

## openSUSE Community Resources

### Main Website

<http://opensuse.org>

### Download openSUSE

<http://software.opensuse.org/>

### Support

Help <http://en.opensuse.org/Portal:Support>  
Documents <http://doc.opensuse.org/>  
Wiki [http://en.opensuse.org/Main\\_Page](http://en.opensuse.org/Main_Page)  
Video <http://opensuse.blip.tv/>  
Forums <http://forums.opensuse.org/>  
Mail List [http://en.opensuse.org/openSUSE:Mailing\\_lists](http://en.opensuse.org/openSUSE:Mailing_lists)  
IRC Chats [http://en.opensuse.org/openSUSE:IRC\\_lists](http://en.opensuse.org/openSUSE:IRC_lists)  
The chat rooms are on FreeNode Network...

### Facebook

<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=2256834487>

### Twitter/FriendFeed/identi.ca

@openSUSE

### Community Pages

Users <https://users.opensuse.org/>  
Planet <http://planet.opensuse.org/global/>  
News <http://news.opensuse.org/>  
Lizards <http://lizards.opensuse.org/>  
OpenSUSE-Community <http://www.opensuse-community.org>

### Development

Developer Documentations <http://en.opensuse.org/Portal:Development>  
Features <https://features.opensuse.org/>  
Build Service <https://build.opensuse.org/>  
Bugs [http://en.opensuse.org/openSUSE:Submitting\\_bug\\_reports](http://en.opensuse.org/openSUSE:Submitting_bug_reports)  
SUSE Studio <http://susestudio.com/>

## Accounts

### To create a new user account

```
# useradd <name>
-u specific UID
-g specific GID
-d create home dir
-c User full name
-s -s Assign a Default Shell
```

### Example

```
# useradd jsmith -u 1010 -g 501
-d /home/users/jsmith
-c "Joe Smith" -s /bin/bash
```

### To add/change a password

```
# passwd <name>
```

### To Modify a user account

```
-c Changes the user name
# usermod -c "Joe Smith" jsmith
-G add a user to a group
# usermod -G homeuser jsmith
-L Lock the user account
# usermod -L jsmith
-U Unlock the user account
# usermod -U jsmith
-s Change or set a shell
# usermod -s /bin/tcsh jsmith
```

### Change a user's shell

```
# chsh -s /bin/<shell> <name>
```

### Delete a user account

```
# userdel <name>
```

## Networking

### View hostname

```
# hostname -f
```

### List all Network Devices

```
# ifconfig -a
# ip link
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### Stop a network device

```
# ifconfig ethx down
# ifdown ethx
```

### List all Network Devices

```
# ifconfig -a
# ifup ethx
```

### Show the routes

```
# netstat -rn
# ip route
# route
```

### List all TCP Connections

```
# netstat -tanp
# ss --tcp --ip v4
```

### Search Host

```
# Dig <hostname>
# host <hostname>
# nslookup <hostname>
```

### See if a host is alive

```
# ping <hostname-ip>
```

## Zypper

```
# zypper [--global-options] <command> [--command-options]
[arguments]
```

### Install packages

```
# zypper in <packages>
```

### Verify packages integrity

```
# zypper ve <packages>
```

### List available packages

```
# zypper lu
# zypper list-update
```

### List patches needed

```
# zypper lp
# zypper list-patches
```

### Information on packages

```
# zypper if <packages>
# zypper info <packages>
```

### Managing Zypper Repositories

```
# zypper flag options
```

```
lr - list all defined repositories
ar - adds a new repo
rr - removes a repo
nr - rename a repo
mr - modify a repo
ref - refresh all repo
clean - clean local cache
```

### Remove packages

```
# zypper rm <package>
```

### Patch packages

```
# zypper patch <package>
```

### Update packages

```
# zypper up
# zypper update
```

### Perform a distro upgrade

```
# zypper dup
# zypper dist-upgrade
```

### What provides packages

```
# zypper wp <package>
# zypper what-provides <packs>
```

## Processes

### Every running Process

```
# ps -e
```

### Every running Process, long listing

```
# ps -el
```

### Every running Process, full-format listing

```
# ps -ef
```

### Every running Process, Short BDS Style

```
# ps ax
```

### Every running Process, Long BDS Style

```
# ps auwvx
```

### List processes of current user at the Current shell

```
# ps
```

### Show all processes ran by a uesers Simple process

```
# ps -u username
```

### With CPU/Memory

```
# ps -u username u
```

### With PPID

```
# ps -fu user
```

### Watch Active Processes

```
# top
```

```
-d 5 Changes update delay to 5 sec
-u userid Only show that userid
-b Run in non-interactive non-screen-oriented mode.
```

## YaST

### Run YaST in QT Graphical frontend

```
# yast --qt
```

### Run YaST in gtk Graphical frontend

```
# yast --gtk
```

### Run YaST in text-mode frontend

```
# yast --ncurses
```

### Install packaging with YaST

```
# yast -i <packages>
```

### Remove an installed packages with YaST

```
# yast --remove <packages>
```

### List all available modules

```
# yast -l
```

```
# yast --list
```

### To obtain usage of a module

```
# yast <module> help
```

## Remote Access

<b>SSH</b> # ssh user @ <host-or-ip> <b>SSH X Forwarding</b> # ssh -X user @ <host-or-ip> <b>Remote Desktop to Windows Desktop</b>	<b>VNC Client</b> # vncviewer <host-or-ip>:<port> <b>VNC Client with SSH</b> # ssh -L <port>:localhost:<port> hostname # redesktop <hostname> -u <username> -p <password>
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## RPM

### Installing a RPM

```
# rpm -ivh <package>.rpm
```

### Upgrade a RPM

```
# rpm -Uvh <package>.rpm
```

### Removing a package

```
# rpm -e <package>.rpm
```

### Detials about an RPM

```
# rpm -qi <package>.rpm
```

### List the contents of RPM

```
# rpm -qlp <package>.rpm
```

### List installed RPM's

```
# rpm -qal
```

### Example to find an installed RPM

```
# rpm -qal | grep <package>
```

### To see what provides a command

```
# rpm -q -whatprovides <name>
```

## Using the shell

**To See what the current shell**  
# echo \$SHELL

**Display all settings**  
# set | less

### List Bash Setting

# env  
**To find a command you have ran**  
# ctrl-r <start typing >

**Log in as Supersuser**  
# su -l

### To see history

# history  
**Watch a file or log**  
# tail -f <file>

**Go back to the las directory**  
# cd -

### To repeat the last directory

```
# !!
```

### To see the current time and date

```
# date
```

**Display a calendar**  
# cal

### Update System Time

# ntpdate pool.ntp.org  
**What kernel is running...**  
# uname -a

**See that release is install**  
# cat /etc/SuSE-release

### To see who you are

# whoami  
# id

### Current Directory

```
pwd
```

Remember when using  
openSUSE

"Have a lot of fun"

## File System Layout

Bin	--	Contains useful commands that are used both user and administrators.
Boot	--	This directory contains the system.map file as well as the Linux kernel.
Dev	--	Contains the special device files for all the devices.
Etc	--	This directory contains all the configuration files for your system.
Home	--	Linux is a multi-user environment so each user is also assigned a specific directory which is accessible only to them and the system administrator.
Lib	--	Contains all the shared libraries that are required by system programs.
Media	--	Mount point for removeable media.
Mnt	--	A generic mount point.
Opt	--	Contains all the software and add-on packages that are not part of the default installation.
Proc	--	Filesystem is the de-facto standard Linux method for handling process and system information.
Root	--	Home directory of the user root.
Sbin	--	Contains all the binaries that are essential to the working of the system.
Selinux	--	Pseudo-file system contains commands that are most commonly used by the kernel subsystem.
Srv	--	Contains site-specific data which is served by this system.
Tmp	--	Temp Directory.
Usr	--	Directory contains system files and directories that is shared by all users.
Var	--	Contains files to which the system writes data during the course of its operation.

bin  
boot  
dev  
etc  
home  
lib  
media  
mnt  
opt  
proc  
root  
sbin  
selinux  
srv  
sys  
tmp  
usr  
var