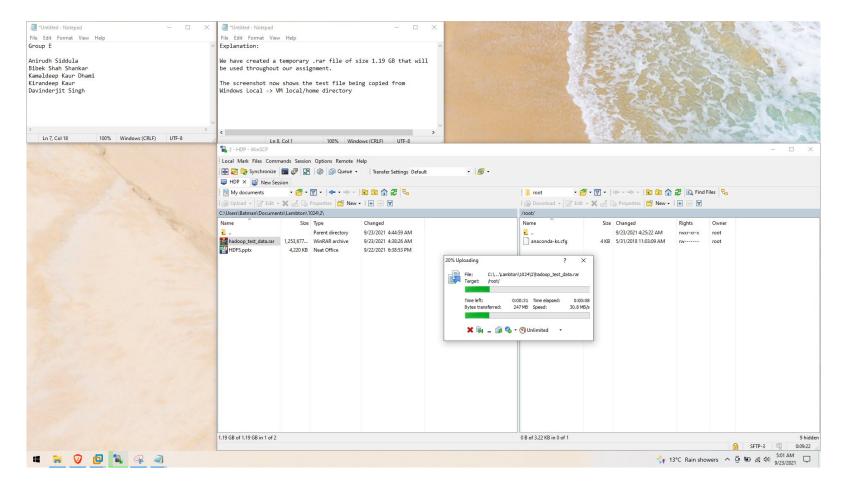
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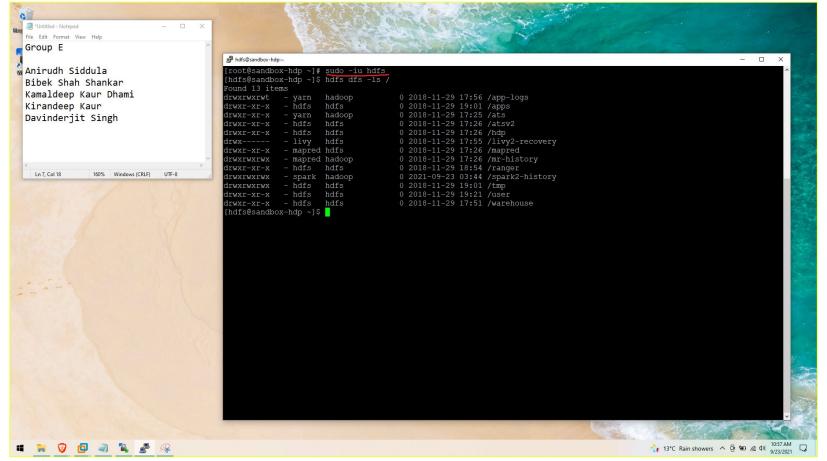
Lab1b-Part1: We have created a temporary archive file of size 1.1GB and transferred the file from Windows Local to HDP VM's local using WinScp as shown in the attached screenshot below.



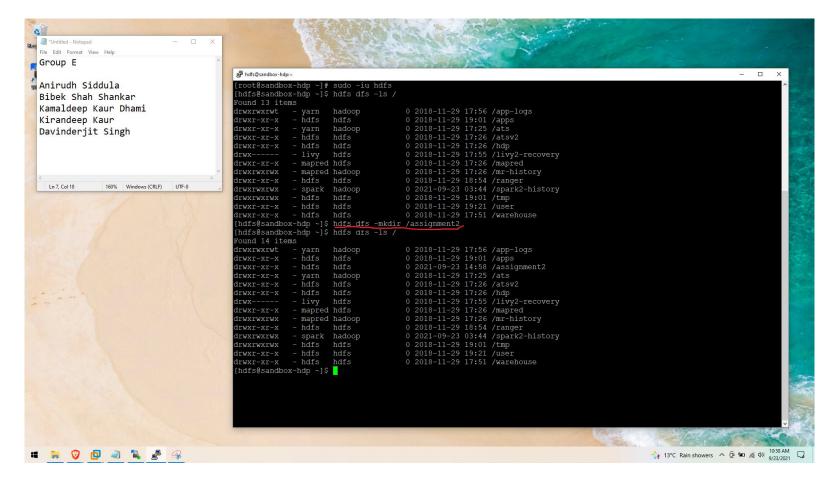
Lab1b-Part2:

DFS:

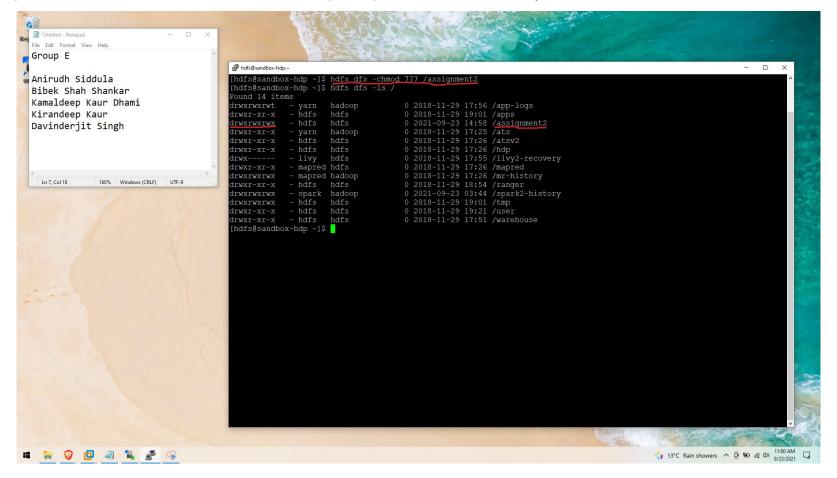
Logged in as hdfs user using super user do command and listed all the directories in the root folder of hadoop using "hdfs dfs -ls" command



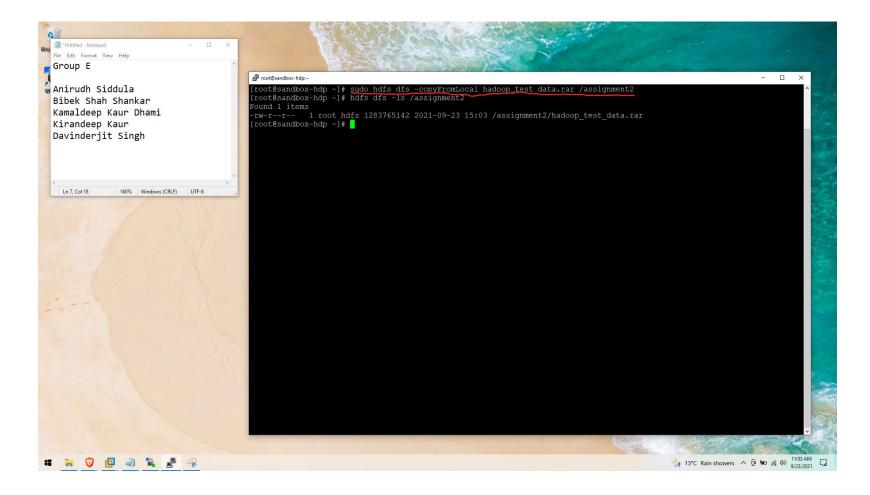
Created a directory in hadoop distributed file system using mkdir command where -mkdir being the generic unix command. Please refer the screenshot attached below.



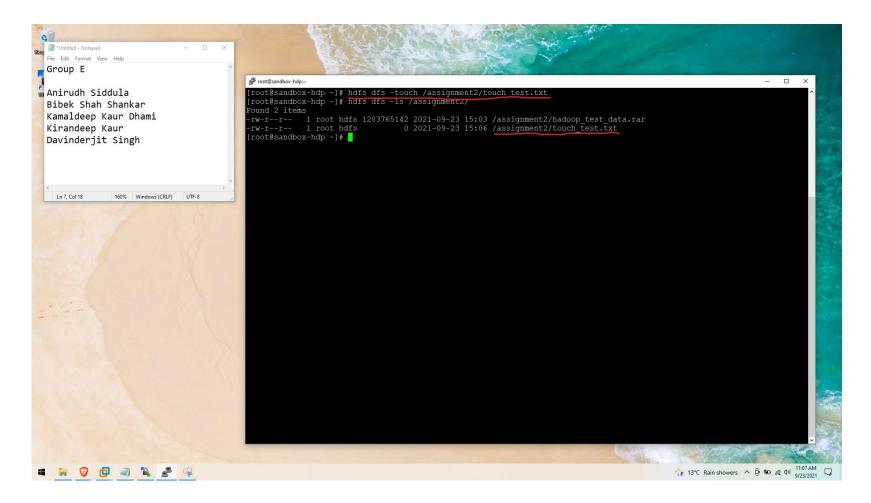
We have modified the directory permissions using "hdfs dfs -chmod" command to enable write permission when we copy the test archive file into hadoop. Please refer the underlined in screenshot for the updated permissions on the directory.



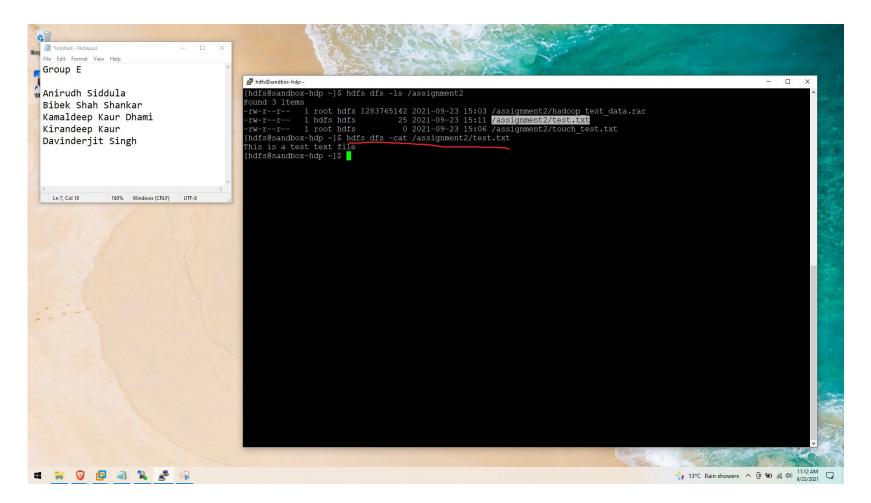
Used "hdfs dfs -copyFromLocal" command to copy file from VM's local to hdfs's assignment2 directory.



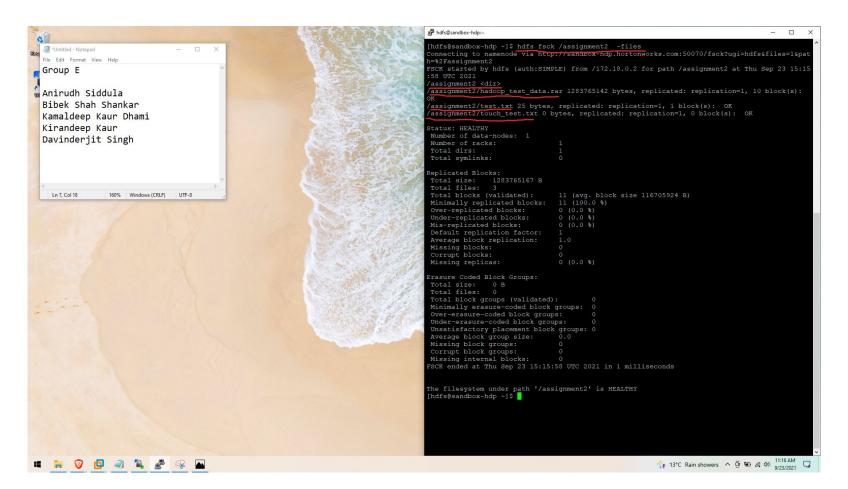
Used "hdfs dfs -touch" command to create a 0 byte file.



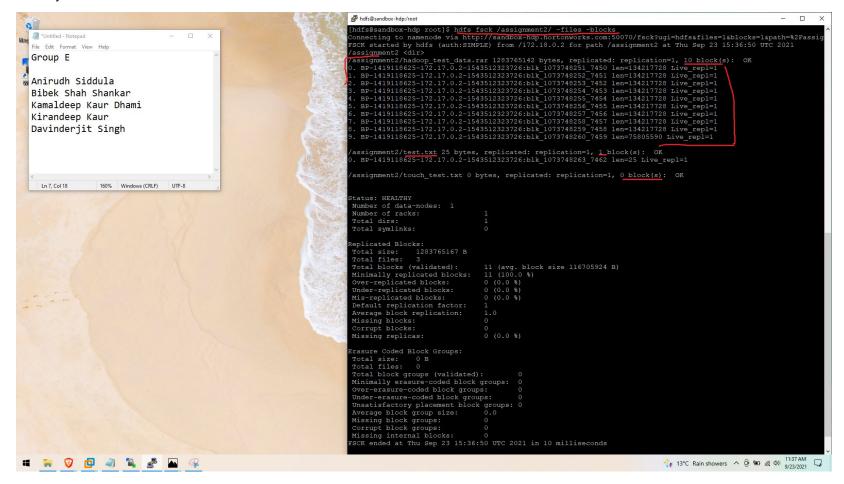
"hdfs dfs -cat" command to show the contents of the test file we have in our hdfs directory.



FSCK: We have run "hdfs fsck <path> -files" command to list the file present in our test directory(3 files as underlined in the screenshot).



Additional argument for -files in fsck command called "blocks" will show us the blocks the large file is divided into. Please refer the next slide for the detailed analysis.



From the screenshot in previous slide we can see that our large file has been divided into 9 blocks.

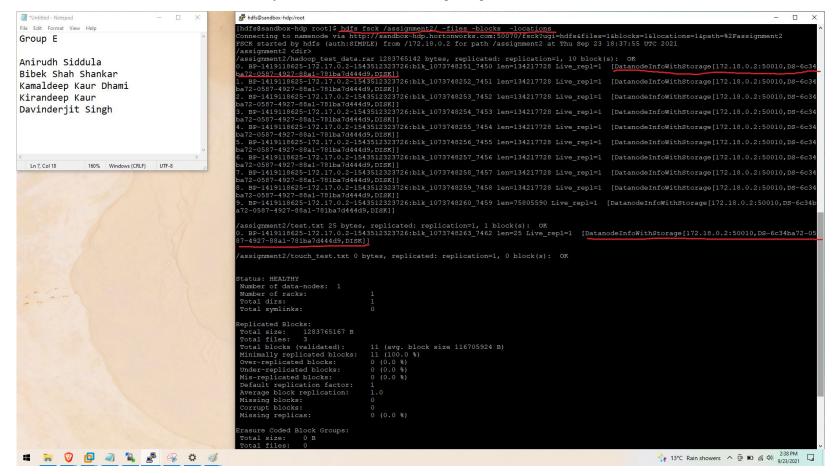
We have confirmed each block size of our sandbox configuration from conf file as 128mb using the command

"hdfs getconf -confKey dfs.blocksize" its output being 134217728 bytes => 134217728/1024 = 131072KB = 128MB

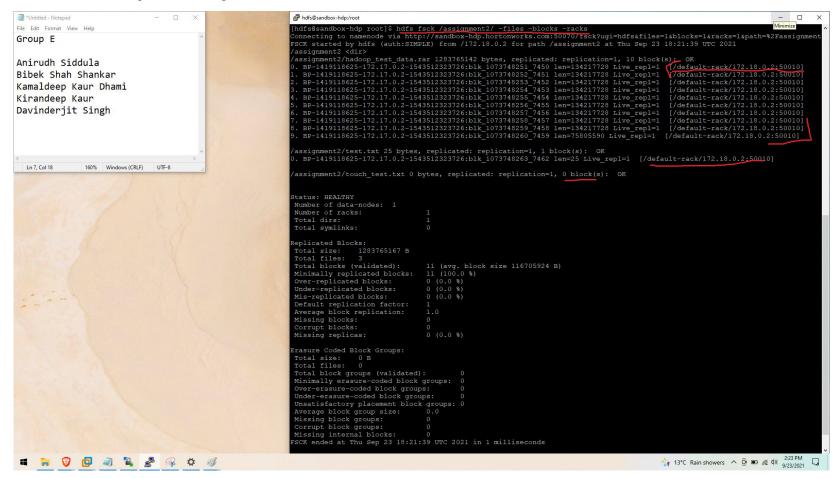
We can see in our screenshot that our file has occupied 8 blocks and 9th block containing 75805590 bytes = 72MB

Also, we could see that for the zero byte file there is no blocks assigned.

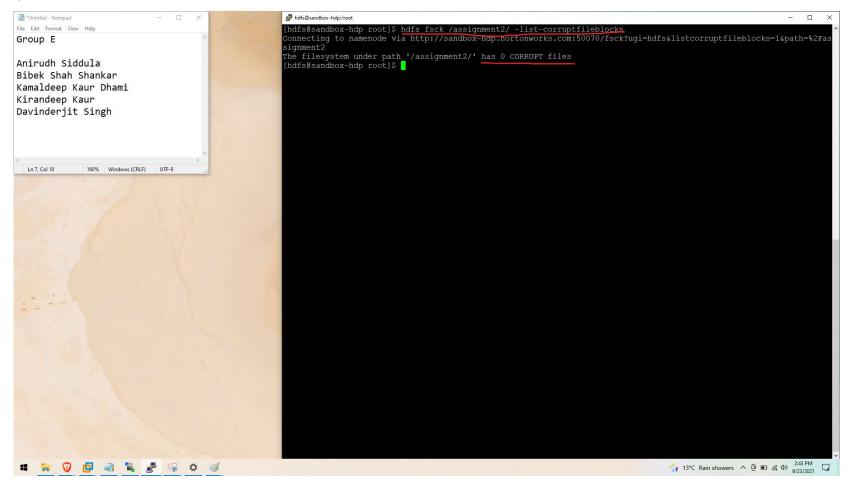
The fsck command with "-locations" will show the location of each block in the assigned storage as underlined in the screenshot. We have noted that there is no location for zero byte file due to no blocks being assigned for it.



The fsck command with additional "racks" argument will show the racks of each block. The rack number is same for all files as we are having our test environment in an single node configuration.



The fsck -list-corruptfileblocks will get us all the blocks that have been corrupted and we having our sandbox as a fresh Install do not have any corrupt files in our hdfs.



References:

https://hadoop.apache.org/docs/r2.6.0/hadoop-project-dist/hadoop-hdfs/HDFSCommands.html

Thank you