# Chapter 2 - Complimentary Linux practice booklet

# About this document:

Welcome to Chapter 2 of the complimentary Linux practice book for the Apress book, "Introduction to Ansible Network Automation: The Practical Primer". This document has been created by the authors as an additional resource to the book, but it is not a part of the book itself. The purpose of this document is to provide readers with extra practice materials for Linux commands that are essential for network automation.

Chapter 2 is based on the exercises in this document and approximately 65% of the commands used in this practice booklet were utilized to form Chapter 2. Therefore, readers who are interested in learning more essential Linux commands will find additional practice materials helpful in their Linux learning journey.

If you have any questions or issues during the practice, please feel free to refer to Google, ChatGPT, Google Bar, BingGPT, Blogs, books, video trainings or any other Linux study materials that you prefer. We encourage you to experiment and explore various Linux operating systems and hope that this document will help you develop the necessary skills for network automation.

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# What's required?

Linux OS:	Fedora	(RHEL	/CentOS)	& PoPOS	(Debian	/Ubuntu)	
Internet connection:	Yes						

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# Linux Essential Commands 100

#### Exercise 1: cat & tac

time: 15 mins

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#1-1 make a new directory ex1, change to new directory and list items.

localhost:~# pwd /root localhost:~# ls bench.py hello.c hello.js readme.txt vi\_ex localhost:~# mkdir ex1 localhost:~# cd ex1 localhost:~/ex1# ls -lh total 0

#1-2 use 'cal' to check the calendar

#1-3 use 'clear' or [Ctrl+L] to clear your screen pop-os:~/d3\$ clear pop-os:~/d3\$ Ctrl+L

#1-4 Use the greater sign (>) to save calendar output to a file, a1 and check the content of the file using both 'cat', and 'more' (optionally, 'less')

localhost:~/ex1# more a1 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5

```
6 7 8 9 10 11 12
13 14 15 16 17 18 19
20 21 22 23 24 25 26
27 28 29 30 31
```

#1-5 Use the 'date' command, save the output to an a2 file, use 'cat' to display the content, and use 'ls' and 'ls -lh' to list the details of the file.

```
localhost:~/ex1# date
Mon Mar 7 16:40:58 UTC 2022
localhost:~/ex1# date > a2
localhost:~/ex1# cat a2
Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022
localhost:~/ex1# ls
a1 a2
localhost:~/ex1# ls -lh
total 8K
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 168 Mar 7 16:34 a1
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 29 Mar 7 16:41 a2
```

#1-6 Use 'cat' with options, -n & -b to view a1

```
localhost:~/ex1# cat a1
March 2022
Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
1 2 3 4 5
6 7 8 9 10 11 12
13 14 15 16 17 18 19
20 21 22 23 24 25 26
27 28 29 30 31
```

```
localhost:~/ex1# cat -n a1
```

```
1 March 2022
2 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
3 1 2 3 4 5
4 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
5 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
6 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
7 27 28 29 30 31
8
localhost:~/ex1# cat -b a1
1 March 2022
```

2 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 3 1 2 3 4 5 4 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 5 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 6 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 7 27 28 29 30 31

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#1-7 Use vi or nano text editor to add some spacings on the a1 file, now check the difference between -n and -b

localhost:~/ex1# cat a1 March 2022

Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa

1 2 3 4 5

6 7 8 9 10 11 12

13 14 15 16 17 18 19

20 21 22 23 24 25 26

27 28 29 30 31

localhost:~/ex1# cat -n a1

- 1 March 2022
- 2
- 3 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
- 4
- 5 12345
- 6
- 7 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
- 8
- 9 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
- 10
- 11 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
- 1 2
- 13 27 28 29 30 31
- 14

localhost:~/ex1# cat -b a1

- 1 March 2022
- 2 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
- 3 12345
- 4 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
- 5 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
- 6 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
- 7 27 28 29 30 31

#1-8 Use a single cat command to display contents from multiple files

localhost:~/ex1# cat a2 Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022 localhost:~/ex1# cat a1 a2 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022

#1-10 Change the order of the files and create another file called a3

#1-11a Check the content of files a2 and a3

localhost:~/ex1# cat a2
Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022
localhost:~/ex1# cat a3
Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022
March 2022
Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
1 2 3 4 5
6 7 8 9 10 11 12
13 14 15 16 17 18 19

20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

#1-11b Use two greater signs (>>) to append content of a3 to a2, then check a2.

localhost:~/ex1# cat a3 >> a2 localhost:~/ex1# cat a2 Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022 Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

#1-11c repeat 1-11b and check a2 again.

localhost:~/ex1# cat a3 >> a2 localhost:~/ex1# cat a2 Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022 Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Saclea 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

Mon Mar 7 16:41:12 UTC 2022 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

#1-12a Use hostname to check your host's name, use cat to save the name to a file, a4

localhost:~/ex1# hostname localhost localhost:~/ex1# hostname > a4 localhost:~/ex1# cat a4 localhost

#1-12b Use '>' to add cal to a4, observe that the file has been overwritten.

#1-12c Repeat 1-12a to update the content of a5 to the hostname, notice that when using >, you overwrite the content of your file.

localhost:~/ex1# hostname > a4 localhost:~/ex1# cat a4 localhost

#1-12d Use '>>' to append a calender after your hostname in file a5, notice that when using '>>', contents are appended to the next line of existing content.

#1-13a 'tac' is a word play on cat and it reverses the content of the file. Check a5 first using 'cat a5', then use 'tac a5'. Observe the difference in output.

localhost:~/ex1# tac a4

27 28 29 30 31 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5

```
Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
March 2022
localhost
```

#1-13b We can also save the reversed content to a file using 'tac > '

```
localhost:~/ex1# tac a4 > a5
localhost:~/ex1# more a5
```

27 28 29 30 31 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa March 2022 localhost

#1-14 What if you simply use the cat command? Use cat to print on the screen, and use [Ctrl+D] to quit.

```
localhost:~/ex1# cat
```

aaa

aaa

bbb

bbb

CCC

CCC

ddd

ddd

eee

eee

# [Ctrl+D] to quit.

#1-15a Use 'cat' to create a new file with a few lines. This could be faster than using the vi/pico/nano/gedit text editors.

localhost:~/ex1# cat a6

cat: can't open 'a6': No such file or directory

localhost:~/ex1# cat > a6

Quick

file

creation.

localhost:~/ex1# cat a6

Quick

file

creation.

# [Ctrl+D] to quit.

#1-15b Try the following. Create a quick python program using "cat > sayhello.py"

localhost:~/ex1# cat sayhello.py
cat: can't open 'sayhello.py': No such file or directory
localhost:~/ex1# cat > sayhello.py
name = input("What's your name? ")
print("Hello", name)
localhost:~/ex1# cat sayhello.py
name = input("What's your name?")
print("Hello", name)

localhost:~/ex1# python3 --version Python 3.8.3 localhost:~/ex1# python3 sayhello.py What's your name? Joe Hello Joe

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#### Ex1 Summary

cat, tac - Displays the content of files

#### Options:

- -n displays content with row reference
- -b displays content with row reference but skips blank lines
- > Output to a file (overwrites the existing file with the same name)
- >> Appends content to the next line (does not overwrite)

tac = is upside down the content of the file.

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## Exercise 2: tee & nl

time: 10 mins

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#2-1 Use 'tee' to display the content while saving the output of the calendar to a file.

```
localhost:~/ex1# cd ..
localhost:~#
ex2 && cd ex2
localhost:~/ex2#
```

localhost:~/ex2# cal > a1 localhost:~/ex2# date

Mon Mar 7 17:24:01 UTC 2022 localhost:~/ex2# date > a2 localhost:~/ex2# tee

aaa

aaa

bbb

bbb

ccc

CCC

ddd ddd

111

111

localhost:~/ex2# cat

XXX

XXX

ууу

ууу

ZZZ

ZZZ

999

999

localhost:~/ex2# cat a1

March 2022

Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa

1 2 3 4 5

6 7 8 9 10 11 12

13 14 15 16 17 18 19

20 21 22 23 24 25 26

#### 27 28 29 30 31

localhost:~/ex2# cat a1 > a3 localhost:~/ex2# cat a3 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

localhost:~/ex2# cat a1 | tee a4 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

localhost:~/ex2# cat a4 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

#### #2-2 Saving the output to a file using '>'.

localhost:~/ex2# cat /etc/passwd root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/ash bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin [...omitted for brevity] nobody:x:65534:65534:nobody:/:/sbin/nologin dhcp:x:100:101:dhcp:/var/lib/dhcp:/sbin/nologin svn:x:101:102:svn:/var/svn:/sbin/nologin

localhost:~/ex2# cat /etc/passwd > a5 localhost:~/ex2# cat -n a5

- 1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/ash
- 2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
- 3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin

[...omitted for brevity]

- 27 nobody:x:65534:65534:nobody:/:/sbin/nologin
- 28 dhcp:x:100:101:dhcp:/var/lib/dhcp:/sbin/nologin
- 29 svn:x:101:102:svn:/var/svn:/sbin/nologin

## #2-5 Add calender using the "tee -a" method

localhost:~/ex2# cal | tee -a a6 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

localhost:~/ex2# cat a6 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

## #2-6 Modify a1 like this.

localhost:~/ex2# date | tee -a a1 Mon Mar 7 17:43:46 UTC 2022 localhost:~/ex2# cat a1 March 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

#### Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022

localhost:~/ex2# nano a1 localhost:~/ex2# cat a1 March 2022

Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022

```
localhost:~/ex2# cat -n a1
  1
       March 2022
  2
  3 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
       1 2 3 4 5
  5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
  6 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
  7 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
  8 27 28 29 30 31
  9
  10
  11 Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022
#2-7 Use "nl -w10" to update the width. (default is 6)
localhost:~/ex2# nl -w6 a1
       March 2022
  1
  2 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
        1 2 3 4 5
  4 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
  5 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
  6 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
  7 27 28 29 30 31
  9 Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022
localhost:~/ex2# nl -w10 a1
    1
           March 2022
    2
        Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
           1 2 3 4 5
    3
    4
       6 7 8 9 10 11 12
        13 14 15 16 17 18 19
        20 21 22 23 24 25 26
    7
        27 28 29 30 31
    8
        Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022
localhost:~/ex2# nl -w6 a1
     March 2022
  2 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
        1 2 3 4 5
  4 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
  5 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
  6 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
  7 27 28 29 30 31
  8
  9 Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022
```

```
localhost:~/ex2# nl -w10 a1
           March 2022
    1
    2
        Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
            1 2 3 4 5
    3
    4
        6 7 8 9 10 11 12
    5
        13 14 15 16 17 18 19
        20 21 22 23 24 25 26
        27 28 29 30 31
    7
        Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022
localhost:~/ex2# nl -w6 a1
       March 2022
  2 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
        1 2 3 4 5
  4 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
  5 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
  6 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
  7 27 28 29 30 31
  8
  9 Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022
localhost:~/ex2# nl -w10 a1
           March 2022
        Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
    2
            1 2 3 4 5
         6 7 8 9 10 11 12
    5
        13 14 15 16 17 18 19
        20 21 22 23 24 25 26
    6
    7
        27 28 29 30 31
    9
         Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022
#2-8 Use -i option for stepping (increment)
bchoi@pop-os:~/d3$ nl a1
  1
         January 2022
       Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
  2
  3
       2 3 4 5 6 7 8
  4
       9 10 11 12 13 14 15
  5
  6
       16 17 18 19 20 21 22
       23 24 25 26 27 28 29
  8
       30 31
       bchoi :1
                     2022-01-29 10:56 (:1)
bchoi@pop-os:~/d3$ nl -i2 a1
```

```
1
         January 2022
  3
       Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
  5
                 1
  7
       2 3 4 5 6 7 8
  9
       9 10 11 12 13 14 15
       16 17 18 19 20 21 22
  11
       23 24 25 26 27 28 29
  13
  15
       30 31
       bchoi :1
  17
                     2022-01-29 10:56 (:1)
bchoi@pop-os:~/d3$ nl -i3 a1
         January 2022
  4
       Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
  7
       2 3 4 5 6 7 8
  10
  13
       9 10 11 12 13 14 15
  16
       16 17 18 19 20 21 22
  19 23 24 25 26 27 28 29
  22
       30 31
  25
       bchoi :1
                     2022-01-29 10:56 (:1)
bchoi@pop-os:~/d3$ nl -i5 a1
         January 2022
       Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
  6
  11
  16
       2 3 4 5 6 7 8
  21
       9 10 11 12 13 14 15
  26
       16 17 18 19 20 21 22
       23 24 25 26 27 28 29
  31
     30 31
  36
  41
       bchoi :1
                     2022-01-29 10:56 (:1)
#2-9 Specify where to begin
# Increase the line number by 10.
localhost:~/ex2# nl -i10 a1
       March 2022
  11 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
        1 2 3 4 5
  31 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
```

41 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 51 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 61 27 28 29 30 31

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# Specify the beginning of the number with '-v'. localhost:~/ex2# nl -i10 -v10 a1

10 March 2022

20 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 30 1 2 3 4 5

40 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

50 13 14 15 16 17 18 19

60 20 21 22 23 24 25 26

70 27 28 29 30 31

80

90 Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022

## localhost:~/ex2# nl -i2 -v0 a1

0 March 2022

2 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa

4 12345

6 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

8 13 14 15 16 17 18 19

10 20 21 22 23 24 25 26

12 27 28 29 30 31

14

16 Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022

## localhost:~/ex2# nl -i2 -v1 a1

1 March 2022

3 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa

5 12345

7 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

9 13 14 15 16 17 18 19

11 20 21 22 23 24 25 26

13 27 28 29 30 31

15

17 Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022

#### # Save to a file.

localhost:~/ex2# nl -i2 -v1 a1 > a2

localhost:~/ex2# cat a2

1 March 2022

3 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa

5 12345

```
7 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
9 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
11 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
13 27 28 29 30 31
15
17 Mon Mar 7 17:42:32 UTC 2022
```

#2-10 Create a7, then use nl with options -v and -i and create a10. Check and compare the two files.

```
localhost:~/ex2# cal > a7
localhost:~/ex2# nl a7 -v1 -i1 > a8
localhost:~/ex2# cat a7
March 2022
Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
1 2 3 4 5
6 7 8 9 10 11 12
13 14 15 16 17 18 19
20 21 22 23 24 25 26
27 28 29 30 31
```

#### localhost:~/ex2# cat a8

1 March 2022 2 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 3 1 2 3 4 5 4 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 5 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 6 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 7 27 28 29 30 31 8

#2-11 using --help or man localhost:~/ex2# nl --help BusyBox v1.31.1 () multi-call binary.

Usage: nl [OPTIONS] [FILE]...

Write FILEs to standard output with line numbers added

```
    -b STYLE Which lines to number - a: all, t: nonempty, n: none
    -i N Line number increment
    -s STRING Use STRING as a line number separator
    -v N Start from N
    -w N Width of line numbers
```

localhost:~/ex2# help nl Built-in commands:

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<sup>.: [ [[</sup> alias bg break cd chdir command continue echo eval exec exit export false fg getopts hash help history jobs kill let local printf pwd read readonly return set shift source test times

Ex2 Summary	 
tee -a nl = cat -b -i10 -v100 -1000 -w10	
To get help, use 'teehelp' and 'nlhelp'	

trap true type ulimit umask unalias unset wait

## Exercise 3: head & tail

time: 15 minutes

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#3-1 Make a new directory ex3 and change the working directory to ex3.

localhost:~# mkdir ex3 && cd ex3 localhost:~/ex3#

#3-2 Create two files called c1. Use this file to create another file called c2.

localhost:~/ex3# cat > c1

Sydney

Melbourne

Brisbane

Perth

Adelaide

localhost:~/ex3# cat c1

Sydney

Melbourne

Brisbane

Perth

Adelaide

localhost:~/ex3# cat c1 > c2

localhost:~/ex3# cat c1 >> c2

localhost:~/ex3# cat c1 >> c2

localhost:~/ex3# cat c1 >> c2

localhost:~/ex3# nl c2

- 1 Sydney
- 2 Melbourne
- 3 Brisbane
- 4 Perth
- 5 Adelaide
- 6 Sydney
- 7 Melbourne
- 8 Brisbane
- 9 Perth
- 10 Adelaide
- 11 Sydney
- 12 Melbourne
- 13 Brisbane
- 14 Perth
- 15 Adelaide
- 16 Sydney
- 17 Melbourne
- 18 Brisbane
- 19 Perth
- 20 Adelaide

#3-3 Overwrite c1 with c2

#### localhost:~/ex3# nl c2 > c1 localhost:~/ex3# nl c1 1 1 Sydney 2 2 Melbourne 3 3 Brisbane 4 Perth 5 5 Adelaide 6 6 Sydney 7 7 Melbourne 8 8 Brisbane 9 9 Perth 10 10 Adelaide 11 11 Sydney 12 12 Melbourne 13 13 Brisbane 14 14 Perth 15 15 Adelaide 16 Sydney 16 17 17 Melbourne 18 Brisbane 18 19 Perth 19 20 20 Adelaide #3-4 Using 'seq' command, create a file named nums1 and modify it to include the line reference. # Sequence starts with 100, increment by 100, and up to 1000 ocalhost:~/ex3# seq 100 100 1000 100 200 300 400 500 600 700 800 900 1000 # Save the above sequence to a file named nums1 localhost:~/ex3# seq 100 100 1000 > nl > nums1 localhost:~/ex3# cat nums1 100 200 300 400 500 600

700 800 900 1000

> 9 900 10 1000

# Include the line reference in the saved file by using 'nl' command with the nums1 file.

localhost:~/ex3# nl nums1 > nums2 localhost:~/ex3# cat nums2 1 100 2 200 3 300 4 400 5 500 6 600 7 700 8 800

#3-5 Use the 'head' command to check the first ten lines (default is head -n 10). The default command will give the same result as '-n 10'.

#3-6 Specify the number of lines you want to view.

localhost:~/ex3# head -n 3 nums2

1 100

10 1000

2 200

3 300

localhost:~/ex3# head -n 5 nums2

- 1 100
  2 200
  3 300
  4 400
  5 500
  localhost:~/ex3# head -n 7 nums2
  1 100
  2 200
  3 300
  4 400
  5 500
  6 600
  7 700
- #3-7 Avoid using minus as this can be confusing. Using a minus number will drop the specified number of lines at the end.

# ocalhost:~/ex3# head -n -2 nums2

- 1 100
- 2 200
- 3 300
- 4 400
- 5 500
- 6 600
- 7 700
- 8 800

# localhost:~/ex3# head -n -8 nums2

- 1 100
- 2 200
- #3-8 Use "head -n 5" on two files to get the first 5 lines

## localhost:~/ex3# cat c1

- 1 Sydney
- 2 Melbourne
- 3 Brisbane
- 4 Perth
- 5 Adelaide
- 6 Sydney
- 7 Melbourne
- 8 Brisbane
- 9 Perth
- 10 Adelaide
- 11 Sydney
- 12 Melbourne
- 13 Brisbane
- 14 Perth
- 15 Adelaide
- 16 Sydney
- 17 Melbourne
- 18 Brisbane

#3-9 Drop the last 9 lines and display the result.

```
localhost:~/ex3# head -n -9 c1 nums2
```

==> c1 <==

- 1 Sydney
- 2 Melbourne
- 3 Brisbane
- 4 Perth
- 5 Adelaide
- 6 Sydney
- 7 Melbourne
- 8 Brisbane
- 9 Perth
- 10 Adelaide
- 11 Sydney

==> nums2 <==

1 100

#3-10 Use 'head -n -q' to remove the header. To remove the header, use the '-q' option

localhost:~/ex3# head -n 5 -q c1 nums2

- 1 Sydney
- 2 Melbourne
- 3 Brisbane

- 4 Perth
- 5 Adelaide
- 1 100
- 2 200
- 3 300
- 4 400
- 5 500

#3-11 Save the above result to a file using '>'.

localhost:~/ex3# head -n 5 -q c1 nums2 > cn1 localhost:~/ex3# cat cn1

- 1 Sydney
- 2 Melbourne
- 3 Brisbane
- 4 Perth
- 5 Adelaide
- 1 100
- 2 200
- 3 300
- 4 400
- 5 500

#3-12 Tail prints the output of the last 10 lines

## ocalhost:~/ex3# tail c1

- 11 Sydney
- 12 Melbourne
- 13 Brisbane
- 14 Perth
- 15 Adelaide
- 16 Sydney
- 17 Melbourne
- 18 Brisbane
- 19 Perth
- 20 Adelaide

## localhost:~/ex3# tail cn1

- 1 Sydney
- 2 Melbourne
- 3 Brisbane
- 4 Perth
- 5 Adelaide
- 1 100
- 2 200
- 3 300
- 4 400
- 5 500

#3-13 Tail has minus default. Check this out.

# localhost:~/ex3# tail -n 5 cn1

- 1 100
- 2 200
- 3 300
- 4 400
- 5 500

#### localhost:~/ex3# tail -n -5 cn1

- 1 100
- 2 200
- 3 300
- 4 400
- 5 500

# If +11 is used, that means from line 11 to the end of the line.

## localhost:~/ex3# tail -n +11 c1

- 11 Sydney
- 12 Melbourne
- 13 Brisbane
- 14 Perth
- 15 Adelaide
- 16 Sydney
- 17 Melbourne
- 18 Brisbane
- 19 Perth
- 20 Adelaide

#### #3-14 Practice with c1

## localhost:~/ex3# tail c1

- 11 Sydney
- 12 Melbourne
- 13 Brisbane
- 14 Perth
- 15 Adelaide
- 16 Sydney
- 17 Melbourne
- 18 Brisbane
- 19 Perth
- 20 Adelaide

## localhost:~/ex3# tail -n 5 c1

- 16 Sydney
- 17 Melbourne
- 18 Brisbane
- 19 Perth
- 20 Adelaide

#### localhost:~/ex3# tail -n +5 c1

- 5 Adelaide
- 6 Sydney
- 7 Melbourne

- 8 Brisbane
- 9 Perth
- 10 Adelaide
- 11 Sydney
- 12 Melbourne
- 13 Brisbane
- 14 Perth
- 15 Adelaide
- 16 Sydney
- 17 Melbourne
- 18 Brisbane
- 19 Perth
- 20 Adelaide

#3-15 Run single command on two files.

localhost:~/ex3# tail -n 5 c1 nums2

==> c1 <==

- 16 Sydney
- 17 Melbourne
- 18 Brisbane
- 19 Perth
- 20 Adelaide

==> nums2 <==

- 6 600
- 7 700
- 8 800
- 9 900
- 10 1000

localhost:~/ex3# tail -n 5 -q c1 nums2

- 16 Sydney
- 17 Melbourne
- 18 Brisbane
- 19 Perth
- 20 Adelaide
- 6 600
- 7 700
- 8 800
- 9 900
- 10 1000

#3-16 Use the '-c' option to print in bytes. '-c' option is not used a lot, but it is good to know this option exists.

localhost:~/ex3# tail -c 10 nums2

10 1000

localhost:~/ex3# tail -c 20 nums2

- 9 900
  - 10 1000

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localhost:~/ex3# tail -c 30 nums2
    800
  9 900
 10 1000
localhost:~/ex3# tail -c 50 nums2
   600
  7 700
  8 800
  9 900
 10 1000
#3-17 For more help, refer to tail/head --help for KB/MB output
localhost:~/ex3# tail --help
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Optional - If you are using your own Linux, you can perform the following task.
#3-18 Tail has a tracking function. A special function of the tail.
On the first console, use the 'tail -f' option to track the changes.
bchoi@pop-os:~/d3$ tail -f numbers
  6
      600
  7
      700
  8
      800
  9
      900
 10
      1000
  11
       1100
 12
      1200
 13
      1300
 14
       1400
 15
       1500
Open a second command console and append two lines using echo.
bchoi@pop-os:~/d3$ echo "G'day" >> numbers
bchoi@pop-os:~/d3$ echo "Mate" >> numbers
On the first command console, you will see the information getting added to the last lines.
bchoi@pop-os:~/d3$ tail -f numbers
      600
  6
       700
  7
  8
      800
  9
      900
 10
      1000
 11
       1100
```

14 140015 1500

G'day Mate

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#### **Ex3 Summary**

head file //print first 10 lines head -n 10 file //print first 10 lines head -10 file //print first 10 lines (works, but not recommended) head -n +10 file //print first 10 lines head -n -5 file //Remove the last 5 lines

tail file //print the last 10 lines
tail -n 10 file //print the last 10 lines
tail -10 file //print the last 10 lines
tail -n -10 file //print from the last 10th line
tail -n +5 file //print from the 5th line to the last item

tail -f //monitor the real-time file change

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## Exercise 4: split

time: 12 minutes

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#4-1a Make and move to the new directory. Copy /etc/services file. and check the size of the file.

[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ mkdir d4 && cd d4 [jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ cp /etc/services m

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#4-1b If using a website, you have to create the file you Create a file size that is between 500k~999k

localhost:~/d7# cp /etc/services k localhost:~/d7# nano multiple.sh

#!/bin/bash

for i in  $\{1..10\}$ ; do cat k k >> m; done

localhost:~/d7# bash multiple.sh

localhost:~/d7# ls -lh

total 304K

-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 14.1K Feb 7 15:36 k -rw-r--r-- 1 root root 282.5K Feb 7 17:25 m

-rw-r--r- 1 root root 52 Feb 7 17:20 multiple.sh

localhost:~/d7# ls -II

total 304

-rw-r--r- 1 root root 14464 Feb 7 15:36 k -rw-r--r- 1 root root 289280 Feb 7 17:25 m

-rw-r--r- 1 root root 52 Feb 7 17:20 multiple.sh

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#4-2 make Ih alias [jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ alias Ih='Is -AIh' [jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ Ih total 680K

-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m

#4-3 Check the lines of file m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ nl m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ wc -l m
11473 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ lh m
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ ll m
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 7 19:34 m

#4-4 Split the file m [jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ split m [jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ lh total 1.4M

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-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 56K Feb 7 19:38 xaa
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:38 xab
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:38 xac
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:38 xad
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 55K Feb 7 19:38 xae
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:38 xaf
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 59K Feb 7 19:38 xag
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:38 xah
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:38 xai
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:38 xaj
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:38 xak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:38 xal
#4-5 Chek the total lines in m and all files combined in xa*, should be the same number.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ wc -l m
11473 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ wc -l xa*
 1000 xaa
 1000 xab
 1000 xac
 1000 xad
 1000 xae
 1000 xaf
 1000 xag
 1000 xah
 1000 xai
 1000 xai
 1000 xak
 473 xal
11473 total
#4-6 Merge all xa* files into m2 using cat command
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ cat xa* > m2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ls -lh m*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:40 m2
#4-7 Use the "diff" command to check the files m vs m2. If the files are the same, no output should
be observed.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ diff m m2
Quick diff check
localhost:~/d7# cat a
а
b
С
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localhost:~/d7# cat b
а
х
Z
localhost:~/d7# diff a b
--- a
+++ b
@@ -1,3 +1,3 @@
а
-b
-c
+x
#4-8 Remove all splited files starting with xa*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 2.1M
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:40 m2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 56K Feb 7 19:38 xaa
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:38 xab
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:38 xac
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:38 xad
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 55K Feb 7 19:38 xae
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:38 xaf
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 59K Feb 7 19:38 xag
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:38 xah
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:38 xai
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:38 xaj
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:38 xak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:38 xal
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm xa*
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:40 m2
#4-9 Use decimal option (-d) to split the file and use names starting with x.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -d m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 2.1M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:40 m2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 56K Feb 7 19:43 x00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:43 x01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:43 x02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:43 x03
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 55K Feb 7 19:43 x04
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:43 x05
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 59K Feb 7 19:43 x06
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-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:43 x07
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:43 x08
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:43 x09
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:43 x10
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:43 x11
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ||
total 2060
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 7 19:40 m2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 56600 Feb 7 19:43 x00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 58335 Feb 7 19:43 x01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57905 Feb 7 19:43 x02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57807 Feb 7 19:43 x03
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 55935 Feb 7 19:43 x04
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57422 Feb 7 19:43 x05
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 60089 Feb 7 19:43 x06
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 63727 Feb 7 19:43 x07
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64022 Feb 7 19:43 x08
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64561 Feb 7 19:43 x09
-rw-r--r-. 1 idoe idoe 65159 Feb 7 19:43 x10
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30690 Feb 7 19:43 x11
#4-10 Use -a option to specify the length of the file name.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -d -a 5 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 2.7M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:40 m2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 56K Feb 7 19:43 x00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 56K Feb 7 19:44 x00000
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:44 x00001
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:44 x00002
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:44 x00003
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 55K Feb 7 19:44 x00004
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:44 x00005
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 59K Feb 7 19:44 x00006
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:44 x00007
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:44 x00008
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:44 x00009
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:44 x00010
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:44 x00011
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:43 x01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:43 x02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:43 x03
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 55K Feb 7 19:43 x04
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:43 x05
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 59K Feb 7 19:43 x06
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:43 x07
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:43 x08
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:43 x09
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-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:43 x10
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:43 x11
#4-11 Remove files and only leave the original file, m.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -f x*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:40 m2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -f m2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 680K
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
#4-12 add the file extension names to the file.
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -d --additional-suffix=.txt m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 56K Feb 7 19:48 x00.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:48 x01.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:48 x02.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:48 x03.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 55K Feb 7 19:48 x04.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:48 x05.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 59K Feb 7 19:48 x06.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:48 x07.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:48 x08.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:48 x09.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:48 x10.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:48 x11.txt
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf x*
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 680K
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
#4-13 Use --additional-suffix option and file name prefix to give a more meaningful name.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -d --additional-suffix=.txt m backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 56K Feb 7 19:49 backup 00.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:49 backup 01.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:49 backup 02.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:49 backup_03.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 55K Feb 7 19:49 backup_04.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 57K Feb 7 19:49 backup_05.txt
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 59K Feb 7 19:49 backup_06.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:49 backup 07.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 63K Feb 7 19:49 backup_08.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:49 backup 09.txt
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-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 64K Feb 7 19:49 backup_10.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:49 backup_11.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
#4-14 Check the splited files are divided by 1000 lines each.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ wc -l *
 1000 backup 00.txt
 1000 backup 01.txt
 1000 backup_02.txt
 1000 backup_03.txt
 1000 backup_04.txt
 1000 backup 05.txt
 1000 backup_06.txt
 1000 backup_07.txt
 1000 backup_08.txt
 1000 backup 09.txt
 1000 backup 10.txt
  473 backup_11.txt
 11473 m
 22946 total
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 680K
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
#4-15 Use -I option to change the number of lines to save in each file.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -d --additional-suffix=.txt -l 3000 m backup_
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ||
total 1364
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 172840 Feb 7 19:53 backup 00.txt
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 171164 Feb 7 19:53 backup 01.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 187838 Feb 7 19:53 backup_02.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 160410 Feb 7 19:53 backup_03.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 7 19:34 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ wc -l *
 3000 backup_00.txt
 3000 backup_01.txt
 3000 backup 02.txt
 2473 backup_03.txt
 11473 m
 22946 total
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf b*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 680K
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
#4-16 Split a large file using bytes, option -C.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -d --additional-suffix=.txt -C 30000 m backup
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[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 00.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_01.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_02.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_03.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 04.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 05.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_06.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_07.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_08.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 09.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_10.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_11.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_12.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 13.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 14.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 15.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_16.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 17.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 idoe idoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 18.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_19.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_20.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup_21.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30K Feb 7 19:57 backup 22.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 3.1K Feb 7 19:57 backup 23.txt
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf b*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ls
m
#4-17 Specify the number of files and split the file into desired number of files, using option -n.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -d --additional-suffix=.txt -n 3 m backup_
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 226K Feb 7 20:00 backup_00.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 226K Feb 7 20:00 backup 01.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 226K Feb 7 20:00 backup 02.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf b*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ls
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -d --additional-suffix=.txt -n 10 m backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup_00.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup_01.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup_02.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup_03.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup 04.txt
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-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup_05.txt
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup_06.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup 07.txt
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup_08.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 68K Feb 7 20:00 backup_09.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf b*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ls
m
#4-18 Change the numeric sequence by using the --numeric-suffixes option, this example starts the
file with the number 33 and ascending.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -d --additional-suffix=.txt -n 5 --numeric-suffixes=33 m backup_
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:03 backup 33.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:03 backup 34.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:03 backup_35.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:03 backup_36.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:03 backup 37.txt
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf b*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ls
m
Quick revision
_____
#4-19
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -C 50000 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xaa
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xab
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xac
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xad
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xae
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xaf
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xag
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xah
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xai
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xaj
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xal
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 49K Feb 7 20:05 xam
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 42K Feb 7 20:05 xan
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf x*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ls
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[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ split -n 5 m

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:06 xaa
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:06 xab
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:06 xac
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:06 xad
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:06 xae
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf x*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ls
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -n 5 --additional-suffix=.bak m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:08 xaa.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:08 xab.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:08 xac.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:08 xad.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:08 xae.bak
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf x*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 680K
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -n 5 --additional-suffix=.bak -d m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:09 x00.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:09 x01.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:09 x02.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:09 x03.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:09 x04.bak
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf x*
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 680K
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -n 5 --additional-suffix=.bak --numeric-suffixes=10 -d m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:10 x10.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:10 x11.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:10 x12.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:10 x13.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:10 x14.bak
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf x*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 680K
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 19:34 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ split -n 5 --additional-suffix=.bak --numeric-suffixes=10 -d m myservices
```

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 20:12 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices_10.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices_11.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices_12.bak
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices 13.bak
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices 14.bak
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ cat myservices_* > m3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 2.0M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 20:12 m
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 20:14 m3
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices_10.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices_11.bak
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices 12.bak
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices 13.bak
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 136K Feb 7 20:14 myservices_14.bak
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ wc -l m3
11473 m3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ wc -l m
11473 m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ diff m m3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ rm -rf m*
[idoe@f33sn1 d4]$ ls
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ cp /etc/services m
[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]$ lh
total 680K
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 7 20:15 m
_____
GETTING HELP
```

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#4-20 Use --version and --help after the command to get assistance. Get familiar with using --help. [jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ split --version

split (GNU coreutils) 8.32

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d4]\$ split --help

Usage: split [OPTION]... [FILE [PREFIX]]

Output pieces of FILE to PREFIXaa, PREFIXab, ...;

default size is 1000 lines, and default PREFIX is 'x'.

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

Mandatory arguments to long options are mandatory for short options too.

-a, --suffix-length=N generate suffixes of length N (default 2)

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--additional-suffix=SUFFIX append an additional SUFFIX to file names
-b, --bytes=SIZE
                   put SIZE bytes per output file
-C, --line-bytes=SIZE put at most SIZE bytes of records per output file
              use numeric suffixes starting at 0, not alphabetic
  --numeric-suffixes[=FROM] same as -d, but allow setting the start value
              use hex suffixes starting at 0, not alphabetic
  --hex-suffixes[=FROM] same as -x, but allow setting the start value
-e, --elide-empty-files do not generate empty output files with '-n'
  --filter=COMMAND write to shell COMMAND; file name is $FILE
-l, --lines=NUMBER put NUMBER lines/records per output file
-n, --number=CHUNKS generate CHUNKS output files; see explanation below
-t, --separator=SEP use SEP instead of newline as the record separator;
              '\0' (zero) specifies the NUL character
                    immediately copy input to output with '-n r/...'
-u, --unbuffered
  --verbose
                 print a diagnostic just before each
              output file is opened
  --help display this help 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). Binary prefixes can be used, too: KiB=K, MiB=M, and so on.

## CHUNKS may be:

N split into N files based on size of input
K/N output Kth of N to stdout
I/N split into N files without splitting lines/records
I/K/N output Kth of N to stdout without splitting lines/records
r/N like 'l' but use round robin distribution
r/K/N likewise but only output Kth of N to stdout

--version output version information and exit

GNU coreutils online help: <a href="https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/">https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/</a> Full documentation <a href="https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/split">https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/split</a> or available locally via: info '(coreutils) split invocation'

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#### **Ex4 Summary**

split
-I
-C
-a
-d
--additional-suffix
--numeric-suffixes

### Exercise 5: csplit & wc

time: 20 minutes

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#5-1 Make a new directory d5, ccreate new files by copying /etc/services as s and /etc/passwd as p. [jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ mkdir d5 && cd d5 [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ cp /etc/services s [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ cp /etc/passwd p [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ wc -l s 11473 s [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ wc -l p 35 p

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\*wc = word count wc -c -l -w

wc --help

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ wc s 11473 63129 692252 s [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ wc -l s 11473 s [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ wc -w s 63129 s [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ wc -c s 692252 s

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#5-2 Use csplit to split the file, s. [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit s csplit: missing operand after 's' Try 'csplit --help' for more information. [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ wc -l s 11473 s [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit s 3000 172787 519465 [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ wc -l xx00 2999 xx00 [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ ls -lh total 1.4M -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1.8K Feb 8 11:31 p -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 8 11:31 s -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 169K Feb 8 11:37 xx00 -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 508K Feb 8 11:37 xx01 [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ alias lh='ls -Alh' [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ lh x\* -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 169K Feb 8 11:37 xx00 -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 508K Feb 8 11:37 xx01

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit s 5000

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286534
405718
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ wc -l xx00
4999 xx00
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ lh x*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 280K Feb 8 11:40 xx00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 397K Feb 8 11:40 xx01
#5-3 csplit by specifying the number of lines of multiple files.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit s 10 100 1000
371
4452
51729
635700
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ lh x*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 371 Feb 8 11:41 xx00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 4.4K Feb 8 11:41 xx01
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 51K Feb 8 11:41 xx02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 621K Feb 8 11:41 xx03
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ cat -n xx00
  1 # /etc/services:
  2 # $Id: services,v 1.49 2017/08/18 12:43:23 ovasik Exp $
  4 # Network services, Internet style
  5 # IANA services version: last updated 2016-07-08
  7 # Note that it is presently the policy of IANA to assign a single well-known
  8 # port number for both TCP and UDP; hence, most entries here have two entries
  9 # even if the protocol doesn't support UDP operations.
#5-4 Try to csplit and see what happens when you try to csplit lines out of range.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit s 10 100 1000 500000
371
4452
51729
csplit: '500000': line number out of range
635700
#5-5 Now work with the password file. Using the p file and 'head' command to create a new file p2
with 10 lines.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ lh
total 684K
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1.8K Feb 8 11:31 p
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 8 11:31 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ wc -l p
35 p
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl p
  1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
  2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
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- 3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
- 4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
- 5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
- 6 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
- 7 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
- 8 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
- 9 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
- 10 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
- 11 games:x:12:100:games:/usr/games:/sbin/nologin
- 12 ftp:x:14:50:FTP User:/var/ftp:/sbin/nologin
- 13 nobody:x:65534:65534:Kernel Overflow User:/:/sbin/nologin
- 14 systemd-coredump:x:999:997:systemd Core Dumper:/:/sbin/nologin
- 15 systemd-network:x:192:192:systemd Network Management:/:/sbin/nologin
- 16 systemd-resolve:x:193:193:systemd Resolver:/:/sbin/nologin
- 17 systemd-timesync:x:998:996:systemd Time Synchronization:/:/sbin/nologin
- 18 dbus:x:81:81:System message bus:/:/sbin/nologin
- 19 polkitd:x:997:995:User for polkitd:/:/sbin/nologin
- 20 rpc:x:32:32:Rpcbind Daemon:/var/lib/rpcbind:/sbin/nologin
- 21 cockpit-ws:x:996:991:User for cockpit web service:/nonexisting:/sbin/nologin
- 22 cockpit-wsinstance:x:995:990:User for cockpit-ws instances:/nonexisting:/sbin/nologin
- 23 tss:x:59:59:Account used for TPM access:/dev/null:/sbin/nologin
- 24 setroubleshoot:x:994:989::/var/lib/setroubleshoot:/sbin/nologin
- 25 abrt:x:173:173::/etc/abrt:/sbin/nologin
- 26 rpcuser:x:29:29:RPC Service User:/var/lib/nfs:/sbin/nologin
- 27 sshd:x:74:74:Privilege-separated SSH:/var/empty/sshd:/sbin/nologin
- 28 dnsmasq:x:988:988:Dnsmasq DHCP and DNS server:/var/lib/dnsmasq:/usr/sbin/nologin
- 29 chrony:x:987:987::/var/lib/chrony:/sbin/nologin
- 30 tcpdump:x:72:72::/:/sbin/nologin
- 31 jdoe:x:1000:1000::/home/jdoe:/bin/bash
- 32 bchoi:x:1001:1001::/home/bchoi:/bin/bash
- 33 apache:x:48:48:Apache:/usr/share/httpd:/sbin/nologin
- 34 nginx:x:986:986:Nginx web server:/var/lib/nginx:/sbin/nologin
- 35 lcarter:x:1002:0::/home/lcarter:/bin/bash

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ head p > p2

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ nl p2

- 1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
- 2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
- 3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
- 4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
- 5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
- 6 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
- 7 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
- 8 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
- 9 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
- 10 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin

#5-6 csplit the p2 file into two files, each file containing 5 lines.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit p2 6

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# [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ lh x\*

- -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 183 Feb 8 11:49 xx00
- -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 202 Feb 8 11:49 xx01

#### [idoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ nl xx00

- 1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
- 2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
- 3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
- 4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
- 5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin

### [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ nl xx01

- 1 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
- 2 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
- 3 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
- 4 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
- 5 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin

### #5-7 To achieve the same result, we can also csplit the file using a string keyword.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit p2 /sync/

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#### [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ nl xx00

- 1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
- 2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
- 3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
- 4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
- 5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin

#### [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ nl xx01

- 1 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
- 2 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
- 3 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
- 4 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
- 5 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin

#### #5-8 Pushing the lines up or down based on the string keyword.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit p2 /sync/1

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#### [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ nl xx00

- 1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
- 2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
- 3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
- 4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
- 5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
- 6 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync

#### [jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ nl xx01

- 1 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
- 2 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
- 3 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
- 4 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit p2 /sync/2

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260
125
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl xx00
  1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
  2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
  3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
  4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
  5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
  6 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
  7 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
[idoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl xx01
  1 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
  2 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
  3 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit p2 /sync/3
293
92
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl xx00
  1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
  2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
  3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
  4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
  5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
  6 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
  7 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
  8 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl xx01
  1 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
  2 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit p2 /sync/-2
105
280
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl xx00
  1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
  2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
  3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl xx01
  1 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
  2 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
  3 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
  4 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
  5 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
  6 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
  7 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ lh
total 696K
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1.8K Feb 8 11:31 p
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 385 Feb 8 11:47 p2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 8 11:31 s
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 105 Feb 8 11:55 xx00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 280 Feb 8 11:55 xx01
```

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ rm -rf xx*
#5-9 Add the file name prefix using the -f option.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ p2 /sync/-2
105
280
[idoe@f33sn1 d5]$ Ih t*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 105 Feb 8 13:49 test 00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 280 Feb 8 13:49 test_01
#5-10 Use grep and nl commands combination to check the content of a file, s.
[idoe@f33sn1 d5]$ wc -l s
11473 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ grep http s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ grep smtp s
          25/tcp
smtp
                     mail
smtp
          25/udp
                      mail
urd
                     smtps # URL Rendesvous Directory for SSM / SMTP over SSL (TLS)
         465/tcp
rsmtp
           2390/tcp
                           # RSMTP
                            # RSMTP
rsmtp
           2390/udp
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ grep smtp s | nl
  1 smtp
               25/tcp
                          mail
  2 smtp
               25/udp
  3 urd
              465/tcp
                          smtps # URL Rendesvous Directory for SSM / SMTP over SSL (TLS)
               2390/tcp
                                # RSMTP
  4 rsmtp
  5 rsmtp
               2390/udp
                                # RSMTP
#5-11 csplit the file at the first instance of smtp line.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test s /smtp/
2143
690109
[idoe@f33sn1 d5]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1.8K Feb 8 11:31 p
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 385 Feb 8 11:47 p2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 8 11:31 s
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 2.1K Feb 8 13:55 test 00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 674K Feb 8 13:55 test 01
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ grep smtp test 00
                                             <<< At this line, it will return no match as there is
no line beginning with smtp.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/1
2180
690072
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ grep smtp test_00
          25/tcp
                     mail
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/2
2217
690035
```

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ grep smtp test_00
smtp
           25/tcp
                       mail
smtp
           25/udp
                       mail
#5-12 Split the file using a string keyword smtp and check the second file starts with the word, smtp.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/
2143
690109
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ grep smtp test_00
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ head test_01
smtp
           25/tcp
                       mail
           25/udp
smtp
                       mail
          37/tcp
time
                      timserver
          37/udp
time
                       timserver
rlp
         39/tcp
                     resource
                                  # resource location
rlp
         39/udp
                      resource
                                  # resource location
              42/tcp
                                      # IEN 116
nameserver
                          name
              42/udp
                                       # IEN 116
nameserver
                           name
nicname
             43/tcp
                         whois
             43/udp
                         whois
nicname
#5-13 csplit a file into multiple files, where the string smtp is contained.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/ {*}
2143
37
61593
182728
48
445703
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ lh
total 1.4M
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1.8K Feb 8 11:31 p
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 385 Feb 8 11:47 p2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 8 11:31 s
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 2.1K Feb 8 14:16 test 00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 37 Feb 8 14:16 test_01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 61K Feb 8 14:16 test_02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 179K Feb 8 14:16 test 03
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 48 Feb 8 14:16 test 04
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 436K Feb 8 14:16 test 05
#5-14 We can use the keyword to split the files, use smtp as the keyword.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ grep smtp s
smtp
           25/tcp
                       mail
smtp
           25/udp
                      smtps # URL Rendesvous Directory for SSM / SMTP over SSL (TLS)
urd
          465/tcp
rsmtp
           2390/tcp
                             # RSMTP
           2390/udp
                             # RSMTP
rsmtp
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/
2143
```

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690109
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls -lh test*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 2.1K Feb 8 19:11 test 00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 674K Feb 8 19:11 test_01
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/ {1}
2143
37
690072
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls -lh test*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 2.1K Feb 8 19:13 test_00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 37 Feb 8 19:13 test_01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 674K Feb 8 19:13 test 02
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/ {2}
2143
37
61593
628479
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls -lh test*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 2.1K Feb 8 19:13 test_00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 37 Feb 8 19:13 test 01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 61K Feb 8 19:13 test 02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 614K Feb 8 19:13 test_03
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/ {3}
2143
37
61593
182728
445751
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls -lh test*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 2.1K Feb 8 19:13 test 00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 37 Feb 8 19:13 test 01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 61K Feb 8 19:13 test_02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 179K Feb 8 19:13 test_03
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 436K Feb 8 19:13 test_04
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/ {4}
2143
37
61593
182728
48
445703
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls -lh test*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 2.1K Feb 8 19:15 test 00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 37 Feb 8 19:15 test 01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 61K Feb 8 19:15 test_02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 179K Feb 8 19:15 test_03
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 48 Feb 8 19:15 test_04
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 436K Feb 8 19:15 test_05
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/ {*}
2143
37
```

```
61593
182728
48
445703
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls -lh test*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 2.1K Feb 8 19:15 test_00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 37 Feb 8 19:15 test 01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 61K Feb 8 19:15 test 02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 179K Feb 8 19:15 test_03
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 48 Feb 8 19:15 test_04
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 436K Feb 8 19:15 test_05
[idoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f test_ s /smtp/ {5}
2143
37
61593
182728
48
csplit: '/smtp/': match not found on repetition 5
445703
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls -lh
total 688K
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1.8K Feb 8 11:31 p
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 385 Feb 8 11:47 p2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 8 11:31 s
#5-15 Practical 1 - Use the pattern to crate a file with the following content and split the content into
multiple files using the string keyword.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ cat > y2
Chapter1
One
Chapter2
Two
Chapter3
Three
Chapter4
Four
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl y2
  1 Chapter1
  2 One
  3 Chapter2
  4 Two
  5 Chapter3
  6 Three
  7 Chapter4
  8 Four
```

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f ch_ y2 /Chapter/
0
58
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl ch_00
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f ch_ y2 /Chapter/1
9
49
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl ch_00
  1 Chapter1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl ch_01
  1 One
  2 Chapter2
  3 Two
  4 Chapter3
  5 Three
  6 Chapter4
  7 Four
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f ch_ y2 /Chapter/ {*}
0
14
14
16
14
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ||
total 708
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 19:21 ch 00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 14 Feb 8 19:21 ch_01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 14 Feb 8 19:21 ch_02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 16 Feb 8 19:21 ch_03
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 14 Feb 8 19:21 ch_04
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 8 11:31 p
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 385 Feb 8 11:47 p2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 8 11:31 s
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 58 Feb 8 19:18 y2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl ch_01
  1 Chapter1
  2 One
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl ch_02
  1 Chapter2
  2 Two
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl ch_03
  1 Chapter3
  2 Three
```

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl ch_04
  1 Chapter4
  2 Four
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f chapter_y2 /One/ /Two/ /Three/ /Four/
14
14
16
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls -lh chapter*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 9 Feb 8 19:24 chapter 00
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 14 Feb 8 19:24 chapter_01
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 14 Feb 8 19:24 chapter_02
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 16 Feb 8 19:24 chapter_03
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 5 Feb 8 19:24 chapter 04
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl chapter_00
  1 Chapter1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl chapter_01
  1 One
  2 Chapter2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl chapter_02
  1 Two
  2 Chapter3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl chapter_03
  1 Three
  2 Chapter4
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl chapter_04
  1 Four
Another way to csplit the file.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ csplit -f chapter_ y2 %One%
49
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls cha*
chapter 00
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ ls -lh cha*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 49 Feb 8 19:26 chapter_00
[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]$ nl chapter 00
  1 One
  2 Chapter2
  3 Two
  4 Chapter3
  5 Three
  6 Chapter4
```

#### 7 Four

#5-16 Practice 2 - spliting at specific points.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ wc -l s
11473 s

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit s /http/
547
691705

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit s %http%
691705

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit s %http% {2} <<<At second occurance
688145

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit s %http% {3} <<<At third occurance
688067

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ csplit s %http% {20} <<<At twentieth occurance
601389

[jdoe@f33sn1 d5]\$ ls -lh x\*
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 588K Feb 8 19:29 xx00
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 676K Feb 8 19:28 xx01

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#### **Ex5 Summary**

csplit -f ch\_
csplit k /REGEX/
csplit k /REGEX/ {3}
csplit k %REGEX%

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# Exercise 6: echo, printf & yes

time: 15 minutes

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### working with variable in Linux shell

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#6-1 variables in Linux shell and printing on the screen using echo command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ ls
d4 d5
[idoe@f33sn1~]$ pwd
/home/jdoe
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ mkdir d6 && cd d6
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ pwd
/home/jdoe/d6
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ a = 3
-bash: a: command not found
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ a=3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ b=9
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ c="Australia"
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo $a $b $c
3 9 Australia
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo "abcd"
abcd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo "abcd" 12345
abcd 12345
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo "abcd" 12345 'efgh'
abcd 12345 efgh
#6-2 Print username, hostname and a variable
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo $USER
jdoe
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ whoami
idoe
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo $HOSTNAME
f33sn1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo $xyz
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ xyz=2022
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo $xyz
2022
#6-3 echo with option -e.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo "aa \ bb \n cc"
aa \ bb \n cc
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo -e "aa \ bb \n cc"
aa \ bb
СС
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo -e "aa \ bb \n cc \n"
aa \ bb
СС
```

#6-4 Use unicode to print unicode characters.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo -e "\u2665"



[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo -e "\u2664"



[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo -e "\u2666"



[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo -e "\u2667"



[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo -e "\u30b7\u30c9\u30cb\u30fc"

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo -e "\u3042\u308a\u304c\u3068\u3046"

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#6-5 "env", environmental variables.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ env

SHELL=/bin/bash

HISTCONTROL=ignoredups

HISTSIZE=1000

HOSTNAME=f33sn1

EDITOR=/usr/bin/nano

PWD=/home/jdoe/d6

LOGNAME=jdoe

XDG\_SESSION\_TYPE=tty

[...ommitted for brevity]

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo \$HISTSIZE

1000

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo \$TERM

xterm

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo \$TERMINAL

# You cannot use "echo --help" to veiw help menu as it is a different type of command. Use "help echo" instead.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo --help

--help

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ help echo

echo: echo [-neE] [arg ...]

Write arguments to the standard output.

Display the ARGs, separated by a single space character and followed by a newline, on the standard output.

#### Options:

- -n do not append a newline
- -e enable interpretation of the following backslash escapes
- -E explicitly suppress interpretation of backslash escapes

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`echo' interprets the following backslash-escaped characters:
   ∖a
         alert (bell)
   \b
         backspace
   \c
         suppress further output
[...ommitted for brevity]
#6-6 Built-in commands
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ #Built-in command
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ compgen -b
[
alias
bg
bind
break
builtin
caller
cd
command
compgen
complete
compopt
continue
declare
dirs
disown
echo
enable
eval
exec
exit
export
false
fc
fg
getopts
hash
help
history
jobs
kill
let
local
logout
mapfile
popd
printf
pushd
```

pwd

read readarray readonly return set shift shopt source suspend test times trap true type typeset ulimit umask unalias unset wait

# [jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ compgen -b | column

•	compgen	exit	let	return	typeset
:	complete	export	local	set	ulimit
[	compopt	false	logout	shift	umask
alias	continue	fc	mapfile	shopt	unalias
bg	declare	fg	popd	source	unset
bind	dirs	getopts	printf	suspend	wait
break	disown	hash	pushd	test	
builtin	echo	help	pwd	times	
caller	enable	history	read	trap	
cd	eval	jobs	readarray	true	
commar	nd exec	kill	readon	ly type	

#6-7 Use printf to print different outputs. [jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo \$a \$b \$c

3 9 Australia

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ printf "%d \t %f \t %s \n" \$a \$b \$c

3 9.000000 Australia

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ printf "%d \t %f \t %s \n" 300 900 "UK"

300 900.000000 UK

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ printf "%d \t %f \t %s \n" 300 900 3.14

300 900.000000 3.14

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ printf "%d \t %f \t %s \n" "dog" 900 3.14

-bash: printf: dog: invalid number

0 900.000000 3.14

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ printf "%d \t %f \t %s \n" 100 900 3.14

100 900.000000 3.14

#6-8 Use printf to print unicodes [jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ printf "\u2665\n"

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ printf "\u3042\n"
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ printf "\u6771\u4eac\n"
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#6-9 Printing decimal (%d), octadecimal (%o) and hexadecial (%x).
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ printf "%d %o %x \n" 15 15 15
15 17 f
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ printf "%x %x %x \n" 10 11 12
a b c
#6-10 Adding spaces to the output.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ printf "[%10d] \n" 100
    100]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ printf "[%20d] \n" 100
         100]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ printf --help <<<Does not give much help, use man printf
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ man printf
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ man 1 printf
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ man 3 printf
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ man 3 scanf
#6-11 "yes" is an infinite positive.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ yes "Sydney"
Sydney
Sydney
Sydney
Sydney
Sydney
Sydney
Sydney
Sydney
^C
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ yes "Sydney" | nl
[...ommitted for brevity]
26416 Sydney
26417 Sydney
26418 Sydney
26419 Sydney
26420 Sydney
[...ommitted for brevity]
#6-12 Practice and review.
env's variable names are all written in Capital letters.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ ABC=3000
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]$ echo $ABC
3000
```

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ env SHELL=/bin/bash HISTCONTROL=ignoredups HISTSIZE=1000 HOSTNAME=f33sn1 EDITOR=/usr/bin/nano PWD=/home/jdoe/d6 LOGNAME=jdoe XDG\_SESSION\_TYPE=tty [...ommitted for brevity]

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo \$HOME /home/jdoe
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo \$TERM xterm
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo \$SHELL /bin/bash

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo "aa \t bb"
aa \t bb
[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ echo -e "aa \t bb"
aa bb

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ printf "%d %d %s\n" 10 20 "best" 10 20 best

[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ yes "Spiderman"

[...ommitted for brevity]

Spiderman

Spiderman

Spiderman

Spiderman

Spiderman

Spiderman

C. I. I. . . . . . .

Spiderman

Spiderman

Spiderman

Spiderman

Spiderman

Spiderman

Spiderman

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d6]\$ yes "Spiderman" | nl

[...ommitted for brevity]

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Ex6 Summary		
10. echo		
11. printf		
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12. ves		

# Exercise 7: ls, dir, vdir, & dircolors

time: 20 minutes

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#7-1 Create a new directory and change to d7
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ mkdir d7 && cd d7
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ mkdir d7a d7b
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls
d7a d7b
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ cal > cal7
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ date > date7
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ II
total 8
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ cat cal7
  February 2022
Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
   1 2 3 4 5
6 7 8 9 10 11 12
13 14 15 16 17 18 19
20 21 22 23 24 25 26
27 28
```

[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]\$ cat date7 Wed 09 Feb 2022 21:17:03 AEDT [jdoe@f33sn1 d7]\$ ls /etc/

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filesystems libnl
                                           passwdqc.conf services
abrt
aditime
                firewalld
                            libreport
                                             php.d
                                                          sestatus.conf
aliases
               fprintd.conf libssh
                                             php-fpm.conf
                                                             setroubleshoot
alternatives
                  fstab
                            libuser.conf
                                               php-fpm.d
                                                              shadow
at.deny
                gcrypt
                           locale.conf
                                              php.ini
                                                          shadow-
audit
               gdbinit
                          localtime
                                            php-zts.d
                                                          shells
                             login.defs
authselect
                 gdbinit.d
                                               pinforc
                                                            skel
bash completion.d
                                 logrotate.conf
                                                      pkcs11
                      gnupg
                                                                   smartmontools
bashrc
                GREP_COLORS logrotate.d
                                                   pkgconfig
                                                                 SOS
bindresvport.blacklist groff
                                lvm
                                                pki
                                                          ssh
binfmt.d
                 group
                            machine-id
                                               plymouth
                                                              ssl
bluetooth
                  group-
                                                         sssd
                             magic
                                              pm
                                                polkit-1
chrony.conf
                  grub2.cfg
                               mailcap
                                                             statetab.d
                             makedumpfile.conf.sample popt.d
                                                                     subgid
chrony.keys
                  grub.d
               gshadow
cifs-utils
                            man db.conf
                                                 prelink.conf.d subgid-
                             mcelog
cockpit
                gshadow-
                                               printcap
                                                            subuid
[...ommitted for brevity]
```

#7-2 Study file/directory properties [jdoe@f33sn1 d7]\$ Is d7a [jdoe@f33sn1 d7]\$ # I is for Long

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -l
total 8
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
- or d = file type, - indicates a file, d indicates a directory
rw-r--r-- = indicates privilidges, r=read, w=write, x=execute
2 = hardlink number
joe jdoe = owner and owner group names
168 = file size
Feb 9 21:16 = created date & time
File changed time, there are three different times
Access: access
Modify: change
Change: properties
#7-3 showing all directory properties
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -l -a
total 8
drwxr-xr-x. 4 jdoe jdoe 53 Feb 9 21:17.
                                           <<<self, pointer
drwx-----. 6 jdoe jdoe 123 Feb 9 21:15 .. <<< parent directory
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
#7-4 create a hidden file and saved in .
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ touch .hiden
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls
cal7 d7a d7b date7
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -al
total 8
drwxr-xr-x. 4 jdoe jdoe 67 Feb 9 21:37.
drwx-----. 6 jdoe jdoe 123 Feb 9 21:15 ..
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 9 21:37 .hiden
#7-5 To hid . and .. directories use -Al
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -Al
total 8
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
```

-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 9 21:37 .hiden

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#7-6 Viewing file properties and using alias command for command abbreviation
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ cp /etc/services s
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls
cal7 d7a d7b date7 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -al
total 688
drwxr-xr-x. 4 jdoe jdoe 76 Feb 9 21:40.
drwx----. 6 jdoe jdoe 123 Feb 9 21:15 ..
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                        6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe
                       0 Feb 9 21:37 .hiden
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 9 21:40 s
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ alias II
alias II='Is -I --color=auto'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ||
total 688
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 idoe idoe
                        6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                         6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 9 21:40 s
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ II -h
total 688K
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 9 21:40 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ alias lh='ls -Alh'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ lh
total 688K
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 9 21:37 .hiden
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 9 21:40 s
#7-7 use -F option to add "/" to the directory files.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ II -F
total 688
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                        6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a/
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                         6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b/
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 9 21:40 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls /bin
۱۱,
                        nf-ct-add
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nf-ct-events
ab
abrt
                         nf-ct-list
abrt-action-analyze-backtrace
                                     nf-exp-add
abrt-action-analyze-c
                                 nf-exp-delete
[...ommitted for brevity]
#7-8 use -F with * to check executable files under binary (bin) directory
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ Is -F /bin/*
'/bin/['*
                              /bin/nf-ct-add*
/bin/ab*
                               /bin/nf-ct-events*
/bin/abrt*
                                /bin/nf-ct-list*
/bin/abrt-action-analyze-backtrace*
                                           /bin/nf-exp-add*
/bin/abrt-action-analyze-c*
                                       /bin/nf-exp-delete*
/bin/abrt-action-analyze-ccpp-local*
                                           /bin/nf-exp-list*
/bin/abrt-action-analyze-core*
                                         /bin/nf-log*
/bin/abrt-action-analyze-oops*
                                         /bin/nf-monitor*
/bin/abrt-action-analyze-python*
                                          /bin/nf-queue*
/bin/abrt-action-analyze-vmcore*
                                           /bin/ngettext*
/bin/abrt-action-analyze-vulnerability*
                                            /bin/nice*
/bin/abrt-action-analyze-xorg*
                                         /bin/nisdomainname@ <<< notice this? represent a link
[...ommitted for brevity]
# Recognizing link files
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -F /bin/yum
/bin/yum@
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ II -F /bin/yum
Irwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 5 Jul 28 2020 /bin/yum -> dnf-3*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ II -F /bin/whois
Irwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 23 Mar 19 2021 /bin/whois -> /etc/alternatives/whois*
#7-9 check a socket file to compare the file properties. "s" at the beginning of output indicates that
the file is a socket file.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ find / -type s -exec ls -al {} \; 2> /dev/null
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/gssproxy.sock
srw-rw---+ 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/php-fpm/www.sock
srwxr-xr-x. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/mcelog-client
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/.heim org.h5l.kcm-socket
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/pcscd/pcscd.comm
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/dbus/system bus socket
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/abrt/abrt.socket
srw-rw-rw-. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/user/1000/bus
srwxr-xr-x. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/user/1000/systemd/private
srwxr-xr-x. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/user/1000/systemd/notify
s-----1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/user/1000/systemd/inaccessible/sock
srw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/udev/control
srwxr-xr-x. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/home/notify
srw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/coredump
srwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/private
srw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/journal/io.systemd.journal
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/journal/socket
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srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/journal/stdout
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/journal/dev-log
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/userdb/io.systemd.Home
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/userdb/io.systemd.Multiplexer
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/userdb/io.systemd.DynamicUser
srwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/notify
s-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/inaccessible/sock
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /var/lib/gssproxy/default.sock
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /var/lib/sss/pipes/nss
# you can also use -F option and observe that the socket files contains "=" at the end.
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ find / -type s -exec ls -alF {}; 2> /dev/null
                                                               <<<Socket files have "=" at the end
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/gssproxy.sock=
of the file
srw-rw---+ 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/php-fpm/www.sock=
srwxr-xr-x. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/mcelog-client=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/.heim org.h5l.kcm-socket=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/pcscd/pcscd.comm=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/dbus/system_bus_socket=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/abrt/abrt.socket=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/user/1000/bus=
srwxr-xr-x. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/user/1000/systemd/private=
srwxr-xr-x. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/user/1000/systemd/notify=
s-----. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/user/1000/systemd/inaccessible/sock=
srw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/udev/control=
srwxr-xr-x. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/home/notify=
srw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/coredump=
srwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/private=
srw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/journal/io.systemd.journal=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/journal/socket=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/journal/stdout=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/journal/dev-log=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/userdb/io.systemd.Home=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/userdb/io.systemd.Multiplexer=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/userdb/io.systemd.DynamicUser=
srwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/notify=
s-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/inaccessible/sock=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /var/lib/gssproxy/default.sock=
srw-rw-rw-. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /var/lib/sss/pipes/nss=
#7-10 p stand for pipe, try the following command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ find / -type p -exec ls -alF {}; 2> /dev/null
prw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/initctl|
prw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/dmeventd-client
prw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/dmeventd-server
p-----. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/user/1000/systemd/inaccessible/fifo
prw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/inhibit/2.ref|
prw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/inhibit/1.ref|
prw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 9 13:05 /run/systemd/sessions/6.ref|
prw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 11:25 /run/systemd/sessions/1.ref|
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p-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /run/systemd/inaccessible/fifo
prw-----. 1 root root 0 Feb 8 09:49 /var/lib/nfs/rpc_pipefs/gssd/clntXX/gssd|
#7-11 -i option displays the inode of files, inodes are unique file numbers. Book has an isbn, inode is
the same concept to isbn for books.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -i
4670213 cal7 8636411 d7a 14477925 d7b 4670214 date7 4670216 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ lh -i
total 688K
4670213 -rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
8636411 drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
14477925 drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
4670214 -rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
4670215 -rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 9 21:37 .hiden
4670216 -rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 677K Feb 9 21:40 s
#7-12 Use -R (recursive) option to go inside each directory and view the files.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls /etc/
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -R /etc/
#7-13 -S option for size.
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ Is -SI /etc
total 1360
                                                       <<< biggest file, decending order from large
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 692252 Jun 23 2020 services
to small size
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 77941 Jul 29 2020 jwhois.conf
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 67454 Apr 22 2020 mime.types
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 63599 Mar 2 2021 php.ini
-rw-r--r-. 1 root dnsmasq 27839 Oct 1 2020 dnsmasq.conf
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 27500 Mar 22 2021 ld.so.cache
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 10315 Oct 19 2020 nanorc
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 8493 Mar 19 2021 kdump.conf
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 7504 Jul 30 2020 login.defs
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 6568 Jun 23 2020 protocols
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                       5799 Sep 9 2020 idmapd.conf
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                        5235 Sep 16 2020 man db.conf
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                        5122 Aug 4 2020 makedumpfile.conf.sample
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                       4937 Mar 2 2021 php-fpm.conf
[...ommitted for brevity]
# Add "r" to reverse the order. This time smallest file to the largest in descending order.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -Slr /etc
total 1360
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                         0 Jun 23 2020 motd
                         0 Jun 23 2020 exports
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                         0 Jul 30 2020 environment
                         0 Mar 19 2021 crypttab
-rw----. 1 root root
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                         1 Jul 27 2020 at.deny
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6 Oct 2 2020 tmpfiles.d
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
                           6 Jul 29 2020 terminfo
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
                           6 Jul 28 2020 statetab.d
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
                           6 Jul 28 2020 sasl2
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
                           6 Sep 18 2020 rsyslog.d
[...ommitted for brevity]
#7-14 Use Is command with '-t" option to display files in time order.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -Slt /etc
total 1360
-----. 1 root root
                       1222 Feb 7 15:09 shadow
                          21 Mar 23 2021 sudoers.d
drwxr-x---. 2 root root
-----. 1 root root
                       619 Mar 23 2021 gshadow
                        768 Mar 23 2021 group
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                         58 Mar 23 2021 subgid
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                         58 Mar 23 2021 subuid
                        1810 Mar 23 2021 passwd
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 27500 Mar 22 2021 ld.so.cache
[...ommitted for brevity]
# Reverse the order
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls -Sltr /etc
total 1360
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                         99 Mar 14 2010 passwdqc.conf
                        2391 Jul 24 2015 libuser.conf
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
-rw-r---. 1 root root
                        191 Nov 5 2019 libaudit.conf
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                         20 Feb 11 2020 fprintd.conf
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                       67454 Apr 22 2020 mime.types
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                        272 Apr 22 2020 mailcap
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                        496 Jun 8 2020 logrotate.conf
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                         44 Jun 23 2020 shells
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 692252 Jun 23 2020 services
                        6568 Jun 23 2020 protocols
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                        1816 Jun 23 2020 profile
[...ommitted for brevity]
#7-15 Getting help for Is
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls --help
#7-16 To view large list of files one item on each line
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls /etc -1
abrt
aditime
aliases
alternatives
at.deny
audit
authselect
[...ommitted for brevity]
```

#7-17 dir, vdir and showing files with colours

```
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ ls
cal7 d7a d7b date7 s
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ dir
cal7 d7a d7b date7 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ vdir
total 688
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                         6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                         6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 9 21:40 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ whereis dir
dir: /usr/bin/dir /usr/share/man/man1/dir.1.gz /usr/share/info/dir
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ whereis vdir
vdir: /usr/bin/vdir /usr/share/man/man1/vdir.1.gz
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ II /usr/bin/dir
-rwxr-xr-x. 1 root root 141872 Aug 17 2020 /usr/bin/dir
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ dir --color=auto
cal7 d7a d7b date7 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ vdir --color=tty
total 688
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                         6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                         6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 9 21:40 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ dir --color=tty
cal7 d7a d7b date7 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ dir /etc --color=tty
abrt
               filesystems libnl
                                            passwdqc.conf services
adjtime
                 firewalld
                            libreport
                                              php.d
                                                           sestatus.conf
aliases
                fprintd.conf libssh
                                             php-fpm.conf
                                                              setroubleshoot
alternatives
                  fstab
                            libuser.conf
                                               php-fpm.d
                                                               shadow
                            locale.conf
                                              php.ini
                                                           shadow-
at.denv
                 gcrypt
audit
               gdbinit
                          localtime
                                             php-zts.d
                                                           shells
authselect
                  gdbinit.d
                              login.defs
                                                pinforc
                                                             skel
bash_completion.d
                                  logrotate.conf
                                                      pkcs11
                                                                   smartmontools
                       gnupg
                                                    pkgconfig
bashrc
                GREP COLORS logrotate.d
                                                                  sos
bindresvport.blacklist groff
                                lvm
                                                pki
                                                           ssh
binfmt.d
                 group
                            machine-id
                                                plymouth
                                                               ssl
bluetooth
                             magic
                                                          sssd
                  group-
                                              pm
                                                 polkit-1
chrony.conf
                   grub2.cfg
                               mailcap
                                                              statetab.d
chrony.keys
                   grub.d
                              makedumpfile.conf.sample popt.d
                                                                      subgid
                gshadow
cifs-utils
                             man db.conf
                                                  prelink.conf.d subgid-
#7-18 Is is an alias, using "\" infront of Is will remove the options.
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ alias Is
alias Is='Is --color=auto'
[idoe@f33sn1 d7]$ \ls
cal7 d7a d7b date7 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ \ls --color=auto
```

```
cal7 d7a d7b date7 s
#7-19 Checking alias
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ II
total 688
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 9 21:16 cal7
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                          6 Feb 9 21:16 d7a
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe
                          6 Feb 9 21:16 d7b
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 9 21:17 date7
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 692252 Feb 9 21:40 s
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ l.
. .. .hiden
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ alias II
alias II='Is -I --color=auto'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ alias I.
alias I.='ls -d .* --color=auto'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ alias Is
alias Is='Is --color=auto'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]$ alias
alias egrep='egrep --color=auto'
alias fgrep='fgrep --color=auto'
alias grep='grep --color=auto'
alias I.='Is -d .* --color=auto'
alias Ih='Is -AIh'
alias II='Is -I --color=auto'
alias Is='Is --color=auto'
alias which='(alias; declare -f) | /usr/bin/which --tty-only --read-alias --read-functions --show-tilde --
show-dot'
alias xzegrep='xzegrep --color=auto'
alias xzfgrep='xzfgrep --color=auto'
alias xzgrep='xzgrep --color=auto'
alias zegrep='zegrep --color=auto'
alias zfgrep='zfgrep --color=auto'
alias zgrep='zgrep --color=auto'
#7-20 Checking directory colors
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# #7-20 Checking directory colors [jdoe@f33sn1 d7]\$ dircolors

LS\_COLORS='rs=0:di=01;34:ln=01;36:mh=00:pi=40;33:so=01;35:do=01;35:bd=40;33;01:cd=40;33;01: or=40;31;01:mi=00:su=37;41:sg=30;43:ca=30;41:tw=30;42:ow=34;42:st=37;44:ex=01;32:\*.tar=01;31:\*.tgz=01;31:\*.arz=01;31:\*.taz=01;31:\*.laz=01;31:\*.lz4=01;31:\*.lzh=01;31:\*

1;35:\*.ogx=01;35:\*.aac=00;36:\*.au=00;36:\*.flac=00;36:\*.m4a=00;36:\*.mid=00;36:\*.mid=00;36:\*.mka=00;36:\*.mp3=00;36:\*.mpc=00;36:\*.ogg=00;36:\*.ra=00;36:\*.wav=00;36:\*.oga=00;36:\*.opus=00;36:\*.spx=00;36:\*.xspf=00;36:\*.xspf=00;36:\*.cpus=00;36:\*.c

The Directory colors are defined in the following directory. [jdoe@f33sn1 d7]\$ nl /etc/DIR\_COLORS

- 1 # This file goes in the /etc directory, and must be world readable.
- 2 # You can copy this file to .dir\_colors in your \$HOME directory to override
- 3 # the system defaults.
- 4 # Configuration file for dircolors, a utility to help you set the
- 5 # LS\_COLORS environment variable used by GNU ls with the --color option.
- 6 # Copyright (C) 1996-2020 Free Software Foundation, Inc.
- 7 # Copying and distribution of this file, with or without modification,
- 8 # are permitted provided the copyright notice and this notice are preserved.
- 9 # The keywords COLOR, OPTIONS, and EIGHTBIT (honored by the
- 10 # slackware version of dircolors) are recognized but ignored.
- 11 # For compatibility, the pattern "^COLOR.\*none" is recognized as a way to
- 12 # disable colorization. See https://bugzilla.redhat.com/1349579 for details.
- 13 # Below are TERM entries, which can be a glob patterns, to match
- 14 # against the TERM environment variable to determine if it is colorizable.
- 15 TERM Eterm
- 16 TERM ansi
- 17 TERM \*color\*
- 18 TERM con[0-9]\*x[0-9]\*
- 19 TERM cons25
- 20 TERM console

[...ommmited for brevity]

- \* You cannot change this color as a user.
- \* Only if you are using a Linux VM with multiuser console access.

#7-21 Customizing the color [jdoe@f33sn1 d7]\$ dircolors --help Usage: dircolors [OPTION]... [FILE]

- Coage: directors [Or Holy]... [HEE]

Output commands to set the LS\_COLORS environment variable.

### Determine format of output:

- -b, --sh, --bourne-shell output Bourne shell code to set LS\_COLORS
- -c, --csh, --c-shell output C shell code to set LS\_COLORS
- -p, --print-database output defaults
  - --help display this help and exit
  - --version output version information and exit

If FILE is specified, read it to determine which colors to use for which file types and extensions. Otherwise, a precompiled database is used.

For details on the format of these files, run 'dircolors --print-database'.

GNU coreutils online help: <a href="https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/">https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/</a> Full documentation <a href="https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/dircolors">https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/dircolors</a> or available locally via: info '(coreutils) dircolors invocation'

[jdoe@f33sn1 d7]\$ dircolors -p >  $^{\prime}$ .dir\_colors [jdoe@f33sn1 d7]\$ vi  $^{\prime}$ .dir\_colors

Change DIR from 34(Blue) background to 31(Red) DIR 01;34 # directory ===> DIR 01;31 # directory

Open another terminal window and check the changes, the filenames will be displayed in red. [jdoe@f33sn1  $^{\sim}$ ]\$ ls d4 d5 d6 d7

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#### **Ex7 Summary**

ls

- -a all
- -A exclude . .. all
- -I long, detailed info
- -h human-readable
- -F file properties (one of \*/=>@|)
- -i inode
- -R recursive
- -S size
- -r reverse
- -t time
- -t modification time
  - -u access time
  - -c change -time

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# Exercise 8: paste & join

time: 20 minutes

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Paste and join can replace excel.

You have to understand the concept of field-column & record-row.

```
name math eng
Peter 85 93
Diana 93
          87
Tony 90
           95
Lara 99
           98
Bruce 89
           80
#8-1 Make a directory d8 and change the working directory. Create three files with names, math &
eng test scores.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ mkdir d8 && cd d8
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ cat > name
Peter
Diana
Tony
Lara
           CTRL+D to save and exit
Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ nl name
  1 Peter
  2 Diana
  3 Tony
  4 Lara
  5 Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ echo -e "85\n93\n90\n99\n89" > math
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ nl math
  1 85
  2 93
  3 90
  4 99
  5 89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ cat > eng
93
87
95
98
80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ nl eng
  1 93
  2 87
  3 95
  4 98
```

```
#8-2 Print content of all three files using the "cat" command. Use past command to print name in
rows and columns.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ cat name math eng
Peter
Diana
Tony
Lara
Bruce
85
93
90
99
89
93
87
95
98
80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name math eng
Peter 85
           93
Diana 93
            87
Tony 90
           95
Lara 99
           98
Bruce 89
            80
#8-3 You already know how to save the paste output using the >.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name math eng > result1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ nl result1
  1 Peter 85
                93
  2 Diana 93
                87
  3 Tony 90
                95
  4 Lara 99
                98
  5 Bruce 89
                80
#8-4 Changing the orientation of the output using "-s" option
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name math eng -s
Peter Diana Tony Lara Bruce
85
     93
          90
                99
                     89
93
     87
          95
                     80
                98
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name math eng -s > result2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ nl result2
  1 Peter Diana Tony Lara Bruce
  2 85
         93
               90
                    99
                          89
          87
  3 93
               95
                     98
                          80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ ls
eng math name result1 result2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ ||
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 15 Feb 11 16:11 eng
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 15 Feb 11 16:10 math
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 28 Feb 11 16:26 name
```

```
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 58 Feb 11 16:31 result1
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 58 Feb 11 16:31 result2
#8-5 paste with seperator.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name
Peter
Diana
Tony
Lara
Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name -s
Peter Diana Tony Lara Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name -s -d"="
Peter=Diana=Tony=Lara=Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name -s -d"#"
Peter#Diana#Tony#Lara#Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name -s -d"@"
Peter@Diana@Tony@Lara@Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name -s -d"|"
Peter | Diana | Tony | Lara | Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name -s -d","
Peter, Diana, Tony, Lara, Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name -s -d"-,=$"
Peter-Diana, Tony=Lara $Bruce
[idoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name -s -d"#$"
Peter#Diana$Tony#Lara$Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name -s -d"-"
Peter-Diana-Tony-Lara-Bruce
#8-6 Create result using name & math, name & eng. Use join to use the name as the common values
in union. Check the output difference between paste and join.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name math
Peter 85
Diana 93
Tony 90
Lara 99
Bruce 89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name math > m1
[jdoe@f33sn1 ex8]$ paste name eng > e1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste name eng
Peter 93
Diana 87
Tony 95
```

Lara 98 Bruce 80

Peter 85

Diana 93

Tony 90

Lara 99

Bruce 89

[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]\$ paste m1 e1

Peter 93

Diana 87

Tony 95

Bruce 80

Lara 98

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join m1 e1
Peter 85 93
Diana 93 87
Tony 90 95
Lara 99 98
Bruce 89 80
#8-7 What if some students were absent and did not take the exam. Remove Diana's math result and
Lara's English result.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ nano m1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ cat m1
Peter 85
Diana
Tony 90
Lara 99
Bruce 89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ nano e1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ cat e1
Peter 93
Diana 87
Tony 95
Lara
Bruce 80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ paste m1 e1
Peter 85
            Peter 93
Diana Diana 87
Tony 90
           Tony 95
Lara 99
           Lara
Bruce 89
            Bruce 80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join m1 e1
Peter 85 93
Diana 87
Tony 90 95
Lara 99
Bruce 89 80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join -a 1 m1 e1
Peter 85 93
Diana 87
Tony 90 95
Lara 99
Bruce 89 80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join -a 2 m1 e1
Peter 85 93
Diana 87
Tony 90 95
Lara 99
Bruce 89 80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join -a 1 -a 2 m1 e1
Peter 85 93
```

Diana 87 Tony 90 95

```
Lara 99
Bruce 89 80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join -e"00" -o 0,1.2,2.1 m1 e1
Peter 85 Peter
Diana 00 Diana
Tony 90 Tony
Lara 99 Lara
Bruce 89 Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join -e"00" -o 0,1.2,2.2 m1 e1
Peter 85 93
Diana 00 87
Tony 90 95
Lara 99 00
Bruce 89 80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join -e"00" -o 0,1.2,2.2 m1 e1 > result3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ nl result3
  1 Peter 85 93
  2 Diana 00 87
  3 Tony 90 95
  4 Lara 99 00
  5 Bruce 89 80
#8-8 Use of option "-v", finds value of empty common field
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ nano m1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ cat m1
Peter 85
Diana
Tony 90
Lara 99
Bruce 89
    100
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join -v 1 -o 0,1.2,2.2 m1 e1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d8]$ join -v 2 -o 0,1.2,2.2 m1 e1
column
name math eng field
Peter 85
            93 row
Diana 93
            87
Tony 90
            95 (records)
Lara 99
           98
Bruce 89
           80
```

csv concept.

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## **Ex8 Summary**

```
Review this command again.
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```
join -e"00" -o 0,1.2,2.2 m1 e1
```

-e"00" - Fills empty records (n/a in excel)

-o 0,1.2, 2.2 m1 e1 - records from column 0, column 2 of file 1 (m1), column 2 of file 2 (e1)

```
paste - merge lines of files paste [OPTION]... [FILE]...
```

- -d, --delimiters=LIST, reuse characters from LIST instead of TABs
- -s, --serial, paste one file at a time instead of in parallel.

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paste [option]... [FILE]...
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join - join lines of two files on a common field join [option]... FILE1 FILE2 join --help

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# Exercise 9: cut & awk

time: 20 minutes

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Remember the row and columns concept from the previous exercise?

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#9-1 Use files from previous exercise 8. First, create a directory named d9 and copy the all content of d8, using the 'cp' command.

[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ ls

d1 d2 d3 d4 d5 d6 d7 d8

[idoe@f33sn1~]\$ ls d8

e1 eng m1 math name result1 result2 result3

[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ mkdir d9

[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ cp d8/\* d9

[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ cd d9

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ ls

e1 eng m1 math name result1 result2 result3

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ nl name

- 1 Peter
- 2 Diana
- 3 Tony
- 4 Lara
- 5 Bruce

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ nl math

- 1 85
- 2 93
- 3 90
- 4 99
- 5 89

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ nl eng

- 1 93
- 2 87
- 3 95
- 4 98
- 5 80

#9-2 Add "| tee r" at the end of the paste command to display the content as well as save the content to file r.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ paste name eng math | tee r

<sup>\*</sup> Before going into exercises. Give a brief overview using the summary.

```
Peter 93
          85
Diana 87
           93
Tony 95
           90
Lara 98
          99
Bruce 80
          89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r
Peter 93
          85
Diana 87
           93
Tony 95
           90
Lara 98
          99
Bruce 80
           89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ nl r
  1 Peter 93
  2 Diana 87
               93
  3 Tony 95
               90
  4 Lara 98
              99
  5 Bruce 80
               89
```

#9-3 Use the '| cut' command to get a specific item in the field in a string. The following example is to get each item from the date command output.

[idoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date Fri 11 Feb 2022 19:53:29 AEDT [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -f1 Fri 11 Feb 2022 19:54:26 AEDT [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -f2 Fri 11 Feb 2022 19:54:43 AEDT [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -f3 Fri 11 Feb 2022 19:54:45 AEDT [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -f4 Fri 11 Feb 2022 19:54:47 AEDT [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -f5 Fri 11 Feb 2022 19:56:11 AEDT [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -f6 Fri 11 Feb 2022 19:56:14 AEDT [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -d' ' -f1 Fri [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -d' ' -f1 Fri [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -d' ' -f2 [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -d' ' -f3 [jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -d' ' -f4 2022

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -d' ' -f5

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ date | cut -d' ' -f6

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ who

19:55:46

**AEDT** 

```
jdoe
      pts/0
                2022-02-11 19:08 (192.168.56.1)
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f1
idoe
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f6
pts/0
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f14
2022-02-11
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f15
19:08
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f16
(192.168.56.1)
#9-4 Use "echo {A..Z}" to print a set of alphabets or a number range.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "ABC..Z"
ABC..Z
[idoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z}
A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..M}
ABCDEFGHIJKLM
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {a..z}
a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {a..m}
abcdefghijklm
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..z}
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ[]^_`abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxy
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {1..10}
12345678910
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {1..20}
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {1..30}
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30
#9-5 Trim the spaces to output as continuous strings.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' '
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {1..20} | tr -d ' '
1234567891011121314151617181920
*Try 'tr --help' for more information.
#9-6 Combine "| cut -c 1" to call by character positions.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z}
A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 10
```

```
J
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 20
# Call multiple items by using a comma separator after the -c option.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 1,2,3
ABC
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 1,10,20
AJT
ΑT
# Using 'range' to output strings.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 1-10
ABCDEFGHIJ
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 20-26
TUVWXYZ
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 26-1
cut: invalid decreasing range
Try 'cut --help' for more information.
                                              <<<Cannot reverse the output
# Use the default range. Same as Python string methods.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c -5
ABCDE
[idoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c -10
ABCDEFGHIJ
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 10-
JKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -c 20-
TUVWXYZ
Bonus exercise:
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ python3 or python
>>> import string
>>> string.ascii_uppercase[0:5]
'ABCDE'
>>> string.ascii_uppercase[0:10]
'ABCDEFGHIJ'
>>> string.ascii uppercase[9:]
'JKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ'
>>> string.ascii uppercase[19:]
'TUVWXYZ'
>>> quit()
#9-7 Ues "cut -b" to output in byte units.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -b 1
Α
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -b 2
```

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -b 1-10 ABCDEFGHIJ
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -b -10 ABCDEFGHIJ
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -b -20 ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRST
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -b 10-JKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo {A..Z} | tr -d ' ' | cut -b 20-TUVWXYZ
```

#9-8 So, what is the main difference between the -c (character) unit and -b (bytes) unit? This is evident when you start using the East Asian Scripts (Chinese, Japanese, or Korean) in the Code.

#### Go to the Google translator

(https://translate.google.com/?hl=en&sl=en&tl=ja&text=Hello&op=translate), and enter "Hello" in English.

On the right-hand side, you will see Konichiwa on the right-hand side. Copy it and use it on your echo command.

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは"
こんにちは
[idoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -c 1
C
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -c 3
に
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -c 5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -c 1-
こんにちは
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -c 3-
にちは
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -c 5-
は
```

# The following exercises indicate that you will need at least 2 bytes or more bytes to express one Asian language character.

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 1-3
J
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 1-4
٥....
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 2-4
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 3-6
■ h
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 1-2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 1-3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 4-5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ echo "こんにちは" | cut -b 4-6
h
#9-9 Now, let's apply the "cut" command to our exam scores example.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r
Peter 93
           85
Diana 87
           93
Tony 95
           90
Lara 98
           99
Bruce 80
           89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | cut -f 1
Peter
Diana
Tony
Lara
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | cut -f 2
93
87
95
98
80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | cut -f 3
85
93
90
99
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | cut -f 1,2
Peter 93
Diana 87
```

```
Tony 95
Lara 98
Bruce 80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | cut -f 2,3
93
     85
87
     93
95
     90
     99
98
80
     89
#9-10 You cannot reverse the order of columns 2 to 1 or 3 to 1. Here, we have to use the 'awk'
command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | cut -f 2,1
Peter 93
Diana 87
Tony 95
Lara 98
Bruce 80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | cut -f 3,1
Peter 85
Diana 93
Tony 90
Lara 99
Bruce 89
#9-11 "etc/passwd" file is one of the most important files in the Linux system. Let's create a 10-line
file from it and use it in our example.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ head /etc/passwd
root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ head /etc/passwd > p
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ nl p
  1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
  2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
  3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
  4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
  5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
  6 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
  7 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
  8 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
  9 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
  10 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
```

Explanation of the passwd file user properties.

E.g.) root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash

":" is a separator.

ID root password Х 0 UID Group ID Username root /root Home directory

/bin/bash Shell type in use

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ cat p | cut -f 1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin

daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin

sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync

shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown

halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt

mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ cat p | cut -d: -f 1

root bin

daemon

adm

lр

sync

shutdown

halt

mail

operator

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ cat p | cut -d: -f 2

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ cat p | cut -d: -f 3

```
0
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
11
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat p | cut -d: -f 4
0
1
2
4
7
0
0
0
12
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat p | cut -d: -f 5
root
bin
daemon
adm
lр
sync
shutdown
halt
mail
operator
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat p | cut -d: -f 6
/root
/bin
/sbin
/var/adm
/var/spool/lpd
/sbin
/sbin
/sbin
/var/spool/mail
/root
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat p | cut -d: -f 7
/bin/bash
/sbin/nologin
/sbin/nologin
/sbin/nologin
/sbin/nologin
/bin/sync
/sbin/shutdown
```

```
/sbin/halt
/sbin/nologin
/sbin/nologin
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat p | cut -d: -f 1,7
root:/bin/bash
bin:/sbin/nologin
daemon:/sbin/nologin
adm:/sbin/nologin
lp:/sbin/nologin
sync:/bin/sync
shutdown:/sbin/shutdown
halt:/sbin/halt
mail:/sbin/nologin
operator:/sbin/nologin
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat p | cut -d: -f 1,3,5
root:0:root
bin:1:bin
daemon:2:daemon
adm:3:adm
lp:4:lp
svnc:5:svnc
shutdown:6:shutdown
halt:7:halt
mail:8:mail
operator:11:operator
#9-12 When we use processes, we can use "ps -ef" command. Let's apply what we have learned to
this.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef
UID
        PID PPID C STIME TTY
                                     TIME CMD
root
              0 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:01 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd --switched-root --system --
          1
deserializ
          2
              0 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [kthreadd]
root
root
          3
              2 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [rcu gp]
          4
              2 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [rcu_par_gp]
root
root
          6
               2 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [kworker/0:0H-kblockd]
[...ommitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | cut -f 1
        PID PPID C STIME TTY
UID
                                     TIME CMD
root
          1
              0 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:01 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd --switched-root --system --
deserialize 30
                              00:00:00 [kthreadd]
root
          2
              0 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [rcu_gp]
root
          3
              2 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [rcu_par_gp]
         4
              2 0 14:52 ?
root
root
          6
               2 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [kworker/0:0H-kblockd]
[...ommitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | cut -f 2
UID
        PID PPID C STIME TTY
                                     TIME CMD
```

```
root
               0 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:01 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd --switched-root --system --
          1
deserialize 30
          2
               0 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [kthreadd]
root
root
          3
               2 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [rcu_gp]
root
          4
               2 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [rcu_par_gp]
root
          6
               2 0 14:52 ?
                              00:00:00 [kworker/0:0H-kblockd]
[...ommitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | cut -d' ' -f 1
UID
root
root
root
root
root
[...ommitted for brevity]
#Quckly test the difference between "cut" and "awk" using who output.
jdoe pts/0
                2022-02-11 19:08 (192.168.56.1)
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -f 1
                2022-02-11 19:08 (192.168.56.1)
jdoe pts/0
[idoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -f 2
jdoe pts/0
                2022-02-11 19:08 (192.168.56.1)
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -f 3
      pts/0
                2022-02-11 19:08 (192.168.56.1)
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f 1
jdoe
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f 2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f 3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f 4
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f 5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | cut -d' ' -f 6
pts/0
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | awk '{ print $1 }'
idoe
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | awk '{ print $2 }'
pts/0
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | awk '{ print $3 }'
2022-02-11
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | awk '{ print $4 }'
19:08
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | awk '{ print $5 }'
(192.168.56.1)
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ who | awk '{ print $0 }'
                2022-02-11 19:08 (192.168.56.1)
idoe pts/0
```

Tip: 'awk' is a separate programming language and it has functions and all the features of a programming language. There are books only teaching you the use of 'awk'. Here we are only scratching the surface of Linux basics and the "awk" command.

```
# Apply the "awk" command to to "ps -ef" output.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | awk '{print $1 }'
UID
root
root
root
root
root
[...omitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | awk '{print $2}'
PID
1
2
3
4
[...omitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | awk '{print $3}'
PPID
0
0
2
2
2
[...omitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | awk '{print $0}'
         PID PPID C STIME TTY
UID
                                      TIME CMD
               0 0 14:52 ?
root
          1
                               00:00:01 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd --switched-root --system --
deserialize 30
root
          2
               0 0 14:52 ?
                               00:00:00 [kthreadd]
root
          3
               2 0 14:52 ?
                               00:00:00 [rcu gp]
               2 0 14:52 ?
                               00:00:00 [rcu_par_gp]
          4
root
root
          6
               2 0 14:52 ?
                               00:00:00 [kworker/0:0H-kblockd]
[...omitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | awk '{print $1, $3}'
UID PPID
root 0
root 0
root 2
root 2
root 2
[...omitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | awk '{print $1, $3, $5}'
UID PPID STIME
root 0 14:52
root 0 14:52
root 2 14:52
```

```
root 2 14:52
root 2 14:52
[...omitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ ps -ef | awk '{print $1, "\t", $3, "\t", $5}'
      PPID STIME
UID
root
      0
           14:52
root
      0
           14:52
      2
           14:52
root
root
      2
           14:52
           14:52
root 2
[...omitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 ex09]$ cat p | awk -F: '{print $1,$7}'
root /bin/bash
bin /sbin/nologin
daemon /sbin/nologin
adm /sbin/nologin
lp /sbin/nologin
sync /bin/sync
shutdown /sbin/shutdown
halt /sbin/halt
mail /sbin/nologin
operator /sbin/nologin
[jdoe@f33sn1 ex09]$ cat p | awk -F: '{print $1, "\t", $3, "\t", $5}'
root 0
           root
bin
      1
           bin
daemon 2
              daemon
adm
       3
            adm
          lр
lр
     4
sync 5
           sync
                   shutdown
shutdown
              6
halt
      7
           halt
mail
     8
           mail
operator
             11
                  operator
[jdoe@f33sn1 ex09]$ cat p | awk -F: '{print $1, "\t", $3, "\t", $7}'
           /bin/bash
root 0
bin
      1
           /sbin/nologin
daemon 2
              /sbin/nologin
adm
       3
            /sbin/nologin
          /sbin/nologin
lр
           /bin/sync
sync 5
shutdown
              6
                   /sbin/shutdown
           /sbin/halt
halt
     7
           /sbin/nologin
mail
     8
             11 /sbin/nologin
operator
```

#9-13 Now use the "awk" command to the student score file r. [jdoe@f33sn1 d9] $\$  cat r | awk '{print \$0}'

```
Peter 93
            85
Diana 87
            93
Tony 95
            90
Lara 98
           99
Bruce 80
           89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | awk '{print $1}'
Peter
Diana
Tony
Lara
Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | awk '{print $2}'
93
87
95
98
80
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | awk '{print $3}'
85
93
90
99
89
# Reverse the columns as you wish.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | awk '{print $3, $1, $2}'
85 Peter 93
93 Diana 87
90 Tony 95
99 Lara 98
89 Bruce 80
# Add extra descriptions for each column item.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | awk '{print "Student", $1, "English: ", $2, "Math: ", $3}'
Student Peter English: 93 Math: 85
Student Diana English: 87 Math: 93
Student Tony English: 95 Math: 90
Student Lara English: 98 Math: 99
Student Bruce English: 80 Math: 89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | awk '{print "Student", $1, ", English: ", $2, ", Math: ", $3}'
Student Peter, English: 93, Math: 85
Student Diana, English: 87, Math: 93
Student Tony, English: 95, Math: 90
Student Lara, English: 98, Math: 99
Student Bruce, English: 80, Math: 89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]$ cat r | awk '{print "English : ", $2, ", Math : ", $3, "Name : ", $1}'
English: 93, Math: 85 Name: Peter
English: 87, Math: 93 Name: Diana
English: 95, Math: 90 Name: Tony
English: 98, Math: 99 Name: Lara
English: 80, Math: 89 Name: Bruce
```

# You can use "\b" to negate the spaces and add strings together.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d9]\$ cat r | awk '{print \$1, "\b\_classA" ", English: ", \$2, ", Math: ", \$3}'

Peter\_classA, English: 93, Math: 85 Diana\_classA, English: 87, Math: 93 Tony\_classA, English: 95, Math: 90 Lara\_classA, English: 98, Math: 99 Bruce classA, English: 80, Math: 89

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#### **Ex9 Summary**

Use 'man cut' to study the options.

[jdoe@f33sn1~]\$ man cut

#### NAME:

cut - remove sections from each line of files

#### SYNOPSIS:

cut OPTION... [FILE]...

## **OPTIONS:**

- -b, --bytes=LIST
   select only these bytes
- -c, --characters=LIST select only these characters
- -d, --delimiter=DELIM use DELIM instead of TAB for the field delimiter.
- -f, --fields=LIST select only these fields; also print any line that contains no delimiter character, unless the -s option is specified

#### Range selection options:

- N N'th byte, character, or field, counted from 1
- N- from N'th byte, character or field, to end of line
- N-M from N'th to M'th (included) byte, character, or field
- -M from first to M'th (included) byte, character, or field

# Exercise 10: sort

99 85 90

[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]\$ cat eng

time: 15 minutes A quick explanation of "man sort" [jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ man sort **OPTIONS:** -b: ignore leading space -f: ignore casing -n: sort by number -R: Random sort using has value -r: reverse sort -h: user (human) friendly (2K, 1G) **Extended OPTIONS:** -c: Check sort -k n: sort by nth field -m: Merger already sorted files -o: Output to a file. -t: Specify deliminator, default deleminator is a space. -u: Sort and remove duplicates, unique. #10-1 [jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ mkdir d10 [jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ cp d8/\* d10 [jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ cd d10 [jdoe@f33sn1 d10]\$ ls e1 eng m1 math name result1 result2 result3 [jdoe@f33sn1 d10]\$ rm e1 m1 result\* [jdoe@f33sn1 d10]\$ ls eng math name [jdoe@f33sn1 d10]\$ sort eng | nl 1 80 2 87 3 93 4 95 5 98 [jdoe@f33sn1 d10]\$ cat > eng << Change the values 99 85

```
# Default sorting method is ascending.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng
85
85
90
99
99
# User "-r" option with "sort" command to reverse.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng -r | nl
  1 99
  2 99
  3 90
  4 85
  5 85
# Add "-u" option for reverse.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng -r -u | nl
  1 99
  2 90
  3 85
#10-2 Sort two files.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng math
85
85
85
89
90
90
93
99
99
99
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng math | nl
  1 85
  2 85
  3 85
  4 89
  5 90
  6 90
  7 93
  8 99
  9 99
  10 99
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng math -u | nl
  1 85
```

```
2 89
  3 90
  4 93
  5 99
#10-3 Use the "-m" option to merge files. This just merges values.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng math -m
85
93
90
99
85
99
85
90
99
89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng math -m | nl
  1 100
  2 85
  3 90
  4 100
  5 80
  6 90
  7 93
  8 90
  9 99
  10 89
#10-4 Use option "-o" to print the output.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng math -o em1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ nl em1
  1 85
  2 85
  3 85
  4 89
  5 90
  6 90
  7 93
  8 99
  9 99
  10 99
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng math -m -o em2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ nl em2
  1 85
  2 93
  3 90
```

```
7 85
  8 90
  9 99
  10 89
#10-5 Sorting names using alphabet order.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ nl name
  1 Peter
  2 Diana
  3 Tony
  4 Lara
  5 Bruce
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort name
Bruce
Diana
Lara
Peter
Tony
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort name | nl
  1 Bruce
  2 Diana
  3 Lara
  4 Peter
  5 Tony
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort name -r | nl
  1 Tony
  2 Peter
  3 Lara
  4 Diana
  5 Bruce
#10-6 Use 'paste' and 'tee' commands to merge three files into one and also display the result on the
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ paste name eng math | tee nem
Peter 99
           85
Diana 85
           93
Tony 99
           90
           99
Lara 85
Bruce 90
           89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ nl nem
  1 Peter 99
                85
  2 Diana 85
                93
  3 Tony 99
                90
  4 Lara 85
               99
  5 Bruce 90
                89
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort nem | nl
  1 Bruce 90
                89
  2 Diana 85
                93
  3 Lara 85
               99
```

5 856 99

```
4 Peter 99
                85
  5 Tony 99
                90
# Use the "-k" option to sore using field 2 as the primary key.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort -k 2 nem | nl
  1 Diana 85
                93
  2 Lara 85
                99
  3 Bruce 90
                89
  4 Peter 99
                85
  5 Tony 99
                90
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort -k 2 -r nem | nl
  1 Tony 99
                90
  2 Peter 99
                85
  3 Bruce 90
                89
  4 Lara 85
                99
  5 Diana 85
                93
# Use field 3 for sorting.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort -k 3 nem | nl
  1 Peter 99
                85
  2 Bruce 90
                 89
  3 Tony 99
                90
  4 Diana 85
                93
  5 Lara 85
                99
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort -k 3 -r nem | nl
  1 Lara 85
                99
  2 Diana 85
                93
  3 Tony 99
                90
  4 Bruce 90
                 89
  5 Peter 99
                85
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort -k 1 -r nem | nl
  1 Tony 99
                90
  2 Peter 99
                85
  3 Lara 85
                99
  4 Diana 85
                93
  5 Bruce 90
                89
#10-7 Use the "-R" option to shuffle the items, at random.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng -R | nl
  1 85
  2 85
  3 99
  4 99
  5 90
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng -R | nl
  1 90
  2 99
  3 99
  4 85
  5 85
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng -R | nl
```

```
1 99
  2 99
  3 85
  4 85
  5 90
#10-8 Check if the items are sorted already.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ nl eng
  1 99
  2 85
  3 99
  4 85
  5 90
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort -c eng
sort: eng:2: disorder: 85
                                  <<< "echo $?" allows you to check the status of the previous
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ echo $?
command. 1=error, 0=OK.
1
# Sort the values and save them to a new file called eng1.
[idoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort eng > eng1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ nl eng1
  1 85
  2 85
  3 90
  4 99
  5 99
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort -c eng1
                                    <<< Silent YES. In Linux, if there is no output, all is GOOD!</p>
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ echo $?
                                   << "echo $?" allows you to check the status of the previous
command. 1=error, 0=OK.
#10-9 Sort exercise using "/etc/passwd".
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ head -12 /etc/passwd > p
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ nl p
  1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
  2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
  3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
  4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
  5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
  6 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
  7 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
  8 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
  9 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
  10 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort p | nl
  1 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
  2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
  3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
  4 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
```

- 5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
- 6 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
- 7 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
- 8 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
- 9 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
- 10 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync

# Sort by using the third field. The first output is unchanged, you have to use "-t:" to specify the separator. n the second output, now it is sorted using the third field.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]\$ sort -k 3 p | nl

- 1 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
- 2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
- 3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
- 4 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
- 5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
- 6 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
- 7 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
- 8 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
- 9 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
- 10 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync

- 1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
- 2 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin <<< still have an issue, this is number 11. Have to fix this issue.
  - 3 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
  - 4 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
  - 5 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
  - 6 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
  - 7 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
  - 8 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
  - 9 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
  - 10 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin

# Use the "-n" option to fix the above issue.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]\$ sort -t: -k 3 -n p | nl

- 1 root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
- 2 bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
- 3 daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
- 4 adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
- 5 lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
- 6 sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
- 7 shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
- 8 halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
- 9 mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
- 10 operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin

# If we apply the awk command and get the specific fields only. You can do this.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]\$ sort -t: -k 3 p | awk -F: '{print \$1, \$3}' | nl

- 1 root 0
- 2 operator 11
- 3 bin 1

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4 daemon 2
  5 adm 3
  6 lp 4
  7 sync 5
  8 shutdown 6
  9 halt 7
  10 mail 8
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort -t: -k 3 -n p | awk -F: '{print $1, $3}' | nl
  1 root 0
  2 bin 1
  3 daemon 2
  4 adm 3
  5 lp 4
  6 sync 5
  7 shutdown 6
  8 halt 7
  9 mail 8
  10 operator 11
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ sort -t: -k 3 -n p | awk -F: '{print $1, $2, $3}' | nl
  1 root x 0
  2 bin x 1
  3 daemon x 2
  4 adm x 3
  5 lp x 4
  6 sync x 5
  7 shutdown x 6
  8 halt x 7
  9 mail x 8
  10 operator x 11
#10-10
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ II /var/log/
total 9096
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
                              4096 Mar 19 2021 anaconda
drwx----. 2 root root
                              23 Mar 19 2021 audit
-rw----. 1 root root
                            3296 Feb 13 12:34 boot.log
-rw----. 1 root root
                            16363 Mar 26 2021 boot.log-20210326
                            16511 Feb 4 17:01 boot.log-20220204
-rw----. 1 root root
-rw----. 1 root root
                            17113 Feb 7 11:11 boot.log-20220207
-rw----. 1 root root
                            32435 Feb 8 09:49 boot.log-20220208
-rw----. 1 root root
                            3185 Feb 9 00:00 boot.log-20220209
-rw----. 1 root root
                            12945 Feb 11 14:52 boot.log-20220211
                            16697 Feb 13 12:34 boot.log-20220213
-rw----. 1 root root
-rw-rw---. 1 root utmp
                              2304 Feb 11 15:25 btmp
-rw-rw----. 1 root utmp
                               384 Mar 19 2021 btmp-20220204
drwxr-xr-x. 2 chrony chrony
                                  6 Sep 16 2020 chrony
[...omitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ || /var/log/ | sort -k 5
total 9096
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 11 14:52 maillog-20220213
```

```
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 11 14:52 spooler-20220213
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 13 12:34 maillog
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 13 12:34 spooler
                              0 Feb 4 17:01 maillog-20220211
-rw----. 1 root root
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 4 17:01 spooler-20220211
-rw-r---. 1 root root
                              0 Mar 19 2021 firewalld
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Mar 19 2021 maillog-20220204
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Mar 19 2021 spooler-20220204
                              0 Mar 19 2021 tallylog
-rw----. 1 root root
drwxrwx---. 2 apache root
                                 101 Feb 13 12:34 php-fpm
-rw----. 1 root root
                            102 Feb 11 18:20 hawkey.log-20220213
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                            1040 Sep 20 2020 README
-rw----. 1 root root
                            10744 Feb 13 12:50 dnf.librepo.log
                           121003 Feb 4 17:01 secure-20220204
-rw----. 1 root root
-rw----. 1 root root
                           128198 Feb 11 14:52 secure-20220211
-rw----. 1 root root
                            12945 Feb 11 14:52 boot.log-20220211
                                                                     <<< Problem, sorted by
character
-rw----. 1 root root
                            1445 Feb 13 12:34 secure-20220213
                                                                    <<< Problem, sorted by
character
                             146 Feb 13 12:34 httpd
drwx----. 2 root root
                                                              <<< Problem, sorted by character
-rw----. 1 root root
                            16363 Mar 26 2021 boot.log-20210326
-rw----. 1 root root
                            16511 Feb 4 17:01 boot.log-20220204
[...ommitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ || /var/log/ | sort -k 5 -n
-rw----. 1 root root
                             0 Feb 11 14:52 maillog-20220213
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 11 14:52 spooler-20220213
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 13 12:34 maillog
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 13 12:34 spooler
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 4 17:01 maillog-20220211
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Feb 4 17:01 spooler-20220211
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Mar 19 2021 maillog-20220204
                              0 Mar 19 2021 spooler-20220204
-rw----. 1 root root
-rw----. 1 root root
                              0 Mar 19 2021 tallylog
-rw-r---. 1 root root
                              0 Mar 19 2021 firewalld
total 9096
drwx----. 2 root root
                              6 Mar 19 2021 private
drwxr-xr-x. 2 chrony chrony
                                  6 Sep 16 2020 chrony
drwx----. 3 root root
                              17 Mar 19 2021 samba
drwx----. 2 root root
                              23 Mar 19 2021 audit
drwxr-sr-x+ 3 root systemd-journal
                                     46 Mar 19 2021 journal
-rw----. 1 root root
                             51 Feb 13 12:44 hawkey.log
[...ommitted for brevity]
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ || /var/log/ | sort -k 5 -n -r
-rw----. 1 root root
                          4265170 Feb 11 14:52 messages-20220211
-rw----. 1 root root
                          3603426 Feb 4 17:01 messages-20220204
-rw-rw-r--. 1 root utmp
                             292876 Feb 13 12:34 lastlog
-rw-r--r. 1 root root
                           292760 Feb 13 12:50 dnf.log
-rw----. 1 root root
                           217340 Feb 13 12:34 messages-20220213
-rw----. 1 root root
                           178336 Feb 10 05:32 dnf.librepo.log-20220211
                             175872 Feb 13 12:34 wtmp
-rw-rw-r--. 1 root utmp
-rw----. 1 root root
                           128198 Feb 11 14:52 secure-20220211
```

```
121003 Feb 4 17:01 secure-20220204
-rw----. 1 root root
-rw----. 1 root root
                         32435 Feb 8 09:49 boot.log-20220208
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root
                         30826 Mar 23 2021 dnf.librepo.log-20220204
-rw----. 1 root root
                         23384 Feb 11 21:11 dnf.librepo.log-20220213
-rw----. 1 root root
                         22073 Feb 13 13:34 messages
-rw----. 1 root root
                         17113 Feb 7 11:11 boot.log-20220207
-rw----. 1 root root
                         16697 Feb 13 12:34 boot.log-20220213
[...omitted for brevity]
#10-11 "df" = disk free, used to check partition size and usage.
[idoe@f33sn1 d10]$ df
Filesystem
                   1K-blocks Used Available Use% Mounted on
devtmpfs
                    476448
                              0 476448 0%/dev
tmpfs
                  498392
                            0 498392 0% /dev/shm
tmpfs
                  199360 992 198368 1% /run
/dev/mapper/fedora_fedora-root 7325696 2159340 5166356 30% /
tmpfs
                  498392
                            4 498388 1%/tmp
/dev/sda1
                    1038336 203340 834996 20%/boot
tmpfs
                   99676
                            0 99676 0% /run/user/1000
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ df | sort -k 5
devtmpfs
                    476448
                              0 476448 0%/dev
tmpfs
                  498392 0 498392 0% /dev/shm
tmpfs
                   99676 0 99676 0%/run/user/1000
                  199360 992 198368 1%/run
tmpfs
tmpfs
                  498392
                            4 498388 1%/tmp
/dev/sda1
                    1038336 203340 834996 20% /boot
/dev/mapper/fedora fedora-root 7325696 2159340 5166356 30% /
Filesystem
                   1K-blocks Used Available Use% Mounted on
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ df | sort -k 2 -n
Filesystem
                   1K-blocks Used Available Use% Mounted on
tmpfs
                   99676
                          0 99676 0% /run/user/1000
tmpfs
                  199360 992 198368 1% /run
                    476448 0 476448 0%/dev
devtmpfs
tmpfs
                  498392
                            0 498392 0% /dev/shm
tmpfs
                  498392
                            4 498388 1%/tmp
                    1038336 203340 834996 20% /boot
/dev/sda1
/dev/mapper/fedora_fedora-root 7325696 2159340 5166356 30% /
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ df | sort -k 2 -n -h
                                                <<< Option "-n" and "-h" are incompatible.
sort: options '-hn' are incompatible
[jdoe@f33sn1 d10]$ df | sort -k 2 -h
                                              <<< Option "-h"
tmpfs
                   99676
                          0 99676 0% /run/user/1000
tmpfs
                  199360 992 198368 1% /run
                              0 476448 0%/dev
devtmpfs
                    476448
tmpfs
                  498392
                            0 498392 0% /dev/shm
tmpfs
                  498392
                            4 498388 1%/tmp
                    1038336 203340 834996 20% /boot
/dev/sda1
/dev/mapper/fedora fedora-root 7325696 2159340 5166356 30% /
                   1K-blocks Used Available Use% Mounted on
Filesystem
```

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## **Ex10 Summary**

jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ man sort
Review "man sort"

# Exercise 11: uniq

Time: 15 minutes

uniq - report or omit repeated lines

## Usage:

uniq [OPTION]... [INPUT [OUTPUT]]

High usage options:

-c, --count

prefix lines by the number of occurrences

-d, --repeated

only print duplicate lines, one for each group

- -D print all duplicate lines
- -u, --unique

only print unique lines

-i, --ignore-case

ignore differences in case when comparing

Low usage options:

-w, --check-chars=N

compare no more than N characters in lines

-s, --skip-chars=N

avoid comparing the first N characters

-f, --skip-fields=N

avoid comparing the first N fields

# shuf - generate random permutations

#### Usage:

shuf [OPTION]... [FILE] shuf -e [OPTION]... [ARG]... shuf -i LO-HI [OPTION]...

High usage options:

-e, --echo

treat each ARG as an input line

-i, --input-range=LO-HI

treat each number LO through HI as an input line

-n, --head-count=COUNT

output at most COUNT lines

-o, --output=FILE

write result to FILE instead of standard output

Low usage options:

-r, --repeat

output lines can be repeated

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## #uniq command exercises

Ex11-1 Make a directory ex11 and change the working directory. Then create a file b as shown. bchoi@pop-os:~\$ mkdir ex11 && cd ex11 bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ cat > b one two two three three three one two two bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ nl b 1 one 2 two 3 two 4 three 5 three 6 three 7 one 8 two 9 two Ex11-2 Use the uniq command with nl to see the result of the command. You will see that uniq only find the uniqe values for the continuous occurrences. bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ uniq b | nl 1 one 2 two 3 three 4 one 5 two Ex11-3 Now to find the unique values, run the combination of the "sort" and 'uniq" commands. bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ sort b | nl 1 one 2 one 3 three 4 three 5 three

bchoi@pop-os: $^/$ ex11\$ sort b | uniq

one

three

6

7

8

two

two

two two

two

Ex11-4 Count the number of occurrences using the "-c" or "--count" option.

#### choi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ uniq b | nl 1 one 2 two 3 three 4 one 5 two bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ uniq -c b | nl 1 one 1 2 2 two 3 3 three 4 1 one 5 2 two bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ nl b 1 one 2 two 3 two 4 three 5 three 6 three 7 one 8 two 9 two Ex11-5 Output non-repeated single line using the "-u" option. bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ uniq -u b | nl 1 one 2 one bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ nl b 1 <<< non-repeated single line one 2 two 3 two 4 three 5 three 6 three 7 one <<< non-repeated single line 8 two 9 two Ex11-6 Output repeated line using the "-d" option. bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ uniq -d b | nl 1 two 2 three 3 two bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ nl b one 1 2 two 3 two <<< repeated line 4 three 5 <<< repeated line three 6 three <<< repeated line 7 one

```
8
       two
  9
       two
               <<< repeated line
# Add the "-c" option to count the number of occurrences.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ uniq -d -c b | nl
  1
          2 two
  2
          3 three
  3
          2 two
Ex11-7 Only display repeated lines using the "-D" option. This option has the opposite effect of the "-
u" option.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ uniq -D b | nl
  1
       two
  2
       two
  3
       three
  4
       three
  5
       three
  6
       two
       two
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ uniq -u b | nl
       one
  2
       one
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ uniq -i b | nl
  1
       one
```

Ex11-8 Treat the repeated lines as a single line using the "-i" option.

- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 one
- 5 two

Ex11-9 Creat file k as shown below.

bchoi@pop-os: $^/$ ex11\$ cat > k

Peter 85 90 Diana 90 90 90 90 Tony Lara 80 80 Bruce 80 80

bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ nl k

1 Peter 85 90 2 90 Diana 90 3 Tony 90 90 4 80 Lara 80 5 Bruce 80 80

Ex11-10 Use the "-f" option to filter the repeated lines by field number.

bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ uniq k

Peter 85 90 Diana 90 90 90 Tony 90 Lara 80 80

```
Bruce 80
             80
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ uniq k -f 0
Peter 85
             90
Diana 90
             90
Tony 90
             90
Lara
      80
             80
Bruce 80
             80
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ uniq k -f 1
Peter 85
Diana 90
             90
             80
Lara
      80
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ uniq k -f 2
Peter 85
             90
Lara
      80
             80
```

## #shuf command exercises

Ex11-11 Use the "cat > eng" command to create the following file. Run the 'shuf eng" command a few times to observe the shuffling numbers.

```
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ cat > eng
85
90
90
80
80
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ nl eng
  1
       85
  2
       90
  3
       90
  4
       80
       80
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng
90
85
80
90
80
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng
80
80
85
90
90
```

Ex11.12 Now use the "-e" option to shuffle a string of numbers.

```
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ cat > eng
```

```
80
80
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ nl eng
       85
  1
  2
       90
  3
       90
  4
       80
  5
       80
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng
90
85
80
90
80
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng
80
85
90
90
Ex11.13 Now use your favorite cities to shuffle.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e Sydney LA London Singapore Tokyo
LA
Sydney
Singapore
Tokyo
London
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e Sydney LA London Singapore Tokyo
Singapore
LA
Tokyo
Sydney
London
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e Sydney LA London Singapore Tokyo
Tokyo
LA
London
Singapore
Sydney
Ex11.14 Add "-n 1" option to call out a random city, and use "-n 3" to call three random cities from
the list.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e Sydney LA London Singapore Tokyo -n 1
London
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e Sydney LA London Singapore Tokyo -n 1
Singapore
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e Sydney LA London Singapore Tokyo -n 1
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e Sydney LA London Singapore Tokyo -n 3
London
```

```
Singapore
Tokyo
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e Sydney LA London Singapore Tokyo -n 3
LA
Sydney
London
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e Sydney LA London Singapore Tokyo -n 3
London
Tokyo
Singapore
Ex11.15 Who is going to the shop pick up our lunch?
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e John George Erwin Shannon Colin -n 1
Erwin
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e John George Erwin Shannon Colin -n 1
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -e John George Erwin Shannon Colin -n 1
George
Ex11.16 Practice what we have learnt so far.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng | nl
  1
       90
  2
       85
  3
       80
  4
       80
       90
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng -n 1 | nl
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng -n 2 | nl
  1
       90
       90
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng -n 3 | nl
  1
       90
  2
       80
  3
       85
Ex11.17 Practice shuf using a number range of 1-10.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng -n 1 | nl
  1
       90
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng -n 2 | nl
  1
       90
  2
       90
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf eng -n 3 | nl
       90
  1
  2
       80
  3
       85
Ex11.18 Using "shuf -i" command, let's get six random numbers to fill out the Saturday night Lotto.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -i 1-45 -n 6
37
36
```

```
6
22
23
16
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -i 1-45 -n 6
6
29
19
3
43
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -i 1-45 -n 6
12
40
24
21
39
30
Ex11.19 Prettify the output per column by adding the "paste" option.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -i 1-45 -n 6 | paste - -
32
        35
23
        28
22
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -i 1-45 -n 6 | paste - - -
29
        30
                44
                23
9
        36
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -i 1-45 -n 6 | paste - - -
6
        22
28
        26
                37
Tip - Getting the six random numbers using Python.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ python3
Python 3.9.7 (default, Sep 10 2021, 14:59:43)
[GCC 11.2.0] on linux
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
>>> import random
>>> list = random.sample(range(1, 46), 6)
>>> print(list)
[32, 30, 29, 22, 10, 40]
>>> def lotto():
    list = random.sample(range(1, 46), 6)
    print(list)
>>> lotto()
[32, 8, 21, 19, 44, 20]
>>> lotto()
[38, 16, 19, 8, 35, 21]
>>> lotto()
[6, 26, 2, 7, 13, 37]
```

```
Tip2 - Save the application as a python file and run it to get your lucky numbers.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ cat > luckynum.py
import random
luckynums = random.sample(range(1, 46), 6)
print(luckynums)
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ cat luckynum.py
import random
luckynums = random.sample(range(1, 46), 6)
print(luckynums)
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ python3 luckynum.py
[5, 39, 3, 37, 1, 42]
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ python3 luckynum.py
[12, 18, 2, 3, 10, 30]
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ python3 luckynum.py
[24, 32, 12, 2, 8, 42]
Ex11.20 Use the "-r" option to repeat the shuf command.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -i 1-10
2
7
8
10
4
9
6
3
1
5
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11$ shuf -i 1-10 -r
2
4
7
6
7
4
10
6
1
6
4
10
2
6
4
7
8
6
[...omitted for brevity]
```

EX11.21 Saving shuf output to a file.

bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ shuf -i 1-45 -n 6 -o getlucky1  bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ more getlucky1  35  28  38  14  23  26  more: cannot open getlucky3: No such file or directory bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ more getlucky2  30  42  17  9  19  29
Ex11 Summary
# Getting more help on the command.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ uniqhelp bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ man uniq
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ shufhelp bchoi@pop-os:~/ex11\$ man shuf
Use the man page to go over a quick summary.

# Exercise 12: tr (trim)

```
tr - cut, change, trim text
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tr, expand, unexpand --20
tr - translate or delete characters
SYNOPSIS
   tr [OPTION]... SET1 [SET2]
Usage:
   -d, --delete
       delete characters in SET1, do not translate
   -s, --squeeze-repeats
       replace each sequence of a repeated character that is
   -t truncate
       change characters
   -c, -C, --complement
       use the complement of SET1
expand - convert tabs to spaces
unexpand - convert spaces to tabs
Ex12-1 Make a new directory and change the working directory.
bchoi@pop-os:~$ mkdir ex12 && cd ex12
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "cis"
cis
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "cis" | tr -d "c"
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "cis" | tr -d "c" | nl
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ciscis" | tr -d "c" | nl
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis" | tr -d "c" | nl
       iiiiisssssis
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis" | tr -d "i" | nl
       ccccssssscs
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis" | tr -d "s" | nl
       cccciiiiici
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis" | tr -d "cis" | nl
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis" | tr -d "ci" | nl
  1
       SSSSSS
```

```
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis" | tr -d "cs" | nl
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis" | tr -d "is" | nl
       CCCCCC
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis112233" | tr -d "cis" | nl
       112233
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis112233" | tr -d "cis12" | nl
  1
       33
Ex12-2 Use regular expression methods to remove only alphabets or only digits.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis112233" | tr -d "a-z" | nl
  1
       112233
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "ccccciiiiissssscis112233" | tr -d "0-9" | nl
       cccciiiiissssscis
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "what a wonderful world!" | tr -d "a-l" | nl
       wt wonru wor!
Ex12-3
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d "a-l" | nl
       W on! R2-D2
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d "a-z" | nl
       W!R2-D2
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d "RD2" | nl
       Well done! -
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d "RD2-" | nl
       Well done!
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d "A-Z" | nl
       ell done! 2-2
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d "A-R" | nl
       Well done! 2-2
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d "A-Z""a-z" | nl
        ! 2-2
  1
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d "A-Za-z!" | nl
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d '[:upper:]' | nl
       ell done! 2-2
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d '[:lower:]' | nl
       W!R2-D2
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Well done! R2-D2" | tr -d '[:digit:]' | nl
  1
       Well done! R-D
Ex12-4 Trimming a number range
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo {1..10}
12345678910
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo {1..10} | tr -d '1-5'
  67890
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo {1..10} | tr -d '3-8'
12
      9 10
Ex12-5 Use tr to replace a character in a string.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Chloe"
```

```
Chloe
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Chloe" | tr "C" "K"
Khloe
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "mime"
mime
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "mime" | tr "m" "t"
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "mime" | tr "m" "$"
$i$e
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Ashley" | tr "y" "e"
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Ashley" | tr "A" "a"
ashley
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "abc" | tr "abc" "ABC"
ABC
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "abc" | tr "abc" "123"
123
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "abcd" | tr "abc" "123"
123d
Ex12-6 Practicing what we have learned. Remove parts of a string and mask with "*".
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Brendan 0498765432" | tr "[:digit:]" "*"
Brendan *******
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Brendan 0498765432" | tr "A-Za-z" "*"
****** 0498765432
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Brendan 0498765432" | tr "[:lower:][:upper:]" "*"
****** 0498765432
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "Brendan 0498765432" | tr "[:lower:]" "*"
B***** 0498765432
Ex12-7 Change lower case to upper case. And upper case to lower case.
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "koala"
koala
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "koala" | tr "koala" "KOALA" | nl
  1
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "koala" | tr "a-z" "A-Z" | nl
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "koala" | tr "[:lower:]" "[:upper:]" | nl
       KOALA
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "EMU"
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "EMU" | tr "EMU" "emu"
emu
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "EMU" | tr "A-Z" "a-z"
bchoi@pop-os:~/ex12$ echo "EMU" | tr "[:upper:]" "[:lower:]"
emu
Ex12-8 Use "-s" option, s for squeez
bchoi@pop-os:~$ echo "aaaaabbbbbccc" | tr -s a
abbbbbccc
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bchoi@pop-os:~$ echo "aaaaabbbbbccc" | tr -s abc
abc
Ex12-9 Change the space with other characters.
bchoi@pop-os:~$ echo "London Paris Tokyo Sydney"
London Paris Tokyo Sydney
bchoi@pop-os:~$ echo "London Paris Tokyo Sydney" | tr " "\n"
London
Paris
Tokyo
Sydney
bchoi@pop-os:~$ echo "London Paris Tokyo Sydney" | tr " " "\t"London Paris
                                                                     Tokyo Sydney
London
  Paris
     Tokyo
       Sydney
bchoi@pop-os:~$ echo "London Paris Tokyo Sydney" | tr " " \012"
London
Paris
Tokyo
Sydney
bchoi@pop-os:~$ who
bchoi :1
             2022-02-26 09:03 (:1)
bchoi@pop-os:~$ who | tr -s " "
bchoi :1 2022-02-26 09:03 (:1) <<< Easier to view
Ex12-10 Check disk usage using "-s" option.
bchoi@pop-os:~$ df -h
Filesystem Size Used Avail Use% Mounted on
tmpfs
       775M 1.9M 773M 1%/run
/dev/sda1 106G 96G 5.0G 96% /
tmpfs
         3.8G 32K 3.8G 1%/dev/shm
tmpfs
          5.0M 4.0K 5.0M 1% /run/lock
          775M 136K 775M 1% /run/user/1000
tmpfs
bchoi@pop-os:~$ df -h | tr -s " "
Filesystem Size Used Avail Use% Mounted on
tmpfs 775M 1.9M 773M 1% /run
/dev/sda1 106G 96G 5.0G 96% /
tmpfs 3.8G 32K 3.8G 1% /dev/shm
tmpfs 5.0M 4.0K 5.0M 1% /run/lock
tmpfs 775M 136K 775M 1% /run/user/1000
Ex12-11 Apply '-s' option.
bchoi@pop-os:~$ head -10 /etc/passwd > p1
bchoi@pop-os:~$ nl p1
      root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
  1
  2
      daemon:x:1:1:daemon:/usr/sbin:/usr/sbin/nologin
```

bin:x:2:2:bin:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin

- 4 sys:x:3:3:sys:/dev:/usr/sbin/nologin
- 5 sync:x:4:65534:sync:/bin/sync
- 6 games:x:5:60:games:/usr/games:/usr/sbin/nologin
- 7 man:x:6:12:man:/var/cache/man:/usr/sbin/nologin
- 8 lp:x:7:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/usr/sbin/nologin
- 9 mail:x:8:8:mail:/var/mail:/usr/sbin/nologin
- 10 news:x:9:9:news:/var/spool/news:/usr/sbin/nologin

# bchoi@pop-os:~\$ cat p1 | tr ':' '\t'

root	Х	0	0	root	/root	/bin/bash	
daemo	n	X	1	1	daemon	/usr/sbin /usr	/sbin/nologin
bin	X	2	2	bin	/bin	/usr/sbin/nologin	
sys	X	3	3	sys	/dev	/usr/sbin/nologin	
sync	X	4	65534	sync	/bin	/bin/sync	
games	X	5	60	games	/usr/gar	nes /usr/sbin/nologin	
man	X	6	12	man	/var/cac	he/man /usr/sbin/no	ologin
lp	X	7	7	lp	/var/spc	ool/lpd /usr/sbin/nologin	
mail	X	8	8	mail	/var/ma	il /usr/sbin/nologin	
news	X	9	9	news	/var/spc	ol/news /usr/sbin/no	login

bchoi@pop-os:~\$ cat p1 | tr ':' ','

root,x,0,0,root,/root,/bin/bash

daemon,x,1,1,daemon,/usr/sbin,/usr/sbin/nologin

bin,x,2,2,bin,/bin,/usr/sbin/nologin

sys,x,3,3,sys,/dev,/usr/sbin/nologin

sync,x,4,65534,sync,/bin,/bin/sync

games,x,5,60,games,/usr/games,/usr/sbin/nologin

man,x,6,12,man,/var/cache/man,/usr/sbin/nologin

lp,x,7,7,lp,/var/spool/lpd,/usr/sbin/nologin

mail,x,8,8,mail,/var/mail,/usr/sbin/nologin

news,x,9,9,news,/var/spool/news,/usr/sbin/nologin

bchoi@pop-os:~\$ more p2.csv

root,x,0,0,root,/root,/bin/bash

daemon,x,1,1,daemon,/usr/sbin,/usr/sbin/nologin

bin,x,2,2,bin,/bin,/usr/sbin/nologin

sys,x,3,3,sys,/dev,/usr/sbin/nologin

sync,x,4,65534,sync,/bin,/bin/sync

games,x,5,60,games,/usr/games,/usr/sbin/nologin

man,x,6,12,man,/var/cache/man,/usr/sbin/nologin

lp,x,7,7,lp,/var/spool/lpd,/usr/sbin/nologin

mail,x,8,8,mail,/var/mail,/usr/sbin/nologin

news,x,9,9,news,/var/spool/news,/usr/sbin/nologin

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#### **Ex12 Summary**

# Getting more help on the command.

Use man page to go over a quick summary.

### Exercise 13: touch

Touch change file timestamps

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time: 20 minutes
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- > output redirection
  > append
  < input redirection
  << here document
  <<< here string (not often used, but worth noting)</pre>
- #13-1 What we have learned so far.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ cal > c2 [jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ cal > c3 [jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ ll c\* -rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 26 11:12 c1 -rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 26 11:14 c2 -rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 26 11:15 c3 [jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ cat c1 February 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ cat c3 February 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

```
#13-2 Difference between ">" and ">>".
[idoe@f33sn1 d13]$ date
Sat 26 Feb 2022 11:16:32 AEDT
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ date > c1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ nl c1
  1 Sat 26 Feb 2022 11:16:37 AEDT
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ who > c1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ nl c1
  1 jdoe pts/0
                    2022-02-26 10:57 (192.168.56.1)
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ date >> c1
[idoe@f33sn1 d13]$ nl c1
  1 idoe pts/0
                    2022-02-26 10:57 (192.168.56.1)
  2 Sat 26 Feb 2022 11:17:38 AEDT
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cal >> c1
[idoe@f33sn1 d13]$ nl c1
  1 jdoe pts/0
                    2022-02-26 10:57 (192.168.56.1)
  2 Sat 26 Feb 2022 11:17:38 AEDT
      February 2022
  4 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
        1 2 3 4 5
  6 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
  7 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
  8 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
  9 27 28
  10
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ echo "Hello"
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ echo "Hello" > c1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ nl c1
  1 Hello
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ echo "G'day" > c1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ nl c1
  1 G'day
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ echo "G'day" >> c1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ nl c1
  1 G'day
  2 G'day
  3 G'day
  4 G'day
  5 G'day
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ echo "..." >> c1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ nl c1
  1 G'day
  2 G'day
  3 G'day
  4 G'day
  5 G'day
```

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6 ...
FILE DESCRIPTOR
# file descriptor, similar to file pointer concept in C language.
stdout (file descriptor=0), standard input (Keyboard)
stdin (file descriptor=1), standard output (Monitor)
stderr (file descriptor=2), standard error (Monitor)
file descriptor:
fopen - opens file
fclose - closes file
^D (Ctrl+D) - end of file
# We know that the file descriptor 0 is omitted when we run the following command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat < c1
G'day
G'day
G'day
G'day
G'day
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat 0< c1
G'day
G'day
G'day
G'day
G'day
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat < c1
G'day
G'day
G'day
G'day
G'day
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat 0< c1
G'day
G'day
G'day
G'day
G'day
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ who 1> w1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ who > w1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat 0< c1
G'day
G'day
```

G'day

G'day G'day

...

# When we run a command to see the output, we are sending it to file descriptor 1 by default.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ date > d2

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ nl d2

1 Sat 26 Feb 2022 11:26:09 AEDT

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ date 1> d2

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ nl d2

1 Sat 26 Feb 2022 11:26:19 AEDT

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ myerror

<>< No such command, but I still want to capture the error.

-bash: myerror: command not found [jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ myerror > e1 -bash: myerror: command not found

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ nl e1

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ myerror 1> e1

<<< Sending to monitor as standard output, default

behaviour.

-bash: myerror: command not found

# Use file descriptor 2 to caputre the error message to a file.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ myerror 2> e1

<<< Sending it to monitor and hence to a file, e1

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ nl e1

1 -bash: myerror: command not found

#13-3 ^D (Ctrl+D) - end of file

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ cat > h1

hello

konichiwa

bonjour

hola

<>< Press Ctrl+D, tells the computer that this is the end of the file h1.

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$

# If you are not comfortable with the vi editor, you can first work on another text editor and paste the information.

HELLO KONICHIWA BONJOUR

**HOLA** 

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ cat > h2

**HELLO** 

**KONICHIWA** 

**BONJOUR** 

HOLA

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ ^C

[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]\$ cat h2

**HELLO** 

**KONICHIWA** 

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BONJOUR
HOLA
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat h1
hello
konichiwa
bonjour
hola
#13-4 Use of "<<" End document.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat << END > h3
> hello
> konichiwa
> hola
> END
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat h3
hello
konichiwa
hola
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat << Z > h4
> bye
> sayonara
> adios
> Z
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat h4
bye
sayonara
adios
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ cat << END > h4
> bye
> sayonara
> adios
> END
> bye
> sayonara
> adios
> END
bye
sayonara
adios
#13-5 Use of touch
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ II h*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:44 h1 <<< Remember the file creation time
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:51 h2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:55 h3
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:59 h4
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ touch h1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ II h*
```

```
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 20:20 h1 <<< 'touch' command changes the time without changing
the content
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:51 h2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:55 h3
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:59 h4
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ touch h5
                                       <<< makes an empty file with 0 byte in size
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ II h*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 20:20 h1
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:51 h2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:55 h3
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:59 h4
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 26 20:21 h5 <<< file h5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ touch -t 02261200 h5
                                             <<< Use the '-t' touch option to change the time,
hacker can change the file access time like this.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ || h*
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 20:20 h1
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:51 h2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:55 h3
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 29 Feb 26 11:59 h4
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 0 Feb 26 12:00 h5
```

#### **Ex13 Summary**

- \* Understanding of file descriptor. Easier to understand if you understand the OS.
- \* While studying Linux and programming lanaguage in C derived lanaguages, file descriptors will be mentioned repeately.

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#### Exercise 14. mkdir & rmdir

time: 10 minutes

```
#14-1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d13]$ mkdir d14 && cd d14
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ mkdir d1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
d1
[idoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls -al
total 0
drwxr-xr-x. 3 jdoe jdoe 155 Feb 26 20:39 .. <<< Represents parent directory
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 26 20:40 d1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls -Al
                                <<< If you don't want to see . and .. directories, use the '-Al'
option.
total 0
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 26 20:40 d1
#14-2 Creating multiple directories at once. With mouse clicks, you can only create one folder at a
time. With commands, you can create multiple directories at once.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ mkdir d2 d3 d4 d5
[idoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
d1 d2 d3 d4 d5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ mkdir mydir{1..10}
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
d1 d3 d5
          mydir10 mydir3 mydir5 mydir7 mydir9
d2 d4 mydir1 mydir2 mydir4 mydir6 mydir8
#14-3 Remove all directories, then create 100 new directories. Again remove all 100 directories.
[idoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
d1 d3 d5
          mydir10 mydir3 mydir5 mydir7 mydir9
d2 d4 mydir1 mydir2 mydir4 mydir6 mydir8
[idoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ^C
[idoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ^C
```

[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]\$ rmdir m\*

[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]\$ ls

d1 d2 d3 d4 d5

[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]\$ rmdir d\*

[idoe@f33sn1 d14]\$ ls

[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]\$ mkdir d{1..100}

[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]\$ ls

d1 d14 d2 d25 d30 d36 d41 d47 d52 d58 d63 d69 d74 d8 d85 d90 d96

d10 d15 d20 d26 d31 d37 d42 d48 d53 d59 d64 d7 d75 d80 d86 d91 d97

d100 d16 d21 d27 d32 d38 d43 d49 d54 d6 d65 d70 d76 d81 d87 d92 d98

d11 d17 d22 d28 d33 d39 d44 d5 d55 d60 d66 d71 d77 d82 d88 d93 d99

d12 d18 d23 d29 d34 d4 d45 d50 d56 d61 d67 d72 d78 d83 d89 d94

d13 d19 d24 d3 d35 d40 d46 d51 d57 d62 d68 d73 d79 d84 d9 d95

[idoe@f33sn1 d14]\$

[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]\$ rmdir d{1..100}

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[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$
#14-4 Creating a nested directory using the '-p' option.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ mkdir d1/d2
mkdir: cannot create directory 'd1/d2': No such file or directory
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ mkdir -p d1/d2 <<< '-p' stands for parents.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
d1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls d1/
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ mkdir -p d1/d2/d3/d4/d5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls -R
                                    <<< Use Is with the '-R' option to view sub-directories.
.:
d1
./d1:
d2
./d1/d2:
d3
./d1/d2/d3:
d4
./d1/d2/d3/d4:
d5
./d1/d2/d3/d4/d5:
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ tree
                            <<< If you installed tree on your Linux, you can use the 'tree'
command.
     -d1
   └── d2
     └── d3
       └── d4
         └── d5
5 directories, 0 files
#14-5 Deleting nested directories.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rmdir d1
rmdir: failed to remove 'd1': Directory not empty
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rmdir -p d1
rmdir: failed to remove 'd1': Directory not empty
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rmdir -p d1/d2/d3/d4/d5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
```

#### [jdoe@f33sn1 d14]\$

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#14-6 Removing a directory with an item.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ mkdir d1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ cal > d1/c1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ nl d1/c1
       February 2022
  2 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
        1 2 3 4 5
  4 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
  5 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
  6 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
  7 27 28
  8
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rmdir d1
rmdir: failed to remove 'd1': Directory not empty
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rmdir -r d1
rmdir: invalid option -- 'r'
Try 'rmdir --help' for more information.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rm -rf d1/c1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rmdir d1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
# However, 'rmdir' is less often used.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ cal > d2/c2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls -R
.:
d2
./d2:
c2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rm -rf d2/
                                   << -r = recursive, deletes all sub-directories too, -f = forceful
[idoe@f33sn1 d14]$ Is
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$
#14-7 Review exercies (no summary required)
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rm d1 d2 d3
rm: cannot remove 'd1': Is a directory
rm: cannot remove 'd2': Is a directory
rm: cannot remove 'd3': Is a directory
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rmdir d1 d2 d3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ mkdir dir{1..30}
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
dir1 dir12 dir15 dir18 dir20 dir23 dir26 dir29 dir4 dir7
dir10 dir13 dir16 dir19 dir21 dir24 dir27 dir3 dir5 dir8
dir11 dir14 dir17 dir2 dir22 dir25 dir28 dir30 dir6 dir9
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ rmdir dir* <<< rmdir dir{1..30}
[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]$ ls
```

[jdoe@f33sn1 d14]\$		
======== Ex14 Summary	 	 
N/A		

## Exercise 15: cp & rm

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time: 20 minutes
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#15-1
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ mkdir d15 && cd d15
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ pwd
/home/jdoe/d15
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/passwd.
                                           <<< Save passwd file here with the same name.
[idoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
passwd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/passwd p1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls -lh
total 8.0K
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1.8K Feb 26 21:16 p1
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1.8K Feb 26 21:15 passwd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/passwd p2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ||
total 12
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 21:16 p1
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 21:16 p2
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 21:15 passwd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm p1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
p2 passwd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -i p2
                                        <<< Use '-i' option for interactive deletion. Can prevent
accidents.
rm: remove regular file 'p2'? y
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -i passwd
rm: remove regular file 'passwd'? n
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
passwd
#15-2 Using alias to add '-i' option to rm command. Then unaliasing the rm command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ alias rm='rm -i'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ alias rm
alias rm='rm -i'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ touch passwd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp passwd p3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp passwd p4
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp passwd p5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
p3 p4 p5 passwd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm p3
rm: remove regular empty file 'p3'? y <<< Prompted to answer y/n.
                                  <<< Use '\' to overwrite the alias and use the default behaviour.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ \rm p4
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f p5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
passwd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm passwd
```

rm: remove regular empty file 'passwd'? n <<< Prompted to answer y/n.

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f passwd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
[idoe@f33sn1 d15]$
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ unalias rm <<< Remove the alias
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ alias rm
-bash: alias: rm: not found
#15-3 Create a new sub-directory and copy some files. Check the difference betwen 'rmdir' and 'rm -
r' commands.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ mkdir sd1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/a* sd1
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/abrt'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/alternatives'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/audit'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/authselect'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls sd1
adjtime aliases at.deny
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rmdir sd1
                                            <<< rmdir cannot delete a directory with items.
rmdir: failed to remove 'sd1': Directory not empty
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -r sd1
                                           <<< Use rm with '-r' option to delete a directory with
items.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
#15-4 Removing a directory using '-r' (recursive) and '-f' (force)
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ mkdir sd2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/b* sd2
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/bash_completion.d'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/binfmt.d'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/bluetooth'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls sd2
bashrc bindresvport.blacklist
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -rf sd2
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$
#15-5 Copy all items under /etc/ to the current working directory.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/*.
                                              <<< This command will only copy the files, but not the
directories.
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/abrt'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/alternatives'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/audit'
[...omitted for brevity]
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/yum.repos.d'
#TIP: If you don't want to see the error messages while copying the files. Add '2>/dev/null' to your
command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/* . 2>/dev/null
                                                <<< Send the messages to '2>/dev/null', to a
blackhole.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$
```

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
aditime
                 issue
                                  passwd
aliases
                issue.net
                                  passwd-
[...omitted for brevity]
inittab
                opensc-x86_64.conf
                                        wgetrc
inputrc
                os-release
                                   xattr.conf
# Remove files starting with a certain alphabet.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f a*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f D* G*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f b* c* d*
                                       <<< You cannot remove files this way using mouse clicks on
Windows OS.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f [g-s]*
                                      <>< Use [g-s] range command to be more efficient.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
trusted-key.key updatedb.conf usb modeswitch.conf virc wgetrc xattr.conf
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f *
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
#15-6 Repeat and consolidate your learning.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/*.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f *
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/* . 2>/dev/null
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f [abcdefghijk]*
                                            <<< Remove all files starting with a, b, c, d, ...., k.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f [^uvwx]*
                                          <<< Remove all files except files starting with u, v, w, or
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
updatedb.conf usb modeswitch.conf virc wgetrc xattr.conf
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f [!x]*
                                       <<< Remove all files except files starting with x.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
xattr.conf
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ rm -f x*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ls
#TIP - Introduce the concept of Regular Expression. Trying to understand regular expression is the
greatness of IT.
Step 1: Go to https://regex101.com/
Step 2: Copy the Is output of the 'Is -1' command, this will list files per line.
Step 3: Test the following expressions on the web site.
^[a-k].* = same as [abcdefghijk]* in Linux
^[^uvwx].* = same as [^uvwx]* in Linux
[!x].* = same as [!x]* in Linux
^[A-Z].+ - match file names starting with upper cases
^[a-z].+ - match file names starting with lower cases
^[a-z]{7}$ - match file names with 7 alphabets
```

#15-7 Check the different colors of files, directories, link files, executables, config files, etc.

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#### #WARNING!!!

[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ rm -rf \* <<< Be careful with the rm command with the '-rf' option, this command will be devastating if you are logged in as the root user. For normal users, the permissions will prevent you from deleting important files but have to be careful.

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#### #15-8

[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ cal > cal [jdoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ date > date [jdoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ cat cal February 2022 Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

[idoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ cat date Sat 26 Feb 2022 22:47:39 AEDT [jdoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ mkdir sd [jdoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ || total 8 -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 26 22:51 cal -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 26 22:51 date drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 26 22:51 sd [jdoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ cp /etc/passwd . [jdoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ cp /etc/passwd passwd2 [jdoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ ls cal date passwd passwd2 sd [idoe@f33sn1 d15]\$ || -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 26 22:51 cal -rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 26 22:51 date -rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 passwd

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-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 passwd2
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 26 22:51 sd
[idoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp /etc/passwd cal
                                               <>< No prompt for overwriting the file.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ||
total 16
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 cal
                                              <<< Check the file size. You can see that the file has
been overwritten.
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 26 22:51 date
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 passwd
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 passwd2
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 26 22:51 sd
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ cp -i /etc/passwd date
                                                 << Use 'i' option to prevent accidents.
cp: overwrite 'date'? no
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15]$ ||
total 16
-rw-r--r. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 cal
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 30 Feb 26 22:51 date
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 passwd
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 passwd2
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 26 22:51 sd
```

#TIP - For 'cp' and 'rm' commands, it is best practice to use the 'i' option whenever you run these commands. Reduces the chance of overwriting or removing important files.

You can recover some files with debug file system method but, it is not that easy to recover overwritten or removed files.

# Always check that there are no files with the same name as the 'cp' command will overwrite the existing file, which can cause problems.

```
#TIP - use 'cp --help' to review the usage
Usage: cp [OPTION]... [-T] SOURCE DEST
or: cp [OPTION]... SOURCE... DIRECTORY
or: cp [OPTION]... -t DIRECTORY SOURCE...
Copy SOURCE to DEST, or multiple SOURCE(s) to DIRECTORY.
```

Mandatory arguments for long options are mandatory for short options too.

-a,archive attributes-or	•
backup[=COI	
-b	likebackup but does not accept an argument
copy-content	···
-d	same asno-dereferencepreserve=links
-f,force	if an existing destination file cannot be
	opened, remove it, and try again (this option is ignored when the -n option is also used)
-i,interactive	prompt before overwrite (overrides a previous -n
-i,iiiteractive	option)
[omitted for bre	• •
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	tept of link and unlink. When we run the unlink command to a file, it recalls the
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15	nove the file. This is the next-level study concept.
cal date passwd	
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15	·
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15	
date passwd pas	
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15	
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15	
passwd passwd2	
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15	
unlink: cannot un	link 'sd': Is a directory
[jdoe@f33sn1 d15	5]\$
total 8	
-rw-rr 1 jdoe j	doe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 passwd
-rw-rr 1 jdoe j	doe 1810 Feb 26 22:52 passwd2
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe	jdoe 35 Feb 26 23:00 sd
	<del></del>
Ex15 Summary	
N/A	
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### Exercise 16: rename, mv

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time: 15 minutes
#16-1 Using 'rename' command to change the name of a file and a directory.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ mkdir d16 && cd d16
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mkdir dir1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ cal > cal1
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ||
total 4
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 27 14:02 cal1
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 27 14:02 dir1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename cal1 calendar100 cal1
                                                     <<< Change cal1 to 'calendar100' of cal1.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ||
total 4
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 27 14:02 calendar100
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 27 14:02 dir1
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename dir directory dir1
                                                   <<< Change the 'dir' to 'directory' in dir1.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ||
total 4
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 168 Feb 27 14:02 calendar100
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 6 Feb 27 14:02 directory1
#16-2 Renaming some files beginning with the same alphabet.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ cp /etc/a*.
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/abrt'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/alternatives'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/audit'
cp: -r not specified; omitting directory '/etc/authselect'
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ||
total 12
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 16 Feb 27 14:08 adjtime
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1529 Feb 27 14:08 aliases
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1 Feb 27 14:08 at.deny
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename a AAA a*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ||
total 12
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 16 Feb 27 14:08 AAA_djtime
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 1529 Feb 27 14:08 AAA_liases
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1 Feb 27 14:08 AAA t.deny
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rm -rf *
                                           <>< Removes all files in the current working directory.
#16-3 Renaming multiple files stating with a.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ touch a{1..100}
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
a1 a15 a21 a28 a34 a40 a47 a53 a6 a66 a72 a79 a85 a91 a98
a10 a16 a22 a29 a35 a41 a48 a54 a60 a67 a73 a8 a86 a92 a99
```

a100 a17 a23 a3 a36 a42 a49 a55 a61 a68 a74 a80 a87 a93 a11 a18 a24 a30 a37 a43 a5 a56 a62 a69 a75 a81 a88 a94 a12 a19 a25 a31 a38 a44 a50 a57 a63 a7 a76 a82 a89 a95

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a14 a20 a27 a33 a4 a46 a52 a59 a65 a71 a78 a84 a90 a97
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename a AA a*
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
AA_1 AA_18 AA_27 AA_36 AA_45 AA_54 AA_63 AA_72 AA_81 AA_90
AA_10 AA_19 AA_28 AA_37 AA_46 AA_55 AA_64 AA_73 AA_82 AA_91
AA 100 AA 2 AA 29 AA 38 AA 47 AA 56 AA 65 AA 74 AA 83 AA 92
AA 11 AA 20 AA 3 AA 39 AA 48 AA 57 AA 66 AA 75 AA 84 AA 93
AA_12 AA_21 AA_30 AA_4 AA_49 AA_58 AA_67 AA_76 AA_85 AA_94
AA_13 AA_22 AA_31 AA_40 AA_5 AA_59 AA_68 AA_77 AA_86 AA_95
AA_14 AA_23 AA_32 AA_41 AA_50 AA_6 AA_69 AA_78 AA_87 AA_96
AA 15 AA 24 AA 33 AA 42 AA 51 AA 60 AA 7 AA 79 AA 88 AA 97
AA_16 AA_25 AA_34 AA_43 AA_52 AA_61 AA_70 AA_8 AA_89 AA_98
AA_17 AA_26 AA_35 AA_44 AA_53 AA_62 AA_71 AA_80 AA_9 AA_99
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rm -rf *
#16-4 Change the file extension of multiple files. Change .txt to .backup.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ touch b{1..30}.txt
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
b10.txt b14.txt b18.txt b21.txt b25.txt b29.txt b4.txt b8.txt
b11.txt b15.txt b19.txt b22.txt b26.txt b2.txt b5.txt b9.txt
b12.txt b16.txt b1.txt b23.txt b27.txt b30.txt b6.txt
b13.txt b17.txt b20.txt b24.txt b28.txt b3.txt b7.txt
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename .txt .backup b*
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
b10.backup b15.backup b1.backup b24.backup b29.backup b5.backup
b11.backup b16.backup b20.backup b25.backup b2.backup b6.backup
b12.backup b17.backup b21.backup b26.backup b30.backup b7.backup
b13.backup b18.backup b22.backup b27.backup b3.backup b8.backup
b14.backup b19.backup b23.backup b28.backup b4.backup b9.backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename --help
#16-5 Now change the file name and leave the extension as .backup.
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
b10.backup b15.backup b1.backup b24.backup b29.backup b5.backup
b11.backup b16.backup b20.backup b25.backup b2.backup
b12.backup b17.backup b21.backup b26.backup b30.backup b7.backup
b13.backup b18.backup b22.backup b27.backup b3.backup b8.backup
b14.backup b19.backup b23.backup b28.backup b4.backup b9.backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename b b_backup_ b*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
b_backup_10.backup b_backup_18.backup b_backup_25.backup b_backup_4.backup
b backup 11.backup b backup 19.backup b backup 5.backup
b_backup_12.backup_b_backup_1.backup_b_backup_27.backup_b_backup_6.backup
b_backup_13.backup_b_backup_20.backup_b_backup_28.backup_b_backup_7.backup
b_backup_14.backup_b_backup_21.backup_b_backup_29.backup_b_backup_8.backup
b_backup_15.backup_b_backup_22.backup_backup_2.backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_backup_back
b_backup_16.backup_b_backup_23.backup_b_backup_30.backup
b_backup_17.backup b_backup_24.backup b_backup_3.backup
```

a13 a2 a26 a32 a39 a45 a51 a58 a64 a70 a77 a83 a9 a96

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#16-6 Use the '-v' (verbose) option to show the changes. In Linux, '-V' normally means version, but
the small '-v' option indicates verbose.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename -v b_backup_ B_BKU_ b*
`b_backup_10.backup' -> `B_BKU_10.backup'
`b_backup_11.backup' -> `B_BKU_11.backup'
`b_backup_12.backup' -> `B_BKU_12.backup'
'b backup 13.backup' -> 'B BKU 13.backup'
'b backup 14.backup' -> 'B BKU 14.backup'
`b_backup_15.backup' -> `B_BKU_15.backup'
`b_backup_16.backup' -> `B_BKU_16.backup'
`b_backup_17.backup' -> `B_BKU_17.backup'
'b backup 18.backup' -> 'B BKU 18.backup'
`b_backup_19.backup' -> `B_BKU_19.backup'
`b_backup_1.backup' -> `B_BKU_1.backup'
`b_backup_20.backup' -> `B_BKU_20.backup'
'b backup 21.backup' -> 'B BKU 21.backup'
'b backup 22.backup' -> 'B BKU 22.backup'
`b_backup_23.backup' -> `B_BKU_23.backup'
`b_backup_24.backup' -> `B_BKU_24.backup'
'b backup 25.backup' -> 'B BKU 25.backup'
'b backup 26.backup' -> 'B BKU 26.backup'
`b_backup_27.backup' -> `B_BKU_27.backup'
`b_backup_28.backup' -> `B_BKU_28.backup'
`b_backup_29.backup' -> `B_BKU_29.backup'
`b_backup_2.backup' -> `B_BKU_2.backup'
`b_backup_30.backup' -> `B_BKU_30.backup'
`b_backup_3.backup' -> `B_BKU_3.backup'
`b_backup_4.backup' -> `B_BKU_4.backup'
'b backup 5.backup' -> 'B BKU 5.backup'
'b backup 6.backup' -> 'B BKU 6.backup'
'b backup 7.backup' -> 'B BKU 7.backup'
`b_backup_8.backup' -> `B_BKU_8.backup'
`b_backup_9.backup' -> `B_BKU_9.backup'
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
B_BKU_10.backup B_BKU_18.backup B_BKU_25.backup B_BKU_4.backup
B_BKU_11.backup B_BKU_19.backup B_BKU_26.backup B_BKU_5.backup
B_BKU_12.backup B_BKU_1.backup B_BKU_27.backup B_BKU_6.backup
B_BKU_13.backup B_BKU_20.backup B_BKU_28.backup B_BKU_7.backup
B_BKU_14.backup B_BKU_21.backup B_BKU_29.backup B_BKU_8.backup
B_BKU_15.backup B_BKU_22.backup B_BKU_2.backup B_BKU_9.backup
B_BKU_16.backup B_BKU_23.backup B_BKU_30.backup
B BKU 17.backup B BKU 24.backup B BKU 3.backup
#16-7 Use 'mv' to rename a directory.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
B_BKU_10.backup B_BKU_18.backup B_BKU_25.backup B_BKU_4.backup
B_BKU_11.backup B_BKU_19.backup B_BKU_26.backup B_BKU_5.backup
B_BKU_12.backup B_BKU_1.backup B_BKU_27.backup B_BKU_6.backup
B_BKU_13.backup B_BKU_20.backup B_BKU_28.backup B_BKU_7.backup
B_BKU_14.backup B_BKU_21.backup B_BKU_29.backup B_BKU_8.backup
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B\_BKU\_15.backup B\_BKU\_22.backup B\_BKU\_2.backup B\_BKU\_9.backup

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B_BKU_16.backup B_BKU_23.backup B_BKU_30.backup
B_BKU_17.backup B_BKU_24.backup B_BKU_3.backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mkdir dir16
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
B_BKU_10.backup B_BKU_18.backup B_BKU_25.backup B_BKU_4.backup
B_BKU_11.backup B_BKU_19.backup B_BKU_26.backup B_BKU_5.backup
B BKU 12.backup B BKU 1.backup B BKU 27.backup B BKU 6.backup
B BKU 13.backup B BKU 20.backup B BKU 28.backup B BKU 7.backup
B_BKU_14.backup B_BKU_21.backup B_BKU_29.backup B_BKU_8.backup
B_BKU_15.backup B_BKU_22.backup B_BKU_2.backup B_BKU_9.backup
B_BKU_16.backup B_BKU_23.backup B_BKU_30.backup dir16
B BKU 17.backup B BKU 24.backup B BKU 3.backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mv dir16 d 16
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
B_BKU_10.backup B_BKU_18.backup B_BKU_25.backup B_BKU_4.backup
B BKU 11.backup B BKU 19.backup B BKU 26.backup B BKU 5.backup
B BKU 12.backup B BKU 1.backup B BKU 27.backup B BKU 6.backup
B_BKU_13.backup B_BKU_20.backup B_BKU_28.backup B_BKU_7.backup
B_BKU_14.backup B_BKU_21.backup B_BKU_29.backup B_BKU_8.backup
B BKU 15.backup B BKU 22.backup B BKU 2.backup B BKU 9.backup
B BKU 16.backup B BKU 23.backup B BKU 30.backup d 16
B_BKU_17.backup B_BKU_24.backup B_BKU_3.backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename d_16 dir_16 d_16
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
B BKU 10.backup B BKU 18.backup B BKU 25.backup B BKU 4.backup
B BKU 11.backup B BKU 19.backup B BKU 26.backup B BKU 5.backup
B_BKU_12.backup B_BKU_1.backup B_BKU_27.backup B_BKU_6.backup
B_BKU_13.backup B_BKU_20.backup B_BKU_28.backup B_BKU_7.backup
B BKU 14.backup B BKU 21.backup B BKU 29.backup B BKU 8.backup
B BKU 15.backup B BKU 22.backup B BKU 2.backup B BKU 9.backup
B BKU 16.backup B BKU 23.backup B BKU 30.backup dir 16
B_BKU_17.backup B_BKU_24.backup B_BKU_3.backup
#16-8 Rename the files again and move all files to dir 16.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename B_BKU_ bbk_ B*
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
bbk_10.backup bbk_17.backup bbk_23.backup bbk_2.backup bbk_8.backup
bbk 11.backup bbk 18.backup bbk 24.backup bbk 30.backup bbk 9.backup
bbk_12.backup bbk_19.backup bbk_25.backup bbk_3.backup dir_16
bbk 13.backup bbk 1.backup bbk 26.backup bbk 4.backup
bbk_14.backup bbk_20.backup bbk_27.backup bbk_5.backup
bbk 15.backup bbk 21.backup bbk 28.backup bbk 6.backup
bbk 16.backup bbk 22.backup bbk 29.backup bbk 7.backup
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mv bbk* dir_16
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
dir_16
#16-9 Move all files in dir_16 to current working directory. Then move a single file to dir_16
directory.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mv dir 16/*.
```

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
bbk_10.backup bbk_17.backup bbk_23.backup bbk_2.backup bbk_8.backup
bbk 11.backup bbk 18.backup bbk 24.backup bbk 30.backup bbk 9.backup
bbk_12.backup bbk_19.backup bbk_25.backup bbk_3.backup dir_16
bbk_13.backup bbk_1.backup bbk_26.backup bbk_4.backup
bbk_14.backup bbk_20.backup bbk_27.backup bbk_5.backup
bbk 15.backup bbk 21.backup bbk 28.backup bbk 6.backup
bbk 16.backup bbk 22.backup bbk 29.backup bbk 7.backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls dir_16
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mv bbk_16.backup dir_16
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls dir_16/
bbk 16.backup
#16-10 Use my to move the file and change the name while moving the file.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ cp /etc/passwd.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ cp /etc/passwd pw
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
bbk_10.backup bbk_18.backup bbk_24.backup bbk_30.backup bbk_9.backup
bbk_11.backup bbk_19.backup bbk_25.backup bbk_3.backup dir_16
bbk 12.backup bbk 1.backup bbk 26.backup bbk 4.backup passwd
bbk 13.backup bbk 20.backup bbk 27.backup bbk 5.backup pw
bbk_14.backup bbk_21.backup bbk_28.backup bbk_6.backup
bbk_15.backup bbk_22.backup bbk_29.backup bbk_7.backup
bbk_17.backup bbk_23.backup bbk_2.backup bbk_8.backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mv pw dir 16/pw300
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
bbk_10.backup bbk_18.backup bbk_24.backup bbk_30.backup bbk_9.backup
bbk_11.backup bbk_19.backup bbk_25.backup bbk_3.backup dir_16
bbk 12.backup bbk 1.backup bbk 26.backup bbk 4.backup passwd
bbk 13.backup bbk 20.backup bbk 27.backup bbk 5.backup
bbk 14.backup bbk 21.backup bbk 28.backup bbk 6.backup
bbk_15.backup bbk_22.backup bbk_29.backup bbk_7.backup
bbk_17.backup bbk_23.backup bbk_2.backup bbk_8.backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls dir 16/
bbk_16.backup pw300
#16-11 Trying to create a directory or file in a root or system directory.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls /
bin dev home lib64 mnt proc run srv tmp var
boot etc lib media opt root sbin sys usr
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mkdir /koala
mkdir: cannot create directory '/koala': Permission denied
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ touch /koala
touch: cannot touch '/koala': Permission denied
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mv passwd /etc
mv: replace '/etc/passwd', overriding mode 0644 (rw-r--r--)? y
mv: cannot move 'passwd' to '/etc/passwd': Permission denied
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mv passwd /usr
mv: cannot move 'passwd' to '/usr/passwd': Permission denied
```

[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]\$ ls /tmp

<<< On Linux, you can copy the files to /tmp.

```
systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-chronyd.service-kY4m6e
systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-dbus-broker.service-8XCuif
systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-httpd.service-pO8Dyi
systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-ModemManager.service-hJvsxi
systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-php-fpm.service-mSdLeh
systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-systemd-logind.service-SeCowj
systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-systemd-resolved.service-7DNxnh
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
bbk_10.backup bbk_18.backup bbk_24.backup bbk_30.backup bbk_9.backup
bbk_11.backup bbk_19.backup bbk_25.backup bbk_3.backup dir_16
bbk_12.backup bbk_1.backup bbk_26.backup bbk_4.backup passwd
bbk 13.backup bbk 20.backup bbk 27.backup bbk 5.backup
bbk_14.backup bbk_21.backup bbk_28.backup bbk_6.backup
bbk_15.backup bbk_22.backup bbk_29.backup bbk_7.backup
bbk_17.backup bbk_23.backup bbk_2.backup bbk_8.backup
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mv passwd /tmp/password16
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls /tmp/
total 4
-rw-r--r-. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 27 14:29 password16
                                                      <<< File has been renamed and moved
here.
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
chronyd.service-kY4m6e
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-dbus-
broker.service-8XCuif
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
httpd.service-pO8Dyi
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
ModemManager.service-hJvsxi
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-php-
fpm.service-mSdLeh
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
systemd-logind.service-SeCowj
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
systemd-resolved.service-7DNxnh
#16-12 Move the directory to another directory.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
bbk 10.backup bbk 17.backup bbk 22.backup bbk 28.backup bbk 5.backup
bbk 11.backup bbk 18.backup bbk 23.backup bbk 29.backup bbk 6.backup
bbk_12.backup bbk_19.backup bbk_24.backup bbk_2.backup bbk_7.backup
bbk 13.backup bbk 1.backup bbk 25.backup bbk 30.backup bbk 8.backup
bbk 14.backup bbk 20.backup bbk 26.backup bbk 3.backup bbk 9.backup
bbk_15.backup bbk_21.backup bbk_27.backup bbk_4.backup dir_16
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ mv dir_16 /tmp
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ || /tmp
total 4
drwxr-xr-x. 2 jdoe jdoe 80 Feb 27 14:30 dir_16
                                                  <<< Directory has been renamed and moved
here.
-rw-r--r--. 1 jdoe jdoe 1810 Feb 27 14:29 password16
```

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drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
chronyd.service-kY4m6e
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-dbus-
broker.service-8XCuif
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
httpd.service-pO8Dyi
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
ModemManager.service-hJvsxi
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-php-
fpm.service-mSdLeh
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
systemd-logind.service-SeCowj
drwx-----. 3 root root 60 Feb 27 13:58 systemd-private-12414fb41f8b45fa872425dafa950cbc-
systemd-resolved.service-7DNxnh
#16-13 Review exercise. Copy all the configuration files to the current working directory. Then
rename the file extension to '.txt'.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ cp /etc/*.conf .
cp: cannot open '/etc/libaudit.conf' for reading: Permission denied
cp: cannot open '/etc/sudo.conf' for reading: Permission denied
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
chrony.conf krb5.conf
                         nfsmount.conf
                                          rsyncd.conf
dnsmasq.conf ld.so.conf
                          nsswitch.conf
                                          rsyslog.conf
dracut.conf libuser.conf opensc.conf
                                         sestatus.conf
fprintd.conf locale.conf opensc-x86 64.conf sysctl.conf
host.conf logrotate.conf passwdqc.conf
                                           updatedb.conf
idmapd.conf man db.conf php-fpm.conf
                                             usb modeswitch.conf
jwhois.conf mke2fs.conf request-key.conf xattr.conf
kdump.conf nfs.conf
                        resolv.conf
[idoe@f33sn1 d16]$
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename .conf .txt *.conf
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
chrony.txt krb5.txt
                     nfs.txt
                                  rsyncd.txt
dnsmasq.txt ld.so.txt nsswitch.txt
                                      rsyslog.txt
dracut.txt libuser.txt opensc.txt
                                    sestatus.txt
fprintd.txt locale.txt opensc-x86_64.txt sysctl.txt
host.txt logrotate.txt passwdqc.txt
                                      updatedb.txt
idmapd.txt man db.txt php-fpm.txt
                                        usb modeswitch.txt
jwhois.txt mke2fs.txt request-key.txt xattr.txt
kdump.txt nfsmount.txt resolv.txt
#16-14 Review exercise. Change all .txt files to .py (Python) files.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ rename .txt .py *.txt
                                                     <<< Rename multiple files at once.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d16]$ ls
chrony.py kdump.py
                       mke2fs.py
                                     php-fpm.py updatedb.py
                                     request-key.py usb_modeswitch.py
dnsmasq.py krb5.py
                      nfsmount.py
dracut.py ld.so.py nfs.py
                                resolv.py
                                            xattr.py
fprintd.py libuser.py nsswitch.py
                                    rsyncd.py
host.py locale.py opensc.py
                                  rsyslog.py
idmapd.py logrotate.py opensc-x86_64.py sestatus.py
jwhois.py man db.py passwdqc.py
```

sysctl.py

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<<< Rename a single file only.
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# Exercise 17: seq, factor, numfmt

70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100

[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]\$ seq -w -s ' ' 100

```
024 025 026 027 028 029 030 031 032 033 034 035 036 037 038 039 040 041 042 043 044 045 046
047 048 049 050 051 052 053 054 055 056 057 058 059 060 061 062 063 064 065 066 067 068 069
070 071 072 073 074 075 076 077 078 079 080 081 082 083 084 085 086 087 088 089 090 091 092
093 094 095 096 097 098 099 100
#17-4 Incrementing with decimal interval.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ seq -s ', ' 1 0.3 10
1.0, 1.3, 1.6, 1.9, 2.2, 2.5, 2.8, 3.1, 3.4, 3.7, 4.0, 4.3, 4.6, 4.9, 5.2, 5.5, 5.8, 6.1, 6.4, 6.7, 7.0, 7.3, 7.6,
7.9, 8.2, 8.5, 8.8, 9.1, 9.4, 9.7, 10.0
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ seq -s ' ' 1 0.5 10
1.0\,1.5\,2.0\,2.5\,3.0\,3.5\,4.0\,4.5\,5.0\,5.5\,6.0\,6.5\,7.0\,7.5\,8.0\,8.5\,9.0\,9.5\,10.0
#17-5 Use the '-f' option to define trailing digit numbers.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ seq -f "%.5f" -s ' ' 1 0.4 10
1.00000 1.40000 1.80000 2.20000 2.60000 3.00000 3.40000 3.80000 4.20000 4.60000 5.00000
5.40000 5.80000 6.20000 6.60000 7.00000 7.40000 7.80000 8.20000 8.60000 9.00000 9.40000
9.80000
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ seq -f "%.3f" -s ' ' 1 0.4 10
1.000 1.400 1.800 2.200 2.600 3.000 3.400 3.800 4.200 4.600 5.000 5.400 5.800 6.200 6.600 7.000
7.400 7.800 8.200 8.600 9.000 9.400 9.800
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ seq -f "%.g" -s ' ' 1 0.5 10
1 2 2 2 3 4 4 4 5 6 6 6 7 8 8 8 9 1e+01 1e+01
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ seq -f "%.3e" -s ' ' 1 0.4 10
1.000e+00 1.400e+00 1.800e+00 2.200e+00 2.600e+00 3.000e+00 3.400e+00 3.800e+00 4.200e+00
4.600e+00 5.000e+00 5.400e+00 5.800e+00 6.200e+00 6.600e+00 7.000e+00 7.400e+00 7.800e+00
8.200e+00 8.600e+00 9.000e+00 9.400e+00 9.800e+00
#17-6 Create a shell script and run the sum. The "`" is the key with "~", this is not a single quote.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ cat > seq1.sh
sum=0
for i in 'seq 10'
do
    sum='expr $sum + $i'
done
echo " \$sum ==> $sum "
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ bash seq2.sh
$sum ==> 55
Let's write this in python.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ cat > seq1.py
sum = 0
for x in range(11):
                         <<< Make sure you enter 11, Python only calls up to n-1.
  sum = sum + x
print(sum)
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ python3 seq1.py
```

001 002 003 004 005 006 007 008 009 010 011 012 013 014 015 016 017 018 019 020 021 022 023

```
#17-7 What does factor do? It finds you the factors for a given number.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 3
3:3
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 5
5:5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 7
7:7
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 13
13: 13
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 4
4:22
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 9
9:33
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 10
10:25
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 30
30: 2 3 5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 50
50: 255
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 100
100: 2 2 5 5
#17-8 Find factors for multiple numbers at once.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor 100 1000 10000
100: 2 2 5 5
1000: 2 2 2 5 5 5
10000: 2 2 2 2 5 5 5 5
#17-9 What is you do not enter the value after the 'factor' command?
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ factor
20
20:225
40
40: 2 2 2 5
60
60: 2 2 3 5
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ [press Ctrl+D to exit]
#17-10 Number formatting with '--grouping option. This is a fairly new Linux command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 123456789 --grouping
123,456,789
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1234567890123456789 --grouping
1,234,567,890,123,456,789
#17-11 Number formatting to express in bytes as in storage.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1 --to=iec
1
```

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1024 --to=iec
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1234 --to=iec
1.3K
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1234567 --to=iec
[idoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1234567890 --to=iec
1.2G
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1234567890123 --to=iec
1.2T
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1234567890123456 --to=iec
1.1P
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1234567890123456789 --to=iec
1.1E
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1234567890123456789012 --to=iec
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1234567890123456789012345 --to=iec
1.1Y
URL: https://italchemy.wordpress.com/2021/04/30/storage-units-refresher-for-data-analytics/amp/
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1000 --to=iec
1000
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ numfmt 1000 --to=si
1.0K
For more information, use
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ man numfmt
#17-12 Applyint numfmt. Checking out the disks used for each user for notification.
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ du /etc
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ du /etc 2>/dev/null
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ du /etc/* 2>/dev/null
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ du /etc/* 2>/dev/null | sort -n
[idoe@f33sn1 d17]$ du -sh /etc/* 2>/dev/null | sort -n
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ du -sh /etc/* 2>/dev/null | sort -n | numfmt --to=si
[jdoe@f33sn1 d17]$ du -sh /etc/* 2>/dev/null | sort -n | numfmt --to=si | tail -5
numfmt: rejecting suffix in input: '1.3M' (consider using --from)
0 /etc/system-release
0 /etc/system-release-cpe
0 /etc/terminfo
0 /etc/tmpfiles.d
0 /etc/xdg
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ seq --help
Usage: seq [OPTION]... LAST
or: seq [OPTION]... FIRST LAST
or: seq [OPTION]... FIRST INCREMENT LAST
Print numbers from FIRST to LAST, in steps of INCREMENT.
```

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Ex17 Summary	
N/A	

## Exercise 18: expr

time: 13 minutes

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# Used to test expressions against the strings.
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#18-1 Perform simple arithmetic using the 'expr' command
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ expr 1 + 2
3
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr 3 - 2
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 4 '*' 5
20
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr 4 "*" 5
20
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr 20 / 5
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 10 / 3 <<< Does not print the decimals
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 10 % 3 <<< Shows remainder only
1
```

TIP: Metacharacters in Linux and programming

In computing and systems, special characters (metacharacters) are used to help the programming.

```
* & | > < ( ) ... <<< Metacharacters with special meanings
```

```
* ALL
```

& background in Linux, in programming languages, means AND

OR

> Greater

< Less

(Open bracket

) Close bracket

Use 'expr --help' to read more about the expressions.

```
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr --help
```

```
#18-2 Try the comparison expressions.
```

```
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ expr 3 > 2
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ expr 3 \geq 2
                                          <<< Use the escape backslash '\' for greater or less signs
                                          <<< True is 1
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ expr 3 \> 20
                                          <<< False is 0
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 3 \< 20
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ expr 3 = 2
```

```
0
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ expr 3 = 3
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 3 != 2
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ expr 3 == 2 <<< '==' can be used as well.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 3 \<= 2
[jdoe@f33sn1 ^]$ expr 3 >= 2
[idoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ expr 3 \>= 3
TIP: How to check if your last command was valid?
You can check if your last command was correct or incorrect by using 'echo $?'
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ hostname
f33sn1
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ echo $?
                                 <<< Validates the last command, 0 means valid, other
number means invalid
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ namehost
-bash: namehost: command not found
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ echo $?
127
#18-3 Practice the '|' (OR) operator with different combinations.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 3 \| 2
3
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 3 \| 5
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 3 \| 50
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 3 \| "
                                   <<< Enter " (null) and it still works fine.
3
# If the first value is 0 or " (null), the second number will be printed in the OR computation.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 0 \| 3
                             <<< Change the expression and see what happens</p>
3
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ expr 0 \| 30
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr " \| 3
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr " \| 30
30
```

```
#18-4 Practice the '&' (AND) operator. When one expression is 0 or " (null), it always returns 0.
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr 3 \& 5
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr 5 \& 3
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 3 \& 0
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr 0 \& 5
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr 3 \& "
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr "\& 5
This is not used a lot, probably the bit calculation operator is used more often in programming. But
the concept is the same and it is always good to build the right foundation after understanding the
concepts.
#18-5 Using the 'match' command with the expr command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr match pancake pan
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr match pancake panca
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr match pancake pancake
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr match pancake cake
                                                      <<< Only matches from the beginning of the
string, returns 0 for False
# You can use "STRING | REGEXP" to get the same result as 'match'
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr pancake : pan
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr pancake : pancake
#18-6 Using 'substr' with expr. You can grab the exact range of characters from the string.
```

[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ expr substr pancake 1 7
pancake
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ expr substr pancake 4 7
cake

#18-7 Use 'expr' to locate the index of a character in a string.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ expr index pancake p
1

[jdoe@f33sn1~]\$ expr substr pancake 1 3

[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]\$ expr index pancake c

pan

```
4
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr index pancake k
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr index pancake z
                              <<< If the character is not found in the string, returns 0.
# Works the same way on integers.
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr index 12345 1
1
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr index 12345 3
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr index 12345 0
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr index 12345 6
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr index 012345 0
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr index 123450 0
#18-8 Use 'length' to find the length of a string.
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ expr length pan
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr length cake
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ expr length pancake
Use 'expr --help' to view and read all the details about the 'expr' command.
______
Ex18 Summary
N/A
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```

## Exercise 19: let (an internal command)

```
time: 14 minutes
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[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ help let
                                      << use 'help' at the beginning for internal command help
a=3
$a++
               a = a + 1
$a--
               a = a-1
$++a
$--a
               Not
               bit not (flip 0 to 1, 1 to 0)
2 * 2
2 ** 3
               exponent
a = a + 1
               a += 1
#19-1 Working with variables and printing the calculated variables.
[idoe@f33sn1 ~]$ a=10
[idoe@f33sn1~]$ a = 10
-bash: a: command not found
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ a=10
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ echo $a
10
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ a=10 && echo $a
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=$a && echo $b
10
#19-2 Arithematics calculation and printing the output using the 'let' command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=$++a && echo $b
-bash: let: b=$++a: syntax error: operand expected (error token is "$++a")
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=++a && echo $b
11
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=++a && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=a++ && echo $b
12
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ echo $a
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=a++ && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ echo $a
14
#19-3 Using the power '**' with the let command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=2*3 && echo $b
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[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=2**3 && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=2**10 && echo $b
1024
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=2 ** 10 && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=(2 ** 10) && echo $b
1024
#19-4 Equals, AND and OR operation with 'let' command.
[idoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ let b=(1 == 10) && echo $b
                                               <<< no result is printed if wrong
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=(1 != 10) && echo $b
                                               <<< Prints 1 (True) if correct.
1
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=(1 & 1) && echo $b
-bash: syntax error near unexpected token `&'
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ let b=(1 \& 1) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ let b=(1 \& 0) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ let b=(0 \& 0) && echo $b
                                               <<< no result is printed if 0 or null.
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ let b=(1 \| 0) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let b=(0 \| 0) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ let b=(0 \| 1) && echo $b
#19-5 Assigning different values to a variable based on a condition.
                                               <<< Don't forget the '\' escape character.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let a=(3\<5)?100:200
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ echo $a
100
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ let a=(3\>5)?100:200
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ echo $a
200
#19-6 Simple calculation using variable and round brackets '(( ))'
[jdoe@f33sn1^{-}]$ b=$((2 + 4))
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ b=$((2 + 4)) && echo $b
                                               <<< 'let' can be replaced with the use of the double
round brackets '(( ))'
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ b=$((2 * 4)) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ b=$((20 / 4)) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ b=$((2 ** 10)) && echo $b
1024
#19-7 Shift calculation
[jdoe@f33sn1^{\sim}]$ b=$((2 << 1)) && echo $b
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[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ b=$((2 << 2)) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1^]$ b=$((2 << 3)) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ b=$((2 << 4)) && echo $b
32
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ b=$((2 >> 4)) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ b=$((100 >> 4)) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ b=$((100 >> 3)) && echo $b
12
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ b=$((100 >> 2)) && echo $b
[jdoe@f33sn1 \sim]$ b=$((100 >> 1)) && echo $b
50
#19-8 You can replace the double round brackets with single square brackets.
jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ c=$[10 + 20] && echo $c
                                                      <<< square brackets can replace 'let' or
double round brackets '(())'
30
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ c=$[10 - 20] && echo $c
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ c=$[10 * 20] && echo $c
200
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ c=$[10 / 20] && echo $c
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ c=$[10 % 20] && echo $c
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ c=$[10 ** 20] && echo $c
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TIP: External vs Internal commands, what is the difference?
External commands are add-ons.
Internal commands work out of the box, included as part of the Linux OS.
# Use the 'which' command to locate the location of the external Linux command.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ which expr
/usr/bin/expr
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ which let
                                       <<< 'let' is not found under '/usr/bin/'
/usr/bin/which: no let in
(/home/jdoe/.local/bin:/home/jdoe/bin:/usr/local/bin:/usr/bin:/usr/local/sbin:/usr/sbin)
# Check internal Linux command using 'enable'
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ enable | nl
  1 enable.
  2 enable:
  3 enable [
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33 enable kill
 34 enable let
                     <<< Here is 'let' as an internal command
 35 enable local
[...omitted for brevity]
 59 enable unalias
 60 enable unset
 61 enable wait
# Also, you can use the 'compgen' command to view all the internal Linux commands.
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ compgen -b | column
        compopt
                             pushd
                    fg
                                        trap
        continue
                    getopts
                               pwd
                                          true
        declare
                   hash
[
                             read
                                        type
alias
         dirs
                   help
                             readarray
                                         typeset
                               readonly
bg
         disown
                    history
                                           ulimit
bind
          echo
                    jobs
                              return
                                         umask
break
          enable
                     kill
                                       unalias
                              set
                                      unset
builtin
          eval
                    let
                             shift
caller
          exec
                    local
                             shopt
                                        wait
cd
         exit
                  logout
                             source
command
             export
                        mapfile
                                   suspend
            false
compgen
                      popd
                                 test
complete
            fc
                     printf
                               times
# These are all Shell commands, but what really is a shell?
"shell basically is an interpreter for commands"
Shells are installed out of the box and there are many different types of shells used.
sh, ksh, csh, tcsh, bash (Linux default), zsh, dash (Dash shell)
# You can view which shell you are using by running the following command.
[jdoe@f33sn1~]$ echo $SHELL
/bin/bash
[jdoe@f33sn1 ~]$ choe
                             <<< Incorrect command, bash shell interpret to return the command
result
-bash: choe: command not found
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Ex19 Summary
N/A
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