

Guide to the listed Linux network commands with suitable options:

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### a. ifconfig

Displays or configures network interfaces.

- `ifconfig -a`: Show all interfaces, including inactive ones.
  - `ifconfig eth0 up`: Bring the interface up.
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### b. traceroute

Traces packet routes to a destination.

- `traceroute google.com`: Trace the route to Google.
  - `traceroute -n google.com`: Display numeric addresses only.
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### c. ping

Sends ICMP packets to test connectivity.

- `ping google.com`: Continuously ping a host.
  - `ping -c 4 google.com`: Ping a host 4 times.
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### d. dig

Queries DNS servers.

- `dig google.com`: Query the DNS for `google.com`.
  - `dig +short google.com`: Get a concise output.
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### e. telnet

Connects to a remote host using TCP.

- `telnet google.com 80`: Test connection to port 80.
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### f. nslookup

Queries DNS to resolve domain names.

- `nslookup google.com`: Resolve `google.com`.

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## g. netstat

Displays network connections and statistics.

- `netstat -tuln`: Show listening ports.
  - `netstat -p`: Display the process associated with connections.
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## h. scp

Securely copy files between systems.

- `scp file.txt user@remote:/path`: Copy a file to a remote system.
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## i. w

Displays logged-in users and their activities.

- `w`: Show who is logged in.
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## j. nmap

Scans networks for open ports and services.

- `nmap -sV target_ip`: Identify services on open ports.
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## k. ifup/ifdown

Bring network interfaces up or down.

- `ifup eth0`: Bring the interface up.
  - `ifdown eth0`: Bring the interface down.
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## l. route

Displays and modifies routing tables.

- `route -n`: Show routing table with numeric IPs.
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## m. host

DNS lookup tool.

- `host google.com`: Get IP of `google.com`.
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## **n. arp**

Displays or manipulates the ARP table.

- `arp -a`: Show all entries in the ARP table.
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## **o. ethtool**

Displays or changes Ethernet device settings.

- `ethtool eth0`: Show Ethernet settings.
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## **p. iwconfig**

Configure wireless network interfaces.

- `iwconfig wlan0 essid "MyNetwork"`: Connect to a specific network.
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## **q. system-config-network**

Text-based network configuration utility.

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## **r. bmon**

Bandwidth monitor tool.

- `bmon`: Display network bandwidth usage.
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## **s. ssh**

Securely connect to remote systems.

- `ssh user@remote_host`: Connect to a remote system.
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## **t. tcpdump**

Capture and analyze network traffic.

- `tcpdump -i eth0`: Capture packets on `eth0`.
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## u. dstat

Displays resource usage (including network).

- `dstat -n`: Show network statistics.
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## v. dhclient

Dynamic IP configuration tool.

- `dhclient eth0`: Request an IP for `eth0`.
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## w. nload

Network usage monitor.

- `nload`: Display network traffic.
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## x. iftop

Shows real-time bandwidth usage by connection.

- `iftop`: View network usage per host.
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## y. ip

Shows/manages network interfaces and routes.

- `ip addr`: Show IP addresses.
  - `ip link set eth0 up`: Bring an interface up.
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## z. route

View and manipulate routing tables (deprecated in favor of `ip`).

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## aa. iptables

Configures packet filtering rules.

- `iptables -L`: List current rules.
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## **bb. sftp**

Secure File Transfer Protocol tool.

- `sftp user@host`: Start SFTP session.
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## **cc. socat**

Multipurpose relay tool for sockets.

- `socat TCP4-LISTEN:1234, fork TCP4:target:5678`: Forward connections.
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## **dd. rsync**

Efficient file transfer tool.

- `rsync -av source/ dest/`: Sync files between directories.
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## **ee. wget**

Download files from URLs.

- `wget http://example.com/file.zip`: Download a file.
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## **ff. curl**

Transfer data from URLs.

- `curl http://example.com`: Fetch a URL.
  - `curl -O http://example.com/file.zip`: Save the file locally.
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