



Lab 29.1: Using dpkg

Here we will just do a number of simple operations for querying and verifying **Debian** packages.

1. Find out what package the file `/etc/logrotate.conf` belongs to.
2. List information about the package including all the files it contains.
3. Verify the package installation.
4. Try to remove the package.

Solution 29.1

1. `$ dpkg -S /etc/logrotate.conf`
`logrotate: /etc/logrotate.conf`
2. `$ dpkg -L logrotate`
`...`
3. `$ dpkg -V logrotate`
4. `$ sudo dpkg -r logrotate`
`dpkg: dependency problems prevent removal of logrotate:`
`libvirt-bin depends on logrotate.`
`ubuntu-standard depends on logrotate.`

`dpkg: error processing package logrotate (--remove):`
`dependency problems - not removing`
`Errors were encountered while processing:`
`logrotate`