



B2 - Shell Programming

B-PSU-210

42sh

man tcsh



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binary name: 42sh
repository name: PSU_42sh_\$ACADEMICYEAR
repository rights: ramassage-tek
language: C
compilation: via Makefile, including re, clean and fclean rules



- Your repository must contain the totality of your source files, but no useless files (binary, temp files, obj files,...).
- All the bonus files (including a potential specific Makefile) should be in a directory named *bonus*.
- Error messages have to be written on the error output, and the program should then exit with the 84 error code (0 if there is no error).

You must write a Unix SHELL.

The project consists of two sections:

- a mandatory section, which **MUST** be completed: display a prompt, parse and execute some commands (see below),
- an optional section, which will only be evaluated if the mandatory section is fully functional.

Authorized functions: all functions included in the libC or the ncurses library.

MANDATORY SECTION

This section must be **COMPLETELY FUNCTIONAL**. Otherwise your grade will be 0.
Concerning command parsing and execution, you must handle:

- spaces and tabs,
- \$PATH and environment,
- errors and return value,
- redirections ('<', '>', '<<' and '>>'),
- pipes ('|'),
- builtins: cd, echo, exit, setenv, unsetenv,
- separators: ';', '&&', '||'.

For instance, you should be able to execute the following command:

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Terminal
~/B-PSU-210> ./42sh
42sh> cd ; </etc/hosts od -c | grep xx | wc >> /tmp/z -l ; cd - && echo "OK"
```



OPTIONAL SECTION

You will get most of your points in this section.

You have free-rein and can do what you want. However, the entire project's coherence will be taken into consideration.

Once more, **stability** will be much more important than quantity. Don't include an option that will cause a problem for the rest of the program (especially for the mandatory section!).



For the different commands and compatibility (syntax), the reference shell used will be `tcsh`.

Here is a list of desired extras:

- inhibitors ('\''),
- globbing ('*', '?', '[', ']'),
- job control ('&', 'fg'),
- backticks ("`"),
- parentheses ('(' and ')'),
- variables (local and env),
- special variables (term, precmd, cwdcmd, cwd, ignoreeof for instance),
- history ('!'),
- aliases,
- line edition (multiline, dynamic rebinding, auto-completion dynamic,
- scripting (a bit harsh though).



These extras are not bonuses! Bonuses will be evaluated only after you've correctly implemented every item on this list!

ADVICE



Form a solid group: make sure that you can really work together, really work together as a group (together and through discussion)



Split the work-load intelligently: what if a member of your team get sick? Can you finish his part of the job, or is it a "black box" for you?



Write unit tests: if you write them as you add features, you will be more confident about the stability of your project as the code base grows.



Never hesitate to delete or rewrite some old code: unit tests are there to ensure your new code has the same behavior as the old one when you're refactoring



Git is your friend: commit often! Do you know how to navigate in previous revisions? Do you know how to use branches?