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NEW QUESTION 1

Most commands on Linux can display information on their usage. How can this information typically be displayed?

- A. By running the command with the option `/?` or `/??`.
- B. By running the command with the option `?!` or `?=!`.
- C. By running the command with the option `/doc` or `/documentation`.
- D. By running the command with the option `-h` or `--help`.
- E. By running the command with the option `-m` or `--manpage`.

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 2

What happens to a file residing outside the home directory when the file owner's account is deleted? (Choose two.)

- A. During a file system check, the file is moved to `/lost +found`.
- B. The file is removed from the file system.
- C. The UID of the former owner is shown when listing the file's details.
- D. The user `root` is set as the new owner of the file.
- E. Ownership and permissions of the file remain unchanged.

Answer: CE

NEW QUESTION 3

Which of the following outputs comes from the command `free`?

- A.

```
A. 21:04:15 up 14 days, 7:43, 3 users, load average: 0.89, 1.00, 0.99
```
- B.

```
avg-cpu:  %user   %nice   %system  %iowait  %steal   %idle
           34.04    0.03    13.88    1.06    0.00    50.99
```
- C.

```
Filesystem      Size      Used      Avail  Use%  Mounted
on
/dev/mapper/vg_ssd- 25G      20G      3.6G    85%   /
root
```
- D.

```
1.8M    /tmp
```
- E.

```
total      used      free      shared  buff/cache  available
Mem:  16123128  12565680  2011624  412128  1545824    7180416
```

- A. Option A
- B. Option B
- C. Option C
- D. Option D
- E. Option E

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 4

Which of the following outputs could stem from the command `last`?

- A. `1 ls 2 cat text.txt 3 logout`
- B. Password for user last changed at Sat Mar 31 16:38:57 EST 2018
- C. Last login: Fri Mar 23 10:56:39 2018 from server.example.com
- D. EXT4-fs (dm-7): mounted filesystem with ordered data mod
- E. Opts: (null)
- F. root tty2 Wed May 17 21:11 - 21:11 (00:00)

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 5

The file `script.sh` in the current directory contains the following content:

```
#!/bin/bash echo $MYVAR
```

The following commands are used to execute this script: `MYVAR=value`

```
./script.sh
```

The result is an empty line instead of the content of the variable `MYVAR`. How should `MYVAR` be set in order to make `script.sh` display the content of `MYVAR`?

- A. `!MYVAR=value`
- B. `env MYVAR=value`

- C. MYVAR=value
- D. \$MYVAR=value
- E. export MYVAR=value

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 6

Which of the following types of bus can connect hard disk drives with the motherboard?

- A. The RAM bus
- B. The NUMA bus
- C. The CPU bus
- D. The SATA bus
- E. The Auto bus

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 7

Which one of the following statements concerning Linux passwords is true?

- A. All passwords can be decrypted using the system administrator's master password.
- B. Passwords may never start with a non-letter.
- C. Users cannot change their password once it has been set.
- D. Passwords are only stored in hashed form.
- E. Passwords may be at most six characters long.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 8

Which command adds the new user tux and creates the user's home directory with default configuration files?

- A. defaultuser tux
- B. useradd -m tux
- C. usercreate tux
- D. useradd -o default tux
- E. passwd -a tux

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 9

Which of the following keys can be pressed to exit less?

- A. l
- B. x
- C. e
- D. q
- E. !

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 10

Which of the following commands extracts the contents of the compressed archive file1.tar.gz?

- A. tar -czf file1.tar.gz
- B. ztar file1.tar.gz
- C. tar -xzf file1.tar.gz
- D. tar --extract file1.tar.gz
- E. detar file1.tar.gz

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 10

Which of the following statements regarding Linux hardware drivers is correct?

- A. Drivers are regular Linux programs which have to be run by the user who wants to use a device.
- B. Drivers are not used by Linux because the BIOS handles all access to hardware on behalf of Linux.
- C. Drivers are stored on their devices and are copied by the Linux kernel when a new device is attached.
- D. Drivers are downloaded from the vendor's driver repository when a new device is attached.
- E. Drivers are either compiled into the Linux kernel or are loaded as kernel modules.

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 13

What is true about the dmesg command? (Choose two correct answers.)

- A. It traces the execution of a command and shows each step the program carries out.
- B. It sends messages to the command lines of all current user sessions.
- C. It displays the content of the Linux kernel's ring buffer.
- D. It immediately outputs all new messages written to the system journal.
- E. It might not display older information because it was overwritten by newer information.

Answer: CE

NEW QUESTION 18

Which of the following commands adds the directory /new/dir/ to the PATH environment variable?

- A. \$PATH=/new/dir: \$PATH
- B. PATH=/new/dir: PATH
- C. export PATH=/new/dir: PATH
- D. export \$PATH=/new/dir: \$PATH
- E. export PATH=/new/dir: \$PATH

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 23

What parameter of ls prints a recursive listing of a directory's content? (Specify ONLY the option name without any values or parameters.)

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

ls -R

NEW QUESTION 26

What is true about links in a Linux file system?

- A. A symbolic link can only point to a file and not to a directory.
- B. A hard link can only point to a directory and never to a file.
- C. When the target of the symbolic link is moved, the link is automatically updated.
- D. A symbolic link can point to a file on another file system.
- E. Only the root user can create hard links.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 29

Which of the following Linux Distributions is derived from Red Hat Enterprise Linux?

- A. Raspbian
- B. openSUSE
- C. Debian
- D. Ubuntu
- E. CentOS

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 31

Which operator in a regular expression matches the preceding character either zero or one time?

- A. ?
- B. *
- C. +
- D. %
- E. \$

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 36

Which of the following values could be a process ID on Linux?

- A. /bin/bash
- B. 60b503cd-019e-4300-a7be-922f074ef5ce
- C. /sys/pid/9a14
- D. fff3
- E. 21398

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 39

What is the return value of a shell script after successful execution?

- A. 1
- B. -1
- C. -255
- D. 255

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 43

Which of the following are typical services offered by public cloud providers? (Choose three correct answers.)

- A. Platform as a Service(PaaS)
- B. Infrastructure as a Service(IaaS)
- C. Internet as a Service(IaaS)
- D. Graphics as a Service (GaaS)
- E. Software as a Service (SaaS)

Answer: ABE

NEW QUESTION 44

Which of the following directories contains information, documentation and example configuration files for installed software packages?

- A. /usr/share/doc/
- B. /etc/defaults/
- C. /var/info/
- D. /doc/
- E. /usr/examples/

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 48

Which of the following statements are true regarding a typical shell script? (Choose two.)

- A. It has the executable permission bit set.
- B. It starts with the two character sequence #!.
- C. It is located in /usr/local/scripts/.
- D. It is located in /etc/bash/scripts/.
- E. It is compiled into a binary file compatible with the current machine architecture.

Answer: AE

NEW QUESTION 50

How is a new Linux computing instance provisioned in an IaaS cloud?

- A. The standard Linux installer has to be run through a remote console.
- B. After buying a Linux distribution, its vendor delivers it to a cloud instance.
- C. The installation has to be prepared in a local virtual machine which is then copied to the cloud.
- D. The cloud hosting organization provides a set of pre-prepared images of popular Linux distributions.
- E. A provider-specific configuration file describing the desired installation is uploaded to the cloud provider.

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 54

Which command copies the contents of the directory /etc/, including all sub-directories, to /root/?

- A. copy /etc /root
- B. cp -r /etc/* /root
- C. cp -v /etc/* /root
- D. rcp /etc/* /root
- E. cp -R /etc/*.* /root

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 58

Which package management tool is used in Red Hat-based Linux Systems?

- A. portage
- B. rpm
- C. apt-get
- D. dpkg
- E. packagecl

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 60

Which command displays file names only and no additional information?

- A. ls -a
- B. ls -lh
- C. ls -l
- D. ls -alh
- E. ls -nl

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 64

Which of the following commands creates the ZIP archive poems.zip containing all files in the current directory whose names end in .txt?

- A. zip *.txt > poems.zip
- B. zcat *.txt poems.zip
- C. zip poems.zip *.txt
- D. zip cfz poems.zip *.txt
- E. cat *.txt | zip poems.zip

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 67

Which of the following tasks can the command passwd accomplish? (Choose two.)

- A. Change a user's username.
- B. Change a user's password.
- C. Create a new user account.
- D. Create a new user group.
- E. Lock a user account.

Answer: CE

NEW QUESTION 72

Why are web browser cookies considered dangerous?

- A. Cookies support identification and tracking of users.
- B. Cookies are always public and accessible to anyone on the internet.
- C. Cookies consume significant amounts of storage and can exhaust disk space.
- D. Cookies store critical data which is lost when a cookie is deleted.
- E. Cookies can contain and execute viruses and malware.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 74

Which of the following DNS record types hold an IP address? (Choose two.)

- A. NS
- B. AAAA
- C. MX
- D. A
- E. CNAME

Answer: CD

NEW QUESTION 79

The current directory contains the following file:

```
-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 859688 Feb 7 08:15 test.sh
```

Given that the file is a valid shell script, how can this script be executed? (Choose two correct answers.)

- A. run test.sh
- B. \${test.sh}
- C. cmd ./test.sh
- D. ./test.sh
- E. bash test.sh

Answer: DE

NEW QUESTION 84

The ownership of the file doku.odt should be changed. The new owner is named tux. Which command accomplishes this change?

- A. chmod u=tux doku.odt
- B. newuser doku.odt tux
- C. chown tux doku.odt
- D. transfer tux: doku.odt
- E. passwd doku.odt:tux

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 85

Which of the following permissions are set on the /tmp/ directory?

- A. rwxrwxrwt
- B. -----rwx
- C. rwSrW-rw
- D. rwxrwS--
- E. r-xr-X--t

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 90

Which of the following examples shows the general structure of a for loop in a shell script?

- A. for *.txt as file => echo \$file
- B. for *.txt (echo \$i)
- C. for file in *.txt do echo \$i done
- D. for ls *.txt exec {} \;
- E. foreach @{file} { echo \$i }

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 95

Which of the following commands are used to get information on the proper use of ls? (Choose two correct answers.)

- A. option ls
- B. usage ls
- C. manual ls
- D. man ls
- E. info ls

Answer: DE

NEW QUESTION 96

What is the preferred source for the installation of new applications in a Linux based operating system?

- A. The vendor's version management system
- B. A CD-ROM disk
- C. The distribution's package repository
- D. The vendor's website
- E. A retail store

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 99

Which of the following statements is true about Free Software?

- A. It is developed by volunteers only.
- B. It may be modified by anyone using it.
- C. It must always be available free of charge.
- D. It only runs on Linux.
- E. It is only distributed as a compiled binary.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 100

Which of the following characters in a shell prompt indicates the shell is running with root privileges?

- A. !
- B. #
- C. *
- D. &
- E. \$

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 105

What is the purpose of the PATH environment variable?

- A. It allows the execution of commands without the need to know the location of the executable.
- B. It increases security by preventing commands from running in certain locations.
- C. It specifies the location of a user's home directory.
- D. It indicates the location of the default shell to be used when a user logs in.
- E. It contains the absolute path to the current directory.

Answer:

A

NEW QUESTION 109

Which statements about the directory /etc/skel are correct? (Choose two.)

- A. The personal user settings of root are stored in this directory.
- B. The files from the directory are copied to the home directory of the new user when starting the system.
- C. The files from the directory are copied to the home directory of a new user when the account is created.
- D. The directory contains a default set of configuration files used by the useradd command.
- E. The directory contains the global settings for the Linux system.

Answer: CD

NEW QUESTION 113

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