Packages

Howto

- Ask Ubuntu: How to prevent updating of a specific package?

RPM

- install a package: `rpm -i <package>.pkg`
- show package infos (incl. dependencies): `rpm -qiRp <package>.pkg`
- show all files in a package: `rpm -qlp <package>.pkg`

DPKG

- install a package: `dpkg -i <package>`
- show all installed packages: `dpkg -l`
- reconfigures a package:[1] `dpkg-reconfigure <package>`
- uninstall a package: `dpkg -r <package>`
- uninstall, ignoring dependencies: `dpkg -r --force-depends <package>`
- show package an (installed) file belongs to: `dpkg -S <file-path>`

APT

- update the package lists: `apt update`
- update all installed packages: `apt upgrade`
- install a package: `apt install <package>`
- automatically remove all unused packages: `apt-get -y autoremove`
- do not update a package anymore: `apt-mark hold <package>`
- show all packages which are on-hold: `apt-mark showhold`

[1]
For example `dpkg-reconfigure -plow dash` deactivates *Dash* as shell.

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