Vim workshop

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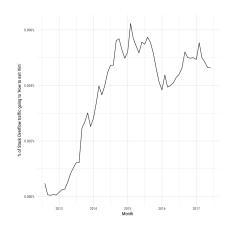
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Exiting Vim

Source: https://stackoverflow.blog/2017/05/23/
stack-overflow-helping-one-million-developers-exit-vim/

Who uses Vim?

- Most popular editor in 2006 in Linux Journal readers.
- Third most popular editor in 2016 in Stack Overflow
- Fifth most popular editor nowadays in Stack Overflow.
- 40% of sysadmins stackoverflow users use Vim.

Vim is not just for nosaltgic nerds!

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What is VIM?

Vim is a terminal-based text editor oriented to programmers with highly eficiency writting.

Vim features

- Keyboard focused.
- Text autocompletition
- Terminal multiplexed
- More than 200 default key commands.
- Highly configurable
- Programmer focused
- Modes for implementing diferent functions

Modes

Vim has 3 main modes with its variations:

Insert mode

Mainly we will enter this mode with the key i from normal mode. In this mode any character key we pressed will be inserted on the place of the cursor.

Normal mode

This is the default mode of vim. When you start up vim you are in this mode. In this mode you can type several commands to change to other modes,move efitiently the cursor, paste, etc..

Visual mode

In this mode, wich have several variations you can select text to cut, copy, replace. Its variations consists in the way you select code, for ex: Visual line will be selecting line by line while visual will be selecting character by character.

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Moving in vim (intro)

Not so complicated.