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- Parallels Device Management

Symptoms

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Resolution

If you want just to copy a file, you should specify the command:

```
cp <filename> <destination>
```

If you want copy a folder, execute the following:

```
cp -r <filename> <destination>
```

Example

If you want to copy a 'config.cfg' file located in 'C:\Temp\passcode.desktopconfig' folder to /Documents/ApplicationSettings folder on a Mac, then you should:

1. Create a package and a program using the standard **Create Package and Program Wizard** in the Configuration Manager console:

Navigate to **Software Library / Overview / Application Management / Packages**. Right click -> **Create Package**. The Create Package and Program Wizard opens.

2. Create a package and specify a 'C:\Temp\passcode.desktopconfig' as a source folder:
3. Go to **Program Type** page -> select the **Standard program** and specify a command:

```
cp config.cfg /Documents/ApplicationSettings
```

4. Click **Next** and specify properties on the **Requirements** page (optional).
5. Click **Next** again to check **Summary** and complete the wizard to proceed with the package creation and distribution.