

NAME

cpmod – copy file permissions, ownerships, and timestamps

SYNOPSIS

cpmod [-h] [-amot] *source-file file* [...]

DESCRIPTION

The **cpmod** utility copies access permissions (modes), ownerships, and/or timestamps from the *source-file* to one or more other files. Any combination of the **-m**, **-o**, and **-t** switches (described below) may be used to specify which aspects of the file permissions will be copied. If none of these switches are specified, **-m** is assumed.

OPTIONS

- h** Display a command synopsis and copyright message.
- m** Copy the file access permissions (mode) from the source file to the other files.
- o** Copy the owner and group from the source file to the other files, if possible. (On some systems, only the root user can change the ownership of a file.)
- t** Copy the last-access and last-modification times from the source file to the other files.
- a** Copy all aspects of the file permissions from the source file to the other files.

SEE ALSO

chmod(1), chown(1), stat(1)

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