Encryption

Several means of encryption are available.

gpg: Gnu Privacy Guard. Will encrypt or decrypt a file. Output the result to stdout

Basic options:

e: encrypt

d: decrypt

s: sign a document

You can specify which encryption algorithm to use, or use the defaults.

You can use large keys and keep them on/in an encrypted key-ring protected by a passphrase.

You can crypt simply using a pass phrase.

cryptdir, decryptdir:

Encrypt or decrypt the files in a directory.

You specify a pass phrase (twice to make sure you don't goof).

Each encrypted file has a .crypt appended to the filename.

Files already ending in .crypt are not encrypted.

The directory structure is not modified.

Side effect: you can add a file to a directory and cryptdir will encrypt only that file.

This program has no options.