

Sample Text

In many fonts, the backtick (``) is easily confused with the single quote ('). This is unfortunate because they have very different meanings on the Linux command line. The single quote is found on the right middle of the keyboard on the same key as the double quote ("). Single quoted strings are treated as literals by the shell. The backtick is found on top left of the keyboard and is on the same key as the tilde (~). The shell interprets a string in backticks as an embedded shell command and executes it. The "combo" symbol can be used to represent pressing two keys at once: **Shift+J**.

Lowercase Letters

a	a	b	b	c	c	d	d	e	e	f	f	g	g	h	h	i	i	j	j
k	k	l	l	m	m	n	n	o	o	p	p	q	q	r	r	s	s	t	t
u	u	v	v	w	w	x	x	y	y	z	z								

Uppercase Letters

A	A	B	B	C	C	D	D	E	E	F	F	G	G	H	H	I	I	J	J
K	K	L	L	M	M	N	N	O	O	P	P	Q	Q	R	R	S	S	T	T
U	U	V	V	W	W	X	X	Y	Y	Z	Z								

Numerals

0	0	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	5	5	6	6	7	7	8	8	9	9
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Punctuation

backtick	`	bang, exclamation mark, exclamation point	!	dquote, double quote	"	hash, pound	#
dollar	\$	percent	%	amp, ampersand	&	left paren	(
right paren)	asterisk, star	*	plus	+	comma	,
dash	-	dot, period, full stop	.	slash	/	colon	:
semicolon	;	lt, less than, left angle bracket	<	equal	=	gt, greater than, right angle bracket	>
qmark, question mark	?	at	@	left bracket, left square bracket	[backslash	\
right bracket, right square bracket]	underbar, underscore	_	left brace, left curly bracket	{	pipe, vertical bar	
right brace, right curly bracket	}	squote, apostrophe, single quote	'	caret, hat	^	tilde	~

Function Keys

F1	F1	F2	F2	F3	F3	F4	F4	F5	F5	F6	F6	F7	F7	F8	F8	F9	F9	F10	F10
F11	F11	F12	F12																

Named Keys

esc	Esc	tab	Tab	capslock	Caps Lock	shift	Shift	ctrl	Ctrl	alt	Alt
enter	Enter	spacebar	Space Bar	backspace	Backspace	insert	Insert	delete	Delete	home	Home
end	End	pageup	Page Up	pagedown	Page Down	numlock	Num Lock	sysrq	SysRq		

Miscellaneous

left arrow	←	up arrow	↑	down arrow	↓	right arrow	→
combo	+`	tilde backtick	~`	quotes	“”	blank	□