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cp

Definition: Copy

Example: cp <from file> <to file>

Manual: man cp

Common options:

-R: Recursive... Copies directories and contents.

-v: Verbose... Shows file names after they are copied.

mv

Definition: Move or rename

Example: mv <from file> <to file>

Manual: man mv

Common options:

-v: Verbose... Shows file names after they are copied.

rm

Definition: Remove or delete

Example: rm <file>

Manual: man rm

Common options:

-r: Recursive... When removing a directory it will delete the contents first.

-f: Force... Remove files without asking permission or prompt.

-v: Verbose... Shows file names as they are removed.