CA170: Week 2 Intro to Unix

Terminal

- Command-line keys: Ctrl-C - interrupt program o Ctrl-A - Home Ctrl-E - End Command line shortcuts o clear - clear screen ls o ls ○ ls -l echo * (all normal, non-hidden files and dirs) ○ ls -1 * (if dir, will display contents) ○ ls -ld * (if dir, display name not contents) hidden files o ls -a o ls -al echo .* (all hidden files) o echo .* * (all files) ○ ls -1 .* (don't need -a if going to actually name the hidden files) o ls -ld .* environment variables o set o set > file.txt o env o env | sort o echo HOME - the string "HOME" o echo \$HOME - the global (environment) variable HOME o PATH = list of dirs searched for command when you type a command, separated by colons (:) SHELL = shell we are using (default here is bash) Shared, multi-user, file system: O HOME = something like: /users/yourgroup/yourusername My test account is here: /users/tutors/mhtest15
 - current and parent dirs
 - . (current dir)
 - Example: When was the last change to the current dir:

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ls -ld .
. . (parent dir)
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cd

- o go home: cd
- o go up to parent dir: cd ...
- o go back to last dir: cd -

- command history
 - up/down arrows
 - o history
 - o h (alias)
 - !n repeat command n
 - !string repeat last command that began with string
 - o !c repeat last command that began with character c
 - o !! last command

Disk Quota

- You have 500 M disk quota.
- quota
- quota -s
- If you get "Disk quota exceeded"
 - You need to delete some files.
 - o To see which dirs are taking up room:
 - o du | sort -n
- MetaTracker uses disk space
 - o A program called MetaTracker may be using a lot of your disk space.
 - MetaTracker uses a directory \$HOME/.cache
 - o This is safe to delete:

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cd
rm -r .cache
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- See now instruction in default .bashrc that removes .cache for each new shell.
- o If .cache will not delete because MetaTracker is running:
 - Use ps to find "tracker" processes and kill them.
 - Then remove .cache
- Wine uses disk space
 - Another program that uses a lot of disk space is Wine.

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cd rm -r .wine
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Shakespeare

- For testing manipulation of data with Linux commands, it helps if we have some data to manipulate.
- So I have installed the works of Shakespeare to use for testing.
- I downloaded the works of Shakespeare from the free eBooks site at the University of Adelaide.
- This has now closed. There are old copies in the Internet Archive:
 - Shakespeare page
 - ZIP file
- I have a copy on the shared file system here:
 - o /users/tutors/mhtest15/share/shakespeare
- You can "cd" to this directory.

- How to view these local web pages:
 - These web pages are not on the web.
 - You can still view these local files through a web browser, using this URL:
 - o file:///users/tutors/mhtest15/share/shakespeare/home.html
 - You will have to paste the URL into your browser address bar. Modern browsers do not allow links from http:// to file:// for security reasons.
- Once you are in file:// mode, you can follow links from file:// to file://
- Or cd into my directory, and:

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firefox home.html &
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- I am sharing these through the shared file system, not through http.
- Permissions need to be something like:

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o drwx--x--x /users/tutors/mhtest15
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o drwxr-xr-x /users/tutors/mhtest15/share