

Re: Extract same text from file.

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Ryan Keeling wrote:

> *Hi*
> *I have the following text file which I want to use to populate text*
> *files containing data only relevant to a particular project. Is it*
> *possible for me to group similar lines together and put them in their*
> *own text file? Such as a file containing all entries for*
> *MS102_PCP.Implementation and another file for MS102_PCP.Support.*
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> *Any help would be greatly appreciated!*
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> *2004:01:07:3:02:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Implementation:+:5.5*
> *2004:01:07:3:02:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Support:+:2.0*
> *2004:01:05:1:02:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Implementation:+:7.5*
> *2004:01:09:5:02:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Meetings:+:1.0*
> *2004:01:20:2:04:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Standards:6.5*
> *2004:01:19:1:04:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Standard:7.5*
> *2004:02:03:2:06:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Support:+:2.0*
> *2004:03:02:2:10:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Implementation:+:5.5*
> *2004:03:03:3:10:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Implementation:+:7.5*
> *2004:03:02:2:10:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Support:+:2.5*
> *2004:03:26:5:13:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Support:+:7.5*
> *2004:03:29:1:14:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Support:+:8.0*
> *2004:03:30:2:14:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Implementation:+:8.0*
> *2004:01:05:1:02:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Project-Control:+:7.5*
> *2004:01:06:2:02:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Meetings:+:2.0*
> *2004:01:06:2:02:MS102_PCP:Belfast:Charge:PCP:Meetings:+:0.7*

Answer to your question: yes.

Obvious counter-question: what have you tried so far and where have you had problems?

Since your data is reasonably structured, I'd use split and then create a filename from fields 8 and 9 to append the current line to. If the data isn't too much, you can use a hash of arrays to collect the data and write it out in one go.

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If failure had no penalty success would not be a prize

-- T. Pratchett