

★ *Become a git pro overnight!*

# 6 GIT HACKS YOU SHOULD KNOW!

Modify Recent Commit  
Find Branch  
Remove File from commit  
Rename branches locally  
What changed  
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Challenge

Learn all in one place





## MODIFY THE MOST RECENT COMMIT

```
git commit --amend
```

# 1

The **git commit --amend** command is a convenient way to modify the most recent commit. It **lets you combine staged changes** with the previous commit instead of creating an entirely new commit.

FIND BRANCHES







## Find branche(s) by commit

```
git branch --contains<commit>
```

# 2

If you **want to track** the remote-tracking branches you should add the **-r option**. For tracking both the local and remote-tracking branches, use the **-a option**.

REMOVE FILES





## Remove file from last commit

```
git rm --cached <file-to-remove>  
//than  
git commit --amend
```

# 3

Let's say you committed a file by mistake. You can **quickly remove** that file from the last commit by combining the **rm** and **commit --amend** commands.

RENAME BRANCHES



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# 4

## Rename branches locally

```
git branch -m old-name new-name
```

For more information type  
**git help branch**

WHAT CHANGED







## What changed in a span of time

```
git whatchanged --since = "2 weeks ago"
```

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This command will **show a log with changes** introduced by each commit from the **last two weeks**.

BONUS + MY FAVORITE





# Time travelling using GIT

`git reflog`

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It shows you the list of all the things you've done so far.

```
af4d728 (HEAD -> master) HEAD@{0}:  
069103b HEAD@{1}: reset: moving to  
addcba3 HEAD@{2}: commit (amend):  
584da33 HEAD@{3}: commit: :bug: aa  
069103b HEAD@{4}: commit: :ambulan  
8b5593b HEAD@{5}: commit: :bug:fix  
4de68c9 HEAD@{6}: commit: :lipstic  
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**Index Value**

If you want to go back to any point in **the history**, run the below command, replacing **{index}** with that reference, eg **aa0be7a**.

```
git reset HEAD@{index}
```

CHALLENGE







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# I have a #challenge for you

Share **two unique git commands** in the comment section & explain them in **simple english**.

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