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- Node Package Manager (NPM) is a dependency management tool for JavaScript applications.
- In the Java world, this is similar to Maven (pom.xml) or Gradle, where we tell the project to fetch code that we need from an internet repository.
- Here at TE, we use NPM to manage our VUE projects as well as run a testing framework called Cypress.

NPM Cheatsheet

- The file containing the inventory of dependencies is called `package.json`.
- Consequently all npm commands need to be run at the directory containing `package.json`.
- Typically, for any functionality involving NPM, the first step is to run the following command: `npm install`.