

Exercise for topic: Linux

1. Configuration of the KDE Desktop

Carry out different steps of the configuration to customize your KDE screen.

First copy a small photo about you into your RISC home directory:

/home/<yourlogin>/Desktop, the photo will be visible on the Desktop as an icon.

1. Create Keyboard Layouts for KDE

- create at least three different layouts (the english, the german layout, and the layout for your country, too, (or something else, if it's the german one).
- make a screen shot about the final configuration of the keyboard layout.

2. Create Multiple Desktops

- choose 8 multiple desktops, please

3. Create KDE desktop icons for the following applications:

1. gnome-nettool
2. gmpayer
3. firefox
4. thunderbird
5. gimp
6. k3b
7. Mathematica 6.0

(check with '*which mathematica*' for the path for the application.)

- make a full screen shot about the KDE screen, after you created the desktop icons.
- invoke *gmpayer* and *K3B*, and make a full screen shot where both applications are visible.

4. Create KDE toolbar applets for the following applets in the given order from left to right:

1. System monitor
2. Weather report
3. Clock

5. Create the following KDE toolbar applications:

1. Thunderbird (Icedove)
2. Firefox (Icweasel)
3. Konsole

6. Create a full screen shot with the items created in steps 4 and 5.
7. Copy all screen shots to your RISC account, into the
/home/<yourlogin>/exercises/linux directory with appropriate names.

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