







How to contribute?

oemof – a community project to make energy modelling transparent and shareable

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- Some users are afraid of contributing because they do not have experience
- Other do not have time

- Developers need contribution to improve the project.
- Developers can not give time but help you with your first contribution, your second contribution will be much faster.

Some contributors became developers but you do not have to



Ways of contributing

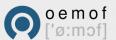
- Documentation
 - report or fix typos and grammar
 - clarify paragraphs
 - add additional explanation
- Code
 - report or fix Bugs
 - add features or take part in concept building
 - fix docstrings or code layout (e.g. pep8 rules)
- General
 - Improve our web page or user forum
 - add or improve examples
 - write open and well documented applications
 - organise meetings or little workshops



The following description shows you the main steps briefly.

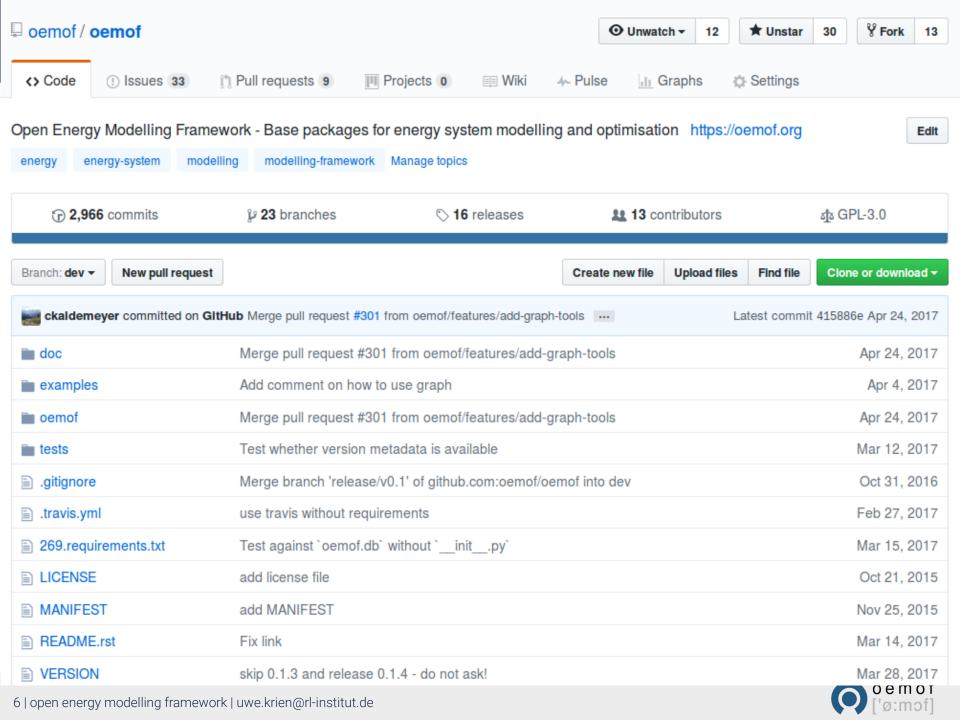
If you do not know how to use git (clone, commit, push), or how to create a Pull Request at github you should search the internet for tutorials.

It is possible to make small changes in your fork using the github web interface.



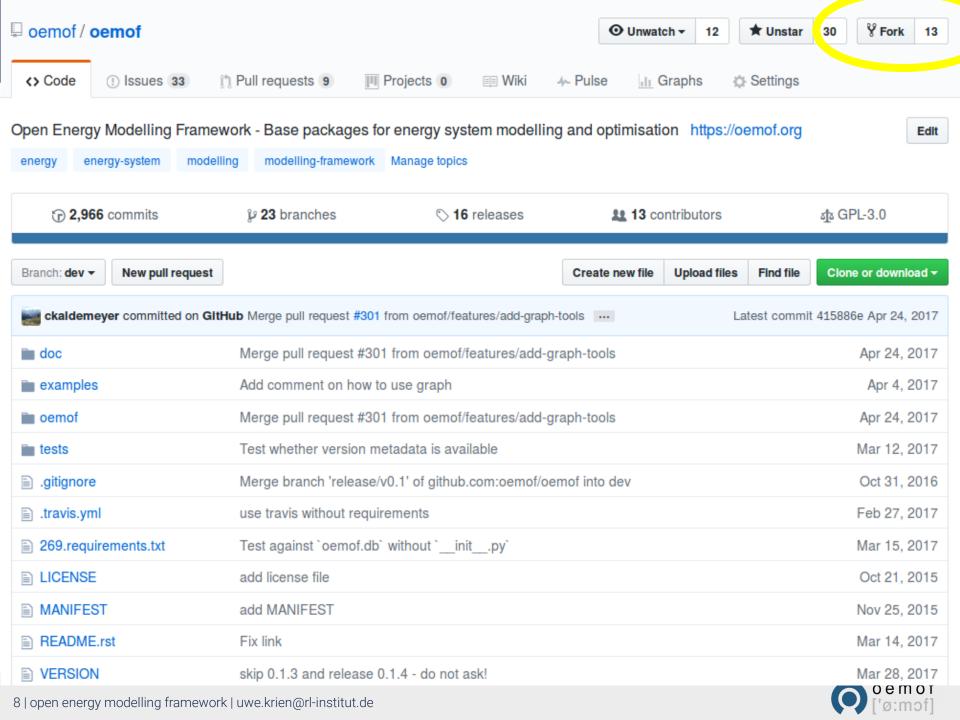
- Create an account on github
- Fork oemof (feedinlib...)
- Clone your fork to your system
- Fix bug/typo or add your feature
- Read developer rules (coding, tests,...)
- Push changes to your fork
- Create a PullRequest and tell us what you have done
- Ask a developer if you need help, we all once did our first PullRequest





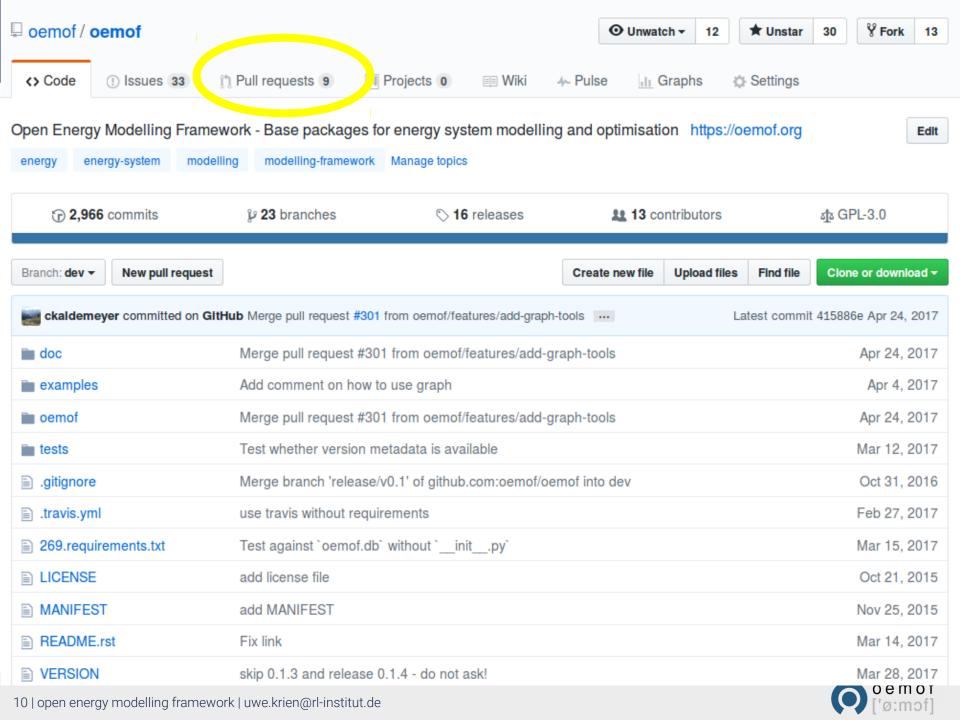
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Using oemof – just go ahead



Any questions?

