

git milk?

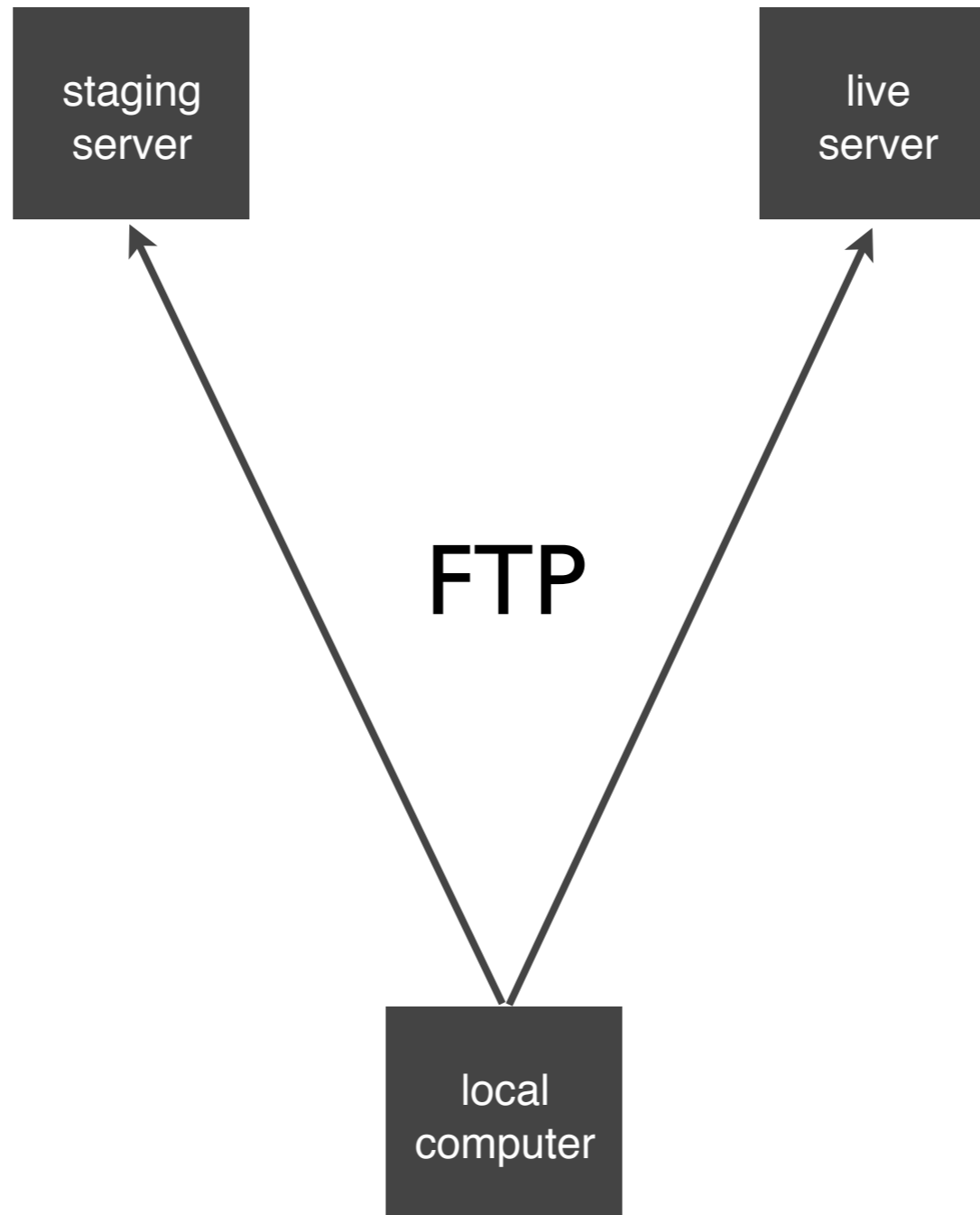
a practical guide for git newbies

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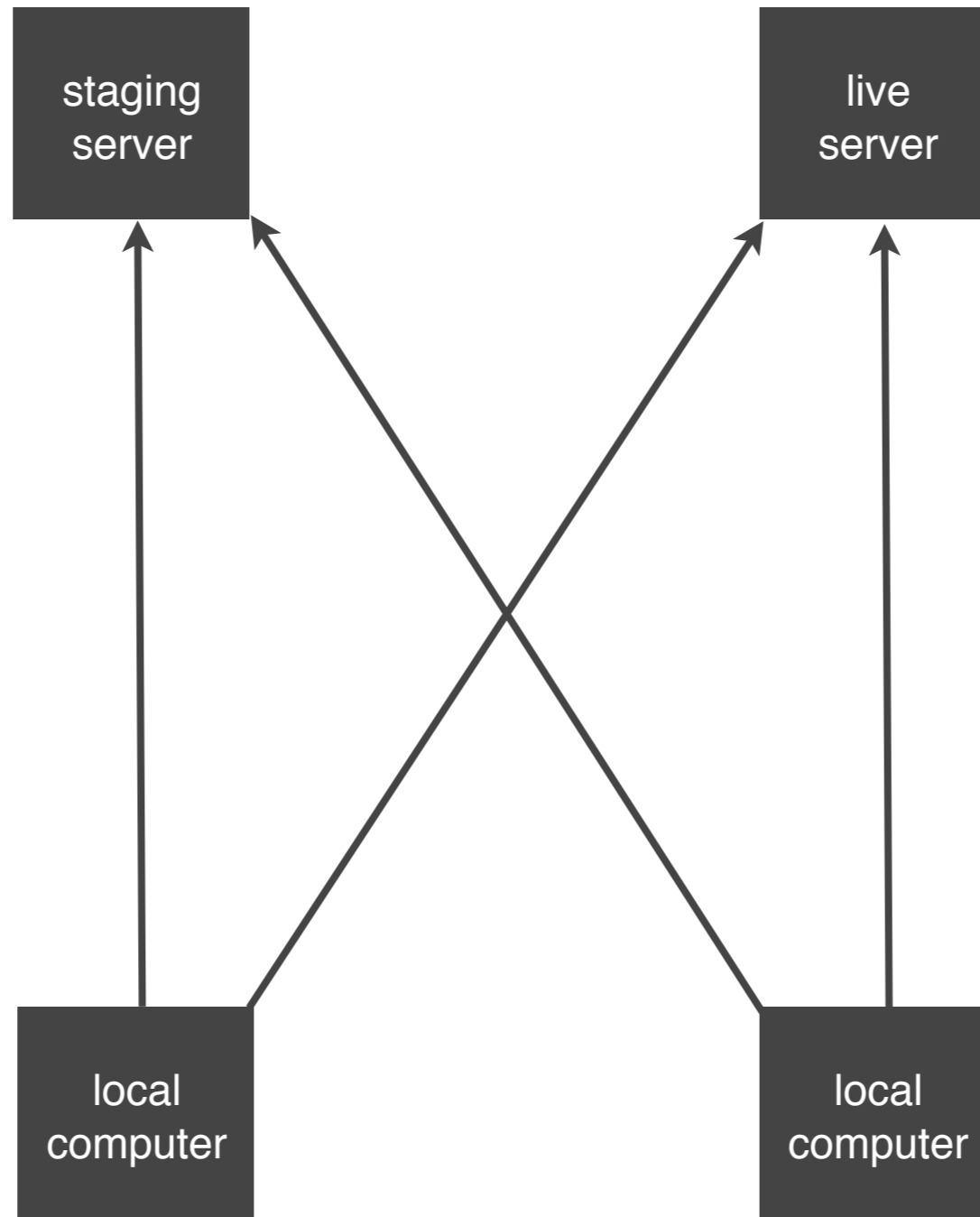
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one developer... ..this works



this does not work

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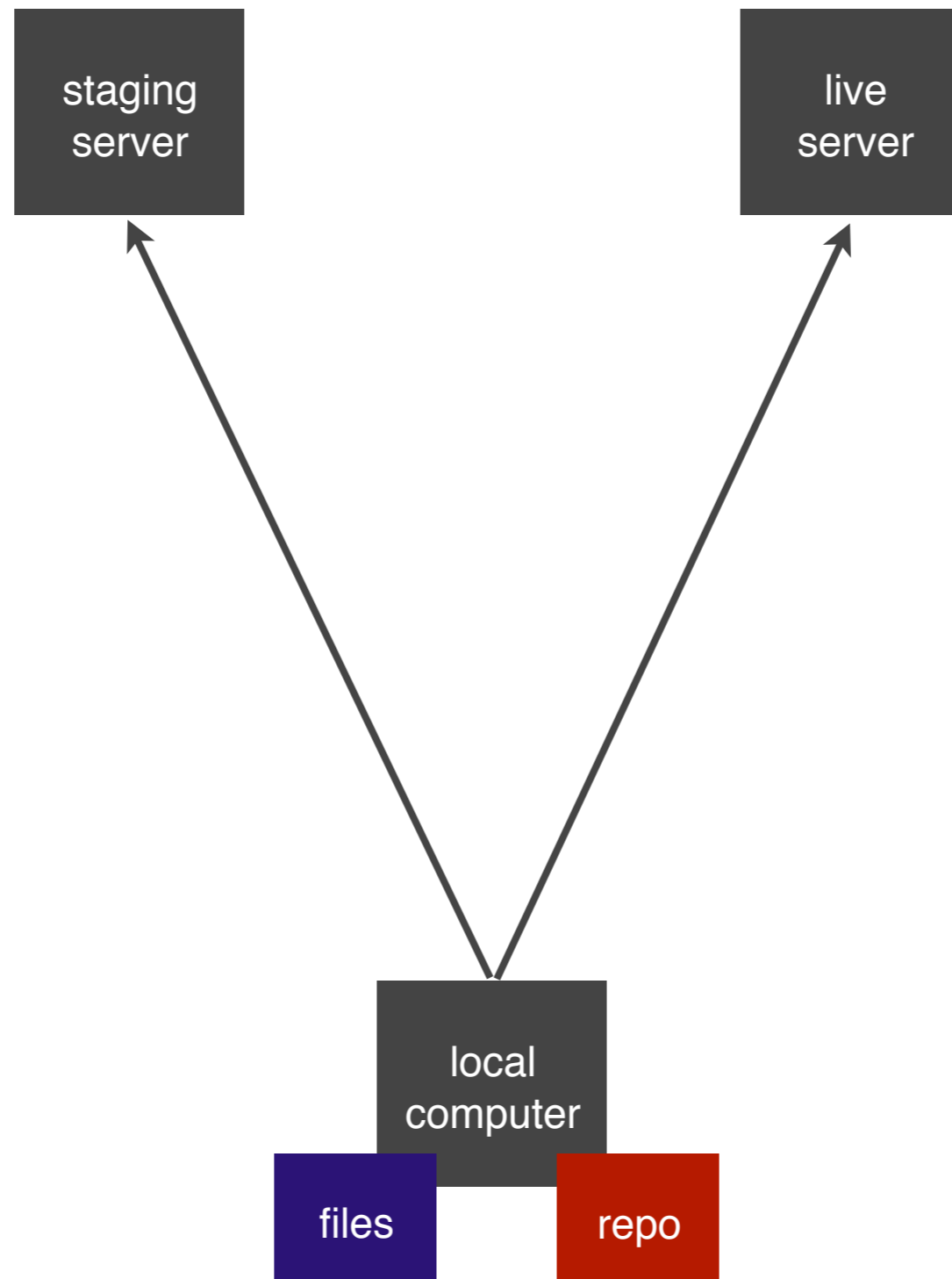
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git = one way to do version control

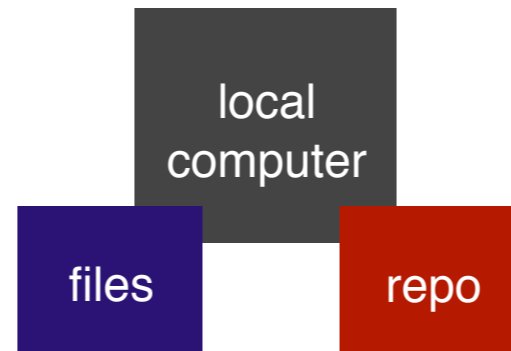
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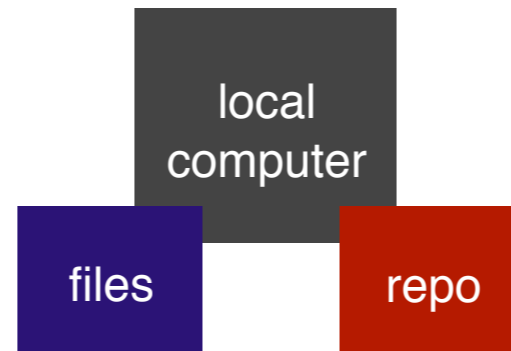
contains data on what files have changed and how



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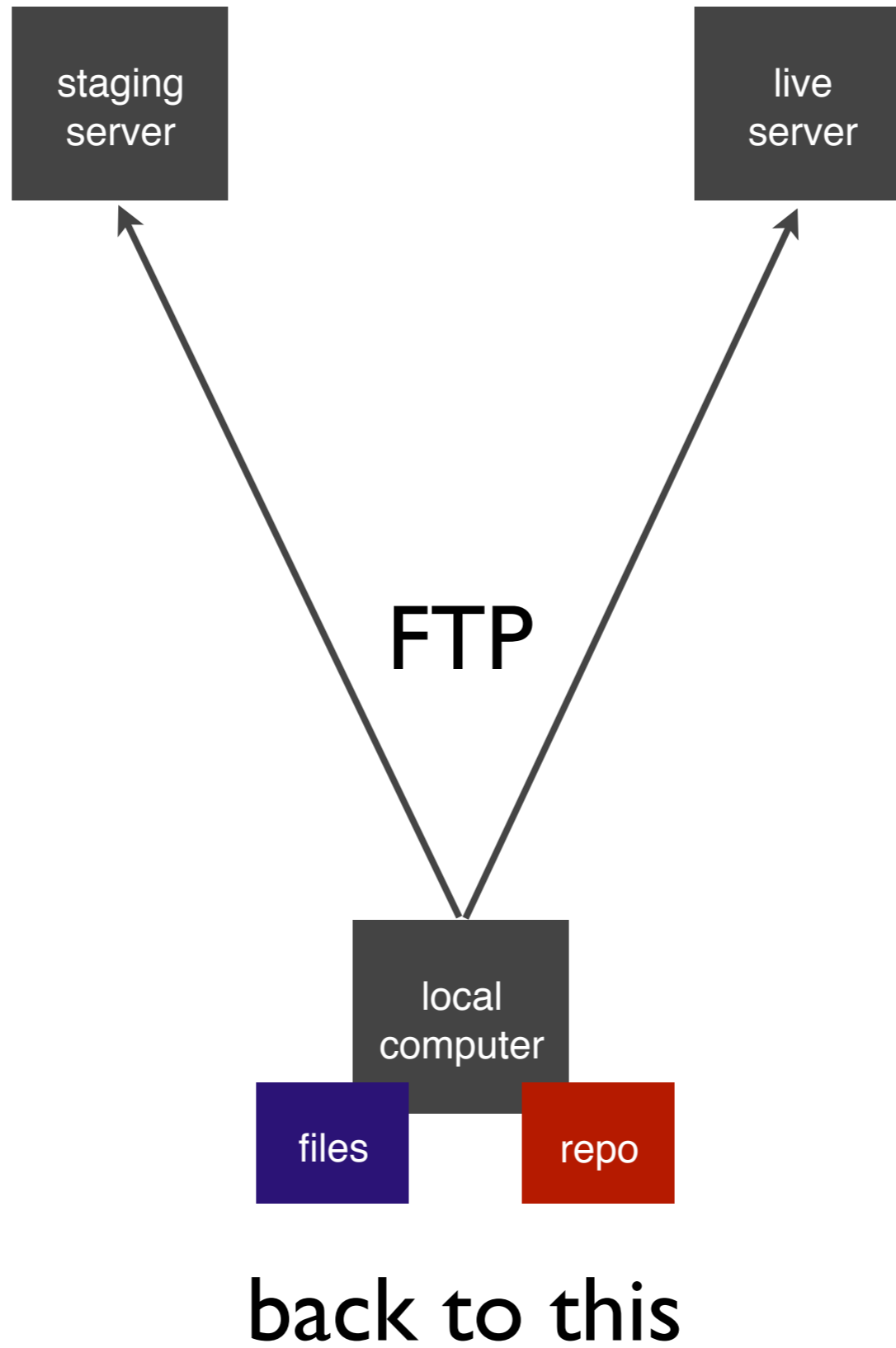
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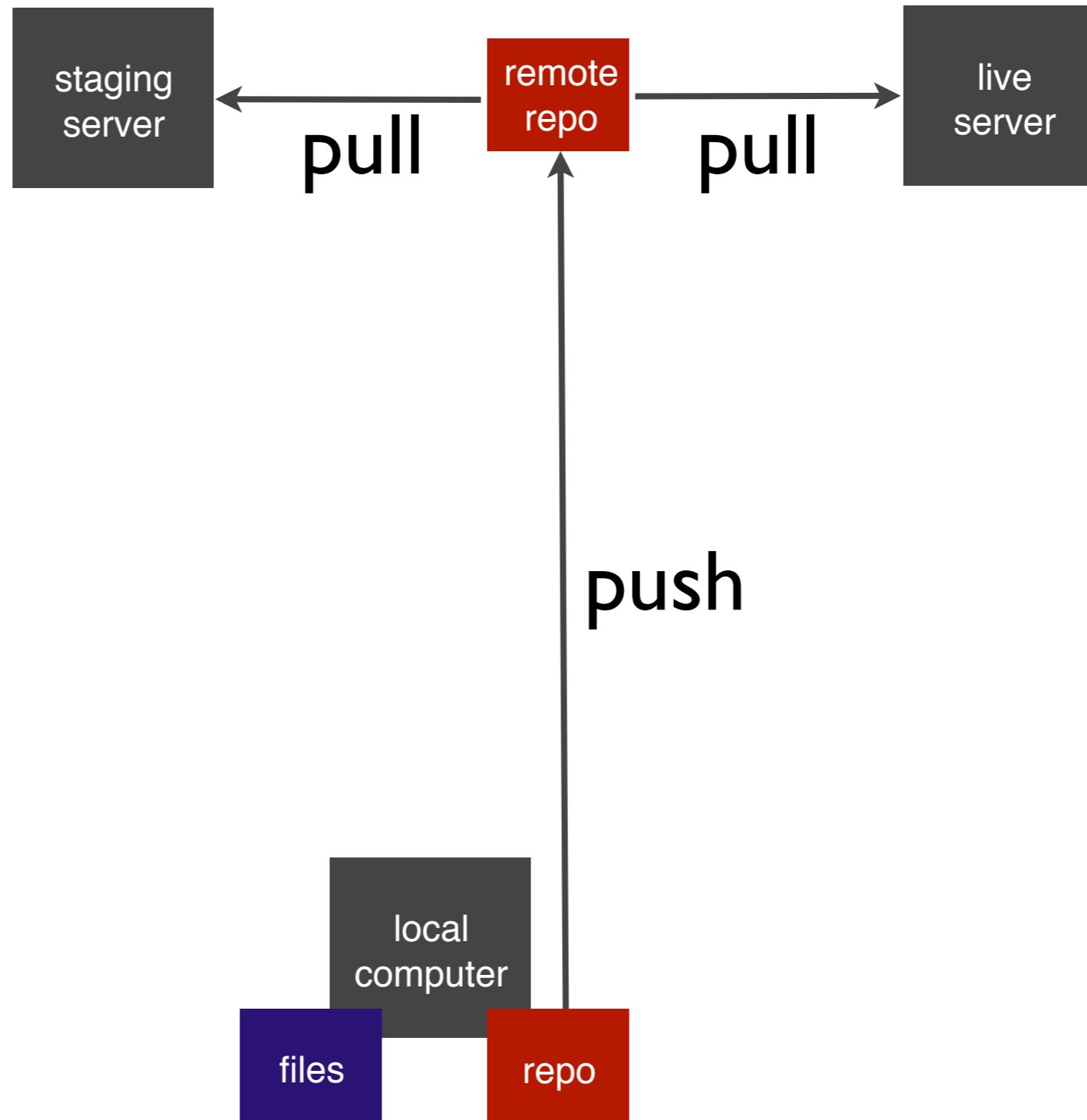


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the repository is new; it keeps track of changes to files





no more FTP... ..push to repo, pull from repo

branch

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a version of a repo is called a branch

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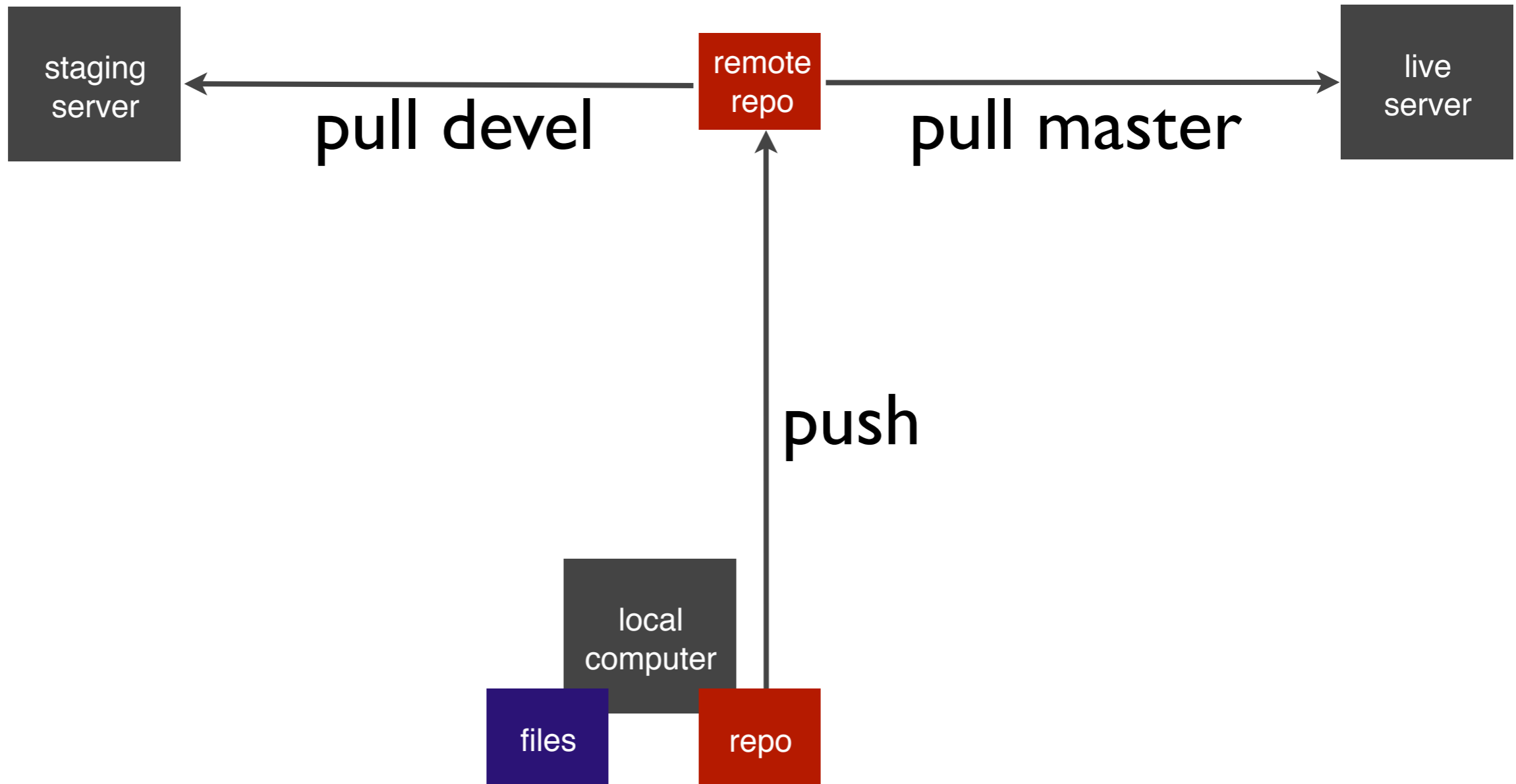
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a branch for working on something completely different; until you are sure it works

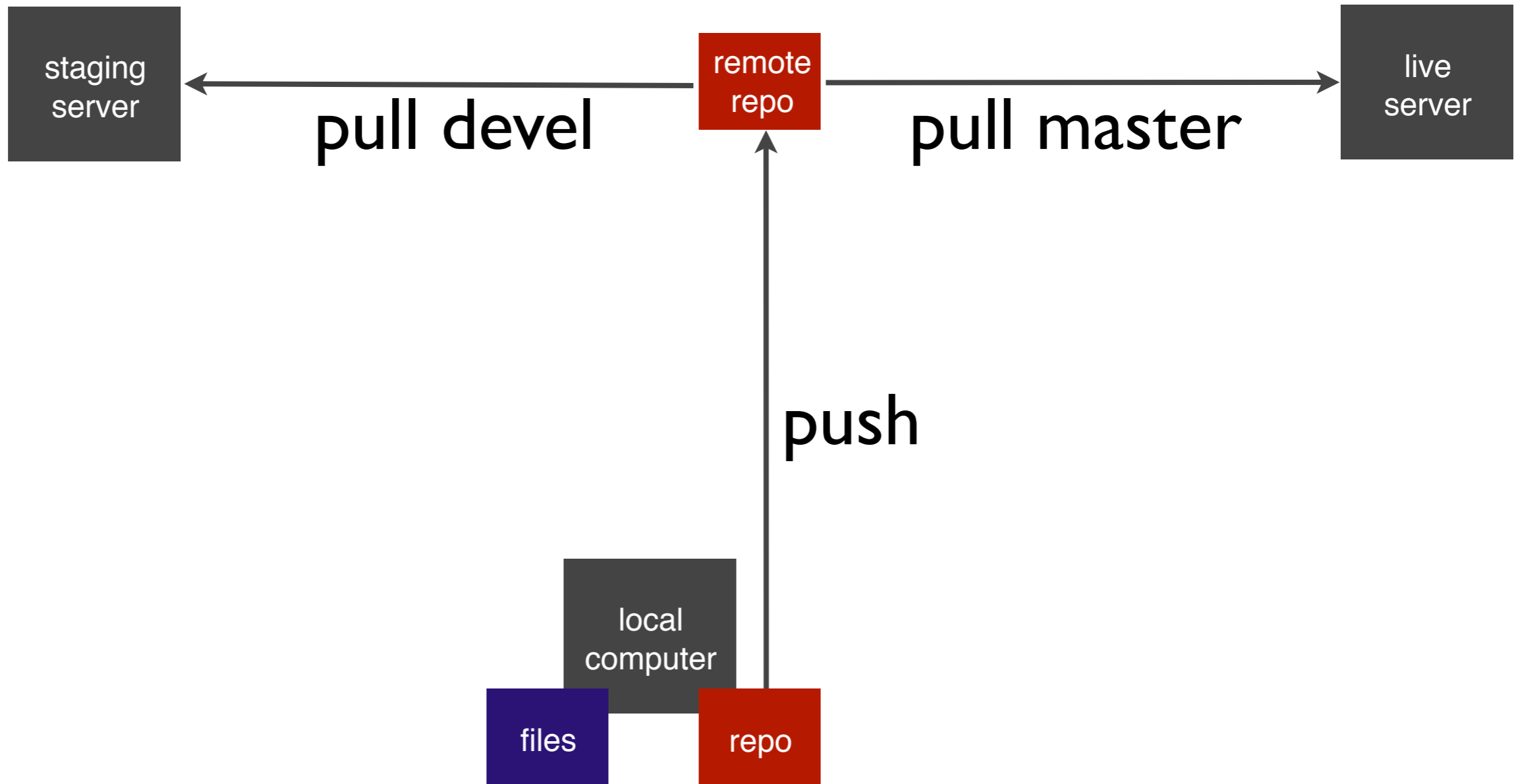
when you are sure... you merge

my_cool_feature $\xrightarrow{\text{merge}}$ devel

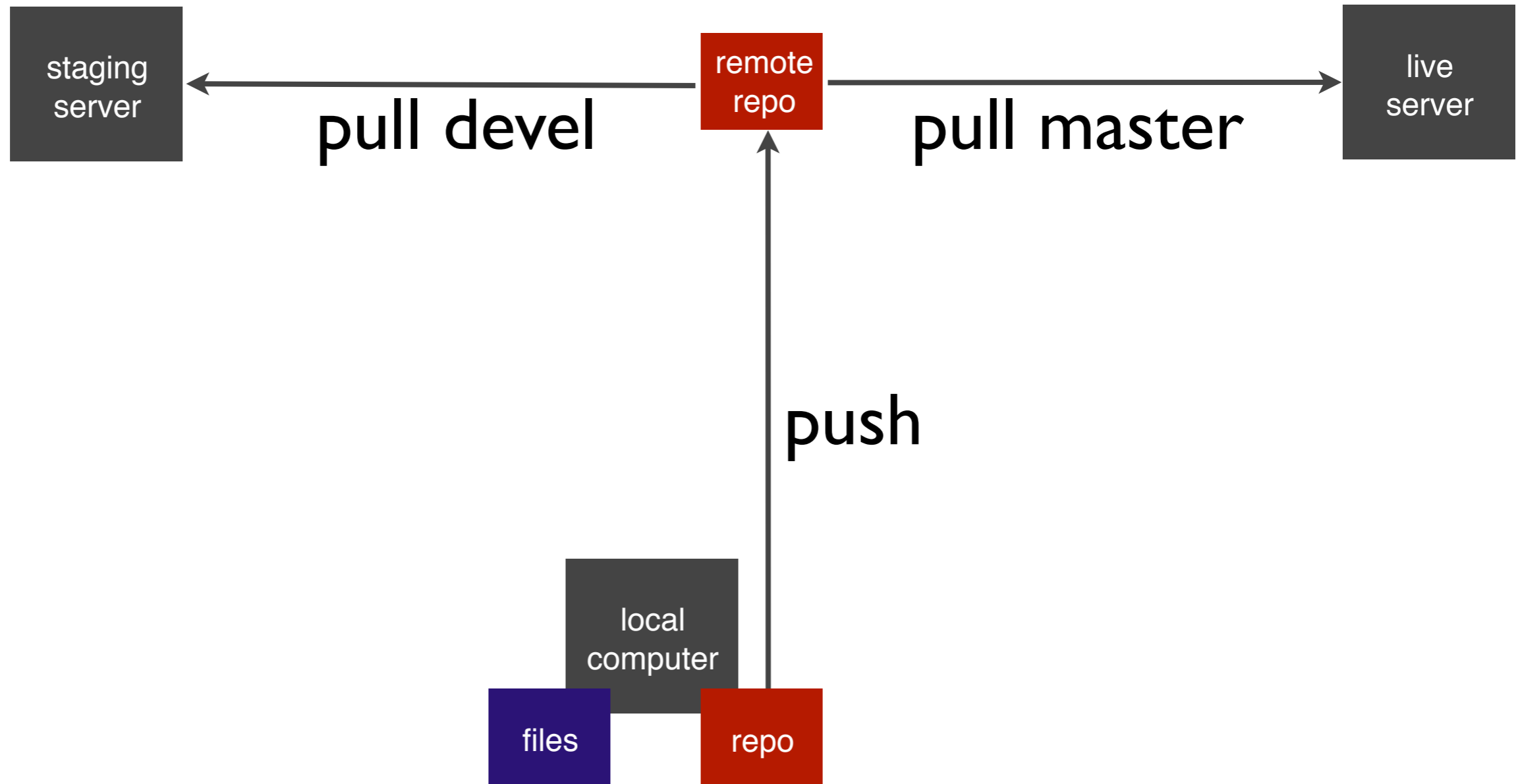
devel $\xrightarrow{\text{merge}}$ master



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questions so far?

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so how do you actually do this?

install git

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<http://thinkvitamin.com/code/how-to-install-git/>
(<http://bit.ly/gitinstall>)

git commands

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<http://gitref.org>

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:~ rick$ git --version  
git version 1.7.5.4  
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:~ rick$
```

Start up terminal. Do `git --version` (or any git command) to see if git is working.

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git version 1.7.5.4
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:~ rick$
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:~ rick$ cd sites
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:sites rick$ cd git
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ ls
```

```
hello.txt
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git init
```

```
Initialized empty Git repository in /Users/rick/Sites/Git/.git/
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

I cd to my sites folder, then to a folder I called “git”.
In that folder I do **git init** to start a new git repo there.

Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick\$ **git status**

On branch master

#

Initial commit

#

Untracked files:

(use "git add <file>..." to include in what will be committed)

#

hello.txt

nothing added to commit but untracked files present (use "git add" to track)

Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick\$

This is telling me I have an untracked file (hello.txt) and I should add it if I want to eventually commit it to the repo.

```
# hello.txt
```

```
nothing added to commit but untracked files present (use  
"git add" to track)
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git add .
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git commit -m  
"added hello.txt"
```

```
[master (root-commit) f13fbfe] added hello.txt  
1 files changed, 1 insertions(+), 0 deletions(-)  
create mode 100644 hello.txt
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

Did `add .` to add all changes to be ready to commit.

Then did a commit to the repo.

Shortcut command to add and commit at the same time:

`git commit -am "added hello.txt"` (note the `-a`) but this does not work on new files, only on files already added.

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git add -to track)
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Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git status
# On branch master
nothing to commit (working directory clean)
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

On branch master, nothing to commit.
Now I go and do some work on hello.txt

Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick\$

Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick\$ **git status**

On branch master

Changes not staged for commit:

(use "git add <file>..." to update what will be committed)

(use "git checkout -- <file>..." to discard changes in working directory)

#

modified: hello.txt

#

no changes added to commit (use "git add" and/or "git commit -a")

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This is telling me I am on branch master and I have modified hello.txt and I should do an add.

```
# modified: hello.txt
```

```
#
```

```
no changes added to commit (use "git add" and/or "git  
commit -a")
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git add hello.txt
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git commit -m
```

```
"changed hello.txt"
```

```
[master 51cafc2] changed hello.txt
```

```
1 files changed, 1 insertions(+), 1 deletions(-)
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

I did my add, this time using the filename, instead
of **add .** (add all).

Then did my commit.

The workflow you will do over and over again is this:

- A. Do some work on your files.
- B. Do `git status` to see what git says has changed (optional)
- C. Do `git add .` (or `git add filename`)
- D. Do `git commit -m "my commit message"`

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`git reset --hard HEAD~1`

(the above gets rid of the commit and the file changes)

<http://bit.ly/git-undo-last-commit>
(see comment 198)

questions?

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Then later I can merge the branch I did my work on into the main branch

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Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git commit -m
"changed hello.txt"
[master 51cafc2] changed hello.txt
 1 files changed, 1 insertions(+), 1 deletions(-)
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git branch
* master
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

This shows that there is one branch, called master, and I am on that branch.

```
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```

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```

```
* master
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git branch devel
```

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```
devel
```

```
* master
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

Now I have a new branch called devel, but I am still on the master branch.


```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git branch  
devel  
* master
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git checkout devel
```

```
Switched to branch 'devel'
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$ git branch
```

```
* devel  
master
```

```
Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick$
```

Now I have switched to my devel branch so I can work with hello.txt without worrying about messing up the version of hello.txt that is in the master branch.

Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick\$ git branch
* devel

master

Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick\$ git checkout master

Switched to branch 'master'

Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:git rick\$ git merge devel

Updating 3bbadf3..6fddb3 |

Fast-forward

hello.txt | 2 +-
1 files changed, 1 insertions(+), 1 deletions(-)

Richard-Hoods-MacBook-Pro:local rick\$

Above I switch back to the master branch, then merge in my devel branch so that now master will have the changes that I did to hello.txt when I was working on the devel branch.

I will walk you through this on the actual command line.

questions?

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- B. Do `git status` to see what git says has changed (optional)
- C. Do `git add .`
- D. Do `git commit -m "my commit message"`

But so far this is all dealing only with a local repo. Once you are dealing with a remote repo (more in a bit), you will also do this:

- E. Push to the remote repo: `git push origin devel`

That pushes your local devel branch to the remote devel branch. Then others can get to your changes of devel by doing `git pull origin devel`

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```
$ git remote add origin git@github.com:username/myrepo.git
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Very good instructions for all of this is here:

<http://help.github.com/create-a-repo/>

At github.com when you add a new repo, it comes back with instructions:

Next steps:

```
mkdir drupalcamp
```

```
cd drupalcamp
```

```
git init
```

```
touch README
```

```
git add README
```

```
git commit -m 'first commit'
```

```
git remote add origin git@github.com:rick02840/drupalcamp.git
```

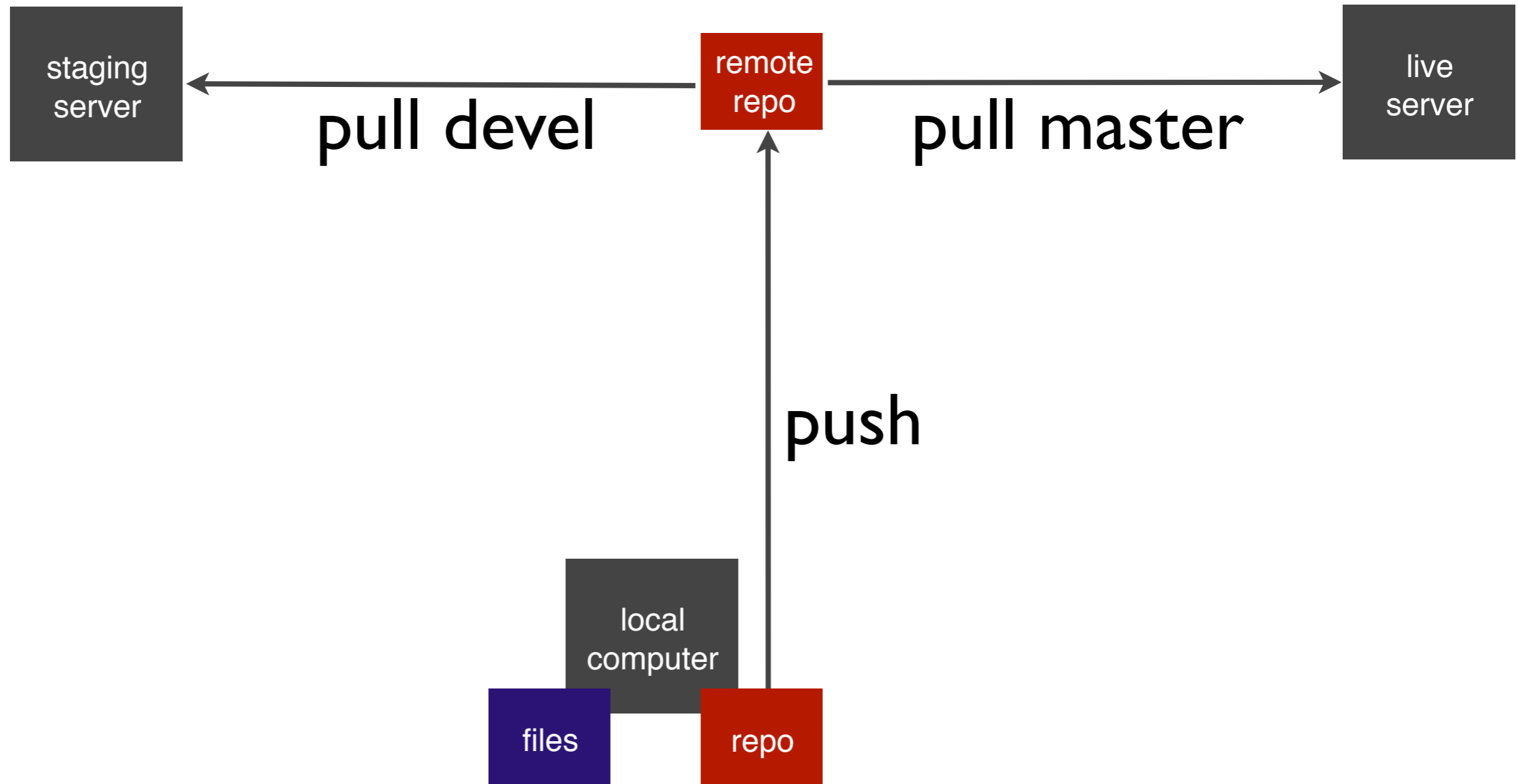
```
git push -u origin master
```

Existing Git Repo?

```
cd existing_git_repo
```

```
git remote add origin git@github.com:rick02840/drupalcamp.git
```

```
git push -u origin master
```



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Now we will move on to a demo

But here again are key links for more info:

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