## Creating Bootable SD card for Raspberry Pi

In this tutorial, you will learn how to install Operating system on Raspberry Pi. We will provide you the customize **operating system image** with **ROS**.

Follow the given procedure to install the operating system for R-PI

- 1. Get a micro SD card (16GB) provided in kit. Insert it in card slot or use **USB card** reader.
- 2. Copy the content (ros-berry\_customize.zip) of SD card to **desktop** and extract it. After extracting you will find an image file- "**ros\_berry\_customize.img**" on desktop.
- 3. Use ctrl+alt+T to open terminal in Linux.
- 4. Type <u>df -h</u> in terminal. It will list all file system and drives usage as shown in Figure-1

```
simmu@simmu:~$ df -h
Filesystem
                  Size
                         Used Avail Use% Mounted on
                  1.9G
                         4.0K 1.9G
                                        1% /dev
udev
                                        1% /run
                  387M
                         1.3M 386M
tmofs
/dev/sda1
                  94G
                          80G 9.6G 90% /
none
                  4.0K
                            0 4.0K 0% /sys/fs/cgroup
                         0 5.0M
1.2M 1.9G
72K 100M
                                       0% /run/lock
none
                  5.0M
none
                  1.9G
                                        1% /run/shm
                                1.90 1% /run/user
100M 1% /run/user
0 100% /media/simmu/e-yantra
none
                  100M
/dev/sr0
                  1.2G
                         1.2G
/dev/sda5
                          74G 105G 42% /media/simmu/d58509aa-b801-4a5b-bbb8-a9f84
                  188G
2ca6b20
                   56M 24M 33M 42% /media/simmu/boot
14G 4.1G 9.2G 31% /media/simmu/3d81d9e2-7d1b-4015-8c2c-29ec0
/dev/mmcblk0p1
/dev/mmcblk0p2
875f762
simmu@simmu:~$
```

*Figure-1: Output of df –h (note space between df and -h)* 

- 5. Note the *File system* of SD card. You can easily distinguish from your PC file system using *Size* column.
- 6. Use "dd" command to install image to SD card. Refer Figure-2

  dd if=name\_of\_image\_with\_extension of=file\_system\_without\_number

  Example:

```
sudo dd if= ros_berry_customize.img of=/dev/mmcblk0 bs=4M
```

7. The "dd" command does not give any information of its process and so it may appear screen is frozen; it could take 10 to 20 minute to complete the process.

```
🖲 📵 simmu@simmu: ~
                                      x simmu@simmu: ~
root@simmu: ~
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simmu@simmu:~$ df -h
                      Used Avail Use% Mounted on
Filesystem
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                1.9G
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                                   0% /sys/fs/cgroup
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                                    1% /run/shm
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                             100M
                                    1% /run/user
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/dev/mmcblk0p1
                 56M
                       24M
                             33M
                                  42% /media/simmu/boot
/dev/mmcblk0p2
                 14G 4.1G 9.2G 31% /media/simmu/3d81d9e2-7d1b-4015-8c2c-29ec0
875f762
simmu@simmu:~$ sudo dd if=ros_berry_customize.img of=/dev/mmcblk0 bs=4M
[sudo] password for simmu:
```

Figure-2: Using dd command

## Note:

- 1. "if" stands for input file It is image file of linux distribution. In case image file is not in your present working directory, specify complete directory path of image file.
- 2. "of" stands for output file It is file system for your SD card. While installing image in SD card, we want to install OS to whole SD card so use SD card file system without partition number.