

Desktop Customization

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- ▶ **Ubuntu Linux OS version 14.04**



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- ▶ makes it easy to access frequently used applications.



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- ▶ So, we can launch a program by clicking on its "desktop shortcut" on the Launcher.



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- ▶ **Gedit and so on.**



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- ▶ To make it more convenient, we can use "Workspace Switcher".



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- ▶ In case we delete a file accidentally, we can restore it from "Trash".



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- ▶ Gives certificates to those who pass an online test
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