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### AIM: EXPLORE THE INTERNAL COMMANDS OF LINUX

#### THEORY:

A Linux command is a program or utility that runs on the command line. A command line is an interface that accepts lines of text and processes them into instructions for your computer.

#### CODE / OUTPUT:

Q. Write shell scripts to do the following

1. Display Top 10 processes in descending order

🔗 **ps** is a Linux command-line utility with many options that helps you to display output in different formats.

🔗 To limit the number of processes shown to 10, we pipe the output to the **head** command.

```
student@ubuntu: ~
student@ubuntu:~$ echo " Top 10 Process in descending order "
Top 10 Process in descending order
student@ubuntu:~$ ps axl | head -n 10
F  UID    PID  PPID  PRI  NI   VSZ   RSS  WCHAN  STAT TTY        TIME COMMAND
4   0      1      0   20   0  33784  3108  -      Ss   ?         0:01 /sbin/init
1   0      2      0   20   0    0     0  -      S    ?         0:00 [kthreadd]
1   0      3      2   20   0    0     0  -      S    ?         0:00 [ksoftirqd/0]
1   0      5      2    0  -20   0     0  -      S<   ?         0:00 [kworker/0:0H]
1   0      7      2   20   0    0     0  -      S    ?         0:00 [rcu_sched]
1   0      8      2   20   0    0     0  -      S    ?         0:00 [rcu_bh]
1   0      9      2  -100  -    0     0  -      S    ?         0:00 [migration/0]
5   0     10      2  -100  -    0     0  -      S    ?         0:00 [watchdog/0]
5   0     11      2   20   0    0     0  -      S    ?         0:00 [kdevtmpfs]
student@ubuntu:~$
```

2. Display process with highest memory usage

🔗 The '**ps**' command is used to report a snapshot of the current processes. The '**ps**' command stands for process status.

🔗 You can use the ps command with **--sort** argument to sort the output by memory and CPU usage.



```
student@ubuntu: ~  
student@ubuntu:~$ echo "Display process with highest memory usage"  
Display process with highest memory usage  
student@ubuntu:~$ ps -eo pid,ppid,cmd,%mem,%cpu --sort=%mem | head  
  PID   PPID  CMD                %MEM %CPU  
    2      0 [kthreadd]           0.0  0.0  
    3      2 [ksoftirqd/0]        0.0  0.0  
    5      2 [kworker/0:0H]        0.0  0.0  
    7      2 [rcu_sched]           0.0  0.0  
    8      2 [rcu_bh]              0.0  0.0  
    9      2 [migration/0]        0.0  0.0  
   10      2 [watchdog/0]          0.0  0.0  
   11      2 [kdevtmpfs]           0.0  0.0  
   12      2 [netns]               0.0  0.0  
student@ubuntu:~$
```

3. Display current logged in user and log name.

🔗 **who** command is a tool print information about users who are currently logged in.  
who command only see a real user who

```
student@ubuntu: ~  
student@ubuntu:~$ who -u  
student :0          2023-02-23 01:47  ?          1708 (:0)  
student pts/8      2023-02-23 01:48  .          2348 (:0)  
student@ubuntu:~$ who -u | wc -l  
2
```

4. Display current shell, home directory, operating system type, current path setting, current working directory.

🔗 **whoami** displays the username of the current user when this command is invoked.  
🔗 The **uname** command writes to standard output the name of the operating system that you are using.  
🔗 The **pwd** command writes to standard output the full path name of your current directory (from the root directory).

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student@ubuntu:~$ who -u | wc -l  
2  
student@ubuntu:~$ whoami  
student  
student@ubuntu:~$ uname  
Linux  
student@ubuntu:~$ pwd  
/home/student
```



5. Display OS version, release number, kernel version

- ✚ **uname -a** print all information, in the following order
- ✚ **uname -r** print the kernel release

```
student@ubuntu: ~  
student@ubuntu:~$ uname -a  
Linux ubuntu 4.4.0-142-generic #168~14.04.1-Ubuntu SMP Sat Jan 19 11:26:28 UTC 2019 x86_64 x86_64 x86_64 GNU/Linux  
student@ubuntu:~$ uname -r  
4.4.0-142-generic  
student@ubuntu:~$
```

6. Illustrate the use of sort, grep, awk, etc

- ✚ **sort** command is used to sort a file, arranging the records in a particular order.
- ✚ The **awk** command is used for text processing in Linux.

```
student@ubuntu: ~  
student@ubuntu:~$ cat > fruits  
oranges  
banana  
apple  
grapes  
mangoes  
student@ubuntu:~$ sort fruits  
apple  
banana  
grapes  
mangoes  
oranges  
student@ubuntu:~$ sort fruits>abc  
student@ubuntu:~$ ls  
abc      Downloads      file3      meetpatel.txt  os11.txt~  Pictures  Templates  
abc~     examples.desktop file.txt   Music          os12       pqr      test.txt  
abc.txt  exp2.png      fruits    nam_1.15-10-ubuntu14_amd64.deb os_file    Public   Videos  
Desktop  file1         home     os1            os_file.txt sample  
Documents file2         lmn.txt  os112.txt~    Os_file.txt student  
student@ubuntu:~$ cat abc  
apple  
banana  
grapes  
mangoes  
oranges  
student@ubuntu:~$ awk '{print $1 "\t" $2}' abc  
apple  
banana  
grapes  
mangoes  
oranges
```

## CONCLUSION:

- ✚ Linux commands let you perform basic and administrative tasks quickly and effectively from the Terminal.
- ✚ With it, you'll have more flexibility over your system and the ability to access features that are not always available through a graphical user interface.
- ✚ Learning basic Linux commands is essential to interact with your machine.