

cURL is Client URL. It's a client side library for commands to get and send information.

5 commands for cURL command line:

curl -v <http://example.com> this is verbose mode and helps you switch options in your code.

curl -vL <http://example.com> parses the entire line and you can put your options in however you'd like.

curl -d arbitrary <http://example.com> this lets you pass in arbitrary data

curl -A "I am your father" <http://example.com> passing in a string

curl --no-verbose <http://example.com> this serves as a "switch off" command if you have something that switches on already.