

Strong technical Background in Storage, Disk Management, Logical Volume Management(LVM).

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Activities Terminal Sep 19 16:38 root@localhost:~
Disk /dev/sdb: 4 GiB, 4294967296 bytes, 8388608 sectors
Disk model: Virtual disk
Units: sectors of 1 * 512 = 512 bytes
Sector size (logical/physical): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
I/O size (minimum/optimal): 512 bytes / 512 bytes

Disk /dev/sdc: 1 GiB, 1073741824 bytes, 2097152 sectors
Disk model: Virtual disk
Units: sectors of 1 * 512 = 512 bytes
Sector size (logical/physical): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
I/O size (minimum/optimal): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
[root@localhost ~]# mkfs.ext4 /dev/sdb
mke2fs 1.46.5 (30-Dec-2021)
Discarding device blocks: done
Creating filesystem with 1048576 4k blocks and 262144 inodes
Filesystem UUID: e3fd1b33-e850-494e-b719-6533bb66041d
Superblock backups stored on blocks:
    32768, 98304, 163840, 229376, 294912, 819200, 884736

Allocating group tables: done
Writing inode tables: done
Creating journal (16384 blocks): done
Writing inode tables: done
Creating journal (8192 blocks): done
Writing superblocks and filesystem accounting information: done

[root@localhost ~]# mkdir /redhat
[root@localhost ~]# mkdir /backupnew
[root@localhost ~]# mount /dev/sdb /redhat/
[root@localhost ~]# mount /dev/sdc /backupnew/
[root@localhost ~]# df -h
Filesystem      Size  Used Avail Use% Mounted on
devtmpfs        4.0M   0    4.0M   0% /dev
tmpfs           882M   0    882M   0% /dev/shm
tmpfs           353M   7.2M  346M   3% /run
/dev/sda6       8.5G   3.9G   4.6G  46% /
/dev/sda2       936M   286M   651M  31% /boot
/dev/sda4       4.9G   266M   4.6G   6% /var
/dev/sda1       2.0G   7.0M   2.0G   1% /boot/efi
/dev/sda3       9.8G   107M   9.6G   2% /home
tmpfs           177M   100K   177M   1% /run/user/0
/dev/sr0        9.9G   9.9G   0 100% /run/media/root/RHEL-9-3-0-BaseOS-x86_64
/dev/sdb        3.9G   24K    3.7G   1% /redhat
/dev/sdc        974M   24K    907M   1% /backupnew
[root@localhost ~]#
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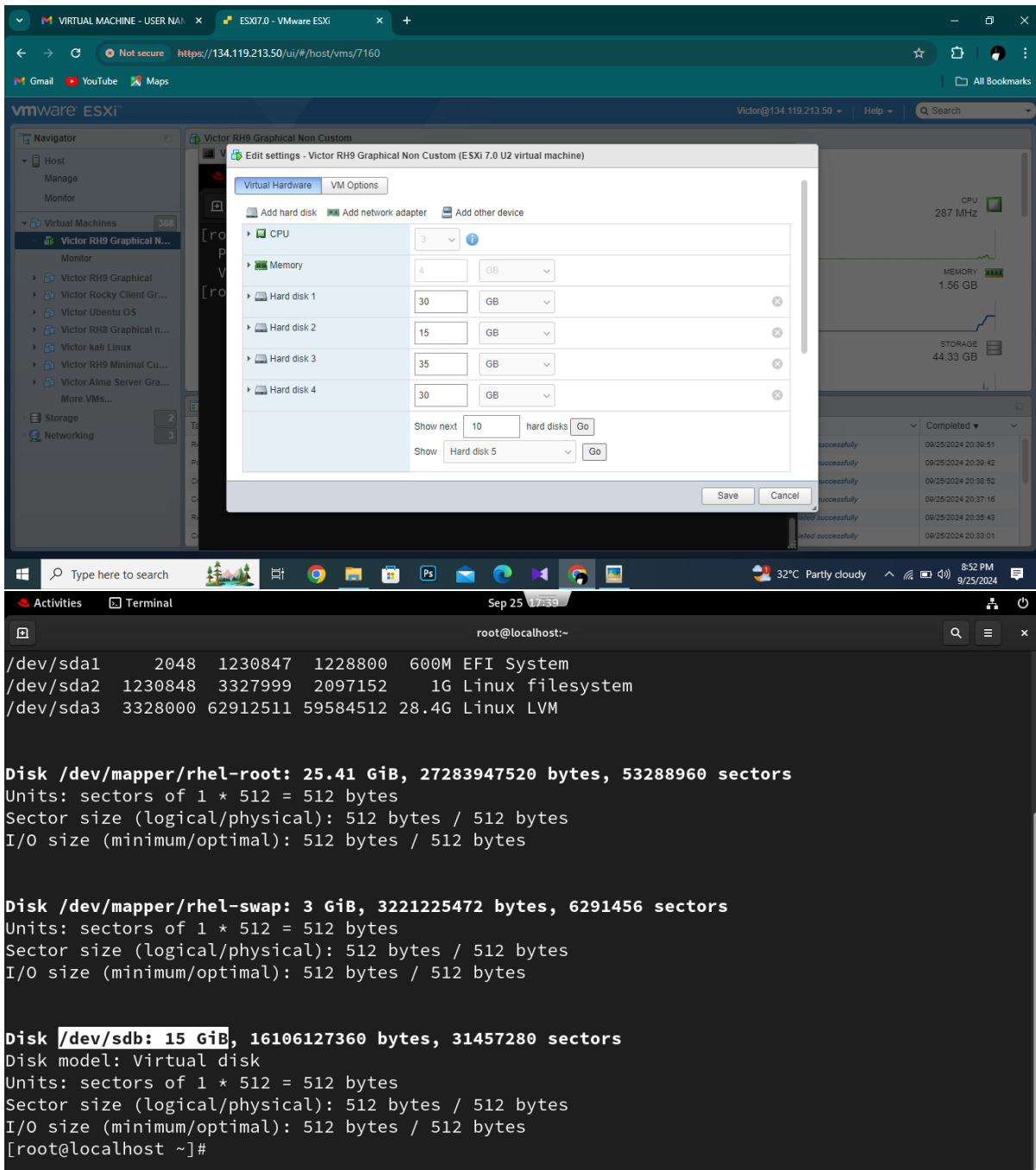
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Activities Terminal Sep 19 16:41 root@localhost:~
Writing inode tables: done
Creating journal (8192 blocks): done
Writing superblocks and filesystem accounting information: done

[root@localhost ~]# mkdir /redhat
[root@localhost ~]# mkdir /backupnew
[root@localhost ~]# mount /dev/sdb /redhat/
[root@localhost ~]# mount /dev/sdc /backupnew/
[root@localhost ~]# df -h
Filesystem      Size  Used Avail Use% Mounted on
devtmpfs        4.0M   0    4.0M   0% /dev
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/dev/sda1       2.0G   7.0M   2.0G   1% /boot/efi
/dev/sda3       9.8G   107M   9.6G   2% /home
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Activities Terminal Sep 19 16:41 root@localhost:~ /usr/bin/vim/etc/fstab
# Created by anaconda on Thu Sep 19 06:54:13 2024
#
# Accessible filesystems, by reference, are maintained under '/dev/disk/'.
# See man pages fstab(5), findfs(8), mount(8) and/or blkid(8) for more info.
#
# After editing this file, run 'systemctl daemon-reload' to update systemd
# units generated from this file.
#
UUID=b6fe809e-ba7a-4e50-b035-79d8eb0ec6ad / xfs defaults 0 0
UUID=ee1b7a8c-b410-4ca1-8ef6-f0aa01227170 /boot xfs defaults 0 0
UUID=A87A-7FD3 /boot/efi vfat umask=0077,shortname=winnt 0 2
UUID=6b458c11-c5d8-4b0c-baf0-54dd49c00ad3 /home xfs defaults 0 0
UUID=badcfe4f-bb2f-4cce-982d-1457b4160197 /var xfs defaults 0 0
UUID=3cc5f5ae-1e0b-4b7e-9e4f-4bd847110862 none swap defaults 0 0
/dev/sdb /redhat ext4 defaults 0 0
/dev/sdc /backupnew ext4 defaults 0 0

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The image shows a VMware ESXi interface with a web browser displaying the 'Edit settings - Victor RH9 Graphical Non Custom (ESXi 7.0 U2 virtual machine)' page. The 'Virtual Hardware' tab is selected, showing the following configuration:

| Component | Value | Unit |
|-------------|-------|------|
| CPU | 3 | |
| Memory | 4 | GB |
| Hard disk 1 | 30 | GB |
| Hard disk 2 | 15 | GB |
| Hard disk 3 | 35 | GB |
| Hard disk 4 | 30 | GB |

Below the table, there are options to 'Show next 10 hard disks' and 'Show Hard disk 5'.

The terminal window shows the following output:

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root@localhost:~# lsblk
/dev/sda1 2048 1230847 1228800 600M EFI System
/dev/sda2 1230848 3327999 2097152 1G Linux filesystem
/dev/sda3 3328000 62912511 59584512 28.4G Linux LVM

Disk /dev/mapper/rhel-root: 25.41 GiB, 27283947520 bytes, 53288960 sectors
Units: sectors of 1 * 512 = 512 bytes
Sector size (logical/physical): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
I/O size (minimum/optimal): 512 bytes / 512 bytes

Disk /dev/mapper/rhel-swap: 3 GiB, 3221225472 bytes, 6291456 sectors
Units: sectors of 1 * 512 = 512 bytes
Sector size (logical/physical): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
I/O size (minimum/optimal): 512 bytes / 512 bytes

Disk /dev/sdb: 15 GiB, 16106127360 bytes, 31457280 sectors
Disk model: Virtual disk
Units: sectors of 1 * 512 = 512 bytes
Sector size (logical/physical): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
I/O size (minimum/optimal): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
[root@localhost ~]#
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Activities Terminal Sep 25 17:47 root@localhost:~  
[root@localhost ~]# pvcreate /dev/sdb  
Physical volume "/dev/sdb" successfully created.  
[root@localhost ~]#  
[root@localhost ~]# vgcreate datastore /dev/sdb  
Volume group "datastore" successfully created  
[root@localhost ~]# lvcreate -L 10GB -n facebook datastore  
Logical volume "facebook" created.  
[root@localhost ~]# mkdir /facebook  
[root@localhost ~]# mkfs.ext4 /dev/sdb  
mke2fs 1.46.5 (30-Dec-2021)  
/dev/sdb is apparently in use by the system; will not make a filesystem here!  
[root@localhost ~]# mkfs.ext4 /dev/mapper/datastore-facebook  
mke2fs 1.46.5 (30-Dec-2021)  
Discarding device blocks: done  
Creating filesystem with 2621440 4k blocks and 655360 inodes  
Filesystem UUID: d6b2cfe8-bcfa-44d5-b06e-2b21cea821e2  
Superblock backups stored on blocks:  
32768, 98304, 163840, 229376, 294912, 819200, 884736, 1605632  
  
Allocating group tables: done  
Writing inode tables: done  
Creating journal (16384 blocks): done  
Writing superblocks and filesystem accounting information: done  
  
[root@localhost ~]#  
Activities Terminal Sep 25 17:50 root@localhost:~  
/dev/sdb is apparently in use by the system; will not make a filesystem here!  
[root@localhost ~]# mkfs.ext4 /dev/mapper/datastore-facebook  
mke2fs 1.46.5 (30-Dec-2021)  
Discarding device blocks: done  
Creating filesystem with 2621440 4k blocks and 655360 inodes  
Filesystem UUID: d6b2cfe8-bcfa-44d5-b06e-2b21cea821e2  
Superblock backups stored on blocks:  
32768, 98304, 163840, 229376, 294912, 819200, 884736, 1605632  
  
Allocating group tables: done  
Writing inode tables: done  
Creating journal (16384 blocks): done  
Writing superblocks and filesystem accounting information: done  
  
[root@localhost ~]# mount /dev/mapper/datastore-facebook /facebook/  
[root@localhost ~]# df -h  
Filesystem Size Used Avail Use% Mounted on  
devtmpfs 4.0M 0 4.0M 0% /dev  
tmpfs 1.8G 0 1.8G 0% /dev/shm  
tmpfs 711M 9.3M 702M 2% /run  
/dev/mapper/rhel-root 26G 4.2G 22G 17% /  
/dev/sda2 960M 291M 670M 31% /boot  
/dev/sda1 599M 7.0M 592M 2% /boot/efi  
tmpfs 356M 96K 356M 1% /run/user/0  
/dev/sr0 9.9G 9.9G 0 100% /run/media/root/RHEL-9-3-0-BaseOS-x86_64  
/dev/mapper/datastore-facebook 9.8G 24K 9.3G 1% /facebook  
[root@localhost ~]#
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Activities Terminal Sep 25 18:32
root@localhost:~

[root@localhost ~]# lvextend -L 14GB /dev/mapper/datastore-facebook
Size of logical volume datastore/facebook changed from 10.00 GiB (2560 extents) to 14.00 GiB (3584 extents).
Logical volume datastore/facebook successfully resized.
[root@localhost ~]# df -h
Filesystem                Size      Used Avail Use% Mounted on
devtmpfs                   4.0M        0   4.0M   0% /dev
tmpfs                      1.8G        0   1.8G   0% /dev/shm
tmpfs                      711M    9.4M   701M   2% /run
/dev/mapper/rhel-root       26G    4.2G    22G  17% /
/dev/sda2                  960M    291M   670M  31% /boot
/dev/sda1                  599M     7.0M   592M   2% /boot/efi
tmpfs                     356M    108K   356M   1% /run/user/0
/dev/sr0                   9.9G    9.9G     0 100% /run/media/root/RHEL-9-3-0-BaseOS-x86_64
/dev/mapper/datastore-facebook 9.8G    24K    9.3G   1% /facebook
[root@localhost ~]# resize2fs /dev/mapper/datastore-facebook
resize2fs 1.46.5 (30-Dec-2021)
Filesystem at /dev/mapper/datastore-facebook is mounted on /facebook; on-line resizing required
old_desc_blocks = 2, new_desc_blocks = 2
The filesystem on /dev/mapper/datastore-facebook is now 3670016 (4k) blocks long.

[root@localhost ~]# df -h
Filesystem                Size      Used Avail Use% Mounted on
devtmpfs                   4.0M        0   4.0M   0% /dev
tmpfs                      1.8G        0   1.8G   0% /dev/shm
tmpfs                      711M    9.4M   701M   2% /run
/dev/mapper/rhel-root       26G    4.2G    22G  17% /
/dev/sda2                  960M    291M   670M  31% /boot
/dev/sda1                  599M     7.0M   592M   2% /boot/efi
tmpfs                     356M    108K   356M   1% /run/user/0
/dev/sr0                   9.9G    9.9G     0 100% /run/media/root/RHEL-9-3-0-BaseOS-x86_64
/dev/mapper/datastore-facebook 14G    24K    13G   1% /facebook
/dev/mapper/movies-tamil    15G    24K    14G   1% /tamil

Connection failed
Activation of network connection failed

devtmpfs                   4.0M        0   4.0M   0% /dev
tmpfs                      1.8G        0   1.8G   0% /dev/shm
tmpfs                      711M    9.4M   701M   2% /run
/dev/mapper/rhel-root       26G    4.2G    22G  17% /
/dev/sda2                  960M    291M   670M  31% /boot
/dev/sda1                  599M     7.0M   592M   2% /boot/efi
tmpfs                     356M    92K   356M   1% /run/user/0
/dev/sr0                   9.9G    9.9G     0 100% /run/media/root/RHEL-9-3-0-BaseOS-x86_64
/dev/mapper/datastore-facebook 14G    24K    13G   1% /facebook
/dev/mapper/movies-tamil    15G    24K    14G   1% /tamil
[root@localhost ~]# vgextend movies /dev/sde
Physical volume "/dev/sde" successfully created.
Volume group "movies" successfully extended
[root@localhost ~]# resize2fs /dev/mapper/movies-tamil
resize2fs 1.46.5 (30-Dec-2021)
The filesystem is already 3932160 (4k) blocks long. Nothing to do!

[root@localhost ~]# lvextend -L 40GB /dev/mapper/movies-tamil
Size of logical volume movies/tamil changed from 15.00 GiB (3840 extents) to 40.00 GiB (10240 extents).
Logical volume movies/tamil successfully resized.
[root@localhost ~]# resize2fs /dev/mapper/movies-tamil
resize2fs 1.46.5 (30-Dec-2021)
Filesystem at /dev/mapper/movies-tamil is mounted on /tamil; on-line resizing required
old_desc_blocks = 2, new_desc_blocks = 5
The filesystem on /dev/mapper/movies-tamil is now 10485760 (4k) blocks long.

[root@localhost ~]# df -h
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