RH124 Report

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Figure 1

Guided exercise for network validation

```
Last login: Sun Oct 23 16:39:49 2022 from 172.25.250.9
[student@servera ~]$ ip link
1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN mode DEFAULT group default qlen 10
00
    link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00
2: eth0: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER UP> mtu 8942 qdisc fq codel state UP mode DEFAULT group default
 qlen 1000
    link/ether 52:54:00:00:fa:0a brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
[student@servera ~]$ ip addr
1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN group default qlen 1000
    link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00
    inet 127.0.0.1/8 scope host lo
       valid lft forever preferred lft forever
    inet6 ::1/128 scope host
       valid lft forever preferred lft forever
2: eth0: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 8942 qdisc fq_codel state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether 52:54:00:00:fa:0a brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    inet 172.25.250.10/24 brd 172.25.250.255 scope global noprefixroute eth0
       valid lft forever preferred lft forever
    inet6 fe80::7664:264b:8b32:d700/64 scope link dadfailed tentative noprefixroute
       valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
    inet6 fe80::5b0b:316b:561e:86ab/64 scope link noprefixroute
       valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
[student@servera ~]$ ip -s link show enX
Device "enX" does not exist.
[student@servera ~]$ ip -s link show eth0
2: eth0: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER UP> mtu 8942 qdisc fq codel state UP mode DEFAULT group default
 qlen 1000
    link/ether 52:54:00:00:fa:0a brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    RX: bytes packets errors dropped overrun mcast
    34080
               298
                                      0
                                              0
    TX: bytes packets errors dropped carrier collsns
                        0
    21406
               203
                                0
                                       0
[student@servera ~]$ ip route
default via 172.25.250.254 dev eth0 proto static metric 100
172.25.250.0/24 dev eth0 proto kernel scope link src 172.25.250.10 metric 100
[student@servera ~]$ ping -c3 172.25.250.254
PING 172.25.250.254 (172.25.250.254) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 172.25.250.254: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.648 ms
64 bytes from 172.25.250.254: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.254 ms
^C
--- 172.25.250.254 ping statistics ---
2 packets transmitted, 2 received, 0% packet loss, time 34ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 0.254/0.451/0.648/0.197 ms
[student@servera ~]$ tracepath classroom.example.com
 1?: [LOCALHOST]
                                      pmtu 8942
 1: workstation.lab.example.com
                                                           0.746ms
 1: workstation.lab.example.com
                                                           0.095ms
    classroom.example.com
                                                           0.550ms reached
     Resume: pmtu 8942 hops 2 back 2
[student@servera ~]$ ss -lt
             Recv-Q
                                            Local Address:Port
                                                                              Peer Address:Port
State
                          Send-Q
                                                   0.0.0.0:sunrpc
LISTEN
             0
                          128
                                                                                   0.0.0.0:*
                                                                                   0.0.0:*
LISTEN
             0
                          128
                                                   0.0.0.0:ssh
LISTEN
             0
                          128
                                                      [::]:sunrpc
LISTEN
                          128
                                                      [::]:ssh
[student@servera ~]$ logout
Connection to servera closed.
[student@workstation ~]$ PS1='[Roger Zhang@\h \w] > '
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: use ip command to view different network interface

Figure 2

Guided exercise for network configuration

```
student@workstation:~
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
ipv4.never-default:
                                       no
[student@servera ~]$ nmcli dev status
                STATE
DEVICE TYPE
                          CONNECTION
[student@servera ~]$ nmcli dev show eth0
GENERAL.DEVICE:
GENERAL.TYPE:
                                       ethernet
GENERAL.HWADDR:
                                       52:54:00:00:FA:0A
GENERAL.MTU:
                                       8942
GENERAL.STATE:
                                       100 (connected)
GENERAL.CONNECTION:
                                       Wired connection 1
GENERAL.CON-PATH:
                                       /org/freedesktop/NetworkManager/ActiveConnection/1
WIRED-PROPERTIES.CARRIER:
IP4.ADDRESS[1]:
                                       172.25.250.10/24
IP4.GATEWAY:
                                       172.25.250.254
IP4.ROUTE[1]:
                                       dst = 172.25.250.0/24, nh = 0.0.0.0, mt = 100
IP4.ROUTE[2]:
                                       dst = 0.0.0.0/0, nh = 172.25.250.254, mt = 100
172.25 250.254
IP4.DNS[1]:
IP6.ADDRESS[1]:
                                       fe80::5b0b:316b:561e:86ab/64
IP6.ADDRESS[2]:
                                       fe80::7664:264b:8b32:d700/64
IP6.GATEWAY:
IP6.ROUTE[1]:
                                       dst = fe80::/64, nh = ::, mt = 100
IP6.ROUTE[2]: dst = ff00::/8, nh = ::, mt = 256, table=255
[student@servera ~]$ sudo nmcli con add con-name "static-addr" ifname eth0 type ethernet ipv4.method m
anual ipv4.address 172.25.250.10/24 ipv4.gateway 172.25.250.254
[sudo] password for student:
Connection 'static-addr' (88fad57e-21e4-4994-ac4a-f670fea82b05) successfully added.
[student@servera ~]$ sudo nmcli con mod "static-addr" ipv4.dns 172.25.250.254
[student@servera ~]$ nmcli con show
                   UUID
NAME
                                                         TYPE
                                                                   DEVICE
                   88fad57e-21e4-4994-ac4a-f670fea82b05 ethernet --
static-addr
[student@servera ~]$ nmcli con show --active
                   UUID
Wired connection 1 81b08161-8925-3cb9-a94c-e3c827e2adc3 ethernet eth0 [student@servera ~]$ sudo nmcli con up "static-addr"
Connection successfully activated (D-Bus active path: /org/freedesktop/NetworkManager/ActiveConnection
[student@servera ~]$ nmcli con show --active
            UUID
                                                            DEVICE
[student@servera ~]$ sudo nmcli con mod "Wired connection 1" \
> connection.autoconnect no
[student@servera ~]$ sudo systemctl reboot
Connection to servera closed by remote host.
Connection to servera closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab net-configure finish
Cleaning up the lab on servera:
 · Check servera.....
 · Activate Wired connection 1.....
 · Auto connect Wired connection 1.....
                                                                SUCCESS
 · Remove static-addr.....
 · Remove /tmp/defprofile.....
Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: create new network interface and switch to that interface

# Figure 3

#### Finish Network Lab

```
student@workstation:~
<u>File Edit View Search Terminal Help</u>
· Storing the default profile..... SUCCESS
 · Backup serverb hosts file...... SUCCESS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > ssh student@serverb
Activate the web console with: systemctl enable --now cockpit.socket
This system is not registered to Red Hat Insights. See https://cloud.redhat.com/
To register this system, run: insights-client --register
Last login: Sun Oct 23 16:42:46 2022 from 172.25.250.9
[student@serverb ~]$ sudo -i
[sudo] password for student:
[root@serverb ~]# nmcli con add con-name lab ifname eth0 type ethernet ipv4.method manual ipv4.address
 172.25.250.11/24 ipv4.gateway 172.25.250.254
Connection 'lab' (e38680be-a869-485c-9b03-2135c3eccb6e) successfully added.
[root@serverb ~]# nmcli con mod "lab" ipv4.dns 172.25.250.254
[root@serverb ~]# nmcli con mod "lab" connection.autoconnect yes
[root@serverb ~]# nmcli con mod "Wired connection 1" connection.autoconnect no
[root@serverb ~]# nmcli con mod "lab" +ipv4.addresses 10.0.1.1/24
[root@serverb ~]# echo "10.0.1.1 private" >> /etc/hosts
[root@serverb ~]# systemctl reboot
Connection to serverb closed by remote host.
Connection to serverb closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > ping serverb
PING serverb.lab.example.com (172.25.250.11) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from serverb.lab.example.com (172.25.250.11): icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.708 ms
64 bytes from serverb.lab.example.com (172.25.250.11): icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.380 ms
--- serverb.lab.example.com ping statistics ---
2 packets transmitted, 2 received, 0% packet loss, time 27ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 0.380/0.544/0.708/0.164 ms
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab net-review grade
Grading the student's work on serverb:
 · Check hosts file configuration..... PASS
· Check lab autoconnect marked yes..... PASS
· Check lab IPv4 DNS...... PASS
Overall lab grade..... PASS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab net-review finish
Cleaning up the lab on serverb:
 · Check serverb.....
 · Reset original connection profile...... SUCCESS
 • Remove lab connection profile..... SUCCESS
 · Restore the /etc/hosts file on serverb...... SUCCESS
Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: Create a network interface and add DNS config to it.

### Chapter Review

In this chapter, I learnt the TCP/IP network model is a simplified, four-layered set of abstractions that describes how different protocols interoperate in order for computers to send traffic from one machine to another over the Internet. IPv4 is the primary network protocol used on the Internet today. IPv6 is intended as an eventual replacement for the IPv4 network protocol. By default, Red Hat Enterprise Linux operates in dual-stack mode, using both protocols in parallel. NetworkManager is a daemon that monitors and manages network configuration. The nmcli command is a command-line tool for configuring network settings with NetworkManager.

Chapter 13

Figure 4

Finishes file archive guided exercise

```
student@workstation:~
   File Edit View Search Terminal Help
 drwxr-xr-x. 7 root root
                                                                     4096 Apr 23 2020 security
 drwxr-xr-x. 3 root root 57 Apr 23 2020 security
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 692252 Oct 30 2019 services
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 216 Jan 17 2020 sestatus.conf
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root 33 Apr 23 2020 setroubleshoot
------ 1 root root 1124 Oct 23 16:34 shadow
------ 1 root root 1262 Oct 23 16:34 shadow
                                                                        33 Apr 23 2020 setroubleshoot
68 May 7 2020 shells
62 Apr 23 2020 skel
74 May 7 2020 smartm
                                                                62 Apr 23 2020 smartmon
74 May 7 2020 smartmon
138 Jan 13 2020 sos.conf
                                                                                                    2020 smartmontools
                                                                       41 Oct 23 16:34 subgid
66 Oct 23 16:34 subgid-
41 Oct 23 16:34 subuid
  -rw-r--r--. 1 root root
-rw-r--r--. 1 root root
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 66 Oct 23 16:34 subuid-
-rw-r--r-. 1 root root 1786 Feb 5 2020 sudo.conf
-r--r---. 1 root root 4424 May 7 2020 sudoers drwxr-x--. 2 root root 33 May 7 2020 sudoers.d
-rw-r---. 1 root root 3181 Feb 5 2020 sudo-ldap.conf drwxr-xr-x. 3 root root 24 Apr 23 2020 swid drwxr-xr-x. 6 root root 4096 May 7 2020 sysconfig
                                                                  449 Apr 15 2020 sysctl.conf
28 Apr 23 2020 sysctl.d
150 Sep 1 2020 systemd
14 Mar 31 2020 system-release -> redhat-release
 -rw-r--r--. 1 root root
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
drwxr-xr-x. 4 root root
  lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root
                                                                   38 Mar 31 2020 system-release -> r
38 Mar 31 2020 system-release-cpe
7046 Jun 10 2019 tcsd.conf
6 Jan 16 2019 terminfo
 -rw-r--r-. 1 root root
-rw-----. 1 tss tss
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root

      drwxr-xr-x.
      2 root root
      6 Jan 16 2019 terminfo

      drwxr-xr-x.
      2 root root
      6 Apr 15 2020 tmpfiles.d

      -rw-r--r-.
      1 root root
      750 Feb 27 2020 trusted-key.key

      drwxr-xr-x.
      3 root root
      109 Apr 23 2020 tuned

      drwxr-xr-x.
      4 root root
      68 May 7 2020 udev

      drwxr-xr-x.
      2 root root
      45 Apr 23 2020 unbound

      -rw-r--r-.
      1 root root
      28 Apr 23 2020 vconsole.conf

      -rw-r--r-.
      1 root root
      1982 Jul 23 2019 vimrc

      -rw-r--r-.
      1 root root
      4925 Nov 26 2019 wgetrc

      drwxr-xr-x.
      6 root root
      70 Apr 23 2020 X11

 drwxr-xr-x. 6 root root
                                                                     70 Apr 23 2020 X11
 -rw-r--r--. 1 root root
drwxr-xr-x. 4 root root
                                                                   642 Dec 9 2016 xattr.conf
38 Apr 23 2020 xdg
 drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
                                                                         6 Aug 12 2018 xinetd.d
                                                                        57 Apr 23 2020 yum
12 Feb 18 2020 yum.conf -> dnf/dnf.conf
                                                                         46 Oct 23 16:34 yum.repos.d
  [root@servera etc]# logout
  [student@servera ~]$ logout
  Connection to servera closed.
 [Roger Zhang@workstation \sim] > lab archive-manage finish
 You have completed attempting the guided exercise.
    · Deleting archive file and directory created...... SUCCESS
 Lab finished.
 [Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: shows different ways of tar command using.

Figure 5

Guided Exercise: Transferring Files Between Systems Securely

```
student@workstation:~
 <u>F</u>ile <u>E</u>dit <u>V</u>iew <u>S</u>earch <u>T</u>erminal <u>H</u>elp
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root
drwxr-xr-x. 2 root root
                               57 Apr 23 2020 yum
12 Feb 18 2020 yum.conf -> dnf/dnf.conf
                               46 Oct 23 16:34 yum.repos.d
[root@servera etc]# logout
 [student@servera ~]$ logout
Connection to servera closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab archive-manage finish
You have completed attempting the guided exercise.
 · Deleting archive file and directory created...... SUCCESS
Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab archive-transfer start
Starting lab.
Preparing servera for lab exercise work:
 · Verifying server is reachable: servera...... SUCCESS
   Verifying server is reachable: serverb.....
                                                                  SUCCESS
 · Ensuring directory does not exit: /home/student/serverbackup SUCCESS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > ssh student@servera
Activate the web console with: systemctl enable --now cockpit.socket
This system is not registered to Red Hat Insights. See https://cloud.redhat.com/
To register this system, run: insights-client --register
Last login: Sun Oct 23 23:11:38 2022 from 172.25.250.9
[student@servera ~]$ mkdir ~/serverbackup
[student@servera ~]$ scp -r root@serverb:/etc/ssh ~/serverbackup
The authenticity of host 'serverb (172.25.250.11)' can't be established.
ECDSA key fingerprint is SHA256:1H687jfusVXYAUzAuByFfx1U/lB4VS+6h04wRhXhmZU.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added 'serverb,172.25.250.11' (ECDSA) to the list of known hosts.
root@serverb's password:
moduli
                                                                      100% 564KB 69.5MB/s
                                                                                              00:00
ssh config
                                                                      100% 1716
                                                                                   1.2MB/s
                                                                                              00:00
                                                                      100% 831
05-redhat.conf
                                                                                 642.9KB/s
                                                                                              00:00
01-training.conf
                                                                      100%
                                                                            36
                                                                                  26.7KB/s
                                                                                              00:00
ssh host ed25519 key
                                                                      100% 387
                                                                                   1.1MB/s
                                                                                              00:00
ssh_host_ed25519_key.pub
                                                                      100% 82
                                                                                 275.0KB/s
                                                                                              00:00
ssh_host_ecdsa_key
ssh_host_ecdsa_key.pub
                                                                      100% 492
                                                                                  1.5MB/s
                                                                                              00:00
                                                                      100% 162
                                                                                              00:00
                                                                                  551.9KB/s
ssh host rsa key
                                                                      100% 2578
                                                                                   7.3MB/s
                                                                                              00:00
                                                                                    1.8MB/s
                                                                      100% 554
ssh_host_rsa_key.pub
                                                                                              00:00
sshd config
                                                                      100% 4474
                                                                                   12.8MB/s
                                                                                              00:00
[student@servera ~]$ logout
Connection to servera closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab archive-transfer finish
You have completed attempting the guided exercise.
 · Deleting directory created...... SUCCESS
Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: Uses scp command to transfer files between servers.

Figure 6

Lab: Archiving and Transferring Files

```
student@workstation:~
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
drwxr-xr-x. 2 student student 32 Apr 23 2020 xinitrc.d
./configsync/etc/X11/xinit/xinitrc.d:
total 4
-rwxr-xr-x. 1 student student 203 Jun 22 2018 50-systemd-user.sh
./configsync/etc/X11/xorg.conf.d:
total 0
./configsync/etc/xdg:
total 0
drwxr-xr-x. 2 student student 6 Aug 12 2018 autostart drwxr-xr-x. 2 student student 18 Apr 23 2020 systemd
./configsync/etc/xdg/autostart:
total 0
./configsync/etc/xdg/systemd:
total 0
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 student student 18 Apr 15 2020 user -> ../../systemd/user
./configsync/etc/xinetd.d:
total 0
./configsync/etc/yum:
total 0
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 student student 14 Feb 18 2020 pluginconf.d -> ../dnf/plugins
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 student student 18 Feb 18 2020 protected.d -> ../dnf/protected.d
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 student student 11 Feb 18 2020 vars -> ../dnf/vars
./configsync/etc/yum.repos.d:
total 8
-rw-r--r-. 1 student student 358 May 7 2020 redhat.repo
-rw-r--r-. 1 student student 365 May 7 2020 rhel_dvd.repo
[Roger Zhang@workstation /tmp/savedconfig] > cd
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab archive-review grade
Grading the student's work on serverb:
 · Verifying /configsync on serverb..... PASS
 · Verifying archive (exists) on serverb...... PASS
 · Verifying the compression used...... PASS
 · Verifying archive content.....
 · Verifying archive (exists) on workstation...... PASS

    Verifying /tmp/savedconfig exists on workstation......
    Verifying archive content......

PASS
Overall lab grade..... PASS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab archive-review finish
You have completed attempting the guided exercise.
 Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: uses rsync to sync file between server and use tar for archiving.

#### Guided Exercise: Explaining and Investigating RPM Software Packages

```
/opt/rhcsa-script/mymotd
[student@servera ~]$ rpm -q -p rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch.rpm --scripts
preinstall scriptlet (using /bin/sh):
if [ "$1" == "2" ]; then
  if [ -e /etc/motd.orig ]; then
   mv -f /etc/motd.orig /etc/motd
postinstall scriptlet (using /bin/sh):
Set up MOTD scripts
cd /etc
 Save the old MOTD if it exists
if [ -e motd ]
then
  cp motd motd.orig
# create the MOTD for the first time
at /opt/rhcsa-script/mymotd > /etc/motd
postuninstall scriptlet (using /bin/sh):
# Restore the original MOTD if it was backed up
if [ -e /etc/motd.orig ]
then
 mv -f /etc/motd.orig /etc/motd
[student@sen∏vera ~]$ rpm2cpio rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch.rpm | cpio -tv
-rw-r--r--
                   root
                                1056 Mar 6 2019 ./opt/rhcsa-script/mymotd
          1 root
3 blocks
[student@servera ~]$ rpm2cpio rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch.rpm | cpio -idv
./opt/rhcsa-script/mymotd
3 blocks
[student@servera ~]$ ls -lR opt
opt:
total 0
drwxrwxr-x. 2 student student 20 Oct 23 23:30 rhcsa-script
opt/rhcsa-script:
total 4
-rw-r--r--. 1 student student 1056 Oct 23 23:30 mymotd
[student@servera ~]$ sudo rpm -ivh rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch.rpm
[sudo] password for student:
                                 ########### [100%]
Verifying...
                                 ########## [100%]
Preparing...
Updating / installing...
                                 1:rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1
[student@servera ~]$ rpm -q rhcsa-script
rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch
[student@servera ~]$ logout
Connection to servera closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab software-rpm finish
You have completed attempting the guided exercise.
 · Removing package: rhcsa-script............................. SUCCESS
 · Removing files: servera...... SUCCESS
Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: Use rpm to install packet

Figure 8

Guided Exercise: Installing and Updating Software Packages with Yum

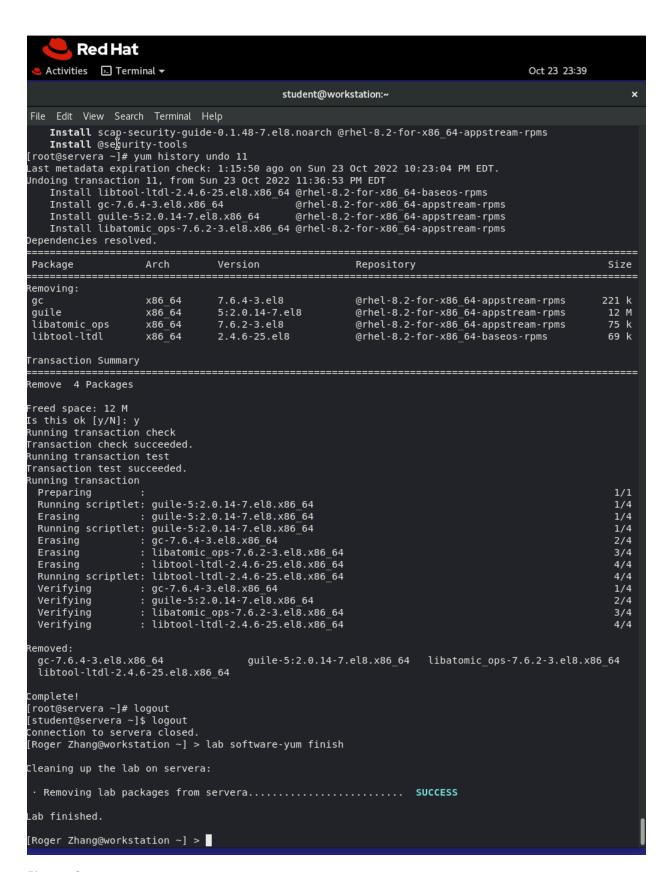


Figure 9

#### Lab: Installing and Updating Software Packages

```
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
A RHCSA practice script.
The package changes the motd.
[student@serverb ~]$ sudo yum localinstall \
[sudo] password for student:
^C[student@serverb ~]$ sudo yum localinstall rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch.rpm
[sudo] password for student:
Last metadata expiration check: 0:01:47 ago on Sun 23 Oct 2022 11:41:21 PM EDT.
Dependencies resolved.
Architecture Version
                                                     Repository
Installing:
rhcsa-script
                                  1.0.0-1
                                                     @commandline
                                                                         7.6 k
                  noarch
Transaction Summary
Install 1 Package
Total size: 7.6 k
Installed size: 1.0 k
Is this ok [y/N]: y
Downloading Packages:
Running transaction check
Transaction check succeeded.
Running transaction test
Transaction test succeeded.
Running transaction
 Preparing
 Running scriptlet: rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch
                                                                           1/1
 Installing : rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch
 Running scriptlet: rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch
                                                                           1/1
 Verifying
            : rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch
Installed:
 rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch
Complete!
[student@serverb ~]$ rpm -q rhcsa-script
rhcsa-script-1.0.0-1.noarch
[student@serverb ~]$ logout
Connection to serverb closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab software-review grade
 · Verifying that repo exists: ..... PASS
· Verifying that xsane-gimp is installed: ..... PASS

    Verifying that httpd is installed:
    Verifying CUPS is removed:

PASS
· Verifying exercise package is installed: serverb...... PASS
Overall lab grade..... PASS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab software-review finish
You have completed attempting the guided exercise.

    Removing repo: /etc/yum.repos.d/errata.repo ......

 · Removing package: rhcsa-script...... SUCCESS
 · Removing files: serverb...... SUCCESS
 · Remove package: xsane-gimp.....
```

Note: modify repo and install using rpm and yum.

#### Chapter Review

In this chapter, I learned: Red Hat Subscription Management provides tools to entitle machines to product subscriptions, get updates to software packages, and track information about support contracts and subscriptions used by the systems. Software is provided as RPM packages, which make it easy to install, upgrade, and uninstall software from the system. The rpm command can be used to query a local database to provide information about the contents of installed packages and install downloaded package files. yum is a powerful command-line tool that can be used to install, update, remove, and query software packages. Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 uses Application Streams to provide a single repository to host multiple versions of an application's packages and its dependencies.

Chapter 15

Figure 10

Guided Exercise: Mounting and Unmounting File Systems

```
Red Hat
  Activities ► Terminal ▼
                                                                         Oct 24 00:05
                                     student@workstation:~
                                                                                         ×
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
 Removing repo: /etc/yum.repos.d/errata.repo ...... SUCCESS
 Removing package: rhcsa-script.....
                                                        SUCCESS
 Removing files: serverb.....
                                                        SUCCESS
 Remove module package: httpd..... SUCCESS
 Reinstall cups.x86 64: ...... SUCCESS
ab finished.
Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab fs-mount start
tarting lab.
reparing servera for lab exercise work:
 Verifying server is reachable: servera.....
 Ensuring directory does not exits: /mnt/newspace...... SUCCESS
 Creating new partition: /dev/vdb...... SUCCESS
Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > ssh student@servera
ctivate the web console with: systemctl enable --now cockpit.socket
his system is not registered to Red Hat Insights. See https://cloud.redhat.com/
o register this system, run: insights-client --register
ast login: Sun Oct 23 23:36:07 2022 from 172.25.250.9
student@servera ~]$ sudo -i
sudo] password for student:
root@servera ~]# mkdir /mnt/newspace
root@servera ~]# lsblk -fp /dev/vdb
AME
         FSTYPE LABEL UUID
                                                      MOUNTPOINT
dev/vdb
-/dev/vdb1 xfs
                    fc367733-cad4-437a-bb42-e6f61d4f8e01
root@servera ~]# mount UUID="^C
root@servera ~]# mount UUID="fc367733-cad4-437a-bb42-e6f61d4f8e01" /mnt/newspace
root@servera ~]# lsblk -fp /dev/vdb
         FSTYPE LABEL UUID
                                                      MOUNTPOINT
AME
dev/vdb
-/dev/vdb1 xfs
                     fc367733-cad4-437a-bb42-e6f61d4f8e01 /mnt/newspace
oot@servera ~]# cd /mnt/newspace
root@servera newspace]# mkdir newdir
root@servera newspace]# touch newdir/newfile
oot@servera newspace]# umount /mnt/newspace
mount: /mnt/newspace: target is busy.
root@servera newspace]# cd
root@servera ~]# umount /mnt/newspace
root@servera ~]# logout
student@servera ~]$<sup>¯</sup>logout
onnection to servera closed.
Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab fs-mount finish
ou have completed attempting the guided exercise.
 Deleting directory: /mnt/newspace..... SUCCESS
 ab finished.
Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: Use mount to mount virtual block device and umount afterwards

Figure 11

Guided Exercise: Locating Files on the System

```
student@workstation:~
 File Edit View Search Terminal Help
/usr/bin/nsupdate
/usr/bin/desktop-file-install
/usr/bin/desktop-file-validate
/usr/bin/gprof
/usr/bin/ld.bfd
/usr/bin/ld.gold
/usr/bin/objcopy
/usr/bin/objdump
/usr/bin/ranlib
/usr/bin/readelf
/usr/bin/strip
/usr/bin/at
/usr/bin/simc_lsmplugin
/usr/bin/wget
/usr/bin/firewall-offline-cmd
/usr/bin/unzipsfx
/usr/bin/unzip
                         ŀ
/usr/bin/zipinfo
/usr/bin/ncat
/usr/bin/mouse-test
/usr/bin/zipcloak
/usr/bin/zipnote
/usr/bin/zipsplit
/usr/bin/firewall-cmd
/usr/bin/vdodmeventd
/usr/bin/vdodumpconfig
/usr/bin/vdoforcerebuild
/usr/bin/vdoformat
/usr/bin/vdoreadonly
/usr/bin/vdosetuuid
/usr/bin/pinfo
/usr/bin/blkparse
/usr/bin/blktrace
/usr/bin/strace
/usr/bin/dos2unix
/usr/bin/unix2dos
/usr/bin/updatedb
/usr/bin/lsusb
[student@servera ~]$ find /home/student -mmin +120
/home/student/.bash_logout
/home/student/.bash_profile
/home/student/.bashrc
/home/student/.viminfo
[student@servera ~]$ find /dev -type b
/dev/vdd
/dev/vdc
/dev/vdb
/dev/vda3
/dev/vda2
/dev/vda1
/dev/vda
[student@servera ~]$ logout
Connection to servera closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab fs-locate finish
You have completed attempting the guided exercise.
Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: Use find and locate to perform various file finding procedures.

#### Figure 12

#### Lab: Accessing Linux File Systems

```
student@workstation:~
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab fs-review start
Starting [lab.
Preparing serverb for lab exercise work:
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > ssh student@serverb
Activate the web console with: systemctl enable --now cockpit.socket
This system is not registered to Red Hat Insights. See https://cloud.redhat.com/
To register this system, run: insights-client --register
Last login: Sun Oct 23 23:42:29 2022 from 172.25.250.9
[student@serverb ~]$ su -
Password:
Last login: Sun Oct 23 23:17:07 EDT 2022 on pts/0
[root@serverb ~]# lsblk -fp /dev/vdb
NAME
           FSTYPE LABEL UUID
                                                          MOUNTPOINT
/dev/vdb
└/dev/vdb1 xfs
                       0ab90285-46b6-4e4e-9fa9-3da0487d405b
[root@serverb ~]# mkdir /mnt/freespace
[root@serverb ~]# mount UUID="0ab90285-46b6-4e4e-9fa9-3da0487d405b" /mnt/freespace
[root@serverb ~]# lsblk -fp /dev/vdb1
NAME
         FSTYPE LABEL UUID
                                                        MOUNTPOINT
/dev/vdb1 xfs
                     0ab90285-46b6-4e4e-9fa9-3da0487d405b /mnt/freespace
[root@serverb ~]# du /usr/share > /mnt/freespace/results.txt
[root@serverb ~]# updatedb
[root@serverb ~]# locate rsyslog.conf > /mnt/freespace/search1.txt
[root@serverb ~]# find /usr/share -size +50M -size -100M > /mnt/freespace/search2.txt
[root@serverb ~]# logout
[student@serverb ~]$ logout
Connection to serverb closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab fs-review grade
Grading the student's work on serverb:

    Verifying /dev/vdb1 is mounted:
    Verifying disk usage report: /usr/share
    Verifying search result: rsyslog.conf

PASS
 · Verifying search results: /usr/share(>50M & <100M)...... PASS
Overall lab grade..... PASS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab fs-review finish
You have completed attempting the guided exercise.
 • Deleting directory/files: /mnt/freespace...... SUCCESS
 Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: Use du, Isblk, mount to mount, find files.

#### Chapter Review

In this chapter, I learned: Storage devices are represented by a special file type called block device. The df command reports total disk space, used disk space, and free disk space on all mounted regular file systems. The mount command allows the root user to manually mount a file system. All processes need to stop accessing the mount point in order to successfully unmount the device. The removable storage devices are mounted in the /run/media directory when using the graphical environment. The find command performs a real-time search in the local file systems to find files based on search criteria.

# Chapter 16

Figure 13

Guided Exercise: Analyzing and Managing Remote Servers

```
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab support-cockpit start
Starting lab.
Preparing servera and for lab exercise work:
 · Check servera connectivity.......SUCCESS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > ssh student@servera
Activate the web console with: systemctl enable --now cockpit.socket
This system is not registered to Red Hat Insights. See https://cloud.redhat.com/
To register this system, run: insights-client --register
Last login: Mon Oct 24 00:11:45 2022 from 172.25.250.9
[student@servera ~]$ sudo systemctl enable --now cockpit.socket
[sudo] password for student:
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/sockets.target.wants/cockpit.socket → /usr/lib/systemd/system/cock
pit.socket.
[student@servera ~]$ id
uid=1000(student) gid=1000(student) groups=1000(student),10(wheel) context=unconfined u:unconfined r:u
nconfined t:s0-s0:c0.c1023
[student@servera ~]$ logout
Connection to servera closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation \sim] > lab support-cockpit finish
You have completed attempting the guided exercise.
 · Checking servera..... SUCCESS
 · Removing manager1 on servera...... SUCCESS

    Restore default state of psacct on servera......

  Remove IP address 172.25.250.99/24 from Wired connection 1.. SUCCESS
Lab finished.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: This exercise uses the web gui for fixing linux related issue.

# Chapter review

In this chapter, I learned: Web Console is a web-based management interface to your server based on the open source Cockpit service. Web Console provides graphs of system performance, graphical tools to manage system configuration and inspect logs, and an interactive terminal interfaces. Red Hat Customer Portal provides you with access to documentation, downloads, optimization tools, support case management, and subscription and entitlement management for your Red Hat products. redhat-support-tool is a command-line tool to query Knowledgebase and work with support cases from the server's command line. Red Hat Insights is a SaaS-based predictive analytics tool to help me identify and remediate threats to my systems' security, performance, availability, and stability.

# Chapter 17

Figure 14

Lab: Managing Files from the Command Line

```
Starting lab.
Preparing serverb for lab exercise work:
 · Creating /home/student/bin/manage-files on serverb...... SUCCESS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > ssh student@serverb
Activate the web console with: systemctl enable --now cockpit.socket
This system is not registered to Red Hat Insights. See https://cloud.redhat.com/
To register this system, run: insights-client --register
Last login: Mon Oct 24 00:20:17 2022 from 172.25.250.9
[student@serverb ~]$ mkdir grading
[student@serverb ~]$ touch grading/grade{1,2,3}
[student@serverb ~]$ head -5 bin/manage-files > grading/manage-files.txt
[student@serverb ~]$ tail -3 bin/manage-files >> grading/manage-files.txt
[student@serverb ~]$ cd grading/
[student@serverb grading]$ cp manage-files.txt manage-files-copy.txt
[student@serverb grading]$ cd
[student@serverb ~]$ vim grading/manage-files-copy.txt
[student@serverb ~]$ vim grading/manage-files-copy.txt
student@serverb ~]$ vim grading/manage-files-copy.txt
[student@serverb ~]$ ln grading/gradel hardlink
[student@serverb ~]$ ln -s grading/grade2 softlink
student@serverb ~]$ ls -l /boot > grading/longlisting.txt
[student@serverb ~]$ logout
Connection to serverb closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab rhcsa-rh124-review1 grade
Grading the student's work on serverb:
 · Verifying original files on serverb.....

    Verifying if /home/student/grading exists on serverb......

 · Verifying if the empty files exist on serverb.....
 · Evaluating the hard link on serverb.....
 · Evaluating the soft link on serverb.....
 · Evaluating the longlisting.txt file on serverb...... PASS
 · Evaluating the manage-files-copy.txt on serverb...... PASS
Overall lab grade..... PASS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab rhcsa-rh124-review1 finish
Completing the lab on serverb:
 · Ensuring that the required environment is clean on serverb.. SUCCESS

    Deleting /home/student/bin recursively from serverb......

 · Deleting links from serverb.....
```

Figure 15

Lab: Managing Users and Groups, Permissions and Processes

```
155 root
                 0 -20
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
                                                             0:00.00 kmpath rdacd
                             0
                                    0
   156 root
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
                                                             0:00.00 kaluad
   158 root
                 0 -20
                             0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
                                                             0:00.00 ipv6 addrconf
                 0 -20
                                                             0:00.00 kstrp
                                                 0.0
  159 root
                             0
                                                       0.0
                                    0
                                           0 I
  410 root
                             0
                                    0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
                                                             0:00.00 rpciod
                 0 -20
                             0
                                    0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                             0:00.00 kworker/u5:0
                                                       0.0
                 0 -20
                                                             0:00.00 xprtiod
  412 root
                             0
                                    0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
  520 root
                0 -20
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0 0:00.14 kworker/0:1H-kblockd
                                                 0.0
                                    0
                                                       0.0 0:00.00 ata_sff
  531 root
                                           0 I
                                                             0:00.00 scsi eh 0
  534 root
                             0
                                    0
                                           0 S
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
                     0
  535 root
                 0 -20
                             0
                                    0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
                                                             0:00.00 scsi tmf 0
  536 root
                20 0
                             0
                                    0
                                           0 S
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0 0:00.00 scsi_eh_1
                0 -20
0 -20
                                                       0.0
0.0
  537 root
                             0
                                    0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                            0:00.00 scsi tmf 1
                                                            0:00.00 xfsalloc
  578 root
                             0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                             0
  579 root
                                    0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
                                                             0:00.00 xfs mru cache
                                                       0.0
                             0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                             0:00.00 xfs-buf/vda3
  582 root
  583 root
                 0 -20
                             0
                                    0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
                                                             0:00.00 xfs-conv/vda3
                                                            0:00.00 xfs-cil/vda3
  584 root
                 0 -20
                             0
                                    0
                                           0 I
                                                 0.0
                                                       0.0
student@serverb ~]$ sudo su -
sudo] password for student:
ast login: Mon Oct 24 00:20:28 EDT 2022 on pts/0
root@serverb ~]# groupadd -g 50000 database
root@serverb ~]# useradd -G database dbuser1
root@serverb ~]# passwd dbuser1
hanging password for user dbuser1.
lew password:
AD PASSWORD: The password is shorter than 8 characters
etype new password:
asswd: all authentication tokens updated successfully.
root@serverb ~]# chage -d 0 dbuser1
root@serverb ~]# chage -m 10 dbuser1
root@serverb ~]# chage -M 30 dbuser1
root@serverb ~]# vim /etc/sudoers.d/dbuser1
root@serverb ~]# su - dbuser1
dbuser1@serverb ~]$ echo "umask 007" >> .bash profile
dbuser1@serverb ~]$ echo "umask 007" >> .bashrc
dbuser1@serverb ~]$ logout
root@serverb ~]# mkdir /home/student/grading/review2
root@serverb ~]# chown student:database /home/student/grading/review2
\verb|root@serverb| \sim ] \# \ chmod \ g+s \ /home/student/grading/review2|
root@serverb ~]# chmod 775 /home/student/grading/review2
root@serverb ~]# chmod o+t /home/student/grading/review2
root@serverb ~]# logout
student@serverb ~]$ logout
onnection to serverb closed.
Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab rhcsa-rh124-review2 grade
rading the student's work on serverb:
  Confirming termination of CPU intensive process on serverb.. PASS
  Verifying if the database group exists on serverb......
  Verifying if dbuser1 belongs to database group on serverb...
  Evaluating password age dbuser1 on serverb.....
                                                              PASS
  Evaluating the properties of review2 directory on serverb...
  Evaluating the sudo configuration of dbuser1 on serverb.....
  Evaluating the umask of dbuser1 on serverb.....
verall lab grade..... PASS
Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: use top to find cpu consuming process and kill. Add user to sudoer file.

Figure 16

Lab: Configuring and Managing a Server

```
student@workstation:~
<u>F</u>ile <u>E</u>dit <u>V</u>iew <u>S</u>earch <u>T</u>erminal <u>H</u>elp
              x86 64 3.6.8-2.module+el8.1.0+3334+5cb623d7 rhel-8.2-for-x86 64-appstream-rpms 19 k
python36
nstalling dependencies:
python3-pip
            noarch 9.0.3-16.el8
                                                      rhel-8.2-for-x86 64-appstream-rpms 20 k
python3-setuptools
                                                      rhel-8.2-for-x86 64-baseos-rpms
              noarch 39.2.0-5.el8
                                                                                      163 k
nstalling module profiles:
python36/common
nabling module streams:
python36
                    3.6
ransaction Summary
_______
nstall 3 Packages
otal download size: 201 k
nstalled size: 466 k
ownloading Packages:
1/3): python3-pip-9.0.3-16.el8.noarch.rpm
                                                              2.3 MB/s
                                                                         20 kB
2/3): python3-setuptools-39.2.0-5.el8.noarch.rpm
                                                               16 MB/s | 163 kB
                                                                                  00:00
3/3): python36-3.6.8-2.module+el8.1.0+3334+5cb623d7.x86 64.rpm
                                                              1.7 MB/s | 19 kB
                                                                                  00:00
                                                               16 MB/s | 201 kB
otal
                                                                                  00:00
unning transaction check
ransaction check succeeded.
unning transaction test
ransaction test succeeded.
unning transaction
Preparing
                                                                                        1/1
Installing
                : python3-setuptools-39.2.0-5.el8.noarch
                                                                                        1/3
Installing
              : python3-pip-9.0.3-16.el8.noarch
                                                                                        2/3
               : python36-3.6.8-2.module+el8.1.0+3334+5cb623d7.x86 64
Installing
                                                                                        3/3
Running scriptlet: python36-3.6.8-2.module+el8.1.0+3334+5cb623d7.x86_64
                                                                                        3/3
Verifying : python3-setuptools-39.2.0-5.el8.noarch
                                                                                        1/3
Verifying
               : python3-pip-9.0.3-16.el8.noarch
                                                                                        2/3
Verifying
               : python36-3.6.8-2.module+el8.1.0+3334+5cb623d7.x86 64
nstalled:
python3-pip-9.0.3-16.el8.noarch
                                                    python3-setuptools-39.2.0-5.el8.noarch
python36-3.6.8-2.module+el8.1.0+3334+5cb623d7.x86 64
omplete!
student@serverb ~]$ sudo timedatectl set-timezone Asia/Kolkata
student@serverb ~]$ logout
onnection to serverb closed.
Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab rhcsa-rh124-review3 grade
rading the student's work on serverb:
 Verifying SSH keys on serverb.....
 Evaluating root login settings on serverb.....
 Evaluating password login settings on serverb.....
                                                         PASS
 Verifying archives on on serverb.....
 Verifying syslog custom configuration on serverb.....
                                                         PASS
 Evaluating timezone on serverb.....
                                                         PASS
 Verifying that zsh is installed on serverb.....
 Verifying that python36 is enabled on serverb.....
verall lab grade..... PASS
Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: Uses scp, tar to archive files. Change ssh config and reload sshd. Use yum to install packages.

Figure 17:

Lab: Managing Networks

```
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab rhcsa-rh124-review4 start
Starting lab.
Preparing serverb for lab exercise work:
 \cdot Backing up original network configuration files on serverb.. SUCCESS

    Recording the original hostname on serverb......
    Backing up the original /etc/hosts file on serverb......
    SUCCESS

[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > ping -c2 172.25.250.211
PING 172.25.250.211 (172.25.250.211) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 172.25.250.211: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.07 ms
64 bytes from 172.25.250.211: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.400 ms
--- 172.25.250.211 ping statistics ---
2 packets transmitted, 2 received, 0% packet loss, time 2ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 0.400/0.733/1.067/0.334 ms
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > ssh student@serverb
Activate the web console with: systemctl enable --now cockpit.socket
This system is not registered to Red Hat Insights. See https://cloud.redhat.com/
To register this system, run: insights-client --register
Last login: Mon Oct 24 00:55:38 2022
[student@server-review4 ~]$ logout
Connection to serverb closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab rhcsa-rh124-review4 grade
Grading the student's work on serverb:
 · Verifying the static connection on serverb...... PASS
 · Verifying DNS on serverb.....
 · Verifying new IP addresses on serverb...... PASS
 · Verifying the canonical name on serverb...... PASS
 · Verifying the hostname on serverb.....
Overall lab grade..... PASS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: Uses command line interface to setup network configurations and connect to the server.

# Figure 18

Lab: Mounting Filesystems and Finding Files

```
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
This system is not registered to Red Hat Insights. See https://cloud.redhat.com/
To register this system, run: insights-client --register
Last login: Mon Oct 24 01:00:22 2022 from 172.25.250.9
[student@serverb ~]$ lsblk -fs
NAME FSTYRE LABEL UUID
                                                     MOUNTPOINT
vda1
∟vda
vda2 vfat
                 399C-0F7D
                                                     /boot/efi
└─vda
           root 3cd0d4ca-93f6-423b-a469-70ab2b10b667 /
vda3 xfs
∟vda
vdb1 xfs
                 dc900ab0-f200-4dc7-83a0-b2e11303a5f1
∟vdb
vdc
vdd
[student@serverb ~]$ sudo mkdir /review5-disk
[sudo] password for student:
[student@serverb ~]$ sudo mount /dev/vdb1 /review5-disk
[student@serverb ~]$ find / -iname review5-path 2>/dev/null
/var/tmp/review5-path
[student@serverb ~]$ sudo vim /review5-disk/review5-path.txt
[student@serverb ~]$ find / -user contractorl -group contractor -perm 640 2>/dev/null
/usr/share/review5-perms
[student@serverb ~]$ sudo vim /review5-disk/review5-perms.txt
[student@serverb ~]$ find / -size 100c 2>/dev/null
/dev/disk/by-uuid
/run/NetworkManager
/run/udev/tags/master-of-seat
/run/initramfs
/etc/audit
/etc/lvm
/usr/lib/python3.6/site-packages/ptyprocess
/usr/lib/python3.6/site-packages/dnf/conf
/usr/share/licenses/ethtool/LICENSE
/usr/share/doc/libuser
/usr/share/doc/python3-cryptography/docs/x509
/usr/share/doc/python3-jinja2/ext
/usr/share/doc/plymouth/AUTHORS
/usr/share/man/es/man8
/usr/share/vim/vim80/macros/maze/main.aap
/usr/share/cups/templates/de/classes-header.tmpl
/usr/share/cups/templates/printers-header.tmpl
/usr/libexec/plymouth
/opt/review5-size
[student@serverb ~]$ sudo vim /review5-disk/review5-size.txt
[student@serverb ~]$ logout
Connection to serverb closed.
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] > lab rhcsa-rh124-review5 grade
Grading the student's work on serverb:
 · Confirming if /review5-disk is mounted on serverb...... PASS
 · Evaluating the first file content on serverb...... PASS
 Overall lab grade...... PASS
[Roger Zhang@workstation ~] >
```

Note: mount filesystem and use find to search for files that are 100 bytes in size.



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