

Working with Directory: Part1

1) Creation of Directory

-> To create a directory we use `mkdir` command

-> `mkdir` stands for Make Directory

-> Example 1 : `mkdir Dir1`

If above command is executed then `Dir1` named directory will be created.

Example 2: `mkdir Dir1`

If directory name is already available then we will error saying "`mkdir: cannot create directory 'Dir1': File exists`"

Example 3: We can use `-v` option to print message on terminal after directory creation

```
root@DESKTOP-1VT9LL4:~# mkdir -v Dir3
mkdir: created directory 'Dir3'
root@DESKTOP-1VT9LL4:~#
```

Example 4: If want create multiple directories at a time then we can do following way

```
mkdir -v Dir1 Dir2 Dir3 Dir4
```

After the execution of above command 4 Directories will be created

Q. State how many directories will be created for the following statements

1) `mkdir Dir1,Dir2,Dir3,Dir4`

Here, one directory and name of Directory is `Dir1,Dir2,Dir3,Dir4`

2) `mkdir Dir1 Dir2 Dir3 Dir4`

Here, 4 directories will be Created

3) `mkdir Java Program`

Here ,2 Directories will be created

4) `mkdir "Java Program"`

Here, One Directory is Created

Q. State which of the following statements are valid

1) `Mkdir Dir1 --> Invalid`

2) `mkdir Dir1 "Dir2" --> valid`

3) `mkdir Dir1,Dir2,Dir3 -> valid`

4) `mkdir "Java Program" -> valid`

5) `mkdir 'Linux Dir1' --> valid`

Q. I want to Create Directory C for the following path
path of C directory : A/B/C

Case 1: If Parent Directories A and B are available then we can create directly Directory C as below

```
mkdir A/B/C
```

Case 2: If Parent Directory A and B are not available then first we need to create Parent directories A and B

We can do this thing in two way

First Way or First Approach

1) First Create Directory A

```
mkdir A
```

2) move to Directory A

```
cd A
```

3) Create B Directory

```
mkdir B
```

4) Move to Directory B

```
cd B
```

5) Create C Directory

```
mkdir C
```

Second Way or Second Approach

```
mkdir -p A/B/C
```

Here p stands for path

If Parent Directory A and B are not available then this command itself create Parent A and B

Another Example

```
mkdir -p AA/BB/CC
```

Suppose I want to Create Dir10, Dir11, Dir12, Dir13 Dir14 Dir15

First way

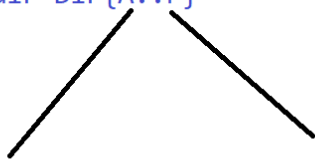
```
mkdir Dir10 Dir11 Dir12 Dir13 Dir14 Dir15
```

Second Way

```
mkdir Dir{10..15}
```

Example 2: Create Directories Like DirA, DirB, DirC, DirD, DirE, DirF

```
mkdir Dir{A..F}
```



This is range

Assignment

Write a command to Create following Directory Structure

