

Shell Script

Conditional Statements

- 1.if statement
- 2.if-else statement
- 3.switch statement

1.if statement

This block will process if specified condition is true.

Syntax:

```
if [ expression ]
then
    statement
fi
```

Example

```
#Initializing two variables
a=10
b=20

#Check whether they are equal
if [ $a == $b ]
then
    echo "a is equal to b"
fi

#Check whether they are not equal
```

```
if [ $a != $b ]
then
    echo "a is not equal to b"
fi
```

2.if-else statement

If specified condition is not true in if part then else part will be execute.

Syntax:

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

Example

```
#Initializing two variables
a=20
b=20

if [ $a == $b ]
then
    #If they are equal then print this
    echo "a is equal to b"
else
    #else print this
    echo "a is not equal to b"
fi
```

3.switch statement

Syntax:

```
case in
```

```
        Pattern 1) Statement 1;;
        Pattern n) Statement n;;
esac
```

Example

```
CARS="bmw"

#Pass the variable in string
case "$CARS" in
    #case 1
    "mercedes") echo "Headquarters - Affalterbach, Germany" ;;

    #case 2
    "audi") echo "Headquarters - Ingolstadt, Germany" ;;

    #case 3
    "bmw") echo "Headquarters - Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India" ;;
esac
```

Looping Statements

- 1.for statement
- 2.while statement

1.for statement

Syntax:

```
for var in word1 word2 ...wordn
do
    Statement to be executed
done
```

Example:

```
#Start of for loop
```

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for a in 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
do
    # if a is equal to 5 break the loop
    if [ $a == 5 ]
    then
        break
    fi
    # Print the value
    echo "Iteration no $a"
done

```

2.while statement

Here command is evaluated and based on the result loop will executed, if command raise to false then loop will be terminated

Syntax

```

while command
do
    Statement to be executed
done

```

Example:

```

a=0
# -lt is less than operator

#Iterate the loop until a less than 10
while [ $a -lt 10 ]
do
    # Print the values
    echo $a

    # increment the value
    a=`expr $a + 1`
done

```

Function Statements

syntax:

```
function_name  () {  
    list of commands  
}
```

Example:

```
#!/bin/sh  
  
# Define your function here  
Hello () {  
    echo "Hello World"  
}  
  
# Invoke your function  
Hello
```

Problem set

1. Password check with if-else statement

```
#!/bin/bash  
read -p "Enter a password" pass  
if test "$pass" = "jerry"  
then  
    echo "Password verified."  
else  
    echo "Access denied."  
fi
```

2. positive/ negative number check with if-else statement

```
#!/bin/bash  
read -p "Enter number : " n  
if test $n -ge 0  
then  
    echo "$n is positive number."  
else
```

```
        echo "$n number is negative number."
fi
```

3.pattern check with if statement

```
echo 'Hello'
if [[ $1 == 'awesome' ]];
then
    echo 'You are awesome'
fi
echo 'Bye'
```

#N.B- please save this file as file1.sh
#and run as: ./file1.sh awesome

4.pattern check with if-else statement

```
echo 'Hello'
if [[ $1 == 'awesome' ]];
then
    echo 'You are awesome'
else
    echo 'You are...OK'
fi
echo 'Bye'
```

#N.B- please save this file as file1.sh
#and run as: ./file1.sh awesome

5.It will ask you to enter Linux distro name and tell you either it is based on Debian or not(switch case problem)

```
#!/bin/bash

echo -n "Enter the Linux distro name: "
read DISTRO

case $DISTRO in

    Ubuntu)
        echo -n "Yes, it is based on Debian."
        ;;

    "Linux Mint" | "Elementary OS")
        echo -n "Yes, it is based on Debian."
        ;;

    CentOS | Fedora | RHEL)
        echo -n "No, its not based on Debian"
        ;;

    *)
        echo -n "Can find distro information"
```

```
;;  
esac
```

6. simple for loop problem

```
for i in {1..3}  
do  
    echo "Welcome $i times"  
done
```

7. while loop practice

```
#!/bin/sh  
while :  
do  
    echo "Please type something in (^C to quit)"  
    read INPUT_STRING  
    echo "You typed: $INPUT_STRING"  
done
```

8. week show by for loop

```
#!/bin/bash  
for day in Sunday Saturday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday  
do  
    echo "Welcome $day day"  
done
```

9. Reading odd and even number

```
for (( n=1; n<=15; n++ ))  
do  
    if (( $n%2==0 ))  
    then  
        echo "$n is even"  
    else  
        echo "$n is odd"  
    fi  
done
```

10. function problem

```
#!/bin/bash  
myfunction()  
{  
    echo "First argument is as $1"  
    echo "Second argument is as $2"  
}  
myfunction "Hello" "World"  
echo $1  
echo $2
```

