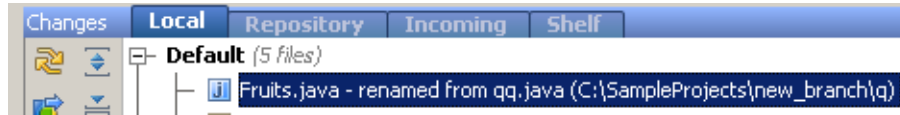


## Copying, Renaming and Moving Files

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There is no automatic renaming or moving files in the version control systems. Working with the clients, you have to manually copy a file to a new location, change its name, add to VCS and remove the old file. IntelliJ IDEA's refactoring features make it possible to easily move and rename files under version control, performing all actions involved in these functions.

In the **Changes** tool window, next to the resulting files IntelliJ IDEA explicitly states: renamed from <file name> or: copied from <package name>.



### To copy, move or rename a file under version control

1. Select the desired file in the Project tool window, and perform refactoring procedures, as described in the sections:
  - [Copy/Clone](#)
  - [Move](#)
  - [Rename](#)All added and deleted files are placed to a changelist.
2. [Commit changes](#) to the repository.

You can revert refactorings, using the **Undo** command.

### See Also

Procedures:

- [Copy](#)
- [Move Refactorings](#)
- [Rename Refactorings](#)

Reference:

- [Version Control Reference](#)

Web Resources:

- [Developer Community](#) 