

I committed locally but haven't pushed yet. I want to combine the last two commits into a single commit with a new message.



I'll help you combine your last two commits into a single commit with a new message. This is done using an interactive rebase.

Here are the steps to accomplish this:

1. Start an **interactive rebase** of the last 2 commits:

bash

```
git rebase -i HEAD~2
```

2. In the editor that opens, you'll see something like:

Code

```
pick abc1234 First commit message
pick def5678 Second commit message
```

3. Change the second **pick** to **squash** (or **s** for short):

Code

```
pick abc1234 First commit message
squash def5678 Second commit messa
```



This tells Git to squash (combine) the second commit into the first one.

4. Save and close the editor (`:wq` in vim, `Ctrl+S` then close in other editors)
5. Edit the commit message in the second editor that appears. This is where you can write your new combined commit message. Delete the old messages and write your new one.
6. Save and close the second editor to complete the rebase.

After these steps, your last two commits will be combined into a single commit with your new message. Since you haven't pushed yet, this is safe to do and won't affect any remote branches.

**Note:** If you make a mistake during the rebase, you can always abort it with:

```
○ bash
```

```
git rebase --abort
```



## Overall score

7.5 / 10

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The answer works, but it needs clearer editor instructions, conflict handling, and a stronger warning about rebasing pushed commits.