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# Notes 3

### echo

- Definition
  - displays text on screen.
- Usage
  - echo + option + sting to print
- Example
  - Display/print line of text
    - echo "hello world"
  - Display a line of text with horizontal tab.
    - `echo -e "\thello world"
  - Display two lines of text with single echo command.
    - echo -e "this is line 1/nthis is line 2"

## date

- Definition
  - displays the current time and date.
- Usage
  - date
- example
  - Display date as mm/dd/yy.
    - %D
  - Display full weekday name.
    - %A
  - Display short weekday name (Fri).
    - %a

## free

- definition
  - displays the amount of free memory.
- usage
  - free [option]
- example
  - Displays the result in unit bytes.
    - free -b
  - Displays the result in megabytes.
    - free -m

#### uname

- definition
  - displays information about youor system.

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- usage
  - uname [option]
- example
  - Displays all available information.
    - uname -a
  - Displays the ntework (domain) name of the machine.
    - uname -n
  - Shows kernel name.
    - uname -s

## history

- definition
  - displays the shell command history.
- usage
  - history
- example
  - Display a limited number of commands history.
    - history 5
  - Execute a command by event number.
    - **!**202

#### man

- definition
  - Displays the manual page for a command, system call, library function, or configuration file.
- usage \*man + option
- example
  - Display all matching manual pages for a specified command.
    - man -a
  - Display the mannuel page for the specified command.
    - man [command]

## apt

- definition
  - Linux command that can be used to install, upgrade, and remove packages.
- usage
  - apt [commands] `[packages]'
- example
  - Upadate
    - apt update
  - Install
    - apt install [...packages]
  - Remove
    - apt remove [...packages]

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- definition
  - Are app packages for desktop. cloud and IoT that are easy to install, secure, cross-platform and dependency-free.
- usage
  - snap [command]
- example
  - Install a snap
    - sudo snap install vlc
  - Check which snaps are installed
    - snap list

# flatpak

- definition
  - A next generation technology for packaging, distributing, and managing software in Linux.
- usage
  - flatpak [command]
- example
  - Searching for a flatpak
    - flatpak search video
  - Updating flatpak
    - flatpak update