

## What is markdown?

Markdown is lightweight markup language designed to be easy to read and write. It was created in 2004 by John Gruber. It allows you to write in plain text and then convert it to structured HTML and other formats with no effort. It's widely used for creating documents like README files and taking notes due to its simplicity and ease of use.

## What is Linux?

Linux is both an operating system kernel and is a term used to refer to various other operating systems built around this kernel. The Linux kernel was released in 1991 by Linus Torvalds. It is open source so its source code is freely available for anyone to use, modify, and distribute. Linux is designed to be modular, allowing users to add or remove components as needed, which makes it suitable for a wide range of devices.

## What is Ubuntu?

Ubuntu is one of the most popular Linux distributions. It is based on Debian and developed by Canonical Ltd. It was released in 2004 and is designed to be user friendly, making it more accessible and appealing to everyone. Ubuntu provides a comprehensive software repository that includes thousands of applications and utilities, users can easily install software using the Ubuntu Software Center.