

	<u>Description</u>	
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List existing screen sessions	screen -1s	Use this to list attached and detached screen sessions.
Start a screen session		
Start unnamed session	screen	Create a new session.
Start a named session	screen -S NAME	Create a new session named NAME and update the terminal title with it.
Restore session	List existing sessions with. screen -ls and pick a name from the list. You can type only the prefix portion that uniquely identifies it.	
Restore detached session	screen -r NAME	Re-attach screen to session specified by NAME.
Inside Emacs		
Suspend Emacs session	C-x C-z z	Suspends Emacs session when screen is running.