

Unit 3 — Operating Systems



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CLI (Command line interface)

a text-only link between a computer and its operator

"The technician enjoyed administering the Unix server with the CLI tools."

Compression

a method of packing data in order to save disk storage space or download time

"Zip and mp3 are examples of two common file compression algorithms."

Device driver

software which converts the data from a component or peripheral into data that an operating system can use

"The IT support technician asked the end user if he had recently updated any device drivers."

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