

## Linux Cheat Sheet:

### Create a File:

- **Cat command:** `cat >file1`

→ The Cat Command is one of the most universal tools, yet all it does is Copy standard Input to Standard Output.

- **touch command:** `touch file1 file2 file3`

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- Create an Empty File

- Create multiple empty file

- Change all timestamp of a file

- Update only access time of file, modify time of file

→ **Time Stamp:**

- Access time (last time when a file was access) :: **touch -a**

- Modify time (last time when a file was modified) :: **touch -m**

- Change time (last time when file metadata (information such as: size, file properties, location etc.) was changed)

### Q) What is timestamp?

**Answer:** File created, and three things would be included with the created file

- **vi/vim command:** - A program text editor.

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It can be used to edit all kinds of plain text, it is especially useful for editing programs Mainly used for Unix Programs.

: w → To Save

:wq or :x → To save and quit

:q → quit

:q! → force Quit, no save

- **nano:** `nano file1`

→ Write any content you want to write.  
After you are done you can click ctrl+x  
Ask if you want to save it → Y → hit enter

To override the data, click Ctrl + O then Ctrl + X then you can override the data.

→ Editor vi/vim command and nano command where in cat could not edit the created file. Can edit it using these commands, as well as edit the files.

→ 'Vi' is a standard whereas 'nano' has to be available depending on the linux you use.

→ **CASE SENSITIVE.** file1 and File1 is a different. **AVOID USING CAPITAL LETTERS IN LINUX** unless there is a use of it.

Make directory: **mkdir**

**To know if it is the directory type:** ls -l

- **How to Copy a file?**

cp file1(source) file2(destination)

- **How to Cut and Paste file?**

mv file1 dir1

- **Putting a dot in front of the file makes it a hidden file.** It will be created as a hidden file.

touch .file1

- **way to view the hidden file is** ls -a means list of all.

**cd dir** → gets you inside the directory

**cd dirc/dird/dire** → gets you inside the directory e directly

**cd ..** → gets you out of the current directory to another directory

**cd ../../..** → to get out of the directory

- **How to remove file from directory?**

→ **rmdir** : This command is used to remove the specified directory (empty).

→ **rmdir -p** : Remove both the parents and child directory.

- `rmdir -pv` : Remove all the parent and subdirectories along with the verbose.
- `rm -rf` : Removes even non-empty file and directory
- `rm -rp` : Removes non-empty directories including parent and subdirectory.
- `rm -r` : Removes empty directories.

→ Create YAML file in Mac terminal: `echo "basic" > basic.yml`  
 or touch `simple.yml`

### Commands:

- **hostname**: just type hostname and provides you with the name of the host
- **if config, cat /etc/os-release**:
  - **if config**: IP address of the machine, ethernet port, NIC, etc
  - **hostname -i** : just shows the IP address
  - **cat /etc/os-release**: The first dash / represents **root directory**. Details of OS and versions. This path is called **Absolute Path (we absolutely know the exact path of where we're going)** if we do not know the whole path can put \* (/etc/os-rel\*)

**yum**: package or software that is installed configured in Linux by default. Full form is (yellowdog update Modified).

→ **yum install httpd**:

→ **yum remove httpd**:

→ **yum update httpd**:

→ **service httpd start**: to make it (apache) service active

[       ] service httpd start

→ **service httpd status**: shows if the server is it active or not

[       ] service httpd status

→ **chkconfig httpd on**: to make the software run by itself also called (Automation). and not start it manually.

→ **chkconfig httpd off**: if want to start manually then this will stop the Automation.

→ **which:** ones to check individual software installed then there's which command. shows the command that are installed in Linux.

which chef

which tree

→ **whoami:**

[ root ] whoami

-- gives output: root user

→ **echo:** Just like in echo in real life. One CPU used by multiple users are connected want to send message or show some message then we use this echo command.

root@ip] # echo "Hello"

gives output-> Hello

→ **check using the following command:**

cat filez

→ **Add new info on the file:**

echo "Hello" >>filez

→ **Delete the content: run empty echo with greater than sign then the file will become empty:**

echo >filez

→ **grep command:** finds the specific things we need, finds out and provides it.

grep root /etc/passwd

-- > output: root

- **grep command is an important command.**

→ **sort:** Arrange in alphabetical order.

sort file1 (file1 is just any filename)

→ **tree:** yum install tree -y (-y so that every yes is done automatically)

- Represents all the directories and file in tree.

just type tree in cmd

→ **chkconfig httpd:** automatically starts the status.

chkconfig httpd on

→ **useradd**: To create user

→ **groupadd**: To create group

→ **gpasswd -a/-M**: To add user into group, to add multiple user

→ **ln**: hardlink → Backup.

→ **ln -s**: softlink → shortcut

→ **tar**: Tar is an archiver used to combine multiple files into one

`tar -cvf dirx.tar dirx`

**(cvf): create verbose forcefully**

`tar -xvf dirx.tar`

**(-xvf: extract)**

→ **gzip**: gzip is a Compression tool used to reduce the size of a file

→ **wget**: wget is the non-interactive network downloader

### **Access Modes/Permissions:**

#### **Access Mode**

**r | 4:**                      **File: To display the content**      **Directory: To list the content**

**w | 2:**                      **File: To modify**                      **Directory: To create or remove**

**x | 1:**                      **File: To execute the file**                      **Dir: To enter into directory**

**chmod** → Used to change the access mode of a file

**chown** → change the Owner of file or Directory

`chown rachi dir1`

**Chgrp** → change the group of files or dir

`chgrp linux file1`

**r = read**

**w = write**

**x = execute**

**rwX**: Owner or root user.

r\_\_ : others (other user can read by default permission)

1: Symbolic link

root: owner

root: group

0: File size in Byte

r\_x: group

Q. To change the permission of directory or file?

Ans: As an example:

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chmod 777 dir1
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ls -l
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See the directory permission changed as all the drwxrwxrwx 2 root ...

**u = User/owner**

**g = group**

**o = others**

→ To change the permissions another way is:

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chmod u=r, g=r, o=rw dir1
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chmod 000 file1
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