DAY 3 – LINUX ADVANCED



I] TOPICS COVERED

- 1. User and Groups
- 2. File Permissions
- 3. SSH, SCP, System Ctl
- 4. Grep, awk, Sed, Find
- 5. Volume Mounting

When we create any file in linux and list its detailed information we get

-rw-r--r-- 1 username groupname 1234 Jan 01 12:34 file.txt

- 1] The first character indicates the type of file:
- -: Regular file
- d: Directory
- 1: Symbolic link

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2] The next nine characters represent the file permissions, divided into three sets:

rw- (read and write permissions for the owner)

r-- (read-only permissions for other users)

x - (execute permission)

3] Number of Hard Links (1)

4] Owner username

5] Group groupname

6] File Size in Bytes

7] Last Modification Date and Time

8] Name of the File
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1] Users and Groups

• In Linux, users and groups are essential for managing system security and resource allocation. Every user has a unique identity, and users can be grouped together to simplify permission management.

→ User Accounts

- Each user in Linux is identified by a unique username and user ID (UID). User accounts can be classified into three types:
 - **Root User**: The superuser with unrestricted access to the system. The root user can perform any task.
 - System Users: Used by system processes and services. These accounts typically
 do not have login privileges.
 - Regular Users: Created for human users, with varying levels of access and permissions.

\rightarrow User Management

• Managing users involves creating, modifying, and deleting user accounts. Let's look at the commands and files involved in these tasks.

- Creating and Deleting Users → The useradd command is used to create new user accounts: sudo useradd username
- 2. sudo passwd username → The passwd command sets the password for the new user.
- 3. To delete a user, we use the userdel command: sudo userdel username
- 4. To Modify User accounts we use → usermod command
 - 1. The usermod command is used to modify existing user accounts. For example, to change a user's home directory: sudo usermod -d /new/home/directory username
 - 2. You can also use usermod to add a user to a new group: sudo usermod aG groupname username
 - 3. To change a user's primary group: sudo usermod -g newgroup username
- cat/etc/shadow: Stores encrypted user passwords.
- When you finish adding users and now want to see the users which you have added we can use cat /etc/passwd command. This file is crucial as it contains information about all the user accounts on the system. Each line in this file represents a single user account and follows a specific format, with fields separated by colons (:).\
- By default when we open Ubuntu the default user uses $shell \rightarrow bash$
- Whereas the other user that we create uses $shell \rightarrow sh$
- Example \rightarrow

```
ubuntu:x:1000:1000:Ubuntu:/home/ubuntu:/bin/bash
jenny:x:1001:1001::/home/jenny:/bin/sh
dnsmasq:x:999:65534:dnsmasq:/var/lib/misc:/usr/sbin/nologin
guddu:x:1002:1002::/home/guddu:/bin/sh
munna:x:1003:1003::/home/munna:/bin/sh
kaleen:x:1004:1004::/home/kaleen:/bin/sh
```

→ Group Management

- Groups are collections of users. Each group is identified by a unique group name and group ID (GID). Groups help manage permissions for multiple users efficiently. For example, you can assign file access permissions to a group rather than to each user individually.
- Whenever we create a user an user group is also created.

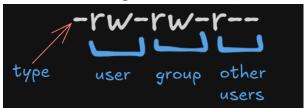
- The groupadd command creates new groups:
 - sudo groupadd groupname
- To delete a group, use the groupdel command:
 - sudo groupdel groupname
- When you run the cat /etc/group command in a Linux terminal, it displays the contents of the /etc/group file. This file contains information about the groups on the system. Each line in this file represents a single group and follows a specific format, with fields separated by colons (:).

```
ubuntu:x:1000:
jenny:x:1001:
docker:x:113:
guddu:x:1002:
munna:x:1003:
kaleen:x:1004:
devops:x:1005:
```

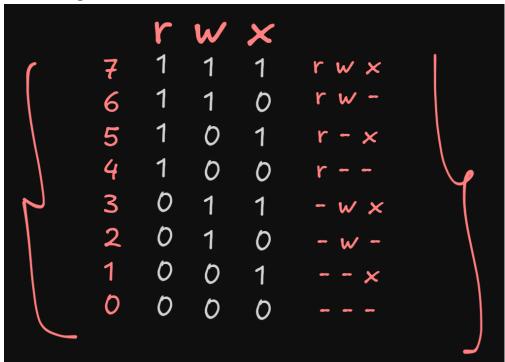
- Here's an example entry from the /etc/group
- Example → developers:x:1002:alice,bob,charlie
- Group Name: developers
- Password Placeholder: x
- Group ID (GID): 1002
- **Group Members**: alice, bob, charlie
 In this example, alice, bob, and charlie are members of the developers group.
- Adding a User to the Group
 - To add a user to a group, you can use the gpasswd -a command followed by the username and the group name.
 - sudo usermod -aG groupname username
 - ullet sudo gpasswd -a username groupname ullet This adds a single user to group
 - To add multiple user to a single group we can use: sudo gpasswd -M user1, user2, user3 groupname
- Removing the User from the Group
 - sudo gpasswd -d username groupname
- To Change the group of file we use:
 - sudo chgrp groupname filename.txt

2] File Permissions

- 1.read(r)
- 2.write(w)
- 3.execute(x)
 - Now the default permission when we create a file or directory is -rw-rw-r--



• List of all possible Permissions.



• Now giving numbers to the default permission we get



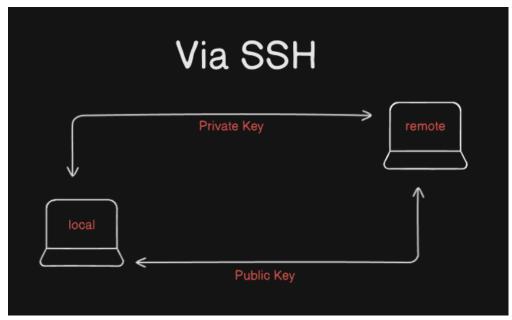
- Now if we want all users to have read, write and execute permissions (rwx) then we can use:
 - chmod 777 filename.txt
 - here chmod command is used to change access and permissions.
 - 777 indicates code to grant 7(r,w,x) to all users.
- The table given above can also be linked with the binary numbers like

- Binary of 7 is $111 \rightarrow$ this means (rwx)
- Binary of 6 is $110 \rightarrow$ this means (rw-)
- Binary of 2 is $010 \rightarrow$ this means (-w-)

3] SSH, SCP, System Ctl

• SSH \rightarrow

- It stands for Secure Shell.
- It is a protocol that provides a way to access a remote computer over an insecure network.
- It also encrypts the connection, ensuring that data sent over the network is protected.
- Its basic use is to connect to a Remote server.



- For a SSH connection to establish we need keys that are Private and Public Key.
- For a local machine (A) to connect to remote machine (B), machine (A) should have Private Key and machine(B) Should have Public key.
- When both these keys match (authentication) connection is established.
- example \rightarrow ram \rightarrow hanuman(with pvt key) \rightarrow sita (public key)

Connecting To a Remote User via SSH from Local Machine (Using MobaXterm)

1. Create a AWS EC2 instance

- 2. After the instance starts running, click on instance and click connect.
- 3. Go to SSH client.
- 4. Open an SSH client.
- 5. Locate your private key file. The key used to launch this instance is devopsprac.pem
- 6. Run this command to change the file permission such that only user can read → chmod 400 "devops-prac.pem"
- 7. Connect to your instance using its Public DNS:→ ec2-44-204-50-8.compute-1.amazonaws.com
- 8. Final Command which you will enter in the SSH client is:
- → ssh -i "devops-prac.pem" ubuntu@ec2-44-204-50-8.compute-1.amazonaws.com
- where -i stands for path and ubuntu is user.
- Finally Connection is Established!!

```
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.8.0-1009-aws x86 64)
 * Documentation: <a href="https://help.ubuntu.com">https://help.ubuntu.com</a>
 * Management:
                    https://landscape.canonical.com
                    https://ubuntu.com/pro
 System information as of Fri Aug 2 06:03:30 UTC 2024
  System load: 0.0
                                    Processes:
 Usage of /: 22.7% of 6.71GB Users logged in:
 Memory usage: 20%
                                   IPv4 address for enX0: 172.31.95.184
  Swap usage:
Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.
0 updates can be applied immediately.
Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See <a href="https://ubuntu.com/esm">https://ubuntu.com/esm</a> 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
```

To connect via SSH from one machine to other.

- 1. First create two AWS EC2 instances. example- devops1 and devops2.
- 2. We are trying to connect to devops2 from devops1, therefore we need private key for devops1 and public key for devops2.
- 3. Connect to devops1 in SSH client (mobaXterm).
- 4. Generating ssh keys with command in devops1 machine: ssh-keygen → this command generates ssh keys (both private and public)

- 5. ssh folder is hidden by default in ubuntu so use the command: ls -a to list all folders or we can directly use cd .ssh command to go to ssh folder.
- 6. After going inside ssh folder we see that the keys are generated (public and private key)
- 7. Display the public key with help of command cat publickey
- 8. Copy the public key.
- 9. Connect to devops2 machine with help of EC2 connect in AWS.
- 10. After connecting open hidden ssh folder → It contains authorized key file → open that with the help of vim authorized key and paste the public key that you copied earlier from devops1 machine.
- 11. Now the devops2 machine has public key.
- 12. Go to devops1 machine and type command: ssh -i privatekeyofdevops1 ubuntu@dns of devops2 machine
- 13. Finally Connection is established.

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/.ssh$ ssh -i id_ed25519 ubuntu@ec2-3-85-90-189.compute-1.amazonaws.com
The authenticity of host 'ec2-3-85-90-189.compute-1.amazonaws.com (172.31.87.14)' can't be established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is SHA256:hNmQthL+Ptlw2CPtJmR36xRx4wCjrUCjhm8R/ApckQw.
This key is not known by any other names.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? y
Please type 'yes', 'no' or the fingerprint: yes
Warning: Permanently added 'ec2-3-85-90-189.compute-1.amazonaws.com' (ED25519) to the list of known hosts.
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.8.0-1009-aws x86_64)

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

System information as of Fri Aug 2 06:35:27 UTC 2024

System load: 0.0 Processes: 109
```

SCP (SECURE COPY PROTOCOL)

- SCP (Secure Copy Protocol) is used for transferring files between a local and a remote host or between two remote hosts. It uses SSH for data transfer, ensuring that the files are encrypted during the transfer.
- If we want to transfer files from one machine to other machine via ssh we use SCP protocol
- Example1: If we are transferring a file named test1.csv from local machine to remote machine → scp -i privatekey.pem test1.csv ubuntu@dns_of_remote_machine:/home/ubuntu/ashu
 - test.csv is the local file (Source)
 - :/home/ubuntu/ashu → is the path where the file must be transferred on remote machine.(DESTINATION)

Example 2: If we have a file named (super-special.txt) on a remote server and we want it to be transferred on local machine we will use: → scp -i privatekey.pem ubuntu@dns of remote
 machine:/home/ubuntu/ashu/super-special.txt .

- where :/home/ubuntu/ashu/super-special.txt → is the path of file on remote machine. (SOURCE)
- → denotes that transfer the file to the current directory of local machine.
 (DESTINATION)

shubham@Shubhams-MBP Downloads % scp -i bacth-7-key-production.pem ubuntu 74-71.us-east-2.compute.amazonaws.com:/home/ubuntu/from_shubham/super-sec super-secret.txt 100% 12 0.0KB/s

systemctl (System Control)

- systemctl is a command-line utility in Linux for controlling the systemd system and service manager.
- It is basically used to manage the services on machine like to → start, stop, restart, status.
- To start a service: sudo systemctl start service_name
- ullet Example ullet sudo systemctl start docker
- To stop a service: sudo systemctl stop service_name
- Example → sudo systematl stop docker
- To restart we use: sudo systemctl restart service_name
- To enable the service to start on boot: sudo systematl enable service_name
- To disable the service to start on boot: sudo systematl disble service_name
- To check the status of the services: systemctl status service_name
- ALTERNATIVELY WE CAN ALSO USE Service command for all
 - service docker status
 - service docker start
 - service docker stop
 - service docker restart.

- We can also use journalctl command to see the logs of information about system and Services.
- Example → sudo journalctl -fu docker.service

4] grep, awk, sed, find

1}grep: \rightarrow

- grep is used to search text or search the given file for lines containing a match to the specified strings or words. By default, grep prints the matching lines.
- It is used to find patterns and regular expressions.
- Search for a string in a file: grep "search_string" filename
- Example → grep hello file.txt

```
ubuntu@tp-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ grep ERROR app.log
2015-07-29 23:44:28,903 - ERROR [CommitProcessor:1:NIOServerCnxn@180] - Unexpected Exception:
2015-07-29 19:03:35,413 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52225:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing shutdown
2015-07-29 19:03:54,584 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52241:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing shutdown
2015-07-29 19:04:30,989 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52265:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing shutdown
2015-07-29 19:04:40,999 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52273:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing shutdown
2015-07-29 19:15:16,204 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52419:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing shutdown
2015-07-29 19:16:26,447 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.13:57354:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing shutdown
2015-07-29 19:17:36,507 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.13:57354:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing shutdown
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```

- To search recursively in all files of directory: grep -r "string" dir/
- Example → grep -r error /home/ubuntu/log/
- It is case sensitive.

we get error as well as WARN.

• To make the search case insensitive we use the command: grep -i error /home/ubuntu/log

2} find

- find is used to search for files and directories in a directory hierarchy.
- Find files by name: find /path/to/search -name "filename"

• Example 1 → find /home/user -name "file.txt"

```
`find /home/user -name "file.txt"`

jahan find
karna hai

jo is naam se
present hai
```

• Example $2 \rightarrow$ it finds everything (used *) that ends with . log

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ find /home/ubuntu -name "*.log"
/home/ubuntu/logs/app.log
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ ■
```

3}awk

- awk is a powerful text-processing tool in Unix/Linux used for pattern scanning and processing. It can perform actions on lines that match a specified pattern.
- (awk vo hai jo aapke file me column wise iterate karta hai and jo aapko chiaye nikal ke deta hai)

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ awk '/ERROR/ {print $1,$2,$4}' app.log
```

- Syntax → awk 'pattern { action }' input_file
 - **pattern**: This specifies the condition that must be met for the action to be executed.
 - action: This is what you want to do when the pattern matches (e.g., print specific fields).
 - input_file: The file you are processing.
- If no pattern is specified, AWK will apply the action to all lines in the input file.
- Examples
 - Suppose we have this log file and we want to analyze this.(to tell anyone that which error occurred on which date/time/what was the error)

```
2015-07-29 19:22:39,307 - WARN [RecvWorker:1889/8561024:QuorumCnxManager$RecvWorker(0/62] - Connection broken for id 18 2015-07-29 19:22:39,515 - WARN [SendWorker:1889/8561024:QuorumCnxManager$SendWorker(0688] - Send worker leaving thread 2015-07-29 19:22:42,737 - INFO [/10.10.34.13:3888:QuorumCnxManager$Listener(0493] - Received connection request /10.10.2015-07-29 19:22:46,105 - INFO [/10.10.34.13:3888:QuorumCnxManager$Listener(0493] - Received connection request /10.10.
```

• We want to print all the logs with the words ERROR in them.

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ awk '/ERROR/' app.log
2015-07-29 23:44:28,903 - ERROR [CommitProcessor:1:NIOServerCnxn@180] - Unexpected Exception:
2015-07-29 19:03:35,413 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52225:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing
2015-07-29 19:03:54,584 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52241:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing
2015-07-29 19:04:30,989 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52265:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing
2015-07-29 19:04:40,999 - ERROR [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52273:LearnerHandler@562] - Unexpected exception causing
```

• When we want to Print all the ERROR logged lines only for (\$1,\$2,\$3..etc) where \$1 denotes the column.

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ awk '/ERROR/ {print $1,$2,$4}' app.log
2015-07-29 23:44:28,903 ERROR
2015-07-29 19:03:35,413 ERROR
2015-07-29 19:03:54,584 ERROR
2015-07-29 19:04:30,989 ERROR
2015-07-29 19:04:40,999 ERROR
2015-07-29 19:15:16,204 ERROR
2015-07-29 19:16:26,447 ERROR
```

- To print lines that contain the word "error": awk '/error/ { print }' filename.txt
- To print information of employees under the age of 40: awk '\$3 < 40 { print }' information.txt
- We can also put conditions in awk like if we want only the logs before a specified date.
 - Like if we want to get the rows in which the error is present.

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ awk '/ERROR/ {print NR,$5}' app.log 506 [CommitProcessor:1:NIOServerCnxn@180] 755 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52225:LearnerHandler@562] 756 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52241:LearnerHandler@562] 758 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52265:LearnerHandler@562] 759 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52273:LearnerHandler@562] 764 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52419:LearnerHandler@562] 770 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.13:57354:LearnerHandler@562]
```

• If we want to get the first 10 WARN logged lines with its message ,time and date.

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ awk 'NR>=1 & NR<=10 & /WARN/ {print NR,$1,$2,$5}' app.log
3 2015-07-29 19:04:29,071 [SendWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager$SendWorker@688]
4 2015-07-29 19:04:29,079 [SendWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager$SendWorker@679]
5 2015-07-29 19:13:17,524 [SendWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager$SendWorker@688]
6 2015-07-29 19:13:24,282 [RecvWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager$RecvWorker@762]
8 2015-07-29 19:13:27,721 [RecvWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager$RecvWorker@762]
9 2015-07-29 19:13:34,382 [SendWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager$SendWorker@679]
10 2015-07-29 19:13:37,626 [SendWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager$SendWorker@688]
```

• If we want to get WARN logs between date $2015-07-01 \rightarrow 2015-07-30$.

```
[SendWorker: 188978561024: OuorumCnxManager
             SendWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager
                                                                  r@688
             RecvWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager
            [RecvWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager
            SendWorker: 188978561024: QuorumCnxManager
             [SendWorker: 188978561024: OuorumCnxManager
              SendWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager
             [RecvWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManage
              [RecvWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManage
              SendWorker: 188978561024: OuorumCnxManager
              RecvWorker: 188978561024: QuorumCnxManager
              SendWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager
              RecvWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager
19:14:37,585
              SendWorker: 188978561024: OuorumCnxManager
              [RecvWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager
              SendWorker:188978561024:QuorumCnxManager
```

• If we want to list the ERROR logs for the same and save it inside a file.

It lists all the ERROR logged inside the file qa_team.log

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ ls
app.log qa_team.log
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~/logs$ cat qa_team.log
506 2015-07-29 23:44:28,903 [CommitProcessor:1:NIOServerCnxn@180]
755 2015-07-29 19:03:35,413 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52225:LearnerHandler@562
756 2015-07-29 19:03:54,584
                                 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52241:LearnerHandler@562
758 2015-07-29 19:04:30,989
                                 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52265:LearnerHandler@562]
                                 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52273:LearnerHandler@562
[LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52419:LearnerHandler@562
759 2015-07-29 19:04:40,999
                 19:15:16,204
764 2015-07-29
                 19:16:26,447
                                 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.13:57354:LearnerHandler@562
                                 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.13:57438:LearnerHandler@562
[LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.12:59455:LearnerHandler@562
771 2015-07-29 19:17:36,507
                 19:20:16,690
                                 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.12:59480:LearnerHandler@562
778 2015-07-29
                 19:20:36,704
779 2015-07-29 19:20:46,814
                                 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.13:57617:LearnerHandler@562]
                                 [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52814:LearnerHandler@562
780 2015-07-29 19:20:56,605
                                  [LearnerHandler-/10.10.34.11:52855:LearnerHandler@562
                 19:21:26,625
```

- Difference b/w grep and awk → Grep is a simple tool for searching and displaying
 lines that match a pattern, while awk is a powerful text processing language that allows
 for pattern matching, data extraction, manipulation, and report generation.
- Also for a file to be analyzed by awk the file should be space separated such that it can be divided in columns and searched.

4}sed

• The sed command, short for "stream editor," is a powerful Unix/Linux tool used for parsing and transforming text. It reads input line by line and applies a series of commands to each line, then outputs the result.

Syntax is: sed 'command' filename



Examples

1. In this example i made a file named dev.env and filled in the details . I had to do the same for Prod.env but i just had to change the passwords

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ vim dev.env
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ cat dev.env
username:ashu15
password:ashutosh@15

ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ sed 's/ashutosh@15/ashutosh@1234/g' dev.env
username:ashu15
password:ashutosh@1234

db password:ashutosh@1234

ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ sed 's/ashutosh@15/ashutosh@1234/g' dev.env > prod.env
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ cat prod.env
username:ashu15
password:ashutosh@1234

db password:ashutosh@1234

db password:ashutosh@1234
```

- 2. To replace the word only in 1st line we use: sed '1s/cool/fool/' file.txt
- 3. To replace the first occurrence of "old" with "new" on each line: where s denotes string, old → to be replaced and new → replaced with 'sed 's/old/new/' filename.txt
- 4. To replace all occurrences of "old" with "new" on each line: we add /g sed 's/old/new/g' filename.txt
- 5. To delete lines containing a specific pattern, e.g., lines containing "delete": use /d sed '/delete/d' filename.txt
- 6. To print only specific lines, e.g., line 2 to line 3:

```
sed -n '2,3p' filename.txt
```

- 1. This prints only line 2 and line 3
- 2. sed -n '1p' file.txt \rightarrow this prints only 1st line.
- 7. To insert text before a specific line, e.g., before line 2:
 - 1. sed '2i\Inserted line' filename.txt
- 8. To append text after a specific line, e.g., after line 2:
 - 1. sed '2a\Appended line' filename.txt

5] Volume Mounting

- Volume mounting in Linux involves attaching a storage device (like a hard drive or USB drive) to a specific directory so that its contents can be accessed through the filesystem. Here's how you can do it:
- If we have a instance and we want to expand storage of the server we can do this by adding additional storage via AWS console.
- Step1 → In Ec2/home go to Elastic Block Store → Volume

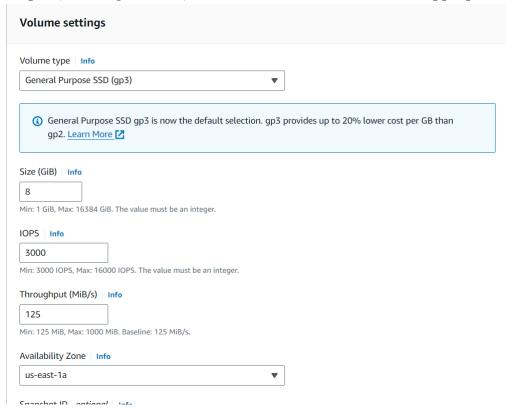
▼ Elastic Block Store

Volumes

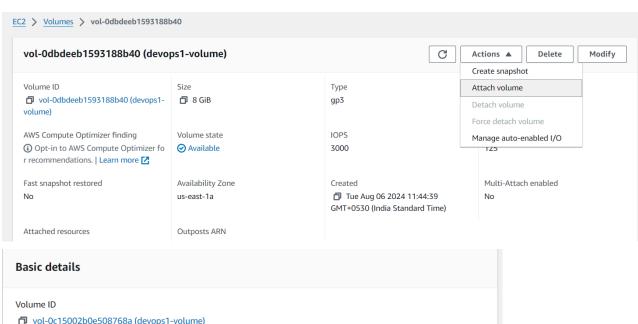
Snapshots

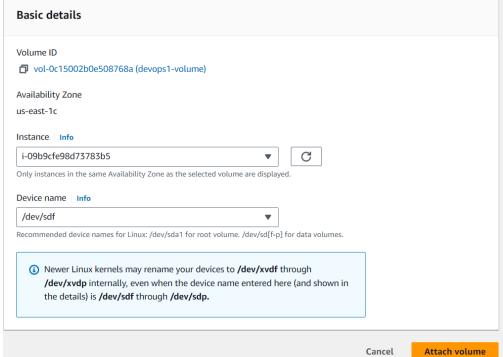
Lifecycle Manager

• Step 2 (Creating Volume) → Create Volume → Select the appropriate Volume Settings.

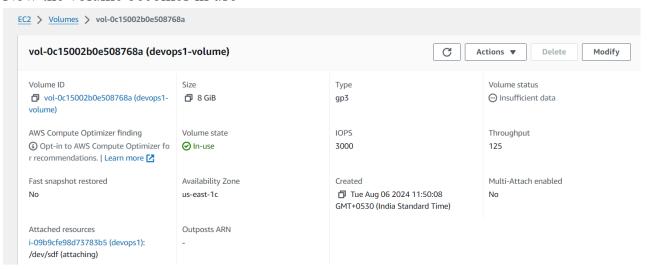


Step 3 (Attaching Volume to Ec2 instance) → After Successfully creating the volume.
 The Volume is ready/available and is ready to be attached → Click Attach in Actions menu and attach the volume by selecting the instance (to which the volume will be attached) and device name.





Now the volume becomes in use →



• Step 4 (Attaching volume as a Block)→ Till this step we have only created a volume which is attached to our server/instance. Now to make it of use or to store files in it we

have to mount the volume into our device.

This shows the current file system →

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ df -h
Filesystem
                       Used Avail Use% Mounted on
                 Size
/dev/root
                       1.6G 5.2G
                                   24% /
                 6.8G
                                     0% /dev/shm
tmpfs
                 479M
                             479M
                          0
tmpfs
                 192M
                       880K
                             191M
                                     1% /run
                5.0M
                                     0% /run/lock
tmpfs
                          0
                             5.0M
/dev/xvda16
                 881M
                        76M
                             744M
                                    10% /boot
/dev/xvda15
                 105M
                       6.1M
                                     6% /boot/efi
                              99M
tmpfs
                  96M
                        12K
                              96M
                                     1% /run/user/1000
```

• We don't have the volume that we created ,in the current file system , so we create an external filesystem for our disk file system using command : sudo mkfs -t ext4

• Now to see the attached volume (as a block) to the server we use command: lsblk → it will list all the blocks which are attached to the server.

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ lsblk
NAME
         MAJ:MIN RM SIZE RO TYPE MOUNTPOINTS
loop0
                  0 25.2M
                           1 loop /snap/amazon-ssm-agent/7993
           7:0
                  0 55.7M
                           1 loop /snap/core18/2829
loop1
           7:1
           7:2
                  0 38.8M
                          1 loop /snap/snapd/21759
loop2
                           0 disk
xvda
         202:0
                  0
                       8G
 -xvda1 202:1
                  0
                       7G
                           0 part /
                           0 part
  xvda14 202:14
                  0
                       4M
                           0 part /boot/efi
 -xvda15 202:15
                     106M
                  0
  xvda16 259:0
                  0
                     913M
                           0 part /boot
      202:80
                           0 disk
                  0
                       8G
```

• Step 4 (Mounting the Volume) → Volume has been attached to the server as a block but in Linux every thing is either a file or a directory so we have to make ebs volume as a file system so that we can mount it on our server. To do that we use the command:

sudo file -s /dev/xvdf → this command converts the ebs volume storage from

```
block → file system.
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ sudo file -s /dev/xvdf
/dev/xvdf: Linux rev 1.0 ext4 filesystem data, UUID=0deaeee5-2a0c-4b84-9147-bdeeb73bed0c (exten (64bit) (large files) (huge files)
```

- Now the volume can be mounted but first we have to create a path on which it can be mounted. We do this simply by making a folder.
 - sudo su → normal user don't have permission to access mnt folder inside /
 - mkdir /mnt/new_volume

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ mkdir /mnt/new_volume
mkdir: cannot create directory '/mnt/new_volume': Permission denied
ubuntu@ip-172-31-95-184:~$ sudo su
root@ip-172-31-95-184:/home/ubuntu# mkdir /mnt/new_volume
```

• Now finally mounting the ebs volume to server with command: mount /dev/xvdf /mnt/new_volume and then we see that the volume is successfully mounted.

```
root@ip-172-31-95-184:/home/ubuntu# mount /dev/xvdf /mnt/new volume
root@ip-172-31-95-184:/home/ubuntu# df -h
Filesystem
                 Size
                       Used Avail Use% Mounted on
/dev/root
                 6.8G
                       1.6G
                              5.2G
                                    24% /
                                     0% /dev/shm
tmpfs
                 479M
                          0
                              479M
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                                     1% /run
tmpfs
                 5.0M
                          0
                              5.0M
                                     0% /run/lock
/dev/xvda16
                 881M
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                                    10% /boot
/dev/xvda15
                 105M
                       6.1M
                               99M
                                     6% /boot/efi
tmpfs
                  96M
                        12K
                               96M
                                     1% /run/user/1000
/dev/xvdf
                 7.8G
                        24K
                              7.4G
                                     1% /mnt/new volume
```

Summary

- Create volume.
- Attach Volume.
- Convert volume (block) to file system.
- Add path to be mounted on.
- Mount the ebs Volume.