

# How To Shutdown Ubuntu Server from SSH

The proper way to shutdown is to use the shutdown command.

For Example:

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sudo shutdown -P now
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shutdown [OPTION]... TIME [MESSAGE]

-h Requests that the system be either halted or powered off after it has been brought down, with the choice as to which left up to the system.

-H Requests that the system be halted after it has been brought down.

-P Requests that the system be powered off after it has been brought down.

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