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# **pgist Documentation**

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A Python command-line wrapper with github3.py library to access GitHub Gist.



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## Installation

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You can install with *pip*:

```
pip install pgist -U
```

Or with *easy\_install*:

```
easy_install -U pgist
```





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## Command

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To upload the contents of *a.py* just:

```
pgist a.py
```

Or you can accept stdin as a file like this:

```
pgist -
```

type *ctrl+D* to end stdin and *ctrl+C* to abort.

Upload multiple files:

```
pgist a b c
```

Use *-p* to make the gist private:

```
pgist a.py -p
```

Use *-d* to add a description:

```
pgist -d "Say something" a.py
```

You can update existing gists with *-u*:

```
pgist b.py c.py -u 2c93e03266634cd6e273
```

List your public gists:

```
pgist -l
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And list all contains private ones:

```
pgist -l -A
```

See *pgist -help* for more detail.



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## Login

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If you want to associate your gists with your GitHub account, you need to login with pgist. It doesn't store your username and password, it just uses them to get an OAuth2 token (with the "gist" permission).

```
pgist --login
GitHub username(default is xxxxx): douglarek
GitHub password for douglarek:
Done ...
```

After you've done this, you can still upload gists anonymously with *-a*:

```
pgist a.py -a
```



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## Thanks

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- [github3.py](#) by Ian Cordasco.



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