

Robots are your friends

Keeping your operators up to date with automation

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Agenda

- Intro to Leah + provider packages/backport packages
- Before robot friends
- With robot friends

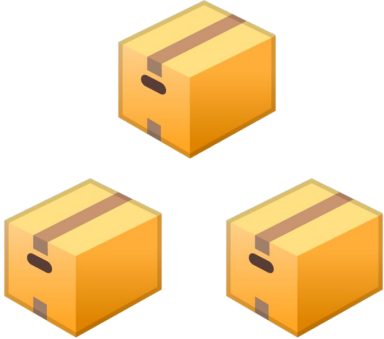
Hi, I'm Leah!



What are the provider packages?



What are the provider packages?



Before robot
friends

Process without automation



New release of
providers package



Human notices
update, tests locally



Tests DAGs in dev,
promotes to prod



Repo Structure

```
dags/  
|  |__ example_dag.py  
|  |__ example_dag_test.py  
|  
|__ requirements.txt
```

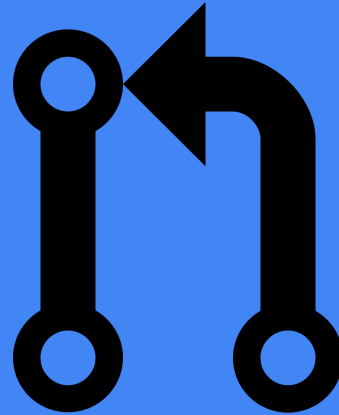
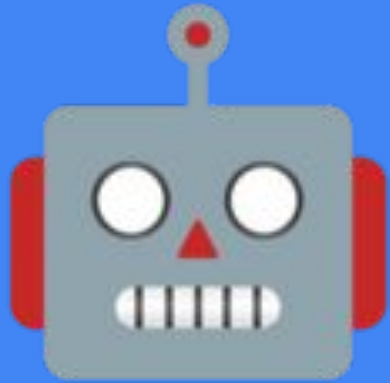


With robot friends

Step 0 - The provider packages are updated!



Step 1 - Renovate
bot robot friend
opens a PR



Create a requirements-composer.txt file

```
dags/  
|  |__ example_dag.py  
|  |__ example_dag_test.py  
|  
|__ requirements-composer.txt  
|__ requirements.txt
```



Create a requirements-composer.txt file

```
apache-airflow-backport-providers-google==2020.11.13
```



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Configure a robot friend

```
dags/  
|   |__ example_dag.py  
|   |__ example_dag_test.py  
|  
|__ requirements-composer.txt  
|__ renovate.json  
|__ requirements.txt
```



WhiteSource



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Configure a robot friend

```
{
  "extends": [
    "config:base"
  ],
  "baseBranches": ["main"],
  "masterIssue": true,
  "pip_requirements": {
    "fileMatch": ["requirements-composer.txt"]
  }
}
```

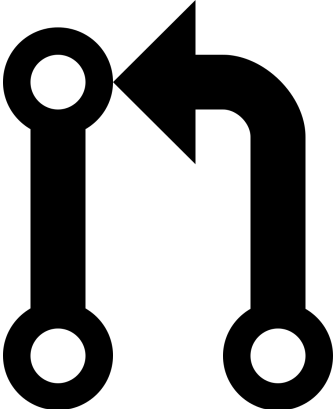
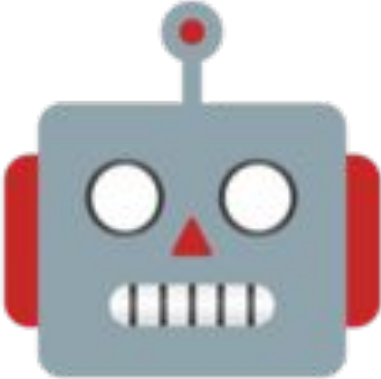


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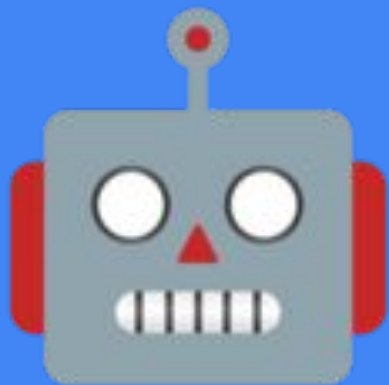


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Renovate bot robot friend opens a PR



Step 2: Cloud Build robot friend runs presubmit tests



Create a Dockerfile

```
dags/  
|__ |__ example_dag.py  
|__ |__ example_dag_test.py  
|__ |__ requirements-composer.txt  
|__ |__ Dockerfile  
|__ |__ renovate.json  
|__ |__ requirements.txt
```

Create a Dockerfile

```
FROM python:3.8

# Allow statements and log messages to immediately appear in the Cloud Run logs
ENV PYTHONUNBUFFERED True

COPY requirements.txt ./
COPY requirements-composer.txt ./

RUN pip install --no-cache-dir -r requirements.txt
RUN pip install --no-cache-dir -r requirements-composer.txt

#copy dag code to container image
ENV DAGS /dags
WORKDIR $DAGS
COPY . ./
CMD ["pytest", "-s", "dags/example_dag_test.py"]
```



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Create a cloudbuild.yaml file

```
dags/  
|  |__ example_dag.py  
|  |__ example_dag_test.py  
|  
|__ requirements-composer.txt  
|__ Dockerfile  
|__ test-dags.cloudbuild.yaml  
|__ renovate.json  
|__ requirements.txt
```



Create a cloudbuild.yaml file

steps:

```
# build the docker image
- name: 'gcr.io/cloud-builders/docker'
  args: ['build', '-t', 'gcr.io/${PROJECT_ID}/cicd:${SHORT_SHA}',
'.'] # tag docker image with commit sha
  id: 'docker build'
# run the dag tests
- name: 'gcr.io/cloud-builders/docker'
  args: ['run', 'gcr.io/${PROJECT_ID}/cicd:${SHORT_SHA}']
  id: 'test-dags'
```



Create a Cloud Build Trigger

Name: test-dags

Event: Pull Request

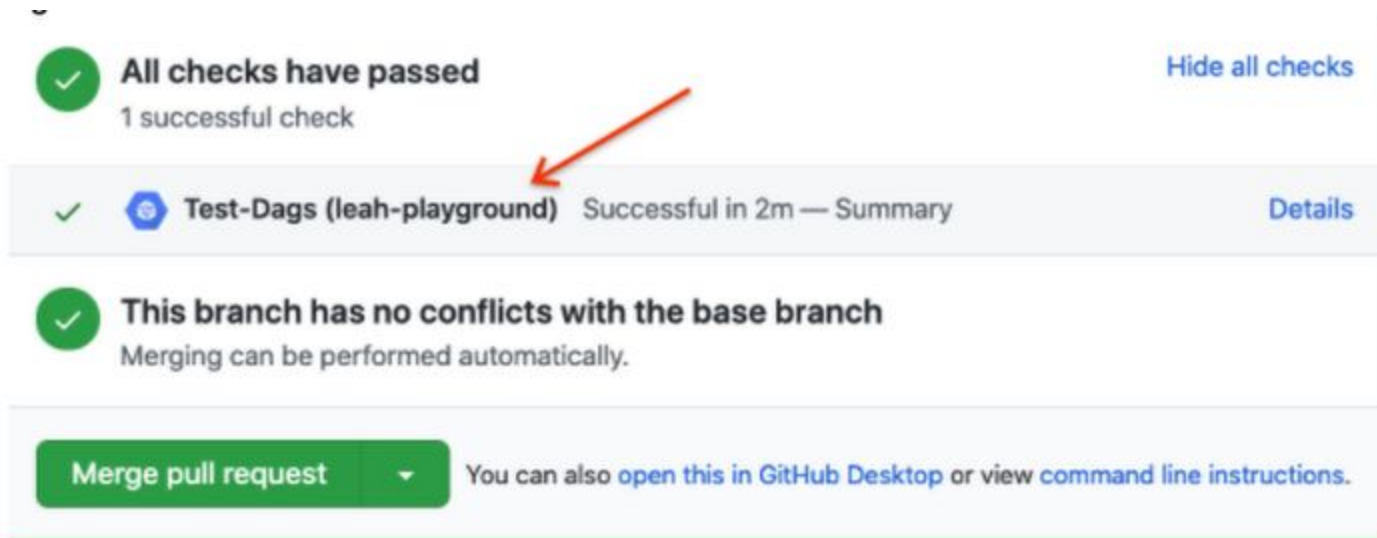
Source - Repository: choose your repository

Source - Base branch: ^main\$

Source - Comment Control: not required


Build Configuration - Cloud build configuration file: /test-dags.cloudbuild.yaml

Cloud Build robot friend runs presubmit tests



The screenshot shows a GitHub pull request interface. At the top, a green checkmark icon is followed by the text "All checks have passed" and "1 successful check". To the right of this is a link "Hide all checks". Below this, a check item for "Test-Dags (leah-playground)" is shown with a green checkmark, a blue robot icon, and the text "Successful in 2m — Summary". A red arrow points to this item. To the right of this item is a link "Details". Below this, another green checkmark icon is followed by the text "This branch has no conflicts with the base branch" and "Merging can be performed automatically.". At the bottom, there is a green button labeled "Merge pull request" with a dropdown arrow, and to its right, the text "You can also [open this in GitHub Desktop](#) or view [command line instructions](#)."

✓ **All checks have passed** [Hide all checks](#)
1 successful check

✓  **Test-Dags (leah-playground)** Successful in 2m — Summary [Details](#)

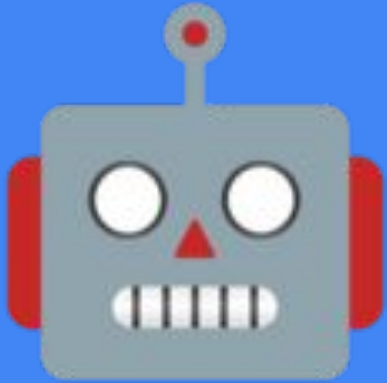
✓ **This branch has no conflicts with the base branch**
Merging can be performed automatically.

Merge pull request ▾ You can also [open this in GitHub Desktop](#) or view [command line instructions](#).

Step 3 - PR Approved (by a human)
and merged to main



Step 4 - Another Cloud Build robot friend updates your dev environment



Create a cloudbuild.yaml file

```
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|   |__ example_dag_test.py  
|  
|__ requirements-composer.txt  
|__ Dockerfile  
|__ test-dags.cloudbuild.yaml  
|__ update-composer.cloudbuild.yaml  
|__ renovate.json  
|__ requirements.txt
```



Create a cloudbuild.yaml file

steps:

```
#update the composer environment
- name: 'gcr.io/cloud-builders/gcloud'
  args: ['composer', 'environments', 'update',
'${_COMPOSER_NAME}', '--update-pypi-packages-from-file',
'requirements-composer.txt', '--location', '${_COMPOSER_REGION}']
  id: 'update-composer-env'
timeout: 3600s #1 hour timeout accommodates the long running
Composer upgrade operation
```



Create a Cloud Build Trigger

Name: update-composer-env

Event: Push to a branch

Source - Repository: choose your repository

Source - Base branch: ^main\$

Source - Included files filter (glob): requirements-composer.txt

Build Configuration - Cloud build configuration file:

/update-composer.cloudbuild.yaml

Advanced Configuration - Substitution variables

_COMPOSER_NAME - the name of your composer environment

_COMPOSER_REGION - the Compute engine region where your environment is located



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Step 5 - Look at DAGs in dev environment



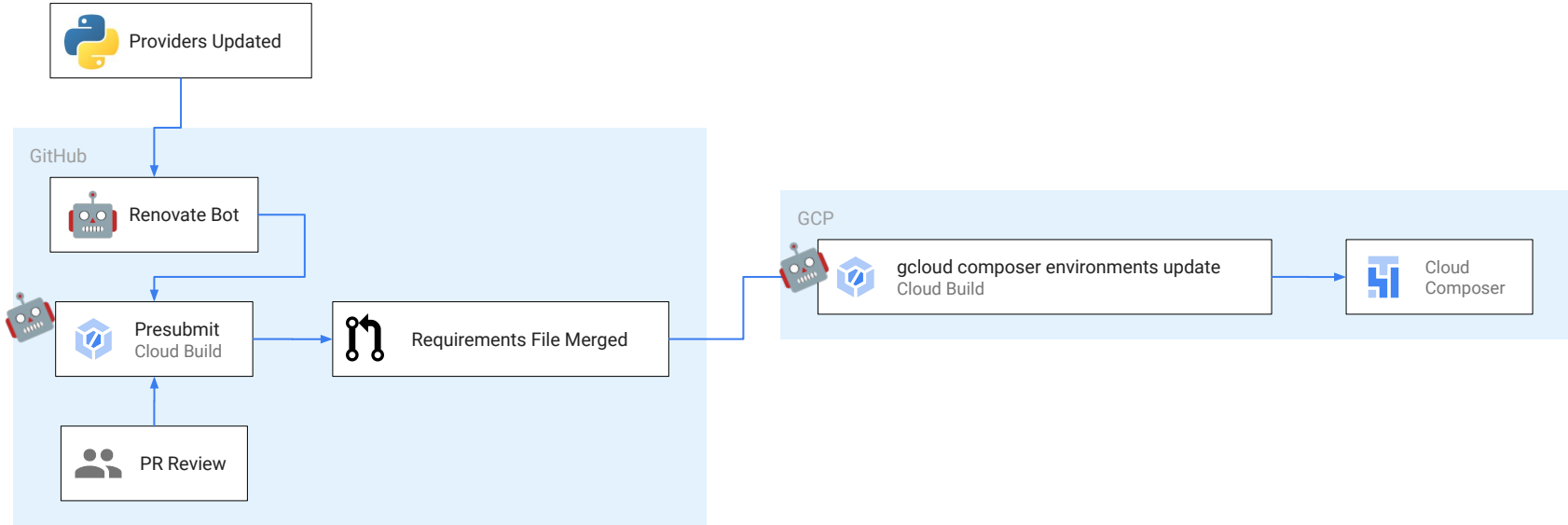
Step 6 - Promote your updates to your prod environment



Putting it together

Architecture

Keeping DAGs Up to Date



What's next?

- Rollback strategy
- More system test automation
- Alternate components
 - GitHub Actions
 - Dependabot



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Additional Resources

[Testing Airflow workflows - Bas Harenslak - Airflow Summit 2020](#)

[Blog post summarizing the Cloud Build approach](#)