

1. Code editor:

What functions do we need for a good code editor?

Common operation for a general text editor

- Insertion
- Deletion
- Modification
- Copy/Cut/Paste

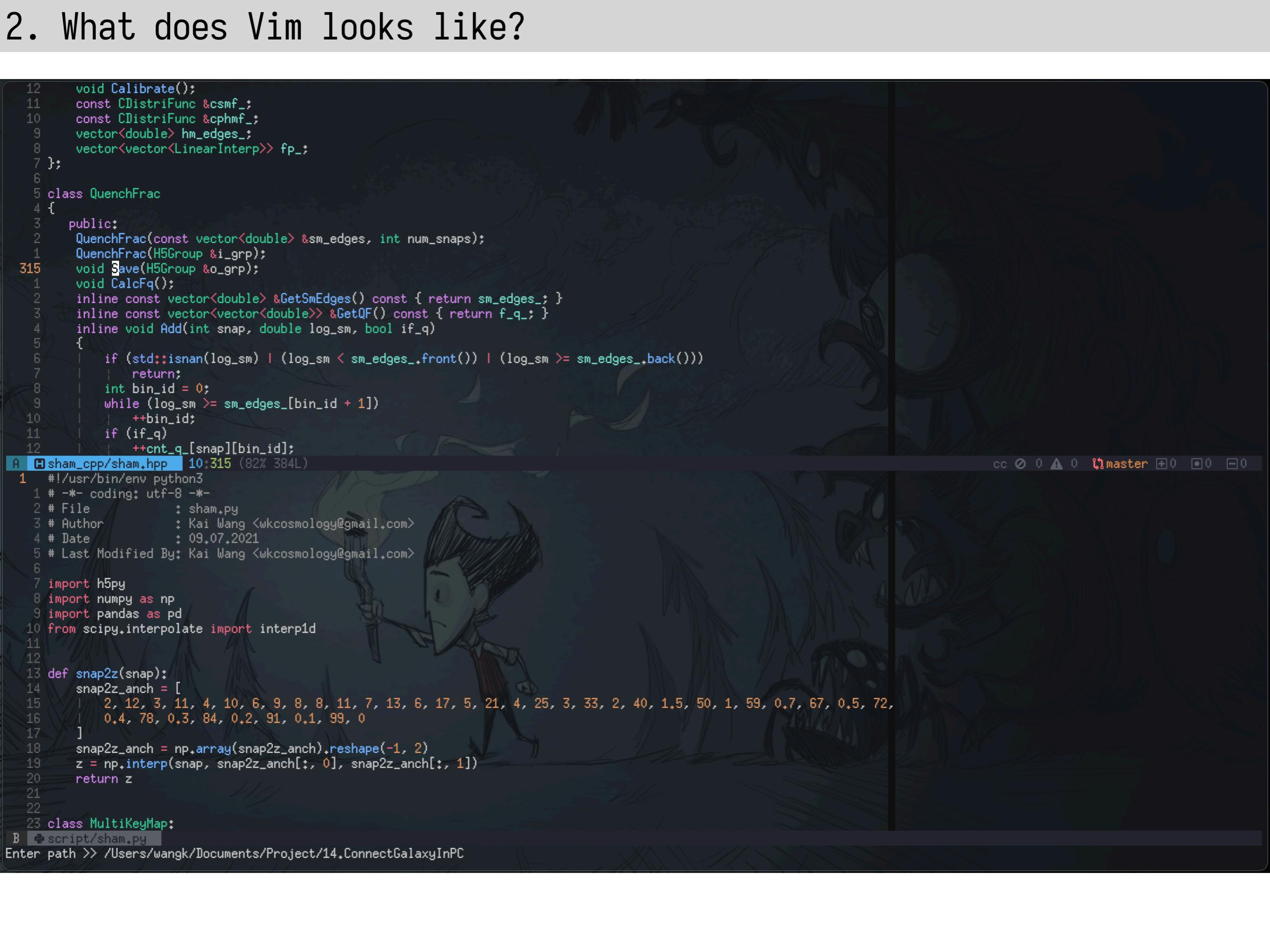
Specific requirement for a code editor

- Searching: files, variables, strings etc.
- Completion:
- Navigation: scroll, jump-to-definition etc.
- Snippet
- Integration with Git
- Built-in shell
- Debugging? (I don't use it)

How to perform non-typing functions in different code editors?

1. Using mouse and buttons: IDEs like Visual Studio or Xcode
2. Ctrl/Shift/Alt/Tab/Command + alphabet keys: like Emacs
3. Commands: Ctrl+Shift+P in VSCode, Sublime etc.
4. Mode-dependent key interpretation: Vim way!

2. What does Vim looks like?

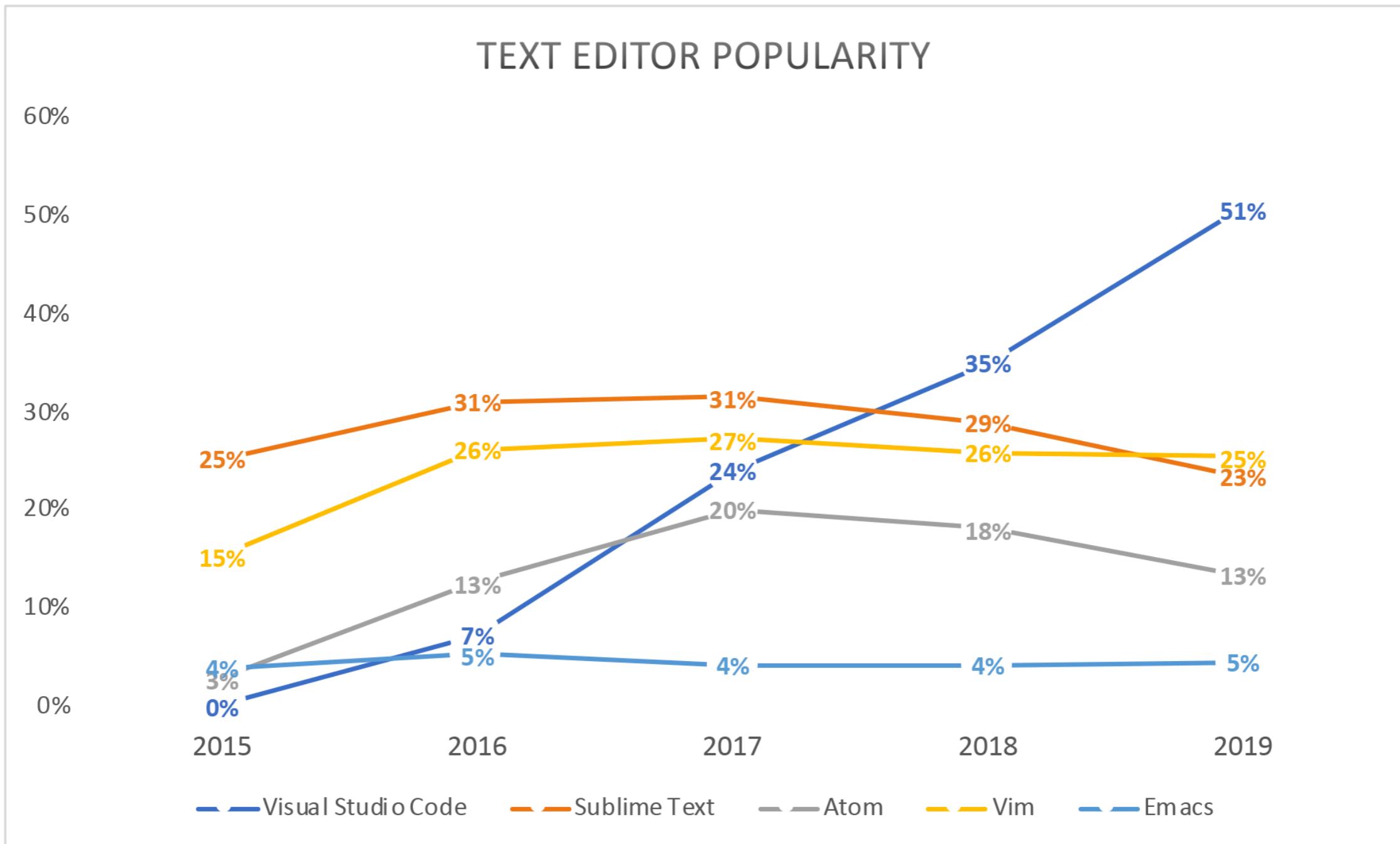


```
12 void Calibrate();
11 const CDistriFunc &csmf_;
10 const CDistriFunc &cphmf_;
9 vector<double> hm_edges_;
8 vector<vector<LinearInterp>> fp_;
7 };
6
5 class QuenchFrac
4 {
3 public:
2 QuenchFrac(const vector<double> &sm_edges, int num_snaps);
1 QuenchFrac(H5Group &i_grp);
315 void Save(H5Group &o_grp);
1 void CalcFq();
2 inline const vector<double> &GetSmEdges() const { return sm_edges_; }
3 inline const vector<vector<double>> &GetQF() const { return f_q_; }
4 inline void Add(int snap, double log_sm, bool if_q)
5 {
6     if (std::isnan(log_sm) || (log_sm < sm_edges_.front()) || (log_sm >= sm_edges_.back()))
7         return;
8     int bin_id = 0;
9     while (log_sm >= sm_edges_[bin_id + 1])
10        ++bin_id;
11     if (if_q)
12        ++cnt_q_[snap][bin_id];
A H sham_cpp/sham.hpp | 10:315 (82% 384L) cc 0 0 ▲ 0 ↴ master +0 □ 0 □ 0
```

```
1 #!/usr/bin/env python3
# -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
2 # File : sham.py
3 # Author : Kai Wang <wkcosmology@gmail.com>
4 # Date : 09.07.2021
5 # Last Modified By: Kai Wang <wkcosmology@gmail.com>
6
7 import h5py
8 import numpy as np
9 import pandas as pd
10 from scipy.interpolate import interp1d
11
12
13 def snap2z(snap):
14     snap2z_anch = [
15         2, 12, 3, 11, 4, 10, 6, 9, 8, 8, 11, 7, 13, 6, 17, 5, 21, 4, 25, 3, 33, 2, 40, 1.5, 50, 1, 59, 0.7, 67, 0.5, 72,
16         0.4, 78, 0.3, 84, 0.2, 91, 0.1, 99, 0
17     ]
18     snap2z_anch = np.array(snap2z_anch).reshape(-1, 2)
19     z = np.interp(snap, snap2z_anch[:, 0], snap2z_anch[:, 1])
20     return z
21
22
23 class MultiKeyMap:
B script/sham.py
Enter path >> /Users/wangk/Documents/Project/14.ConnectGalaxyInPC
```

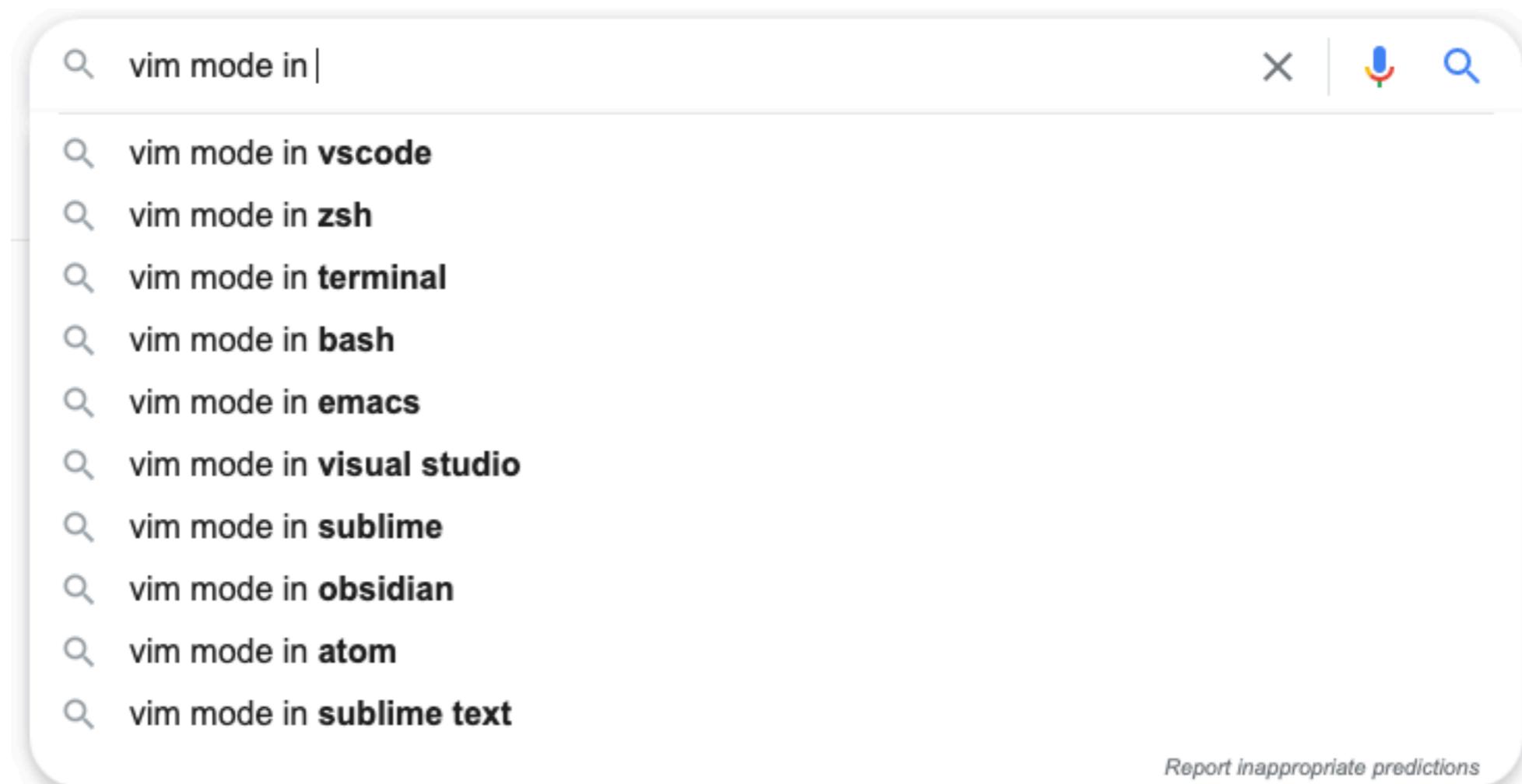
3. Why do I like Vim?

- It is old → It is stable



3. Why do I like Vim?

- It is everywhere!



3. Why do I like Vim?

● It is well-documented

doc-file-list *Q_ct*	
BASIC:	
quickref	Overview of the most common commands you will use
tutor	30-minute interactive course for beginners
copying	About copyrights
iccf	Helping poor children in Uganda
sponsor	Sponsor Vim development , become a registered Vim user
www	Vim on the World Wide Web
bugs	Where to send bug reports
USER MANUAL: These files explain how to accomplish an editing task.	
usr_toc.txt	Table Of Contents
Getting Started	
usr_01.txt	About the manuals
usr_02.txt	The first steps in Vim
usr_03.txt	Moving around
usr_04.txt	Making small changes
usr_05.txt	Set your settings
usr_06.txt	Using syntax highlighting
usr_07.txt	Editing more than one file
usr_08.txt	Splitting windows
usr_09.txt	Using the GUI
usr_10.txt	Making big changes
usr_11.txt	Recovering from a crash
usr_12.txt	Clever tricks
Editing Effectively	
usr_20.txt	Typing command-line commands quickly
usr_21.txt	Go away and come back
usr_22.txt	Finding the file to edit
usr_23.txt	Editing other files
usr_24.txt	Inserting quickly
usr_25.txt	Editing formatted text
usr_26.txt	Repeating
usr_27.txt	Search commands and patterns
usr_28.txt	Folding
usr_29.txt	Moving through programs
usr_30.txt	Editing programs
usr_31.txt	Exploiting the GUI
usr_32.txt	The undo tree

reference_toc	
Tuning Vim	
usr_40.txt	Make new commands
usr_41.txt	Write a Vim script
usr_42.txt	Add new menus
usr_43.txt	Using filetypes
usr_44.txt	Your own syntax highlighted
usr_45.txt	Select your language
REFERENCE MANUAL: These files explain every detail of Vim.	
General subjects	
intro.txt	general introduction to Vim; notation used in help files
nvim.txt	Transitioning from Vim
help.txt	overview and quick reference (this file)
helphelp.txt	about using the help files
index.txt	alphabetical index of all commands
help-tags	all the tags you can jump to (index of tags)
tips.txt	various tips on using Vim
message.txt	(error) messages and explanations
develop.txt	development of Nvim
debug.txt	debugging Vim itself
uganda.txt	Vim distribution conditions and what to do with your money
Basic editing	
starting.txt	starting Vim, Vim command arguments, initialisation
editing.txt	editing and writing files
motion.txt	commands for moving around
scroll.txt	scrolling the text in the window
insert.txt	Insert and Replace mode
change.txt	deleting and replacing text
undo.txt	Undo and Redo
repeat.txt	repeating commands, Vim scripts and debugging
visual.txt	using the Visual mode (selecting a text area)
various.txt	various remaining commands
recover.txt	recovering from a crash
Advanced editing	
cmdline.txt	Command-line editing
options.txt	description of all options
pattern.txt	regexp patterns and search commands
map.txt	key mapping and abbreviations
tagsrch.txt	tags and special searches
windows.txt	commands for using multiple windows and buffers
tabpage.txt	commands for using multiple tab pages
spell.txt	spell checking
diff.txt	working with two to eight versions of the same file
autocmd.txt	automatically executing commands on an event
eval.txt	expression evaluation, conditional commands
fold.txt	hide (fold) ranges of lines
lua.txt	Lua API
api.txt	Nvim API via RPC , Lua and VimL
Special issues	
testing.txt	testing Vim and Vim scripts
print.txt	printing
remote_plugin.txt	Nvim support for remote plugins
Programming language support	
indent.txt	automatic indenting for C and other languages
lsp.txt	Language Server Protocol (LSP)
treesitter.txt	tree-sitter library for incremental parsing of buffers
diagnostic.txt	Diagnostic framework
syntax.txt	syntax highlighting
filetype.txt	settings done specifically for a type of file
quickfix.txt	commands for a quick edit-compile-fix cycle
provider.txt	Built-in remote plugin hosts
ft_ada.txt	Ada (the programming language) support
ft_ps1.txt	Filetype plugin for Windows PowerShell
ft_raku.txt	Filetype plugin for Raku
ft_rust.txt	Filetype plugin for Rust
ft_sql.txt	about the SQL filetype plugin
Language support	
digraph.txt	list of available digraphs
mbyte.txt	multibyte text support
mlang.txt	non-English language support
rileft.txt	right-to-left editing mode
arabic.txt	Arabic language support and editing
hebrew.txt	Hebrew language support and editing
russian.txt	Russian language support and editing
GUI	
gui.txt	Graphical User Interface (GUI)

3. Why do I like Vim?

- Even most of the plugins are well-documented

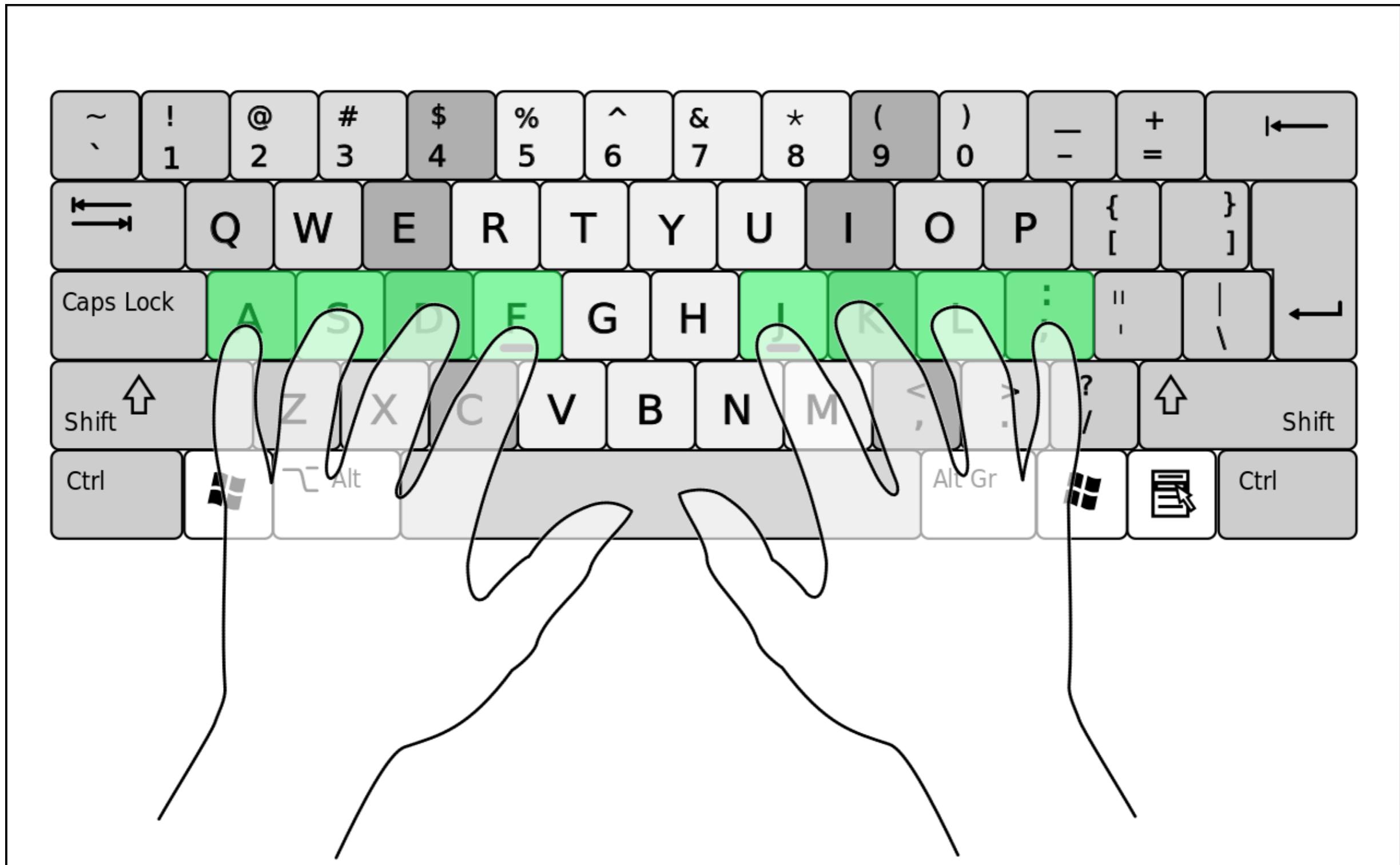
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1 *hop.txt*   For Neovim version 0.5           Last change: 2021 Nov 02
2
3
4      / /_ — —
5      / _\ \ \ \ \
6      / / / / / / / /
7      /_ / / \ \ / . __/
8          /_/
9      · Neovim motions on speed! ·
10
11 =====
12 CONTENTS                      *hop-contents*
13
14 Introduction ..... |hop-introduction|
15 Requirements ..... |hop-requirements|
16 Usage ..... |hop-usage|
17   Commands ..... |hop-commands|
18   Lua API ..... |hop-lua-api|
19   Jump target API ..... |hop-jump-target-api|
20 Configuration ..... |hop-config|
21 Extension ..... |hop-extension|
22 Highlights ..... |hop-highlights|
23 License ..... |hop-license|
24
25 =====
26 INTRODUCTION                  *hop* *hop-introduction*
27
28 Hop is an “EasyMotion” like plugin allowing you to jump anywhere in a document
29 with as few keystrokes as possible. It does so by annotating text in your
30 buffer with hints, short string sequences for which each character represents
31 a key to type to jump to the annotated text. Most of the time, those
32 sequences’ lengths will be between 1 to 3 characters, making every jump target
33 in your document reachable in a few keystrokes.
34
35 Hop is a complete from-scratch rewrite of EasyMotion, a famous plugin to
36 enhance the native motions of Vim. Even though EasyMotion is usable in
37 Neovim, it suffers from a few drawbacks making it not comfortable to use with
38 Neovim version >0.5 – at least at the time of writing these lines:
39
40 - EasyMotion uses an old trick to annotate jump targets by saving the
41   contents of the buffer, replacing it with the highlighted annotations and
42   then restoring the initial buffer after jump. This trick is dangerous as it
43   will change the contents of your buffer. A UI plugin should never do anything
44   to existing buffers’ contents.
45 - Because the contents of buffers will temporarily change, other parts of the
46   editor and/or plugins relying on buffer change events will react and will go
47   mad. An example is the internal LSP client implementation of Neovim >0.5 or
48   its treesitter native implementation. For LSP, it means that the connected
49   LSP server will receive a buffer with the jump target annotations... not
50   ideal.
```

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29 =====
30 CONTENTS                                *vimtex-contents*
31
32   Introduction                           |vimtex-introduction|
33   Comment on internal tex plugin        |vimtex-comment-internal|
34   Feature overview                     |vimtex-features|
35   Requirements                          |vimtex-requirements|
36   Support for multi-file projects     |vimtex-multi-file|
37   Support for TeX specifiers          |vimtex-tex-directives|
38   Package detection                   |vimtex-package-detection|
39   Integration with other plugins     |vimtex-and-friends|
40   Usage                                 |vimtex-usage|
41   Default mappings                    |vimtex-default-mappings|
42   Options                             |vimtex-options|
43   Commands                           |vimtex-commands|
44   Map definitions                   |vimtex-mappings|
45   Insert mode mappings             |vimtex-imaps|
46   Events                            |vimtex-events|
47   Text objects                       |vimtex-text-objects|
48   Completion                         |vimtex-completion|
49   Complete citations                 |vimtex-complete-cites|
50   Complete labels                   |vimtex-complete-labels|
51   Complete commands                 |vimtex-complete-commands|
52   Complete environments            |vimtex-complete-environments|
53   Complete file names              |vimtex-complete-filenames|
54   Complete glossary entries       |vimtex-complete-glossary|
55   Complete packages                |vimtex-complete-packages|
56   Complete documentclasses        |vimtex-complete-classes|
57   Complete bibliographystyles    |vimtex-complete-bibstyle|
58   Autocomplete                     |vimtex-complete-auto|
59     coc.nvim                        |vimtex-complete-coc.nvim|
60     deoplete                       |vimtex-complete-deoplete|
61     Neocomplete                    |vimtex-complete-neocomplete|
62     ncm2                           |vimtex-complete-ncm2|
63     nvim-completion-manager       |vimtex-complete-ncm|
64     YouCompleteMe                 |vimtex-complete-youcompleteme|
65     VimCompletesMe               |vimtex-complete-vcm|
66     nvim-cmp                       |vimtex-complete-nvim-cmp|
67     nvim-compe                     |vimtex-complete-nvim-compe|
68   Folding                          |vimtex-folding|
69   Indentation                     |vimtex-indent|
70   Syntax highlighting             |vimtex-syntax|
71   Syntax core specification       |vimtex-syntax-core|
72   Syntax package specification    |vimtex-syntax-packages|
73   Syntax conceal                  |vimtex-syntax-conceal|
74   Syntax group reference         |vimtex-syntax-reference|
75   Navigation                      |vimtex-navigation|
76     Include expression (gf command) |vimtex-includeexpr|
77     Table of contents             |vimtex-toc|
78     Custom mappings              |vimtex-toc-custom-maps|
79     Denite/Unite source          |vimtex-denite| / |vimtex-unite|
80     fzf.vim integration         |vimtex-fzf|
81     Compilation                  |vimtex-compile|
```

4. Mode in Vim

- **Insert**
 - Press ‘i’, ‘I’, ‘a’, ‘A’, ‘o’, ‘O’ in normal mode to enter
 - Insert, delete, just like any normal editor
- **Normal**
 - Press <Esc> or <Ctrl-[> in insert, visual or command-line mode to enter
 - Each alphabeta key is interpreted differently.
 - dd → delete a line
 - u → undo the last editing
 - yy → yank (copy) a line
 - h, j, k, l → move the cursor left, down, up, right
 - <Ctrl-d> (<Ctrl-u>) → scroll down (up)
 - You can add your own mapping!
 - Space-ff: fuzzy search current project
 - Space-fr: fuzzy search recently opened files
 - Space-sw: fuzzy search the word under cursor in current project
- **Command-Line**
 - press ‘:’ in normal mode to enter
 - :w → write (save)
 - :q → quit
 - :qw → save and quit
 - :%s/vscode/vim/g → substitute ‘vscode’ with ‘vim’ in current buffer
- **Visual**
 - press ‘v’ in normal mode to enter
 - use hjkl or arrow key to move cursor for selection
- **Line-Visual**
 - press <Shift-v> in normal mode to enter
 - use jk or arrow key to select lines
- **Block-Visual**
 - press <Ctrl-v> in normal mode to enter
 - use hjkl or arrow key to select blocks

5.1 Keep your fingers in home row and type blindly



5.2 Use . and macro to repeat

5.3 Text object & Operator + Motion = Action

- Text object
 - ‘iw’: a word
 - ‘iW’: a WORD
 - ‘aw’: a word with leading OR trailing space
 - ‘ib’: inside a bracket
 - ‘ab’: inside a bracket AND the bracket
 - ‘i(’ or ‘i)’, ‘i[’ or ‘i]’ and others...
- Operator + Motion = Action
 - ‘y3j’ → yank 3 lines below (include current)
 - ‘d5k’ → delete 5 lines below (include current)
 - ‘daw’ → delete a word with leading OR trailing space
 - ‘ciw’ → delete a word and enter insert mode
 - ‘cib’ → delete anything inside a bracket and enter insert mode
 - ...

6. Configuration



:help vimrc

Vimrc* *exrc*
A file that contains initialization commands is called a "vimrc" file. Each line in a vimrc file is executed as an Ex command line. It is sometimes also referred to as "exrc" file. They are the same type of file, but "exrc" is what Vi always used, "vimrc" is a Vim specific name. Also see [!vimrc-introl](#).

Places for your personal initializations:

Unix	\$HOME/.vimrc or \$HOME/.vim/vimrc
MS-Windows	\$HOME/_vimrc, \$HOME/vimfiles/vimrc or \$VIM/_vimrc
Amiga	s:.vimrc, home:.vimrc, home;vimfiles;vimrc or \$VIM/.vimrc
Haiku	\$HOME/config/settings/vim/vimrc

The files are searched in the order specified above and only the first one that is found is read.

RECOMMENDATION: Put all your Vim configuration stuff in the \$HOME/.vim/ directory (\$HOME/vimfiles/ for MS-Windows). That makes it easy to copy it to another system.

If Vim was started with "-u filename", the file "filename" is used. All following initializations until 4. are skipped. \$MYVIMRC is not set.

"vim -u NORC" can be used to skip these initializations without reading a file. "vim -u NONE" also skips loading plugins. !-u!

If Vim was started in Ex mode with the "-s" argument, all following initializations until 4. are skipped. Only the "-u" option is interpreted.



:help config

5. Load user config (execute Ex commands from files, environment, ...).
\$VIMINIT environment variable is read as one Ex command line (separate multiple commands with '!' or <NL>).

Config init.vim init.lua vimrc exrc
A file containing initialization commands is generically called a "vimrc" or config file. It can be either Vimscript ("init.vim") or Lua ("init.lua"), but not both. E5422
See also [vimrc-intro](#) and [base-directories](#).

The config file is located at:

Unix	"/.config/nvim/init.vim	(or init.lua)
Windows	"/AppData/Local/nvim/init.vim	(or init.lua)
\$XDG_CONFIG_HOME	\$XDG_CONFIG_HOME/nvim/init.vim	(or init.lua)

If Nvim was started with "-u {file}" then {file} is used as the config and all initializations until 5. are skipped. \$MYVIMRC is not set. "nvim -u NORC" can be used to skip these initializations without reading a file. "nvim -u NONE" also skips plugins and syntax highlighting. -u

If Nvim was started with -es all initializations until 5. are skipped.

system-vimrc sysinit.vim

a. The system vimrc file is read for initializations. If nvim/sysinit.vim file exists in one of \$XDG_CONFIG_DIRS, it will be used. Otherwise the system vimrc file is used. The path of this file is given by the :version command. Usually it's "\$VIM/sysinit.vim".

VIMINIT EXINIT \$MYVIMRC

- Vim has its only scripting language: Vimscript or VimL → Slow and hard to learn
- Neovim has natively integrate with a popular language: Lua

7. Plugins

- Vim is powerful, and it will be more powerful with plugins
- First, we need a plugin to manage the plugins: <https://github.com/junegunn/vim-plug>

The screenshot shows the GitHub repository for `junegunn/vim-plug`. On the left, a large block of Vim configuration code is displayed, demonstrating how to use the plugin manager. On the right, the repository's main page is shown, featuring a list of recent commits and an "Installation" section with instructions and a code example.

`" Specify a directory for plugins
" - For Neovim: stdpath('data') . '/plugged'
" - Avoid using standard Vim directory names like 'plugin'
call plug#begin('~/vim/plugged')

" Make sure you use single quotes

" Shorthand notation; fetches https://github.com/junegunn/vim-easy-align
Plug 'junegunn/vim-easy-align'

" Any valid git URL is allowed
Plug 'https://github.com/junegunn/vim-github-dashboard.git'

" Multiple Plug commands can be written in a single line using | separators
Plug 'SirVer/ultisnips' | Plug 'honza/vim-snippets'

" On-demand loading
Plug 'scrooloose/nerdtree', { 'on': 'NERDTreeToggle' }
Plug 'tpope/vim-fireplace', { 'for': 'clojure' }

" Initialize plugin system
call plug#end()`

junegunn / vim-plug Public

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tomtomjhg Fix unexpected cursor movement on on-demand imap loading (#... 68488fd 28 days ago 679 commits

.github Migrate to GitHub Actions 29 days ago

doc "non-master branch" -> "non-default branch" 16 months ago

test Add GV.vim-style q mapping (#827) 11 months ago

.travis.yml Test Neovim on Bionic 16 months ago

LICENSE Create LICENSE 5 years ago

README.md Add --create-dirs option to flatpak installation instructions (#1126) 4 months ago

plug.png Slim 7 years ago

plug.vim Fix unexpected cursor movement on on-demand imap loading (#1147) 28 days ago

Installation

Download `plug.vim` and put it in the "autoload" directory.

```
/Users/wangk/.vim/autoload
```