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- **Introduction to Git & GitLab**

- What is Git? Why use Git?
- What is GitLab? Key features & benefits
- GitLab vs GitHub vs Bitbucket
- Navigating the GitLab UI

- **Git Basics (CLI & GitLab UI)**

- Repositories: Clone, Fork, Star, Watch
- Git init, clone, add, commit, push, pull
- Git status, diff, log, stash, reset, revert
- Branching: create, switch, merge, rebase

- **Working with GitLab Repositories**

- Creating new projects (blank, import, template)
- File management via GitLab UI
- Commit history and blame
- GitLab Web IDE basics
- Git tags and releases

- **Hands-on Labs**

- Clone a project and push changes
- Create and merge branches
- Navigate repository history and use GitLab Web IDE

- **GitLab Collaboration & Issue Tracking**

- Creating and managing issues
- Labels, milestones, and assignees
- Using GitLab boards for Agile workflows (Scrum/Kanban)
- Creating and linking Epics (GitLab Premium+)
- Discussions and comments on issues/MRs.

- **Merge Requests (MRs)**

- Creating MRs via UI and CLI
- Review process and approval rules
- Squash and merge, Fast-forward merge
- Resolving conflicts in MRs
- MR Pipelines and status checks

- **Introduction to GitLab CI/CD**

- What is CI/CD?
- GitLab CI/CD overview
- .gitlab-ci.yml basic structure
- Stages, jobs, scripts, and artifacts
- Pipeline execution flow

- **Hands-on Labs**

- Create and track an issue
- Create a merge request and complete a review cycle
- Write a basic .gitlab-ci.yml file to build and test code

- **GitLab CI/CD Advanced Topics**

- Using environments and deployments
- Using variables and secrets
- Caching, artifacts, and dependencies
- Scheduled pipelines
- Manual and delayed jobs
- Pipeline templates and includes.

- **GitLab DevOps & Security Features**

- Using GitLab Registry (container/image registry)
- GitLab Package Registry (Maven, npm, etc.)
- Secrets and environment management
- Security scanning and code quality (GitLab Ultimate)
- Auto DevOps and Auto-Deploy

- **GitLab Productivity Features**

- Wikis and Project Documentation
- Snippets (private/public)
- Custom Issue Templates and Merge Request Templates
- GitLab CLI (glab) for advanced usage
- Keyboard shortcuts and productivity tips

- **GitLab Integration & API**

- Integrating GitLab with Jira, Slack, Trello, Jenkins
- GitLab API overview (reading/writing issues, projects)
- Webhooks and triggers
- GitLab Notifications and To-Dos

- **Hands-on Labs**

- Advanced pipeline creation with stages and environments
- Use GitLab Container Registry
- Integrate GitLab project with Slack or Trello
- Create a snippet and a wiki page
- Trigger pipelines via GitLab API