

Git Basics – Five by Five

The aim of this activity is to identify the use cases for various git commands. You are free to use git help or the internet throughout this task. Below you will see a 5x5 table, along the top is listed a git use case, while down the left are a selection of letters.

Your objective is to think of a command which uses that letter, you must be able to explain how you would use the command. (note – the word “git” doesn’t count, its “add” not “git add”) you may reuse an answer as many times as you wish.

If your answer is correct, you gain 1 point, If your answer is correct and unique (no one else has the same answer) you gain an additional 2 points (3 in total)

The winner is whoever has the highest points tally at the end.

Example :

Use case → Letter ↓	Making local changes
A	Add or Commit -A or Commit --amend

NOTE – in this example, these answers are all unique because they use the letter in different ways, if the challenge was “M”, both commit commands would be using the letter in the same way and would therefore not be unique.

Use case Letter 	Making local changes	Sharing changes (in either direction)	Fixing an error	Reading history	Branching and merging
D					
F					
T					
G					
C					