

Commands and Server.c Documentation

1) Server Main Thread

1. Runs an infinite loop representing a scheduler
 - i) If there is something to delete, it deletes and extra threads
 - ii) If it is waiting for all to terminate, then it waits and checks again for threads to delete (w)
 - iii) Else it handles commands
 - (1) Note: It will block here until new user input is detected, so it won't delete threads till after it gets more input. Threads all still are cleaned up eventually
 - (2) This goes to the function `handle_input()` which spits up input to words and handles input
 - iv) Else if it is terminated it exits the whole thing
 - v) Else it sleeps and gives up context

2) e

1. This command spawns a new window and thread
2. The thread is detached when created, and added to a linked list in the server
 - i) Note, since the thread is detached it never needs to be joined, I made this decision since I have to state to join from the thread anyways
3. The windows can be closed and the thread ended with `ctrl-d`
 - i) When exiting the thread asks the server to free it by setting a Boolean in the server's list of threads

3) E [input file name] [output file name]

1. This command spawns a new thread and only takes in a file input (and potential output)
2. The thread ends when done processing the file
 - i) When exiting the thread asks the server to free it by setting a Boolean in the server's list of threads

4) s

1. Tells all threads to wait on a `pthread_cond` by setting a bool `wait_all`
 - i) Before they handle the next line of commands

5) g

1. Broadcasts to all threads that are waiting on `pthread_cond`
 - i) Tells them to go and sets the bool `wait_all` so that they don't wait again

6) w

1. Broadcasts to all threads that are waiting on `pthread_cond`
 - i) Tells them to go and sets the bool `wait_all` so that they don't wait again
2. Sets the state of the server to be `WAITING_FOR_TERMINATIONS` so that it doesn't accept any more input until all threads are deleted