

## How to change the pi account password and start the root account

As shown in the figure below.

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pi@raspberrypi: ~  
pi@raspberrypi:~ $ sudo passwd root  
Enter new UNIX password:  
Retype new UNIX password:  
passwd: password updated successfully  
pi@raspberrypi:~ $ sudo passwd --unlock root  
passwd: password expiry information changed.  
pi@raspberrypi:~ $ su  
Password:  
root@raspberrypi:/home/pi#
```

This allows the root user to unlock successfully.