

1. Display following messages on your terminal (including quotes and newline).

“God bless us!

We are starting with basic linux command”

```
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~/Documents$ echo -e "\"God bless us! \n We are starting with basic linux command\""
```

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2. Read your name from the keyboard and display it.

```
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~/Documents$ read -p "Enter your name: " name
Enter your name: shine
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~/Documents$ echo $name
shine
```

3. Create the directory structure dir1/dir4 and dir1/dir2/dir3 with a single command and then change directory to dir3

```
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~/Documents$ cd ..
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~$ mkdir -p dir1/dir4 dir1/dir2/dir3
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~$ cd dir1/dir2/dir3
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~/dir1/dir2/dir3$ cd ..
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~/dir1/dir2$ cd ..
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~/dir1$ cd ..
```

4. Create a file testfile1 using nano.

Display the file

(i) starting with the first 10 lines and

```
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~$ nano file1.txt
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~$ head file1.txt
hi
i am
shine
who
are
you
are
you
good.
do
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~$ tail -n +10 file1.txt
```

- (ii) starting with the 10th line with provision for  
a) Scrolling Up

```
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~$ less file1.txt
shine@shine-VirtualBox:~$ more +10 file1.txt
do
i
know
you.
how
about
me
hello
world
ehayfh
i
am
good
df
shape
of
you
song
is
good
how
about
it
we
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about
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is
int
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sdsd

sd
--More-- (66%)
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shine@shine-VirtualBox:~\$

### b) Scrolling Up and Down

i know you. how about me hello world ehayfh i am good df shape of you song is good how about it we talh about it is int it good d d d d d dd d d d :

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d  
swdsf  
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(END)

5. Get the manual page of 'ls' command. Search for the word "alphabetic". Find the next occurrence and then find the previous occurrence.

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LS(1) User Commands LS(1)
NAME
  ls - list directory contents
SYNOPSIS
  ls [OPTION]... [FILE]...
DESCRIPTION
  List information about the FILES (the current directory by default). Sort entries alphabetically if none of -cftuvSUX nor --sort is specified.
  Mandatory arguments to long options are mandatory for short options too.
  -a, --all
    do not ignore entries starting with .
  -A, --almost-all
    do not list implied . and ..
  --author
    with -l, print the author of each file
  -b, --escape
    print C-style escapes for nongraphic characters
  --block-size=SIZE
    with -l, scale sizes by SIZE when printing them; e.g., '--block-size=M'; see SIZE format below
  -B, --ignore-backups
    do not list implied entries ending with ~
  -c
    with -lt: sort by, and show, ctime (time of last modification of file status information); with -l: show ctime and sort by name; otherwise:
    sort by ctime, newest first
  -C
    list entries by columns
  --color[=WHEN]
    colorize the output; WHEN can be 'always' (default if omitted), 'auto', or 'never'; more info below
  -d, --directory
    list directories themselves, not their contents
  -D, --dired
    generate output designed for Emacs' dired mode
  -f
    do not sort, enable -aU, disable -ls --color
  -F, --classify
    append indicator (one of */=>@|) to entries
/alphabetic
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**-X** sort alphabetically by entry extension

**-Z, --context**  
print any security context of each file

**-1** list one file per line. Avoid '\n' with **-q** or **-b**

**--help** display this help and exit

**--version**  
output version information and exit

The SIZE argument is an integer and optional unit (example: 10K is 10\*1024). Units are K,M,G,T,P,E,Z,Y (powers of 1024) or KB,MB,... (powers of 1000).

The TIME\_STYLE argument can be full-iso, long-iso, iso, locale, or +FORMAT. FORMAT is interpreted like in date(1). If FORMAT is FORMAT1<newline>FORMAT2, then FORMAT1 applies to non-recent files and FORMAT2 to recent files. TIME\_STYLE prefixed with 'posix-' takes effect only outside the POSIX locale. Also the TIME\_STYLE environment variable sets the default style to use.

Using color to distinguish file types is disabled both by default and with **--color=never**. With **--color=auto**, ls emits color codes only when standard output is connected to a terminal. The LS\_COLORS environment variable can change the settings. Use the dircolors command to set it.

**Exit status:**

- 0 if OK,
- 1 if minor problems (e.g., cannot access subdirectory),
- 2 if serious trouble (e.g., cannot access command-line argument).

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