

Scenario

In this scenario, all of the files in your home directory have been encrypted. You'll need to use Linux commands to break the Caesar cipher and decrypt the files so that you can read the hidden messages they contain.

Here's how you'll do this task: **First**, you'll explore the contents of the home directory and read the contents of a file. **Next**, you'll find a hidden file and decrypt the Caesar cipher it contains. **Finally**, you'll decrypt the encrypted data file to recover your data and reveal the hidden message.

OK, it's time to decrypt some messages in Linux!

***Note:** The lab starts with you logged in as user `analyst`, with your home directory, `/home/analyst`, as the current working directory.*