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Physical Volumes

All physical volumes must be set to type 8e (Linux LVM) in fdisk before being used

pvccreate /dev/sdb1

Mark /dev/sdb1 for use as a physical volume

pvremove /dev/sdb1

Remove /dev/sdb1 from use as a physical volume

pvdisplay

Display all physical volumes

pvdisplay /dev/sdb1

Display the attributes of physical volume /dev/sdb1

pvscan

Display which physical volumes are assigned to which volume groups

Volume Groups

vgcreate volname /dev/sdb1 /dev/sdc1

Create a volume group **volname** with physical disks /dev/sdb1 /dev/sdc1

vgremove volname

Remove volume group **volname**

vgdisplay

Display the attributes of all volume groups

vgdisplay volname

Display the attributes of volume group **volname**

vgscan

Scan and show the attributes of all Volume Groups

Logical Volumes

lvcreate --name lv_linuxuser --size 500M volgroup02

Create a new logical volume 500 Mb in size on volgroup02 named lv_linuxuser

lvremove /dev/volgroup02/lv_linuxuser

Remove the logical volume lv_linuxuser

lvdisplay

Display the attributes of all logical volumes

lvdisplay /dev/volgroup02/lv_linuxuser

Display the attributes of logical volume lv_linuxuser

lvscan

Scan and show all logical volumes