



User name formats for performing access checks with Operations Manager console

Snapdrive for Unix

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SnapDrive for UNIX uses the user name formats for performing access checks with Operations Manager console. These formats depends on whether you are a Network Information System (NIS) or a local user.

SnapDrive for UNIX uses the following formats to check whether a user is authorized to perform certain tasks:

- If you are an NIS user running the `snapdrive` command, SnapDrive for UNIX uses the format `<nisdomain>\<username>` (for example, `netapp.com\marc`)
- If you are a local user of a UNIX host such as `lnx197-141`, SnapDrive for UNIX uses the format `<hostname>\<username>` format (for example, `lnx197-141\john`)
- If you are an administrator (`root`) of a UNIX host, SnapDrive for UNIX always treats the administrator as a local user and uses the format `lnx197-141\root`.

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