

## Common gdb Commands

Command	Description
help	List gdb command topics.
help <i>topic-classes</i>	List gdb command within class.
help <i>command</i>	Command description.
apropos <i>search-word</i>	Search for commands and command topics containing <i>search-word</i> .
info args i args	List program command line arguments
info breakpoints	List breakpoints
info break	List breakpoint numbers.
info break <i>breakpoint-number</i>	List info about specific breakpoint.
info watchpoints	List breakpoints
<b>Break and Watch</b>	
break <i>funtion-name</i> b <i>funtion-name</i> break <i>line-number</i> break <i>ClassName::functionName</i>	Suspend program at specified function of line number.
break + <i>offset</i> break - <i>offset</i>	Set a breakpoint specified number of lines forward or back from the position at which execution stopped.
break <i>filename:function</i>	Don't specify path, just the file name and function name.
break <i>filename:line-number</i>	Don't specify path, just the file name and line number. break <i>Directory/Path/filename.cpp:62</i>
break <i>line-number</i> if <i>condition</i>	Where condition is an expression. i.e. $x > 5$ Suspend when boolean expression is true.
tbreak	Temporary break. Break once only. Break is then removed. See "break" above for options.
watch <i>condition</i>	Suspend processing when condition is met. i.e. $x > 5$
clear clear <i>function</i> clear <i>line-number</i>	Delete breakpoints as identified by command option.
delete d	Delete all breakpoints, watchpoints, or catchpoints.
delete <i>breakpoint-number</i> delete <i>range</i>	Delete the breakpoints, watchpoints, or catchpoints of the breakpoint ranges specified as arguments.
disable <i>breakpoint-number-or-range</i> enable <i>breakpoint-number-or-range</i>	Does not delete breakpoints. Just enables/disables them. Example: Show breakpoints: info break Disable: disable 2-9
enable <i>breakpoint-number</i> once	Enables once
continue c	Continue executing until next break point/watchpoint.
continue <i>number</i>	Continue but ignore current breakpoint <i>number</i> times. Usefull for breakpoints within a loop.
finish	Continue to end of function.

<b>Line Execution</b>	
<b>step</b> <b>s</b> step <i>number-of-steps-to-perform</i>	Step to next line of code. Will step into a function.
<b>next</b> <b>n</b> next <i>number</i>	Execute next line of code. Will not enter functions.
until until <i>line-number</i>	Continue processing until you reach a specified line number. Also: function name, address, filename:function or filename:line-number.
where	Shows current line number and which function you are in.
<b>Source Code</b>	
<b>list</b> <b>l</b> list <i>line-number</i> list <i>function</i> list - list <i>start#,end#</i> list <i>filename:function</i>	List source code.
set listsize <i>count</i> show listsize	Number of lines listed when list command given.
<b>Examine Variables</b>	
<b>print</b> <i>variable-name</i> <b>p</b> <i>variable-name</i> p <i>file-name::variable-name</i> p ' <i>file-name</i> :: <i>variable-name</i>	Print value stored in variable.
<b>Start and Stop</b>	
<b>run</b> <b>r</b> run <i>command-line-arguments</i> run < <i>infile</i> > <i>outfile</i>	Start program execution from the beginning of the program. The command <code>break main</code> will get you started. Also allows basic I/O redirection.
<b>continue</b> <b>c</b>	Continue execution to next break point.
kill	Stop program execution.
quit q	Exit GDB debugger.