

Cheat Sheet

Python debugger: pdb

Call script from command line with pdb

```
python3 -m pdb myscript.py
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Start pdb inside the script

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import pdb; pdb.set_trace() # python 3.6 and older
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breakpoint() # python 3.7 and up
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Commands

s(step): Execute the current line, stop at the first possible occasion

c(ontinue): Continue execution, only stop when a breakpoint is encountered.

n(ext): Continue execution until the next line in the current function is reached or it returns

r(eturn): Continue execution until the current function returns.

q(uit): Quit from the debugger. The program being executed is aborted.

unt(il): continue execution until the line with a number greater than the current one is reached.

unt(il) [lineno]: continue execution until a line with a number greater or equal to the line number provided is reached.

j(ump) lineno: Set the next line that will be executed.

l(ist): list 11 lines around the current line or continue the previous listing. **l(ist) [first[, last]]**: With one argument, list 11 lines around at that line. With two arguments, list the given range

ll | longlist: List all source code for the current function or frame.

a(rgs): Print the argument list of the current function.

Official docs: <https://docs.python.org/3/library/pdb.html>