Open Source OS - LAB 03 – Users, Groups and Permissions

LAB Procedures

Take screen shots that show all activities below:

 Login to Linux with the admin user (student)
 Create user using adduser command and name it usera (password = 12345, and Full Name: usera)
 Create user using adduser command and name it userb (password = 12345, and Full Name: userb)
 Create a group using groupadd command and name it groupc

student

groupe

usera

userb

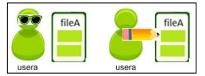
5- Add both users to groupC using the commands sudo usermod -a -G groupc usera sudo usermod -a -G groupc userb	usera userb
 6- Logout and then login as usera 7- Create a folder folderA using mkdir command then list contents of the directory 8- Change directory to folderA using cd command 9- Create a file fileA and the list contents of the directory 	groupc fileA usera

10- usera is handling folderA (usera is the owner which is allowed by default for rwx)



Permission	command	Screen
Execute	cd	
	cd folderA	
Write	cp fileA fileA1	
Read	ls -l	

11- usera is handling fileA (usera is the owner which is allowed by default for rw_ only)



Permission	command	Screen
Write	cat > fileA	
Read	cat fileA	
Execute	(not applicable	
	for text files)	

- 12- Logout and then login as userb
- 13- userb is handling folderA (userb is not the owner which is allowed by default for r_x only)

userb folderA	userb folderA
Permission	command
Execute	cd /home/stud

Permission	command	Screen
Execute	cd /home/student/folderA	
Write	cp fileA fileA2	
Read	ls -l	

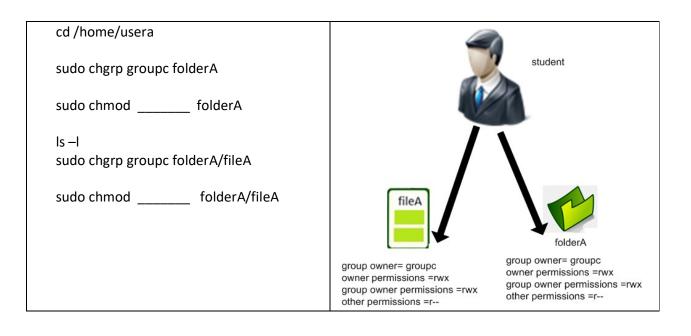
14- userb is handling fileA (userb is not the owner which is allowed by default for read only)



Permission	command	Screen
Write	cat > fileA	
Read	cat fileA	
Execute	(not applicable for text files)	

- 15- Logout and then login as student
- 16- Change the group owner of fileA and folderA to be groupc using chgrp command
- 17- Change permissions as below for both fileA and folderA using chmod command (you need to evaluate the octal number)

owner permissions	group owner permissions	others permissions
rwx	rwx	r



18- Logout and then login as userb

19- userb is handling folderA (userb is now member the group owner which is allowed for rwx)

userb folderA	userb folderA		
Permission	command	Screen	
Execute	cd /home/usera/folderA		
Write	cp fileA fileA2		
Read	ls -l		

20- userb is handling fileA (userb is now member the group owner which is allowed for rwx)



Permission	command	Screen
Write	cat > fileA	
Read	cat fileA	
Execute	(not applicable for text files)	