

The lab is shorter this week because I want to talk about your project

Question no.1

Go to this website and finish all the steps in Tutorial Four. This tutorial talks about the difference between * and ?

<http://www.ee.surrey.ac.uk/Teaching/Unix/unix4.html>
Links to an external site.

⇒ Wildcards:

- i) *: This character represents any number of characters in a filename or path. When used in a command, the * character matches zero or more characters in a filename or path.

a) ls list *:

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ ls list *
ls: cannot access 'list': No such file or directory
a  biglist  example.txt  file2  html  ls.help  new.txt  save
b  c        file1      hello  linux.txt  new      now      story
A:
B:
b
B1:
a  b
B2:
a  b1
C:
c
C1:
c1
D:
ABCD
Dir1:
Dir2:
Dir3:
chmod_dir:
dir2:
new_directory:
```

b) `ls *list:`

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ ls * list
ls: cannot access 'list': No such file or directory
a biglist example.txt file2 html ls.help new.txt save
b c file1 hello linux.txt new now story

A:
B:
b

B1:
a b

B2:
a b1

C:
c

C1:
c1

D:
ABCD

Dir1:
Dir2:
Dir3:

chmod_dir:

dir2:

new_directory:
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

ii) `?:` This character helps represents a single character in a filename or path. When used in a command, the “?” character matches any single character in a filename or path.

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ ls ?ew
new
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

⇒ Filename convention: The names of the file should not begin with a special character

because all the special characters have a special meaning in the Linux terminal.

- i) `ls *.c`: This command will list all files and directories in the current directory that have a name with one or more characters, followed by a space, and then the `.c` extension.

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ ls * . c
a biglist c file1 hello linux.txt new now save
b c example.txt file2 html ls.help new.txt rename_k story

.:
A B2 D Dir3 biglist dir2 file2 linux.txt new.txt rename_k
B C Dir1 a c example.txt hello ls.help new_directory save
B1 C1 Dir2 b chmod_dir file1 html new now story

A:
B:
b

B1:
a b

B2:
a b1

C:
c

C1:
c1

D:
ABCD

Dir1:

Dir2:

Dir3:

chmod_dir:

dir2:

new_directory:
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

⇒ Online manuals:

- i) **man wc:** It is used to display the manual pages for Unix commands, functions, and system calls.

```
WC(1)                                User Commands                                WC(1)

NAME
    wc - print newline, word, and byte counts for each file

SYNOPSIS
    wc [OPTION]... [FILE]...
    wc [OPTION]... --files0-from=F

DESCRIPTION
    Print newline, word, and byte counts for each FILE, and a total line if more than one FILE
    is specified. A word is a non-zero-length sequence of characters delimited by white
    space.

    With no FILE, or when FILE is -, read standard input.

    The options below may be used to select which counts are printed, always in the following
    order: newline, word, character, byte, maximum line length.

    -c, --bytes
        print the byte counts

    -m, --chars
        print the character counts

    -l, --lines
        print the newline counts

    --files0-from=F
        read input from the files specified by NUL-terminated names in file F; If F is -
        then read names from standard input

    -L, --max-line-length
        print the maximum display width

    -w, --words
        print the word counts

    --help display this help and exit

    --version
        output version information and exit

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    Report wc translation bugs to <https://translationproject.org/team/>

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SEE ALSO
    Full documentation at: <https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/wc>
    or available locally via: info '(coreutils) wc invocation'

GNU coreutils 8.30                      September 2019                      WC(1)
Manual page wc(1) line 1/61 (END) (press h for help or q to quit)
```

- ii) **whatis wc:** It is used to display a brief one-line description of a command.

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ man wc
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ whatis wc
wc (1) - print newline, word, and byte counts for each file
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

⇒ Apropos: It is used to search the manual pages for commands and keywords related to a specific topic.

i) Apropos copy:

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ apropos copy
btrfs-select-super (8) - overwrite primary superblock with a backup copy
cp (1) - copy files and directories
cpgr (8) - copy with locking the given file to the password or group file
cpio (1) - copy files to and from archives
cpow (8) - copy with locking the given file to the password or group file
dd (1) - convert and copy a file
debconf-copydb (1) - copy a debconf database
git-checkout-index (1) - Copy files from the index to the working tree
install (1) - copy files and set attributes
ntfscp (8) - copy file to an NTFS volume.
rcp (1) - OpenSSH secure file copy
rsync (1) - a fast, versatile, remote (and local) file-copying tool
scp (1) - OpenSSH secure file copy
sg_copy_results (8) - send SCSI RECEIVE COPY RESULTS command (XCOPY related)
sg_dd (8) - copy data to and from files and devices, especially SCSI devices
sg_xcopy (8) - copy data to and from files and devices using SCSI EXTENDED COPY (XCOPY)
sgm_dd (8) - copy data to and from files and devices, especially SCSI devices
sgp_dd (8) - copy data to and from files and devices, especially SCSI devices
ssh-copy-id (1) - use locally available keys to authorise logins on a remote machine
xfs_copy (8) - copy the contents of an XFS filesystem
xfs_metadump (8) - copy XFS filesystem metadata to a file
xfs_rtcp (8) - XFS realtime copy command
```

ii) Apropos* :

```

19786@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ apropos *
ldap.conf (5) - LDAP configuration file/environment variables
adduser.conf (5) - configuration file for adduser(8) and addgroup(8) .
deluser.conf (5) - configuration file for deluser(8) and delgroup(8) .
mailcap.order (5) - the mailcap ordering specifications
modules (5) - kernel modules to load at boot time
3d-system-environment-d-generator (8) - load variables specified by environment.d
apparmor (7) - kernel enhancement to confine programs to a limited set of resources.
bpff-helpers (7) - list of eBPF helper functions
busybox (1) - The Swiss Army Knife of Embedded linux
Compose (5) - X client mappings for multi-key input sequences
Git (3pm) - Perl interface to the Git version control system
PAM (7) - Pluggable Authentication Modules for Linux
RAND (7ssl) - the OpenSSL random generator
f (1) - check file types and compare values
aa-enabled (1) - test whether AppArmor is enabled
aa-exec (1) - confine a program with the specified AppArmor profile
aa-remove-unknown (8) - remove unknown AppArmor profiles
aa-status (8) - display various information about the current AppArmor policy.
aa-teardown (8) - unload all AppArmor profiles
access.conf (5) - the login access control table file
accessdb (8) - dumps the content of a man-db database in a human readable format
acct (5) - process accounting file
acpi_listen (8) - ACPI event listener
acpid (8) - Advanced Configuration and Power Interface event daemon
tc-actions (8) - independently defined actions in tc
add-apt-repository (1) - Adds a repository into the /etc/apt/sources.list or /etc/apt/sources.lis...
add-shell (8) - add shells to the list of valid login shells
addgnupghome (8) - Create .gnupg home directories
addgroup (8) - add a user or group to the system
addpart (8) - tell the kernel about the existence of a partition
address_families (7) - socket address families (domains)
adduser (8) - add a user or group to the system
adjtime_config (5) - information about hardware clock setting and drift factor
agetty (8) - alternative linux getty
aio (7) - POSIX asynchronous I/O overview
american-english (5) - a list of English words
apparmor.d (5) - syntax of security profiles for AppArmor.
apparmor_vim (5) - vim syntax highlighting file for AppArmor profiles
apparmor_parser (8) - loads AppArmor profiles into the kernel
apparmor_status (8) - display various information about the current AppArmor policy.
appliednugdefaults (8) - Run gpgconf --apply-defaults for all users.
apport-bug (1) - file a bug report using Apport, or update an existing report
apport-cli (1) - Apport user interfaces for reporting problems
apport-collect (1) - file a bug report using Apport, or update an existing report
apport-unpack (1) - extract the fields of a problem report to separate files
apropos (1) - search the manual page names and descriptions
apt (8) - command-line interface
apt-add-repository (1) - Adds a repository into the /etc/apt/sources.list or /etc/apt/sources.lis...
apt-cache (8) - query the APT cache
apt-cdrom (8) - APT CD-ROM management utility
apt-config (8) - APT Configuration Query program
apt-extracttemplates (1) - Utility to extract debconf config and templates from Debian packages
apt-ftpparchive (1) - Utility to generate index files
apt-get (8) - APT package handling utility -- command-line interface
apt-key (8) - APT key management utility
apt-mark (8) - show, set and unset various settings for a package
apt-patterns (7) - Syntax and semantics of apt search patterns
apt-secure (8) - Archive authentication support for APT
apt-sortpkgs (1) - Utility to sort package index files
apt-transport-http (1) - APT transport for downloading via the Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP)
apt-transport-https (1) - APT transport for downloading via the HTTP Secure protocol (HTTPS)
apt-transport-mirror (1) - APT transport for more automated mirror selection

```

➔ The difference between the * and ? are:

The asterisk (*) represents any number of characters, including zero. For example, the command `ls *.txt` will list all files in the current directory that end in .txt.

The question mark (?) represents any single character. For example, the command `ls ?.txt` will list all files in the current directory that have a single character before the .txt extension.

The main difference between the two is that the asterisk can represent any number of characters, while the question mark represents only a single character.

Question no.2

Go to this website and finish all the steps in Tutorial Five. This tutorial talks about these commands: fg, bg, jobs, ps, kill

<http://www.ee.surrey.ac.uk/Teaching/Unix/unix5.html>.

- ⇒ Ls -l: it is used to list the contents of a directory in a long format

```
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ ls -l
total 96
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:19 A
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:27 B
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:29 B1
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:30 B2
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:30 C
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:30 C1
drwxr-xr-x 3 19706 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:32 D
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Feb 10 10:41 Dir1
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Feb 10 10:41 Dir2
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Feb 10 10:41 Dir3
----- 1 19706 cs230 0 Feb 10 10:09 a
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 0 Feb 10 10:09 b
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 62 Feb 3 15:42 biglist
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 0 Feb 10 10:09 c
drw-r--r-- 2 19706 cs230 4096 Feb 10 16:27 chmod_dir
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Feb 10 16:30 dir2
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 0 Feb 10 10:02 example.txt
-rwx--x--x 1 19706 cs230 10 Feb 10 15:47 file1
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 12 Feb 10 15:47 file2
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 1053 Feb 10 15:26 hello
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 0 Feb 8 18:57 html
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 33 Feb 10 16:11 linux.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 8147 Feb 10 10:27 ls.help
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 115 Feb 2 13:13 new
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 1093 Feb 10 16:11 new.txt
drwxr-xr-x 2 19706 cs230 4096 Feb 10 10:04 new_directory
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 213 Feb 2 13:12 now
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 0 Feb 14 15:52 rename_k
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 17 Feb 5 00:13 save
-rw-r--r-- 1 19706 cs230 0 Feb 3 15:33 story
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```


⇒ Ls-lg: It is also used to list the contents of a directory in a long format.

```
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ ls -lg
total 96
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:19 A
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:27 B
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:29 B1
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:30 B2
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:30 C
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:30 C1
drwxr-xr-x 3 cs230 4096 Jan 26 19:32 D
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Feb 10 10:41 Dir1
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Feb 10 10:41 Dir2
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Feb 10 10:41 Dir3
----- 1 cs230    0 Feb 10 10:09 a
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230    0 Feb 10 10:09 b
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230   62 Feb  3 15:42 biglist
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230    0 Feb 10 10:09 c
drw-r--r-- 2 cs230 4096 Feb 10 16:27 chmod_dir
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Feb 10 16:30 dir2
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230    0 Feb 10 10:02 example.txt
-rwx--x--x 1 cs230   10 Feb 10 15:47 file1
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230   12 Feb 10 15:47 file2
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230 1053 Feb 10 15:26 hello
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230    0 Feb  8 18:57 html
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230   33 Feb 10 16:11 linux.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230 8147 Feb 10 10:27 ls.help
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230  115 Feb  2 13:13 new
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230 1093 Feb 10 16:11 new.txt
drwxr-xr-x 2 cs230 4096 Feb 10 10:04 new_directory
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230  213 Feb  2 13:12 now
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230    0 Feb 14 15:52 rename_k
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230   17 Feb  5 00:13 save
-rw-r--r-- 1 cs230    0 Feb  3 15:33 story
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

➔ The drwxr-xr-x, where d meaning is a directory, and -rw-r--r-- permissions, indicating that they are readable and writable by the owner, and readable by the group and others.

⇒ **chmod**: It is used to change the permissions of files and directories. There are three basic types of permissions: read (r), write (w), and execute (x). The letters "u", "g", and "o" represent the owner, group, and other users, respectively, and the symbols "+" and "-" represent adding or removing permission.

```
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ chmod go-rwx biglist
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ chmod a+rw biglist
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ cat biglist
mango
peach
apple
orange
grape
papaya
pomegranate
raspberries
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ vi biglist
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ chmod a+rw biglist
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ cat biglist
mango
peach
apple
orange
grape
papaya
pomegranate
raspberries
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ vi biglist
```

- ⇒ Sleep: It is used to pause a program or a script for a certain amount of time. The name "sleep" is derived from the fact that the command puts the program or script to sleep for a specified time.

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ sleep 10
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

To terminal the sleep we can use the command "Ctrl +Z":

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ sleep 1500
^Z
[1]+  Stopped                  sleep 1500
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

- ⇒ Jobs: To run this command we need to execute the command "% sleep 10 &". After that, we can command the job and it will display a list of all active jobs, including the job number, status, and command. In this example, the job number is 1 and the status is "Running".

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ sleep 100 &
[1] 281210
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ jobs
[1]+  Running                  sleep 100 &
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

- i) fg: We can also use the job number to bring a job to the foreground or send it to the background.

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ fg 1
sleep 1500
```

- ii) bg: To send the job back to the background, we can press 'Ctrl+Z' or 'Ctrl +C' to suspend the job, and then use the 'bg' command to resume it in the background.

```
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ bg
[1]+ sleep 1500 &
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

⇒ Kill: It is used to send a signal to a process. The signal can be used to request that a process terminate, pause, or resume execution.

```
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ sleep 100
^C
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ sleep 100 &
[1] 280913
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ jobs
[1]+  Running                  sleep 100 &
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ kill %1
[19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ jobs
[1]+  Terminated              sleep 100
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$
```

i) Kill -9: it helps to kill the process forcefully.

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ sleep 1000
^Z
[2]+  Stopped                  sleep 1000
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ kill -9 %1

[1]-  Stopped                  sleep 12
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ █
```

⇒ Ps: It is used to display information about the currently running processes.

```
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ ps
  PID TTY          TIME CMD
 280691 pts/1        00:00:00 bash
 280874 pts/1        00:00:00 ps
19706@ip-172-26-2-101:~$ █
```