

# Viewing the branch history in GitHub Desktop

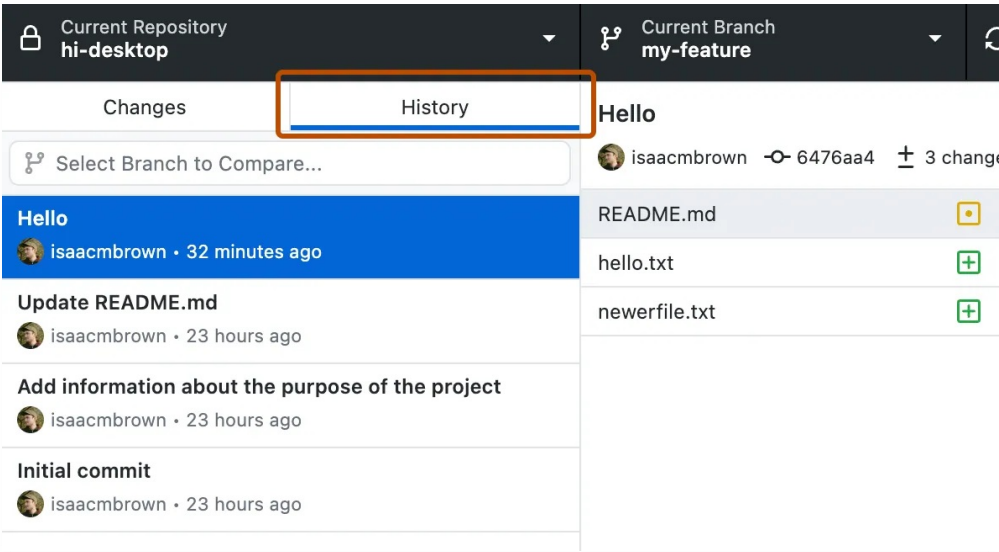
You can see details about any commit in GitHub Desktop, including a diff of the changes the commit introduced.

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Each commit shows:

- The commit message
- The time the commit was created
- The committer's username and profile photo (if available)
- The commit's SHA-1 hash (the unique ID)

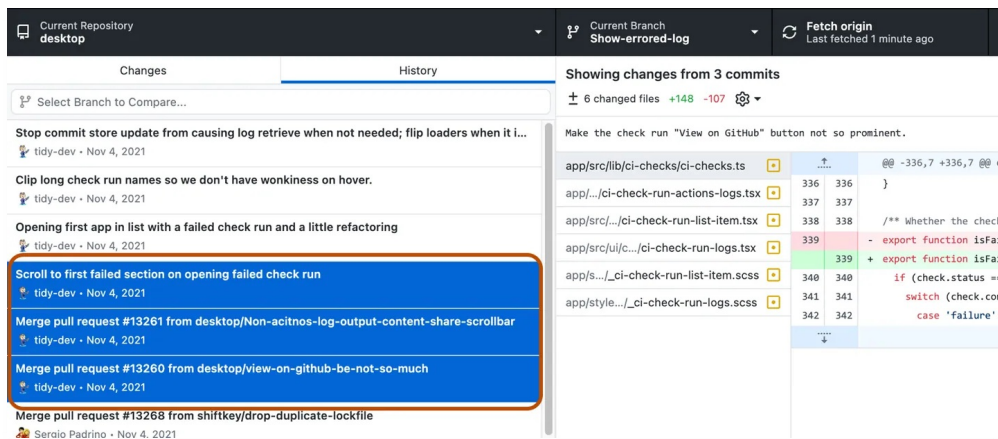
1 In the left sidebar, click **History**.



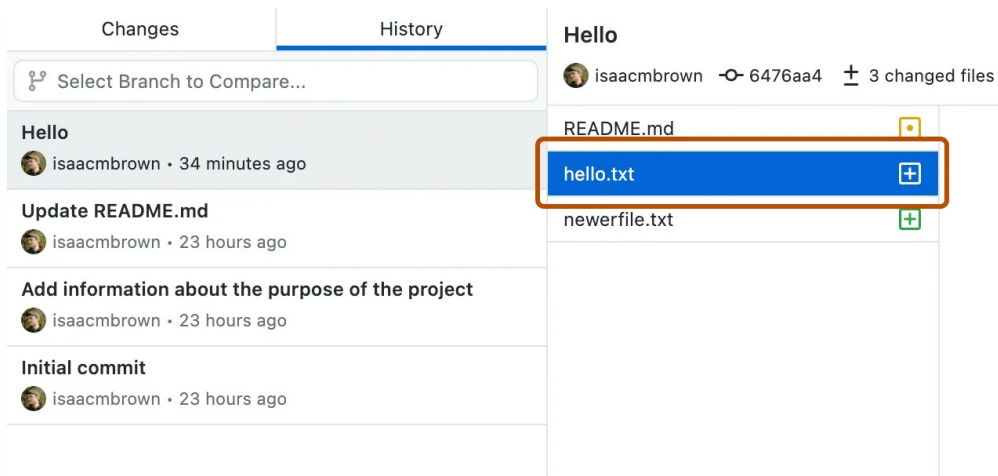
2 On the **History** tab, click the commit you'd like to review.

You can also select a range of multiple consecutive commits using `Command` or `Shift`.

You can also select a range of multiple consecutive commits using `Ctrl` or `Shift`.



- 3 If there are multiple files in the commit or range of commits, click on an individual file to see the changes made to that file.



## Further reading [🔗](#)

- ["Syncing your branch in GitHub Desktop"](#)

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