

Give several techniques for running a single command.

Where do the results go?

M-! (shell-command)

Results go in *Shell Command Output*.

M-| (shell-command-on-region)

Results go in minibuffer.

C-u M-!

Results go in current buffer.

How can you open a shell in emacs?

shell, or better yet, ansi-term.

How can you use your normal terminal
hotkeys in shell mode?

Preface them with C-c.

Get into directory/file editing mode.

C-x d (dired)

emacs dir_name

C-x C-f and select a directory

How do you delete files in Dired?

'd' to mark from deletion, 'u' to undelete, 'x' to carry out deletion.

'#' marks all auto-save files for deletion, '~' all backup files.

'D' deletes immediately.

How do you copy files in Dired?

'C', or 'NC' for some N for multiple files.

How do you rename a file in Dired?

Compress/uncompress?

'R'

'Z'

How can emacs edit files while they are compressed?

auto-compress-mode

How can you diff files in Dired?

Set the mark on one, move the point to the other, then type '='.