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cp /etc/passwd ~/copy_of_passwd
sudo chown :<group_name> ~/copy_of_passwd
chmod g+rw ~/copy_of_passwd
Q2.
cut -d ':' -f <column_number> /etc/group | wc -w
Q3.
sudo lastb | head -1 | cut -d ' ' -f 1
Q4.
awk -F: '$3 >= 1000 && $3 != 65534 {print $1}' /etc/passwd | head -n 3
Q5.
echo "uname -m > OS.txt" | at now + 2 minutes
Q6.
#!/bin/bash
echo -n "Enter a number: "
read number
# Validate input
if ! [[ number = ^{0}9]+ ]]; then
echo "Invalid input! Please enter a valid number."
exit 1
fi
# Print the pattern
for ((i = 1; i <= $number; i++)); do
spaces=$((number - i))
for ((j = 1; j <= spaces; j++)); do
  echo -n " "
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Q1.

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done
for ((k = 1; k <= i; k++)); do
  echo -n ". "
 done
 echo ""
done
for ((i = $number; i >= 1; i--)); do
spaces=$((number - i))
for ((j = 1; j <= spaces; j++)); do
  echo -n " "
 done
 for ((k = 1; k \le i; k++)); do
  echo -n ". "
 done
 echo ""
done
Q7.
find /home/farzan_rahmani -name "*.txt" -size +0
Q8.
#!/bin/bash
echo -n "Enter an IP address: "
read ip_address
ping -c 4 $ip_address
Q9.
Q10.
#!/bin/bash
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echo -n "Enter a three-digit number: "

read number

if [[ $number =~ ^[0-9]{3}$ ]]; then

digit1=$(( $number / 100 ))

digit2=$(( ($number / 10) % 10 ))

digit3=$(( $number % 10 ))

sum=$(( $digit1 + $digit2 + $digit3 ))

echo "Sum of digits: $sum"

else

echo "Invalid input! Please enter a three-digit number."

fi
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