

CSc 3320: Systems Programming

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Homework

2: Total points 100

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PART 1 (2.5 points each): 10pts

1. What are the differences among **grep**, **egrep** and **fgrep**? Describe using an example.
 - a. Before listing out the different, a similarity that **grep**, **egrep** and **fgrep** share is that they all come from the base **grep command**. Grep is considered as the combination of both the **fgrep** and **egrep**, the word **grep** means 'global regular expression print.' It supports the regular expression commands like the searching of words. An example of **grep**, a command to use **grep** is **grep [options] [pattern] [file]**, let's say for example we want to search a file in the directory, to do so we can use command **grep**. Like **grep solution mathhomework**, so basically the word **solution** is in the **mathhomework file**, so in order to find the word **solution** in the **mathhomework file**, we need to issue an command **grep solution mathhomework**.
 - i. After executing this command, the **grep** will show all the lines that match with the word "**solution**" in the **mathhomework file**.
 - b. Whereas the **fgrep**, means 'fixed string grep,' it doesn't understand regular or extended regular expression and also it doesn't support regex and uses direct string matching.
 - i. An example of **fgrep** would be, if we want to show the count of number of matches, we can find the number of lines that would match the given string by **fgrep -c "usin.g" amandapaka**. The command outline that can be used to initiate the **fgrep** is **fgrep -inw 'pattern' {filename}***
 - c. Finally the **egrep**, which means 'extended grep', it basically a command that allows the use of extended regular expression.
 - i. An example of **egrep** would be searching for a specific string in a file and we can do this by **egrep because englishfile.txt**, so in the above command I typed in the word that I want to be searched for which is 'because' and also specified the file where the word should be looked for.

The command for the egrep file is **\$egrep "search_string" filename**

2. Which utility can be used to compress and decompress files? And how to compress multiple files into a single file? Please provide one example for it.

The utility that can be used to compress and decompress the files is the **tar** command.

To compress the multiple files into a single file is **zip [options] zipfile files_list**

An example would be **zip myfile.zip filename.txt filename1.txt filename2.txt** and we can use the command **unzip myfile.zip** to unzip all the files.

3. Which utility (or utilities) can break a line into multiple fields by defining a separator? What is the default separator? How to define a separator manually in the command line? Please provide one example for defining the separator for each utility.

The utilities can break a line into multiple fields by defining a separator are **awk** and **sed**. The default separator is **space** for **awk**. To define a separator manually in the command line with **awk** we can write **awk -F '{statement \$linerule}'** . An example for defining the separator for each utility would be **awk -F: '{print \$1}'** , we want ":" to be our separator, then we can set ":" as a line separator for each word of the line like ":", .

4. What does the **sort** command do? What are the different possible fields? Explain using an example.

The **sort** command will sort a text file's lines. The different possible fields such as **-n** for numeric, **-R** for random, **-r** for reverse sorting.

An example of **sort file**

sort file.txt

e

f

g

h

sort -r file.txt

h
g
f
e

Part IIa (5 points each): 25pts

5. What is the output of the following sequence of bash

commands: **echo 'Hello World' | sed 's/\$/!!!/g'**

a. **Output:** Hello World!!!

6. What is the output for each of these awk script commands?

-- 1 <= NF { print \$5 }

⇒ **It prints the fifth item of each line in the file**

-- NR >= 1 && NR >= 5 { print \$1 }

⇒ **After line 5, it prints the first word of each line**

-- 1,5 { print \$0 }

⇒ **Print \$0 prints the current line instead of the first field of each line in the file**

-- {print \$1 }

⇒ **Print \$1 prints all the first fields of each line in file instead of printing first field of first five lines**

7. What is the output of the following command line:

echo good | sed '/Good/d'

output: good

8. Which **awk** script outputs all the lines where a plus sign + appears at the end of line?

/+\$/ {print \$0} , the “/” is used because it shouldn’t be ignored.

9. What is the command to delete only the first 5 lines in a file "foo"?

Which command deletes only the last 5 lines?

command to delete only the first 5 lines in a file “foo”

sed -l '1,5d' foo

The command to delete the only the last 5 lines
`head -b -5 foo`

Part IIb (10pts each): 50pts

Describe the function (5pts) and output (5pts) of the following commands.

9. \$ cat float

Wish I was floating in blue across the sky, my imagination is
strong, And I often visit the days
When everything seemed so clear.
Now I wonder what I'm doing here at all...

\$ cat h1.awk

NR>2 && NR<4{print NR ":" \$0

The above command is the structure of the file, which means that when we say NR>2 and NR<4, it will print only print line 3

\$ awk '/.*ing/ {print NR ":" \$1}' float

This command will print the first word of lines that having on the same line

10. As the next command following question 9,

\$ awk -f h1.awk float

The awk file separator, gets data from both h1.awk and float and depending on the specifications of the h1.awk file. It will print the information between record 2 and 4 and not inclusive, which means 3

11.

\$ cat h2.awk

BEGIN { print "Start to scan file" }
{print \$1 "," \$NF}

END {print "END-" , FILENAME }

\$ awk -f h2.awk float

This whole command prints the "Start to scan file" and then print the endings and the starting words of the file float.

12. sed 's/\s/\t/g' float

The s/ means substitute, \s means match whitespace, \t means insert a tab and \g means global (per line there's multiple ways that thing exists). The match regex whitespace with tabs globally.

13.

`$ ls *.awk | awk '{print "grep --color 'BEGIN' " $1 }' | sh` (Notes: **sh file** runs file as a shell script. \$1 should be the output of 'ls *.awk' in this case, not the 1st field)

The command above will find the word BEGIN and give it a color.

14.

```
$ mkdir test test/test1 test/test2
```

```
$ cat >test/testt.txt
```

```
This is a test file ^D
```

```
$ cd test
```

```
$ ls -l . | grep '^d' | awk '{print "cp -r " $NF " " $NF ".bak"}' | sh
```

the command above will create something called backup directory, which will make test1 and test2 have the same names including the things inside of the directories, the names will be followed by test1.bak and test2.bak instead.

Part III Programming: 15pts

15. Sort all the files in your class working directory (or your home directory) as per the following requirements:

- A copy of each file in that folder must be made. Append the string “_copy” to the name of the file
- The duplicate (copied) files must be in separate directories with each directory specifying the type of the file (e.g. txt files in directory named txtfiles, pdf files in directory named pdf files etc).
- The files in each directory must be sorted in chronological order of months.
- An archive file (.tar) of each directory must be made. The .tar files must be sorted by name in ascending order.
- An archive file of all the .tar archive files must be made and be available in your home directory.

As an output, show your screen shots for each step or a single screenshot that will cover the outputs from all the steps.

```
aparnamandapaka — Ssh amandapaka2@snowball.cs.gsu.edu — 181x56
Last login: Wed Oct 27 22:55:17 on ttys000

The default interactive shell is now zsh.
To update your account to use zsh, please run `chsh -s /bin/zsh`.
For more details, please visit https://support.apple.com/kb/HT208050.
Aparnas-MacBook-Pro:~ aparnamandapaka$ Ssh amandapaka2@snowball.cs.gsu.edu
amandapaka2@snowball.cs.gsu.edu's password:
Last login: Wed Oct 27 22:55:31 2021 from c-24-125-100-183.hsd1.ga.comcast.net

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|   GSU Computer Science
|   Instructional Server
|   SNOWBALL.cs.gsu.edu
+

-bash-4.2$ ls
ad-bk.txt      calculator      foo.class      getPhoneNumber.c  M-M  helpme.sh      mandatabase      output.txt      q1.c      Result
address-book.txt  calculator.sh  foo.java      hello            helpme.sh.txt  mandatabase.txt  phonebook.sh    q2.c      simple.sh
a.out          calculator.sj  foo.sh        hello.c          homeworks      midterm          phone.out        q2.c      splitTime.c
calcPrice.c     checkError.sh  foo.sj        hello.sh         Lab3           myexamfile.txt  program          question2.sh  temp_course.txt
calcPrice.c.save  fn.txt        getPhoneNumber.c  Helpme          Lab4           myName.c        q1              question.sh  test.out

-bash-4.2$ pwd
/home/amandapaka2
-bash-4.2$ touch {file1.txt,file2.txt,file3.txt,file4.txt}
-bash-4.2$ ls -lrth
total 220K
d-wx----- 2 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 4.0K Sep 15 16:19 Lab3
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 3.0K Sep 16 16:48 temp_course.txt
drwxrwxr-x 2 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 4.0K Sep 21 23:59 Lab4
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 128 Sep 23 15:55 simple.sh
drwxrwxr-x 2 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 4.0K Sep 24 18:18 homeworks
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 63 Sep 30 15:41 Result
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 634 Sep 30 15:58 checkError.sh
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 530 Sep 30 22:00 hello.sh
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 0 Oct 7 15:56 foo.sj
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 1.2K Oct 10 03:03 output.txt
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 123 Oct 10 03:05 mandatabase
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 130 Oct 10 03:07 Helpme
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 0 Oct 10 05:28 calculator.sj
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 468 Oct 10 06:32 helpme.sh
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 2.3K Oct 10 19:49 mandatabase.txt
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 0 Oct 10 20:20 helpme.sh.txt
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 20 Oct 10 22:17 address-book.txt
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 0 Oct 10 22:28 calculator
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 110 Oct 10 23:37 fn.txt
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 110 Oct 10 23:37 ad-bk.txt
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 4.5K Oct 11 00:41 myexamfile.txt
drwxrwxr-x 2 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 4.0K Oct 11 00:57 midterm
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 0 Oct 11 05:31 question.sh
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 1.4K Oct 11 05:38 question2.sh
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 629 Oct 11 08:21 calculator.sh
-rwx----- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 1.5K Oct 11 08:28 phonebook.sh
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 441 Oct 12 23:41 getPhoneNumber.c M-M
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 483 Oct 15 00:16 getPhoneNumber.c
-rw----- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 4 Oct 15 00:18 calcPrice.c.save
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 8.3K Oct 15 14:35 test.out
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 539 Oct 15 14:41 calcPrice.c
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 8.3K Oct 15 14:42 phone.out
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 245 Oct 18 21:44 foo.sh
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 455 Oct 18 21:50 foo.class
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 239 Oct 18 21:55 foo.java
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 79 Oct 18 21:57 hello.c
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 8.2K Oct 18 21:59 hello
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 99 Oct 18 22:02 myName.c
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 8.2K Oct 18 22:02 a.out
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 490 Oct 18 23:01 q2.c
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 9.4K Oct 18 23:01 q2
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 319 Oct 23 22:44 q1.c
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 9.5K Oct 23 22:45 q1
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 866 Oct 27 22:14 splitTime.c
-rwxrwxr-x 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 8.3K Oct 27 22:29 program
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 0 Oct 27 23:29 file4.txt
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 0 Oct 27 23:29 file3.txt
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 0 Oct 27 23:29 file2.txt
-rw-rw-r-- 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 0 Oct 27 23:29 file1.txt
-bash-4.2$
```

a. Now lets create a directory for text files and pdf files

```
-bash-4.2$ mkdir Pdf
-bash-4.2$ mkdir Text
-bash-4.2$ ls
ad-bk.txt      calculator      file2.txt      foo.java          hello.c          homeworks      midterm      PDF      q1.c      Result      Text
address-book.txt  calculator.sh  file3.txt      foo.sh           hello.sh         Lab3           myexamfile.txt  phonebook.sh    q2.c      simple.sh    {TEXT,
a.out          calculator.sj  file4.txt      getPhoneNumber.c  Helpme          Lab4           myName.c        phone.out        q2.c      splitTime.c
calcPrice.c     checkError.sh  fn.txt        getPhoneNumber.c  helpme.sh       mandatabase    output.txt      program          question2.sh  temp_course.txt
calcPrice.c.save  file1.txt      foo.class      hello            helpme.sh.txt   mandatabase.txt Pdf            q1              question.sh  test.out
```

b. Now we can put in the duplicate copy in separate directories


```

-bash-4.2$ ls
ad-bk.txt      calculator  file2.txt  foo.java    hello.c      homeworks   midterm      PDF}       q1.c        Result      Text
address-book.txt calculator.sh file3.txt  foo.sh      hello.sh     Lab3        myexamfile.txt phonebook.sh q2          simple.sh   {TEXT,
a.out          calculator.sj file4.txt  getPhoneNumber.c M-M  helplme.sh mandatabase output.txt  phone.out  q2.c        splitTime.c
calcPrice.c    checkError.sh fn.txt    getPhoneNumber.c M-M  helplme.sh mandatabase output.txt  program   question2.sh temp_course.txt
calcPrice.c.save file1.txt  foo.class hello        helplme.sh.txt mandatabase.txt Pdf        q1          question.sh test.out
-bash-4.2$ cp file1.txt Text/file1_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$ cp file2.txt Text/file2_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$ cp file3.txt Text/file3_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$ cp file4.txt Text/file4_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$ Te
-bash: Te: command not found
-bash-4.2$ cd Te
-bash: cd: Te: No such file or directory
-bash-4.2$ cd Te
-bash: cd: Te: No such file or directory
-bash-4.2$ cd Text
-bash-4.2$ ls
file1_copy.txt  file2_copy.txt  file3_copy.txt  file4_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$

```

c. We are going to use the sort command to order the months in chronological order

```

-bash-4.2$ sort -M file1_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$ cd ..
-bash-4.2$ tar -czvpf Text.tar.gz Text
Text/
Text/file4_copy.txt
Text/file3_copy.txt
Text/file2_copy.txt
Text/file1_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$ ls -lrth | grep -i tar
-rw-rw-r--. 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 216 Oct 28 00:32 Text.tar.gz
-bash-4.2$

```

d. We can archive the files using the tar command

```

-bash-4.2$ cd Text
-bash-4.2$ ls
file1_copy.txt  file2_copy.txt  file3_copy.txt  file4_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$ sort -M file1_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$ cd ..
-bash-4.2$ tar -czvpf Text.tar.gz Text
Text/
Text/file4_copy.txt
Text/file3_copy.txt
Text/file2_copy.txt
Text/file1_copy.txt
-bash-4.2$ ls -lrth | grep -i tar
-rw-rw-r--. 1 amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu amandapaka2@gsuad.gsu.edu 216 Oct 28 00:32 Text.tar.gz

```

e. Now there is a tar file in the home directory. To create the pdf files archives you can use the command **\$ls -lrth | grep -i tar** or you could use **\$tar -cvf thetarname.tar directoryname**. All the tar files are in a tar archive **Text.tar.gz**

```

-bash-4.2$ ls
ad-bk.txt      calculator  file2.txt  foo.java    hello.c      homeworks   midterm      PDF}       q1.c        Result      Text
address-book.txt calculator.sh file3.txt  foo.sh      hello.sh     Lab3        myexamfile.txt phonebook.sh q2          simple.sh   {TEXT,
a.out          calculator.sj file4.txt  getPhoneNumber.c M-M  helplme.sh mandatabase output.txt  phone.out  q2.c        splitTime.c
calcPrice.c    checkError.sh fn.txt    getPhoneNumber.c M-M  helplme.sh mandatabase output.txt  program   question2.sh temp_course.txt
calcPrice.c.save file1.txt  foo.class hello        helplme.sh.txt mandatabase.txt Pdf        q1          question.sh test.out
-bash-4.2$

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