

## SFWRENG 2XC3- Major lab 2 - Lab section L02

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**Note:** In this Major lab, you should submit 4 files, **script1-prep**, **script1**, **Makefile**, and **script2**, while providing a Word or PDF file to show the outputs.

## Task 1. bash scripts named script1-prep and script1

### Description of the script script1-prep (3 Marks)

1. The script displays a message **Major lab 2: bash script named script1-prep** . The name of the script (**script1-prep**) must not be hard coded in the script, it has to be obtained via **basename** command using the command line argument **\$0** . A) . The script should also print the current date and time in the format "**YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS**". Hint: You can consider this hint (**\$(date +%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S)**) to display.
2. The script then creates four directories named **A1** , **A2**, **A3** and a directory named **A4** .
3. Then the script **cd** to the directory **A1** and using **echo** command it creates there a file named **file1** with a single line of any text you wish, a file named **file2** with a single line of any text you wish, but different from the text of the line of **file1** , and a file named **file3** with a single line of any text different from the line for **file1** and **file2** .
4. Then the script **cd** to the directory **A4** and using **echo** command it creates there a file named **file4** with a single line of any text you wish, a file named **file5** with a single line of any text you wish, but different from the text of the line of **file4**.
5. Then the script terminates.
6. After the script terminates, the directories **A1** and **A4** will contain their respective files, while the empty directories **A2** and **A3** will also remain.

```
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] ./script1_prep
Major lab 2: bash script named script1_prep
script2: The current date and time is 2023-10-16 14:25:41
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] ls
A1 A2 A3 A4 script1_prep
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] cd A1
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A1] ls
file1 file2 file3
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A1] cd ..
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] cd A3
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A3] ls
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A3] cd ..
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] cd A4
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A4] ls
file4 file5
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A4]
```

### Description of the script script1(7 Marks)

1. The script displays a message **Major lab 2: bash script named script1** . The name of the script (**script1**) must not be hard coded in the script, it has to be obtained via **basename** command using the command line argument **\$0** .
2. Then the script **Prompt the user for the name (user enter XXX)**, then print "**Hello, XXX. Welcome to the script!**". Hint: the **read** command uses to get **user\_name**. like below:

```
Major Lab 2: bash script named script1
Please enter your name:
Abbas
Hello, Abbas. Welcome to the script!
```

3. Then the script checks the number of command line arguments. If it is not 4, it displays an error message **wrong number of command line arguments, execution aborted** and terminates.

```
[yazdinea@moore ~/major2] ./script1
Major Lab 2: bash script named script1
Please enter your name:
Abbas
Hello, Abbas. Welcome to the script!
wrong number of command line arguments, execution aborted
```

4. Check if directory A4 exists, Remove the directory A4 and all of its contents. Print the **"Directory A4 has been deleted"**, otherwise: **"Directory A4 does not exist."**

```
[yazdinea@moore ~/M2] ./script1 A1 A2 A3 A4
Major Lab 2: bash script named script1
Please enter your name:
Abbas
Hello, Abbas. Welcome to the script!
Directory A4 has been deleted.
```

5. Then it displays a message **The source directory is XXX answer (YES/NO)** where **XXX** is the value of the first command line argument (\$1).
6. It then reads the user's response. If the response is **NO** , it displays an error message **you requested execution abortion** and the script terminates. If the response is **YES** , it continues to step 5. Otherwise it displays an error message **incorrect response, redo** and the script repeats from step 5.
7. Then it displays a message **The destination directories are YYY and ZZZ (YES/NO)** where **YYY** is the value of the second command line argument (\$2) and **ZZZ** is the value of the third command line argument (\$3).
8. It then reads the user's response. If the response is **NOT** , it displays an error message **you requested execution abortion** and the script terminates. If the response is **YES** , it continues to step 7. Otherwise it displays an error message **incorrect response, redo** and the script repeats from step 5.
9. Then it displays a message **moving files from XXX to YYY, ZZZ** where **XXX** is the value of the first command line argument (\$1), **YYY** is the value of the second command line argument (\$2) and **ZZZ** is the value of the third command line argument (\$3). Then it moves all files from the directory **XXX** that contain a letter **A** to the directory **YYY** and all the files from **XXX** that do not contain a letter **A** to the directory **ZZZ** .
10. Then the script terminates.

If you first run **script1-prep**, then you find 4 new directories **A1** , **A2**, **A3** and **A4**. The directory **A1** contains three files **file1** , **file2** and **file3**, and **A4** contains files **file4** and **file5**. If also run **script1** without argaman, the output is like this:

```
[yazdinea@moore ~/test2] ./script1
Major Lab 2: bash script named script1
Please enter your name:
Abbas
Hello, Abbas. Welcome to the script!
wrong number of command line arguments, execution aborted
[yazdinea@moore ~/test2]
```

Then you run `script1 A1 A2 A3 A4`. After this you find out that the directory **A1** is empty and each of the files **file1**, **file2** and **file3** is in one of directories **A2** or **A3**, depending on their contents while **A4** has removed.

```
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] ./script1 A1 A2 A3 A4
Major Lab 2: bash script named script1
Please enter your name:
Abbas
Hello, Abbas. Welcome to the script!
Directory A4 has been deleted.
The source directory is A1 (YES/NO)
YES
The destination directoroes A2 and A3 (YES/NO)
YES
moving files from A1 to A2, A3
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] ls
A1 A2 A3 script1 script1_prep
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] cd A1
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A1] ls
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A1] cd ..
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] cd A3
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A3]
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A3] ls
file1
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A3] cd ..
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc] cd A2
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A2] ls
file2 file3
[yazdinea@moore ~/majorb/tc/A2]
```

### Hints:

- In order to find if a file `xxx` contains a letter **A**, use the `grep` command and store the result in a variable `x`, i.e. `x=`grep A xxx``. Then test if the string `x` is empty by `[ -z "$x" ]`. If it is empty, the file `xxx` does not contain **A**, if it is non-empty, then `xxx` contains **A**.
- To read a response of the user, you have to do it in a while loop and use `read` command and then test if the response is correct:

```
cont=1
while [ $cont -eq 1 ]
do
    read x
    if [ "$x" == "YES" ]
    then
```

```

        cont=0
    else
        if [ "$x" == "NO" ]
        then
            display message about terminating
            exit 1
        else
            display message about redoing
        fi
    fi
done

```

**Submit the script source code (script1-pre, and script1) and Word or PDF file which provides screenshots regarding the sample run script to show various cases as follows:**

- 1- Run script1-prep
- 2- Run script1 without argaman
- 3- Run script1 A1 A2 A3 A4

## **Task 2. makefile scripts named makefile (3 Marks) and bash script script2 (6 Marks)**

*Hint: write and debug the makefile first*

### **Description of the makefile (3 Marks)**

1. The makefile expects that in the current directory there are two files, `test.c` and `testA.c`
2. The file `testB.c` is made from the file `testA.c` by replacing every occurrence of character `A` by `B` (use `tr` command for that).
3. The file `testC.c` is made from the file `testA.c` by replacing every occurrence of letter `A` by `C` (use `tr` command for that).
4. The file `testA.o` is made by simple compilation of `testA.c` , i.e. by `gcc -c testA.c`
5. The file `testB.o` is made by simple compilation of `testB.c`
6. The file `testC.o` is made by simple compilation of `testC.c`
7. The file `Complete` is made by compilation of `test.c` and linking it with `testA.o` , `testB.o` ,and `testC.o`, i.e. by `gcc -o Complete test.c testA.o testB.o testC.o`

### **Description of the bash script script2**

*Hint: temporarily put the command `exit` after the code for creation of the file `test.c` to make sure that the file is created correctly. After successfully debugging the creation of `test.c`, remove `exit` and put it temporarily after the code for creation of the file `testA.c`. Remove `exit` completely once you are assured that `script2` creates both files correctly.*

1. Using the `echo` command, the script creates a file `test.c` that contains the following lines:

```
#include <stdio.h>

extern int layA();
extern int layB();
extern int layC();

int main() {

    printf("The Operating System has three layers: A, B, and C \n");
    printf("Layer A\n");
    layA();
    printf("Layer B\n");
    layB();
    printf("Layer C\n");
    layC();
    return 0;

}
```

*Do not forget to escape the special characters `\n` and `"`*

2. Using the `echo` command, the script creates a file `testA.c` that contains the following 5 lines:

```
#include <stdio.h>

int layA() {

    printf("Layer A: is running successfully \n");
    return 0;

}
```

*Do not forget to escape the special characters `\n` and `"`*

3. Then the script creates program (file) `Complete` by executing `make Complete` (which by default will use the makefile `makefile`)
4. Then the script executes the program `Complete`

5. Then the script cleans up by removing all the files it created,  
i.e. [test.c](#), [testA.c](#), [testA.o](#), [testB.c](#), [testB.o](#), [testC.c](#), [testC.o](#), and [Complete](#)

**Submit the script source code (makefile and script2) and Word or PDF file which provides screenshots regarding the sample run script.**

A sample run of the script [script2](#) (the messages from the execution of [makefile](#) were redacted not to reveal the contents of [makefile](#))

```
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XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
The Operating System has three layers: A, B, and C
Layer A
Layer A: is running successfully
Layer B
Layer B: is running successfully
Layer C
Layer C: is running successfully
```

**Good Luck!**