

Bash

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Quick commands

Change owner of folder

```
sudo chown -R <linuxuser>:<linuxgroup> <pathtofolder>
```

Manage Linux groups

Create group

```
groupadd <groupname>
```

Add user to group

```
usermod -a -G <linuxgroupname> <linuxusername>
```

List groups

```
sudo groups -la
```

Managing tar files

Preview content of tar file

```
tar -tzf <pathtofile.tar>
```

Extract content of tar file

```
tar -xzf <pathtofile.tar>
```

Copy files and folders

```
cp -r <sourcefolder1/sourcefile1> <sourcefolder2/sourcefile2> <sourcefolder3/sourcefile3>  
<destinationfolder>
```

SCP

```
scp <username>@<sourcehost>:<sourcefile/sourcefolder> <destinationfolder>
```

Get folder size

```
du -s <folderpath>
```

Get task manager view

```
SAR
```

```
TOP
```

Move foreground job to background

CTRL + Z

bg -> Move job to background

fg -> Move job to foreground

Generate SSH key

```
ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -C "<nameforsshkey>" -f .ssh/<nameforsshkey>
```

Apt remove insecure repositories

```
sudo apt autoremove
```

Replace characters in file

```
sed -i 's/<oldcharacters>/<newcharacters>/g' <filepath>
```

Sync clock

```
sudo hwclock -s
```

Resolve DNS Server

Set dns server on specific interface

```
sudo systemd-resolve --set-dns=<yourpreferreddnsip> --interface=<yourinterface>
```

Allow ssh with password

Change parameter in config file

Edit ssh config file:

```
sudo nano /etc/ssh/sshd_config
```

```
GNU nano 6.2 /etc/ssh/sshd_config *
# To disable tunneled clear text passwords, change to no here!
PasswordAuthentication yes
#PermitEmptyPasswords no

# Change to yes to enable challenge-response passwords (beware issues w
# some PAM modules and threads)
KbdInteractiveAuthentication no
```

Restart ssh service

```
sudo systemctl restart sshd
```

Increase diskstorage for Linux VMs

To increase the storage drive you first have to increase the storagecapacity in the proxmox admin gui. Then you can use the following commands in this order to increase the size of the volume.

```
fdisk -l
```

```
cfdisk
```

Next choose "Resize" and then "Write".

```
fdisk -l <pathtomaindevice> #example path: /dev/sda
```

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```

Next choose "print" -> "Resizepart". Enter number of device. Then choose "quit".

```
pvresize <pathtonewdevice>
```

```
lvextend -l +100%FREE <pathtolocalpartition>
```

```
resize2fs <pathtolocalpartition>
```

```
df -h
```

Then reboot the machine.

Make script executable

In order to make sure that a file ending in .sh can be executed, you have to change its permissions. This is necessary if a script is to be executed by an automation like Ansible or Crontab.

```
chmod +x /path/to/yourscript.sh
```

Afterwards it can be called by its relative or absolute path. Sometimes you have to specify the interpreter path such as /bin/bash.

```
/path/to/yourscript.sh
```

```
./yourscript.sh
```

```
/bin/bash /path/to/yourscript.sh
```

Backup MongoDB Docker container via Bash script

This short script is to backup a MongoDB database inside a docker container. A command is executed inside the Docker container via "docker exec". The command uses the program "mongodump", which is already installed on most container images. There you can specify the path in the Docker container where the backup should be stored. Here it is important that the folder in the Docker container is mapped to the filesystem of the host.

```
datetmp=$(date '+%Y%m%d')
dateprod=${datetmp:2}
docker exec <dockercontainername> /bin/sh -c "mongodump --host='localhost:27017' --port=27017 -o
'/data/backups/${dateprod} backup'"
```

This script can be executed regularly by means of a cronjob, so that the backups are available at a regular interval.

Instructions for creating a cronjob can be found here: [Quick commands | LNC DOCS](#)
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