

Variables

\$0	Name of the bash script
\$1 - \$9	The first 9 arguments to the bash script
\$#	Amount of arguments passed to the bash script
\$@	All the arguments supplied to the bash script
\$?	The exit status of the most recently run process
\$\$	The process ID of the current script
\$USER	The username of the user running the script
\$HOSTNAME	The hostname of the machine the script is running on
\$SECONDS	The number of seconds since the script was started
\$RANDOM	Returns a different random number each time it is referred to
\$LINENO	Returns the current line number in the Bash script
variable=value	Set value to variable
echo \$variable	Returns value of the variable
sampledir=/etc	Set path as value to variable
ls \$sampledir	Returns content of /etc
echo	Return empty line
echo "\$variable"	Returns value of variable
echo '\$variable'	Returns '\$variable'
variable=\$(ls /etc wc -l)	Saves output of command to variable
export variable	Make variable available to child processes

Input

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User Interface



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