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Text Editor

Recap from previous session:

1. Create a new empty file to your home directory.
2. Create a new directory and move the file you created there.
3. Open the empty file using a text editor (try nano and vim, instructions are in the command cheat-sheet)
4. Print out the file you edited on the console.
5. Try changing the linebreaks in the file between dos and unix style. Do you see the difference in a text editor?

Installing programs

Debian-based systems use apt package manager. If you're using some other linux distribution, for example ArchLinux or Gentoo, use their respective package manager.

- Check what dependencies package "httpd" has. Print them out. (Hint: "dpkg-query")
- Install the package.
- Start a web browser.
- Start httpd. Using httpd, kill the web browser you just started.

Installing a service

1. Install apache2 ("apt-get install apache2")
2. Test whether it works (<http://localhost/>)
3. Starting and stopping Apache service (requires sudo):
 - `apache2ctl (configtest / graceful)`
 - `service apache2 start/stop`
4. Change the default port 80=>8080 (/etc/apache2/ports.conf). Apply the modification (reload configuration) and test <http://localhost:8080/> using a web browser.
5. Turn on per-user web directories (~username/ = public_html)
 - Make a directory named "public_html" to your home directory.
 - Enable Apache userdir module (`sudo a2enmod userdir`)
 - Change Apache default port back 8080=>80 and restart Apache.
 - Test whether it works (<http://localhost/~username/>)
 - Copy the file "/var/www/html/index.html" to your "public_html" directory.
 - Edit yourself a HTML format "index.html" file.

Note: A webshare like this is available on Aalto servers. This is handy for sharing stuff done on university computers using public links. All without bloaty dropbox ickyness. <http://users.aalto.fi/username/>

6. PHP example
 - Install php7 package.

- Enable Apache php7 module.
- Create a "hello.php" file to your home directory (/home/username/public_html) and cut-paste there the contents from the page. <http://php.net/manual/en/tutorial.firstpage.php>
- Copy the file also to directory /var/www/html
- Test that the php script works using web browser, from both your home directory and the main directory. Do you notice a difference in the pages? What could be the reason for that? :0

If you don't want to leave Apache running, remove apache2 package at the end of this session.

System logs

1. System logs are found in directory tree at /var/log
2. Apache logs are in /var/log/apache2/
3. Find/grep from logs:
 - Users logging in
 - Root logging in
 - Errors
4. Find something based on timestamp

Network settings

This portion is explained by the assistants.

1. Quick introduction to IP networks
 - IP addresses, subnets and edge routing (gateway)
 - arp / neighbor discovery
 - Internal addresses (10./8, 192.168./16, 172.162/12, 169.254./16)
2. Getting to know NetworkManager
 - Check your own IP address, what is the current value?
 - Change your IP address to a temporary static address of your choice. (Naturally so that the same network mask applies, that the network part doesn't change.)
3. Manual configuration (kill networkmanager)
 - Debian stores network settings to /etc/network
 - Command line tool "ip" (legacy: ifconfig, arp, route)
 - iwconfig (package "wireless-tools"), this command doesn't work in virtual machines. Why not? ;)
 - Check your settings using "ip" command, and also iwconfig if you're using wireless LAN.
 - Alias addresses; add yourself an alias address of 192.168.10.10.