

Devuan Management

Some are applicable to any APT-based distro.

Note: To remove translations,

```
$ cd /etc ; echo "Acquire::Languages { \"none\"; };" >
apt/apt.conf.d/99translation ; cd - >/dev/null
```

Note: To automatically update system essentials,

```
$ apt install unattended-upgrades ; dpkg-reconfigure --priority=low
unattended-upgrades
```

List Installed Packages

Using apt tool

```
$ apt list --installed 2>/dev/null | grep installed
```

Note that apt will issue a warning when piping its output in shell. Hence, the need to redirect stderr to /dev/null. We can further grep away the packages that were automatically installed.

Using the basic dpkg tool

```
$ dpkg --get-selections | sed -n 's/^\([^\\t]*\\)\t.*$/\1/ p'
```

This version, however, only provides package name. To extract similar output from apt (assuming output was redirected into a file called temp.txt), run

```
$ cat temp.txt | sed -n 's|^\(.*\)|.*/.*$|\1| p'
```

From:

<https://www.azman.my1matrix.cc/> - Azman @MY1

Permanent link:

https://www.azman.my1matrix.cc/doku.php?id=linux:dev1_3manage&rev=1775356506

Last update: 2026/04/05 02:35

