Personal Vim Commands

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1 Navigation Table

Keybind	Description	Keybind	Description
		|	Start at column 0
h	move cursor left	0	start of the current line
j	move cursor down	_ (ˆ)	first nonblank character of line
k	move cursor up	$	end of the current line
l	move cursor right	g_	last nonblank character of line
\<N>\<b>	repeat \<b>ind \<N> times		
H	Top of screen	C-f	forward one full screen
zt	current cursor to top	C-u	forward (up) one half screen
M	Middle of screen	C-y	View pa(y)ne up
zz (z.)	current cursor to center	C-b	back one full screen
L	Bottom of screen	C-d	back (down) one full screen
zb	current cursor to bottom	C-e	View end down
C-l	Toggle current cursor TMB		
N%	go to N percentage of line	gg	beginning of file
NG (ngg)	go to Nth absolute line	G	end of file
w	go to next word.	W	go to next WORD.
b	go back a word.	B	go back a WORD.
e	go to end of next word	E	go to end of next WORD.
ge	go back a end of word	gE	go back a end of WORD.
(	forward a sentence	)	backward a sentence
{	forward a paragraph	}	backward a paragraph
\[\[	forward a {...} section	]]	backward a {...} section
+	next line 1st nwsp	-	previous line 1st nwsp
n	next search	N	previous search
*	forward current WORD pattern	#	backward current WORD pattern
g*	forward current word pattern	g#	backward current word pattern
gd	goto definition		
%	matching brace	"	jump to previous location
C-o	backward jump	C-i	forward jump
f\<char>	next \<char> in line	F\<char>	previous \<char> in line
t\<char>	until next \<char> in line	T\<char>	until previous \<char> in line
;	forward repeat \<char> cmd	,	backward repeat \<char> cmd
m\<charlab>	mark\<charlab>		
'\<charlab>	goto \<charlab> line, column	'\<charlab>	Goto \<charlab> line, first nonblank

2 Edit Commands

2.1 Insert and Replace

Keybind	Description	Keybind	Description
i	insert before cursor	a	append after cursor
I	insert start line	A	append end line
p	paste before cursor*	P	Paste after cursor*
o	open insert above line	O	open insert below line
u	undo	C-r	redo
<	unindent	>	indent
J	Join current line w/next line	C-j	insert line (kind of)
:	expression-substitution	~	reverse case, forward
.	repeat	&	repeat last ex substitution
ESC	escape insert state	C-\	insert
=_	indent _		

2.2 Cut and Copy

Keybind	Description		
c_	change (delete+insert)	C	change til EOL
d_	delete	D	delete til EOL
y_	Yank (copy)	Y	Yank Entire Line
r	replace char	R	replace through EOL, then enter insert
s	substitutes(d+i) character	S	Substitutes entire line
x	delete char	X	delete char backwards

2.3 Matching

	Keybind	Description	Keybind	Description
c_/d_/y_	_t<char>	exclusive next <char> on line	_f<char>	inclusive next <char> on
c_/d_/y_	_t<char>	exclusive previous <char> on line	_f<char>	inclusive previous <char>
c_/d_/y_	_i<*>	exclusive inner match brace	_a<*>	inclusive inner match bra
c_/d_/y_	_I	up to start of line	_D	up to end of line

3 Visual Selection

Keybind	Description
v	character select
V	line select
C-v	block select
gv	restore last visual
vo	switch to other end of visual
vO	switch to other end of visual?

4 File Saving

:wq	write-quit
:q!	quit
ZZ	save-quit
ZQ	quit

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