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Using grep (Lab)

Exercise

In the following exercise, we give some examples of things you can do with the **grep** command; your task is to experiment with these examples and extend them.

Find all entries in **/etc/services** that include the string **ftp**:

```
1 $ grep ftp /etc/services
```

Restrict to those that use the **tcp** protocol:

```
1 $ grep ftp /etc/services | grep tcp
```

or to those that do not use the **tcp** protocol, while printing out the line number:

```
1 $ grep -n ftp /etc/services | grep -v tcp
```

Get all strings that start with **ts** or end with **st**:

```
1 $ grep '^ts' /etc/services
2 $ grep 'st$' /etc/services
```

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