



SETUP

- `git config --get init.defaultBranch`
get git's default branch
- `git config --global init.defaultBranch <branch>`
set git's default branch
- `git init`
turn a directory into a git repo
- `git clone`
create a copy of the target repo

STAGE AND SNAPSHOT

- `git diff`
show differences between the working tree and index
- `git diff --cached`
shows differences between the index and repo
- `git log`
displays the commit history
- `git status`
tells you what has changed in your directory - lists which files are staged, not staged, or not tracked
- `git add <file> / .`
add a file / all changed files to the stage
- `git commit -m "<message>"`
commit all staged files
- `git commit -am "<message>"`
stage and commit edited files in one command

- `git show <commit>`

show the commit info and the textual difference of the specified commit's changes

UNDOING CHANGES

- I staged changes and then made new changes. I don't want the new changes. I want to go back to the staged version.
`git restore .`
- I staged a change but now want to commit a different file. How do I unstage?
`git restore --staged .`
- I staged 2 files, but I only want to commit one of them. How do I unstage the other one?
`git restore --staged <file name>`
- I don't want any changes. I want to go back to the committed version
`git restore --worktree --staged .`
- I committed some work. I want to completely trash it and go back to an earlier snapshot of my repo
`git reset <commit> --hard`
- I committed some work. I want to delete the latest commit but keep my latest version as a staged change.
`git reset <commit> --soft`
- I committed some work. I want to delete the latest commit and unstage my changes, but keep my latest changes in the working tree.
`git reset <commit>`



GIT BRANCHES

- `git branch`
show branch that you're in
- `git branch -vv`
show branches and their remotes
- `git branch <branch>`
create new branch
- `git switch <branch>`
switch branches
- `git switch -c <branch>`
create a new branch and switch to it
- `git branch -d <branch>`
delete a branch
- `git stash`
save uncommitted changes for later use and
remove the changes from your working tree
- `git stash list`
list stash entries in stack-order
- `git stash clear`
remove all stash entries
- `git stash pop`
apply stashed changes to the working tree
- `git merge <branch>`
merge a branch into the current branch

REMOTE REPOSITORIES

- `git remote add origin <url>`
establish a remote connection with the repo
- `git push -u origin <branch>`
set a remote connection for specified branch

- `git push --all -u origin`
push changes in all branches
- `git fetch`
downloads all branches and new changes from
remote, but does not impact the index or working
tree
- `git push`
push the committed files in the current branch to
the remote
- `git pull`
update your current branch with upstream
changes

BASIC CLI COMMANDS

- `cd`
change the current directory
- `mkdir <directory>`
create a new directory
- `dir`
list the directories and files contained within the
current directory
- `type <file>`
get the file's contents
- `del <file>`
delete a file
- `cls`
clear the CLI screen
- `echo [content] > [file]`
create a text file with given content
- `notepad <file>`
open the file in notepad