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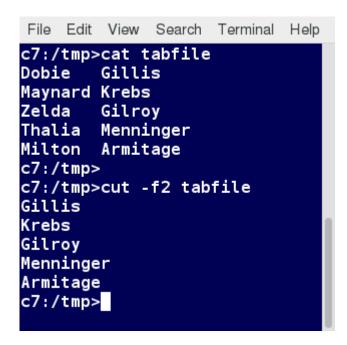


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## cut

**cut** is used for manipulating column-based files and is designed to extract specific columns. The default column separator is the **tab** character. A different delimiter can be given as a command option.

For example, to display the third column delimited by a blank space, at the command prompt type **ls -l | cut -d" " -f3** and press the **Enter** key.



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