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Introduction to Unix and HPC

Answer Sheet

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Shell Primer

Unit 1: Run Spot, Run

Exercise 1(a) – Running commands

ls	Directory listing
w	Shows who is logged on to the system and what they are doing
w hpc22	Shows login, idle time, and what user hpc22 is doing
finger	Shows login, username & login details of users on the system
finger	Shows user hpc22's login details including name, idle time, login
hpc22	time as well as some of their environment settings
date	Prints the system time and date
uptime	Tells you how long the system has been running

Exercise 1(b) – Flags and Parameters

Standard UNIX commands

ls	Lists directory contents of current directory
ls -1	(long) Lists directory contents of current directory using long listing format
ls -a	(all) Lists directory contents of current directory and does not ignore entries starting with .
lsall	(all) Lists directory contents of current directory and does not ignore entries starting with . <i>(alternative form of previous command)</i>
ls -la	(all+long) Lists directory contents of current directory using long listing format and does not ignore entries



	starting with .	
lsall -1	(all+long) Lists directory contents of current directory using long listing format and does not ignore entries starting with .	
ls	Lists directory contents of current directory	
format=horizontal	horizontally	
lsformat=single-	Lists directory contents of current directory in a single	
column	column	

Exercise 1(c) – The Calendar

man cal	displays the manual page for the calendar function
cal -1 04 1980	displays the single month view of April in 1980 (04/1980)
cal 04 1980	displays the single month view of April in 1980 (04/1980)
	-1 is the default view, so this command generates the same
	output as the previous command
cal 02 04 1980	displays the single month view of April 1980, with the date 02
	highlighted (02/04/1980)
cal -m 02 04	displays the single month view of April 1980, with the date 02
1980	highlighted (02/04/1980) with Monday as the first day of the week (instead of Sunday which is the default)



Unit 2: Where am I?

Exercise 2(a): Finding your way around

(1)	ls -la	show the directory listing for the current directory
(2)	ls training -or- ls -l training	show the directory listing for the training directory ("long" or detailed view)
(3)	cd training	change directory (cd) to a subdirectory called "training"
(4)	ls /home/hpc22/ -or- ls ~ -or-	Show the directory listing for current user using either
	ls ~/hpc22	 Absolute path Home directory of current user ~ Home directory of specified user ~hpc22

Exercise 2(b): Finding your way around (part 2)

(1)	o/regurgitator.sh	o run the regurgitator.sh
		script from the parent
	o ~/regurgitator.sh	<u>directory of my</u> <u>current location</u>
	○ ~hpc22/regurgitator.sh	 run the regurgitator.sh script from my home directory
	<pre>o /home/hpc22/regurgitator.sh</pre>	 run the regurgitator.sh script from <u>hpc85's</u> <u>home directory</u>
	o/regurgitator.sh -d	o run the regurgitator.sh script from the absolute path to



		hpc85's home directory
		 Will run the "regurgitator.sh" script which will print the program name and arguments input. The —d flag will cause the current working directory to be printed
(2)	pwd	Path Working directory command will list the current working directory
(3)	ls .	Will give a listing of all files in the current working directory (current dir)
(4)	ls//hpc23	Will give a listing of all files in hpc23's home directory
(5)	lsrecursive ~ -or-	Will give a recursive listing of
	lsrecursive ~hpc22 -or-	all files in the parent directory and sub-directories
	lsrecursiveor-	
	lsrecursive /home/hpc22	

Exercise 2(c): Making Directories

(1)	cd ~	Change directory to my home directory
(2)	mkdir experiments	Make a directory called
	mkdir "experiments/experiment	"experiments" in ~
	one"	Make a directory called
	mkdir "experiments/experiment	"experiment one" in
	one/step one"	~/"experiment one"
	mkdir "experiments/experiment	Make a directory called



	one/step two"	"experiments"
	cd "experiment two"	Make a directory called
	mkdir "step one"	"experiments"
	mkdir "step two"	
(2)	lsrecursive ~/experiments -	Show the directory structure for
	or-	the newly created "experiments"
	tree ~/experiments	folder

Exercise 2(d): Moving and Copying Files

(1)	cp ~/regurgitator.sh ~/experiments
	cp ~/regurgitator.sh /home/hpc22/experiments/"experiment
	one"
	cp ~/regurgitator.sh ~/experiments/"experiment two"
	cd ~
	cp ./regurgitator.sh ~/experiments/"experiment one"/"step
	one"
	cd experiments
	cp/regurgitator.sh "experiment one/step two"
	cd "experiment two"
	cp ~/regurgitator.sh ./"step one"
	cp /home/hpc22/regurgitator.sh "step two"
(2)	cp ~/regurgitator.sh ~/copy_of_regurgitator.sh
(3)	mv ~/copy_of_regurgitator.sh ~/experiments



Exercise 3(a)

(1)	cd ~/training	The cd command will change directory to the training directory
(2)	cat poem.txt	The cat command will print out the contents of the poem.txt file
(3)	wc -w poem.txt	The we command will count the newlines, words and byte counts for a file. Using the –w flag will only show the number of words in a file
(4)	cat poem.txt poem.txt	This will print out the contents of the poem.txt file twice
(5)	less poem.txt	The less command will page through the contents of the poem.txt file one page at a time
(6)	tail poem.txt	The tail command will display the last 10 lines of the poem.txt file
(7)	cat poem.rtf	The cat command print out the contents of the poem.rtf file
(8)	du	The du command will display the disk space being used by all of the files in the current directory
(9)	du -all	The du command will display the disk space being used by each of the files in the current directory, and a total for all files



Exercise 4(a)

(1)	cd ~/training	Change directory to the training directory
(2)	fortune fortune	The fortune command will give you a once off fortune (like a Chinese fortune cookie)
(3)	<pre>fortune > my_fortune.txt cat my_fortune.txt</pre>	The > will redirect the output of the fortune command into a file called my_fortune.txt The cat command print out the contents of the my_fortune.txt file
(4)	<pre>fortune > my_fortune.txt cat my_fortune.txt</pre>	As above
(5)	<pre>fortune >> my_fortune.txt cat my_fortune.txt</pre>	The >> will append the output of the fortune command into a file called my_fortune.txt The cat command print out the contents of the my_fortune.txt file
(5)	<pre>sort long_poem.txt uniq > copy_long_poem.txt cat copy_long_poem.txt</pre>	The sort command will sort the contents of the long_poem.txt The uniq command will remove any duplicate (redundant) lines from the poem The > will redirect the output of the fortune command into a file called copy_long_poem.txt



Exercise 5(a): Checking the environment variables

(1)	echo \$PATH	The echo command will display what the PATH environment variable is set to	
	echo \$HOME	The echo command display what the HOME environment variable is set to	
	echo \$TEMP	The echo command display what the TEMP environment variable is set to	
	echo \$PS1	The echo command display what the PS1 environment variable is set to	
(2)	env	Will display all the environment variables and what they are set to	
(3)	env grep PATH > path.txt	The env command will display the environment variables and what they are set to	
		The grep command will search for any instances of the word "PATH"	
		The > will redirect the output of the two commands into a file called path.txt	

Exercise 5(b): Manipulating the Environment

(1)	export MYNAME=Joe	The export command will set the value of the MYNAME environment variable to "Joe"
(2)	export MYNAME=Thurbon	The export command will set the value of the MYNAME environment variable to "Thurbon"
(3)	export MYNAME=Joe :\$MYNAME	The export command will set the value of the MYNAME environment variable to "Joe:Thurbon"



(4)	<pre>cd ~ mv regurgitator.sh ./bin regurgitator.sh</pre>	The ed command will change your current working directory to your home directory
		The mv command will move the regurgitator.sh file to the bin directory
		The final command attempts to run the regurgitator.sh file, but as it doesn't exist in the ~ directory, this command should fail
(5)	export PATH=\$PATH:/home/hpc22/bin	The export command will set the value of the PATH environment variable to the existing PATH variable plus the addition of your bin directory :/home/hpc22/bin
(6)	<pre>export PS1="\u@my_new_prompt:\w>"</pre>	You can set the PS1 to whatever you want. The sample here will result in the users prompt being changed to the following: o hpc85@my_new_prompt:~>



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Exercise 3: Putting it all together

Sample script:

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#!/bin/bash -login
#PBS -1 walltime=00:10:00
#PBS -1 nodes=1:ppn=1
#PBS -1 mem=100mb
#PBS -P a40
#PBS -M fred@intersect.org.au
#PBS -m abe
cd $PBS O WORKDIR
source /usr/share/modules/init/bash
module load clustalw
mkdir /home/hpc##/training/clustal_example/
cd /home/hpc##/training/clustal_example/
wget
https://raw.github.com/IntersectAustralia/TrainingMaterials/master/IntroToU
nixHPC/70 text strings.txt
clustalw2 -INFILE=70_text_strings.txt -PWMATRIX=BLOSUM -PWGAPOPEN=1000
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