

HOW TO STARTUP PROMPT UNDER LINUX

1. When you bring up the Server from a cold start the messages on the screen will pause for a few seconds at:

Red Hat Linux

Then continue displaying several pages with (OK) on the right side of the screen. You do not have to watch for the OK, just give it a minute to load the operating system services.

2. When all Linux services are started there will be a prompt for login like this:
prompt login:

Type **edx** (press **enter**) - edx must be in lower case

Password: **prompt** (press **enter**) - prompt must be in lower case

3. The PROMPT start up routine will run as explained below:

- A cleanup routine runs to fix problems if the system was not shut down properly
- The Database Manager will load
- The database usage is checked and if more that 80% of the allocated space is used the terminal will beep 5 times and a usage report will print, but the startup will not stop
- A quick file unlock routine will run
- All network terminals will start and the PROMPT system is up when you see:

PROMPT JOBSTREAM LANGUAGE INITIALIZATION COMPLETE

4. To begin using use PROMPT on the Server, press **AltF2** and log in with your User ID and Password.
5. To have a LINUX logon prompt press **AltF3** and login as: **edx** Password: **prompt**
You will get enlarged letters EDX on the screen. Press **F8** to get > and type \$exit (press enter). This will give you a \$ prompt. Press **Alt F2** to return to your PROMPT page.
6. Now that all windows are open, pressing **Alt F1** (red) changes to the console to show logging messages on \$SYSLOG, pressing **Alt F2** (blue) shows your PROMPT workstation on the server that is named #SYSLOG, and **Alt F3** gives a LINUX prompt that is used to check the tape backup process.