Day 3 Introduction to UNIX commandline



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Summary of Day 2

file permissions

cat

WC

pipeline

In -s

grep

regex

sed

awk



- awk is both a
 - programming language
 - text processor

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whitespace (spaces, tabs, etc.) to separate fields
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- parsing and manipulating tabular data
 - iterates through the entire file line-by-line

```
awk '{action_to_take}' <file_to_parse>
```

awk: Simple Uses

```
action to take
  awk '{print}' <file to parse>
  awk '{print $1}' <file to parse>
            column number
awk '{print $1"\t"$3}' <file to parse>
               delimiter
```

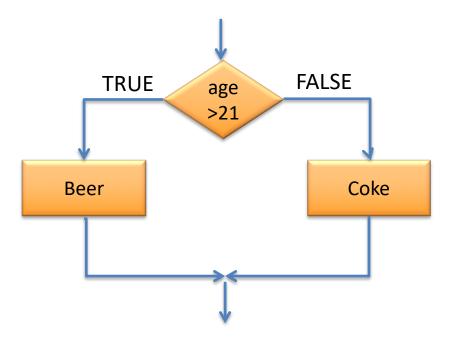


Let's practice

```
awk '{print}' hg19.gtf
awk '{print $1}' hg19.gtf
awk '{print $4}' hg19.gtf
awk '{print $1"\t"$4} hg19.gtf
awk '{print $1"\t"$4*$5}' hg19.gtf
```

awk: If statement

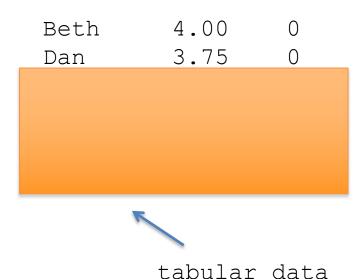
```
if (age>21) then
   print("Beer Please")
```



awk: If statement



Print those employees who actually worked



awk '{if(\$3>0) print}' emp.data

Data type

- Numbers
- Text

_1	clothing	3141
1	textbooks	21312
2	clothing	3252
2	supplies	2242
2	textbooks	15462



Print information about computers only

use double quote

Text



Let's practice!

```
awk '{if($3>0) print}' emp.data
awk '{if($3>0) print $1"\t"$2*$3}' emp.data
```

Beth	4.00	0
Dan	3.75	0
Kathy	4.00	10
Mark	5.00	20
Mary	5.50	22
Susie	4.25	18



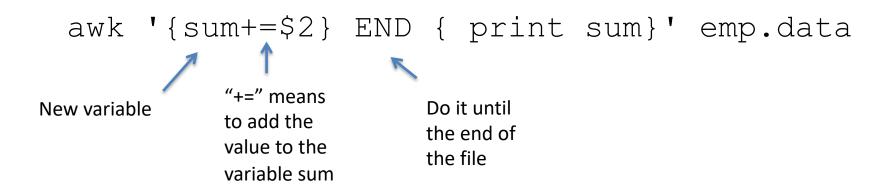
Let's practice!

```
awk '{if($4>50) print}' hg19.gtf
awk '{if($1=="chr2") print}' hg19.gtf
awk '{if($1=="chr2") print $1"\t"$3}' hg19.gtf
```

```
chr2 hg18_knownGene_GnfAtlas2 exon 237538 237602 0.000000 - . gene_id "204019_s_at"; transcript_id "uc002qvu.1"; chr2 hg18 knownGene GnfAtlas2 exon 239731 239852 0.000000 - . gene_id "204019_s_at"; transcript_id "uc002qvu.1";
```

awk: sum

Calculate sum of a particular column





A variable is like a **box** where we can store a value and reuse this same value multiple times in our program.



Let's practice!

```
awk '{sum+=$4} END {print sum}' hg19.gtf

awk ' END {print NR}' hg19.gtf

wc -l hg19.gtf

awk '{sum+=$4} END {print sum/3000}' hg19.gtf

awk '{sum+=$4} END {print sum/NR}' hg19.gtf

awk '{if($1=="chr2") sum+=$4} END {print sum}' hg19.gtf
```

```
chr2 hg18_knownGene_GnfAtlas2 exon 237538 237602 0.000000 - . gene_id "204019_s_at"; transcript_id "uc002qvu.1"; chr2 hg18 knownGene GnfAtlas2 exon 239731 239852 0.000000 - . gene_id "204019_s_at"; transcript_id "uc002qvu.1";
```

Sort

 will rearrange the lines in a text file so that they are sorted, numerically and alphabetically.

```
sort [OPTION]... [FILE]...
```

Options:

- -n numerical ordering
- -k sort by a particular column

Sort a file



sort regex.txt

regex.txt

beat

brat

boat

bat

banana

Sort a text file



sort -n regex.txt



Sort by column





sort -k 3n sales.dat

sales.dat

1 clothing 3141
1 computers 9161
1 textbooks 21312
2 clothing 3252
3 ...

Uniq

Removes duplicate lines from a file*

```
uniq [OPTION]... [INPUT]
```

Options:

- -c how many times each line occurred
- -d print only duplicated lines

^{*}assumes that the file is sorted



Let's practice

```
$ sort -n numbers.txt >numbers sort.txt
 $ uniq numbers sort.txt
 $ sort numbers.txt | uniq
 $ uniq -d numbers sort.txt
 $ uniq -c numbers sort.txt
                                          numbers.txt
         a line of the file
How many times it occurs
```

Shell scripts

 If you have a bunch of commands you'd like to automate, you can put them on separate lines of a file.





Following steps are required to write shell script:

My first shell script!



Use any **vi** editor like to write shell script.



After writing shell script set execute permission for your script

My first shell script!

```
vi script.sh
```

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "My first script"
```



How to run the script:

```
chmod u+x script.sh
./script.sh
```



More scripting

 Let's create a bash script which will split <gtf> into files corresponding to every chr (2,3,21), save every file in separate directory called chr\${i}_gtf.

More scripting





```
#!/bin/bash
echo "My first script"
mkdir chr2 gtf
mkdir chr3 gtf
mkdir chr21 gtf
grep "chr2\s" $1 chr2_gtf/chr2.gtf
grep "chr3\s" $1 >chr3 gtf/chr3.gtf
grep "chr21\s" $1 >chr21 gtf/chr21.gtf
```

How to run the script:

Do biomedical researchers have to become programmers?















^{*}provided in the class

