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# Python commands

## exit()

Use `exit()` to exit the Python shell.

### Syntax

```
exit()
```

### Views

Python shell

### Predefined user roles

network-admin

### Usage guidelines

To return to user view from the Python shell, you cannot use the `quit` command. You must use the `exit()` command.

### Examples

```
# Exit the Python shell.
Python 2.7.3 (default)
[GCC 4.4.1] on linux2
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
>>>
>>> exit()
<Sysname>
```

## python

Use `python` to enter the Python shell.

### Syntax

```
python
```

### Views

User view

### Predefined user roles

network-admin

### Usage guidelines

In the Python shell, you can use the following items:

- Python 2.7 commands.
- Python 2.7 standard API.
- Comware 7 extended API.

### Examples

```
# Enter the Python shell.
<Sysname> python
Python 2.7.3 (default)
```

```
[GCC 4.4.1] on linux2
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
>>>
```

## python *filename*

Use **python** *filename* to execute a Python script.

### Syntax

```
python filename [ param ]
```

### Views

User view

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### Parameters

*filename*: Specifies the name of a Python script on a storage medium of the device. The script name is case sensitive and must use the extension `.py`. The extension `.py` is case insensitive.

*param*: Specifies the parameters to be passed to the script. To enter multiple parameters, use spaces as the delimiter.

### Usage guidelines

You cannot perform any operations while you are executing a Python script.

Make sure the statements in the script meet the syntax requirements. The system stops executing a Python script if it finds a statement with syntax errors.

When executing a script, the system uses the defaults for interactive statements. The system does not stop for human input.

### Examples

```
# Execute Python script test.py.
<Sysname> python test.py 1 2
['/flash:/test.py', '1', '2']
```