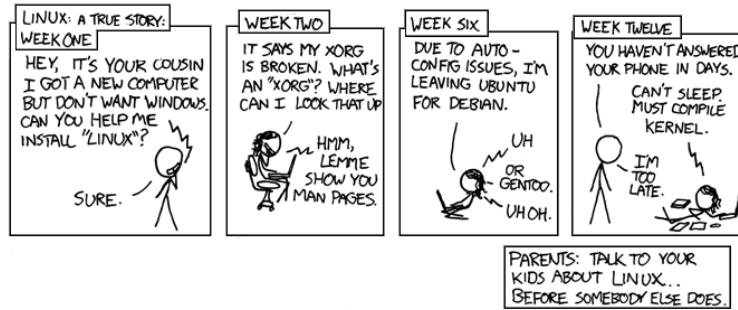


The Linux operating system

Welcome to Linux. If you don't like it, it will make you:



You are running Lubuntu - a lightweight version of the popular Linux distribution - Ubuntu. Here are some Linux basics to get you started:

Note: To bring up the terminal, type `ctrl + alt+ T` or click on the terminal icon on the desktop

Terminology

- In Linux, 'folders' are called *directories*.
- The *terminal* is a command line interface that makes seemingly difficult tasks easy.

Navigating directories

- `pwd` - Print working directory - default or *home* is `/home/scicomp`
- `cd path/to/directory` - Change directory
- example : `cd /home/scicomp/Documents`
- `ls` - List all files and folders in directory

Python related

- `python` - Start the Python shell
- `python helloworld.py` - Run a python script named `helloworld.py` in the current directory