

# tape

To create and manage virtual tape volumes.



Do not use the tape load/unload command when the tape drives are attached to VTL. Instead use the vtl load/unload to accomplish the same.

## Usage

```
create tape    drive=<driveName> [description=<text>] [vendor=<Vendor> model=<model-name>]\ncreate tape  
[volume=]<tapeVolume> init=<boolean>  
    volser|voltag|barcode=<barcodeValue>  
    (disk=<device-name>) | (vg=<vg-name> size=<size>[kKmMgGtT])  
load tape     [volume=]<tapeVolume> drive=<driveName>  
delete tape   <tapeVolume>  
delete tape   <tapeDrive>  
set tape     <tapeVolume> writeProtect=[1|0]  
set tape     <tapeDrive> readAhead=[1|0]  
show tape    [tapeVolume|tapeDrive
```

## Examples

```
mayacli create tape drive=ltodrive1 description="my tape drive"  
mayacli create tape volume=tapevol disk=/dev/sda  
mayacli create tape volume=tapevol vg=tapevg size=100g  
mayacli load tape volume=tapevol drive=ltodrive1
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## Output

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