** Write shell scripts in any language of your choice to run conformance tests on a shell scripts of star pattern **

Sure! Below is a shell script that runs conformance tests on a shell script that generates a star pattern. The testing script will verify that the output matches expected patterns for given input values.

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### Star Pattern Script: `star_pattern.sh`
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#!/bin/bash
    # star_pattern.sh
    # Usage: ./star_pattern.sh <number_of_rows>
if [ "$#" -ne 1 ]; then
    echo "Usage: $0 <number_of_rows>"
    exit 1
fi
rows=$1
for ((i = 1; i <= rows; i++)); do
    for ((j = 1; j <= i; j++)); do
     echo -n "* "
    done
    echo ""
done
#### Conformance Test Script: `test_star_pattern.sh`</pre>
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Now, here's a testing script that checks the output of the `star_pattern.sh` script for different input

values:

```
#!/bin/bash

# test_star_pattern.sh

# Function to test star pattern output

run_test() {
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expected_output="$1"
  input="$2"
  # Capture the output of the star_pattern script
  output=$(./star_pattern.sh "$input")
  # Compare output with expected output
  if [ "$output" == "$expected_output" ]; then
    echo "Test passed for input $input."
  else
    echo "Test failed for input $input."
    echo "Expected:"
    echo "$expected_output"
    echo "Got:"
    echo "$output"
  fi
}
# Test cases
run_test "$(printf "* \n")" 1
run_test "$(printf "* \n* * \n")" 2
run_test "$(printf "* \n* * \n* * \n")" 3
run_test "$(printf "* \n* * \n* * * \n* * * \n")" 4
# Additional tests can be added as needed
### Instructions to Use the Scripts
1. **Create the Scripts**:
 - Save the first script as `star_pattern.sh`.
 - Save the second script as `test_star_pattern.sh`.
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2. **Make Both Scripts Executable**:

bash

chmod +x star_pattern.sh test_star_pattern.sh

3. **Run the Test Script**:

Execute the test script:

```bash

./test\_star\_pattern.sh

## ### Explanation of the Test Script

- \*\*run\_test Function\*\*: This function takes the expected output and input value, runs the `star\_pattern.sh` script with that input, and compares the output to the expected output.
- \*\*Test Cases\*\*: Each call to `run\_test` checks the output for different numbers of rows. You can expand this with more test cases as needed.
- \*\*Output Comparison\*\*: If the output matches the expected pattern, it prints a success message; otherwise, it shows what was expected and what was actually received.