

The REST API is now versioned. For more information, see "[About API versioning](#)."

Gist comments

Use the REST API to view and modify comments on a gist.

About gist comments

You can use the REST API to view and modify comments on a gist. For more information about gists, see "[Editing and sharing content with gists](#)."

Custom media types for Gist comments

These are the supported media types for gist comments.

```
application/vnd.github.VERSION.raw
application/vnd.github.VERSION.base64
```

For more information about media types, see "[Media types](#)."

List gist comments

Parameters for "List gist comments"

Headers

accept string

Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

gist_id string **Required**

The unique identifier of the gist.

Query parameters

per_page integer

The number of results per page (max 100).

Default: `30`

page integer

Page number of the results to fetch.

Default: 1

HTTP response status codes for "List gist comments"

Status code	Description
200	OK
304	Not modified
403	Forbidden
404	Resource not found

Code samples for "List gist comments"

GET /gists/{gist_id}/comments

cURL

JavaScript

GitHub CLI

```
curl -L \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-Api-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/gists/GIST_ID/comments
```

Response

Example response

Response schema

Status: 200

```
[ { "id": 1, "node_id": "MDExOkdpc3RDb2ltZW50MQ==", "url": "https://api.github.com/gists/a6db0bec360bb87e9418/comments/1", "body": "Just commenting for the sake of commenting", "user": { "login": "octocat", "id": 1, "node_id": "MDQ6VXNlcjE=", "avatar_url": "https://github.com/images/error/octocat_happy.gif", "gravatar_id": "", "url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat", "html_url": "https://github.com/octocat", "followers_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/followers", "following_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/following{/other_user}", "gists_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/gists{/gist_id}", "starred_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/starred{/owner}/{/repo}", "subscriptions_url":
```

Create a gist comment [↗](#)

Parameters for "Create a gist comment"

Headers

accept

 string

Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

gist id

 string **Required**

The unique identifier of the gist.

Body parameters

body string **Required**

The comment text.

HTTP response status codes for "Create a gist comment"

Status code	Description
201	Created
304	Not modified
403	Forbidden
404	Resource not found

Code samples for "Create a gist comment"

POST

/gists/{gist_id}/comments

cURL

JavaScript

GitHub CLI

curl -L \ -X POST \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/gists/GIST_ID/comments \ -d '{"body":"This is a comment to a gist"}'

Response

Example response

Response schema

Status: 201

{ "id": 1, "node_id": "MDExOkdpc3RDb21tZW50MQ==", "url": "https://api.github.com/gists/a6db0bec360bb87e9418/comments/1", "body": "Just commenting for the sake of commenting", "user": { "login": "octocat", "id": 1, "node_id": "MDQ6VXNlcjE=", "avatar_url": "https://github.com/images/error/octocat_happy.gif", "gravatar_id": "", "url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat", "html_url": "https://github.com/octocat", "followers_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/followers", "following_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/following{/other_user}", "gists_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/gists{/gist_id}", "starred_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/starred{/owner}/{/repo}", "subscriptions_url":

Get a gist comment

Parameters for "Get a gist comment"

Headers

accept string

Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

gist_id string **Required**

The unique identifier of the gist.

comment_id integer **Required**

The unique identifier of the comment.

HTTP response status codes for "Get a gist comment"

Status code	Description
200	OK
304	Not modified
403	Forbidden Gist
404	Resource not found

Code samples for "Get a gist comment"

GET `/gists/{gist_id}/comments/{comment_id}`

cURLJavaScriptGitHub CLI

```
curl -L \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/gists/GIST_ID/comments/COMMENT_ID
```

Response

Example responseResponse schema

Status: 200

```
{ "id": 1, "node_id": "MDExOkdpc3RDb21tZW50MQ==", "url": "https://api.github.com/gists/a6db0bec360bb87e9418/comments/1", "body": "Just commenting for the sake of commenting", "user": { "login": "octocat", "id": 1, "node_id": "MDQ6VXNlcjE=", "avatar_url": "https://github.com/images/error/octocat_happy.gif", "gravatar_id": "", "url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat", "html_url": "https://github.com/octocat", "followers_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/followers", "following_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/following{/other_user}", "gists_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/gists{/gist_id}", "starred_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/starred{/owner}/{repo}", "subscriptions_url":
```

Update a gist comment [↗](#)

Parameters for "Update a gist comment"

Parameters for Update a gist comment

Headers

accept string

Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

gist_id string **Required**

The unique identifier of the gist.

comment_id integer **Required**

The unique identifier of the comment.

Body parameters

body string **Required**

The comment text.

HTTP response status codes for "Update a gist comment"

Status code	Description
200	OK
404	Resource not found

Code samples for "Update a gist comment"

PATCH `/gists/{gist_id}/comments/{comment_id}`

cURLJavaScriptGitHub CLI

```
curl -L \ -X PATCH \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/gists/GIST_ID/comments/COMMENT_ID \ -d '{"body":"This is an update to a comment in a gist"}'
```

Response

Example responseResponse schema

Status: 200

```
{ "id": 1, "node_id": "MDExOkdpc3RDb21tZW50MQ==", "url": "https://api.github.com/gists/a6db0bec360bb87e9418/comments/1", "body": "Just commenting for the sake of commenting", "user": { "login": "octocat", "id": 1, "node_id": "MDQ6VXNlcjE=", "avatar_url": "https://github.com/images/error/octocat_happy.gif", "gravatar_id": "", "url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat", "html_url": "https://github.com/octocat", "followers_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/followers", "following_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/following{/other_user}", "gists_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/gists{/gist_id}", "starred_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/starred{/owner}/{/repo}", "subscriptions_url":
```

Delete a gist comment

Parameters for "Delete a gist comment"

Headers

accept string

Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

gist_id string **Required**

The unique identifier of the gist.

comment_id integer **Required**

The unique identifier of the comment.

HTTP response status codes for "Delete a gist comment"

Status code	Description
204	No Content
304	Not modified
403	Forbidden
404	Resource not found

Code samples for "Delete a gist comment"

DELETE

`/gists/{gist_id}/comments/{comment_id}`

cURL

JavaScript

GitHub CLI



```
curl -L \ -X DELETE \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/gists/GIST_ID/comments/COMMENT_ID
```

Response

Status: 204

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