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Git Basics

\$ git init

This command creates an empty Git repository

\$ git config

Get and set repository or global options

\$ git add

Add file contents to the index

\$ git commit -m "<message>"

Stores the current contents of the index in a new commit along with a log message from the user describing the changes.

\$ git status

Displays paths that have differences between the index file and the current HEAD commit

\$ git log

Show commit logs

\$ git diff

Show changes between commits, commit and working tree, etc

Remote

\$ git remote -v

List the remotes added to current repository

\$ git remote add <name> <url>

Add a new remote

git log

\$ git log -<number>

Limit no of commits by <number>

\$ git log --oneline

Limit each commit to only a single line

\$ git log -p

Display full diff for each commit.

\$ git log --stat

List files were added or updated with the number of lines added or removed

\$ git log --author="<pattern>"

Search for commits by a particular author.

\$ git log --grep="<pattern>"

Search for commits with a commit message that matches <pattern>

\$ git log <since>..<until>

Show commits that occur between <since> and <until> . Args can be a commit ID, branch name, HEAD , or any other kind of revision reference.

\$ git log -- <file>

Only display commits that have the specified file.

\$ git log --graph --decorate

--graph flag draws a text based graph of commits on left side of commit messages. --decorate adds names of branches or tags of commits shown.



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Configuration

\$ git config --global user.name "[name]"

Sets the name you want atached to your commit transactions

\$ git config --global user.email "[email address]"

Sets the email you want atached to your commit transactions

\$ git config --global color.ui auto

Enables helpful colorization of command line output

Branch

\$ git branch

List, create, or delete branches

\$ git branch < name>

create copy of current checked out branch

\$ git checkout <branch>

Switch branches or restore working tree files

\$ git merge <branch>

Join two or more development commits/branch together

\$ git branch -D
branch>

delete a branch

\$ git fetch

Download objects and refs from another repository or fetch a branch fro another repository(specified in remote)

\$ git push

Update remote refs along with associated objects or push a local branch to remote server

\$ git pull

Fetch from and integrate with another repository or a local branch

Repositories

\$ git init [project-name]

Creates a new local repository with the specified name.

\$ git clone [url]

Downloads a project and its entire version history to your local server.

Redo Commits

\$ git reset [commit]

Undoes all commits afer [commit], preserving changes locally.

\$ git reset --hard [commit]

Discards all history and changes back to the specified commit.

Save Fragments

*\$ git stash

Temporarily stores all modified tracked files.

\$ git stash pop

Restores the most recently stashed files.

\$ git stash list

Lists all stashed changesets.

\$ git stash drop

Discards the most recently stashed changeset.



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