

Emacs dired cheatsheet

entering and existing dired

- C-x d** run dired
- C-x C-j** dired the dir of current file
- h** help
- q** quit dired back to file

motion commands

- p/n** move up/down to prev/next line
- </>** move up/down to prev/next dir line
- M-{/}** move to prev/next marked file
- M-C - p/n** move up/down to prev/next sub-dir
- ^** move to parent dir
- M-C-d** move to first child sub-dir

mouse commands

- MB_2** visit file
- C-MB_3** popup menu

Immediate actions on files

- f** visit current file
- v** view current file
- o** visit current file in other window
- C-u o** display current file
- +** create a new sub-dir
- compare file at point with the one at mark

Marking files

- m/u** mark/unmark
- M-delete** unmark all marked files in a buffer
- * .** mark files with a given extensions
- * /** mark all dirs
- * @** mark all symlinks
- * *** mark all executables
- * t** invert marking
- * s** mark all files in the current subdir
- * %** mark file names matching a regex
- * c** change the marks to a different character

File commands

- C** copy file (s)
- R** rename a file or move to another dir
- O** change ownership
- G** change group
- M** change mode
- P** print
- % l** convert file names to lower case
- % u** convert file names to upper case
- X** delete marked files
- S** make symlinks
- Y** make relative symlinks
- H** make hard links
- A** search files for a regex
- Q** query replace regex
- B** byte-compile files
- L** load files
- !** shell command on files

Flagging files for deletion

- d** flag file for deletion
- delete** backup and remove deletion flag

Modifying the dired buffer

- i** insert a sub-dir into this buffer
- k** remove marked files from the listing
- C-u k** remove a subdir listing
- g** re-read all dirs
- s** toggle sorting of current subdir by name/date
- C-u s** edit ls switches
- C-_** recover marks, hidden lines, and such
- M-\$** hide all subdirs
- \$** toggle hiding subdirs

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Mouse

- mouse-1** open selected file
- mouse-2** open clicked file in other-window
- mouse-3** open context popup or go up dir

Key bindings

- (file) navigate to parent directory in dired
- 0** move to the beginning of the file in dired
- =** diff between selected files
- C-j/k** move to next subdirectory
- l** toggle showing dotfiles
- ~** navigate to home dir
- f** helm find file
- J** goto file
- C-f** dired-find
- H** show dired history
- T** move down in dired tree
- K** kill marked lines (hide, not delete)
- r** redisplay buffer

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source:
<https://www.gnu.org/software/emacs/refcards/pdf/dired-ref.pdf>
<https://github.com/syl20bnr/spacemacs/tree/master/layers/%2Bvim/vinegar>

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