Bash shell @ Wikipedia				
GNU Bash home page		I is a POSIX compliant shell used as the Default GNU-Lini s a quick reference to various topics related to the Bash S		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Shell Line Editing	•	s described below use the Emacs key names like what is	used inside all	PEL PDF tables.
Keyboard Shortcuts	 C-a means holding the <u>control key</u> and hitting the letter a. M-a means holding the <u>Meta key</u> (which is often mapped to the Alt key) and hitting the letter a. 			
Using the Emacs mode readline(3) man page	 M-a means notining the <u>Meta key</u> (which is often mapped to the Alt key) and nitting the letter a. Note that under Bash, like Emacs, you can type the Esc key, and then hit the a key as an alternative to the M-a key combination. Both use the <u>GNU readline</u> library. 			
Check Bash line edit mode	set -o	Type the set -o command to list all bash features. Tw • Use set -o emacs to activate the Emacs mode.		upported: emacs and vi. • set to get more information about the set command.
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Navigation	In the table:	a means any character, DEL is backspace (delete ba	ckwards).	
Begin/end of line	C-a	Move cursor to beginning of line	С-е	Move cursor to end of line
Move by character	C-b	Move cursor backward one character	C-f	Move cursor forward one character
Move by word	M-b	Move cursor backward one word	M-f	Move cursor forward one word
Move to specific char	M-C-] (9	Move backward to character Move backward to character	C-1 (9)	Move forward to character Move forward to character
Toggle between edge and current	-	Move cursor back to the last position where this comma	_	
char	C-x C-x	If it was never issued for this command move to the b		
Edit Command Text				
Convert letter case	M-1	Lowercase all forward characters	M-u	Uppercase all forward characters
Transpose (exchange)	C-t	Transpose character at cursor and previous one.	M-t	Transpose word at cursor and previous one.
Jndo	• C • C-x C-u	Undo last change		
Delete/Kill text	Text deleted cannot be yank'ed back. Text kill can be yank'ed back because it is copied inside the kill ring. All kill commands issued one after the other fill the same kill buffer entry. Type a non-kill command key to stop filling same entry.			
See <u>∑ Cut & Paste</u>				
Delete one chacacter	DEL	Delete backward (delete the character before cursor)	C-d	Delete forward (delete the character at cursor). When cursor is at beginning of the line it exits the sh
Kill toward begin/end of word	M-DEL	Kill text from cursor to beginning of current word. • If cursor is at beginning of a word, kill previous word.	M-d	Kill text from cursor to end of current word.
Kill word backward	C-w	Delete word backwards		
Kill toward begin/end of line	C-u	Kill text from cursor to beginning of line.	C-k	Kill text from cursor to end of line.
/ank killed text	Text that was previously killed by the above commands can be yank'ed back at cursor. The kill ring holds many entries of killed text.			
ank text from kill ring	C-y Yank text from the kill-ring and insert it at the cursor location.			
Replace last yank from rotated kill ing	M-y Replace just-yanked text (from C-y) with text from the next position in the kill ring. Type M-y right after C-y and as many time as necessary to insert the text from the required kill ring entry.			
Control terminal				
Clear screen	C-1	clear screen and move cursor to the top-left corner. This	s is the same a	s the clear command
Output flow control	C-s	Stop screen output.	C-q	Allow output to screen (after a previous C-s issued sto
Command Control	C-c	Terminate the command, do not execute it.	C-z	Suspend/stop the command.
Exit shell	C-d Exit the shell if cursor is at the beginning of the line.			
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