

Cut Command

the cut command in linux os is used to select selection of text from each line of files.it is also used to select fields or columns from a line by specifying a delimiter,or selecting a portion of text by giving the range of charaters from the file.basically the cut command slices a line,and extracts the text.

Syntax

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$cut [option] [file_name]
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Opetions

Sr.No	Options	Descriptions
01	-c	to specify the charater position
02	-f	to specify the field position
03	-d	to specify the delimiter

Example

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$cut -c1-5 file1.txt
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it will print the charaters from first position to fifth position from each line of sample file.(range can be specified with starting position & ending position by hyphen[-]sign.