

PRACTICAL DEFINITIONS

STREAM : BCA & B.Sc.(IT)SEM 4 SUBJECT : UNIX

➤ Write a shell script Using While Loop.

Create a bash file with the name, 'while_example.sh', to know the use of while loop. In the example, while loop will iterate for 5 times. The value of count variable will increment by 1 in each step. When the value of count variable will 5 then the while loop will terminate.

```
#!/bin/bash
valid=true
count=1
while [ $valid ]
do
echo $count
if [ $count -eq 5 ];
then
break
fi
((count++))
done
```

Output:

```
$ bash while_example.sh
```

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```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash while_example.sh
1
2
3
4
5
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ Write a shell script Using For Loop.

The basic for loop declaration is shown in the following example. Create a file named 'for_example.sh' and add the following script using for loop. Here, for loop will iterate for 10 times and print all values of the variable, counter in single line.

```
#!/bin/bash
for (( counter=10; counter>0; counter-- ))
do
echo -n "$counter "
done
printf "\n"
```

Output:

```
$ bash for_example.sh
```

```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash for_example.sh
10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

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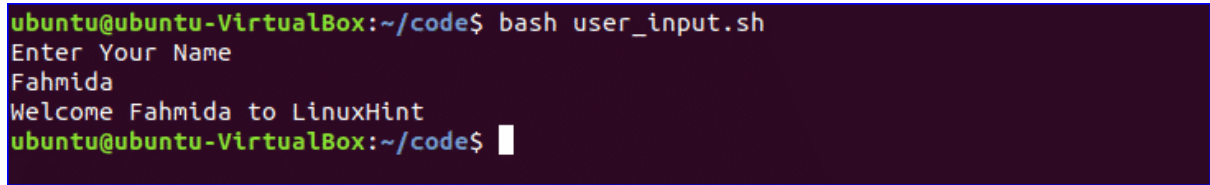
➤ Write a shell script to Get User Input.

'read' command is used to take input from user in bash. Create a file named 'user_input.sh' and add the following script for taking input from the user. Here, one string value will be taken from the user and display the value by combining other string value.

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "EnterYourName"
read name
echo "Welcome $name to LinuxHint"
```

Output:

```
$ bash user_input.sh
```



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash user_input.sh
Enter Your Name
Fahmida
Welcome Fahmida to LinuxHint
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ Write a shell script Using If statement.

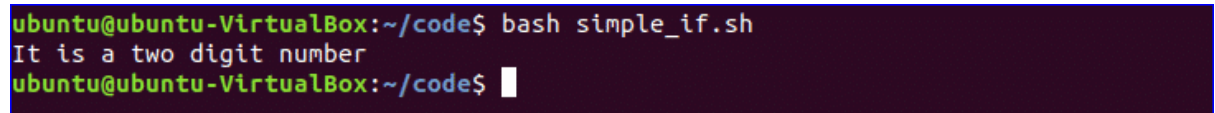
You can use if condition with single or multiple conditions. Starting and ending block of this statement is define by 'if' and 'fi'. Create a file named 'simple_if.sh' with the following script to know the use if statement in bash. Here, 10 is assigned to the variable, n. if the value of \$n is less than 10 then the output will be "It is a one digit number", otherwise the output will be "It is a two digit number". For comparison, '-lt' is used here. For comparison, you can also use '-eq' for equality, '-ne' for not equality and '-gt' for greater than in bash script.

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```
#!/bin/bash
n=10
if [ $n -lt 10 ];
then
echo "It is a one digit number"
else
echo "It is a two digit number"
fi
```

Output:

```
$ bash simple_if.sh
```



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash simple_if.sh
It is a two digit number
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ Write a shell script Using If statement with AND logic.

Different types of logical conditions can be used in if statement with two or more conditions. How you can define multiple conditions in if statement using **AND** logic is shown in the following example. '**&&**' is used to apply **AND** logic of if statement. Create a file named '**if_with_AND.sh**' to check the following code. Here, the value of **username** and **password** variables will be taken from the user and compared with '**admin**' and '**secret**'. If both values match then the output will be "**valid user**", otherwise the output will be "**invalid user**".

```
#!/bin/bash

echo "Enter username"
read username
echo "Enter password"
```

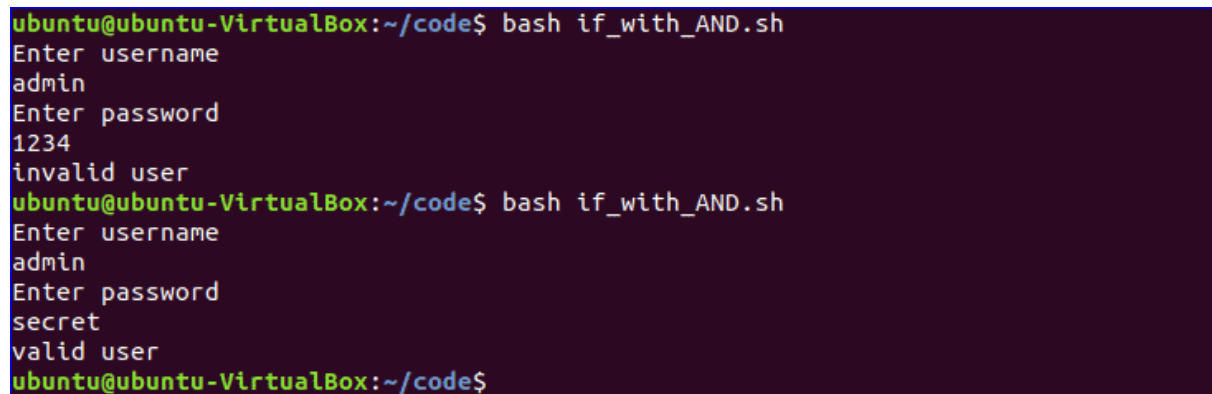
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```
read password
```

```
if [[ ( $username == "admin" && $password == "secret" ) ]]; then  
echo "valid user"  
else  
echo "invalid user"  
fi
```

Output:

```
$ bash if_with_AND.sh
```



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash if_with_AND.sh  
Enter username  
admin  
Enter password  
1234  
invalid user  
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash if_with_AND.sh  
Enter username  
admin  
Enter password  
secret  
valid user  
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ Write a shell script Using If statement with OR logic.

'||' is used to define OR logic in if condition. Create a file named 'if_with_OR.sh' with the following code to check the use of OR logic of if statement. Here, the value of n will be taken from the user. If the value is equal to 15 or 45 then the output will be "You won the game", otherwise the output will be "You lost the game".

```
#!/bin/bash
```

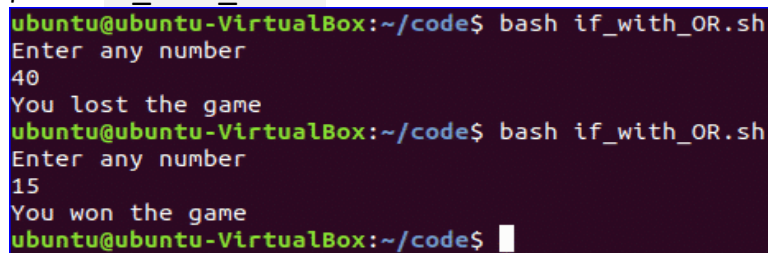
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```
echo "Enter any number"
read n

if [[ ( $n -eq 15 || $n -eq 45 ) ]]
then
echo "You won the game"
else
echo "You lost the game"
fi
```

Output:

\$ bash if_with_OR.sh



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash if_with_OR.sh
Enter any number
40
You lost the game
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash if_with_OR.sh
Enter any number
15
You won the game
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ Write a shell script Using else If statement.

The use of else if condition is little different in bash than other programming language. 'elif' is used to define else if condition in bash. Create a file named, 'elseif_example.sh' and add the following script to check how else if is defined in bash script.

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
echo "Enter your lucky number"
read n
```

```
if [ $n -eq 101 ];
then
echo "You got 1st prize"
elif [ $n -eq 510 ];
then
echo "You got 2nd prize"
elif [ $n -eq 999 ];
```

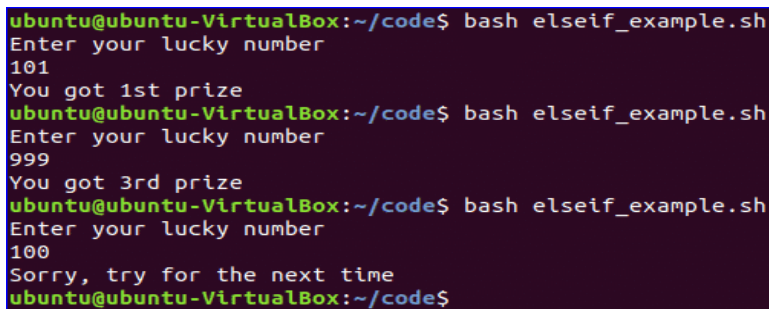
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```
then
echo "You got 3rd prize"

else
echo "Sorry, try for the next time"
fi
```

Output:

```
$ bash elseif_example.sh
```



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash elseif_example.sh
Enter your lucky number
101
You got 1st prize
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash elseif_example.sh
Enter your lucky number
999
You got 3rd prize
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash elseif_example.sh
Enter your lucky number
100
Sorry, try for the next time
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ Write a shell script Using case statement.

Case statement is used as the alternative of if-elseif-else statement. The starting and ending block of this statement is defined by 'case' and 'esac'. Create a new file named, 'case_example.sh' and add the following script. The output of the following script will be same to the previous else if example.

```
#!/bin/bash

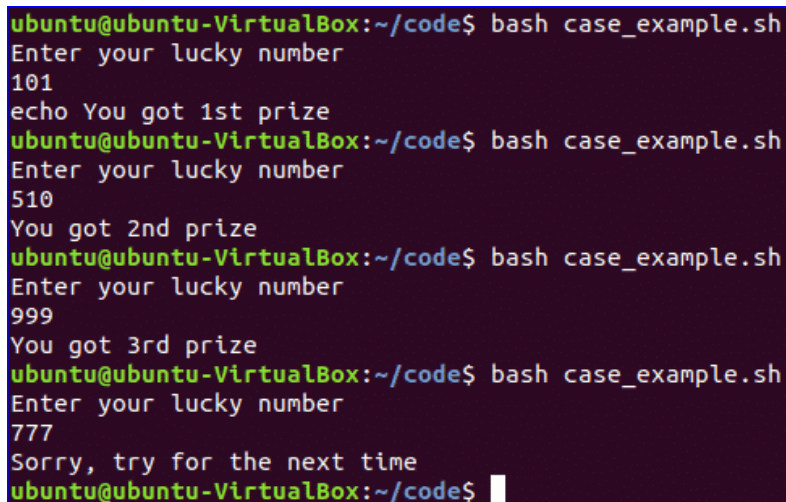
echo "Enter your lucky number"
read n
case $n in
101)
```

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```
echo "You got 1st prize" ;;  
510)  
echo "You got 2nd prize" ;;  
999)  
echo "You got 3rd prize" ;;  
*)  
echo "Sorry, try for the next time" ;;  
esac
```

Output:

\$ bash case_example.sh



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash case_example.sh  
Enter your lucky number  
101  
echo You got 1st prize  
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash case_example.sh  
Enter your lucky number  
510  
You got 2nd prize  
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash case_example.sh  
Enter your lucky number  
999  
You got 3rd prize  
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash case_example.sh  
Enter your lucky number  
777  
Sorry, try for the next time  
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ Write a shell script to Get Arguments from Command Line.

Bash script can read input from command line argument like other programming language. For example, \$1 and \$2 variable are used to read first and second command line arguments. Create a file named "command_line.sh" and add the following script. Two argument values read by the following script and prints the total number of arguments and the argument values as output.

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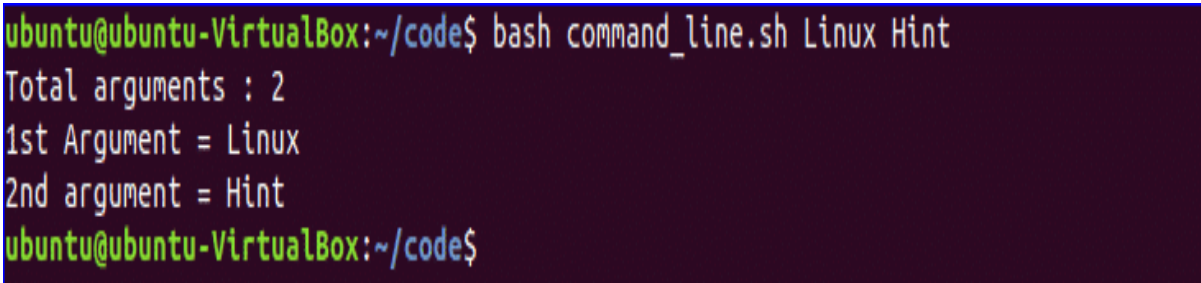
```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Total arguments :    $#"
```

```
echo "1st Argument =    $1"
```

```
echo "2nd argument = $2"
```

Output:

```
$ bash command_line.sh Linux Hint
```



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash command_line.sh Linux Hint
Total arguments : 2
1st Argument = Linux
2nd argument = Hint
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ Write a shell script to Get Arguments from Command Line with names.

How you can read command line arguments with names is shown in the following script. Create a file named, 'command_line_names.sh' and add the following code. Here, two arguments, X and Y are read by this script and print the sum of X and Y.

```
#!/bin/bash
for arg in "$@"
do
index=$(echo $arg | cut -f1 -d=)
val=$(echo $arg | cut -f2 -d=)
case $index in
X) x=$val;;

Y) y=$val;;

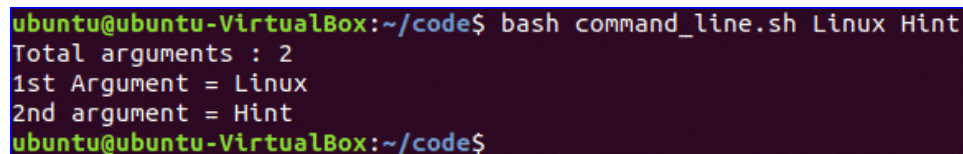
*)
```

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```
esac
done
((result=x+y))
echo "X+Y=$result"
```

Output:

```
$ bash command_line_names X=45 Y=30
```



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash command_line.sh Linux Hint
Total arguments : 2
1st Argument = Linux
2nd argument = Hint
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ Write a shell script to combine string variables.

You can easily combine string variables in bash. Create a file named “string_combine.sh” and add the following script to check how you can combine string variables in bash by placing variables together or using ‘+’ operator.

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
string1="Linux"
string2="Hint"
echo "$string1$string2"
string3=$string1+$string2
string3+=" is a good tutorial blog site"
echo $string3
```

Output:

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\$ bash string_combine.sh

```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash string_combine.sh
LinuxHint
Linux+Hint is a good tutorial blog site
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

➤ **Write a shell script to Add two numbers.**

You can do the arithmetical operations in bash in different ways. How you can add two integer numbers in bash using double brackets is shown in the following script. Create a file named 'add_numbers.sh' with the following code. Two integer values will be taken from the user and printed the result of addition.

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Enter first  number"
read x
echo "Enter second      number"
read y
$(( sum=x+y ))
echo "The result of addition=$sum"
```

Output:

\$ bash add_numbers.sh

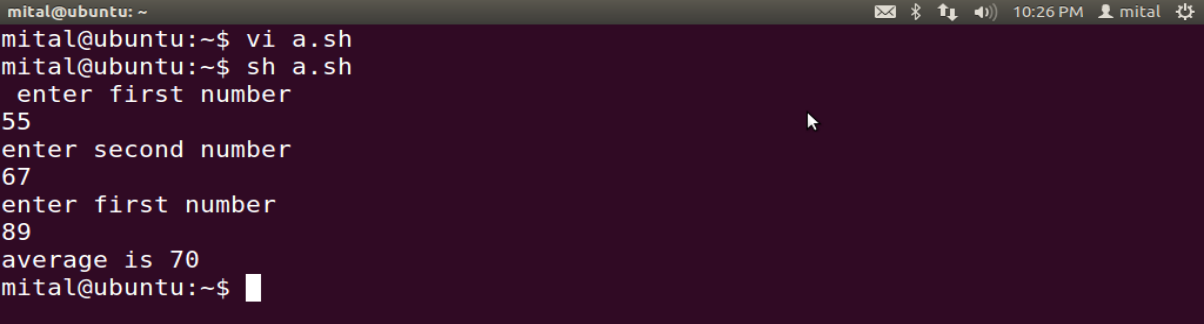
```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash add_numbers.sh
Enter first number
25
Enter second number
56
The result of addition=81
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

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➤ **Write a shell script to Average Of 3 Numbers.**

```
#!/bin/bash
Echo " enter first number"
read a
echo "enter second number"
read b
echo "enter first number"
read c
total=`expr $a + $b + $c`
avg=`expr $total / 3`
echo "average is $avg"
```

Output:



A terminal window screenshot showing the execution of a shell script. The prompt is 'mital@ubuntu: ~'. The user enters 'vi a.sh' to create a file, then 'sh a.sh' to run it. The script prompts for three numbers: 'enter first number' (55), 'enter second number' (67), and 'enter first number' (89). It then outputs 'average is 70' and returns to the prompt 'mital@ubuntu:~\$'.

➤ **Write a shell script to Calculate Factorial Of Given Number**

```
#!/bin/bash
n=0
on=0
fact=1
echo "enter any number "
read n
on=$n while [ $n -ge 1 ]
do
fact=`expr $fact \* $n` n=`expr $n - 1`
done
echo "factorial for $on is $fact"
```

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Output:

```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi fact.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ sh fact.sh  
enter any number  
5  
factorial for 5 is 120  
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

➤ Shell Script To Determine Whether Given File Exist or Not.

```
#!/bin/bash  
echo "enter file name"  
  
read fname  
  
if [ -f $fname ] then  
echo "$fname file exist"  
else  
echo "sorry, $fname file does not exist"  
fi
```

Output:

```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi file.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ sh file.sh  
enter file name  
mital.txt
```


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➤ **Shell Program to find Largest of Three Numbers.**

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Enter Num1"
read num1
echo "Enter Num2"
read num2
echo "Enter Num3"
read num3

if [ $num1 -gt $num2 ] && [ $num1 -gt $num3 ]
then
    echo $num1
elif [ $num2 -gt $num1 ] && [ $num2 -gt $num3 ]
then
    echo $num2
else
    echo $num3
fi
```

Output:



```
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi max.sh
mital@ubuntu:~$ sh max.sh
Enter Num1
1
Enter Num2
2
Enter Num3
3
3
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

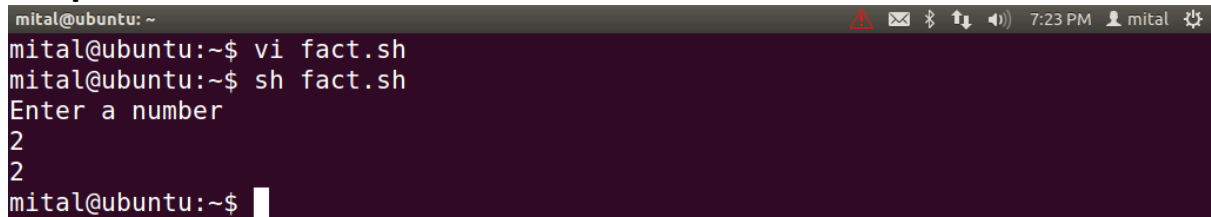
➤ **Shell Program to find Largest of Three Numbers.**

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Enter a number"
read num
```

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```
fact=1
while [ $num -gt 1 ]
do
    fact=$((fact * num)) #fact = fact * num
    num=$((num - 1))    #num = num - 1
done
echo $fact
```

Output:

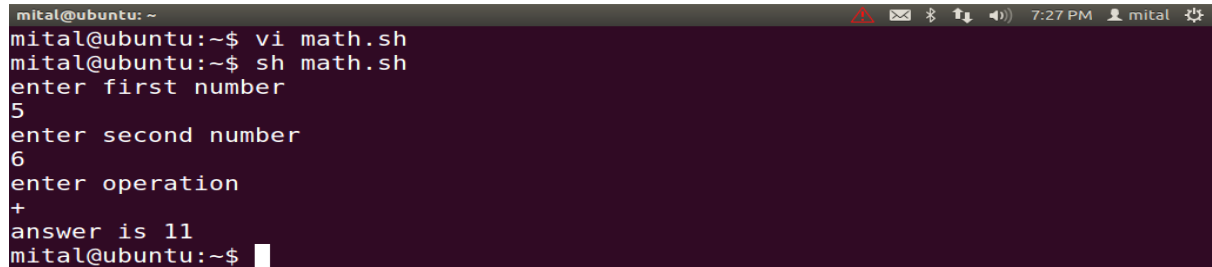


```
mital@ubuntu: ~
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi fact.sh
mital@ubuntu:~$ sh fact.sh
Enter a number
2
2
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

➤ Write a Shell Script Basic Math Calculator (Case Statement)

```
#!/bin/bash
echo enter first number
read a
echo enter second number
read b
echo enter operation
read c
case $c in
+) z=`expr $a + $b`;
-) z=`expr $a - $b`;
/) z=`expr $a / $b`;
x) z=`expr $a \* $b`;
esac
echo answer is $z
```

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Output:

```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi math.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ sh math.sh  
enter first number  
5  
enter second number  
6  
enter operation  
+  
answer is 11  
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

➤ Write a Shell Program to Print an Array.

```
#!/bin/bash  
echo "Enter number of elements: "  
read n  
echo "Enter array elements: "  
for ((i=0; i<n; i++))  
do  
read a[$i]  
done  
echo "The elements of an array are: "  
for ((i=0; i<n; i++))  
do  
echo a[$i];  
echo ${a[$i]}  
done
```

Output:

```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi math.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ sh math.sh  
enter first number  
5  
enter second number  
6  
enter operation  
+  
answer is 11  
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

➤ Write a Shell Program to Find no is prime or not.

```
echo enter a number  
read n
```


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```
na=`expr $n - 1`  
while [ $na -gt 1 ]  
do  
    t=`expr $n % $na`  
    if test $t = 0  
    then  
        echo this number is not prime  
        exit  
    else  
        na=`expr $na - 1`  
    fi  
done  
if [ $na -eq 1 ]  
then  
    echo this is a prime number  
fi
```

Output:

```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi factor.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ sh factor.sh  
enter a number  
3  
this is a prime number  
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

➤ **Write a Shell Program to create a Simple Function.**

```
#!/bin/bash  
function F1()  
{  
    echo 'I like bash programming'  
}  
  
F1
```

Output:

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```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi f.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ bash f.sh  
I like bash programming  
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

➤ **Write a Shell Program to create a directory and check exist or not.**

```
#!/bin/bash  
echo "Enter directory name"  
read ndir  
if [ -d "$ndir" ]  
then  
echo "Directory exist"  
else  
`mkdir $ndir`  
echo "Directory created"  
fi
```

Output:

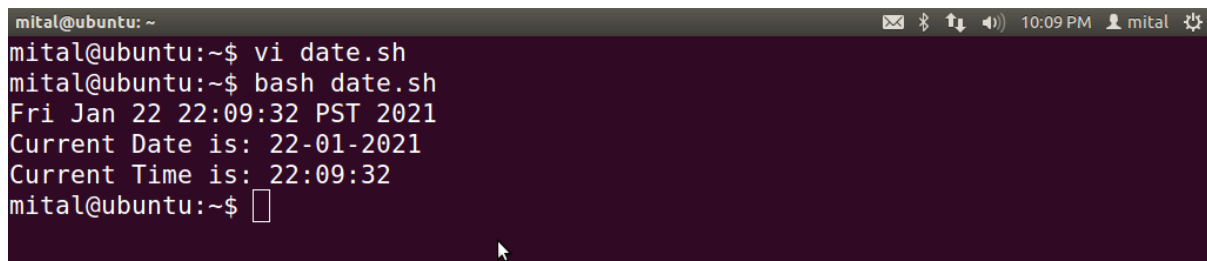
```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi d.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ bash d.sh  
Enter directory name  
mital  
Directory created  
mital@ubuntu:~$ bash d.sh  
Enter directory name  
mital  
Directory exist  
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

➤ **Write a Shell Program to display current date and time.**

```
#!/bin/bash  
Year=`date +%Y`
```

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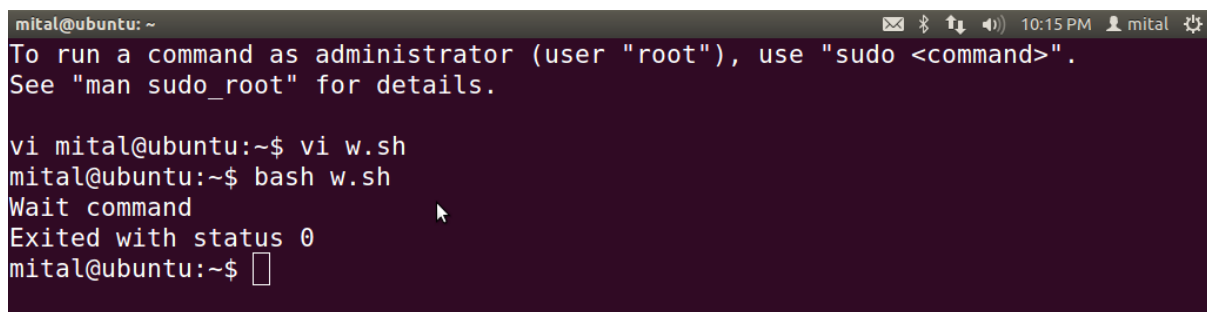
```
Month=`date +%m`  
Day=`date +%d`  
Hour=`date +%H`  
Minute=`date +%M`  
Second=`date +%S`  
echo `date`  
echo "Current Date is: $Day-$Month-$Year"  
echo "Current Time is: $Hour:$Minute:$Second"
```

Output:

```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi date.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ bash date.sh  
Fri Jan 22 22:09:32 PST 2021  
Current Date is: 22-01-2021  
Current Time is: 22:09:32  
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

➤ Write a Shell script to wait command.

```
#!/bin/bash  
echo "Wait command" &  
process_id=$!  
wait $process_id  
echo "Exited with status $?"
```

Output:

```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
To run a command as administrator (user "root"), use "sudo <command>".  
See "man sudo_root" for details.  
  
vi mital@ubuntu:~$ vi w.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ bash w.sh  
Wait command  
Exited with status 0  
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

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➤ **Write a Shell script to sleep command.**


```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
echo "Wait for 5 seconds"
```

```
sleep 5
```

```
echo "Completed"
```

Output:



```
mital@ubuntu: ~  
mital@ubuntu:~$ vi sleep.sh  
mital@ubuntu:~$ bash sleep.sh  
"Wait for 5 seconds"  
"Completed"  
mital@ubuntu:~$
```

➤ **Write a Shell script to if else statement.**

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
echo "Enter your lucky number"
```

```
read n
```

```
if [ $n -eq 101 ];
```

```
then
```

```
echo "You got 1st prize"
```

```
elif [ $n -eq 510 ];
```

```
then
```

```
echo "You got 2nd prize"
```

```
elif [ $n -eq 999 ];
```

```
then
```

```
echo "You got 3rd prize"
```

```
else
```

```
echo "Sorry, try for the next time"
```

```
fi
```

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Output:

```
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash elseif_example.sh
Enter your lucky number
101
You got 1st prize
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash elseif_example.sh
Enter your lucky number
999
You got 3rd prize
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$ bash elseif_example.sh
Enter your lucky number
100
Sorry, try for the next time
ubuntu@ubuntu-VirtualBox:~/code$
```

THANK YOU