

sudo setup

sudo allows users to run commands as root (or some other user) without a password. The following examples allows bob to restart the web servers automatically every night

the following entry was added to /usr/local/etc/sudoers :

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# added robin 2may2001 for bob to stop/restart web servers
Runas_Alias    WEB = root
#
Cmnd_Alias     WEBSTART = /etc/rc3.d/S98iplanet, /etc/rc3.d/S98iplanet-sec
Cmnd_Alias     WEBRESTART = /export/home/bob/www_restart.sh
#
csgbv    ALL=(WEB) NOPASSWD: WEBRESTART, WEBSTART
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NB use 'visudo' (in /usr/local/sbin) to edit the sudoers file, it will warn you if you make any typos.