

Lab 5: Disk Management and Logical Volume Setup

Objective: Attach a 15GB disk to your VM, partition it into 5GB, 5GB, 3GB, and 2GB sections. Use the first 5GB partition as a file system, configure the 2GB partition as swap, initialize the second 5GB as a Volup Group (VG) with a Logical Volume (LV), then extend the LV by adding the 3GB partition.

1-add disk and divide to partition (5.5.3.2)

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-fdisk /dev/sdb  
m>>>n
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11 fdisk sdb  
12 sudo fdisk /dev/sdb  
13 df -h  
14 lsblk  
15 mount /dev/sdb1 /media  
16 df -h4  
17 df -h  
18 ls  
19 mount /dev/sdb1 /videos  
20 df -h  
21 lsblk  
22 fdisk /dev/sdb  
23 sudo fdisk /dev/sdb  
24 lsblk  
25 sudo mkfs.ext4 /dev/sdb1  
26 sudo mkswap /dev/sdb4  
27 sudo swapon /dev/sdb4  
28 sudo pvcreate /dev/sdb2  
29 sudo pvcreate /dev/sdb2  
30 pvcreate /dev/sdb2  
31 sudo apt install lvm  
32 sudo apt install lvm2
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loop10  7:10  0  38.7M  1 loop  /snap/snapd/21465  
loop11  7:11  0   568K  1 loop  /snap/snapd-desktop-integration/253  
loop12  7:12  0  44.3M  1 loop  /snap/snapd/23258  
sda      8:0    0   20G   0 disk  
├─sda1   8:1    0    1M   0 part  
└─sda2   8:2    0   20G   0 part  /var/snap/firefox/common/host-hunspell  
/br/>sdb      8:16   0   15G   0 disk  
├─sdb1   8:17   0    5G   0 part  
├─sdb2   8:18   0    5G   0 part  
├─sdb3   8:19   0    3G   0 part  
└─sdb4   8:20   0    2G   0 part  
sr0     11:0   1  53.7M   0 rom   /media/ahmed/VMware Tools
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2-change formate /dev/sdb1 =5G as a file system,

- Sudo mkfs.ext4 /dev/sdb1

3- change formate /dev/sdb4 = 2G as swap

Sudo mkswap /dev/sdb4

Sudo swapon /dev/sdb4

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25 sudo mkfs.ext4 /dev/sdb1
26 sudo mkswap /dev/sdb4
27 sudo swapon /dev/sdb4
28 sudo swapon /dev/sdb2
```

4-change partition to Physical Volume

- Create Physical Volume

Sudo pvcreate /dev/sdb2

-to display detailed information about the Physical Volumes (PVs) on a system.

Sudo pvdisplay

-create volume group . name VG from physical volume /dev/sdb2

Sudo vgcreate VG /dev/sdb2

-create logical volume . name lo from volume group VG

Sudo lvcreate -L +5G -n lo VG

```
33 pvcreate /dev/sdb2
34 sudo pvcreate /dev/sdb2
35 pvdisplay
36 sudo pvdisplay
37 sudo vgcreate VG /dev/sdb2
38 sudo lvcreate -L 5G -n lo VG
39 lvdisplay
40 vdisplay
41 sudo lvdisplay
42 lsblk
43 df -h
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5- increase the size of an existing Logical Volume (LV)

-change partition /dev/sdb3 to physical volume

Sudo pvcreate /dev/sdb3

-add physical volume to volume group

Sudo vgextend VG /dev/sdb3

- add new space to logical volume

Sudo lvextend -L 3G /dev/VG/lo

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45 sudo vgextend VG /dev/sdb3
46 sudo lvextend -L +3G /dev/VG/lo
47 sudo lvextend -L +3G -n lo VG
48 sudo lvextend -L +3G /dev/VG/lo
49 sudo lvdisplay
50 lvdisplay
51 sudo lvextend -L +3G /dev/VG/lo
52 sudo lvcreate -L +5 log /dev/sdb2
53 sudo lvcreate -L +5 lo /dev/sdb2
54 history
55 sudo lvcreate -L 5G lo VG
56 sudo lvextend -L +3G /dev/VG/lo
57 sudo vgdisplay
58 sudo lvcreate -L 5G -n lo VG
59 sudo lvextend -L +3G /dev/VG/lo
60 sudo resize2fs /dev/my_volume_group/my_logical_volume
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Finish

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loop10      7:10      0      3
loop11      7:11      0
loop12      7:12      0      4
sda         8:0       0
├─sda1      8:1       0
└─sda2      8:2       0

sdb         8:16      0
├─sdb1      8:17      0
├─sdb2      8:18      0
│   └─VG-lo 252:0      0
├─sdb3      8:19      0
│   └─VG-lo 252:0      0
└─sdb4      8:20      0

sc0         11:0      1      5
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