

# The Linux File System

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- A **file system** controls how data is stored and retrieved.
- Each group of data is called a **file** and the structure and the logic rules used to manage files and their names are called **file systems**.
- A file system is a logical collection of files on a partition or disk.
- On a Linux system, everything is considered to be a file.
- On Linux file and directory names are case-sensitive.