

# Lab 11

(Chapter 16 Part1)

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## Lab Work

1. Write a Bourne shell script `cv` that takes the side of a cube as a command line argument and displays the volume of the cube. Do proper exception handling in your code. Show the script and its sample executions.

```
$ cat cv
#!/bin/sh
if [ $# != 1 ]
then
    echo "Usage: $0 integer-argument"
    exit 1
fi
side="$1"
volume=`expr $side \* $side \* $side`
echo "The volume of the cube is $volume."
exit 0
```

2. Modify the `countup` script in Section 16.2 so that its takes two integer command line arguments. The script displays the numbers between the two integers (including the two numbers) in ascending order if the first number is smaller than the second, and in descending order if the first number is greater than the second. Name the script `count_up_down`. Do proper exception handling in your code. Show your script. Capture its sample executions with the following conditions: the first argument greater than the second, the first argument smaller than the second, and the two arguments the same.

```
$ cat count_up_down
#!/bin/sh
if [ $# != 2 ]
then
    echo "Usage: $0 integer1 integer2"
    exit 1
fi
if [ "$1" -lt "$2" ]
```

```

    then
        target="$2"
        current="$1"
    else
        target="$1"
        current="$2"
    fi
while [ "$current" -le "$target" ]
do
    echo -n "$current "
    current=`expr $current + 1`
done
echo
exit 0

```

3. Implement the script outlined in the last problem of Lab 10, but use functions to implement the service code for the various options

```
$ cat lab16p7
```

```
#Function Declarations
```

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DisplayMenu()
```

```

{
    # Display menu
    echo
    clear
    echo "*****"
    echo "Please choose from the following options; type the option "
    echo "number and hit the <Enter> key."
    echo
    echo "a or A To list names of the files in the current directory"
    echo "b or B To display today's date and time"
    echo "c or C To invoke script for Problem 14"
    echo "d or D To display whether a file is a simple file or directory"
    echo "e or E To create a backup copy of a file"
    echo "f or F To start a telnet session"
    echo "g or G To start an ftp session"
    echo "h or H To exit the program."
    echo "*****"
    echo
    echo -n "Enter your choice and hit <Enter>: "
}

```

```

PerformTask()
{
    case "$choice" in
    a|A)
        ls -a
        ;;
    b|B)
        date
        ;;
    c|C)
        echo -n "Enter the list of login names: "
        read users
        ch15p14 `echo "$users"`
        ;;
    d|D)
        echo -n "Please enter file name: "
        read filename
        if [ -f "$filename" ]
        then
            echo "$filename is an ordinary file."
        elif [ -d "$filename" ]
        then
            echo "$filename is a directory."
        else
            echo -n "$filename does not exist, or it is neither an "
            echo "ordinary file not a directory."
        fi
        ;;
    e|E)
        echo "Warning! This will overwrite a file of the same name with "
        echo "extension .bak! "
        echo -n "Please enter file name: "
        read filename
        cp -f $filename $filename.bak
        ;;
    f|F)
        echo -n "Please enter the host name or IP address: "
        read host
        telnet "$host"
        ;;
    g|G)

```

```
        echo -n "Please enter the host name or IP address: "  
        read host  
        ftp "$host"  
        ;;  
    h|H)  
        clear  
        echo "Bye now! "  
        sleep 2  
        clear  
        exit 0  
        ;;  
    *)  
        echo "Bad option, try again."  
        ;;  
esac  
echo "Hit <Enter> to continue."  
read ignore  
}
```

```
#Begin Main Program  
while [ 1 ]  
do  
    DisplayMenu  
    read choice  
    PerformTask  
done
```