



Linux





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What is Linux?

- Linux is an open source operating system
- Different distributions (or known as distros)
- Most common one is Ubuntu

Introduction



Usage

Introduction

- Servers
 - Development
 - Embedded Systems
 - Desktop
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What is an OS?

Introduction

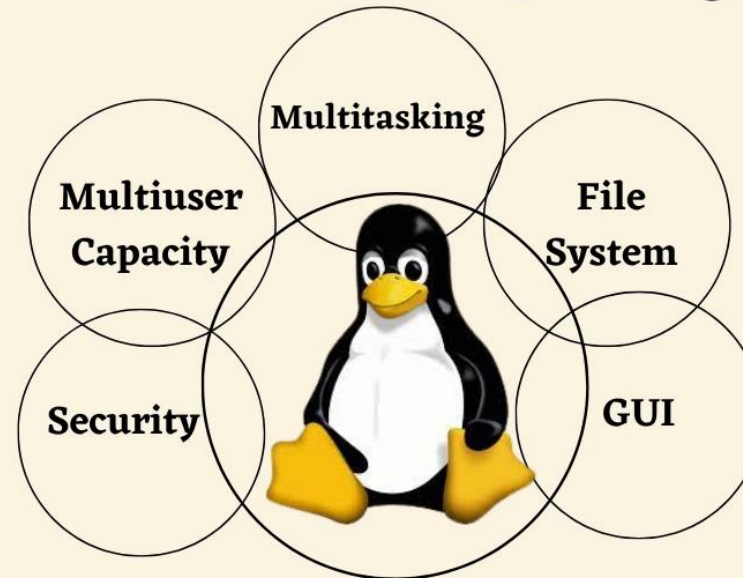
- software that manages computer hardware and software resources
- Ensures running programs don't interfere with each other
- Process Management
- Memory Management
- File System Management
- Device Management
- Security and Access Control
- User Interface



Features

Introduction

Features of the Linux Operating System





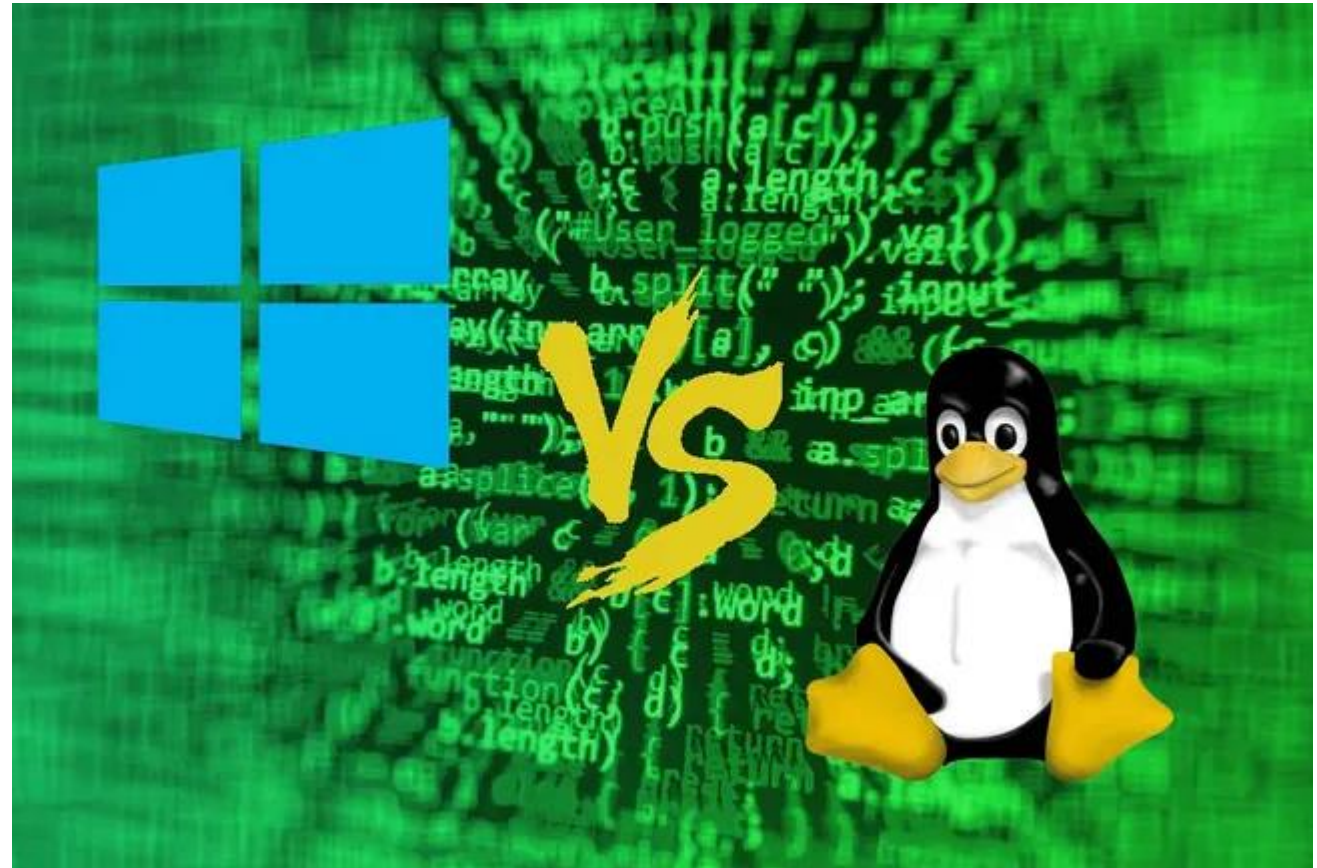
Naming

Introduction

- Named after Linus Torvalds
- Combo of **Linus** + Unix
- Developed it in 1991
- Initially was named: Freax
- Combo of: **Free**, **Freak**, Unix



Windows VS.
Linux





Which is better?

Windows VS.
Linux

- Linux and Windows.
- Each has its own set of unique features
- advantages and disadvantages.
- While it is difficult to say which one is the better choice
- it is not as difficult to answer which is the better choice given your needs.



Licensing

Windows VS. Linux

Windows

- Closed Source
- Need to Purchase a License to use it

Linux

- Open-Source
- Free or Low Cost



User Interface

Windows VS. Linux

Windows

- Known for its user-friendly GUI
- Customization: allows some customization, but is limited

Linux

- variety of desktop envs: GNOME, KDE, XFCE
- users normally use CLI extensively
- UI is highly customizable



Software Support

Windows VS. Linux

Windows

- Wide Compatibility
- Limited Open Source software

Linux

- Limited Proprietary software
 - Rich in open source software
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Security

Windows VS. Linux

Windows

- Target for malware
- Improved security over the years, with features like UAC

Linux

- Strong Security
 - Open Source Advantage
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Performance

Windows VS. Linux

Windows

- Resource Intensive
- Optimized for GUI

Linux

- Efficient and Lightweight
 - Scalable Performance
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Other differences



Windows VS.
Linux

- File System and Management
 - Updates and Software Management
 - Community and Support
 - Use Cases
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Quick Comparison

Windows VS. Linux

	Comparison	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Linux</u> • Open Source • Free • Free Software • Live CD Distribution • Secure • NO • Low Hardware Cost • Customizable add features 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Windows</u> • Closed Source • Cost 150\$-320\$ • Cost Software • NO • Insecure • Virus, Malware • High Hardware Cost • Not Customizable



Linux Commands

Linux Commands





Terminal

Linux Commands

- The Terminal is a text-based interface
- where all commands in Linux are run

Usage:

- File Management
- Process Management
- Text Manipulation
- Package Management
- Networking

Run:

- Let's Open a terminal
- Right click -> new terminal window



pwd command

- Get current working directory
- Always returns the “Absolute Path”

Linux Commands



ls command

Linux Commands

- Used for listing files and directories

Usage:

- 'ls' – list the files in current directory
- 'ls file/folder name' – list the files / folders per the given input
- 'll' – not a standard command it is an alias to 'ls -l'



ls command options

Linux Commands

- -r : reverse the order of listing
- -l : use long listing format
- -t : sort by modification time, newest first
- -a : do not ignore entries starting with .
- -d : list directories themselves, not their contents
- Combining options



history command

Linux Commands

- Used for list and use the command history used so far
- !n
- !!
- !-n
- -c option



Permission Categories

- User (Owner)
- Group
- Others

Linux Commands



Permission Types

- Read (r)
- Write (w)
- Execute (x)

Linux Commands



Changing Permissions

Linux Commands

- chmod command
- Examples:
- Add Permission: `chmod u+x file_name`
(add execute permission for the owner)
 - Remove Permission: `chmod g-w file_name`
(remove write permission for the group)
 - Set Exact Permissions: `chmod u=rwx,g=rx,o=r file_name`
(set permissions exactly)



Changing Permissions (numbers)

Linux Commands

- Permissions can also be represented using octal numbers

Each permission type has a numeric value:

- Read (r) = 4
- Write (w) = 2
- Execute (x) = 1

Combine these values to set permissions:

- 7 = rwx (4+2+1)
- 6 = rw- (4+2)
- 5 = r-x (4+1)
- 4 = r-- (4)

Example:

- `chmod 755 file_name`



mkdir command

Linux Commands

- Creates a new directory
- Usage:
- mkdir [options] directory_name
 - Create multiple directories at once



rmmdir command

Linux Commands

- Removes a directory
- What happens in case the directory exists?
- What if it exists and has some files and folders?
- What if it doesn't exist?
- Removing multiple directories
- Using relative / absolute path



cd command

Linux Commands

- cd = Change Directory
- Changes the current directory to the given one
- Relative path / Absolute path
- The '..' directory
- The '/' directory
- The '~' directory



echo command

Linux Commands

- Display a line of text to the terminal

Usage:

- `echo [options] [string]`

Example:

- `echo Hello, World!`
- `echo -e "Line 1\nLine 2"`



Redirection >

Linux Commands

- redirection is a technique used to change the default input and output sources for commands

Example:

- `echo "Hello MST World!" > "mst.txt"`

types of redirection:

- `>` Overwrite Redirection
- `>>` Append Redirection
- `2>&1` Redirects the standard error to the standard output



touch command

Linux Commands

- Creates a new empty file
- Usage:
- touch [options] file_name
 - Creating multiple files
 - What happens if the file exists?



cat command

Linux Commands

- concatenates and displays the contents of files

Usage:

- `cat [options] [file...]`
- Concatenate Multiple files
- Example:
- redirect output to new file
`cat file1.txt file2.txt > combined.txt`
- Create a New File
`cat > newfile.txt`
- Display line numbers
`cat -n file.txt`



less command

Linux Commands

- Linux is a pager program used for viewing the contents of a file one screen at a time
- View multiple files
- -N : show line numbers

Navigation:

- Scroll up/down [one line / one page]
- Go To begin/end
- Search forward/backward
- q - quit



grep command

Linux Commands

- Search for some data inside files
- `grep "Hello" mst.txt`
- `grep -l "Hello" *`
- here `*` means all files, since it is used as a wildcard
- `-i`: case insensitive
- `-c`: count
- `-r`: recursively



Pipelining |

Linux Commands

- Used to redirect the output of the current command to the input of the next command

Syntax:

- `command1 | command2 | command3`

Example:

- `cat mst.txt | grep "Hello"`



The ';' separator

- Can be used in order to run multiple commands in one line
- Example: `cat mst1.txt; cat mst2.txt`

Linux Commands



cp command

- Used to copy files / directories
- `cp mst.txt folder/mst2.txt`
- `-r`: recursive

Linux Commands



rm command

- removes files / directories
- rm mst.txt
- -r: recursive

Linux Commands



Process related commands

Linux Commands

- ps
 - top
 - kill
 - jobs
 - fg
 - bg
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Network & package management commands

Linux Commands

- ping
- curl
- wget
- netstat
- ss
- apt / dnf



vi text editor

Linux Commands

- i – insert
- dd – delete current row
- :q! – quit
- :wq! – write then quit
- / - searches forward in the file
- ? – searches backward in the file



Other commands

Linux Commands

- `wc -l`
 - `head`
 - `tail`
 - `more`
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Bash



BASH
THE BOURNE-AGAIN SHELL



What is Bash?

Bash

- Short for Bourne Again Shell
 - Command-Line Shell & Scripting language
 - Widely used in Unix-like OS and macOS
 - Default Shell for many Linux distros
 - Known for its versatility and Powerful features
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Key Features

Bash

- Command Line Interface
- Scripting Language
- Interactive Features
 - Command History
 - Tab Completion
- Job Control
- Pipes and Redirection |, >, <
- Variables and Control Structures
- Aliases and Functions



Basic Usage

Bash

- Create a new file with extension .sh
 - Include a shebang (#!/bin/hash) at the top
 - Write the commands
 - Make the file executable
 - Run the file
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Key Commands and Concepts

Bash

- Viewing Bash Version
 - Setting and Using Variables
 - Creating Aliases
 - Using Job Control
 - Scripting (Example)
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Script

- Live Example(s)

Bash



Thank You !!