

# Week Report 7

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## Cat Command

- What is the command used for
  - Displaying the content of a file
- What is the formula of the command
  - `cat + option + file(s)`
- Examples
  - `cat dracula.txt`
  - `cat -n bible.txt`

## Tac Command

- What is the command used for
  - displaying contents of file in reverse order
- What is the formula
  - `tac + option + file(s)`
- Examples
  - `tac bible.txt`
  - `tac todo.md`

## head command

- What is the command used for?
  - Displays top N number of lines of a given file
- What is the formula for the command
  - `head + option + file(s)`
- Examples
  - `head -5 dracula.txt`
  - `head -10 bible.txt`

## tail command

- what is the command used for
  - last N number of lines in a file
- what is the formula for the command
  - `tail + option + file`
- Example
  - `tail -5 dracula.txt`
  - `tail -10 bible.txt`

## cut command

- what is the command used for
  - extract a specific section of each line of a file
- what is the formula

- cut + option + file(s)
- Examples
  - cut -d ':' -f1 /etc/passwd
  - cut -d ':' -f1,7 /etc/passwd

## paste command

- What is the command used for
  - paste command is used for joining files horizontally
- What is the formula for the command
  - paste + option + file(s)
- Example
  - paste users.lst ip\_address.lst
  - paste -d ":" users1.lst ip\_addresses.lst

## sort command

- what is the command used for
  - sorting files
- what is the formula
  - sort + option + file(s)
- example
  - sort users.lst
  - sort -o sorted.lst users.lst

## wc command

- what is the command used for
  - used for printing the number of lines characters, and bytes in a file
- what is the formula
  - wc + option + file(s)
- example
  - wc -m users.txt
  - wc -l users.txt

## tr command

- what is the command used for
  - translating or deleting characters from standard output
- what is the formula
  - standard output | tr + option + set + set
- example
  - cat file.txt | tr ' ' ','
  - cat program.py | tr "{space:}" '\t'

## diff command

- what is the command used for

- difference of files and displays the difference between them
- what is the formula
  - diff + option + file1 + file 2
- example
  - diff cars.csv cars-backup.csv
  - diff -y cars.csv cars-backup.csv

## Grep command

- what is the command used for
  - search text in a given file
- what is the formula
  - grep + option + search criteria + file(s)
- example
  - grep 'dracula' dracula.txt
  - grep 'jesus' bible.txt

## awk command

- what is the command used for
  - scripting language used for processing and displaying text
- what is the formula
  - awk + options + {awk command} + file
- example
  - awk -F: '{print \$1}' cars.csv
  - awk -F: '{print \$3,4}' cars.csv
  - awk -F: '{print \$7}' cars.csv
  - awk -F: '{print \$NF}' cars.csv
  - awk -F: '{print \$1, " = ", \$4}' cars.csv

## Sed Command

- What is the command used for
  - stream editor that performs operations on files and standard output
- What is the formula
  - sed options + sed script + file
- Example
  - sed 's/pizza/rice/' shopping-list.lst
  - sed '5d' shopping-list.lst
  - sed '\$d' shopping-list.lst
  - sed G shopping-list.lst
  - sed 'G;G' shopping-list.lst