echo -e "cat\nbat\nfun\nfin\nfan" | awk '/f.n/'

fun

fin

fan

echo -e "This\nThat\nThere\nTheir\nthese" | awk '/^The/'

There

Their

echo -e "knife\nknow\nfun\nfin\nfan\nnine" | awk '/n$/'

fun

fin

fan

echo -e "Call\nTall\nBall" | awk '/[CT]all/'

Call

Tall

echo -e "Call\nTall\nBall" | awk '/[^CT]all/'

Ball

echo -e "Call\nTall\nBall\nSmall\nShall" | awk '/Call|Ball/'

Call

Ball

echo -e "111\n22\n123\n234\n456\n222" | awk '/2+/'

22

123

234

222

awk 'BEGIN {i = 1; while (i < 6) { print i; ++i } }'

1

2

3

4

5

awk 'BEGIN {i = 1; while (i < 6) { print i; ++i } }'

1

2

3

4

5

echo -e "Apple Juice\nApple Pie\nApple Tart\nApple Cake" | awk '/Apple (Juice|Cake)/'

Apple Juice

Apple Cake

echo -e "ca\ncat\ncatt" | awk '/cat\*/'

ca

cat

catt