

# Cross-References

This document demonstrates mdforge's cross-reference syntax. See [Syntax](#) for usage details.

## *Syntax*

Two directives are available:

Directive	Purpose
<code>@see(Name)</code>	Link to a heading or anchor
<code>@anchor(Name)</code>	Create an invisible link target

## *Linking to Headings*

Any heading automatically gets an ID based on its text. Use `@see` to link to it:

See [\[Syntax\]\(#syntax\)](#) for details.

The name must match the heading text exactly.

## *Custom Anchors*

Sometimes you need to link to a specific paragraph that isn't a heading. Place `@anchor(Name)` on its own line, then reference it with `@see(Name)`.

This paragraph has an anchor above it. Link to it with [Custom Anchors](#).

## *How It Works*

The `@see` directive transforms into a markdown link:

- `@see(Syntax)` becomes [\[Syntax\]\(#syntax\)](#)

Slugs are generated like heading IDs: lowercase, spaces to hyphens, special characters removed, unicode/diacritics transliterated to ASCII.

## *Summary*

- Syntax - the two directives
- Custom Anchors - linking to non-headings
- How It Works - the transformation