

Introduction to Unix: Getting to Grips with the Command Line

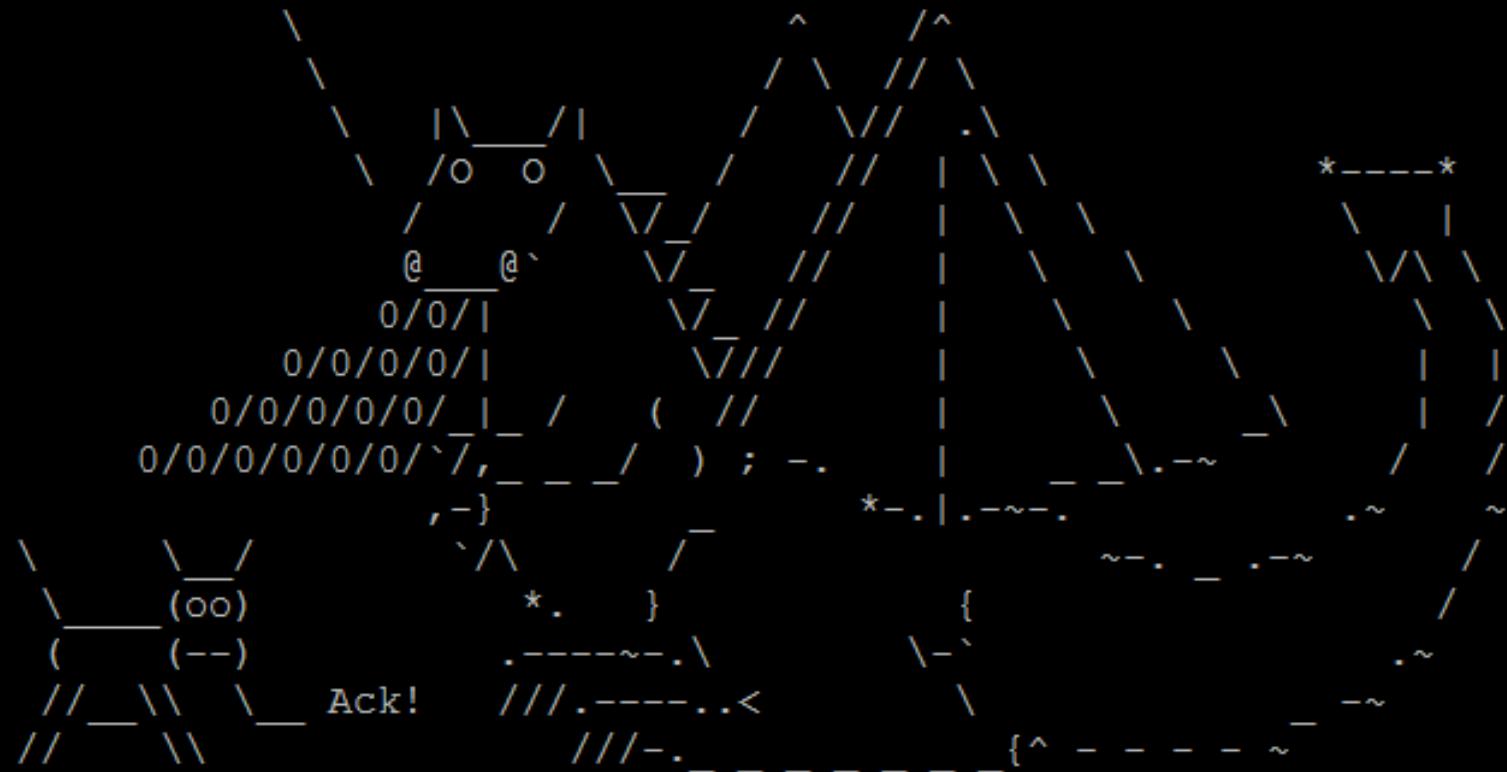
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The terminal is your best ally....

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< Welc0m3 t0 pC-fREAK ... Enj0y. >
```



Thus hath the Lord GOD shewed unto me: and behold a basket of summer
fruit.

-- Amos 8:1

nipo@pcfreak:~\$

...use it to your best advantage!

What We're Going To Do

THIS MORNING

- Introduction to Unix
- The terminal
- Software Installation
- Package management
- Linux environments

Good Workshop Practice

- PowerPoint interspersed with Challenges
- Ask lots of questions!
- Work together
- Take breaks
- Cheat!



Unix/Linux Command Reference

FOSSwire.com

File Commands	System Info
<code>ls</code> - directory listing <code>ls -al</code> - formatted listing with hidden files <code>cd dir</code> - change directory to <code>dir</code> <code>cd ..</code> - change to home <code>pwd</code> - show current directory <code>mkdir dir</code> - create a directory <code>dir</code> <code>rm file</code> - delete <code>file</code> <code>rm -r dir</code> - delete directory <code>dir</code> <code>rm -f file</code> - force remove <code>file</code> <code>rm -rf dir</code> - force remove directory <code>dir</code> * <code>cp file1 file2</code> - copy <code>file1</code> to <code>file2</code> <code>cp -r dir1 dir2</code> - copy <code>dir1</code> to <code>dir2</code> ; create <code>dir2</code> if it doesn't exist <code>mv file1 file2</code> - rename or move <code>file1</code> to <code>file2</code> if <code>file2</code> is an existing directory, moves <code>file1</code> into directory <code>file2</code> <code>ln -s file link</code> - create symbolic link <code>link</code> to <code>file</code> <code>touch file</code> - create or update <code>file</code> <code>cat > file</code> - places standard input into <code>file</code> <code>more file</code> - output the contents of <code>file</code> <code>head file</code> - output the first 10 lines of <code>file</code> <code>tail file</code> - output the last 10 lines of <code>file</code> <code>tail -f file</code> - output the contents of <code>file</code> as it grows, starting with the last 10 lines	<code>date</code> - show the current date and time <code>cal</code> - show this month's calendar <code>uptime</code> - show current uptime <code>w</code> - display who is online <code>whoami</code> - who you are logged in as <code>finger user</code> - display information about <code>user</code> <code>uname -a</code> - show kernel information <code>cat /proc/cpuinfo</code> - cpu information <code>cat /proc/meminfo</code> - memory information <code>man command</code> - show the manual for <code>command</code> <code>df</code> - show disk usage <code>du</code> - show directory space usage <code>free</code> - show memory and swap usage <code>whereis app</code> - show possible locations of <code>app</code> <code>which app</code> - show which <code>app</code> will be run by default
Process Management	Compression
<code>ps</code> - display your currently active processes <code>top</code> - display all running processes <code>kill pid</code> - kill process id <code>pid</code> <code>killall proc</code> - kill all processes named <code>proc</code> * <code>bg</code> - lists stopped or background jobs; resume a stopped job in the background <code>fg</code> - brings the most recent job to foreground <code>fg n</code> - brings job <code>n</code> to the foreground	<code>tar cf file.tar files</code> - create a tar named <code>file.tar</code> containing <code>files</code> <code>tar xf file.tar</code> - extract the files from <code>file.tar</code> <code>tar czf file.tar.gz files</code> - create a tar with Gzip compression <code>tar xzf file.tar.gz</code> - extract a tar using Gzip <code>tar cjf file.tar.bz2</code> - create a tar with Bzip2 compression <code>tar xjf file.tar.bz2</code> - extract a tar using Bzip2 <code>gzip file</code> - compresses <code>file</code> and renames it to <code>file.gz</code> <code>gzip -d file.gz</code> - decompresses <code>file.gz</code> back to <code>file</code>
File Permissions	Network
<code>chmod octal file</code> - change the permissions of <code>file</code> to <code>octal</code> , which can be found separately for user, group, and world by adding: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4 - read (r)• 2 - write (w)• 1 - execute (x) Examples: <code>chmod 777</code> - read, write, execute for all <code>chmod 755</code> - rwx for owner, rx for group and world For more options, see <code>man chmod</code> .	<code>ping host</code> - ping <code>host</code> and output results <code>whois domain</code> - get whois information for <code>domain</code> <code>dig domain</code> - get DNS information for <code>domain</code> <code>dig -x host</code> - reverse lookup <code>host</code> <code>wget file</code> - download <code>file</code> <code>wget -c file</code> - continue a stopped download
SSH	Installation
<code>ssh user@host</code> - connect to <code>host</code> as <code>user</code> <code>ssh -p port user@host</code> - connect to <code>host</code> on port <code>port</code> as <code>user</code> <code>ssh-copy-id user@host</code> - add your key to <code>host</code> for <code>user</code> to enable a keyed or passwordless login	Install from source: <code>./configure</code> <code>make</code> <code>make install</code> <code>dpkg -i pkg.deb</code> - install a package (Debian) <code>rpm -Uvh pkg.rpm</code> - install a package (RPM)
Searching	Shortcuts
<code>grep pattern files</code> - search for <code>pattern</code> in <code>files</code> <code>grep -r pattern dir</code> - search recursively for <code>pattern</code> in <code>dir</code> <code>command grep pattern</code> - search for <code>pattern</code> in the output of <code>command</code> <code>locate file</code> - find all instances of <code>file</code>	<code>Ctrl+C</code> - halts the current command <code>Ctrl+Z</code> - stops the current command, resume with <code>fg</code> in the foreground or <code>bg</code> in the background <code>Ctrl+D</code> - log out of current session, similar to <code>exit</code> <code>Ctrl+W</code> - erases one word in the current line <code>Ctrl+U</code> - erases the whole line <code>Ctrl+R</code> - type to bring up a recent command <code>!!</code> - repeats the last command <code>exit</code> - log out of current session

* use with extreme caution.



What is Unix?

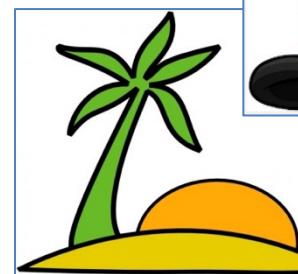
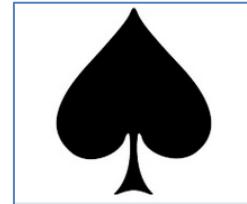
- An operating System





Why Unix?

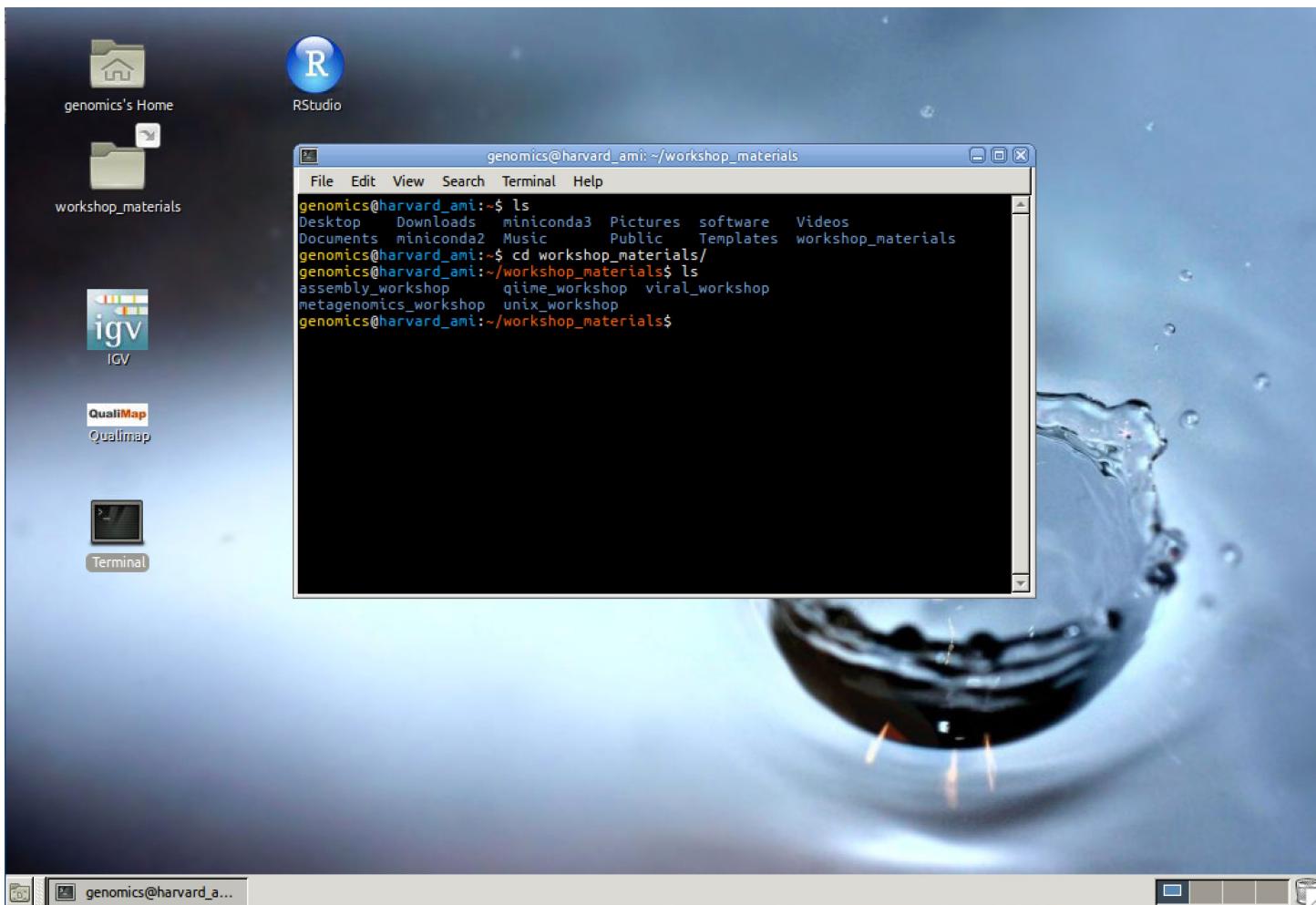
- Most bioinformatics software designed to run on Unix platforms.
- Large amounts of data.
- Much faster than your Windows PC.





The Terminal

- Text interface to the computer
- Can also be used to connect to a remote computer





The Terminal

- Most IDEs today integrate a Linux terminal

The screenshot shows the Terra RStudio interface. At the top, there's a browser header with the URL `app.terra.bio/#workspaces/workshop-south-africa/workshop_testing/applications/RStudio`. Below it is the Terra logo and the word "WORKSPACES". The main area has tabs for "DASHBOARD", "DATA", "ANALYSES", "WORKFLOWS", and "JOB HISTORY". The "DATA" tab is active, showing two R Markdown files: "testing.Rmd" and "data-wrangling-1.Rmd". The "testing.Rmd" file is open, displaying its code:

```
1: ---  
2: #####  
3: #  
4: # Click on "Run Document" in RStudio to run this worksheet. #  
5: #  
6: #####  
7: title: "Data wrangling 1"  
8: author: "Claus O. Wilke"  
9: output: learnr::tutorial  
10: runtime: shiny_prerendered  
11: ---  
12:  
1:1 Data wrangling 1
```

Below the code editor is a "Console" tab showing terminal output:

```
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$ ls  
data-wrangling-1.Rmd lost+found R testing.Rmd  
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$
```

The right side of the interface features several panels: "Environment" (showing an empty global environment), "Files" (listing files like "data-wrangling-1.Rmd", "lost+found", "R", and "testing.Rmd"), and a sidebar with icons for COVID-19 Data & Tools, a rate of \$0.07 per hour, and other system status indicators.

For the rest of this workshop, we will access the terminal from Rstudio in Terra!

The Terminal



```
Console Terminal x Jobs x
Terminal 1 | /home/rstudio
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$ ls
data-wrangling-1.Rmd  lost+found  R  testing.Rmd
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$
```

Is also referred to by several names including; the Command Line, the Shell, the Command Prompt

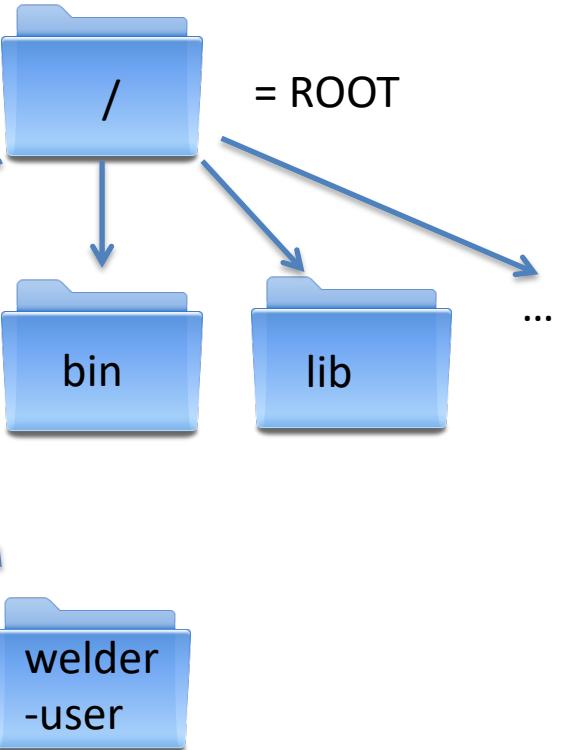
Where you see this “\$” followed by text, I want you to type the text on your command line

Useful commands to get you going

Location – Where am I?

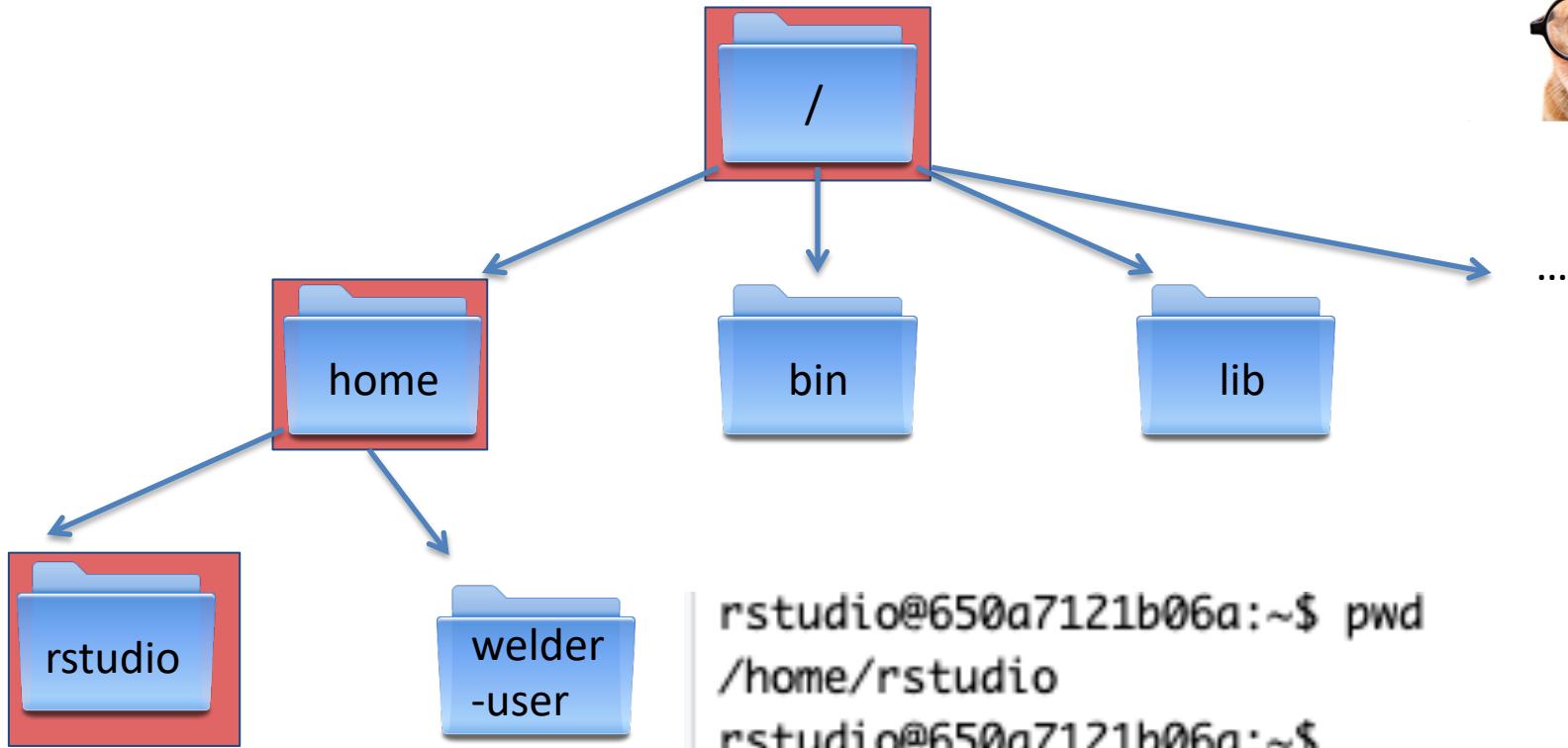
```
$ pwd  
/home/rstudio
```

This is your “present working directory”.

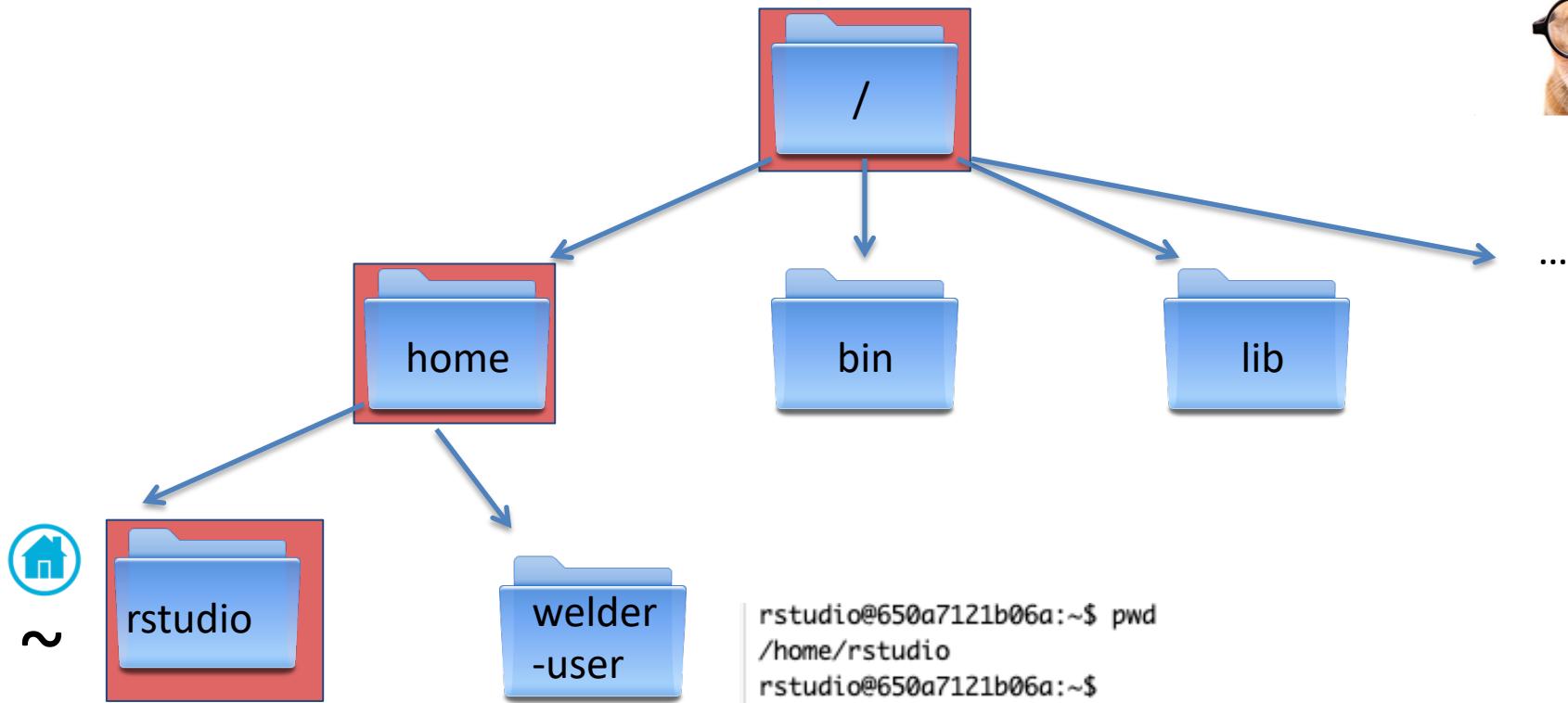


Some of the directories you will likely interact with

/bin	User Binaries
/sbin	System Binaries
/etc	Configuration Files
/dev	Device Files
/proc	Process Information
/var	Variable Files
/tmp	Temporary Files
/usr	User Programs
/home	Home Directories
/boot	Boot Loader Files
/lib	System Libraries
/opt	Optional add-on Apps
/mnt	Mount Directory
/media	Removable Devices
/srv	Service Data



```
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$ pwd  
/home/rstudio  
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$
```



```
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$ pwd  
/home/rstudio  
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$
```

This location is also known as your
Home Directory

Tilde is shorthand for Home ‘~’

Now let's create some directories and files



Make a directory

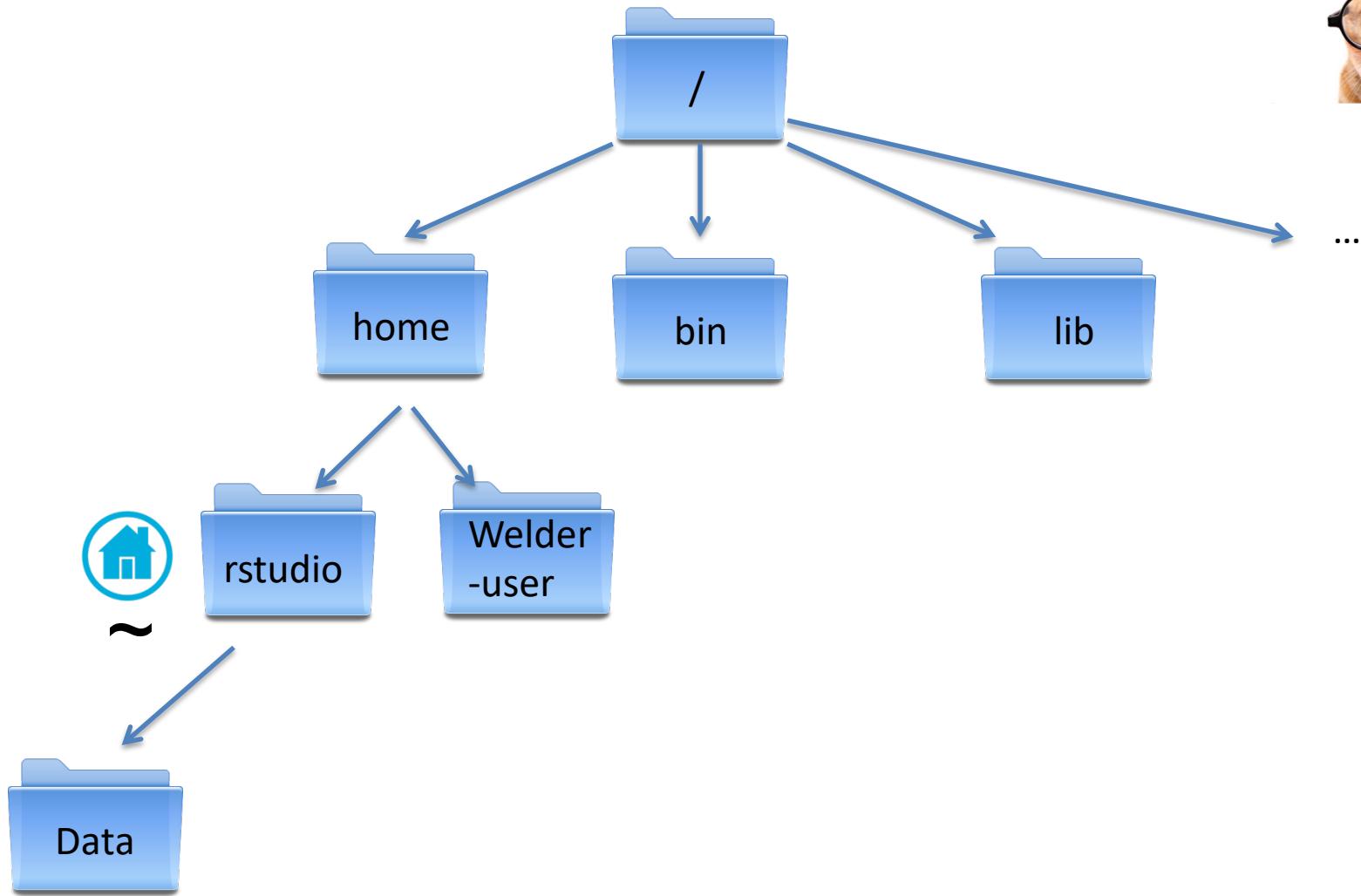
```
$ mkdir Data
```

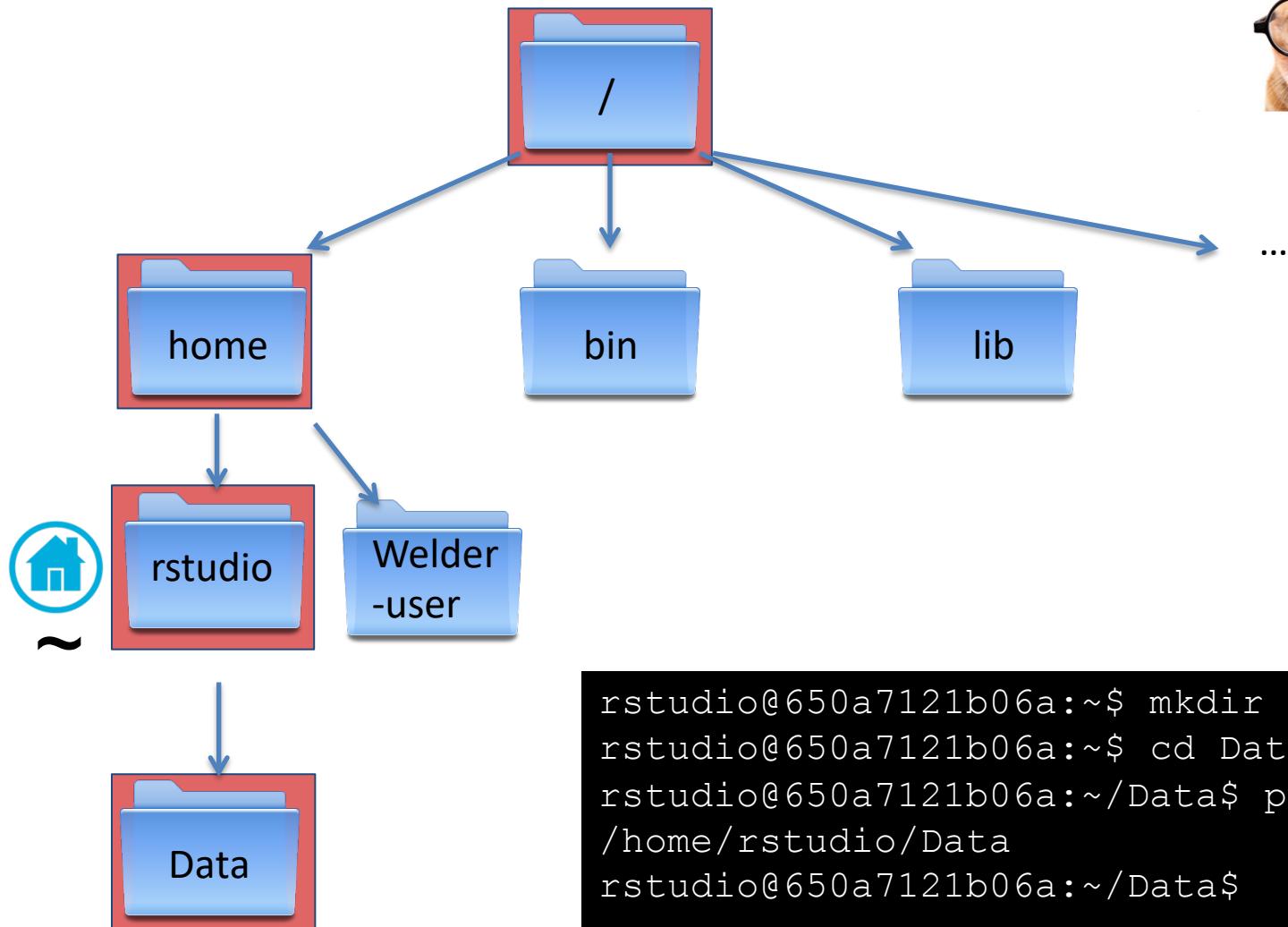
Change into this directory

```
$ cd Data
```

Now what is your present working directory?

NOTE! Directory names (and file names for the matter) can not contain spaces.
Underscores are often used instead if you want to separate words.





```
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$ mkdir Data
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~$ cd Data/
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~/Data$ pwd
/home/rstudio/Data
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~/Data$
```

Now let's create some directories and files



Make an empty file

```
$ touch rags
```

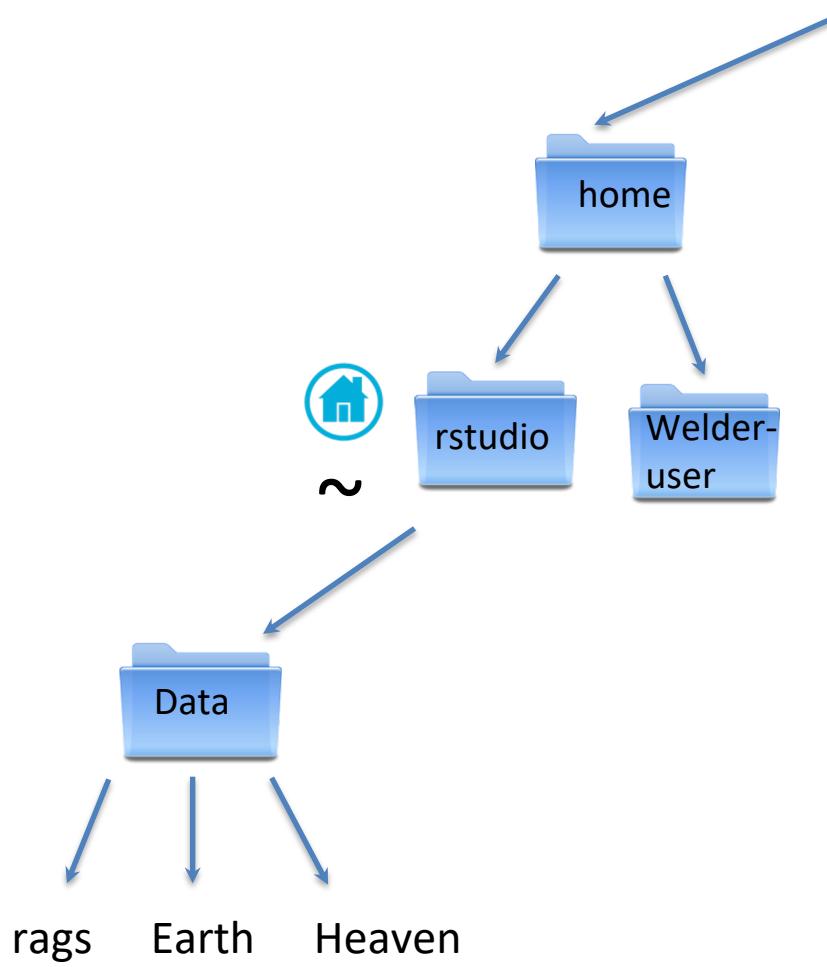
And another two

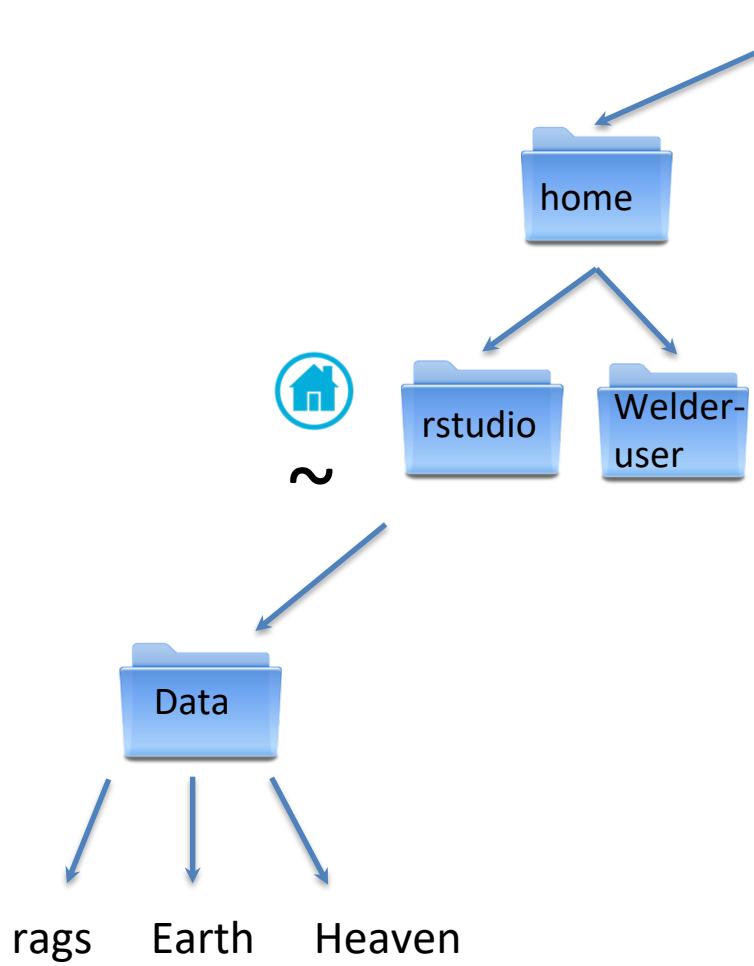
```
$ touch Earth Heaven
```

Now let's list the contents of the current directory (Data)

```
$ ls
```

```
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~/Data$ touch rags
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~/Data$ touch Earth Heaven
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~/Data$ ls
Earth Heaven rags
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~/Data$
```

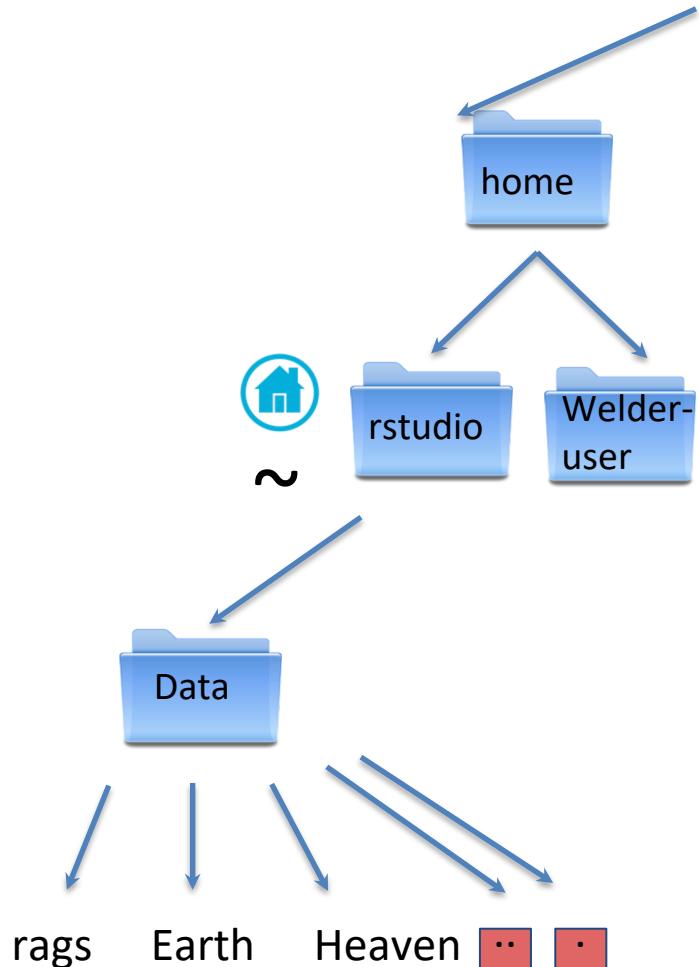




Now list ALL of the files

```
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~/Data$ ls -a  
. . . Earth Heaven rags  
rstudio@650a7121b06a:~/Data$
```

Two special files!

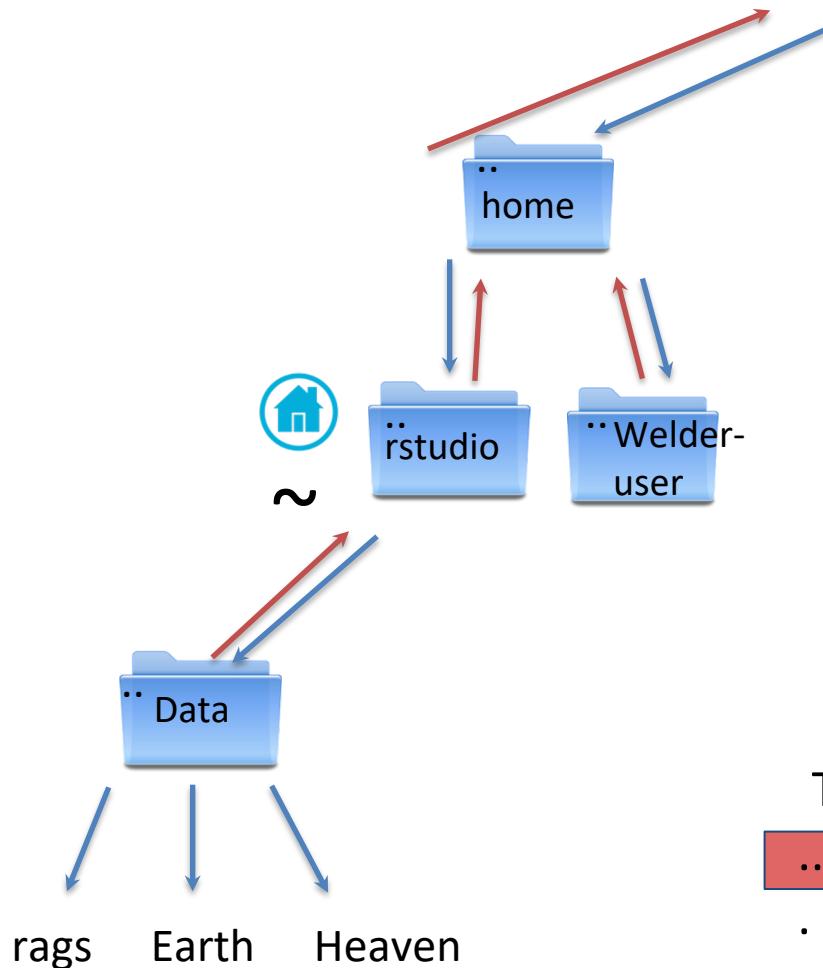


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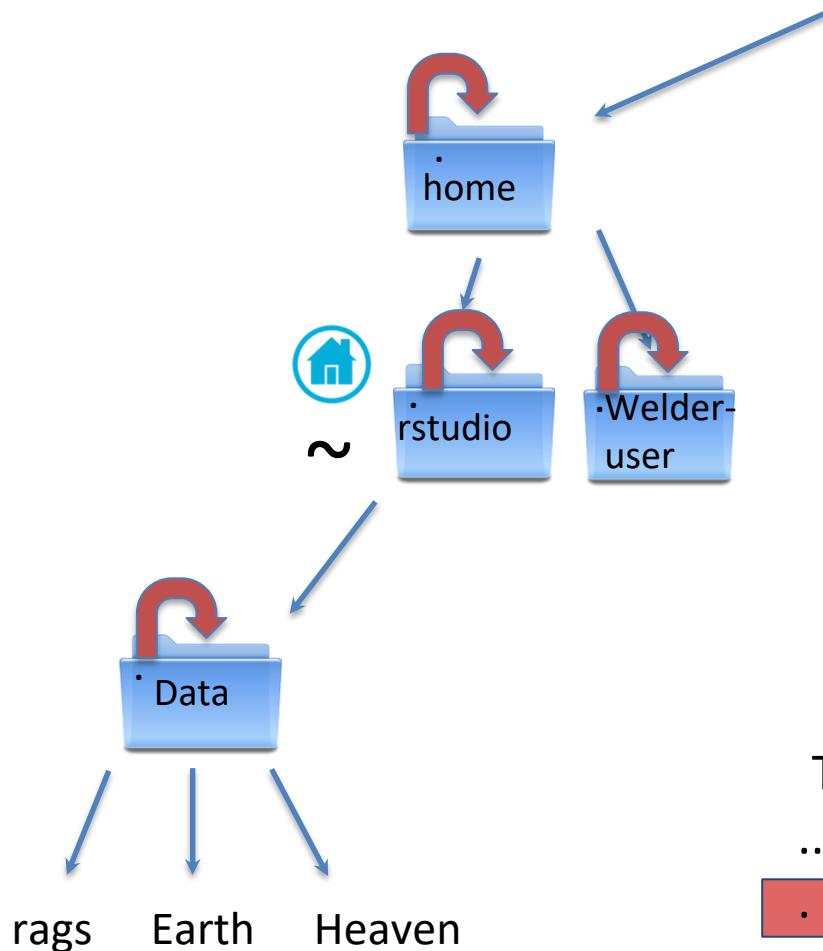
Two special files!



These special files are in every directory

- .. Points to one directory above
- . Points to the current directory

Two special files!



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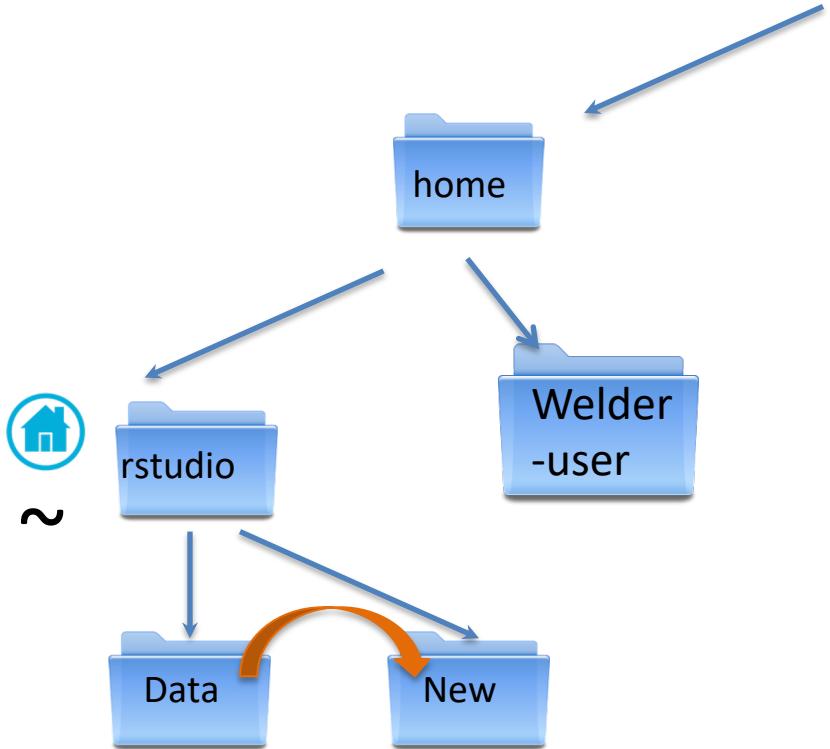
. and .. are used for specifying location

Whenever you do anything on Unix
(move around, move a file, rename a file etc...)
You have to tell the system where that thing is
using a path

. and .. are part of RELATIVE paths



Two special files!

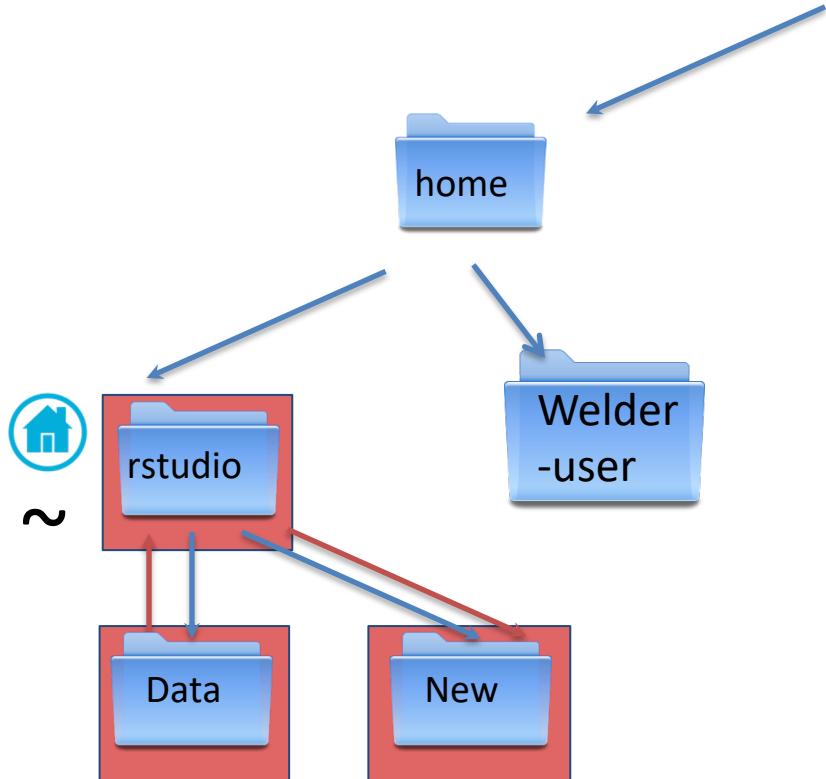


Moving from Data to New

RELATIVE PATH

```
$ cd ../New
```

Two special files!

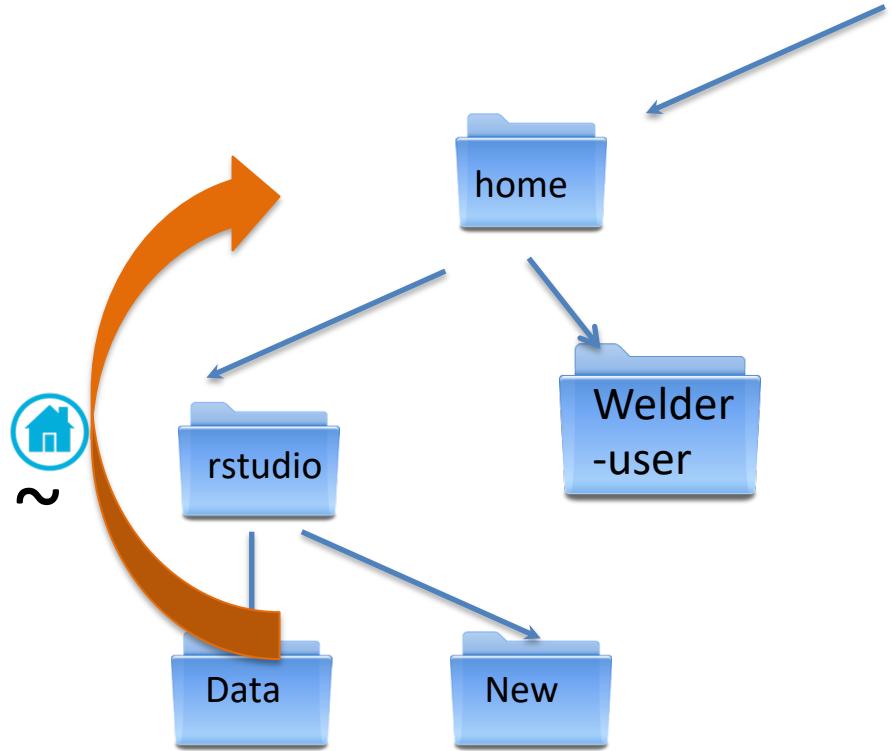


Moving from Data to New

RELATIVE PATH

```
$ cd ../New
```

Shortcuts to the home dir!

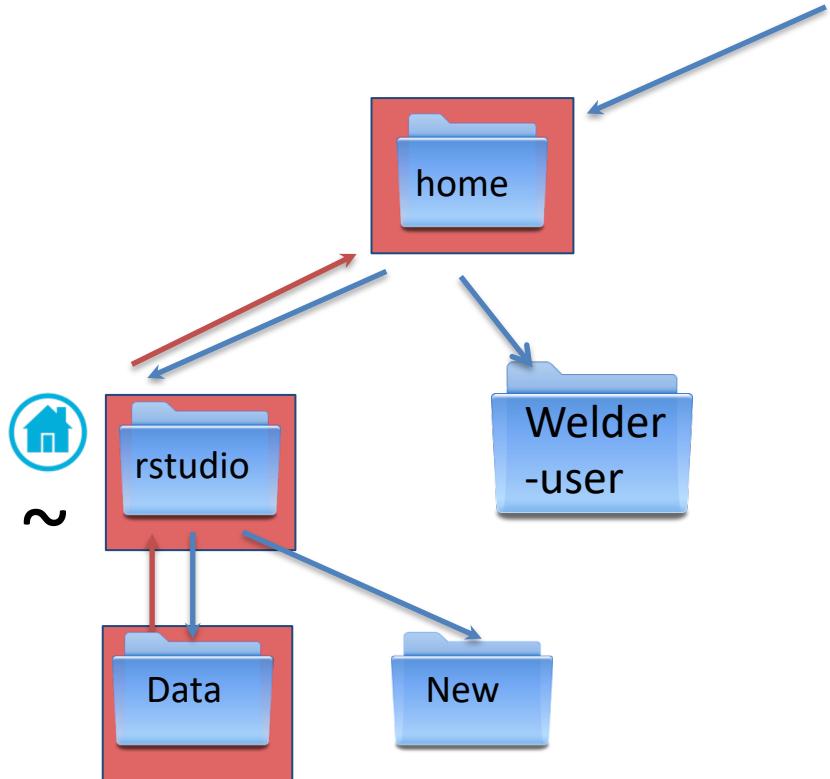


Moving from Data to home

RELATIVE PATH

```
$ cd ../../..
```

Shortcuts to the home dir!



Moving from Data to home

RELATIVE PATH

```
$ cd ../../
```



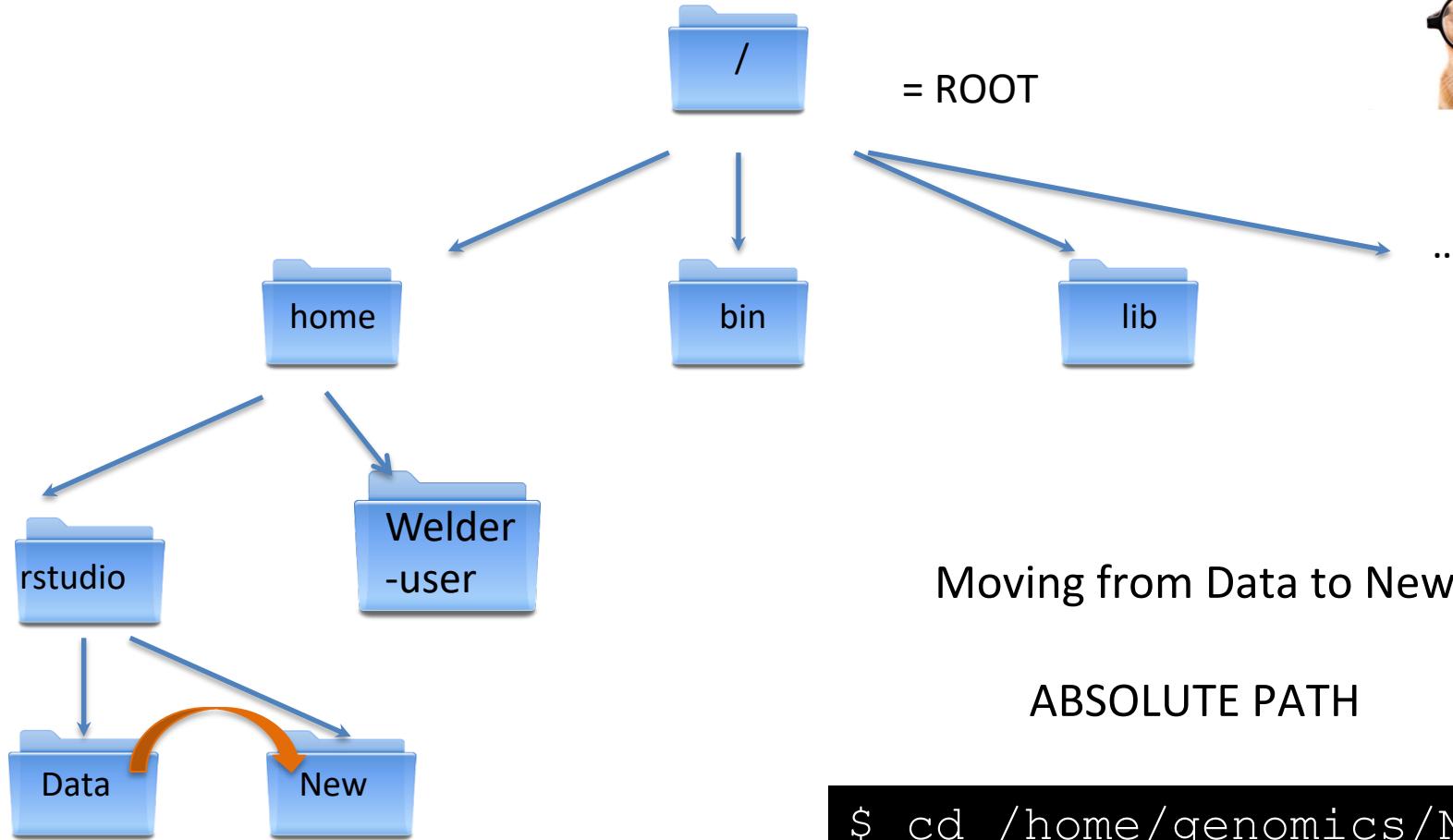
Relative paths will always change depending on your location.

The alternative is ABSOLUTE paths.
These always start from root.





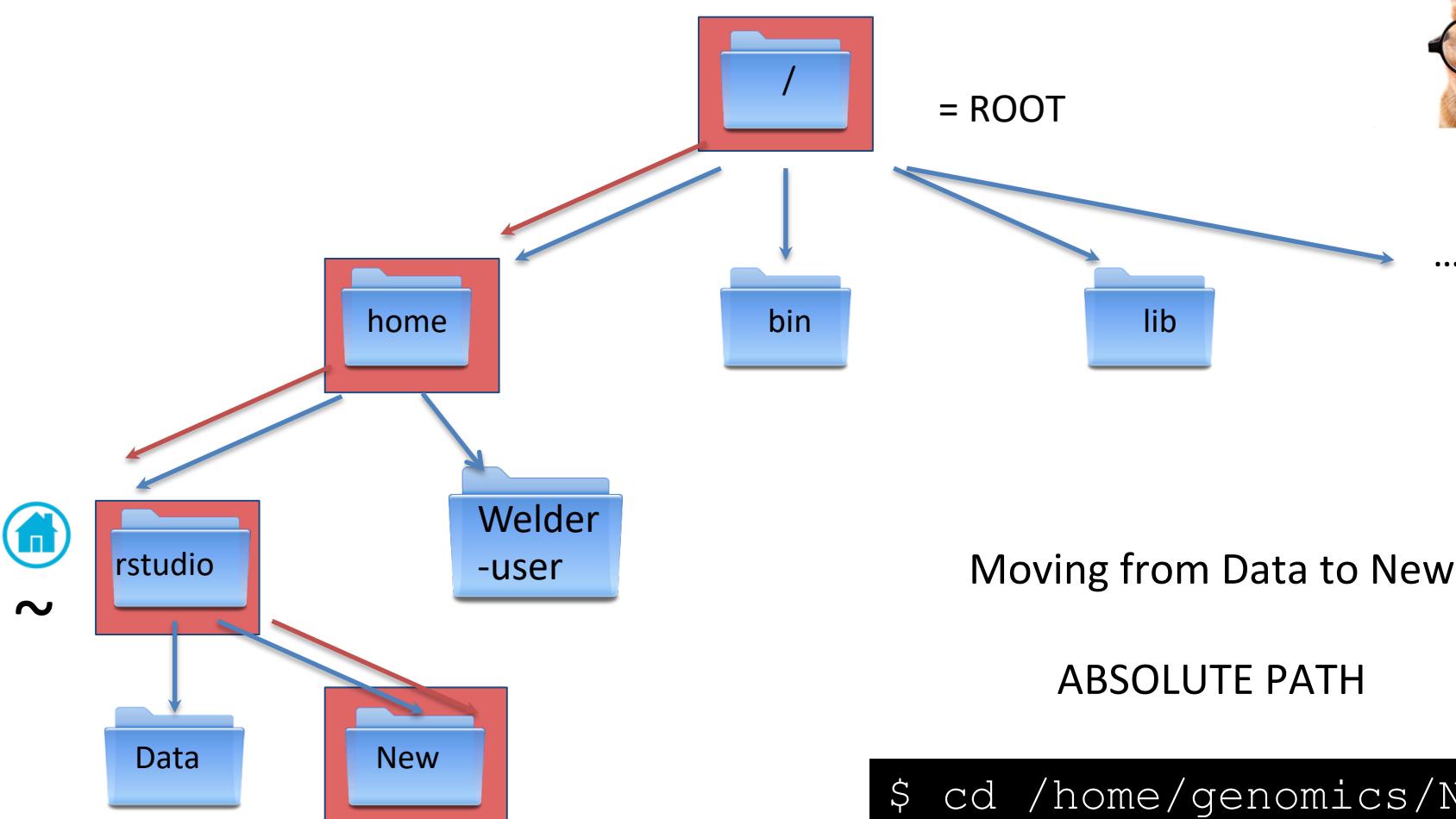
= ROOT



Moving from Data to New

ABSOLUTE PATH

```
$ cd /home/genomics/New
```



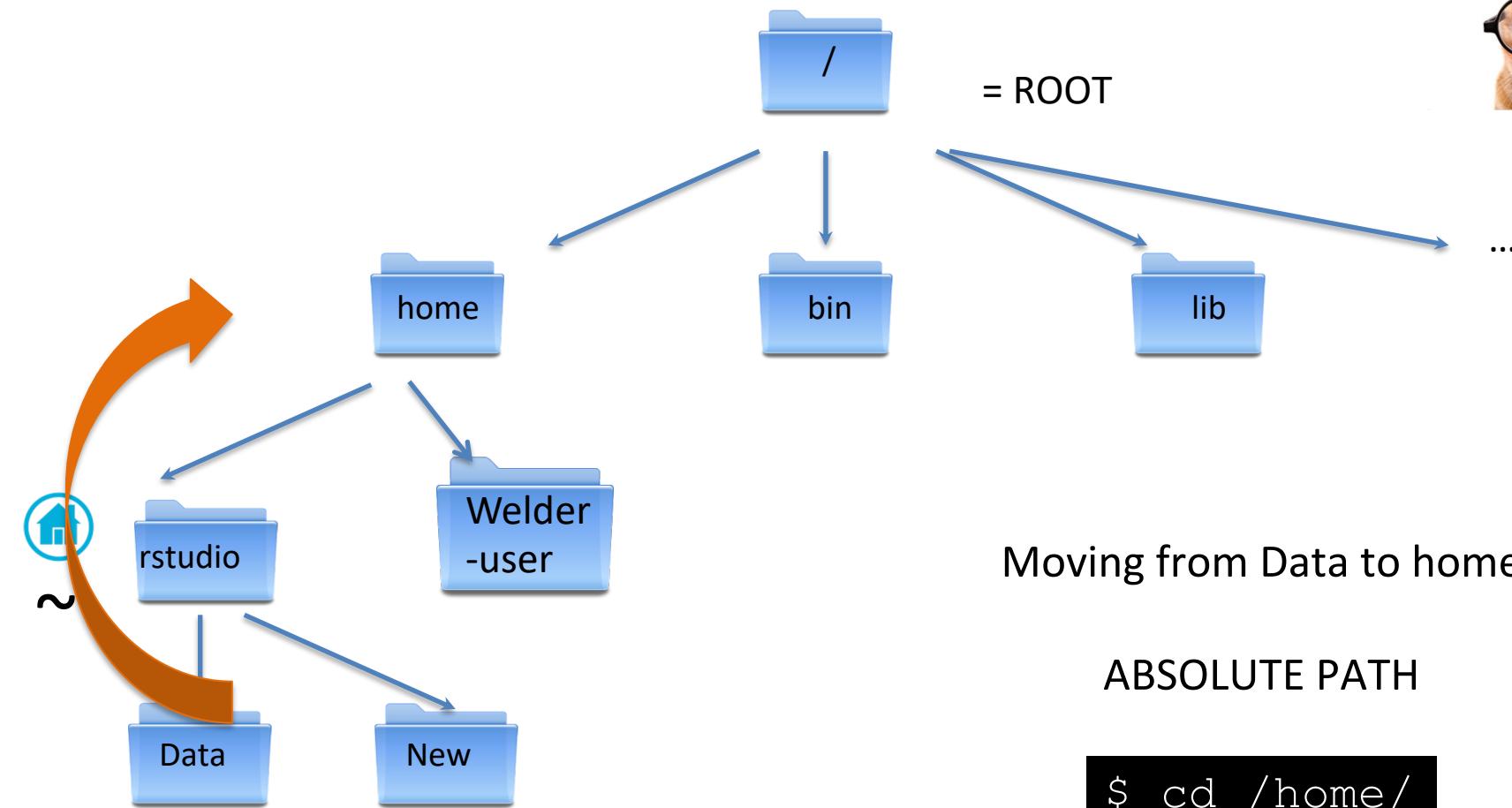
Moving from Data to New

ABSOLUTE PATH

```
$ cd /home/genomics/New
```

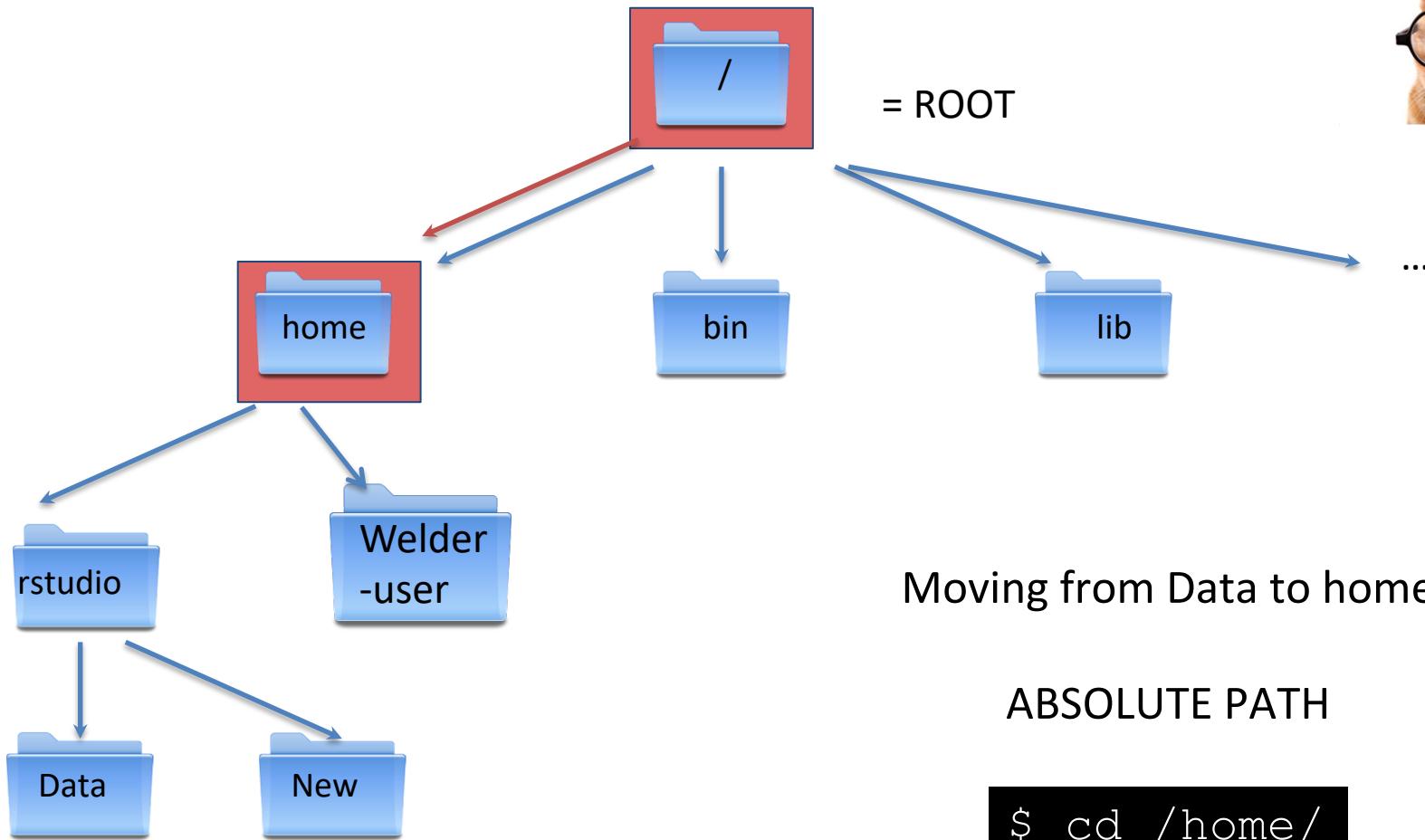


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= ROOT



Moving from Data to home

ABSOLUTE PATH

```
$ cd /home/
```



Let's put this to practice

Where am I right now? (Should be the Data directory)

```
$ pwd
```

Change to the directory above

```
$ cd .. /
```

Let's list the contents of the Data directory

```
$ ls ./Data/
```

CHALLENGE 1!

1. Move into the Data directory and list the contents of your home directory
2. In Data, make a new directory and move into this location
3. From this new directory, move into your home directory IN ONE COMMAND and check your location



Challenge 1!

1. Move into the Data directory and list the contents of your home directory

```
$ cd Data  
$ ls .. OR $ ls /home/rstudio/ OR $ ls ~
```

2. In Data, make a new directory and move into this location

```
$ mkdir new  
$ cd new
```

3. From this new directory, move into your home directory IN ONE COMMAND and check your location

```
$ cd ../../.. OR $ cd /home/rstudio/ OR $ cd ~ OR $ cd  
$ pwd
```

Tricks for less typing!



Tab complete is a nice trick to save you typing paths

For this example we are going to list everything in the directory
`/home/genomics/workshop_materials/`

Start by typing:

```
$ ls /
```

Followed by tab twice quickly

```
genomics@genomics:~$ ls /
bin/           initrd.img      media/        run/          tmp/
boot/          initrd.img.old  mnt/         sbin/        usr/
dev/           lib/           opt/         snap/        var/
etc/           lib64/         proc/        srv/         vmlinuz
home/          lost+found/    root/        sys/         vmlinuz.old
genomics@genomics:~$ ls /
```

This shows the contents of the root directory



Tricks for less typing!

Now type:

```
$ ls /h
```

Followed by tab once. The path to the /home/ directory has filled in.

```
$ ls /home/
```

Now type:

```
$ ls /home/r
```

Followed by tab once. The path to the /home/genomics/ directory has filled in.

```
$ ls /home/rstudio
```

Finally type:

```
$ ls /home/rstudio/w
```

Followed by tab once to finish the path, and then enter.

You've now listed that directory contents.

Tab complete will fill in paths, save you time in typing
and prevent typos!



Tricks for less typing!

* Represents a special character

For example:

```
$ ls /home/rstudio/*.txt
```

Will list everything in my home directory ending .txt

The up arrow can be used to re-run commands

Press your up arrow and see

If you want all of these commands listed, simply type

```
$ history
```



Binary programs

These are all programs installed on the Unix machine.

They can be found in /bin

```
$ ls /bin
```

```
[genomics@genomics:~$ ls /bin/
bash          bzmore      fsck.btrfs  ls          ntfsccluster  setfacl           true
btrfs         cat         fuser       lsblk       ntfscmp        setfont          udevadm
btrfs-calc-size  chacl     fusermount lsmod      ntfsfallocate setupcon        unlockmgr_server
btrfsck        chgrp      getfacl    mkdir      ntfsfix         sh
btrfs-convert   chmod      grep       mkfs.btrfs  ntfsiinfo       sh.distrib
btrfs-debug-tree chown      gunzip    mknod      ntfsls          sleep
btrfs-find-root chvt       gzexe     mktemp    ntfsmove       ss
btrfs-image     cp         gzip      more      ntfstruncate static-sh
btrfs-map-logical cpio      hciconfig mount      ntfswipe        stty
btrfs-select-super dash     hostname  mountpoint open      su
btrfs-show-super date     ip        mt        openvt       sync
btrfstune      dd         journalctl mt-gnu    pidof        systemctl
btrfs-zero-log  df         kbd_mode  mv        ping         systemd
bunzip2        dir        kill      nano      ping6        systemd-ask-password
busybox        dmmsg      kmod      nc        plymouth      systemd-escape
bzcat          dnsdomainname less      nc.openbsd ps        systemd-hwdb
bzcmp          domainname lessecho  netcat    pwd        systemd-inhibit
bzdiff         dumpkeys   lessfile   netstat   rbash       systemd-machine-id-setup
bzegrep        echo       lesskey    networkctl readlink  systemd-notify
bzexe          ed         lesspipe   nisdomainname red        systemd-tmpfiles
bzfgrep        egrep      ln        ntfs-3g    rm        systemd-tty-ask-password-agent
bzgrep         false     loadkeys   ntfs-3g.probe rmdir      tailf
bzip2          fgconsole  login     ntfs-3g.secaudit rnano     tar
bzip2recover   fgrep     logindctl ntfs-3g.usermap run-parts tempfile
bzless         findmnt   lowntfs-3g ntfscat   sed       touch
genomics@genomics:~$ ]
```

These include pwd, mkdir, ls ...

Every binary program has a manual



To view the manual page, type man followed by the name of the programme



Open the manual page for ls

```
$ man ls
```

Scroll through (enter) and find the options for:
long listing format (**-l**), human-readable sizes (**-h**) and sort by modification time (**-t**)

Exit the manual page (type q) and give these ls options a go in your Data directory

```
$ ls -l ./Data
```

OR

```
$ ls -t ./Data
```

```
$ ls -l -h ./Data
```

OR

```
$ ls -lh ./Data
```

```
$ ls -l -h -t ./Data
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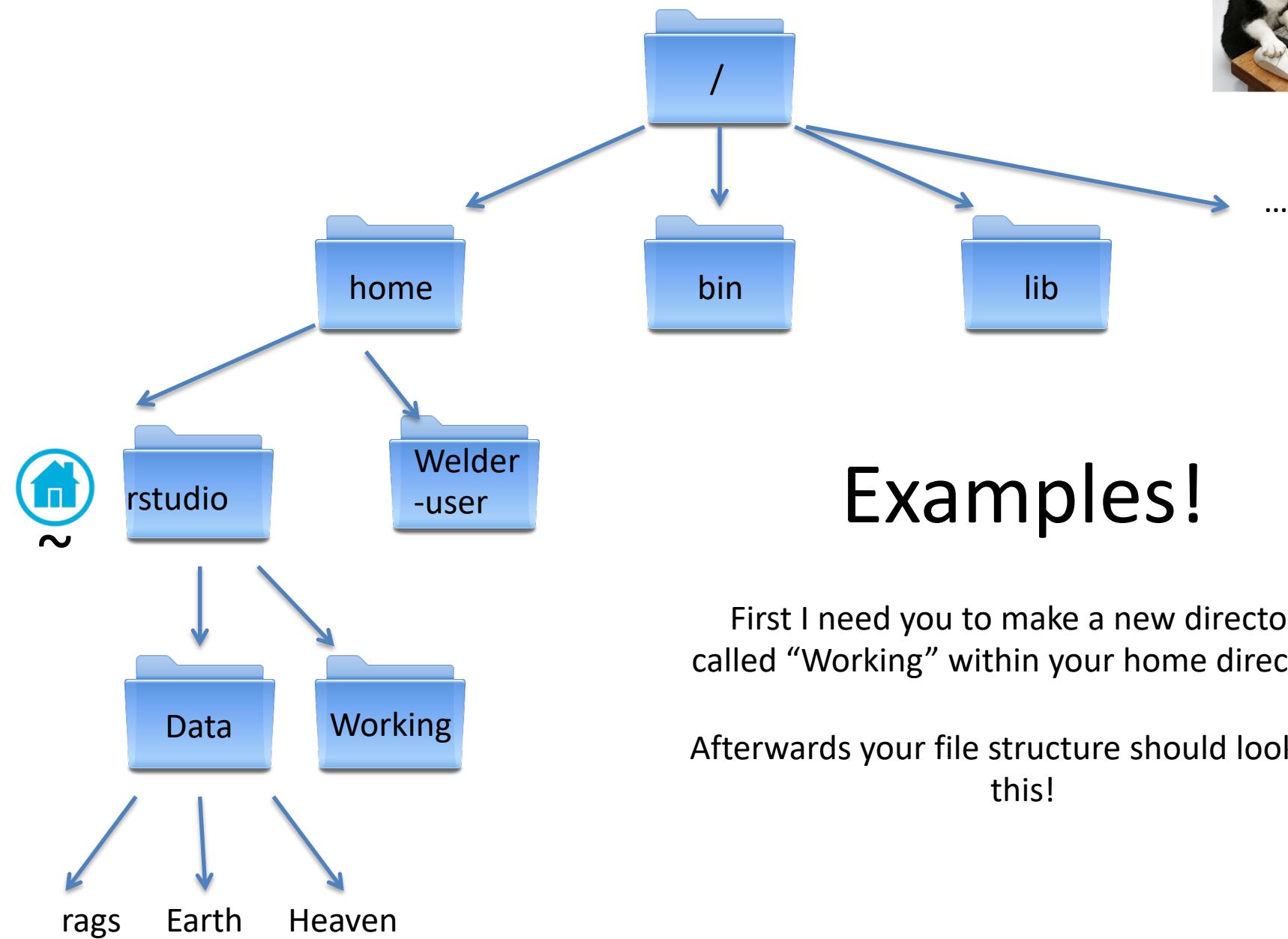
OR

```
$ ls -lht ./Data
```

```
$ ls -l -h -t -a ./Data
```

OR

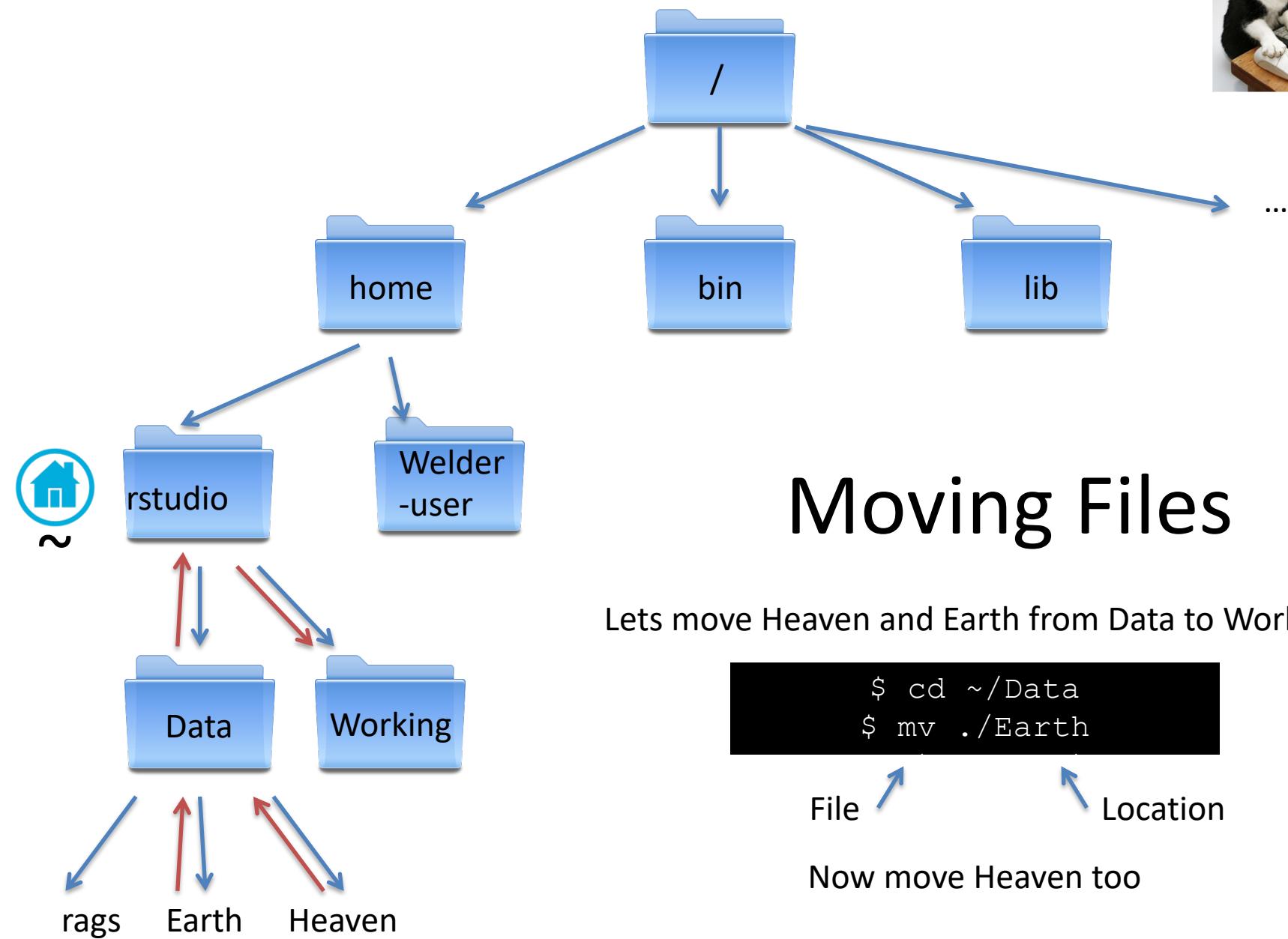
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$ ls -lhta ./Data
```

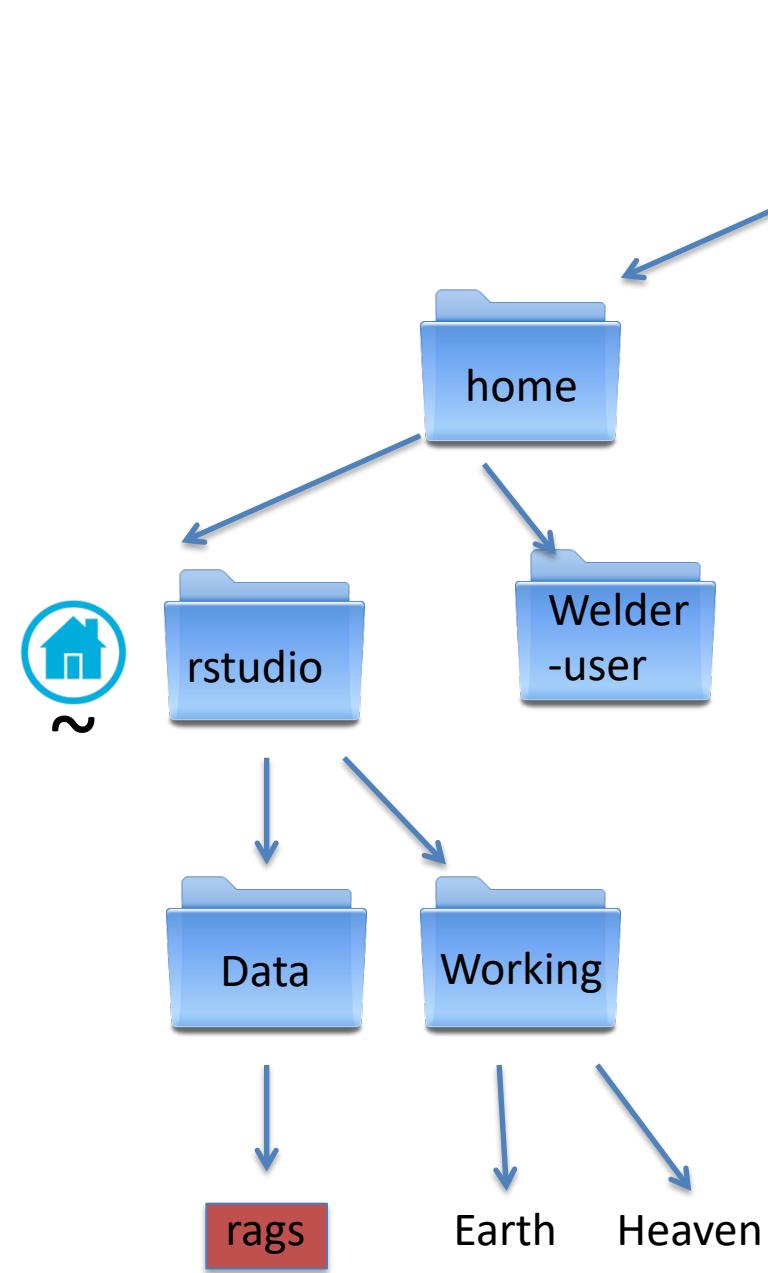


Examples!

First I need you to make a new directory called “Working” within your home directory.

Afterwards your file structure should look like this!





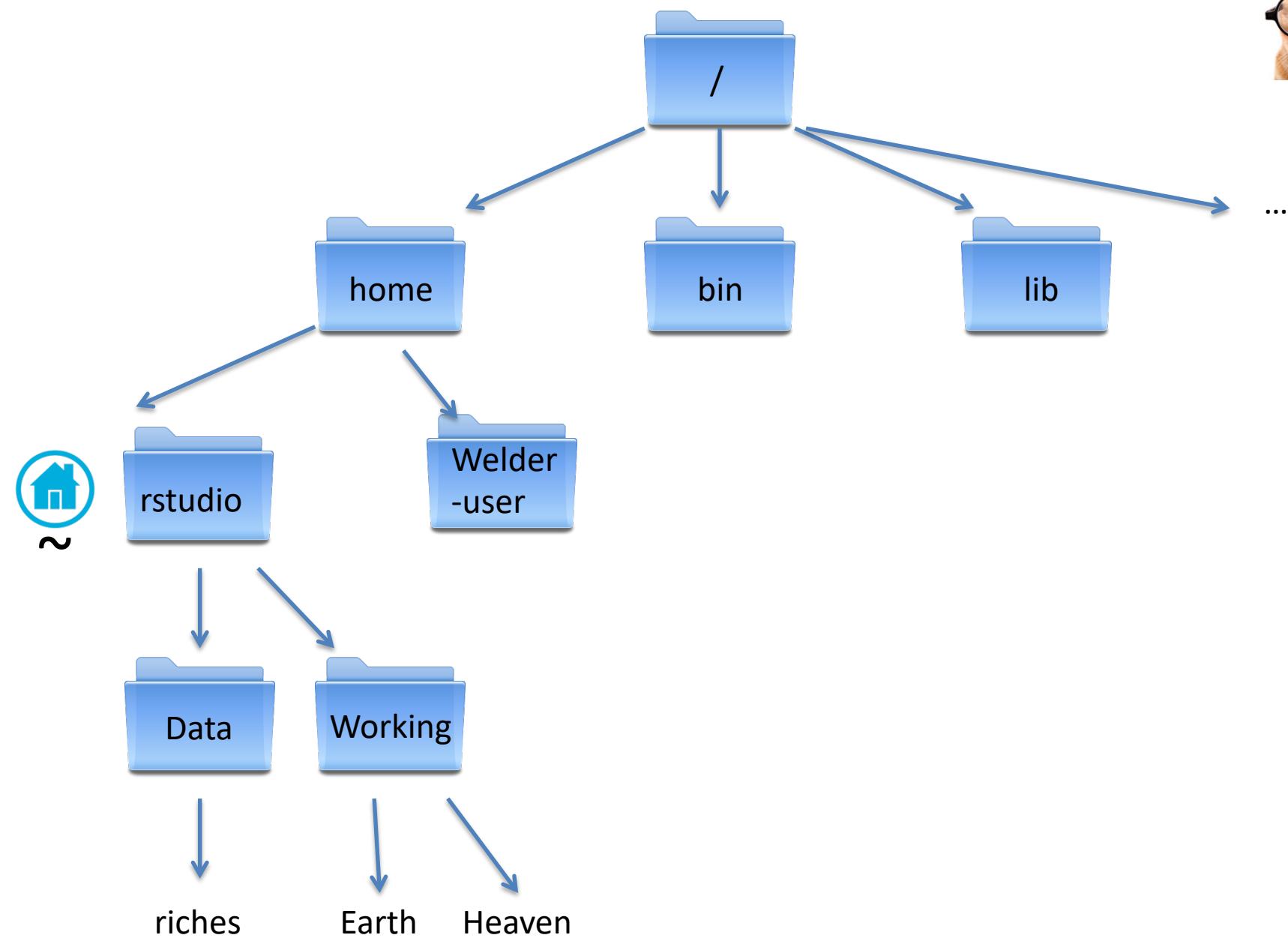
Moving Files

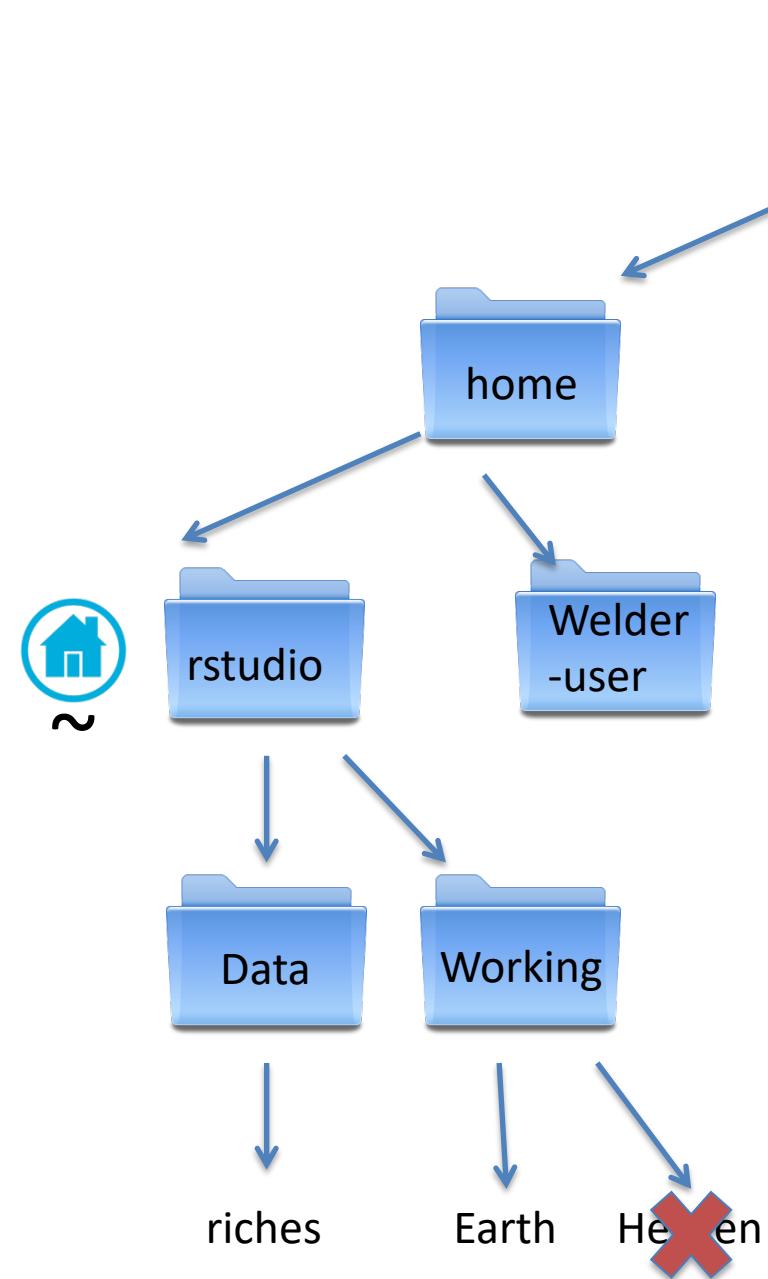
mv can also be used to rename files
Let's change rags to riches

```
$ mv ./rags ./riches
```

File

Location



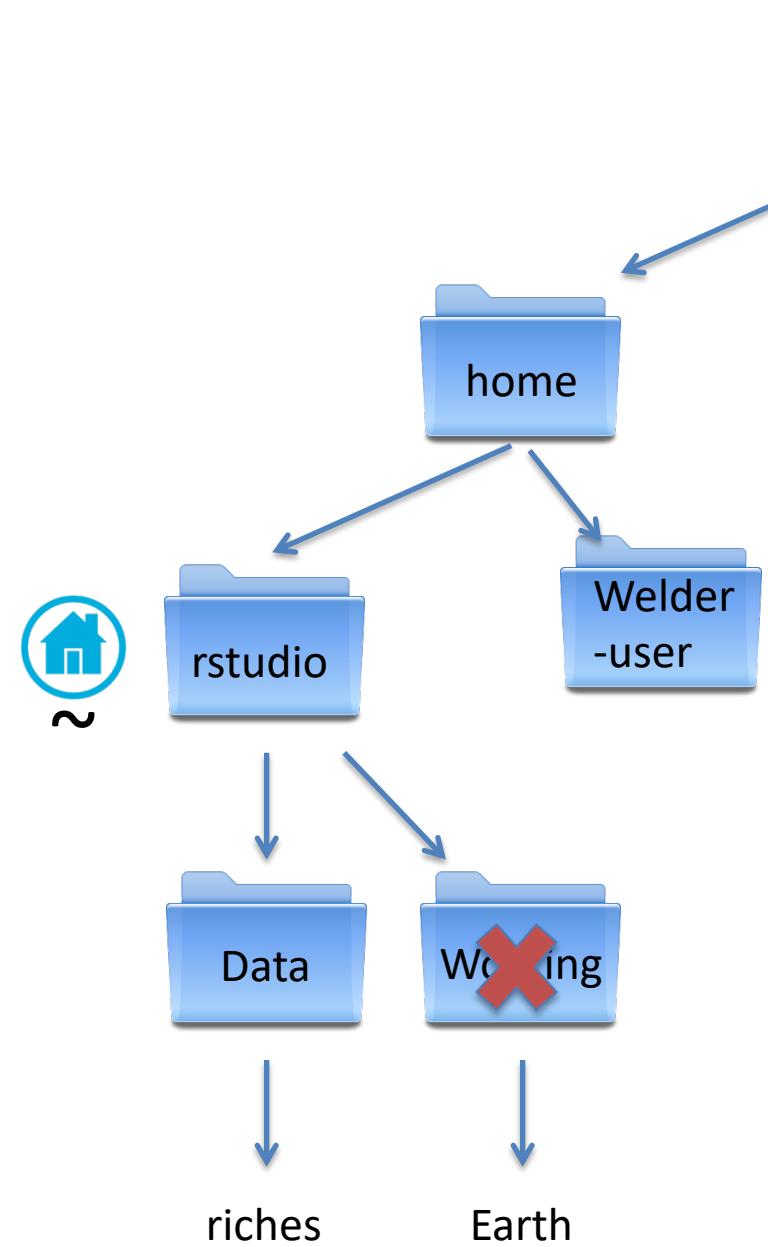


Deleting Files

Now let's delete Heaven
(Check your present working directory is Data)

```
$ rm -i ../Working/Heaven
```

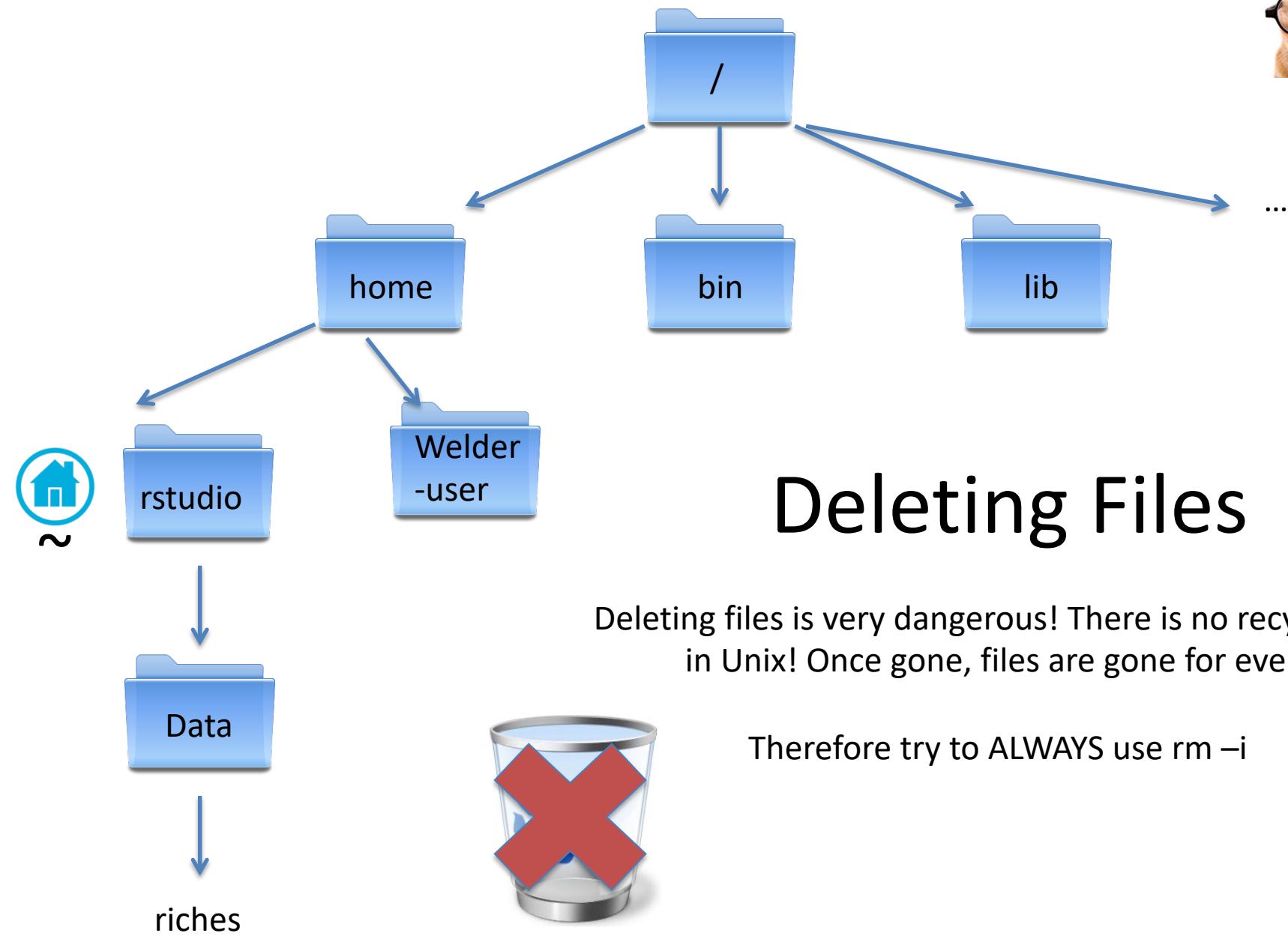
When prompted type y for yes and press enter



Deleting Files

Now let's delete the entire Working directory
Including Earth

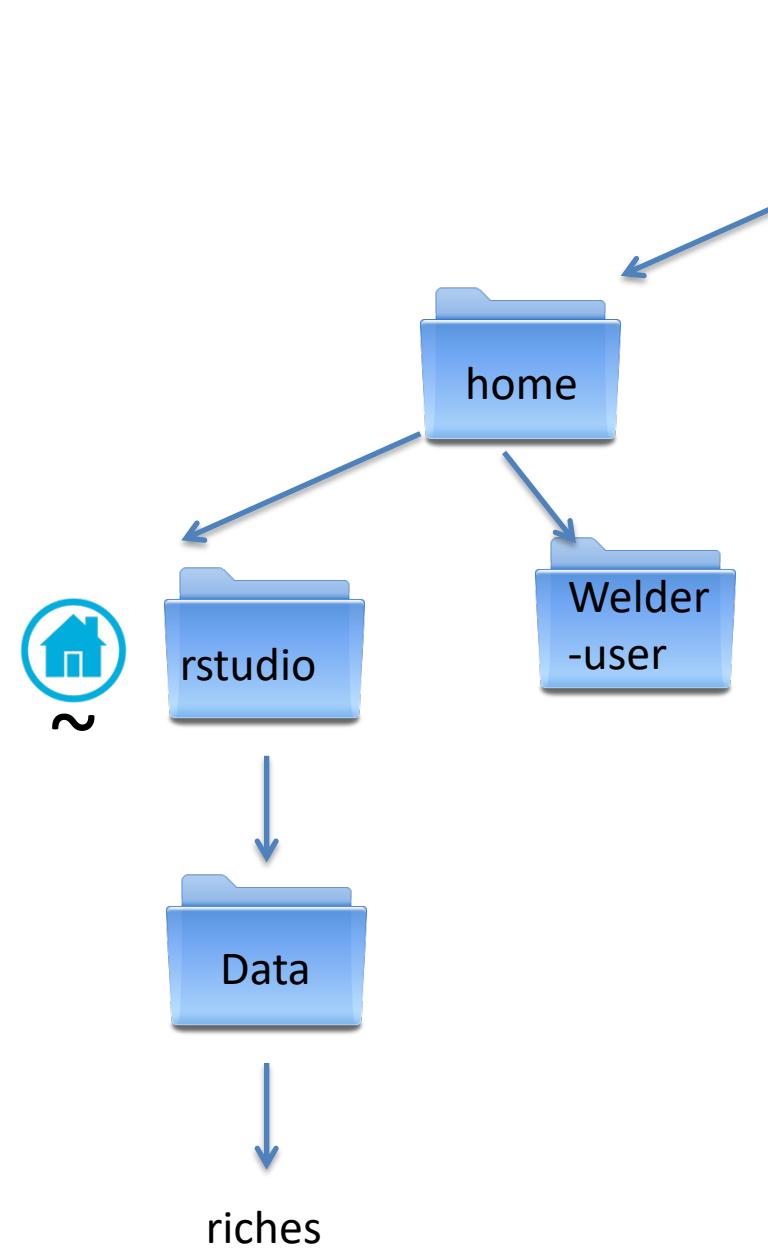
```
$ rm -r -i ../Working/
```



Deleting Files

Deleting files is very dangerous! There is no recycle bin in Unix! Once gone, files are gone for ever!

Therefore try to **ALWAYS** use `rm -i`

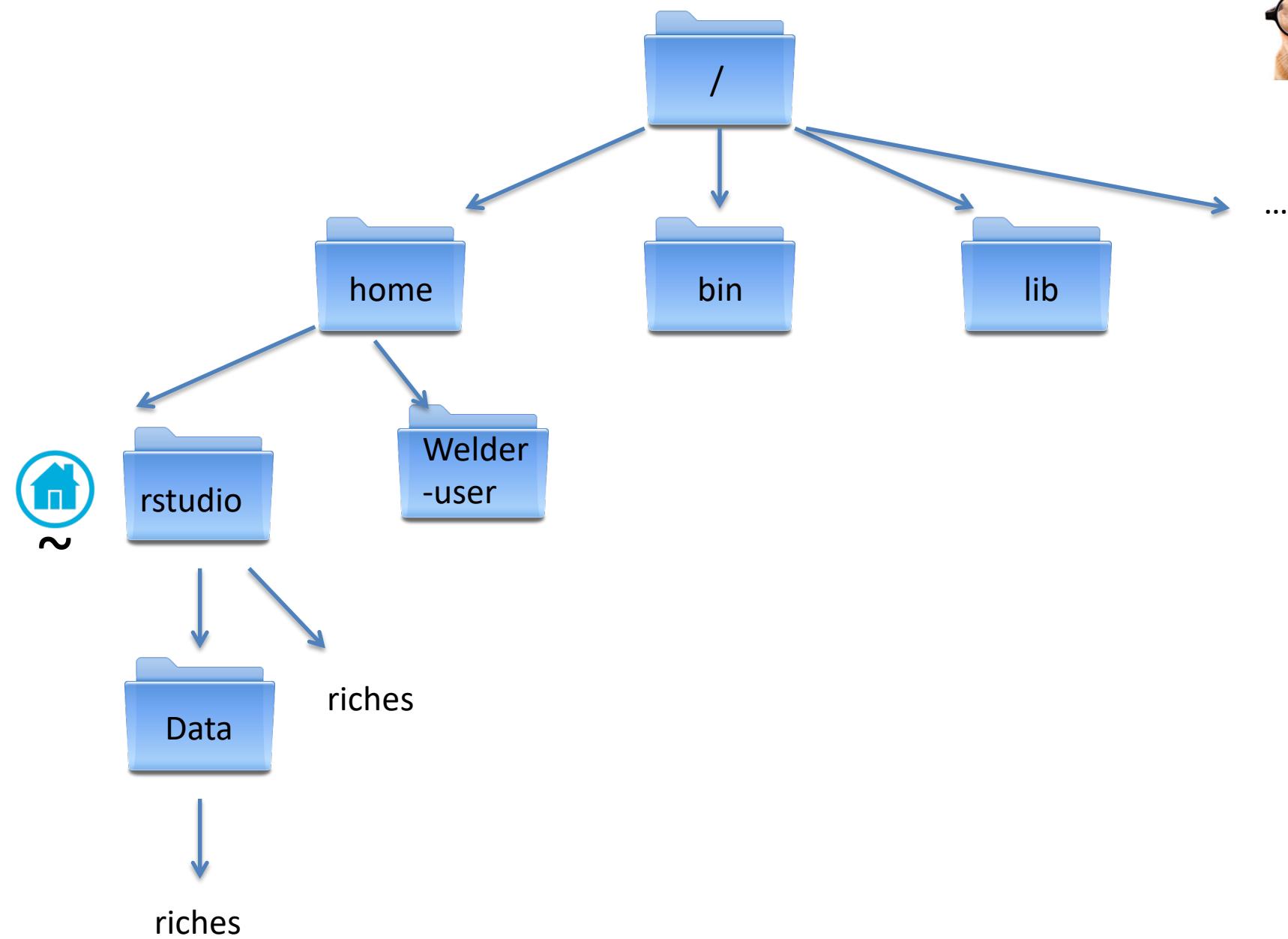


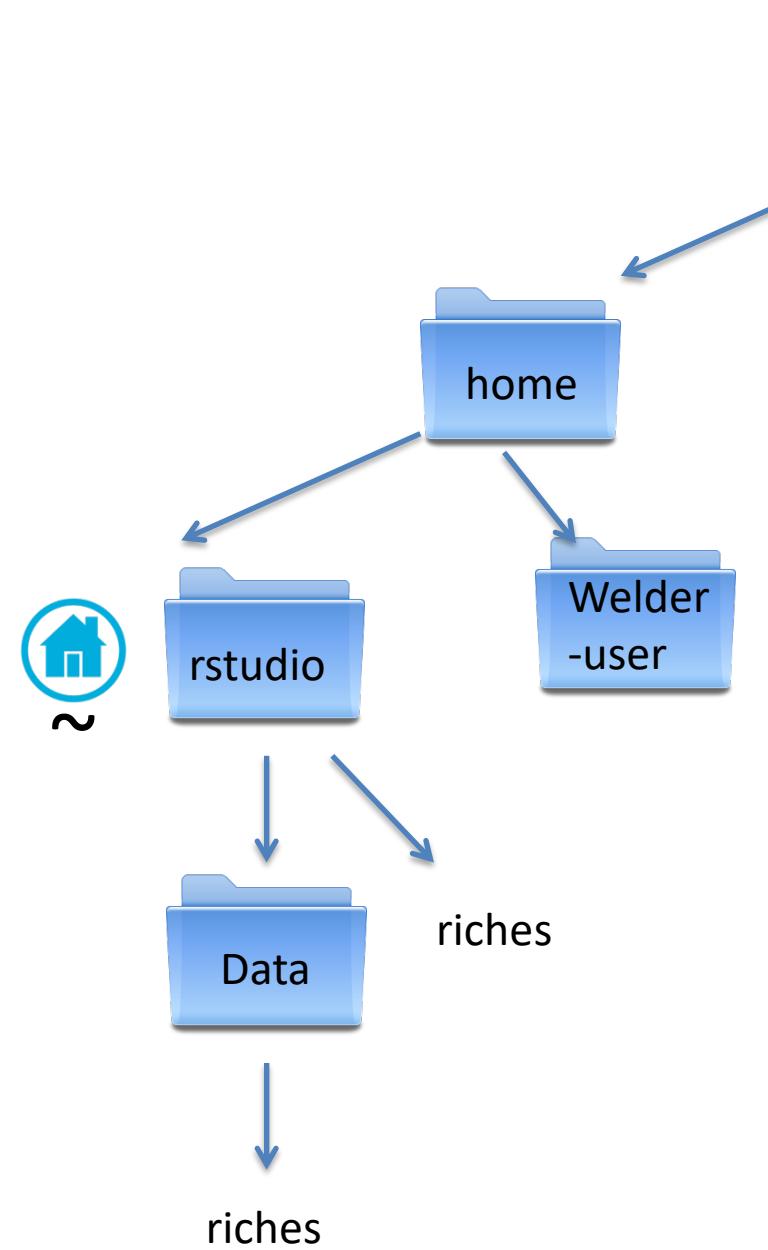
Copying Files

Let's make a copy of riches within the home directory
(Make sure your present working directory is Data)

```
$ cp ./riches ../
```

File Location





Copying Files

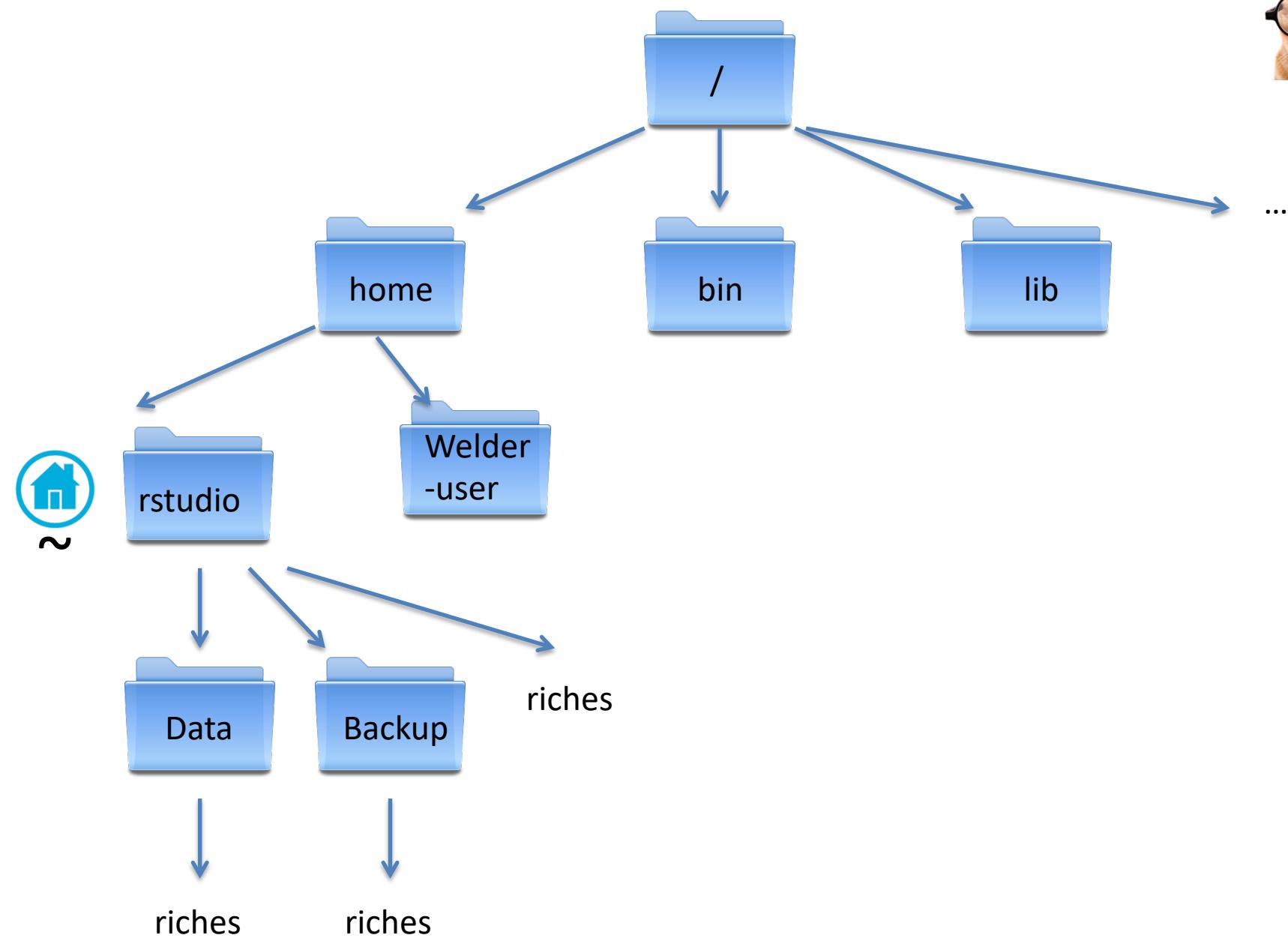
You can also copy entire directories and use this function to rename files/directories

Move to home

```
$ cd ~
```

Make a copy of the Data directory here and call it Backup

```
$ cp -r ./Data ./Backup
```





Typical File Sizes



One Sequencing Sample on the Illumina NextSeq
3,000,000 reads = 1 Gb

But typically you will sequence more than one sample
You may have different patients, different locations, replicates etc...

The size of the sequencing data file can easily become 100s of Gb
(or even bigger depending on the sequencer used)



Archived/Compressed Files

Commonly, people will compress large files so that they are easier to store or share

Here's an example:

sequences.tar.gz

.tar – means that it is a tape archive

.gz – means that it is gzipped

These can be used alone or in combination

To uncompress

A Tar Archive

```
$ tar -xvf <filename>
```

(x = extract, v = verbose, t = all files)

A Gzipped file

```
$ gunzip <filename>
```

A Gzipped Tar archive

```
$ tar -xzvf <filename>
```

Challenge 2!



1. Change to the workshop_materials directory at the following path:

```
~/workshop_materials/Unix
```

You should find a compressed directory:

```
Sequences.tar
```

2. Make a copy of this file in the Backup directory you created earlier

3. Un archive the original directory

4. Unzip the read files

5. Rename the unarchived files – sequence_1.fq and sequence_2.fq

6. Delete the original .tar file

tar	gunzip
cp	mv
rm -i	mkdir
cd	

Challenge 2!

1. Get the File!

```
cd ~/workshop_materials/Unix
```

2. Make a copy of this file in the Backup directory you created earlier

```
$ cp Sequences.tar /home/genomics/Backup/
```

3. Un archive the directory

```
$ tar -xvf Sequences.tar
```

4. Unzip the read files

```
$ gunzip Sequences/E_coli_Sequence1.fq.gz  
$ gunzip Sequences/E_coli_Sequence2.fq.gz  
OR      $ gunzip Sequences/E_coli_Sequence*
```

5. Rename the unarchived files – sequence_1.fq and sequence_2.fq

```
$ mv Sequences/E_coli_Sequence1.fq Sequences/sequence_1.fq  
$ mv Sequences/E_coli_Sequence2.fq Sequences/sequence_2.fq
```

6. Delete the original .tar file

```
$ rm -i Sequences.tar
```

Any Questions So Far?



How Do You Install Software?



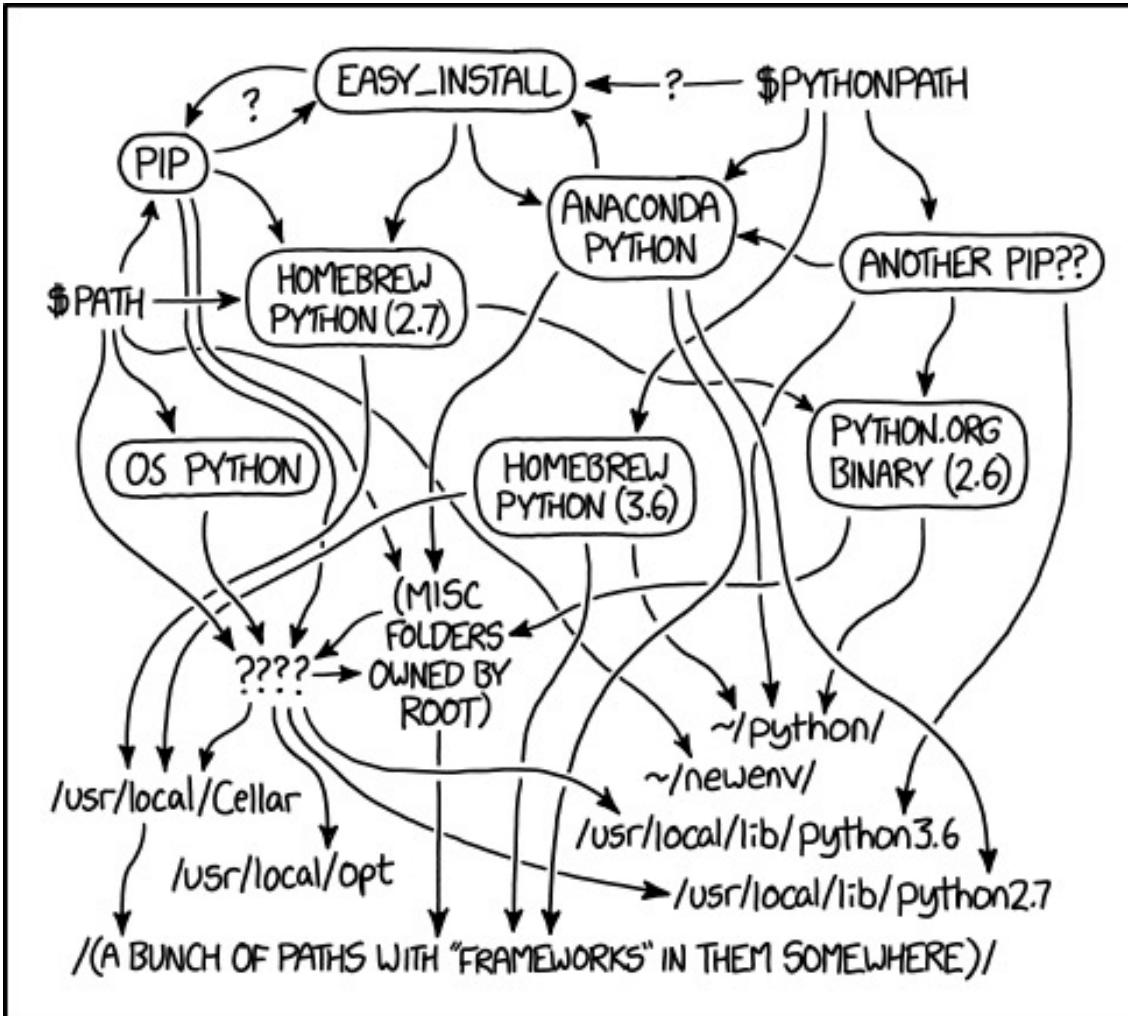
Some binary programs come with Ubuntu e.g. mkdir, ls etc...

However most software for bioinformatics needs to be installed.

For this week, we will learn how to install some of these.

If you're using a corporate or shared compute resource, you'll likely
need to ask
your system administrator to do this.

IT IS NOT AS EASY AS IT SOUNDS



Software Installation



The “get and compile” method!

Get the software from somewhere and then install it manually.



GitHub is a fantastic repository containing a lot of bioinformatics software! It works using git so it's easy to download.

There are others... sourceforge, personal webpages etc...
Commonly wget is used with these!



Challenge 3!

I want you to download and compile the software unicycler.

Here is the github page - <https://github.com/rrwick/Unicycler>

Make sure you are in your home directory.

Follow the instructions under “Build and run without installation”.

Take a read/glance of all of the information under “Requirements” and “Installation” – I just want you to read here!



What Have We Just Done?

```
git clone https://github.com/rrwick/Unicycler.git
```

This has downloaded the software from github

```
cd Unicycler
```

This has changed the location to this new directory

```
make
```

This has COMPILED the software

But what happens if you type unicycler on the command line now?

```
genomics@genomics:~$ unicycler
unicycler: command not found
genomics@genomics:~$
```

Why!? Compiling ≠ Installing!



Installation

For software to be truly installed, it needs to be added to the directory
/usr/bin or /usr/local/bin

And this requires admin privileges which you don't have!

However you can still run the newly compiled software directly by using the path:

```
[genomics@genomics:~/Unicycler$ ./unicycler-runner.py
usage: unicycler-runner.py [-h] [--help_all] [--version] [-1 SHORT1] [-2 SHORT2] [-s UNPAIRED] [-1 LONG] -o OUT
                           [--verbosity VERBOSITY] [--min_fasta_length MIN_FASTA_LENGTH] [--keep KEEP] [-t THREADS]
                           [--mode {conservative,normal,bold}] [--linear_seqs LINEAR_SEQS] [--vcf]
```



Unicycler: an assembly pipeline for bacterial genomes

Dependencies



However! What if it still won't work...

What! I hear you cry! Why!?

Requirements

- Linux or macOS
- [Python 3.4 or later](#)
- C++ compiler with C++14 support:
 - [GCC 4.9.1 or later](#)
 - [Clang 3.5 or later](#)
 - [ICC](#) also works (though I don't know the minimum required version number)
- [setuptools](#) (only required for installation of Unicycler)
- For short-read or hybrid assembly:
 - [SPAdes v3.6.2 or later \(`spades.py` \)](#)
- For long-read or hybrid assembly:
 - [Racon \(`racon` \)](#)
- For polishing
 - [Pilon \(`pilon1.xx.jar` \)](#)
 - [Java \(`java` \)](#)
 - [Bowtie2 \(`bowtie2-build` and `bowtie2` \)](#)
 - [Samtools v1.0 or later \(`samtools` \)](#)
- For rotating circular contigs:
 - [BLAST+ \(`makeblastdb` and `tblastn` \)](#)



Dependencies

A lot of software needs other software to work...

Which in turn needs other software..

Which also needs other software...

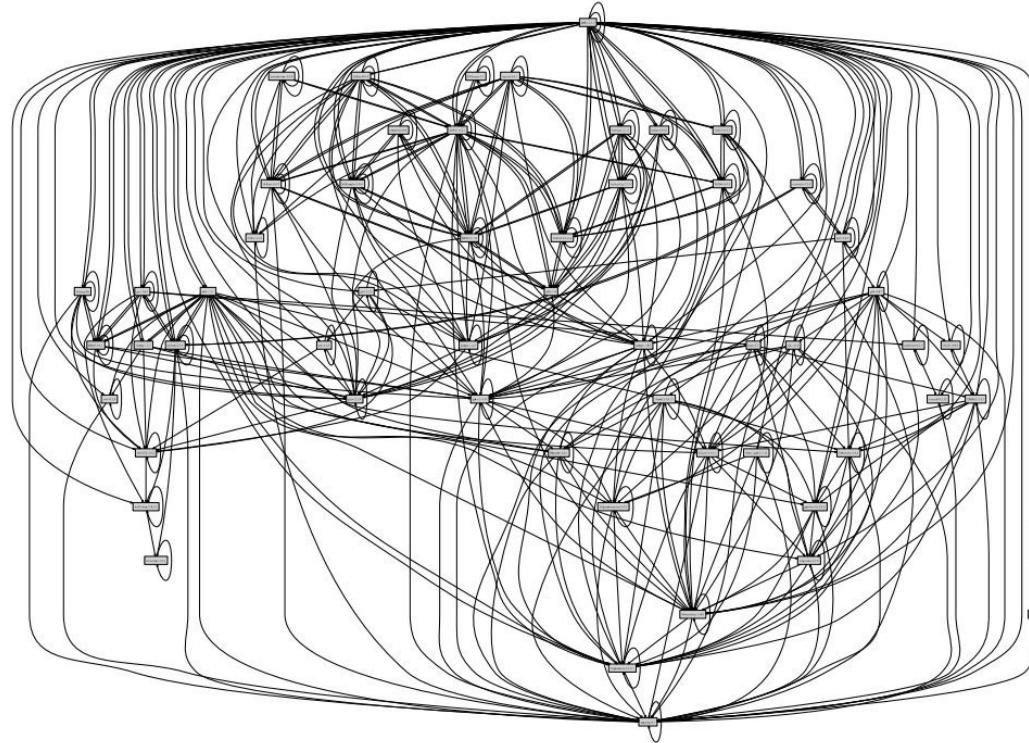


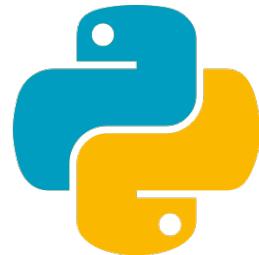
Figure 1.5.: The *dependency hell*: the runtime dependency graph of Mozilla Firefox

Software Managers



apt-get install OR yum

CONDA

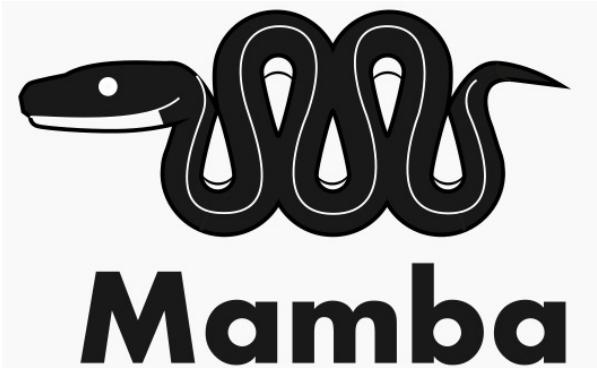


pip install



Linuxbrew

Don't forget cpanm for perl
and install.packages() for R



These are all *trying* to
make your life easier...



Environments

Environments allow you to control which software (and dependencies) are available and when.

This is particularly useful during conflicts or when you want to use multiple versions of the same software.

Other systems such as Docker and module systems on clusters aim to do the same thing.



Environments

CONDA

This is your compute system.

You want to run qiime2. It's not installed.

You've installed conda.



Pipenv



Further reading:

<https://realpython.com/python-virtual-environments-a-primer/#the-conda-package-and-environment-manager>



Environments

CONDA

To use conda, first we need to install it.

1. Install Miniconda:

```
wget https://repo.anaconda.com/miniconda/Miniconda3-latest-Linux-x86_64.sh  
bash Miniconda3-latest-Linux-x86_64.sh  
# follow through installation prompts  
rm Miniconda3-latest-Linux-x86_64.sh
```

2. Install Mamba on the base Conda environment:

```
conda install -n base -c conda-forge mamba --yes  
conda activate base
```



Environments

CONDA

You use conda to create an environment for qiime2.

```
wget https://data.qiime2.org/distro/core/qiime2-2022.2-py38-linux-conda.yml  
conda env create -n qiime2-2022.2 --file qiime2-2022.2-py38-linux-conda.yml
```

```
# OPTIONAL CLEANUP rm qiime2-2022.2-py38-linux-conda.yml
```

You then activate this environment.

```
conda activate qiime2-2022.2
```



Environments

CONDA

You then deactivate this environment.

```
source deactivate qiime2-2018.8
```

qiime2 is no longer available.



Environments

CONDA

You can now create your own environments.

```
conda env create -n microbiome
```

OR:

```
conda env create --name microbiome python=3.9 #Specify python version
```

OR:

```
conda env create --name microbiome python=3.9 scipy=0.17.3 #Specify software to be installed
```

OR:

```
conda env create -n microbiome  
conda install -n microbiome scipy
```

You then activate this environment.

```
conda activate microbiome
```



Can we try to install dada2 in our newly created environment?

Tip: Look at the anaconda page

anaconda.org/bioconda/bioconductor-dada2

bioconda / packages / bioconductor-dada2 1.22.0

Accurate, high-resolution sample inference from amplicon sequencing data

Conda Files Labels Badges

License: [LGPL-2](#)
Home: <https://bioconductor.org/packages/3.14/bioc/html/dada2.html>
370379 total downloads
Last upload: 5 months and 22 days ago

Installers

Info: This package contains files in non-standard labels.

conda install ?

linux-64 v1.22.0
osx-64 v1.22.0

To install this package with conda run one of the following:

```
conda install -c bioconda bioconductor-dada2
conda install -c bioconda/label/gcc7 bioconductor-dada2
conda install -c bioconda/label/cf201901 bioconductor-dada2
```

Confused!?
Don't worry, you
aren't the only one!



This section is just to make you aware of software installation techniques so you aren't surprised when you get home and can't find SAMtools on your system!

What We're Going To Do

THIS MORNING

- Getting Connected ✓
- Introduction to Unix ✓
- Software Installation ✓

THIS AFTERNOON

- Introduction to Sequencing
- Checking the Quality of Sequencing Data

For after the workshop...

A Quick Guide to Organizing Computational Biology Projects.

Noble (2009) PLoS Computational Biology

<http://journals.plos.org/ploscompbiol/article?id=10.1371/journal.pcbi.1000424>

Best Practices for Scientific Computing.

Wilson *et al.* (2014) PLoS Biology

<http://journals.plos.org/plosbiology/article?id=10.1371/journal.pbio.1001745>

Codecademy

<https://www.codecademy.com/learn/learn-the-command-line>

Hackerrank

<https://www.hackerrank.com/domains/shell>

Lots of text books

Google!!