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# Linux

Ubuntu installation tutorial

20 things to do after install Linux

Show the directory of package

```
dpkg --listfiles packagename
```

Check the disk usage:

df -hl

Change the font size of the terminal

```
Menu, Edit => Profile Preferences => General tab
```

### Install .NET on Ubuntu:

http://www.codeproject.com/Articles/1072008/Guide-for-building-Csharp-apps-on-Ubuntu-MonoProje

Remove "System Program Problem Detected" Messages From Ubuntu

```
sudo rm /var/crash/*
```

Alt+Tab does not work:

Solution: http://ubuntuforums.org/showthread.php?t=2211863

Update and upgrade

```
sudo apt-get update # update the sources of software
sudo apt-get upgrade # update software
sudo do-release-upgrade # upgrade to a newer release of Ubuntu
```

To set the input methods:

```
sudo apt-get install fcitx
```

Use: Keyboard-English(US)

Do not use: Keyboard-English(US, with international dead keys)

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The suspend of DELL not working Solution: upgrade the linux kernel. Steps:

1. Download the latest kernel from this link

For 64-bit Ubuntu, download the "\*amd64.deb\*" files. For 32-bit Ubuntu, download "\*i386.deb\*" files. Both the **header** and **image** files should be downloaded, e.g.:

linux-\*headers\*-4.6.2-040602 4.6.2-040602.201606072312 all.deb

linux-\*headers\*-4.6.2-040602-generic 4.6.2-040602.201606072312 amd64.deb

linux-\*image\*-4.6.2-040602-generic\_4.6.2-040602.201606072312\_amd64.deb

2. Use the following command to install deb files.

```
sudo dpkg -i fileName.deb
```

- 3. Restart to activate the new kernel.
- 4. Check the version of Linux kernel

```
uname -r # For the exact kernel version
```

#### To uninstall kernel:

```
sudo apt-get remove 'linux-headers-4.6.2*' 'linux-image-4.6.2*'
# Where 4.6.2 is the version of kernel that is to be removed.
```

### Alternatively, you could uninstall the unneeded kernals by:

```
sudo apt autoremove
```

### Check the version of Ubuntu:

```
uname -a # For all information regarding the kernel version, uname -r # For the exact kernel version lsb_release -a # For all information related to the Ubuntu version, lsb_release -r # For the exact version sudo fdisk -1 # For partition information with all details.
```

# Get the path directory java has been installed

```
update-alternatives --config java
```

### The way to install matplotlib:

```
sudo apt-get install python-matplotlib # For Python 2
sudo apt-get install python3-matplotlib # For Python 3
```

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### Change username:

```
sudo usermod -l newUsername oldUsername
sudo usermod -d /home/newHomeDir -m newUsername
```

#### Delete username:

```
deluser --remove-home usernameToBeDeletedD
```

# To change other users password:

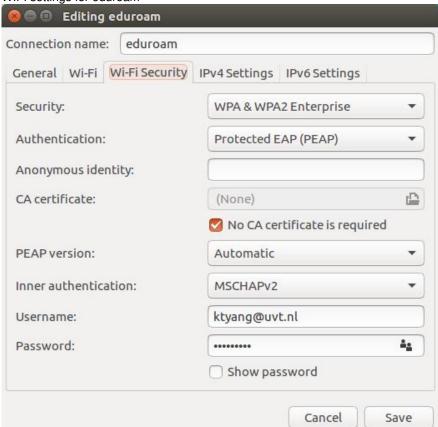
sudo passwd otherUser

# When wifi is not working:

```
rfkill list all # Check the status of wifi rfkill unblock all # Open the wifi
```

if you see "Hard blocked: yes", switch on the wifi hardware, then reboot.

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### Install Google Chrome

```
wget -q -0 - https://dl-ssl.google.com/linux/linux_signing_key.pub | sudo apt-key add -
sudo sh -c '
echo "deb http://dl.google.com/linux/chrome/deb/ stable main" >> /etc/apt/sources.list.d/google-ch
rome.list'
sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get install google-chrome-stable
```

### Install a new app (e.g. oracle-java8)

```
sudo add-apt-repository ppa:webupd8team/java
sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get install oracle-java8-installer
```

### Install a image editor: shutter

```
sudo apt-get install shutter
```

### Delete a folder and all its subfolders

```
sudo rm -r -f /path/
```

### Install MS office on Ubuntu:

Wine: https://wiki.winehq.org/Ubuntu

PlayOnLinux: <a href="http://www.tutonics.com/2012/12/easily-install-microsoft-office-in.html">http://www.tutonics.com/2012/12/easily-install-microsoft-office-in.html</a>
PlayOnLinux depends on winbind, therefore, using the following command install winbind:

Delete a folder and all its subfolders

sudo apt-get install winbind

#### **Files**

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