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| System/OS related commands | | User admin Commands | |
|---|---|--|--|
| To know the OS type: \$ uname -o To check the kernel version: \$ uname -r | To know the CPU architecture: \$ uname -m To get the OS name, release, version: \$ cat /etc/os-release | To know the group/user exists on the system: \$ getent group <group name=""> \$ getent passwd <user name=""></user></group> | Check user added or not into system: \$ id <username> e.g. \$ id clouduser1</username> |
| To list the system hardware: \$ lshw | To get the CPU details: | To create a new group: \$ sudo groupadd | Modify existing user, add user to group: \$ sudo usermod -aG <group name=""></group> |
| To check system memory: \$ free -h | To check the virtual memory stats: \$ vmstat -S m | <pre><group name=""> e.g. \$ sudo groupadd training</group></pre> | <pre><username> e.g. \$ sudo usermod -aG sudo clouduser1</username></pre> |
| Free memory cache, dentries and inode (with root): \$ echo 3 > /proc/sys/vm/drop_caches | To print the process specific memory utilizations: \$ ps auxsort=-%mem | To delete the existing group: \$ sudo groupdel | Add user's home directory (example for clouduser1): \$ sudo mkdir -p /home/user1 |
| To search packages for installation: \$ apt search <package name=""> e.g.: \$ apt search python-boto</package> | To installed package: \$ sudo apt-get install <package name=""></package> | <pre><group name=""> e.g. \$ sudo groupdel training</group></pre> | \$ sudo chown clouduser1:clouduser1 /home/user1 \$ ls -1 /home drwxr-xr-x 2 clouduser1 clouduser1 4096 Nov 18 12:13 user1 \$ sudo usermod -d /home/user1 clouduser1 |
| To uninstall package: \$ sudo apt-get remove < package name | To list the mounted disk drives: \$ df -kh | | |
| To mount the volume: (create the directory first to mount volume) \$ mkdir -p <directory eg="" mount-vol="" path=""> \$ sudo mount <src path=""> <above created="" dir="" path=""></above></src></directory> | To list biggest files from directory (biggest 5): \$ sudo du -a /dir/ sort -n -r head -n 5 | | <pre>\$ id clouduser1 uid=1002(clouduser1) gid=1003(clouduser1) groups=1003(clouduser1),27(sudo) \$ su - clouduser1 \$ pwd /home/user1</pre> |
| Find the file (search for a file): \$ find <dir path=""> -name <filename> -print e.g. to find app.log in /var directory \$ find /var_name app.log -print</filename></dir> | Search the text string in a directory and print filename containing that string: \$ file /var -type f - print xargs grep <search text=""></search> | Print the groups to which the current user is associated: \$ groups | Delete existing user with all files associated with user: \$ sudo userdel -r clouduser1 \$ id clouduser1 id: 'clouduser1': no such user |



\$ find /var -name app.log -print`

\$ grep -rIn <search text> <directory path>



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User admin Commands (cont)

Change the group name:

\$ sudo groupmod -n <new group name> <old group name> e.g. I want to change the groupname 'training' to 'cloudadmin' \$ sudo groupmod -n cloudadmin training

Add user to system:

\$ sudo adduser <user name> e.g. add clouduser1 to system \$ sudo adduser clouduser1

diff, get the

file2.txt

differences by

comparing files

Editor/Text manipulation commands (cont)

cut, cutting out the sections from lines:

\$ cut -d "delimiter" -f <field> <file.txt> a) cut the line on space and print 1st to 4th field \$ uniq -d <file.txt> \$ echo "my phone number is b) get the count of uniq 8873893" | cut -d " " -f 1-4 b) change the delimiter space with column

\$ echo "hello world" |

cut -d " " -f 1-2 --

Uniq, is a command that filter out the duplicates

a) fetch repeated/duplicate lines from a file lines in a file {nl}} \$ uniq -c <filename>

Editor/Text manipulation commands

awk command for pattern scanning & processing:

1. Convert text from upper case to lower case \$ echo "SAMPLE TEXT" | awk '{print tolower(\$0)}' 2 Print the next word after found a pattern

e.g. print the next work after

'reach:' appear in syslog file \$ awk '{for(i=1;i<=NF;i++)if(\$i=="reach:")p

rint \$(i+1)}' /var/log/syslog 3. Trim the white spaces

echo ' aws <command> help ' | awk '{gsub(/^ +| +\$/,"")}1'

4. Print the selected columns from command output.

E.g. from df command interested in only filesystem and use% column data

\$ df -kh |awk '{print \$1 " " \$5}' 5. use regex as a field separator,

e.g input field separator as / or = e.g.

\$ awk -F"=|:" '{print \$2}'

input text as

'dnsconf=/etc/resolv.conf' or

'dnsconf:/etc/resolv.conf' for both

same command will work

output-delimiter=% line by line \$ diff Sort is to sort file, records, lists file1.txt

a) sort file contents of text file (-r option to reverse sorting) \$ sort file.txt b) sort based on column \$ df -kh | sort -k 5

tr is to translate or delete characters

a) translate all lowercase letters to upper case in a file \$ cat filename | tr "[:lower:]" "[:upper:]" b) translate white spaces to tabs \$ cat filename | tr [:space:] '\t' c) remove all digits from string \$ echo "my mob number 88039223" | tr -d [:digit:] d) Just get the digits from string \$ echo "my mob number 88039223" | tr -cd [:digit:]



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Editor/Text manipulation commands (cont)

tee, is a command which reads the standard input and write into standard output and also to a file. This is used to redirect logs or data to a file:

- a) let we have two log files,
 file1.log & file2.log and we need to
 append file1.log to file2.log
 \$ cat file1.log | tee -a file2.log
 b) redirect the command output to a
 log file
 \$ du --max-depth=1 -h | sort -hr
- sed stream editor, it is used for filtering and transforming text
- a) Find and replace text \$ echo 'Unix is multi-user OS' | sed 's/Unix/Linux/' b) delete particular line from a file (e.g. 5th line) \$ sed '5d' file.txt c) delete 5th to 10th line from a file \$ sed '5,10d' file.txt (check more details in a separate block)

Network related commands (cont)

scp, secure copy from remote host a) copy file from remote host

- (syntax) scp -i <pem file>
 <username>@<remote ip>:
 <filepath> <local destination
 dirpath>
 e.g. \$ scp id_rsa.pem
- rakesh@192.168.56.120:/home/r
 akesh/data.txt .

b) copy local file to remote

host
\$ scp -i id_rsa.pem data.txt
rakesh@192.168.56.120:/home/r
akesh

nmap, check open ports on server, generally used as network exploration tool

- a) check open ports
 on remote host
- \$ nmap
- 172.217.27.206
- b) list out all machines from network that responds to ping
- \$ nmap -sP

host.

- 192.168.56.0/24
- c) scan and print ports, os & other details about remote
- \$ sudo nmap -sS -A -T4 192.168.56.150

Network related commands

2>&1 | tee du.log

nslookup, Query internet domain name server

- a) find the IP from fqdn
- \$ nslookup google.com
- b) check the fqdn
- from ip address
- \$ nslookup
- 172.217.167.174

netstat, print the network stats, listening ports etc

- a) print all listening ports
- \$ netstat -plunt
- b) check if server is listening
- on port 8080 or not
- \$ netstat -plunt | grep 8080
- c) list stats of all ports
- \$ netstat -s
- d) display pid of listening
- ports
- \$ netstat -pt
- e) list network interfaces
- \$ netstat -i

Isof, list open files by processes

- a) list open files by specific
 user
- lsof -u <username>
- b) find processes running on specific port
- \$ lsof -i TCP:9090

netcat, debug and investigate network

- a) start a dummy
 listening server on
 port 8080
- \$ netcat -1 8080
- b) send data over
- some port to server
- \$ netcat <remote</pre>
- server ip> <port>
- e.g.
- \$ netcat
- 192.168.56.120 8080
- (press EOF CNTR+D at
- end)



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Network related commands (cont)

curl ifconfig.co, get the public ip of the machine

\$ curl ifconfig.co

route, show/=manipulate IP routing table

- a) show current routing table
- \$ route -n
- b) add route to particular

network e.g.

make 10.10.76.0/24 accessible via

gw 10.10.76.1

netmask 255.255.255.0 gw

ufw, manage firewall

- a) check firewall status
- \$ sudo ufw status
- b) enable/disable
- firewall
- \$ sudo ufw

enable/disable

\$ route add -net 10.10.76.0

10.10.76.1

hostname, provides hostname of a machine

- a) get hostname
- \$ sudo hostname

sed - stream editor

Sed - perform basic transformations on an input stream i.e. a file or a stream input from a pipeline.

Example: replace all occurrences of TCP to UDP in network.log file

\$ sed 's/TCP/UDP/' network.log > modified-network.log

Common sed command line options

- -i : edit in place i.e. sed -i 's/TCP/UDP/' network.log
- -n -n line number>p e.g. print on line no 30 from network.log sed -n '30p' network.log
- -е: expression e.g. sed -е 's/TCP/UDP/' network.log

[here 's' stand for substitute]

Basic regular expression overview

- .: (dot) matches any single character
- *: matches a sequence of zero or more instances e.g.
- \$ echo 'hostname=localhost.myorg.com' | sed
- 's/1.1/myappserver/' *
- ^: indicates the beginning of the line
- \$: indicates the end of the line

[list] or [^list] :matches any single char in a list. e.g. [1-9] matches any digit from 1 to 9

\+ : As *, matches any single or multiple instances of chars

\?: As *, matches any zero or one instances of chars

sed - stream editor (cont)

\{i\}: matches exactly i sequences 'i is between 0 to 255'

\{i,\}: matches more than or equal to i sequences

regex1|regex2: matches regular expression 1 or regular expression 2

[a-z0-9A-z]: matches any ASCII chars

Examples

find and replace any os name with Ubuntu

1.

input: osname: centOS7 output: osname: Ubantu

input: winOS: Windows-10 output: osname: Ubantu

input: MacOS:Mac10 output: osname: Ubantu

key=echo "<input string>" | cut -d ":" -f 1 echo "<input string" | sed -e 's/^\$key:\s.\$/\$key: Ubantu/g'

first store the key i.e. left side label

^ - start of line

\s* - zero or more space charaters

.* - any zero or multiple charaters

\$ - end of the line

Extract the line containing IP address from a file sed -rn '/([0-9]{1,3}\.){3}[0-9]{1,3}/p' /etc/hosts

