

Adding a workflow status badge

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You can display a status badge in your repository to indicate the status of your workflows.

Note: Workflow badges in a private repository are not accessible externally, so you won't be able to embed them or link to them from an external site.

A status badge shows whether a workflow is currently failing or passing. A common place to add a status badge is in the `README.md` file of your repository, but you can add it to any web page you'd like. By default, badges display the status of your default branch. You can also display the status of a workflow run for a specific branch or event using the `branch` and `event` query parameters in the URL.



To add a workflow status badge to your `README.md` file, first find the URL for the status badge you would like to display. Then you can use Markdown to display the badge as an image in your `README.md` file. For more information about image markup in Markdown, see "[Basic writing and formatting syntax](#)."

Using the workflow file name [↗](#)

You can build the URL for a workflow status badge using the name of the workflow file:

```
https://github.com/OWNER/REPOSITORY/actions/workflows/WORKFLOW-FILE/badge.svg
```

To display the workflow status badge in your `README.md` file, use the Markdown markup for embedding images. For more information about image markup in Markdown, see "[Basic writing and formatting syntax](#)."

For example, add the following Markdown to your `README.md` file to add a status badge for a workflow with the file path `.github/workflows/main.yml`. The `OWNER` of the repository is the `github` organization and the `REPOSITORY` name is `docs`.

```
![example workflow]  
(https://github.com/github/docs/actions/workflows/main.yml/badge.svg)
```

Using the `branch` parameter [↗](#)

To display the status of a workflow run for a specific branch, add `?branch=BRANCH-NAME` to the end of the status badge URL.

For example, add the following Markdown to your `README.md` file to display a status badge for a branch with the name `feature-1`.

```
![example branch parameter]
(https://github.com/github/docs/actions/workflows/main.yml/badge.svg?
branch=feature-1)
```

Using the event parameter [↗](#)

To display the status of workflow runs triggered by the `push` event, add `?event=push` to the end of the status badge URL.

For example, add the following Markdown to your `README.md` file to display a badge with the status of workflow runs triggered by the `push` event, which will show the status of the build for the current state of that branch.

```
![example event parameter]
(https://github.com/github/docs/actions/workflows/main.yml/badge.svg?event=push)
```

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