

Install Git 2.x on CentOS 7

You may want to higher version of Git if you use Visual Studio Code (a.k.a. vscode) - its version will be Git 2.x probably. In that case, you can install by WANDisco repo package easily.

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STEP 1. Install WANDisco repo package

```
yum -y install http://opensource.wandisco.com/centos/7/git/x86_64/wandisco-git-release-7-2.noarch.rpm
```

You can try below if above does not work

```
yum -y install https://packages.endpoint.com/rhel/7/os/x86_64/endpoint-repo-1.7-1.x86_64.rpm
```

STEP 2. Install the latest version of Git 2.x:

```
yum -y install git
```

STEP 3. Verify the version of Git that was installed:

```
git --version
```

STEP 4. Set git commit username and email address type

```
git config --global user.name "Your Name"  
git config --global user.email "youremail@yourdomain.com"
```

To verify the changes:

```
git config --list
```

Output:

```
user.name=Your name  
user.email=youremail@yourdomain.com
```

The configuration settings are stored in the ~/.gitconfig file

As of 17. apr. 2020 , I was able to see its version 2.22.0 for your information.