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REST API / Gists / Comments

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 "<u>Editing and sharing content with gists</u>."

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.

HTTP response status codes for "List gist comments"

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

Code samples for "List gist comments"



Response

Example response Response schema

Status: 200

[{ "id": 1, "node_id": "MDEx0kdpc3RDb21tZW50MQ==", "url": "https://H0STNAME/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://H0STNAME/users/octocat", "html_url": "https://github.com/octocat", "followers_url": "https://H0STNAME/users/octocat/followers", "following_url": "https://H0STNAME/users/octocat/gists{/gist_id}", "starred_url": "https://H0STNAME/users/octocat/starred{/owner}{/repo}", "subscriptions_url": "

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Create a gist comment &

Parameters for "Create a gist comment"

Headers

accept string

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

Path parameters

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"



Response

Example response Response schema

Status: 201

{ "id": 1, "node_id": "MDExOkdpc3RDb21tZW50MQ==", "url": "https://HOSTNAME/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://HOSTNAME/users/octocat", "html_url": "https://github.com/octocat", "followers_url": "https://HOSTNAME/users/octocat/followers", "following_url": "https://HOSTNAME/users/octocat/gists{/gist_id}", "starred_url": "https://HOSTNAME/users/octocat/starred{/owner}{/repo}", "subscriptions_url": "*

Get a gist comment ∂

Parameters for "Get a gist comment"

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	ОК
304	Not modified
403	Forbidden Gist
404	Resource not found

Code samples for "Get a gist comment"



Response

Example response Response schema

Status: 200

{ "id": 1, "node_id": "MDExOkdpc3RDb21tZW50MQ==", "url": "https://HOSTNAME/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://HOSTNAME/users/octocat", "html_url": "https://github.com/octocat", "followers_url": "https://HOSTNAME/users/octocat/followers", "following_url": "https://HOSTNAME/users/octocat/gists{/gist_id}", "starred_url": "https://HOSTNAME/users/octocat/starred{/owner}{/repo}", "subscriptions_url":

Update a gist comment ∂

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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"

CURL JavaScript GitHub CLI

curl -L \ -X PATCH \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-Api-Version: 2022-11-28" \ http(s)://HOSTNAME/api/v3/gists/GIST_ID/comments/COMMENT_ID \ -d '{"body":"This is an update to a comment in a gist"}'

Response

Example response Response schema

Status: 200

{ "id": 1, "node_id": "MDExOkdpc3RDb21tZW50MQ==", "url": "https://HOSTNAME/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://HOSTNAME/users/octocat", "html_url": "https://github.com/octocat", "followers_url": "https://HOSTNAME/users/octocat/followers", "following_url": "https://HOSTNAME/users/octocat/following{/other_user}", "gists_url": "https://HOSTNAME/users/octocat/gists{/gist_id}", "starred_url": "https://HOSTNAME/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"

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" \ http(s)://HOSTNAME/api/v3/gists/GIST_ID/comments/COMMENT_ID

Response

Status: 204

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