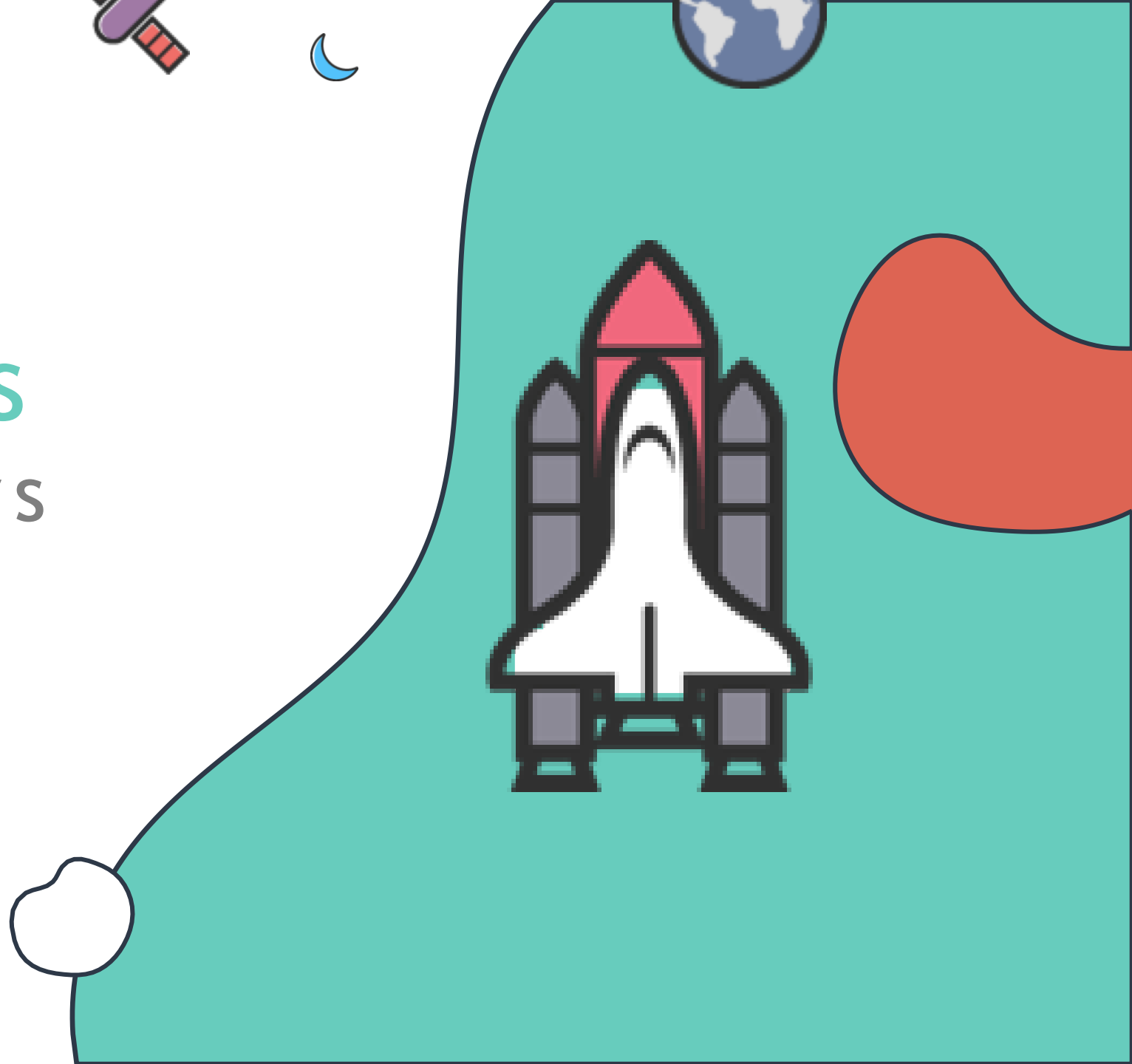


Shell Scripts

For Beginners



Why Shell Scripts?



Automate



Time



Productivity

Why Shell Scripts?

- Automate Daily Backups
- Automate Installation and Patching of software on multiple servers
- Monitor system periodically
- Raise alarms and send notifications
- Troubleshooting and Audits
- Many More



Who is this for?

- Systems Administrators
- Developers
- IT Engineers
- Absolute Beginners
- **No Programming Experience**

Objectives



What are Shell Scripts?



Variables



Control Logic



Loops



Executing a shell script



Shebang



Arithmetic Operations



Best Practices/IDEs

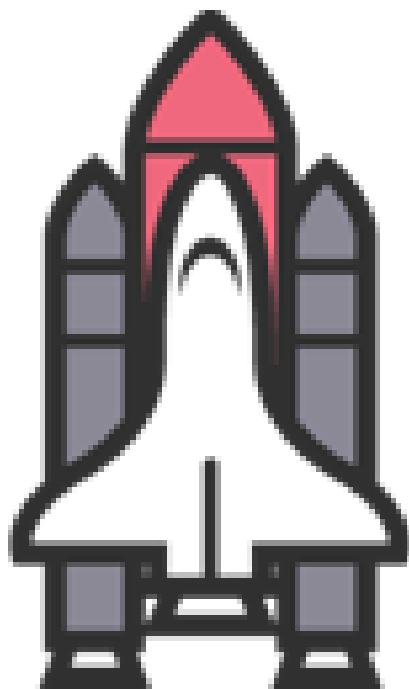
Pre-Requisites

- Linux Basics
- Command line basics
- No programming knowledge required

Introduction



Shell Scripting





Launch Sequence

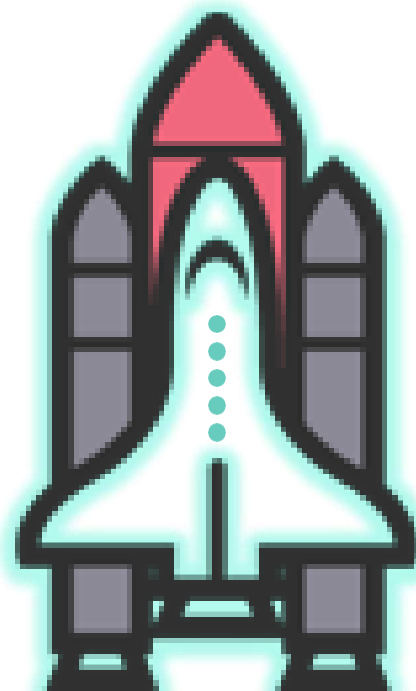
1. Start Auxiliary Power

2. Switch to Internal Power

3. Auto Sequence Start

4. Main Engine Start

5. Lift Off





Launch Sequence

1. Start Auxiliary Power

rocket-start-power

ls

rocket-ls

2. Switch to Internal Power

rocket-internal-power

useradd

rocket-add

3. Auto Sequence Start

rocket-start-sequence

mkdir

rocket-del

4. Main Engine Start

rocket-start-engine

which

rocket-status

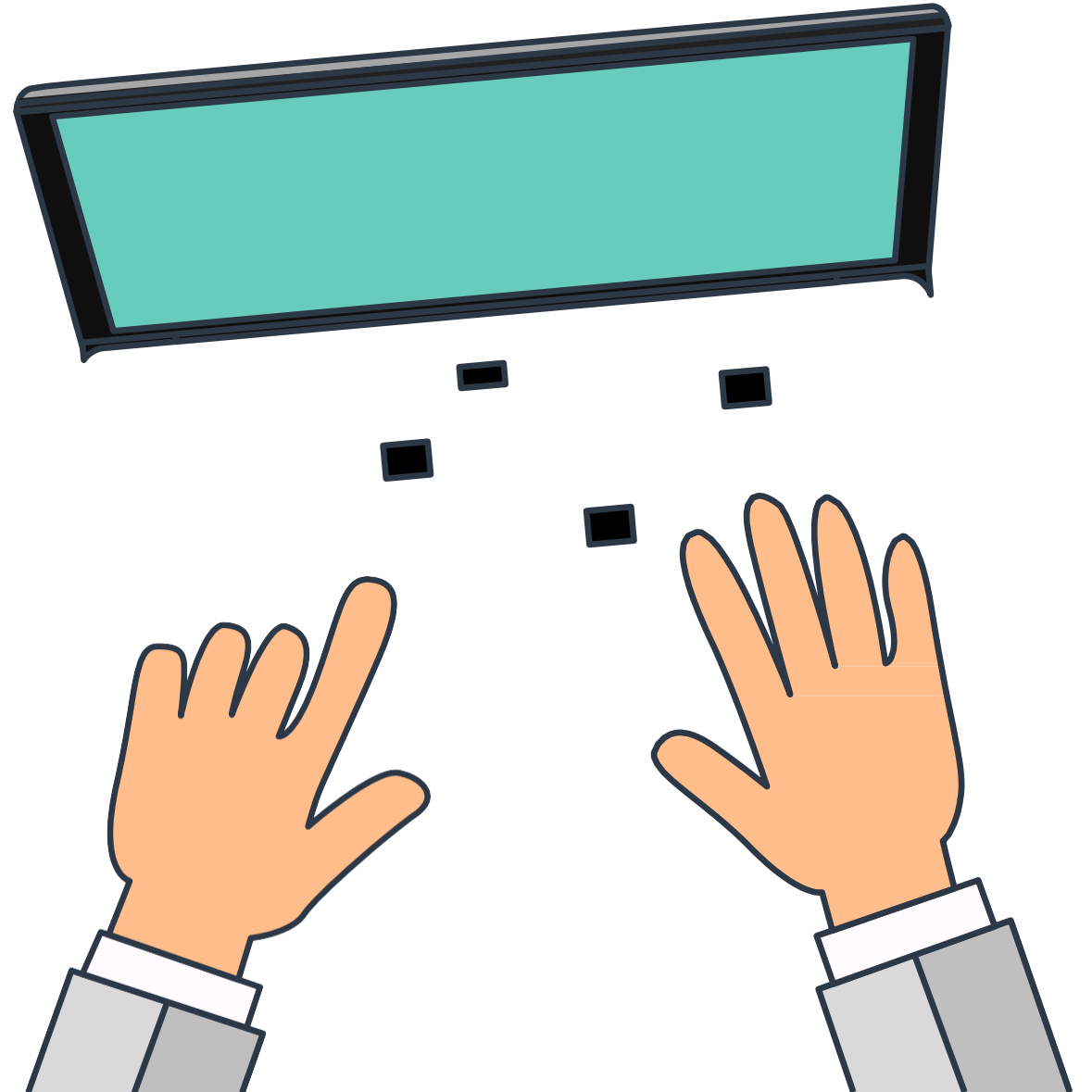
5. Lift Off

rocket-lift-off

dir

rocket-debug

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Creating your first Script



Shell Scripting

Creating your First Script

```
$ mkdir lunar-mission
```

```
$ rocket-add lunar-mission
```

```
$ rocket-start-power lunar-mission  
$ rocket-internal-power lunar-mission  
$ rocket-start-sequence lunar-mission  
$ rocket-start-engine lunar-mission  
$ rocket-lift-off lunar-mission
```

```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission
```

```
$ bash create-and-launch-rocket.sh
```

```
create-and-launch-rocket.sh
```

```
✓ mkdir lunar-mission  
✓ rocket-add lunar-mission  
✓ rocket-start-power lunar-mission  
✓ rocket-internal-power lunar-mission  
✓ rocket-start-sequence lunar-mission  
✓ rocket-start-engine lunar-mission  
✓ rocket-lift-off lunar-mission  
✓ rocket-status lunar-mission
```

Run script as Command

```
$ bash create-and-launch-rocket.sh
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket      ✗  
create-and-launch-rocket      : command not found
```

```
$ echo $PATH  
/usr/local/sbin:/usr/local/bin:/usr/sbin:/usr/bin:/sbin:/bin
```

```
$ export  
PATH=/usr/local/sbin:/usr/local/bin:/usr/sbin:/usr/bin:/sbin:/bin /home/michael
```

or

```
$ export PATH=$PATH:/home/michael
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket      ✓
```

```
$ which create-and-launch-rocket  
/home/michael/create-and-launch-
```

Executing a Script

```
$ /home/michael/ create-and-launch-rocket ✗  
-bash: ./create-and-launch-rocket: Permission denied
```

```
$ ls -l /home/michael/create-and-launch-rocket  
-rw-rw-r-- 1 michael michael 19 Mar 16 09:47 create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
$ chmod +x /home/michael/create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
$ ls -l /home/michael/create-and-launch-rocket  
-rwx-rwx-r-x 1 michael michael 19 Mar 16 09:47 create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
$ /home/michael/create-and-launch-rocket ✓
```

Best Practice

“Leave out .sh extension for executables”

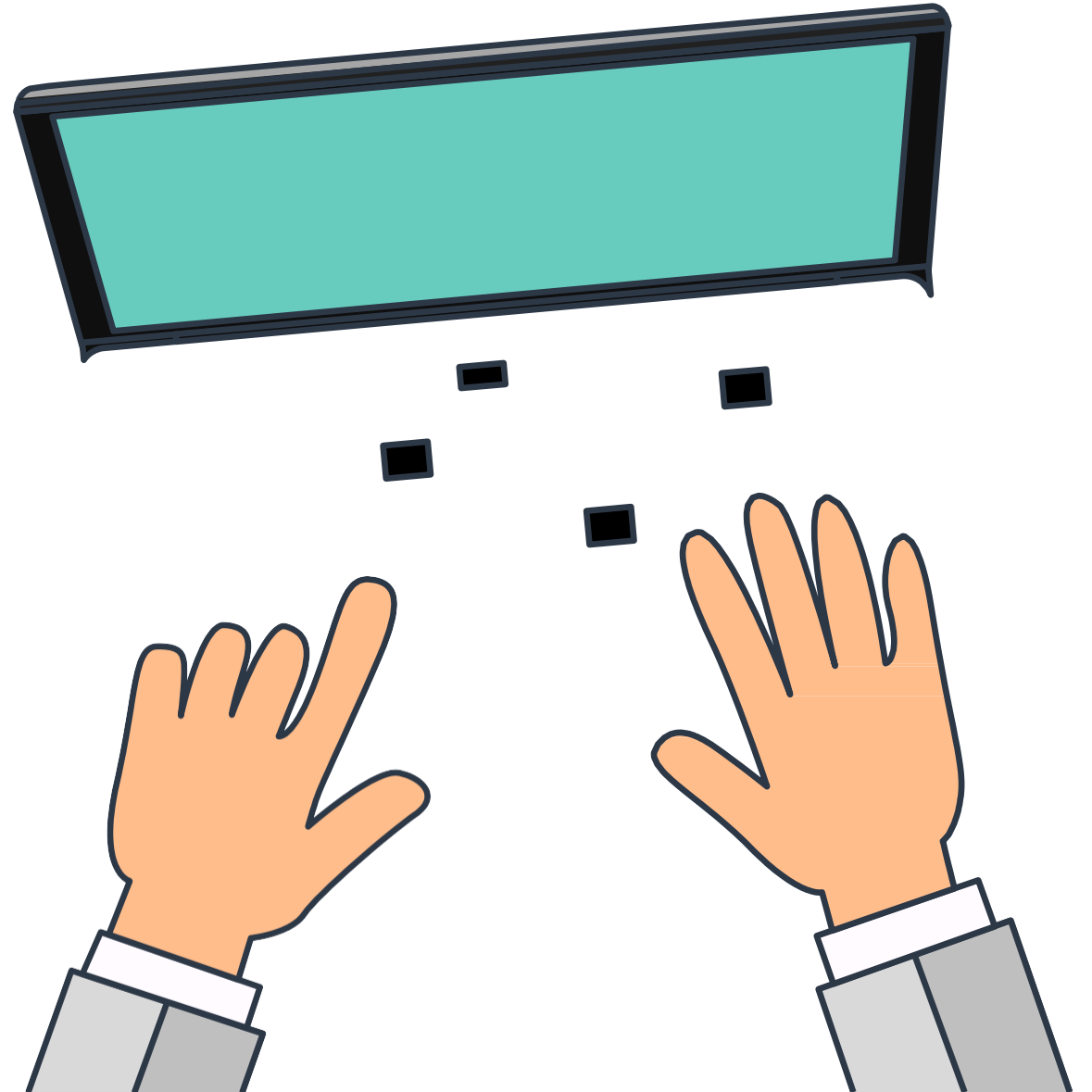
good:

create-and-launch-rocket

bad:

create-and-launch-rocket.sh

HANDS-ON LABS



Variables



Shell Scripting

VARIABLES

create-and-launch-rocket

```
mkdir lunar-mission
```

```
rocket-add lunar-mission
```

```
rocket-start-power lunar-mission
```

```
rocket-internal-power lunar-mission
```

```
rocket-start-sequence lunar-mission
```

```
rocket-start-engine lunar-mission
```

```
rocket-lift-off lunar-mission
```

```
rocket-status lunar-mission
```

VARIABLES

ALPHANUMERIC OR UNDERSCORES

`mission_name` `mission-name`

CASE SENSITIVE

`MISSION_NAME` \neq `mission_name`

create-and-launch-rocket

```
mission_name=mars-mission
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-crew-ready $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket-status $mission_name
```

VARIABLES

```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission
```

```
launching
```

```
success
```

```
failed
```

```
create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
mission_name=mars-mission
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-crew-ready $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

```
echo "Status of launch: $rocket_status"
```

```
echo "Status of launch: $rocket_status_state"  
    "Status of launch: success_state"
```

```
echo "Status of launch: ${rocket_status}_state"  
    "Status of launch: success_state"
```

Best Practice

“Variable names must be in lower-case with underscores to separate words”

good:

mission_name

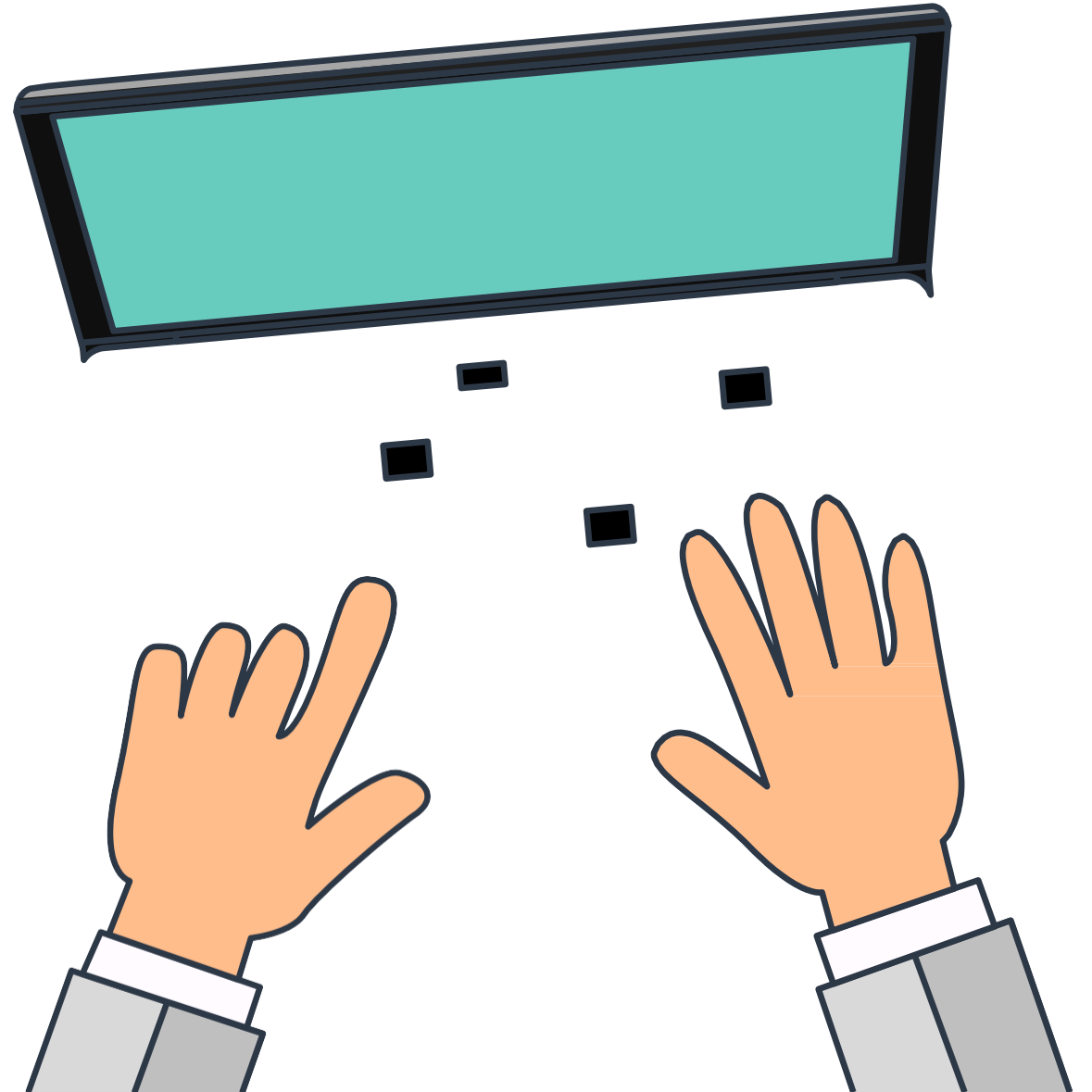
bad:

Mission_Name

Mission Name

Mission-name

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Command Line Arguments



Shell Scripting

Command Line Arguments

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
$ #modify the create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
$ #modify the create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket saturn-mission
```

\$0

\$1

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket jupiter-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket uranus-mission
```

```
create-and-launch-
```

```
mission_name=$1
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name  
echo "Status of launch: $rocket_status"
```

Command Line Arguments



create-and-launch-

```
mission_name= $1
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

```
echo "Status of launch: $rocket_status"
```



create-and-launch-

```
mkdir $1
```

```
rocket-add $1
```

```
rocket-start-power $1
```

```
rocket-internal-power $1
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $1
```

```
rocket-start-engine $1
```

```
rocket-lift-off $1
```

```
rocket-status $1
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $1
```

```
echo "Status of launch: $rocket_status"
```



Best Practice

Design your script to be re-usable.”

“Script should not require to be edited before running.”

“Use command line arguments to pass inputs.”

Input



Shell Scripting

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket saturn-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
Enter the mission name: saturn-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
saturn-mission
```

```
create-and-launch-
```

```
read mission_name
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

```
echo "Status of launch: $rocket_status"
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket saturn-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
Enter the mission name: saturn-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
saturn-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket
```

```
Enter the mission name: saturn-mission
```

```
create-and-launch-
```

```
read -p "Enter mission name:" mission_name
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

```
echo "Status of launch: $rocket_status"
```


create-and-launch-

```
read -p "Enter mission name:" mission_name

mkdir $mission_name

rocket-add $mission_name

rocket-start-power $mission_name
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
rocket-lift-off $mission_name

rocket-status $mission_name

rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
echo "Status of launch: $rocket_status"
```

create-and-launch-

```
mission_name=$1

mkdir $mission_name

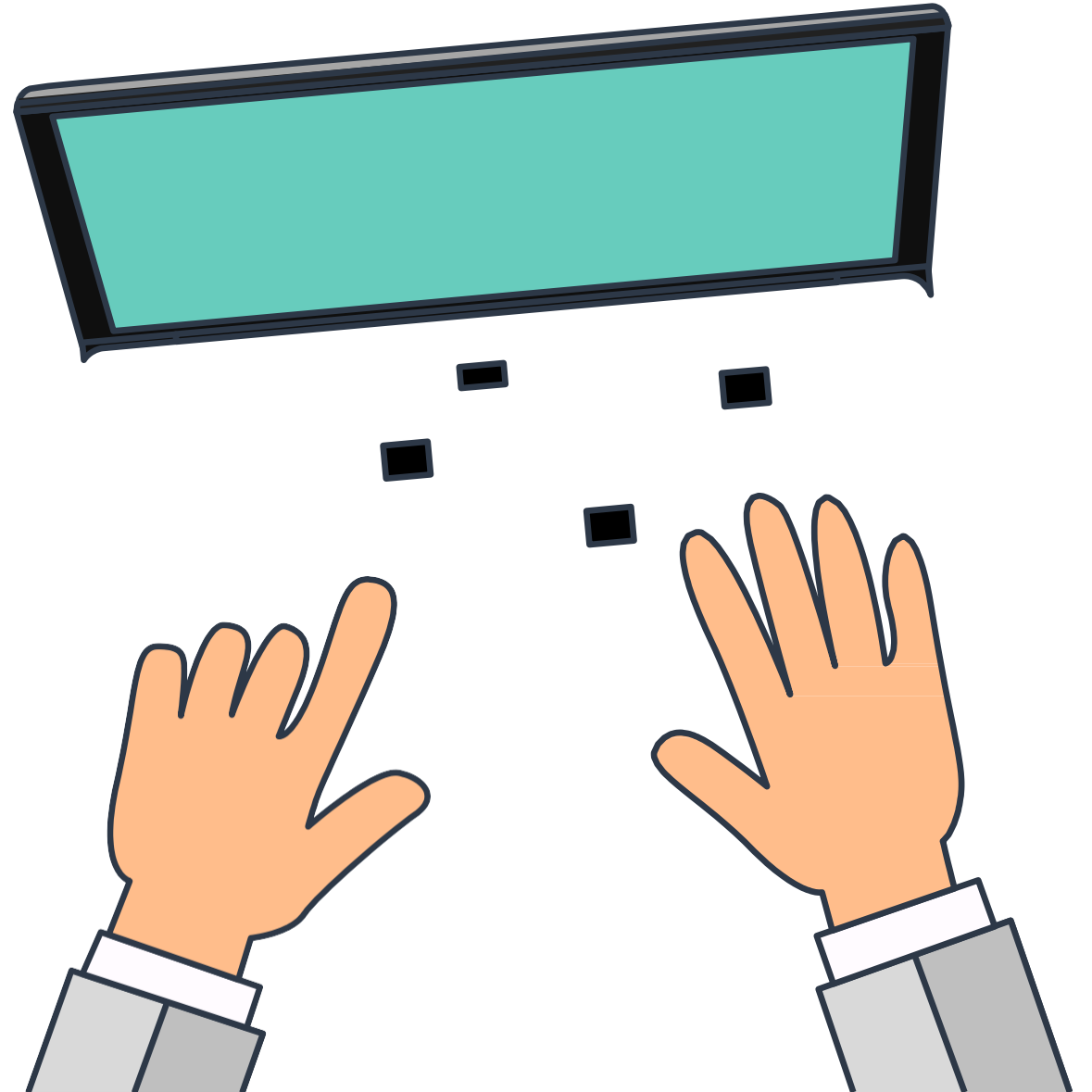
rocket-add $mission_name

rocket-start-power $mission_name
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
rocket-lift-off $mission_name

rocket-status $mission_name

rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
echo "Status of launch: $rocket_status"
```

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Arithmetic Operations



Shell Scripting

expr

```
$ expr 6□+□3  
9
```

```
$ expr 6 - 3  
3
```

```
$ expr 6 / 3  
2
```

```
$ expr 6 \* 3  
18
```

```
$ A=6  
$ B=3
```

```
$ expr $A + $B  
9
```

```
$ expr $A - $B  
3
```

```
$ expr $A / $B  
2
```

```
$ expr $A \* $B  
18
```

```
$ A=6
```

```
$ B=3
```

```
$ expr $A + $B
```

```
9
```

```
$ expr $A - $B
```

```
3
```

```
$ expr $A / $B
```

```
2
```

```
$ expr $A \* $B
```

```
18
```

double parentheses

```
$ echo $(( A + B ))
```

```
9
```

```
$ echo $(( A-B ))
```

```
3
```

```
$ echo $((A/B))
```

```
2
```

```
$ echo $(( A * B ))
```

```
18
```

double parentheses

```
$ echo $(( A + B ))
```

9

```
$ echo $(( A-B ))
```

3

```
$ echo $((A/B))
```

2

```
$ echo $(( A * B ))
```

18

```
$ echo $(( ++A ))
```

7

```
$ echo $(( --A ))
```

6

```
$ echo $(( A++ ))
```

6

```
$ echo $(( A-- ))
```

7

bc

```
$ A=10
```

```
$ B=3
```

```
$ expr $A / $B
```

```
3
```

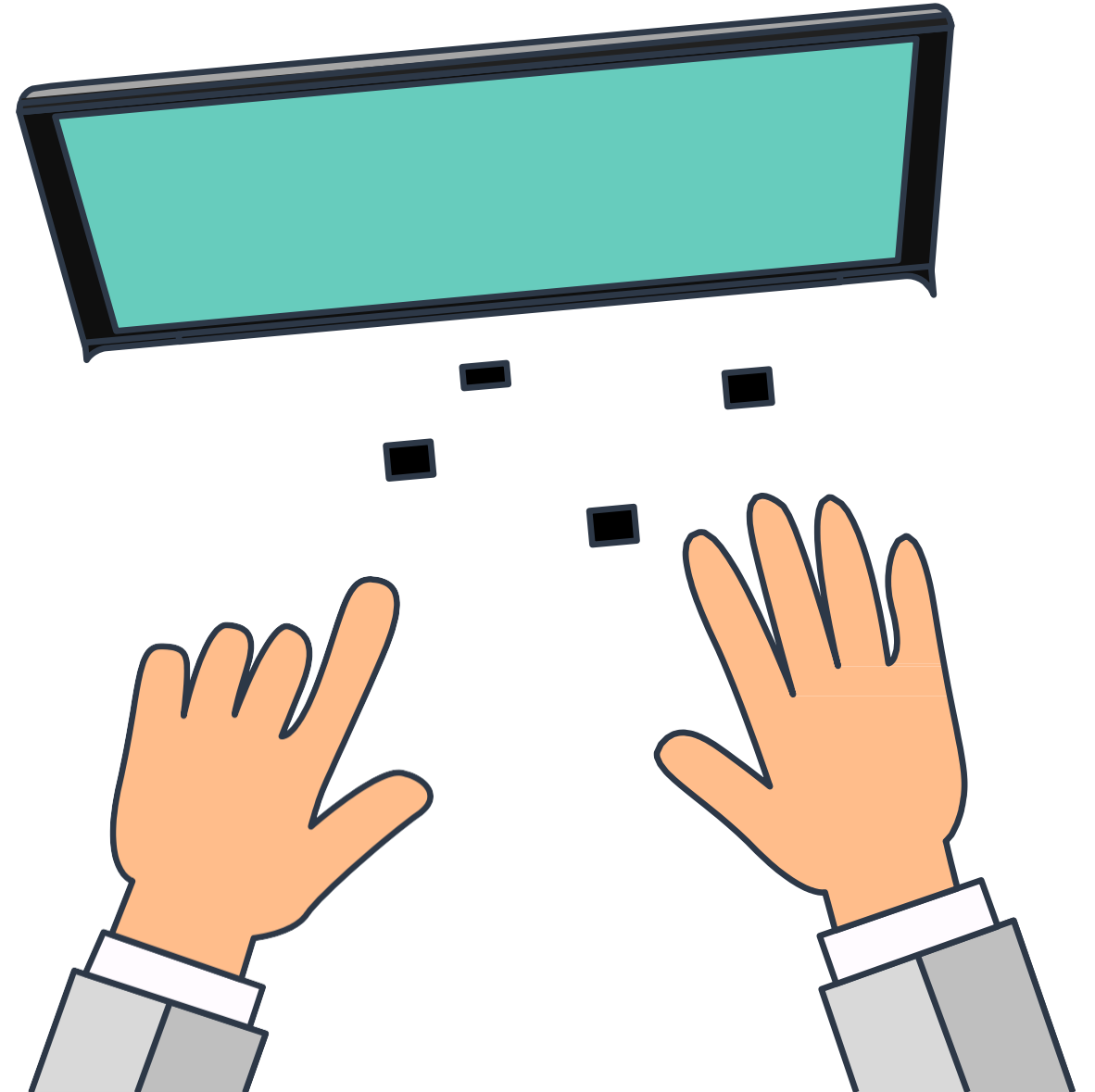
```
$ echo $((A/B))
```

```
3
```

```
$ echo $A / $B | bc -l
```

```
3.333333
```

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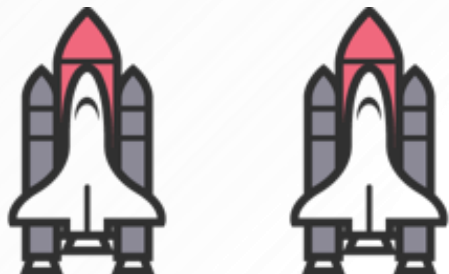
Conditional Logic



Shell Scripting

```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission  
launching ☐ success ☐ failed
```

```
$ rocket-debug lunar-mission  
overheating
```



create-and-launch-

```
mission_name=$1
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

if rocket-status is failed, then run this
`rocket-debug $mission_name`

Conditional Logic

```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission  
launching      success      failed
```

```
$ rocket-debug lunar-mission  
overheating
```

create-and-launch-

```
mission_name=$1
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

if rocket-status is failed, then run this

```
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
```

```
then
```

```
    rocket-debug $mission_name
```

```
fi
```


Conditional Logic

```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission  
launching ☐ success ☐ failed
```

```
$ rocket-debug lunar-mission  
overheating
```

create-and-launch-

```
● mission_name=$1  
  
● mkdir $mission_name  
  
● rocket-add $mission_name  
  
● rocket-start-power $mission_name  
● rocket-internal-power $mission_name  
● rocket-start-sequence $mission_name  
● rocket-start-engine $mission_name  
● rocket-lift-off $mission_name  
  
● rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)  
  
● if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]  
  then  
    ● rocket-debug $mission_name  
  fi
```



Else If

```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission
```

```
launching      success      failed
```

```
$ rocket-debug lunar-mission
```

```
overheating
```

create-and-launch-

```
mission_name=$1
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

```
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
```

```
then
```

```
    rocket-debug $mission_name
```

```
elif [ $rocket_status = "success" ]
```

```
then
```

```
    echo "This is successful"
```

```
fi
```

Else

```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission
```

```
launching
```

```
success
```

```
failed
```

```
$ rocket-debug lunar-mission
```

```
overheating
```

```
mkdir $mission_name  
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name  
rocket-internal-power $mission_name  
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name  
rocket-start-engine $mission_name  
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

```
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]  
then
```

```
    rocket-debug $mission_name
```

```
elif [ $rocket_status = "success" ]  
then
```

```
    echo "This is successful"
```

```
else
```

```
    echo "The state is not failed or succes
```

```
fi
```

Conditional Operators

[STRING1 = STRING2]

Example	Description
["abc" = "abc"]	If string1 is exactly equal to string2 (true)
["abc" != "abc"]	If string1 is not equal to string 2 (false)
[5 -eq 5]	If number1 is equal to number2 (true)
[5 -ne 5]	If number1 is not equal to number2 (false)
[6 -gt 5]	If number1 is greater than number2 (true)
[5 -lt 6]	If number1 is less than number2 (true)

Conditional Operators

```
[[ STRING1 = STRING2 ]]
```

Example	Description
<pre>[["abcd" = *bc*]]</pre>	If abcd contains bc (true)
<pre>[["abc" = ab[cd]]] or [["abd" = ab[cd]]]</pre>	If 3 rd character of abc is c or d (true)
<pre>[["abe" = "ab[cd]"]]</pre>	If 3 rd character of abc is c or d (false)
<pre>[["abc" > "bcd"]]</pre>	If "abc" comes after "bcd" when sorted in alphabetical (lexographical) order (false)
<pre>[["abc" < "bcd"]]</pre>	If "abc" comes before "bcd" when sorted in alphabetical (lexographical) order (true)

Only in BASH

Conditional Operators

[COND1] && [COND2]

[[COND1 && COND2]]

[COND1] || [COND2]

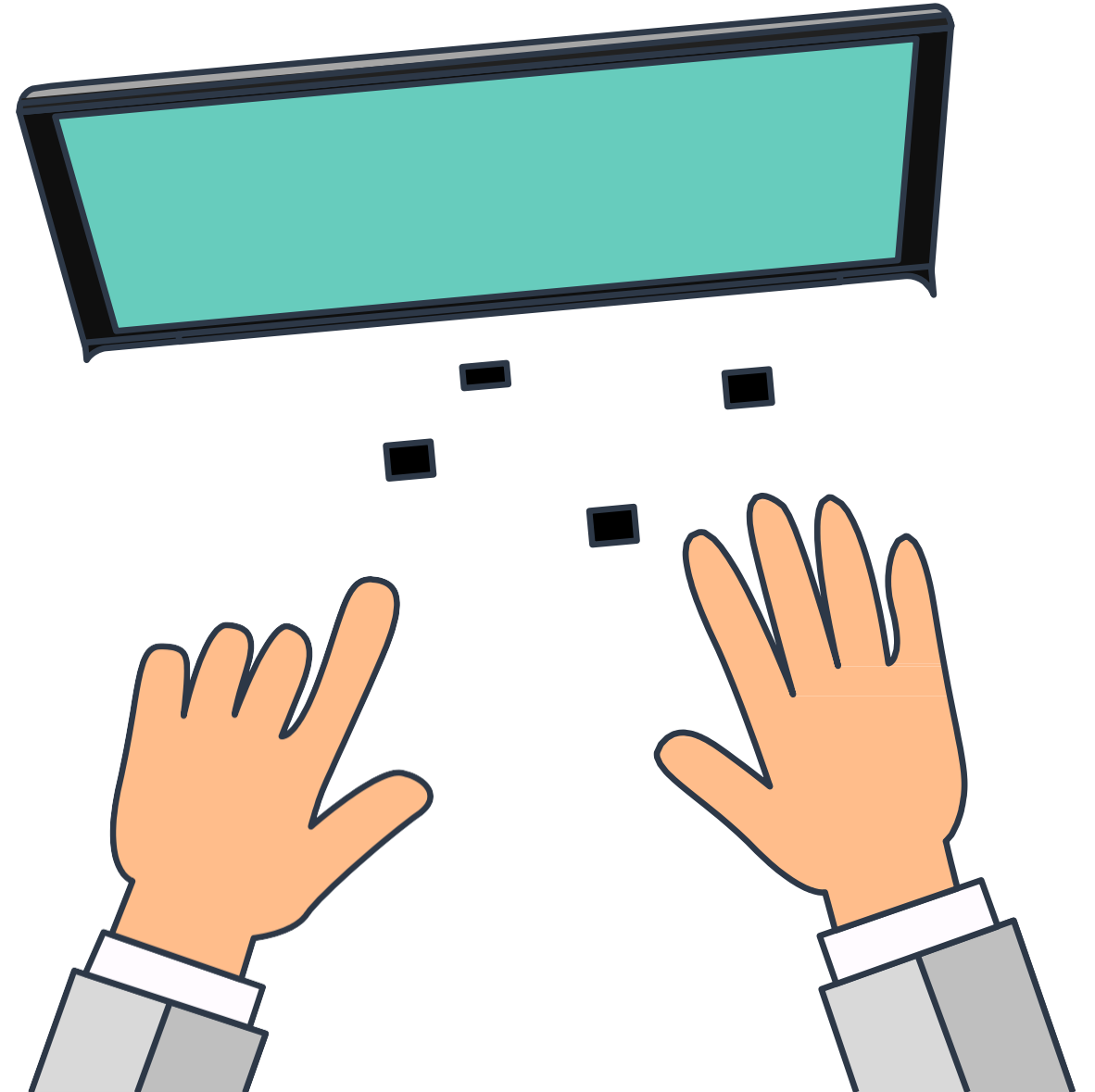
[[COND1 || COND2]]

Example	Description
[[A -gt 4 && A -lt 10]]	If A is greater than 4 and less than 10
[[A -gt 4 A -lt 10]]	If A is greater than 4 or less than 10

Conditional Operators

Example	Description
[-e FILE]	if file exists
[-d FILE]	if file exists and is a directory
[-s FILE]	If file exists and has size greater than 0
[-x FILE]	If the file is executable
[-w FILE]	If the file is writeable

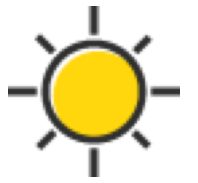
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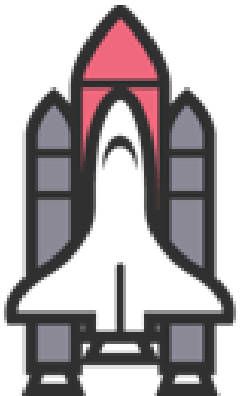
Loops - For



Shell Scripting



```
$ create-and-launch-rocket lunar-mission
```





```
$ create-and-launch-rocket lunar-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket jupiter-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket saturn-mission
```


```
$ create-and-launch-rocket satellite-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket lunar-mission-2
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket mars-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket earth-mission
```





```
$ create-and-launch-rocket lunar-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket jupiter-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket saturn-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket satellite-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket lunar-mission-2
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket mars-mission
```

```
$ create-and-launch-rocket earth-mission
```



launch-rockets.sh

```
create-and-launch-rocket lunar-mission
create-and-launch-rocket jupiter-mission
create-and-launch-rocket saturn-mission
create-and-launch-rocket satellite-mission
create-and-launch-rocket lunar-mission-2
create-and-launch-rocket mars-mission
create-and-launch-rocket earth-mission
```



launch-rockets.sh

For each mission

```
↪ create and  
for mission in lunar-mission jupiter-mission  
do launch rocket  
  create-and-launch-rocket $1 $2 $3 $4 $5 $6 $7 $8 $9  
done
```



launch-rockets.sh


```
❖ for mission in lunar-mission jupiter-mission saturn-mission satellite-mission lunar-mission-2
do
❖ create-and-launch-rocket $mission
done
```




mission-names.txt

```
lunar-mission
jupiter-mission
saturn-mission
satellite-mission
lunar-mission-2
mars-mission
apollo-mission
spitzer-mission
viking-mission
pheonix-mission
chandrayan-mission
gaganyaan-mission
aditya-mission
nisar-mission
mangalyaan-mission
columbia-mission
challenger-mission
atlantis-mission
endeavour-mission
mercury-mission
gemini-mission
```

launch-rockets.sh



```
for mission in $(cat mission-names.txt)
do
    create-and-launch-rocket $mission
done
```



```
for mission in $(cat mission-names.txt)
do
    create-and-launch-rocket $mission
done
```



```
for mission in 1 2 3 4 5 6
do
    create-and-launch-rocket mission-$mission
done
```

```
mission-1
mission-2
mission-3
mission-4
mission-5
mission-6
```

```
for mission in {0..100}
do
    create-and-launch-rocket mission-$mission
done
```

```
mission-1
mission-2
mission-3
mission-4
```



mission-100



```
for mission in $(cat mission-names.txt)
do
    create-and-launch-rocket $mission
done
```

```
for mission in 1 2 3 4 5 6
do
    create-and-launch-rocket mission-$mission
done
```

```
for mission in {0..100}
do
    create-and-launch-rocket mission-$mission
done
```



```
for (( mission = 0 ; mission <= 100; mission++ ))
do
    create-and-launch-rocket mission-$mission
done
```

Use a **For Loop** when you have to:

- Execute a command or a set of commands many times
- Iterate through files
- Iterate through lines within a file
- Iterate through the output of a command

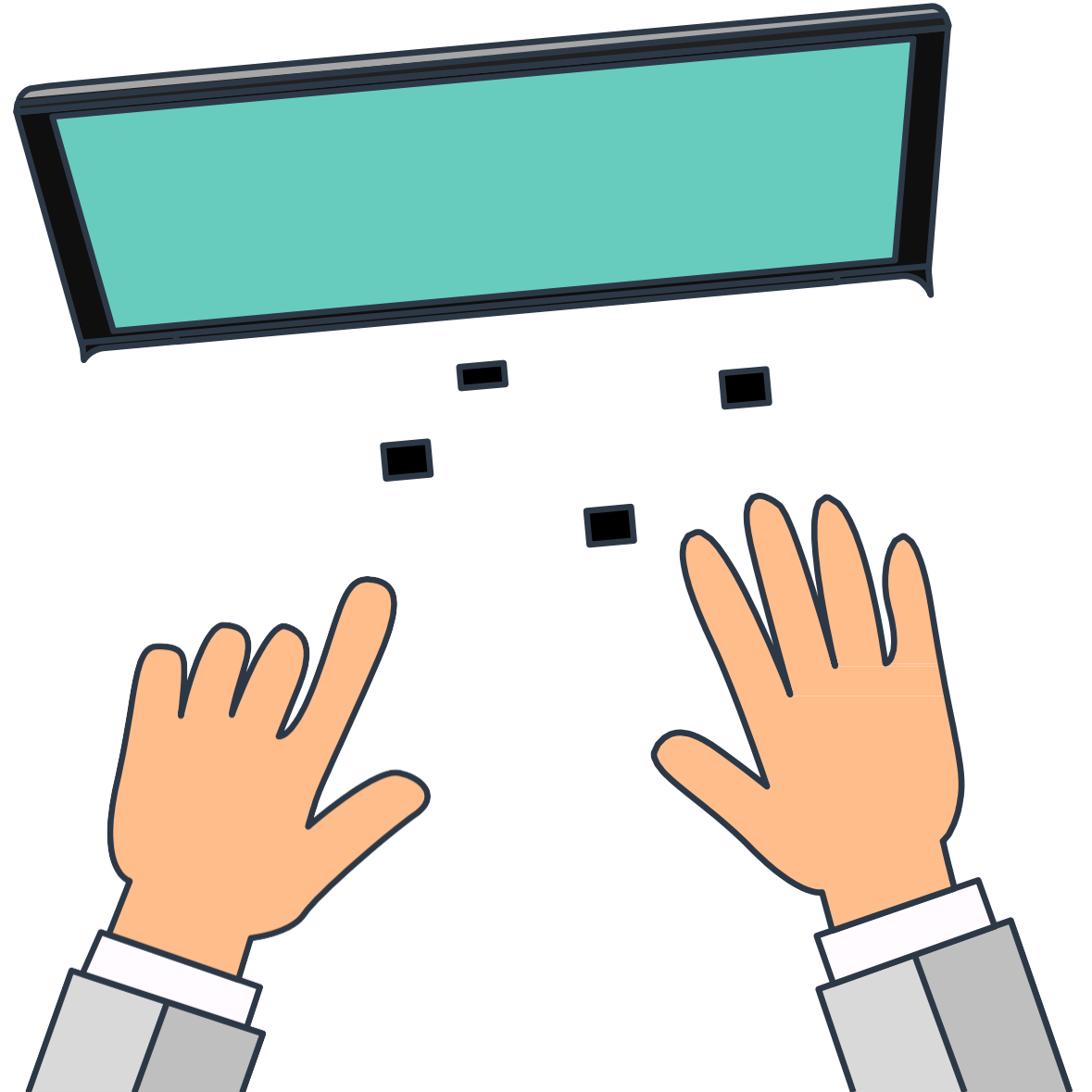
Real life use cases:

```
for file in $(ls)
do
    echo Line count of $file is $(cat $file | wc -l)
done
```

```
for server in $(cat servers.txt)
do
    ssh $server "uptime"
done
```

```
for package in $(cat install-packages.txt)
do
    sudo apt-get -y install $package
done
```

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Loops - While



Shell Scripting


```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission  
success
```



```
create-and-launch-
```

```
mission_name=$1
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
```

```
then
```

```
    rocket-debug $mission_name
```

```
fi
```

mission_name=\$1

```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission  
launching
```

create-and-launch-

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
if [ $rocket_status = "launching" ]
```

```
then
```

```
    sleep 2
```

```
    rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
fi
```

```
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
```

```
then
```

```
    rocket-debug $mission_name
```

```
fi
```

mission_name=\$1

```
$ rocket-status lunar-mission  
launching
```

create-and-launch-

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
if [ $rocket_status = "launching" ]
```

```
then
```

```
    sleep 2
```


```
    rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
    if [ $rocket_status = "launching" ]
```

```
    then
```

```
        sleep 2
```

```
    fi  
fi
```



```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
if [$rocket_status = "launching"]
```

```
then
```

```
    sleep 2
```

```
    rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
    if [$rocket_status = "launching"]
```

```
    then
```

```
        sleep 2
```

```
        rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
        if [$rocket_status = "launching"]
```


```
        then
```

```
            sleep 2
```

```
        fi
```

```
    fi
```

```
fi
```



```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
while [ $rocket_status = "launching" ]
do

    sleep 2
    rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name

done
```

mission_name=\$1

rocket_status=launched

create-and-launch-

```
• mkdir $mission_name

• rocket-add $mission_name

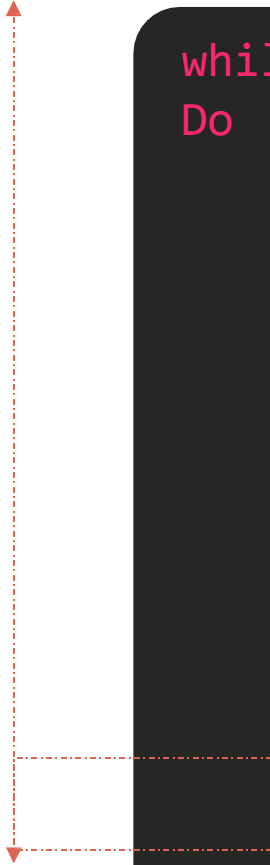
• rocket-start-power $mission_name
• rocket-internal-power $mission_name
• rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
• rocket-start-engine $mission_name
• rocket-lift-off $mission_name

• rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
• while [ $rocket_status = "launching" ]
do
    • sleep 2
    • rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
done
• if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
then
    • rocket-debug $mission_name
fi
```

Use a **While Loop** when you have to:

- Execute a command or a set of commands multiple times but you are not sure how many times.
- Execute a command or a set of commands until a specific condition occurs
- Create infinite loops
- Menu driven programs

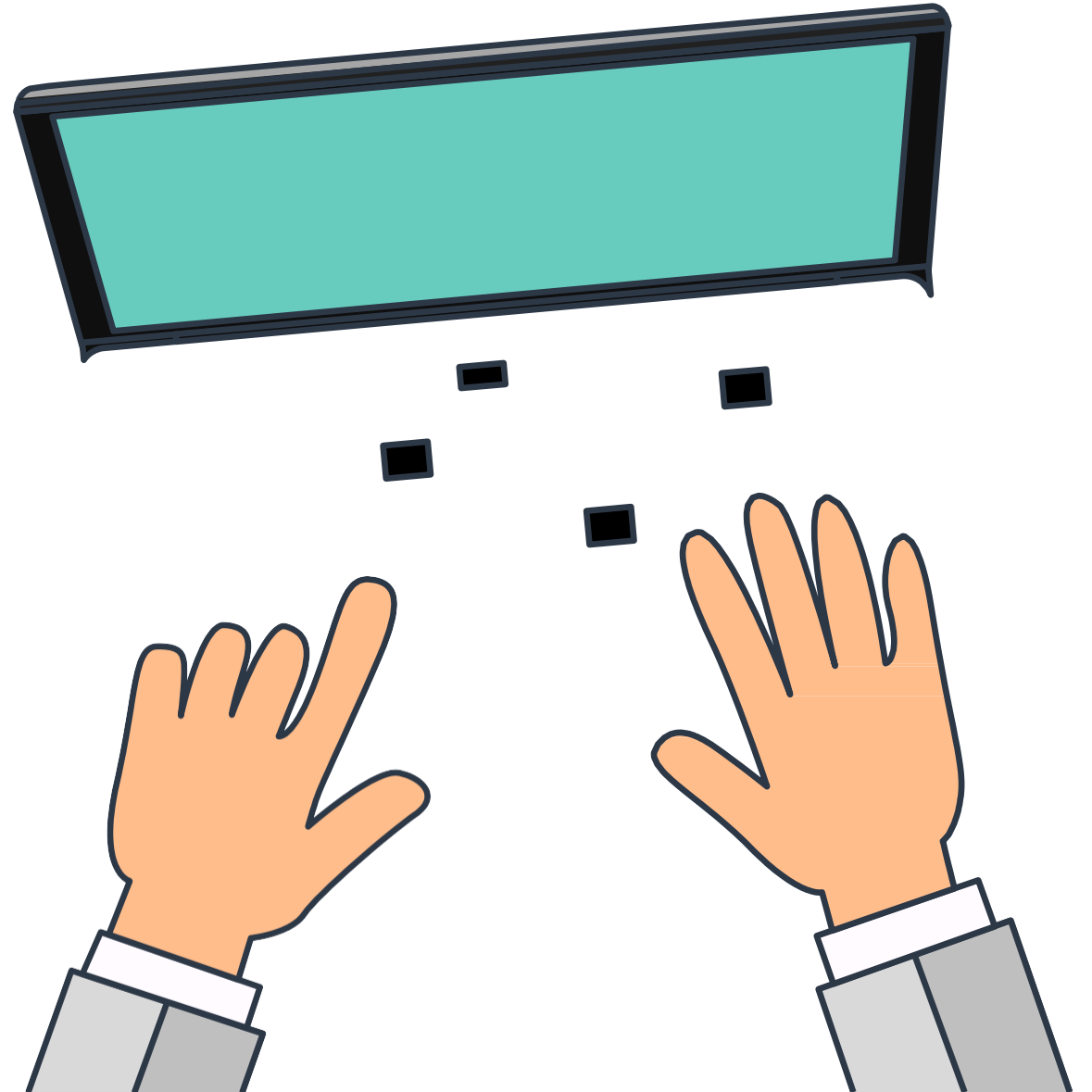
Real life use cases:



```
while true
Do
    echo "1. Shutdown"
    echo "2. Restart"
    echo "3. Exit Menu"
    read -p "Enter your choice: " choice

    if [ $choice -eq 1 ]
    then
        shutdown now
    elif [ $choice -eq 2 ]
    then
        shutdown -r now
    elif [ $choice -eq 3 ]
    then
        break
    else
        continue
    fi
done
```


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Case Statements



Shell Scripting

while

true

```
do
    echo "1. Shutdown"
    echo "2. Restart"
    echo "3. Exit Menu"
    read -p "Enter your choice: " choice

    if [ $choice -eq 1 ]
    then
        shutdown now
    elif [ $choice -eq 2 ]
    then
        shutdown -r now
    elif [ $choice -eq 3 ]
    then
        break
    else
        continue
    fi
done
```

```
echo "1. Shutdown"
echo "2. Restart"
echo "3. Exit Menu"
read -p "Enter your choice: " choice

if [ $choice -eq 1 ]
then
    shutdown now
elif [ $choice -eq 2 ]
then
    shutdown -r now
elif [ $choice -eq 3 ]
then
    break
else
    continue
fi
```

Case Statement

```
echo "1. Shutdown"
echo "2. Restart"
echo "3. Exit Menu"
• read -p "Enter your choice: " choice
• echo "1. Shutdown"
• echo "2. Restart"
• echo "3. Exit Menu"
if [ $choice -eq 1 ]
then
    shutdown now
elif [ $choice -eq 2 ]
then
    shutdown now
elif [ $choice -eq 3 ]
then
    break
else
    continue
fi
1) shutdown now ;;
```

esac

Case Statement

```
echo "1. Shutdown"
echo "2. Restart"
echo "3. Exit Menu"
• read -p "Enter your choice: " choice
• echo "1. Shutdown"
• echo "2. Restart"
• echo "3. Exit Menu"
if [ $choice -eq 1 ]
then
shutdown now
elif [ $choice -eq 2 ]
then
shutdown -r now
elif [ $choice -eq 3 ]
then
break
else
continue
fi
1) shutdown now
• ;;
```

```
2) shutdown -r now
```

```
esac
```

Case Statement

```
echo "1. Shutdown"  
echo "2. Restart"  
echo "3. Exit Menu"  
read -p "Enter your choice: " choice
```

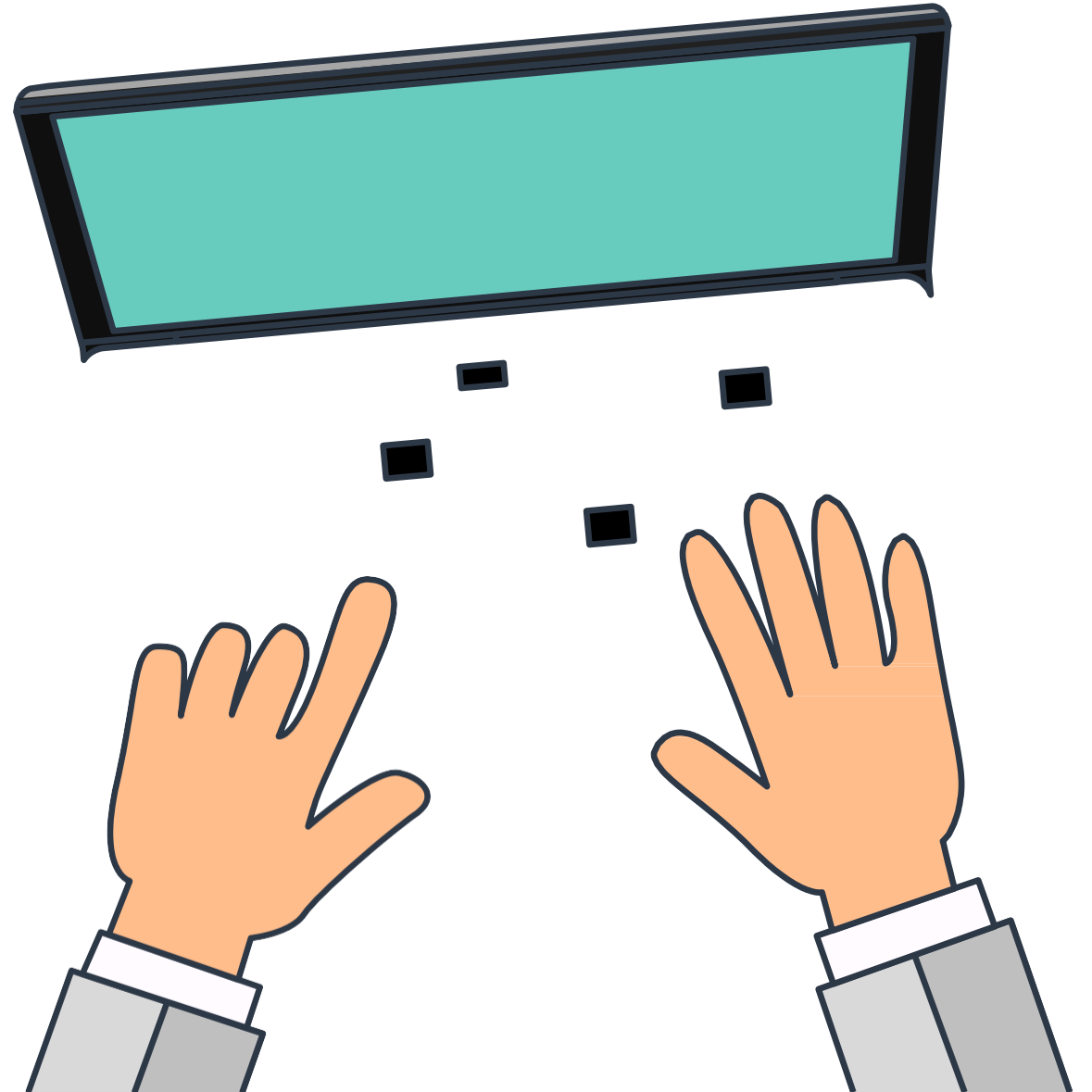
```
case $choice in  
    1) shutdown now  
        ;;  
    2) shutdown -r now  
        ;;  
    3) break  
        ;;  
    *) continue  
        ;;  
esac
```

Case Statement

```
while true
do
    echo "1. Shutdown"
    echo "2. Restart"
    echo "3. Exit Menu"
    read -p "Enter your choice: " choice

    case $choice in
        1) shutdown now
            ;;
        2) shutdown -r now
            ;;
        3) break
            ;;
        *) continue
            ;;
    esac
done
```


HANDS-ON LABS



SHEBANG



Shell Scripting

SHEBANG

launch-rockets.sh

```
#!/bin/bash
for mission in {0..10}
do
    create-and-launch-rocket $mission
done
```

```
sh$ ls -l /bin/sh
/bin/sh -> /bin/bash
```

Bourne Shell (**sh**)
Debian Almquist Shell (**dash**)

```
sh$ launch-rockets.sh
Launching mission {0..10}

sh$ bash launch-rockets.sh
Launching mission 0
Launching mission 1
Launching mission 2
Launching mission 3
.
.
Launching mission 9
Launching mission 10
```

Bourne again Shell (**bash**)

```
bash$ launch-rockets.sh
Launching mission 0
Launching mission 1
Launching mission 2
Launching mission 3
Launching mission 4
Launching mission 5
Launching mission 6
Launching mission 7
Launching mission 8
Launching mission 9
Launching mission 10
```

Best Practice

“Always start with a Shebang in your scripts”

Exit Codes



Shell Scripting

Exit Codes

```
$ ls  
/home /root /tmp
```

```
$ echo $?  
0
```

```
$ lss  
Failed: command not found
```

```
$ echo $?  
127
```

EXIT STATUS = 0

SUCCESS

```
$ rocket-status  
success
```

```
$ echo $?  
0
```

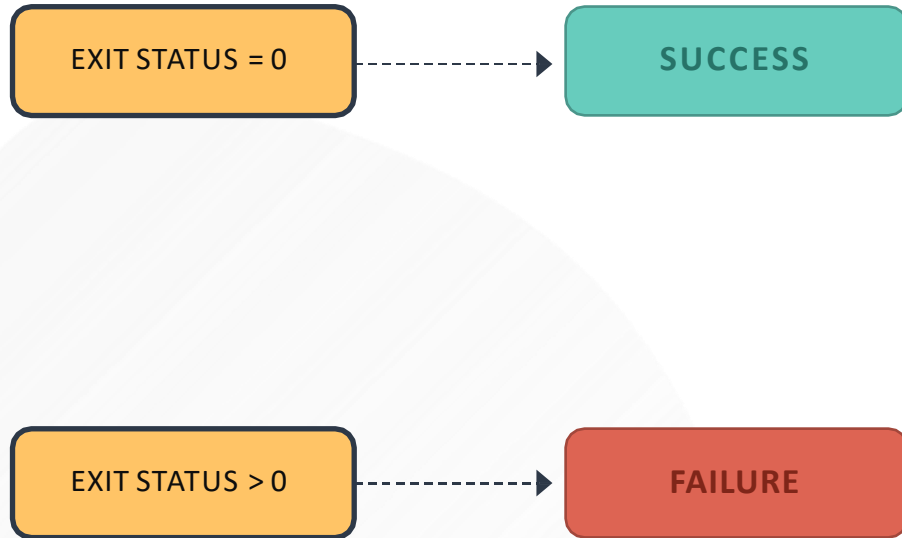
EXIT STATUS > 0

FAILURE

```
$ rocket-status  
failed
```

```
$ echo $?  
1
```

mission_name=\$1



```
$ create-and-launch-rocket  
failed
```

```
$ echo $?  
0
```

create-and-launch-

mission_name=\$1

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]
```

```
do
```

```
    sleep 2
```

```
    rocket_status=rocket-status $mission_name
```

```
done
```

```
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
```

```
then
```

```
    rocket-debug $mission_name
```

```
fi
```



```
$ create-and-launch-rocket  
failed
```

```
$ echo $?  
1
```

create-and-launch-

_name=

\$1 \$mission_name

rocket-add \$mission_name

rocket-start-power \$mission_name

rocket-internal-power \$mission_name

rocket-start-sequence \$mission_name

rocket-start-engine \$mission_name

rocket-lift-off \$mission_name

rocket_status=rocket-status \$mission_name

while [\$rocket_status == "launching"]
do

sleep 2

rocket_status=rocket-status \$mission_name

done

if [\$rocket_status = "failed"]

then

rocket-debug \$mission_name

exit 1

fi

Best Practice

“Always return appropriate exit codes in your script”

Functions



Shell Scripting

```
mission_name=$1
```

```
mkdir $mission_name
```

```
rocket-add $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
```

```
rocket-lift-off $mission_name
```

```
rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

```
while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]
```

```
do
```

```
    sleep 2
```

```
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
```

```
done
```

```
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
```

```
then
```

```
    rocket-debug $mission_name
```

```
    exit 1
```

```
fi
```

create-and-launch-rocket

```
mission_name=$1

mkdir $mission_name

rocket-add $mission_name

rocket-start-power $mission_name
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
rocket-lift-off $mission_name

rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)

while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]
do
    sleep 2
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
done
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
then
    rocket-debug $mission_name
    exit 1
fi

mission_name=mars-mission

mkdir $mission_name

rocket-add $mission_name

rocket-start-power $mission_name
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
rocket-lift-off $mission_name

rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)

while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]
do
```

create-and-launch-rocket

```
mission_name=$1

mkdir $mission_name

rocket-add $mission_name

rocket-start-power $mission_name
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
rocket-lift-off $mission_name

rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)

while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]
do
    sleep 2
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
done
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
then
    rocket-debug $mission_name
    exit 1
fi
```

```
mission_name=mars-mission

mkdir $mission_name

rocket-add $mission_name

rocket-start-power $mission_name
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
rocket-start-engine $mission_name
rocket-lift-off $mission_name

rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)

while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]
do
    sleep 2
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
done
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
then
    rocket-debug $mission_name
    exit 1
fi
```

```
mission_name=mars-mission

mkdir $mission_name

rocket-add $mission_name

rocket-start-power $mission_name
rocket-internal-power $mission_name
rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
```

```
mission_name=$1

mkdir $mission_name

rocket-add $mission_name

rocket-start-power $mission_name
rocket-internal-power
$mission_name rocket-start-
sequence $mission_name rocket-
start-engine $mission_name
rocket-lift-off $mission_name

rocket_status=$(rocket-status
$mission_name) while [ $rocket_status ==
"launching"
]
do
    sleep 2
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
done
if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
then
    rocket-debug $mission_name
    exit 1
fi
```

```
function launch-rocket() {
    mission_name=$1

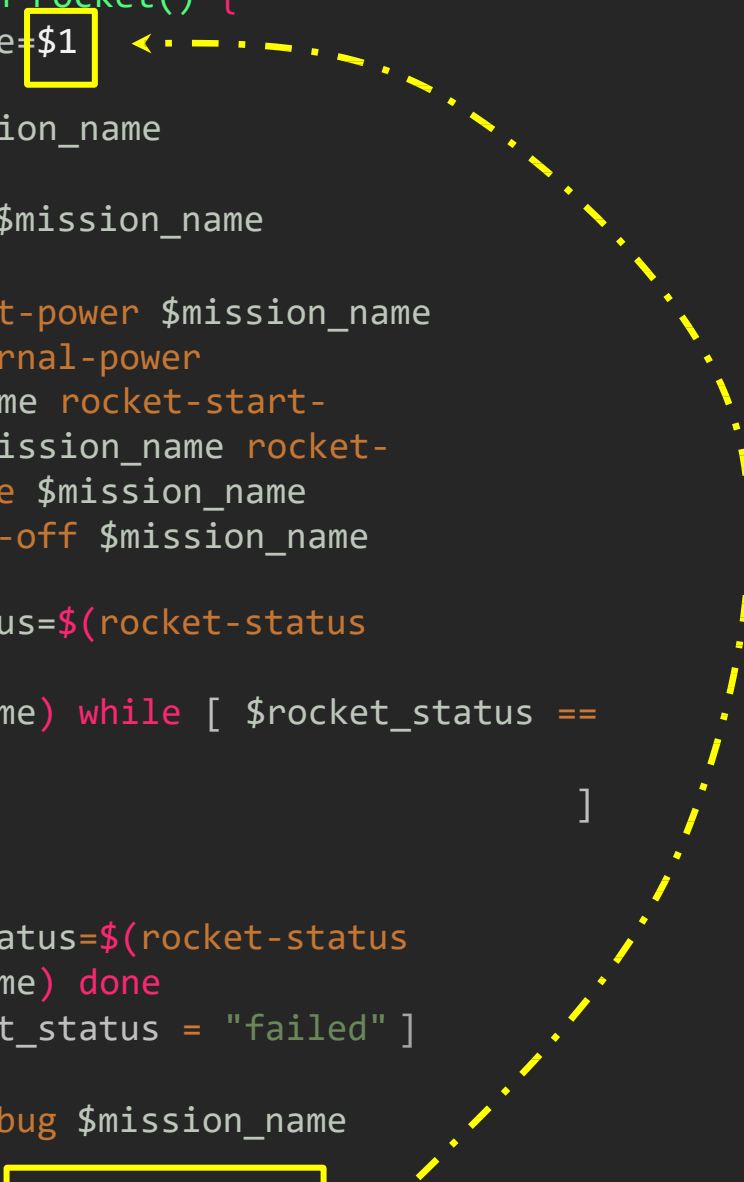
    mkdir $mission_name

    rocket-add $mission_name

    rocket-start-power $mission_name
    rocket-internal-power
$mission_name rocket-start-
sequence $mission_name rocket-
start-engine $mission_name
    rocket-lift-off $mission_name

    rocket_status=$(rocket-status
$mission_name) while [ $rocket_status ==
    "launching"
    ]
do
    sleep 2
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status
$mission_name) done
    if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
    then
        rocket-debug $mission_name
        exit 1
    fi
}
```

```
function launch-rocket() {  
    mission_name=$1  
  
    mkdir $mission_name  
  
    rocket-add $mission_name  
  
    rocket-start-power $mission_name  
    rocket-internal-power  
    $mission_name rocket-start-  
    sequence $mission_name rocket-  
    start-engine $mission_name  
    rocket-lift-off $mission_name  
  
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status  
    $mission_name) while [ $rocket_status ==  
    "launching"  
do  
    sleep 2  
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status  
    $mission_name) done  
    if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]  
    then  
        rocket-debug $mission_name  
        exit 1  
    fi  
}
```



Function Definition

```
function launch-rocket() {  
    mission_name=$1  
  
    mkdir $mission_name  
  
    rocket-add $mission_name  
  
    rocket-start-power $mission_name  
    rocket-internal-power $mission_name  
    rocket-start-sequence $mission_name  
    rocket-start-engine $mission_name  
    rocket-lift-off $mission_name  
  
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)  
  
    while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]  
    do  
        sleep 2  
        rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)  
    done  
    if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]  
    then  
        rocket-debug $mission_name  
        exit 1  
    fi  
}
```

Main

```
launch-rocket lunar-mission  
launch-rocket mars-mission  
launch-rocket saturn-mission  
launch-rocket mercury-mission
```

```
launch-rocket: command not found
```

create-and-launch-rocket

Main

```
launch-rocket lunar-mission
launch-rocket mars-mission
launch-rocket saturn-mission
launch-rocket mercury-mission
```

Function Definition

```
function launch-rocket() {
    mission_name=$1

    mkdir $mission_name

    rocket-add $mission_name

    rocket-start-power $mission_name
    rocket-internal-power $mission_name
    rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
    rocket-start-engine $mission_name
    rocket-lift-off $mission_name

    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)

    while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]
    do
        sleep 2
        rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
    done
    if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
    then
        rocket-debug $mission_name
        exit 1
    fi
}
```

Function Definition

```
function launch-rocket() {  
    mission_name=$1  
  
    mkdir $mission_name  
  
    rocket-add $mission_name  
  
    rocket-start-power $mission_name  
    rocket-internal-power $mission_name  
    rocket-start-sequence $mission_name  
    rocket-start-engine $mission_name  
    rocket-lift-off $mission_name  
  
    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)  
  
    while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]  
    do  
        sleep 2  
        rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)  
    done  
    if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]  
    then  
        rocket-debug $mission_name  
        exit 1  
    fi  
}
```

Main

```
launch-rocket lunar-mission  
launch-rocket mars-mission  
launch-rocket saturn-mission  
launch-rocket mercury-mission
```

create-and-launch-rocket

```
function launch-rocket() {
    mission_name=$1

    mkdir $mission_name

    rocket-add $mission_name

    rocket-start-power $mission_name
    rocket-internal-power $mission_name
    rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
    rocket-start-engine $mission_name
    rocket-lift-off $mission_name

    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)

    while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]
    do
        sleep 2
        rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
    done
    if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
    then
        rocket-debug $mission_name
        return 1
    fi
}

launch-rocket lunar-mission
launch-rocket mars-mission
launch-rocket saturn-mission
launch-rocket mercury-mission
```

```
function launch-rocket() {
    mission_name=$1

    mkdir $mission_name

    rocket-add $mission_name

    rocket-start-power $mission_name
    rocket-internal-power $mission_name
    rocket-start-sequence $mission_name
    rocket-start-engine $mission_name
    rocket-lift-off $mission_name

    rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)

    while [ $rocket_status == "launching" ]
    do
        sleep 2
        rocket_status=$(rocket-status $mission_name)
    done
    if [ $rocket_status = "failed" ]
    then
        rocket-debug $mission_name
        return 1
    fi
}

launch-rocket lunar-mission
LUNAR_STATUS_CODE=$?
launch-rocket mars-mission
MARS_STATUS_CODE=$?
launch-rocket saturn-mission
SATURN_STATUS_CODE=$?
```

When to use Functions?

- Break up large script that performs many different tasks:
 - Installing packages
 - Adding users
 - Configuring firewalls
 - Perform Mathematical calculations

```
function add(){  
    echo $(( $1 + $2 ))  
}
```

```
add 3 5
```

```
function add(){  
    echo $(( $1 + $2 ))  
}
```

```
sum=$(( add 3 5 ))
```



```
function add(){  
    echo $(( $1 + $2 ))  
}
```

```
sum=$(( add 3 5 ))
```

```
function add(){  
    return $(( $1 + $2 ))  
}
```

```
add 3 5
```

```
sum=$?
```

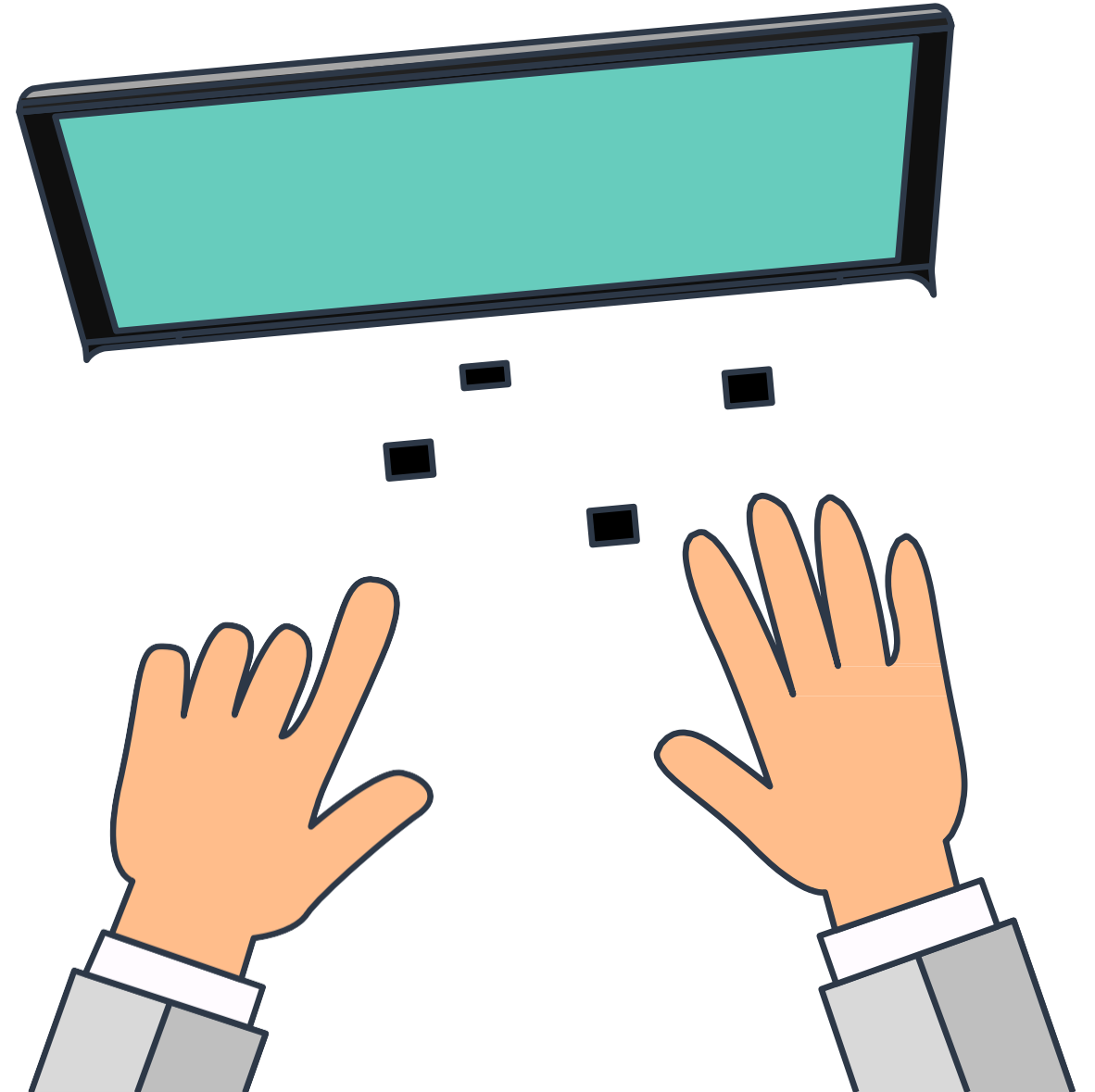
Best Practice

“Always develop scripts in a modular re-usable way using functions”

“Avoid duplicate code”

“Use arguments/parameters to pass in variables”

HANDS-ON LABS



Project



Shell Scripting

ShellCheck/IDEs



Shell Scripting

VIM Editor

```
#!/bin/bash

while true
do
    echo "1. Shutdown"
    echo "2. Restart"
    echo "3. Exit Menu"

    read -p "Enter your choice: " choice

    if [ $choice -eq 1 ]
    then
        echo "shutdown now"
    elif [ $choice -eq 2 ]
    then
        echo "shudown -r now"
    elif [ $choice -eq 3 ]
    then
        break
    fi
done

"menu.sh" [noeol] 21L, 294C
```

SHELLCHECK

```
$ apt-get install shellcheck
```

Or

```
$ yum install shellcheck
```

```
$ shellcheck menu.sh
```

In menu.sh line 9:

```
read -p "Enter your choice: " choice
^--^ SC2162: read without -r will mangle backslashes.
```

In menu.sh line 11:

```
if [ $choice -eq 1 ]
    ^-----^ SC2086: Double quote to prevent globbing and word splitting.
```

Did you mean:

```
if [ "$choice" -eq 1 ]
```

In menu.sh line 14:

```
elif [ $choice -eq 2 ]
    ^-----^ SC2086: Double quote to prevent globbing and word splitting.
```

Did you mean:

```
elif [ "$choice" -eq 2 ]
```



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```
1 #!/bin/bash
2
3 while true
4 do
5     echo "1. Shutdown"
6     echo "2. Restart"
7     echo "3. Exit Menu"
8
9     read -p "Enter your choice: " choice
10
11     if [ $choice -eq 1 ]
12     then
13         echo "shutdown"
14     elif [ $choice -eq 2 ]
15     then
16         echo "shutdown -r now"
17     elif [ $choice -eq 3 ]
18     then
19         break
20     fi
21 done
```

read without -r will mangle backslashes.
See [BC2M3](#).

read -p "Enter your choice: " choice

Suppress 'read without -r will mangle backslashes' `\O+D`

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