

Assignment 1 – File System Management

- 1) List out 5 files in your system which consuming most of the disk space
- 2) Create one common folder in such a way that anyone can create files inside that independently and should not be able to delete other users files from that common folder.
- 3) Create user name "shubham" and add that user in the group "adm"
 - a) Create folder /data , change owner and group as "root:adm"
 - b) Change /data permission such a way that user can able to write data in this folder and ownership of files or folder which you creates in this folder should be same as parent folder i.e /data folder permission (root:adm)

Sol.1

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ du -ah | sort -rh | head -6
92K      .
16K      ./folder2
12K      ~/.local
12K      ~/.bash_history
8.0K     ~/.ssh
8.0K     ~/.local/share
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$
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Here I'm using head -6 and then getting first 5 lines of expected output, but it includes first line of output as 92K because du -ah includes the total size of the current directory(92K).

Sol.2

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Last login: Mon Mar 31 12:59:44 2025 from 45.119.28.184
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo mkdir common_folder
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo chmod 1777 common_folder
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ ls -ld common_folder
drwxrwxrwt 2 root root 4096 Mar 31 15:35 common_folder
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo useradd -m user1
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo useradd -m user2
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo useradd -m user3
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo passwd user1
New password:
Retype new password:
passwd: password updated successfully
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo passwd user2
New password:
Retype new password:
passwd: password updated successfully
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo passwd user3
New password:
Retype new password:
passwd: password updated successfully
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ su - user1
Password:
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ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo mv ~/common_folder /common_folder
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ ls -ld /common_folder/
drwxrwxrwt 2 root root 4096 Mar 31 15:35 /common_folder/
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ su - user1
Password:
$ touch /common_folder/f1
$ ^C
$
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ su - user2
Password:
$ rm /common_folder/f1
rm: remove write-protected regular empty file '/common_folder/f1'? ^C
$ rm /common_folder/f1
rm: remove write-protected regular empty file '/common_folder/f1'? y
rm: cannot remove '/common_folder/f1': Operation not permitted
$
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ su - user2
Password:
su: Authentication failure
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ su - user1
Password:
$ rm /common_folder/f1
$

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I created a common_folder in my home directory and set its permissions to 1777 (world-writable with a sticky bit). Then, I moved the folder to the root directory (/common_folder). I created 3 users, Users can add files to it, but only the file owner can delete them.

Shown in the above pictures that user1 has created a file, f1 and using user 2 tried to delete f1 but unable to delete it, due to sticky bit.

But user1 can delete the files made by himself.

Sol3.

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo useradd -G adm shubham
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ mkdir /data
mkdir: cannot create directory '/data': Permission denied
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo mkdir /data
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo chown root:adm /data
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo chmod 2775 /data
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ ls -ld /data
drwxrwsr-x 2 root adm 4096 Mar 31 16:40 /data
ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo -u shubham

ubuntu@ip-172-31-32-198:~$ sudo -su shubham
shubham@ip-172-31-32-198:/home/ubuntu$ touch /data/f1
shubham@ip-172-31-32-198:/home/ubuntu$ ls -l /data/f1
-rw-rw-r-- 1 shubham adm 0 Mar 31 16:49 /data/f1
shubham@ip-172-31-32-198:/home/ubuntu$ touch /data/f2
shubham@ip-172-31-32-198:/home/ubuntu$ ls -l /data/f2
ls: invalid option -- '/'
Try 'ls --help' for more information.
shubham@ip-172-31-32-198:/home/ubuntu$ ls -l /data/f2
-rw-rw-r-- 1 shubham adm 0 Mar 31 16:50 /data/f2

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I created a user named shubham and added them to the adm group. Then I've created a directory /data, changed its ownership to root:adm, and set 2775 permissions so that files inside inherit the adm group. After switching to shubham, created files in /data and checked their permissions to confirm they inherited the correct group and write access. Verified everything using ls -ld /data, ls -l /data, and shubham.

