

SAGE2 Command-line Operation

[Starting](#)

[Commands](#)

[External scripts](#)

[Shell](#)

[Command](#)

[Upload](#)

Starting

When using the source code version of SAGE2, you can start the SAGE2 server with the following options:

- **Minimal command**
 - node server.js
- **Options**
 - **-h, --help** outputs usage information
 - **-V, --version** outputs the version number
 - **-i, --no-interactive** non-interactive prompt
 - **-f, --configuration <file>** specifies a configuration file
 - **-l, --logfile [file]** specifies a log file
 - **-q, --no-output** quiet mode, no output
 - **-s, --session [name]** loads a session file (last session if omitted)
 - **-t, --track-users [file]** enables user interaction tracking (specified file indicates users to track)
 - **-p, --password <pwd>** sets the password to connect to SAGE2 session

Commands

Once the server is started, it enters a read–eval–print loop (REPL), which accepts commands with arguments. It supports history (arrow keys up and down) and navigation on the line (arrow keys left and right, or Emacs-style shortcuts). Commands are: *help*, *kill*, *apps*, *clients*, *streams*, *clear*, *tile*, *fullscreen*, *save*, *load*, *open*, *resize*, *moveby*, *moveto*, *assets*, *regenerate*, *hideui*, *sessions*, *update*, *version*, *exit*.

- **help** list available commands
- **kill** close application: argument is *appid*
 - > kill app_0

- **apps** list running applications (index, appid, name, position, description, version and author)
 - > apps
 - 0: **app_0** welcome [737x491 +112+32] welcome (v1.0.0) by Luc Renambot <renambot@gmail.com>
 - 1: **app_1** photos [655x491 +153+558] Photo Slideshow (v1.3) by Andrew Johnson <lenzman@me.com>
 - 2: **app_2** movie_player [873x491 +1004+32] SAGE2_Trailer.mp4 (v2.0.0) by SAGE2
- **clients** list connected clients and type
 - > clients
 - Clients (6)
 - -----
 - 0: 127.0.0.1:51520 (sageUI)
 - 1: 127.0.0.1:51530 (display -1) master
 - 2: 127.0.0.1:51749 (sageUI)
 - 3: 127.0.0.1:51751 (consoleManager)
 - 4: 127.0.0.1:51754 (audioManager)
 - 5: 127.0.0.1:51756 (display 0)
- **streams** list media and block streams
 - > streams
 - Block streams (0)
 - -----
 - Media streams
 - -----
 - 0: 127.0.0.1:53246|0 media_stream #Luc2: Shared Screen
- **clear** close all running applications
 - > clear
- **tile** layout all running applications
 - > tile
- **fullscreen** maximize one application: appid
 - > fullscreen app_0
- **save** save state of running applications into a session: name optional
 - > save
 - saved session file to default.json
 - > save toto
 - saved session file to toto.json
- **load** load a session and restore applications: name optional
 - > load
 - reading session from default.json
 - > load toto
 - reading session from toto.json
- **open** open a file or an application (see 'assets' for urls): open file_url [0.5, 0.5]

- > open /uploads/apps/googlemaps
 - opens at origin, top left
- > open /uploads/apps/googlemaps 0.5 0.5
 - opens in center of wall
- > open /uploads/apps/googlemaps 200 200
 - opens with center of window at 200,200 pixels
- **resize** resize a window: appid width height. Values between > 0 and < 1 are used as percentage of whole wall. Otherwise in pixels.
 - > resize app_0 0.5 0.5
 - resize application to be half width and half height
 - > resize app_0 200 300
 - resize application to be 200x300 pixels
 - > resize app_0 200
 - resize application to be width 200 and height derived from aspect ratio
- **moveby** shift a window: appid dx dy
 - > moveby app_0 200 200
 - move application left and down by 200 pixels
- **moveto** move a window: appid x y
 - > moveto app_0 200 200
 - move application to 200,200 pixels absolute coordinate
- **assets** list the assets in the file library (name, type, URL, size in bytes)
 - > assets
 - Assets> 0 car_threejs application/custom /uploads/apps/car_threejs
 - Assets> 1 googlemaps application/custom /uploads/apps/googlemaps
 - Assets> 2 QR.png image/png /uploads/images/QR.png 1198
 - Assets> 3 SAGE2_collaborate_com2014.pdf application/pdf /uploads/pdfs/SAGE2_collaborate_com2014.pdf 2382611
 - URL can be used in 'open' command
- **regenerate** regenerates the assets icons (used in case of update or corruption)
 - > regenerate
- **hideui** hide/show/delay the user interface
 - > hideui
 - hide / restore user interface elements on the wall
 - > hideui 20
 - hide user interface elements after 20 seconds of inactivity
- **sessions** list the available sessions
 - > sessions
 - Sessions
 - 0: Name: **42** Size: 56KB Date: 2015/10/19 18:34:19
 - 1: Name: **default** Size: 19KB Date: 2015/11/02 14:25:56
 - 2: Name: **test** Size: 19KB Date: 2015/10/22 18:08:32
 - the 'name' can be used in the 'load' command
- **update** run a git update on the current branch (default 'master')

- > update
 - GIT> Update success - Already up-to-date
- > update
 - GIT> Update success - Updating 931c4da..9e1ed16
 - Fast-forward
 - public/src/radialMenu.js | 160+++++-----
 - public/src/ui_builder.js | 2 +
-
- **version** print SAGE2 version
 - > version
 - Version> base: 0.3.0 branch: master commit: 931c4da 2015/11/01
- **exit** stop SAGE2
 - > exit
 - Session> saved session file default.json
 - session saved automatically in 'default.json' file. Can be reloaded with '-s' parameter at startup or using command 'load default'.

External scripts

The 'bin' folder contains several scripts to interact with a currently running SAGE2 server. The command are run with the 'node' Javascript interpreter (node scripts.js) or directly executed from the current folder (./script.js).

Shell

- Equivalent to the REPL mechanism from the server
- Usage:
 - **sage_shell.js** <url>
 - url is the hostname and secure port number (HTTPS) of your SAGE2 server
- Example;
 - *./sage_shell.js myserver:443*
 - *./sage_shell.js localhost:9090*
 - Starting> wss://localhost:9090
 - Client> connecting to wss://localhost:9090
 - Connect> 127.0.0.1:53873 (shell)
 - Initialize> uniqueID 127.0.0.1:53873
 - ...
 - > help
- All commands described above should work

Command

- Used to evaluate a single command (and quits)
- Usage:
 - **sage_command.js <url> <command>**
- Example:
 - *./sage_command.js localhost:9090 clear*
 - Client> sending command: clear
 - Starting> wss://localhost:9090
 - Client> connecting to wss://localhost:9090
 - Connect> 127.0.0.1:53936 (commandline)
 - Initialize> uniqueID 127.0.0.1:53936
 - SAGE2> display configuration 1920 1080
- All commands described above should work

Upload

- Uploads and opens a file from the local computer to the SAGE2 server
- Usage:
 - **sage_upload.js <url> <path to file> [x y] [width height]**
 - position and size can be absolute values in pixels, if > 1.
 - if <= 1, values are treated as percent of the wall display size respectively to total width and height.
 - position of the application is its **center**
- Example:
 - *./sage_upload.js localhost:9090 ~/Desktop/pluto.jpg*
 - Client> uploading /Users/luc/Desktop/pluto.jpg
 - Starting> wss://localhost:9090
 - Client> connecting to wss://localhost:9090
 - Initialize> uniqueID 127.0.0.1:53953
 - SAGE2> display configuration 1920 1080
 - Upload> success
- Works for supported SAGE2 assets: PDF, images, videos, ...

All the commands can be bundled in a script for automation:

- *./sage_upload.js localhost:9090 ~/Desktop/img1.jpg*
- *./sage_upload.js localhost:9090 ~/Desktop/img2.jpg 500 500 0.5 0.5*
- *./sage_command.js localhost:9090 clear*
- *./sage_command.js localhost:9090 open /user/images/img1.jpg*
- *./sage_command.js localhost:9090 open /user/images/img2.jpg*

- `./sage_command.js localhost:9090 fullscreen app_0`
- `./sage_command.js localhost:9090 resize app_0 500`
- `./sage_command.js localhost:9090 moveby app_0 50 50`