

Re: Mounting CDROM as user under 5.x

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Thanks Harry for taking the time to answer my questions. I think based on your comments it should work.

Is there any security concern having a user belonging to the group operator ?

Thanks again

Dany

Harald Schmalzbauer wrote:

>*On Wednesday 31 December 2003 16:07, Dany wrote:*

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>>*Harald Schmalzbauer wrote:*

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> **SNIP**

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>>*This is pretty much what I've tried. My user is in the Wheel group.*

>>*Would this exact configuration work ? Should I set any other*

>>*permission in order to have the user from the wheel group to mount drives?*

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>>*Thanks for posting your configuration.*

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>>*PS: One thing I've noticed with this specific user, whenever he creates*

>>*something the file/directory will show owner:username group:username.*

>>*I've used the command "groups" as well as chpass I think and they gave*

>>*me only one group for this username... wheel. Why doesn't wheel appear*

>>*as the group owner for stuff that username is creating ?*

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>*When you add a user with "adduser" by default FreeBSD creates a group similar*

>*named like the username. If you later say that this user should be in group*

>*wheel it's additional.*

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>>>>>>added the following to /dev/devfs.conf
>>>>>>link acd0 cdrom
>>>>>>perm acd0 0660
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>This line just gives write access to group. You can either add the line:
>own acd0 root:wheel
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>or you edit /etc/groups and add your user to the group operator.
>I'd prefer the latter.
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>Here's my simple /etc/group example:
># $FreeBSD: src/etc/group,v 1.28 2003/04/27 05:49:53 imp Exp $
>#
>wheel: *:0:root,harry
>daemon: *:1:
>kmem: *:2:
>sys: *:3:
>tty: *:4:
>operator: *:5:root,harry
>mail: *:6:
>bin: *:7:
>news: *:8:
>man: *:9:
>games: *:13:
>staff: *:20:
>sshd: *:22:
>smmsp: *:25:
>mailnull: *:26:
>guest: *:31:
>bind: *:53:
>uucp: *:66:
>dialer: *:68:
>network: *:69:
>www: *:80:
>nogroup: *:65533:
>nobody: *:65534:
>harry: *:####:
>uli: *:####:
>schowi: *:####:
>administrator: *:####:
>alle: *:####:root,harry,uli,schowi,administrator
>setiathome: *:####:
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>-Harry
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