



# **Black Screens Aren't So Scary**

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**the matrix**

**Some of you are probably like**



**And others are probably thinking**



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**not *everyone* needs to use The Black Screen**

***all the time***

**but here's the thing**

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***I think so***

***let's learn about a tool***

# Commands from Presentation

## ## screen movement

^L clear screen  
^U clear line  
^E end of line  
^A beginning of line

## ## history, bang commands

!!  
!\$  
!\*  
^old^new  
!somecommand

## ## mac helpful tools + commands

pbcopy  
osascript  
say  
boom

## ## working examples

```
osascript -e 'display notification "Some notification" with title "HEY YOU!"'
```

```
(i=20; while (( i-- )); do sleep 3s; say 'I will remember to lock my computer'; done)&
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*R*

*Thanks!*