



POWERSHELL BASIC SCRIPTING MODULE 7: SCRIPTING PREREQUISITES

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AGENDA

- Execution Policy
- Code Signing
- PowerShell Security
- Working with variables, arrays, collections and hash tables
- Working with input data
- Conditions and loops (if, switch, while, do/while, do/until)



EXECUTION POLICY

Controls which script is allowed to run (signed)

Get-ExecutionPolicy
Set-ExecutionPolicy -ExecutionPolicy RemoteSigned
powershell.exe -ExecutionPolicy Unrestricted



CODE SIGNING

Sign the code to trust it in your environment and to control the changes

```
Set-AuthenticodeSignature -Certificate $cert -FilePath 'C:\CyberTool.ps1'
```

Signature added to the script content

```
# SIG # Begin signature block
# MIIavQYJKoZIhvcNAQcCoIIarjCCGqoCAQExCZAJBgUrDgMCGgUAMGkGCisGAQQB
# gjcCAQSgWZBZMDQGCisGAQQBgjcCAR4wJgIDAQAABBAfZDtgWUsITrckOsYpfvNR
# AgEAAgEAAgEAAgEAMCEWCQYFKw4DAhoFAAQUadsDXnyYIOFlOG2Xzy+X7gX6
# q9agghWCMIIEwzCCA6ugAwIBAgITMwAAADQkMUDJoMF5jQAAAAAANDANBgkqhkiG
# 9w0BAOUFADB3MOswCOYDVOOGEwJVUZETMBEGA1UECBMKV2FzaGluZ3RvbiEOMA4G
```



HOW TO CREATE SELF-SIGNED CERTIFICATE

```
New-SelfSignedCertificate -CertStoreLocation cert:\CurrentUser\My`-KeyAlgorithm RSA`-Subject "CN=CodeSign" \
-KeyLength 2048`-Provider "Microsoft Enhanced RSA and AES Cryptographic Provider" \
-KeyExportPolicy Exportable`-KeyUsage DigitalSignature`-Type CodeSigningCert
```



POWERSHELL SECURITY

- PowerShell 3+ features
 - Logging
 - Constrained Language Mode
- Anti-malware Scan Interface



VARIABLES AND ARRAYS

```
[string]$variable1 = 'text'
[int]$variable2 = 123
[bool]$variable3 = 1
$variable4 = Get-Date
$variable5 = Get-Item C:\Windows
$variable6 = @()
$variable7 = New-Object -TypeName "System.Collections.ArrayList"
```



HASHTABLES

- Basic Hashtable
- Ordered
- Enumerating Hashtables
- Splatting



INPUT DATA

- Read-Host
- Read-Host -AsSecureString
- Out-GridView -PassThru



CONDITIONS

```
if ($var -eq 1) {
    Write-Host 'Var is 1'
}

switch ($var) {
    1 {Write-Host 'Var is 1'}
}
```



WHILE, DO WHILE, DO UNTIL

```
while ($var -eq 1) {
    Write-Host 'Var is 1'
    Start-Sleep -Seconds 5
do {
   Write-Host 'Var is 1'
    Start-Sleep -Seconds 5
} while ($var -eq 1)
do {
   Write-Host 'Var is not 1'
    Start-Sleep -Seconds 5
} until ($var -eq 1)
```



FOR AND FOREACH

```
for (\$a = 0; \$a - 1t 10; \$a++) {
   Write-Host ('$a is {0}' -f $a)
foreach ($Process in (Get-Process)) {
   Write-Host ('ProcessName is {0}' -f $Process.Name)
1..9 | ForEach-Object {Write-Host ('Number is {0}' -f $_)}
```









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