Introduction to Kali Linux

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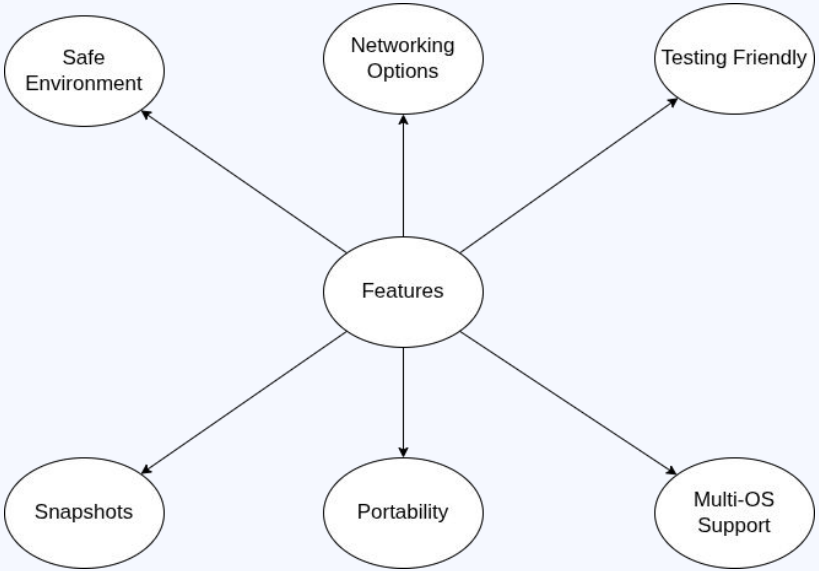

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Kali Linux - A toolbox for Hacker

Why Kali??..

1.Penetration Testing OS

2.600+ Security Tools

3.Open Source

4.LUKS Encryption

5.Custom ISO

6.VirtualBox / VMware

7.ARM Devices

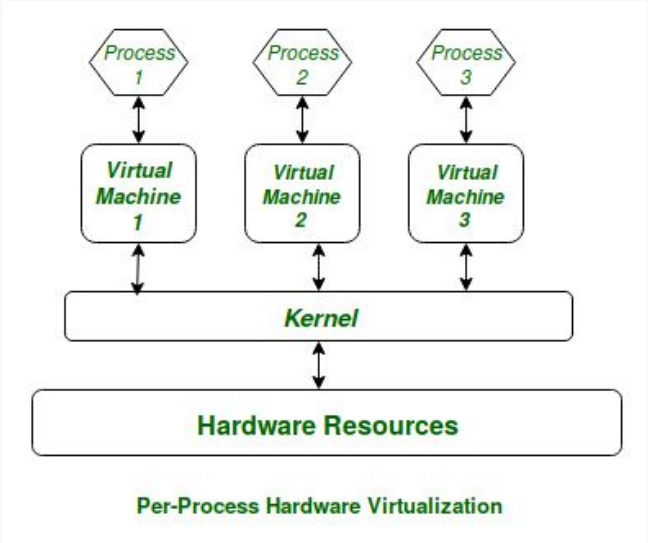
8.Kali Undercover Mode

9.Win-KeX (WSL)

10.Kali NetHunter

References: https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/linux-unix/features-of-kali-linux/

Linux Kernel



Per-Process Hardware Virtualization

Main Features:

1. Virtualization of resources
2. Middleman between H/D & S/W

Subsystem of Linux Kernel:

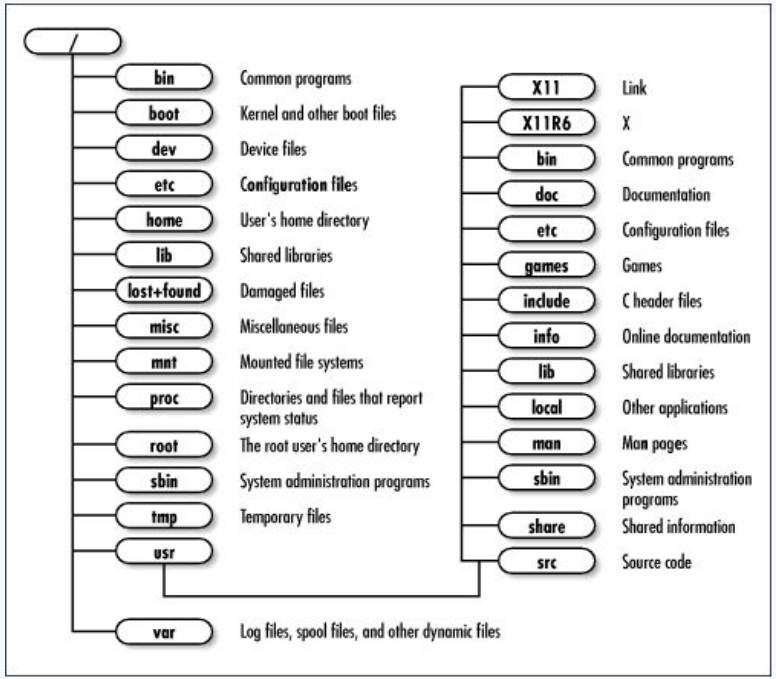
1. Process Scheduler
2. Memory Management Unit (MMU)
3. Virtual File System (VFS)
4. Networking Unit
5. Inter-Process Communication (IPC)

References: https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/linux-unix/the-linux-kernel/

The Linux Filesystem

Linux does not use Windows-style drive letters.Instead, all files, folders, and devices are children of the root directory, represented by the forward slash (/) character.The top-level directories are described as follows.

/bin/: basic programs
/etc/: configuration files
/home/: user's personal files
/lib/: basic libraries
/root/: administrator's (root's) personal files
/tmp/: temporary files (this directory is often emptied at boot)
/usr/: applications (this directory is further subdivided into bin, sbin, lib)
/var/: variable data handled by services. This includes log files, caches.
/proc/ and /sys/ are specific to the Linux kernel, They are used by the kernel for exporting data to user space



Command for Linux

pwd :: The current directory
cd :: Change directory
ls :: List directory
ls -la
cat, more, less, head, and tail :: used to print the content of a given file to the screen
echo :: print argument
man :: user manuals page
touch :: create an empty file
rm :: delete or remove the file
mkdir :: make directory
rm -rf [folder/file name] to delete
mv :: To move a file to a different directory
cp :: To copy a file or rename
which :: returns the full path to the file
locate :: to find the path
grep :: [ex ls -la /usr/bin | grep zip]
Piping Operator :: |
whoami

Important:

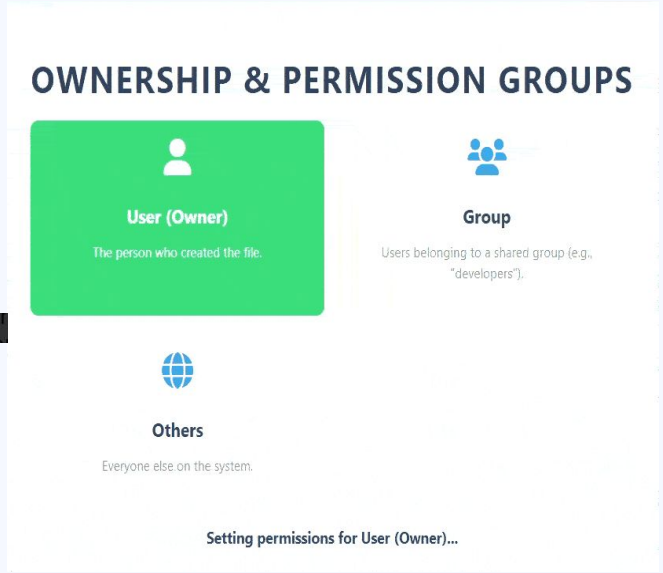
Information about **user accounts** are stored in the **/etc/passwd** file
the **fingerprints of the passwords** are stored in a different file, called **/etc/shadow**

tail -f /var/log/apache2/acceess.log is used to analysis updated log od apache web server

File Permission and Linux Application

r=read
w=write
x=executable
+= grant permission
-=revoke permission

```
4 -rwxr-x  1 tamim tamim      992 Oct 13 10:55 ssrf-payloads.txt
```



sudo apt update :: *To update the list of available packages in APT database*
sudo apt upgrade :: *upgrade the installed packages and core system to the latest versions*
apt-cache search [tools name] :: *Displays much of the information stored in the internal cached package database*
sudo apt show [tools name] :: *to show description*
sudo apt install [tools name] :: *to install tools*
sudo apt remove --purge [tools name] :: *to remove tools*
sudo dpkg -i [filename.deb] ::

References: https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/linux-unix/set-file-permissions-linux/

Linux Shell & Bash Scripting

What a is Shell ?

A shell is a program that interprets user commands and passes them to the operating system kernel for execution

There are a few important shells on Linux:

- **sh:** The Bourne SHell :: the foundation for almost all other shell environments
- **Bash:** Also known as Bourne-Again SHell
- **ksh:** Korn SHell :: ksh handles the loop syntax better than Bash
- **zsh:** Z SHell ::

Shebang: #!/bin/bash **Output: ./out.sh**

Dollar Sign($): value of variables, parameters, or the output of command

.sh-> bash extension

References: https://www.w3schools.com/bash/bash_script.php

Codes: https://github.com/Tamimsharif83/NSU-Cybersec/blob/bash/bashScript/bash_script_snippets.md

Array & Loop

Basic for loop

```
for variable in list
do
  command
done
```

Range loop

```
for i in {1..5}
do
   echo "Run $i"
Done
```

Declare array

```
array=(item1 item2 item3)
```

Access array element

```
echo ${array[0]}
```

All elements

```
echo ${array[@]}
```

Array length

```
echo ${#array[@]}
```

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Practice Lab:

TryHackMe:

1. https://tryhackme.com/room/linuxfundamentalspart1
2. https://tryhackme.com/room/bashscripting

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