

# Hipster Handbook - Appendix

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## 1 Glossary

| Term          | Definition  |
|---------------|---|
| Boomer        | The code name for the audio driver framework used by OpenIndiana. Its application interface is Open Sound System (OSS) 4 compatible.  |
| Consolidation | A collection of related software which has the scope of a project, historically developed by a dedicated team. OpenIndiana is composed of many consolidations.              |
| g11n          | Internationalization and localization consolidation.  |
| illumos       | A community maintained derivative of the OpenSolaris OS/NET (ON) source which contains core operating system components, including the kernel, drivers, and basic userland. |
| oi-userland   | A new OpenIndiana consolidation which pulls together many of the old legacy consolidations. This new consolidation greatly simplifies the development of OpenIndiana.       |
| SFE           | Spec Files Extra - External 3rd party IPS repository  |
| XNV           | The X-Windows consolidation.  |

## 2 Finding Help and Support

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### 2.1 Local system command line help

- apropos - search the manual page names and descriptions
  - Used to find keywords in man pages
- find - search for files in a directory hierarchy
- info - read Info documents

- A viewer for GNU info pages
- locate - find files by name
  - Uses the mlocate database to find files and folders
- man - an interface to the on-line reference manuals (man pages)
  - To pipe the output of a man page to a text file use the command: `man [manpage] | col -x -b > [filename].txt.`
  - For example: `man pkg | col -x -b > pkg.txt`

### 3 IPS Command Matrix

| Task                          | IPS Command                      | apt Equivalent                                    |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| Install a package             | <code>pkg install</code>         | <code>apt install</code>                          |
| Uninstall a package           | <code>pkg uninstall</code>       | <code>apt remove</code>                           |
| Update all packages           | <code>pkg update</code>          | <code>apt upgrade</code>                          |
| Search for a package          | <code>pkg search</code>          | <code>apt search</code>                           |
| Display installed packages    | <code>pkg list</code>            | <code>apt list</code>                             |
| Display package information   | <code>pkg info</code>            | <code>apt show</code>                             |
| Display package contents      | <code>pkg contents</code>        | <code>dpkg-query -L</code>                        |
| Display publisher information | <code>pkg publisher</code>       | <code>cat /etc/apt/sources.list.d/*</code>        |
| Add or update a publisher     | <code>pkg set-publisher</code>   | <code>edit /etc/apt/sources.list.d/* files</code> |
| Remove a publisher            | <code>pkg unset-publisher</code> | <code>edit /etc/apt/sources.list.d/* files</code> |

### 4 Developing with OpenIndiana

**DOC TEAM NOTE:**

The book titled “Introduction to Operating Systems: A Hands-On Approach Using the OpenSolaris Project” may be a good resource for helping to complete this part of the handbook.

Questions to ask:

- How can OI be used as a development platform?
- What programming tools, languages, etc., are available?
- How can OI be used to further the development of OI itself?

### 5 Software Development Testing

**DOC TEAM NOTE:**

Need to add some guidance about how to add a test repo to test specific packages, etc.