EGit and JGit 0.7.0
Release Review

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About

EGit is an Eclipse Team provider for Git. Git is a distributed SCM, which means every developer has a full copy of all history of every revision of the code, making queries against the history very fast and versatile. The EGit project is implementing Eclipse tooling for the JGit Java implementation of Git.

JGit is an EDL (BSD) licensed, lightweight, pure Java library implementing Git.
Introduction

EGit and JGit are Technology sub projects.

- http://www.eclipse.org/egit/
- http://www.eclipse.org/jgit/

This release is the first release for both projects at Eclipse.org, and the goal is to build an Eclipse community around Git. **EGit is still beta and we want to establish a feedback loop to improve the tooling to be "CVS quality"**

EGit and JGit will both ship as part of the Helios release train.
Features

JGit:
- Myers O(ND) based difference, merge.
- Smart HTTP transport.
- Eclipse IP log generator for Git projects.
- Build running at build.eclipse.org with Maven/Tycho.
- Many bug fixes (configuration, packing, performance).

EGit:
- Diverse usability enhancements
- Build running at build.eclipse.org with Maven/Tycho
- Documentation sourced from wiki via WikiText
Non Code Aspects

User Guide and extensive Contributor Guide

Lively discussion on mailing lists show a growing community:
Bugzilla

● JGit:
  ○ 11 bugs open, 5 enhancements
  ○ 12 bugs fixed since project started at Eclipse

● EGit:
  ○ 50 bugs open, 2 critical, 5 major, 12 enhancements
  ○ 41 bugs fixed since project started at Eclipse
Committers - JGit

- Chris Aniszczyk (EclipseSource)
- Christian Halstrick (SAP)
- Gunnar Wagenknecht (Ageto)
- Matthias Sohn (SAP)
- Robin Rosenberg (Dewire)
- Shawn Pearce (Google)
- Stefan Lay (SAP)
Committers - EGit

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- Matthias Sohn (SAP)
- Mik Kersten (Tasktop)
- Mykola Nikishov (Independent)
- Robin Rosenberg (Dewire)
- Shawn Pearce (Google)
- Stefan Lay (SAP)
Community

Significant code contributions from the community


- JGit
  - Initial JGit contribution (CQ 3448)
  - Eugene Myers diff algorithm (CQ 3559)
  - Improve JGit performance (CQ 3716)

- EGit
  - Initial EGit contribution (CQ 3393)
  - EGit UI Tests (CQ 3738)
IP Logs

- JGit
- EGit
Schedule

- 0.8.0
  - Make EGit as usable as the CVS team provider
- 1.0.0
  - Solidify API for JGit
  - Make EGit **better** than CVS team provider
Project Plan

Available at


Themes

- Usability
- Documentation Improvements
- Building a Community