Red Hat Lab – Chapter 15

Use **Red Hat Lab** Environment to complete the lab. Issue the following commands immediately before step 1:

history -c history -w These commands should be repeated for each user@machine prompt. See boxes below.

Paste a screenshot in the box below of the command output from the command below. Include the command itself in the screenshot:

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Issue the command history after the last step for root@serverb. Paste a screenshot of the history in the proper box below. Include the command itself and the full history of commands.

root@serverb

Lab Manual

Use the VirtualBox RHELv9 virtual machine for this lab. Do <u>not</u> use the Red Hat Lab Environment. Issue the following commands in the Terminal window before starting the lab on the next page:

Repeat these commands for root@RHELv8 if necessary.

Paste the results of the history command in the box at the end of the lab.

Lab 24: Finding Files

- 1. Display all files with the word hostname in the file name.
- 2. Display all files with the word hostname in the file name regardless of case (small or capital letters).
- 3. Find the file hostname in the /etc directory while redirecting the error stream to discard any error messages.
- 4. Find all files in /etc which were modified less than 2 days ago.
- 5. Find all files in /etc which were modified less than 30 minutes ago.
- 6. Display all files larger than 8 MB in size.
- 7. Create an empty file named *sample* in your home directory.
- 8. Find all empty files in your home directory.
- 9. Display all directories in your home directory.
- 10. Display all the files in /etc directory structure that end in .conf.
- 11. Limit the depth of the above command to only one directory deep.
- 12. Find all the files starting with hosts in the /etc directory structure and display detailed information about them (long listing).
- 13. Copy all files in /etc that have the conf extension to your home directory.
- 14. Find all the files in your home directory that end in .conf and delete them with using one line.

Lab 25: Creating Partitions & Mounting File Systems

Before starting this exercise, add a second hard drive to your RHELv9 machine. Shut down your machine. Right-click the VM and select Settings. Click the Add button and click Next. Select SATA and click Next. Create a new 25 GB virtual disk stored as a single file. Be sure to click the folder to select an appropriate location to store your new hard. Click Finish. Switch to the root account and clear the history.

- 1. Display the current partitions. The disk /dev/sdb is the new virtual drive you just created. Use this drive for the following steps.
- 2. Open fdisk for your new virtual hard disk.
- 3. Display help.
- 4. Display the current partition table.
- 5. Create a new primary partition using partition number 1.
- 6. Accept the default starting block or sector and change the last sector to create a 200 MB partition.
- 7. Display the partition table.
- 8. Save your partition table.
- 9. Reboot to have the kernel recognize the new partitions.
- 10. Switch to the root account.
- 11. Verify the new partition was created using the ls command.
- 12. Format the partition as an ext4 partition.
- 13. Create a directory to use as the mount point called /data.
- 14. Mount the new partition to the created directory.
- 15. Display the UUID for the new partition. Use it in the next step.
- 16. Add the new mount to the fstab file using default options.
- 17. Verify the change.
- 18. Activate the fstab changes without rebooting.
- 19. Unmount the /data file system
- 20. Remount specifying only the mount point.
- 21. Create a second primary partition. Use the default start and last sectors.
- 22. Save the changes and reboot.
- 23. Switch to the root account.
- 24. Change the partition type for the second primary partition to use as a swap partition. Write your changes to disk.
- 25. Verify the new partitions have been created in /dev.
- 26. Format the partition as swap space with a name of myswap.
- 27. View the current swap space for the system.
- 28. Add the new swap partition to the current swap space.
- 29. View the current swap space for the system.
- 30. Display the UUID for the new swap partition. Use it in the next step.
- 31. Edit fstab so the new swap partition is enabled automatically at boot.
- 32. Verify your changes.
- 33. Instead of rebooting, test the new entry in fstab by viewing which swap spaces are currently being used.

- 34. Remove the partition from swap space.
- 35. View swap spaces again.
- 36. Reactivate the swap space to test the new entry.
- 37. View swap spaces once again. Note: Steps 33-37 test the new swap space. If you had made any errors, and rebooted, your system may have been unbootable.
- 38. Create a 100 MB file of all zeroes called swapfile.
- 39. Convert swapfile into a swap file.
- 40. Add swapfile to the current swap space.
- 41. Verify the new swap space.
- 42. Edit the fstab file so the new swap file is automatically enabled at boot.
- 43. Verify the changes in the fstab file
- 44. View the swap space.
- 45. Instead of rebooting, remove the swap file from swap space.
- 46. View swap spaces
- 47. Reactivate the swap space.
- 48. View the swap space again to verify.

Steps 1-15:

Step 16: fstab line

Steps 17-30:

Step 31: fstab line

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Step 42: fstab line

Steps 43-48: