

Exercise 7.1 Using dpkg

Here we will just do a number of simple operations for querying and verifying **Debian** packages.

- 1. Find out what package the file /etc/logrotate.conf belongs to.
- 2. List information about the package including all the files it contains.
- 3. Verify the package installation.
- 4. Try to remove the package.

Solution 7.1

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    $ dpkg -S /etc/logrotate.conf
logrotate: /etc/logrotate.conf
    $ dpkg -L logrotate
        ...
    $ dpkg -V logrotate
    $ sudo dpkg -r logrotate
        dpkg: dependency problems prevent removal of logrotate:
        libvirt-bin depends on logrotate.
        ubuntu-standard depends on logrotate.
        dpkg: error processing package logrotate (--remove):
        dependency problems - not removing
        Errors were encountered while processing:
        logrotate
```

