

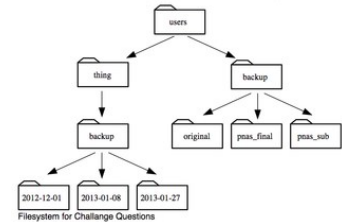
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Quiz name: **Shell Quiz**

1. If pwd displays /users/thing, what will ls ../backup display?

- (A) ../backup: No such file or directory
- (B) 2012-12-01 2013-01-08 2013-01-27
- (C) 2012-12-01/ 2013-01-08/ 2013-01-27/
- (D) original pnas\_final pnas\_sub

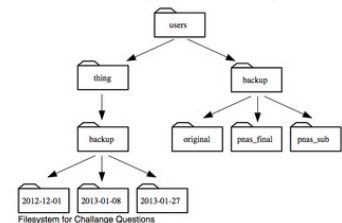


If pwd displays /users/backup, and -r tells ls to display things in reverse order, what command will display:

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pnas-sub/ pnas-final/ original/

- (A) ls pwd
- (B) ls -r -F
- (C) ls -r -F /users/backup
- (D) Either #2 or #3 above, but not #1.



3. What does the command cd do if you do not pass it a directory name?

- (A) It has no effect
- (B) It changes the working directory to /
- (C) It changes the working directory to the user's home directory
- (D) It produces an error message

Suppose that you created a .txt file in your current directory to contain a list of the statistical tests you will need to do to analyze your data, and named it: statstics.txt  
After creating and saving this file you realize you misspelled the filename! You want to correct the mistake, which of the following commands could you use to do so?

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- (A) cp statstics.txt statistics.txt
- (B) mv statstics.txt statistics.txt
- (C) mv statstics.txt .
- (D) cp statstics.txt .

What is the output of the last ls command in the sequence shown below?

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$ pwd
/home/jamie/data
$ ls
proteins.dat
$ mkdir recombine
5. $ mv proteins.dat recombine
    $ cp recombine/proteins.dat ../proteins-saved.dat
    $ ls
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- ☐ A proteins-saved.dat recombine
- ☐ B recombine
- ☐ C proteins.dat recombine
- ☐ D proteins-saved.dat

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ls -F in ~/Desktop/Shell/Users/nelle/sugars results in:

analyzed/ glucose.dat mannose.dat sucrose.dat fructose.dat maltose.dat raw/

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What code would you use to move all the .dat files into the analyzed sub-directory?

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In a directory we want to find the 3 files which have the least number of lines. Which command of those listed below would work?

- ☐ A `wc -l * > sort -n > head -3`
- ☐ B `wc -l * | sort -n | head 1-3`
- ☐ C `wc -l * | head -3 | sort -n`
- ☐ D `wc -l * | sort -n | head -3`

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What code would allow you to extract the real number values (columns 5-9) for only the rows containing Carbon atoms from cubane.csv in the molecules directory?

hint - use the cut command which allows you to extract columns from a file. For example, to get the first three columns of cubane.csv you could type:

8. `cut -f 1-3 -d',' cubane.csv`

-f flag refers to columns, and -d flag refers to the type of delimiter

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ATOM,1,C,1,0.789,-0.852,0.504,1,0
ATOM,2,C,1,-0.161,-1.104,-0.624,1,0
ATOM,3,C,1,-1.262,-0.44,0.16,1,0
ATOM,4,C,1,-0.289,-0.202,1.284,1,0
ATOM,5,C,1,1.203,0.513,-0.094,1,0
ATOM,6,C,1,0.099,1.184,0.694,1,0
ATOM,7,C,1,-0.885,0.959,-0.46,1,0
ATOM,8,C,1,0.236,0.283,-1.269,1,0
ATOM,9,H,1,1.41,-1.631,0.942,1,0
ATOM,10,H,1,-0.262,-2.112,-1.024,1,0
ATOM,11,H,1,-2.224,-0.925,0.328,1,0
ATOM,12,H,1,-0.468,-0.501,2.315,1,0
ATOM,13,H,1,2.224,0.892,-0.134,1,0
ATOM,14,H,1,0.24,2.112,1.251,1,0
ATOM,15,H,1,-1.565,1.73,-0.831,1,0
ATOM,16,H,1,0.472,0.494,-2.315,1,0
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In a directory, where ls returns:  
fructose.dat glucose.dat sucrose.dat maltose.txt  
What would be the output of the following loop?  
for datafile in \*.dat  
do  
cat \$datafile >> sugar.dat  
done

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- ☐ (A) All of the text from fructose.dat, glucose.dat and sucrose.dat would be concatenated and saved to a file called sugar.dat
- ☐ (B) The text from sucrose.dat will be saved to a file called sugar.dat
- ☐ (C) All of the text from fructose.dat, glucose.dat, sucrose.dat, and maltose.txt would be concatenated and saved to a file called sugar.dat
- ☐ (D) All of the text from fructose.dat, glucose.dat and sucrose.dat will be printed to the screen and saved into a file called sugar.dat

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1. Write a loop that concatenates all of the .csv files in the ~/nelle/molecules/csvs subdirectory into one file called allmolecules.csv

2. Write a loop that concatenates only the third column of the .csv files in the ~/nelle/molecules/csvs subdirectory into one file called allmolecules\_elements.csv

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3. Write a loop that concatenates only the unique value of the third column of each .csv file in the ~/nelle/molecules/csvs subdirectory into one file called allmolecules\_unique\_elements.csv (hint use the uniq command)

4. Why might you want to do this with a loop instead of only using cat?

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In the molecules directory, you have a shell script called script.sh containing the following commands:

head \$2 \$1

tail \$3 \$1

While you are in that current directory, you type the following command:

bash script.sh '\*.pdb' -1 -1

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Which of the following outputs would you expect to see?

- ☐ (A) All of the lines between the first and the last lines of each file ending in .pdb in the current directory
  - ☐ (B) The first and the last line of each file ending in .pdb in the current directory
  - ☐ (C) The first and the last line of each file in the current directory
  - ☐ (D) An error because of the quotes around \*.pdb
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1. Write a shell script that extracts the unique values from the 2nd column (antibiotic names) from antibiotics.csv in nelle's directory and saves these to a file called antibiotics\_unique.csv

2. Write a shell script that takes any file and extracts the unique values from the 2nd column of a comma delimited file and saves these to a file specified by the user.

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3. Write a shell script that takes any file and extracts the unique values from a specified column of a file and saves these to a file specified by the user. This script should also let the user choose the delimiter.

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The Tao that is seen  
Is not the true Tao, until  
You bring fresh toner.  
With searching comes loss  
and the presence of absence:  
"My Thesis" not found.  
Yesterday it worked

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Today it is not working  
Software is like that.  
From the above text, contained in the file haiku.txt, which command would result in the following output:  
and the presence of absence

- ☐ A grep of haiku.txt
- ☐ B grep -E of haiku.txt
- ☐ C grep -w of haiku.txt

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The -v flag to grep inverts pattern matching, so that only lines which do not match the pattern are printed. Given that, which of the following commands will find all files in /data whose names end in ose.dat (e.g., sucrose.dat or maltose.dat), but do not contain the word temp?

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- ☐ A find /data -name '\*.dat' | grep ose | grep -v temp
- ☐ B find /data -name ose.dat | grep -v temp
- ☐ C grep -v temp \$(find /data -name '\*ose.dat')
- ☐ D None of the above.