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Git Commands You Must Know



git pull



Downloads the latest commits from a remote repository and merges them with your local branch.

git commit



Records the changes in the staging area as a new snapshot in the local repository, along with a message describing the changes.

git init

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Creates a new local repository in the current directory

git diff



Shows the differences between two commits, branches, files, or the working directory and the staging area.

git add



Adds changes in your working directory to the staging area, which is a temporary area where you can prepare your next commit.

git branch



Lists, creates, renames, or deletes branches in your local repository. A branch is a pointer to a specific commit.





Copies an existing remote repository to your local machine.

git log



Shows the history of commits in the current branch, along with their messages, authors, and dates.





Shows the state of your working directory and staging area.

git checkout



Switches your working directory to a different branch or commit, discarding any uncommitted changes





Combines the changes from one branch into another branch, creating a new commit if there are no conflicts

git push



Uploads the local changes to the remote repository usually a on a platform like GitHub or GitLab.