**[Difference between \r and \n](https://stackoverflow.com/questions/3451147/difference-between-r-and-n)**

Os compatibility

in old Mac systems (pre-OS X), \r was the code for end-of-line instead

in Unix and all Unix-like systems, \n is the code for end-of-line, \r means nothing special

in Windows (and many old OSs), the code for end of line is 2 characters, \r\n