

PRACTICAL - 1

John has recently started a new job as system administrator in MNC. He is dealing with computers having different operating systems such as Windows, LINUX and UNIX. How will he be able to interact with the system by using different operating system commands for the following operation?

Que.1. Display the user manual of any command that we can run on the terminal.

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| FINDSTR | Searches for strings in files. |
| FOR | Runs a specified command for each file in a set of files. |
| FORMAT | Formats a disk for use with Windows. |
| FSUTIL | Displays or configures the file system properties. |
| FTYPE | Displays or modifies file types used in file extension associations. |
| GOTO | Directs the Windows command interpreter to a labeled line in a batch program. |
| GPRESULT | Displays Group Policy information for machine or user. |
| HELP | Provides Help information for Windows commands. |
| ICACLS | Display, modify, backup, or restore ACLs for files and directories. |
| IF | Performs conditional processing in batch programs. |
| LABEL | Creates, changes, or deletes the volume label of a disk. |
| MD | Creates a directory. |
| MKDIR | Creates a directory. |
| MKLINK | Creates Symbolic Links and Hard Links |
| MODE | Configures a system device. |
| MORE | Displays output one screen at a time. |
| MOVE | Moves one or more files from one directory to another directory. |
| OPENFILES | Displays files opened by remote users for a file share. |
| PATH | Displays or sets a search path for executable files. |
| PAUSE | Suspends processing of a batch file and displays a message. |
| POPD | Restores the previous value of the current directory saved by PUSH. |
| PRINT | Prints a text file. |
| PROMPT | Changes the Windows command prompt. |
| PUSH | Saves the current directory then changes it. |
| RD | Removes a directory. |
| RECOVER | Recovers readable information from a bad or defective disk. |
| REM | Records comments (remarks) in batch files or CONFIG.SYS. |
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| SETLOCAL | Begins localization of environment changes in a batch file. |
| SC | Displays or configures services (background processes). |
| SCHTASKS | Schedules commands and programs to run on a computer. |
| SHIFT | Shifts the position of replaceable parameters in batch files. |
| SHUTDOWN | Allows proper local or remote shutdown of machine. |
| SORT | Sorts input. |
| START | Starts a separate window to run a specified program or command. |
| SUBST | Associates a path with a drive letter. |
| SYSTEMINFO | Displays machine specific properties and configuration. |
| TASKLIST | Displays all currently running tasks including services. |
| TASKKILL | Kill or stop a running process or application. |
| TIME | Displays or sets the system time. |
| TITLE | Sets the window title for a CMD.EXE session. |
| TREE | Graphically displays the directory structure of a drive or path. |
| TYPE | Displays the contents of a text file. |
| VER | Displays the Windows version. |
| VERIFY | Tells Windows whether to verify that your files are written correctly to a disk. |
| VOL | Displays a disk volume label and serial number. |
| XCOPY | Copies files and directory trees. |
| WMIC | Displays WMI information inside interactive command shell. |

For more information on tools see the command-line reference in the online help.

C:\Users\ASUS>

2. Change the current working directory of the user

```
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.26200.7462]
(c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Users\ASUS>cd Downloads

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```

3. Lists all the contents in the current working directory

```
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.26200.7462]
(c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Users\ASUS>cd Downloads

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>dir
Volume in drive C is OS
Volume Serial Number is 60EB-3DFE

Directory of C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads

01/12/2026  02:17 PM    <DIR>          .
07/22/2025  07:13 PM    <DIR>          ..
09/09/2025  11:33 PM             54,067 #GoVote art by Eric Comstock #Vote #Vota #Civics...jpg
10/02/2025  01:15 PM      24,034,319 -Biomass-Energy Final.pptx
10/02/2025  01:15 PM      24,034,319 -Biomass-Energy.pptx
06/18/2025  07:31 PM           95,866 1.jpg
06/06/2025  02:50 PM          480,757 10.jpg
05/08/2025  07:42 PM           18,360 10watch.html
06/06/2025  02:50 PM           393,861 11.jpg
06/06/2025  02:50 PM          435,861 12.jpg
06/06/2025  02:51 PM          446,663 13.jpg
06/06/2025  02:51 PM          543,367 14.jpg
06/06/2025  02:51 PM          478,907 15.jpg
06/06/2025  02:51 PM          321,887 16.jpg
06/06/2025  02:52 PM          400,415 17.jpg
06/06/2025  02:52 PM          502,025 18.jpg
06/06/2025  02:52 PM          309,606 19.jpg
06/02/2025  04:08 PM          149,154 1st cae.jpg
05/13/2025  07:36 PM      36,387,559 1st sem endsem .pdf
06/06/2025  02:48 PM          150,105 2.jpg
06/06/2025  02:53 PM          481,228 20.jpg
10/23/2024  03:07 PM           80,949 2faf1eeffca564bce630498eebe0a489.jpg
07/12/2025  05:37 PM          443,214 3 sem section B_TT.pdf
06/06/2025  02:49 PM          133,354 3.jpg
07/31/2025  09:39 PM          485,594 3358359.jpg
10/23/2024  03:07 PM          103,318 389865cb04d5d3a87ff22d2f2f979320.jpg
09/08/2025  09:02 PM      13,683,374 3rd sem .pdf
```

4. Read, modify or concatenate text files

- Read a text file:

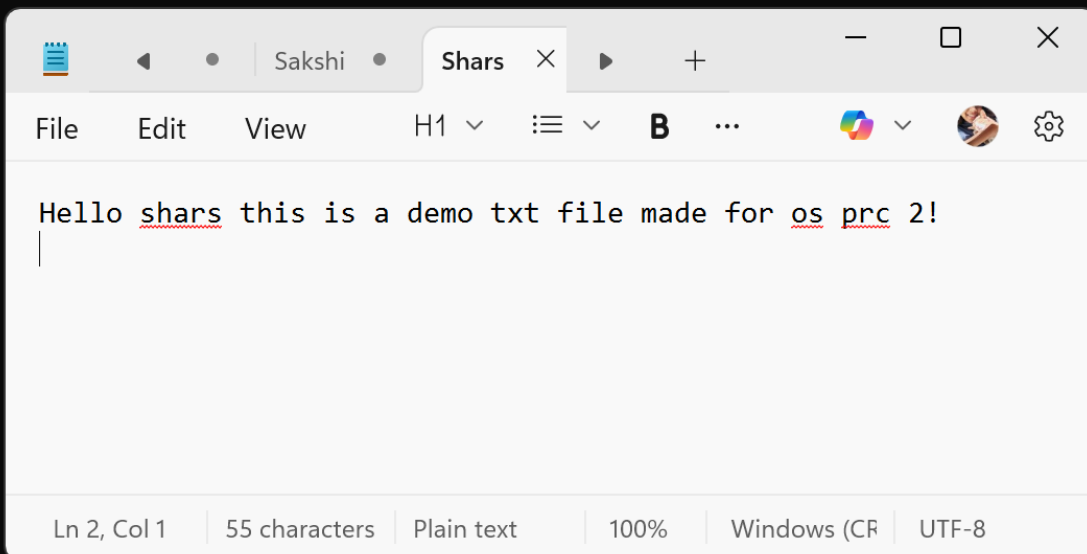
```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>type Shars.txt.txt
Hello shars this is a demo txt file made for os prc 2!

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

- Modify a text file:

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>notepad Shars.txt.txt

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```



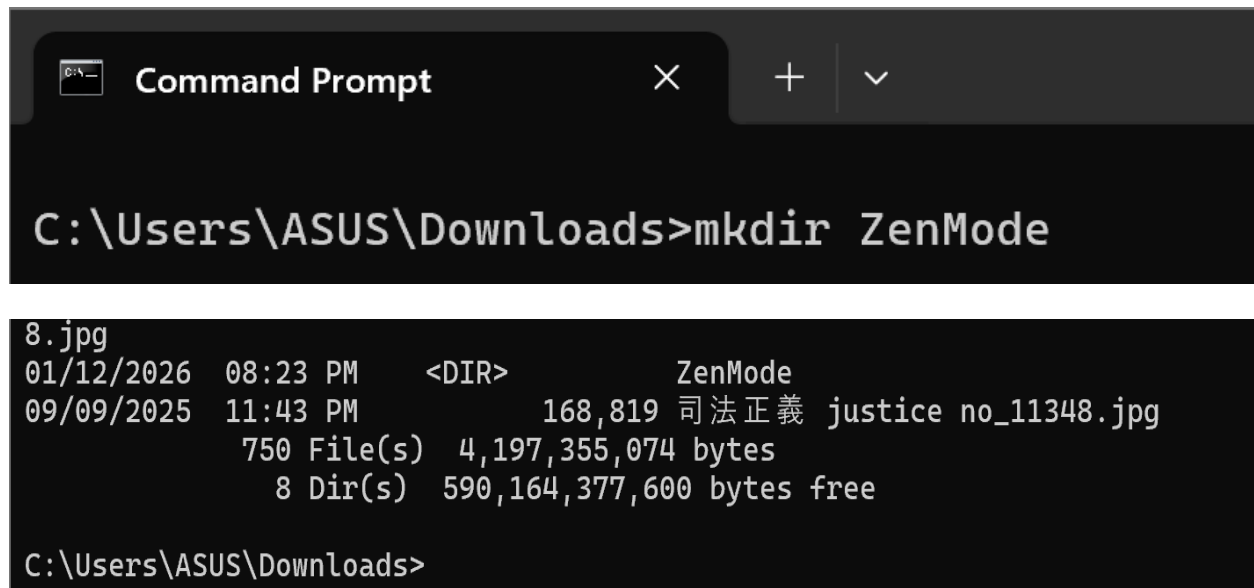
- Concatenate text files:

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>Shars.txt.txt Fakesss.txt > Neww.txt

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

A screenshot of the Notepad application window showing the result of concatenating two files. The title bar shows 'Fakesss.txt' and 'Shars.txt'. The text area contains the line 'Hello shars this is a demo txt file made for os prc 2!'. The status bar at the bottom indicates 'H1', '100%', and 'UTF-8'.

5. Create a new directory under any directory



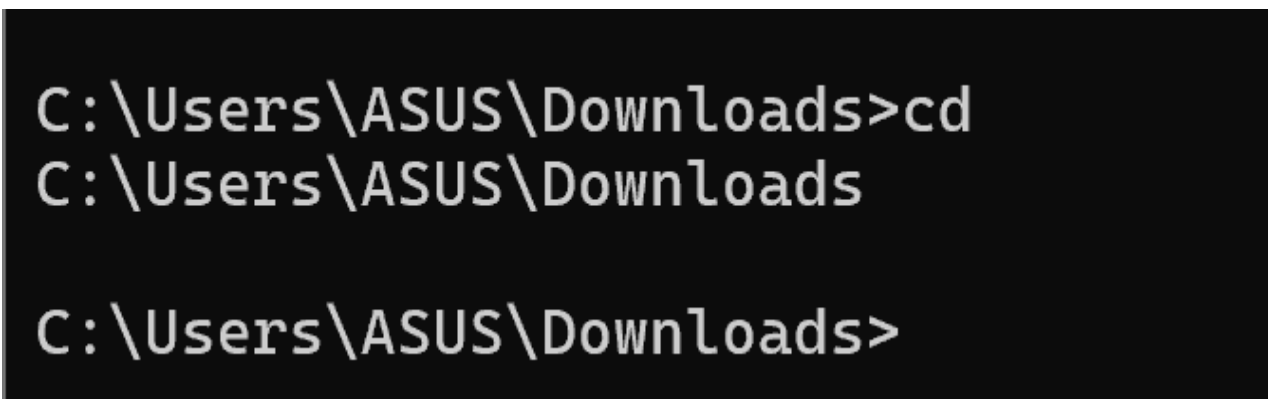
```
Command Prompt

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>mkdir ZenMode

8.jpg
01/12/2026  08:23 PM    <DIR>          ZenMode
09/09/2025  11:43 PM             168,819  司法正義 justice no_11348.jpg
          750 File(s)  4,197,355,074 bytes
           8 Dir(s)  590,164,377,600 bytes free

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

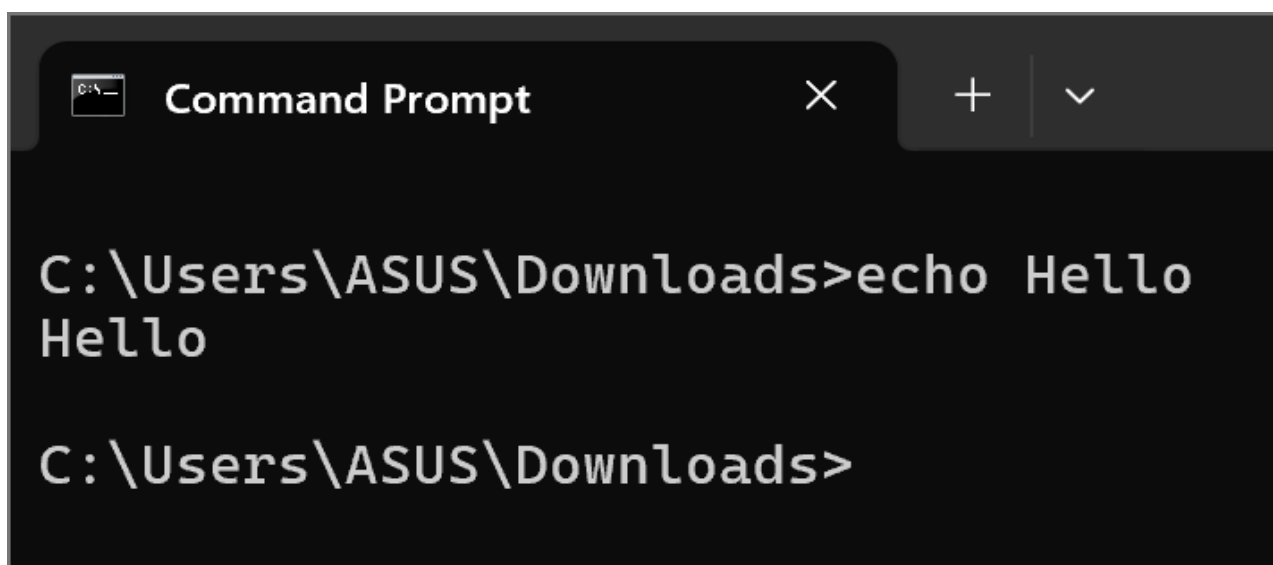
6. Display the current working directory of the terminal



```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>cd
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

7. Write its arguments to standard output



```
Command Prompt

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>echo Hello
Hello

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

```
Command Prompt
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>runas /user:administrator cmd
Enter the password for administrator:
Attempting to start cmd as user "SHARSPC\administrator" ...
RUNAS ERROR: Unable to run - cmd
1326: The user name or password is incorrect.

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

9. Delete a directory

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>rmdir dream

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

10. Copy a file or directory

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>xcopy ZenMode D:\Backup\ZenMode /E
Does D:\Backup\ZenMode specify a file name
or directory name on the target
(F = file, D = directory)? D
0 File(s) copied
```

11. Switch to root-user

```
Command Prompt
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>runas /user:administrator cmd
Enter the password for administrator:
Attempting to start cmd as user "SHARSPC\administrator" ...
RUNAS ERROR: Unable to run - cmd
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C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

12. Moves files and directories from one directory to another

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>move Shars.txt.txt D:\Documents\  
1 file(s) moved.  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```

13. Search for a particular string/word in a text file

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>  
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>find "Hello" Fakesss.txt  
  
----- FAKESSS.TXT  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```

14. Print the top N number of data of the given input

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>more Fakesss.txt  
A significant percentage of reviews are fake, paid, or bot-generated  
  
Users blindly trust star ratings  
  
Honest businesses suffer because of fake downvotes  
  
No India-focused fake-review detection tool exists  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```

15. Print the last N number of data of the given input

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C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```

16. Remove read permission from owner of the file

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>attrib -r FakeSSs.txt  
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```

17. Add read permission to owner plus remove write permission and add write permission to group

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>icacls ZenMode /grant:r SharsPC:R /deny SharsPC:  
W /grant Users:W  
processed file: ZenMode  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```

18. Add write permission to owner no permission to others

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>icacls ZenMode /grant SharsPC:W /inheritance:r /  
remove Users  
processed file: ZenMode  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```

19. Assign permission to users

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads> icacls ZenMode /grant Users:F  
processed file: ZenMode  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```

20. Assign R/W/X to others

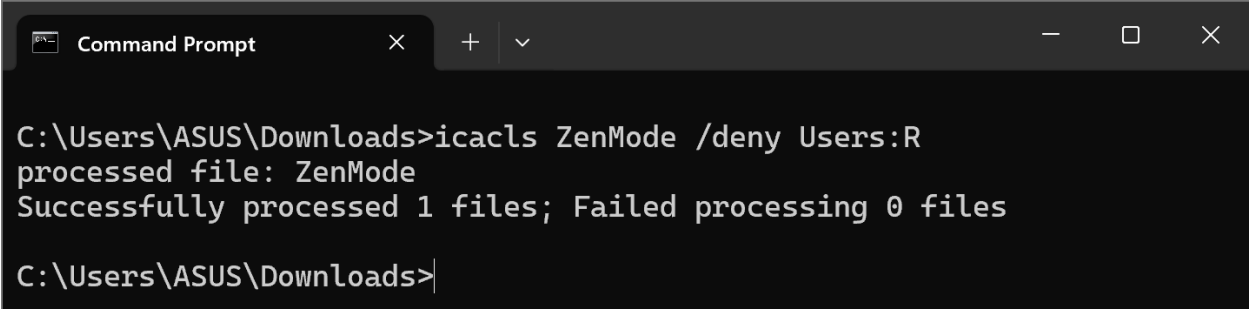
```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>icacls ZenMode /grant Users:F  
processed file: ZenMode  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>|
```


21. Remove all permission from all users

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>icacls ZenMode /inheritance:r /remove Users
/remove SharsPC
processed file: ZenMode
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

22. Remove read permission from user using absolute mode



```
Command Prompt
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>icacls ZenMode /deny Users:R
processed file: ZenMode
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

23. Add R/w permission to owner no permission to group and no permission to other using absolute mode

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>icacls ZenMode /inheritance:r /grant SharsPC
:R,W /remove Users
Invalid parameter "SharsPC:R,W"

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

24. Add execute permission to owner, read permission to group and other

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>icacls "ZenMode" /grant SharsPC:(X) /grant U
sers:(R)
processed file: ZenMode
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```

25. Add execute permission to all user

```
C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads> icacls ZenMode /grant Users:(X)
processed file: ZenMode
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files

C:\Users\ASUS\Downloads>
```