

Experiment [4]: [Bash Scripting]

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AIM:

- [To Learn Basics of Bash Scripting.]

Requirements:

- [Any Linux Distro, any kind of text editor (vs code, vim, notepad, nano, etc)]

Theory:

- [Learning the basics of bash scripting.]

Procedure & Observations

Exercise 1: [Hello World Script]

Task Statement:

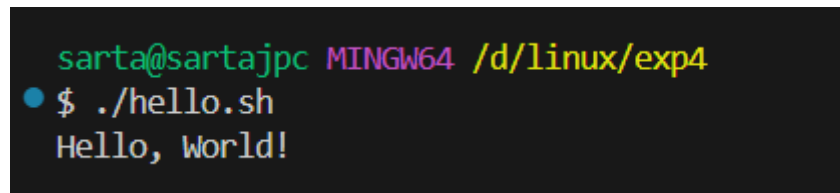
- [Basic Usage of Shell Scripts]

Explanation:

- [Writing Begginer level Shell Scripts]

Command(s):

```
#!/bin/bash  
echo "Hello, World!"
```

A terminal window with a black background and colorful text. The prompt is 'sarta@sartajpc' in green, followed by 'MINGW64' in pink and '/d/linux/exp4' in yellow. A blue cursor is at the start of the next line. The user enters '\$./hello.sh' in white, and the output 'Hello, World!' is displayed in white on the following line.

```
sarta@sartajpc MINGW64 /d/linux/exp4  
$ ./hello.sh  
Hello, World!
```

Figure 1: hello.png

Output:

Exercise 2: [Personalized Greeting Script]

Task Statement:

- [Basic Shell Script to callout user defined function.]

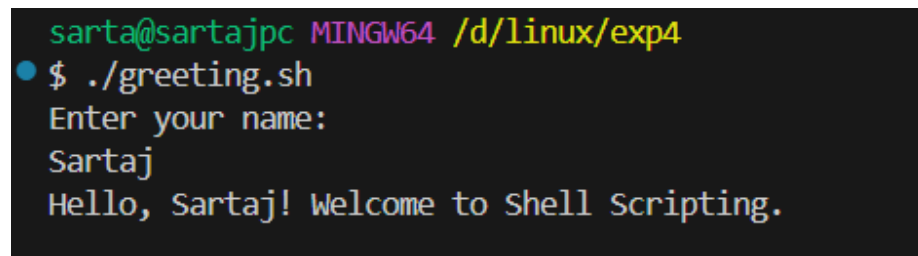
Explanation:

- [This Shell script will take input from user and store it in a variable and then call the variable which will output the stored value.]

Command(s):

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Enter your name: "
read name      # 'read' takes user input
echo "Hello, $name! Welcome to Shell Scripting."
```

Output:

A screenshot of a terminal window with a dark background. The prompt is 'sarta@sartajpc MINGW64 /d/linux/exp4'. The user enters '\$./greeting.sh'. The script prompts 'Enter your name:' and the user enters 'Sartaj'. The script then outputs 'Hello, Sartaj! Welcome to Shell Scripting.'

```
sarta@sartajpc MINGW64 /d/linux/exp4
$ ./greeting.sh
Enter your name:
Sartaj
Hello, Sartaj! Welcome to Shell Scripting.
```

Figure 2: greeting.png

Exercise 3: [Arithmetic Operations in Shell Scripting]

Task Statement:

- [Using Basic Arithmetic Operations in Shell Scripts]

Command(s):

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Enter first number: "
read num1
echo "Enter second number: "
read num2

echo "Addition: $((num1 + num2))"
```

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echo "Subtraction: $((num1 - num2))"
echo "Multiplication: $((num1 * num2))"
echo "Division: $((num1 / num2))"
```

Output:

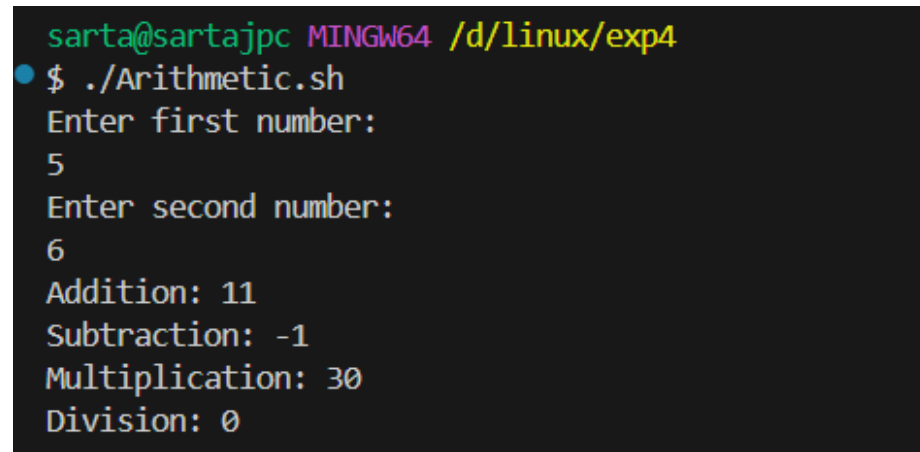
A screenshot of a terminal window with a dark background. The prompt is 'sarta@sartajpc MINGW64 /d/linux/exp4'. The user enters '\$./Arithmetic.sh'. The script prompts 'Enter first number:' and the user enters '5'. It then prompts 'Enter second number:' and the user enters '6'. The script outputs 'Addition: 11', 'Subtraction: -1', 'Multiplication: 30', and 'Division: 0'.

Figure 3: arithmetic.png

Exercise 4:

- [Voting Eligibility]

Task Statement:

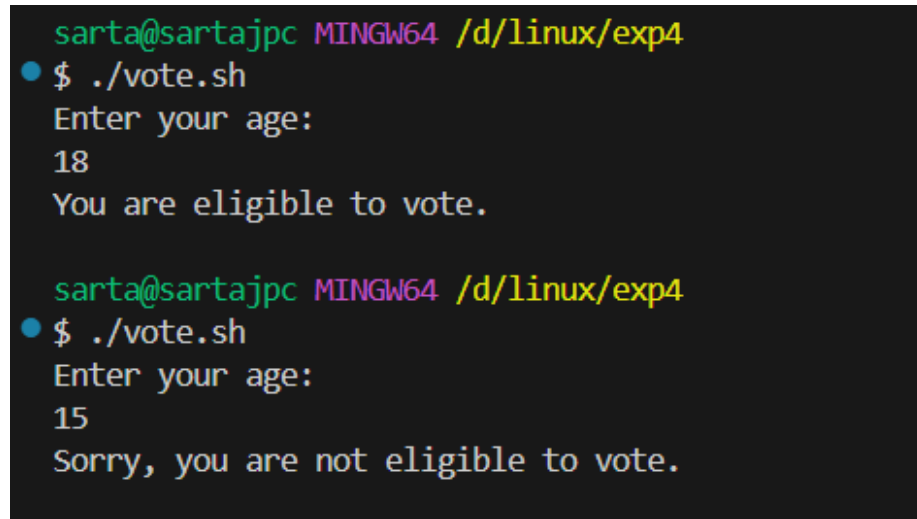
- [Using if else loop check if the user is eligible to vote or not.]

Command(s):

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Enter your age: "
read age

if [ $age -ge 18 ]
then
    echo "You are eligible to vote."
else
    echo "Sorry, you are not eligible to vote."
fi
```

Output:



```
sarta@sartajpc MINGW64 /d/linux/exp4
• $ ./vote.sh
Enter your age:
18
You are eligible to vote.

sarta@sartajpc MINGW64 /d/linux/exp4
• $ ./vote.sh
Enter your age:
15
Sorry, you are not eligible to vote.
```

Figure 4: vote.png

Result

- The Exercises were successfully completed for Basic Shell Scripting.

Challenges Faced & Learning Outcomes

- Challenge 1: [it wasn't that hard.]

Learning: [What new concept or command did you learn?]

Conclusion

- [This was somewhat of a practice on how to use bash scripts.]