

Q1. Create a directory "exercise" inside your home directory and create nested(dir1/dir2/dir3) directory structure inside "exercise" with single command.

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ mkdir exercise
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cd exercise
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~/exercise$ mkdir -p dir1/dir2/dir3
```

Q2. Create two empty files inside dir2 directory: emptyFile1,emptyFile2 in single command

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ touch exercise/dir1/dir2/emptyFile1 exercise/dir1/dir2/emptyFile2
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cd dir1/dir2
bash: cd: dir1/dir2: No such file or directory
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cd exercise/dir1/dir2
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ ls -l
total 4
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 14:33 dir3
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep  0 Feb  3 15:23 emptyFile1
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep  0 Feb  3 15:23 emptyFile2
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$
```

Q3. Create one file file1.txt containing text "hello world" and save it.

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~/exercise$ cat > file.txt
hello world
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~/exercise$ cat file.txt
hello world
```

Q4. Find a "passwd" file using find command inside /etc. copy this files as passwd\_copy and then rename this file as passwd\_backup.

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo find /etc -name passwd | cat > passwd_copy | mv passwd_copy passwd_backup
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l
total 52
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:15 Desktop
drwxr-xr-x 3 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  2 13:42 Documents
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:14 Downloads
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep 8980 Jan 29 21:10 examples.desktop
drwxr-xr-x 3 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 15:31 exercise
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:14 Music
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep  53 Feb  3 15:47 passwd_backup
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 15:32 Pictures
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:14 Public
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:14 Templates
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:14 Videos
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cat passwd_backup
/etc/cron.daily/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd
/etc/passwd
```

Q5. Try reading passwd\_backup file in multiple tools: less,more,cat,strings etc and find the difference in

their usage.

Cat:

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cat passwd_backup
/etc/cron.daily/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd
/etc/passwd
```

less:

```
/etc/cron.daily/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd
/etc/passwd
(END)
```

more:

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cat passwd_backup|more
/etc/cron.daily/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd
/etc/passwd
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```

strings:

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ strings passwd_backup
/etc/cron.daily/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd
/etc/passwd
```

Q6. Find out the number of line in password\_backup containing "/bin/false".

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ grep -c "/bin/false" passwd_backup
0
```

Q7. Get the first 5 lines of a file "password\_backup" and Redirect the output of the above commands into file "output".

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cat passwd_backup
/etc/cron.daily/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd
/etc/passwd
this is intentionally created lines
second one
third one
forth one
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ head -5 passwd_backup | cat > output
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cat output
/etc/cron.daily/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd
/etc/passwd
this is intentionally created lines
second one
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```

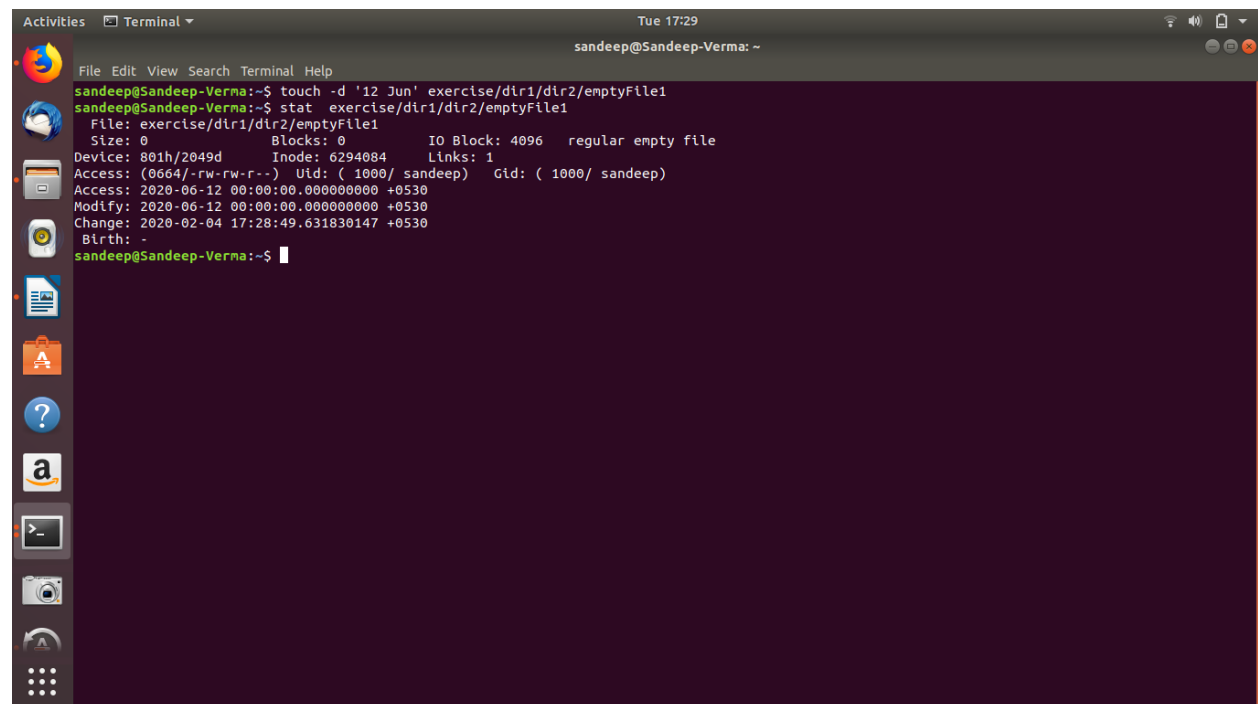
Q8. Create a "test" user, create its password and find out its uid and gid.

```

sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo useradd test
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo passwd test
Enter new UNIX password:
Retype new UNIX password:
passwd: password updated successfully
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ id -u test
1001
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ id -g test
1001
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$

```

Q9. Change the timestamp of emptyFile1,emptyFile2 which are exist in dir2



The screenshot shows a terminal window titled "Terminal" with the prompt "sandeep@Sandeep-Verma: ~". The user has executed the following commands:

```

sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ touch -d '12 Jun' exercise/dir1/dir2/emptyFile1
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ stat exercise/dir1/dir2/emptyFile1

```

The output of the `stat` command is as follows:

```

File: exercise/dir1/dir2/emptyFile1
Size: 0          Blocks: 0          IO Block: 4096   regular empty file
Device: 801h/2049d    Inode: 6294084    Links: 1
Access: (0664/-rw-rw-r-- )  Uid: ( 1000/ sandeep)   Gid: ( 1000/ sandeep)
Access: 2020-06-12 00:00:00.000000000 +0530
Modify: 2020-06-12 00:00:00.000000000 +0530
Change: 2020-02-04 17:28:49.631830147 +0530
Birth: -
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$

```

Q10. Login as test user and edit the "output" file created above. Since the permission wont allow you to save the changes. Configure such that test user can edit it.

1. Add group owner of the "output" file as the secondary group of testuser and check/change the "output" file permission if it is editable by group. Once done revert the

changes

2. Make the file editable to the world so that test user can access it. Revert the changes after verification
3. Change the ownership to edit the file.

Adding test in form of secondary group and giving group execute and write permission

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l output.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep 37 Feb  4 16:50 output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo usermod -G sandeep test
[sudo] password for sandeep:
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ groups test
test : test sandeep
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo chmod g+wx output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l output
ls: cannot access 'output': No such file or directory
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l output.txt
-rw-rwxr-- 1 sandeep sandeep 37 Feb  4 16:50 output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ su test
Password:
welcome
test@Sandeep-Verma:/home/sandeep$ vim output.txt
test@Sandeep-Verma:/home/sandeep$
```

Reverting permissions and at the same time make the file accessible to world

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo chmod g-wx output.txt
[sudo] password for sandeep:
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l output.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep 41 Feb  4 16:53 output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ chmod 777 output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l output.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 sandeep sandeep 41 Feb  4 16:53 output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```

Further, giving ownership to test

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo chmod g-wx output.txt
[sudo] password for sandeep:
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l output.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep 41 Feb  4 16:53 output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ chmod 777 output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l output.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 sandeep sandeep 41 Feb  4 16:53 output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo chown test output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l output.txt
-rwxrwxrwx 1 test sandeep 41 Feb  4 16:53 output.txt
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```

Q11. Create alias with your name so that it creates a file as "/tmp/aliastesting".

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ alias sandeep='mkdir -p tmp/aliastesting'
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sandeep
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l
```

Q12. Edit ~/.bashrc file such that when you change to "test" user it should clear the screen and print "Welcome".

```
# ~/.bashrc: executed by bash(1) for non-login shells.
# see /usr/share/doc/bash/examples/startup-files (in the package bash)
# for examples

# If not running interactively, don't do anything
case $- in
    *i*) ;;
    *) return;;
esac

# don't put duplicate lines or lines starting with space in the history
# See bash(1) for more options
HISTCONTROL=ignoreboth

# append to the history file, don't overwrite it
shopt -s histappend
echo "welcome"
```

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ su - test
Password:
welcome
test@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```

Q13.Install “zip” package.

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo apt-get install zip unzip
[sudo] password for sandeep:
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
unzip is already the newest version (6.0-21ubuntu1).
zip is already the newest version (3.0-11build1).
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 0 not upgraded.
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```

Q14. Compress "output" and "password\_backup" files into a tar ball. List the files present inside the tar created

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ sudo tar -cvf it.tar output passwd_backup
[sudo] password for sandeep:
output
passwd_backup
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ tar -tvf it.tar
-rwx----- test/sandeep      44 2020-02-03 22:57 output
-rwxrwxrwx sandeep/sandeep 119 2020-02-03 16:53 passwd_backup
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```

Q15. scp this file to test user

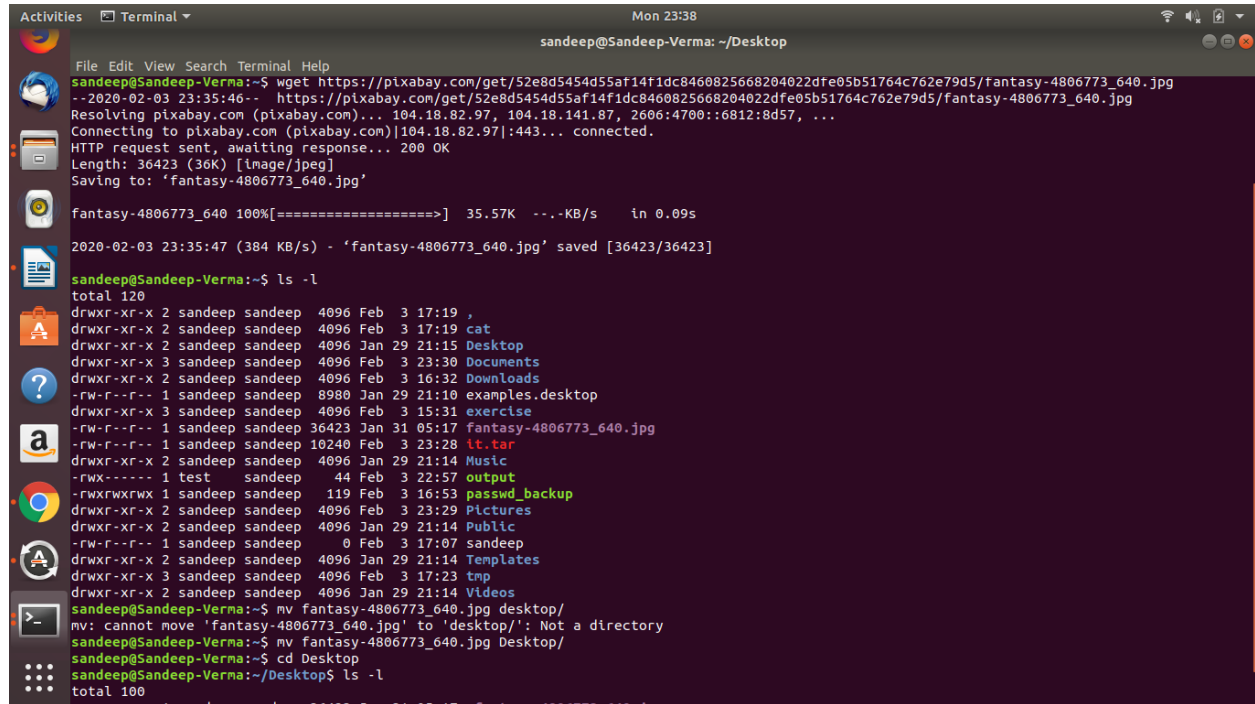
```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ scp sandeep@localhost:it.tar /home/sandeep/tmp
sandeep@localhost's password:
it.tar                                100% 10KB 9.3MB/s 00:00
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```

Q16. Unzip this tar bar by logging into the remote server



```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ssh sandeep@localhost tar -xvf 'it.tar'
sandeep@localhost's password:
output
passwd_backup
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```

Q17. Download any image from web and move to desktop.



```
Mon 23:38
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma: ~/Desktop

File Edit View Search Terminal Help
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ wget https://pixabay.com/get/52e8d5454d55af14f1dc8460825668204022dfe05b51764c762e79d5/fantasy-4806773_640.jpg
--2020-02-03 23:35:46-- https://pixabay.com/get/52e8d5454d55af14f1dc8460825668204022dfe05b51764c762e79d5/fantasy-4806773_640.jpg
Resolving pixabay.com (pixabay.com)... 104.18.82.97, 104.18.141.87, 2606:4700::6812:8d57, ...
Connecting to pixabay.com (pixabay.com)|104.18.82.97|:443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 36423 (36K) [image/jpeg]
Saving to: 'fantasy-4806773_640.jpg'

fantasy-4806773_640 100%[=====] 35.57K --.-KB/s in 0.09s

2020-02-03 23:35:47 (384 KB/s) - 'fantasy-4806773_640.jpg' saved [36423/36423]

sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ls -l
total 120
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 17:19 ,
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 17:19 cat
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:15 Desktop
drwxr-xr-x 3 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 23:30 Documents
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 16:32 Downloads
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep 8980 Jan 29 21:10 examples.desktop
drwxr-xr-x 3 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 15:31 exercise
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep 36423 Jan 31 05:17 fantasy-4806773_640.jpg
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep 10240 Feb  3 23:28 it.tar
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:14 Music
-rwx----- 1 test sandeep 44 Feb  3 22:57 output
-rwxrwxrwx 1 sandeep sandeep 119 Feb  3 16:53 passwd_backup
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 23:29 Pictures
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:14 Public
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep 0 Feb  3 17:07 sandeep
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:14 Templates
drwxr-xr-x 3 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 17:23 tmp
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Jan 29 21:14 Videos
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ mv fantasy-4806773_640.jpg desktop/
mv: cannot move 'fantasy-4806773_640.jpg' to 'desktop/': Not a directory
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ mv fantasy-4806773_640.jpg Desktop/
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cd Desktop/
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~/Desktop$ ls -l
total 100
-rw-r--r-- 1 sandeep sandeep 36423 Jan 31 05:17 fantasy-4806773_640.jpg
```

Q18.How to get help Download any image from web and move to desktop.

```

sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ wc --help
Usage: wc [OPTION]... [FILE]...
  or:  wc [OPTION]... --files0-from=F
Print newline, word, and byte counts for each FILE, and a total line if
more than one FILE is specified.  A word is a non-zero-length sequence of
characters delimited by white space.

With no FILE, or when FILE is -, read standard input.

The options below may be used to select which counts are printed, always in
the following order: newline, word, character, byte, maximum line length.
  -c, --bytes          print the byte counts
  -m, --chars          print the character counts
  -l, --lines          print the newline counts
  --files0-from=F      read input from the files specified by
                        NUL-terminated names in file F;
                        If F is - then read names from standard input
  -L, --max-line-length print the maximum display width
  -w, --words          print the word counts
  --help              display this help and exit
  --version            output version information and exit

GNU coreutils online help: <http://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/>
Full documentation at: <http://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/wc>
or available locally via: info '(coreutils) wc invocation'
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$

```

Q19. Create a symlink of /etc/services into /tmp/ports-info

```

sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ ln -s /etc/services tmp/ports-info
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ cd tmp
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~/tmp$ ls -l
total 4
drwxr-xr-x 2 sandeep sandeep 4096 Feb  3 17:23 aliastesting
lrwxrwxrwx 1 sandeep sandeep  13 Feb  4 09:48 ports-info -> /etc/services
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~/tmp$

```

Q20. You are appointed as a Software/DevOps Engineer in ABC media services. On your first day you need to troubleshoot a problem. There is a command “xyz” somewhere installed in that linux system. But as a new joinee you do not have any idea about where is that Installed. How can you check that?

```
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$ whereis xyz
xyz:
sandeep@Sandeep-Verma:~$
```