A tale of the mario brothers and their pipes by Harsh and Madhav



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Sometimes you might want to combine the powers of your commands to make **new commands** that can do much more!

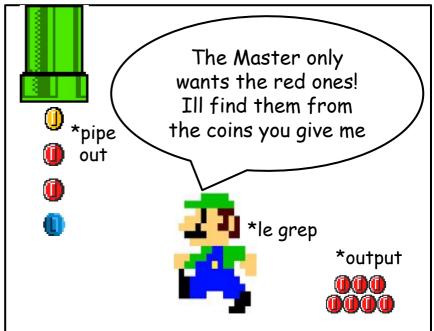
\$ cat coins | grep RED

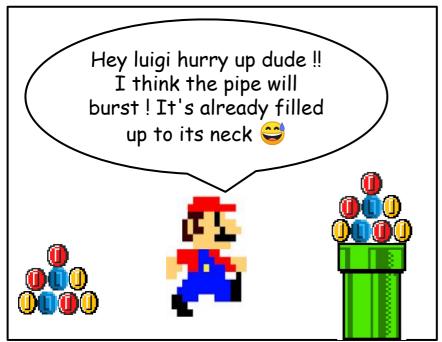
Poor mario collects
everything that he sees,
while luigi gives the master
what he is looking for

P.S. There's **no need to have a temporary variable**, you

can just send it down the

pipe!

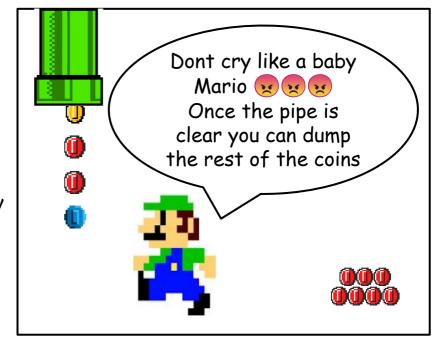


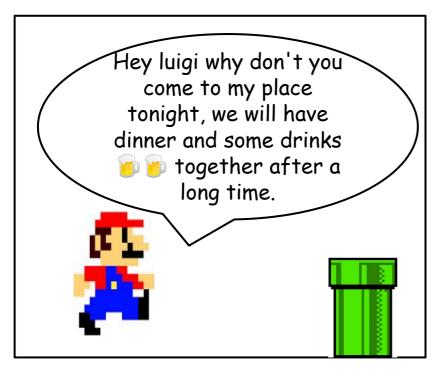


When the rate of writing data in pipe is more than the rate of reading, a buffer is created in which the input data waits until the reader reads it.

No need to worry the pipe won't burst as it is made by the best pipe maker "Linux"

Once the buffer is full the first process has to wait until the next process reads the data queued in the buffer





Pipes are unidirectional.

They have a write end

(left) where the data is

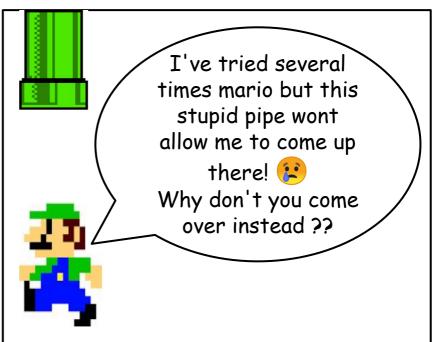
written and a read end

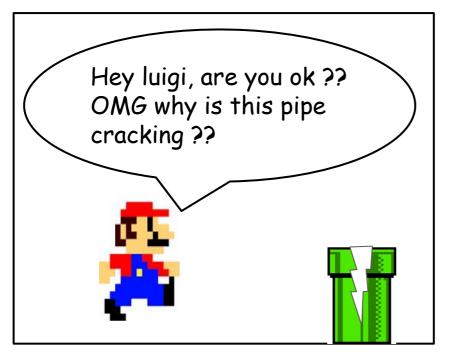
(right) from where the

written data can be read.

Luigi can't go to mario's place but only mario can go over to luigi's.

A plus for pipes is that you can use **more than one pipe** in a single statement to execute more complex tasks.





Sometimes the target

process dies or

unexpectedly abrupts

then it doesn't read any

data coming from the

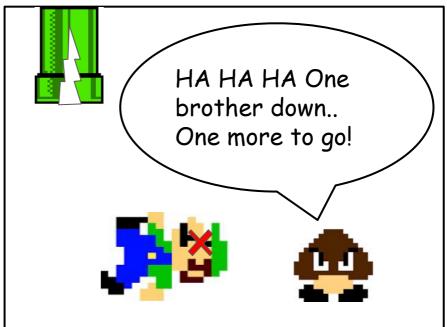
pipe and sends SIGPIPE

signal to terminate

process.



With his brother dead
Mario could no longer
focus on his work ...
Depressed mario never
contacted the master
ever again



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#### The Starcast



Character Name: Mario

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Character Name: Luigi

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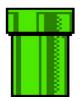
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Character Name: Goomba

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