



# W Commands

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This chapter describes the Cisco Nexus 1000V commands that begin with the letter W.

# where

To display your current context in the command-line interface (CLI), use the **where** command.

**where** [**detail**]

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<b>detail</b> (Optional) Displays detailed context information.
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<b>Defaults</b>	Displays summary context information.
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<b>Command Modes</b>	Any
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<b>Supported User Roles</b>	network-admin
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<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	5.2(1)SK1(1.1)	This command was introduced.

<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	This command helps you track where you are in the CLI and how you got there.
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<b>Examples</b>	This example shows how to display summary context information:
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n1000v# configure terminal
Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
n1000v(config)# interface Ethernet2/3
n1000v(config-if)# where
?conf; interface Ethernet2/3      admin@switch%default
```

This example shows how to display detailed context information:

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n1000v# configure terminal
Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
n1000v(config)# interface Ethernet2/3n1000v(config-if)# where detail
?conf; interface Ethernet2/3      admin@switch%default
mode:                             conf
                                interface Ethernet2/3
username:                         admin
routing-context vrf: default
```

# write erase debug

To erase the debug configuration in persistent memory, use the **write erase debug** command.

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<b>Syntax Description</b>	None						
<b>Defaults</b>	Erases all configuration in persistent memory except for the boot variable, mgmt0 interface, and debug configuration.						
<b>Command Modes</b>	Any						
<b>Supported User Roles</b>	network-admin						
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<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	You can use this command to erase the startup configuration in the persistent memory when information is corrupted or otherwise unusable. Erasing the startup configuration returns the device to its initial state, except for the boot variable, mgmt0 interface, and debug configurations. You have to explicitly erase those configurations with the <b>boot</b> and <b>debug</b> options.						
<b>Examples</b>	<p>This example shows how to erase the startup configuration:</p> <pre>n1000v# <b>configure terminal</b> Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z. n1000v(config)# <b>write erase</b> Warning: This command will erase the startup-configuration. Do you wish to proceed anyway? (y/n) [n] <b>y</b></pre> <p>This example shows how to erase the debug configuration in the persistent memory:</p> <pre>n1000v# <b>configure terminal</b> Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z. n1000v(config)# <b>write erase debug</b></pre>						
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