# **BASH PROGRAMMING NOTES**

### 1. HELLO BASH SCRIPTING

- a) cat /etc/shells :- valid login shells
- b) which bash :- path of bash
- c) Is -al: for seeing file permissions
- d) chmod +x ./helloScript.sh :- for making a executable file

### **Ex1**:

#! /bin/bash

echo "hello bash script"

### 2. REDIRECT TO A FILE

### **Ex1**:

#! /bin/bash

echo "hello bash script" > file.txt

#### Ex2:

#! /bin/bash

cat > file.txt

#### **Ex3**:

#! /bin/bash

cat >> file.txt

#### 3. COMMENTS

#### **E**x1:

# This is a bash command

#### **Ex2**:

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. .
This is command 1
This is command 2 '
Ex3:
#! /bin/bash
cat << Kreative
This is creative content
Kreative
4. CONDITIONAL STATEMENTS
#! /bin/bash
count=10
if [$count < 10]
then
     echo "$count is less than 10"
elif [[ $count == 10 ]]
then
     echo "$count is equal to 10"
else
     echo "$count is greater than 10"
fi
```

### 5. LOOPS

a) we can use continue and break statements with if conditions

### **EX1**:

```
#! /bin/bash
number=1
while [ $number < 10 ]
do
    echo "$number"
    number=$(( number + 1 ))
done
Ex2:
#! /bin/bash
for i in {0..20..2}
do
    echo $i
done
6. SCRIPT INPUT
Ex1:
#! /bin/bash
echo $1 $2 $3
Ex2:
#! /bin/bash
args=($@)
echo $@
echo $#
Ex3:
#! /bin/bash
```

```
while read line
do
echo "$line"
done < "${1:-/dev/stdin}"
```

### 7. SCRIPT OUTPUT

#### **Ex1**:

#! /bin/bash

Is -al 1>file1.txt 2>file2.txt

### 8. SEND OUTPUT FROM ONE SCRIPT TO ANOTHER

### **Ex1**:

#! /bin/bash

MESSAGE="Mandalore is under attack"

export MESSAGE

./secondScript.sh

And Now the secondScript.sh

#! /bin/bash

echo "The message from the Skywalker given in

helloScript.sh is: \$MESSAGE

### 9. STRINGS PROCESSING

- a) we can use "\<, \> operators for string manipulation"
- b) \$str1\$str2 for string concatenation
- c) ^, ^^ for lower and upper case conversions respectively

```
#! /bin/bash
echo "Enter the first string"
read str1
echo "Enter the second string"
read str2
if [ $str1 == $str2 ]
then
     echo "Strings match"
else
     echo "Strings don't match"
fi
10. NUMBERS AND ARITHMETICS
Ex1:
#! /bin/bash
n1=4
n2=5
echo [n1 + n2]
echo $[n1 - n2]
Ex2:
#! /bin/bash
echo "Enter the Hex number of your choice"
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echo -n "The decimal value of \$Hex is: "

read Hex

echo "obase=10; ibase=16; \$Hex" | bc # We are using here bc calculator and also pipe

### 11. DECLARE COMMAND

- a) declare -p :- gives all variables in system
- b) declare temp=20 :- declare temp variable in system
- c) # all the commands are given in terminal

### 12. ARRAYS

- a) We can access array elements by using car[index]
- b) We can also assign values by car[index]=value

```
#! /bin/bash
car=('BMW' 'TOYOTA' 'AUDI')
echo "${car[@]}"
```

## 13. FUNCTIONS

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Ex1:
#! /bin/bash
function funName()
{
    echo "This is new function"
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}
funName
Ex2:
#! /bin/bash
function funcCheck
14. FILES AND DIRECTORIES
Ex1:
#! /bin/bash
mkdir -p Directory
Ex2:
#! /bin/bash
echo "Enter the directory name to check"
read direct
if [ -d "$direct" ]
then
echo "$direct Exists"
else
    echo "$direct doesn't Exists"
fi
Ex3:
#! /bin/bash
echo "Enter the filename name to check"
read fileName
```

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if [[ -f "$fileName" ]]
then
     echo "$fileName Exists"
else
     echo "$fileName doesn't Exists"
fi
Ex4:
#! /bin/bash
echo "Enter the filename in which you want to append"
read fileName
if [[ -f "$fileName" ]]
then
     echo "Enter the text you want to append"
     read fileText
     echo "$fileText" >> $fileName
else
     echo "$fileName doesn't Exists"
fi
Ex5:
#! /bin/bash
echo "Enter the filename from which you want to read"
read fileName
if [[ -f "$fileName" ]]
then
     while IFS= read -r line
```

```
do
echo "$line"
done < $fileName
else
echo "$fileName doesn't Exists"
fi

a) We can use rm $fileName to remove the file
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# **16. CURL IN SCRIPTS**

```
#! /bin/bash
url="Some url link"
curl ${url} >outputfile
```

### 17. PROFESSIONAL MENUS

```
select car in BMW TESLA AUDI TOYOTA ROVER
do
    case $car in
    BMW)
    echo "BMW selected";;
TESLA)
```

echo "TESLA selected";;

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AUDI)
         echo "AUDI selected";;
    TOYOTA)
         echo "TOYOTA selected";;
    ROVER)
         echo "ROVER selected"::
    *)
         echo "Error";;
    esac
done
18. INTRODUCTION TO GREP
echo "Enter the filename to search text from"
read fileName
if [[ -f $fileName ]]
then
    echo "Enter the text to search"
    read grepvar
    grep -i -n -c $grepvar $fileName
else
    echo "$fileName doesn't exists"
fi
19. INTRODUCTION TO AWK
Ex-1:
echo "Enter the filename to print form awk"
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read fileName

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if [[ -f $fileName ]]
then
     awk '{print}' $fileName
else
     echo "$fileName doesn't exists"
fi
Ex-2:
echo "Enter the filename to print form awk"
read fileName
if [[ -f $fileName ]]
then
     awk '/some text / {print $2 $3} ' $fileName
else
     echo "$fileName doesn't exists"
fi
20. INTRODUCTION TO SED
echo "Enter the filename to substitute using sed"
read fileName
if [[ -f $fileName ]]
then
     cat $fileName | sed 's/i/I/g' > newfile.txt
else
     echo "$fileName doesn't exists"
fi
21. INTRODUCTION TO BASH DEBUGGING
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- 1. use bash -x ./helloScript.sh
- 2. use #! /usr/bin/bash -x
- 3. use set -x to set +x for debugging a code snippet

# **REFERENCES:**

Linuxhint youtube channel :- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e7BufAVwDiM