



PROFESSIONAL FAMILY: Computing and communications

Vocational education and training (VET) program code: CFGS ICA0

VET Program name: Network computer systems administration

Academic Year: 23-24

ACTIVITY NAME AND NUMBER

Activity 7 Tarball and .deb packages.

Goal of the activity

- Understanding:
 - What are the typical ways of installing software on Linux, and particularly, on a Debian distribution.
 - What is a tarball package
 - What is a .deb package

Using command-line tools to check, read, create, modify and delete user accounts and groups.

Time to develop the activity

4 hours

Methodology and students grouping

- Methodology:
 - Group of students splitted into 2 subgroups each of them a half of the group. One classroom is required for each subgroup
 - Seminar and practical exercise.
- Students grouping: Individual.

Activity description

- Short seminar about:
 - What is a user account and its main features?
 - What is a group of users and its main features?.
 - Files and directories involved in managing user accounts and groups

of users.

Practical exercise:

- Creating, modifying, deleting, checking, reading, enabling and disabling user accounts.
- Creating, modifying, deleting, checking, reading, enabling and disabling groups of users.

Check that student has:

- understood the goals of this activity.
- reached the goals of this activity.

Resources to develop this activity

- Online resource with:
 - Documentation
 - List of tasks the student has to do
 - (optional) Forms to fill
- Linux installed on a virtual machine.
- Internet and laptops.

Teachers team role

- Lead the seminar of this activity.
- Help students to do the practical exercise of this activity.
- Get a score for the practical exercise of this activity.
- Feedback to each student.
- Check that each student has understood the goals of the activity.

Evaluating the activity

- Main features:
 - Individual
 - Hetero-evaluation (Teachers team evaluate the activity)
 - Quantitative (Each student get a score)
 - Qualitative (Feedback and comments to each student).