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IV Semester B.C.A. Degree (CBCSS – Reg./Sup./Imp.) Examination, April 2020 (2014 Admn. Onwards) Core Course 4B10BCA : LINUX ADMINISTRATION

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

SECTION - A

1. One word answer :

(8×0.5=4)

- a) What does Grep() stand for ?
- b) ______ command is used to change password of a user.
- c) In which directory we can find network configurations ?
- d) _____ command will allows a user with proper permissions to execute a command as another user.
- e) The ______ command can be used in Linux to add user groups to the system.
- f) What is the use of chmod command ?
- g) What is a 'hard link' ?
- h) What is "comm" used for ?

SECTION - B

Write short notes on any seven of the following questions : (7×2=14)

- 2. Explain CLI.
- 3. What are the different functionalities and responsibilities of a Linux System Administrator ?
- 4. What is umask and what is its use in Linux ?
- 5. What is the routing table in Linux ?

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6. List the fields in /etc/ passwd file.

7. Procedure to add new user in Linux.

8. What is a file system ?

9. What is the difference between an Argument and an Option (or Switch) ?

10. What is the difference between Home Directory and Working Directory ?

11. What are two functions the move 'MV' Command can carry out ?

SECTION - C

Answer any four of the following questions :

12. Define a macro, a key binding for the existing command. How would you do it ?

13. What does the command 'hash' is used for in bash Shell ?

14. How will you abort a shell script before it is successfully executed ?

15. While installing the new RPM, what common steps should take ?

Usage of 'free' command in Linux.

17. Explain the usage of 'PS' Commands with example.

SECTION - D

Write an essay on any two of the following questions : (2×5=10)

18. Advantage of shadow password over traditional password system.

19. What is DHCP ? What are the advantages ?

20. What is TELNET and how it works ?

21. How do SSH keys work ?

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