ENGR (Putty) Commands

Command	Action	<u>Example</u>
cd [directory name]	Change Directory – places you in	cd my_directory //places you in
	specified directory	"my_directory"
pwd	Present Working Directory – tells	pwd //outputs current directory
	you what directory you are in	
ls	List – lists files and directories	ls //directories will be in blue
	contained within current directory	text, executables in green, and text
		files in white
cp [file name] [new file name]	Copy – copies specified file	cp calculate.c calc.c //makes a
		copy of "calculate.txt" and names it
		"calc.txt"
mv [file name/location] [new file	Move/Rename – moves a file to a	mv ./test.c ./my_directory/test.c
name/location]	different directory and/or renames	//moves "test.cpp" from current
	it	directory to my_directory
		mv test.c my_test.c //renames
		"test.cpp" to "my_test.cpp"
rm [file name]	Remove – deletes specified file	rm test_file.c //will ask you if
		you want to delete "test file.c"
		rm test_file.c –f //will delete
		"test file.c" without asking for
		confirmation (force remove)
mkdir [new directory name]	Make Directory – makes a new	mkdir cs160 //makes directory
	directory	named "cs160"
vim [file name]	VI Improved – opens specified file	vim test.c //opens "test.c" in vim
	in vim	_
Ctrl+c	Kill Process – kills running process	pressing ctrl+c while a program is
		running will kill the program and
		take you back to the command
		line
man [command]	Manual – shows the manual page	man cd //will show the manual
	for specified command	page for the "cd" command

VIM Commands

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Command	<u>Action</u>
i	enter insert-mode
V	enter visual-mode
:w + enter	write/save file
:q + enter	quit/exit file
:wq + enter	write then quit file
/[pattern] + enter	highlights all instances of [pattern] in file
p	pastes cut/copied text
gg	go to beginning of file (works in visual-mode)
G	go to end of file (works in visual-mode)
gg=G	format file with correct tabs

Visual-Mode: used to manipulate blocks of code

Command	Action
d	delete (cut)
у	yank (copy)
<;>	shift right (indent); shift left (unindent)
=	format with correct tabs