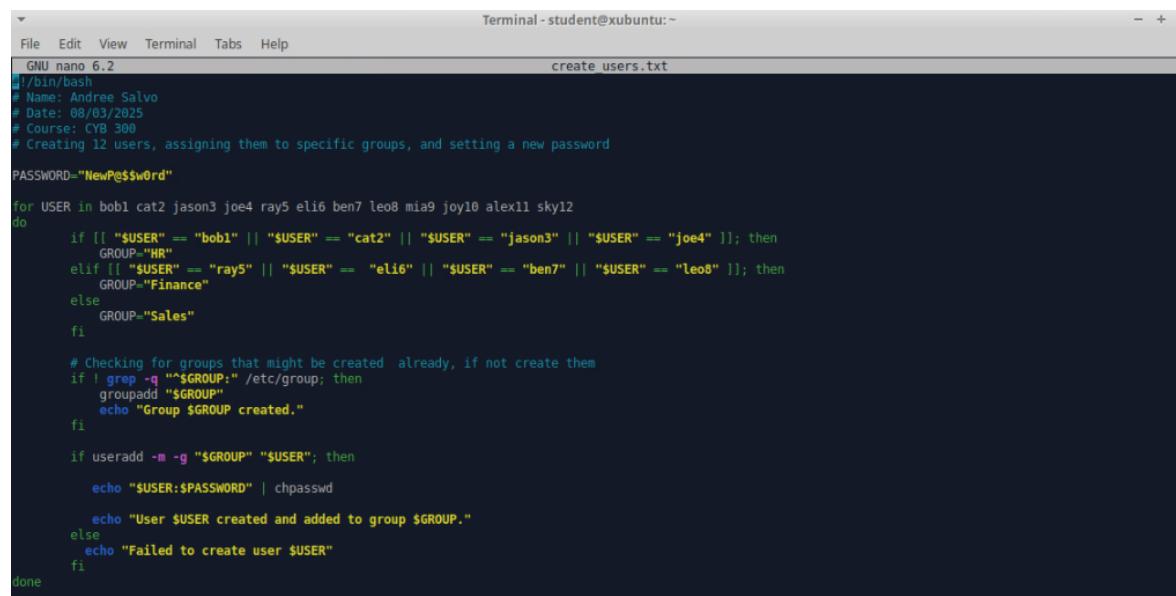


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**Create three groups: Human Resources, Finance, and Sales. Create 12 user accounts and place them in one of the three groups. Set the passwords to NewP@\$\$w0rd**

```
student@xubuntu:~$ nano create_users.sh
student@xubuntu:~$ chmod +x create_users.sh
student@xubuntu:~$ sudo ./create_users.sh
Group HR created.
User bob1 created and added to group HR.
User cat2 created and added to group HR.
User jason3 created and added to group HR.
User joe4 created and added to group HR.
Group Finance created.
User ray5 created and added to group Finance.
User eli6 created and added to group Finance.
User ben7 created and added to group Finance.
User leo8 created and added to group Finance.
Group Sales created.
User mia9 created and added to group Sales.
User joy10 created and added to group Sales.
User alex11 created and added to group Sales.
User sky12 created and added to group Sales.
student@xubuntu:~$
```



The screenshot shows a terminal window titled "Terminal - student@xubuntu:~". The window contains the command-line session from the previous code block, demonstrating the execution of the script to create users and assign them to groups.

```
File Edit View Terminal Tabs Help
GNU nano 6.2
#!/bin/bash
# Name: Andree Salvo
# Date: 08/03/2025
# Course: CYB 300
# Creating 12 users, assigning them to specific groups, and setting a new password
PASSWORD="NewPe$$w0rd"

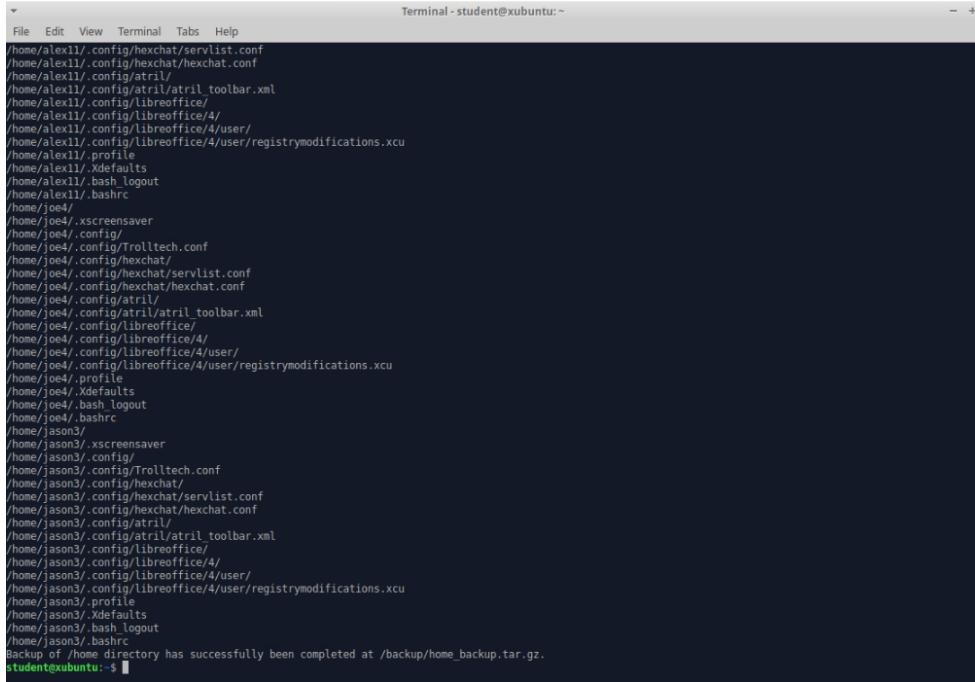
for USER in bob1 cat2 jason3 joe4 ray5 eli6 ben7 leo8 mia9 joy10 alex11 sky12
do
    if [[ "$USER" == "bob1" || "$USER" == "cat2" || "$USER" == "jason3" || "$USER" == "joe4" ]]; then
        GROUP="HR"
    elif [[ "$USER" == "ray5" || "$USER" == "eli6" || "$USER" == "ben7" || "$USER" == "leo8" ]]; then
        GROUP="Finance"
    else
        GROUP="Sales"
    fi

    # Checking for groups that might be created already, if not create them
    if ! grep -q "$GROUP:" /etc/group; then
        groupadd "$GROUP"
        echo "Group $GROUP created."
    fi

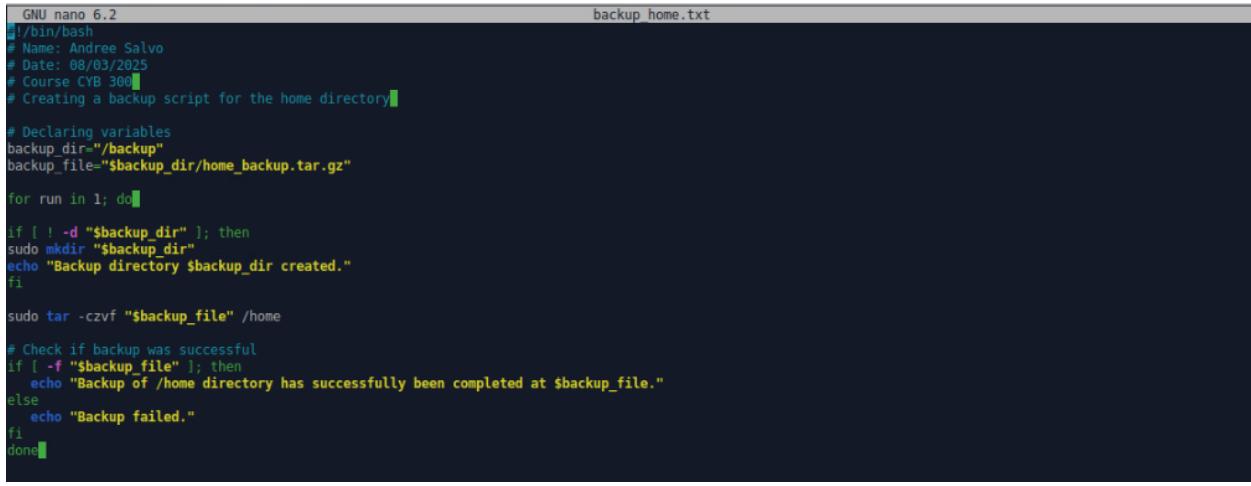
    if useradd -m -g "$GROUP" "$USER"; then
        echo "$USER:$PASSWORD" | chpasswd
        echo "User $USER created and added to group $GROUP."
    else
        echo "Failed to create user $USER"
    fi
done
```

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## Create a script to back up the /home directory as a compressed tar file to a folder called /backup



```
Terminal - student@xubuntu:~  
File Edit View Terminal Tabs Help  
/home/alex11/.config/hexchat/servlist.conf  
/home/alex11/.config/hexchat/hexchat.conf  
/home/alex11/.config/atril  
/home/alex11/.config/atril/stril_toolbar.xml  
/home/alex11/.config/libreoffice/  
/home/alex11/.config/libreoffice/4/  
/home/alex11/.config/libreoffice/4/user/  
/home/alex11/.config/libreoffice/4/user/registrymodifications.xcu  
/home/alex11/.profile  
/home/alex11/.Xdefaults  
/home/alex11/.bash_logout  
/home/alex11/.bashrc  
/home/joe4/  
/home/joe4/.xscreensaver  
/home/joe4/.config/  
/home/joe4/.config/Trolltech.conf  
/home/joe4/.config/hexchat/  
/home/joe4/.config/libreoffice/servlist.conf  
/home/joe4/.config/hexchat/hexchat.conf  
/home/joe4/.config/atril/  
/home/joe4/.config/atril/stril_toolbar.xml  
/home/joe4/.config/libreoffice/  
/home/joe4/.config/libreoffice/4/  
/home/joe4/.config/libreoffice/4/user/  
/home/joe4/.config/libreoffice/4/user/registrymodifications.xcu  
/home/joe4/.profile  
/home/joe4/.Xdefaults  
/home/joe4/.bash_logout  
/home/joe4/.bashrc  
/home/json3/  
/home/json3/.xscreensaver  
/home/json3/.config/  
/home/json3/.config/Trolltech.conf  
/home/json3/.config/hexchat/  
/home/json3/.config/hexchat/servlist.conf  
/home/json3/.config/hexchat/hexchat.conf  
/home/json3/.config/atril/  
/home/json3/.config/atril/stril_toolbar.xml  
/home/json3/.config/libreoffice/  
/home/json3/.config/libreoffice/4/  
/home/json3/.config/libreoffice/4/user/  
/home/json3/.config/libreoffice/4/user/registrymodifications.xcu  
/home/json3/.profile  
/home/json3/.Xdefaults  
/home/json3/.bash_logout  
/home/json3/.bashrc  
Backup of /home directory has successfully been completed at /backup/home_backup.tar.gz.  
student@xubuntu:~$
```



```
GNU nano 6.2                                backup home.txt  
#!/bin/bash  
# Name: Andree Salvo  
# Date: 08/03/2025  
# Course CYE 300  
# Creating a backup script for the home directory  
  
# Declaring variables  
backup_dir="/backup"  
backup_file="$backup_dir/home_backup.tar.gz"  
  
for run in 1; do  
  
if [ ! -d "$backup_dir" ]; then  
sudo mkdir "$backup_dir"  
echo "Backup directory $backup_dir created."  
fi  
  
sudo tar -cvf "$backup_file" /home  
  
# Check if backup was successful  
if [ -f "$backup_file" ]; then  
echo "Backup of /home directory has successfully been completed at $backup_file."  
else  
echo "Backup failed."  
fi  
done
```

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Use the Ping utility to report connections of all IP addresses that end in an odd number in the network, and output them to a text file called ping.txt

```

student@xubuntu:~$ ip a
1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN group default qlen 1000
    link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00
        inet 127.0.0.1/8 scope host lo
            valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
        inet6 ::1/128 scope host
            valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
2: ens160: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc mq state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether 00:50:56:ad:05:b7 brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
        altname enp3s0
        inet 192.168.0.7/24 brd 192.168.0.255 scope global noprefixroute ens160
            valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
        inet6 fe80::3070:25f7:50fc:ac06/64 scope link noprefixroute
            valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
student@xubuntu:~$ nano ping_odd_ips.sh
student@xubuntu:~$ chmod +x ping_odd_ips.sh
student@xubuntu:~$ ./ping_odd_ips.sh

```

```

student@xubuntu:~$ 
student@xubuntu:~$ 
student@xubuntu:~$ 
student@xubuntu:~$ 
student@xubuntu:~$ 
student@xubuntu:~$ cat ping.txt
192.168.0.1 is reachable
192.168.0.7 is reachable
student@xubuntu:~$ 

```

<pre> GNU nano 6.2 #!/bin/bash # Name: Andree Salvo # Date: 08/03/2025 # Course: CYB 300 # Pinging odd number IP addresses in the network  network_base="192.168.0" output_file="ping.txt" &gt; "\$output_file" # Clear ping.txt if it exists already  for i in \$(seq 1 2 253); do     ip="\$network_base.\$i"  if ping -c 1 -W 1 "\$ip" &amp;&gt;/dev/null &amp;&amp; [ \$? -eq 0 ]; then     echo "\$ip is reachable" &gt;&gt; "\$output_file" fi done </pre>	<pre> ping odd_ips.txt </pre>
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**Create a user group named Audit and include all the employees of the HR and Finance organizational units**

**Note:** I mistakenly misspelled “audit” as “Aduit”

```
Terminal - student@xubuntu:~  
File Edit View Terminal Tabs Help  
User snap_daemon added to Audit.  
fwupd-refresh  
User fwupd-refresh added to Audit.  
User bob1 added to Audit.  
User cat2 added to Audit.  
User jason3 added to Audit.  
User joe4 added to Audit.  
Finance  
User ray5 added to Audit.  
Finance  
User eli6 added to Audit.  
Finance  
User ben7 added to Audit.  
Finance  
User leo8 added to Audit.  
Sales  
User mia9 added to Audit.  
Sales  
User joy10 added to Audit.  
Sales  
User alex11 added to Audit.  
Sales  
User sky12 added to Audit.  
student@xubuntu:~$
```

## Results

```
student@xubuntu:~$ getent group Audit  
Audit:x:1004:root,daemon,bin,sys,sync,games,man,lp,mail,news,uucp,proxy,www-data,backup,list,irc,gnats,nobody,systemd-network,systemd-resolve,messagebus,systemd-timesync,syslog,apt,tss,uuid,tcpdump,avahi-autoipd,usbmux,dnsmasq,kernooops,avahi,lightdm,rtkit,saned,colord,pulse,hplip,student,snapd-range-524288-root,snap_daemon,fwupd-refresh,bob1,cat2,jason3,joe4,ray5,eli6,ben7,leo8,mia9,joy10,alex11,sky12  
student@xubuntu:~$
```

## Code

```
GNU nano 6.2  
#!/bin/bash  
# Name: Andree Salvo  
# Date: 08/03/2025  
# Course: CYB 300  
# Adds all HR and Finance users to the Audit group  
  
audit_group="Audit"  
  
# Creating the Audit group if doesn't already exist!  
if ! getent group "$audit_group" > /dev/null; then  
    sudo groupadd "$audit_group"  
    echo "Group $audit_group created."  
fi  
  
# Goes through each user on the system!  
for user in $(cut -d: -f1 /etc/passwd); do  
  
# Checking if the user is in HR or Finance or not!  
if id -nG "$user" | grep -qw "HR" || id -nG "$user" || grep -qw "Finance"; then  
    sudo usermod -aG "$audit_group" "$user"  
    echo "User $user added to $audit_group."  
fi  
done
```

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**Find all users with inactive and disabled accounts across all organizational units and output the list to a text file named inactive\_users.txt**

```

student@xubuntu:~$ nano find_inactive_users.sh
student@xubuntu:~$ chmod +x find_inactive_users.sh
student@xubuntu:~$ bash find_inactive_users.sh
[sudo] password for student:
student@xubuntu:~$ cat inactive_users.txt
root - inactive never logged in
daemon -disabled account
bin -disabled account
sys -disabled account
sync -disabled account
games -disabled account
man -disabled account
lp -disabled account
mail -disabled account
news -disabled account
uucp -disabled account
proxy -disabled account
www-data -disabled account
backup -disabled account
list -disabled account
irc -disabled account
gnats -disabled account
nobody -disabled account
systemd-network -disabled account
systemd-resolve -disabled account
messagebus -disabled account
systemd-timesync -disabled account
syslog -disabled account
apt -disabled account
tss -disabled account
uid -disabled account
tcpdump -disabled account
avahi-autoipd -disabled account
usbmux -disabled account
dnsmasq -disabled account
kernoops -disabled account

```

## Code:

```

GNU nano 6.2                                     find_inactive_users.txt
#!/bin/bash
# Name: Andree Salvo
# Date: 08/03/2025
# Course: CYB 300
# Finds users with inactive or disabled accounts and writes the to inactive_users.txt

output_file="inactive_users.txt"
> "$output_file"

for user in $(cut -d: -f1 /etc/passwd); do
    shell=$(getent passwd "$user" | cut -d: -f7)

    if [[ "$shell" == "/usr/sbin/nologin" || "$shell" == "/bin/false" ]] || sudo passwd -S "$user" 2>/dev/null | grep -q 'L'; then
        echo "$user -disabled account" >> "$output_file"
    else
        lastlog_output=$(lastlog -u "$user" 2>/dev/null)
        if echo "$lastlog_output" | grep -q "Never logged in"; then
            echo "$user - inactive never logged in" >> "$output_file"
        fi
    done

```

**Get a list of all running processes and output the list to a text file named running\_processes.txt**

```
Terminal - student@xubuntu:~  
File Edit View Terminal Tabs Help  
student@xubuntu:~$ ps aux > running_processes.txt  
student@xubuntu:~$ cat running_processes.txt  
USER PID %CPU %MEM VSZ RSS TTY STAT START TIME COMMAND  
root 1 0.0 0.3 102224 13484 ? Ss 00:53 0:04 /sbin/init splash  
root 2 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [kthreadd]  
root 3 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [rcu_gp]  
root 4 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [rcu_par_gp]  
root 5 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [slub flushwq]  
root 6 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [netns]  
root 8 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [kworker/0:0H-events_highpri]  
root 10 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [mm_percpu_wq]  
root 11 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [rcu_tasks_rude ]  
root 12 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [rcu_tasks_trace]  
root 13 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [ksoftirqd/0]  
root 14 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I 00:53 0:01 [rcu_sched]  
root 15 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [migration/0]  
root 16 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [idle_inject/0]  
root 18 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [cpuhp/0]  
root 19 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [cpuhp/1]  
root 20 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [idle_inject/1]  
root 21 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [migration/1]  
root 22 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [ksoftirqd/1]  
root 24 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [kworker/1:0H-events_highpri]  
root 25 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [kdevtmpfs]  
root 26 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [inet_frag_wq]  
root 27 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [kauditctl]  
root 28 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [khungtaskd]  
root 29 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [oom_reaper]  
root 30 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [writeback]  
root 31 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [kcompactd0]  
root 32 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? SN 00:53 0:00 [ksmd]  
root 33 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? SN 00:53 0:00 [khugepaged]  
root 80 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [kintegrityd]  
root 81 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [kblockd]  
root 82 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [blkcg_punt_bio]  
root 83 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [tpm dev_wq]  
root 84 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [ata_sff]  
root 85 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [md]  
root 86 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [edac-poller]  
root 87 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [devfreq_wq]  
root 88 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [watchdogd]  
root 90 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [kworker/0:1H-kblockd]  
root 92 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [kswapd0]  
root 93 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [ecryptfs-kthrea]  
root 95 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 00:53 0:00 [kthrotld]  
root 96 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [irq/24-pciehp]  
root 97 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [irq/25-pciehp]  
root 98 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [irq/26-pciehp]  
root 99 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 00:53 0:00 [irq/27-pciehp]
```