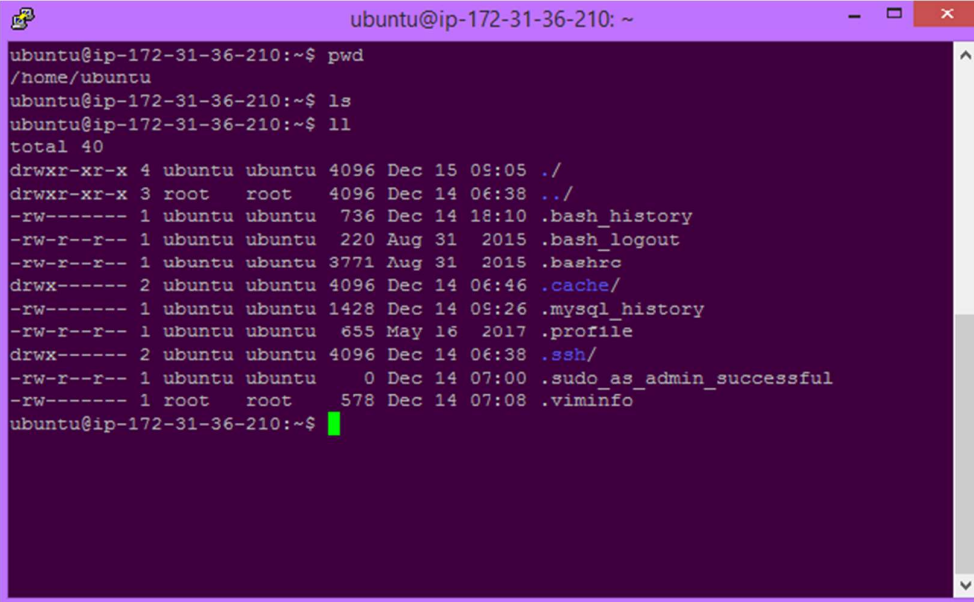# THE
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You can create an empty file using the `touch` command:

```
touch apple
```

If the file already exists, it opens the file in write mode, and the timestamp of the file is updated.