



Linux Basic Commands Assignment

Assignment Part-3

Playing with files

1. Create a file like name file1.txt.
Edit some data and then save the file.

```
aashish@localhost:~/Desktop
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
GNU nano 2.3.1 File: file1.txt Modified
yes the file was created by the user....
```

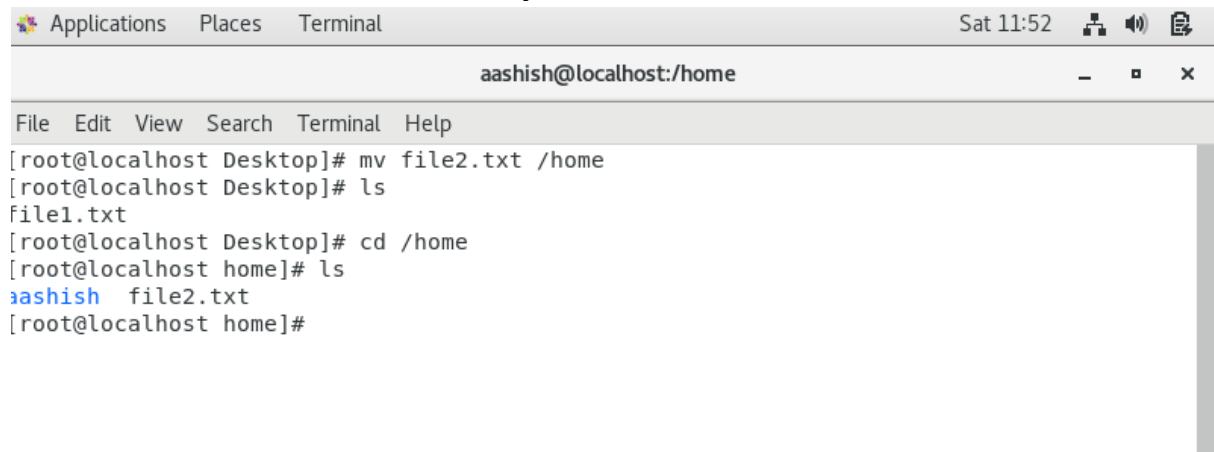
2. Now we will copy data from file1 to new file2.
o cp file1.txt file2.txt
o Then see the output of file2.txt, cat file2.txt. Give screenshot.

```
aashish@localhost:~/Desktop
File Edit View Search Terminal Help

[aashish@localhost Desktop]$ nano file1.txt
[aashish@localhost Desktop]$ ls
file1.txt
[aashish@localhost Desktop]$ cp file1.txt file2.txt
[aashish@localhost Desktop]$ ls
file1.txt file2.txt
[aashish@localhost Desktop]$
```

3. Now we will move the file2.txt to new folder /home
- o mv file2.txt /home
 - o Then go to home directory and check ls, file exists or not?. Given screenshot.

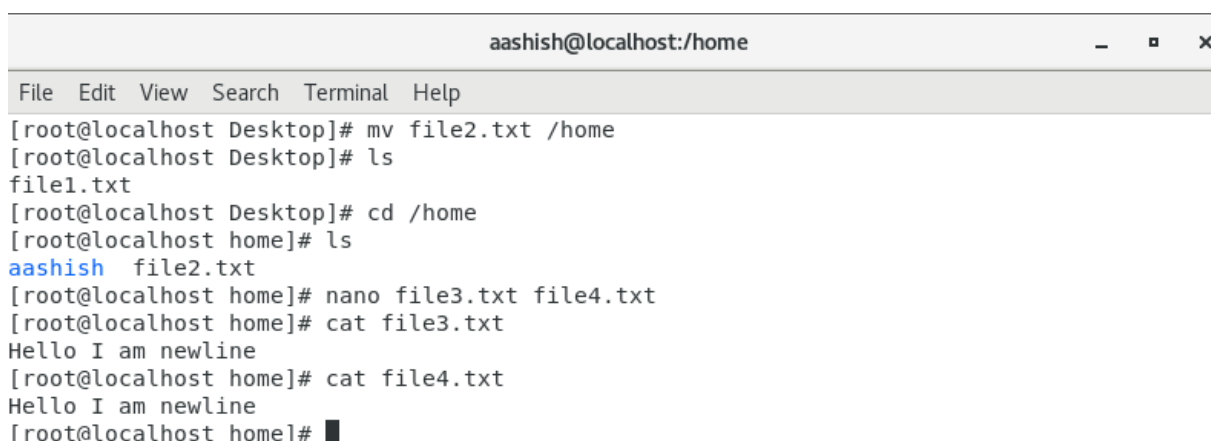
Yes file do exist in home directory.cd



A terminal window titled 'aashish@localhost:/home' with a menu bar (File, Edit, View, Search, Terminal, Help). The terminal shows the following commands and output:

```
[root@localhost Desktop]# mv file2.txt /home
[root@localhost Desktop]# ls
file1.txt
[root@localhost Desktop]# cd /home
[root@localhost home]# ls
aashish file2.txt
[root@localhost home]#
```

4. Then we create a new file3.txt and file4.txt in home directory and add content in it.
- o Now do echo "Hello I am newline" > file3.txt and provide the output of file3.txt
 - o Now do echo "Hello I am newline" >> file4.txt and provide the output of file4.txt
 - o Tell the different between both step you follow and the reason behind it.

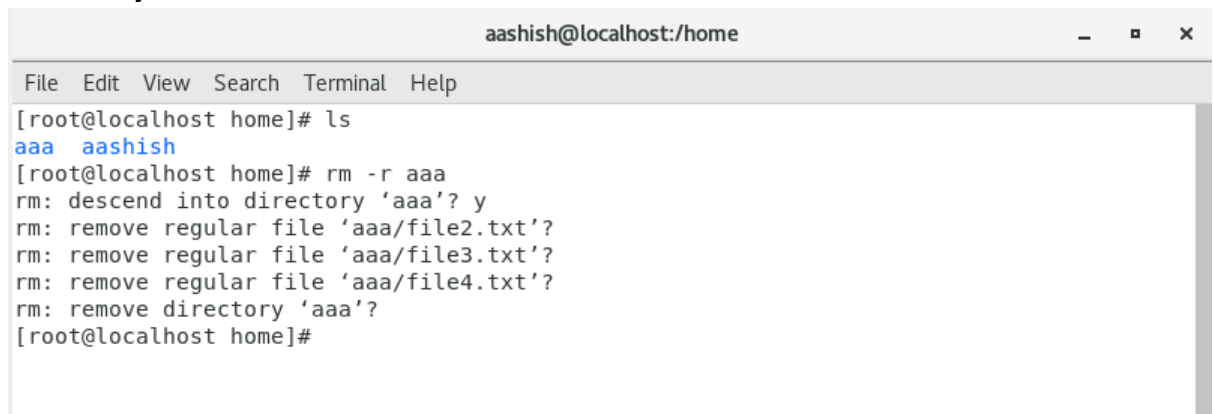


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[root@localhost Desktop]# ls
file1.txt
[root@localhost Desktop]# cd /home
[root@localhost home]# ls
aashish file2.txt
[root@localhost home]# nano file3.txt file4.txt
[root@localhost home]# cat file3.txt
Hello I am newline
[root@localhost home]# cat file4.txt
Hello I am newline
[root@localhost home]#
```

5. For remove a file or directory you can use the below two commands.

O To delete a file – **rm**. To delete dir e c t o r y - **rm d i r <a n y _ d i r e c t o r y n a m e>**.

A terminal window titled 'aashish@localhost:/home' with a menu bar (File, Edit, View, Search, Terminal, Help). The terminal shows the following commands and output:

```
[root@localhost home]# ls
aaa aashish
[root@localhost home]# rm -r aaa
rm: descend into directory 'aaa'? y
rm: remove regular file 'aaa/file2.txt'?
rm: remove regular file 'aaa/file3.txt'?
rm: remove regular file 'aaa/file4.txt'?
rm: remove directory 'aaa'?
[root@localhost home]#
```