**Chaining commands**

If we want to run two commands sequentially, but not pass output between them, we can use && to chain them. Let's say we want to add some content to a file, then print the whole file:



echo "All the beers are gone" >> beer.txt && cat beer.txt

This will first add the string All the beers are gone to the file beer.txt, then print the entire contents of beer.txt. The && only runs the second command if the first command doesn't return an error. If we instead tried this:



ec "All the beers are gone" >> beer.txt && cat beer.txt

We'd get an error, and nothing would be printed, because we used the command ec instead of echo.

The Linux command cat will concatenate the contents of a file and display the contents of a file.

Instructions

* Add a line to beer.txt, and then print the contents of the file with cat.