

# **LINUX Fundamentals**



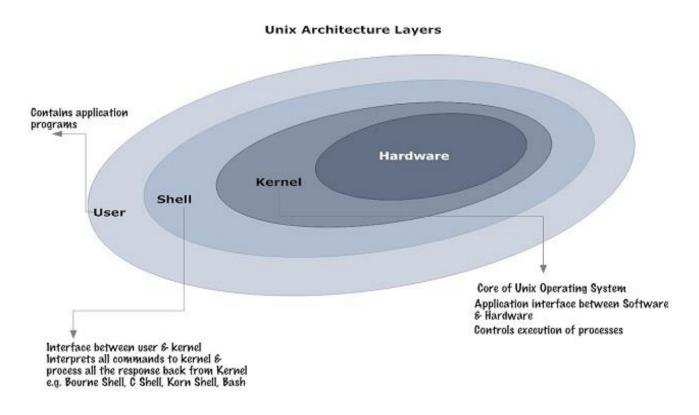


### All About "UNIX"





- History of UNIX® dates back to 1969. It has developed and evolved through a number of different versions and environments. Most modern UNIX variants known today are licensed versions of one of the original UNIX editions. Sun's Solaris, Hewlett-Packard's HP-UX, and IBM's AIX® are all flavors of UNIX that have their own unique elements and foundations.
- Basic structure of Unix operating system







- Multitasking && Multiuser: Most versions of UNIX allows multiple users to log onto the system & each run multiple tasks. This is standard for most modern OS.
- <u>Free Applications and Even a Free Operating System</u>: OFF all of the applications available under UNIX, many of them are free. The compilers and interpreters that we use in most of the programming courses here at UMBC can be downloaded free of charge. Most of the development that we do in programming courses is done under the Linux OS.
- <u>Less Resource Intensive</u>: UNIX installations tend to be much less demanding on system resources. In many cases, the old family computer that can barely run Windows is more than sufficient to run the latest version of Linux.





 Linux is a generic term referring to Unix-like graphical user interface (GUI) based computer operating systems.

- Powerful -
  - Runs on multiple hardware platforms
  - Users like its speed and stability
  - No requirement for latest hardware.
- Linux is an operating system kernel, and UNIX is a certification for operating systems..





- A fully-networked 32/64-Bit Unix-like Operating System.
- Multi-user, Multitasking, Multiprocessor
- Has the X Windows GUI
- Coexists with other Operating Systems
- Runs on multiple platforms
- Includes the Source Code



## Installing UBUNTU <LINUX VERSION>





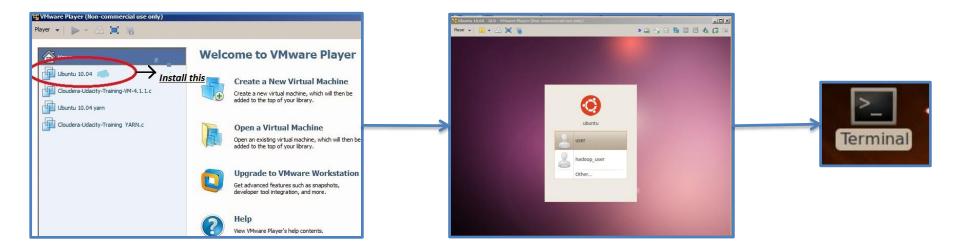
- We need the following things before keeping hands on The UNIX like environment, i.e. through Ubuntu
- **Ubuntu image** for VMware
- VMware player for running Ubuntu.



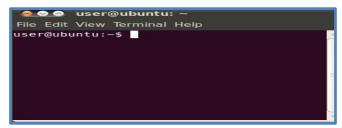




- 1ST Install VMware and then install UBUNTU on it .
- Terminal: Place where commands are written...



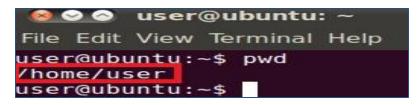
• Terminal shows the **name of current logged in user** and that particular user can make changes in his Environment only as in windows..



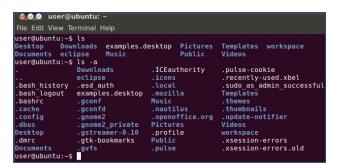


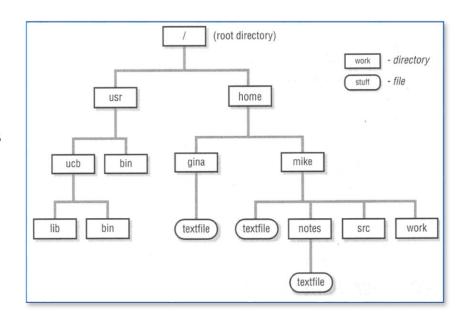


- /symbolizes ROOT
- Under root a folder named home is there
- which contains Info. About every logged user
- List of commands & there uses with screen shots
- **I. pwd:** Tells the present working.



- II. Is: lists all the file under current directory.
  - -ls -a: lists all the hidden files too.









**III. mkdir dir name :** creating a file/folder .



IV. clear: - clears the terminal.







V. cd dest.name :- changing the directory



user@ubuntu:~\$ cd hadoop/

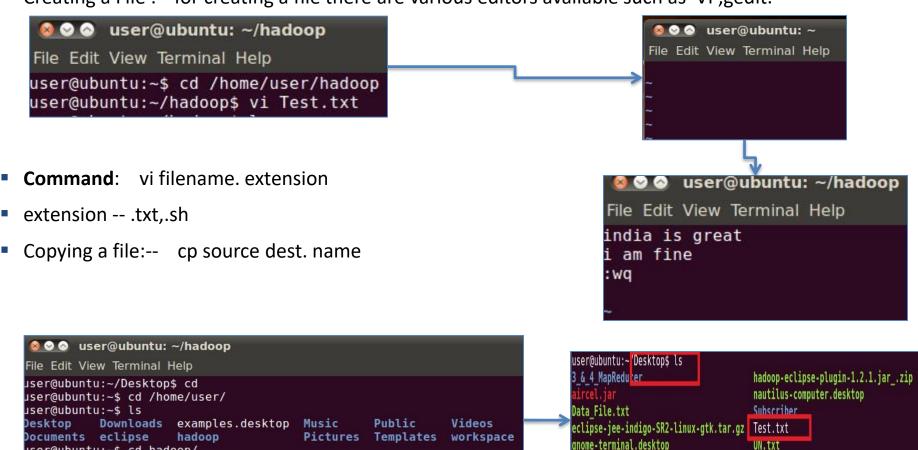
user@ubuntu:~/hadoop\$ cp Test.txt /home/user/Desktop

user@ubuntu:~/hadoop\$ ls

Test.txt



Creating a File :-- for creating a file there are various editors available such as VI ,gedit.



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user@ubuntu:~/Desktop\$





• To Delete a File: rm filename

```
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$ ls
                                          hadoop-eclipse-plugin-1.2.1.jar_.zip
3 & 4 MapReducer
                                          nautilus-computer.desktop
Data File.txt
                                          Subscriber
eclipse-jee-indigo-SR2-linux-gtk.tar.gz Test.txt
gnome-terminal.desktop
                                          UN.txt
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$ rm Test.txt
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$ ls
                                          hadoop-eclipse-plugin-1.2.1.jar .zip
3 & 4 MapReducer
                                          nautilus-computer.desktop
aircel.jar
Data File.txt
                                          Subscriber
eclipse-jee-indigo-SR2-linux-gtk.tar.gz
                                         UN.txt
                                                               File removed.....
gnome-terminal.desktop
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$
```





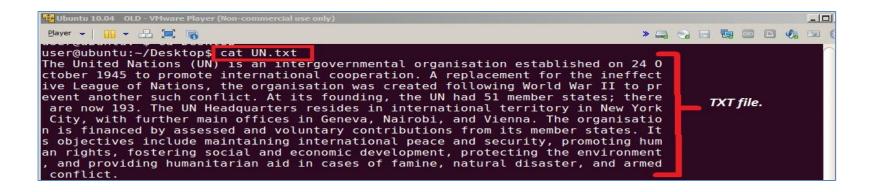
rmdir filename : removing a directory

```
user@ubuntu: ~
File Edit View Terminal Help
user@ubuntu:~$ ls
                                                               Videos
Desktop
           Downloads
                      examples.desktop
                                         Music
                                                    Public
           eclipse
                      hadoop
Documents
                                         Pictures
                                                   Templates
                                                               workspace
user@ubuntu:~$ rmdir hadoop
                                             directory Removed
user@ubuntu:~$ ls
Desktop
           Downloads
                      examples.desktop
                                         Pictures
                                                    Templates
                                                               workspace
Documents eclipse
                      Music
                                         Public
                                                    Videos
```



### Creating, Copying & Deleting a file (Cont..)

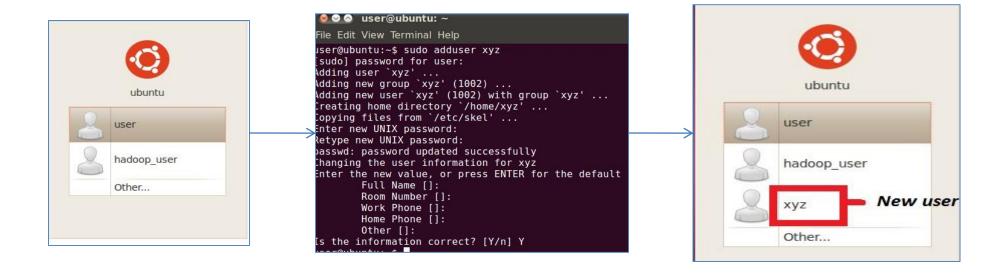
- cat command: It can be used for the following purposes under Linux:
  - Display text files on screen.







Adding and removing new user:-- sudo adduser Newusename

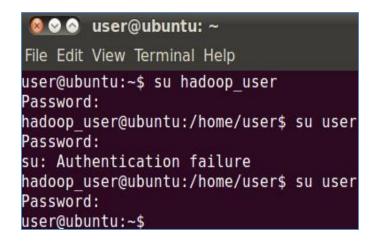






Removing a User :-- sudo userdel Newusername..and the user will be deleted.

- Switching to different user :-- su username.
  - then the required password of that user needs to be given.



- Extracting a TAR file:
- I. tar -zxvf yourfile.tar.
- II. tar -xvf yourfile.tar





## Assignments





**Ques 1:** Display your current directory?

**Sol:** Type pwd

**Ques 2:** Change to the /etc directory?

Sol:

```
user@ubuntu:~$ cd /etc
user@ubuntu:/etc$ ls
acpi group- passwd-
adduser.conf grub.d pcmcia
```

**Ques 3:** Now change to your home directory using only three key presses?

Sol: user@ubuntu:/etc\$ cd user@ubuntu:~\$





**Ques 4:** Go to the root directory & list the contents of the root directory?

Sol:

```
user@ubuntu:~$ cd /
user@ubuntu:/$ ls
bin dev initrd.img media proc selinux <mark>tmp</mark>
boot etc lib mnt root srv usr
```

Ques 5: Stay where you are, and list the contents of /bin and /sbin?

```
Sol:
```

```
user@ubuntu:/$ ls /bin /sbin
/bin:
bash dumpkeys mountpoint
bunzip2 echo mt
```

```
/sbin:
acpi_available fsck.vfat
alsa fstab-decode
```





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**Ques 6:** List all the files (including hidden files) in your home directory?

```
Sol:
```

```
ıser@ubuntu:/$ ls -al ~
total 180
irwxr-xr-x 31 user user 4096 2014-07-19 19:33 .
rwxr-xr-x 5 root root 4096 2014-07-19 19:21 ...
      ---- 1 user user 2890 2014-07-19 19:30 .bash history
           1 user user 220 2010-04-29 19:41 .bash logout
```

**Ques 7:** Create a directory testdir in your home directory?

```
user@ubuntu:~$ mkdir ~testdir
user@ubuntu:~$ ls
           eclipse
                             Music
                                       Templates
Desktop
          examples.desktop
                             Pictures
                                       ~testdir
Documents
Downloads hadoop
                             Public
                                        Videos
```

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Ques 8: Create in one command the directories ~/dir1/dir2/dir3 (dir3 is a subdirectory from dir2, and dir2 is a subdirectory from dir1)

```
Sol:
```

```
user@ubuntu:~$ mkdir -p ~/dir1/dir2/dir3
user@ubuntu:~$ ls
Desktop Downloads hadoop Pictures
dir1 eclipse Music Public
Documents examples.desktop ~p Templates
```

Ques 9: Remove the directory testdir

```
Sol:
```

```
user@ubuntu:~$ rmdir ~testdir
user@ubuntu:~$ ls
Desktop Documents eclipse hadoop ~p Public Videos
dirl Downloads examples.desktop Music Pictures Templates workspace
```





#### **Ques 1:** How to create a directory and entering files into it?

```
user@ubuntu:~$ mkdir HELLO
       user@ubuntu:~$ cd HELLO
       user@ubuntu:~/HELLO$ cd ..
Sol:
       user@ubuntu:~$ cd HELLO
       user@ubuntu:~/HELLO$ vi today.txt
       user@ubuntu:~/HELLO$ vi today.txt
       user@ubuntu:~/HELLO$ vi yesterday.txt
       user@ubuntu:~/HELLO$ ls
```

#### Ques 2: Rename today.txt to hi?

```
user@ubuntu:~/HELLO$ mv today.txt hi
        user@ubuntu:~/HELLO$ ls
Sol:
        ni yesterday.txt
```

today.txt yesterday.txt





Ques 3: Create a directory called testbackup and copy all files from HELLO into it?

Sol:

```
user@ubuntu:~$ mkdir testbackup ; cp -r HELLO testbackup
user@ubuntu:~$ cd testbackup/
user@ubuntu:~/testbackup$ ls
HELLO
```

Ques 4: Use one command to remove the directory testbackup and all files into it?

Sol:

```
user@ubuntu:~$ rm -rf testbackup
user@ubuntu:~$ ls
Desktop
          Downloads
                             hadoop
                                               Templates
                                     ~p
                                     Pictures
dir1
          eclipse
                             HELLO
                                               Videos
          examples.desktop
                             Music
                                     Public
Documents
                                               workspace
```



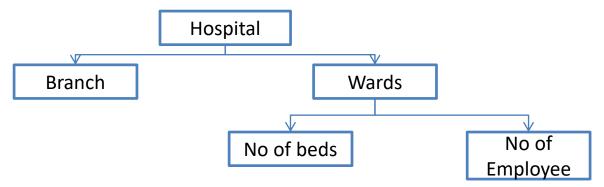


#### Ques 5: Switch to Root from normal user and vice-versa and create a directory on desktop?

```
user@ubuntu:~$ su root
Password:
root@ubuntu:/home/user# su user
user@ubuntu:~$ cd Desktop
user@ubuntu:~$ cd Desktop
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$ mkdir disk
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$ ls
3_&_4_MapReducer eclipse-jee-indigo-SR2-linux-gtk.tar.gz Subscriber
aircel.jar gnome-terminal.desktop UN.txt
Data_File.txt hadoop-eclipse-plugin-1.2.1.jar_.zip
disk nauti_us-computer.desktop
```

#### Ques 6: Check out your :-

- a) Directory you created on Desktop by moving into it.
- b) Create a sub directory as the fig given below under normal user.



c) Copy the **No.of employee** folder in to **No of beds** folder





Sol:

```
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$ mkdir disk
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$ ls
3_&_4_MapReducer eclipse-jee-indigo-SR2-linux-gtk.tar.gz Subscriber
aircel.jar gnome-terminal.desktop UN.txt
Data_File.txt hadoop-eclipse-plugin-1.2.1.jar_.zip
disk nautilus-computer.desktop
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$ cd disk/
```

```
user@ubuntu:~/Desktop$ tree hospital
hospital
branch
ward
no.ofbed
no.ofemployee

4 directories, 0 files
```





- Ques 1: Make a file named Hadoop under a directory Project on Desktop?
- Ques 2: Delete this file after copying it to another directory names yarn?
- Que 3: Opening vi editor and typing something in it and saving it?
- Ques 4: Opening a previously saved text file and edit using gedit?
- Ques 5: Adding new user to Ubuntu?
- Ques 6: Getting used to all the Commands told in the Session?





Ques 7: Display the first 12 lines of /etc/services.

user@ubuntu:~\$ head -12 /etc/services

```
Sol:
```

Network services, Internet style

Note that it is presently the policy of IANA to assign a single well-known port number for both TCP and UDP; hence, officially ports have two entries even if the protocol doesn't support UDP operations.

Updated from http://www.iana.org/assignments/port-numbers and other sources like http://www.freebsd.org/cgi/cvsweb.cgi/src/etc/services .

New ports will be added on request if they have been officially assigned by IANA and used in the real-world or are needed by a debian package.

If you need a huge list of used numbers please install the nmap package.

Ques 8: Display the last line of /etc/passwd?

```
Sol:
```

```
user@ubuntu:~$ tail -1 /etc/passwd
hadoop_user:x:1001:1001:,,,:/home/hadoop_user:/bin/bash
```





Ques 9: Use cat to create a file named number txt that looks like this

```
user@ubuntu:~$ cat > number.txt
      one
Sol:
      two
      three
      fouruser@ubuntu:~$ cp number.txt count.txt
```

Ques 10: Use cp to make a backup of this file to count.txt. and Display count.txt, but with all lines in reverse order (the last line first)?

```
µser@ubuntu:∼$ cat > number.txt
     one
Sol:
      WO
     three
     fouruser@ubuntu:~$ cp number.txt count.txt
     user@ubuntu:~$ tac count.txt
     fourthree
     two
```

#### Commands Contd....



#### Ques 11: Use Is to find the biggest file in /etc?

Sol:

```
user@ubuntu:~$ ls -lrs /etc
total 1088
                                   645 2010-04-15 03:59 zsh command not found
                         root
                                   4096 2010-04-29
                                                   18:58 xulrunner-1.9.2
                         root
                                   4096 2010-04-29 19:14 xul-ext
                         root
                         root
                                   4096 2010-04-29 18:58 xml
                                   4096 2010-04-29 19:10 xdg
                         root
                         root
                                   4096 2010-04-29 19:18 X11
                                   4096 2010-04-29 19:09 wpa supplicant
                         root
                                   1343 2007-01-09 13:39 wodim.conf
                         root
                                   4496 2010-01-06 09:02 wgetrc
                         root
```

Ques 12: Open two terminal windows (or tabs) and make sure you are in the same directory in both Type echo this is the first line > tailing.txt in the first terminal, then issue tail –f tailing.txt in the second terminal. Now go back to the first terminal and type echo This is another line >> tailing.txt (note the double >>), verify that the tail -f in the second terminal shows both lines. Stop the tail -f with Ctrl-C.

```
wiser@ubuntu: ~

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user@ubuntu: ~$ tail -f tailing.txt

this is first line

this is another line

wiser@ubuntu: ~$ user@ubuntu: ~$ echo this is first line > tailing.txt

user@ubuntu: ~$ echo this is another line >> tailing.txt

user@ubuntu: ~$

user@ubuntu: ~$

user@ubuntu: ~$

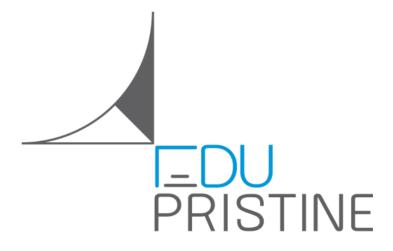
user@ubuntu: ~$
```

Sol:





 Ques: Use cat to create a file named tailing.txt that contains the contents of tailing.txt followed by the contents of /etc/passwd.



# **Thank You!**

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