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- The first parameter passed to the script is \$1, the second \$2 and so on
- If you want to check more than one possibilities of parameter passed to the script then a case is useful

```
case "$1" in
  start)
    # start
    command 1
    command 2
    command 3
    ;;
  stop)
    # stop
    command 1
    command 2
    command 3
    ;;
  *)
    # anything other
    echo "Use: {start|stop}" >&2
    exit 1
    ;;
esac
```

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