Read the file /etc/passwd and notice the different fields. Extract your info from it.

```
tcpdump:x:72:72::/:/sbin/nologin
ahmed:x:1000:1000:ahmed:/home/ahmed:/bin/bash
[ahmed@server ~]$ ■
```

- 1) The username is "ahmed".
- 2) The UID and GID are both 1000.
- 3) The comment field is "ahmed".
- 4) The home directory is /home/ahmed.
- 5) The default shell is /bin/bash.

What is the different between cat and more command

Feature	cat	more
Display	Shows entire file at	Shows one screen
	once	of content at a time
Navigation	No navigation	Allows scrolling
	options	with Space, Enter
Use case	Small files or	Large files for easy
	concatenation	reading

What is the difference between rm and rmdir using man?

Rm: Removes (deletes) files and directories.

```
NAME

rm - remove files or directories

SYNOPSIS

rm [OPTION]... [FILE]...

DESCRIPTION

This manual page documents the GNU version of rm. rm removes each specified file. By default, it does not re-
```

Rmdir: Removes (deletes) empty directories.

```
NAME

rmdir - remove empty directories

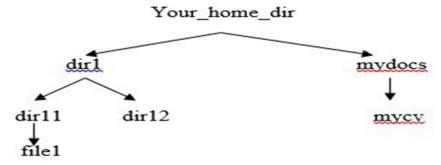
SYNOPSIS

rmdir [OPTION]... DIRECTORY...

DESCRIPTION

Remove the DIRECTORY(ies), if they are empty.
```

Create the following hierarchy:



```
[ahmed@server ~]$ mkdir dir1 mvdocs
[ahmed@server ~]$ cd dir 1
-bash: cd: too many arguments
[ahmed@server ~]$ cd dir1
[ahmed@server dir1]$ mkdir dir11 dir12
[ahmed@server dir1]$ cd dir11
[ahmed@server dir11]$ cd ./
[ahmed@server dir11]$ cd ../
[ahmed@server dir1]$ cd ../
[ahmed@server dir1]$ cd ../
[ahmed@server dir1]$ cd ../
[ahmed@server mvdocs]$ mkdir mvcv
```

```
Desktop
dir1
dir11
file1
dir12
Documents
Downloads
Music
mvdocs
mvcv
Pictures
Public
Templates
Videos
```

Remove dir11 in one step. What do you notice? And how to overcomethat?

```
[ahmed@server ~]$
[ahmed@server ~]$ rmdir dir1/dir11
rmdir: failed to remove 'dir1/dir11': Directory not empty
[ahmed@server ~]$ ■
```

To overcome over add -r

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ rm -r dir1/dir11
[ahmed@server ~]$ tree
...
    Desktop
    dir1
    dir12
    Documents
    Downloads
    Music
    mvdocs
          mvdocs
          Pictures
    Public
    Templates
    Videos
```

Then remove dir12 using rmdir –p command. State what happened to thehierarchy (Note: you are in your home dir).

Dir1 and dir12 are deleted

The output of the command pwd was /home/myuser. Write the absoluteand relative path for the file mycv

Relative:./file1/mycv

Absolute:/home/ahmed/file1/mycv

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ pwd
/home/ahmed
[ahmed@server ~]$ ls -l ./file1/mycv
-rwxrwxrwx. 1 ahmed ahmed 0 Nov 12 15:54 ./file1/mycv
[ahmed@server ~]$ ls -l /home/ahmed/file1/mycv
-rwxrwxrwx. 1 ahmed ahmed 0 Nov 12 15:54 /home/ahmed/file1/mycv
[ahmed@server ~]$ ■
```

You are in /usr/bin, list four ways to go to your home directory.

- 1) Cd
- 2) cd ~
- 3) cd \$HOME
- 4) cd /home/username

Copy the passwd file to your home directory making its name is mypasswd.

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ ls
Desktop Documents Downloads file1 Music mvdocs Pictures Public Templates Videos
[ahmed@server ~]$ cp /etc/passwd ~
[ahmed@server ~]$ ls
Desktop Documents Downloads file1 Music mvdocs passwd Pictures Public Templates Videos
[ahmed@server ~]$ mv passwd mypasswd
[ahmed@server ~]$ ls
Desktop Documents Downloads file1 Music mvdocs mypasswd Pictures Public Templates Videos
[ahmed@server ~]$ ls
```

Rename this new file to be oldpasswd.

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ ls

Desktop Documents Downloads file1 Music mvdocs mypasswd Pictures Public Templates Videos
[ahmed@server ~]$ mv mypasswd oldpasswd
[ahmed@server ~]$ ls

Desktop Documents Downloads file1 Music mvdocs oldpasswd Pictures Public Templates Videos
[ahmed@server ~]$ ■
```

List Linux commands in /usr/bin that start with letter "w"

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ cd /usr/bin/
[ahmed@server bin]$ ls w*
w wall watchgnupg wc wget whatis.man-db which who wir
wait watch wavpack wdctl whatis whereis whiptail whoami wnc
[ahmed@server bin]$ ■
```

Display the first 4 lines of /etc/passwd

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ head -n 4 /etc/passwd root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin [ahmed@server ~]$ ■
```

Display the last 7 lines of /etc/passwd

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ tail -n 7 /etc/passwd
cockpit-wsinstance:x:984:983:User for cockpit-ws instances:/nonexisting:/sbi
n/nologin
gnome-initial-setup:x:983:982::/run/gnome-initial-setup/:/sbin/nologin
sshd:x:74:74:Privilege-separated SSH:/usr/share/empty.sshd:/usr/sbin/nologin
chrony:x:982:981:chrony system user:/var/lib/chrony:/sbin/nologin
dnsmasq:x:981:980:Dnsmasq DHCP and DNS server:/var/lib/dnsmasq:/usr/sbin/nol
ogin
tcpdump:x:72:72::/:/sbin/nologin
ahmed:x:1000:1000:ahmed:/home/ahmed:/bin/bash
[ahmed@server ~]$ ■
```

Display the users who are logged now to the system.

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ w
16:20:17 up 1:24, 3 users, load average: 0.07, 0.03, 0.00 USER TTY LOGIN@ IDLE JCPU PCPU WHAT
                     LOGIN@
USER
                    14:57
         seat0
                              0.00s 0.00s 0.00s /usr/libexec/gdm-wayland-se
ahmed
         tty2
                    14:57
                              1:23m 0.03s 0.03s /usr/libexec/gnome-session-
ahmed
         pts/0
                    15:57
ahmed
                              1.00s 0.20s 0.03s w
[ahmed@server ~]$ whoami
ahmed
[ahmed@server ~]$ ■
```

Display the man pages of passwd the command and the file sequentially in one command.

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ man 1 passwd
[ahmed@server ~]$ man 5 passw
No manual entry for passw in section 5
[ahmed@server ~]$ ■
```

Display a list of all the commands that contain the keyword passwd in their man page

```
[ahmed@server ~]$ man -K passwd
--Man-- next: gpasswd(1) [ view (return) | skip (Ctrl-D) | quit (Ctrl-C) ]
```