

OPERATING SYSTEM

CP COMMANDS

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Lab #2

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1. cp <file 1> <file 2>

```
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ pwd
/home/fjwu
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ touch file
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ cp file1 file2
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ ls
Desktop      Downloads  file2  Music      rabia      Templates
direc        file       first  Pictures   rabiadirectory  Videos
Documents    file1      labs   Public     snap
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ mkdir source
```

2. cp -r <sourceDirectory> <destinationDirectory>

```
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ mkdir source
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ mkdir destination
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ cp -r destination /home/fjwu/source/
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ cd source
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/source$ ls
destination
```

3. cp *.<extension> <destinationDirectory>

```
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ touch file1.txt
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cp *.txt /home/fjwu/source/
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cd source
bash: cd: source: No such file or directory
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ ls
file1.txt
```

4. `cp --backup <filename> <destinationDirectory>`

```
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cp --backup file1.txt /home/fjwu/source/
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cd
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ cd source
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/source$ ls
destination  file1.txt  file1.txt~
```

5. `cp -i <filename> <destinationDirectory>`

```
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cp -i file1.txt /home/fjwu/source/
cp: overwrite '/home/fjwu/source/file1.txt'? y
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cd
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ cd source
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/source$ ls
destination  file1.txt  file1.txt~
```

6. `cp -l <filename> <destinationDirectory>`

```
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ touch file2.txt
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cp -l file2.txt /home/fjwu/source/
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cd
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ cd source
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/source$ ls
destination  file1.txt  file1.txt~  file2.txt
```

7. `cp -p <filename> <destinationDirectory>`

```
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cp -p file1.txt /home/fjwu/source/
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cd
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ cd source
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/source$ ls
destination  file1.txt  file1.txt~  file2.txt
```

8. `cp -u -v <filenames> <destinationDirectory>`

```
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cp -u -v file1.txt /home/fjwu/source/
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/destination$ cd
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~$ cd source
fjwu@fjwu-VirtualBox:~/source$ ls
```

9. `destination file1.txt file1.txt~ file2.txt`