

Exam Questions XK0-005

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NEW QUESTION 1

Which of the following data structures is written in JSON?

A)

```
---
name: user1
position: DevOps
floor: 3
```

B)

```
<table>
<tbody><tr>
<td>user1</td>
<td>DevOps</td>
<td>3</td>
</tr>
</tbody></table>
```

C)

```
<root>
  <floor>3</floor>
  <name>user1</name>
  <position>DevOps</position>
</root>
```

D)

```
{
  "name": "user1",
  "job": "DevOps",
  "floor": 3
}
```

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

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 2

A systems administrator is tasked with preventing logins from accounts other than root, while the file /etc/nologin exists. Which of the following PAM modules will accomplish this task?

- A. pam_login.so
- B. pam_access.so
- C. pam_logindef.so
- D. pam_nologin.so

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 3

A Linux engineer receives reports that files created within a certain group are being modified by users who are not group members. The engineer wants to reconfigure the server so that only file owners and group members can modify new files by default. Which of the following commands would accomplish this task?

- A. chmod 775
- B. umask
- C. 002
- D. chattr -Rv
- E. chown -cf

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 4

One leg of an LVM-mirrored volume failed due to the underlying physical volume, and a systems administrator is troubleshooting the issue. The following output has been provided:

Partial mode. Incomplete volume groups will be activated read-only

LV	VG	Attr	LSize	Origin	Snap%	Move	Log	Copy%	Devices
linear	vg	-wi-a-	40.00G						unknown device(0)
stripe	vg	-wi-a-	40.00G						unknown device(5120),/dev/sda1(0)

Given this scenario, which of the following should the administrator do to recover this volume?

- A. Reboot the serve

- B. The volume will automatically go back to linear mode.
- C. Replace the failed drive and reconfigure the mirror.
- D. Reboot the serve
- E. The volume will revert to stripe mode.
- F. Recreate the logical volume.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 5

Rugged appliances are small appliances with ruggedized hardware and like Quantum Spark appliance they use which operating system?

- A. Centos Linux
- B. Gaia embedded
- C. Gaia
- D. Red Hat Enterprise Linux version 5

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 6

A systems administrator pressed Ctrl+Z after starting a program using the command line, and the shell prompt was presented. In order to go back to the program, which of the following commands can the administrator use?

- A. fg
- B. su
- C. bg
- D. ed

Answer: A

Explanation:

Ctrl+Z suspended the process, and "fg" will bring it back into the foreground of the shell

NEW QUESTION 7

A Linux administrator is tasked with adding users to the system. However, the administrator wants to ensure the users' access will be disabled once the project is over. The expiration date should be 2021-09-30. Which of the following commands will accomplish this task?

- A. sudo useradd -e 2021-09-30 Project_user
- B. sudo useradd -c 2021-09-30 Project_user
- C. sudo modinfo -F 2021-09-30 Project_uses
- D. sudo useradd -m -d 2021-09-30 Project_user

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 8

A systems administrator wants to back up the directory /data and all its contents to /backup/data on a remote server named remote. Which of the following commands will achieve the desired effect?

- A. scp -p /data remote:/backup/data
- B. ssh -i /remote:/backup/ /data
- C. rsync -a /data remote:/backup/
- D. cp -r /data /remote/backup/

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 9

Users have been unable to reach www.comptia.org from a Linux server. A systems administrator is troubleshooting the issue and does the following:

Output 1:

```
2: eth0: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP, LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc noqueue state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether ac:11:22:33:44:cd brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    inet 192.168.168.10/24 brd 192.168.169.255 scope global dynamic noprefixroute eth0
        valid_lft 8097sec preferred_lft 8097sec
    inet fe80::4daf:8c7c:a6ff:2771/64 scope link noprefixroute
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
```

Output 2:

```
nameserver 192.168.168.53
```

Output 3:

```
FING 192.168.168.53 (192.168.168.53) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 192.168.168.53: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=2.85 ms
```

```
--- 192.168.168.53 ping statistics ---
```

```
1 packets transmitted, 1 received, 0% packet loss, time 0ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 2.847/2.847/2.847/0.000 ms
```

Output 4:

```
192.168.168.0/24 dev eth0 proto kernel scope link src 192.168.168.10 metric 600
```

Output 5:

```
...
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.comptia.org. IN A

;; ANSWER SECTION:
. 0 CLASS4096 OPT 10 8 LgmNvk0AazU=

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
www.comptia.org. 3385 IN A 23.96.239.26
...
```

Based on the information above, which of the following is causing the issue?

- A. The name www.comptia.org does not point to a valid IP address.
- B. The server 192.168.168.53 is unreachable.
- C. No default route is set on the server.
- D. The network interface eth0 is disconnected.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 10

A systems administrator is implementing a new service task with systems at startup and needs to execute a script entitled test.sh with the following content:

```
TIMESTAMP=$(date '+%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S')
echo "helpme.service: timestamp $(Timestamp)" | systemd-cat -p info
sleep 60
done
```

The administrator tries to run the script after making it executable with chmod +x; however, the script will not run. Which of the following should the administrator do to address this issue? (Choose two.)

- A. Add #!/bin/bash to the bottom of the script.
- B. Create a unit file for the new service in /etc/systemd/system/ with the name helpme.service in the location.
- C. Add #!/bin/bash to the top of the script.
- D. Restart the computer to enable the new service.
- E. Create a unit file for the new service in /etc/init.d with the name helpme.service in the location.
- F. Shut down the computer to enable the new service.

Answer: BC

NEW QUESTION 10

Some servers in an organization have been compromised. Users are unable to access to the organization's web page and other services. While reviewing the system log, a systems administrator notices messages from the kernel regarding firewall rules:


```
Oct 20 03:45:50 hostname kernel: iptables denied: IN=eth0 OUT=
MAC=xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx SRC=x.x.x.x DST=x.x.x.x LEN=1059 TOS=0x00
PREC=0x00 TTL=115 ID=31368 DF PROTO=TCP
SPT=17992 DPT=80 WINDOW=16477 RES=0x00 ACK PSH URG=0
Oct 20 03:46:02 hostname kernel: iptables denied: IN=eth0 OUT=
MAC=xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx SRC=x.x.x.x DST=x.x.x.x LEN=52 TOS=0x00
PREC=0x00 TTL=52 ID=763 DF PROTO=TCP SPT=20229 DPT=22 WINDOW=15598 RES=0x00 ACK URG=0
Oct 20 03:46:14 hostname kernel: iptables denied: IN=eth0 OUT=
MAC=xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx SRC=x.x.x.x DST=x.x.x.x LEN=324 TOS=0x00
PREC=0x00 TTL=49 ID=64245 PROTO=TCP SPT=47237 DPT=80 WINDOW=470 RES=0x00 ACK PSH URG=0
Oct 20 03:46:26 hostname kernel: iptables denied: IN=eth0 OUT=
MAC=xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx SRC=x.x.x.x DST=x.x.x.x LEN=52 TOS=0x00
PREC=0x00 TTL=45 ID=2010 PROTO=TCP SPT=48322 DPT=80 WINDOW=380 RES=0x00 ACK URG=0
```

Which of the following commands will remediate and help resolve the issue?

A. C:\Users\Admin\Desktop\Data\Odt data\Untitled.jpg

```
Iptables -A FORWARD -i eth0 -p tcp --dport 80 -j ACCEPT
Iptables -A FORWARD -i eth0 -p tcp --dport 22 -j ACCEPT
```

B. C:\Users\Admin\Desktop\Data\Odt data\Untitled.jpg

```
Iptables -A INPUT -i eth0 -p tcp --dport 80 -j ACCEPT
Iptables -A INPUT -i eth0 -p tcp --dport 22 -j ACCEPT
```

C. C:\Users\Admin\Desktop\Data\Odt data\Untitled.jpg

```
Iptables -A INPUT -i eth0 -p tcp --sport 80 -j ACCEPT
Iptables -A INPUT -i eth0 -p tcp --sport 22 -j ACCEPT
```

D. C:\Users\Admin\Desktop\Data\Odt data\Untitled.jpg

```
Iptables -A INPUT -i eth0 -p tcp --dport :80 -j ACCEPT
Iptables -A INPUT -i eth0 -p tcp --dport :22 -j ACCEPT
```

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 14

A Linux administrator reviews a set of log output files and needs to identify files that contain any occurrence of the word denied. All log files containing entries in uppercase or lowercase letters should be included in the list. Which of the following commands should the administrator use to accomplish this task?

- A. find . -type f -print | xargs grep -ln denied
- B. find . -type f -print | xargs grep -nv denied
- C. find . -type f -print | xargs grep -wL denied
- D. find . -type f -print | xargs grep -li denied

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 15

A Linux administrator needs to expand a volume group using a new disk. Which of the following options presents the correct sequence of commands to accomplish the task?

- A. partprobe vgcreate lvextend
- B. lvcreate fdisk partprobe
- C. fdiskpartprobe mkfs
- D. fdiskpvcreate vgextend

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 20

Which of the following technologies can be used as a central repository of Linux users and groups?

- A. LDAP
- B. MFA
- C. SSO
- D. PAM

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 23

While inspecting a recently compromised Linux system, the administrator identified a number of processes that should not have been running:

PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
5545	joe	30	-10	5465	56465	8254	R	0.5	1.5	00:35.3	upload.sh
2567	joe	30	-10	6433	75544	9453	R	0.7	1.8	00:25.1	upload_passwd.sh
8634	joe	30	-10	3584	74537	6435	R	0.3	1.1	00:17.6	uploadpw.sh
4846	joe	30	-10	6426	63234	9683	R	0.8	1.9	00:22.2	upload_shadow.sh

Which of the following commands should the administrator use to terminate all of the identified processes?

- A. pkill -9 -f "upload*.sh"
- B. kill -9 "upload*.sh"
- C. killall -9 -upload*.sh"
- D. skill -9 "upload*.sh"

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 24

A Linux administrator needs to create an image named sda.img from the sda disk and store it in the /tmp directory. Which of the following commands should be used to accomplish this task?

- A. dd of=/dev/sda if=/tmp/sda.img
- B. dd if=/dev/sda of=/tmp/sda.img
- C. dd --if=/dev/sda --of=/tmp/sda.img
- D. dd --of=/dev/sda --if=/tmp/sda.img

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 27

Which of the following tools is commonly used for creating CI/CD pipelines?

- A. Chef
- B. Puppet
- C. Jenkins
- D. Ansible

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 30

An administrator recently updated the BIND software package and would like to review the default configuration that shipped with this version. Which of the following files should the administrator review?

- A. /etc/named.conf.rpmnew
- B. /etc/named.conf.rpmsave
- C. /etc/named.conf
- D. /etc/bind/bind.conf

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 34

After installing a new version of a package, a systems administrator notices a new version of the corresponding, service file was Installed In order to use the new version of the, service file, which of the following commands must be Issued FIRST?

- A. systemctl status
- B. systemctl stop
- C. systemctl reinstall
- D. systemctl daemon-reload

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 38

A systems administrator needs to reconfigure a Linux server to allow persistent IPv4 packet forwarding. Which of the following commands is the correct way to accomplish this task?

- A. echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/ipv_forward
- B. sysctl -w net.ipv4.ip_forward=1
- C. firewall-cmd --enable ipv4_forwarding
- D. systemctl start ipv4_forwarding

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 39

A Linux administrator has installed a web server, a database server, and a web application on a server. The web application should be active in order to render the web pages. After the administrator restarts the server, the website displays the following message in the browser: Error establishing a database connection. The Linux administrator reviews the following relevant output from the systemd init files:

```
[Unit]
Description=The Apache #HTTP Server
Wants=httpd-init.service
After=network.target remote-fs.target nss-lookup-target httpd-init.service mariadb.service

[Unit]
Description=MariaDB 10.5 database server
After=network.target
```

The administrator needs to ensure that the database is available before the web application is started. Which of the following should the administrator add to the HTTP server .service file to accomplish this task?

- A. TRIGGERS=mariadb.service
- B. ONFAILURE=mariadb.service
- C. WANTEDBY=mariadb.service
- D. REQUIRES=mariadb.service

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 44

An administrator needs to make some changes in the IaC declaration templates. Which of the following commands would maintain version control?

- A. git clone https://github.com/comptia/linux+- .git git push origin
- B. git clone https://qithub.com/comptia/linux+- .git git fetch New-Branch
- C. git clone https://github.com/comptia/linux+- .git git status
- D. git clone https://github.com/comptia/linux+- .git git checkout -b <new-branch>

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 45

A systems engineer is adding a new 1GB XFS filesystem that should be temporarily mounted under /ops/app. Which of the following is the correct list of commands to achieve this goal?

- A. C:\Users\Admin\Desktop\Data\Odt data\Untitled.jpg

```
pvcreate -L1G /dev/app
mkfs.xfs /dev/app
mount /dev/app /opt/app
```

- B. C:\Users\Admin\Desktop\Data\Odt data\Untitled.jpg

```
parted /dev/sdb --script mkpart primary xfs 1GB
mkfs.xfs /dev/sdb
mount /dev/sdb /opt/app
```

- C. C:\Users\Admin\Desktop\Data\Odt data\Untitled.jpg

```
lvs --create 1G --name app
mkfs.xfs /dev/app
mount /dev/app /opt/app
```

- D. C:\Users\Admin\Desktop\Data\Odt data\Untitled.jpg

```
lvcreate -L 1G -n app app_vg
mkfs.xfs /dev/app_vg/app
mount /dev/app_vg/app /opt/app
```

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 48

A DevOps engineer needs to allow incoming traffic to ports in the range of 4000 to 5000 on a Linux server. Which of the following commands will enforce this rule?

- A. iptables -f filter -I INPUT -p tcp --dport 4000:5000 -A ACCEPT
- B. iptables -t filter -A INPUT -p tcp --dport 4000:5000 -j ACCEPT
- C. iptables filter -A INPUT -p tcp --dport 4000:5000 -D ACCEPT
- D. iptables filter -S INPUT -p tcp --dport 4000:5000 -A ACCEPT

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 52

A systems administrator is tasked with installing GRUB on the legacy MBR of the SATA hard drive. Which of the following commands will help the administrator accomplish this task?

- A. grub-install /dev/hda
- B. grub-install /dev/sda
- C. grub-install /dev/sr0
- D. grub-install /dev/hd0,0

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 57

A systems administrator is notified that the mysqld process stopped unexpectedly. The systems administrator issues the following command:

```
sudo grep -i -r 'out of memory' /var/log
```

The output of the command shows the following:

```
kernel: Out of memory: Kill process 9112 (mysqld) score 511 or sacrifice child.
```

Which of the following commands should the systems administrator execute NEXT to troubleshoot this issue? (Select two).

- A. free -h
- B. nc -v 127.0.0.1 3306
- C. renice -15 \$(pidof mysql)
- D. lsblk
- E. killall -15
- F. vmstat -a 1 4

Answer: AC

NEW QUESTION 61

A development team asks an engineer to guarantee the persistency of journal log files across system reboots. Which of the following commands would accomplish this task?

- A. grep -i auto /etc/systemd/journald.conf && systemctl restart systemd-journald.service
- B. cat /etc/systemd/journald.conf | awk '(print \$1,\$3)'
- C. sed -i 's/auto/persistent/g' /etc/systemd/journald.conf && sed -i 'persistent/s/^#/q/' /etc/systemd/journald.conf
- D. journalctl --list-boots && systemctl restart systemd-journald.service

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 66

A Linux system is failing to boot. The following error is displayed in the serial console: [[1;33mDEPEND[Om] Dependency failed for /data.

```
[[1;33mDEPEND[Om] Dependency failed for Local File Systems
```

```
...
```

Welcome to emergency mode! After logging in, type "journalctl -xb" to view system logs, "systemctl reboot" to reboot, "systemctl default" to try again to boot into default mode.

Give root password for maintenance (or type Control-D to continue)

Which of the following files will need to be modified for this server to be able to boot again?

- A. /etc/mtab
- B. /dev/sda
- C. /etc/fstab
- D. /etc/grub.conf

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 69

An administrator installed an application from source into /opt/operations1/ and has received numerous reports that users are not able to access the application without having to use the full path /opt/operations1/bin/*. Which of the following commands should be used to resolve this issue?

- A. echo 'export PATH=\$PATH:/opt/operations1/bin' >> /etc/profile
- B. echo 'export PATH=/opt/operations1/bin' >> /etc/profile
- C. echo 'export PATH=\$PATH/opt/operations1/bin' >> /etc/profile
- D. echo 'export \$PATH:/opt/operations1/bin' >> /etc/profile

Answer: A

Explanation:

It would be better to put the directory before \$PATH, so that way the directory is searched before the rest of the pathing options in \$PATH.

NEW QUESTION 74

A systems administrator needs to clone the partition /dev/sdc1 to /dev/sdd1. Which of the following commands will accomplish this task?

- A. tar -cvzf /dev/sdd1 /dev/sdc1
- B. rsync /dev/sdc1 /dev/sdd1
- C. dd if=/dev/sdc1 of=/dev/sdd1
- D. scp /dev/sdc1 /dev/sdd1

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 79

A junior Linux administrator is tasked with installing an application. The installation guide states the application should only be installed in a run level 5 environment.

```
$ systemctl get-default  
getty.target
```

Which of the following commands would ensure the server is set to runlevel 5?

- A. systemctl isolate multi-user.target
- B. systemctl isolate graphical.target
- C. systemctl isolate network.target
- D. systemctl isolate basic.target

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 80

Which of the following directories is the mount point in a UEFI system?

- A. /sys/efi
- B. /boot/efi
- C. /efi
- D. /etc/efi

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 81

A junior administrator is trying to set up a passwordless SSH connection to one of the servers. The administrator follows the instructions and puts the key in the authorized_key file at the server, but the administrator is still asked to provide a password during the connection.

Given the following output:

```
junior@server:~$ ls -lh .ssh/auth*  
-rw----- 1 junior junior 566 sep 13 20:56 .ssh/authorized_key
```

Which of the following commands would resolve the issue and allow an SSH connection to be established without a password?

- A. restorecon -rv .ssh/authorized_key
- B. mv .ssh/authorized_key .ssh/authorized_keys
- C. systemctl restart sshd.service
- D. chmod 600 mv .ssh/authorized_key

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 82

A Linux administrator has set up a new DNS forwarder and is configuring all internal servers to use the new forwarder to look up external DNS requests. The administrator needs to modify the firewall on the server for the DNS forwarder to allow the internal servers to communicate to it and make the changes persistent between server reboots. Which of the following commands should be run on the DNS forwarder server to accomplish this task?

- A. ufw allow out dns
- B. systemctl reload firewalld
- C. iptables -A OUTPUT -p udp -ra udp -dport 53 -j ACCEPT
- D. flrewall-cmd --zone-public --add-port-53/udp --permanent

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 87

A DevOps engineer needs to download a Git repository from <https://git.company.com/admin/project.git>. Which of the following commands will achieve this goal?

- A. git clone <https://git.company.com/admin/project.git>
- B. git checkout <https://git.company.com/admin/project.git>
- C. git pull <https://git.company.com/admin/project.git>
- D. git branch <https://git.company.com/admin/project.git>

Answer: A

Explanation:

git clone is the best option if its a new project. git pull would work best if it was an ongoing project that had multiple team members that had pushed their updates to the main repository

NEW QUESTION 92

A Linux administrator created the directory /project/access2all. By creating this directory, the administrator is trying to avoid the deletion or modification of files from non-owners. Which of the following will accomplish this goal?

- A. chmod +t /project/access2all
- B. chmod +rws /project/access2all
- C. chmod 2770 /project/access2all
- D. chmod ugo+rwX /project/access2all

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 97

A systems technician is working on deploying several microservices to various RPM-based systems, some of which could run up to two hours. Which of the following commands will allow the technician to execute those services and continue deploying other microservices within the same terminal session?

- A. gedit & disown
- B. kill 9 %1
- C. fg %1
- D. bg %1 job name

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 102

A user is asking the systems administrator for assistance with writing a script to verify whether a file exists. Given the following:

```
#1/bin/bash
filename=$1
<CONDITIONAL>
echo "File exists"
else
echo "File does not exist"
fi
```

Which of the following commands should replace the <CONDITIONAL> string?

- A. if [-f "\$filename"]; then
- B. if [-d "\$filename"]; then
- C. if [-f "\$filename"] then
- D. if [-f "\$filename"]; while

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 106

A Linux administrator needs to determine whether a hostname is in the DNS. Which of the following would supply the information that is needed?

- A. nslookup
- B. rsyn
- C. netstat
- D. host

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 111

A Linux administrator created a new file system. Which of the following files must be updated to ensure the filesystem mounts at boot time?

- A. /etc/sysctl
- B. /etc/filesystems
- C. /etc/fstab
- D. /etc/nfsmount.conf

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 113

A Linux systems administrator needs to persistently enable IPv4 forwarding in one of the Linux systems. Which of the following commands can be used together to accomplish this task? (Choose two.)

- A. sysctl net.ipv4.ip_forward
- B. sysctl -w net.ipv4.ip_forward=1
- C. echo "net.ipv4.ip_forward=1" >> /etc/sysctl.conf
- D. echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/ip_forward
- E. sysctl -p
- F. echo "net.ipv6.conf.all.forwarding=1" >> /etc/sysctl.conf

Answer: BC

NEW QUESTION 115

A Linux administrator modified the SSH configuration file. Which of the following commands should be used to apply the configuration changes?

- A. systemctl stop sshd
- B. systemctl mask sshd
- C. systemctl reload sshd
- D. systemctl start sshd

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 120

A Linux administrator needs to remove software from the server. Which of the following RPM options should be used?

- A. rpm -s
- B. rm -d
- C. rpm -q
- D. rpm -e

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 124

Which of the following is a function of a bootloader?

- A. It initializes all the devices that are required to load the OS.
- B. It mounts the root filesystem that is required to load the OS.
- C. It helps to load the different kernels to initiate the OS startup process.
- D. It triggers the start of all the system services.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 129

A Linux administrator needs to ensure that Java 7 and Java 8 are both locally available for developers to use when deploying containers. Currently only Java 8 is available. Which of the following commands should the administrator run to ensure both versions are available?

- A. docker image load java:7
- B. docker image pull java:7
- C. docker image import java:7
- D. docker image build java:7

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 130

A Linux administrator is alerted to a storage capacity issue on a server without a specific mount point or directory. Which of the following commands would be MOST helpful for troubleshooting? (Choose two.)

- A. parted
- B. df
- C. mount
- D. du
- E. fdisk
- F. dd
- G. ls

Answer: BD

NEW QUESTION 134

A Linux administrator needs to correct the permissions of a log file on the server. Which of the following commands should be used to set filename.log permissions to -rwxr—r--. ?

- A. chmod 755 filename.log
- B. chmod 640 filename.log
- C. chmod 740 filename.log
- D. chmod 744 filename.log

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 136

A Linux administrator rebooted a server. Users then reported some of their files were missing. After doing some troubleshooting, the administrator found one of the filesystems was missing. The filesystem was not listed in /etc/fstab and might have been mounted manually by someone prior to reboot. Which of the following would prevent this issue from reoccurring in the future?

- A. Sync the mount units.
- B. Mount the filesystem manually.
- C. Create a mount unit and enable it to be started at boot.
- D. Remount all the missing filesystems

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 138

A Linux administrator is installing a web server and needs to check whether web traffic has already been allowed through the firewall. Which of the following commands should the administrator use to accomplish this task?

- A. firewall query-service-http
- B. firewall-cmd --check-service http
- C. firewall-cmd --query-service http
- D. firewalld --check-service http

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 140

A cloud engineer needs to check the link status of a network interface named eth1 in a Linux server. Which of the following commands can help to achieve the goal?

- A. ifconfig hw eth1
- B. netstat -r eth1
- C. ss -ti eth1
- D. ip link show eth1

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 145

A systems administrator made some unapproved changes prior to leaving the company. The newly hired administrator has been tasked with revealing the system to a compliant state. Which of the following commands will list and remove the correspondent packages?

- A. dnf list and dnf remove last
- B. dnf remove and dnf check
- C. dnf info and dnf upgrade
- D. dnf history and dnf history undo last

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 149

A developer is trying to install an application remotely that requires a graphical interface for installation. The developer requested assistance to set up the necessary environment variables along with X11 forwarding in SSH. Which of the following environment variables must be set in remote shell in order to launch the graphical interface?

- A. \$RHOST
- B. SETENV
- C. \$SHELL
- D. \$DISPLAY

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 153

A Linux administrator is trying to remove the ACL from the file /home/user/data.txt but receives the following error message:

```
setfacl: data.txt: operation not permitted
```

Given the following analysis:

```
/dev/mapper/linux-home on /home type xfs (rw,relatime,seclabel,attr2,inode64,usrquota)
```

```
-rw-rw-r--+ 1 user staff 2354 Sep 15 16:33 data.txt
```

```
-rw-rw-r--+ user staff unconfined_u:object_r:user_home_t:s0 data.txt
```

```
# file: data.txt
```

```
# owner: user
```

```
# group: staff
```

```
user::rw-
```

```
user:accounting:rw-
```

```
group::r-
```

```
mask::rw-
```

```
other::r-
```

```
Attributes:
```

```
-----a-----
```

Which of the following is causing the error message?

- A. The administrator is not using a highly privileged account.
- B. The filesystem is mounted with the wrong options.
- C. SELinux file context is denying the ACL changes.
- D. File attributes are preventing file modification.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 158

Joe, a user, is unable to log in to the Linux system Given the following output:

```
# grep joe /etc/passwd /etc/shadow
/etc/passwd:joe:x:1001:1001::/home/joe:/bin/nologin
/etc/shadow:joe:$6$3uOw6qWx9876jGhgKJsdfH987634534voj.:18883:0:99999:7:::
```

Which of the following command would resolve the issue?

- A. usermod -s /bin/bash joe
- B. pam_tally2 -u joe -r
- C. passwd -u joe
- D. chage -E 90 joe

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 163

A Linux administrator needs to create a new user named user02. However, user02 must be in a different home directory, which is under /comptia/projects. Which of the following commands will accomplish this task?

- A. useradd -d /comptia/projects user02
- B. useradd -m /comptia/projects user02
- C. useradd -b /comptia/projects user02
- D. useradd -s /comptia/projects user02

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 168

Junior system administrator had trouble installing and running an Apache web server on a Linux server. You have been tasked with installing the Apache web server on the Linux server and resolving the issue that prevented the junior administrator from running Apache.

INSTRUCTIONS

Install Apache and start the service. Verify that the Apache service is running with the defaults. Typing “help” in the terminal will show a list of relevant event commands.

If at any time you would like to bring back the initial state of the simulation, please click the Reset All button.

CentOS Command Prompt

```
[root@centos7]#
```

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

```
yum install httpd
systemctl --now enable httpd systemctl status httpd
netstat -tunlp | grep 80 pkill <processname> systemctl restart httpd systemctl status httpd
```

NEW QUESTION 169

After installing some RPM packages, a systems administrator discovers the last package that was installed was not needed. Which of the following commands can be used to remove the package?

- A. dnf remove packagename
- B. apt-get remove packagename
- C. rpm -i packagename
- D. apt remove packagename

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 171

Users have reported that the interactive sessions were lost on a Linux server. A Linux administrator verifies the server was switched to rescue.target mode for maintenance. Which of the following commands will restore the server to its usual target?

- A. telinit 0
- B. systemctl reboot
- C. systemctl get-default
- D. systemctl emergency

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 174

A Linux engineer has been notified about the possible deletion of logs from the file /opt/app/logs. The engineer needs to ensure the log file can only be written into without removing previous entries.

```
# lsattr /opt/app/logs
-----e--- logs
```

Which of the following commands would be BEST to use to accomplish this task?

- A. chattr +a /opt/app/logs
- B. chattr +d /opt/app/logs
- C. chattr +i /opt/app/logs
- D. chattr +c /opt/app/logs

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 175

As a Systems Administrator, to reduce disk space, you were tasked to create a shell script that does the following: Add relevant content to /tmp/script.sh, so that it finds and compresses rotated files in /var/log without recursion.

INSTRUCTIONS

Fill the blanks to build a script that performs the actual compression of rotated log files.

If at any time you would like to bring back the initial state of the simulation, please click the Reset All button.

Snippets

tar

until

zip

egrep

awk

\$log

"\$@"

pgrep

repeat

/tmp/tempfile

locate

Filename

rar

then

"log.[1-6]\$"

in

done

/var/log

for

xz

"\$1"

sed

gzip

"log.[1-6]\$"

while

```
#!/bin/bash

#name: script.sh

find /var/log -type f -maxdepth 1 | grep [?] > /tmp/tempfile

[?] filename [?] $(cat [?])

do

[?] $filename

[?]
```

- A. Mastered
- B. Not Mastered

Answer: A

Explanation:

Snippets

tar	until	zip
egrep	awk	ilog
"\$@"	pgrep	repeat
/tmp/tmpfile	locate	Filename
rar	then	"log:[1-6]\$"
in	done	/var/log
for	xx	"\$1"
sed	grep	"\$log:[1-6]\$"
while		

```
#!/bin/bash

#name: script.sh

find /var/log -type f -maxdepth 1 | grep "$1" > /tmp/tmpfile

for filename in $(cat /tmp/tmpfile)
do
    grep $filename
done
```

NEW QUESTION 176

An administrator transferred a key for SSH authentication to a home directory on a remote server. The key file was moved to .ssh/authorized_keys location in order to establish SSH connection without a password. However, the SSH command still asked for the password. Given the following output:

```
[admin@linux ~]$ -ls -lhZ .ssh/auth*
-rw-r--r--. admin unconfined_u:object_r:user_home_t:s0 .ssh/authorized_keys
```

Which of the following commands would resolve the issue?

- A. restorecon .ssh/authorized_keys
- B. ssh_keygen -t rsa -o .ssh/authorized_keys
- C. chown root:root .ssh/authorized_keys
- D. chmod 600 .ssh/authorized_keys

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 179

An administrator deployed a Linux server that is running a web application on port 6379/tcp. SELinux is in enforcing mode based on organization policies. The port is open on the firewall.

Users who are trying to connect to a local instance of the web application receive Error 13, Permission denied. The administrator ran some commands that resulted in the following output:

```
# semanage port -l | egrep '(^http_port_t|6379)'
http_port_t tcp 80, 81, 443, 488, 8008, 8009, 8443, 9000

# curl http://localhost/App.php
Cannot connect to App Server.
```

Which of the following commands should be used to resolve the issue?

- A. semanage port -d -t http_port_t -p tcp 6379
- B. semanage port -a -t http_port_t -p tcp 6379
- C. semanage port -a http_port_t -p top 6379
- D. semanage port -l -t http_port_tcp 6379

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 182

An administrator is trying to diagnose a performance issue and is reviewing the following output:

```
avg-cpu:  %user %nice %system %iowait  %steal   %idle
           2.00   0.00   3.00   32.00   0.00   63.00
```

Device	tps	kB_read/s	kB_wrtn/s	kB_read	kB_wrtn
sdb	345.00	0.02	0.04	4739073123	23849523
sdb1	345.00	32102.03	12203.01	4739073123	23849523

System Properties: CPU: 4 vCPU

Memory: 40GB

Disk maximum IOPS: 690

Disk maximum throughput: 44Mbps | 44000Kbps

Based on the above output, which of the following BEST describes the root cause?

- A. The system has reached its maximum IOPS, causing the system to be slow.
- B. The system has reached its maximum permitted throughput, therefore iowait is increasing.
- C. The system is mostly idle, therefore the iowait is high.
- D. The system has a partitioned disk, which causes the IOPS to be doubled.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 186

A Linux engineer needs to create a custom script, cleanup.sh, to run at boot as part of the system services. Which of the following processes would accomplish this task?

- A. Create a unit file in the /etc/default/ director
- B. systemctl enable cleanupsystemctl is-enabled cleanup
- C. Create a unit file in the /etc/ske1/ director
- D. systemctl enable cleanupsystemctl is-enabled cleanup
- E. Create a unit file in the /etc/systemd/system/ director
- F. systemctl enable cleanupsystemctl is-enabled cleanup
- G. Create a unit file in the /etc/sysctl.d/ director
- H. systemctl enable cleanupsystemctl is-enabled cleanup

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 189

A Linux administrator needs to analyze a failing application that is running inside a container. Which of the following commands allows the Linux administrator to enter the running container and analyze the logs that are stored inside?

- A. docker run -ti app /bin/sh
- B. podman exec -ti app /bin/sh
- C. podman run -d app /bin/bash
- D. docker exec -d app /bin/bash

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 193

A developer has been unable to remove a particular data folder that a team no longer uses. The developer escalated the issue to the systems administrator. The following output was received:

```
# rmdir data/
rmdir: failed to remove 'data/': Operation not permitted
# rm -rf data/
rm: cannot remove 'data': Operation not permitted
# mv data/ mydata
mv: cannot move 'data/' to 'mydata': Operation not permitted
# cd data/
# cat > test.txt
bash: test.txt: Permission denied
```

Which of the following commands can be used to resolve this issue?

- A. chgrp -R 755 data/
- B. chmod -R 777 data/
- C. chattr -R -i data/
- D. chown -R data/

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 195

Using AD Query, the security gateway connections to the Active Directory Domain Controllers using what protocol?

- A. Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI)
- B. Hypertext Transfer Protocol Secure (HTTPS)
- C. Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP)
- D. Remote Desktop Protocol (RDP)

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 197

A systems administrator created a new Docker image called test. After building the image, the administrator forgot to version the release. Which of the following will allow the administrator to assign the v1 version to the image?

- A. docker image save test test:v1
- B. docker image build test:vl
- C. docker image tag test test:vl
- D. docker image version test:v1

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 198

A systems administrator installed a new software program on a Linux server. When the systems administrator tries to run the program, the following message appears on the screen.

```
Hardware virtualization support is not available on this system.  
Either is not present or disabled in the system's BIOS
```

Which of the following commands will allow the systems administrator to check whether the system supports virtualization?

- A. dmidecode -s system-version
- B. lscpu
- C. sysctl -a
- D. cat /sys/device/system/cpu/possible

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 200

A systems administrator is checking the system logs. The administrator wants to look at the last 20 lines of a log. Which of the following will execute the command?

- A. tail -v 20
- B. tail -n 20
- C. tail -c 20
- D. tail -l 20

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 204

To harden one of the servers, an administrator needs to remove the possibility of remote administrative login via the SSH service. Which of the following should the administrator do?

- A. Add the line DenyUsers root to the /etc/hosts.deny file.
- B. Set PermitRootLogin to no in the /etc/ssh/sshd_config file.
- C. Add the line account required pam_nologin
- D. so to the /etc/pam.d/sshd file.
- E. Set PubKeyAuthentication to no in the /etc/ssh/ssh_config file.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 205

A server is experiencing intermittent connection issues. Some connections to the Internet work as intended, but some fail as if there is no connectivity. The systems administrator inspects the server configuration:

Routing table:

```
default via 89.107.157.129 dev ens3 proto static metric 100
default via 10.0.5.1 dev ens11 proto dhcp metric 101
10.0.0.0/16 dev sn11 proto kernel scope link src 10.0.6.225 metric 101
89.107.157.128/26 via 89.107.157.129 dev ens3 proto static metric 100
89.107.157.129 dev ens3 proto static scope link metric 100
89.107.157.160/29 dev ens3 proto kernel scope link src 89.107.157.161 metric 100
```

IP configuration:

```
ens3:
    inet 89.107.157.161/29 brd 89.107.157.167 scope global noprefixroute ens3
ens11:
    inet 10.0.6.225/16 brd 10.0.255.255 scope global noprefixroute dynamic ens11
```

ARP table:

Address	Hwtype	Hwaddress	Flags	Mask	Iface
10.0.5.1	ether	64:d1:54:c4:75:cb	C		ens11
89.107.157.129	ether	5c:5e:ab:01:85:cf	C		ens3
89.107.157.162	ether	52:54:00:e1:44:0a	C		ens3
10.0.255.1	ether	00:50:7f:e3:aa:1c	C		ens11

```
/etc/resolv.conf:
Generated by NetworkManager
search company.com
nameserver 10.0.5.1
```

Which of the following is MOST likely the cause of the issue?

- A. An internal-only DNS server is configured.
- B. The IP netmask is wrong for ens3.
- C. Two default routes are configured.
- D. The ARP table contains incorrect entries.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 209

Which of the following enables administrators to configure and enforce MFA on a Linux system?

- A. Kerberos
- B. SELinux
- C. PAM
- D. PKI

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 210

A Linux administrator is scheduling a system job that runs a script to check available disk space every hour. The Linux administrator does not want users to be able to start the job. Given the following:

```
[Unit]
Description=Check available disk space
RefuseManualstart=yes
RefuseManualStop=yes

[Timer]
Persistent=true
OnCalendar=*-*-*-*:00:00
Unit=checkdiskspace.service

[Install]
WantedBy=timers.target
```

The Linux administrator attempts to start the timer service but receives the following error message:

```
Failed to start checkdiskspace.timer: Operation refused ...
```

Which of the following is MOST likely the reason the timer will not start?

- A. The checkdiskspace.timer unit should be enabled via systemctl.
- B. The timers.target should be reloaded to get the new configuration.
- C. The checkdiskspace.timer should be configured to allow manual starts.
- D. The checkdiskspace.timer should be started using the sudo command.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 211

A Linux administrator has logged in to a server for the first time and needs to know which services are allowed through the firewall. Which of the following options will return the results for which the administrator is looking?

- A. firewall-cmd --get-services
- B. firewall-cmd --check-config
- C. firewall-cmd --list-services
- D. systemctl status firewalld

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 212

A systems administrator is investigating an issue in which one of the servers is not booting up properly. The journalctl entries show the following:

```
Sep 16 20:30:43 server kernel: acpi PNP0A03:00: _OSC failed (AE_NOT_FOUND);
-- Subject: Unit dev-mapper-centos\x2dapp.device has failed
Sep 16 20:32:15 server systemd[1]: Dependency failed for /opt/app
-- Subject: Unit opt-app.mount has failed
-- Unit opt-app.mount has failed
Sep 16 20:32:15 server systemd[1]: Dependency failed for Local File Systems.
-- Subject: Unit local-fs.target has failed
-- Unit local-fs.target has failed.
Sep 16 20:32:15 server systemd[1]: Dependency failed for Relabel all filesystem, if necessary.
-- Subject: Unit rhel-autorelabel.service has failed
-- Unit rhel-autorelabel.service has failed.
```

Which of the following will allow the administrator to boot the Linux system to normal mode quickly?

- A. Comment out the /opt/app filesystem in /etc/fstab and reboot.
- B. Reformat the /opt/app filesystem and reboot.
- C. Perform filesystem checks on local filesystems and reboot.
- D. Trigger a filesystem relabel and reboot.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 213

A systems administrator is encountering performance issues. The administrator runs 3 commands with the following output

```
09:10:18 up 457 days, 32min, 5 users, load average: 4.22 6.63 5.98
```

The Linux server has the following system properties CPU: 4 vCPU

Memory: 50GB

Which of the following accurately describes this situation?

- A. The system is under CPU pressure and will require additional vCPUs
- B. The system has been running for over a year and requires a reboot.
- C. Too many users are currently logged in to the system
- D. The system requires more memory

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 216

A newly created container has been unable to start properly, and a Linux administrator is analyzing the cause of the failure. Which of the following will allow the administrator to determine the FIRST command that is executed inside the container right after it starts?

- A. docker export <container_id>
- B. docker info <container_id>
- C. docker start <container_id>
- D. docker inspect <container_id>

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 220

A systems administrator was tasked with assigning the temporary IP address/netmask 192.168.168.1/255.255.255.255 to the interface eth0 of a Linux server.

When adding the address, the following error appears:

```
# ip address add 192.168.168.1/33 dev eth0
```

Error: any valid prefix is expected rather than "192.168.168.1/33".

Based on the command and its output above, which of the following is the cause of the issue?

- A. The CIDR value /33 should be /32 instead.
- B. There is no route to 192.168.168.1/33.
- C. The interface eth0 does not exist.
- D. The IP address 192.168.168.1 is already in use.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 222

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