

HELP COMMANDS

Command Prompt	
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C:\Users\ASUS>help	For more information on a specific command, type HELP command-name
ASSOC	Displays or modifies file extension associations.
ATTRIB	Displays or changes file attributes.
BREAK	Sets or clears extended CTRL+C checking.
BCDEDIT	Sets properties in boot database to control boot loading.
CACLS	Displays or modifies access control lists (ACLs) of files.
CALL	Calls one batch program from another.
CD	Displays the name of or changes the current directory.
CHCP	Displays or sets the active code page number.
CHDIR	Displays the name of or changes the current directory.
CHKDSK	Checks a disk and displays a status report.
CHKNTFS	Displays or modifies the checking of disk at boot time.
CLS	Clears the screen.
CMD	Starts a new instance of the Windows command interpreter.
COLOR	Sets the default console foreground and background colors.
COMP	Compares the contents of two files or sets of files.
COMPACT	Displays or alters the compression of files on NTFS partitions.
CONVERT	Converts FAT volumes to NTFS. You cannot convert the current drive.
COPY	Copies one or more files to another location.
DATE	Displays or sets the date.
DEL	Deletes one or more files.
DTR	Displays a list of files and subdirectories in a directory.
DISKPART	Displays or configures Disk Partition properties.
DOSKEY	Edits command lines, recalls Windows commands, and creates macros.
DRIVERQUERY	Displays current device driver status and properties.
ECHO	Displays messages, or turns command echoing on or off.
ENDLOCAL	Ends localization of environment changes in a batch file.
ERASE	Deletes one or more files.
EXIT	Quits the CMD.EXE program (command interpreter).
FC	Compares two files or sets of files, and displays the differences between them.
FIND	Searches for a text string in a file or files.
FINDSTR	Searches for strings in files.
FOR	Runs a specified command for each file in a set of files.
FORMAT	Formats a disk for use with Windows.
FSUTIL	Displays or configures the file system properties.
FTYPE	Displays or modifies file types used in file extension associations.
GOTO	Directs the Windows command interpreter to a labeled line in a batch program.
GPRESULT	Displays Group Policy information for machine or user.
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HELP	Provides Help information for Windows commands.
ICAcls	Display, modify, backup, or restore ACLs for files and directories.
IF	Performs conditional processing in batch programs.
LABEL	Creates, changes, or deletes the volume label of a disk.
MD	Creates a directory.
MKDIR	Creates a directory.
MKLINK	Creates Symbolic Links and Hard Links
MODE	Configures a system device.
MORE	Displays output one screen at a time.
MOVE	Moves one or more files from one directory to another directory.
OPENFILES	Displays files opened by remote users for a file share.
PATH	Displays or sets a search path for executable files.
PAUSE	Suspends processing of a batch file and displays a message.
POPD	Restores the previous value of the current directory saved by PUSHD.
PRINT	Prints a text file.
PROMPT	Changes the Windows command prompt.
PUSHD	Saves the current directory then changes it.
RD	Removes a directory.
RECOVER	Recover readable information from a bad or defective disk.
REM	Records comments (remarks) in batch files or CONFIG.SYS.
REN	Renames a file or files.
RENAME	Renames a file or files.
REPLACE	Replaces files.
RMDIR	Removes a directory.
ROBOCOPY	Advanced utility to copy files and directory trees
SET	Displays, sets, or removes Windows environment variables.
SETLOCAL	Begins localization of environment changes in a batch file.
SC	Displays or configures services (background processes).
SCHTASKS	Schedules commands and programs to run on a computer.
SHIFT	Shifts the position of replaceable parameters in batch files.
SHUTDOWN	Allows proper local or remote shutdown of machine.
SORT	Sorts input.
START	Starts a separate window to run a specified program or command.
SUBST	Associates a path with a drive letter.
SYSTEMINFO	Displays machine specific properties and configuration.
TASKLIST	Displays all currently running tasks including services.
TASKKILL	Kill or stop a running process or application.
TIME	Displays or sets the system time.
TITLE	Sets the window title for a CMD.EXE session.
TREE	Graphically displays the directory structure of a drive or path.
TYPE	Displays the contents of a text file.
VER	Displays the Windows version.

1. CHANGE WORKING DIRECTORY OF THE USER
2. LIST ALL CONTENTS IN THE CURRENT WORKING

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COMMAND PROMPT

VERIFY      Tells Windows whether to verify that your files are written
            correctly to a disk.
VOL        Displays a disk volume label and serial number.
XCOPY      Copies files and directory trees.
WMIC       Displays WMI information inside interactive command shell.

For more information on tools see the command-line reference in the online help.

C:\Users\ASUS>dir
Volume in drive C is OS
Volume Serial Number is C8D5-137F

Directory of C:\Users\ASUS

19-01-2026  11:12    <DIR>          .
02-11-2025  05:45    <DIR>          ..
19-01-2026  11:29          826 .bash_history
19-01-2026  11:12          66 .gitconfig
06-02-2025  20:15    <DIR>          .idlrc
09-08-2025  17:03    <DIR>          .vscode
05-01-2025  19:20          223 1.html
18-01-2026  02:54          0 CD
02-11-2025  05:48    <DIR>          Contacts
18-01-2026  02:54          0 DIR
06-01-2026  06:20    <DIR>          Documents
19-01-2026  16:17    <DIR>          Downloads
02-11-2025  05:48    <DIR>          Favorites
02-11-2025  05:48    <DIR>          Links
02-11-2025  05:48    <DIR>          Music
18-01-2026  02:01    <DIR>          OneDrive
19-01-2026  11:02    <DIR>          OS_CD24014
07-11-2025  22:43    <DIR>          PDFEditor
02-11-2025  05:48    <DIR>          Saved_Games
02-11-2025  05:48    <DIR>          Searches
13-04-2025  09:29    <DIR>          untitled
02-11-2025  05:48    <DIR>          Videos
      5 File(s)           1,115 bytes
     17 Dir(s)   62,593,753,088 bytes free

C:\Users\ASUS>cd OneDrive

C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive>dir
Volume in drive C is OS
Volume Serial Number is C8D5-137F

Directory of C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive
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READ A TEXT FILE

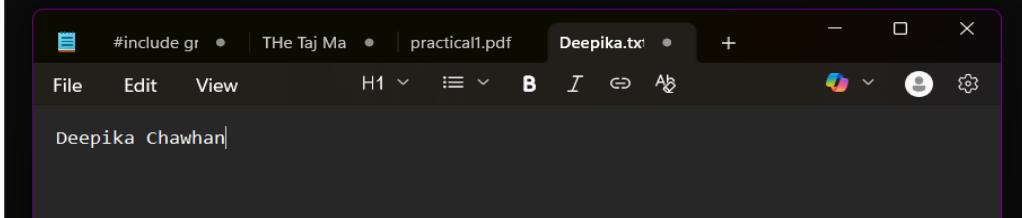
```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>echo hello Deepika > Deepika.txt.txt

C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>type Deepika.txt.txt
hello Deepika
```

MODIFY A TEXT FILE

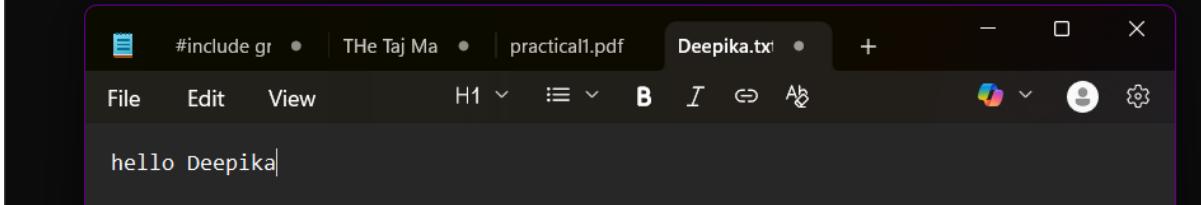
```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>Deepika.txt.txt Name Deepikas.txt

C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>
```



CONCATENATE A TEXT FILE

```
hello Deepika  
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>notepad Deepika.txt.txt  
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>
```



CREATE A NEW DIRECTORY UNDER ANY DIRECTORY

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>mkdir Practical  
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>md Practical  
A subdirectory or file Practical already exists.
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DISPLAY THE CURRENT WORKING DIRECTORY OF THE TERMINAL

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>cd  
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>|
```

WRITE ITS ARGUMENT TO STANDARD OUTPUT

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>echo Practical Os  
Practical Os  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>|
```

REMOVE A FILE

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>del D.txt
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop\D.txt*, Are you sure (Y/N)? Y
```

COPY A FILE OR DIRECTORY

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>copy Deepika.txt.txt Deepika.txt
1 file(s) copied.
```

SWITCH TO ROOT USER

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C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>runas /user:Administrator
RUNAS USAGE:

RUNAS [ [/oprofile | /profile] [/env] [/savecred | /netonly] ]
      /user:<UserName> program

RUNAS [ [/oprofile | /profile] [/env] [/savecred] ]
      /smartcard [/user:<UserName>] program

RUNAS [ [/machine:<MachineType>] ] /trustlevel:<TrustLevel> program

/noprofile      specifies that the user's profile should not be loaded.
                 This causes the application to load more quickly, but
                 can cause some applications to malfunction.
/profile        specifies that the user's profile should be loaded.
                 This is the default.
/env            to use current environment instead of user's.
/netonly        use if the credentials specified are for remote
                 access only.
/savecred       to use credentials previously saved by the user.
/smartcard      use if the credentials are to be supplied from a
                 smartcard.
/user           <UserName> should be in form USER@DOMAIN or DOMAIN\USER
/showtrustlevels displays the trust levels that can be used as arguments
                  to /trustlevel.
/trustlevel     <Level> should be one of levels enumerated
                  in /showtrustlevels.
/machine        specifies the machine architecture of the process.
                 <MachineType> should be one of x86|amd64|arm|arm64.
program         command line for EXE. See below for examples

Examples:
> runas /noprofile /user:mymachine\administrator cmd
> runas /profile /env /user:mydomain\admin "mmc %windir%\system32\dsa.msc"
> runas /env /user:user@domain.microsoft.com "notepad \"my file.txt\""

NOTE: Enter user's password only when prompted.
NOTE: /profile is not compatible with /netonly.
NOTE: /savecred is not compatible with /smartcard.
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MOVE FILES AND DIRECTORY FROM ONE DIRECTORY TO ANOTHER

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>move Deepika.txt.txt D:/Desktop
1 file(s) moved.
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SEARCH FOR A PARTICULAR STRING/WORD IN A TEXT FILE

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>find "deepika" Deepika.txt  
----- DEEPIKA.TXT
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PRINT THE TOP N NUMBER OF DATA OF THE GIVEN INPUT

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>more Deepika.txt  
Deepika  
Palak  
AAyushi  
Anushka  
Nandini
```

PRINT THE LAST N NUMBER OF DATA OF THE GIVEN INPUT

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>type Deepika.txt  
Deepika  
Palak  
AAyushi  
Anushka  
Nandini
```

REMOVE AND READ PERMISSION FROM THE OWNER

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /deny "ASUS":R  
processed file: Deepika.txt  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files
```

ADD READ PERMISSION TO OWNER PLUS REMOVE WRITE PERMISSION AND ADD WRITE

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /grant "ASUS":R  
processed file: Deepika.txt  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files
```

Add write permission to owner no permission to others

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /grant "ASUS":W  
processed file: Deepika.txt  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files  
  
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>
```

ASSIGN PERMISSION TO USERS

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /grant "ASUS":F  
processed file: Deepika.txt  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files
```

ASSIGN R/W/X TO OTHERS

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepikas.txt /grant "ASUS":F  
Deepikas.txt: The system cannot find the file specified.  
Successfully processed 0 files; Failed processing 1 files
```

Remove all permission from all users

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /remove Everyone  
processed file: Deepika.txt  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files
```

Remove read permission from user using absolute mod

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /deny "ASUS":R  
processed file: Deepika.txt  
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files
```

Add R/w permission to owner no permission to group and
no permission to other using absolute mode

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /grant "ASUS":RW
processed file: Deepika.txt
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files
```

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /remove Everyone
processed file: Deepika.txt
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files

C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>
```

Add execute permission to owner, read permission TO group and other

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /grant "ASUS":RX Everyone:R
processed file: Deepika.txt
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files

C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>
```

Add execute permission to all user

```
C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>icacls Deepika.txt /grant Everyone:RX
processed file: Deepika.txt
Successfully processed 1 files; Failed processing 0 files

C:\Users\ASUS\OneDrive\Desktop>
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