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mkdir

- used for creating a single directory or multiple directories
- create multiple directories, separate each directory name with a space

Formula

- `mkdir + the name of the directory`

Examples

- `mkdir wallpapers mkdir wallpapers/forest`

touch

- is used to creating files

Formula

- `touch`

Examples

- `touch list touch Downloads/games2.txt`

rm

- remove files
- default does not removes directories.

Formula

- `rm`
- `rmdir`
- `rm -r + directory name`

Examples

- `rm list`
- `rmdir Downloads/games`
- `rm -r Downloads/games`

cp

- copies files/directories from a source to a destination
- command has many options

Formula

- `cp` + files to copy + destination

Examples

- `cp Downloads/wallpapers.zip Pictures/`
- `cp -r ~/Downloads/wallpapers ~/Pictures/`

MV

- moves and renames directories
- where source is the file or directory that you want to move and destination is where the directory or file is going

Formula

- `mv` + source + destination

Examples

- `mv Downloads/homework.pdf Documents/`
- `sudo mv ~/Downloads/theme /usr/share/themes`