## Cheatography

## screen Cheat Sheet

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| Enter / Quit   |   |
|--|---|
| screen -S<br><i>foo</i>                                      | create a screen named "-<br>foo"                        |
| screen -x <i>foo</i>   | attach to an existing screen named "foo"                |
| [ <b>^A</b> ] [ <b>d</b> ] or<br>[ <b>^A</b> ] [ <b>^D</b> ] | detach current screen                                   |
| exit or [^D]<br>(in screen<br>shell)                         | exit the shell starting the screen thus exit the screen |

exit or [^D] are not screen commands but bash ones

| Syntax convention                        |  |
|--|--|
| [Control] key                            |  |
| [Control] + [a]                          |  |
| [a]                                      |  |
| [Shift] + [a]                            |  |
| [Control] + [a] then [Shift] + [a]       |  |
| different from [ <b>^A</b> ][ <b>a</b> ] |  |
|  |  |

## Window (screen tabs) [^A] [c] Create a new window exit or [^D] exit the current shell created by the window, thus exit the (in screen shell) window Go to window 0 [^A] [0] [^A] [3] Go to window 3 [^A] [n] Go to next window [^A] [p] Go to previous window

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## Disclaimer

This cheat only describe the default key bindings

key bindings can be modified by editing

~/.screenrc or another screenrc file

| Split screen               |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| [^A] [S]                   | Split screen horizo-<br>ntally |
| [^ <b>A</b> ] []]          | Split screen vertically        |
| [^A] [^I] or [^A]<br>[Tab] | Change splitted part           |
| [^A] [Q]                   | Remove all splitted parts      |

| Misc                        |                             |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| [^A] [A]                    | Rename current window       |
| [^ <b>A</b> ] [ <b>k</b> ]  | Kill current window         |
| [^ <b>A</b> ] [^ <b>A</b> ] | Switch to last used window  |
| [^A] [a]                    | Send [^A] to current screen |



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