



Linux commands

The structure of command:

 cmd option argument
What? How? where?

ls(cmd -a /etc

command	Description	Usecase
ls	list	ls <directory>
mkdir	Create a directory	mkdir <dir name>
rm -r	remove directory recursively	rm -r <dir name>
less	show contents shortly	less <file name>
head	show 10 lines	head <file name>
tail	show last 10 lines	tail <file name>
head -130 numbers tail -11	show 11 lines from first- desired.	to see lines in between
grep <word,number>	search function of Linux OS	grep <word,number>
grep wc -l	show word count	wc -l messages
man	manual	man <command>
q	Quit	q
ls -l	lists files with permissions	ls -l
chmod \vee numeric values r - 4 w - 2 x - 1	numeric method to change permission for file \vee explanation rwx 7 rw- 6 r-x 5 r-- 4 -wx 3 -w- 2 --x 1 --_ 0	chmod 764 <filename> \vee Click here to expand... change file permission to rwx rw- r--
tar -cvzf \vee -cvzf c create v verbose (background activities will be shown on screen z gzip file	Bundle all files <div> perform archieving and compression.</div>	tar -cvzf <file name.tar.gz > <file 1> <file2> <file3>
tar -xvzf	Extract	tar -xvzf <file name>
du -sh	file size	du -sh <filename>
seq 1 <size>	create dummy files with desired file size.	seq 1 1000000 (size) > file name

gzip	compress one file	gzip <file name>
gunzip	uncompress file	gunzip <file name.gz>
cat	display content of file on terminal	cat <file name>
touch <div> <div> </div> <div>create</div> </div> touch file{1,2,3,4}	create file	
rm -f (name)*	delete files with specific name only	rm -f data*

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