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Broadly, there are three scenarios where one might want to ignore files.

1. Specific to personal workflow
   modify `.git/info/exclude`
2. Specific to project secrets
   Scenarios like .env files for running a project locally. Here you can modifiy the repo level `.gitignore`
3. Always ignore
   If certain files should be ignored regardless of sitatuion, this can be configured globally. Unless otherwise configured in the `~/.gitconfig`, the ignore file will be found at `$XDG_CONFIG_HOME/git/ignore.` if that value is not set or empty, check `$HOME/.config/git/ignore`.

References

https://git-scm.com/docs/gitignore