# Add executable permissions for Hooks using Git

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It may be necessary to add execute permissions to custom build and hook scripts included in a project repo. This most frequently presents with the error "Permission denied" during Deploy or Package builds To add execute permissions to a specific file and commit the changes in Git, you can use the following command:

```
git add --chmod=+x -- <path/to/file>
git commit -m 'adding execute permissions'
```

Replace "<path/to/file>" with the actual path to the file you want to make executable. For example, if the file is located in the scripts directory, and its name is "scripts.sh" `git add --chmod=+x -- scripts/scripts.sh`