HBase Shell Commands

General HBase Shell Commands

    (1) Status :- Show cluster status
       Hbase> status

    (2) Version :- Output this HBase version
       HBase> version

    (3) Whoami :- Show current hbase user
       HBase> whoami

Table Management Commands

    (1) Create :- create table
       Hbase> create 'table_name', 'column_family1', 'column_family2'()

    (2) Describe :- Describe the named table
       Hbase> describe 'table_name'

    (3) Disable :- start disable of named table
       Hbase> disable 'table_name'

    (4) Drop :- Drop table
       Hbase> drop 'table_name'

    (5) Enable :- Enable table
       Hbase> enable 'table_name'

Data Manipulation

    (1) Delete :- Put a delete cell value at specified table/row/column
       Hbase> delete 'table_column', 'row', 'column'

    (2) Get :- Get row or cell contents
       Hbase> get 'table_name', 'row'

    (3) Put :- Put value in cell
       Hbase> put 'table_name', 'row', 'column', 'value'

    (4) Scan :- Scan a table
       Hbase> scan 'table_name'

    (5) Truncate :- Disables, drops and recreates a specified table
       Hbase> truncate 'table_name'