GNU/Linux Administration - Support #166

Backing Up LDAP Directory With Rsnapshot

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Description

Creating a backup of an LDAP directory is both useful and simple. So simple that it can be setup for periodic backups with rsnapshot in just a few commands.

- 1. Create backup script to dump LDAP directory

```
sudo vi /usr/local/bin/backup_ldap.sh
```

```
#!/bin/bash
#Script to dump LDAP directory
slapcat -l backup.ldif
```

- 2. Make the script executable

```
sudo chmod +x /usr/local/bin/backup_ldap.sh
```

- 3. Add script to rsnapshot to the bottom of configuration, remember to keep tab-delimitation

```
sudo vi /etc/rsnapshot.conf
```

```
...
backup_script   /usr/local/bin/backup_ldap.sh    localhost/ldapdump/
...
```

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