

## 1.a Create a simple file and do `ls -ltr` to see the details of the files

Touch command is used to create a file.

The `ls -ltr` command lists files and directories in the current directory in the long format, sorted by modification time in reverse order.

```
[root@ip-172-31-17-190 linux]# touch file2.txt
[root@ip-172-31-17-190 linux]# ls -ltr
total 4
-rw-r--r--. 1 ec2-user ec2-user    0 May 10 06:28 Advancetopicclassnotes.txt
-rw-rw-r--. 1 ec2-user ec2-user 1986 May 10 12:11 SCP.txt
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root      root      120 May 13 13:43 Scripts
-rw-r--r--. 1 root      root        0 May 14 12:04 file2.txt
```

## b.change the user permissions of the file and note the changes after `ls -ltr`

Inorder to change the user permissions we can use the `chmod` command.

```
[root@ip-172-31-17-190 linux]# chmod 754 file2.txt
[root@ip-172-31-17-190 linux]# ls -ltr
total 4
-rw-r--r--. 1 ec2-user ec2-user    0 May 10 06:28 Advancetopicclassnotes.txt
-rw-rw-r--. 1 ec2-user ec2-user 1986 May 10 12:11 SCP.txt
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root      root      120 May 13 13:43 Scripts
-rwxr-xr--. 1 root      root        0 May 14 12:04 file2.txt
[root@ip-172-31-17-190 linux]#
```

The change observed is that previously both the user and group lacked execute permissions, whereas now both have gained execute permission. However, there are no alterations to permissions for others.

## 2. Write an article about File Permissions based on your understanding from the notes.

## 3.Read about ACL and try out the commands `getfacl` and `setfacl`

The above two are covered in this blog , please have a look

Link:["Unlocking Linux File Security: Permissions & Access Control \(hashnode.com\)".](https://www.hashnode.com/post/unlocking-linux-file-security-permissions-access-control-172317190)