

Documentation

considered administrators. Previously this was hardcoded to `root`. It now defaults to `[root, toor, admin]`. This information is used when choosing between your `remote_temp` and `system_temps` directory.

For a full list, check the shell plugin you are using, the default shell plugin is `sh`.

Those that had to work around the global configuration limitations can now migrate to a per host/group settings, but also note that the new defaults might conflict with existing usage if the assumptions don't correlate to your environment.

Filter

The lookup plugin API now throws an error if a non-iterable value is returned from a plugin. Previously, numbers or other non-iterable types returned by a plugin were accepted without error or warning. This change was made because plugins should always return a list. Please note that plugins that return strings and other non-list iterable values will not throw an error, but may cause unpredictable behavior. If you have a custom lookup plugin that does not return a list, you should modify it to wrap the return values in a list.

Lookup

A new option was added to lookup plugins globally named `error` which allows you to control how errors produced by the lookup are handled, before this option they were always fatal. Valid values for this option are `warn`, `ignore` and `strict`. See the lookup ([../plugins/lookup.html](#)) page for more details.

Porting custom scripts

No notable changes.

Network

Expanding documentation

We're expanding the network documentation. There's new content and a new Ansible Network landing page ([../network/index.html#network-guide](#)). We will continue to build the network-related documentation moving forward.

Top-level connection arguments will be removed in 2.9