rpm Linux cheat sheet

Syntax	Description	Example(s)
rpm -ivh {rpm-file}	Install the package	rpm -ivh mozilla-mail-1.7.5-17.i586.rpm rpm -ivh --test mozilla-mail-1.7.5-17.i586.rpm
rpm -Uvh {rpm-file}	Upgrade package	rpm -Uvh mozilla-mail-1.7.6-12.i586.rpm rpm -Uvh --test mozilla-mail-1.7.6-12.i586.rpm
rpm -ev {package}	Erase/remove/ an installed package	rpm -ev mozilla-mail
rpm -ev --nodeps {package}	Erase/remove/ an installed package without checking for dependencies	rpm -ev --nodeps mozilla-mail
rpm -qa	Display list all installed packages	rpm -qa rpm -qa	less
rpm -qi {package}	Display installed information along with package version and short description	rpm -qi mozilla-mail
rpm -qf {/path/to/file}	Find out what package a file belongs to i.e. find what package owns the file	rpm -qf /etc/passwd rpm -qf /bin/bash
rpm -qc {pacakge-name}	Display list of configuration file(s) for a package	rpm -qc httpd
rpm -qcf {/path/to/file}	Display list of configuration files for a command	rpm -qcf /usr/X11R6/bin/xeyes
rpm -qa --last	Display list of all recently installed RPMs	rpm -qa --last rpm -qa --last	less
rpm -qpR {.rpm-file} rpm -qR {package}	Find out what dependencies a rpm file has	rpm -qpR mediawiki-1.4rc1-4.i586.rpm rpm -qR bash

{package} - Replace with actual package name

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