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QUESTION 1

Command	Description	Formula/Syntax	Examples
awk	Powerful text processing	<pre>awk 'pattern {action}' filename</pre>	 Extract columns, calculate averages, replace text
cat	Concatenate files	<pre>cat filename1 filename2</pre>	- Combine files, send file to program
cp	Copy files/directories	cp source destination	- Copy file, copy directory with contents, copy multiple files
cut	Extract fields from files	<pre>cut -d delimiter [field_numbers] filename</pre>	- Extract columns from CSV, cut specific characters, find matching lines
grep	Search for patterns	grep 'pattern' filename	- Find lines with keywords, use regular expressions, show line numbers
head	View file beginnings	head [-n number] filename	- Show first 10 lines, print first line only, preview large files
ls	List directory contents	ls [options]	- Show files/folders, detailed information, hidden files
man	Read command manuals	man command_name	- Get help for specific commands, search manual pages
mkdir	Create directories	mkdir directory_name	- Make new directory, create parent directories automatically
mv	Move/rename files/directories	mv source destination	- Move file, rename file, move directory
tac	Print file lines in reverse	tac filename	- Reverse a file's content
tail	View file endings	tail [-n number] filename	- Show last 10 lines, follow log file updates
touch	Create empty files	touch filename	- Make new files quickly

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Command	Description	Formula/Syntax	Examples
tr	Translate/substitute characters	tr 'from' 'to' filename	Replace characters, uppercase/lowercase text, remove unwanted characters
tree	Display directory structure	tree [directory]	- Show directory hierarchy, visualize folder organization

QUESTION 2

1) Handling Multiple Terminals:

Open new terminals: Right-click the terminal window and choose "Open in New Tab" or "New Terminal."

Switch between terminals: Use keyboard shortcuts like Ctrl+Tab or Alt+Tab on most systems.

Organize terminals: Tile them side-by-side or stack them vertically for better viewing.

2) Mastering Manual Pages:

Access a manual page: Use man command_name. Example: man ls for the ls command.

Navigate the manual: Scroll with arrow keys or Page Up/Down. Use n for next page and p for previous.

Search the manual: Type /keyword to search for a specific term within the manual page.

3)Redirecting Output:

Output to a file: Use > to overwrite or >> to append the output to a file.

Example: ls > file_list.txt

Disc output to another command: Use | to good the output of one command as

Pipe output to another command: Use | to send the output of one command as input to another. Example: ls | grep "txt"

4)Appending and Wildcards:

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Append to a file: Use >> after the command. Example: ls >> file_list.txt to add new entries without deleting existing ones.

Wildcards: Use * for any characters and ? for a single character. Example: cp *.txt backup/ copies all text files.
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5)Batch Operations:

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Copy/move multiple files: Use wildcards or space-separated names. Example: cp file1.txt file2.txt backup/ or mv *.* new_folder/.

Brace expansion: Group files with braces {start..end} or {pattern}.

Example: mv file{1..5} new_folder/ moves files 1 to 5.
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6) Building Directory Structures:

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Create multiple directories with one command: Use mkdir. Example: mkdir -p project/data/logs creates the entire "project/data/logs" path if it doesn't exist.
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