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Introduction to Shell Scripting: The Basics: cont

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Defined & Empty Variables

Defined variables

```
$ number=1
```

```
$ echo $number
```

```
=====
```

Empty variables

```
$ number
```

```
$ echo $number
```





Single and Multi Line Comments

- Single line comment

comment

: comment

- Multiline comment

: ' ← Don't forget "space"

Comment 1

Comment 2

'



Single and Multi Line Comments

- Multiline comment

<<COMMENT1 # or <<comment1

 Your comment

 Your comment

COMMENT1





Basic bash command: find

- Help

```
$ find --help
```

```
Usage: find [-H] [-L] [-P] [-Olevel] [-D help|tree|search|  
stat|rates|opt|exec] [path...] [expression]
```

default path is the current directory; default expression is -print

expression may consist of: operators, options, tests, and actions:





Basic bash command: find

Finding by name in current directory

- To find a file by name. This will be case sensitive

```
$ ls -a
```

```
.  function-return.sh  switch-input-argu.sh  
.. switch-ex.sh       switch-prompt-user.sh
```

```
$ find -name 'function-return.sh'
```

```
./function-return.sh
```





Basic bash command: find

- To find a file by name, but ignore the case of query, type:

```
$ find -iname 'function-return.SH'
```

```
./function-return.sh
```





Basic bash command: find

- If you want to find all files that don't adhere to a specific pattern, you can invert the search with "-not" or "!"

```
$ find -not -name "switch*"
```

```
.
```

```
./function-return.sh
```

```
$ find -name "switch*"
```

```
./switch-prompt-user.sh
```

```
./switch-input-argu.sh
```

```
./switch-ex.sh
```





Basic bash command: find

- find in the current directory

```
$find . -name "switch*"
```

```
./switch-prompt-user.sh
```

```
./switch-input-argu.sh
```

```
./switch-ex.sh
```





Basic bash command: find

- find in specific directory

```
$find /home/pro/Desktop/ -name "switch*"
```

```
./switch-prompt-user.sh
```

```
./switch-input-argu.sh
```

```
./switch-ex.sh
```



Specific directory





Basic bash command: find

- Searching a file on your system

```
$ sudo find / -name "switch-ex.sh"
```

```
/home/pro/Desktop/1201377-Linux-Shell-Script/week3/switch-ex.sh
```





Basic bash command: find

- Finding by type
 - Some of the most common descriptors that you can use to specify the type of file are:
 - f: regular file
 - d: directory
 - l: symbolic link
 - c: character devices
 - b: block devices





Basic bash command: find

- f: regular file

```
$ ls -a
```

```
.  function-return.sh  switch-ex.sh  switch-prompt-user.sh  
.. switch  switch-input-argu.sh
```

```
$ find -name "switch*"
```

```
./switch-prompt-user.sh
```

```
./switch-input-argu.sh
```

```
./switch-ex.sh
```

```
./switch
```

```
$ find -name "switch*" -type f
```

```
./switch-prompt-user.sh
```

```
./switch-input-argu.sh
```

```
./switch-ex.sh
```

What is the difference?

Can you try this command

```
$ find -name "switch*" -type d
```





Basic bash command: find

- d: directory

```
$ find -type d
```

```
.
```

```
./prompt
```

```
./switch
```

```
$ find -type d -name "prompt"
```

```
./prompt
```





Basic bash command: find

```
$ find -not -name "switch*"
```

```
.
```

```
./test.txt
```

```
./prompt.txt
```

```
./prompt
```

```
./function-return.sh
```





Basic bash command: find

- Find with operator
 - And -a, -and
 - Or -o, or
 - Not -not





Basic bash command: find

\$ ls

```
function-return.sh  switch                switch-prompt-user.sh
prompt              switch-ex.sh          switch-test-user.sh
prompt.txt          switch-input-argu.sh test.txt
```

** ค้นหา ไฟล์ที่ มีคำว่า "switch" และ "user" และเป็นนามสกุล ".sh" และต้องไม่มีคำว่า "prompt" ปรากฏในการค้นหา

คำตอบที่ต้องการ: **switch-test-user.sh**





Basic bash command: find

```
$ find -name "switch*user*"
./switch-prompt-user.sh
./switch-test-user.sh
```

```
$ find -not -name "*prompt*"
./test.txt
./switch-input-argu.sh
./switch-test-user.sh
./function-return.sh
./switch-ex.sh
./switch
```

```
$ find -not -name "*prompt*" -and -not -name "*prompt*"
./switch-test-user.sh
```



Basic bash command: save output

\$ ping google.com > out_google.txt



\$ cat out_google.txt

PING google.com (202.28.85.245) 56(84) bytes of data.

64 bytes from 202.28.85.245: icmp_seq=1 ttl=56 time=4.02 ms

64 bytes from 202.28.85.245: icmp_seq=2 ttl=56 time=3.98 ms

64 bytes from 202.28.85.245: icmp_seq=3 ttl=56 time=4.08 ms

--- google.com ping statistics ---

3 packets transmitted, 3 received, 0% packet loss, time 2002ms

rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 3.985/4.031/4.082/0.083 ms





Basic bash command: cat

- Cat, an acronym for concatenate, lists a file to *stdout*.
- When combined with redirection (> or >>), it is commonly used to concatenate files.

```
$ cat filename      # Lists the file
```

```
$ cat file.1 file.2 file.3 > file.123
```

```
# Combines three files into one
```





Basic bash command:

cat, rev (reverse), tac (inverse)

```
$ cat file1.txt
```

```
This is line 1.
```

```
  This is line 2.
```

```
$ tac file1.txt
```

```
This is line 2.
```

```
  This is line 1.
```

```
$ rev file1.txt
```

```
.1 enil si sihT
```

```
  .2 enil si sihT
```



Wildcards

- A wildcard is a character that can be used as a substitute for any of a class of characters in a search, thereby greatly increasing the flexibility and efficiency of searches



Wildcards

- 3 Type of wildcards are used with Linux commands.
 - Star wildcard or asterisk (*)
 - Question mark wildcard (?)
 - Square Brackets wildcard ([])



Star wildcard (*)

- Star or asterisk (*) wildcard has the broadest meaning of any of the wildcards, as it can represent zero characters, all single characters or any string.

\$ file *

function-return.sh: Bourne-Again shell script, ASCII text executable
prompt: directory
prompt.txt: empty
switch-input-argu.sh: Bourne-Again shell script, ASCII text executable
switch-test-user.sh: empty

Star wildcard (*)

```
$ ls *.txt *.sh
```

```
function-return.sh  switch-ex.sh  switch-prompt-user.sh  test.txt  
prompt.txt         switch-input-argu.sh  switch-test-user.sh
```

```
$ rm *.txt (rm = remove)
```





Question mark wildcard (?)

- The question mark (?) is used as a wildcard character in shell commands to represent exactly one character, which can be any single character.

\$ ls promp?.txt

prompt.txt





Square brackets wildcard ([])

- The square brackets can represent any of the characters enclosed in the brackets.

\$ file *[prompt]*

prompt: directory

prompt.txt: empty

switch-ex.sh: Bourne-Again shell script, ASCII text executable





Square brackets wildcard ([])

- When a hyphen (-) is used between two characters in the square brackets wildcard, it indicates a range inclusive of those two characters.
 - \$ file [a-f]*
 - \$ file *[0-9]*
 - \$ file [a-cst]*
 - names begin with any letter from a through c or begin with s or t
 - \$ file [a-cx-z]*
 - Names begin with the first three or the final three lower case letters
 - \$ file jones[0-9][0-9][0-9]
 - display all filenames that consist of jones followed by a three-digit number





Curly brackets wildcard ({ })

- Terms are separated by commas and each term must be the name of something or a wildcard.

```
$ ls
```

```
function-return.sh  switch  switch-prompt-user.sh  
prompt  switch-ex.sh  switch-test-user.sh  
prompt.txt  switch-input-argu.sh  test.txt
```

```
$ ls *.{sh,txt}
```

```
function-return.sh  switch-ex.sh  switch-prompt-user.sh  test.txt  
prompt.txt  switch-input-argu.sh  switch-test-user.sh
```



Retrieve a package from Internet

- Retrieve a package and install it on your system

```
$ sudo apt-get install vlc
```

- Uninstall an application and all dependencies package

```
$ sudo apt-get autoremove vlc
```





Download web pages, files and images from the web

- wget stands for “web get”.
- It is a command-line utility which downloads files over a network.
- Installing wget
 - \$ sudo apt-get install wget





Download web pages, files and images from the web

- Single file download

```
$ wget http://ftp.gnu.org/gnu/wget/wget-1.5.3.tar.gz
```

- Download file with different name (-O)

```
$ wget -O wget.zip http://ftp.gnu.org/gnu/wget/wget-1.5.3.tar.gz
```

- Download multiple file with http and ftp protocol

```
$ wget http://ftp.gnu.org/gnu/wget/wget-1.5.3.tar.gz  
ftp://ftp.gnu.org/gnu/wget/wget-1.10.1.tar.gz.sig
```





Download web pages, files and images from the web

- Resume uncompleted download

```
$ wget -c
```

```
http://mirrors.hns.net.in/centos/6.3/isos/x86_64/  
CentOS-6.3-x86_64-LiveDVD.iso
```

- Download files in background

```
$ wget -b
```

```
http://mirrors.hns.net.in/centos/6.3/isos/x86_64/  
CentOS-6.3-x86_64-LiveDVD.iso
```





Case Statement

- Syntax of bash case statement

```
case expression in
    pattern1 )
        statements ;;
    pattern2 )
        statements ;;
    ...
esac
```



Case Statement

- Following are the key points of bash case statements:
 - Case statement first expands the expression and tries to match it against each pattern.
 - When a match is found all of the associated statements until the double semicolon (;;) are executed.
 - After the first match, case terminates with the exit status of the last command that was executed.
 - If there is no match, exit status of case is zero.



Case Statement

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
printf 'Which Linux distribution do you know? '  
read DISTR
```

```
case $DISTR in  
    ubuntu)
```

```
        echo "I know it! It is an operating system based on Debian."
```

```
        ;;
```

```
centos|rhel)
```

```
        echo "Hey! It is my favorite Server OS!"
```

```
        ;;
```

```
*)
```

```
        echo "Hmm, seems i've never used it."
```

```
        ;;
```

```
esac
```



Multiple pattern





Case Statement: Sample 1

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
all=false
```

```
long=false
```

```
while getopts ":hal" option; do
```

```
  case $option in
```

```
    h) echo "usage: $0 [-h] [-a] [-l] file ..."; exit ;;
```

```
    a) all=true ;;
```

```
    l) long=true ;;
```

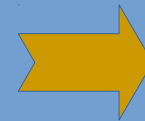
```
    ?) echo "Invalid option: -$OPTARG"; exit ;;
```

```
  esac
```

```
done
```

```
echo $all
```

":hal"



[-h]

[-a]

[-l]



Case Statement: Sample 2



Prompt user with Yes or No

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
echo -n "Do you agree with this? [yes or no]: "  
read yno  
case $yno in
```

```
    [yY] | [yY][Ee][Ss] )
```

```
        echo "Agreed"
```

```
        ;;
```

```
    [nN] | [nN][Oo] )
```

```
        echo "Not agreed, you can't proceed the installation";
```

```
        exit 1
```

```
        ;;
```

```
    *) echo "Invalid input"
```

```
        ;;
```

```
esac
```





Case Statement: Sample 3

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
# option with argument
```

```
while getopts ":a:b:" opt; do
```

```
  case $opt in
```

```
    a)
```

```
      echo "-$opt was triggered, Parameter: $OPTARG" >&2
```

```
      ;;
```

```
    b)
```

```
      echo "-$opt was triggered, Parameter: $OPTARG" >&2
```

```
      ;;
```





Case Statement: Sample 3 (cont)

\?)

```
echo "Invalid option: -$OPTARG" >&2
```

```
exit 1
```

```
::
```

:)

```
echo "Option -$OPTARG requires an argument." >&2
```

```
echo "usage: $0 [-a] arg [-b] arg"
```

```
exit 1
```

```
::
```

```
esac
```

```
done
```





Basic Functions in bash

```
function function_name {  
    Command...  
}
```

Or

```
function_name() {  
    Command...  
}
```

To call a function with arguments:

```
function_name $arg1 $arg2
```





Case Statement: calling functions with arguments

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
function func1() {  
    echo "Function 1"  
    val=$(( $1 * $2 ))  
    echo "$1 * $2 = $val"  
}
```

```
echo "param1 = $1"
```

```
echo "param2 = $2"
```

```
func1 $1 $2
```



Returning value from bash functions



```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
# Setting a return status for a function
```

```
print_something() {  
    echo "Hello $1"  
    return 5  
}
```

```
name="Mars"
```

```
print_something $name
```

```
print_something Jupiter
```

```
echo The previous function has a return value of $?
```



Returning value from bash functions



```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
# Setting a return value to a function
```

```
lines_in_file () {
```

```
    cat $1 | wc -l
```

```
}
```

```
num_lines=$( lines_in_file $1 )
```

```
echo The file $1 has $num_lines lines in it.
```



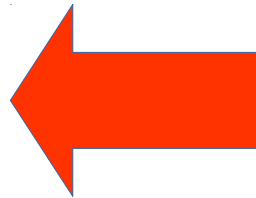
Returning value from bash functions

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
# Setting a return status for a function
```

```
print_something() {  
    echo "Hello $1"  
    var=$1  
    var1="Olarik"  
    echo $var1  
}
```

```
name="Mars"  
newname=$(print_something $name)  
echo $newname
```



What is the result
of the program?
and
How many values
can it returns?





Combining switch case and functions: sample 1

```
#!/bin/bash
```

```
function func1() {  
    param1=$OPTARG  
    echo "Function 1"  
    echo "-$opt, param = $param1"  
}
```





Combining switch case and functions: sample 1 (cont)

```
# option with argument
while getopt "a:b:c:" opt; do
  case $opt in
    a)
      echo "-$opt was triggered, Parameter: $OPTARG" >&2
      echo "optarg = $OPTARG"
      func1 $opt $OPTARG
      ;;
    ...
    ...
```





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