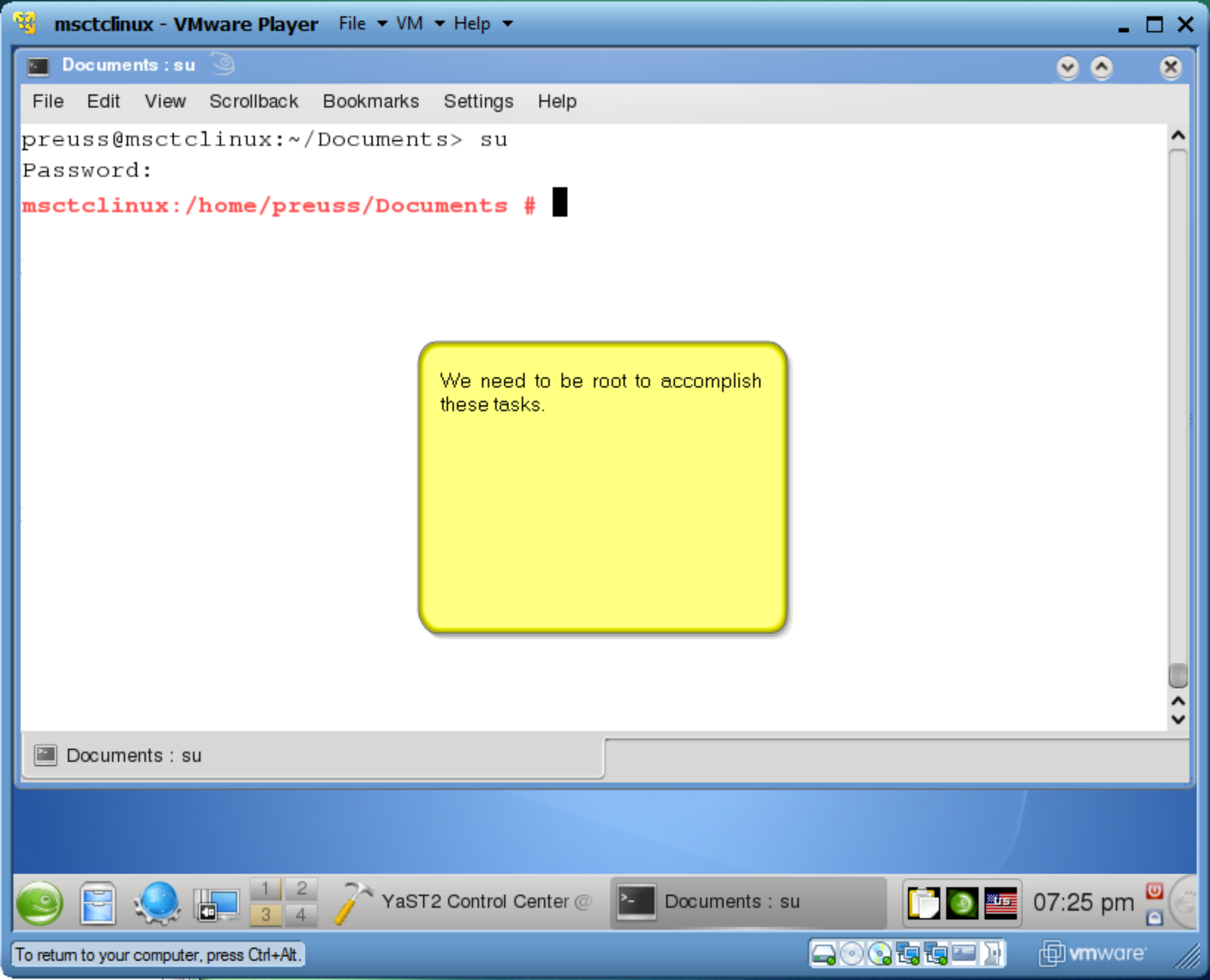
Demonstrate using the command line to create and configure a login for Alphonse Albatross. The login requirements are Alphonse's name must be part of the login, the account is enabled, has a password, has a home directory, and the account must expire at the end of the semester. Alphonse must be a member of dialout, floppy, users and video groups. Demonstrate successfully login to your system as the created Alphonse account.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msctclinux:/home/preuss/Documents #
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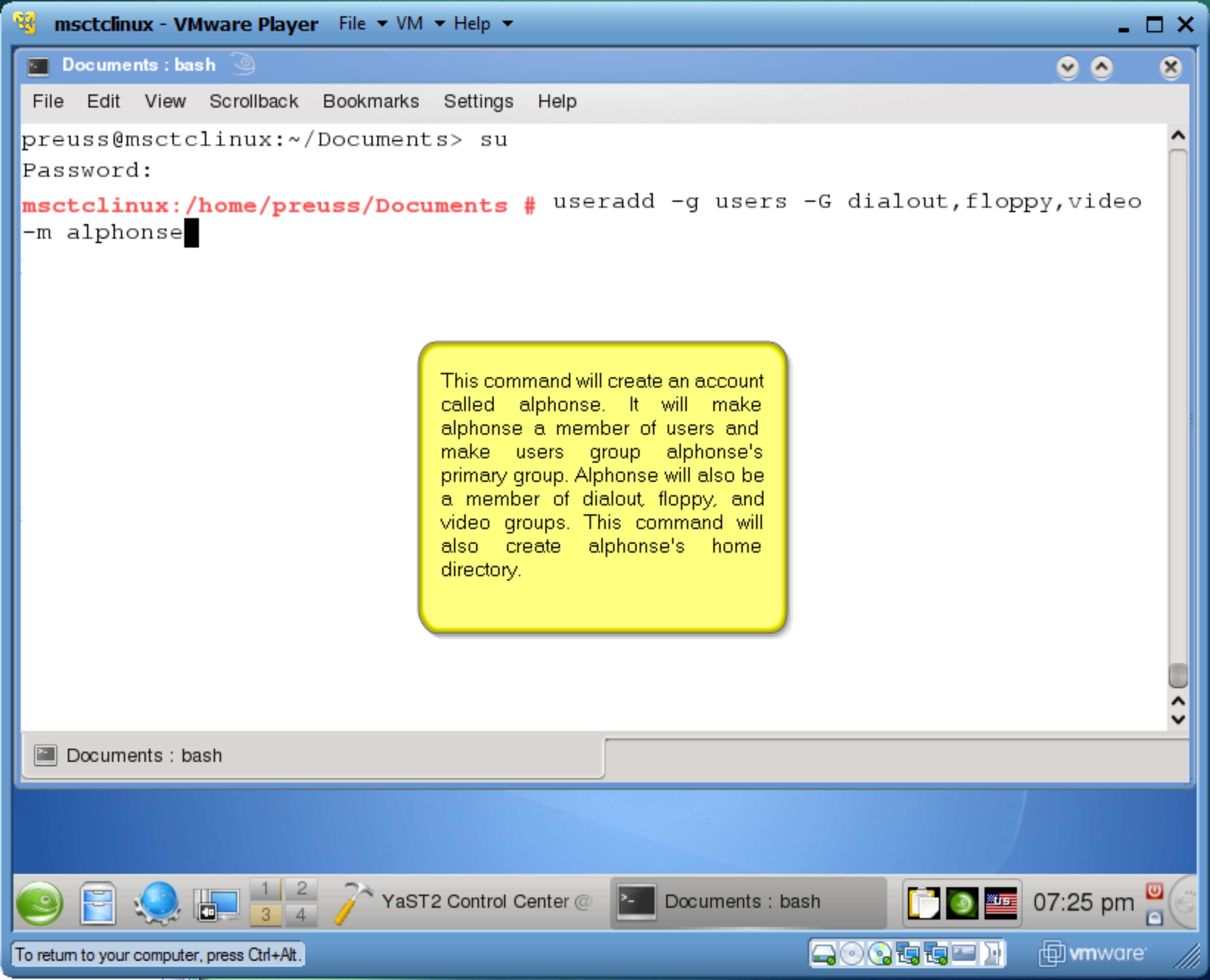
We need to be root to accomplish these tasks.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preuss@msctclinux:~/Documents> su
Password:
msctclinux:/home/preuss/Documents # useradd -g users -G dialout,floppy,video
-m alphonse
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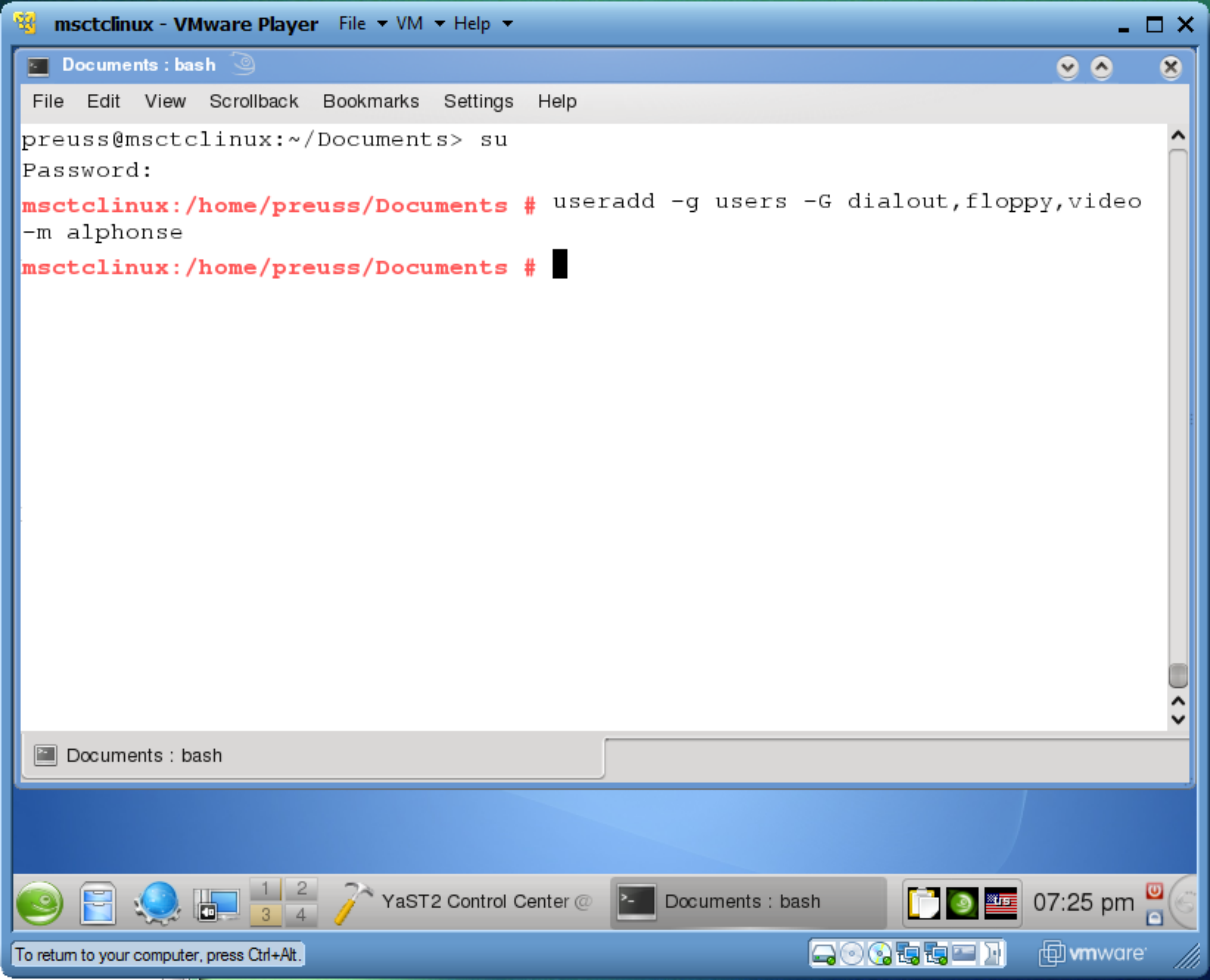
This command will create an account called alphonse. It will make alphonse a member of users and make users group alphonse's primary group. Alphonse will also be a member of dialout, floppy, and video groups. This command will also create alphonse's home directory.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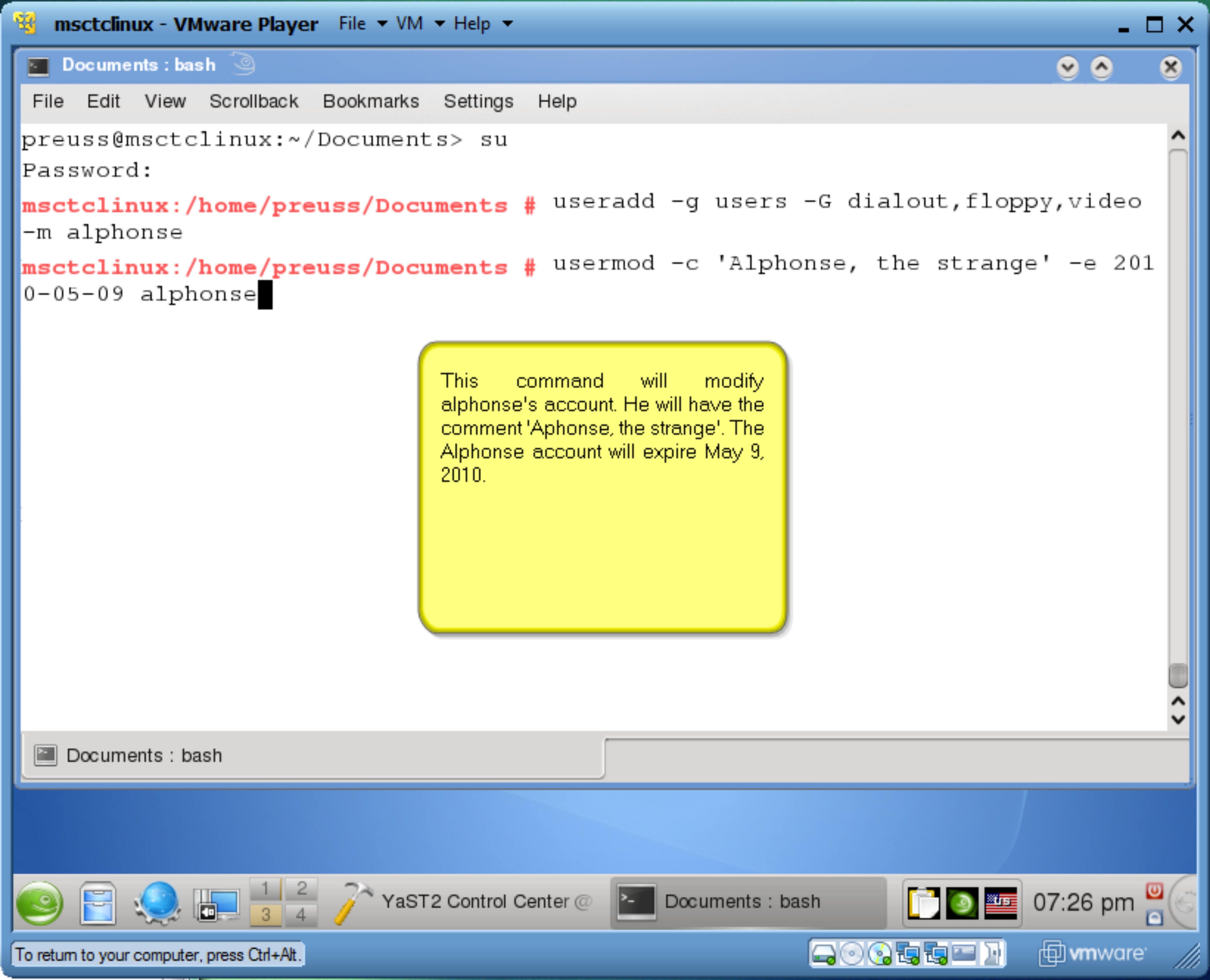
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msctclinux:/home/preuss/Documents # useradd -g users -G dialout,floppy,video
-m alphonse
msctclinux:/home/preuss/Documents # usermod -c 'Alphonse, the strange' -e 201
0-05-09 alphonse
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This command will modify alphonse's account. He will have the comment 'Aphonse, the strange'. The Alphonse account will expire May 9, 2010.

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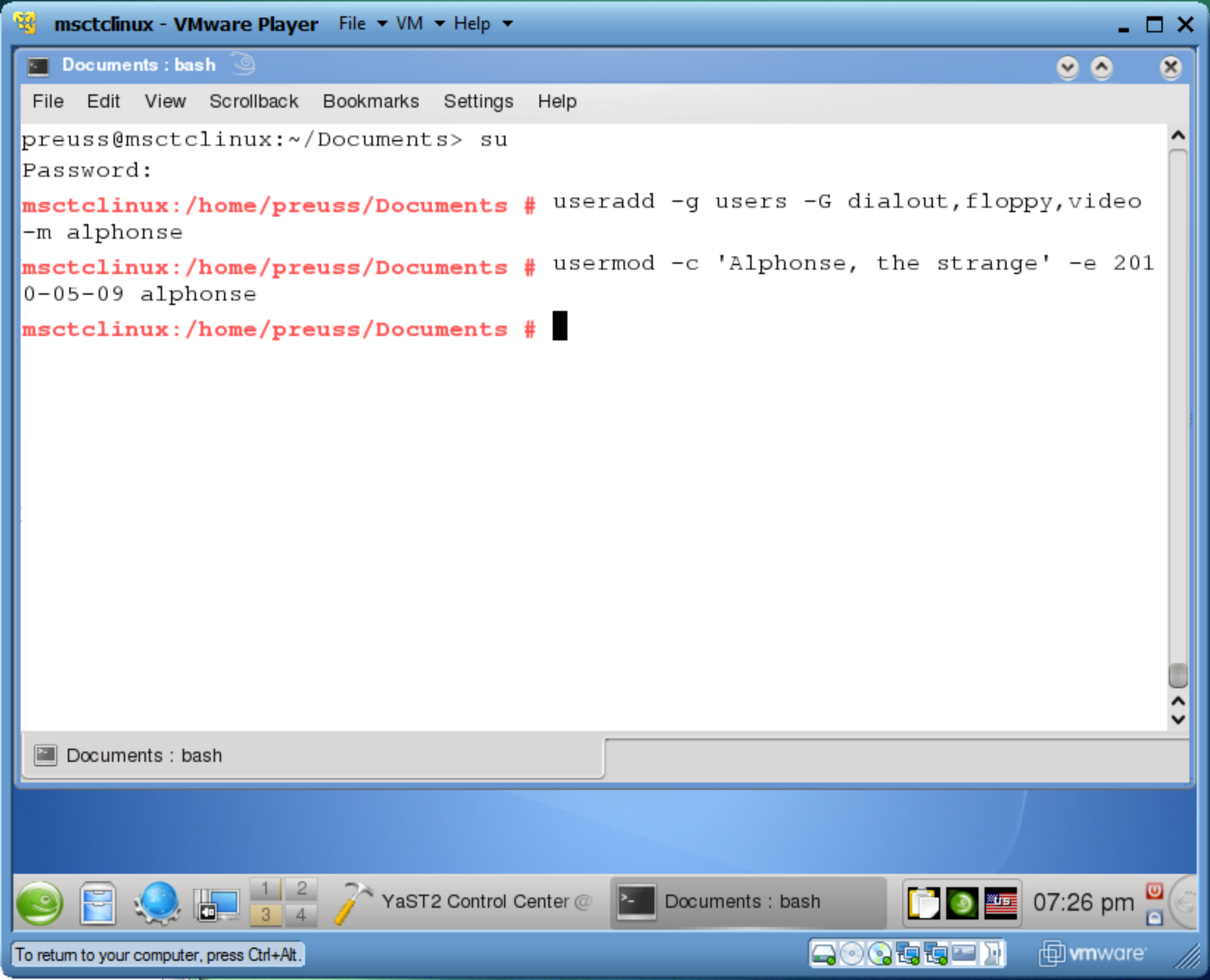

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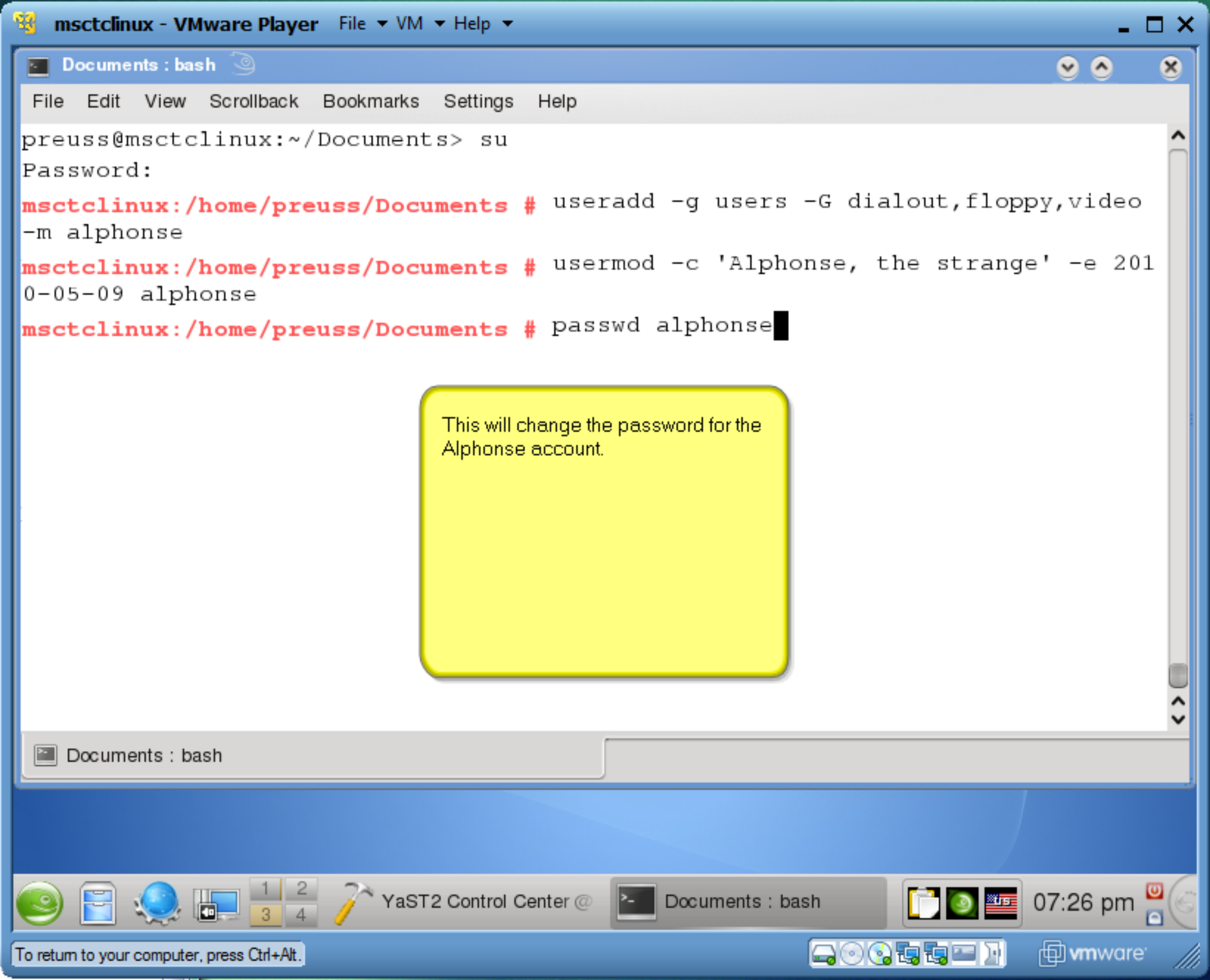

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msctclinux:/home/preuss/Documents # passwd alphonse
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This will change the password for the Alphonse account.

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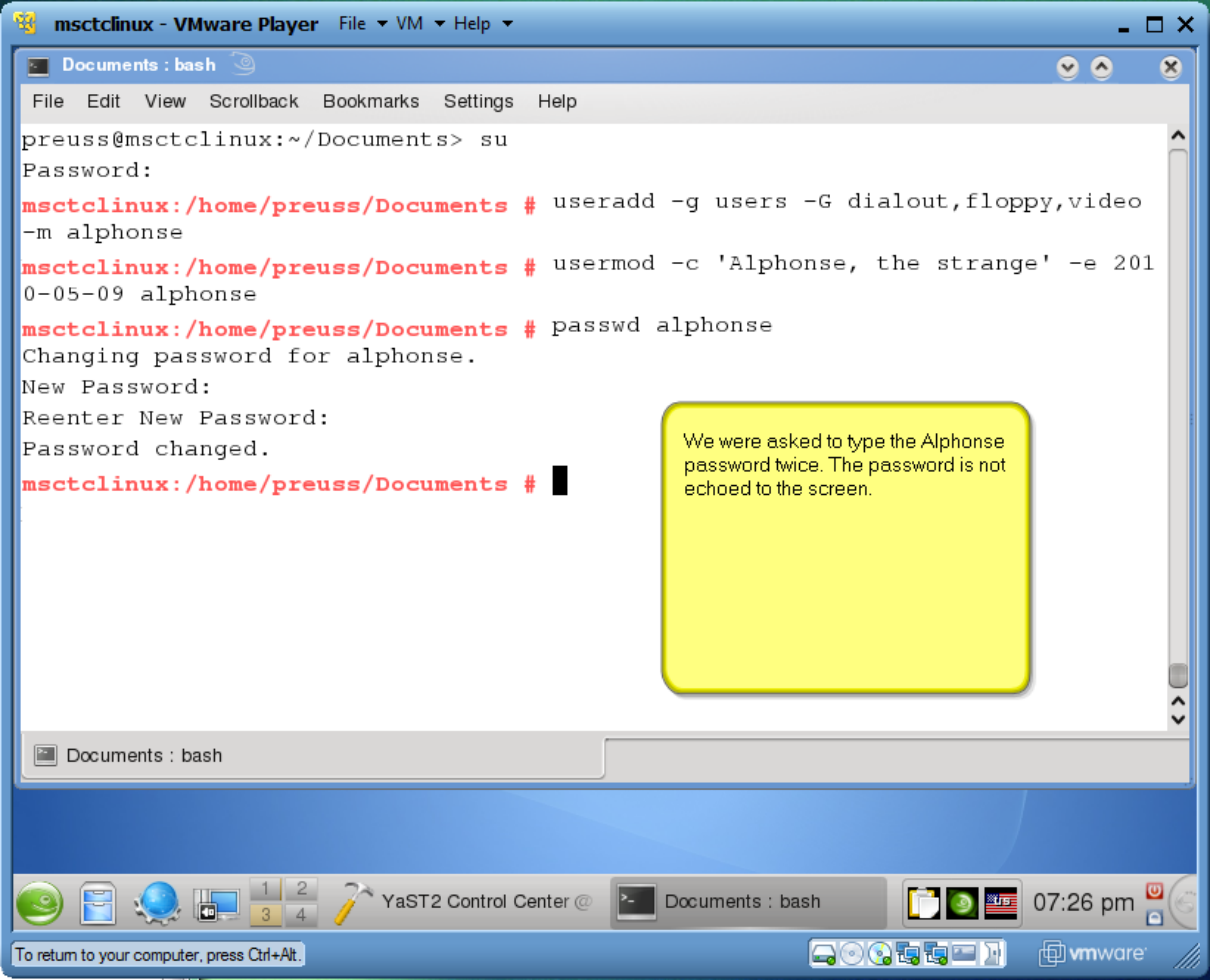
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msctclinux:/home/preuss/Documents # passwd alphonse
Changing password for alphonse.
New Password:
Reenter New Password:
Password changed.
msctclinux:/home/preuss/Documents #
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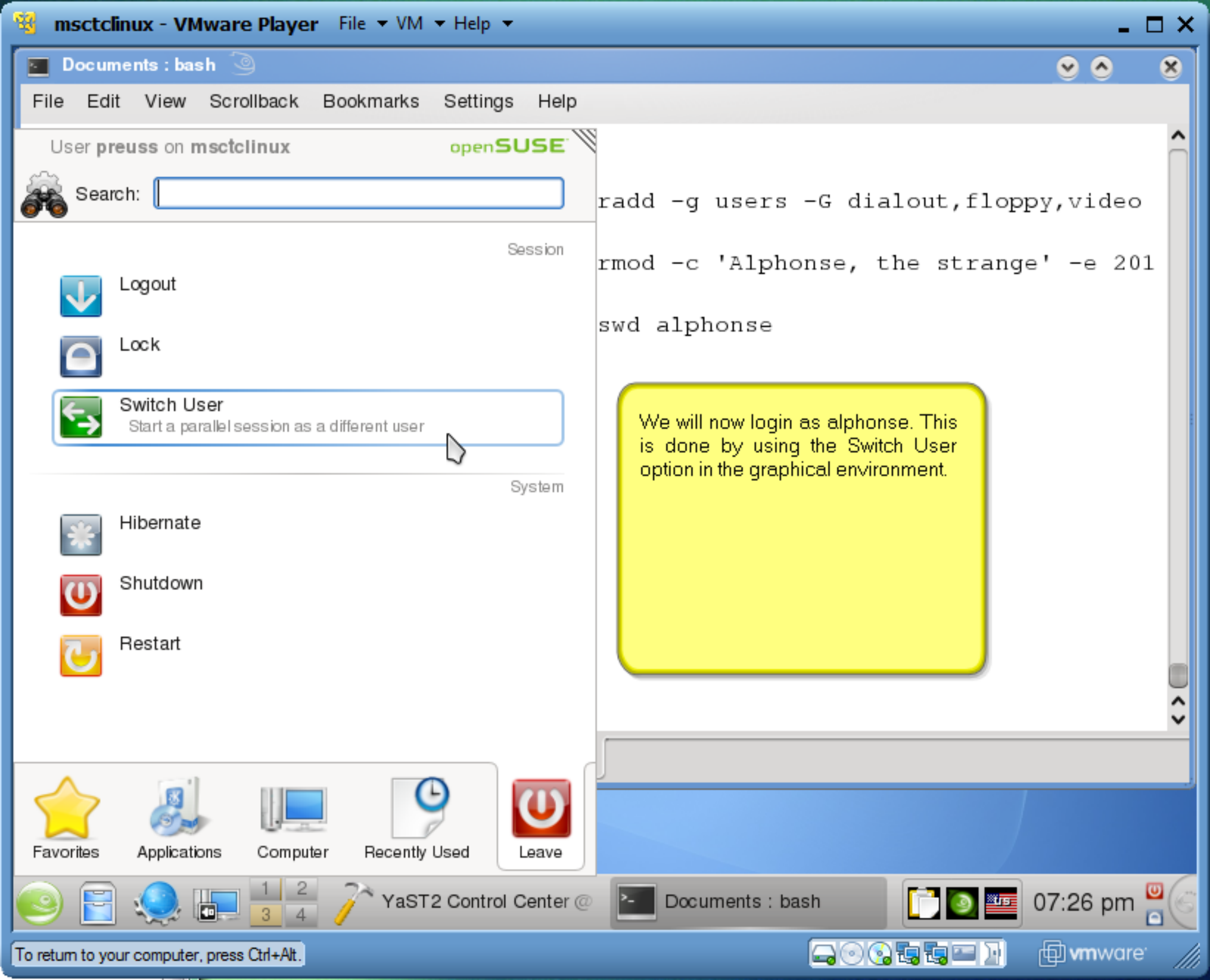
We were asked to type the Alphonse password twice. The password is not echoed to the screen.



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radd -g users -G dialout,floppy,video
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swd alphonse
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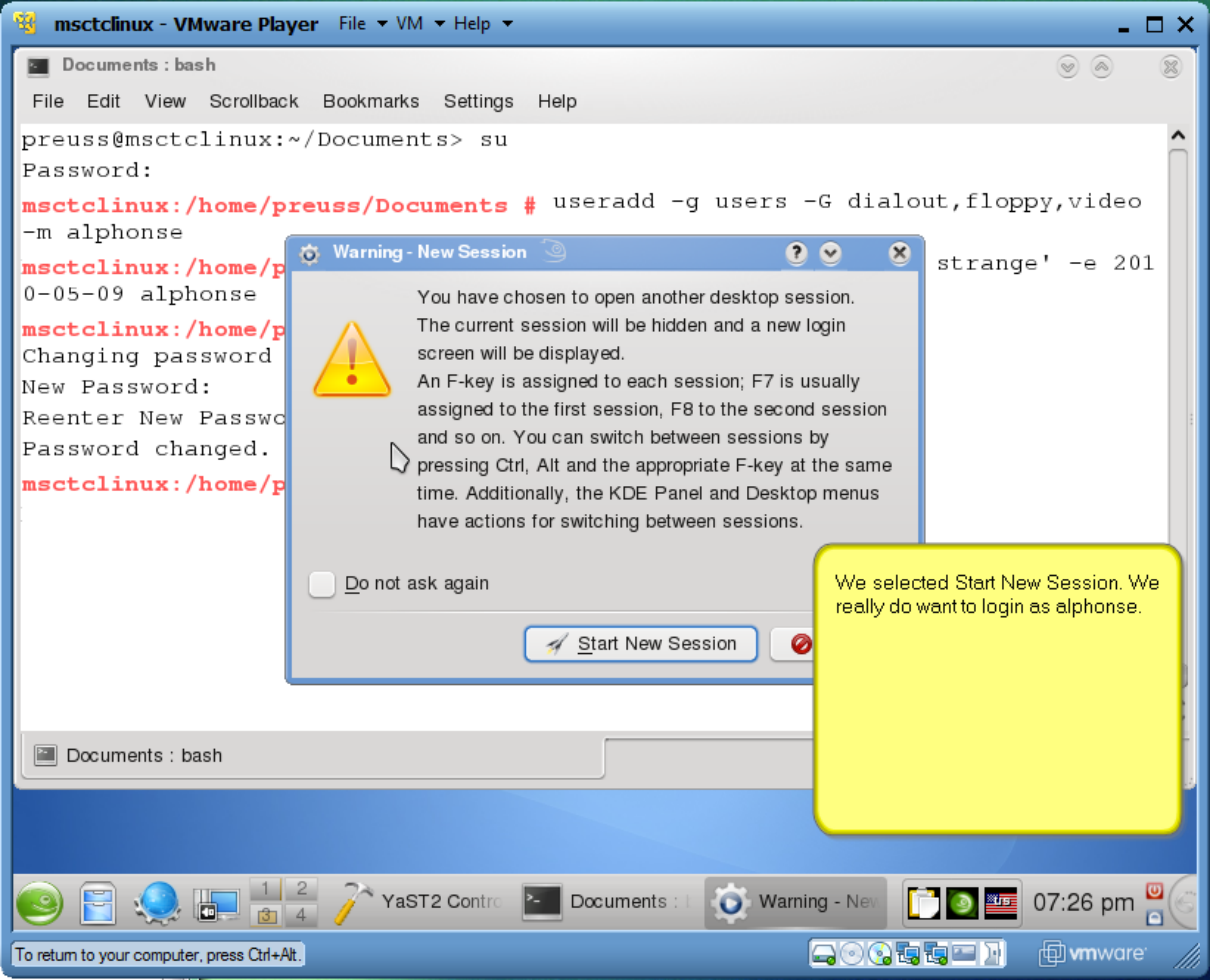
We will now login as alphonse. This is done by using the Switch User option in the graphical environment.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You have chosen to open another desktop session. The current session will be hidden and a new login screen will be displayed.
An F-key is assigned to each session; F7 is usually assigned to the first session, F8 to the second session and so on. You can switch between sessions by pressing Ctrl, Alt and the appropriate F-key at the same time. Additionally, the KDE Panel and Desktop menus have actions for switching between sessions.

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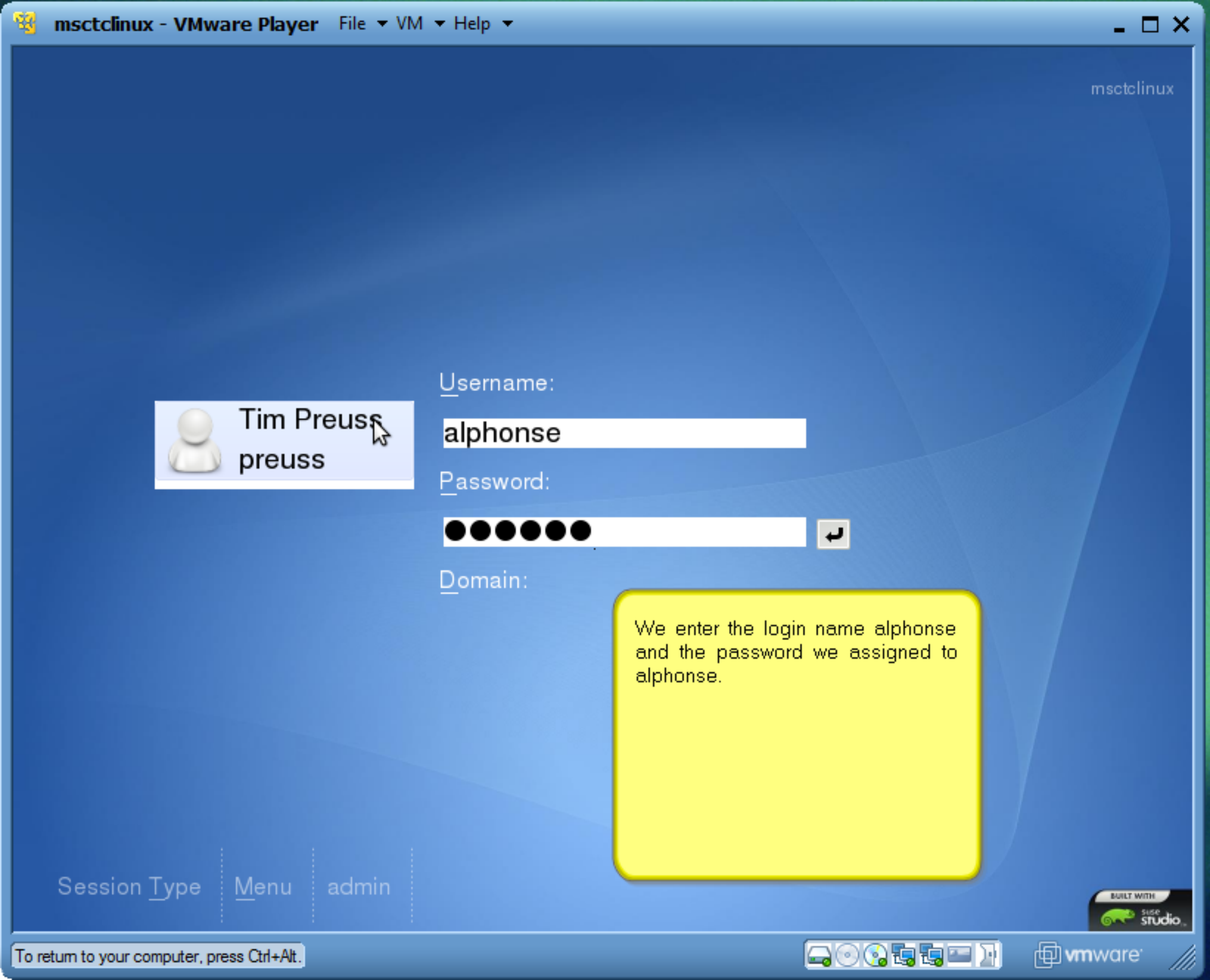
We selected Start New Session. We really do want to login as alphonse.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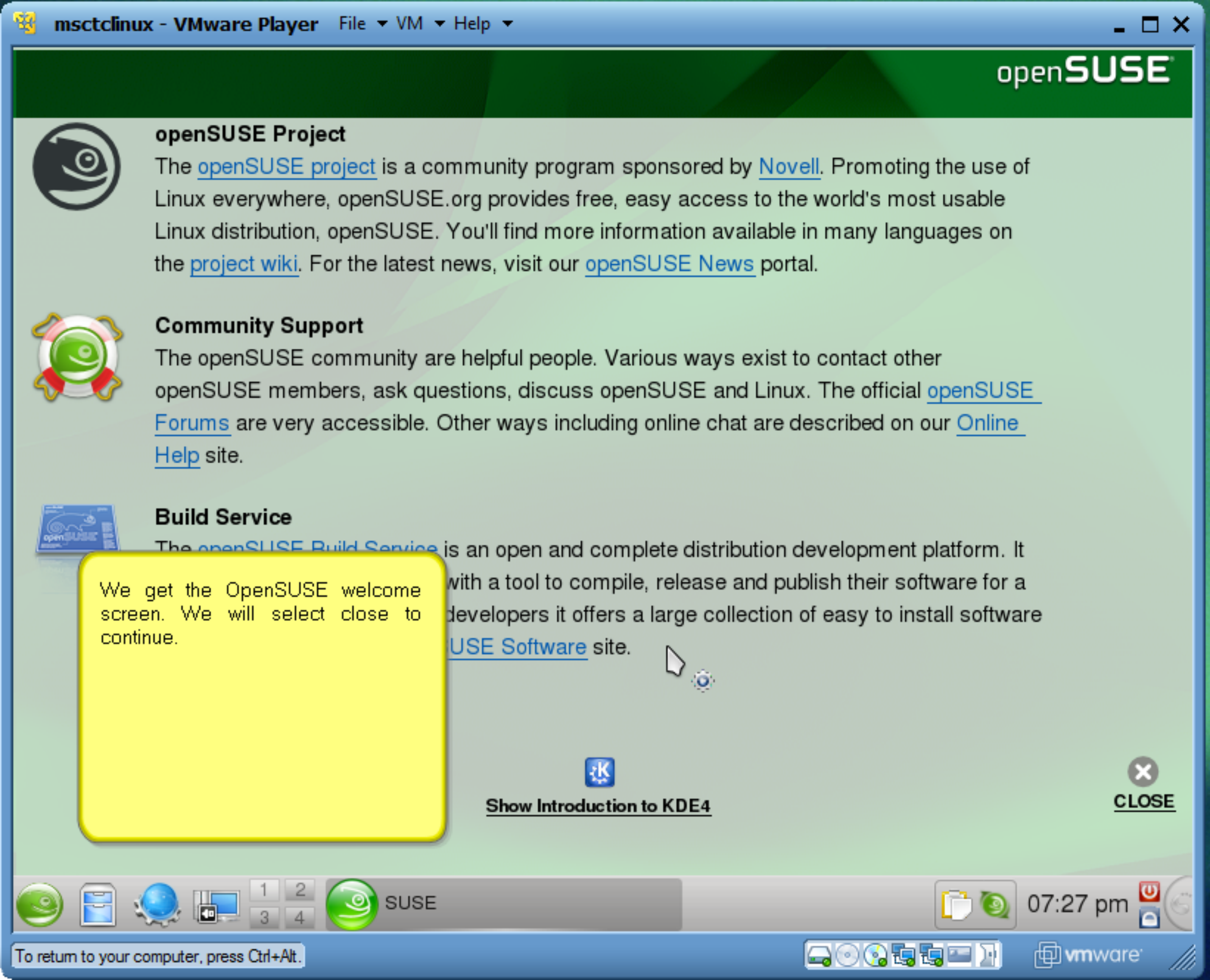
Username: alphonse

Password: ●●●●●●

Domain:

We enter the login name alphonse and the password we assigned to alphonse.



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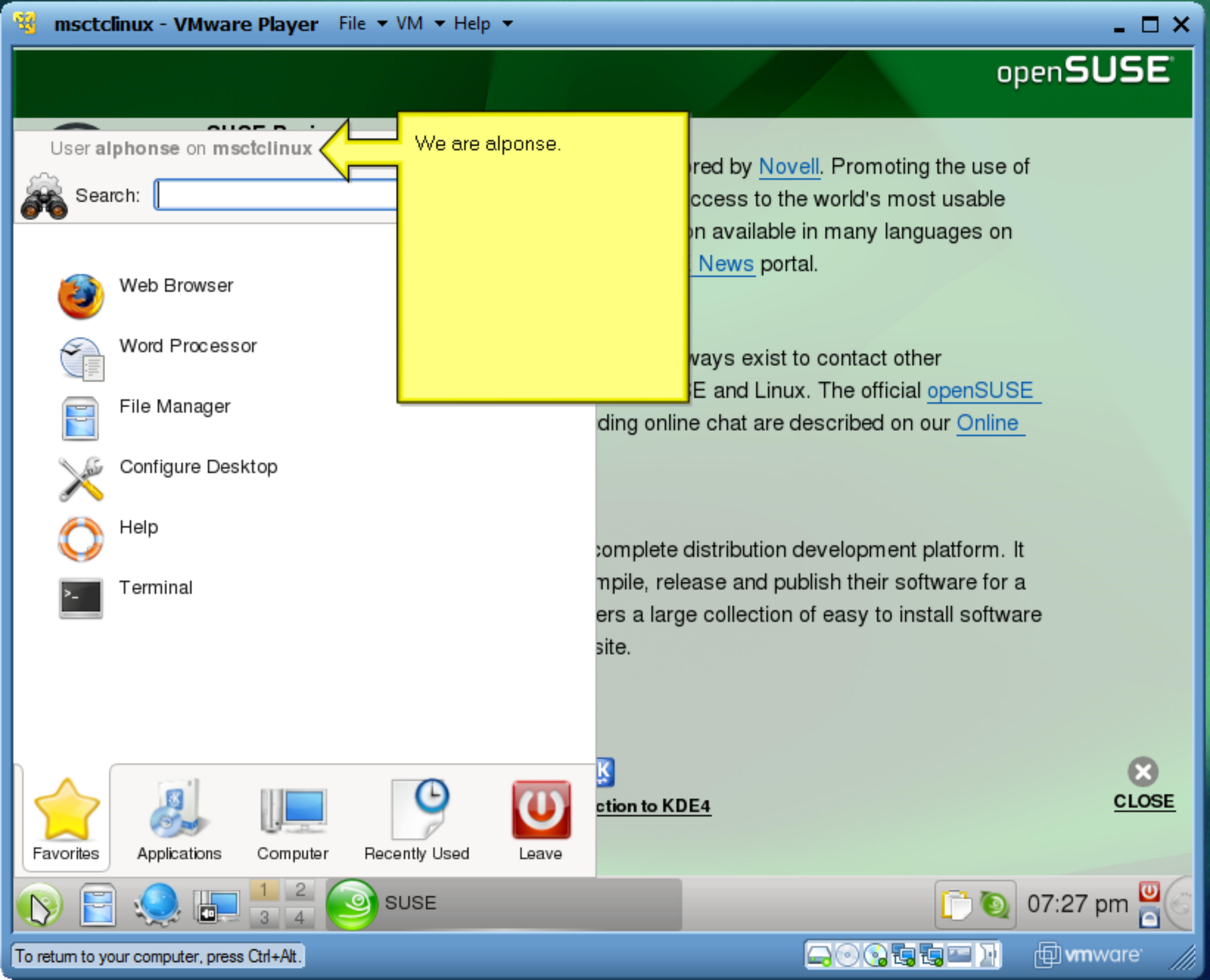

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