Practical-1:

Aim: Installation of Ubuntu and background changing

Steps to install Ubuntu:

. Using a USB drive:

- Most newer computers can boot from USB you should see a welcome screen prompting you to choose your language and giving you the option to install Ubuntu or try it from the USB.
- If your computer doesn't automatically do so, you might need to press the F12 key to bring up the boot menu, but be careful not to hold it down that can cause an error message

. Prepare to install Ubuntu:

- We recommend you plug your computer into a power source
- You should also make sure you have enough space on your computer to install Ubuntu
- We advise you to select download updates while installing & install this third-party software now

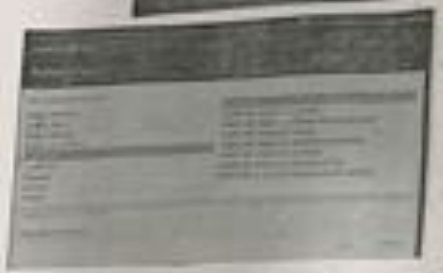
- You should also stay connected to the internet so you can get the latest updates while you install ubuntu
- If you are not connected to the internet, you will be asked to select a wireless network, if available. We advise you to connect during the installation so we can ensure your machine is up to date.

- Allocate drive space:

- Use the checkboxes to choose whether you had like to install ubuntu alongside another operating system, delete your existing operating system and replace it with ubuntu or if you are an advanced user choose the 'something else' option.

- Begin the installation:

- Depending on your previous selections you can now verify that you have chosen the way in which you would like to install ubuntu.
- The installation process will begin when you click the install Now button.



- ubuntu needs about 4.5 GB of space, so add a few extra GB to allow for your files.

- select your location:

If you are connected to the internet, this should be done automatically. Check your location is correct & click 'Forward' to proceed. If you are unsure of your time zone, type the name of the town you are in or click on the map and we will help you find it.

- select your preferred keyboard layout:

Click on the language option you need. If you're not sure, click the 'detect keyboard layout' button for help.

- Enter your login & password details.

- Learn more about ubuntu while the system installs.

- That's it
All that's left is to restart your computer and start enjoying ubuntu.

- Steps to change background settings of ubuntu:

- Accessing Appearance settings:

- To access appearance settings in ubuntu, let's click on user menu at the top right corner, on top menu bar and select system settings...
- A window will pop up with all settings divided into Personal Hardware and System option icons let's first select the appearance icon

- changing wallpaper picture:

- On the left side of Background part, you can see your current wallpaper.
- On the right side is part where we can select one of ubuntu wallpapers clicking on any thumbnail our wallpaper will be changed right away with a fading effect.
- If you want to select wallpaper from your Picture folder, click the drop down menu above thumbnails and select the Picture folder

- you will see all the pictures in your Pictures folder as thumbnails. Where you can select them as your wallpaper
- To add wallpaper that is in another folder, just click the plus icon below the thumbnails and then in pop-up window select the path to our custom folder and choose the picture inside of it.

- Changing Ubuntu theme:

- Ubuntu also has an option to change the Desktop theme, which in one click will change the entire way your computer looks
- To do that, click on the dropdown menu below the wallpaper thumbnails and choose between Ambiance, Radiance or High Contrast.
- Ambiance is a light theme that looks a bit more mac like while Radiance is the darker brown theme used in Ubuntu by default.

- Change the size or rotation of screen:

- You can change how big things appear on the screen by changing the screen resolution.
- You can change which way up things appear by changing the rotation.

1. Click the icon on the very right of the menu bar and select System settings.
2. Open Screen Display
3. If you have multiple displays and they are not mirrored, you can have different settings on each display. Select a display in the preview area.
4. Select your desired resolution and rotation
5. Click Apply. The new settings will be applied for 30 seconds before reverting back. That way, if you cannot see anything with the new

- Time settings change time zone of your system:
- If you are currently in Indian time Note the time change. change the time zone back to your local time zone.
- Just click on the clock on the top of bar, choose Time & Date settings & choose from map, & choose automat

Aim: Installing and removing software

1) Install gcc package, verify that it runs and then remove it:

Step1: First type 'gcc -v' to know if you have already installed gcc compiler or not. If the output is blank then it means that you don't have gcc installed

Step2: Type 'sudo apt-get install gcc' After typing the following command installation will take place

Step3: Type 'sudo apt-get install build-essential' This will install all the libraries required for c & c++ programming language

## b] How to uninstall gcc compiler:

In GCC 5.1.0, although there is no top-level uninstall target, some directories do have it in particular gcc, so you can do:

Type: cd build/gcc
sudo make uninstall

This does not remove everything that was installed, but remove major executable like gcc, g++, cpp ... contained in that directory.

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• :~$ info

OUTPUT: This is the info main menu (aka directory node):
A few useful info commands:
'q' quits;
'?' lists all info commands;
'h' starts the info tutorial;
'mInfo RET' visits the Texinfo manual, etc;

Practical 3:

Aim: Utilization of grep, main commands :

1) Documentation:

• Finding info documentation learn the command line: bring up the info page for the grep command. Bring up the usage section

solution: To find info about any command 'info' command is used.
The syntax of info command is
:~$ info (command name)
We are going to find the info about the 'grep' command:
Open the terminal and type
:~$ info grep
After typing this command following output will be displayed onto your screen. Another more summarized form of showing info is the 'man' command. The 'command is same as 'info' but summarized data.
You can also scroll through pages using (space = up) & (backspace = down) keys.

• Finding man pages from the command and find: Bring up the man page for the 'ls' command, scroll down to the examples section.

Answer: To use the 'man' command simply type 'man (command name)'. Now we are going to find the manual for 'ls' command. Simply type: 'man ls'

• Finding man pages by topic: What man pages are available that deal with file compression

Answer: 'gzip', 'zip' are some man pages which are available for dealing file compression
Simply type: man gzip
man tar

• Finding man pages by section: From the command like bring up the man page for the printf function which manual page section are the printf function found.

• :~$ man ls •
OUTPUT: NAME:
ls - list directory contents
SYNOPSIS:
ls [OPTIONS]... [FILE]...
DISCRIPTION:
list information about the FILES
sort entries alphabetically if
none of -cftuvSUX nor --sort is
specified
-a, --all
do not ignore entries
starting with
-A, --almost-all
do not list implied and-
--author
with -l, print the author
of each file
-b, --escape
print C-style escapes for
nongraphic characters
-c
list entries by columns

• :~$ man tar
OUTPUT: NAME: GNU version of the tar
archiving utility
SYNOPSIS:
tar [-] A --concatenate | C --create
| d --diff | --compare | --delete | r --append |

t --list --test-label [u --update [x --
extract --get [option] [pathname ...]
description:
zip stores and extracts file from a
tar or tar archive

function letters
-A --concatenate --concatenate
append tar files to an archive
-c, --create
create a new archive
-d, --diff, --compare
find differences between archive
and file system
--delete
delete from the archive
-r, --append
append files to the end of an
archive

:~$ man 3 printf
NAME: printf, fprintf, sprintf, dprintf, snprintf
f, vsprintf, vfprintf, vdprintf, vsnprintf formatted
output conversion
ESCRIPTION:
The functions in the printf() family produce
output according to a format as
ibed below



answer: The number corresponds to what section of the manual page it is from. I
it user command while 8 is system
admin stuff. The man page you read
explain it and that is done.
Some are certain terms that have differe
nt page in different sections. In case
like that you can pass the section no
to the math before the page name to
decide which on you want or use
man -a to show every matching page
in a way
you can tell which section a term you
in with 'man -k' it will do something
matches but if you need to use "apropo
to limit it
simply type: man 3 printf

. command line flag that the available
options for the mkdir command.

Answer: :~$ mkdir --m a = quick
type3

:~$ ls

Practical 4

Aim: command line operators

a] Install new package on your system

:$~ sudo apt-get install [package name]

b] Remove package installed

:$~ sudo apt-get remove [package name]

c] Find passwd file in / using find command

:$~ find / -name passwd
o/p: ./usr/share/doc/nss_/ldap
-253/pam.d/passwd
./usr/bin/passwd
./etc/pam.d/passwd
./etc/passwd

d] Find the directory passwd file under root and one level down:

:$~ find / -maxdepth 2 -name passwd
o/p: /etc/passwd

e] Find the passwd file under root and level down

:$~ find / -maxdepth 3 -name passwd
o/p: /usr/bin/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd
/etc/passwd

f] Find the passwd file between sub directories level 2 to 5

:$~ find -maxdepth 3 -maxdepth 5 -name passwd
o/p: /usr/bin/passwd
/etc/pam.d/passwd

g] Create a symbolic link to the file you found in step

:$~ ln -s file/ file2

h] Create an empty file example.txt & move it to /tmp directory using relative pathname

:$~ touch example.txt
:$~ mv example.txt /tmp

i] delete the file moved to /tmp in previous step by absolute method

:$~ rm /tmp/example.txt

3] Find the location of ls, ps, bash commands

:$ whereis ls
o/p: ls: /bin/ls/usr/share/man/man1/ls
/g2

:$ whereis ps
o/p: /bin/ps/usr/share/maps:/bin/ps/usr/
share/man/man1/ps/g3

:$ whereis bash
o/p: /bin/bash/etc/bash.bashrc/usr/share
/man/man1/bash/g3

Practical 5 7A

Title: File operations

1] Explore mounted file systems on your computer

Answer: df -h

2] What are the different ways of copying mounted file systems on Linux?

Solution: mount

3] Copying text from files.

Answer: cp command, mv command

Q.4] Archiving and backup the work using tar, gzip and bzip2 commands

Answer: gzip filename.txt, bzip2 filename.txt

Q.5] Use diff command to create diff of two files

Answer: diff filename1 filename2

7] Use patch command to patch a file and analyse the patch using patch command again.

Practical 6

Title: Use Environment

Q.1] Which account you are logged in? How do you find out?

Answer: who command & whoami

Q.2] Display /etc/shadow file using cat command and understand the importance of shadow file. How it is different than passwd file.

Answer: cat /etc/shadow

As with the passwd file, each field in the shadow file is also separated with ":" colons characters and are as follows:-

- username, up to 8 characters case-sensitive, usually all lowercase. A direct match to the username in the /etc/passwd file.

- Password: 13 characters encrypted. A blank entry (eg ::) indicates a password is not required to log in and a "*" entry (eg :*:) indicates the account has been disabled.
- The number of days since the password was last changed.
- The number of days before password may be changed
- The number of days which password must be changed
- The number of days to warn user of an expiring password
- The number of days after password expires that account is disabled.
- The number of days since January 1st 1970 that an account been disabled.
- A reserved field for possible future use.

Each field in a passwd entry is separated with ":" colon characters and are as follows.



- Username. up to 8 characters. Case-sensitive usually all lowercase
- An "x" in the password field indicates the encrypted password is stored in the "/etc/shadow" file
- Numeric user id. This is assigned to the "adduser" script. Linux uses this field plus the following group field to identify which files belong to the user
- Numeric group id. Read with user group id's in a fairly unique manner. Generally the group id will match the user id.
- Full name of user. I am not sure what the maximum length you think limit is but try to keep it reasonable
- User's home directory. Usually /home/username. All user's personal files, web pages, mail forwarding etc will be stored here.
- User's "shell account". Often set to "/bin/bash" to provide access to the bash shell

Q.3] Get your current working directory

Answer: pwd

Q.4] Explore different ways of getting command history, how to run previously executed command without typing it.

Answer: history
! the line number

Q.5] Create alias to most common used commands.

Answer: alias label = "command"

Practical 7

Title: Linux Editors : Vi



8.1] Create, modify, search and navigate a file in editor

a] Creating a file

To create a file on the terminal type vi followed by filename

b] Modifying a file

To modify a file on the vi editor, type 'o'

c] Search in a file

To find a word press / followed by the word to search.

d] Navigate:

Movement in your directions

| Key | Action |
|---|---|
| k | Moves cursor up |
| j | Moves cursor down |
| h | Moves cursor left |
| l | Moves cursor right |

Word Navigation:

| Key | Action |
|---|---|
| b | moves back to beginning of the word |
| e | moves forward to the end of the word |
| w | moves forward to the beginning of the word |
| 0 (zero) | moves to 1st character of a line |
| $ | moves to the end of line |

Scrolling:

| Key | Action |
|---|---|
| ctrl+f | scrolls forward |
| ctrl+b | scrolls backwards |
| ctrl+d | scrolls half page |
| ctrl+u | scrolls half page backward |

Q.2] Learn all essential commands like search/ replace, highlight, show line numbers

1] Replace

Syntax: /s/ word to be replaced/s/ newword/gc

2] Highlight

Use set hlsearch

5] show the line numbers use it run

Practical 8

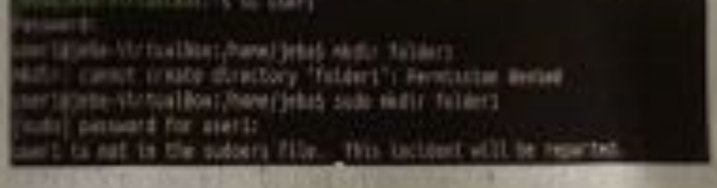
Title : Linux security 78

1] use of sudo to change user privileges to root.

create an user named user1

To give some user root privileges edit / etc/sudoers using visudo. Enter new line as highlighted below.

2] Identify operations that require sudo. privileges



5] Modify expiration data from new user using password aging

```
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox: ~
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$ sudo chage -l user1
Last password change                                    : Jan 28, 2020
Password expires                                        : never
Password inactive                                       : never
Account expires                                         : never
Minimum number of days between password change          : 0
Maximum number of days between password change          : 99999
Number of days of warning before password expires       : 7
```

```
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$ sudo chage user1
Changing the aging information for user1
Enter the new value, or press ENTER for the default

        Minimum Password Age [0]: 100
        Maximum Password Age [99999]: 200
        Last Password Change (YYYY-MM-DD) [2020-01-28]: 2020-01-21
        Password Expiration Warning [7]: 5
        Password Inactive [-1]:
        Account Expiration Date (YYYY-MM-DD) [-1]: 2020-01-31
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$ sudo chage -l user1
Last password change                                    : Jan 21, 2020
Password expires                                        : Aug 08, 2020
Password inactive                                       : never
Account expires                                         : Jan 31, 2020
Minimum number of days between password change          : 100
Maximum number of days between password change          : 200
Number of days of warning before password expires       : 5
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$
```

```
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$ sudo chage -E 25/01/2020 -m 10 -M 60 -I 90 -W 30 user1
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$ sudo chage -l user1
Last password change                                    : Jan 21, 2020
Password expires                                        : Apr 10, 2020
Password inactive                                       : May 20, 2020
Account expires                                         : Jan 01, 2022
Minimum number of days between password change          : 10
Maximum number of days between password change          : 60
Number of days of warning before password expires       : 30
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$
```

-E: Expiration date
-m: Minimum number of days before password change
-M: Number of days password is valid
-I: Account inactive.
-W: No of days of warning before password change is required

6] Delete newly added user

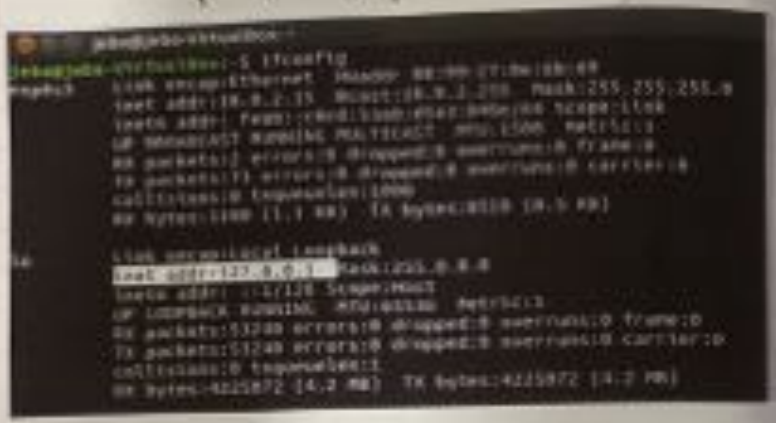
```
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox: ~
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$ sudo userdel user1
[sudo] password for jdoe:
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$ su user1
No passwd entry for user 'user1'
jdoe@jdoe-VirtualBox:~$
```

Done

Practical No 9

Title: Network management

Q.1] Get IP address of your machine using ifconfig

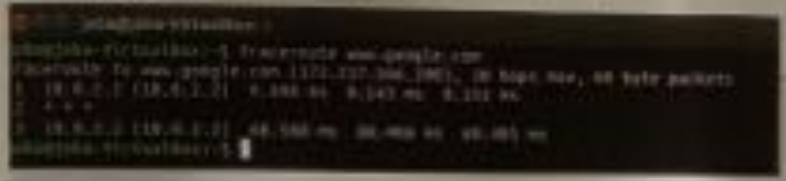



Q.2] Get hostname of your machine

Q.3] Using ping to check the network connectivity to remote machines.

Q.4] Use of dig command

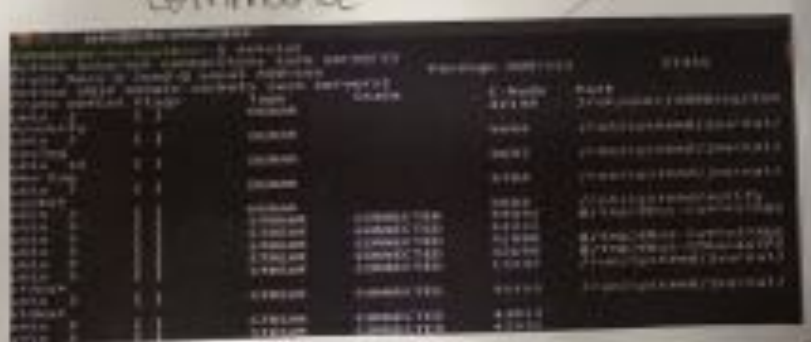
Q.5] Troubleshooting network using traceroute, route command



7] use of arp command

8] use of host command

9] use of netstat command & Nmap command



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Title : shell scripting



Basics of shell scripting

a] To get a shell, you need to start a terminal

b] To see what shell you have, run: echo $SHELL

c] In linux, the dollar sign ($) starts your shell variable.

d] The echo command just outputs what you type in

e] #!/bin/bash - It is called shebang. It is written at the top of a shell script and it passes the instruction to program /bin/bash

- echo $SHELL

• vi filename.sh
#!/bin/bash
echo "shell linux"!"

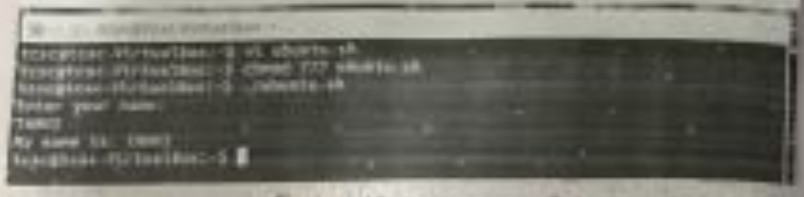
• chmod 777 filename.sh
./filename.sh

• step to write and execute a shell script

Shell script is just a simple text file with .sh extension having executable permission

a] Open terminal
b] Navigate to the place where you want to create script using cd command
c] Touch filename.sh
d] vi filename.sh [You can use your favourite editor to edit script]
e] chmod 777 filename.sh (for making the script executable)
f] sh filename.sh or ./filename.sh (for running the script)

• Program to display your name:
#!/bin/bash
Echo "Enter your name:"
Read name
Echo "My name is $name".



• Program to find the sum of two variables

vi filename.sh

```
#!/bin/bash
a=100
b=25
sum=$(($a+$b))
echo "sum is $sum"
```

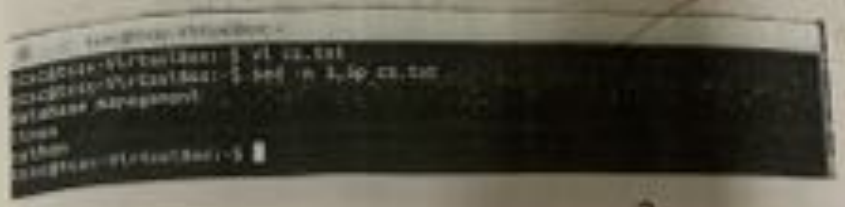
• Program to find sum of two numbers (values passed during execution)

- SED:

sed command or stream editor is very powerful utility offered by linux systems. It is mainly used for text substitution, find & replace but it can perform other text manipulations like insertion, deletion, search etc. With sed we can edit complete files without actually have to open it

1) displaying partial text of a file

with sed, we can view only part of a file rather than viewing whole file

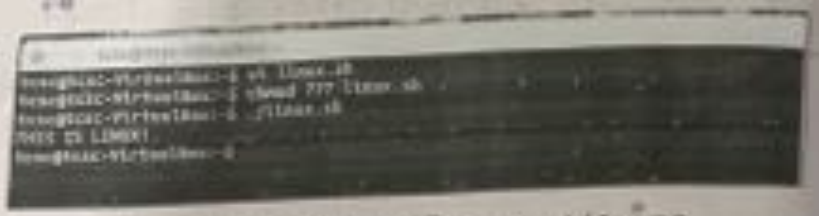


2) display all except some lines

To display all content of a file except some portion, use option 'd'

3) deleting a line

To delete a line, use line number followed by 'd'



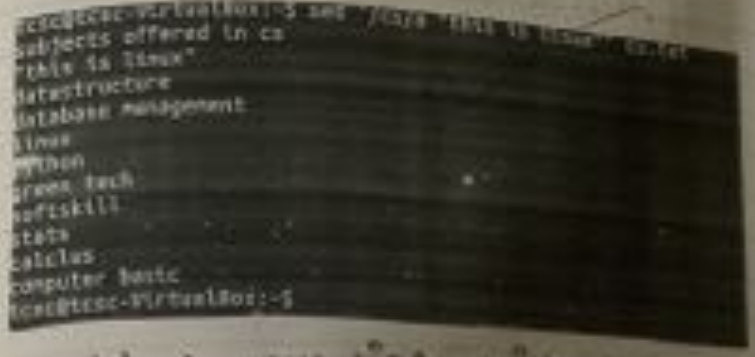

4] search and replacing a string 's' option is for searching a word

5] Replacing a string on a particular line

To replace a string on a particular line, use line number with 's' option

6] Add a line after / before the matched string

To add a new line with some content after every pattern match, use option 'a'




To add a new line with some content before every pattern match, use option 'i'

7] To change a whole line with matched pattern

To change a whole line to a new line, when a search pattern matches, option 'c'.

```
tcsc@tcsc-VirtualBox:~$ sed '/linux/c "this is linux"' cs.txt
subjects offered in cs
datastructure
database management
"this is linux"
python
green tech
softskill
stats
calclus
computer basic
```

8] Appending lines

To add some content before every line with sed, use * and & as follows.

```
tcsc@tcsc-VirtualBox:~$ sed -e 's/.*/Thanks &/' cs.txt
Thanks subjects offered in cs
Thanks datastructure
Thanks database management
Thanks linux
Thanks python
Thanks green tech
Thanks softskill
Thanks stats
Thanks calclus
Thanks computer basic
```