

# reboot Cheatsheet

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## Quick reference for rebooting and scheduling restarts on Linux

A quick reference for rebooting Linux from the command line. Covers immediate reboots, force options, scheduled restarts with shutdown, and how to cancel a pending restart.

### Immediate Reboot

<a href="#">sudo reboot</a>	Reboot immediately
sudo systemctl reboot	Reboot via systemd
sudo shutdown -r now	Reboot immediately via shutdown

### systemctl Options

sudo systemctl reboot --force	Skip graceful shutdown if unresponsive
sudo systemctl --no-wall reboot	Reboot without broadcasting a wall message
sudo systemctl --message="reason" reboot	Log a reason in the system journal

### Schedule with shutdown -r

sudo shutdown -r +5	Reboot in 5 minutes
sudo shutdown -r 10:00	Reboot at 10:00
sudo shutdown -r +10 "message"	Reboot in 10 minutes with a wall message
sudo shutdown -r	Reboot after 1 minute (default)

### Cancel and Status

sudo shutdown -c	Cancel a scheduled reboot
last reboot	Show reboot history
uptime -s	Show current boot time
journalctl --list-boots	List all boot sessions