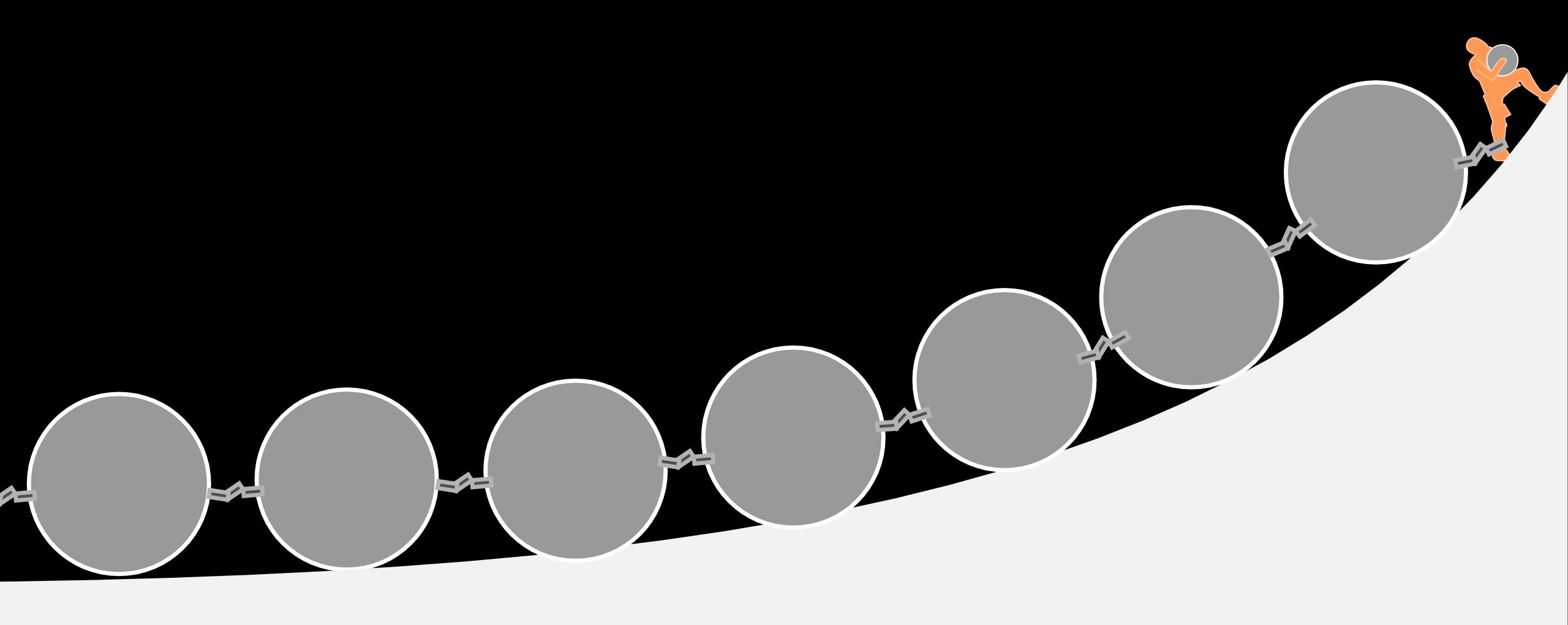
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If you can't review it, then delete it!

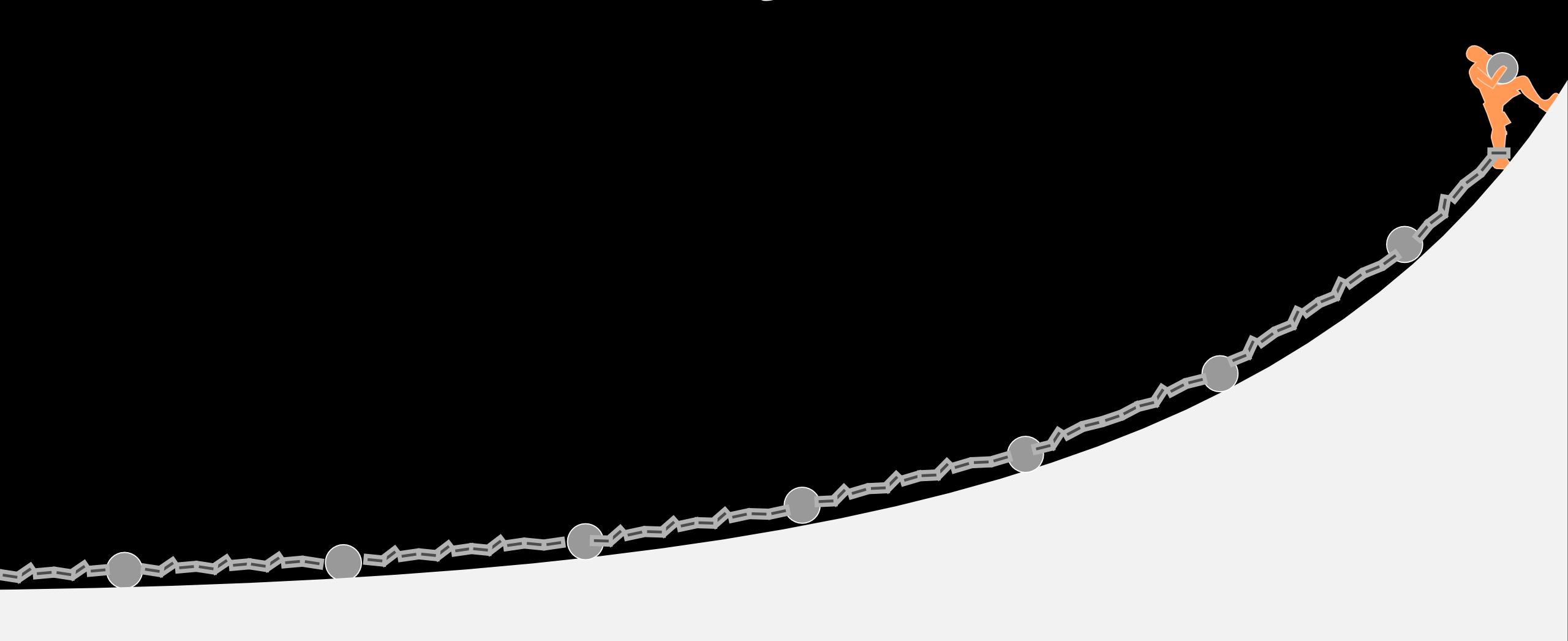
Carry that weight



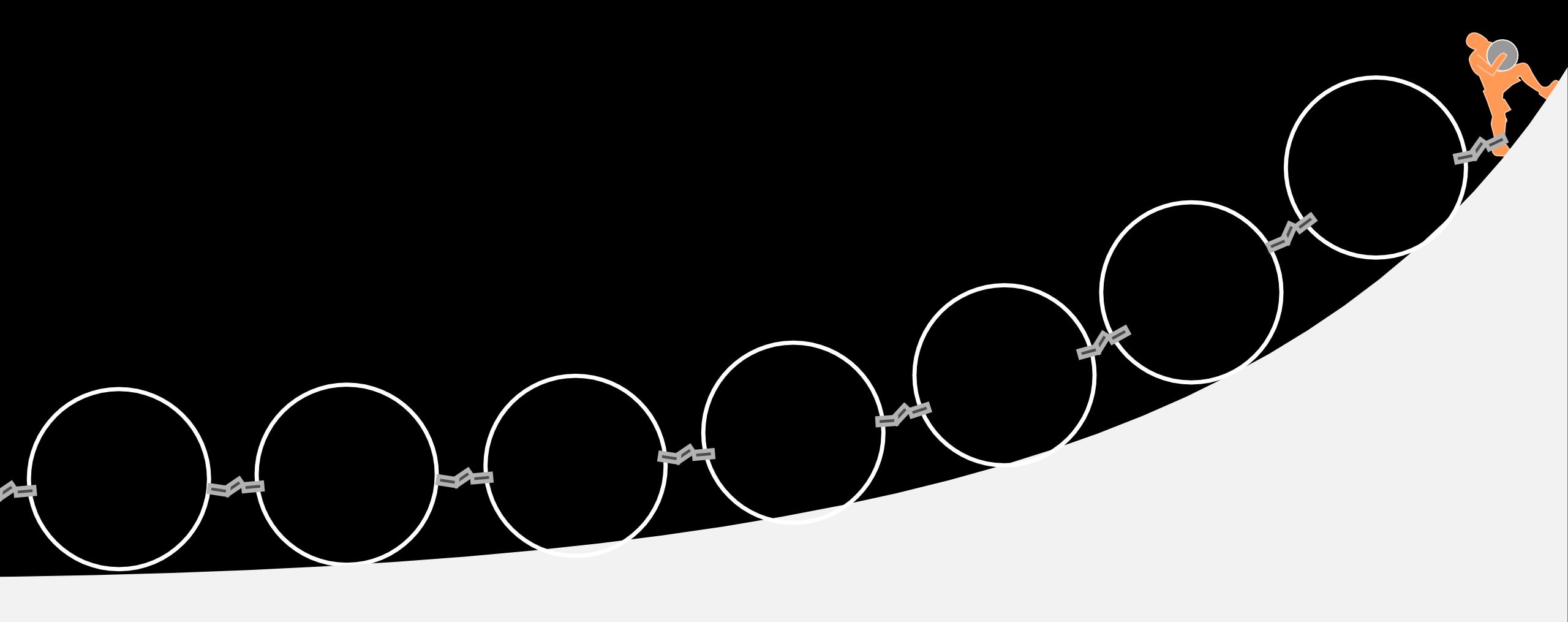
Remove files at tip



Rewrite history?



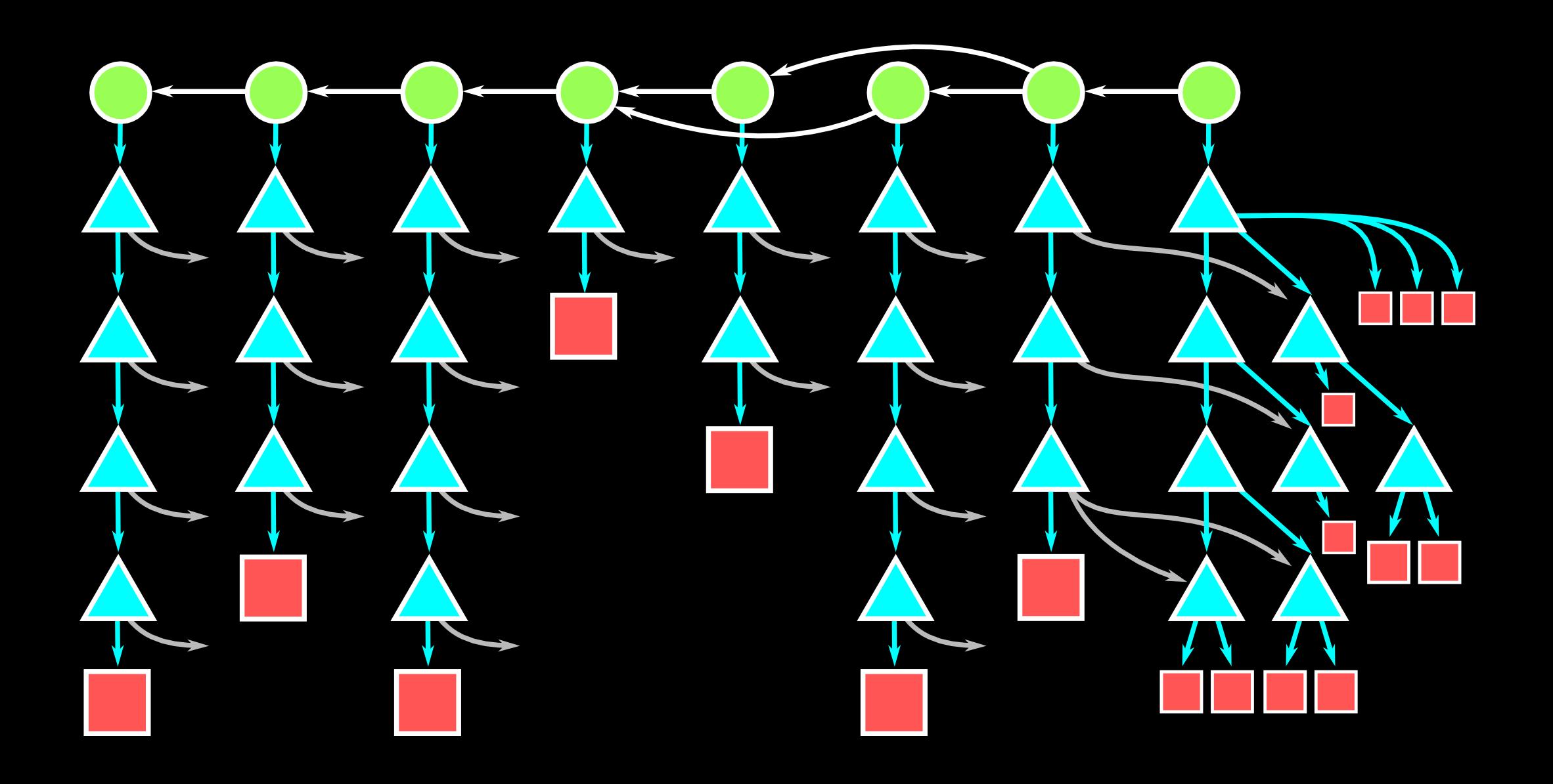
Lighten the weight



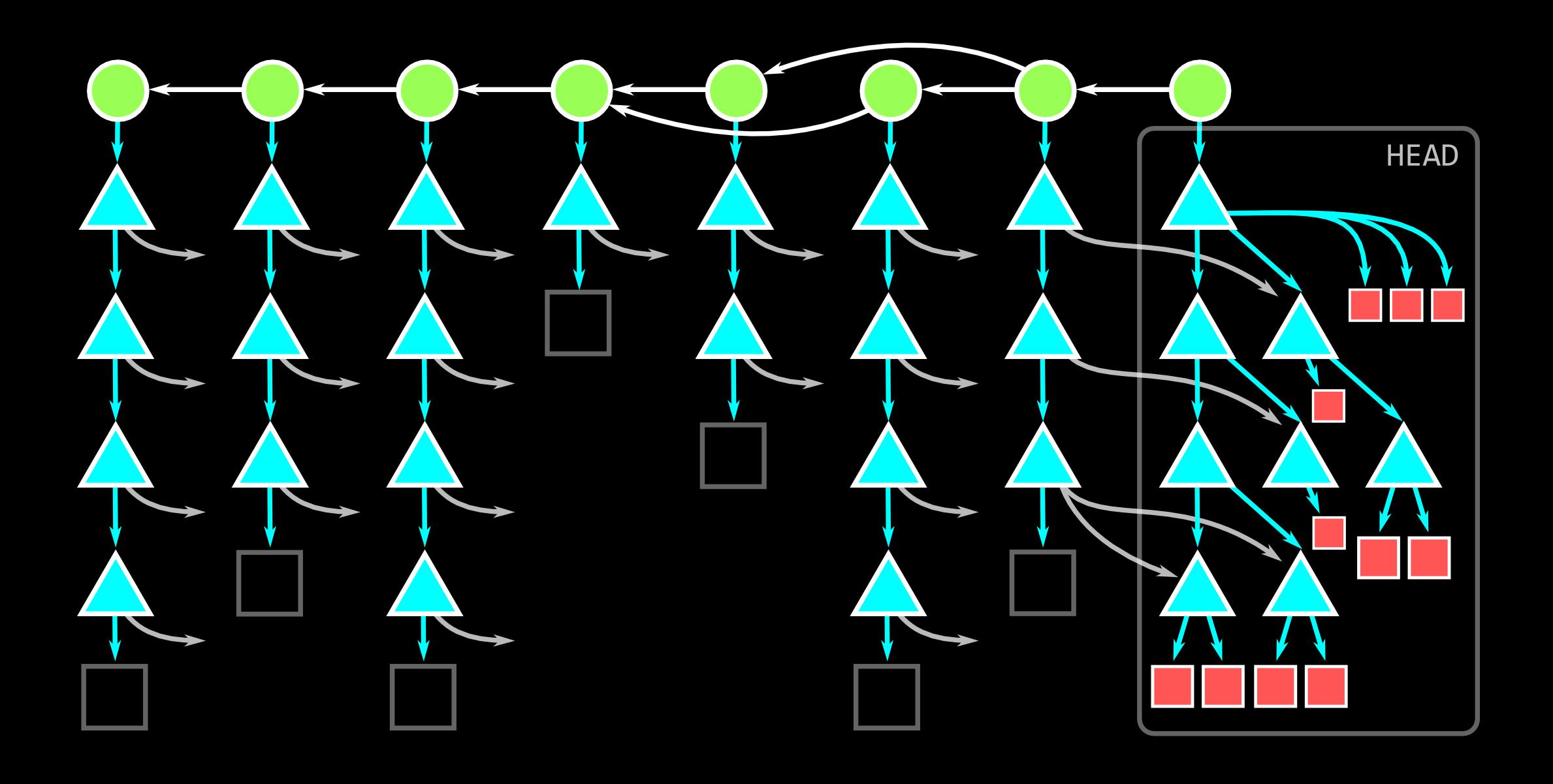
Pro Tip: Use partial clone

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git clone --filter=blob:none <url>
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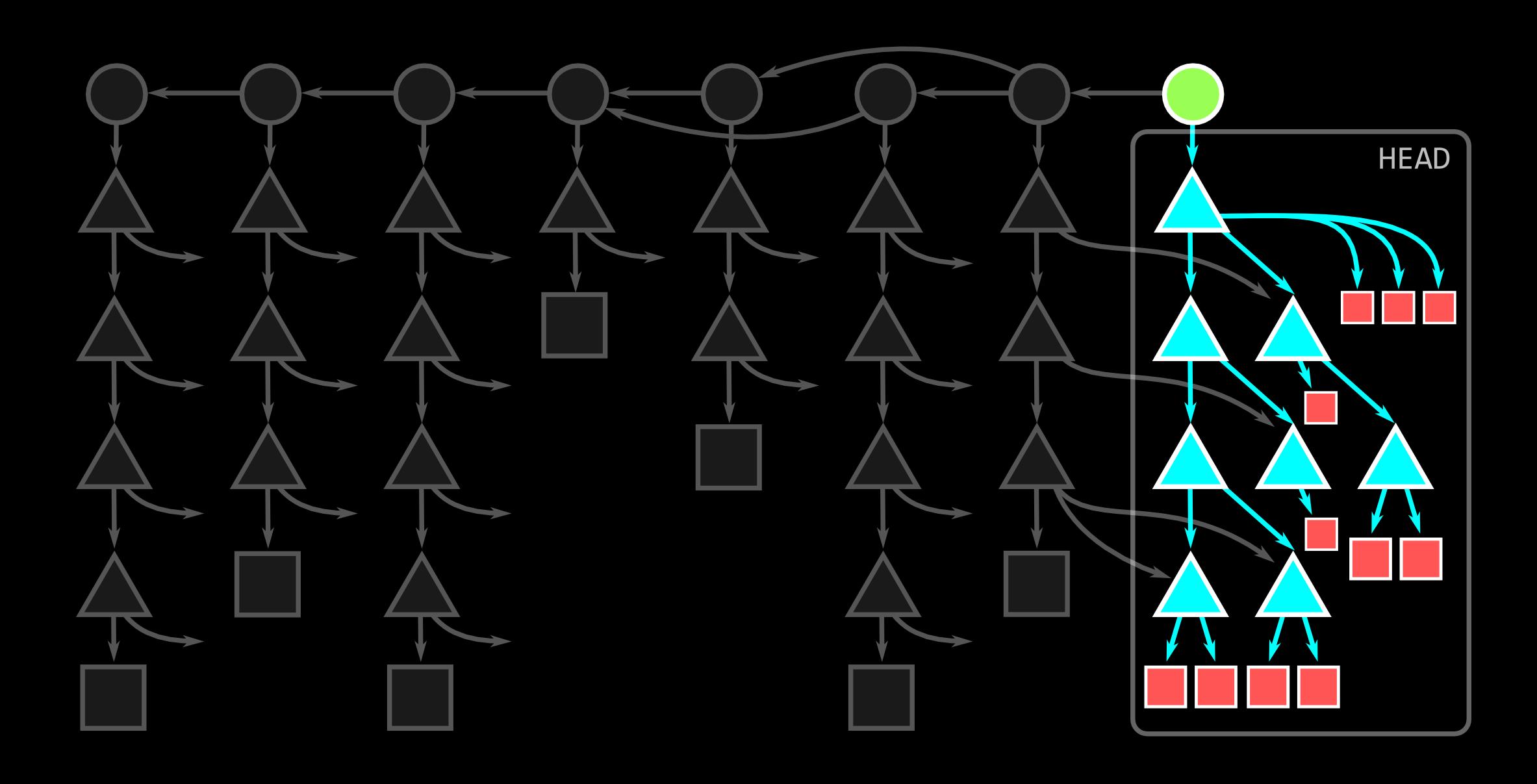
Partial clones are available now! github.com GHES 2.22+



Full Clone: All commits, trees, and blobs



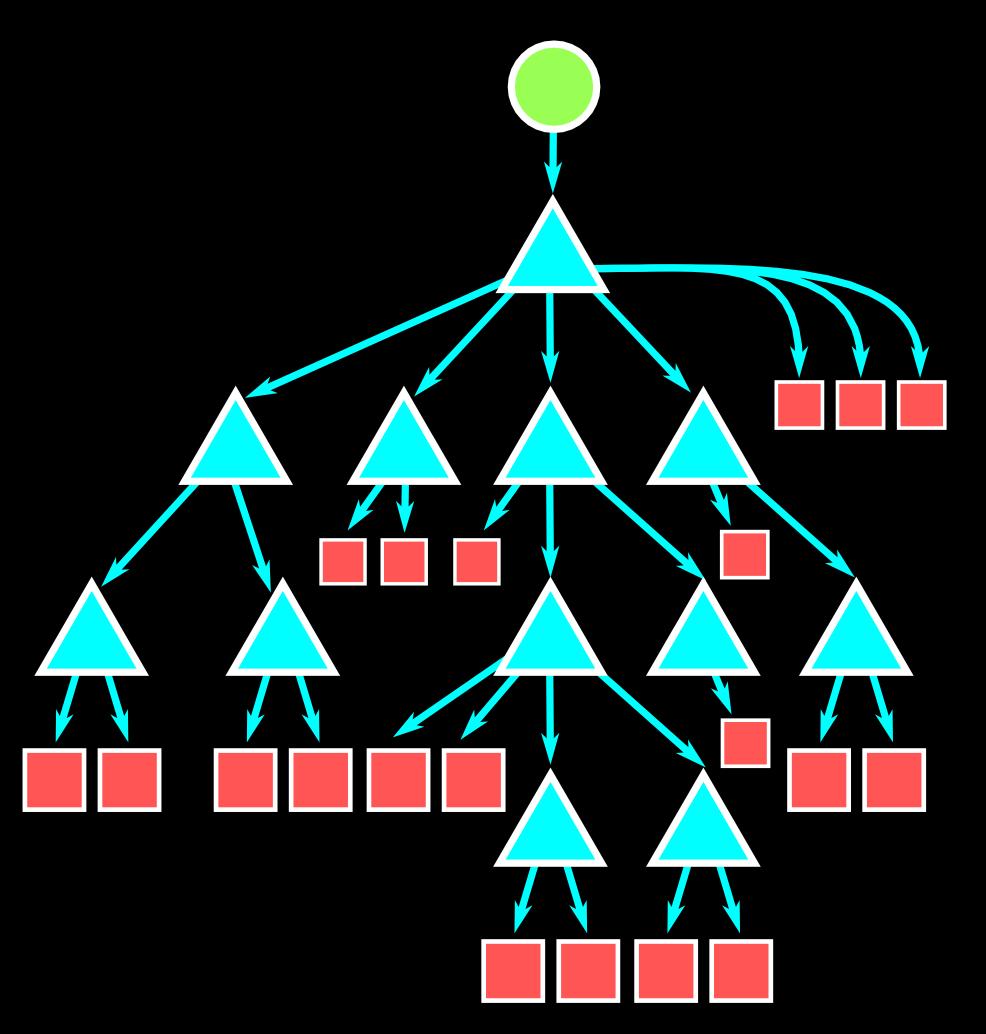
Partial Clone: All commits and trees; blobs as needed



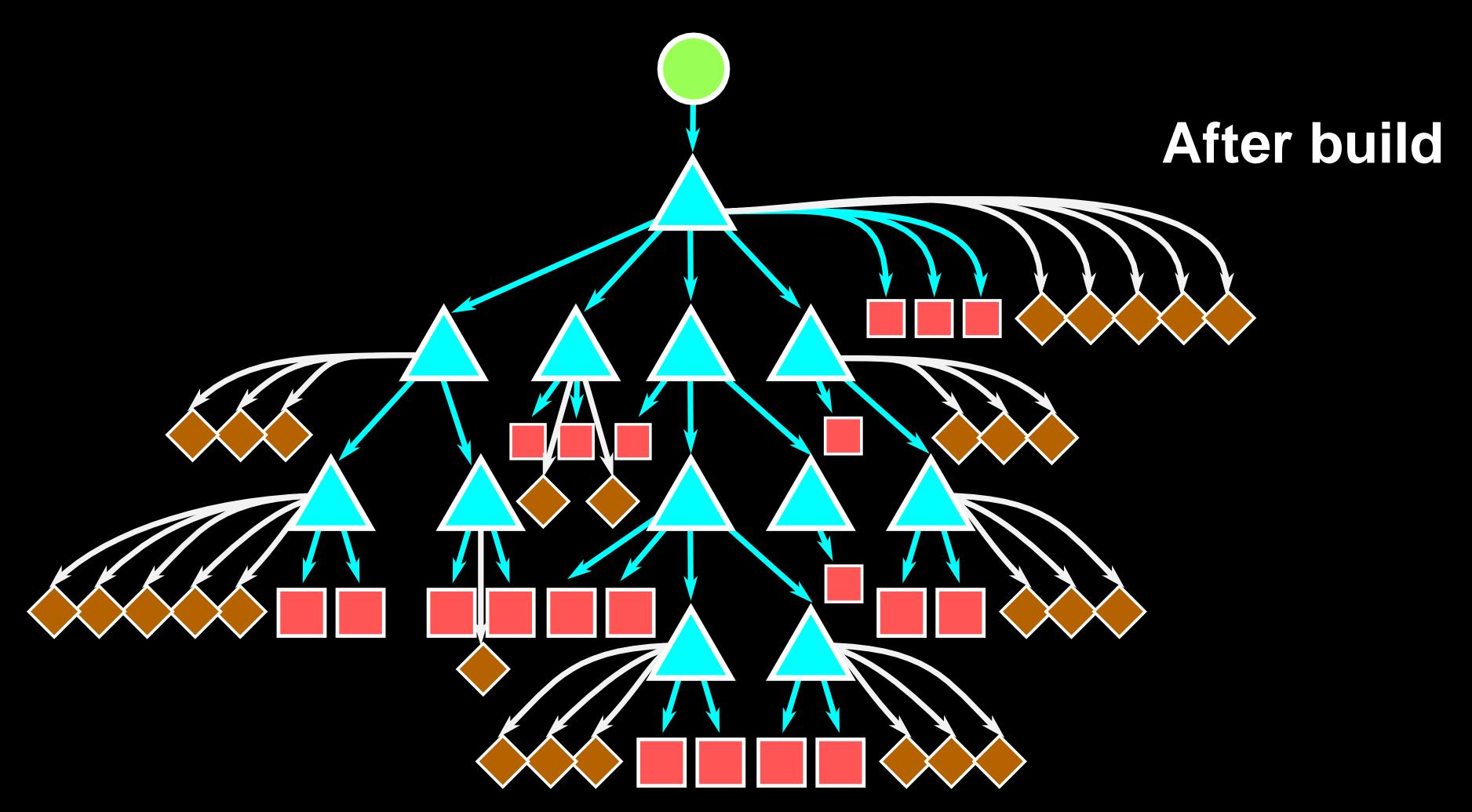
Shallow Clone: Trees and blobs for tip commit

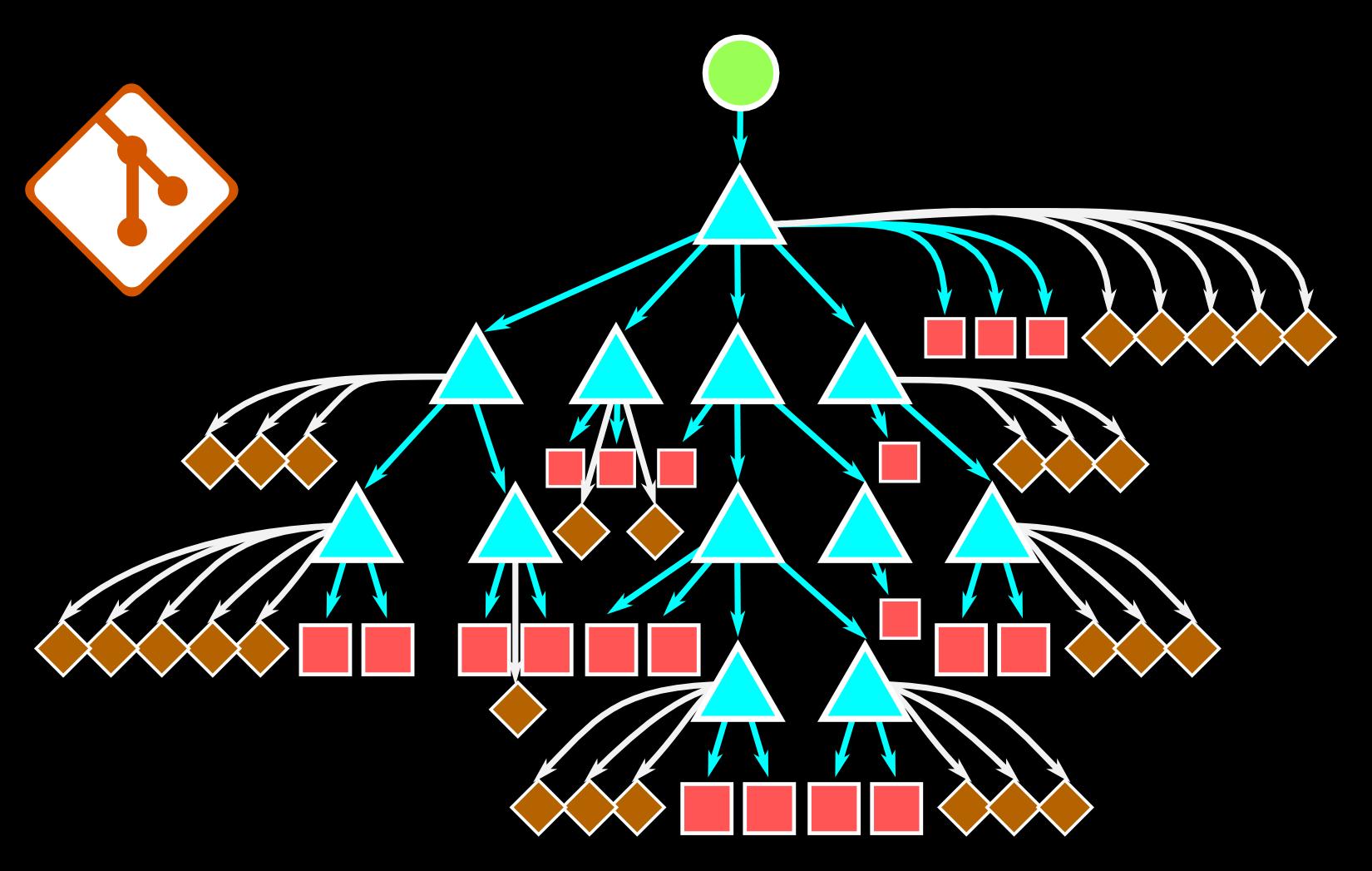
HOTTAKE

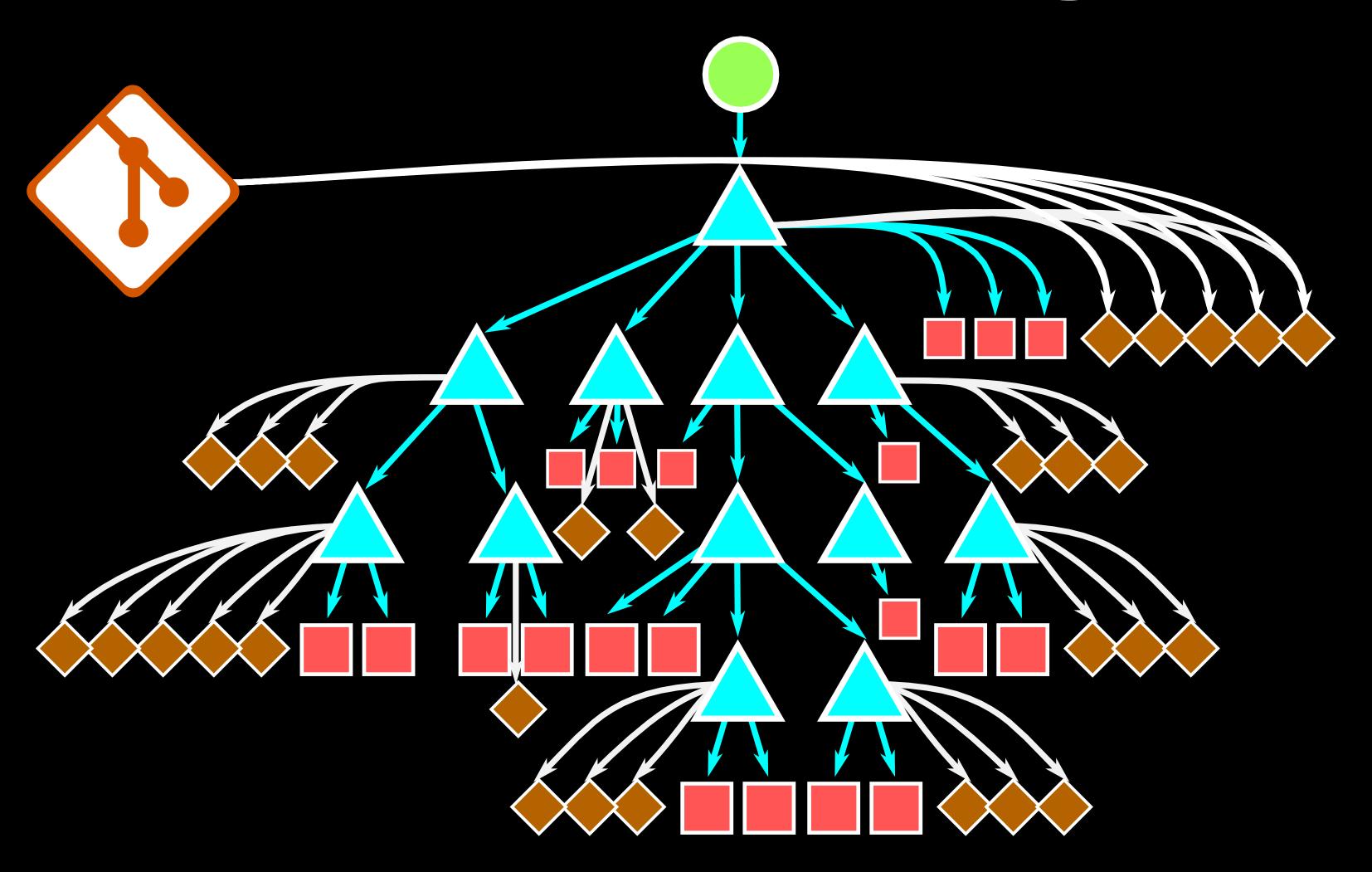
Shallow clones should be thrown away!

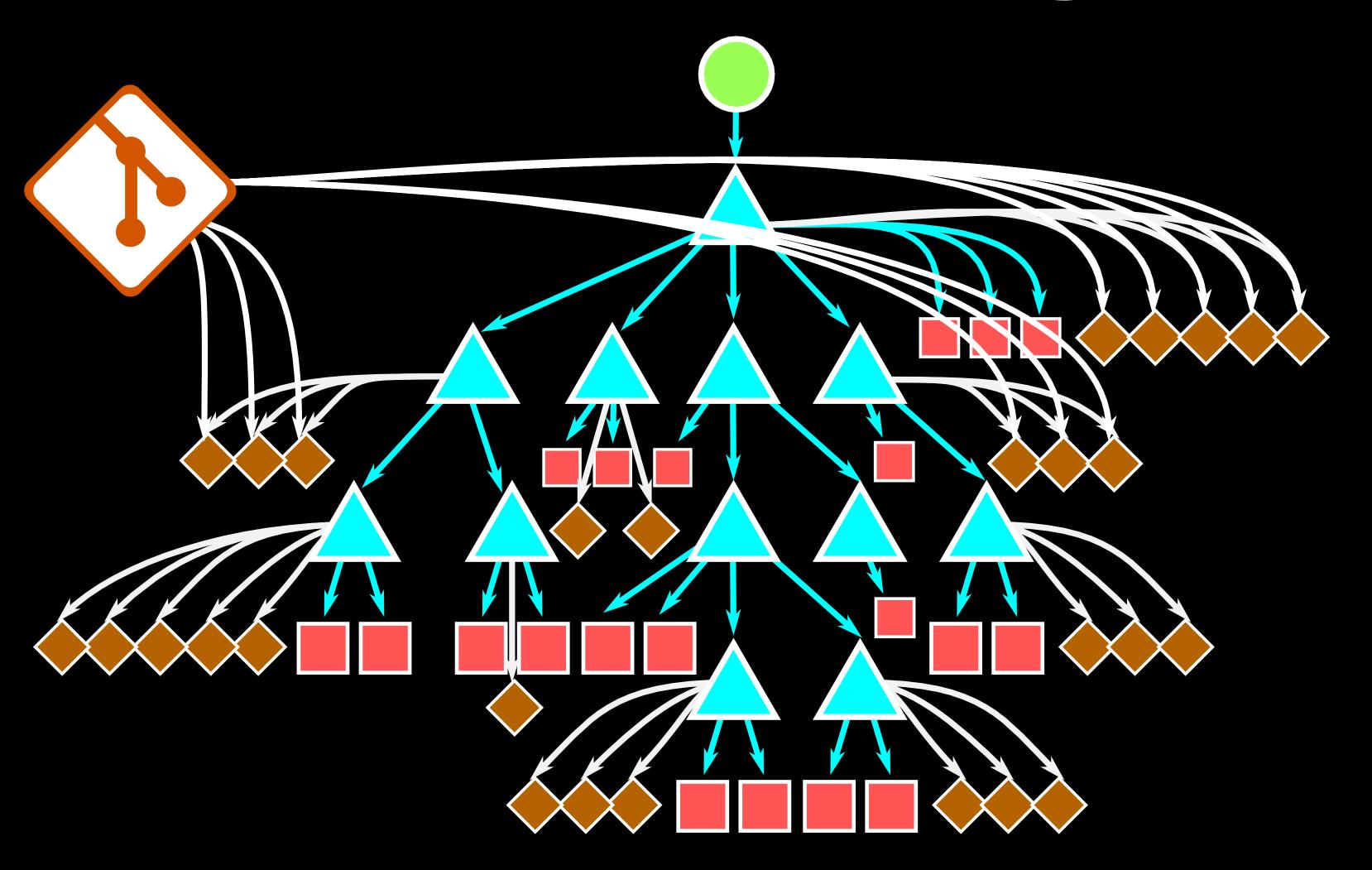


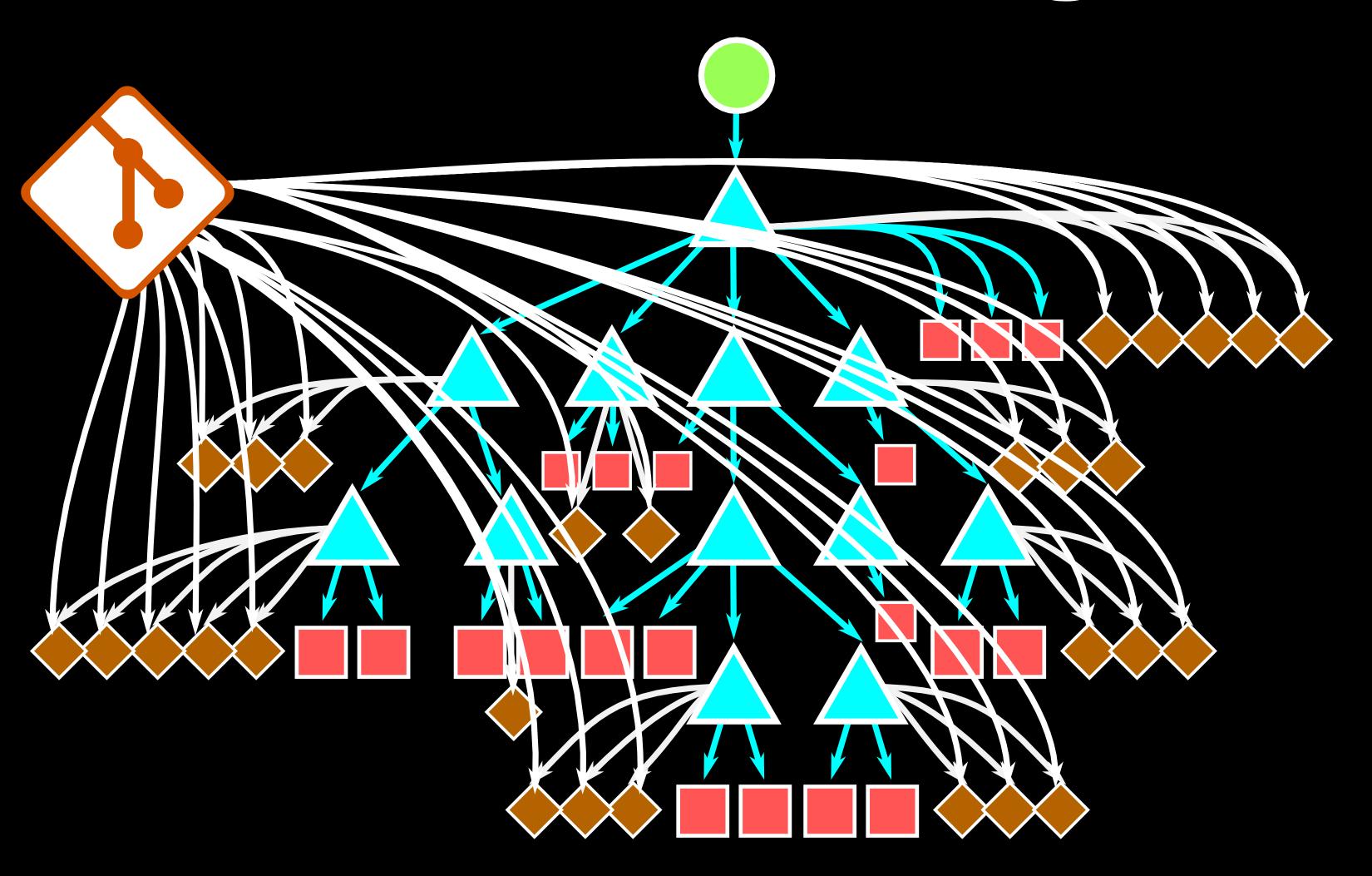
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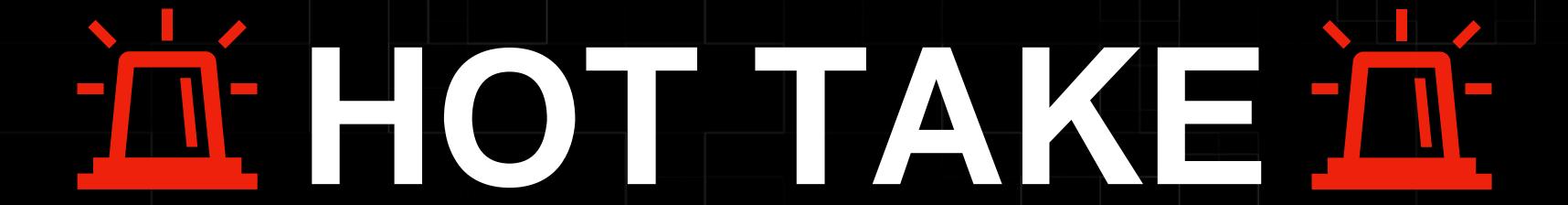






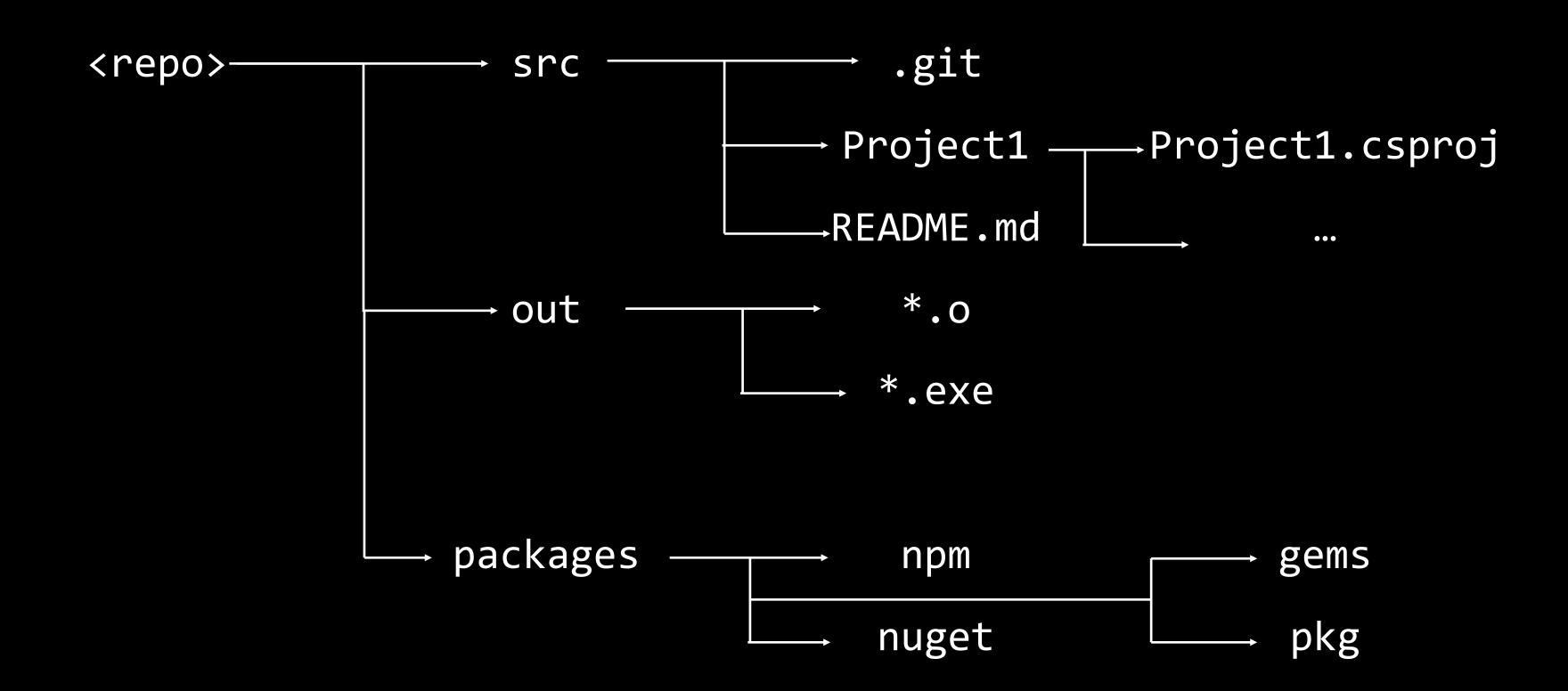






gitignore files should be tiny!

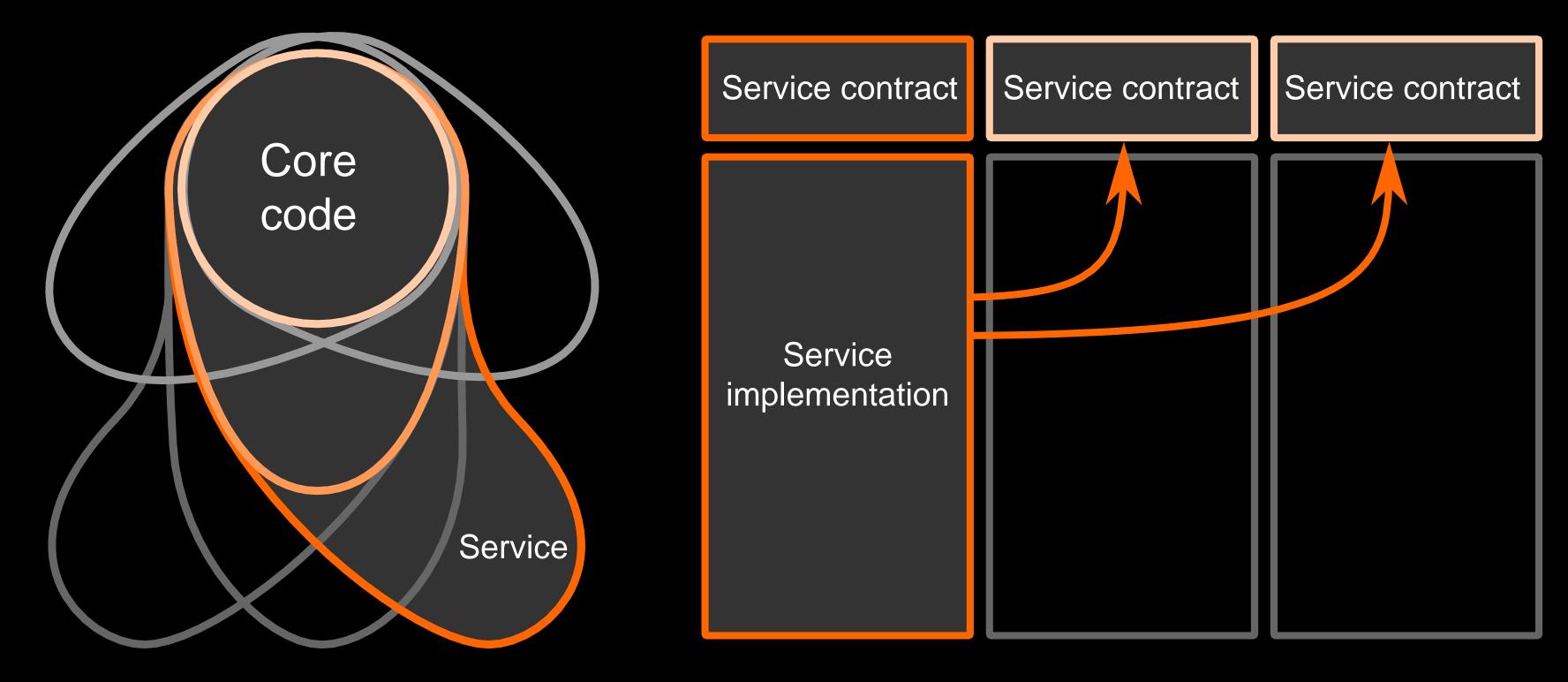
Get your builds out of src!



Use: git clone <url> <repo>/src

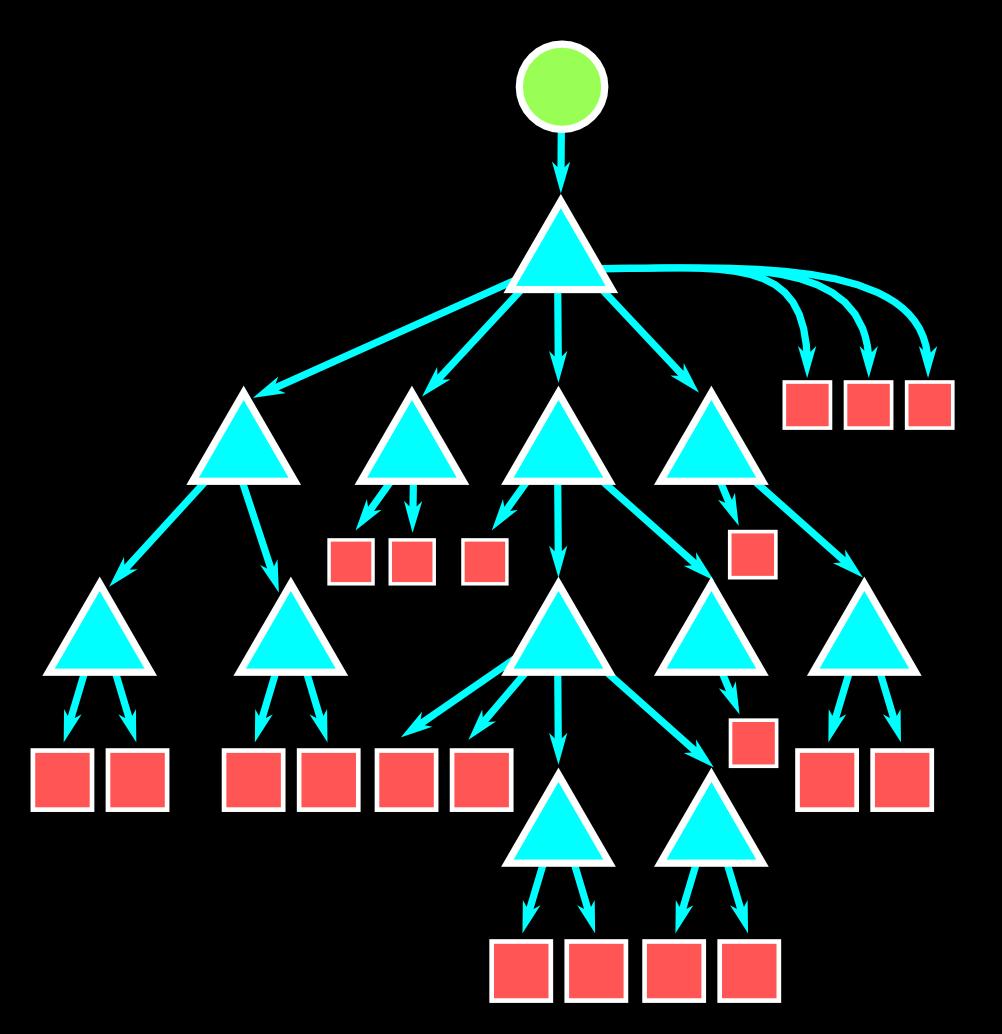
- Focused builds
 Focused devs
 Profit!
- THE #1 PROGRAMMER EXCUSE FOR LEGITIMATELY SLACKING OFF: "MY CODE'S COMPILING." HEY! GET BACK TO WORK! COMPILING! OH, CARRY ON.

Architectures for build cones

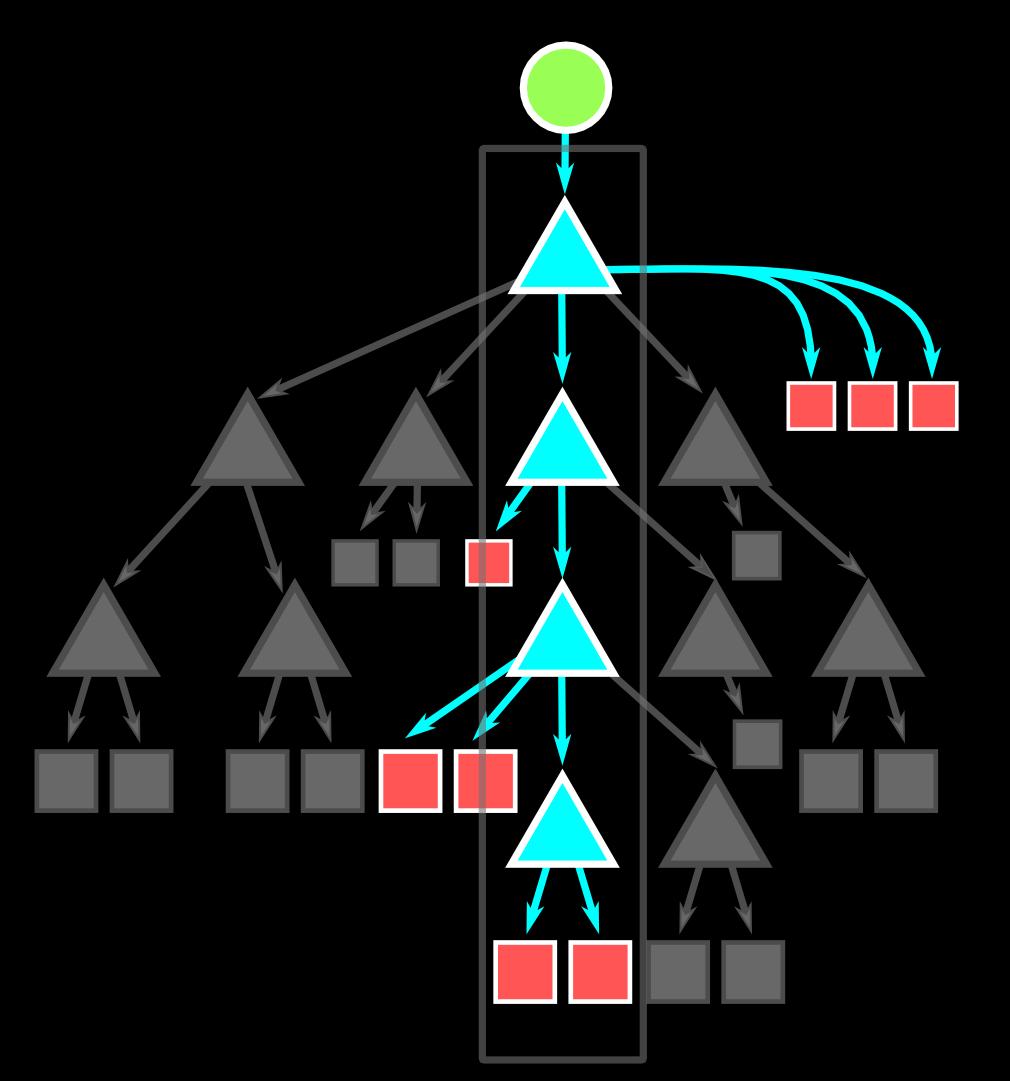


Flywheel architecture

Contract-Implementation boundaries



Full tree

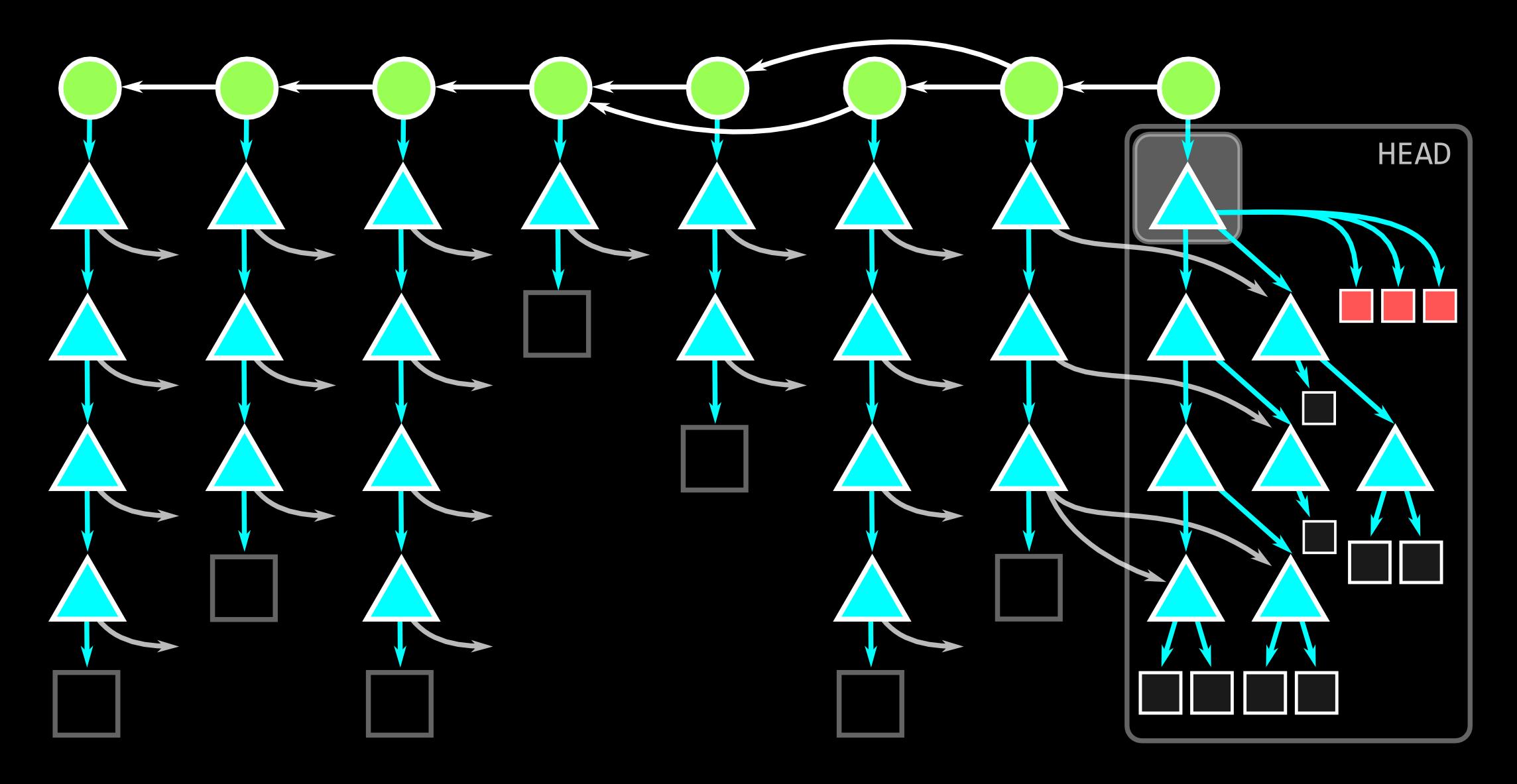


Sparse tree

Git sparse-checkout usage

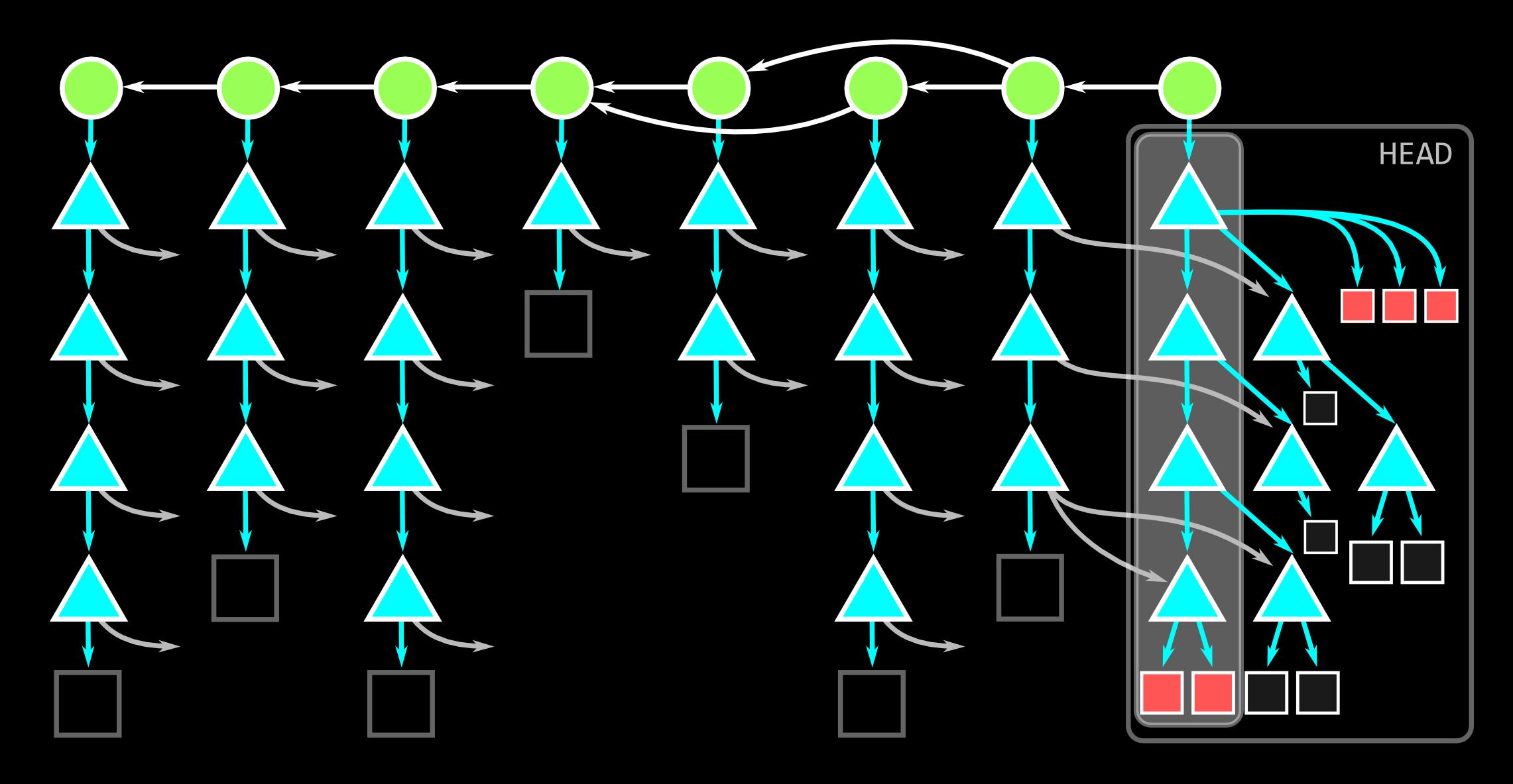
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git sparse-checkout init --cone
git sparse-checkout set <dir1> ... <dirN>
git sparse-checkout add <dir>
git sparse-checkout disable
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https://github.blog/2020-01-17-bring-your-monorepo-down-to-size-with-sparse-checkout/



Partial Clone with Sparse-Checkout

git clone --filter=blob:none --sparse <url> <repo>/src

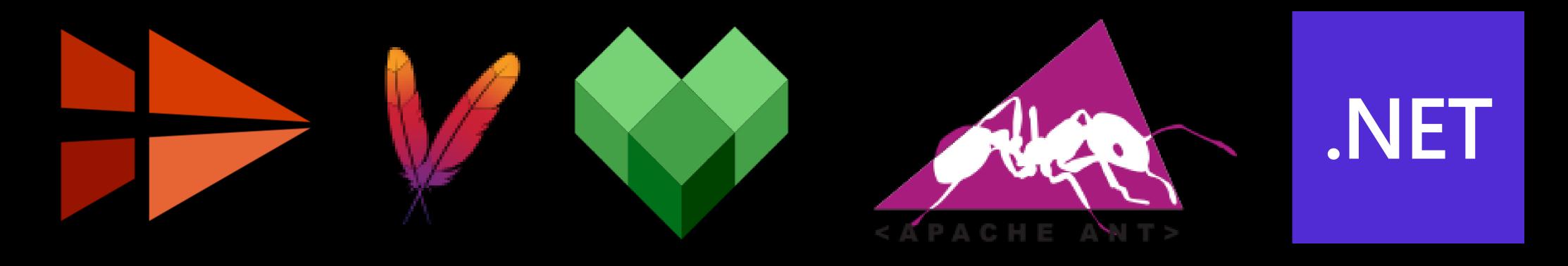


Partial Clone with Sparse-Checkout

git sparse-checkout add dirA/dirB/dirC

Call to Action

YOU are an expert in YOUR build system!



Integrate builds with sparse-checkout!

If you use these features, then you are at the forefront of Git at scale!

Know what's up

January 17, 2020 — Community, Open source

Bring your monorepo down to size with sparse-checkout



Derrick Stole

July 2, 2020 — Client apps, Security

Git Credential Manager Core: Building a universal authentication experience



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Matthew John Cheetham

Authentication is a critical component to your daily development. When working in open source, you need to prove that you have rights to update a branch with <code>git push</code>. Additionally when working on proprietary software, you need a way to prove that you even have read permission to access your code during <code>git fetch</code> or <code>git pull</code>.

Git currently supports two authentication mechanisms for accessing remotes. When using HTTP(S), Git sends a username and password, or a personal access token (PAT) via HTTP headers. When using SSH, Git relies on the server knowing your machine's public SSH key. Though SSH-based authentication is considered most secure, setting it up correctly can often be a challenge. On the other hand, PATs are often much easier to set up, but also far less secure.

To manage all of this, Git relies on tools called <u>credential managers</u> which handle authentication to different hosting services. When first designed, these tools simply stored usernames and passwords in a secure location for later retrieval (e.g., your keychain, in an encrypted file, etc). These days, two-factor authentication (2FA) is commonly required to keep your data secure. This complicates the authentication story significantly since new and existing tools are required to meet the demands of these stricter authentication models.

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Git credential helper vulnerability announced



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April 7, 2020 — Community, Open source

Celebrating 15 years of Git: An interview with Git maintainer Junio Hamano



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GitHub ha Specifically In celebration of Git's 15th anniversary, GitHub's Jeff King (@peff) interviewed Git's maintainer Junio Hamano about Git's 15 years and what's coming next. Jeff King is a distinguished Software Engineer at GitHub and has worked on scaling and maintaining Git on GitHub since 2011, but he's also been an active contributor to the Git project since 2006. Both Jeff and Junio serve on Git's project leadership committee at Software Freedom Conservancy.

Junio, thanks so much for chatting with us as we celebrate Git's 15th anniversary. For the benefit of our readers, and because I got this wrong for the first several years of working with you, what is the correct pronunciation of your name?

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Highlights from Git 2.25



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Highlights from Git 2.26

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The open source Git project just released Git 2.29 with features and bug fixes from over 89 contributors, 24 of them new. Last time we caught up with you, Git 2.28 had just been released. One version later, let's take a look at the most interesting features and changes that have happened since then.

Experimental SHA-256 support

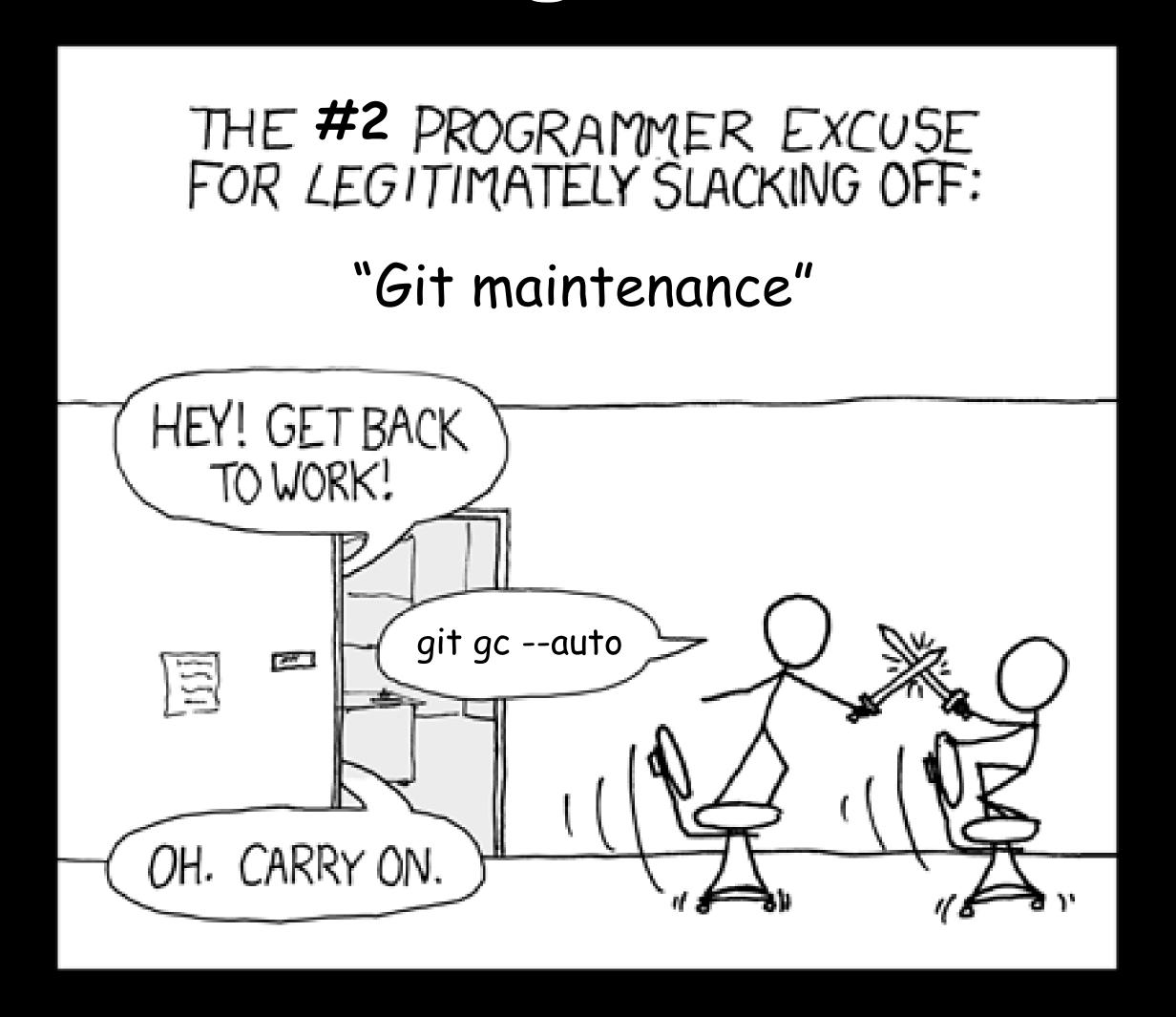
Git 2.29 includes experimental support for writing your repository's objects using a SHA-256 hash of their contents, instead of using SHA-1.

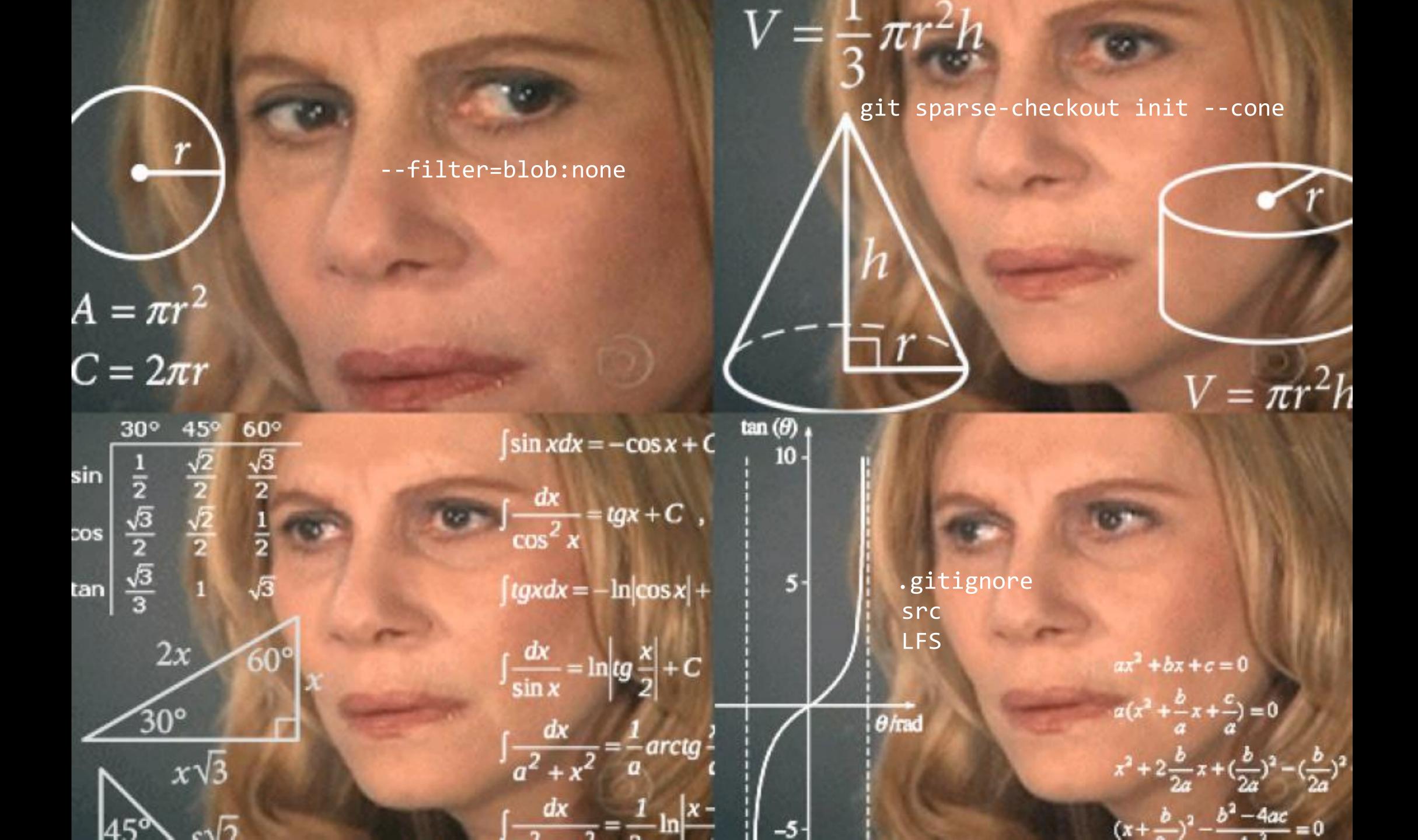
What does all of that mean? To explain, let's start from the beginning.

When you add files to a repository, Git copies their contents into blob objects in its local database, and creates tree objects that refer to the blobs. Likewise, when you run git commit, this creates a commit object that refers to the tree representing the committed state. How do these objects "refer" to each other, and how can you identify them when interacting with Git? The answer is that each object is given a unique name, called its object id, based on a hash of its contents. Git uses SHA-1 as its hash algorithm of choice, and depends on the object ids of different objects to be unique.

https://github.blog/

Coming Soon: Background Maintenance







https://github.com/microsoft/scalar

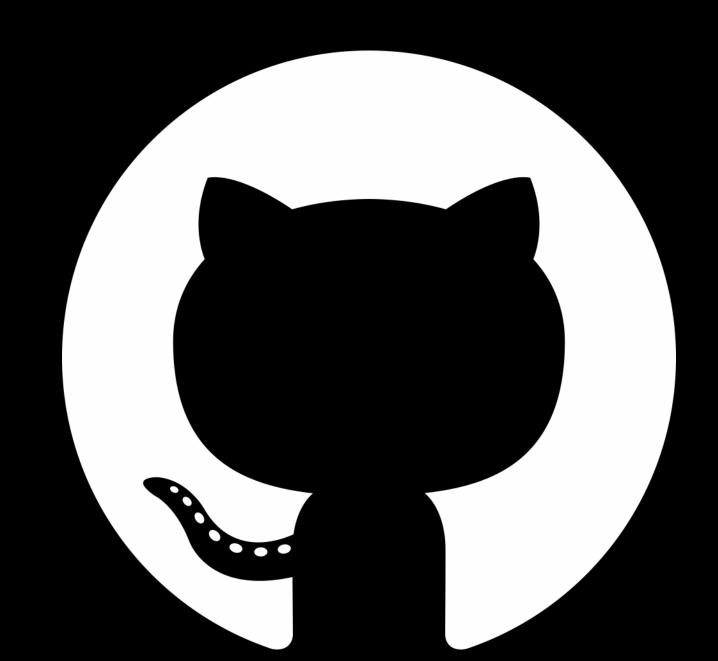
scalar clone <url> <url> <url>

- Create your repo in <repo>/src
- Default to using partial clone (--filter=blob:none)
- Default to using sparse-checkout
- Set up background maintenance
- Initialize recommended, advanced config settings

https://github.com/microsoft/scalar



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