

TMUX QUICK REFERENCE CARD

Command-line options

-2 -8 Force 256, 88 colours.
 -c *command* Execute *command*.
 -f *config-file* Load configuration file.
 -L *socket-name* Custom socket name.
 -l For backwards compatibility only.
 -q Quiet server mode.
 -S *socket-path* Socket path. (-L ignored).
 -u Guess term UTF-8 support.
 -v Verbose logging to *tmux-*.PID.log*.
command [*flags*] Command to control tmux.

Default key bindings

C-b Send prefix (Ctrl-b).
 ? List key bindings.
 C-z Suspend client.
 \$ Rename current session.
 : Show command prompt.
 D Detach a client.
 d Detach current client.
 r Redraw client.
 s New session.
 L Last client session.
 t Show time.
 ~ Show previous messages.

Pane options

! Break pane into window.
 " % Split pane horizontally, vertically.
 C-o M-o.... Rotate panes forwards, backwards.
 ; Previously active pane.
 o Next pane.
 q Show pane indexes.
 x Kill current pane.
 { } Swap with previous, next pane.
 ↑ ↓ ← → Change to adjacent pane.
 M-1 Arrange even-horizontal.
 M-2 Arrange even-vertical.
 M-3 Arrange main-horizontal.
 M-4 Arrange main-vertical.
 M-5 Arrange tiled.
 C-↑ ↓ ← → Resize pane by one cell.
 M-↑ ↓ ← → Resize pane by five cells.

Window options

& Kill current window.
 ' Select window index.
 , Rename window.
 Move current window.
 0-9 Select windows 0 to 9.
 c Create new window.
 f Find in open windows.
 i Window information.
 l n Previous, next window.
 w Choose window.
 M-p M-n Previous, next with activity.

Client and session commands

attach-session, attach .. [-dr] [-t *session*]
 detach-session, detach .. [-P] [-a] [-s
 session] [-t *client*]
 has-session, has [-t *session*]
 kill-server
 kill-session [-a] [-t *session*]
 list-clients, lsc [-F *format*]
 [-t *session*]
 list-commands, lscm
 list-sessions, ls [-F *format*]
 lock-client, lockc [-t *client*]
 lock-session, locks [-t *session*]
 new-session, new [-d] [-n *window*]
 [-s *session*] [-t
 session] [-x *width*]
 [-y *height*]
 [*command*]
 refresh-client, refresh . [-S] [-t *client*]
 rename-session, rename .. [-t *session*] *name*
 show-messages, showmsg . [-t *client*]
 source-file *path*
 start-server, start
 suspend-client, suspendc [-t *client*]
 switch-client, switchc... [-lnpr] [-c *client*]
 [-t *session*]

Copy mode

[..... Enter copy mode.
] Paste from buffer.
 # List all paste buffers.
 = Paste from buffer.
 - Delete last copied buffer.
 Page up Copy mode and scroll up one page.

Copy mode selection

Selection start	vi	Space	emacs
Selection clear		Escape	C-Space
Selection copy		Enter	C-g
Selection paste			M-w
Toggle rectangle mode	p		C-y
Quit copy mode	v		R
	q		Escape

Copy mode history

Top of history	vi	emacs
Bottom of history	g	M->
Scroll page forward	G	M-<
Scroll page backward	C-f	Page down
Scroll half page up	C-b	Page up
Scroll half page down	C-u	M-↑
Scroll line up	C-d	M-↓
Scroll line down	C-↑ C-y	C-↑
Go to line	C-↓ C-e	C-↓
Search history forward	:	g
Search history backward	/	C-s
Search again, forward	?	C-r
Search again, reverse	n	n
Cursor to top line	N	N
Cursor to middle line	H	M-R
Cursor to bottom line	M	M-r
	L	

Copy mode lines

Cursor up	vi	emacs
Cursor down	k	↑
Cursor left	j	↓
Cursor right	h	←
Start of line	l	→
End of line	0	C-a
Back to indentation	\$	C-e
Delete entire line	~	M-m
Delete/Copy to end	d	C-u
Jump	D	C-k
Jump backward	f	f
Jump-to	F	F
Jump-to, backward	t	
Jump again	T	
Jump again, reverse	;	;
Next space	,	,
Next space, end of word	W	
Next word	E	
Next word end	w	
Previous word	e	M-f
Previous space	b	M-b
Transpose chars	B	
		C-t

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tmux [-281quv] [-c *shell-command*] [-f *file*] [-L *socket-name*] [-S *socket-path*] [*command* [*flags*]]