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Getting Comfortable

150 of 300 hours

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During my third 50 hours on the job, I learned more and more about my role and what was expected of me during my internship. I was still responsible for staying engaged and asking questions, but the reins had loosened. My supervisor let me figure things out for myself while keeping near if I had questions. I felt much more comfortable during this time.

One of my main objectives during these 50 hours was improving skills. This period of my internship was solidifying the new skills I had learned from the previous 100 hours. I was able to recall Linux commands more easily and remember their use and purpose without needing much help. I also learned a few more commands such as `-df`, `grep`, `cat`, and some of the functions used while in `vi`.

Continuing the trend from my previous hours, the key challenge I faced was retaining the information. To overcome this, I continued to rely on my notes. However, I needed the notes less and less for daily tasks. I continued to ask questions when needed. By the end, I felt confident and was able to take care of tasks with little to no supervision. The next 50 hours will come with new challenges as I will be learning a new system.

In conclusion, these 50 hours helped me to gain confidence and allowed me to become more comfortable with my daily work. I was able to gain more independence as I continued to learn more Linux commands and their functions.