

COLLEGE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY
OPERATING SYSTEMS (CT104H) LAB #3

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- **Submission:** Students submit 1 file named *StudentName_ID_CT104H_Lab03.pdf* to the Google classroom (where *StudentName* is the student's name, and *ID* is the student's ID).

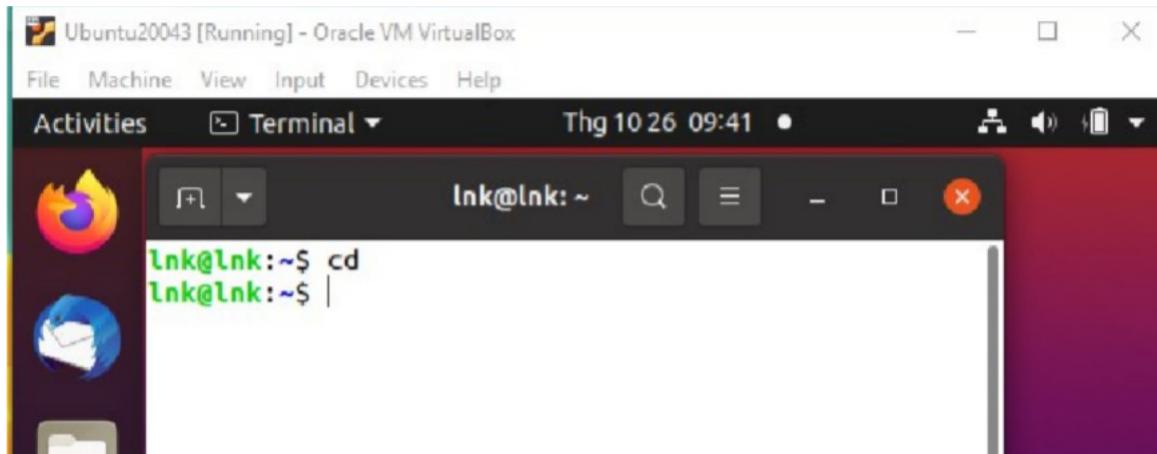
- **Instructions on how to present in the report file**

For each question, students MUST provide the commands/scripts AND screenshots of the commands used and/or the content of files/scripts, CLEARLY. Note: *the screenshot needs to include the name of the Ubuntu Virtual machine.*

Student creates an Ubuntu Virtual machine named UbuntuID (ID is the student's ID). For example, we have a virtual machine named *Ubuntu20043*, such that the student *ID* is *20043*.

Question 0: Navigate to your home directory

Answer: \$cd



Study from the files: Linux Shell Scripting Tutorial, Bash-

and Shell Script (Chapter 2, 3), Advanced

Scripting Guide (Chapter 13)

Question 1: Write a shell script that prints the message “Hello ! This is CT104” to the screen.

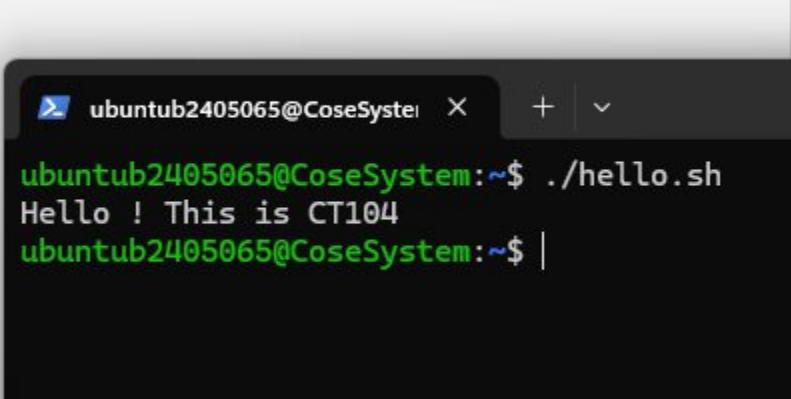
Answer:

nano hello .sh

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

```
echo "Hello ! This is CT104"
```

-> Result:



A screenshot of a terminal window titled "ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem". The window shows the command ". ./hello.sh" being run and its output "Hello ! This is CT104". The terminal has a dark background with white text and a light gray header bar.

Question 2: Modify the shell script from Question 1 to include a variable. The variable will hold the content of the message.

Answer:

nano hello .sh

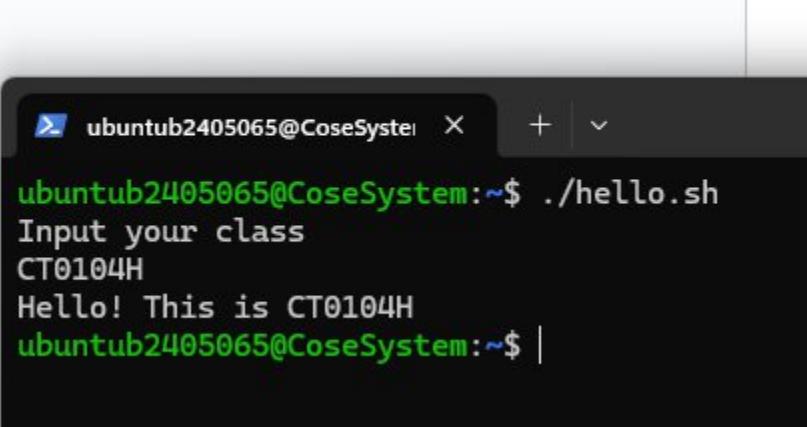
```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
echo "Input your class"
```

```
read class
```

```
echo "Hello ! This is $class"
```

-> Result:



A screenshot of a terminal window titled "ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem". The window shows the command ". ./hello.sh" being run, followed by the prompt "Input your class", then the input "CT0104H", and finally the output "Hello! This is CT0104H". The terminal has a dark background with white text and a light gray header bar.

Question 3: Write a shell script that prints the following information to the screen

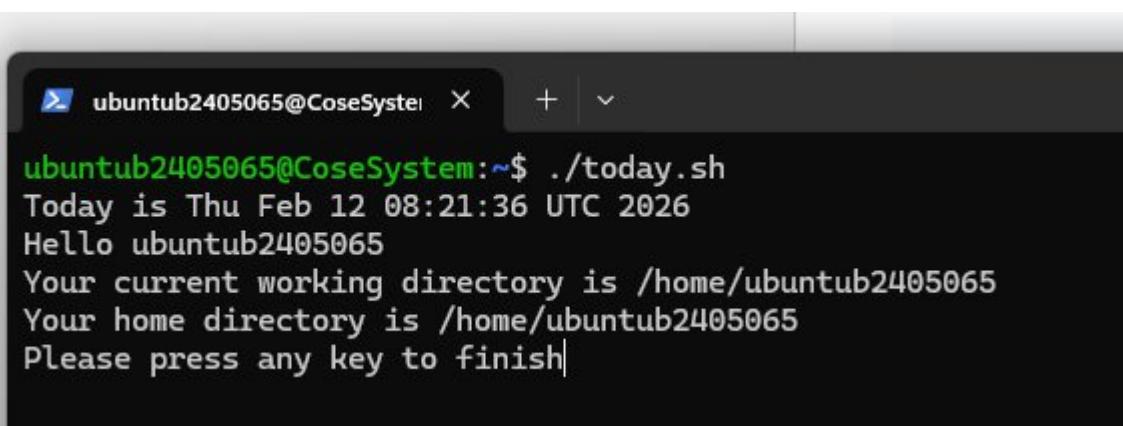
```
Today is <current date>
Hello <username>
Your current working directory is <current directory>
Your home directory is <home directory>
Please press any key to finish <waiting to receive a key from user>
***** Thank you
```

Answer:

nano today.sh

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Today is $(date)"
echo "Hello $USER"
echo "Your current working directory is $(pwd)"
echo "Your home directory is $HOME"
read -n 1 -s -p "Please press any key to finish"
```

-> Result:



A terminal window showing the execution of the script. The command `./today.sh` is run, followed by its output which includes the current date, the user's name, their current working directory, their home directory, and a prompt for them to press a key to finish.

```
ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem:~$ ./today.sh
Today is Thu Feb 12 08:21:36 UTC 2026
Hello ubuntub2405065
Your current working directory is /home/ubuntub2405065
Your home directory is /home/ubuntub2405065
Please press any key to finish|
```

Question 4: Write a shell script that receives 2 numbers from a user, and calculates the following values

```
Please input the first number: x = x
```

```
Please input the second number: y = y
```

```
(x-y) = <x-y>
```

```
(x+y) = <x+y>
```

```
(x*y) = <x*y>
```

```
(x/y) = <x/y>
```

```
(x%y) = <x%y>
```

```
x2= x2
```

```
x! = x!
```

Answer:

nano math.sh

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

```
echo "input x"
read x
echo "input y"
read y

echo "x - y = $((x-y)) "
echo "x + y = $((x+y)) "
echo "x * y = $((x*y)) "
echo "x / y = $((x/y)) "
echo "x % y = $((x%y)) "
echo "x^2 = $((x*x)) "
```

```
fac=1
i=1
while [ $i -le $x ]
do fac=$((fac*i))
((i++))
done
echo "x! = $fac"
```

-> Result:

```
ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem:~$ ./math.sh
input x
10
input y
5
x - y = 5
x + y = 15
x * y = 50
x / y = 2
x % y = 0
x^2 = 100
x! = 3628800
ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem:~$ |
```

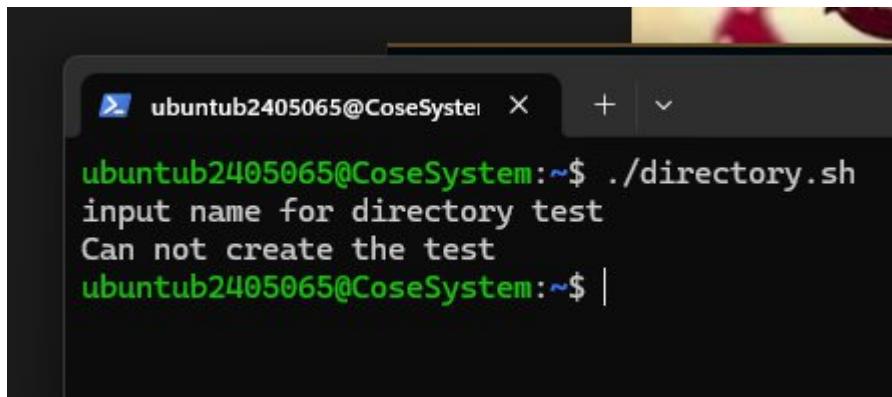
Question 5: Write a shell script that allows a user to input a name of a directory, and creates this directory for the user. If the directory is created, please print the message “The *name_of_directory* is created successfully” to the screen; otherwise, print the message “Can not create the *name_of_directory*” to the screen.

Answer:

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

```
read -p "input name for directory " name_dir  
if mkdir "$name_dir" 2>/dev/null  
then echo "The $name_dir is created successfully"  
else echo "Can not create the $name_dir"  
fi
```

-> Result:



A screenshot of a terminal window titled "ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem". The window shows the command ". ./directory.sh" being run, followed by the output "input name for directory test" and "Can not create the test". The terminal has a dark background with light-colored text.

Question 6: Write a script to print the following symbols to the screen

```
*  
**  
***  
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*****
```

Answer:

```
#!/bin/bash  
for ((i=1; i<=10;i++));  
do  
    for ((j=1; j<=i;j++));
```

```
do  
echo -n "*"  
done  
echo ""  
done
```

-> Result:

1	2	3	4	5
1	2	3	4	5
1	2	3	4	5
1	2	3	4	5
1	2	3	4	5

Question 7: Write a shell script to solve the equation $ax+b=0$ where the coefficients a and b entered from the keyboard

Answer:

```
#!/bin/bash
read -p "input a" a
read -p "input b" b
if [ "$a" -eq 0 ]; then
    if [ "$b" -eq 0 ] ; then
        echo "infinite value"
    else
        echo "no value"
    fi
else
    x=$(echo "scale=2; -($b)/$a" | bc)
    echo "the value is $x"
fi
```

-> Result:

```
ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem:~$ ./math2.sh
input a 6
input b 3
the value is -.50
ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem:~$ |
```

Question 8: Write a shell script to print a multiplication table of a number entered by the user to the screen. After printing out the multiplication table, the program will ask the user to type “1” if the user wants to continue the process; otherwise, the process of printing the multiplication table will end.

Answer:

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

```
while true
```

```

do
    read -p "what is the multiplication table you want?" n
    echo "the multiplication table of $n"
    for ((i=1;i<=10;i++))
    do
        echo "$n * $i = ${((n*i))}"
    done
    read -p "Type '1' to continue (any other key to exit): " choice
    if [ "$choice" != "1" ] ; then
        echo "Have a good day sir!"
        break
    fi
done

```

-> Result:

```

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ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem:~$ ./mult.sh
what is the multiplication table you want? 7
the multiplication table of 7
7 * 1 = 7
7 * 2 = 14
7 * 3 = 21
7 * 4 = 28
7 * 5 = 35
7 * 6 = 42
7 * 7 = 49
7 * 8 = 56
7 * 9 = 63
7 * 10 = 70
Type '1' to continue (any other key to exit): 4
Have a good day sir!
ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem:~$ |

```

Question 9: Write a shell script that allows users to input an int number and returns the digit number of that number. For example, 10 → returns “two-digit number”; 100 → returns “three-digit number”.

Answer:

```

#!/bin/bash
#!/bin/bash
read -p "Enter an integer number: " num
num=${#num}

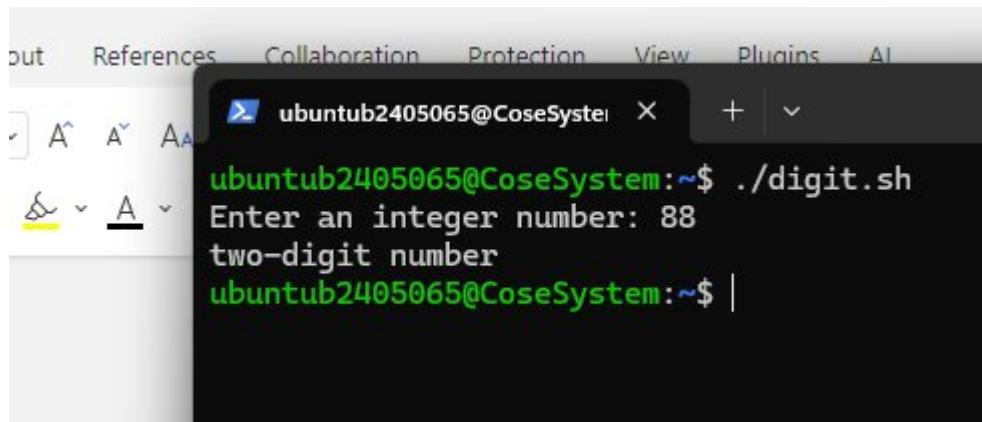
```

count=\${#num}

```
case $count in
1) word="one" ;;
2) word="two" ;;
3) word="three" ;;
4) word="four" ;;
5) word="five" ;;
*) word="$count" ;;
esac
```

```
echo "$word-digit number"
```

-> Result:



```
ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem:~$ ./digit.sh
Enter an integer number: 88
two-digit number
ubuntub2405065@CoseSystem:~$ |
```

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