Text Manipulation

head /etc/snort/snort.conf => will show the beginning of the file (10 lines by default)

head -20 /etc/snort/snort.conf => will display 20 lines

tail (file) => display the last lines of file (10 lines by default)

tail -20 (file)=> will display the last 20 lines in file

nl (file) => will display line numbers of file

cat (file) | grep output => will filter the content file and will display the lines that has output(keyword)

sed(stream editor) => used to find word and do action on it (replace word1 > word2)

sed s/mysql/MySql/ snort.conf > snort2.conf => will find the first occurrence of mysql and will replace to MySql and will saved in new file (snort2.conf)

g command is like s command => but g works on global occurrence

more => will display only the first page (2%)

less => will display both terminal output at time and filter results