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Subject: Re: Off Topic UNIX Question

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Vince Hradil writes:

> When you do ls -la you'll get a "group" for the TRAVELDRIVE in the  
> column right after the owner. You have to be in the same group to  
> write to the TRAVELDRIVE. You can figure out your group by typing  
> "groups" and the shell prompt. You may need to change the ownership  
> or group of the TRAVELDRIVE.

OK, yes, the group is "root" for all directories on the TRAVELDRIVE.

I set myself up as root and tried to copy a file to the drive:

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%su root  
# cp test.pro /media/TRAVELDRIVE
```

And I get the error: "cannot create regular file test.pro on  
/media/TRAVEDRIVE: Read-only file system."

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

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