

# Lab1 Design Project

## Implementation on While, Until, For, If and ! Commands

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### 1. Design Objectives

#### I. Brief Description:

Our program is enabled to distinguish “while”, “until”, “for”, “if” and “!” commands by extracting key tokens, and build the commands into command trees. By using “-p” flag, the command can be printed out in the form of binary tree, with precedence constraints. By executing “./timetrash” without flag, the commands can be executed in serial, meaning without time travelling. Executing “./timetrash” with flag “-t” will execute the commands with time travelling. The commands which have no dependencies on other commands will be executed in parallel. The parallelism of execution is obtained by enabling commands to execute in forked processes.

#### II. Specifications:

- a. The print tree command should be able to print out “while” and “until” commands in the form as in the following example:

```
while
  echo a
  do
    echo b
  done
```

- b. The print tree command should be able to print out “if” command in the form as in the following example:

```
if
  echo a
  then
    echo b
  else
    echo c
```

```
fi
```

- c. The print tree command should be able to print out “for” commands in the form as in the following example:

```
for
  a in 1 2 3
  do
    echo $a
  done
```

- d. The print tree command should be able to print out “for” commands in the form as in the following example:

```
!
(echo a)
```

- e. All the commands should be able to be printed when they are in nest relation, say while command nested in if command.

- f. All the commands should be able to execute either with parallelism or without, depending on with or without “-t” flag. (Which is not required in the spec, but we also design and complete the execution for these commands in order to make an integral implementation.)
- g. Error cases should be detected.

## **2. Implementing Strategy**

### **I. In read-command.c**

- 1) Enable the read-command.c read “if” command, parse it and print it.
  - a) In the case of token type is word, when reading a word “if”, build new inner token stream until read “then”.
  - b) Recursively call the function make\_command\_tree while passing the new token stream. Making it to a command called condition and add it to this IF\_COMMAND u.command[0].
  - c) In the same way, build the token stream between “then” to “else” and “else” to “fi”, making it as if body command and else body command, separately add them to u.command[1] and u.command[2].
  - d) Our implementation well considered about nest. If there is if or while/until/for command is nested in this if command, track the number of nested. Recursively call the make\_command\_tree until the nest number is zero.
- 2) Enable the read-command.c read “for/while/until” command, parse it and print it.
  - a) While the case of token type is word, if reading a word “until” or “while” or “for”, build a new inner token stream until read “do”.
  - b) Recursively call the function make\_command\_tree while passing the new token stream. Making it to a command called condition and add it to this WHILE\_COMMAND or UNTIL\_COMMAND or FOR\_COMMAND’s u.command[0].
  - c) In the same way, build the token stream between “do” to “done”, making it as loop body command add it to u.command[1].
  - d) Our implementation well considered about nest. If there is if or while/until/for command is nested in this while/if/until command, track the number of nested. Recursively call the make\_command\_tree until the nest number is zero.
- 3) Enable the read-command.c read “!” command (NOT\_COMMAND), parse it and print it.
  - a) While the case of token type is word, if reading a word “!”, build a new inner token stream until next token. NOT\_COMMAND only consider the following token.
  - b) If the next token type is SUBSHELL or WORD, recursively call make\_command\_tree and add the follow\_cmd to u.command[0]. Otherwise, return error.
- 4) Add delete\_newline function and using the modified token\_stream to make\_command\_stream.
  - a) In order to support newline in one single IF\_COMMAND or WHILE\_COMMAND/FOR\_COMMAND/UNTIL\_COMMAND, we build this function to delete newline in this particular situations. The basic idea is delete the HEAD token between tokens since when we have a newline, we build a new token stream which starts with the token type HEAD.
  - b) We well considered about the nest. If there exists if or while/until/for command which nest in this command, track the number of nested, which increment by 1 while reading if/do, decrement by 1 while reading fi/done. If the number of nest is not zero, which means the if/fi or do/done is not in pairs.

## II. In print-command.c

- 1) Enable the print-command.c print if/while/for/until command.
  - c) In function `command_intended_print`, print corresponding word - if/until/while/for. Then recursively call `command_intended_print` which print `u.command[0]` with indent.
  - d) If the command type is `IF_COMMAND`, print “then”, otherwise, print ”do”. Then recursively call `command_intended_print` which print `u.command[1]` with indent..
  - e) If the command type is `IF_COMMAND`, print “else”, then recursively call `command_intended_print` which print `u.command[2]` with indent.
  - f) Print “fi” or “done”.
- 2) Enable the print-command.c print not command.
  - g) In function `command_intended_print`, print “!”. Then recursively call `command_intended_print` which print `u.command[0]` with indent.

## III. In execute-command.c

- 1) Executing “while”command:

We first execute the while condition, which is `command->u.command[0]`. By checking the status of `u.command[0]` after execution, we can tell if the condition is true or not. If the condition is true, execute the `u.command[0]` which is the loop body then execute `u.command[0]` again and check the status, otherwise leave while command. The while commands status will be set with the status of the `u.command[1]`.

- 2) Executing “until” command:

The execution of “until” commands is similar to the execution of while command, except that when only when the condition is false, the loop body, `u.command[1]` will be executed.

- 3) Executing “for” command:

The execution of “for” command requires substituting the variable with the instances following keyword “in”. We provided a function “`substitute_tokens`” to do the job substituting the variable, say \$a in `u.command[1]` with the instances during each loop. After that, by executing `u.command[1]` until the end of the loop, the results can be obtained.

- 4) Executing “if” command:

We first execute the if condition, `u.command[0]`. If the condition is true, the first if body, `u.command[1]` will be executed. Otherwise, if the if condition is false, the second if body, `u.command[2]` will be executed. The command’s status will be set correspondingly.

- 5) Executing “!” commands:

The execution of “!” command first executes `u.command[0]`. If the result of the execution is true or false (positive numbers or zero), set the command status to its opposite value.

## 3. Result Display

- 1) Print command tree and execution without time travelling:
  - a. “while”, “until” command:

<pre># 1 while   echo condition do   echo loopbody done</pre>	<pre># 2 until   echo condition do   echo loopbody done</pre>
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Note: because we are not change the value of the loop condition in the middle of the loop, the loop will be infinite loop if the condition is true, or not entering loop body when

the condition is fault. By executing the above test cases, we got infinite “condition \n loop body” for the first test case, and a “condition” for the second test case.

b. “for” command:

```
# 3
for
  a in 1 2 3
do
  echo $a
done
```

Execution result:

```
[xiaoxuan@lnxsrv01 ~/cs111/Designsubmission]$ ./timetrash for.sh
1
2
3
```

c. “if” command:

```
# 4
if
  echo a
then
  echo pass condition
else
  echo notpass condition
fi
```

Execution result:

```
[xiaoxuan@lnxsrv01 ~/cs111/Designsubmission]$ ./timetrash if.sh
a
pass condition
```

Note: Since “echo a” is a true statement, the “echo pass condition” command will execute.

d. “!” command:

```
# 2
!
(
  echo a \
||
  echo b
)
```

```
# 1
if
(
  !
(
    echo a
  )
)
then
  echo pass condition
else
  echo notpass condition
fi
```

Execution result:

```
[xiaoxuan@lnxsrv01 ~/cs111/Designsubmission]$ ./timetrash if.sh
a
notpass condition
```

Note: to test “!” command, we put “!(echo a)” in an if command. Theoretically, “!(echo a)” should give us a false value, which leads to the else body, printing out “not pass condition”.

- e. “if” command nested in “while” loop:

```
# 6
while
  echo condition
do
  ehco b \
  ;
  if
    echo if_command
  then
    echo then_command
  else
    echo else_command
  fi
done
```

- f. “while” command nested in “if” command

```
# 7
if
  echo condition
then
  until
    echo until_command
  do
    echo a
  done
else
  echo a
fi
```

- 2) Execute commands with time travelling:

```
[xiaoxuan@lnxsrv01 ~/cs111/Designsubmission]$ ./timetrash -t for.sh
1
test timetravel
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
```

Note: This test case demonstrated that the time travel mode is working correctly since the output order is random. (First print variable a in 1 to 10 then print test time travel)

- 3) Tested error cases:

Look up details in “test-design-bad.sh”.

#### **4. Demo Note:**

- 1) Print command trees for “while”, “until”, “for”, “if” and “!” commands. The test cases are in “test-design-ok.sh”;

- 2) Execute commands with/ without time travelling for “for”, “if” and “!” commands.  
Demonstrate infinite loop and not-once cases for “while” and “until” commands;
- 3) Demonstrate error cases. The error test cases are in “test-design-bad.sh”.