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#!/bin/bash
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# This script filters input, removing excess spaces and tabs with a singular
# tab in the output.
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sed -e 's/ \+/ /g' -e 's/ *$//' -e 's/ \+/ /g'

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Test
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(student)~/5520/Lab1% normwhite
This          is          a          test          of          spaces and
      tabs.
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