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NAME

split − split a file into pieces

SYNOPSIS

split [−n] [file [name]]

DESCRIPTION

Split reads *file* and writes it in n-line pieces (default 1000), as many as necessary, onto a set of output files. The name of the first output file is *name* with **aa** appended, and so on lexicographically. If no output name is given, **x** is default.

If no input file is given, or if − is given in its stead, then the standard input file is used.

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