

Lab 2 – Linux permissions

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#1)
sudo useradd -m user1
sudo useradd -m user2
sudo useradd -m user3
sudo cat /etc/passwd

#2)
sudo groupadd gr1
sudo groupadd gr2
sudo cat /etc/group | grep gr1 #GID: 1004
sudo cat /etc/group | grep gr2 #GID: 1005

#3)
sudo usermod user1 -a -G gr1
sudo usermod user2 -a -G gr2
sudo su user1
groups      #groups: user1 gr1
exit
sudo su user2
groups      #groups: user2 gr2
exit
sudo su user3
groups      #groups: user3
exit

#4)
#a)
sudo su
su user1
cp /bin/ls /home/user1/myls
#b)
chmod 0710 /home/user1/myls
#The permissions 0710 mean that the file will have rwx permission for
# the owner, x permission for the owner group and no permissions
# for others
#c)
su user2
/home/user1/myls /home/user2
#It does not work because this user does not belong to the owner's
# group and others don't have permissions to execute the file
#d)
sudo su
groupadd lab
usermod user1 -a -G lab
usermod user2 -a -G lab
chown -v user1:lab /home/user1/myls
su user2
/home/user1/myls /home/user2
#It works, as user2 belongs to the owner group of the file

#5)
#a)
sudo su
mkdir /home/lab-text
#b)
chown -v :lab /home/lab-text #As root
#c)
chmod -v g+w /home/lab-text #As root
#d)
chmod -v o-x /home/lab-text #As root
#e)
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su user1
touch /home/lab-text/user1file.txt
chmod -v g+rw /home/lab-text/user1file.txt
exit #Exit user1
#f)
su user2
umask #Display current mask: 022
umask 027 #Will create a file with the permissions: g::r--, o:----
touch /home/lab-text/test #We create a file to test the mask set
getfacl /home/lab-text/test #Permissions: u::rw-, g::r--, o:----
exit
#6)
#a)
su user3
touch /home/user3/foo.txt
#b)
chmod -v u+x,g-rx,o-rx /home/user3
#c)
exit #To become root again
cp /bin/ls /tmp/myls
chown -v user3:user3 /tmp/myls
chmod -v u+x,g+x,o+x /tmp/myls #Ensure it's executable for everyone
#d)
su user1
/tmp/myls /home/user3
#It doesn't work, as the user does not have permissions to list the
# contents of the directory
exit
#e)
chmod -v u+s /tmp/myls #We set the file in setuid
#Test it
su user1
/tmp/myls /home/user3 #It works
exit
#7)
#a)
usermod user3 -a -G lab #As sudo
#b)
su user3
touch /home/lab-text/bar.txt
chown -v :lab /home/lab-text/bar.txt
exit
#test
su user1
cat /home/lab-text/bar.txt #Works
exit
#c)
setfacl -m u:user1:w /home/lab-text/bar.txt
#test
getfacl /home/lab-text/bar.txt #The mask has an additional entry for
# user1 with only 'w' permission
#It has changed, as we have added an entry for user1 so that it can
# only write in the file (I did not remove this permission as it
# was not specified in the exercise).

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