IP Address Commands

1. ip a

Displays all network interfaces and their IP addresses.

Example:

2. ip a

Output shows details like interface names (eth0, 10), IP addresses, and status (UP, DOWN).

3. hostname -I

Prints only the current IP address(es) of the machine.

Example:

4. hostname -I

Output:

192.168.1.100 10.0.0.1

Working with /etc/passwd

3. cut -d ":" -f 1,6 /etc/passwd

Extracts specific fields from the /etc/passwd file using : as the delimiter.

Example:

4. cut -d ":" -f 1,6 /etc/passwd

Output:

```
root:/root
user1:/home/user1
```

5. cat /etc/passwd

Displays the entire contents of /etc/passwd.

Example:

- 6. cat /etc/passwd
- 7. less /etc/passwd

Opens /etc/passwd for viewing one screen at a time. Use q to quit.

Example:

- 8. less /etc/passwd
- 9. head /etc/passwd

Prints the first 10 lines of /etc/passwd.

Example:

10. head /etc/passwd

```
11.head -n 12 /etc/passwd
```

Prints the first 12 lines of /etc/passwd.

Example:

12. head -n 12 /etc/passwd

13.tail /etc/passwd

Displays the last 10 lines of /etc/passwd.

Example:

14. tail /etc/passwd

15.tail -f /etc/passwd

Continuously monitors the file for changes and displays updates in realtime.

Example:

16. tail -f /etc/passwd

System Monitoring Commands

10.top

Displays running processes in real-time with resource usage.

Example:

11. top

12.ps aux

Lists all running processes with details like user, PID, and CPU usage.

Example:

13. ps aux

14.ps aux | grep <pname>

Searches for processes matching pname>.

Example:

15. ps aux | grep apache

16.kill < pid>

Terminates a process by its Process ID (PID).

Example:

17. kill 1234

18.kill -9 < pid>

Forcibly terminates a process.

Example:

19. kill -9 1234

File Compression and Archiving

15. File Types:

- o .tar: Archive without compression.
- o .tar.gz or .tgz: Compressed with gzip.
- o .tar.bz2: Compressed with bzip2.

```
16.Create a .tar archive:
17. tar cvf file1.tar file1.txt
18.Create a .tar.gz archive:
19. tar cvfz file.tar.gz file.txt
20.Extract files from a .tar archive:
21. tar xvf file.tar
22.Extract files from a .tar.gz archive:
23. tar xvfz file.tar.gz
```

Disk Space and Usage

 $20.\mathtt{df}$ -ht

Displays disk space in human-readable format, grouped by type.

Example:

21. df -ht

22.du -h

Shows disk usage of the current folder.

Example:

23. du -h

24.du -d2 -h

Displays disk usage up to 2 levels deep in human-readable format.

Example:

25. du -d2 -h

26.free

Displays memory usage and available free space.

Example:

27. free -h

Networking

```
24.netstat -ru
```

Displays the system's routing table.

Example:

25. netstat -ru

26.netstat -an | grep LISTEN

Lists all listening ports.

Example:

27. netstat -an | grep LISTEN

Secure Copy Protocol (SCP)

26. Copy a file from local to remote:

27. scp file.txt user@remote host:/path/to/destination

28. Copy a file from remote to local:

- 29. scp user@remote host:/path/to/file.txt /local/path/
- 30. Copy a directory recursively:
- 31. scp -r /local/dir user@remote_host:/remote/dir
- 32. Use a specific SSH port for SCP:
- 33. scp -P 2222 file.txt user@remote host:/path/

What is wget in Ubuntu?

wget is a command-line utility in Ubuntu (and other Linux distributions) used for **downloading files from the web**. It supports downloading over HTTP, HTTPS, and FTP protocols. wget is non-interactive, which makes it ideal for automating downloads and background tasks.

Why Use wget?

- 1. **Simple and Fast**: Easily download files without needing a browser.
- 2. **Supports Multiple Protocols**: Can handle HTTP, HTTPS, and FTP downloads.
- 3. **Resumes Interrupted Downloads**: Useful when a download is interrupted (e.g., due to network issues).
- 4. **Recursive Download**: Can download entire websites or directories.

Basic Syntax of wget

wget [options] <URL>

Common Usage Examples

1. Download a File

To download a single file:

wget https://example.com/file.zip

• This will download file.zip from example.com.

2. Download and Save the File with a Custom Name

You can specify the name to save the file as:

wget -O custom_filename.zip https://example.com/file.zip

• -O: Specifies the output file name.

3. Download a File in the Background

To download a file in the background (useful for large downloads):

wget -b https://example.com/largefile.zip

• -b: Runs the download in the background.

4. Resume an Interrupted Download

If a download was interrupted, you can resume it with the -c option:

wget -c https://example.com/largefile.zip

• -c: Resumes the download if it was previously stopped.

5. Download a Whole Website (Recursive Download)

To download an entire website or a directory recursively:

wget -r https://example.com

• -r: Downloads the entire website (recursively).

6. Limit Download Speed

To limit the download speed to a specific rate:

wget --limit-rate=200k https://example.com/file.zip

• --limit-rate=200k: Limits the download speed to 200 KB/s.

7. Download Multiple Files from a File

If you have a text file containing URLs, you can download all the URLs listed: wget -i urls.txt

• -i: Takes a file (in this case, urls.txt) containing a list of URLs.

8. Download Over HTTPS with SSL Certificate Verification

You can ensure that wget verifies the SSL certificate:

• --https-only: Ensures only HTTPS downloads.

Advanced Options

- **Set User-Agent**: Some websites may block downloads based on the useragent. You can specify a custom user-agent.
- wget --user-agent="Mozilla/5.0" https://example.com/file.zip
- **Download From FTP**: If you're downloading from an FTP server:
- wget ftp://ftp.example.com/file.zip
- **Download with Authentication**: If the URL requires basic HTTP authentication:
- wget --user=USERNAME --password=PASSWORD https://example.com/file.zip

Summary of Common wget Options

Option	Description
-O <file></file>	Save the downloaded file with a specific name.
-c	Resume an interrupted download.
-b	Run the download in the background.
-r	Download a website recursively.
-i <file></file>	Download all URLs listed in a file.
limit-rate	Limit download speed (e.g., 200k, 1M).
https-only	Ensure the download is over HTTPS.
user-agent	Specify a custom user-agent string.

Summary

- What: wget is a command-line tool for downloading files from the web.
- Why: It's fast, simple, and supports a variety of options like resuming downloads, recursive downloading, and limiting speed.
- **How**: Use wget <URL> to download a file, and customize with options like -c to resume or -r to download entire websites.

sed (Stream Editor) is a powerful text-processing tool in Linux. It is primarily used to search, replace, insert, and delete text in files or streams.

What is sed?

- **Stream Editor:** Processes text line by line.
- **Non-interactive:** Performs operations directly on the input without opening an editor.
- Commonly used for:
 - Substitutions
 - Deleting lines
 - Adding or modifying text
 - Extracting parts of a file

Basic Syntax

```
sed [options] 'command' file
```

- Options:
 - o -i: Edits the file in place.
 - o -n: Suppresses automatic printing of the pattern space.
 - o -e: Allows specifying multiple commands.
 - -f: Reads commands from a file.

Key Commands

1. Substitute (s)

Replaces occurrences of a pattern with a specified string.

Syntax:

```
sed 's/<pattern>/<replacement>/g' file
```

- o g: Global replacement (replace all occurrences).
- o Without g, only the first match on each line is replaced.

Example:

```
sed 's/Ubuntu/Linux/' file.txt
```

Replaces the first occurrence of "Ubuntu" with "Linux" on each line of file.txt.

Global Replacement Example:

```
sed 's/Ubuntu/Linux/g' file.txt
```

2. In-Place Editing (-i)

Modifies the file directly without creating a backup.

Example:

```
sed -i 's/Ubuntu/Linux/g' file.txt
```

3. **Delete Lines** (d)

Deletes specific lines.

Syntax:

```
sed '<line number>d' file
```

Examples:

- o Delete the 3rd line:
- o sed '3d' file.txt
- o Delete lines 2 to 5:
- o sed '2,5d' file.txt
- Delete all lines containing "error":
- o sed '/error/d' file.txt

4. Print Specific Lines (p)

Prints specified lines.

Syntax:

```
sed -n '<line number>p' file
```

Examples:

- o Print the 1st line:
- o sed -n '1p' file.txt
- o Print lines 2 to 4:
- o sed -n '2,4p' file.txt

5. Insert Text (i)

Inserts a line of text before a specified line.

Syntax:

```
sed '<line number>i <text>' file
```

Example:

```
sed '3i This is a new line' file.txt
```

o Adds "This is a new line" before the 3rd line.

6. Append Text (a)

Appends a line of text after a specified line.

Syntax:

```
sed '<line number>a <text>' file
```

Example:

```
sed '3a This is appended text' file.txt
```

Adds "This is appended text" after the 3rd line.

7. Replace Line (c)

Replaces a specific line with new text.

Syntax:

```
sed '<line number>c <text>' file
```

Example:

```
sed '3c This is the new content for line 3' file.txt
```

8. Replace Using Regex

You can use regular expressions for advanced matching.

Example: Replace all numbers with #:

```
sed s/[0-9]/\#/g' file.txt
```

9. Multiple Commands (-e)

Run multiple commands in a single execution.

Example:

```
sed -e 's/Ubuntu/Linux/' -e '2d' file.txt
```

- o Replaces "Ubuntu" with "Linux".
- o Deletes the 2nd line.

10.Read From File (-f)

Apply commands from a file.

Example:

Create a file named commands.sed:

```
s/Ubuntu/Linux/
3d
```

Run:

sed -f commands.sed file.txt

11. Print Lines Matching a Pattern (/pattern/p)

Prints lines containing a specific pattern.

Example:

```
sed -n '/error/p' file.txt
```

o Prints lines containing "error".

12. Change Delimiter in sed

If your pattern contains /, you can change the delimiter (e.g., |).

Example:

```
sed 's|/home/user|/data/new|' file.txt
```

13. Save Output to a New File

Use redirection to save changes to a new file.

Example:

```
sed 's/Ubuntu/Linux/' file.txt > newfile.txt
```

Practical Examples

- 1. Replace all occurrences of "foo" with "bar" in a file:
- 2. sed 's/foo/bar/g' file.txt
- 3. Delete empty lines:
- 4. sed '/^\$/d' file.txt
- 5. Highlight matching patterns:
- 6. sed 's/Ubuntu/[Ubuntu]/g' file.txt
- 7. Extract lines containing "error" and save them to a new file:
- 8. sed -n '/error/p' file.txt > errors.txt
- 9. Insert a header at the top of a file:
- 10. sed 'li # Header: File Info' file.txt

1. Downloading Files

wget

wget is a command-line utility for downloading files from the internet.

- Example:
- wget -O a.txt https://github.com
 - o Downloads the content of https://github.com and saves it as a.txt.

curl

curl is a more advanced tool than wget. It can download files and interact with APIs.

- Example:
- curl https://get.docker.com -o get-docker.sh
 - o Downloads the file get-docker.sh from the specified URL.

2. Privilege Management

• sudo

Temporarily grants administrative privileges to run commands as the root user.

- Example:
- o sudo apt update
 - Runs the apt update command with elevated privileges.
- su

Switches to another user account (including root).

- Example:
- o su username
 - Switches to the user username.

3. Navigation & File Operations

• ls

Lists directory contents.

- o Example:
- o time Îs -a
 - Lists all files (including hidden ones) and measures the execution time.
- mv

Moves or renames files.

- o Example:
- o mv file1.txt file2.txt
 - Renames file1.txt to file2.txt.

4. Searching

• locate

Searches for files by name.

- Example:
- o sudo apt update -y && sudo apt install locate
- o locate file.txt
 - Installs the locate command and searches for file.txt.
- grep and fgrep

Searches for patterns in files.

- o Example:
- o grep "error" file.txt
 - Finds lines containing "error" in file.txt.
- fgrep (fixed string grep) does not recognize regular expressions, making it faster for simple searches.

5. File Analysis

cmb

Compares two files byte by byte.

- Example:
- o cmp file1.txt file2.txt
 - Checks for differences between the two files.
- diff

Compares two files line by line.

o Example:

- o diff file1.txt file2.txt
 - Displays the differences in text format.
- WC

Counts lines, words, and characters in a file.

- o Example:
- o wc file.txt
 - Prints the number of lines, words, and characters in file.txt.

6. File Transformation

• sed

Stream editor for text manipulation.

- o Example:
- o sed 's/old/new/g' file.txt
 - Replaces all occurrences of "old" with "new" in file.txt.
- cut

Extracts specific fields from a file.

- o Example:
- o cut -d': '-f1 /etc/passwd
 - Displays the first field (username) of /etc/passwd.
- tr

Translates or deletes characters.

- Examples:
- o echo "hello world" | tr '[:lower:]' '[:upper:]'
 - Converts "hello world" to uppercase.
- o echo "UST GLOBAL" | tr -d '[:space:]'
 - Removes spaces from "UST GLOBAL".

7. Process Management

• ps

Displays information about processes.

- o Example:
- o ps aux
 - Displays detailed process information.
- Example with filtering:
- o ps aux | grep docker
 - Shows processes related to Docker.
- kill

Terminates a process by its PID (Process ID).

- Example:
- o kill -9 PID

• Forcefully kills the process with the specified PID.

8. Disk & System Management

df

Displays disk space usage.

- Example:
- o df -ht
 - Shows disk usage in a human-readable format, filtered by type.
- du

Displays folder sizes.

- o Examples:
- o du -h
 - Shows folder sizes in human-readable format.
- o du -d2 -h
 - Shows folder sizes up to 2 levels deep.
- free

Displays memory usage.

- Example:
- o free

9. File Permissions

• chown

Changes the owner of a file.

- Example:
- o sudo chown user:group file.txt
- ln

Creates links (hard or symbolic).

- Example:
- o ln -s /usr/bin/ls myls
 - Creates a symbolic link to /usr/bin/ls named myls.

10. Scheduling Tasks

• crontab

Automates tasks by scheduling commands.

- Example:
- o crontab -e
 - Edits the cron jobs.

- Example to run every minute:
- o */1 * * * * echo "Hello World" >> /home/user/hello.txt

11. Network Commands

- ip a
 - Displays IP addresses of network interfaces.
- ssh

Securely connects to a remote system.

- Example:
- o ssh user@172.18.228.16
 - Logs in to the remote system at the specified IP.

12. Docker Management

• systemctl

Manages services.

- Examples:
- o systemctl status docker
- o systemctl stop docker
- o systemctl disable docker
 - Displays the status, stops, and disables the Docker service.