Package Managers

What is a package manager?

`apt-get install google-chrome-stable`

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But.. why?

- No dependency chaos on your machine (old dependencies, etc.)

- All packages in one place!

- Easily install, update & remove software

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Advanced Packaging Tool (APT): Linux

apt-get install packagename: Used to install a package.

apt-get update: Resynchronize the package index files from their sources, so that information about new and updated packages is available.

apt-get upgrade: Used to install new versions of all packages currently installed on the system.

apt-get remove packagename: Will remove the binaries, but not the configuration or data files of the package.

apt-get purge packagename: Will remove *almost* everything regarding the package.

Homebrew: Mac

Mostly the same as apt..

brew doctor: Check your Homebrew installation for common issues

All commands:
http://zqpythonic.qiniucdn.com/data/20111223160257/index.html

Install Homebrew for the Mac people