

Documentation

Available self defined shortcuts and mappings

Command	Description
:w!!	Save file using sudo command
jj	Wrapper for Esc to easily leave insert mode
CTRL-S	Bad bad saving using simple editors shortcut
CTRL-C	Close current buffer, Wrapper for :bd
,o	Open FuzzyFinder file search (may take a while on big projects the first time)
,b	Open FuzzyFinder buffer search - really helpful when dealing with dozens of buffers
,g	Toggle Gundo window (description under plugins chapter)
,n	Toggle NERDTree window
,Space	Switch to alternate buffer - very handy when switching between two files (e.g. class and test) back and forth
,v	Open .vimrc file in a new tab
,u	Open MRU window to display last opened files
,l	Open Taglist window - kind of file outline
,d	Generate phpdoc for method/class/var under the cursor
,s	Invoke tag search
,c	Rebuild ctags file - based on the currently active directory, check with :pwd
,j	Jump to tag under cursor based on ctags file
,r	Run current file through PHP interpreter
,rl	Run current file through PHP linter (syntax checking)
,p	Run current file through phpunit (needs a tests folder under root)
,P	Run whole project through phpunit (again a tests folder is required)
,op	Try to current files corresponding unit test (as of writing this only works for Zend Framework based structure)
,xx	Open a rST scratch buffer on your desktop - useful for quick notes
,f	Re-format whole file based on filetype - works greates for xml, php, ruby an so on (yaml is a pain in the ass...)
,qq	Compile current file with rst2pdf and open corresponding PDF file with default pdf viewer (currently works for linux systems running gnome and apple computers)
,xl	Run current file through XML linter (syntax check)
,t	Open todo file from Dropbox in a new tab
,dos	Re-open current file using windows line endings - VERY handy when working with those vista and xp guys from the other side...

,h1 / ,h2 / ,h3	Inserts rst headline marks under the current line - no column counting any more :) h1: === h2: --- h3: ~~~
CTRL-P	Open CTRL-P plugin (fuzzy finder alternative for buffer switching and file opening)
,a= and ,a:	Align visual selection based on "=" and ":" - useful for arrays, hashes, you name it

Installed plugins

Plugin	Short description
SnipMate	Basic snippet engine like those in eclipse or textmate
FuzzyFinder	Powerful fuzzy finding engine for files, buffers and a lot of other things
L9	Functional library required by FuzzyFinder
Gundo	A graphical representation of Vims branching history, your vim internal repository - really great for coding!
Latex-Suite	Well known latex suite with many shortcuts and features
NERDtree	The missing (awesome) file explorer in Vim - simple and feature rich
Taglist	A basic outline like representation of the current class/file
XMLEdit	Small plugin which provides useful xml behaviour like auto closing tags
Fugitive	Best.Git.Plugin.Ever
MRU	List of last edited files
Pastie	Send single lines, ranges and visual selections directly to pastie
PHP documentor	Generates phpdoc blocks, as mentioned in the shortcuts table (,d)
Better PHP completion	Provides a better php completion behaviour then Vims own one
Unimpaired	Pairs of handy bracket mappings
CTRL-P	Shiny new version of fuzzy finder
Tabular	Aligns text based on a given pattern like "="

Upgrading plugins

You can easily upgrade all submodules using my *updateSubmodules.sh* script, which comes shipped with this repo. To do so, just make the script executable and run it. At the end you will be asked if you want to delete the created log file - if you hit the enter key the log will be deleted, cause 'Yes' is the default answer, so be careful :)

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cd ~/.vim
chmod +x updateSubmodules.sh
./updateSubmodules.sh
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Not installed, but interesting/promising

- Oscan

- Conque-Term
- SuperTab
- Matchit

Useful built in commands

Command	Description
Visual + gq	Reformat text file according to textwidth