

## CHEATSHEET FOR

# Git tricks



## Refs

```
HEAD^      # 1 commit before head
HEAD^^     # 2 commits before head
HEAD~5     # 5 commits before head
```

## Branches

```
# create a new branch
git checkout -b $branchname
git push origin $branchname --set-upstream

# get a remote branch
git fetch origin
git checkout --track origin/$branchname

# delete local remote-tracking branches (lol)
git remote prune origin

# list merged branches
git branch -a --merged

# delete remote branch
git push origin :$branchname

# go back to previous branch
git checkout -
```

## Collaboration

```
# Rebase your changes on top of the remote master
git pull --rebase upstream master

# Squash multiple commits into one for a cleaner git log
# (on the following screen change the word pick to either
git rebase -i $commit_ref
```

## Submodules

```
# Import .gitmodules
git submodule init

# Clone missing submodules, and checkout commits
git submodule update --init --recursive

# Update remote URLs in .gitmodules
# (Use when you changed remotes in submodules)
git submodule sync
```

## Diff

### Diff with stats

```
git diff --stat
app/a.txt      | 2 +-
app/b.txt      | 8 +-----
2 files changed, 10 insertions(+), 84 deletions(-)
```

### Just filenames

```
git diff --summary
```

## Log options

```
--oneline
e11e9f9 Commit message here
```

```
--decorate
shows "(origin/master)"
```

```
--graph
shows graph lines
```

```
--date=relative
"2 hours ago"
```

## Misc

### Cherry pick

```
git rebase 76acada^
```

### Misc

```
# get current sha1 (?)
git show-ref HEAD -s
```

```
# show single commit info
git log -1 f5a960b5
```

```
# Go back up to root directory
cd "$(git rev-parse --show-top-level)"
```

## Short log

```
$ git shortlog
$ git shortlog HEAD~20..    # last 20 commits
```

```
James Dean (1):
```

```
    Commit here
```

```
    Commit there
```

```
Frank Sinatra (5):
```

```
    Another commit
```

```
    This other commit
```

## Bisect

```
git bisect start HEAD HEAD~6
git bisect run npm test
git checkout refs/bisect/bad    # this is where it screwed
git bisect reset
```

### Manual bisection

```
git bisect start
git bisect good    # current version is good
```

```
git checkout HEAD~8
```

```
npm test    # see if it's good
```

```
git bisect bad    # current version is bad
```

```
git bisect reset    # abort
```

## Searching

```
git log --grep="fixes things"    # search in commit messages
```

```
git log -S"window.alert"        # search in code
```

```
git log -G"foo.*"                # search in code (regex)
```

## GPG Signing

```
git config set user.signingkey <GPG KEY ID>    # Sets GPG key
```

```
git commit -m "Implement feature Y" --gpg-sign    # Or -S, --
```

```
git config set commit.gpgsign true    # Sign commits
```

```
git commit -m "Implement feature Y" --no-gpg-sign    # Do not sign
```

