

Search for files with specific text in them

|Linux shell

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find /var/www -type f -exec grep -l '/sync-clients/' {} \;
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This will output all files with the specified string. The path in example is /var/www, and string we search for is /sync-clients/

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grep -iRl 'text' .
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- -i > ignore caps
- -R > recursive
- -l > Display filename instead of text
- 'text' > text to search
- . > location to start in

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