Basic Linux Commands

What You Will Learn

Some basic commands that are used often

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- `cd` - Changes the current directory.
- `pwd` - Displays the present working directory.
- `cat` - Concatenates and displays files.
- `echo` - Displays arguments to the screen.
- `man` - Displays the online manual.
- `exit` - Exits the shell or your current session.
- `clear` - Clears the screen.

`ls` Options

`-l`   long listing format

man Keyboard Commands

space - display the next page

q - quit

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Next Steps

- Practice using the commands

- Experiment

- Look at the man pages for `ls`
    - `man ls`