



CONDA CHEAT SHEET

Command line package and environment manager

Learn to use conda in 30 minutes at bit.ly/tryconda

TIP: Anaconda Navigator is a graphical interface to use conda. Double-click the Navigator icon on your desktop or in a Terminal or at the Anaconda prompt, type `anaconda-navigator`

Conda basics

Verify conda is installed, check version number	<code>conda info</code>
Update conda to the current version	<code>conda update conda</code>
Install a package included in Anaconda	<code>conda install PACKAGENAME</code>
Run a package after install, example Spyder*	<code>spyder</code>
Update any installed program	<code>conda update PACKAGENAME</code>
Command line help	<code>COMMANDNAME --help</code> <code>conda install --help</code>

*Must be installed and have a deployable command, usually PACKAGENAME

Using environments

Create a new environment named py35, install Python 3.5	<code>conda create --name py35 python=3.5</code>
Activate the new environment to use it	WINDOWS: <code>activate py35</code> LINUX, macOS: <code>source activate py35</code>
Get a list of all my environments, active environment is shown with *	<code>conda env list</code>
Make exact copy of an environment	<code>conda create --clone py35 --name py35-2</code>
List all packages and versions installed in active environment	<code>conda list</code>
List the history of each change to the current environment	<code>conda list --revisions</code>
Restore environment to a previous revision	<code>conda install --revision 2</code>
Save environment to a text file	<code>conda list --explicit > bio-env.txt</code>
Delete an environment and everything in it	<code>conda env remove --name bio-env</code>
Deactivate the current environment	WINDOWS: <code>deactivate</code> macOS, LINUX: <code>source deactivate</code>
Create environment from a text file	<code>conda env create --file bio-env.txt</code>
Stack commands: create a new environment, name it bio-env and install the biopython package	<code>conda create --name bio-env biopython</code>

Finding conda packages

Use conda to search for a package	<code>conda search PACKAGENAME</code>
See list of all packages in Anaconda	https://docs.anaconda.com/anaconda/packages/pkg-docs

Installing and updating packages

Install a new package (Jupyter Notebook) in the active environment	<code>conda install jupyter</code>
Run an installed package (Jupyter Notebook)	<code>jupyter-notebook</code>
Install a new package (toolz) in a different environment (bio-env)	<code>conda install --name bio-env toolz</code>
Update a package in the current environment	<code>conda update scikit-learn</code>
Install a package (boltons) from a specific channel (conda-forge)	<code>conda install --channel conda-forge boltons</code>
Install a package directly from PyPI into the current active environment using pip	<code>pip install boltons</code>
Remove one or more packages (toolz, boltons) from a specific environment (bio-env)	<code>conda remove --name bio-env toolz boltons</code>

Managing multiple versions of Python

Install different version of Python in a new environment named py34	<code>conda create --name py34 python=3.4</code>
Switch to the new environment that has a different version of Python	Windows: <code>activate py34</code> Linux, macOS: <code>source activate py34</code>
Show the locations of all versions of Python that are currently in the path NOTE: The first version of Python in the list will be executed.	Windows: <code>where python</code> Linux, macOS: <code>which -a python</code>
Show version information for the current active Python	<code>python --version</code>

Specifying version numbers

Ways to specify a package version number for use with `conda create` or `conda install` commands, and in `meta.yaml` files.

Constraint type	Specification	Result
Fuzzy	<code>numpy=1.11</code>	1.11.0, 1.11.1, 1.11.2, 1.11.18 etc.
Exact	<code>numpy==1.11</code>	1.11.0
Greater than or equal to	<code>"numpy>=1.11"</code>	1.11.0 or higher
OR	<code>"numpy=1.11.1 1.11.3"</code>	1.11.1, 1.11.3
AND	<code>"numpy>=1.8,<2"</code>	1.8, 1.9, not 2.0

NOTE: Quotation marks must be used when your specification contains a space or any of these characters: `>` `<` `|` `*`

MORE RESOURCES

Free Community Support	groups.google.com/a/continuum.io/forum/#!forum/conda
Online Documentation	conda.io/docs
Command Reference	conda.io/docs/commands
Paid Support Options	anaconda.com/support
Anaconda Onsite Training Courses	anaconda.com/training
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General Controls

ctrl+b	Default Bind Key
bind-key ?	Lists bind-key combinations
bind-key :	Enter config options directly for current session

Tmux Sessions

tmux	start tmux and attach to default session
tmux ls	prints a list of existing tmux sessions
tmux new -s <name>	Create a new named tmux session
tmux a -t <name>	Attach to a named tmux session
tmux kill-session -t <name>	Kill a session when you're done with it
bind-key, \$	(Re)Name a session

256 Color support

Add alias `tmux="TERM=screen-256color-bce tmux"` to your `~/.bash_profile` and set `-g default-terminal "xterm"` to `~/.tmux.conf`

Other useful config file tricks

set-option -g pane-active-border-fg <color>	Surround the active pane with a specific color for easier identification
bind "" split-window -c "# {pane_current_path}"	When splitting a pane horizontally, create the new pane from the current directory
bind % split-window -h -c "# {pane_current_path}"	When splitting a pane vertically, create the new pane from the current directory
bind c new-window -c "# {pane_current_path}"	When creating a new window, create from the current directory.
bind-key R source-file ~/.tmux.conf; display-message ~/.tmux.conf is reloaded	Allows you to bind-key R to reload your tmux config for the current session
setw -g monitor-activity on	Allows tmux to monitor for command/process exits
set -g visual-activity on	When a command exits in a non-active window, visually change the tab list to reflect that

These go in `~/.tmux.conf`

Windows / Tabs -

bind-key c	Create a new window/tab
bind-key w	List windows/tabs (helps on smaller screens)
bind-key ,	(Re)Name a window/tab
bind-key &	Kill current window (confirmation req)
bind-key <number>	Go directly to numbered window
bind-key l	Last Active window/tab
bind-key n	Next window/tab
bind-key	Previous window

In the status bar (bottom) are the numbers/names of windows/tabs.

Panes (vertical/horizontal splits)

bind-key %	Split current pane vertically
bind-key "	Split current pane horizontally
bind-key q	Show numeric pane values (red is active)
bind-key o	Cycle through panes
bind-key x	Kill current pane (req confirmation)
bind-key !	Close all panes except current (req conf)
bind-key +	Break pane into new tab/window
bind-key -	Restore pane from new tab to old tab
bind-key <arrow keys>	Navigate around panes

There are many other key-bindings for resizing panes that are worth learning, but out of scope for a basic cheatsheet. Using the mouse modes for resizing is also helpful.

Mouse Support

setw -g mode-mouse on	enable mouse integration
setw -g mouse-select-pane on	use the mouse to select panes
setw -g mouse-resize-pane on	use the mouse to resize panes
setw -g mouse-select-window on	use the mouse to select windows/tabs

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