MORE LINUX

FILE PERMISSIONS (CH04)

- 3 types of users:
 - owner owner of the file
 - group members of group associated with file
 - other everyone else
- 3 types of access:
 - read
 - write
 - execute

FILE PERMISSIONS (CONT.)

- See current permissions: ls -1
 - char 0 = filetype
 - chars 1-9 = file permissions
 - then ACL flag, # links, owner, group, size, mod date, and filename
- 3 characters for each of owner, group, other
 - specify read, write, execute permission
 - Example: '-rwx-----' means only owner can do anything

FILE PERMISSIONS - HOW TO CHANGE?

- chmod command
 - + = add permission
 - = remove permission
 - Ex: `chmod g+x, o+x'
- Numerical shortcut: (sum to get combo)
 - 4 = read
 - 2 = write
 - 1 = execute

ENVIRONMENT VARIABLES

- PATH where the shell looks for programs
- To modify:
 - Open ~/.bashrc
 - add export PATH="newpath:\$PATH"
 - adds newpath to the beginning of path
 - Open up ~/.bash_profile -- look for a line with .bashrc
- Path is searched in order listed

WHO CARES?

- Can be important anytime you install software
- What if you want to install software on eos?
- Install from source
 - install anywhere under your home directory
 - modify PATH to put your install location first
- Example -- sl

PROCESSES (CHO8)

- process = execution of command by linux kernel
- ps lists process, ps -f lists more info
- top interactive listing
- PID = process id #
- PPID = process parent id #

PROCESSES (CONT.)

- Running command takes over shell until finished
- What if you want control back
- Run in background (&)
- Ex: sleep 100 &

PROCESSES (CONT.)

- Ctrl-c kills running process, Ctrl z suspends
- How to kill suspended (or one in background)?
 - kill pid-graceful
 - kill -9 pid-killnow
- jobs shows status
- bg % and fg % can be used to restart suspended