

Z Shell Cheat Sheet

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>_ Command Line				
^a	Start of command line			
^e	End of command line			
^u	Delete line			
^k	Delete forward to end of line			
۸w	Delete previous word			
^t	Swap previous and current character			

>_ Process Manipulation			
^d	Exit shell		
^	Clear screen		
^c	Kill process		
۸z	Suspend process		
bg	Continue process in backgroup		
fg	Restore process to foreground		
^s	Pause terminal output		
^q	Resume terminal output		

່ງ Command History					
!!	Previous command line (i.e. !-1)				
!foo	Most recent command line starting with <i>foo</i>				
!? <i>foo</i>	Most recent command line containing <i>foo</i>				
!*	All arguments of previous command				
iv	First argument of previous command				
!\$	Last argument of previous command				
^foo^bar	Replace <i>foo</i> with <i>bar</i> in previous command				
! <i>n</i>	n th command line in history				
!- <i>n</i>	$n^{ m th}$ command line from current one				

regex Characters						
Expression	Explan- ation	Example	Match			
\d	One digit	1\d3	123			
\w	One character	f\wo	foo			

regex	Characters (cont)		
\s	One space (space, tab, newline, carriage return)	abc\s123	abc 123
\D	One character NOT a digit	b\Dr	bar
\W	One character NOT a word character	4\W6	456
\S	One character NOT a space	a\Sc 1\S3	abc 123
	Any character	a.c.1.3	abc 123
\	Escapes a special character	\[\.*\]	[.*]
\t \n \r	tab, linefeed, carriage return		
\r\n	Line separator on Windows		
Quant	ifiers		
*	Zero or more (greedy)	fo <i>b</i>	foo
+	One or more (greedy)	f+	foo
?	One or none (lazy)	fool?	foo
{3}	Exactly three time	\w{3}	foo
{2,4}	Two to four times (greedy)	\D{2,4}	foo
{2,}	Two or more times (greedy)	.{2,}	foo
Logic			

"lazy" means match the smallest amount. "-greedy" means match the largest amount. \d+ matches x123x while \d* matches x123x

foo|bar

OR



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