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Windows Command Line-Basic Cheat Sheet

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File Mgmt

copy ***filepath from filepath tp***	copy file from one location to another
del ***file1 file2 file3***	deletes file
edit	starts file editor
move ***c:\f1\text.txt c:\f2***	move files from one directory to another
type	displays contents of text file
print	prints out text file contents
ren	renames file
find	locates texts string in file
fc ***file1 file2***	displays file comparison
robocopy	advanced tool to copy files
replace	overwrites a file of the same name
openfiles	manages opened local/network files

Directory Mgmt

tree	displays directory structure
md ***zabbix***	make directory
rd	removes directory
rd ***zabbix***	removes directory
rd /s Folder	force remove directory
rd /s /q folder	force remove directory without prompt
ren ***zabbix zabbix-test***	renames directory
robocopy	advanced tool to copy directories
expand	decompresses files

Process Mgmt

schtasks	executes a command
shutdown	
tasklist	
taskkill	
reg	
runas	

Basic Commands

cd | change directory	date | display or edit date
cd ..	up one level
dir | display contents of current directory	time | display or edit time
cls | clears the screen	drivequery | current state of device driver
cmd | opens a second command prompt	hostname | name of current node
color	systeminfo | display configuration info
prompt	ver | dispaly windows version
title	gpresult | display current group policies
exit	gpupdate | update group policies
dir /A c:\apps	display all files & folders in c:\apps
dir /A;D	display only folders
dir /A:-D	display only files
dir /A:H	Display hidden files
dir /o	display alphabetically
dir /o:s	display files smallest to pargest
dir /o:-s	display files largest to smallest

Disk Mgmt

chkdisk	
convert	
fformat	
hostname	
systeminfo	ver

Advanced Commands

attrib	display/edit file attributes
cacls	display/edit access control list of file
chkdsk	displpays disk status report
cmdkey	creates/displays stored usernames
color	
convert	
echo	



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