

# Starting and Stopping CentOS 7

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# Exam Objectives



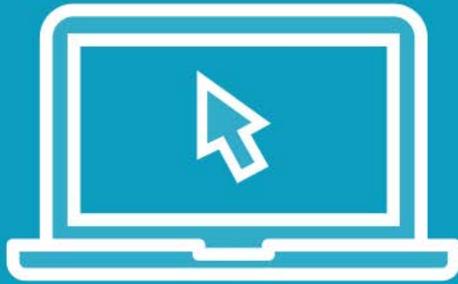
**Boot, reboot, and shutdown a system safely**

**Boot systems into different runlevels manually**

**Manipulate the Linux system during the boot process**



# Demo



**Messaging Users**

**Shutdown commands**

**Changing runlevels**

**Setting the default runlevel**

**Booting to rescue.target**



# Messaging Users

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# Shutdown Commands

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# Changing Runlevels & Setting Default

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# Booting to Rescue.Target

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```
# init 0  
# init 6  
# poweroff  
# reboot  
# shutdown -r 10 "Message to display"  
# wall
```

## Rebooting and Shutdown



```
# who -r
```

```
# runlevel
```

```
# systemctl get-default
```

```
# systemctl set-default multi-user.target
```

# Runlevels



# Boot to Rescue



**ESC in GRUB**

**e to edit**

**Search for linux16 line and ctrl + e**

**Append `systemd.unit=rescue.target`**



Next Up: The Boot Process

