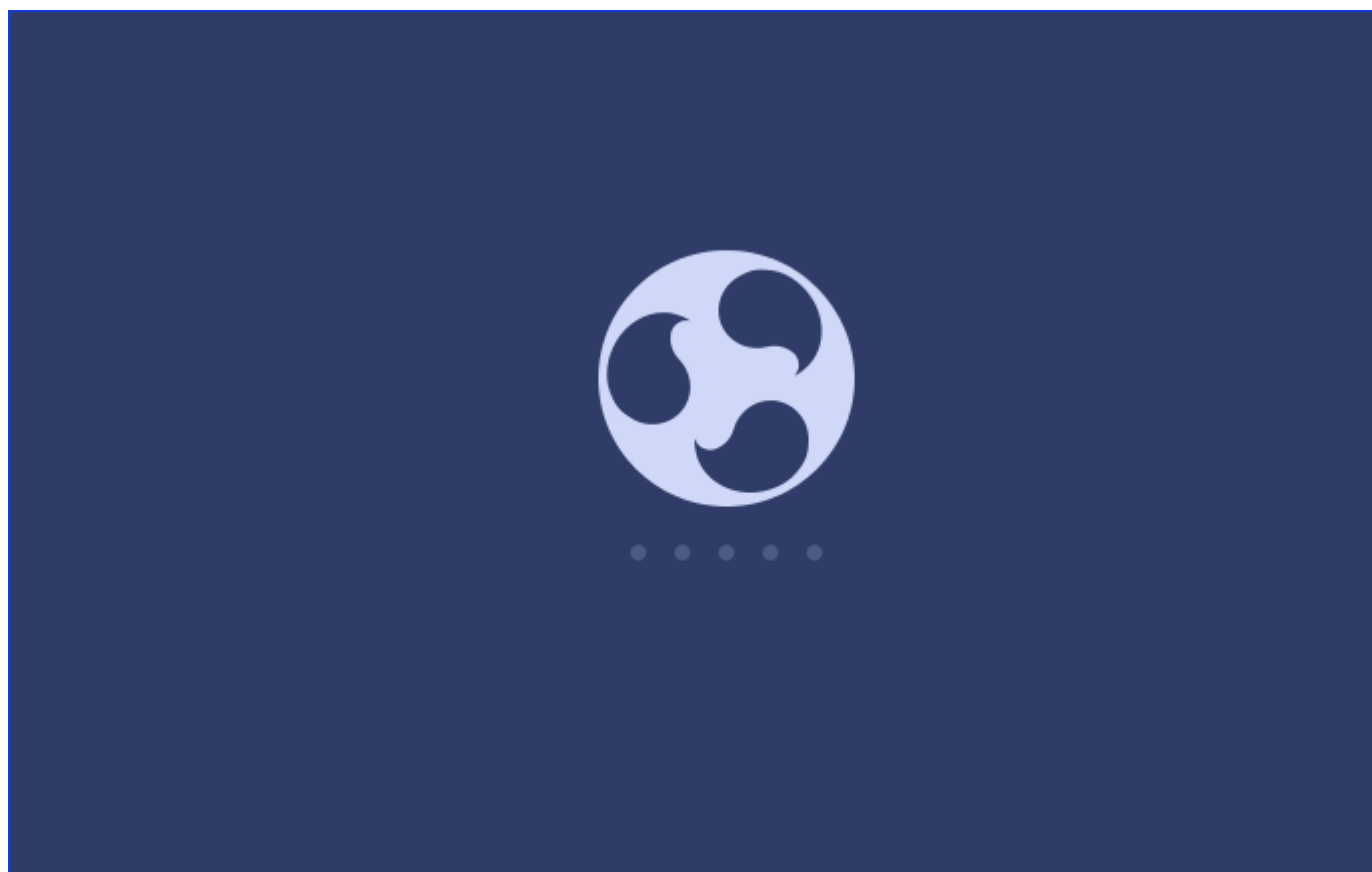


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## How to Install Plymouth System Boot Theme on Ubuntu 20.04

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If you want to take a fresh look at the Ubuntu boot screen, just install the new plymouth themes in the `/usr/share/plymouth/themes` directory. But not all topics can be set in this way.

In this instruction, I will try to help avoid some errors when replacing the standard system boot theme with a custom one.

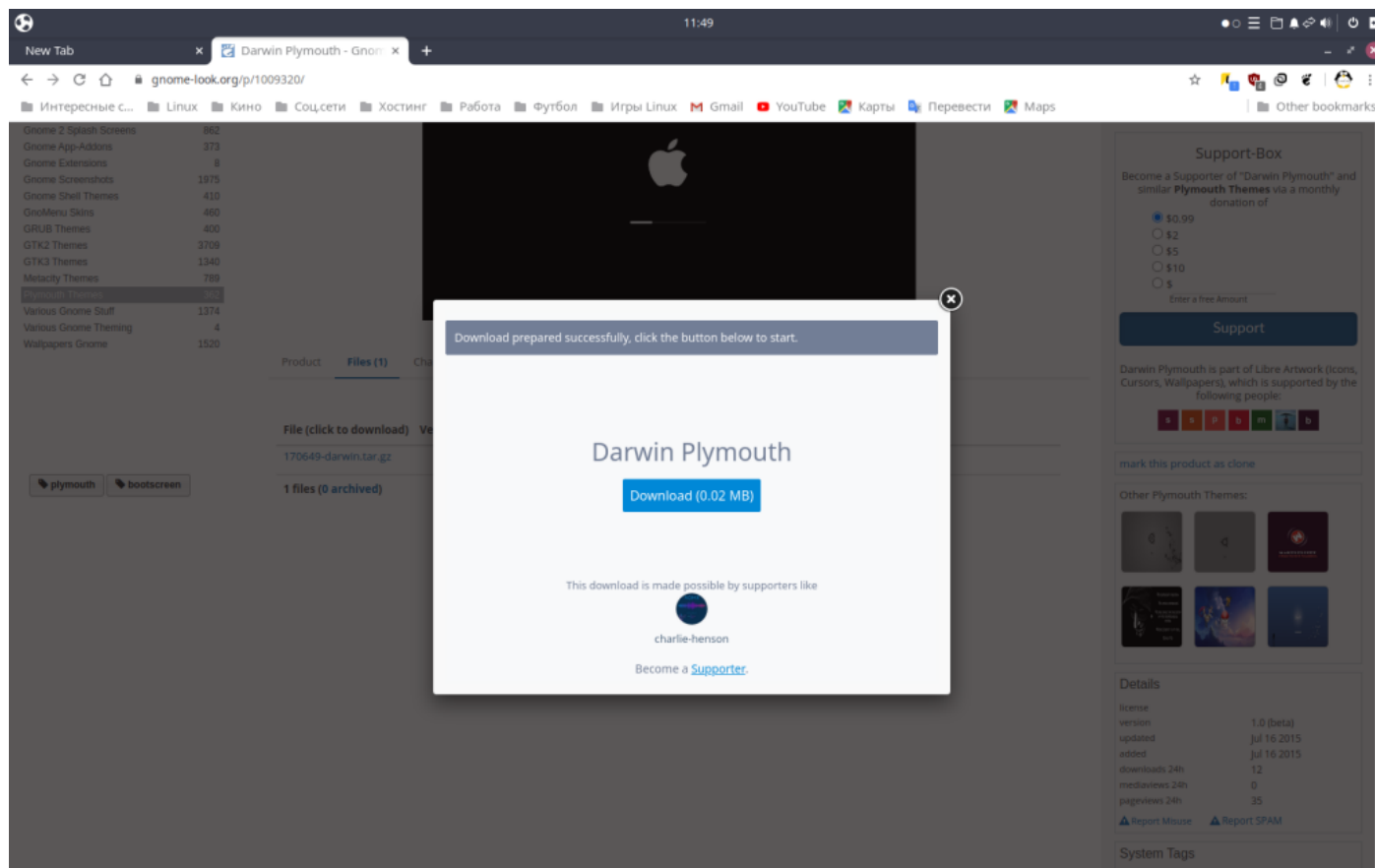
### Install a new boot screen in Ubuntu

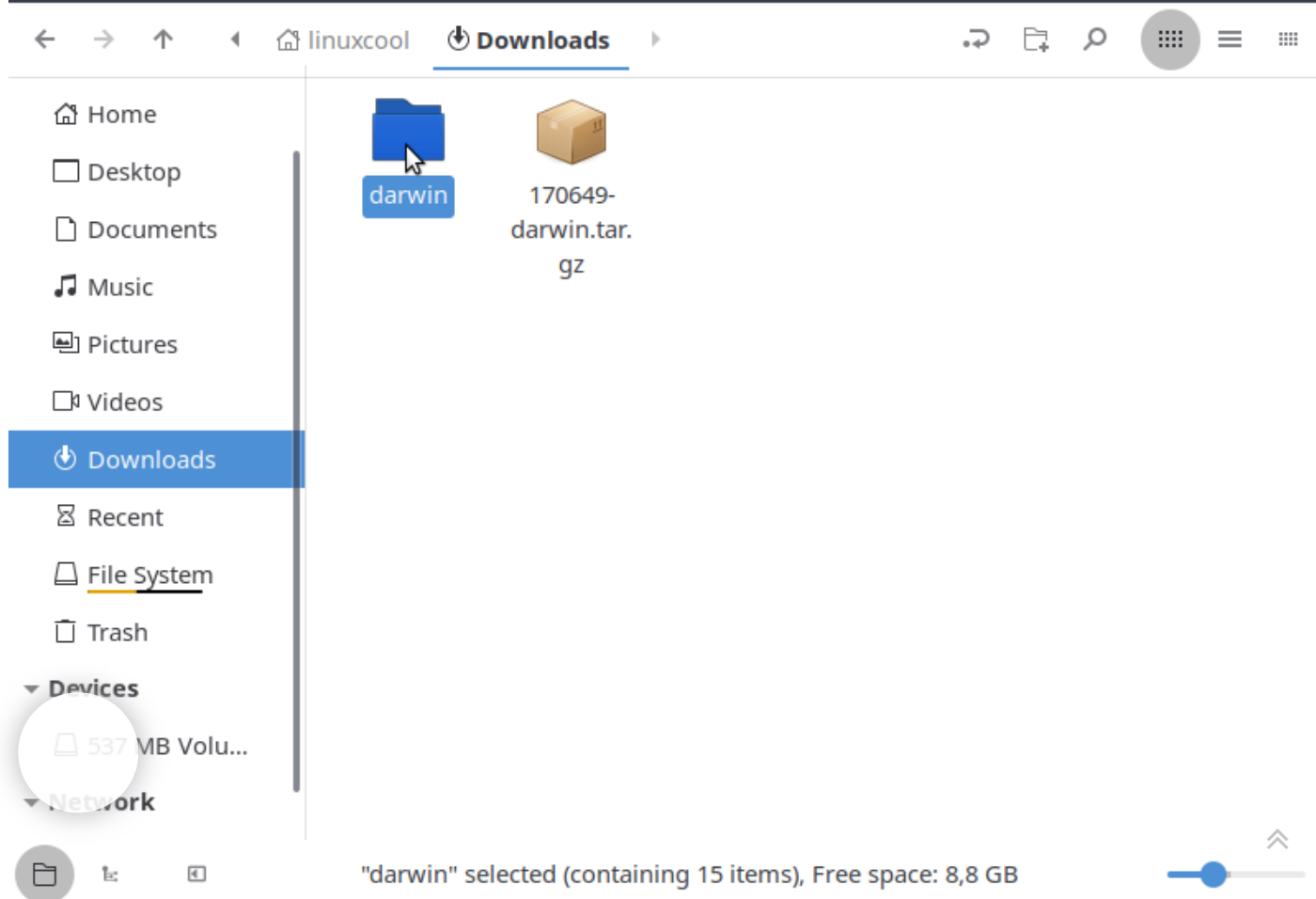
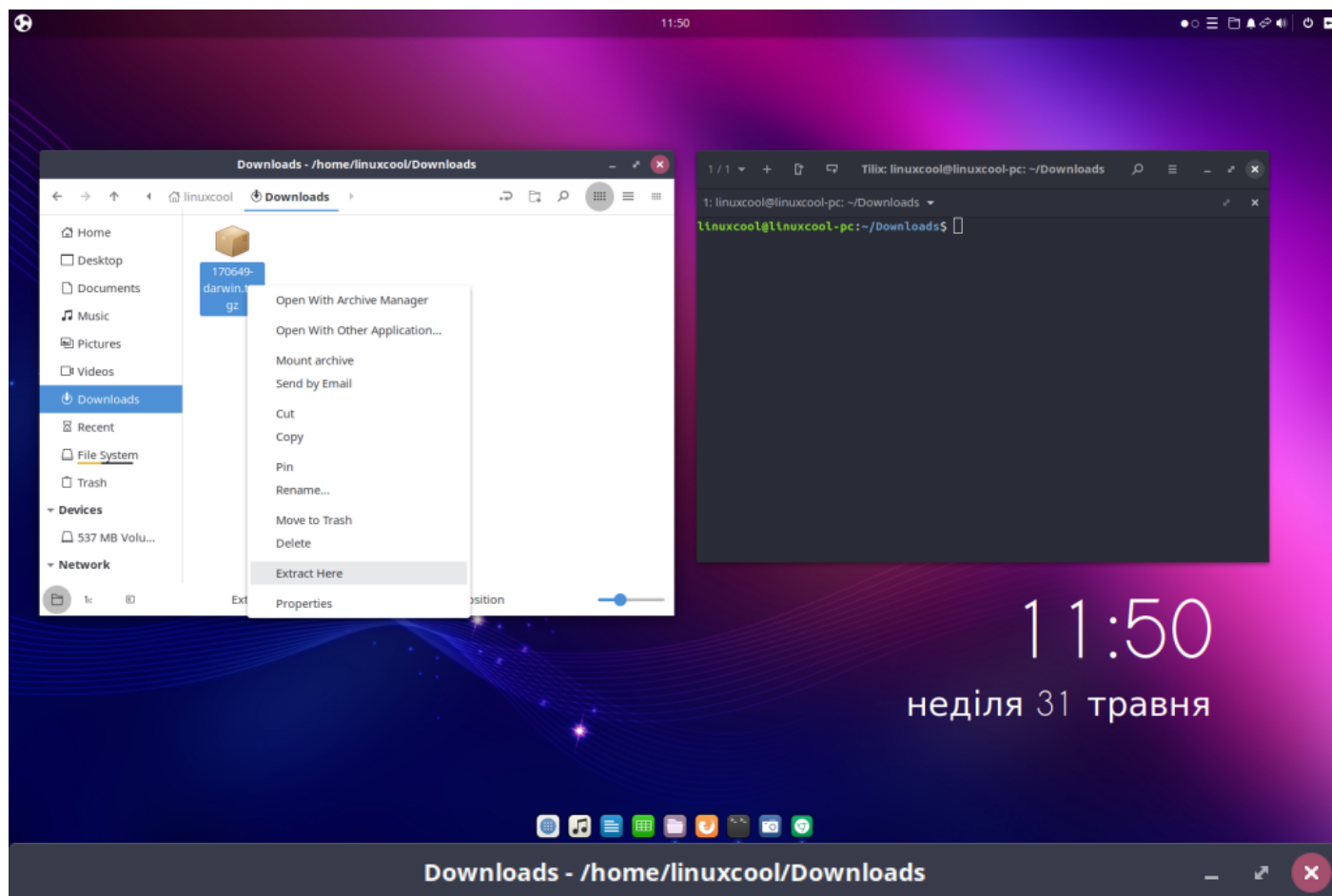
Some users do not really like the standard download theme, so they look for alternatives and install third-party themes.

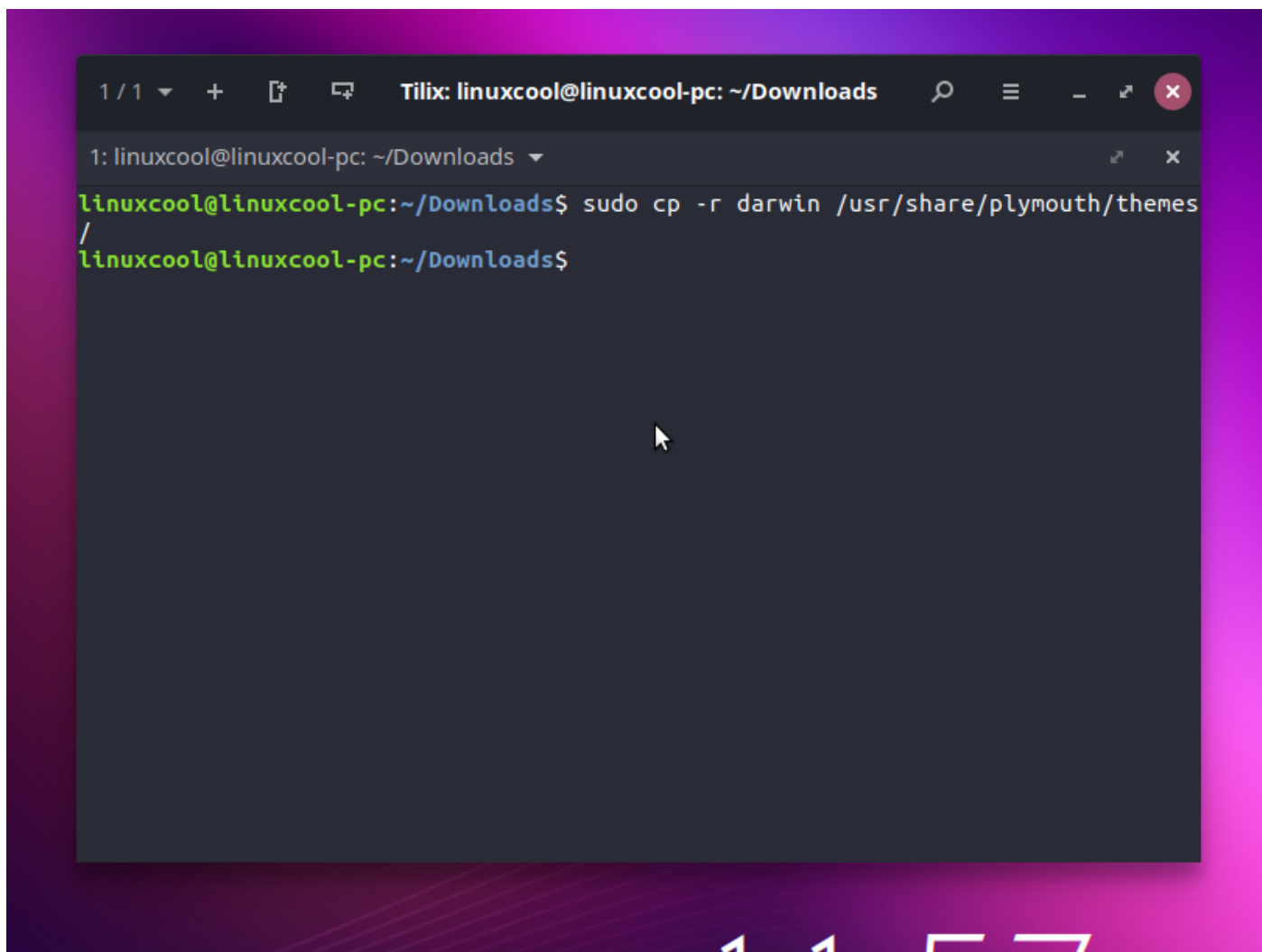
To change Boot Splash Screen in Ubuntu, you first need to select a new theme from [gnome-look.org](https://gnome-look.org).

## Plymouth Themes [gnome-look](https://gnome-look.org)

Download your favorite theme from the link above, unzip it and copy it to the `/usr/share/plymouth/themes` directory, for example from the terminal







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Terminal

sudo cp -r darwin /usr/share/plymouth/themes/
```

Now in the terminal, install the new Plymouth theme as the default theme using the command below.

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Terminal

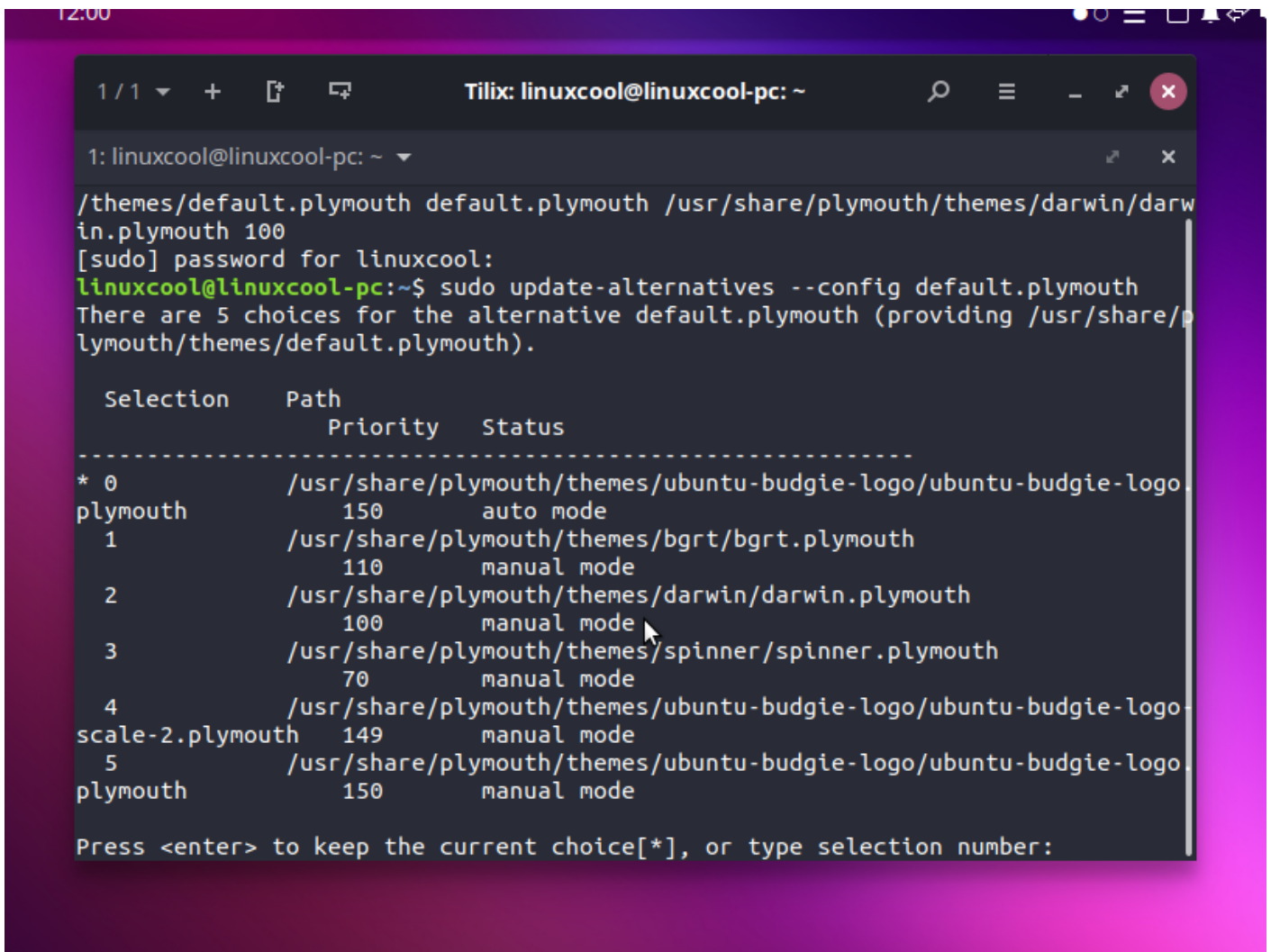
sudo update-alternatives --install
/usr/share/plymouth/themes/default.plymouth default.plymouth
/usr/share/plymouth/themes/darwin/darwin.plymouth 100
```

You need to replace "darwin/darwin.plymouth" with the original path and file name of your theme.

Then run the following command

```
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sudo update-alternatives --config default.plymouth
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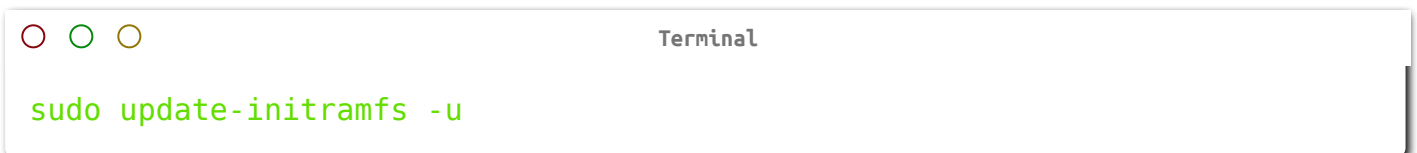
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12:00
Tilix: linuxcool@linuxcool-pc: ~
1: linuxcool@linuxcool-pc: ~
/themes/default.plymouth default.plymouth /usr/share/plymouth/themes/darwin/darwin.plymouth 100
[sudo] password for linuxcool:
linuxcool@linuxcool-pc:~$ sudo update-alternatives --config default.plymouth
There are 5 choices for the alternative default.plymouth (providing /usr/share/plymouth/themes/default.plymouth).

   Selection    Path
             Priority  Status
-----
* 0            /usr/share/plymouth/themes/ubuntu-budgie-logo/ubuntu-budgie-logo.plymouth
   150          auto mode
  1            /usr/share/plymouth/themes/bgrt/bgrt.plymouth
   110          manual mode
  2            /usr/share/plymouth/themes/darwin/darwin.plymouth
   100          manual mode
  3            /usr/share/plymouth/themes/spinner/spinner.plymouth
    70          manual mode
  4            /usr/share/plymouth/themes/ubuntu-budgie-logo/ubuntu-budgie-logo-scale-2.plymouth
   149          manual mode
  5            /usr/share/plymouth/themes/ubuntu-budgie-logo/ubuntu-budgie-logo.plymouth
   150          manual mode

Press <enter> to keep the current choice[*], or type selection number:
```

And change the default theme to yours (in my case it's number 2) by entering the theme number

And the last one. For the changes to take effect, you need another team



```
Terminal
sudo update-initramfs -u
```

After that, restart the Ubuntu system to check the new boot screen.

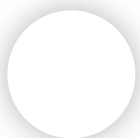


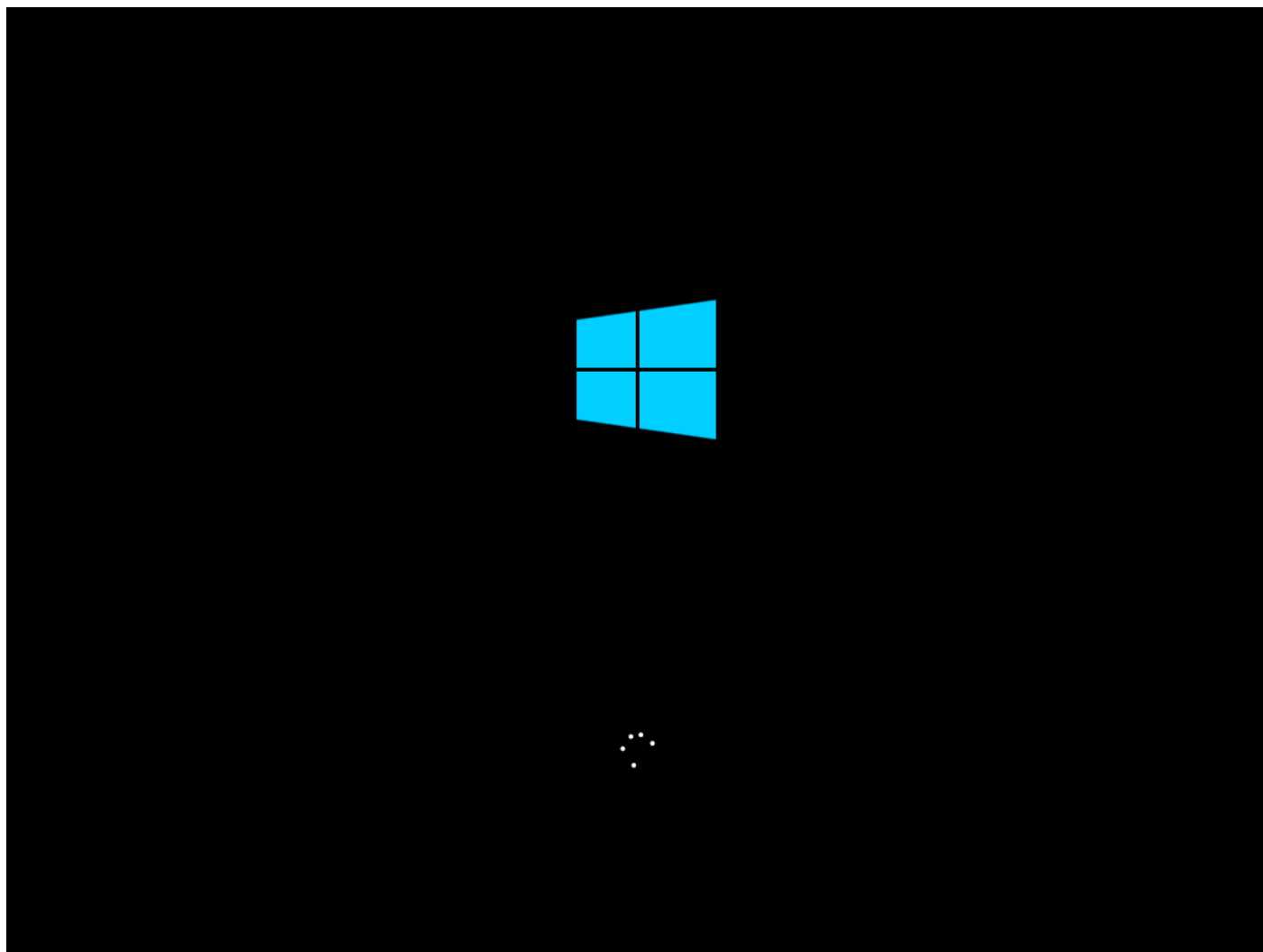


## Top Plymouth themes

Now that you know how to install and change the Plymouth theme, let's take a look at some of the ones on the gnome-look website

## Windows Download Theme for Linux





Download the following link

Windows Plymouth Theme

After downloading, unzip it, but do not rush to install it, first you need to make some adjustments.

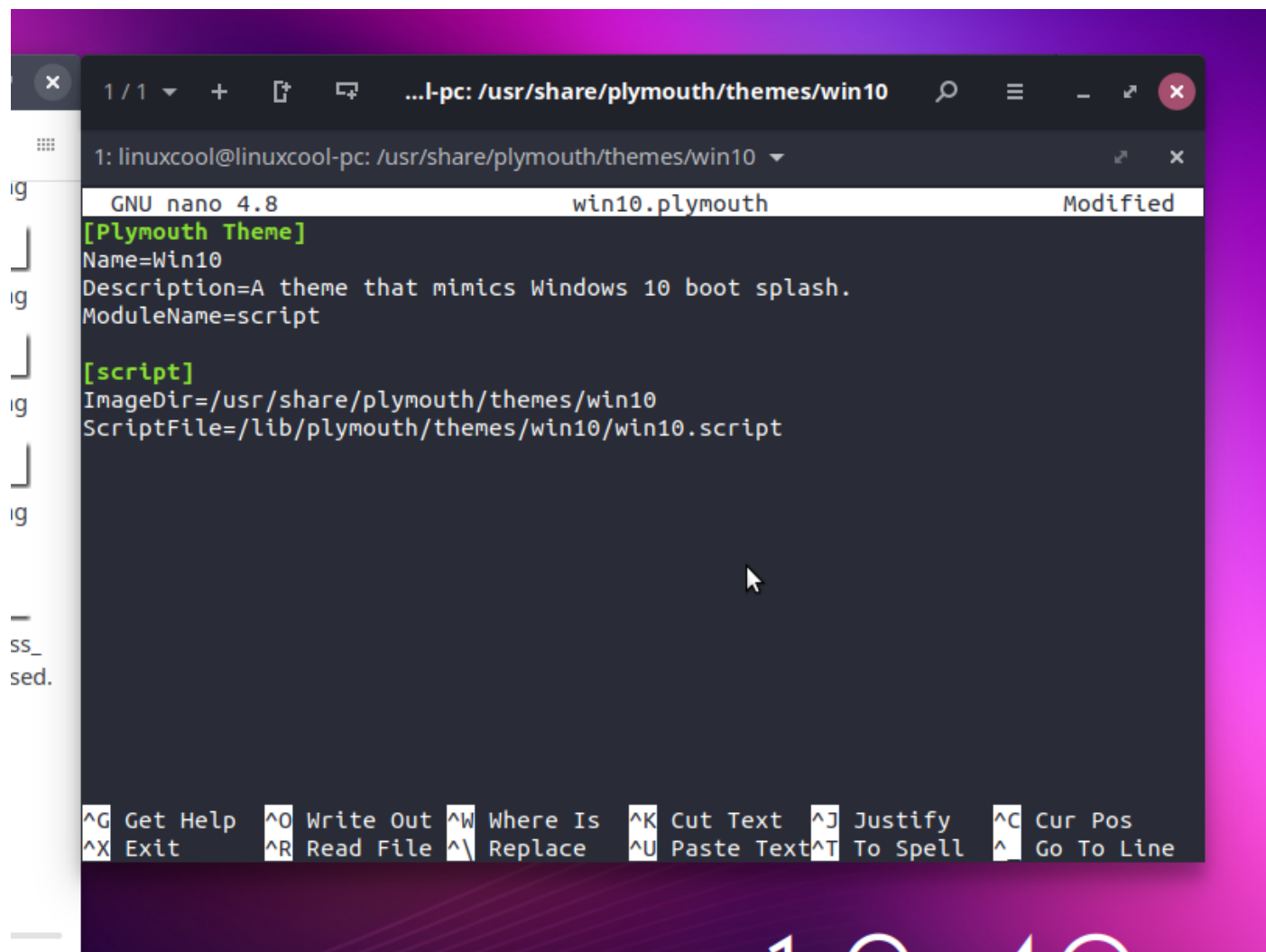
Open a terminal in the theme directory, and enter the following command



Terminal

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sudo nano win10.plymouth
```



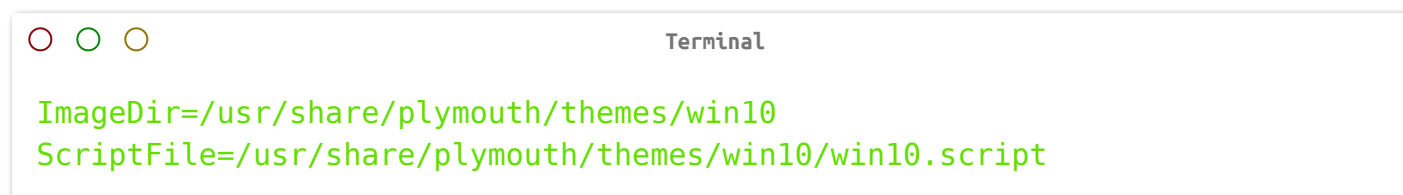


```
1: linuxcool@linuxcool-pc: /usr/share/plymouth/themes/win10
GNU nano 4.8 win10.plymouth Modified
[Plymouth Theme]
Name=Win10
Description=A theme that mimics Windows 10 boot splash.
ModuleName=script

[script]
ImageDir=/usr/share/plymouth/themes/win10
ScriptFile=/lib/plymouth/themes/win10/win10.script

^G Get Help ^O Write Out ^W Where Is ^K Cut Text ^J Justify ^C Cur Pos
^X Exit ^R Read File ^\ Replace ^U Paste Text ^T To Spell ^_ Go To Line
```

And change the path from `"/lib/"` to `"/usr/share/"` to get like this



```
Terminal
ImageDir=/usr/share/plymouth/themes/win10
ScriptFile=/usr/share/plymouth/themes/win10/win10.script
```

Save the file using the keyboard shortcut `"Ctrl + O"`, and close `"Ctrl + X"`

Now you can do the steps described above, and the topic will work fine.

## Fallout Theme

[Download Fallout Theme](#)







This topic also does not need to rush to install. Unzip it and go inside the theme folder.

Open a terminal inside this folder, and run the installation script



Terminal

```
sudo ./install.sh
```

Everything, nothing more is required.

You can set all other topics that will be presented in the standard way presented at the very beginning of the article.

## Mint-Galaxy Theme



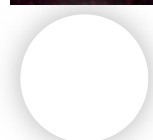


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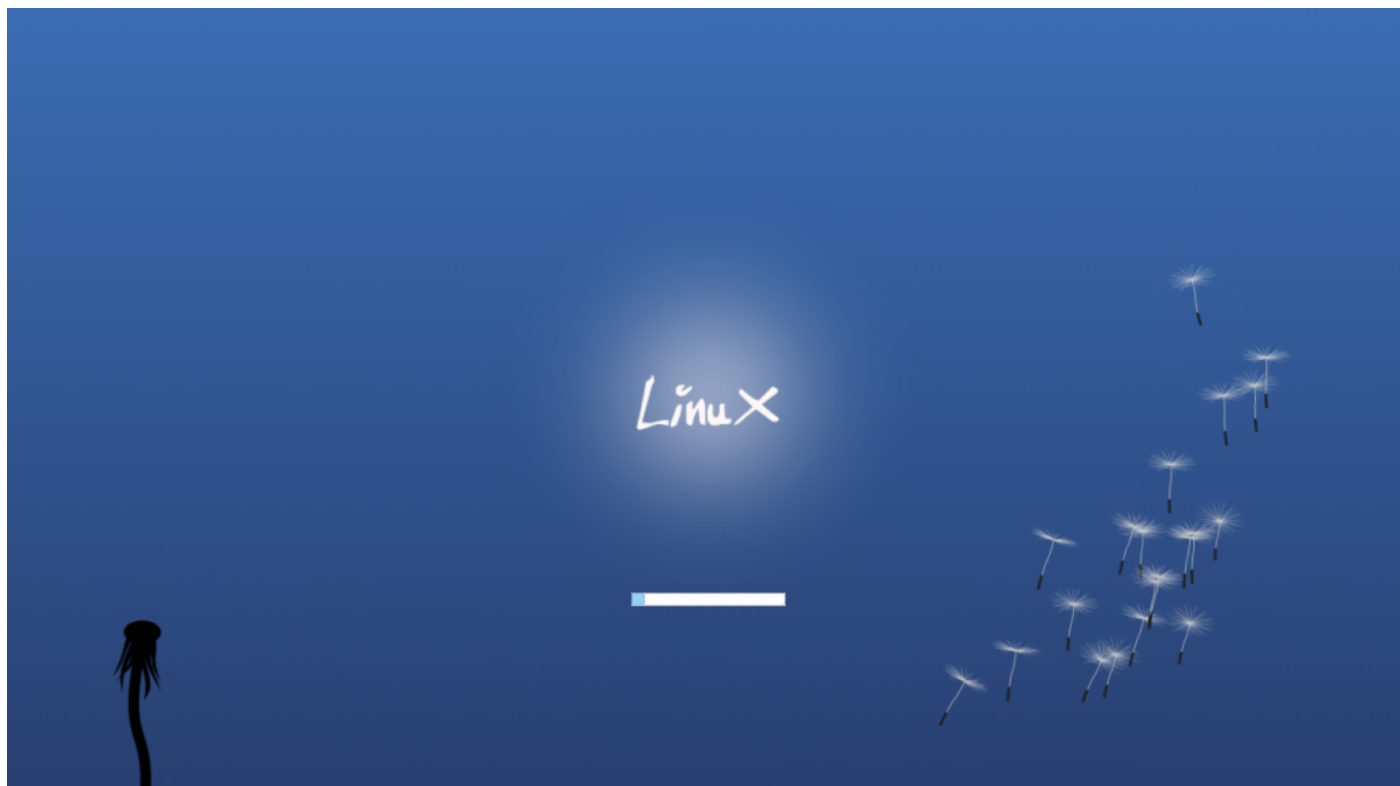


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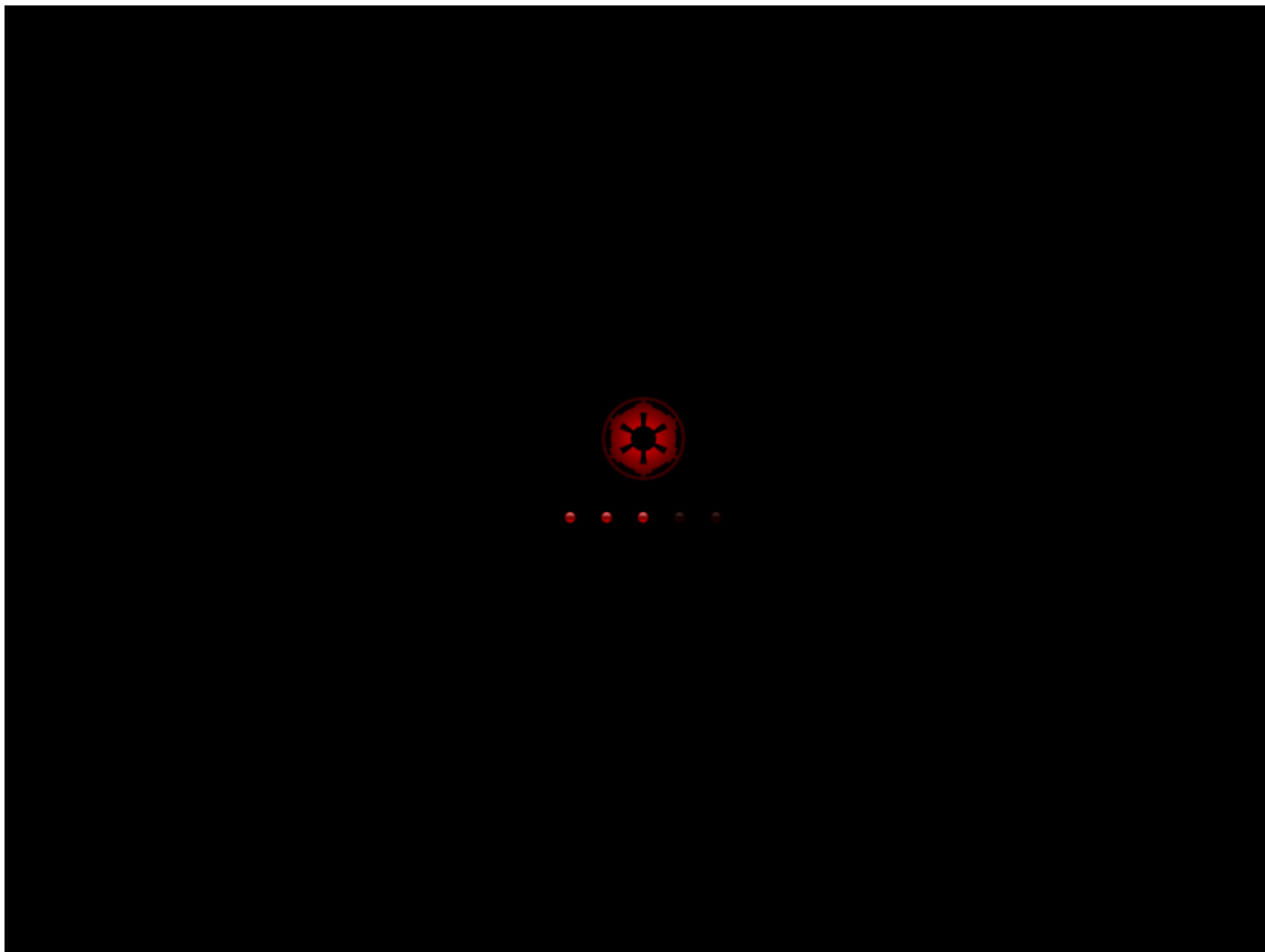




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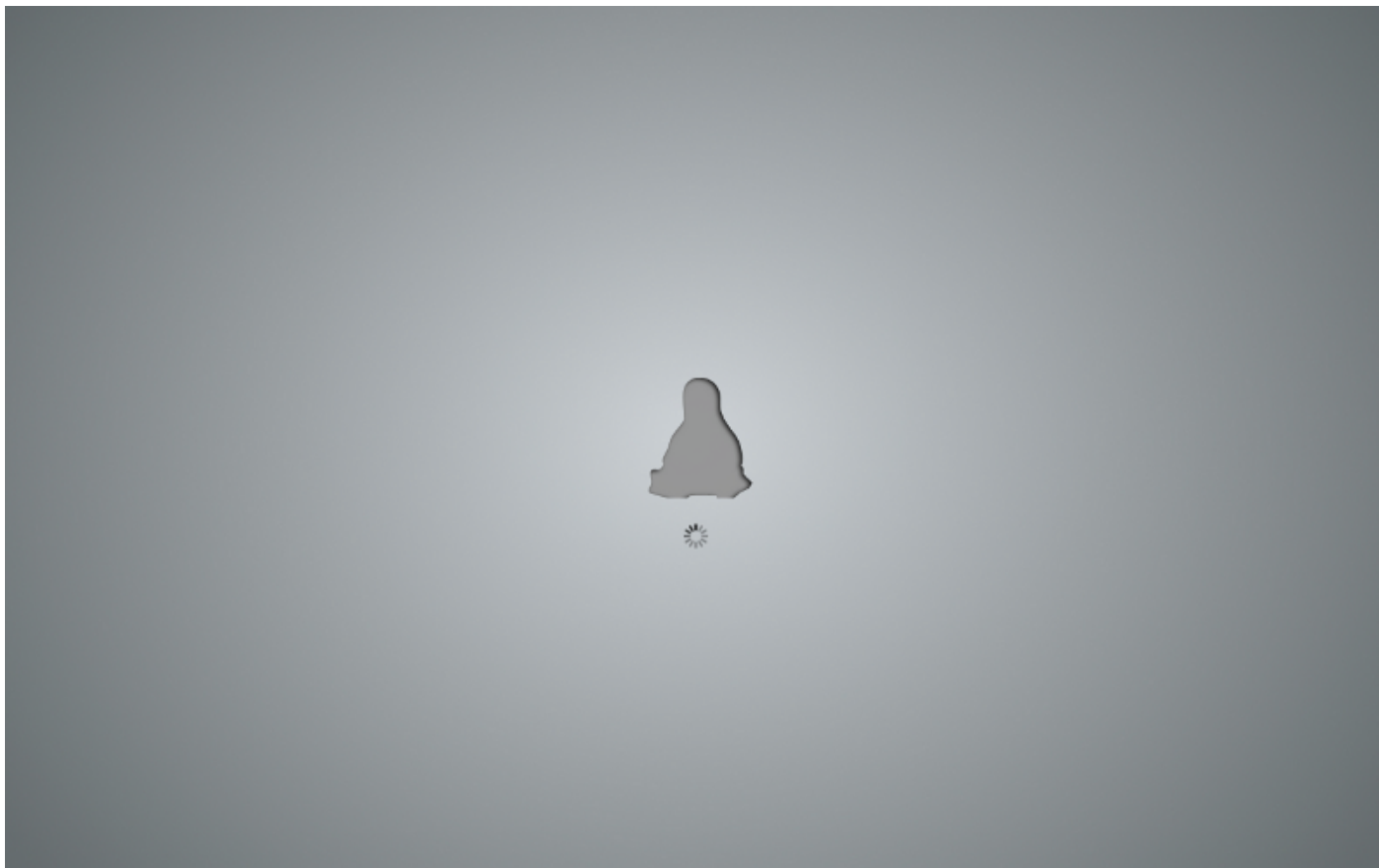




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## Caledonia Tux Theme





Download theme Caledonia Tux

That's all. In this article, you learned to change the Plymouth theme, and solve some problems with installing themes.

I hope the article was useful, and if you have any questions, you can ask in the comments below.

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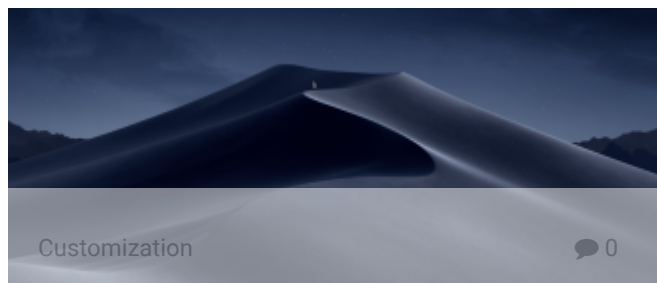
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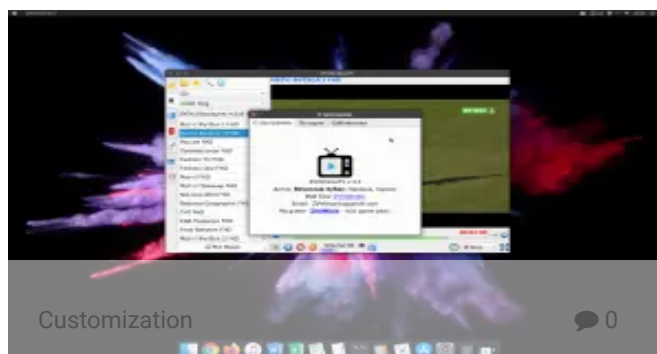
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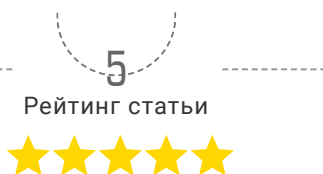
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