# Ruby Monstas



Session 3

#### **Agenda**

- Recap from Session 2
- Advanced Command Line
- Variables
- Booleans
- Arrays
- Exercises



# Shell

### **Copy files and directories**

| ср    | Copy files and folders                                |
|-------|---|
| mv    | Move files and folders, also rename files and folders |
| rm    | Remove files  |
| touch | Create a file if it does not exist already            |
| man   | Manual pages, documentation for commands              |
| cat   | Concatenate and print files                           |
| less  | Display file  |

## Variables

## Introduction

#### **Overwrite Variables**

 If you assign a new object to the same variable, the new object is valid

```
irb> b = "Hello World"
=> "Hello World"
irb> b = "Another String"
=> "Another String"
```

#### **Assigning Variables to Variables**

Variables can be assigned to other variables

```
irb> a = 5
=> 5
irb> x = a
=> 5
```

#### puts

"puts" is used to display the results of Ruby code

```
irb> puts "We print a string"
We print a string
=> nil
irb> puts b
Another String
=> nil
```

#### gets

"gets" is used to get user input

```
irb> name = gets
Marion
=> "Marion\n"
irb> name
=> "Marion\n"
irb> name.chomp
=> "Marion"
```

# Booleans

## Introduction

## **Comparison operators**

| ==  | Are the left and right side equal?                        |
|-----|---|
| ! = | Are the left and right side <b>not equal</b> ?            |
| <   | Is the left side smaller than the right side?             |
| >   | Is the left side bigger than the right side?              |
| <=  | Is the left side smaller than or equal to the right side? |
| >=  | Is the left side bigger than or equal to the right side?  |

#### **Comparison operators**

```
irb> 5 == 4
=> false
irb> 5 != 4
=> true
irb > 1 < 2
=> true
irb> 1 > 2
=> false
irb > 7.1 <= 7.2
=> true
irb > 7.1 > = 7.2
=> false
```

# Arrays

## Introduction

#### **Arrays**

#### lists of things

```
irb> [1, 1, 3, 5, 8]
=> [1, 1, 3, 5, 8]
irb> my_array = [7, "hello", 5.9]
=> [7, "hello", 5.9]
```

#### **Accessing array items**

```
irb> my array = [7, "hello", 5.9]
=> [7, "hello", 5.9]
irb> my array[1]
=> "hello"
irb> my array.last
=> 5.9
irb> my array.first
=> 7
```

### Adding to an array

#### "shovel" operator

```
irb> my_array << "new item"
=> [7, "hello", 5.9, "new item"]
irb> my_array << x
=> [7, "hello", 5.9, "new item", 5]
```

#### **Deleting from an array**

```
irb> my array
=> [7, "hello", 5.9, "new item", 5]
irb> my array.delete at(2)
=> 5.9
irb> my array
=> [7, "hello", "new item", 5]
irb> my array.delete("hello")
=> "hello"
irb> my array
=> [7, "new item", 5]
```

# Time to practice



Let's get to it!