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Python library to automatically synchronize git repositories via shell

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1.1 Contents

1.1.1 Proc Module

This module handles communication with the operating system. Namely launching commands.

```
git_sh_sync.proc.CODE_SUCCESS = 0
```

Returncode of a successful command

```
git_sh_sync.proc.CHAR_NEWLINE = '\n'
```

Newline character used for detailed log output

```
class git_sh_sync.proc.Command(cmd, *, cwd=None, cin=None)
```

This is a class-based command runner using `subprocess`

```
__init__(cmd, *, cwd=None, cin=None)
```

Initialize a new command

Parameters

- **cmd** – Commandline of command to launch
- **cwd** – Launch *cmd* inside some other current working directory
- **cin** – Send data via stdin into *cmd*

cmd

Returns `Splitted` output of original *cmd*

cwd

Returns Current working directory or `None`

cin

Returns Stdin data or `None`

exc

Returns If launching the command raised some exception it is available here, otherwise `None`

code

Returns The shell returncode after launching. Will be `None` on exception or before launch

stdout

Returns Unmodified output of command stdout or empty string

Return type `str`

stderr

Returns Unmodified output of command stderr or empty string

Return type `str`

command

Returns Joined and `quoted` output of internal `cmd`

launched

Returns `True` if command was launched, otherwise `False`

A command is considered launched if any of the `exception` or the `returncode` are not set to `None`

success

Returns `True` if command launch was successful, otherwise `False`

A command is considered successful if no `exception` was thrown and the `returncode` equals `CODE_SUCCESS`

out

Returns Splitted list output of `stdout`

Return type `list`

err

Returns Splitted list output of `stderr`

Return type `list`

fields

Returns Some information about the current command as dictionary

Return type `dict`

Before the command was `launched` only `cmd`, `cwd` and `cin` are included. After `launch` the result is extended by `stdout`, `stderr`, `exc` and `code`.

`__repr__()`
String representation of current command. Utilizes `fields()` and `pprint.pformat()` for that.

`repr`
Expand `__repr__()` with triple-quotes and `CHAR_NEWLINE`.

`__call__()`
Launches the command.

Returns Output of `success`

To avoid confusion a previously `launched` command will not run again, returning always `False`.

1.1.2 Repo Module

This module allows working with git repositories.

```
git_sh_sync.repo.GIT_DIVIDER = '|-: ^_^ :-|'
```

Format divider (e.g. used in log) - Should be different from any text inside a commit message

```
class git_sh_sync.repo.GitStatus
```

Parameters

- **clean** – Is True if there are pending changes, otherwise False
- **conflicting** – Files with conflicts \o/
- **deleted** – Removed files
- **modified** – Files with modifications
- **untracked** – Files not yet added end up here

```
class git_sh_sync.repo.GitBranches
```

Parameters

- **current** – Currently active branch
- **all** – All available branches (including *current*)

```
class git_sh_sync.repo.GitLog
```

Parameters

- **short** – Short commit hash
- **full** – Complete commit hash
- **message** – Commit message

```
class git_sh_sync.repo.Repository(location, *, master_branch='master', re-  
mote_name='origin', remote_url=None)
```

Handles communications with git repositories, using native `git` inside `Command`

```
__init__(location, *, master_branch='master', remote_name='origin', re-  
mote_url=None)
```

Initialize a new Repository

Parameters

- **location** – Local path of the repository
- **master_branch** – Name of the master branch
- **remote_name** – Default name of the remote
- **remote_url** – Remote URL of the repository

Calls then *initialize()* to set everything up

is_repo

Verifies if current *Repository* is indeed a git repository.

initialize (*remote_url=None*)

Is called from inside *__init__()* to prepare the repository. Checks *is_repo* first to bail out early. If no *remote_url* is given a new repository is initialized. Otherwise a clone from the *remote_url* is attempted.

status

Determines current status of the repository.

Returns Current status

Return type *GitStatus*

Generates lists of changed files according to matching state.

branches ()

Collects all branches of the repository

Returns All branches

Return type *GitBranches*

Signals current branch and a list of all other branches.

remote_names

Emit names of the remotes. Do not confuse this property with the *remote_name*, which acts as a default value for cloning or pushing actions.

Returns Remote names

Return type *list*

remote_url (*remote=None*)

Retrieve URL of remote by name.

Parameters **remote** – Remote name

Returns The URL as String or None if nothing was found

log (*num=-1*)

Retrieve log of repository

Parameters **num** – Limit length of output. Use negative for unlimited output.

Returns Log entries containing short-, full-hash and commit message.

Return type list of *GitLog*

tags

Query existing tags.

Returns Name of tags, newest first

Return type `list`

tag (*name*)

Stick tags onto commits.

Parameters **name** – Tag name

Returns `True` if successful else `False`

checkout (*treeish=None*)

Checkout a commit, tag or branch.

Parameters **treeish** – Commit (short or full), tag or branch. If left blank, *master_branch* is assumed

Returns `True` if successful else `False`

If *treeish* is neither a known commit, tag or branch, a new branch is created.

mutate ()

Collects all changes and tries to add/remove them.

Returns `True` if everything went well, else `False`

Will freak out if there are conflicts detected - thus returning `False` and writing issues into the log.

scrub (*branch_name=None*)

Uses *mutate()* to handle all changes and commits them into a temporary branch. Will merge the branches back into the original branch afterwards.

Parameters **branch_name** – Name of the temporary branch. Will use the *current hostname* if left blank.

Returns `True` if everything went well (or there is nothing to do), `False` otherwise

cleanup (*branch_name=None, remote_name=None*)

Uses *scrub()* to form a new commit and pulls afterwards.

Parameters

- **branch_name** – Name of the temporary branch (see *scrub()*)
- **remote_name** – Name of the remote to pull from. For best results this should be some part of *remote_names()*. If left blank, class wide *remote_name* is taken.

Returns `True` on success, `False` otherwise

__call__ (*temp_branch_name=None, push_branch_name=None, remote_name=None*)

Does a *cleanup* and tries to push afterwards. Will not push if something goes wrong with the *cleanup*.

Parameters

- **temp_branch_name** – Name of the temporary branch (see *scrub()*)
- **push_branch_name** – Name of the branch to push into. Will be set to class wide *master_branch* if set to `None`
- **remote_name** – Name of the remote to pull from (see *cleanup()*)

Returns `True` if everything went well, `False` otherwise

1.1.3 Disk Util

This module handles disk operations. Namely combining paths, checking them and creating folders..

`git_sh_sync.util.disk.joined(*locs)`

Joins paths together.

Parameters `locs` – Single path elements to `join` together.

Returns A full path combined by the following rules:

- Leading `slashes` are stripped from all but the first element
- `Expanduser` is applied (`~`)
- `Expandvars` is applied (e.g. `$HOME` is then the same as `~`)
- Finally `realpath` is applied to resolve symlinks and return a full path

`git_sh_sync.util.disk.spare(*locs, folder=False)`

Checks if a path is not already occupied

Parameters

- `locs` – Input Parameter for `joined()`
- `folder` – Flag to signal if to check for a file or folder

Returns `True`, `False` or `None` by the following rules:

- If a folder is present and `folder = True`: `False`
- If a folder is present and `folder = False`: `None`
- If a file is present and `folder = False`: `False`
- If a file is present and `folder = True`: `None`
- If nothing is present: `True`

`git_sh_sync.util.disk.ensured(*locs, folder=False)`

Checks if the path already exists and creates (parent-)folders if necessary

Parameters

- `locs` – Input Parameter for `spare()`
- `folder` – Treat `locs` Parameter as file or folder

Returns Output of `joined()`

1.1.4 Host Util

This module handles host operations. Namely getting the hostname of the local machine...

`git_sh_sync.util.host.get_hostname(short=True)`

Retrieves current hostname.

Parameters `short` – only emit the first part if `true`

Returns hostname (long or short form)

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