

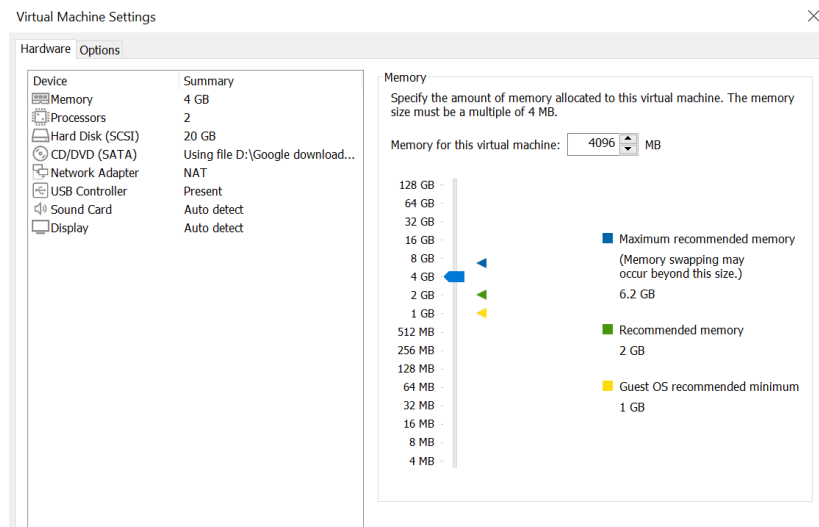
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Subject: Cloud Computing

Lab # 04

Task 1: Verify VM resources in VMware



Task 2: Start VM and log in (use your preferred host terminal method only)

1.

```
Ubuntu 24.04.3 LTS ubuntu64 tty1

ubuntu64 login: maira040
Password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04.3 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.8.0-71-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:    https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support:       https://ubuntu.com/pro

System information as of Thu Oct 23 01:04:11 PM UTC 2025

System load:  0.08          Processes:      245
Usage of /:   45.3% of 9.75GB Users logged in:  0
Memory usage: 7%           IPv4 address for ens33: 192.168.238.129
Swap usage:   0%

Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.

0 updates can be applied immediately.

Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See https://ubuntu.com/esm or run: sudo pro status

The list of available updates is more than a week old.
To check for new updates run: sudo apt update

maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

```
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.19045.6216]
(c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Users\BOSS>ssh maira040@192.168.238.129
maira040@192.168.238.129's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04.3 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.8.0-71-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:    https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support:       https://ubuntu.com/pro

System information as of Thu Oct 23 01:08:32 PM UTC 2025

System load:  0.0          Processes:      214
Usage of /:   45.4% of 9.75GB Users logged in:  1
Memory usage: 8%           IPv4 address for ens33: 192.168.238.129
Swap usage:   0%

Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.

0 updates can be applied immediately.

Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See https://ubuntu.com/esm or run: sudo pro status

The list of available updates is more than a week old.
To check for new updates run: sudo apt update

Last login: Fri Sep 26 16:43:32 2025 from 192.168.238.1
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

2.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ whoami
maira040
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ pwd
/home/maira040
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

Task 3: Filesystem exploration — root tree and dotfil

1.

```
valid_err forever preferred_err forever
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -la /
total 1994844
drwxr-xr-x 23 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 .
drwxr-xr-x 23 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 ..
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 7 Apr 22 2024 bin -> usr/bin
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Feb 26 2024 bin.usr-is-merged
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 boot
dr-xr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 23:53 cdrom
drwxr-xr-x 20 root root 4140 Oct 23 13:02 dev
drwxr-xr-x 108 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:32 etc
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:32 home
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 7 Apr 22 2024 lib -> usr/lib
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 9 Apr 22 2024 lib64 -> usr/lib64
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Feb 26 2024 lib.usr-is-merged
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 16384 Sep 26 16:27 lost+found
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:54 media
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:54 mnt
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:54 opt
dr-xr-xr-x 277 root root 0 Oct 23 13:02 proc
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 root
drwxr-xr-x 28 root root 840 Oct 23 13:08 run
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 8 Apr 22 2024 sbin -> usr/sbin
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Dec 11 2024 sbin.usr-is-merged
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:32 snap
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:54 srv
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 2042626048 Sep 26 16:29 swap.img
dr-xr-xr-x 13 root root 0 Oct 23 13:02 sys
drwxrwxrwt 13 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 tmp
drwxr-xr-x 12 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:54 usr
drwxr-xr-x 13 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:32 var
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

2.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -la /bin
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 7 Apr 22 2024 /bin -> usr/bin
```

3.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -la /sbin
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 8 Apr 22 2024 /sbin -> usr/sbin
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

4.

```
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 8 Apr 22 2024 /sbin -> usr/sb
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -la /usr
total 96
drwxr-xr-x 12 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:54 .
drwxr-xr-x 23 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 ..
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 36864 Sep 26 16:37 bin
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Apr 22 2024 games
drwxr-xr-x 33 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:28 include
drwxr-xr-x 78 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 lib
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:01 lib64
drwxr-xr-x 11 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 libexec
drwxr-xr-x 10 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:54 local
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 20480 Sep 26 16:37 sbin
drwxr-xr-x 124 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 share
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 src
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

5.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -la /opt
total 8
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:54 .
drwxr-xr-x 23 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 ..
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

6.

```

drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 sensors.d
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 12813 Mar 27 2021 services
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 sasl
-rw-r--r-- 1 root shadow 970 Sep 26 16:32 shadow
-rw-r--r-- 1 root shadow 970 Sep 26 16:32 shadow-
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 148 Aug 5 17:14 shells
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:55 skel
drwxr-xr-x 6 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 sos
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:32 ssh
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 ssl
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 22 Sep 26 16:32 subgid
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 0 Aug 5 16:54 subgid-
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 22 Sep 26 16:32 subuid
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 0 Aug 5 16:54 subuid-
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 4343 Jun 25 12:42 sudo.conf
-r--r-- 1 root root 1800 Jan 29 2024 sudoers
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 sudoers.d
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 9804 Jun 25 12:42 sudo_logsrvd.conf
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 supercat
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 2209 Mar 24 2024 systemctl.conf
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 systemctl.d
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 systemctl-
drwxr-xr-x 6 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:49 systemd
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:00 termInfo
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 thermalid
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 8 Aug 5 17:02 timezone
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 tmpfiles.d
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 ubuntu-advantage
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 1250 Jan 27 2023 ucf.conf
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 udev
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 udisks2
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 ufu
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 208 Aug 5 16:54 .updated
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 update-manager
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 update-notid.d
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 update-notifier
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 UPower
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 1523 Aug 5 17:14 usb_modeswitch.conf
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 usb_modeswitch.d
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 16 Aug 5 17:02 vconsole.conf -> default/keyboard
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 vln
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 vmware-tools
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 23 Feb 26 2024 vtrgb -> /etc/alternatives/vtrgb
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 4942 Aug 5 17:14 wgetrc
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 x11
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 681 Apr 8 2024 xattr.conf
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 xdg
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 xml
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 460 Aug 5 17:14 zsh_command_not_found
maira040@ubuntu64:~$

```

7.

```

crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 92 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS28
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 93 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS29
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 67 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS3
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 94 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS30
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 95 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS31
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 68 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS4
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 69 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS5
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 70 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS6
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 71 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS7
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 72 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS8
crw-rw---- 1 root dialout 4, 73 Oct 23 13:02 ttyS9
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 60 Oct 23 13:02 ubuntu-vg
crw-rw---- 1 root kvm 10, 124 Oct 23 13:02 udmabuf
crw----- 1 root root 10, 239 Oct 23 13:02 uhid
crw----- 1 root root 10, 223 Oct 23 13:02 uinput
crw-rw-rw- 1 root root 1, 9 Oct 23 13:02 urandom
crw----- 1 root root 10, 126 Oct 23 13:02 userfaultfd
crw----- 1 root root 10, 240 Oct 23 13:02 userio
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 0 Oct 23 13:02 vcs
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 1 Oct 23 13:02 vcs1
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 2 Oct 23 13:02 vcs2
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 3 Oct 23 13:02 vcs3
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 4 Oct 23 13:02 vcs4
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 5 Oct 23 13:02 vcs5
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 6 Oct 23 13:02 vcs6
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 128 Oct 23 13:02 vcsa
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 129 Oct 23 13:02 vcsa1
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 130 Oct 23 13:02 vcsa2
crw-rw---- 1 root tty 7, 131 Oct 23 13:02 vcsa3

```

8.

```

maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -la /var
total 56
drwxr-xr-x 13 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:32 .
drwxr-xr-x 23 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 ..
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Oct 23 12:48 backups
drwxr-xr-x 14 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:33 cache
drwxrwsrwt 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:02 crash
drwxr-xr-x 44 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:32 lib
drwxrwsr-x 2 root staff 4096 Apr 22 2024 local
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 9 Aug 5 16:54 lock -> /run/lock
drwxrwxr-x 10 root syslog 4096 Oct 23 13:02 log
drwxrwsr-x 2 root mail 4096 Aug 5 16:54 mail
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 5 16:54 opt
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 4 Aug 5 16:54 run -> /run
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 May 21 15:46 snap
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 Aug 5 17:14 spool
drwxrwsrwt 7 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 tmp
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 208 Aug 5 16:54 .updated
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ _

```

9.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -la /tmp
total 52
drwxrwxrwt 13 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 .
drwxr-xr-x 23 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:29 ..
drwxrwxrwt 2 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 .font-unix
drwxrwxrwt 2 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 .ICE-unix
drwx----- 2 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 snap-private-tmp
drwx----- 3 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 systemd-private-7dc88141aa7d49a2a9c729f00e042737-ModemManager.service-2f82HQ
drwx----- 3 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 systemd-private-7dc88141aa7d49a2a9c729f00e042737-polkit.service-270tXh
drwx----- 3 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 systemd-private-7dc88141aa7d49a2a9c729f00e042737-systemd-logind.service-8uSJrx
drwx----- 3 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 systemd-private-7dc88141aa7d49a2a9c729f00e042737-systemd-resolved.service-VCCHs8
drwx----- 3 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 systemd-private-7dc88141aa7d49a2a9c729f00e042737-systemd-timesyncd.service-Wx1u4t
drwx----- 2 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 vmware-root_751-4298559920
drwxrwxrwt 2 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 .X11-unix
drwxrwxrwt 2 root root 4096 Oct 23 13:02 .XIM-unix
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

10.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -la ~
total 36
drwxr-x--- 5 maira040 maira040 4096 Oct 23 13:22 .
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 Sep 26 16:32 ..
-rw-rw-r-- 1 maira040 maira040 271 Oct 23 13:22 answers.md
-rw-r--r-- 1 maira040 maira040 220 Mar 31 2024 .bash_logout
-rw-r--r-- 1 maira040 maira040 3771 Mar 31 2024 .bashrc
drwx----- 2 maira040 maira040 4096 Sep 26 16:33 .cache
drwxrwxr-x 3 maira040 maira040 4096 Oct 23 13:17 .local
-rw-r--r-- 1 maira040 maira040 807 Mar 31 2024 .profile
drwx----- 2 maira040 maira040 4096 Sep 26 16:32 .ssh
-rw-r--r-- 1 maira040 maira040 0 Sep 26 16:37 .sudo_as_admin_successful
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

11.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ cat answers.md
In linux, /bin holds essential system commands, /usr/bin contains most user-installed programs, and /usr/local/bin stores manually installed software. This separation keeps system tools, package-managed apps, and user-added programs organized and safe from overwriting.
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

Task 4: Essential CLI tasks — navigation and file operations

1.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ mkdir -p ~/lab4/workspace/python_project
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

2.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ cd ~/lab4/workspace/python_project
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

3.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ pwd
/home/maira040/lab4/workspace/python_project
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

4.

```
GNU nano 7.2
Lab 4 README
```

5.

```
GNU nano 7.2
print ("hello Lab4")
```

6.

```
GNU nano 7.2
ENV=lab4_
```

7.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ ls -la
total 20
drwxrwxr-x 2 maira040 maira040 4096 Oct 23 13:46 .
drwxrwxr-x 3 maira040 maira040 4096 Oct 23 13:39 ..
-rw-rw-r-- 1 maira040 maira040 9 Oct 23 13:45 .env
-rw-rw-r-- 1 maira040 maira040 21 Oct 23 13:44 main.py
-rw-rw-r-- 1 maira040 maira040 13 Oct 23 13:42 README.md
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

8.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ cp README.md README.copy.md
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

9.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ cp README.md README.copy.md
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ mv README.copy.md README.dev.md
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

10.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ rm README.dev.md
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

11.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ mkdir -p ~/lab4/workspace/java_app
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

12.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ cp -r ~/lab4/workspace/python_project ~/lab4/workspace/java_app_copy
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

13.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ ls -la ~/lab4/workspace
total 20
drwxrwxr-x 5 maira040 maira040 4096 Oct 23 13:51 .
drwxrwxr-x 3 maira040 maira040 4096 Oct 23 13:39 ..
drwxrwxr-x 2 maira040 maira040 4096 Oct 23 13:50 java_app
drwxrwxr-x 2 maira040 maira040 4096 Oct 23 13:51 java_app_copy
drwxrwxr-x 2 maira040 maira040 4096 Oct 23 13:48 python_project
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

14.

```
2 ls -la /
3 ls -la /bin
4 ls -la /sbin
5 ls -la /usr
6 ls -la /opt
7 ls -la /etc
8 ls -la /dev
9 ls -la /var
10 ls -la /tmp
11 ls -la
12 nano ~/answers.md
13 cat answers.md
14 ls -la /
15 ls -la /bin
16 ls -la /sbin
17 ls -la /usr
18 ls -la /opt
19 ls -la /etc
20 ls -la /dev
21 ls -la /var
22 ls -la /tmp
23 ls -la /
24 ls -la /bin
25 ls -la /sbin
26 ls -la /usr
27 ls -la /opt
28 ls -la /etc
29 ls -la /dev
30 ls -la /var
31 ls -la /tmp
32 ls -la
33 cat answers.md
34 mkdir -p ~/lab4/workspace/python_project
35 cd ~/lab4/workspace/python_project
36 mkdir -p ~/lab4/workspace/python_project
37 cd ~/lab4/workspace/python_project
38 pwd
39 nano README.md
40 nano main.py
41 nano .env
42 ls -la
43 cp README.md README.copy.md
44 mv README.copy.md README.dev.md
45 rm README.dev.md
46 mkdir -p ~/lab4/workspace/java_app
47 cp -r ~/lab4/workspace/python_project ~/lab4/workspace/java_app_copy
48 ls -la ~/lab4/workspace
49 history
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

Task 5: System info, resources & processes:

1.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ uname -a
Linux ubuntu64 6.8.0-71-generic #71-Ubuntu SMP PREEMPT_DYNAMIC Tue Jul 22 16:52:38 UTC 2025 x86_64 x86_64 x86_64 GNU/Linux
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

2.

```
apicid       : 0
initial apicid : 0
fpu          : yes
fpu_exception : yes
cpuid level  : 22
wp           : yes
flags       : fpu vme de pse tsc mtrr pae mca cx8 apic sep mtrr pge mca cmov pat pse36 clflush mmx fxsr sse sse2 ss syscall nx pdpe
arch_perfmon nopl xtopology tsc_reliable nonstop_tsc cpuid tsc_known_freq pni pclmulqdq vmx ssse3 fma cx16 pcid sse4_1 sse4_2 x2apic
timer aes xsave avx f16c rdrand hypervisor lahf_lm abm 3dnowprefetch pt1 sssd ibrs lbrs stibp tpr_shadow ept vpid ept_ad fsgsbase tsc
invpcid rdseed adx smap clflushopt xsaveopt xsavec xgetbv1 xsaves arat vnm1 md_clear flush_l1d arch_capabilities
vmx flags : vnm1 invpid ept_x_only ept_ad tsc_offset vtptr mtf ept vpid unrestricted_guest ple ept_mode_based_exec
bugs      : cpu_meltdown spectre_v1 spectre_v2 spec_store_bypass l1tf mds swapgs itlb_multihit srbds mmio_stale_data retbleed g
bogomips  : 3792.00
clflush size : 64
cache alignment : 64
address sizes : 45 bits physical, 48 bits virtual
power management:

processor   : 1
vendor_id   : GenuineIntel
cpu family  : 6
model       : 142
model name  : Intel(R) Core(TM) i5-8350U CPU @ 1.70GHz
stepping    : 10
microcode   : 0xb4
cpu MHz     : 1896.001
cache size  : 6144 KB
physical id : 2
siblings    : 1
core id     : 0
cpu cores   : 1
apicid      : 2
initial apicid : 2
fpu         : yes
fpu_exception : yes
cpuid level : 22
wp          : yes
flags       : fpu vme de pse tsc mtrr pae mca cx8 apic sep mtrr pge mca cmov pat pse36 clflush mmx fxsr sse sse2 ss syscall nx pdpe
arch_perfmon nopl xtopology tsc_reliable nonstop_tsc cpuid tsc_known_freq pni pclmulqdq vmx ssse3 fma cx16 pcid sse4_1 sse4_2 x2apic
timer aes xsave avx f16c rdrand hypervisor lahf_lm abm 3dnowprefetch pt1 sssd ibrs lbrs stibp tpr_shadow ept vpid ept_ad fsgsbase tsc
invpcid rdseed adx smap clflushopt xsaveopt xsavec xgetbv1 xsaves arat vnm1 md_clear flush_l1d arch_capabilities
vmx flags : vnm1 invpid ept_x_only ept_ad tsc_offset vtptr mtf ept vpid unrestricted_guest ple ept_mode_based_exec
bugs      : cpu_meltdown spectre_v1 spectre_v2 spec_store_bypass l1tf mds swapgs itlb_multihit srbds mmio_stale_data retbleed g
bogomips  : 3792.00
clflush size : 64
cache alignment : 64
address sizes : 45 bits physical, 48 bits virtual
power management:

maira040@ubuntu64:~$ _
```

3.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ free -h
              total        used        free      shared  buff/cache   available
Mem:          3.8Gi          501Mi        3.2Gi         1.5Mi        335Mi        3.3Gi
Swap:          1.9Gi           0B          1.9Gi
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

4.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ df -h
Filesystem      Size  Used Avail Use% Mounted on
tmpfs            387M  1.5M  386M   1% /run
/dev/mapper/ubun--vg-ubuntu--lv 9.8G  4.5G  4.8G  49% /
tmpfs            1.9G   0  1.9G   0% /dev/shm
tmpfs            5.0M   0  5.0M   0% /run/lock
/dev/sda2        1.8G 100M  1.6G   7% /boot
tmpfs            387M  12K  387M   1% /run/user/1000
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

5.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ cat /etc/os-release
PRETTY_NAME="Ubuntu 24.04.3 LTS"
NAME="Ubuntu"
VERSION_ID="24.04"
VERSION="24.04.3 LTS (Noble Numbat)"
VERSION_CODENAME=noble
ID=ubuntu
ID_LIKE=debian
HOME_URL="https://www.ubuntu.com/"
SUPPORT_URL="https://help.ubuntu.com/"
BUG_REPORT_URL="https://bugs.launchpad.net/ubuntu/"
PRIVACY_POLICY_URL="https://www.ubuntu.com/legal/terms-and-policies/privacy-policy"
UBUNTU_CODENAME=noble
LOGO=ubuntu-logo
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

6.

```

root      664 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 13:02 0:00 [kworker/R-eth4]
systemd+  645 0.0 0.2 19008 9472 ? Ss 13:02 0:00 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-r
systemd+  660 0.0 0.3 21580 12800 ? Ss 13:02 0:00 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-r
systemd+  667 0.0 0.1 91024 7808 ? Ssl 13:02 0:00 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-t
root      731 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 13:02 0:00 [kworker/R-cfg80]
root      750 0.0 0.3 53464 12032 ? Ss 13:02 0:00 /usr/bin/VGAuthService
root      751 0.2 0.2 242132 9216 ? Ssl 13:02 0:07 /usr/bin/vmtoolsd
root      765 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 13:02 0:00 [irq/57-vmw_vhci]
root      766 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 13:02 0:00 [irq/58-vmw_vhci]
root      767 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 13:02 0:00 [irq/59-vmw_vhci]
message+  803 0.0 0.1 9808 5376 ? Ss 13:02 0:00 @dbus-daemon --system --ad
polkitd   820 0.0 0.1 308164 7808 ? Ssl 13:02 0:00 /usr/lib/polkit-1/polkitd
root      827 0.0 0.2 18144 8704 ? Ss 13:02 0:00 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-l
root      830 0.0 0.3 468988 13440 ? Ssl 13:02 0:00 /usr/libexec/udisks2/udisk
root      852 0.0 0.5 109660 23040 ? Ssl 13:02 0:00 /usr/bin/python3 /usr/shar
syslog    856 0.0 0.1 222508 6016 ? Ssl 13:02 0:00 /usr/sbin/rsyslogd -n -iNO
root      872 0.0 0.3 392092 12800 ? Ssl 13:02 0:00 /usr/sbin/ModemManager
root      899 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? S 13:02 0:00 [irq/16-vmwgfx]
root      901 0.0 0.0 0 0 ? I< 13:02 0:00 [kworker/R-ttm]
root      1005 0.0 0.0 6824 2688 ? Ss 13:02 0:00 /usr/sbin/cron -f -P
root      1063 0.0 0.1 6948 4736 ttu1 Ss 13:02 0:00 /bin/login -p --

```

Task 6: Users and account verification (no sudo group change)

1.

```

maira040@ubuntu64:~$ sudo adduser lab4user
[sudo] password for maira040:
info: Adding user `lab4user' ...
info: Selecting UID/GID from range 1000 to 59999 ...
info: Adding new group `lab4user' (1001) ...
info: Adding new user `lab4user' (1001) with group `lab4user (1001)' ...
info: Creating home directory `/home/lab4user' ...
info: Copying files from `/etc/skel' ...
New password:
Retype new password:
passwd: password updated successfully
Changing the user information for lab4user
Enter the new value, or press ENTER for the default
  Full Name []: lab4user
    Room Number []: 2
      Work Phone []: 0300
      Home Phone []: 0316
        Other []: 0400
Is the information correct? [Y/n] y
info: Adding new user `lab4user' to supplemental / extra groups `users' ...
info: Adding user `lab4user' to group `users' ...
maira040@ubuntu64:~$

```

2.

```

info: Adding user `lab4user' to group `users' ...
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ getent passwd lab4user
lab4user:x:1001:1001:lab4user,2,0300,0316,0400:/home/lab4user:/bin/bash
maira040@ubuntu64:~$

```

3.

```

maira040@ubuntu64:~$ su - lab4user
Password:
lab4user@ubuntu64:~$

```

4.

```

lab4user@ubuntu64:~$ sudo whoami
[sudo] password for lab4user:
lab4user is not in the sudoers file.
lab4user@ubuntu64:~$

```

5.

```

maira040@ubuntu64:~$

```

6.

```

maira040@ubuntu64:~$ sudo deluser --remove-home lab4user
info: Looking for files to backup/remove ...
info: Removing files ...
info: Removing crontab ...
info: Removing user `lab4user' ...
maira040@ubuntu64:~$

```

Task 7: Create a small demo script using an editor and run it

1.

```
GNU nano 7.2
#!/bin/bash
echo "Lab 4 demo: current user is $(whoami)"
echo "Current time: $(date)"
uptime
free -h_
```

2.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ chmod +x ~/lab4/workspace/run-demo.sh
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

3.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ~/lab4/workspace/run-demo.sh
Lab 4 demo: current user is maira040
Current time: Thu Oct 23 02:18:26 PM UTC 2025
14:18:26 up 1:16, 2 users, load average: 0.00, 0.00, 0.00
      total    used    free   shared  buff/cache   available
Mem:    3.8Gi    491Mi    3.2Gi    1.5Mi    348Mi      3.3Gi
Swap:    1.9Gi      0B      1.9Gi
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

Exam Evaluation Questions:

Question 1:

1.

```
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.19045.6216]
(c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Users\BOSS>ssh maira040@192.168.238.129
maira040@192.168.238.129's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04.3 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.8.0-71-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:    https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support:       https://ubuntu.com/pro

System information as of Thu Oct 23 01:08:32 PM UTC 2025

System load:  0.0               Processes:            214
Usage of /:   45.4% of 9.75GB   Users logged in:     1
Memory usage: 8%               IPv4 address for ens33: 192.168.238.129
Swap usage:  0%

Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.

0 updates can be applied immediately.

Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See https://ubuntu.com/esm or run: sudo pro status

The list of available updates is more than a week old.
To check for new updates run: sudo apt update

Last login: Fri Sep 26 16:43:32 2025 from 192.168.238.1
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

2.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ whoami
maira040
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ pwd
/home/maira040
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```


3.

```
Ubuntu 24.04.3 LTS ubuntu64 tty1

ubuntu64 login: maira040
Password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04.3 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.8.0-71-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:    https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support:       https://ubuntu.com/pro

System information as of Thu Oct 23 01:04:11 PM UTC 2025

System load:  0.08               Processes:    245
Usage of /:   45.3% of 9.75GB    Users logged in: 0
Memory usage: 7%                IPv4 address for ens33: 192.168.238.129
Swap usage:   0%

Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.

0 updates can be applied immediately.

Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See https://ubuntu.com/esm or run: sudo pro status

The list of available updates is more than a week old.
To check for new updates run: sudo apt update

maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

Question 2:

1.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -la /
total 199484
drwxr-xr-x 23 root root      4096 Sep 26 16:29 .
drwxr-xr-x 23 root root      4096 Sep 26 16:29 ..
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root         7 Apr 22  2024 bin -> usr/bin
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root      4096 Feb 26  2024 bin.usr-is-merged
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root      4096 Sep 26 16:29 boot
dr-xr-xr-x 2 root root      4096 Aug  5 23:53 cdrom
drwxr-xr-x 20 root root     4140 Oct 23 13:02 dev
drwxr-xr-x 108 root root     4096 Sep 26 16:32 etc
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root      4096 Sep 26 16:32 home
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root         7 Apr 22  2024 lib -> usr/lib
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root         9 Apr 22  2024 lib64 -> usr/lib64
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root      4096 Feb 26  2024 lib.usr-is-merged
drwx----- 2 root root    16384 Sep 26 16:27 lost+found
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root      4096 Aug  5 16:54 media
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root      4096 Aug  5 16:54 mnt
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root      4096 Aug  5 16:54 opt
dr-xr-xr-x 277 root root       0 Oct 23 13:02 proc
drwx----- 3 root root      4096 Aug  5 17:02 root
drwxr-xr-x 28 root root      840 Oct 23 13:08 run
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root         8 Apr 22  2024/sbin -> usr/sbin
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root      4096 Dec 11  2024/sbin.usr-is-merged
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root      4096 Sep 26 16:32 snap
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root      4096 Aug  5 16:54 srv
-rw----- 1 root root    2042626048 Sep 26 16:29 swap.img
dr-xr-xr-x 13 root root         0 Oct 23 13:02 sys
drwxrwxrwt 13 root root      4096 Oct 23 13:02 tmp
drwxr-xr-x 12 root root      4096 Aug  5 16:54 usr
drwxr-xr-x 13 root root      4096 Sep 26 16:32 var
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

2.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ cat /etc/os-release
PRETTY_NAME="Ubuntu 24.04.3 LTS"
NAME="Ubuntu"
VERSION_ID="24.04"
VERSION="24.04.3 LTS (Noble Numbat)"
VERSION_CODENAME=noble
ID=ubuntu
ID_LIKE=debian
HOME_URL="https://www.ubuntu.com/"
SUPPORT_URL="https://help.ubuntu.com/"
BUG_REPORT_URL="https://bugs.launchpad.net/ubuntu/"
PRIVACY_POLICY_URL="https://www.ubuntu.com/legal/terms-and-policies/privacy-policy"
UBUNTU_CODENAME=noble
LOGO=ubuntu-logo
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

3.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ ls -a ~
.  ..  answers.md  .bash_logout  .bashrc  .cache  '~lab4'  lab4  .local  .profile  .ssh
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

4.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ cat answers.md
```

In linux, /bin holds essential system commands, /usr/bin contains most user-installed programs, and /usr/local/bin stores manually installed software. This separation keeps system tools, package-managed apps, and user-added programs organized and safe from overwriting.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ _
```

Question 3:

1.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$ uname -a
Linux ubuntu64 6.8.0-71-generic #71-Ubuntu SMP PREEMPT_DYNAMIC Tue Jul 22 16:52:38 UTC 2025 x86_64 x86_64 x86_64 GNU/Linux
maira040@ubuntu64:~/lab4/workspace/python_project$
```

2.

```
apicid       : 0
initial apicid : 0
fpu          : yes
fpu_exception : yes
cpuid level  : 22
wp           : yes
flags        : fpu vme de pse tsc msr pae mce cx8 apic sep mtrr pge mca cmov pat pse36 clflush mmx fxsr sse sse2 ss syscall nx pdpe
arch_perfmon nopl xtopology tsc_reliable nonstop_tsc cpuid tsc_known_freq pni pclmulqdq vmx ssse3 fma cx16 pcid sse4.1 sse4.2 x2apic
timer_aes xsave avx f16c rdrand hypervisor lahf_lm abm 3dnowprefetch pt1 ssbd ibrs lbob stibp tpr_shadow ept vpid ept_ad fsgsbase tsc
invpcid rdseed adx smap clflushopt xsaveopt xsavec xgetbv1 xsaves arat vmml md_clear flush_l1d arch_capabilities
vmx flags    : vmml invpcid ept_x_only ept_ad tsc_offset vtptr mtf ept vpid unrestricted_guest ple ept_mode_based_exec
bugs         : cpu_meltdown spectre_v1 spectre_v2 spec_store_bypass l1tf mds swapgs itlb_multihit srbds mmio_stale_data retbleed_g
bogomips     : 3792.00
clflush size : 64
cache_alignm : 64
address sizes : 45 bits physical, 48 bits virtual
power management:

processor     : 1
vendor_id     : GenuineIntel
cpu family    : 6
model         : 142
model name    : Intel(R) Core(TM) i5-8350U CPU @ 1.70GHz
stepping      : 10
microcode     : 0xb4
cpu MHz       : 1896.001
cache size    : 6144 KB
physical id   : 2
siblings      : 1
core id       : 0
cpu cores     : 1
apicid        : 2
initial apicid : 2
fpu           : yes
fpu_exception : yes
cpuid level   : 22
wp            : yes
flags         : fpu vme de pse tsc msr pae mce cx8 apic sep mtrr pge mca cmov pat pse36 clflush mmx fxsr sse sse2 ss syscall nx pdpe
arch_perfmon nopl xtopology tsc_reliable nonstop_tsc cpuid tsc_known_freq pni pclmulqdq vmx ssse3 fma cx16 pcid sse4.1 sse4.2 x2apic
timer_aes xsave avx f16c rdrand hypervisor lahf_lm abm 3dnowprefetch pt1 ssbd ibrs lbob stibp tpr_shadow ept vpid ept_ad fsgsbase tsc
invpcid rdseed adx smap clflushopt xsaveopt xsavec xgetbv1 xsaves arat vmml md_clear flush_l1d arch_capabilities
vmx flags     : vmml invpcid ept_x_only ept_ad tsc_offset vtptr mtf ept vpid unrestricted_guest ple ept_mode_based_exec
bugs          : cpu_meltdown spectre_v1 spectre_v2 spec_store_bypass l1tf mds swapgs itlb_multihit srbds mmio_stale_data retbleed_g
bogomips      : 3792.00
clflush size  : 64
cache_alignm  : 64
address sizes  : 45 bits physical, 48 bits virtual
power management:

maira040@ubuntu64:~$ _
```

3.

```
root      664  0.0  0.0      0      0 ?        I<  13:02  0:00 [kworker/R-xtt4]
systemd+  645  0.0  0.2  19008  9472 ?        Ss  13:02  0:00 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-r
systemd+  660  0.0  0.3  21580  12800 ?        Ss  13:02  0:00 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-r
systemd+  667  0.0  0.1  91024  7808 ?        Ssl 13:02  0:00 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-t
root      731  0.0  0.0      0      0 ?        I<  13:02  0:00 [kworker/R-cfg80]
root      750  0.0  0.3  53464  12032 ?        Ss  13:02  0:00 /usr/bin/VGAuthService
root      751  0.2  0.2  242132  9216 ?        Ssl 13:02  0:07 /usr/bin/vmtoolsd
root      765  0.0  0.0      0      0 ?        S   13:02  0:00 [irq/57-vmw_vmc]
root      766  0.0  0.0      0      0 ?        S   13:02  0:00 [irq/58-vmw_vmc]
root      767  0.0  0.0      0      0 ?        S   13:02  0:00 [irq/59-vmw_vmc]
message+  803  0.0  0.1   9808  5376 ?        Ss  13:02  0:00 @dbus-daemon --system --ad
polkitd   820  0.0  0.1  308164  7808 ?        Ssl 13:02  0:00 /usr/lib/polkit-1/polkitd
root      827  0.0  0.2  18144  8704 ?        Ss  13:02  0:00 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-l
root      830  0.0  0.3  468988  13440 ?        Ssl 13:02  0:00 /usr/libexec/udisks2/udisk
root      852  0.0  0.5  109660  23040 ?        Ssl 13:02  0:00 /usr/bin/python3 /usr/shar
syslog    856  0.0  0.1  222508  6016 ?        Ssl 13:02  0:00 /usr/sbin/rsyslogd -n -INC
root      872  0.0  0.3  392092  12800 ?        Ssl 13:02  0:00 /usr/sbin/ModemManager
root      899  0.0  0.0      0      0 ?        S   13:02  0:00 [irq/16-vmwgfx]
root      901  0.0  0.0      0      0 ?        I<  13:02  0:00 [kworker/R-ttm]
root     1005  0.0  0.0   6824  2688 ?        Ss  13:02  0:00 /usr/sbin/cron -f -P
root     1063  0.0  0.1   6948  4736 ttu1    Ss  13:02  0:00 /bin/login -p --
```

Question 4:

1.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ sudo adduser lab4user
[sudo] password for maira040:
info: Adding user 'lab4user' ...
info: Selecting UID/GID from range 1000 to 59999 ...
info: Adding new group 'lab4user' (1001) ...
info: Adding new user 'lab4user' (1001) with group 'lab4user (1001)' ...
info: Creating home directory '/home/lab4user' ...
info: Copying files from '/etc/skel' ...
New password:
Retype new password:
passwd: password updated successfully
Changing the user information for lab4user
Enter the new value, or press ENTER for the default
  Full Name []: lab4user
    Room Number []: 2
    Work Phone []: 0300
    Home Phone []: 0316
      Other []: 0400
Is the information correct? [Y/n] y
info: Adding new user 'lab4user' to supplemental / extra groups 'users' ...
info: Adding user 'lab4user' to group 'users' ...
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

2.

```
info: Adding user 'lab4user' to group 'users' ...
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ getent passwd lab4user
lab4user:x:1001:1001:lab4user,2,0300,0316,0400:/home/lab4user:/bin/bash
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

3.

```
Try 'su --help' for more information.
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ su - lab4user
Password:
lab4user@ubuntu64:~$
```

4.

```
lab4user@ubuntu64:~$ sudo whoami
[sudo] password for lab4user:
lab4user is not in the sudoers file.
lab4user@ubuntu64:~$
```

5.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```

6.

```
maira040@ubuntu64:~$ sudo deluser --remove-home lab4user
info: Looking for files to backup/remove ...
info: Removing files ...
info: Removing crontab ...
info: Removing user 'lab4user' ...
maira040@ubuntu64:~$
```