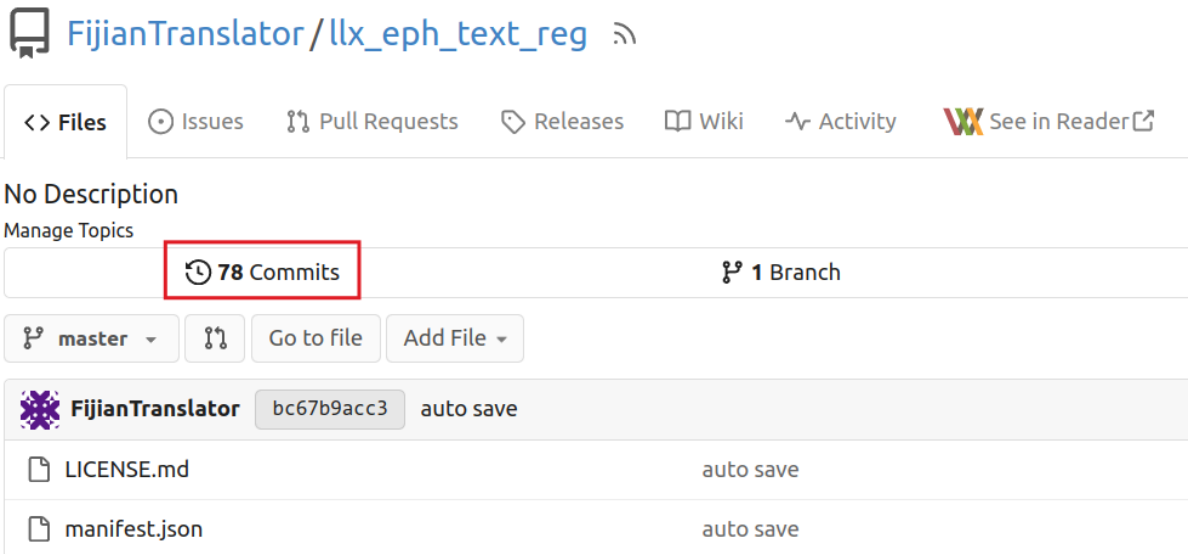


Recovery of Lost Text using the git features of WACS.

1. First, I go to the repo in WACS. This is the same as the links you have listed below, but with the **.git** taken off the end.
2. As part of the header of that page, there is a note about how many **commits** have been made to this project. This is basically an indication of how many times changes have been saved. It is a link that can be clicked.



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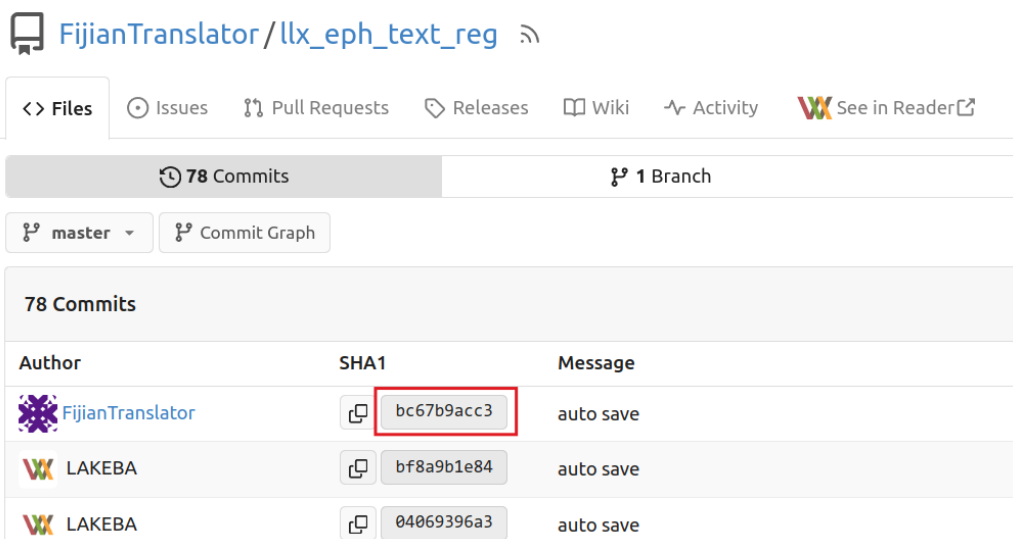
78 Commits 1 Branch

master Go to file Add File

FijianTranslator bc67b9acc3 auto save

LICENSE.md	auto save
manifest.json	auto save

3. Each commit has a **SHA1**, which is basically a fingerprint, to uniquely identify that commit from every other. In the display, an abbreviated form of the SHA1 is shown. Clicking on the overlapping pages icon will copy the SHA1 to the clipboard (so you can use it in a report, a git program on your computer, etc.) Clicking on the number will open that commit, showing what was changed from the previous commit.



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master Commit Graph

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Author	SHA1	Message
FijianTranslator	bc67b9acc3	auto save
LAKEBA	bf8a9b1e84	auto save
LAKEBA	04069396a3	auto save

4. In the case of Ephesians, it was the fourth commit back that had what I was interested in:

± 25 changed files with 0 additions and 25 deletions

03

- 01.txt
- 03.txt
- 06.txt
- 08.txt
- 10.txt
- 12.txt
- 14.txt
- 17.txt
- 20.txt
- title.txt

04

- 01.txt
- 04.txt
- 07.txt
- 09.txt
- 11.txt
- 14.txt
- 17.txt
- 20.txt
- 23.txt
- 25.txt
- 28.txt



03/01.txt

@ -1 +0,0 @@

1 - \v 1 Koi au ko Paula, au
amataki ni loloma ni Kalou

03/03.txt

@ -1 +0,0 @@

1 - \v 3 Au sa volavola ena
ata ka sega vakaraitaki
a cakacaka i Karisito.

03/06.txt

@ -1 +0,0 @@

1 - \v 6 A jina levu i ei ni
tala ena loloma ni Kalou

03/08.txt

@ -1 +0,0 @@

1 - \v 8 Ena loloma ni Kalou
ina nira kila a rarama

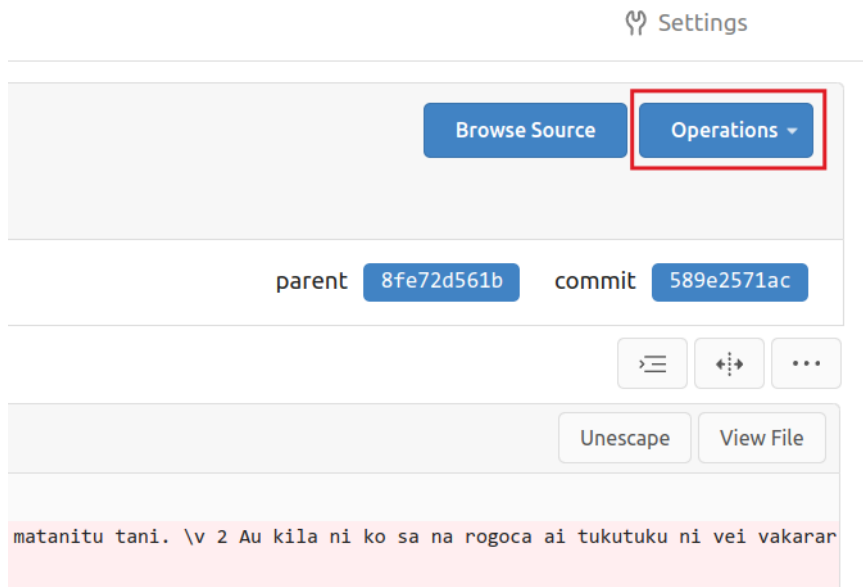
03/10.txt

@ -1 +0,0 @@

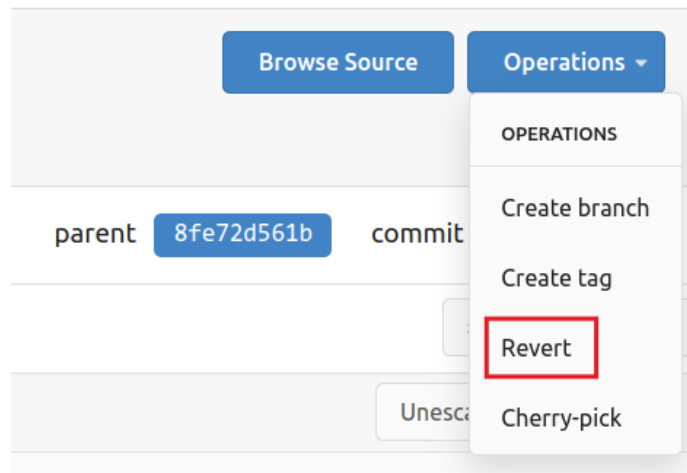
1 - \v 10 Ai tuvutuva ka va
co baleta a ona i tuvatu

A whole list of red, deleted files!

5. In the upper right part of the screen is an **Operations** button.

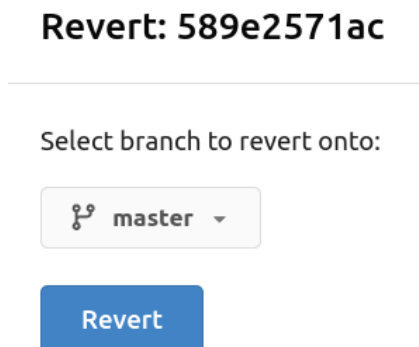


6. In this case, the changes are obvious and clearly separated from everything else, so I



will just **Revert** them.

7. I revert it to the **master** branch, because that's what we use:



8. I try to give an explanation that will be helpful.

Revert [589e2571ac](#) onto: [FijianTranslator/lx_eph_text_reg : master](#) or [Cancel](#)



Commit Changes

```
revert 589e2571acd27333635010ce4f88aab3dc652a70
```

```
revert auto save
```

```
Recovery of deleted files|
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9. That's the process. With time, we could search through every commit for deleted files, but usually the big deletions all happen at once.

I will note that for this repo, FijianTranslator would be able to make these changes, but you would not, unless you made a copy of the repo. I was able to make the changes because I am an administrator on WACS.