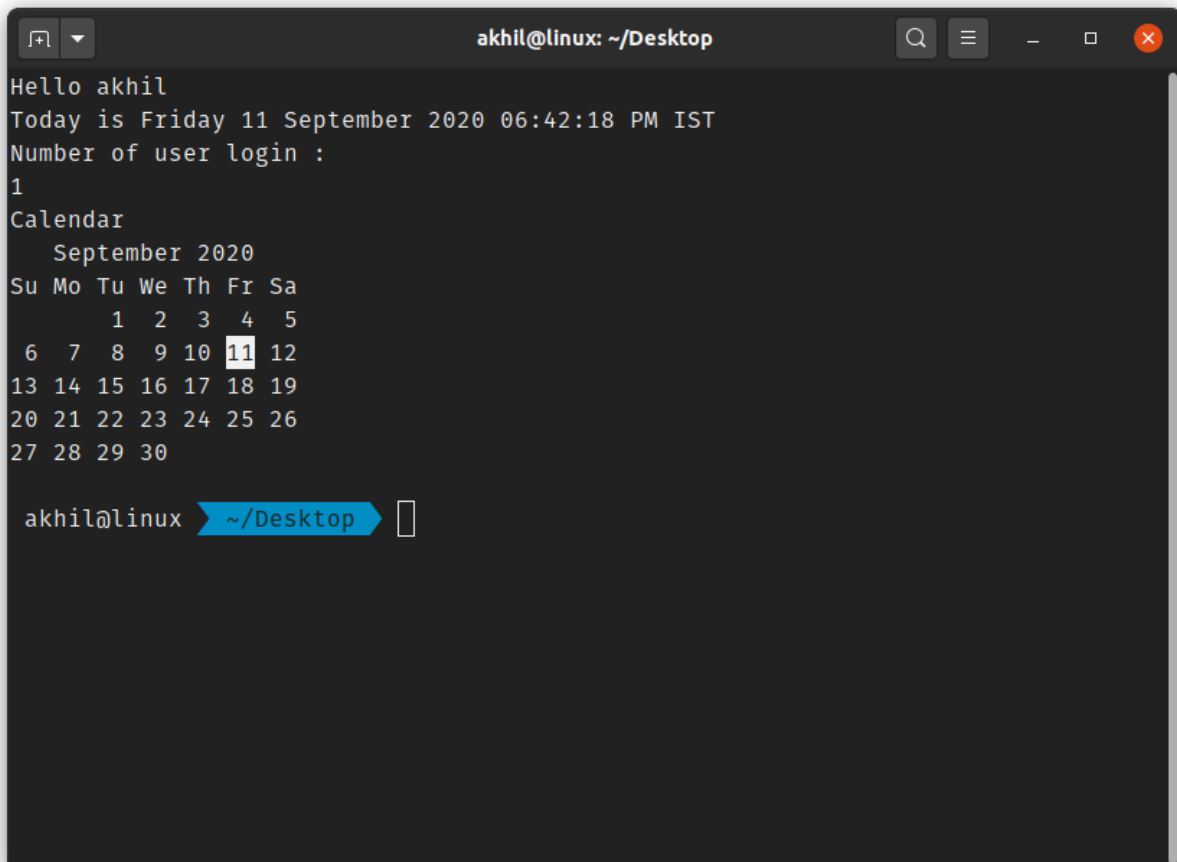


Exercise 1:

1) Write the following shell script, save it, execute it and note down the output.

```
# Script to print user information who currently login, current date & time
# Enter the following commands in a file
#
clear
echo "Hello $USER"
echo "Today is ";date
echo "Number of user login : " ; who | wc -l
echo "Calendar"
cal
exit 0
```

Output

A terminal window titled 'akhil@linux: ~/Desktop' showing the output of the shell script. The output is as follows:

```
Hello akhil
Today is Friday 11 September 2020 06:42:18 PM IST
Number of user login :
1
Calendar
   September 2020
Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa
      1  2  3  4  5
 6  7  8  9 10 11 12
13 14 15 16 17 18 19
20 21 22 23 24 25 26
27 28 29 30

akhil@linux > ~/Desktop
```

Exercise 2:

1) If you want to print your home directory location then you give command:

a)echo \$HOME

OR

(b)echo HOME

Which of the above command is correct & why?

Caution: Do not modify System variable, this can some time create problems.

ANS - \$HOME as # is used to print values held by variables in shell scripting . And HOME is an environment variable in linux that prints the path to the home directory of the user.

Exercise 3:

What is the output of the following expressions?

\$ expr 1 + 3

\$ expr 2 - 1

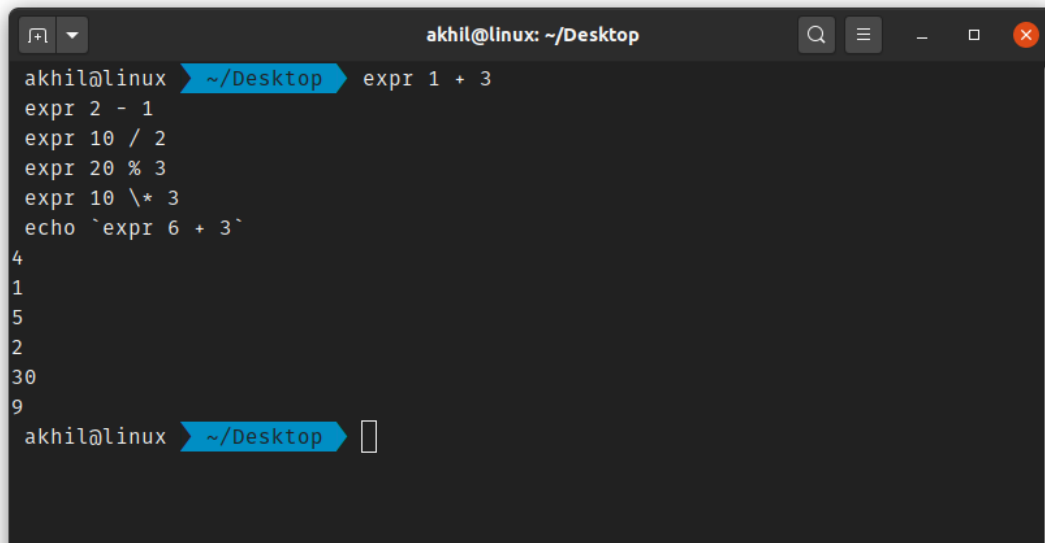
\$ expr 10 / 2

\$ expr 20 % 3

\$ expr 10 * 3

\$ echo `expr 6 + 3`

Output

A terminal window titled 'akhil@linux: ~/Desktop' with standard window controls. The terminal shows a series of commands and their outputs. The commands are: 'expr 1 + 3', 'expr 2 - 1', 'expr 10 / 2', 'expr 20 % 3', 'expr 10 * 3', and 'echo `expr 6 + 3`'. The outputs are: '4', '1', '5', '2', '30', and '9' respectively. The prompt 'akhil@linux' and the directory path '~/Desktop' are visible at the start of each line.

```
akhil@linux ~/Desktop
akhil@linux > expr 1 + 3
4
akhil@linux > expr 2 - 1
1
akhil@linux > expr 10 / 2
5
akhil@linux > expr 20 % 3
2
akhil@linux > expr 10 \* 3
30
akhil@linux > echo `expr 6 + 3`
9
akhil@linux > 
```

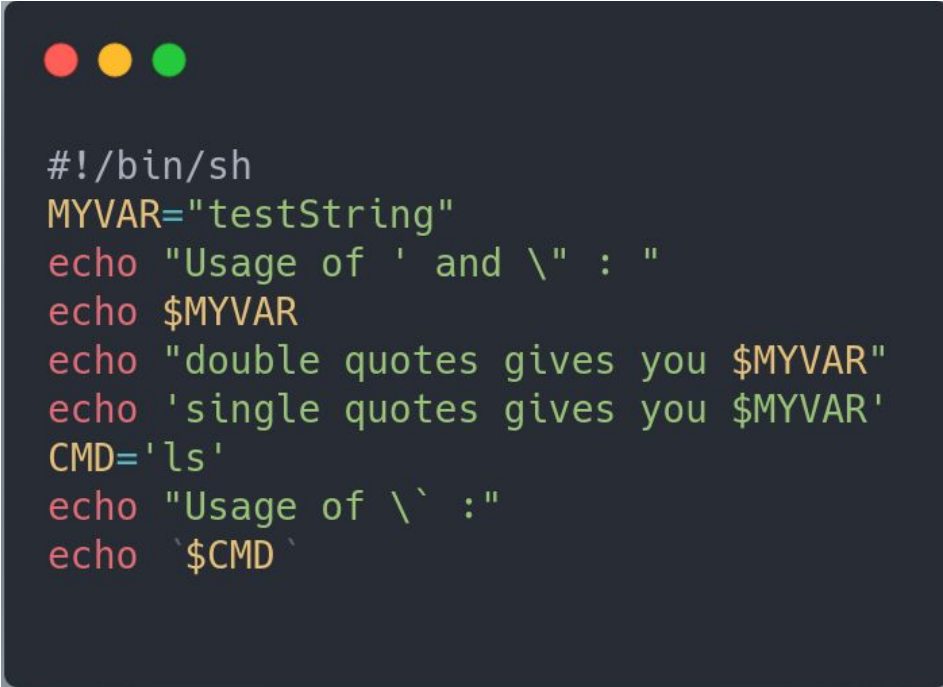
Exercise 4:

What is the meaning of Single quote ('), Double quote (") and Back quote (`) in shell?

Ans -

Enclosing characters in single quotes (') preserves the literal value of each character within the quotes. A single quote cannot be escaped between single quotes, even when preceded by a backslash.

Enclosing characters in double quotes (") preserves the literal value of all characters within the quotes, with the exception of \$, `, \, and, when history expansion is enabled, !. The characters \$ and ` retain their special meaning within double quotes. The backslash retains its special meaning only when followed by one of the following characters: \$, `, ", \, or newline. Within double quotes, backslashes that are followed by one of these characters are removed (as the character following it escaped). Backslashes preceding characters without a special meaning are left unmodified. A double quote may be quoted within double quotes by preceding it with a backslash.



```
#!/bin/sh
MYVAR="testString"
echo "Usage of ' and \" : "
echo $MYVAR
echo "double quotes gives you $MYVAR"
echo 'single quotes gives you $MYVAR'
CMD='ls'
echo "Usage of \" : "
echo ` $CMD `
```

Output

```
akhil@linux: ~/Desktop
akhil@linux ~/Desktop bash second.sh
Usage of ' and " :
testString
double quotes gives you testString
single quotes gives you $MYVAR
Usage of ` :
first.sh hello hello.cpp second.sh
akhil@linux ~/Desktop
```

Exercise 5:

What does the following command do?

\$ sort <myfile>sorted_file

Ans - sort <myfile>sorted_file command sorts the file line by line and using -o(output) argument we can put the contents of this file into another file as shown below

```
✖ akhil@linux ~/Desktop sort unsorted.txt -o sorted.txt
akhil@linux ~/Desktop cat sorted.txt
Apple
Bell
Boy
Cat
Dog
Train
Zebra
akhil@linux ~/Desktop
```

Exercise 6:

Create a shell script (using Bourne Shell or Bash) which converts all file names in the current directory to lowercase. You should execute the script and send a screenshot of the output.

Example:

If you have these files in the current directory: ABC, foo1.c, Test, sample, foo2.TXT, myFile.Xa

Expected output after executing the script: abc, foo1.c, test, sample, foo2.txt, myfile.xa

CODE:

```
#!/bin/sh
#
for item in `ls`
do
    if [ ! -f $item ]; # the ! -f $item is file
                      # checker which checks
                      #if file is a plain file
    then
        continue #(rejects al directories)

    fi #end of if-else

    new=`echo $item | tr '[A-Z]' '[a-z]'` #new filename renamed
                                           #using output of echo to tr
                                           # which changes uppercase to
                                           #lowercase based on flags

    if [ $new != $item ]; then #if name has been changed
        mv -i $item $new #rename and -i to ask permission if overwrite
    fi #end of if-else
done
```

OUTPUT:

```
akhil@linux: ~/Desktop/sample
akhil@linux ~/Desktop/sample$ ls
FROY.txt  OUTPUTS  PROGRAM.cpp  rename.sh  SAMPLE.txt
akhil@linux ~/Desktop/sample$ bash rename.sh
akhil@linux ~/Desktop/sample$ ls
froy.txt  OUTPUTS  program.cpp  rename.sh  sample.txt
akhil@linux ~/Desktop/sample$
```