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PowerShell Get-Help on command 'Get-History'

PS C:\Users\wahid> Get-Help Get-History

NAME

Get-History

SYNOPSIS

Gets a list of the commands entered during the current session.

SYNTAX

```
Get-History [[-Id] <System.Int64[]>] [[-Count] <System.Int32>]  
[<CommonParameters>]
```

DESCRIPTION

The `Get-History` cmdlet gets the session history, that is, the list of commands entered during the current session.

PowerShell automatically maintains a history of each session. The number of entries in the session history is determined by the value of the `\$MaximumHistoryCount` preference variable. Beginning in Windows PowerShell 3.0, the default value is `4096`. By default, history files are saved in the home directory, but you can save the file in any location. For more

information about the history features in PowerShell, see `about_History` (`About/about_History.md`).

The session history is managed separately from the history maintained by the PSReadLine module. Both histories are available in sessions where PSReadLine is loaded. This cmdlet only works with the session history. For more information see, `about_PSReadLine` (`../PSReadLine/About/about_PSReadLine.md`).

PARAMETERS

`-Count <System.Int32>`

Specifies the number of the most recent history entries that this cmdlet gets. By default, ``Get-History`` gets all entries in the session history.

If you use both the `Count` and `Id` parameters in a command, the display ends with the command that is specified by the `Id` parameter.

In Windows PowerShell 2.0, by default, ``Get-History`` gets the 32 most recent entries.

`-Id <System.Int64[]>`

Specifies an array of the IDs of entries in the session history.

``Get-History`` gets only specified entries. If you use both the `Id` and `Count` parameters in a command, ``Get-History`` gets the most recent entries ending with the entry specified by the `Id` parameter.

`<CommonParameters>`

This cmdlet supports the common parameters: `Verbose`, `Debug`, `ErrorAction`, `ErrorVariable`, `WarningAction`, `WarningVariable`, `OutBuffer`, `PipelineVariable`, and `OutVariable`. For more information, see `about_CommonParameters` (<https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkID=113216>).

----- Example 1: Get the session history -----

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----- Example 2: Get entries that include a string -----

```
Get-History | Where-Object {$_.CommandLine -like "*Service*"}
```

---- Example 3: Export history entries up to a specific ID ----

```
Get-History -ID 7 -Count 5 | Export-Csv -Path History.csv
```

----- Example 4: Display the most recent command -----

```
Get-History -Count 1
```

Example 5: Display all the properties of the entries in the history

```
Get-History | Format-List -Property *
```

REMARKS

To see the examples, type: "get-help Get-History -examples".

For more information, type: "get-help Get-History -detailed".

For technical information, type: "get-help Get-History -full".

For online help, type: "get-help Get-History -online"