**Problem:** unable to start vsftpd service

**Solution:**

* Check if another ftp service is running

Command: netstat -anp | grep :21

* update below parameters in /etc/vsftpd/vsftpd.conf file,

listen=YES # default is NO

#listen\_ipv6=YES # default is uncommented

Restart vsftpd service.

* If any other service is running, stop that service and then start vsftpd
* If no other services are running then,

Command: service vsftpd stop

Command: chkconfig vsftpd off

Command: service vsftpd start

Command:chkconfig vsftpd on