CSCI 132 Practical Unix Programming Homework 2 Due 09/26/08

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PART 1

Do exercises 1-4 of HOUR 2 in the UNIX book.

PART 2

Complete the program we did in class on scoring similarity between two strings.

use strict;

my @score=(AA=>1, GG=>1, CC=>1, TT=>1, ...); #complete
my \$s1=...; #a string of your choice using alphabet {A, G, C, T}
my \$s2=...; #and another one
#convert the strings to arrays using split
@a1=...;
@a2=...;

#now to score position i use \$score{\$a1[\$i].\$a2[\$i]}
#and use a loop to compute the total score

PART 3

Write a program to do the following:

- 1. Declare a string of some length of your choice made only of the two characters '(' and ')'
- 2. Convert the string to an array using the split function
- 3. Compute the balance of this string, defined as the number of '(' characters minus the number of ')' characters. You will need to use a loop here, and a variable to keep track of the balance.

Remember to use strict and the my declarations.