

Enter / Quit

screen -S foo create a screen named "foo"

screen -x foo attach to an existing screen named "foo"

[^A] [d] or **[^A] [^D]** detach current screen

exit or **[^D]** (in screen 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

[^A] [Control] + [a]

[a] [a]

[A] [Shift] + [a]

[^A][A] [Control] + [a] then [Shift] + [a]

[^A][A] different from **[^A][a]**

Window (screen tabs)

[^A] [c] Create a new window

exit or **[^D]** (in screen shell) exit the current shell created by the window, thus exit the window

[^A] [0] Go to window 0

[^A] [3] Go to window 3

[^A] [n] Go to next window

[^A] [p] Go to previous window

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

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 horizontally

[^A] [I] Split screen vertically

[^A] [^I] or **[^A] [Tab]** Change splitted part

[^A] [Q] Remove all splitted parts

Misc

[^A] [A] Rename current window

[^A] [k] Kill current window

[^A] [^A] Switch to last used window

[^A] [a] Send **[^A]** to current screen



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