UNIX File System & Permissions

1: Give the execute permission for the user for a file chap1.

2: Give execute permission for user, group and others for a file add.c

3: Remove the execute permission from user, give read permission to group and others for a file aa.c

4: Give execute permission for users for a.c, kk.c, nato and myfile using single command.

5: Change the directory to root directory. Check the system directories, like bin, etc, usr etc.

Using Pipes and Filters

1: Redirect the content of the help document ls, into a file called as lsdoc.

ls --help > lsdoc

2: Display the content of the lsdoc page wise.

more lsdoc

3: Display only the first 4 lines of the lsdoc file.

head -n 4 lsdoc

4: Display only the last 7 lines of the file lsdoc.

tail -n 7 lsdoc

5: Remove the file lsdoc.

rm lsdo

6: There will be B’day celebration from the friends file, find how many B’day parties

will be held. If two of the friends have the B’date on the same day, then we will be

having one party on that day.

awk '{print $3}' friend | sort | uniq | wc -l

7: Display the lines starting with Ma, in the file friends.

grep '^ma' friend

8: Display the lines starting with Ma, ending with i or ending with id, in the file friends.

grep '^ma.\*\(i\|id\)$' friend

9: Print all the files and the directory files from the current directory across all the sub directories, along with its path

find . -type f

10: Print only the Directory files.

find . -type d

11: Display the files starting with chap, along with its path.

find . -type f -name 'chap\*

12: Sort the file friends in ascending order of names.

sort friend

13: Display the contents of the file friends in uppercase letters.

tr ‘a-z’ ‘A-Z’ < friend

14: Store the contents of your home directory in a file called dir.

ls ~ > dir

15: From the above file dir, display the file permissions and the name of the file only.

-l $(cat dir) | awk '{print $1, $9}'

16: From the same dir file, store only the file names in a file called files.

ls -l $(cat dir) | awk '{print $9}' > files

17: From the same dir file, store only the permissions of files in a file called perms.

ls -l $(cat dir) | awk '{print $1}' > perms

18: From the same dir file, store only the file sizes in a file called sizes.

ls -l $(cat dir) | awk '{print $5}' > sizes

19: Display the file names, sizes and permissions from your directory in that order.

ls -l | awk '{print $9, $5, $1}'

20: Display the number of users working on the system.

who | wc -l

21: Find out the smallest file in your directory.

ls -lS | tail -n 1

22: Display the total number of lines present in the file friends.

wc -l friends

23: Create the following fixed record format files (with “|” delimiter between fields) with the structure given below, and populate them with relevant data use these files to solve following questions

emp.lst: Empid(4),Name(18),Designation(9),Dept(10),Date of Birth(8),Salary(5)

dept.lst: Dept.Code (2), Name (10), Head of Dept’s id(4)

desig.lst: Designation Abbr.(2), Name (9)

1. Find the record lengths of each file.

awk -F ‘|’ ‘{print length($0)}’ emp.lst

awk -F ‘|’ ‘{print length($0)}’ dept.lst

awk -F ‘|’ ‘{print length($0)}’ desig.lst

1. Display only the date of birth and salary of the last employee record.

tail -n 1 emp.lst | awk -F ‘|’ ‘{print $4, $5}

3. Extract only employee names and designations. (Use column specifications).

Save output as cfile1.

awk -F ‘|’ ‘{print $2, $3}’ emp.lst > cfile

4. Extract Emp.id, dept, dob and salary. (Use field specifications). Save output as

cfile2.

awk -F ‘|’ ‘{print $1, $4, $5, $6}’ emp.lst > cfile2

5. Fix the files cfile1 and cfile2 laterally, along with the delimiter.

Paste -d ‘,’ cfile1 cfile2 > merged\_file

6. Sort the emp.lst file in reverse order of Emp. Names.

sort -t ‘|’ -k2,2r emp.lst

7. Sort the emp.lst file on the salary field, and store the result in file srtf.

Sort -t ‘|’ -k6,6n emp.lst > srtf

8. Sort the emp.ls t file on designation followed by name.

sort -t ‘|’ -k3,3 -k2,2 emp.lst

9. Sort the emp.lst file on the year of birth.

sort -t ‘|’ -k5,5 emplis

10. Find out the various designations in the employee file. Eliminate duplicate listing of designations.

awk -F ‘|’ ‘{print $3}’ emp.lst | sort | uniq

11. Find the non-repeated designation in the employee file.

awk -F ‘|’ ‘{print $3}’ emp.lst | sort |uniq -u

12. Find the number of employees with various designations in the employee file.

13. Create a listing of the years in which employees were born in, along with

number of employees born in that year.

awk -F ‘|’ ‘{print $3}’ emp.lst | sort | uniq -c

14. Use nl command to create a code table for designations to include designation

code (Start with dept. code 100, and subsequently 105, 110 …).

25: Write a command sequence that prints out date information in this order: time,

day of week, day number, month, year :

13:44:42 IST Sun 16 Sept 1994

date ‘%T %Z %a %d %b %Y’

26: Write a command sequence that prints the names of the files in the current

directory in the descending order of number of links.

ls -l | sort -k2 -n -r | awk ‘{print $9}’

27: Write a command sequence that prints only names of files in current working

directory in alphabetical order.

ls -l | sort

28: Write a command sequence to print names and sizes of all the files in current

working directory in order of size.

ls -lS | awk ‘{print $9, $5}’

29: Determine the latest file updated by the user.

Ls -lt –time=modify