

CSC3320 System Level Programming

Homework 2

Due at 11:59 pm on 9.26, 2019

100 points = $5 * 3 + 5 * 5 + 6 * (5 + 5)$

Part I: Answer the following questions, 5 points each

1. What are the differences among **grep**, **egrep** and **fgrep**?
2. Which utility from Chapter 3 can be used to compress and decompress files? And how to compress multiple files into a single file? Please provide one example for it.
3. Which utility (or utilities) from Chapter 3 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.

Part II: Multiple Choices, 5 points each

1. What is the output of the following sequence of bash commands:

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

- a. !!!Hello World
- b. Hello!!! World
- c. Hello World!!!
- d. !!!
- e. No output on screen

2. Which **awk** script outputs the first field of lines that in the first five lines:

- a. `1 <= NF { print $5 }`
- b. `NR >= 5 { print $1 }`
- c. `1,5 { print $0 }`
- d. `{print $1 }`
- e. None of above

3. What is the output of following command line:

echo good | sed '/Good/d'

- a. no output on screen
- b. good
- c. Good
- d. good Good
- e. None of above

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

- a. `/^\+/{print $0}`
- b. `/+\$/{print $0}`
- c. `/\+\$/{print $0}`
- d. `/\+$/ {print $0}`
- e. None of above

5. Which command delete only the first 5 lines of "file"?

- a. `sed '5d' file`
- b. `sed '1,5 p' file`
- c. `sed '5dd' file`
- d. `sed '5,$d' file`
- e. `sed '1,5d' file`

Part III: Write output of following commands and describe the function of commands (the last one only in each question). 10 points(5 output, 5 function) each

1)

```
$ 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}
```

```
$ awk -f h1.awk float
```

Output:

Function:

2)

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

Output:

Function:

3)

```
$ cat h2.awk
```

```
BEGIN { print "Start to scan file" }
```

```
{print $1 " , " $NF}
```

```
END {print "END-" , FILENAME }
```

```
$ awk -f h2.awk float
```

Output:

Function:

4)

```
$ sed 's/\s/\t/g' float
```

Output:

Function:

5)

```
$ ls *.awk | awk '{print "grep --color 'BEGIN' " $1 }' | sh (Notes: sh  
file runs file as a shell script.)
```

Output:

Function:

6)

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

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

This is a test file

```
^D (CTRL + D)
```

```
$ cd test
```

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

Output:

Function:

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