

shell scripting

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HOW TO CREATE THE SCRIPT FILE

nano <filename>.sh - The command "**nano app.sh**" is used to open or create a **script file** named **app.sh** using the Nano text editor.

```
📅 2025-01-17 ⌚ 18:18.37 📁 /home/mobaxterm nano app.sh
```

SCRIPT FILE:

```
GNU nano 4.9 app.sh
echo "enter the name"
read name
```

HOW TO EXECUTE OR RUN THE SCRIPT

```
📅 2025-01-18 ⌚ 13:49.17 📁 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
enter the name
ram
```

PROGRAM NO.1

HOW TO ADD TWO NUMBERS

```
echo "enter first number:"
read num1
echo "enter second number:"
read num2
echo "sum of the two number is $((num1 + num2))"
```

OUTPUT:

```
enter first number:
4
enter second number:
4
sum of the two number is 8
```

\$COMMANDS(COMMAND LINE ARGUMENTS)

\$1-First argument

\$2-Second argument

\$3-Third argument

\$0-It will print filename

\$#-It will display number of arguments

\$COMMANDS SCRIPT FILE:

```
GNU nano 4.9 app.sh
echo "$1"
echo "$2"
echo "$3"
echo "$0"
echo "$#"
```

OUTPUT:

```
2025-01-18 15:12.40 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh ram vim tin
ram
vim
tin
app.sh
3
```

HOW TO USE \$ COMMANDS WITH VARIABLES:

```
GNU nano 4.9 app.sh
c=$(( $1 + $2 ))
echo "add two number $c"
█
```

OUTPUT:

```
📅 2025-01-18 🕒 19:33.01 📁 /home/mobaxterm ➡ sh app.sh 4 5
add two number 9
```

CONDITIONAL STATEMENT:

- ***IF ELSE STATEMENT***
- ***ELIF STATEMENT***

IF STATEMENT:

SYNTAX:

```
if [ expression ]
then
    statement1
else
    statement2
fi
```

NUMERIC COMPARISON OPERATORS:

- eq*** → ***EQUAL TO***
- gt*** → ***GREATER THAN***
- lt*** → ***LESSER THAN***
- ge*** → ***GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO***
- le*** → ***LESSER THAN OR EQUAL TO***
- ne*** → ***NOT EQUAL***

PROGRAM NO.2:

```
GNU nano 4.9 app.sh
echo "enter ur age"
read age

if [ $age -gt 18 ];
then
    echo "you can vote"
else
    echo "you can't vote"
fi
```

OUTPUT:

```
2025-01-18 23:26.15 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
enter ur age
30
you can vote
```

```
2025-01-18 23:30.08 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
enter ur age
15
you can't vote
```

ELIF STATEMENT:

SYNTAX:

```
if [ expression 1 ]
then
    Statement(s) to be executed if expression 1 is true
elif [ expression 2 ]
then
    Statement(s) to be executed if expression 2 is true
elif [ expression 3 ]
then
    Statement(s) to be executed if expression 3 is true
else
    Statement(s) to be executed if no expression is true
fi
```

PROGRAM NO.3:

```
GNU nano 4.9 app.sh
echo "enter ur age"
read age

if [ $age -gt 18 ];
then
    echo "you can vote"

elif [ $age -eq 18 ];
then
    echo "you can apply for vorter ID"
else
    echo "you can't vote"
fi
```

OUTPUT:

```
2025-01-18 23:46.53 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
enter ur age
18
you can apply for vorter ID
```

```
2025-01-18 23:50.19 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
enter ur age
20
you can vote
```

```
2025-01-18 23:50.24 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
enter ur age
14
you can't vote
```

STRING COMPARISON:

PROGRAM NO.4:

```
GNU nano 4.9 app.sh
echo "enter your name:"
read name

if [ $name = raja ];
then
    echo "hi,$name"

elif [ $name = rani ];
then
    echo "hi,$name"
else
    echo "name is not mentioned"
fi
```

OUTPUT:

```
2025-01-18 23:58.32 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
enter your name:
chanda
name is not mentioned
```

```
2025-01-18 23:58.13 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
enter your name:
rani
hi,rani
```

```
2025-01-18 23:57.25 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
enter your name:
raja
hi,raja
```

PROGRAM NO.5:

```
GNU nano 4.9 app.sh
echo "Enter the filename"
read filename

if [ -f "$filename" ]
then
    echo "the file already exist"

else
    touch $filename
    echo "the file is created"
fi
```

OUTPUT:

```
2025-01-19 13:25.12 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
Enter the filename
docker.txt
the file already exist
```

```
2025-01-19 13:25.38 /home/mobaxterm sh app.sh
Enter the filename
kim
the file is created
```

"If the file already exists, display the output 'File already exists.' If the file does not exist, create the file."

PROGRAM NO.6:

"Check if the file exists in the specified directory. If it exists, display 'File already exists.' If not, create the file in that directory."

```
GNU nano 5.8 app.sh
echo "enter the filename"
read filename
if [ -f "/home/ec2-user/dir1/$filename" ]
then
    echo "file is already exists"
else
    touch /home/ec2-user/dir1/$filename
    echo "file is created"
fi
```


OUTPUT:

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ cd dir1
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 dir1]$ ls
app.sh  file1  file2  file3
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 dir1]$ touch docker ansible shell
```

```
file is created
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh app.sh
enter the filename
docker
file is already exists
```

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh app.sh
enter the filename
git
file is created
```

LOOPS:

- *FOR LOOP*
- *WHILE LOOP*
- *DO WHILE LOOP*

for Loop:

SYNTAX:

```
for ((initialization ; condition ; increment))
do
    echo "statement"
done
```

PROGRAM NO.7:

"PRINT THE FIRST 10 NUMBERS."

```
GNU nano 5.8 script.sh
for ((i=1;i<=10;i++))
do
    echo "$i"
done
```

OUTPUT:

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh script.sh
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
```

while loop:

SYNTAX:

```
initialization
while [condition]
do
    statement
    ((increment))
done
```

PROGRAM NO.8:

"PRINT THE FIRST 10 NUMBERS."

```
GNU nano 5.8 script1.sh
i=1
while [i -le 10]
do
    echo "$i"
    ((i++))
done
```

OUTPUT:

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh script.sh
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
```

FUNCTIONS:

DEFINITION:

“Functions in shell scripts group commands into reusable blocks, accept arguments, perform tasks, and return results or exit status.”

SYNTAX:

```
Function Function name()  
{  
    statement  
}  
Function name
```

PROGRAM NO.9:

```
GNU nano 5.8 script2.sh  
function Welcome(){  
    echo "Enter ur name"  
    read name  
    echo "Welcome to devops class $name"  
}  
Welcome
```

OUTPUT:

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh script2.sh  
Enter ur name  
raja  
Welcome to devops class raja
```

-P PROMPT COMMAND:

“The **-p** option in **read** shows a prompt message before asking for user input, making it clearer for the user”.

PROGRAM NO.10:

```
GNU nano 5.8 script3.sh
function welcome()
{
    read -p "enter your name:" name
    echo "welcome to devops class $name"
}
welcome
```

OUTPUT:

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh script3.sh
enter your name:chanda
welcome to devops class chanda
```

PROGRAM NO.11:

```
GNU nano 5.8 script4.sh
function READTHEFILE()
{
    read -p "Enter the filename:" FILENAME
    echo "FILE READING"
    cat $FILENAME
    echo "FILE READING IS COMPLETED"
}
READTHEFILE
```

```
GNU nano 5.8 index.html
<h1>welcome to devops class</h1>
<h2>hi,hello</h2>
```

OUTPUT:

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh script4.sh
Enter the filename:index.html
FILE READING
<h1>welcome to devops class</h1>
<h2>hi,hello<h2>
```

PROGRAM NO.12:

```
GNU nano 5.8 script5.sh
function READTHEFILE()
{
    read -p "ENTER THE FILENAME:" FILENAME
    if [ -f "$FILENAME" ];
    then
        echo "FILE IS READING"
        cat "$FILENAME"
        echo "FILE READING IS COMPLETED"
    else
        echo "FILE DOES NOT EXIST"
    fi
}
READTHEFILE
```

OUTPUT:

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh script5.sh
ENTER THE FILENAME:index.html
FILE IS READING
<h1>welcome to devops class</h1>
<h2>hi,hello<h2>
```

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh script5.sh
ENTER THE FILENAME:style.css
FILE DOES NOT EXIST
```

PROGRAM NO.13:

```
GNU nano 5.8                                script6.sh
function READTHEFILE() {
  read -p "ENTER THE FILENAME:" FILENAME
  if [ -f "$FILENAME" ]
  then
    echo "FILE IS READING"
    cat "$FILENAME"
  else
    touch "$FILENAME"
    echo "hello world">"$FILENAME"
    echo "file is created and content is also written."
    cat "$FILENAME"
  fi
}
READTHEFILE
```

OUTPUT:

```
[ec2-user@ip-172-31-43-188 ~]$ sh script6.sh
ENTER THE FILENAME:HELLO
file is created and content is also written.
hello world
```

CRONTAB

CRONTAB IS A COMMAND-LINE TOOL IN LINUX USED TO SCHEDULE REPETITIVE TASKS OR SCRIPTS (CRON JOBS) TO RUN AUTOMATICALLY AT SPECIFIED TIMES OR INTERVALS.

SYNTAX OF LINUX CRONTAB:

```
MIN HOUR DOM MON DOW CMD
```

- 1.*-min(0-59)
- 2.*- hours(0-23)
- 3.*- day of month(1-31)
- 4.*- month(1-12)
- 5.*- week(mon-sun)

Field	Description	Allowed Value
MIN (Minute)	Specifies the minute when the command will run	It ranges from 0 to 59.
HOUR	Denotes the hour of the day when the command is scheduled to execute.	It spans from 0 to 23.
DOM (Day of Month)	Specifies the day of the month for the task.	It ranges from 1 to 31.
MON (Month)	Indicates the month during which the command will be executed.	It varies from 1 to 12.
DOW (Day of Week)	Specifies the day of the week for the task.	It is represented by numbers from 0 to 7, where both 0 and 7 correspond to Sunday.
CMD (Command)	Represents the actual command or script that will run at the scheduled time.	_____

SOME EXAMPLE OF CRONTAB COMMANDS:

- 1.To execute a script file every 15 minutes.
*/15 * * * *
- 2.To execute a script file at 10 AM every day.
0 10 * * *
- 3.To execute a script file at 5 PM every day.
0 17 * * *

PROGRAM NO.14:

STEPS:

1.CREATE SCRIPT FILE

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-44-148:~$ nano script.sh
```

```
GNU nano 7.2 script.sh *
mkdir directory1
touch file1 file2
█
```

2.CRONTAB -E

-opens the cron table for editing tasks.

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-44-148:~$ crontab -e █
```

```
GNU nano 7.2 /tmp/crontab.hBxvum/crontab
# Edit this file to introduce tasks to be run by cron.
#
# Each task to run has to be defined through a single line
# indicating with different fields when the task will be run
# and what command to run for the task
#
# To define the time you can provide concrete values for
# minute (m), hour (h), day of month (dom), month (mon),
# and day of week (dow) or use '*' in these fields (for 'any').
#
# Notice that tasks will be started based on the cron's system
# daemon's notion of time and timezones.
#
# Output of the crontab jobs (including errors) is sent through
# email to the user the crontab file belongs to (unless redirected).
#
# For example, you can run a backup of all your user accounts
# at 5 a.m every week with:
# 0 5 * * 1 tar -zcf /var/backups/home.tgz /home/
#
# For more information see the manual pages of crontab(5) and cron(8)
#
# m h dom mon dow   command
*/1 * * * * /bin/bash script.sh
```

→ To execute the script.sh file every minute.

3. CRONTAB -L

- lists all the crontab jobs scheduled for the current user.

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-44-148:~$ crontab -l
```

```
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#
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# indicating with different fields when the task will be run
# and what command to run for the task
#
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# minute (m), hour (h), day of month (dom), month (mon),
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# m h dom mon dow   command
*/1 * * * * /bin/bash script.sh
```

OUTPUT:

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-44-148:~$ ls
directory1  file1  file2  script.sh
```