

Exercise 1 - Introduction to Linux

Q.1

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ttn@ttn: ~/exercise/dir1/dir2/dir3
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ttn@ttn:~$ pwd
/home/ttn
ttn@ttn:~$ mkdir -p exercise/dir1/dir2/dir3
ttn@ttn:~$ ls
Desktop    Downloads      exercise  Pictures  Templates
Documents  examples.desktop  Music     Public    Videos
ttn@ttn:~$ cd exercise
ttn@ttn:~/exercise$ cd dir1/dir2/dir3
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2/dir3$ ls
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2/dir3$ pwd
/home/ttn/exercise/dir1/dir2/dir3
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2/dir3$
```

Q2.

```
ttn@ttn: ~/exercise/dir1/dir2
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ pwd
/home/ttn/exercise/dir1/dir2
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ ls
dir3
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ touch emptyFile{1..2}
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ ls
dir3 emptyFile1 emptyFile2
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$
```

Q3.

```
ttn@ttn: ~/exercise/dir1/dir2
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ echo "hello world" >> file1.txt
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ ls
dir3  emptyFile1  emptyFile2  file1.txt
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ cat file1.txt
hello world
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$
```

Q4.

```
ttn@ttn: ~
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
ttn@ttn:~$ cd ..
ttn@ttn:/home$ cd ..
ttn@ttn:/$ sudo find /etc/ -name "passwd"
[sudo] password for ttn:
/etc/cron.daily/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd
/etc/passwd
ttn@ttn:/$ cp /etc/passwd /home/ttn/passwd_copy
ttn@ttn:/$ cd ~
ttn@ttn:~$ ls
Desktop  Downloads      exercise  passwd_copy  Public  Videos
Documents examples.desktop Music        Pictures    Templates
ttn@ttn:~$ mv passwd_copy passwd_backup
ttn@ttn:~$ ls
Desktop  Downloads      exercise  passwd_backup  Public  Videos
Documents examples.desktop Music        Pictures    Templates
ttn@ttn:~$
```

Q5. Difference between less, more, cat, strings.

1) **more** = to view a text file one page at a time, press spacebar to go to the next page and press enter to go to next line.

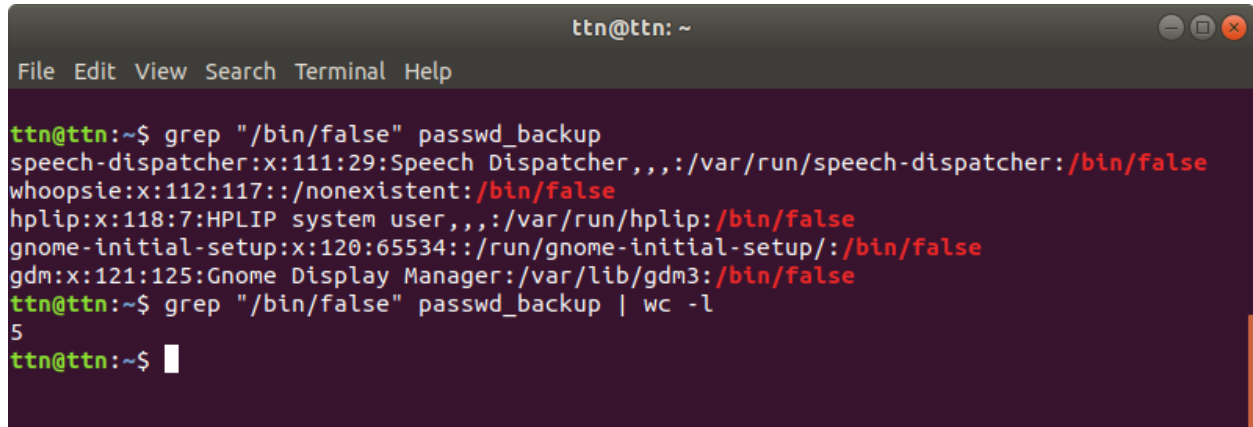
2) **less** = You can navigate the page up/down using the less command and not possible in more command.

3) **head** = It displays the first ten lines of a file, and can be specified.

4) **tail** = It display the last part of a file, and can be specified.

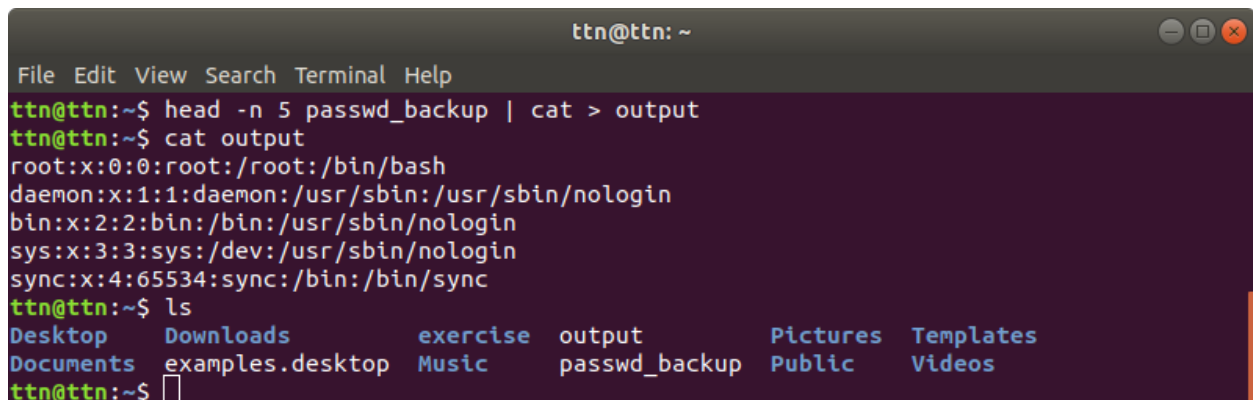
5) **cat** = It can be used to join multiple files together and print the result on screen (it will not show page by page).

Q6.

A terminal window titled 'ttn@ttn: ~' with a menu bar (File, Edit, View, Search, Terminal, Help). The terminal shows the command 'grep "/bin/false" passwd_backup' being executed. The output lists system users and their shell paths, all ending in '/bin/false'. The command 'grep "/bin/false" passwd_backup | wc -l' is then executed, resulting in the output '5'.

```
ttn@ttn:~$ grep "/bin/false" passwd_backup
speech-dispatcher:x:111:29:Speech Dispatcher,,,:/var/run/speech-dispatcher:/bin/false
whoopsie:x:112:117::/nonexistent:/bin/false
hplip:x:118:7:HPLIP system user,,,:/var/run/hplip:/bin/false
gnome-initial-setup:x:120:65534:/:/run/gnome-initial-setup:/bin/false
gdm:x:121:125:Gnome Display Manager:/var/lib/gdm3:/bin/false
ttn@ttn:~$ grep "/bin/false" passwd_backup | wc -l
5
ttn@ttn:~$
```

Q7.

A terminal window titled 'ttn@ttn: ~' with a menu bar (File, Edit, View, Search, Terminal, Help). The terminal shows the command 'head -n 5 passwd_backup | cat > output' being executed. The output shows the first five lines of the passwd file. The command 'cat output' is then executed, displaying the same five lines. Finally, the command 'ls' is executed, showing a directory listing of files and folders in the current directory.

```
ttn@ttn:~$ head -n 5 passwd_backup | cat > output
ttn@ttn:~$ cat output
root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
daemon:x:1:1:daemon:/usr/sbin:/usr/sbin/nologin
bin:x:2:2:bin:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin
sys:x:3:3:sys:/dev:/usr/sbin/nologin
sync:x:4:65534:sync:/bin:/bin/sync
ttn@ttn:~$ ls
Desktop      Downloads    exercise     output       Pictures     Templates
Documents    examples.desktop  Music        passwd_backup  Public       Videos
ttn@ttn:~$
```

Q8.

```
ttn@ttn: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
ttn@ttn:~$ sudo su  
root@ttn:/home/ttn# adduser test  
Adding user `test' ...  
Adding new group `test' (1001) ...  
Adding new user `test' (1001) with group `test' ...  
The home directory `/home/test' already exists. Not copying from `/etc/skel'.  
Enter new UNIX password:  
Retype new UNIX password:  
passwd: password updated successfully  
Changing the user information for test  
Enter the new value, or press ENTER for the default  
    Full Name []: Test  
    Room Number []:  
    Work Phone []:  
    Home Phone []:  
    Other []:  
Is the information correct? [Y/n] y  
root@ttn:/home/ttn# id -u test  
1001  
root@ttn:/home/ttn# id -g test  
1001  
root@ttn:/home/ttn# exit  
ttn@ttn:~$
```

Q9.

```
ttn@ttn: ~/exercise/dir1/dir2  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
ttn@ttn:~$ cd exercise/dir1/dir2/  
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ ls  
dir3 emptyFile1 emptyFile2 file1.txt  
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ ls -l  
total 8  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Feb  4 15:10 dir3  
-rw-r--r-- 1 ttn ttn   0 Feb  4 15:16 emptyFile1  
-rw-r--r-- 1 ttn ttn   0 Feb  4 15:16 emptyFile2  
-rw-r--r-- 1 ttn ttn  12 Feb  4 15:19 file1.txt  
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ touch emptyFile1  
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ touch emptyFile2  
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ ls  
dir3 emptyFile1 emptyFile2 file1.txt  
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$ ls -l  
total 8  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Feb  4 15:10 dir3  
-rw-r--r-- 1 ttn ttn   0 Feb  4 16:06 emptyFile1  
-rw-r--r-- 1 ttn ttn   0 Feb  4 16:06 emptyFile2  
-rw-r--r-- 1 ttn ttn  12 Feb  4 15:19 file1.txt  
ttn@ttn:~/exercise/dir1/dir2$
```

Q10.

Q11.

```
ttn@ttn: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
alias egrep='egrep --color=auto'  
fi  
  
# colored GCC warnings and errors  
#export GCC_COLORS='error=01;31:warning=01;35:note=01;36:caret=01;32:locus=01:quote=01'  
  
# some more ls aliases  
alias ll='ls -alF'  
alias la='ls -A'  
alias l='ls -CF'  
alias yvtesting='ls -l'  
  
# Add an "alert" alias for long running commands.  Use like so:  
#   sleep 10; alert  
alias alert='notify-send --urgency=low -i "${[ $? = 0 ]} && echo terminal || echo error)" "$(history|tail -n1|sed -e '\''s/^\\s*[0-9]\\+\\s*//;s/[:&|]\\s*alert$//'\'' )"  
  
# Alias definitions.  
# You may want to put all your additions into a separate file like  
# ~/.bash_aliases, instead of adding them here directly.  
# See /usr/share/doc/bash-doc/examples in the bash-doc package.  
-- INSERT --
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ttn@ttn: ~  
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ttn@ttn:~$ yvtesting  
total 56  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Feb  4 10:58 Desktop  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Jan 29 16:56 Documents  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Feb  4 11:53 Downloads  
-rw-r--r-- 1 ttn ttn 8980 Jan 29 11:16 examples.desktop  
drwxr-xr-x 3 ttn ttn 4096 Feb  4 15:10 exercise  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Jan 29 16:56 Music  
-rwxrwxrwx 1 ttn ttn  189 Feb  4 15:57 output  
-rw-r--r-- 1 ttn ttn 2398 Feb  4 15:41 passwd_backup  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Feb  4 21:34 Pictures  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Jan 29 16:56 Public  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Jan 29 16:56 Templates  
drwxr-xr-x 2 ttn ttn 4096 Jan 29 16:56 Videos  
ttn@ttn:~$
```

Q12.

Q13.

```
ttn@ttn: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
ttn@ttn:~$ sudo apt install zip  
[sudo] password for ttn:  
Reading package lists... Done  
Building dependency tree  
Reading state information... Done  
zip is already the newest version (3.0-11build1).  
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 0 not upgraded.  
ttn@ttn:~$
```

Q14.

```
ttn@ttn: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
ttn@ttn:~$ tar -czvf archive.tar.gz output passwd_backup  
output  
passwd_backup  
ttn@ttn:~$ ls  
archive.tar.gz Downloads Music Pictures Videos  
Desktop examples.desktop output Public  
Documents exercise passwd_backup Templates  
ttn@ttn:~$ tar -xzvf archive.tar.gz  
output  
passwd_backup  
ttn@ttn:~$
```

Q15.

Q16.

Q17.

```
ttn@ttn: ~/Desktop
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
ttn@ttn:~$ pwd
/home/ttn
ttn@ttn:~$ cd Desktop/
ttn@ttn:~/Desktop$ wget https://media.glassdoor.com/sql/1011609/to-the-new-digital-squarelogo-1470739470715.png
--2019-02-04 22:29:38-- https://media.glassdoor.com/sql/1011609/to-the-new-digital-squarelogo-1470739470715.png
Resolving media.glassdoor.com (media.glassdoor.com)... 104.16.234.151, 104.16.232.151, 104.16.231.151, ...
Connecting to media.glassdoor.com (media.glassdoor.com)|104.16.234.151|:443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 27054 (26K) [image/png]
Saving to: 'to-the-new-digital-squarelogo-1470739470715.png'

to-the-new-digital- 100%[=====] 26.42K --.-KB/s in 0.001s

2019-02-04 22:29:38 (28.1 MB/s) - 'to-the-new-digital-squarelogo-1470739470715.png' saved [27054/27054]

ttn@ttn:~/Desktop$ ls
to-the-new-digital-squarelogo-1470739470715.png
ttn@ttn:~/Desktop$
```

Q18.

- By Using “man” pages. “man” is a bash command through which we can learn about Name, synopsis, description, options, etc. of other bash commands.
- For eg: \$ man ls

```
ttn@ttn: ~
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
LS(1) User Commands LS(1)

NAME
    ls - list directory contents

SYNOPSIS
    ls [OPTION]... [FILE]...

DESCRIPTION
    List information about the FILES (the current directory by default).
    Sort entries alphabetically if none of -cftuvSUX nor --sort is speci-
    fied.

    Mandatory arguments to long options are mandatory for short options
    too.

    -a, --all
        do not ignore entries starting with .

    -A, --almost-all
        do not list implied . and ..

    --author
    Manual page ls(1) line 1/237 8% (press h for help or q to quit)
```

Q19.

```
ttn@ttn: /tmp
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
ttn@ttn:~$ ln -s /etc/services /tmp/ports-info
ttn@ttn:~$ cd ..
ttn@ttn:/home$ cd ..
ttn@ttn:/$ cd /tmp
ttn@ttn:/tmp$ ls
config-err-mnYLWl
ports-info
ssh-OZFf7S5w9HEa
systemd-private-2b4984d5c564421e8bc1e93555e3e4bb-bolt.service-LNNpbF
systemd-private-2b4984d5c564421e8bc1e93555e3e4bb-colord.service-9cAkvx
systemd-private-2b4984d5c564421e8bc1e93555e3e4bb-fwupd.service-kBzG1Q
systemd-private-2b4984d5c564421e8bc1e93555e3e4bb-rtkit-daemon.service-TBBIQf
systemd-private-2b4984d5c564421e8bc1e93555e3e4bb-systemd-resolved.service-9Q8HZk
systemd-private-2b4984d5c564421e8bc1e93555e3e4bb-systemd-timesyncd.service-t69XfE
ttn@ttn:/tmp$
```

Q20.

```
ttn@ttn: ~
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
ttn@ttn:~$ which ls
/bin/ls
ttn@ttn:~$ which man
/usr/bin/man
ttn@ttn:~$ which cp
/bin/cp
ttn@ttn:~$ which mv
/bin/mv
ttn@ttn:~$ which mkdir
/bin/mkdir
ttn@ttn:~$ which rmdir
/bin/rmdir
ttn@ttn:~$
```