

# CSC Quick Reference

## Unix commands

- **ls** - list directory
- **cp** - copy a file
- **mv** - move or rename a file
- **rm** - delete a file
- **cd** - change the current directory
- **pwd** - print name of the current directory
- **mkdir** - create a directory
- **rmdir** - delete a directory
- **chmod** – change file rights
  - owner/group/everybody
  - read(4)/write(2)/execute(1)
- **chgrp** – change file/folder owner
- **less** – see text file (exit with q)
- **exit** - quit the session
- **history** - list all commands given previously
- **head** - list ten first lines of the file
- **tail -100** - show the last 100 lines
- **tail -f** - keeps listing the end of file. Handy for following an output file when lines are appended to it.
- **grep** - find rows containing a string
- **ls -la > file** - output of a command to a file
- **ls -la >> file** - append output of a command to a file
- **ls -la | grep "nobel"** - Chaining (piping) multiple commands
- **zip** - compress (.zip)
- **unzip** - uncompress (.zip)
- **zstd** - compress (.zst)
- **zstd -d** - uncompress (.zst)

## File transfer

- **scp** - copy a file from one computer to another
- **wget, curl** – get a file from HTTP /FTP
- **rsync** - get/put a file from/to rsync server
- **du -hs \*** - disk space used by directories
- **a-put file** - copies file or folder to Allas
- **a-get object** - copy an object from Allas to current directory
- **a-list** - shows content of your Allas project

## CSC modules

- **module load** - initialize the environment of an application
- **module avail** - list compatible modules
- **module spider** - list all available modules
- **module list** - list loaded applications
- **module purge** - remove application environments

## CSC batch jobs

- **sbatch** - submit a job
- **squeue** - see the job status in the queue
- **scancel** - cancel a job
- **seff** - info about completed jobs
- **sacct** - info about completed jobs

## CSC servers

- **taito.csc.fi**
- **taito-shell.csc.fi**
- **puhti.csc.fi**

## Help

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