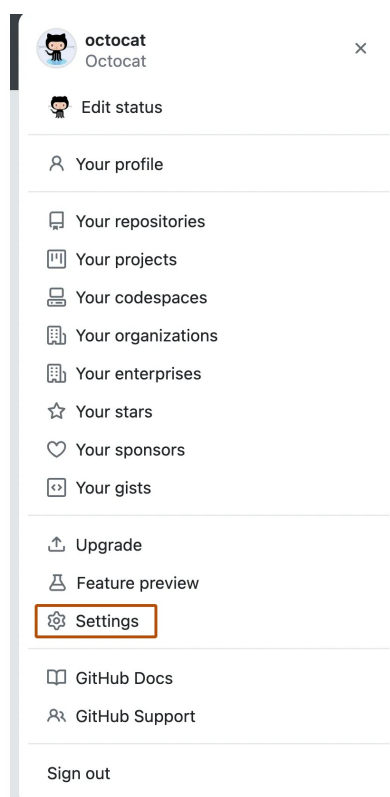




Changing your primary email address

You can change the email address associated with your personal account at any time.

Note: You cannot change your primary email address to an email that is already set to be your backup email address.

- 1 In the upper-right corner of any page, click your profile photo, then click **Settings**.



- 2 In the "Access" section of the sidebar, click  **Emails**.
- 3 If you'd like to add a new email address to set as your primary email address, under "Add email address", type a new email address and click **Add**.
- 4 Under "Primary email address", use the drop-down menu to click the email address you'd like to set as your primary email address, and click **Save**.
- 5 To remove the old email address from your account, next to the old email, click .
- 6 Verify your new primary email address. Without a verified email address, you won't be able to use all of GitHub's features. For more information, see "[Verifying your email address](#)."

