

linux CheatSheet

Basic Commands

ls

- lists content of a directory
`ls [/aDirectoryName]`
- lists content with the long flag `-l` and human-readable flag `h` displays file permissions and size information
`$ ls -lh /users/max/documents`
- lists with the recursive flag `-R` everything in and under a directory
`$ ls -R /users/max/documents`

pwd (present working directory)

- print name of current/working directory
- using flag Logical `-L` to include symlinks

cd (change directory)

- ex. : moving to root directory :
`$ cd \`

cat (concatenate)

- prints file content to output

less

- quickly display less than a complete file contents
- scroll document's content with arrows
- quit by typing 'q'

man

- brings up a one-page interface to reference manuals about a linux command
ex. : `$ man ls`
- type `\`(backslash) followed by keywords to search into document
move forward to next keyword by typing 'n'
- quit by typing 'q'

Références

David Clinton (2018), Linux in Action dernière compilation :
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