Workflow of Git Commands

- **git** --version: Check the Git version.
- git init: Initialize an empty folder to track files.

• Configure User Details:

- git config user.name "Your UserName": Configure the username locally.
- o git config user.email "Your Email": Configure the user's email locally.
- git config --global user.name "Your UserName": Configure the username globally.
- git config --global user.email "Your Email": Configure the user's email globally.

Staging Files:

- o git add filename: Add a particular file to the staging area.
- o git add --all/git add .: Add all files to the staging area.
- o git add *.extension: Add files of a specific extension (e.g., .java, .py).

Committing Files:

- git commit -m "Commit Message": Commit files from staging to the local repository.
- o git commit --amend: Modify the last commit (use with caution).

• Remote Repository:

- git remote add origin GitHubURL: Establish a connection between the local and remote repositories.
- o git remote -v: Verify the connection to the remote repository.
- git push origin branch_name: Upload changes from the local repository to the remote (default branch: master).

Status and Logs:

- git status: Check the current status of the working directory and staging area.
- o git log: View commit history.
- git log --oneline: View concise commit history.
- o git diff: Show changes between the working directory and staging area.
- o git diff commit_id1 commit_id2: Compare two specific commits.

Branching Commands

Creating and Managing Branches:

- o git branch branch_name: Create a new branch locally.
- o git branch: List all local branches.
- o git branch --list: List all local branches.
- o git branch -r: List remote branches.
- o git branch -a: List both local and remote branches.

Switching and Creating Branches:

- git checkout branch_name/git switch branch_name: Switch to a branch.
- git checkout -b branch_name: Create and switch to a branch simultaneously.

Renaming and Deleting Branches:

- o git branch -m oldbranchname newbranchname: Rename a branch.
- o git branch -d branch_name: Delete a local branch.
- o git branch -D branch_name: Force delete a local branch.
- o git push origin --delete branch_name: Delete a remote branch.

Merging and Cherry-Picking:

- git merge branch_name: Merge a branch into the current branch.
- git cherry-pick commit_id: Apply a specific commit to another branch.

Uploading Branches:

 git push origin branch_name: Push changes to a branch on the remote repository.

Undoing Changes

Undoing in the Working Directory:

- git checkout filename: Undo changes to a specific file in the working directory.
- o git checkout .: Undo changes to all files in the working directory.

• Removing Files:

- git rm filename: Remove a file from the local repository.
- git rm --cached filename: Remove a file from the staging area (keep it locally).

• Editing Configuration:

o git config --edit: Edit configuration details like email and username.

• Reverting Commits:

 git revert commit_id: Create a new commit that undoes changes made in a specific commit.

Other Useful Commands

- git clone GitHubURL: Clone a remote repository to your local system.
- git pull origin branch_name: Fetch and merge changes from the remote repository to the local branch.
- git stash: Save changes temporarily and clean the working directory.
- git stash pop: Reapply the stashed changes.
- qit reflog: View reference logs, including commits that were reset or deleted.
- git reset HEAD filename: Unstage a specific file.
- git reset --soft commit_id: Reset to a commit while keeping changes staged.
- git reset --hard commit_id: Reset to a commit and discard all changes.