

BASIC LINUX COMMANDS ON DIRECTORIES

pwd

- ✚ *pwd* stands for “**print working directory**”. This command gives the **directory path** where the **current user** is **located** at.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$ pwd
/home/oindrila
```

ls

- ✚ *ls* gives the **listing of all** the **contents** (**folders** and **files**, **not subfolders**) of the **current directory**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:/$ ls
bin  boot  dev  etc  home  init  lib  lib64  media  mnt  opt  proc  root  run  sbin  snap  srv  sys  tmp  usr  var
```

cd

- ✚ The “**cd**” command is used for **forward navigation between directories** and **folders**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:/$ cd home
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:/home$ cd oindrila
```

- ✚ The “**cd ..**” command is used to **go back to** the **previous directory** from the **current directory**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:/$ cd ..
```

- ✚ The “**cd /**” command is used to **go to** the **root directory** from **any directory**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:/$ cd /
```

- ✚ The “**cd ~**” command is used to **go back to** the **home directory** from **any directory**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir1/nestTestDir1$ cd ~
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$ pwd
/home/oindrila
```

mkdir

- ✚ The “**mkdir directoryName**” command is used to **create a new directory** within the **current directory**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$ mkdir testDir1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$ ls
testDir1
```

rmmdir

- ✚ The “*rmmdir directoryName*” command is used to *delete*, or, *remove an empty directory within the current directory*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir1$ rmdir nestTestDir1
```

- ✚ If the *directory* to delete *contains* any *content inside* it, the *directory cannot be deleted using* the “*rmmdir directoryName*” command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$ rmdir testDir1
rmdir: failed to remove 'testDir1': Directory not empty
```

- ✚ The “*rm -r directoryName*” command is used to *delete*, or, *remove a non-empty directory within the current directory*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$ rm -r testDir1
```

man

- ✚ The “*man commandName*” command is used to *fetch information* about any desired *command*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$ man cp
```

- ✚ To get out of the manual mode, “q” is pressed

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~
CP(1) User Commands
NAME
    cp - copy files and directories
SYNOPSIS
    cp [OPTION]... [-T] SOURCE DEST
    cp [OPTION]... SOURCE... DIRECTORY
    cp [OPTION]... -t DIRECTORY SOURCE...
DESCRIPTION
    Copy SOURCE to DEST, or multiple SOURCE(s) to DIRECTORY.
    Mandatory arguments to long options are mandatory for short options too.
    -a, --archive
        same as -dR --preserve=all
    --attributes-only
        don't copy the file data, just the attributes
    --backup[=CONTROL]
        make a backup of each existing destination file
    -b
        like --backup but does not accept an argument
    --copy-contents
        copy contents of special files when recursive
Manual page cp(1) line 1 (press h for help or q to quit)
```

BASIC LINUX COMMANDS ON FILES

cat

- ✚ The “**cat > fileName**” command is used to **create a file with content** in the **current directory**. Upon pressing “**Enter**”, the **user will be asked to type the contents into the created file**. To **stop typing into the created file** the **user needs to type “Ctrl + C”**. The “**Redirection Symbol**” (>) tells the “**cat**” command to **copy any character** the **user types at the keyboard to the mentioned file**. The **extension of a file doesn't matter in Linux**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat > firstTextFile
Hi
My name is Oindrila Chakraborty
I am trying to learn the cat command
This is the first file I created using the cat command
I am going to stop writing in this file now.oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**cat fileName**” command is used to **display the contents of a file** mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat secondTextFile
Hi Again
I am Oindrila again
This is the second file I am creating using cat command
```

- ✚ The “**cat fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to **display the contents of all the files at once one by one** mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat firstTextFile secondTextFile thirdTextFile
Hi
My name is Oindrila Chakraborty
I am trying to learn the cat command
This is the first file I created using the cat command
I am going to stop writing in this file now.Hi Again
I am Oindrila again
This is the second file I am creating using cat command
Hi All
This is the third time I am creating a file using cat command
Now I am sure I am going to learn the cat command very clearly
I hope it will help me in the future interviews
I am going to stop typing in this file
Bye everyoneoindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**cat -n fileName**” command is used to **display the line numbers of a file** mentioned in the command.

```
Bye everyoneoindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -n firstTextFile
 1 Hi
 2 My name is Oindrila Chakraborty
 3 I am trying to learn the cat command
 4 This is the first file I created using the cat command
 5 I am going to stop writing in this file now.oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**cat -n fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to **display the line numbers of all the files** mentioned in the command.

```

5 I am going to stop writing in this file now.oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -n firstTextFile
le secondTextFile thirdTextFile
1 Hi
2 My name is Oindrila Chakraborty
3 I am trying to learn the cat command
4 This is the first file I created using the cat command
5 I am going to stop writing in this file now.Hi Again
6 I am Oindrila again
7 This is the second file I am creating using cat command
8 Hi All
9 This is the third time I am creating a file using cat command
10 Now I am sure I am going to learn the cat command very clearly
11 I hope it will help me in the future interviews
12 I am going to stop typing in this file
13 Bye everyoneoindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$

```

- ✚ The “**cat -e fileName**” command is used to *display control*, and, *non-printing characters followed by a “\$” symbol at the end of each lines of a file* mentioned in the command.

```

oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -e thirdTextFile.txt
Welcome$
My Line1$
My Line2$
$
My Line4$
My Line5$
$
My Line6$
My Line7$
$
My Line8$
My Line9$
My Line10$

```

- ✚ The “**cat -e fileName1 fileName2 fileName2**” command is used to *display control*, and, *non-printing characters followed by a “\$” symbol at the end of each lines*, in *all the files* mentioned in the command.

```

oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -e firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
Hi$
This is Line1$
This is Line2$
This is Line3$
$
This is Line5$
This is Line6$
This is Line7$
This is Line8$
Hello$
Line1$
Line2$
Line3$
Line4$
$
Line6$
Line7$
Line8$
Line9$
Welcome$
My Line1$
My Line2$
$
My Line4$
My Line5$
$
My Line6$
My Line7$
$

```

```
My Line8$  
My Line9$  
My Line10$
```

- ✚ The “**cat -v fileName**” command is used to *display control*, and, *non-printing characters* present in the contents *of a file* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -v firstTextFile.txt
```

- ✚ The “**cat -v fileName1 fileName2 fileName2**” command is used to *display control*, and, *non-printing characters* present in the contents of *all the files* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -v firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
```

- ✚ The “**cat -t fileName**” command is used to *display each TAB* as “**^I**”, and, *each form feed* as “**^L**” present in the contents *of a file* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -t firstTextFile.txt
```

- ✚ The “**cat -t fileName1 fileName2 fileName2**” command is used to *display each TAB* as “**^I**”, and, *each form feed* as “**^L**” present in the contents of *all the files* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -t firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
```

- ✚ The ‘**cat >> fileName**’ command is *used to append lines of text at the end of the file*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat >> doc1  
This is the second line  
^C  
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat doc1  
This is the Doc1 file  
This is the second line  
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**cat fileName1 fileName2 fileName2 ... > fileNameN.**” command is used to *create a new file*, and, the *merge the contents of each files* will be *redirected to the newly created file one by one*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt > outputTextFile.txt
```

- ✚ The “**cat**” command is *good for small files*. But, *if the file is large*, the *contents will zoom past* and *only the last page of the content will be displayed*. The “**cat filename | more**” command *displays the contents of the file as one page at a time for larger files*.

If the contents of the file fits in a single page, the output will be the same as the “cat” command.

If the contents of the file does not fit in a single page, the cursor will stay at the end of each page. Then the user can scroll through the contents of the file using the “Enter” key, one line at a time.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat outputTextFile.txt | more
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
Hi
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
Hello
Line1
Line2
Line3
Line4

Line6
Line7
Line8
Line9
Welcome
My Line1
My Line2

My Line4
My Line5

My Line6
My Line7
--More--
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

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This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
Hello
Line1
Line2
Line3
Line4

Line6
Line7
Line8
Line9
Welcome
My Line1
My Line2

My Line4
My Line5

My Line6
My Line7
--More--
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
This is Line6
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Hello
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Line6
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Line9
Welcome
My Line1
My Line2

My Line4
My Line5

My Line6
My Line7

My Line8
--More--
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
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Welcome
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My Line2

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My Line8
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My Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

The *user can also scroll through the file in a page by page manner using the “Space” bar. To return to the Command Prompt, “q” key is used.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat newOutputTextFile.txt | more
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
Hi
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
This is Line6
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Hello
Line1
Line2
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Line6
Line7
Line8
Line9
Welcome
My Line1
My Line2

My Line4
My Line5

My Line6
My Line7
--More--
```



```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2

My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
Hi
This is Line1
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Welcome
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--More--
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2

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My Line7

My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

🚦 The “**cat filename1 fileName2 fileName3 | more**” command *displays* the *contents of all* the *files*, mentioned in the command, *as one page at a time* for larger files.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt outputTextFile.txt newOutputTextFile.txt | more
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
Hi
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```

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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
My Line8
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Welcome
My Line1
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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
My Line5
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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
My Line1
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My Line4
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Hi
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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

✚ The “cat” command is *good for small files*. But, *if the file is large*, the *contents will zoom past* and *only the last screen worth of the content will be displayed*. The “*cat filename | less*” command *displays the first page of the contents of the larger file*, and, *prompts at the end of the page*.

Even if the contents of the file fits in a single page, (END) will be prompted at the end of the page. To return to the Command Prompt, “q” key is used.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat firstTextFile.txt | less
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2

Hi
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
(END)
```

If the contents of the file does not fit in a single page, the cursor will stay at the end of each page. Then the user can scroll through the contents of the file forward using the “Enter”, or, “f” key, one line at a time. To scroll back to the previous page, “b” key is used. Once the end of the file is reached, (END) will be prompted at the end of the page. To return to the Command Prompt, “q” key is used.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat outputTextFile.txt | less
```

```
Hi
This is Line1
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Hello
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:
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```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
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```

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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2

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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2

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My Line9
My Line10
(END)
```

The user can also scroll through the file in a page by page manner using the “Space” bar. To return to the Command Prompt, “q” key is used.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat newOutputTextFile.txt | less
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
Hi
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:
```

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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
My Line8
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Hi
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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2

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My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
(END)
```

✚ The “**cat filename1 fileName2 fileName3 | less**” command *displays the contents of all the files*, mentioned in the command, *as one page at a time for larger files*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt outputTextFile.txt newOutputTextFile.txt | less
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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2

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oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
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:
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
My Line5
My Line6
My Line7

My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
Hi
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
Hello
Line1
Line2
Line3
Line4

Line6
Line7
Line8
Line9
Welcome
:
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
My Line1
My Line2

My Line4
My Line5

My Line6
My Line7

My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
Hi
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
Hello
Line1
Line2
Line3
Line4

Line6
:
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
Hello
Line1
Line2
Line3
Line4

Line6
Line7
Line8
Line9
Welcome
My Line1
My Line2

My Line4
My Line5

My Line6
My Line7

My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
(END)
```

✚ The “`cat *`” command is used to *display* the *contents of all* the *files present* in the *current directory*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat *
```

- ✚ The “***tac fileName***” command is used to ***display*** the ***contents of*** the ***file*** mentioned in the command in ***reverse order***.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ tac firstTextFile.txt
This is Lin 9This is Line10
This is Line8
This is Line7
This is Line6
This is Line5

This is Line3
This is Line2
This is Line1
Hi
```

- ✚ The “***tac fileName1 fileName2 fileName3***” command is used to ***display*** the ***contents of each of*** the ***files*** mentioned in the command in ***reverse order***.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ tac firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
This is Lin 9This is Line10
This is Line8
This is Line7
This is Line6
This is Line5

This is Line3
This is Line2
This is Line1
Hi
Line9
Line8
Line7
Line6

Line4
Line3
Line2
Line1
Hello
My Line10
My Line9
My Line8

My Line7
My Line6

My Line5
My Line4
```

Contents of
"firstTextFile.txt" in
Reverse Order

Contents of
"secondTextFile.txt"
in Reverse Order

Contents of
"thirdTextFile.txt" in
Reverse Order

- ✚ The “***tac *.****” command is used to ***display*** the ***contents of each of*** the ***files present*** in the ***current directory*** in ***reverse order***.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ tac *
```

- ✚ The “***cat fileName1 >> fileName2***” command is used to ***append*** the ***contents of*** the ***file “fileName1”*** to the ***end of*** the ***file “fileName2”***. The ***last line of*** the ***file***, in which

the content from the other file is to be appended, is replaced by the first line of the other file.

When the user does not want to overwrite an existing file, instead, more contents need to be added to that existing file, then the Redirection Operator ">>" is used

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat file2.doc >> file1.pdf
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat file1.pdf
Hi
This is the content of file1.pdf
Closing file1.pdf
Hello
This is the content of file2.doc
Closing file2.doc
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Original content of file "file1.pdf"

Appended content of file "file2.doc"

✚ The “`cat fileName1 fileName2 fileName3 >> fileNameN`” command is used to *append* the contents of all the files present in the left side of the Redirection Operator “>>” to the file “`fileNameN`” present in the right side of the Redirection Operator “>>”.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat file3.docx file1.pdf >> file2.doc
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat file2.doc
Hello
This is the content of file2.doc
Closing file2.doc
Welcome
This is the content of file3.docx
Closing file3.docx
Hi
This is the content of file1.pdf
Closing file1.pdf
```

Original contents of the file "file2.doc"

Content of the first appended file "file3.docx"

Content of the second appended file "file1.pdf"

- ✚ The “`cat -s fileName`” command is *used to suppress repeated empty lines present in the contents of a file* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -s file2.doc
Hello

This is the content of file2.doc

Closing file2.doc
Welcome

This is the content of file3.docx
Closing file3.docx
Hi

This is the content of file1.pdf

Closing file1.pdf
```

- ✚ The “`cat -s fileName1 fileName2 fileName3`” command is *used to suppress repeated empty lines present in the contents of all the files* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cat -s file2.doc file1.pdf
Hello

This is the content of file2.doc

Closing file2.doc
Welcome

This is the content of file3.docx
Closing file3.docx
Hi

This is the content of file1.pdf

Closing file1.pdf
Hi

This is the content of file1.pdf

Closing file1.pdf
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

touch

- The “`touch fileName`” command is *used to create an empty file*, i.e., *without any content*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch doc1
```

To get more information about the created file, the Long Listing Command “`ll`”, or, “`ls -l`” is used.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ll
total 4
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 12 00:26 ./
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 11 03:41 ../
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  0 Jun 12 00:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- The “`touch fileName1 fileName2 fileName3`” command is *used to create multiple empty files*, i.e., *without any content*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch doc2 doc3 doc4
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  0 Jun 12 00:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  0 Jun 12 00:33 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  0 Jun 12 00:33 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  0 Jun 12 00:33 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- By default, the “`touch`” command *changes both* the “*access time*”, and “*modification time*” of an input file. If needed, *this feature can be limited to any one of these two*

timestamps.

The “`touch -a fileName`” command is *used to change*, or, *update* the *last access time* of a file.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc1
File: doc1
Size: 0                Blocks: 0                IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d  Inode: 1407374884179636  Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-12 00:40:42.370778100 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 00:26:00.764884500 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 00:40:42.370778100 +0530
Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

✚ The “`touch -a fileName1 fileName2 fileName3`” command is *used to change*, or, *update* the *last access times of all* the *files* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch -a doc2 doc3
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc2
File: doc2
Size: 0                Blocks: 0                IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d  Inode: 10133099161613600  Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-12 00:52:56.900457800 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 00:33:43.990649600 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 00:52:56.900457800 +0530
Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc3
File: doc3
Size: 0                Blocks: 0                IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d  Inode: 2251799814311607  Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-12 00:52:56.900457800 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 00:33:43.990649600 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 00:52:56.900457800 +0530
Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

✚ By default, the “`touch`” command *changes both* the “*access time*”, and “*modification time*” of an input file. If needed, *this feature can be limited to any one of these two timestamps*.

The “`touch -m fileName`” command is *used to change*, or, *update* the *last modification time* of a file.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch -m doc1
```



```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc1
  File: doc1
  Size: 0                Blocks: 0          IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d   Inode: 1407374884179636   Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-12 00:40:42.370778100 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 01:17:30.062985200 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 01:17:30.062985200 +0530
 Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “*touch -m fileName1 fileName2 fileName3*” command is *used to change*, or, *update* the *last modification times of all* the *files* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch -m doc2 doc3
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc2
  File: doc2
  Size: 0                Blocks: 0          IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d   Inode: 10133099161613600   Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-12 00:52:56.900457800 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 01:53:04.386254900 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 01:53:04.386254900 +0530
 Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc3
  File: doc3
  Size: 0                Blocks: 0          IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d   Inode: 2251799814311607   Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-12 00:52:56.900457800 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 01:53:04.386254900 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 01:53:04.386254900 +0530
 Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “*touch fileName -r referenceFileName*” command is *used to change*, or, *update* the “*access timestamp*”, and, “*modification timestamp of the filename* from the *referenceFileName*”.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch doc1 -r firstTextFile.txt
```

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc1
  File: doc1
  Size: 0                Blocks: 0          IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d   Inode: 1407374884179636   Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-11 04:31:01.938892200 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-11 05:20:22.599594300 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 02:05:15.052142700 +0530
 Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “`touch -t YYYYMMDDHHMM fileName`” command is *used to create an empty file, i.e., without any content, using a specified time.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch -t 202006120230 doc4
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc4
  File: doc4
  Size: 0                Blocks: 0          IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d   Inode: 562949954047712   Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-12 02:30:00.000000000 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 02:30:00.000000000 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 02:14:14.277862400 +0530
 Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “`touch fileName1 fileName2 fileName3`” command is *used to create multiple empty files, i.e., without any content, using a specified time.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch -t 202006120300 doc5 doc6
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc5
  File: doc5
  Size: 0                Blocks: 0          IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d   Inode: 2814749767378563   Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-12 03:00:00.000000000 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 03:00:00.000000000 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 02:16:37.361879600 +0530
 Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ stat doc6
  File: doc6
  Size: 0                Blocks: 0          IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 2h/2d   Inode: 4222124650932232   Links: 1
Access: (0666/-rw-rw-rw-)  Uid: ( 1000/oindrila)   Gid: ( 1000/oindrila)
Access: 2020-06-12 03:00:00.000000000 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 03:00:00.000000000 +0530
Change: 2020-06-12 02:16:37.371887700 +0530
 Birth: -
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “*touch -c fileName*” command is *used to check whether a file is created or not. If not created, this command avoids creating the mentioned file.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch -c doc7
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls
doc1 doc3 doc5 file1.pdf file3.docx newOutputTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt
doc2 doc4 doc6 file2.doc firstTextFile.txt outputTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “*touch -c fileName1 fileName2 fileName3*” command is *used to check whether all the files mentioned in the command are created or not. If not created, this command avoids creating the mentioned files.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ touch -c doc7 doc8 doc9
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls
doc1 doc3 doc5 file1.pdf file3.docx newOutputTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt
doc2 doc4 doc6 file2.doc firstTextFile.txt outputTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

head

- ✚ To look at the *first few lines of a file*, the “*head filename*” command is used. *By default, this command shows the first 10 lines of a file.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ head outputTextFile.txt
Hi
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ To see the *desired number of first lines of a file*, the “*head -number filename*” command is used.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ head -4 outputTextFile.txt
Hi
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

tail

- ✚ To *look at* the *last few lines of a file*, the “*tail filename*” command is used. *By default*, this command shows the *last 10 lines of a file*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ tail outputTextFile.txt
My Line4
My Line5

My Line6
My Line7

My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ To see the *desired number of last lines of a file*, the “*tail -number filename*” command is used.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ tail -5 outputTextFile.txt
My Line7

My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

cp

- ✚ The “*cp sourceFileName destinationFileName*” command is used to *copy a file* and *paste it within the current, or, different directory*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cp secondTextFile newSecondTextFile
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cp secondTextFile /home/oindrila/testDir1/nestTestDir1/secondTextFile
```

rm

- ✚ The “*rm fileName*” command is used to *delete*, or, *remove a file from the current directory*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ rm firstTextFile
```

- ✚ The “*rm fileName1 fileName2 fileName3*” command is used to *delete*, or, *remove all the files*, mentioned in the command, *from the current directory*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ rm newSecondTextFile secondTextFile thirdTextFile
```

mv

- ✚ The “**mv fileName destinationDirectory**” command is used to *move a file* from *one directory* to another *directory*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir1/nestTestDir1$ mv newSecondTextFile /home/oindrila/testDir3/nestTestDir3
```

- ✚ The “**mv oldFileName newFileName**” command is used to *rename a file* in the *same directory*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir1/nestTestDir1$ mv secondTextFile newSecondTextFile
```

grep

- ✚ The “**grep**” command is *used to search a file for a particular pattern of characters*, and, *displays all lines that contain that specified pattern*. The *pattern that is searched in the file*, is referred to as the “*Regular Expression*”.
- ✚ The “**grep “pattern” fileName**” command is used to *search for the provided string pattern in the file* mentioned in the command. The *lines matching the string pattern from the file*, mentioned in the command, *are displayed*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep "is" firstTextFile.txt
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3
This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to *search for the provided string pattern in the files* mentioned in the command. The *lines, along with the corresponding file name, matching the string pattern from each of the files*, mentioned in the command, *are displayed*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep "is" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt doc1
doc2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line7
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line8
firstTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
doc1:This is the Doc1 file
doc1:This is the second line
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```


- ✚ The “**grep “pattern” ***” command is used to **search for** the provided **string pattern** in the **files** mentioned in the command. The **lines, along with** the **corresponding file name, matching the string pattern from all the files present in the current directory are displayed.**

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep "is" *
doc1:This is the Doc1 file
doc1:This is the second line
file1.pdf:This is the content of file1.pdf
file2.doc:This is the content of file2.doc
file2.doc:This is the content of file3.docx
file2.doc:This is the content of file1.pdf
file3.docx:This is the content of file3.docx
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line7
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line8
firstTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newDoc1:file1.txt:This is Line2
newDoc1:newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
newDoc1:newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
newDoc1:outputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line7
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line8
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
```

- ✚ The “**grep -i “pattern” fileName**” command is used to **search for** the provided **string pattern case insensitively in the file** mentioned in the command. The **lines matching the string pattern from the file, mentioned in the command, are displayed.**

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -i "THIS" firstTextFile.txt
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3
This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -i “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to **search for** the provided **string pattern case insensitively from the files** mentioned in the command. The **lines matching the string pattern from the files, mentioned in the command, are displayed along with the file name.**

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
secondTextFile.txt:Line8
secondTextFile.txt:Line9
grep: thirdTextFile.txt: No such file or directory
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -i "LINE" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line7
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line8
firstTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
secondTextFile.txt:Line1
secondTextFile.txt:Line2
secondTextFile.txt:Line3
secondTextFile.txt:Line4
secondTextFile.txt:Line6
secondTextFile.txt:Line7
secondTextFile.txt:Line8
secondTextFile.txt:Line9
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line1
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line2
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line4
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line5
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line6
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line7
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line8
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line9
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

✚ The “**grep -i “pattern” ***” command is used to **search for** the provided **string pattern** **case insensitively in the current directory**. The **lines matching the string pattern in the current directory are displayed along with the file name**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -i "LINE" *
doc1:This is the second line
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line7
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line8
firstTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line7
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line8
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line3
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line4
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line7
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line8
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line9
newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line4
newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line5
```

- ✚ The “**grep -c “pattern” fileName**” command is used to **print** the **number of lines that match** the provided **string pattern in the file** mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -c "This" firstTextFile.txt
8
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -c “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to **print** the **number of lines that match** the provided **string pattern from the files** mentioned in the command. The **number of lines matching the string pattern in each of the files**, mentioned in the command, **are displayed along with the file name**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -c "Line" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
firstTextFile.txt:8
secondTextFile.txt:8
thirdTextFile.txt:9
```

- ✚ The “**grep -c “pattern” ***” command is used to **print** the **number of lines that match** the provided **string pattern in all the files present in the current directory**. The **number of lines matching the string pattern in each of the files of the current directory are displayed along with the file name**.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -c "Line" *
doc1:0
doc2:0
doc3:0
doc4:0
doc5:0
doc6:0
file1.pdf:0
file2.doc:0
file3.docx:0
firstTextFile.txt:8
newOutputTextFile.txt:50
outputTextFile.txt:25
secondTextFile.txt:8
thirdTextFile.txt:9
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -l “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to **print** the **file names that match** the provided **string pattern from the list of files** mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -l "Line" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
outputTextFile.txt newOutputTextFile.txt doc1 doc2 doc3
firstTextFile.txt
secondTextFile.txt
thirdTextFile.txt
outputTextFile.txt
newOutputTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```


- ✚ The “**grep -l “pattern” ***” command is used to *print the file names that match* the provided *string pattern* from the *current directory*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -l "Line" *
firstTextFile.txt
newOutputTextFile.txt
outputTextFile.txt
secondTextFile.txt
thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -h “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to *print the lines that match* the provided *string pattern* from the *list of files* mentioned in the command, *without the corresponding file names*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -h "Line" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3
This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
Line1
Line2
Line3
Line4
Line6
Line7
Line8
Line9
My Line1
My Line2
My Line4
My Line5
My Line6
My Line7
My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -h “pattern” ***” command is used to *print the lines that match* the provided *string pattern* from *all the files present* in the *current directory*, *without the corresponding file names*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -h "Line" *
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3
This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3
This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
line1
line2
line3
line4
line6
line7
line8
line9
My Line1
My Line2
My Line4
My Line5
My Line6
```

✚ The “**grep -n “pattern” fileName**” command is used to *print the lines, along with the line numbers, that match the provided string pattern in the file* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -n "Line" firstTextFile.txt
2:This is Line1
3:This is Line2
4:This is Line3
6:This is Line5
7:This is Line6
8:This is Line7
9:This is Line8
10:This is Lin 9This is Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

✚ The “**grep -n “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to *print the lines, along with the line numbers and corresponding file names, that match the provided string pattern from the list of files* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -n "Line" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
firstTextFile.txt:2:This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:3:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:4:This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt:6:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt:7:This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt:8:This is Line7
firstTextFile.txt:9:This is Line8
firstTextFile.txt:10:This is Lin 9This is Line10
secondTextFile.txt:2:Line1
secondTextFile.txt:3:Line2
secondTextFile.txt:4:Line3
secondTextFile.txt:5:Line4
secondTextFile.txt:7:Line6
secondTextFile.txt:8:Line7
secondTextFile.txt:9:Line8
secondTextFile.txt:10:Line9
thirdTextFile.txt:2:My Line1
thirdTextFile.txt:3:My Line2
thirdTextFile.txt:5:My Line4
thirdTextFile.txt:6:My Line5
thirdTextFile.txt:8:My Line6
thirdTextFile.txt:9:My Line7
thirdTextFile.txt:11:My Line8
thirdTextFile.txt:12:My Line9
thirdTextFile.txt:13:My Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “`grep -n “pattern” *`” command is used to *print the lines, along with the line numbers and corresponding file names, that match the provided string pattern from all the files present in the current directory.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -n "Line" *
firstTextFile.txt:2:This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:3:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:4:This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt:6:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt:7:This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt:8:This is Line7
firstTextFile.txt:9:This is Line8
firstTextFile.txt:10:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newOutputTextFile.txt:2:This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:3:This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:4:This is Line3
newOutputTextFile.txt:6:This is Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt:7:This is Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt:8:This is Line7
newOutputTextFile.txt:9:This is Line8
newOutputTextFile.txt:10:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newOutputTextFile.txt:12:Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:13:Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:14:Line3
newOutputTextFile.txt:15:Line4
newOutputTextFile.txt:17:Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt:18:Line7
newOutputTextFile.txt:19:Line8
newOutputTextFile.txt:20:Line9
newOutputTextFile.txt:22:My Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:23:My Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:25:My Line4
newOutputTextFile.txt:26:My Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt:28:My Line6
```

- ✚ The “`grep -v “pattern” fileName`” command is used to *print the lines that do not match the provided string pattern in the file mentioned in the command.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -v "This" firstTextFile.txt
Hi
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- The “`grep -v “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3`” command is used to *print the lines, along with the corresponding file names, that do not match the provided string pattern from the list of files* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -v "Line" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
outputTextFile.txt newOutputTextFile.txt
firstTextFile.txt:Hi
firstTextFile.txt:
secondTextFile.txt:Hello
secondTextFile.txt:
thirdTextFile.txt>Welcome
thirdTextFile.txt:
thirdTextFile.txt:
thirdTextFile.txt:
outputTextFile.txt:Hi
outputTextFile.txt:
outputTextFile.txt:Hello
outputTextFile.txt:
outputTextFile.txt>Welcome
outputTextFile.txt:
outputTextFile.txt:
outputTextFile.txt:
newOutputTextFile.txt:Hi
newOutputTextFile.txt:
newOutputTextFile.txt:Hello
newOutputTextFile.txt:
newOutputTextFile.txt>Welcome
newOutputTextFile.txt:
newOutputTextFile.txt:
newOutputTextFile.txt:
newOutputTextFile.txt:Hi
newOutputTextFile.txt:
newOutputTextFile.txt:Hello
newOutputTextFile.txt:
```

- The “`grep -n “pattern” *`” command is used to *print the lines, along with the line numbers and corresponding file names, that do not match the provided string pattern from all the files present in the current directory.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -v "Line" *
doc1:This is the Doc1 file
doc1:This is the second line
file1.pdf:Hi
file1.pdf:
file1.pdf:This is the content of file1.pdf
file1.pdf:
file1.pdf:
file1.pdf:Closing file1.pdf
file2.doc:Hello
file2.doc:
file2.doc:
file2.doc:This is the content of file2.doc
file2.doc:Closing file2.doc
file2.doc>Welcome
file2.doc:
file2.doc:This is the content of file3.docx
file2.doc:Closing file3.docx
file2.doc:Hi
file2.doc:
file2.doc:This is the content of file1.pdf
file2.doc:
file2.doc:
file2.doc:Closing file1.pdf
file3.docx>Welcome
```

- ✚ By default, “*grep*” command *displays* the *entire line that matches* the provided *string pattern*. The “*grep -o “pattern” fileName*” command is used to *print only the matched string parts of a line that match* the provided *string pattern in the file* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -o "Thi" firstTextFile.txt
Thi
Thi
Thi
Thi
Thi
Thi
Thi
Thi
Thi
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “*grep -o “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3*” command is used to *print only the matched string parts of a line, along with the corresponding file names, that match* the provided *string pattern from the list of files* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -o "Lin" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
firstTextFile.txt:Lin
firstTextFile.txt:Lin
firstTextFile.txt:Lin
firstTextFile.txt:Lin
firstTextFile.txt:Lin
firstTextFile.txt:Lin
firstTextFile.txt:Lin
firstTextFile.txt:Lin
firstTextFile.txt:Lin
secondTextFile.txt:Lin
secondTextFile.txt:Lin
secondTextFile.txt:Lin
secondTextFile.txt:Lin
secondTextFile.txt:Lin
secondTextFile.txt:Lin
secondTextFile.txt:Lin
thirdTextFile.txt:Lin
thirdTextFile.txt:Lin
thirdTextFile.txt:Lin
thirdTextFile.txt:Lin
thirdTextFile.txt:Lin
thirdTextFile.txt:Lin
thirdTextFile.txt:Lin
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “*grep -o “pattern” **” command is used to *print only the matched string parts of a line, along with the corresponding file names, that match* the provided *string pattern from all the files present in the current directory*.

- ✚ The “**grep -w “pattern” ***” command is used to **print the lines, along with the corresponding file names, that contain the provided entire string from all the files present in the current directory.**

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -w "is" *
doc1:This is the Doc1 file
doc1:This is the second line
file1.pdf:This is the content of file1.pdf
file2.doc:This is the content of file2.doc
file2.doc:This is the content of file3.docx
file2.doc:This is the content of file1.pdf
file3.docx:This is the content of file3.docx
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line7
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line8
firstTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line7
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line8
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line7
```

- ✚ The “**^**” **Regular Expression pattern** specifies the **start of a line**. The “**grep “^pattern” fileName**” command is used to **print the lines which start with the provided string pattern in the file** mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep "^This" firstTextFile.txt
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3
This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep “^pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to **print the lines which start with the provided string pattern, along with the corresponding file names, from the list of files** mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep "^This" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt doc1 doc2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line7
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line8
firstTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
doc1:This is the Doc1 file
doc1:This is the second line
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep “^pattern” ***” command is used to *print the lines which start with the provided string pattern, along with the corresponding file names, from all the files present in the current directory.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep "^This" *
doc1:This is the Doc1 file
doc1:This is the second line
file1.pdf:This is the content of file1.pdf
file2.doc:This is the content of file2.doc
file2.doc:This is the content of file3.docx
file2.doc:This is the content of file1.pdf
file3.docx:This is the content of file3.docx
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line7
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line8
firstTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line7
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line8
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line7
```

- ✚ The “**\$**” Regular Expression pattern specifies the end of a line. The “**grep “pattern\$” fileName**” command is used to *print the lines which end with the provided string pattern in the file mentioned in the command.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep "line$" doc1
This is the second line
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep “pattern\$” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to *print the lines which end with the provided string pattern, along with the corresponding file names, from the list of files mentioned in the command.*


```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep "Line2$" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt thirdTextFile.txt
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
secondTextFile.txt:Line2
grep: thirdTextFile.txt: No such file or directory
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep “pattern\$” ***” command is used to *print the lines which end with the provided string pattern, along with the corresponding file names, from all the files present in the current directory.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep "Line4$" *
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line4
newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line4
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line4
newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line4
outputTextFile.txt:Line4
outputTextFile.txt:My Line4
secondTextFile.txt:Line4
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line4
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep**” command *supports recursive search. It can search in all files and directories recursively. To perform a recursive search, the “grep -r “pattern” directoryName” command is used.* This command will *print the lines that match the provided string pattern, along with the corresponding file names with each file’s respective relative directory path, from all the files present in the mentioned directory, and, its subdirectories.*

If this option is used, “grep” first searches all the files of the specified directory. If the specified directory contains other directories, this command also searches those directories and all of the corresponding subdirectories as well.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$ grep -r "is" testDir2
testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc1:This is the Doc1 file
testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc1:This is the second line
testDir2/nestTestDir2/file1.pdf:This is the content of file1.pdf
testDir2/nestTestDir2/file2.doc:This is the content of file2.doc
testDir2/nestTestDir2/file2.doc:This is the content of file3.docx
testDir2/nestTestDir2/file2.doc:This is the content of file1.pdf
testDir2/nestTestDir2/file3.docx:This is the content of file3.docx
testDir2/nestTestDir2/firstTextFile.txt:This is Line1
testDir2/nestTestDir2/firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
testDir2/nestTestDir2/firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
testDir2/nestTestDir2/firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
testDir2/nestTestDir2/firstTextFile.txt:This is Line6
testDir2/nestTestDir2/firstTextFile.txt:This is Line7
testDir2/nestTestDir2/firstTextFile.txt:This is Line8
testDir2/nestTestDir2/firstTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1:firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1:newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1:outputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line1
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line6
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line7
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line8
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Lin 9This is Line10
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line1
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line2
```

- ✚ The “**grep -B number “pattern” fileName**” command is used to *print the specified number of lines, specified using the option “number”, which comes before the lines that match with the provided string pattern in the file mentioned in the command.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -B 2 "Line3" firstTextFile.txt
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -B number “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to *print the specified number of lines, specified using the option “number”, which comes before the lines that match with the provided string pattern in the list of files mentioned in the command.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -B 2 "Line3" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt outputTextFile.txt
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
--
secondTextFile.txt-Line1
secondTextFile.txt-Line2
secondTextFile.txt:Line3
--
outputTextFile.txt-This is Line1
outputTextFile.txt-This is Line2
outputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
--
outputTextFile.txt-Line1
outputTextFile.txt-Line2
outputTextFile.txt:Line3
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -B number “pattern” ***” command is used to *print the specified number of lines, specified using the option “number”, which comes before the lines that match with the provided string pattern in all the files present in the current directory.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -B 2 "Line3" *
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line3
--
newOutputTextFile.txt-This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt-This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
--
newOutputTextFile.txt-Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt-Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line3
--
newOutputTextFile.txt-This is Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt-This is Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
--
newOutputTextFile.txt-Line1
newOutputTextFile.txt-Line2
newOutputTextFile.txt:Line3
--
outputTextFile.txt-This is Line1
outputTextFile.txt-This is Line2
outputTextFile.txt:This is Line3
--
outputTextFile.txt-Line1
outputTextFile.txt-Line2
outputTextFile.txt:Line3
--
secondTextFile.txt-Line1
```

```
secondTextFile.txt-Line2
secondTextFile.txt:Line3
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -A number “pattern” fileName**” command is used to *print the specified number of lines, specified using the option “number”, which comes after the lines that match with the provided string pattern in the file* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -A 2 "Line5" firstTextFile.txt
This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -A number “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to *print the specified number of lines, specified using the option “number”, which comes after the lines that match with the provided string pattern in the list of files* mentioned in the command.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -A 2 "Line5" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt outputTextFile.txt
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line7
--
outputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
outputTextFile.txt-This is Line6
outputTextFile.txt-This is Line7
--
outputTextFile.txt:My Line5
outputTextFile.txt-
outputTextFile.txt-My Line6
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The “**grep -A number “pattern” ***” command is used to *print the specified number of lines, specified using the option “number”, which comes after the lines that match with the provided string pattern in all the files present in the current directory.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -A 2 "Line5" *
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line6
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line7
--
newDoc1:newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line5
newDoc1-newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line6
newDoc1-newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line7
--
newDoc1:newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line5
newDoc1-newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line6
newDoc1-newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line7
--
newDoc1:outputTextFile.txt:My Line5
newDoc1-outputTextFile.txt:My Line6
newDoc1-outputTextFile.txt:My Line7
--
newDoc1:thirdTextFile.txt:My Line5
newDoc1-thirdTextFile.txt:My Line6
newDoc1-thirdTextFile.txt:My Line7
--
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt-This is Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt-This is Line7
--
newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt-
newOutputTextFile.txt-My Line6
--
newOutputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
```

```

newOutputTextFile.txt-This is Line6
newOutputTextFile.txt-This is Line7
--
newOutputTextFile.txt:My Line5
newOutputTextFile.txt-
newOutputTextFile.txt-My Line6
--
outputTextFile.txt:This is Line5
outputTextFile.txt-This is Line6
outputTextFile.txt-This is Line7
--
outputTextFile.txt:My Line5
outputTextFile.txt-
outputTextFile.txt-My Line6
--
thirdTextFile.txt:My Line5
thirdTextFile.txt-
thirdTextFile.txt-My Line6
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$

```

- ✚ The “**grep -B beforeNumber -A afterNumber “pattern” fileName**” command is used to *print the specified number of lines, specified using the option “beforeNumber”, which comes before, as well as, the specified number of lines, specified using the option “afterNumber”, which comes after the lines that match with the provided string pattern in the file mentioned in the command.*

```

oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -B 1 -A 3 "Line2" firstTextFile.txt
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$

```

- ✚ The “**grep -B beforeNumber -A afterNumber “pattern” fileName1 fileName2 fileName3**” command is used to *print the specified number of lines, specified using the option “beforeNumber”, which comes before, as well as, the specified number of lines, specified using the option “afterNumber”, which comes after the lines that match with the provided string pattern in the list of files mentioned in the command.*

```

oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -B 1 -A 4 "Line2" firstTextFile.txt secondTextFile.txt
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line1
firstTextFile.txt:This is Line2
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line3
firstTextFile.txt-
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line5
firstTextFile.txt-This is Line6
--
secondTextFile.txt-Line1
secondTextFile.txt:Line2
secondTextFile.txt-Line3
secondTextFile.txt-Line4
secondTextFile.txt-
secondTextFile.txt-Line6
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$

```

- ✚ The “**grep -B beforeNumber -A afterNumber “pattern” ***” command is used to *print the specified number of lines, specified using the option “beforeNumber”, which comes before, as well as, the specified number of lines, specified using the option*

“afterNumber”, which comes after the lines that match with the provided string pattern in all the files present in the current directory.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -B 1 -A 4 "This" *
doc1:This is the Doc1 file
doc1:This is the second line
--
file1.pdf-
file1.pdf:This is the content of file1.pdf
file1.pdf-
file1.pdf-
file1.pdf-
file1.pdf-Closing file1.pdf
--
file2.doc-
file2.doc:This is the content of file2.doc
file2.doc-
file2.doc-Closing file2.doc
file2.doc-Welcome
file2.doc-
file2.doc:This is the content of file3.docx
file2.doc-Closing file3.docx
file2.doc-Hi
file2.doc-
file2.doc:This is the content of file1.pdf
file2.doc-
file2.doc-
file2.doc-
file2.doc-Closing file1.pdf
--
file3.docx-
file3.docx:This is the content of file3.docx
file3.docx-Closing file3.docx
```

If there is no line before, or, after the line that matches with the provided string pattern in any file, then, no line is printed.

- ✚ The command `ls | grep "fileNamePattern"`, or, `ls -l | grep "fileNamePattern"` is used to search files, or, directories having name that contain the specified pattern, in the current directory.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls | grep "outputText"
outputTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$

oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l | grep "Text"
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ The `grep -f filename toSearchFileName` command is used to **highlight only** those lines of the file `filename` in the file `toSearchFileName` that match the provided string pattern.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ grep -f firstTextFile.txt newOutputTextFile.txt
Hi
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
Hello
Line1
Line2
Line3
Line4

Line6
Line7
Line8
Line9
Welcome
My Line1
My Line2

My Line4
My Line5

My Line6
My Line7

My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
Hi
This is Line1
This is Line2
This is Line3

This is Line5
This is Line6
This is Line7
This is Line8
This is Lin 9This is Line10
Hello
Line1
Line2
Line3
Line4

Line6
Line7
Line8
Line9
Welcome
My Line1
My Line2

My Line4
My Line5

My Line6
My Line7

My Line8
My Line9
My Line10
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

chmod

- The “**chmod**” command is **used to change** the **access mode of a file**. The **syntax** of this command is – “**chmod [user class] [permission operator] [mode] filename1 fileName2 fileName3 ...**”

- User Class** –

User Class	Class	Description
u	Owner	File’s owner
g	Group	Users, who are members of the file’s group
o	Others	Users, who are neither the file’s owner, nor, members of the file’s group
a	All	All three of the above, same as “ugo”

- Permission Operator** – The **Permission Operator** is **used to specify how the modes of a file should be adjusted**. Putting blank spaces around the **Permission Operator** would **make the command fail**.

Permission Operator	Description
+	Adds the specified modes to the specified User Classes
-	Removes the specified modes from the specified User Classes
=	The modes specified are to be made the exact modes for the specified User Classes

- Permission Mode** – The **Permission Modes** indicate which **permissions are to be granted or removed from the specified User Classes**. There are **three basic Permission Modes** –

Permission Mode	Description
r	Permission to read the file
w	Permission to write, or, delete the file
x	Permission to execute the file. In case of a directory, permission to search in it.

- To see the **Permissions of different files**, “**ls -l**” command is **used, which lists the files in the working directory in long format**.


```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 8
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 12 21:26 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- The *first character in the first column* represents the *type of the file*, i.e., whether it is a *normal file*, or, a *directory*.
“d” represents a *directory*.

```
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 12 21:26 subNestTestDir2
```

“-“ represents a *normal file*.

```
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
```

- The *first set of three characters, after the file type, in the first column* represents the *permissions assigned to the owner of the file*.

```
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
```

Here, for the file “firstTextFile.txt”, the *owner’s permissions* are – “rw-”, which means that, the *owner has read (r), and, write (w) access*.

- The *third column for the file “firstTextFile.txt”* represents the *name of the owner of the file*.
- The *fourth column for the file “firstTextFile.txt”* represents the *name of the group to which the owner of the file belongs to*.
- The *second set of three characters, after the owner’s permission, in the first column* represents the *permissions assigned to the group to which the owner of the file belongs to*.

Here, *for the file “firstTextFile.txt”, the group’s permissions are – “rw-”, which means that, the group to which the owner belongs to has read (r), and, write (w) access. That means, other users of the group cannot execute (x) the file “firstTextFile.txt”, but can read (r), and, write (w) to it.*

- The *last set of three characters, after the group’s permission, in the first column represents the permissions assigned to users, who are neither the owner of the file, nor the members of the group to which the owner of the file belongs to.*

Here, *for the file “firstTextFile.txt”, the other users’ permissions are – “rw-”, which means that, the other users has read (r), and, write (w) access. That means, other users, who do not belong to the group to which the owner of the file belongs to, cannot execute (x) the file “firstTextFile.txt”, but can read (r), and, write (w) to it.*

- + The *owner’s permission of the file “newDoc1” is “rw-”.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 22:10 newDoc1
```

To change the permission of the file “newDoc1”, so that the owner of the file neither can write (w) to it, nor, can execute (x) it but only can read (r) it, the “chmod u-w-x newDoc1” command is used.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod u-w-x newDoc1
```

The *accordingly changed permissions of the file “newDoc1” can be displayed using the “ls -l” command –*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-r--rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 22:10 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

- + Now, *permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Also, permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x).*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=rwx,g=rwx,o=rwx subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 12 23:37 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is read (r), and, write (w). Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is read (r), and, write (w). Also, permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is read (r), and, write (w).

In this case, the user can delete the file “newDoc1” from inside the directory “subNestTestDir2”.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod u=rw,g=rw,o=rw newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 23:37 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ rm newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 0
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

✚ Now, permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Also, permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x).

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=rwx,g=rwx,o=rwx subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 12 23:37 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is read (r), and, execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is also only read (r), and, execute (x). Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is also only read (r), and, execute (x).

In this case also, the user can delete the file “newDoc1” from inside the directory “subNestTestDir2”.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod u=rx,g=rx,o=rx newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-r-xr-xr-x 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 00:32 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ rm newDoc1
rm: remove write-protected regular file 'newDoc1'? y
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 0
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

✚ Now, permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Also, permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x).

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=rwx,g=rwx,o=rwx subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 12 23:37 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is only read (r). Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is also only read (r). Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is also only read (r).

In this case also, the user can delete the file “newDoc1” from inside the directory “subNestTestDir2”.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod u=r,g=r,o=r newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-r--r--r-- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 00:38 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ rm newDoc1
rm: remove write-protected regular file 'newDoc1'? y
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 0
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

✚ Now, permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Also, permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x).

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=rwx,g=rwx,o=rwx subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 12 23:37 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is only execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is only execute (x). Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is also only execute (x).

In this case also, the user can delete the file “newDoc1” from inside the directory “subNestTestDir2”.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod u=x,g=x,o=x newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
---x--x--x 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 00:42 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ rm newDoc1
rm: remove write-protected regular file 'newDoc1'? y
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 0
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

✚ Now, permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x). Also, permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is all, i.e., read (r), write (w) and execute (x).


```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=rwx,g=rwx,o=rwx subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 12 23:37 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is also none.

In this case also, the user can delete the file “newDoc1” from inside the directory “subNestTestDir2”.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod u=,g=,o= newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
----- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 00:46 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ rm newDoc1
rm: remove write-protected regular file 'newDoc1'? y
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 0
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

✚ Now, permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is read (r), and, execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is read (r), and, execute (x). Also, permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is read (r), and, execute (x).

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=rx,g=rx,o=rx subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
dr-xr-xr-x 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 13 00:46 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, *permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is also none.*

In this case, the *user cannot delete the file “newDoc1” from inside the directory “subNestTestDir2”.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod u=,g=,o= newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
----- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 00:58 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ rm newDoc1
rm: remove write-protected regular file 'newDoc1'? y
rm: cannot remove 'newDoc1': Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

✚ Now, *permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is only read (r). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is only read (r). Also, permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is only read (r).*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=r,g=r,o=r subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
dr--r--r-- 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 13 00:58 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is also none.

In this case, the user cannot open the directory “subNestTestDir2”. Hence, deletion of the file “newDoc1” inside it is not possible.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cd subNestTestDir2
-bash: cd: subNestTestDir2: Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ Now, permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is only execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is only execute (x). Also, permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is only execute (x).


```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=x,g=x,o=x subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
d--x--x--x 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 13 00:58 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is also none.

In this case, the user cannot delete the file “newDoc1” from inside the directory “subNestTestDir2”.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod u=,g=,o= newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
ls: cannot open directory '.': Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ rm newDoc1
rm: remove write-protected regular file 'newDoc1'? y
rm: cannot remove 'newDoc1': Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ Now, permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is only write (w). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is only write (w). Also, permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is only write (w).

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=w,g=w,o=w subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila  299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
d-w--w--w- 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 13 00:58 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila   93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this *directory* “subNestTestDir2”, there is a *file* “newDoc1”. Now, *permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is also none.*

In this case, the *user cannot open the directory “subNestTestDir2”*. Hence, *deletion of the file “newDoc1” inside it is not possible.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cd subNestTestDir2
-bash: cd: subNestTestDir2: Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ Now, *permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is write (w), and, execute (x). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is write (w), and, execute (x). Permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is write (w), and, execute (x).*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=wx,g=wx,o=wx subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
d-wx-wx-wx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 13 00:58 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, *permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is none.*

In this case, the *user can delete the file “newDoc1” from inside the directory “subNestTestDir2. But the user cannot list the contents of the directory.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod u=,g=,o= newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
ls: cannot open directory '.': Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ rm newDoc1
rm: remove write-protected regular file 'newDoc1'? y
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
ls: cannot open directory '.': Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

- ✚ Now, *permission of the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is read (r), and, write (w). Permission of the group to which the owner of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is read (r), and, write (w). Permission of the other users of the directory “subNestTestDir2” is read (r), and, write (w).*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ chmod u=rw,g=rw,o=rw subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
drw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 13 01:27 subNestTestDir2
-rw-rw-rw- 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Inside this directory “subNestTestDir2”, there is a file “newDoc1”. Now, permission of the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the group to which the owner of the file “newDoc1” is none. Permission of the other users of the file “newDoc1” is none.

In this case, the user cannot open the directory “subNestTestDir2”. Hence, deletion of the file “newDoc1” inside it is not possible.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ cd subNestTestDir2
-bash: cd: subNestTestDir2: Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

✚ **Numeric Method** – When using the Numeric Method, permissions for all the three User Classes (owner, group, and, other users) can be set at the same time. The syntax of this command using Numeric Method is – “chmod [options] [number] filename1 fileName2 fileName3 ...”. The “[number]” can be a 3-digits, or, 4-digits number. When 3-digits number is used, the first digit represents the permission assigned to the owner of the file, the second digit represents the permission assigned to the group to which the owner of the file belongs to, and, the third digit represents the permission assigned to the users, who are neither the owner of the file, nor the members of the group to which the owner of the file belongs to.

“Read”, “Write”, and, “Execute” permissions have the following number value –

- Read (r) = 4
- Write (w) = 2
- Execute (x) = 1

- *No Permissions = 0*

✚ The *Permissions Number of a specific User Class is represented by the sum of the values of the permissions for that specific User Class.*

- *For a file “newDoc1”, the owner’s permissions would be – read (r), write (w), and, execute (x). The group’s permissions would be – read (r), write (w), and, execute (x). The other users’ permissions would be – read (r), write (w), and, execute (x). The corresponding “chmod” command would be the following –*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod 777 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 02:16 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

- *For a file “newDoc1”, the owner’s permissions would be – read (r), and, execute (x). The group’s permissions would be – read (r), write (w), and, execute (x). The other users’ permissions would be – read (r), write (w), and, execute (x). The corresponding “chmod” command would be the following –*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod 577 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-r-xrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 02:16 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

- *For a file “newDoc1”, the owner’s permissions would be – read (r), and, write (w). The group’s permissions would be – read (r), write (w), and, execute (x). The other users’ permissions would be – read (r), write (w), and, execute (x). The corresponding “chmod” command would be the following –*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod 677 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-rw-rwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 02:16 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

- *For a file “newDoc1”, the owner’s permissions would be –write (w), and, execute (x). The group’s permissions would be – read (r), write (w), and, execute (x). The other users’ permissions would be – read (r), write (w), and, execute (x). The corresponding “chmod” command would be the following –*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod 377 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
--wxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 02:16 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```


- For a file “newDoc1”, the **owner’s permissions** would be – **read (r)**. The **group’s permissions** would be – **read (r), write (w), and, execute (x)**. The **other users’ permissions** would be – **read (r), write (w), and, execute (x)**. The **corresponding “chmod” command would be the following** –

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod 477 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
-r--rwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 02:16 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

- For a file “newDoc1”, the **owner’s permissions** would be – **write (w)**. The **group’s permissions** would be – **read (r), write (w), and, execute (x)**. The **other users’ permissions** would be – **read (r), write (w), and, execute (x)**. The **corresponding “chmod” command would be the following** –

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod 277 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
--w-rwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 02:16 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

- For a file “newDoc1”, the **owner’s permissions** would be – **execute (x)**. The **group’s permissions** would be – **read (r), write (w), and, execute (x)**. The **other users’ permissions** would be – **read (r), write (w), and, execute (x)**. The **corresponding “chmod” command would be the following** –

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod 177 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
---xrw-rwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 02:16 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

- For a file “newDoc1”, the **owner’s permissions** would be – **no permissions**. The **group’s permissions** would be – **read (r), write (w), and, execute (x)**. The **other users’ permissions** would be – **read (r), write (w), and, execute (x)**. The **corresponding “chmod” command would be the following** –

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ chmod 077 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 4
----rwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 13 02:16 newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

find

- The “**find**” command **is a command line utility for traversing a file hierarchy**. It can be used to **find files and directories, based on the specified conditions that match the**

arguments. A varieties of conditions can be used to find files and directories, like – permissions, users, groups, file type, date, size etc.

Find Files, or, Directories by Names –

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -name fileOrDirectoryName*” is used to find a file, or, directory by the specified name in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find . -name newDoc1
./newDoc1
./subNestTestDir2/newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, “.” refers to the current directory.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~ -name newDoc1
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2/newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, “~” refers to the home directory.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$ find testDir2 -name newDoc1
testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1
testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2/newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~$
```

Here, “testDir2” refers to a particular directory.

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -iname fileOrDirectoryName*” is used to find a file, or, directory by the specified name case insensitively in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find . -iname "NEWDOC1"
./newDoc1
./subNestTestDir2/newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, “.” refers to the current directory.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~ -iname "NEWDOC1"
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2/newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, “~” refers to the home directory.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~/testDir2 -iname "NEWDOC1"
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2/newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, “~/testDir2” refers to a directory, located under home directory.

Find Contents based on Content Type (File, or, Directory) –

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f*” is used to find all the files present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find . -type f
./doc1
./doc2
./doc3
./doc4
./doc5
./doc6
./file1.pdf
./file2.doc
./file3.docx
./firstTextFile.txt
./newDoc1
./newOutputTextFile.txt
./outputTextFile.txt
./secondTextFile.txt
./statNestTestDir2
./subNestTestDir2/newDoc1
./subNestTestDir2/newDoc2
./thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all the files present in the current directory, and, in any of its sub-directories are displayed.*

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -name fileName*” is used to find all the files, by the specified name, present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~/testDir2 -type f -name "newDoc1"
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2/newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, the *list of files matching the specified name, present in the directory “testDir2” under home directory, and, in any of its sub-directories are displayed.*

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -iname fileName*” is used to find all the files, by the specified name case insensitively, present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~ -type f -iname "newoutputtextfile.txt"
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt
/home/oindrila/testDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```


Here, the *list of files matching the specified name case insensitively, present in the home directory, and, in any of its sub-directories are displayed.*

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type d*” is used to find all the *directories present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~ -type d
/home/oindrila
/home/oindrila/.cache
/home/oindrila/.cache/wslu
/home/oindrila/.config
/home/oindrila/.config/pulse
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/bin
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/configuration-editing
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/configuration-editing/dist
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/configuration-editing/schemas
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/css-language-features
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/css-language-features/client
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/css-language-features/client/dist
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/css-language-features/icons
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/css-language-features/schemas
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/css-language-features/server
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/css-language-features/server/dist
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/debug-auto-launch
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/debug-auto-launch/dist
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/debug-server-ready
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/debug-server-ready/dist
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/emmet
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/emmet/dist
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/emmet/images
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/emmet/node_modules
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/emmet/node_modules/@emmetio
```

Here, *all the directories present in the home directory, and, in any of its sub-directories are displayed.*

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type d -name directoryName*” is used to find all the files, by the specified name, present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~/testDir2 -type d -name "subNestTestDir2"
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, the *list of directories matching the specified name, present in the directory “testDir2” under home directory, and, in any of its sub-directories are displayed.*

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type d -iname fileName*” is used to find all the files, by the specified name case insensitively, present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~ -type d -iname "subnesttestdir2"
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, the *list of directories matching the specified name case insensitively, present in the home directory, and, in any of its sub-directories* are displayed.

Find Files based on Permissions –

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -perm number*” is used to find all the *files present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories having the specified permission number.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM: ~/testDir2/nestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~ -type f -perm 666
/home/oindrila/.cache/wslu/integration
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/User/workspaceStorage/2e4dc8acd0faae2791ea6c2b88709f83/meta.json
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/logs/20200422T225104/exthost1/exthost.log
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/logs/20200422T225104/exthost1/output_logging_20200422T225159/1-GitHub Authentication.log
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/logs/20200422T225104/exthost1/output_logging_20200422T225159/2-Git.log
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/logs/20200422T225104/exthost1/output_logging_20200422T225159/3-Account.log
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/logs/20200422T225104/remoteteagent.log
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/logs/20200423T180928/exthost1/exthost.log
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/logs/20200423T180928/exthost1/output_logging_20200423T180948/1-GitHub Authentication.log
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/logs/20200423T180928/exthost1/output_logging_20200423T180948/2-Account.log
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/logs/20200423T180928/exthost1/output_logging_20200423T180948/3-Git.log
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/data/machineid
/home/oindrila/.wget-hsts
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc1
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc2
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc3
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc4
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc5
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc6
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/file1.pdf
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/file2.doc
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/file3.docx
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/firstTextFile.txt
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/newOutputTextFile.txt
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/outputTextFile.txt
```

Here, *all the files, having the specified permission number 666, present in the home directory, and, in any of its sub-directories* are displayed.

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f ! -perm number*” is used to find all the *files present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories not having the specified permission number.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~/testDir2 -type f ! -perm 666
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/newDoc1
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2/newDoc1
oindrila@DESKTOP-TRK9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all the files, not having the specified permission number 666, present in the directory “testDir2” under home directory, and, in any of its sub-directories* are displayed.

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type d -perm number*” is used to find all the *directories present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories having the specified permission number.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~/testDir2 -type d -perm 777
/home/oindrila/testDir2
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all* the *directories*, having the *specified permission number 777*, present in the *directory “testDir2”* under *home directory*, and, in any of its *sub-directories* are displayed.

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type d -perm number*” is used to find all the *directories* present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories not having the specified permission number.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$ find ~/testDir2 -type d ! -perm 777
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2/subSubNestTestDir2
find: ‘/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2/subSubNestTestDir2’: Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all* the *directories*, not having the *specified permission number 777*, present in the *directory “testDir2”* under *home directory*, and, in any of its *sub-directories* are displayed.

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -perm oldNumber -exec chmod newNumber {} \;*” is used to find all the *files* present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories having the *specified permission oldNumber*, and, change the *permission* of those files using the *specified permission newNumber*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~/testDir2 -type f -perm 666 -exec chmod 777 {} \;
find: ‘/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/subNestTestDir2/subSubNestTestDir2’: Permission denied
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
---x--x--x 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 13 12:36 subNestTestDir2
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all* the *files*, having the *specified permission number 666*, present in the *directory “testDir2”* under *home directory*, and, in any of its *sub-directories* are

searched, and, the *permission* of those files are changed using the specified *permission 777*.

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type d -perm oldNumber -exec chmod newNumber {} \;*” is used to find all the *directories* present in any directory, and, in any of its *subdirectories* having the specified *permission oldNumber*, and, *change* the *permission* of those *directories* using the specified *permission newNumber*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find /home/oindrila/testDir2 -type d -perm 777 -exec chmod 755 {} \;
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 12
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 46 Jun 12 02:26 doc1
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
--X--X--X 1 oindrila oindrila 1417 Jun 12 15:02 newDoc1
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
drwxr-xr-x 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 13 12:36 subNestTestDir2
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all* the *directories*, having the specified *permission number 777*, present in the *directory “/home/oindrila/testDir2”*, and, in any of its *sub-directories* are searched, and, the *permission* of those *directories* are changed using the specified *permission 755*.

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -name “fileNamePattern” -exec rm -f {} \;*” is used to find all the *files* present in any directory, and, in any of its *subdirectories* having the *file names* matching with the specified *pattern*, and, *remove* the *files*.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~ -type f -name “*1” -exec rm -f {} \;
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ ls -l
total 8
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc2
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 01:53 doc3
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 02:30 doc4
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc5
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 0 Jun 12 03:00 doc6
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 58 Jun 11 23:53 file1.pdf
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 182 Jun 11 23:54 file2.doc
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 62 Jun 11 23:49 file3.docx
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 151 Jun 11 05:20 firstTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 598 Jun 11 14:44 newOutputTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 299 Jun 11 05:21 outputTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 55 Jun 11 04:33 secondTextFile.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 1040 Jun 12 21:30 statNestTestDir2
drwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 4096 Jun 15 01:13 subNestTestDir2
-rwxrwxrwx 1 oindrila oindrila 93 Jun 11 04:35 thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```


Here, *all* the *files*, *having* the *file name ending with "1"*, present in the *directory home directory*, and, in any of its sub-directories are searched, and, then deleted.

- The command "*find [directoryPath] -type f -empty*" is used to find all the empty files present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find /home/oindrila/testDir2 -type f -empty
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc2
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc3
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc4
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc5
/home/oindrila/testDir2/nestTestDir2/doc6
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- The command "*find [directoryPath] -type d -empty*" is used to find all the empty directories present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find . -type d -empty
./subNestTestDir2/subSubNestTestDir2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

- The command "*find [directoryPath] -type f -name ".*"*" is used to find all the hidden files present in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find ~ -type f -name ".*"
/home/oindrila/.bash_history
/home/oindrila/.bash_logout
/home/oindrila/.bashrc
/home/oindrila/.profile
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/emmet/node_modules/jsonc-parser/.npmignore
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/emmet/node_modules/jsonc-parser/.travis.yml
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/fe22a9645b44368865c0ba92e2fb881ff1afce94/extensions/github-authentication/.gitignore
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/ff915844119ce9485abfe8aa9076ec76b5300ddd/extensions/emmet/node_modules/jsonc-parser/.npmignore
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/ff915844119ce9485abfe8aa9076ec76b5300ddd/extensions/emmet/node_modules/jsonc-parser/.travis.yml
/home/oindrila/.vscode-server/bin/ff915844119ce9485abfe8aa9076ec76b5300ddd/extensions/github-authentication/.gitignore
/home/oindrila/.wget-hsts
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Find Files based on Date and Time -

- The command "*find [directoryPath] -type f -mtime -numberOfDays*" is used to find all the files having modified time within the specified number of days in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find . -type f -mtime -3
./doc2
./doc3
./doc4
./doc5
./doc6
./statNestTestDir2
./subNestTestDir2/newDoc2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all the files, having the modified time within 2 days, present in the current directory, and, in any of its sub-directories are searched.*

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -mtime numberOfDays*” is used to *find all the files having modified time more than, or, equal to the specified number of days in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find . -type f -mtime 3
./file1.pdf
./file2.doc
./file3.docx
./firstTextFile.txt
./newOutputTextFile.txt
./outputTextFile.txt
./secondTextFile.txt
./thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all the files, having the modified time more than, or, equal to 3 days, present in the current directory, and, in any of its sub-directories are searched.*

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -mmin -numberOfMinutes*” is used to *find all the files having modified time within the specified number of minutes in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find . -type f -mmin -60
./doc2
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all the files, having the modified time within 60 minutes, present in the current directory, and, in any of its sub-directories are searched.*

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -mmin numberOfMinutes*” is used to *find all the files having modified time more than, or, equal to the specified number of minutes in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.*
- For, “*access time*”, instead of “*mtime*”, “*atime*” is used, and, instead of “*mmin*”, “*amin*” is used.
- Similarly, for, “*change time*”, instead of “*mtime*”, “*ctime*” is used, and, instead of “*mmin*”, “*cmin*” is used.

Find Files based on Size –

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -size -sizeWithSign*” is used to *find all the files having size within the specified size in any directory, and, in any of its subdirectories.*

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find . -type f -size -1000b
./doc2
./doc3
./doc4
./doc5
./doc6
./file1.pdf
./file2.doc
./file3.docx
./firstTextFile.txt
./newOutputTextFile.txt
./outputTextFile.txt
./secondTextFile.txt
./statNestTestDir2
./subNestTestDir2/newDoc2
./thirdTextFile.txt
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all* the *files*, *having* the *having* file size *within*, or, 1000 byte, *present* in the *current* directory, *and*, in *any* of its sub-directories are searched.

- The command “*find [directoryPath] -type f -size sizeWithSign*” is used to find *all* the *files* *having* size *more than* the *specified* size in *any* directory, *and*, in *any* of its subdirectories.

```
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$ find . -type f -size 0b
./doc2
./doc3
./doc4
./doc5
./doc6
oindrila@DESKTOP-TKR9FDM:~/testDir2/nestTestDir2$
```

Here, *all* the *files*, *having* the *having* file size *greater than*, or, *equal to* 0 byte, *present* in the *current* directory, *and*, in *any* of its sub-directories are searched.