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Homework # 8
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In this homework, you will write classes for computer files in an hierarchy.

File is a class that has the following data members

- **Name** of the file
- **owner** of the file
- **size** of the file
- **Last modificaliton** time of the file

The class **File** has also operations such as

- Setters and getters for the appropriate data members
- Function **path** that returns the path of the file as string
- Function **ls** that prints the file on the screen similar to what “ls file” does. Function **ls** also takes parameters similar to Linux ls paramerts -l, -R, -a.
- Function **cd** that returns a **File** reference if the operation is successful.
- Function **cp**, copies the given file to the current file and returns true if sucessful. Otherwise, it returns false.

The are other classes that derive from the **File** class. The class **Directory** is a special **File** that can hold a number of Files in it. It redefines/overrides all necessary functions and adds new data members as needed.

The class **Executable** is a File that can be executed. It has members for storing the compiler that created the executable.

The class **TextFile** is a File that contains text. It has members for stroring the text type, Ascii, Unicode etc.

An example run can be such as follows:

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Direcrory mydir("mydir", "owner", ...);  
Executable myExec("myExec", ...);  
mydir.cp(myExec);  
mydir.ls("Rl");
```

would print

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myExec -rwx akgul 917 7.12.2015
```

Test each of your classes and your functions with several examples and attach your test results. Use real directory structures from Linux environment.

Below are other rules

- You may use STL classes to keep your data
- You may add other data members and functions if needed.
- The class File is the base class. It should not use any information about the derived classes.
- Each class should have its header and implementation files.
- Use name spaces and separation of interface and implementation, and other good programming practices