

## Module 4 Linux Essentials

### TASK 4.3

After you have logged into the system, do the following.

1. Invoke **pwd** to see your current working directory (there should be your home directory).

```
haviras@ubuntu1804:~$ pwd
/home/haviras
```

2. Collect output of these commands

**ls -l /** - Output directory root / as table (long format)

**ls** - Output current directory as list

**ls ~** - Output home directory as list

**ls -l** - Output home directory as table

**ls -a** - Output home directory as list with hidden entries

**ls -la** - Output current directory as table with hidden entries

**ls -lda ~** - Output home directory properties as table without their contents with hidden entries

Note differences between produced outputs. Describe (in few words) purposes of these commands.

3. Execute and describe the following commands (store the output, if any):

**mkdir test** – making a directory **test** in current directory

**cd test** - go to the test folder

**pwd** - Print the name of the current working directory.

```
haviras@ubuntu1804:~/test$ pwd
/home/haviras/test
```

**touch test.txt** – make a test.txt file

**ls -l test.txt** – output properties of test.txt

```
haviras@ubuntu1804:~/test$ ls -l test.txt
-rw-rw-r-- 1 haviras haviras 0 Apr 12 16:29 test.txt
```

**mkdir test2** – making a directory **test2** in current directory

**mv test.txt test2** – moving file **test.txt** to **test2** directory

**cd test2** – change directory to **test2**

**ls** – output content of current directory (In my case test2)

```
haviras@ubuntu1804:~/test/test2$ ls
test.txt
```

**mv test.txt test2.txt** – rename file **test.txt** to **test2.txt**

**ls**

```
haviras@ubuntu1804:~/test/test2$ ls
test2.txt
```

**cp test2.txt ..** – copy **test2.txt** to level up directory

**cd ..**

**ls**

```
haviras@ubuntu1804:~/test/test2$ ls
test2.txt
```

**rm test2.txt** – remove **test2.txt**

**rmdir test2** – remove **test2** directory

```
haviras@ubuntu1804:~/test/test2$ cd ..
haviras@ubuntu1804:~/test$ rmdir test2
haviras@ubuntu1804:~/test$ ls
test2.txt
```

4. Execute and describe the difference

**cat /etc/fstab** – output content to output console as text

**less /etc/fstab** – output content to output console as page view, you can use up and down arrows to view file

**more /etc/fstab** – output content to output console as page view, but you can use only down arrow to view file

5. Add to archive all 'test' directories.

a. to the pure 'tar';

```
root@ubuntu1804:~# tar -cf test3.tar test/ test1.txt
root@ubuntu1804:~# ls
docker          shared          test3.tar       v
dockr           sonatype-work  ubuntu.tar      withmc.yaml
nexus-3.16.1-02 test            ubuntu2
nexus-3.16.1-02-unix.tar.gz test1.txt       ubuntu3.tar
```

b. to the zipped 'tar' with only tar command;

```
root@ubuntu1804:~# tar -zcf test4.tar test/ test1.txt
root@ubuntu1804:~# ls
docker          shared          test3.tar       ubuntu3.tar
dockr           sonatype-work  test4.tar       v
nexus-3.16.1-02 test            ubuntu.tar      withmc.yaml
nexus-3.16.1-02-unix.tar.gz test1.txt       ubuntu2
```

c. to the zipped 'tar' with gzip command;

```
root@ubuntu1804:~# gzip test3.tar
root@ubuntu1804:~# ls
docker          shared          test3.tar.gz    v
dockr           sonatype-work  ubuntu.tar      withmc.yaml
nexus-3.16.1-02 test            ubuntu2
nexus-3.16.1-02-unix.tar.gz test1.txt       ubuntu3.tar
```

extract from archives all above.

```
root@ubuntu1804:~# ls
docker                shared               ubuntu.tar          withmc.yaml
dockr                 sonatype-work       ubuntu2
nexus-3.16.1-02       test3.tar.gz        ubuntu3.tar
nexus-3.16.1-02-unix.tar.gz test4.tar           v
root@ubuntu1804:~# tar -xvf test3.tar.gz
test/
test/test2.txt
test1.txt
root@ubuntu1804:~# ls
docker                shared               test3.tar.gz        ubuntu3.tar
dockr                 sonatype-work       test4.tar           v
nexus-3.16.1-02       test                ubuntu.tar          withmc.yaml
nexus-3.16.1-02-unix.tar.gz test1.txt            ubuntu2
```

5. Look through man pages of the listed above commands.