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Title: Linux Command List Assessment

Instructions:-

The following assessment aims to test your understanding and practical knowledge of various Linux commands. Perform the tasks given below using the appropriate commands. Write down the command(s) used to complete each task. You can use any Linux distribution or command-line interface of your choice. Ensure that you provide the correct output or results for each task.

Note: It is recommended to perform this assessment on a Linux machine or virtual environment.

Ensure that you provide the correct command(s) used to accomplish each task. Write your answers below each task.

Once you have completed the assessment, review your answers and verify that the output or results are correct.

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File and Directory Operations:

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File Actions Edit View Help
__(cyborg⊛ kali)-[~]

$ pwd
/home/cyborg
  -(cyborg⊛kali)-[~]
-$ cd /
  -(cyborg⊛kali)-[/]
_$ ls
                    lib32
                                                vmlinuz
boot initrd.img
                                                vmlinuz.old
                    lib64
                                            tmp
dev initrd.img.old libx32
                               opt
                                      sbin usr
                    lost+found proc
```

Figure 1

pwd: Print working directory

As shown in Fig 1, the current working directory is home and the user is cyborg.

cd: Change directory

Changed directory from user home directory to root

ls: List files and directories

lists the files and directories present in the root directory

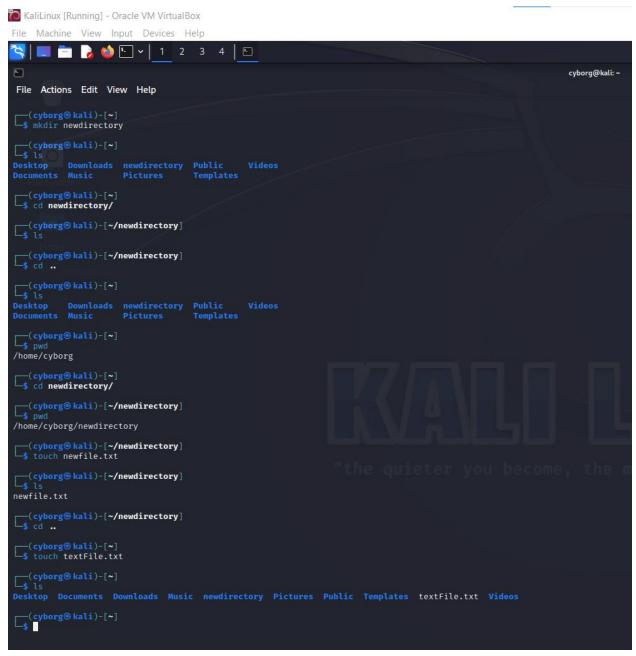


Figure 2

mkdir: Make directory

Created new directory inside user home directory as newdirectory

touch: Create an empty file

Created a file named textFile.txt inside home and a file newFile.txt in newDirectory.

Figure 3

cp: Copy files and directories

Copies textFile.txt into newdirectory

```
(cyborg⊕ kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ mv newfile.txt abc.txt

(cyborg⊕ kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ ls
abc.txt textFile.txt
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```
cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ cd ..

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```

Figure 4

my: Move or rename files and directories

Renames newfile.txt as abc.txt

Moves a file named "file" from user home directory to newdirectory.

```
cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ cd ..

cyborg® kali)-[~]

pesktop Documents Downloads Music newdirectory Pictures Public Templates textFile.txt Videos

cyborg® kali)-[~]

$ rm -rf newdirectory & rm textFile.txt

cyborg® kali)-[~]

$ ls

Desktop Documents Downloads Music Pictures Public Templates Videos
```

Figure 5

rm: Remove files and directories

Removes directory "newdirectory" -rf deletes subdirectories if any and deletes file "textFile.txt"

Figure 6

find: Search for files and directories

newfile.txt is present and is shown; while abc.txt is not present in the Directory

File Viewing and Editing:

```
-(cyborg®kali)-[~/newdirectory]
                                         demo.txt newfile.txt.gz textFile.txt
   -(cyborg®kali)-[~/newdirectory]
// Start of File
The sky is blue.
Kali Linux containers are the ideal solution to
     run Kali Linux within other Linux distributions
     provide isolated environments for development or testing activities
without the overhead of virtual machines. Docker is the preferred solution fo
r applications whilst LXC/LXD are preferred for entire systems.
Linux containers provide features like snapshots and freezing which comes in
very handy when developing or testing software.
Kali images are available on the image server for LXC and LXD and can easily be launched either in LXD using the "images:" image server or in LXC using the "lxc-download" template.
LXC is a userspace interface for the Linux kernel containment features. Through a powerful API and simple tools, it lets Linux users easily create and manage system or application containers.
LXD is a next generation system container manager. It offers a user experienc
e similar to virtual machines but using Linux containers instead. It's image
based with pre-made images available for a wide number of Linux distributions
and is built around a very powerful, yet pretty simple, REST API.
LXD is the more convenient of the two but is only available in Ubuntu or othe {\bf r} distributions (such as Kali) as snap package.
LXC is available in more distributions and preferred in Kali as it is support
ed natively and does not required snapd to be running.
//End of file
    (cyborg⊛kali)-[~/newdirectory]
```

Figure 7

cat: Concatenate and display file content

Displays the content of the file demo.txt



Figure 8

less: View file content with pagination

Opens demo.txt with pagination

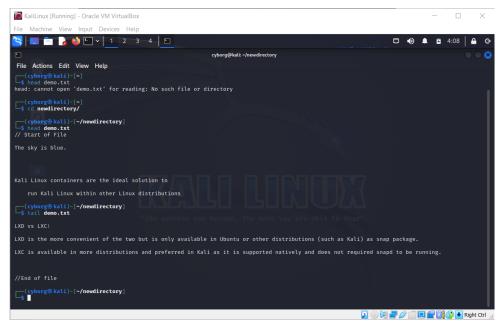


Figure 9

head: Display the beginning of a file

tail: Display the end of a file

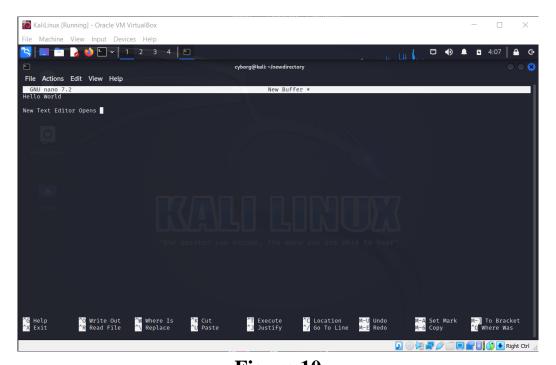


Figure 10 nano: Text editor for creating and editing files

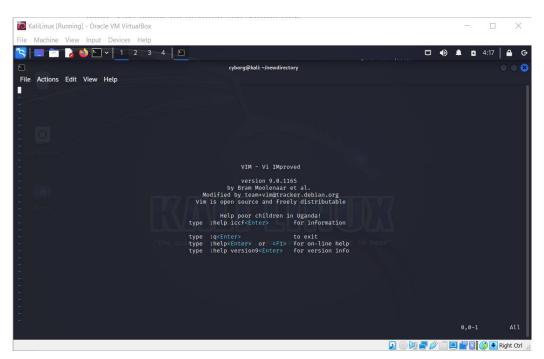


Figure 11

vi/vim: Powerful text editor for experienced users

File Permissions:

Figure 12

chmod: Change file permissions

Permission of demo.txt changed to owner can read write and execute.

```
(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]

$ sudo chown archi demo.txt
[sudo] password for cyborg:

(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]

$ ls -l

total 20

-rw-r--r-- 1 cyborg cyborg 118 May 21 16:58 arch.zip.gz
-rw-r--r-- 1 cyborg cyborg 160 May 21 16:52 compress.tar.gz
-rwxr-xr-x 1 archi cyborg 1453 May 22 04:02 demo.txt
-rw 1 cyborg cyborg 37 May 22 04:07 nano.6515.save
-rw-r--r-- 1 cyborg cyborg 32 May 21 16:47 newfile.txt.gz
-rw-r--r-- 1 cyborg cyborg 0 May 21 17:12 textFile.txt

(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
```

Figure 13

chown: Change file owner

Owner is changed from "cyborg" to "archi"

```
(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ sudo addgroup ethical' (GID 1003) ...
Done.

(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ sudo chgrp ethical demo.txt

(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ ls -l
total 20
-rw-r--r-- 1 cyborg cyborg 118 May 21 16:58 arch.zip.gz
-rw-r--r-- 1 cyborg cyborg 160 May 21 16:52 compress.tar.gz
-rwxr-xr-x 1 archi ethical 1453 May 22 04:02 demo.txt
-rw 1 cyborg cyborg 37 May 22 04:07 nano.6515.save
-rw-r--r-- 1 cyborg cyborg 32 May 21 16:47 newfile.txt.gz
-rw-r--r-- 1 cyborg cyborg 0 May 21 17:12 textFile.txt

(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
```

Figure 14

chgrp: Change file group

Created a group using addgroup "ethical" and changed the group for demo.txt from cyborg to ethical.

File Compression and Archiving:

```
(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ tar -czvf compress.tar.gz file.tar
file.tar

(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ ls
compress.tar.gz file.tar newfile.txt
```

Figure 15

tar: Archive files

```
cyborg@kali)-[~/newdirectory]
starch.zip.gz compress.tar.gz file.tar newfile.txt

(cyborg@kali)-[~/newdirectory]
starch.zip.gz compress.tar.gz file.tar newfile.txt.gz
```

Figure 16

gzip: Compress files

```
(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ zip arch.zip newfile.txt
adding: newfile.txt (stored 0%)

(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ ls
arch.zip compress.tar.gz file.tar newfile.txt

(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ unzip arch.zip
Archive: arch.zip
replace newfile.txt? [y]es, [n]o, [A]ll, [N]one, [r]ename: y extracting: newfile.txt

(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
$ ls
arch.zip compress.tar.gz file.tar newfile.txt
```

Figure 17

unzip: Extract files from a ZIP archive

Process Management:

```
(cyborg⊕ kali)-[~]
$ ps
PID TTY TIME CMD
4787 pts/0 00:00:05 zsh
55253 pts/0 00:00:00 ps
```

ps: List running processes

```
–(cyborg⊛kali)-[~]
_s top
top - 17:09:02 up 1:49, 1 user, load average: 0.01, 0.04, 0.00
Tasks: 165 total, 1 running, 164 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.4 us, 0.6 sy, 0.0 ni, 98.9 id, 0.0 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.1 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem: 3920.2 total, 2548.5 free, 924.1 used, 692.4 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 975.0 total, 975.0 free, 0.0 used. 2996.1 avail Mem
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```

Figure 18

top: Display real-time system information and processes from Figure 18



Figure 19

kill: Terminate processes

kill 4784 closes the terminal

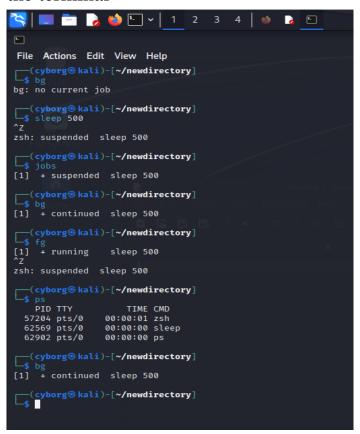


Figure 20

bg: Run processes in the background

fg: Bring background processes to the foreground

System Information:

```
-(cyborg®kali)-[~/newdirectory]
Linux
(cyborg® kali)-[~/newdirectory]
    df
Filesystem 1K-blocks
                            Used Available Use% Mounted on
udev 1966588 0 1966588 0% /dev
tmpfs 401432 964 400468 1% /run
tmpfs 401432 964 400468 1% /:
/dev/sda1 29801344 12804328 15457844 46% /
tmpfs 2007144 0 2007144 0% /:
               2007144 0 2007144 0% /dev/shm
5120 0 5120 0% /run/lock
tmpfs
                 401428 88 401340 1% /run/user/1000
tmpfs
  —(cyborg⊛kali)-[~/newdirectory]
_$ free
            total used
4014288 1349456
998396 0
                                      free shared buff/cache available
Mem:
                                    1933720
                                                  53000 1011780
                                                                          2664832
                                     998396
Swap:
__(cyborg⊕ kali)-[~/newdirectory]
uptime
17:22:17 up 2:02, 1 user, load average: 0.13, 0.08, 0.02
__(cyborg⊕ kali)-[~/newdirectory]
who
                  2023-05-21 12:02 (:0)
cyborg tty7
 —(cyborg®kali)-[~/newdirectory]
_$ w
17:22:29 up 2:03, 1 user, load average: 0.11, 0.07, 0.02
                 FROM
                                    LOGINO IDLE JCPU PCPU WHAT
USER TTY
cyborg tty7
                                    12:02
                                             5:19m 48.52s 0.35s xfce4-session
```

Figure 21

uname: Print system information

df: Display disk space usage free: Display memory usage uptime: Show system uptime who: Display logged-in users

w: Display logged-in users and their activities

Networking:

```
_s ifconfig
eth0: flags=4163<UP, BROADCAST, RUNNING, MULTICAST> mtu 1500
           inet 10.0.2.15 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 10.0.2.255
           inet6 fe80::a00:27ff:fef6:1322 prefixlen 64 scopeid 0×20<link>
          ether 08:00:27:f6:13:22 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
RX packets 15558 bytes 17952569 (17.1 MiB)
          RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
           TX packets 5339 bytes 597900 (583.8 KiB)
          TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING> mtu 65536
           inet 127.0.0.1 netmask 255.0.0.0
           inet6 ::1 prefixlen 128 scopeid 0×10<host>
           loop txqueuelen 1000 (Local Loopback)
          RX packets 4 bytes 240 (240.0 B)
          RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0
          TX packets 4 bytes 240 (240.0 B)
           TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
(cyborg% kali)-[~]
$ ping www.google.com
PING www.google.com (142.250.182.68) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=1 ttl=57 time=42.0 ms
64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=2 ttl=57 time=42.1 ms
64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=3 ttl=57 time=43.5 ms
64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=4 ttl=57 time=42.4 ms
64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=5 ttl=57 time=45.4 ms
64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=6 ttl=57 time=41.0 ms
64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=7 ttl=57 time=41.3 ms
64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=8 ttl=57 time=42.4 ms
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q64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=10 ttl=57 time=42.3 ms
64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=11 ttl=57 time=45.0 ms 64 bytes from maa05s20-in-f4.1e100.net (142.250.182.68): icmp_seq=12 ttl=57 time=42.7 ms
zsh: suspended ping www.google.com
```

Figure 22

ifconfig: Configure network interfaces ping: Send ICMP echo requests to a network host

ssh: Securely connect to a remote system scp: Securely copy files between systems

Figure 24

wget: Download files from the web by taking the url as input.

System Administration:

```
(cyborg@ kali)-[~]
$ sudo useradd -m archi123

(cyborg@ kali)-[~]
$ cd ..

(cyborg@ kali)-[/home]
$ ls
archi123 cyborg

(cyborg@ kali)-[/home]

$ "
```

```
cyborg@kali)-[/home]
$ sudo apt-get install unzip
Reading package lists ... Done
Building dependency tree ... Done
Reading state information ... Done
unzip is already the newest version (6.0-28).
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 531 not upgraded.
```

Figure 25

sudo: Execute commands with superuser privileges

```
(cyborg⊕ kali)-[/home]
$ sudo apt-get install unzip
Reading package lists ... Done
Building dependency tree ... Done
Reading state information ... Done
unzip is already the newest version (6.0-28).
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 531 not upgraded.
```

Figure 26

apt-get: Package management for Debian-based distributions

Virtual Box Kali Linux is Debian-based

yum: Package management for Red Hat-based distributions

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ys-devices-pci0000:00-0000:00:0d.0-ata3-host1-target1:0:0-1:0:0-block-sda-sda5.device					
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			mounted		
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roc-sys-fs-binfmt_misc.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
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un-credentials-systemd\x2dsysusers.service.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
un-credentials-systemd\x2dtmpfiles\x2dsetup.service.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
un-credentials-systemd\x2dtmpfiles\x2dsetup\x2ddev.service.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
un-rpc_pipefs.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
un-user-1000-doc.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
un-user-1000-gvfs.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
un-user-1000.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
ys-fs-fuse-connections.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
ys-kernel-config.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
ys-kernel-debug.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
ys-kernel-tracing.mount	loaded	active	mounted		
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Figure 27 a

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Figure 27 b

systemctl: Manage system services crontab: Schedule recurring tasks

```
(cyborg® kali)-[~]
$ sudo useradd -m archi123

(cyborg® kali)-[~]
$ cd ..

(cyborg® kali)-[/home]
$ ls
archi123 cyborg

(cyborg® kali)-[/home]

$ "
```

Figure 28

useradd: Add a new user

```
(cyborg® kali)-[/home]
$ passwd
Changing password for cyborg.
Current password:
New password:
Retype new password:
passwd: password updated successfully
```

Figure 29

passwd: Change user password