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Cat Command

- Definition: The cat command is used to concatenate and display the content of files.
- Usage: cat ['options'] ['file']
- Examples:
- cat file.txt
- cat file1.txt file2.txt
- cat > newfile.txt

Tac

- Definition: The tac command is used to concatenate and display the content of files in reverse order.
- Usage: tac [file]
- Examples:
- tac file.txt
- tac file1.txt file2.txt

Head

- Definition: The head command outputs the first part of files.
- Usage: head [options] [file]
- Examples:
- head file.txt
- head -n 5 file.txt

Tail

- Definition: The tail command outputs the last part of files.
- Usage: tail [options] [file]
- Examples:
- tail file.txt
- tail -n 5 file.txt

Cut

- Definition: The cut command removes sections from each line of files.
- Usage: cut [options] [files]
- Examples:
- cut -d ',' -f 1 file.csv
- cut -d ','-f 1,3 file.csv

Sort

- Definition: The sort command sorts lines of text files.
- Usage: sort [options] [file]
- Examples:
- sort file.txt

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sort -n file.txt

WC

- Definition: The wc command prints newline, word, and byte counts for each file.
- Usage: wc [options] [file]
- Examples:
- wc -w file.txt
- wc -l file.txt

TR

- Definition: The tr command translate or deletes characters.
- Usage: tr [options] [set1] [set2]
- Examples:
- tr 'a-z' 'A-Z'
- tr -d '0-9'

Diff

- Definition: The diff command compares files line by line.
- Usage: diff [options] [file1] [file2]
- Examples:
- diff file1.txt file2.txt
- diff -u file1.txt file2.txt

Grep

- Definition: The grep command searches for patterns in each file.
- Usage: grep [options] pattern [file]
- Examples:
- grep "word" files.txt
- grep -i "word" file.txt
- grep -n "word" file.txt