## **Version control**

The version control system Subversion is used by all ASF projects to manage their source code and other resources.

The "trunk" is where the main development happens. From time-to-time "branches" are used for specific short-term development tasks and later merged to trunk.

Developers can browse the trunk via <u>direct access</u> or via the <u>ViewVC web interface</u>. Similarly branches can be browsed (go up one level).

For every change, a notification email is automatically sent to the <u>svn@ mailing list</u>. Subscribe to that list or search the archives to keep up-to-date with changes.

Developers can work with the most recent sources rather than a released version, follow the <u>instructions</u> to checkout your working copy.

See other <u>best practice notes</u>.