$ make file : compiles file.c / file.cpp into the file executable

$ !abcd : executes the last command that started with abcd

* $ gcc main.c
* $ g++ main.cpp
* $ !gcc => $ gcc main.c

$ echo “Hi !” : *echoes* the string given to it, “Hi !” in this case.

$ echo $ENV\_VAR : prints the value held by ENV\_VAR environment variable. Try out **echo $USER**.

$ echo $? : prints the number returned by the previous program., i.e. the last **return X;** statement executed by the program. It’s (usually) 0 in case the program terminated properly, non-zero if it terminated with issues.

$ man perror : displays a usage manual for the C function ( if it exists ), perror in this case.