

# Genomics and Transcriptomics

## Class 02 - Introduction to Linux



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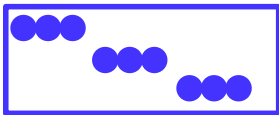
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# 6. User, groups and permissions

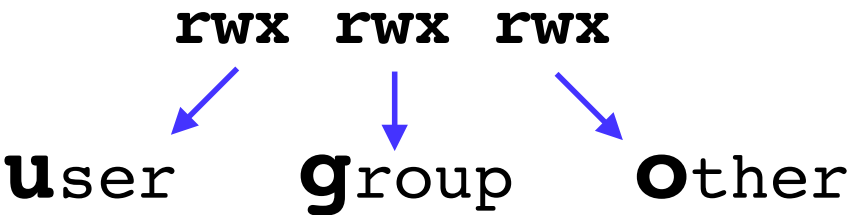
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## 6. User, groups and permissions

### Permissions:

Information about the file:

```
ls -l;           ls -l <target>
```

Examples:

```
-r--r--r--  
-rwxr--r--  
drw-rw-r--
```

→ Readable for everyone

→ Readable for everyone, writable or executable only for the user-owner

→ Dir readable and writable for user and group, readable for everyone.

To change the owner/group:

```
chown owner:group file
```

To change permissions:

```
chmod [ugo] [+ -=] [rwx] file  
chmod [0-7] [0-7] [0-7] file
```

```
| rwx | rwx | rwx |  
| 421 | 421 | 421 |
```

## 6. User, groups and permissions

### Permissions:

**sudo**, is a program for Unix-like computer operating systems that allows users to run programs with the security privileges of another user (normally the superuser, or root). Its name is a concatenation of the su command (which grants the user a shell for the superuser) and "do", or take action.

```
sudo cp ./myscript.pl /usr/local/bin
```



## 5. Basic Command Structure

### Exercise 2

1. List the permissions for the directory “exercise01”
2. Change the permissions to “r- - r - - r - -”
3. Change the working dir to “exercise01”

What happened? Why?

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## 7. Manipulating files

### Recap movement commands:

Find the present working directory

`pwd`

Change the working directory

`cd`

List files in the working directory

`ls`

## 7. Manipulating files

### Reading text files:

**less** — view sections of a file via scrolling

```
less file.txt
```

note 1: “q” to quit!

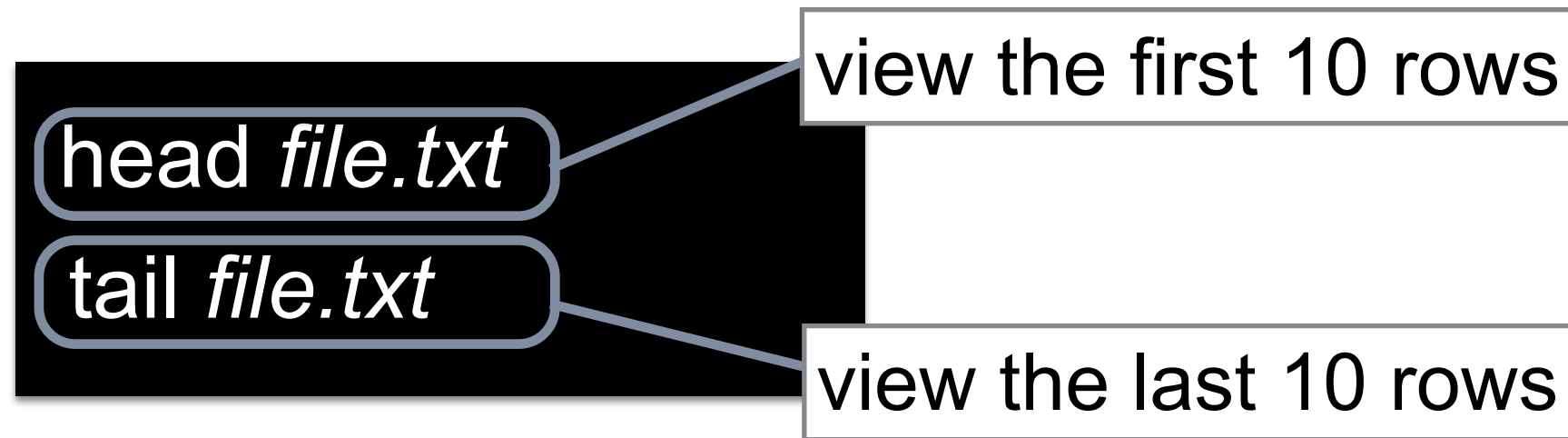
note 2: SPACE to scroll forward N lines!

note 3: less -N <file> open the file with the line number

note 4: less +n -N <file> opens to a particular line number

## 7. Manipulating files

### Reading text files:



note 1: use -n X to view more than the default 10 lines

(e.g., `head -n 20 file.txt` to view 20 lines)

## 7. Manipulating files

### Manipulating text files:

**cat** — combine multiple files

```
cat file1.txt file2.txt
```

Combines and prints the file.

```
cat file1.txt file2.txt > combined_file.txt
```

Combines the files and redirects the STDOUT to a new file.

Note: You can use `cat file.txt` to view the contents of a file, but should you?

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### Manipulating text files:

**mv** — move and/or rename a file

```
mv file1.txt file1_new.txt
```

Renames the file in the present location

```
mv file1.txt ~/Desktop/scripts/file1_new.txt
```

Renames the file and moves to a different directory.

## 7. Manipulating files

### Manipulating text files:

**cp** — copy a file

```
cp file1.txt file1_copy.txt
```

Copies a file in the pwd.

```
cp file1.txt ~/Desktop/file1_copy.txt
```

Copies a file to a new location.



## 7. Manipulating files

### Manipulating text files:

**touch** — marks a new timestamp on a file or creates an empty file if none exists



```
touch existing_file.txt
```

Mark a new timestamp

```
touch new_file.txt
```

Creates a new *empty* file in the pwd

**NB:** use filenames in lowercase with underscores rather than spaces

## 7. Manipulating files

### Manipulating text files:

**mkdir** — creates a new *empty* directory

**rmdir** — removes an *empty* directory

**mkdir trimmed**

Make a new directory

**mkdir -p reads/trimmed**

**rmdir trimmed**

Makes a new directory  
'trimmed' and parent  
directory 'reads'

Removes a directory  
adding -Rf removes the  
directory and all files

## 7. Manipulating files

### Manipulating text files:

**rm** — removes files

**rm *file1.txt***

removes a file in  
the pwd

**rm -rf trimmed/**

removes a directory and all  
of the contents (recursive 'r'  
and forced 'f')

**rm \*.sam**

removes all files ending  
in .sam in the pwd

**NB:** With great power comes great  
responsibility.

## 7. Manipulating files

### Manipulating text files:

**locate** — find a file quickly not resident on all systems

**find** — find a file with more options but slower



```
locate file.txt
```

find file by name

```
find file.txt
```

find file by name, age, owner,  
permissions, timestamp, file  
type, location...etc

**NB:** locate is a global search  
whereas find is local.

## 7. Manipulating files

COMMAND	USE	EXAMPLE
ls	List information	ls -lha /home
pwd	Print working directory	pwd
cd	Change directory	cd ..
less	Open a text file	less file.txt
head / tail	Print the first / last 10 lines	head file.txt
cat	Concatenate and print two files	cat file1.txt file2.txt
mv	Move (rename) a file	mv from/file.txt to/file.txt
cp	copy files	cp file1.txt file1_copy.txt
touch	Create an empty file or new timestamp	touch test.txt
mkdir	Create a new directory	mkdir test_dir
rmdir	Remove an empty directory	rmdir test_dir
rm -rf	Remove a directory and files	rm -rf test_dir
locate	Find files by name	locate file.txt
find	Find files by multiple categories	find ./test file.txt

## 5. Basic Command Structure

### Exercise 3

1. Download the file “Araport11\_genes.201606.pep.fasta.gz” using the following command:

```
wget https://www.arabidopsis.org/download\_files/Genes/Araport11\_genome\_release/Araport11\_blastsets/Araport11\_genes.201606.pep.fasta.gz
```

2. Unzip the file using the command  
`gunzip Araport11_genes.201606.pep.fasta.gz`
3. Print the first ten lines

## 5. Basic Command Structure

### Exercise 3

4. Create a new directory called “Sequences”
5. Move the “Araport11\_genes.201606.pep.fasta” file into the new directory
6. Print the last twenty lines

## 7. Manipulating files

### Controlling the STDOUT:

#### 1. Redirecting into a file

Use of “>” symbol - Create and add (it overwrites!!!)

```
doej@annona:~$ ls > test_capture_ls.txt
```

Use of “>>” symbol - Append

```
doej@annona:~$ ls >> test_capture_ls.txt
```



## 7. Manipulating files

### Controlling the STDOUT:

#### 2. Redirecting into a new command (pipe)

Use of “|” symbol -Pipe the STDOUT of a command into a new one

```
[doej@annona:~$ ls exercise01/ | grep 01  
test01.txt
```

## 7. Manipulating files

### Other commands to extract information from files:

COMMAND	USE	EXAMPLE
grep	Print matching lines as STDOUT	grep 'ATG' myfile
cut	Cut columns and print as STDOUT	cut -f1 myfile
sort	Sort lines and print as STDOUT	sort myfile
uniq	Select uniq words (-c to count uniq).	uniq -c myfile
sed	Replace occurrences, print lines STDOUT	sed 's/ATG/CTG/' myfile
wc	Word count	wc myfile

## 5. Basic Command Structure

### Exercise 4

NOTE: To execute the exercise 4, it is necessary to know what a FASTA file is. For more information check:

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/FASTA\\_format](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/FASTA_format)

```
>AT1G01010.1 | NAC domain containing protein 1 | Chr1:3760-5630 FORWARD LENGTH=429 | 201606
MEDQVGFGRPNDEELVGHYLRNKIEGNTSRDVEVAISEVNICSYDPWNLRFQSKYKSRD
AMWYFFSRRENNKGNRQSRTTVSGKWKL TGESVEVKDQWGFCSEGFRGKIGHKRVLVFLD
GRYPDKTKSDWVIHEFHLDLLPEHQRTYVICRLEYKGDDADILSAY AIDPTPAFVPNMTS
SAGSVVNQSRQRNSGSYNTYSEYDSANHGQQFNENSNIMQQQPLQGSFNPLLEYDFANHG
GQWLSDYIDLQQQVPYLAPYENESEMIWKHVIEENFEFLVDERTSMQQHYSDHRPKKPV
GVLPDDSSDTETGSMIFEDTSSSTD SVGSSDEPGHTRIDDIPSLNII EPLHNYKAQE QPK
QQSKEKVISSQKSECEWKMAEDSIKIPPSTNTVKQSWIVLENAQWNYLKNMIIGVLLFIS
VISWIILVG
>AT1G01020.1 | ARV1 family protein | Chr1:6915-8666 REVERSE LENGTH=245 | 201606
MAASEHRCVGCGRVKS LFIQYSPGNIRLMKCGNCKEVADEYIECERMIIFIDLILHRPK
VYRHVLYNAINPATVNIQHLLWKLVFAYLLLD CYRSLLLRKSDEESSFSDSPVLLSIKVL
IGVLSANAAFIISFAIATKGLLNEVSRREIMLGIFISSYFKIFLLAMLVWEFPM SVIFF
VDILLTNSMALKVMTESMTRCIAVCLIAHLIRFLVGQIF EPTIFLIQIGSLLQYMSY
FFRIV
>AT1G01020.2 | ARV1 family protein | Chr1:7315-8666 REVERSE LENGTH=191 | 201606
MAASEHRCVGCGRVKS LFIQYSPGNIRLMKCGNCKEVADEYIECERMIIFIDLILHRPK
VYRHVLYNAINPATVNIQHLLWKLVFAYLLLD CYRSLLLRKSDEESSFSDSPVLLSIKVL
IGVLSANAAFIISFAIATKGLLNEVSRREIMLGIFISSYFKIFLLAMLVCCSFTSHLIP
NIEVPNFLSIP
```

## 5. Basic Command Structure

### Exercise 4

1. Using the file from the Exercise 3  
“Araport11\_genes.201606.pep.fasta” print  
all the lines with the “>” symbol
2. Print all the lines with the sequence  
“LCLCL”
3. Count how many sequences are in the file  
with grep

## 5. Basic Command Structure

### Exercise 4

4. Using the redirection symbol, capture all the sequence IDs from the file in a new file names “seqids.txt”
5. Using the pipe command print only the first ten sequence IDs
6. Count how many “kinases” are in the *Arabidopsis thaliana* proteome

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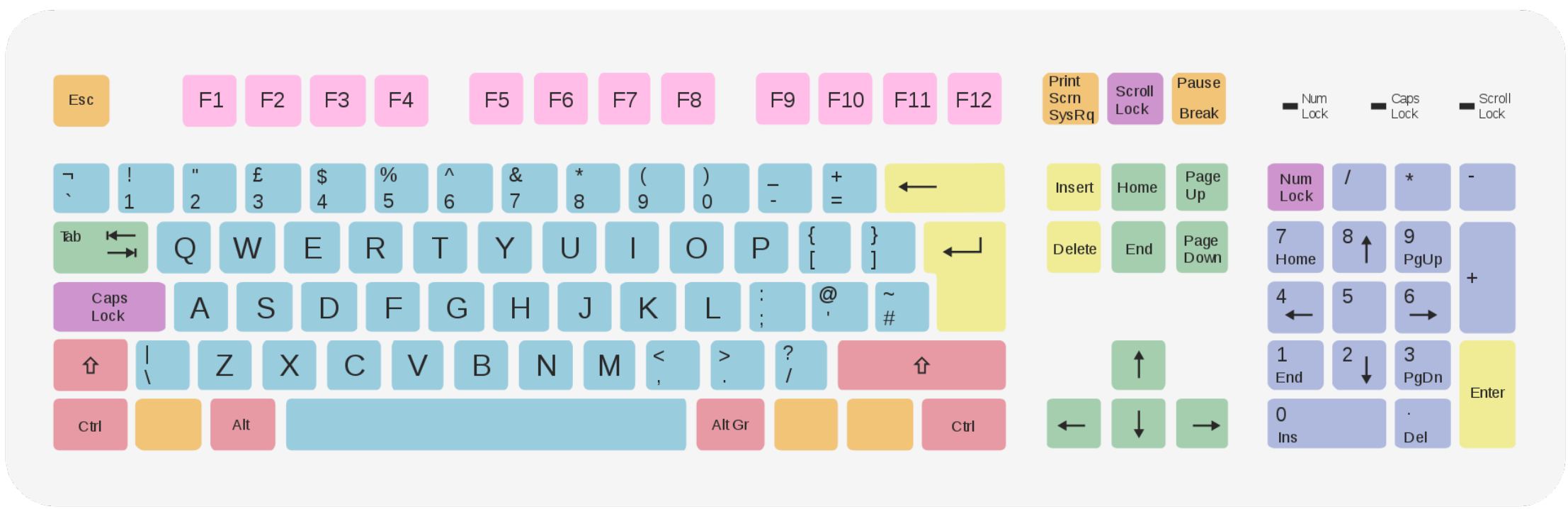
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# 8. Shortcuts

Shortcuts are combinations of keys with specific functions

MODIFIER KEY + CHARACTER KEY



- Character keys
- Enter and editing keys
- Navigation keys
- Numeric keypad
- Modifier keys
- System and GUI keys
- Function keys
- Lock keys

## 8. Shortcuts



Tab to autocomplete names  
or show all matches

```
doej@annona:~$ ls  
exercise01  
doej@annona:~$ cd e
```

Type "cd e"

↓ Push Tab

```
[doej@annona:~$ ls  
exercise01  
[doej@annona:~$ cd exercise01/
```

It will autocomplete



## 8. Shortcuts



Tab to autocomplete names  
or show all matches

```
doej@annona:~/exercise01$ less test0
```

Type "less te"

↓ Push Tab

```
test01.txt test02.txt
```

It gives you two options

↓ Type 1 + push Tab

```
doej@annona:~/exercise01$ less test01.txt
```

It will autocomplete

## 8. Shortcuts



Up arrow to move up in history  
Down arrow to move back in history

Command history is in:

`~/.bash_history`

## 8. Shortcuts

COMMAND	ACTION
Tab	Autocomplete files or folder names
↑	Scroll up in the command history
↓	Scroll down in the command history
Ctrl + a	Go to the beginning of the active line
Ctrl + e	Go to the end of the line active line
Ctrl + u	Clear the line up to the cursor
Ctrl + c	Kill the active process
Ctrl + d	Exit the current shell
Ctrl + z	Put the active process in the background. Use command fg to recover it.

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## 9. Environmental Variables

There are two types of variables in a Linux shell:

### 1) System variables

Variables defined by the system such as home dir or the executable path.

### 2) User defined variables

Variables defined by the user during a bash session.

# 9. Environmental Variables

## System variables

SYSTEM VARIABLE	MEANING
SHELL	Shell name
BASH	Shell name
BASH_VERSION	Shell version
COLUMNS	Number of columns printed on the screen
LINES	Number of lines printed on the screen
HOME	Home directory
LOGNAME	Login name
OSTYPE	Operating system type
PATH	Path directories
PS1	Prompt settings
PWD	Current working directory
USERNAME	Username currently logged in to the system

## 9. Environmental Variables

### Commands to interact with system variables

**set** — prints the commands for setting environmental variables

**env** — prints the environmental variables

**set**  
**env**

```
~ — bombarelya@annona: ~ — ssh bombarelya@159.149.160.131 ...SA_work/PROJECTS/2019_MANGO_GENOME/01_Genome — zandr@annona: ~ — -bash ~ — -bash
bombarelya@annona:~$ env
LS_COLORS=rs=0:di=01;34:ln=01;36:mh=00:pi=40;33:so=01;35:do=01;35:bd=40;33;01:cd=40;33;01:or=40;31;01:mi=00:su=37;41:sg=30;43:ca=30;4
;42:st=37;44:ex=01;32:*.tar=01;31:*.tgz=01;31:*.arc=01;31:*.arj=01;31:*.taz=01;31:*.lha=01;31:*.lz4=01;31:*.lzh=01;31:*.lzma=01;31:*.
01;31:*.tzo=01;31:*.t7z=01;31:*.zip=01;31:*.z=01;31:*.Z=01;31:*.dz=01;31:*.gz=01;31:*.lrz=01;31:*.lz=01;31:*.lzo=01;31:*.xz=01;31:*.z
01;31:*.bz2=01;31:*.bz=01;31:*.tbz=01;31:*.tbz2=01;31:*.tz=01;31:*.deb=01;31:*.rpm=01;31:*.jar=01;31:*.war=01;31:*.ear=01;31:*.sar=0
*.alz=01;31:*.ace=01;31:*.zoo=01;31:*.cpio=01;31:*.7z=01;31:*.rz=01;31:*.cab=01;31:*.wim=01;31:*.swm=01;31:*.dwm=01;31:*.esd=01;31:*.
=01;35:*.mjpg=01;35:*.mjpeg=01;35:*.gif=01;35:*.bmp=01;35:*.pbm=01;35:*.pgm=01;35:*.ppm=01;35:*.tga=01;35:*.xbm=01;35:*.xpm=01;35:*.t
01;35:*.png=01;35:*.svg=01;35:*.svgz=01;35:*.mng=01;35:*.pcx=01;35:*.mov=01;35:*.mpg=01;35:*.mpeg=01;35:*.m2v=01;35:*.mkv=01;35:*.web
;35:*.mp4=01;35:*.m4v=01;35:*.mp4v=01;35:*.vob=01;35:*.qt=01;35:*.nuv=01;35:*.wmv=01;35:*.asf=01;35:*.rm=01;35:*.rmvb=01;35:*.flc=01
.fli=01;35:*.flv=01;35:*.gl=01;35:*.dl=01;35:*.xcf=01;35:*.xwd=01;35:*.yuv=01;35:*.cgm=01;35:*.emf=01;35:*.ogv=01;35:*.ogx=01;35:*.a
36:*.flac=00;36:*.m4a=00;36:*.mid=00;36:*.midi=00;36:*.mka=00;36:*.mp3=00;36:*.mpc=00;36:*.ogg=00;36:*.ra=00;36:*.wav=00;36:*.oga=00
*.spx=00;36:*.xspf=00;36:
SSH_CONNECTION=188.216.6.130 57267 159.149.160.131 22
LESSCLOSE=/usr/bin/lesspipe %s %s
LANG=en_US.UTF-8
XDG_SESSION_ID=922
USER=bombarelya
PWD=/data/bombarelya
HOME=/data/bombarelya
SSH_CLIENT=188.216.6.130 57267 22
XDG_DATA_DIRS=/usr/local/share:/usr/share:/var/lib/napst/desktop
SSH_TTY=/dev/pts/0
MAIL=/var/mail/bombarelya
TERM=xterm-256color
SHELL=/bin/bash
SHLVL=1
LOGNAME=bombarelya
XDG_RUNTIME_DIR=/run/user/1001
PATH=/data/bombarelya/.local/bin:/usr/local/sbin:/usr/local/bin:/usr/sbin:/usr/bin:/sbin:/bin:/usr/games:/usr/local/games:/snap/bin
LESSOPEN=| /usr/bin/lesspipe %s
_=/usr/bin/env
OLDPWD=/data/bombarelya/Suaveolentes
```

## 9. Environmental Variables

### Commands to interact with system variables

**echo** — prints the environmental variable **value**

All caps for an  
env variable

```
echo $PATH
```

\$ calls the  
variable  
**value**

Shows the PATH to  
executables. Using  
quotes here is not  
absolute but good  
practice.



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### Commands to interact with system variables

**export** — Create an env. variable for all child processes

NO SPACES!

Adds old  
PATH values

```
export PATH=/home/user/scripts:$PATH
```

Adds a program  
executable dir (/home/  
user/scripts/) to the  
executable PATH.

## 9. Environmental Variables

### Commands to interact with system variables

What about adding multiple new paths

```
export PATH=/home/user/scripts:/home/user/software:$PATH
```

Paths are separated by  
a ':' including \$PATH

```
export PATH=/home/user/scripts:$PATH  
export PATH=/home/user/software:$PATH
```

## 9. Environmental Variables

### User defined variables

Syntax is important

This creates a defined variable that is a shortcut to login to BlueRidge

```
TEST_VAR='~/.bashrc'
```

```
echo $TEST_VAR
```

Returns the value of the variable.

```
cat $TEST_VAR
```

Executes the command.

Note: Remove unwanted variables with:  
**unset** 'variable name'.

## 9. Environmental Variables

### Commands to interact with system variables

**source** —execute commands from a file name

```
source home/user/scripts/myscript.sh
```

Will execute the shell  
script 'myscript.sh'

## 9. Environmental Variables

### Commands to interact with system variables

COMMAND	MEANING
env	Print environment variables
set	Print shell variables
echo	Print environment variable <b>value</b>
export	Create an env. variable available to all child processes
alias	Provide a short name for a long string
source	Execute commands from a file name

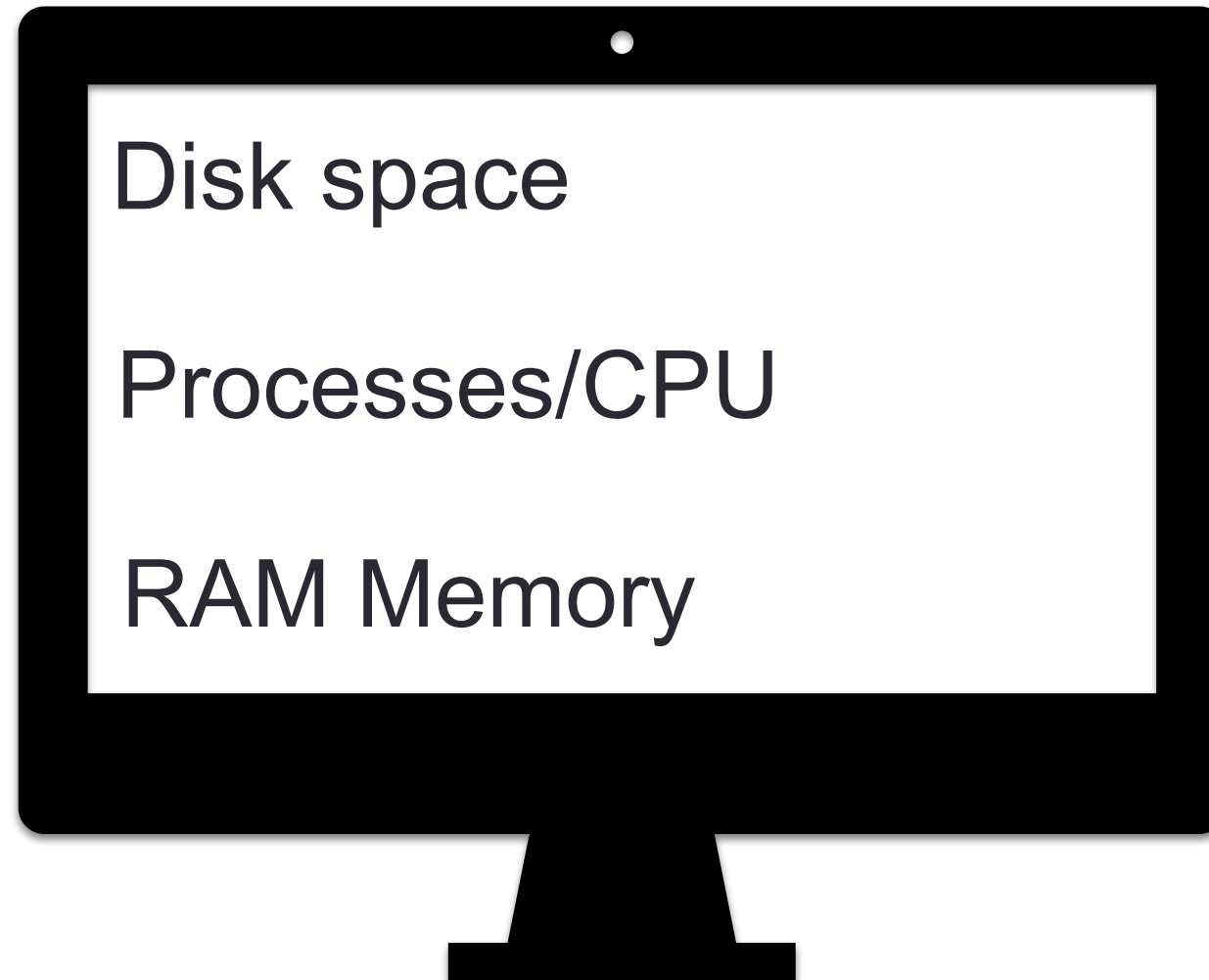
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## 10. Monitoring resources



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### How much disk space is available?

**df** — disk free prints available disk space for all the partitions

```
[bombarelya@annona:~$ df -lh
Filesystem      Size  Used Avail Use% Mounted on
udev            126G   0    126G   0% /dev
tmpfs           26G    2.5M   26G    1% /run
/dev/sdb2       879G   17G   818G    2% /
tmpfs           126G   0    126G   0% /dev/shm
tmpfs           5.0M   0     5.0M   0% /run/lock
tmpfs           126G   0    126G   0% /sys/fs/cgroup
/dev/loop1       92M    92M     0 100% /snap/core/8592
/dev/sdb1       511M   6.1M  505M    2% /boot/efi
/dev/sdd1       11T    6.1T   4.3T   59% /data
tmpfs           26G   0     26G   0% /run/user/1001
/dev/loop2       92M    92M     0 100% /snap/core/8689
tmpfs           26G   0     26G   0% /run/user/1006
tmpfs           26G   0     26G   0% /run/user/1013
```

Note: Use `df -lh` to print in human readable form



## 10. Monitoring resources

### How much disk space I am using?

**du** — disk usage prints the disk space used by a directory

```
[doej@annona:~$ du -lh
4.0K    ./exercise01
4.0K    ./cache
4.0K    ./gnupg/private-keys-v1.d
8.0K    ./gnupg
36K     .
```

Note: Use `du -lh` to print in human readable form

## 10. Monitoring resources

### Which process are being run?

**top** — prints real time processes

```
top - 00:25:27 up 22 days, 15:10,  1 user,  load average: 2.42, 2.01, 2.20
Tasks: 691 total,  2 running, 389 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
%Cpu(s):  3.1 us,  0.0 sy,  0.0 ni, 96.9 id,  0.0 wa,  0.0 hi,  0.0 si,  0.0 st
KiB Mem : 26378531+total, 1369348 free, 1157384 used, 26125857+buff/cache
KiB Swap: 8388604 total, 8370684 free,  17920 used, 26078164+avail Mem
```

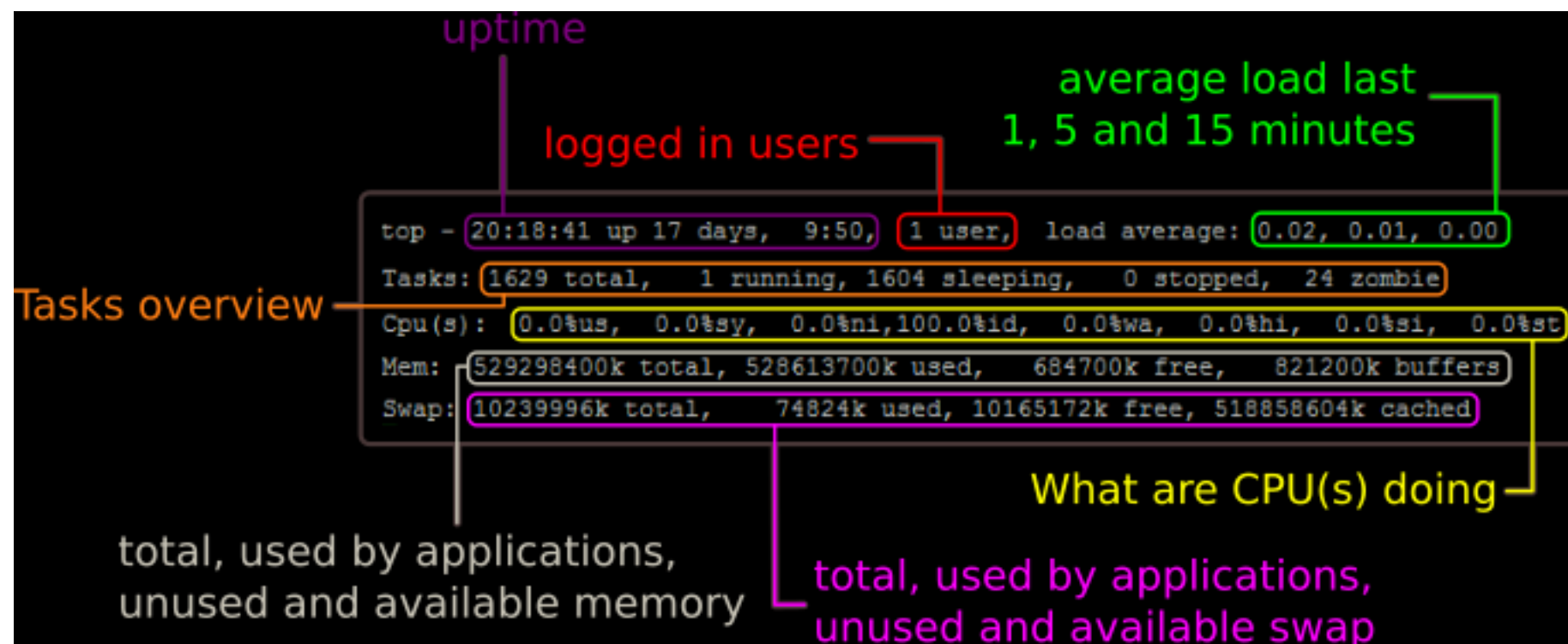
PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
4661	bombare+	20	0	4433200	37976	5164	R	199.7	0.0	2:58.13	iqtree
4740	doej	20	0	43452	4568	3232	R	1.0	0.0	0:00.19	top
1	root	20	0	78324	9376	6736	S	0.0	0.0	1:24.34	systemd
2	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.54	kthreadd
4	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/0:0H
7	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	mm_percpu_wq
8	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:17.52	ksoftirqd/0

Note: Use “q” to exit/quit

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PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
20661	root	20	0	16240	2464	940	R	1.3	0.0	0:01.26	top
259	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.3	0.0	35:09.29	[events/0]
1	root	20	0	19352	1356	1136	S	0.0	0.0	1:21.78	/sbin/init
2	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:01.72	[kthreadd]
3	root	RT	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	185:39.80	[migration/0]
4	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	2:19.44	[ksoftirqd/0]
5	root	RT	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	[stopper/0]
6	root	RT	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	7:47.93	[watchdog/0]
7	root	RT	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	140:04.82	[migration/1]
8	root	RT	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	[stopper/1]
9	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:45.51	[ksoftirqd/1]
10	root	RT	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	8:30.42	[watchdog/1]

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### Which process are being run?

**ps aux** — report a snapshot of the current processes.

```
[doej@annona:~$ ps aux
```

USER	PID	%CPU	%MEM	VSZ	RSS	TTY	STAT	START	TIME	COMMAND
root	1	0.0	0.0	78324	9376	?	Ss	Feb16	1:24	/sbin/init
root	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	S	Feb16	0:00	[kthreadd]
root	4	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	I<	Feb16	0:00	[kworker/0:0H]
root	7	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	I<	Feb16	0:00	[mm_percpu_wq]
root	8	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	S	Feb16	0:17	[ksoftirqd/0]
root	9	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	I	Feb16	30:06	[rcu_sched]
root	10	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	I	Feb16	0:00	[rcu_bh]
root	11	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	S	Feb16	0:02	[migration/0]
root	12	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	S	Feb16	0:04	[watchdog/0]
root	13	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	S	Feb16	0:00	[cpuhp/0]
root	14	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	S	Feb16	0:00	[cpuhp/1]
root	15	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	S	Feb16	0:02	[watchdog/1]

Note: Use “q” to exit/quit

## 10. Monitoring resources

### How much memory is available?

**free mem** — get a detailed report on the system's memory usage

```
[doej@annona:~$ free mem -g
```

	total	used	free	shared	buff/cache	available
Mem:	251	1	1	0	249	248
Swap:	7	0	7			

Note: Use -g to see the results in Gb

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## 11. Networking

### Checking internet connection:

**ping** — test the ability of the source computer to reach a specified destination computer

```
ping www.google.com  
ping www.unimit.it  
ping 159.149.160.131
```

Note: Stop the process with CTR + C



## 11. Networking

### Connecting to a remote host:

**ssh** — create a secure shell connection from the terminal.

```
ssh userid@servername  
ssh userid@serverip  
ssh userid@servername -p portname
```

```
username: does  
remote host: 159.149.160.131  
port: 22
```

## 11. Networking

### Connecting to a remote host:

**ssh** — create a secure shell connection from the terminal.

```
ssh doe@159.149.160.131 -p 22
```

username: doe

remote host: 159.149.160.131

port: 22

## 11. Networking

### Copy a file FROM a remote host:

**scp** — copy a file from a host to your computer

```
scp username@address:<file_path> <local_location>
```

username: does

remote host: 159.149.160.131

port: 22

## 11. Networking

### Copy a file TO a remote host:

**scp** — copy a file from your computer to a host

```
scp <local_location> username@address:<remote>
```

username: does

remote host: 159.149.160.131

port: 22

## 11. Networking

### Download a file from a public FTP site:

**wget** — Download a file from a public site

```
wget ftp://ftp.solgenomics.net/genomes/Solanum_lycopersicum/  
annotation/ITAG3.2_release/ITAG3.2_proteins.fasta
```

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### Download a file from a public FTP site:

**wget** — transfer information to or from a web based location ***not available by default on OS X***

```
wget ftp://ftp.solgenomics.net/tomato_genome/annotation/  
ITAG2.4_release/ITAG2.4_assembly.gff3
```

**curl** — transfer information to or from a web based location

```
curl -O "ftp://ftp.solgenomics.net/tomato_genome/annotation/  
ITAG2.4_release/ITAG2.4_assembly.gff3"
```

Note: curl option -O keeps the original file name. Use option -o to rename the file on download (eg, curl "http" -o xyz.txt)

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## 12. Installing programs

### Ways to Install Programs:

#### 1) Using **Packages Managers**

- 1.1) Graphical package manager  
(Example: Synaptic for Ubuntu).
- 1.2) High level command-line package manager  
(Example: apt for Debian, Yum for Red Hat)
- 1.3) Low level command-line package manager  
(Example: dpkg for Debian, rpm for Red Hat)

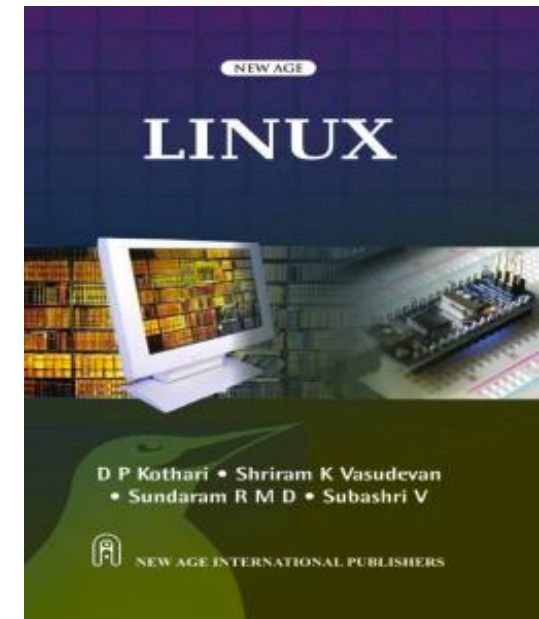
#### 2) Moving **Executable** file program to the PATH\* and the libraries need to their corresponding locations.

- 2.1) Precompiled.
- 2.2) From-source.



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- Book: Linux
- Publisher: New Age International
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- Chapter 1, 2, 3



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- Book: The Linux command line : a complete
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- Date: 2011
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