

# Overview of Sed

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# System Requirements



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- **Ubuntu Linux OS 18.04**



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If not, then go through the relevant spoken tutorials on

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- Most people use sed for its substitution features



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- It is capable of solving complex text processing tasks with few lines of code



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- It prints a selective portion of a text file
- Using sed we can automate the process of making edits to files



# Who can use Sed?





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- **Software developer**



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- **Software developer**
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- **GNU/Linux users**



# Sed substitute command



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- **Workflow of Sed command**



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- Introduction to Sed command



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- Sed substitute command
- **Various options with the substitute command**





# Sed special characters



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- **Print command**



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# Sed commands with Files



# Sed commands with Files

- **Delete command**



# Sed commands with Files

- Delete command
- Write command



# Sed commands with Files

- Delete command
- Write command
- Read command



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- Delete command
- Write command
- Read command
- **Append command**



# Sed commands with Files

- Delete command
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- Execute command





# More on Sed commands



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- e (execute) command



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- -f flag, -e flag



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  - Escaping character
  - Delimiter



# Advanced Sed Command





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- System Administrators



# Summary

**In this tutorial we learnt about**

- **Sed**
- **Features of Sed commands**
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# About Spoken Tutorial project

- Watch the video available at [https://spoken-tutorial.org/What\\_is\\_a\\_Spoken\\_Tutorial](https://spoken-tutorial.org/What_is_a_Spoken_Tutorial)
- It summarises the Spoken Tutorial project
- If you do not have good bandwidth, you can download and watch it



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- Gives certificates to those who pass an online test
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- Explain your question briefly
- The Spoken Tutorial project will ensure an answer

**You will have to register to ask questions**



# Forum for Specific Questions

- The Spoken Tutorial forum is for specific questions on this tutorial
- Please do not post unrelated and general questions on them
- This will help reduce the clutter
- With less clutter, we can use these discussion as instructional material





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