**NDG Linux Essentials 2.0 Chapter 8 Exam Answers**

1. **When using the cp command, you must provide both a source and a destination.**

**True or False?**

* + True
  + False

1. **Which option(s) can be used to prevent cp from overwriting an existing file?**

**(choose two)**

* + -z
  + -n
  + -N
  + -i

1. **The command rm -r will…**
   * remove a directory along with any files or subdirectories.
   * generate an error; -r isn’t a valid option.
   * remove only empty directories.
   * prompt for each confirmation before deleting each file in a directory.
2. **Which option can be used with the rm command to prompt before deleting?**
   * A
   * -P
   * l
   * -i
3. **The rm command can delete multiple files at once.**

**True or False?**

* + True
  + False

1. **Which of the following commands can be used to rename a file?**
   * cp
   * rm
   * mv
   * name
2. **The touch command can be used to:**

**(choose two)**

* + Update the timestamp of existing files
  + Change ownership of a file
  + Create new files
  + Change a file’s name

1. **Which of the following are glob characters?**

**(choose three)**

* + The square brackets “[” and “]”
  + The question mark “?”
  + The dash character “-“
  + The asterisk “\*”

1. **The main purpose of using glob characters is to be able to provide a list of filenames to a command.**

**True or False?**

* + True
  + False

1. **The asterisk character is used to represent zero or more of any character in a filename.**

**True or False?**

* + True
  + False

1. **Which of these commands will return /etc/gai.conf /etc/pam.conf /etc/ucf.conf?**

**(choose two)**

* + ls /etc/???.????
  + echo /etc/???.\*f
  + echo /etc/\*?.\*o?
  + ls /etc/p???.\*\*

1. **Brackets cannot be used to a represent a range of characters.**

**True or False?**

* + True
  + False

1. **Which command would list files that do not begin with a “T” or a “W”?**
   * echo /etc/\*[TW!]
   * echo /etc/!TW
   * echo /etc/[!TW]\*
   * echo /etc/[\*TW]!

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