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KORN SHELL 93 - TYPESET COMMAND

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typeset

set attributes and values of variables. used inside function, makes a variable local to the function.

typeset -A variableName

initializes an associative array variable named "variableName".

typeset -A

displays a list of all associative array variables defined in the current shell, with the associative array index and value of the last element of each array.

typeset +A

displays a list of all associative array variable names defined in the current shell.

typeset -E[n] variableName

initializes a floating point scientific notation variable called "*variableName*". *n* is the number of significant digits.

typeset -E[n] variableName=floatValue

initializes a floating point scientific notation variable called "*variableName*" and assigns it a value of *"floatValue*". *n* is the number of significant digits.

typeset -E

displays a list of all variables defined as floating point scientific notation type, and their associated value.

typeset +E

displays a list of all variable names defined as floating point scientific notation type.

typeset +E variableName

remove the floating point scientific notation type from "variableName". does not alter assigned value.

typeset -F[*n*] *variableName*

initializes a floating point variable called *"variableName"*. *n* is the number of decimal places.

typeset -F[n] variableName=floatValue initializes a floating point variable called

"variableName" and assigns it a value of *"floatValue"*. *n* is the number of decimal places.

typeset -F

displays a list of all variables defined as floating point type, and their associated value.

typeset +F

displays a list of all variable names defined as floating point type.

typeset +F variableName

remove the floating point type from "*variableName*". does not alter assigned value.

typeset -H

UNIX to host file name mapping on non-UNIX systems.

typeset -i[n] variableName

initializes an integer variable called "variableName". n is the output base (default: 10).

typeset -i[n] variableName=integerValue

initializes an integer variable called "*variableName*" and assigns it a value of *integerValue*. *n* is the output base (default: 10).

typeset -i

displays a list of all variables defined as integer type, and their associated value.

typeset +i

displays a list of all variable names defined as integer type.

typeset +i variableName

remove the integer type from "*variableName*". does not alter assigned value.

typeset -I variableName

initializes a lowercase only variable called "variableName". converts upper case characters to lower case upon assignment.

typeset -I variableName=characterString

initializes a lowercase only variable called *"variableName"* and assigns it a value of *"characterString"* converting upper case characters to lower case.

typeset -l

displays a list of all variables defined as lowercase type, and their associated value.

typeset +l

displays a list of all variable names defined as lowercase type.

typeset +I variableName

remove the lowercase only type from "variableName". does not alter assigned value.

typeset -L[n] variableName

initializes a left justified type variable called *"variableName"*. *n* is width (in characters) of the left justified value.

typeset -L[n] variableName=stringValue

initializes a left justified type variable called "variableName" and assigns it a value of "stringValue". *n* is the width (in characters) of the left justified value. If the number of characters in "stringValue" is more than *n*, then "stringValue" is truncated to *n* characters.

typeset -L

displays a list of all variables defined as left justified type, and the value associated with each.

typeset +L

displays a list of all variable names defined as left justified type.

typeset +L variableName

remove the left justified type from "variableName". does not alter assigned value.

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typeset -n variableName=variableNameReference initializes a named reference to a variable called "variableName". similar to assigning pointers.

typeset -n

displays a list of all variables defined as left justified type, and their associated value.

typeset +n

displays a list of all variable names defined as name reference type.

typeset +n *variableName*

remove the name reference type from "variableName". does not alter assigned value.

typeset -p

display all typeset commands to recreate current variables.

typeset -r variableName=stringValue

initialize a read-only variable called "variableName" and assign it a value of "stringValue". value must be assigned at the same time the variable is initialized.

typeset -r

displays a list of all variables defined as read only type, and their associated value.

typeset +r

displays a list of all variable names defined as read only type.

typeset -R[n] variableName

initializes a right justified type variable called *"variableName"*. *n* is width (in characters) of the right justified value.

typeset -R[n] variableName=stringValue

initializes a right justified type variable called "*variableName*" and assigns it a value of "*stringValue*". *n* is the width (in characters) of the right justified value. If the number of characters in "*stringValue*" is more than *n*, then "stringValue" is truncated to *n* characters.

typeset -R

displays a list of all variables defined as right justified type, and their associated value.

typeset +R

displays a list of all variable names defined as right justified type.

typeset +R variableName

remove the right justified type from "variableName". does not alter assigned value.

typeset -u variableName

initializes a uppercase only variable called "variableName". converts lower case characters to upper case upon assignment.

typeset -u variableName=characterString

initializes a uppercase only variable called "variableName" and assigns it a value of "characterString" converting lower case characters to upper case.

typeset -u

displays a list of all variables defined as uppercase type, and the value associated with each.

typeset +u

displays a list of all variable names defined as uppercase type.

typeset +u variableName

remove the uppercase only type from "variableName". does not alter assigned value.

typeset -ui[n] variableName

initializes an unsigned integer variable called *"variableName"*. *n* is the output base (default: 10).

typeset -ui[n] variableName=integerValue

initializes an unsigned integer variable called "*variableName*" and assigns it a value of *integerValue*. *n* is the output base (default: 10).

typeset -ui

displays a list of all variables defined as unsigned integer type, and the value associated with each.

typeset +ui

displays a list of all variable names defined as unsigned integer type.

typeset +ui variableName

remove the unsigned integer type from *"variableName"*. does not alter assigned value.

typeset -x variableName

exports "variableName" to subshells and subprograms.

typeset -x variableName=characterString

assigns the value "*characterString*" to the variable "*variableName*" and exports it to subshells and subprograms.

typeset -x

displays a list of all exported variables, and their associated value.

typeset +x

displays a list of all exported variable names.

typeset +x variableName

unexport the variable "variableName" from the current shell environment. does not alter assigned value.

typeset -Z[n] variableName

initializes a zero filled, right justified type variable called "variableName". *n* is width (in characters) of the right justified, zero filled value. Any value assigned to "variableName" will be zero filled, then right justified.

typeset -Z[n] variableName=integerValue

initializes a right justified, zero filled type variable called "variableName" and assigns it a value of "*integerValue*". *n* is the width (in characters) of the right justified, zero filled value. If the number of characters in "*integerValue*" is less than *n*, then zero's are prefixed onto "*integerValue*" until it is *n* characters in length.

typeset -Z

displays a list of all variables defined as right justified, zero filled type, and the value associated with each.

typeset +Z

displays a list of all variable names defined as right justified, zero filled type.

typeset +Z variableName

remove the right justified, zero filled type from "variableName". does not alter assigned value.