Unix-like Operating Systems Access permissions and command find.

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User accout

- What information must the OS remember about every user?
- Where the previous information are stored?

- How to determine effective and real user identity of your shell?
- How to determine effective and real group identity of your shell?
- How to determine the owner and owner group of the file /usr/bin/passwd?
- How to print only access permissions of the directory /etc? What is the meaning of these permissions?

- Login to server fray1.fit.cvut.cz.
- What permissions has the directory /bin and what does it mean?

 Create the following directory structure in the directory /tmp and setup the same permissions (files passwd and date are copies of /etc/passwd and /bin/date, respectively). You and your primary group will be the owner and owner group.

```
dr-x---- user group uos
dr-x---- user group uos/A
-r-x---- user group uos/A/date
-r-x---- user group uos/A/passwd
```

- What minimal permissions (minimal sum of permission weights) must be set on files or directories, such that you can successfully execute the following commands?
 - ls -ld /tmp/uos/A
 - ls /tmp/uos/A
 - ls -l /tmp/uos/A

- ls -1 /tmp/uos/A/passwd
- cat /tmp/uos/A/passwd
- echo "aaaaa" >> /tmp/uos/A/passwd

- echo "bbbbb" > /tmp/uos/A/passwd
- /tmp/uos/A/date
- o rm /tmp/uos/A/passwd

Default access permissions

- What access permissions will have new created directory and file? Why?
- What must be done to newly created files/directories should have automatically the following access rights (don't use command chmod)?

```
• directory: rwx --- --- file: rw- --- ---
```

```
• directory: rw- -w- r-- file: rw- -w- r--
```

- How to print only the number of regular files, which are in the directory /usr/bin (recursively) on the standard output?
- How to print only the number of symbolic links, which are in the directory /usr/bin (recursively) on the standard output?
- How to print only the number of regular files and symbolic links, which are in the directory /usr/bin (recursively) on the standard output?

Create files and directory by the following commands.

```
mkdir -p A/B/C

touch {A,A/B,A/B/C}/\
{,a,b,c}{,k,1,m}{,x,y,z}.{c,cpp,tar,gz,txt}
```

- How to print names of regular files, which have a suffix of length 3. (eg. abc.txt or xz.cpp)?
- Whow to print names of regular files, which consist of a prefix of length 2 and the suffix .c or .cpp (eg. ab.c or xz.cpp)?
- 4 How to remove files found in question 1?

- How to print names of regular files from your home directory (recursively), that were modified during today, and how to verify the result by the command stat?
- How to print names of regular files from your home directory (recursively), that were modified during last 3 days, and how to verify the result by the command stat?
- How to print only names of all regular files, which have set write permission for owner or exec permission for other and are located in the directory /etc (recursively)? For every such file run command ls -l to verify the permissions.

- How to print only names of regular files, which are shell scripts and are located in the directory /usr/bin (recursively), on the standard output?
 - 4 Hint: The script is the file with the following first line

#! /bin/sh

- A Hint: Use the command file.
- How to print all hard links of the file /etc/init.d/pppd in directory /etc (recursively) on the serve fray1.fit.cvut.cz.

Homework

- How to print names of regular files from your home directory, that have size bigger then 2 megabytes, and how to verify the result by the command stat?
- How to print names of all files from your home directory, that were accessed 7 days ago, and how to verify the result by the command stat?
- How to print names of regular files from the directory /tmp, that you can read, and how to verify the result by the command 1s?