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adb (Android Debug Bridge) cheatsheet

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| Device Basics | Logcat |
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| adb devices | adb logcat | |
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| adb devices -1 | adb logcat -g | |
| adb root | adb logcat -G <size></size> | |
| adb start-server | adb logcat -c | |
| adb kill-server | adb logcat *:V | |
| adb remount | adb logcat -f <filename></filename> | |
| adb reboot | Examples | |
| adb reboot bootloader | <pre>\$ adb logcat -G 16M \$ adb logcat *:V > output.log</pre> | |
| adb disable-verity | Nepools the device into rastboot | |

File Management wait-for-device can be specified after adb to ensure that the command will run once the device is connected.

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-s can be used to send the commands to a specific device when multiple are connected.

Examples

\$ adb wait-for-device devices
List of devices attached
somedevice-1234 device
someotherdevice-1234 device

\$ adb -s somedevice-1234 root

adb push <local> <remote>

adb pull <remote> <local>

Examples

\$ echo "This is a test" > test.txt

\$ adb push test.txt /sdcard/test.txt

\$ adb pull /sdcard/test.txt pulledTest.txt

Remote Shell

adb shell <command>

adb shell wm size

adb shell wm size WxH

adb shell pm list packages

adb shell pm list packages -3

adb shell monkey -p app.package.name

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