

sending encryted text/file from linux terminal to mail

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try something like

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```
gpg -ea -r "Recipient name" -o - filename | mail -s "Subject line" recipient@exampl
```



to send an ascii-armored, public-key-encrypted copy of the file "filename" to a person named "Recipient name" (who is in your gpg keyring) at email address recipient@example.com with the specified subject line.



or

```
echo "Your secret message" | gpg -ea -r "Recipient name" | mail -s "Subject" recipi
```

to send text directly rather than from a cleartext file on disk.

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atrides@atrides:~$ gpg -e -s -a -r receiptent@gmail.com mp.txt && cat mp.txt.asc | mail -s "mp.txt" receiptent@gmail.com
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