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SECTION: 4-D

PRACTICE 1



• echo hello world - prints hello world

passwd - changes the password

• date +%D - displays date in DD/MM/YY format

hostname - returns computer name

• arch - returns computer architecture type

uname -a

 prints the name, version and other details about the current machine and the operating system running on it

• dmesg | more - used to examine the kernel ring buffer and print the message buffer of kernel.

```
13:48:41 up 11 min, 1 user, load average: 0.11, 0.21, 0.21
avman
                      2021-05-10 13:37 (:0)
     @Avman:~S id
uid=1000(ayman) gid=1000(ayman) groups=1000(ayman),4(adm),24(cdrom),27(sudo),30(dip),46(plugdev),120(lpadmin),131(lxd),132(sambashare)
ayman@Ayman:-$ last
                                        Mon May 10 13:37
                                                            still logged in
                                                            still running
down (00:51)
        system boot 5.8.0-50-generic Mon May 10 13:37
reboot
                                        Mon May 10 12:45
ayman
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(13:50)
(00:02)
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                                                          - crash
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reboot system boot 5.8.0-50-generic Sun May 9 20:56 -
ayman
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        system boot 5.8.0-50-generic Sun May 9 19:59 - 20:20
                                                                   (00:20)
wtmp begins Sun May 9 19:59:35 2021
                            Idle Login Time Office
May 10 13:37 (:0)
                                                              Office Phone
Login
          Name
```

- uptime gives how long system has been running
- whoami prints the effective username of the current user when invoked.
- Who prints a list of all currently logged in users.

```
      ayman@Ayman:~$ w

      13:49:07 up 11 min, 1 user, load average: 0.07, 0.19, 0.20

      USER TTY FROM
      LOGIN@ IDLE JCPU PCPU WHAT

      ayman :0 :0 13:37 ?xdm? 1:49 0.01s /usr/lib/gdm3/gdm-x-session --run-script env GNOME_SHELL_SESSION_MODE=ubuntu
```

```
top - 13:49:12 up 11 min, 1 user, load average: 0.06, 0.19, 0.20
Tasks: 207 total, 1 running, 206 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zomb
жСри(s): 0.4 us, 0.2 sy, 0.0 ni, 99.4 id, 0.0 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
            8266.2 total,
                              6024.3 free,
                                               918.8 used,
                                                              1323.1 buff/cache
MiB Mem :
MiB Swap:
            2048.0 total,
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                                                 0.0 used.
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ayman@Ayman:~$ echo
ayman@Ayman:~$ man "automatic door"
No manual entry for automatic door
ayman@Ayman:~$ clear
```

• w - prints a list of all currently logged in users.

yman@Ayman:~\$ top

- top displays processor activity of your Linux box and also displays tasks managed by kernel in real time
- echo display a line of text/string on standard output or a file.

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ayman@Ayman:~$ cal 2000
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ayman@Ayman:~$ cal 9 1752

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ayman@Ayman:~$ echo 5+4 | bc

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ayman@Ayman:~$ yes please
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ayman@Ayman:~$
```

- cal 2000 displays calendar for the year 2000
- cal 9 1752 displays the ninth month of the year 1752
- echo 5+4 | bc prints the sum of 5+4 using the bc command line calculator
- yes please outputs "please" in a constant stream until ctrl + c is pressed

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ time sleep 3
real
        0m3.003s
user
        0m0.002s
       0m0.000s
sys
ayman@Ayman:~$ history
    1 sudo apt install build-essential dkms linux-headers-$(uname -r)
    2 sudo apt install build-essential dkms linux-headers-$(uname-r)
    3 sudo apt install build-essential dkms linux-headers-$(uname -r)
      echo hello world
      echo hello world
    6 passwd
      date
   8 hostname
   9
      arch
   10 uname -a
   11 dmesg |more
   12
   13
      sudo snap install q
   14 passwd
```

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      cal 9 1752
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      echo 5+4 | bc
      yes please
      cal 9 1752
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      yes please
      cal 9 1752
      echo 5+4 | bc
 116
 117 yes please
 118
      time sleep
 119
      history
ayman@Ayman:~$
```

- time sleep 3 reports how long it takes for the command sleep 3 to execute.
- **history** lists previously typed commands.

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ cd
ayman@Ayman:~$ pwd
/home/ayman
ayman@Ayman:/home$ pwd
/home
ayman@Ayman:/home$ ls -al
total 12
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 19:47 9 ملي .
drwxr-xr-x 20 root root 4096 19:42 9 ملي ayman
ayman@Ayman:/home$ cd ..
drwxr-xr-x 16 ayman ayman 4096 13:38 10
ayman@Ayman:/home$ cd ..
ayman@Ayman:/$ pwd
/
ayman@Ayman:/$ cd /etc
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ayman@Ayman:/etc$ ls -al | more
   total 1132
  drwxr-xr-x 131 root root
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-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 3028 22:47 9 فبر adduser.conf
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 22:48 9 فبر alsa
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- cd allows you to change directory
- **pwd** will allow you to know in which directory you're located. pwd stands for print work directory.
- cd .. navigate up one directory level

```
an@Ayman:/etc$ cat passwd
 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
daemon:x:1:1:daemon:/usr/sbin:/usr/sbin/nologin
bin:x:2:2:bin:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin
sys:x:3:3:sys:/dev:/usr/sbin/nologin
sync:x:4:65534:sync:/bin:/bin/sync
games:x:5:60:games:/usr/games:/usr/sbin/nologin
man:x:6:12:man:/var/cache/man:/usr/sbin/nologin
lp:x:7:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/usr/sbin/nologin
mail:x:8:8:mail:/var/mail:/usr/sbin/nologin
news:x:9:9:news:/var/spool/news:/usr/sbin/nologin
uucp:x:10:10:uucp:/var/spool/uucp:/usr/sbin/nologin
proxy:x:13:13:proxy:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin
www-data:x:33:33:www-data:/var/www:/usr/sbin/nologin
backup:x:34:34:backup:/var/backups:/usr/sbin/nologin
list:x:38:38:Mailing List Manager:/var/list:/usr/sbin/nologin
irc:x:39:39:ircd:/var/run/ircd:/usr/sbin/nologin
gnats:x:41:41:Gnats Bug-Reporting System (admin):/var/lib/gnats:/usr/sbin/nologin
nobody:x:65534:65534:nobody:/nonexistent:/usr/sbin/nologin
systemd-network:x:100:102:systemd Network Management,,,:/run/systemd:/usr/sbin/nologin
systemd-resolve:x:101:103:systemd Resolver,,,:/run/systemd:/usr/sbin/nologin
systemd-timesync:x:102:104:systemd Time Synchronization,,,:/run/systemd:/usr/sbin/nologin
messagebus:x:103:106::/nonexistent:/usr/sbin/nologin
syslog:x:104:110::/home/syslog:/usr/sbin/nologin
_apt:x:105:65534::/nonexistent:/usr/sbin/nologin
tss:x:106:111:TPM software stack,,,:/var/lib/tpm:/bin/false
uuidd:x:107:114::/run/uuidd:/usr/sbin/nologin
tcpdump:x:108:115::/nonexistent:/usr/sbin/nologin
avahi-autoipd:x:109:116:Avahi autoip daemon,,,:/var/lib/avahi-autoipd:/usr/sbin/nologin
usbmux:x:110:46:usbmux daemon,,,:/var/lib/usbmux:/usr/sbin/nologin
rtkit:x:111:117:RealtimeKit,,,:/proc:/usr/sbin/nologin
dnsmasq:x:112:65534:dnsmasq,,,:/var/lib/misc:/usr/sbin/nologin
rtkit:x:111:117:RealtimeKit,,,:/proc:/usr/sbin/nologin
dnsmasq:x:112:65534:dnsmasq,,,:/proc:/dsr/sbin/nologin
cups-pk-helper:x:113:120:user for cups-pk-helper service,,,:/home/cups-pk-helper:/usr/sbin/nologin
speech-dispatcher:x:114:29:Speech Dispatcher,,,:/run/speech-dispatcher:/bin/false
avahi:x:115:121:Avahi mDNS daemon,,,:/var/run/avahi-daemon:/usr/sbin/nologin
kernoops:x:116:65534:Kernel Oops Tracking Daemon,,,:/:/usr/sbin/nologin
saned:x:117:123::/var/lib/saned:/usr/sbin/nologin
nm-openvpn:x:118:124:NetworkManager OpenVPN,,,:/var/lib/openvpn/chroot:/usr/sbin/nologin
hplip:x:119:7:HPLIP system user,,,:/run/hplip:/bin/false
whoopsie:x:120:125::/nonexistent:/bin/false
colord:x:121:126:colord colour management daemon,,,:/var/lib/colord:/usr/sbin/nologin
geoclue:x:122:127::/var/lib/geoclue:/usr/sbin/nologin
pulse:x:123:128:PulseAudio daemon,,,:/var/run/pulse:/usr/sbin/nologin
gnome-initial-setup:x:124:65534::/run/gnome-initial-setup/:/bin/false
gdm:x:125:130:Gnome Display Manager:/var/lib/gdm3:/bin/false
ayman:x:1000:1000:Ayman,,,:/home/ayman:/bin/bash
systemd-coredump:x:999:999:systemd Core Dumper:/:/usr/sbin/nologin
vboxadd:x:998:1::/var/run/vboxadd:/bin/false
 ayman@Ayman:/etc$ cd ~
  ayman@Ayman:~$ pwd
 /home/ayman
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ayman@Ayman:~\$ clear

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ayman@Ayman:~$ cd
ayman@Ayman:~$ pwd
/home/ayman
ayman@Ayman:~$ mkdir work play
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls
          Downloads Pictures Public
ayman@Ayman:~$ rm -r work
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls
ayman@Ayman:~$ sudo cp /etc/passwd /home
[sudo] password for ayman:
ayman@Ayman:~$ sudo mv /etc/passwd play
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls -a
                          .sudo_as_admin_successful
                          .vboxclient-clipboard.pid
.bash_history
.bash_logout´
                          .vboxclient-display-svga-x11.pid
.bashrc
                          .vboxclient-draganddrop.pid
                          .vboxclient-seamless.pid
               .profile
.config
               Public
ayman@Ayman:~$ clear
```

- mkdir command makes subdirectories work and play
- **Is** shows the list of directories
- rm -r work command deletes the work directory
- sudo cp /etc/passwd /home command copies the file into home directory
- sudo mv /etc/passwd play command moves the file into the play directory
- Is -a command lists all the files in the current directory

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ mkdir rootdirectory
ayman@Ayman:~$ cd rootdirectory
ayman@Ayman:~/rootdirectory$ mkdir subdirectory
ayman@Ayman:~/rootdirectory$ cal
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ayman@Ayman:~/rootdirectory$ banner ayman
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mkdir creates the directory

- **cd** enters into the directory just created
- **mkdir subdirectory** creates a subdirectory in rootdirectory
- cal shows the calendar for the current month
- banner displays the name in the form of a banner

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls

Desktop Documents Downloads Music Pictures Public rootdirectory Templates Videos

ayman@Ayman:~$ who

ayman :0 2021-05-11 00:22 (:0)

ayman@Ayman:~$ tty
/dev/pts/0

ayman@Ayman:~$ cd rootdirectory

ayman@Ayman:~/rootdirectory$
```

- Is shows the directory listing of the parent directory
- who displays the number of users logged into the system
- tty displays the name of the device on my terminal
- **cd rootdirectory** moves into the rootdirectory

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ mkdir rootdirectory
ayman@Ayman:~$ mv rootdirectory exercises
ayman@Ayman:~$ cat > example1.txt
water, water everywhere and all the boards did shrink;
water, water everywhere,
No drop to drink.
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls
Desktop Downloads exercises Pictures Templates Videos
Documents example1.txt Music Public test.txt
ayman@Ayman:~$ man finger
```

- mv rootdirectory exercises changes the rootdirectory to exercises
- cat > example1.txt creates a text file called example1.txt
- on pressing enter we input the required text and then press ctrl+d to save the text in the file.
- man finger gives further information on the finger command.

```
NAME
finger — user information lookup program

SYNOPSIS
finger [-Imsp] [user ...] [user@host ...]

DESCRIPTION
The finger displays information about the system users.

Options are:

-s Finger displays the user's login name, real name, terminal name and write status (as a `**' after the terminal name if write permission is denied), idle time, login time, office location and office phone number.

Login time is displayed as month, day, hours and minutes, unless more than six months ago, in which case the year is displayed rather than the hours and minutes.

Unknown devices as well as nonexistent idle and login times are displayed as single asterisks.

-1 Produces a multi-line format displaying all of the information described for the -s option as well as the user's home directory, home phone number. login shell, mail status, and the contents of the files "_plan", "_project", "_pgpkey" and "_forward" from the user's home directory.

Phone numbers specified as eleven digits are printed as ``+N-NNN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as ten or seven digits are printed as the appropriate subset of that string. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are printed as ``xN-NNNN'. Numbers specified as five digits are
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ayman@Ayman:~$ ls *.txt
example1.txt test.txt
ayman@Ayman:~$ cp example1.txt ~/Documents/
ayman@Ayman:~$ mv example1.txt water.txt
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls *.txt
test.txt water.txt
ayman@Ayman:~$ rm test.txt
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls *.txt
water.txt
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls *.txt
```

- Is *.txt displays all the text files in the directory
- cp example1.txt ~/Documents/ creates a copy of the text file in the documents folder.
- mv example1.txt water.txt renames the file example1.txt into water.txt
- test.txt was a random test file to test the creation of a file, since it is unwanted, we remove that file using the rm command.
- Rm test.txt removes the test.txt file

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls -l
total 52
Desktop ملی 11 Desktop ملی drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096
Documents ملي drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 01:15 11
Downloads ملي 11 13:00 drwxr-xr-x و ayman ayman 4096 ملي
example1 مافي example1 98 01:07 مافي example1
exercises مليّ 11 01:06 drwxrwxr-x 4 ayman ayman 4096 مليّ
file1 ماقي 11 37 04:28 ما ما ي 1 1 12 12 74-14 ما ت
-rw-rw-r-- 1 ayman ayman
                            file2 ملي 11 04:28
                            file3 ملي 11 04:30 36
file4 ملي 11 04:30 0
-rw-rw-r-- 1 ayman ayman
-rw-rw-r-- 1 ayman ayman
مليّ Music مليّ 11 Music مليّ 4096 drwxr-xr-x
Pictures مافي 11 13:00 drwxr-xr-x و مافي Pictures
مليّ 11 Public ميليّ drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096
drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 00:13 11 ملي Templates
drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 00:13 11 ملي Videos
ayman@Ayman:~$ chmod -x Downloads
```

- The commands on the left show the permissions given to the files and directory by the operating system, we can change these permissions using the chmod -<permission><filename> or the chmdod+<permission><filename> command depending on wether you want to remove or add permissions to a particular file.
- For example we want to remove the executable permission for the Downloads directory so we use the chmod -x Downloads command. This removes the executable permission for the downloads directory.
- Now if we type Is -I we see that the permission for the directory has been changed.

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls -l
total 52
drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 00:13 11 ملی Desktop
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Downloads ملی 11 1:05 drw-r--r- 2 ayman ayman 4096 ملی 13 11
-rw-rw-r-- 1 ayman ayman
                          example1 ملي 11 01:07 98
exercises ماق 11 01:06 drwxrwxr-x 4 ayman ayman 4096 ماق ا
                          file1 ماي 11 04:28 37
file2 ماي 11 04:28 31
           1 ayman ayman
           1 ayman ayman
-rw-rw-r-- 1 ayman ayman
                           file3 ملي 11 04:30 36
file4 مليَ 11 04:30 a yman ayman
Music مای drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 00:13 11
Pictures ملی 11 13.00 drwxr-xr-x و ملی Pictures
Public مِلَى 11 Public مِلْي 11 drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096
ملي 11 13:00 drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 ملي 13
Videos ملی 11 3:00 drwxr-xr-x و ayman ayman 4096 ملی videos
```

 Now for example lets say we want to change the permission of file1 from read write to read write execute, so we type in the following command.

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ chmod +rwx file1
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls -l
total 52
Desktop ملی 11 13:00 drwxr-xr-x و ملی Desktop
Documents ملي drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 01:15 11
Downloads ملي 11 13.00 drw-r--r 2 ayman ayman 4096
-rw-rw-r-- 1 ayman ayman
                          example1 ملي 98 01:07 11
exercises ملق drwxrwxr-x 4 ayman ayman 4096 01:06 11 ملق
file1 ملی file1 37 04:28 ملی file1
file2 ملی file2 18 12.28 11 ملی rw-rw-r-- 1 ayman ayman
file3 ملی 11 36 04:30 میل File3 -rw-rw-r
-rw-rw-r-- 1 ayman ayman
                         file4 ملی 11 04:30 0
Music مائی 11 13.13 drwxr-xr-x و ayman ayman 4096
ملی Pictures ملی drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 00:13 11
ملي Public ملي drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 00:13 11
Templates ملی drwxr-xr-x 2 ayman ayman 4096 00:13 11
videos ملي 11 13:00 drwxr-xr-x و ملي Videos
```

• As we see the permission for file1 has been changed successfully.

Q. Create a number of hierarchically related directories and navigate through them using a combination of absolute pathnames (starting with "/") and relative pathnames.

To create hierarchically related directories, use the MKDIR command,

% mkdir /Student/Subdirectory1

% mkdir /Student/Subdirectory2

% mkdir /Student/Subdirectory3

To navigate through the directories using absolute pathnames:

First determine the current directory using the pwd(print working directory) command: % pwd /home/Student

Q. Try using wildcards ("*" and possibly "?")

The two basic wildcard characters are ? and *. The wildcard ? Matches any one character. The wildcard * matches any grouping of zero or more characters.

The ? wildcard matches any one character. To restrict the matching to a particular character or range of characters, use square brackets [] to include a list. For example, to list files ending in "ite", and beginning with only "a", "b", "c", or "d" we would use the command: Is [abcd]ite

Q. Put a listing of the files in your directory into a file called filelist. (Then delete it!)

Using the CP command

% cp ~Student/directory1* filelist

% rm filelist

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Q. Type the command Is -I and examine the format of the output. Pipe the output of the command Is -I to the word count wc to obtain a count of the number of files in your directory.

The **wc** command is used to print the number of lines, words, and characters in a file. Syntax: wc [options] filename To find the number of files in a directory, enter % **Is -I | wc -I | s -I :** For a long listing that shows file protections, size, and date.

Q. Use cut to strip away the reference material and leave just the text field.

Cut command is typically used to extract a certain range of characters from a line, usually from a file. Syntax: % cut [-b] [-c] [-f list] [-n] [-d delim] [-s] [file] -b

Q. Use tr to strip away any tags that are actually in the text (e.g., attached to the words), so that you are left with just the words.

The tr command (translate characters) is one of the true Unix filters. It copies its standard input to its standard output, while replacing the first character specified on the command line with the second character specified.

Q. Set a file to be read-only with the chmod (from change mode) command. Interpret the file permissions displayed by the ls —I command.

Consider file1 to be present, To set the file to be read-only to all, % chmod a+r file1 To see the permissions of the file, use the ls —I command. To see the permissions of the entire directory use the ls —Id command.

Q. Delete one or more directories with the rmdir command. See what happens if the directory is not empty. Experiment (carefully!!) with the rm —r command to delete the directory and its content.

First let's go to home directory of user Student: cd ~Student Let us create a directory /Student/Directory2 % mkdir /Student/Directory2 If the Directory 2 is not empty, then we get an error message: Directory2: Directory not empty. To remove the directory and all its files and contents: %rm –r Directory2

Q. Experiment with the re-directing command output (e.g., ls - l > file1). Try ">>" instead of ">" with an existing text file as the output.

To "redirect" output -- to take what the system would have displayed on the screen and put it in a file instead. On issuing the ls -l command, we can redirect the output to file1, as: % ls -l >file1 When you redirect output to a file that already exists, any previous contents are deleted before the command is

completed. To prevent the accidental overwriting of files, first issue the command: set noclobber then use % Is –I > file1

If file1 already exists then we will get an error: File1: file exists. However, if you are certain you want to replace the contents of an existing file with redirected output, use the emphatic form of the redirection command: % Is >!file1 It is possible to append the redirected output onto the end of an existing file, instead of replacing the contents, by using the append symbol (>>). The following command adds the date to the end of the file file1, without removing its original contents: date >> file1 If you have issued the set noclobber command to prevent accidental overwriting, you must use the emphatic form: date >>! File1

Q. See whether upper-case versions of any of these commands will work as well as the lower-case versions.

UNIX is <u>ALWAYS</u> case-sensitive. If you want to list your files with the `ls' command, if you enter LS you will be told "command not found.

Q. Pipe the output of the who command to the sort command.

UNIX sort command to sort data

- either alphabetically or numerically (-n option)
- in ascending or descending order (-r -- sort in reverse option)

By default **sort** sorts the file in ascending order using the entire line as a sorting key. The sort command can be used in pipes or have its output redirected as desired. To pipe the output of the who command to the input of the sort command: %who | sort >file1

Q. Search for your login name in who file using the grep command.

The grep command search for the pattern specified by the Pattern parameter and writes each matching line to standard output. The grep command displays the name of the file containing the matched line if you specify more than one name in the File parameter.

Characters with special meaning to the shell $(\$, *, [, |, ^, (,), \setminus))$ must be in quotation marks when they appear in the Pattern parameter. To find a word within some text, display all lines matching "pattern1",

grep pattern1 file

% who | grep Student

PRACTICE 7

Q. Compare two text files with the diff command.

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ cat > test1
Avman
Shakil
David
ayman@Ayman:~$ cat > test2
Ayman
Shakil
John
ayman@Ayman:~$ cat > test3
Shakil
David
Samantha
ayman@Ayman:~$ diff test1 test2
1c1
< Ayman
> Ayman
3c3
< David
> John
ayman@Ayman:~$ clear
```

Let's create an example to explain the output produced by diff. Look at the contents of three sample files .

The diff command is used to display two files and prints the lines that are different.

When you run diff on test1 and test2, the following output is produced:

Q. Count lines, words, and characters in a file with the wc command.

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ wc /etc/passwd
47 83 2784 /etc/passwd
ayman@Ayman:~$ wc -w example1
16 example1
ayman@Ayman:~$ wc -w test1
3 test1
ayman@Ayman:~$ wc -l example1
3 example1
ayman@Ayman:~$
```

The "wc" command stands for "word count". It counts the number of characters, words, and lines that are contained in a text stream.

wc/etc/passwd command tells the number of characters, words, and lines in the /etc/passwd file

wc -w example1 command tells the number of words in the example1 file.

wc -l example1 command tells the number of lines in the example1 file.

Q. Display your current environment variables with the following command: set or env

ENVIRONMENT variables are set using the setenv command, displayed using the printenv or env commands, and unset using the unsetenv command.

printenv | less displays the list of environment variables

```
SHELL=/btn/bash
SESSION_MANAGER=local/ayman:@/tmp/.ICE-untx/1646_untx/Ayman:/tmp/.ICE-untx/1646_07
ACCESSION_TRES-/etc/cdg/xdg-ubuntu:/etc/xdg
XDC_MENU_PREFIX=gnome-
GNOME_DESKTOP_SESSION_ID=this-is-deprecated
LC_ADDRESS-ar_AE.UTF-8
GNOME_SHELL_SESSION_MODE=ubuntu
LC_ANDRESS-ar_AE.UTF-8
SSH_AUTH_SOCK=/run/user/1000/keyring/ssh
XMODIFIERS-etc-selfum-ibus
DESKTOP_SESSION_ubuntu
LC_NONETARY=ar_AE.UTF-8
SSH_AUTH_SOCK=/run/user/1000/keyring/ssh
XMODIFIERS-etc-selfum-ibus
DESKTOP_SESSION=ubuntu
LC_MONETARY=ar_AE.UTF-8
SSH_ACRIT_PID=1571
GTK_MODULES-gall:atk-bridge
PMD=/home/ayman
LOGNAME=ayman
XDC_SESSION_TYPE=x11
GPC_AGENT_INFO=/run/user/1000/gnupg/S.gpg-agent:0:1
XAUTHORITY-/run/user/1000/gdm/Xauthority
GJS_DEBUG_TOPICS=JS_ERROR;JS_LOG
HINDOWPATH=2
HONE=/home/ayman
USERNAME=ayman
XDC_AMEREA_SHAME
MINDOWPATH=2
HONE=/home/ayman
USERNAME=ayman
XDC_AMEREA_SHAME
MINDOWPATH=2
HONE=/home/ayman
USERNAME=ayman
XDC_AMEREA_SHAME
MINDOWPATH=2
HONE=/home/ayman
USERNAME=ayman
XDC_AMEREA_SHAME
XD
```

Q. Display information on yourself or another user with the finger command.

The finger displays information about the system users. Syntax: finger [-lmsp] -s: Finger displays the user's login name, real name, terminal name and write status (as a "*" after the terminal name if write per-mission is denied), idle time, login time, office location and office phone number.

- -l: Finger displays the user's login name, real name, terminal name and write status (as a "*" after the terminal name if write per- mission is denied), idle time, login time, office location and office phone number.
- -p: Prevents the -l option of finger from displaying the contents of the ".plan", ".project" and ".pgpkey" files.
- -m: Prevent matching of user names.
- ~/.nofinger If finger finds this file in a user's home directory,it will, for finger requests originating outside the local host, firmly deny the existence of that user. For this to work, the finger program, must be able to see the .nofinger file. This generally means that the home directory containing the file must have the other-users-execute bit set (o+x).

% finger —s To see other users: % finger username@domain To see details in less/more than one page % finger username@domain | less/more

Q. Delete all the files in the current directory whose name ends in ".bak".

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls
abc.bak Desktop Downloads exercises file2 file4 Music Public Templates test2 Videos
def.bak Documents example1 file1 file3 ghi.bak Pictures Student test1 test3
ayman@Ayman:~$ rm *.bak
ayman@Ayman:~$ ls
Desktop Downloads exercises file2 file4 Pictures Student test1 test3
Documents example1 file1 file3 Music Public Templates test2 Videos
ayman@Ayman:~$ clear
```

to delete all .bak files use the rm command

rm *.bak deletes all the .bak files

To remove all files with the .bak extension, without asking for confirmation rm -f *.bak

Q. Display lines 10 to 14 of any file which contains 25 lines.

The p command (for 'print') used to display lines in the file. The format of this command is: :[line_range] p. If no range is supplied the current line is displayed.

To display lines 10-14 of any file which contains 25 lines, do % 10,14 p

Q. Count how many lines contain the word science in a word file science.txt.

First find the word using the grep command and then pie it using the wc command

% grep science science.txt | wc -l

Q. List the statistics of the largest file (and only the largest file) in the current directory.

One line script to find the largest file in the current directory is:

find . -type f -print | xargs ls -ladtr | cut -c34- | sort -n -r | head <1>

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Q. Kill any process with the help of the PID and run any process at the background.

```
Tasks: 197 total, 1 running, 196 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zomble
%Cpu(s): 0.8 us, 0.5 sy, 0.0 nl, 98.7 id, 0.0 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 st, 0.0 st
N18 Mem: 8310.2 total, 424.5 free, 694.7 used, 1310.7 buff/cache

PIO USER PR NI VIRI RES SHR S %CPU %MEM TIME+ COMMAND

1409 ayman 20 0 1130284 68816 44200 5 3.3 0.8 0:30.98 Xorg
1600 ayman 20 0 823324 51192 38608 5 2.3 0.6 0:30.98 Xorg
1600 ayman 20 0 823324 51192 38608 5 2.3 0.6 0:30.96 Xorg
11 root 20 0 0 0 0 1 3.05 8.00 0.0 0:00.03 top
11 root 20 0 0 0 0 0 1 0.0 0:00.03 top
11 root 20 0 107860 11776 8448 5 0.0 0.1 0:00.11 at-spt2-registr
1 root 20 0 107860 11776 8448 5 0.0 0.1 0:00.11 at-spt2-registr
1 root 20 0 107860 11776 8448 5 0.0 0.1 0:00.01 kthreadd
3 root 0-20 0 0 0 0 1 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
4 root 0-20 0 0 0 0 1 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
6 root 0-20 0 0 0 0 1 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
6 root 0-20 0 0 0 0 1 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
10 root 20 0 0 0 0 0 1 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
11 root 20 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
12 root 20 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
13 root -51 0 0 0 0 0 5 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
14 root 20 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
15 root 20 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_gp
16 root -51 0 0 0 0 0 5 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rmpercpu_wq
17 root rt 0 0 0 0 0 5 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rmpercpu_wq
18 root -51 0 0 0 0 0 5 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rmpercpu_wq
19 root -51 0 0 0 0 0 5 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/0
19 root -50 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/0
19 root -50 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/0
19 root -50 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/0
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19 root -50 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/0
19 root -50 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/0
19 root -50 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/0
19 root -50 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/0
20 root -51 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/2
22 root -51 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0:00.00 rdle_inject/2
23 root rt 0 0 0 0 0 0
```

The above command kills the process with process ID 4056

Q. Select a text File and double Space the lines.

Use the SED command to double space the lines in a text file. % sed filename

Q. List all users from etc/passwd in the alphabetically sorted order.

To list all users on a Unix system, even the ones who are not logged in, look at the /etc/password file. To see in detail, about all the users do: \$ cat /etc/passwd to just see the Unix user names, use the command

"\$ cat /etc/passwd | cut -d: -f1|sort

```
nan@Ayman:~$ cat /etc/passwd | cut -d: -f1|sort
_apt
avahi
avahi-autoipd
ayman
backup
bin
colord
cups-pk-helper
daemon
dnsmasq
games
gdm
geoclue
gnats
gnome-initial-setup
ĥplip
kernoops
list
lp
mail
man
messagebus
nm-openvpn
nobody
ргоху
pulse
root
rtkit
```

Q. Use the grep command to search the file example 1 for occurrences of the string "water".

```
ayman@Ayman:~$ grep water example1
water, water everywhere and all the boards did shrink;
water, water everywhere,
ayman@Ayman:~$
```

Use the command grep water example 1