

Linux for DBA - 1 Cheat Sheet

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Basic	
man <command name=""/>	help about the command
<command a=""/> <command b=""/>	send output of A in input to B
<nomecomando> &</nomecomando>	execute in background
jobs	show all the background
nohub <comando> <filen-ame></filen-ame></comando>	launch and protect the process
W	show the session
fg %1	return to foreground
cat <filename></filename>	print the content of file in the terminal

File navigation and Basic Operations		
pwd	print working directory	
cd <path></path>	change driectory to <path> cd ~</path>	
ls -Irt	directory file list with details	
touch	create a file	
mv <path1+filename> <path2></path2></path1+filename>	move the file in path1 to path2, it can used to rename file	
cp <path1+filename> <path2></path2></path1+filename>	copy, same as above	
file <filename></filename>	show the file-type	
ls -lrt <filename></filename>	details about the file	
stat <filename></filename>		
tail -f	show last rows of the file and keep update (live mnonitoring)	
vi <filname></filname>	open the file with vi editor	

File Permission	
chmod <nmz> <filename></filename></nmz>	update the file permission
chown <new owner="" username=""> <filen-ame></filen-ame></new>	update file owner
umask	show default mask

Main Directories	
/etc	configuration files
/var/log	log files
/tmp	temp. files
/home/ <user></user>	home directory
which <command name=""/>	find an executable

PC details and monitoring	
cat /proc/meminfo	ram info
cat /proc/cpuinfo	cpu info
Ishw	other info about the PC
memstat 1	real time of values
vmstat 1	Virtual memory stat.
iostat 1	IO metrics, realtime
iotop	similar to iostat
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Processes	
ps -ef	show processes
ps aux	alternative version, useful for mem . info
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kill <pid></pid>	kill a process
Isof	tands for LiSt Open Files and shows open files and which process uses them
Isof -Pp <pid></pid>	file list used by the process <pid></pid>
Isof -Pp <pid> grep log</pid>	search for the log related to <pid></pid>

Environments	
env	display environments variables
<variable name=""> = <var. content=""></var.></variable>	set a shell variable
export <variable name=""> = <var. content=""></var.></variable>	create subshell with env variables
source <file name=""></file>	akes available the variable in the file for the current shell
echo \${ <variable name="">}</variable>	display the variables content
export <variable name=""></variable>	send the variable to the subshells

