

Some Useful Linux Commands

Command	Function	Example
yppasswd	Change the password of your account	
pwd	Display the current working directory	pwd
ls	List the files in the current working directory	ls
cd	Change directory to your home directory	cd
cd [directoryname]	Change directory to [directoryname]	cd /home/ex3/ex3_2013/asm
cd ..	Move up one directory	
mkdir [directoryname]	Create a new directory [directoryname]	mkdir ex3work
cp -r [dir1] [dir2]	Copy [dir1] to [dir2] ; create [dir2] if it doesn't exist.	cp -r /home/ex3/ex3_2013 ex3work
less [filename]	Show the content of [filename], and you can exit to enter q	less test.asm
gedit [filename]	Start up gedit and you can edit the content of [filename].	gedit test.asm
vi [filename]	Edit the content of [filename] on vi	vi test.asm

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