

Evernote 7.0

Goals

- Connect directly to Evernote API even for searching notes
- Search Evernote within Alfred window
- Add notes based on clipboard content, text selection, file, email or typed directly in Alfred window
- If the note is added from Safari, Chrome, Firefox or Mail app save also the URL
- Start Evernote automatically *if* necessary

Preferences

Bring Alfred and type the keyword **enpref** so you can optionally set the following workflow preferences:

Quick Look

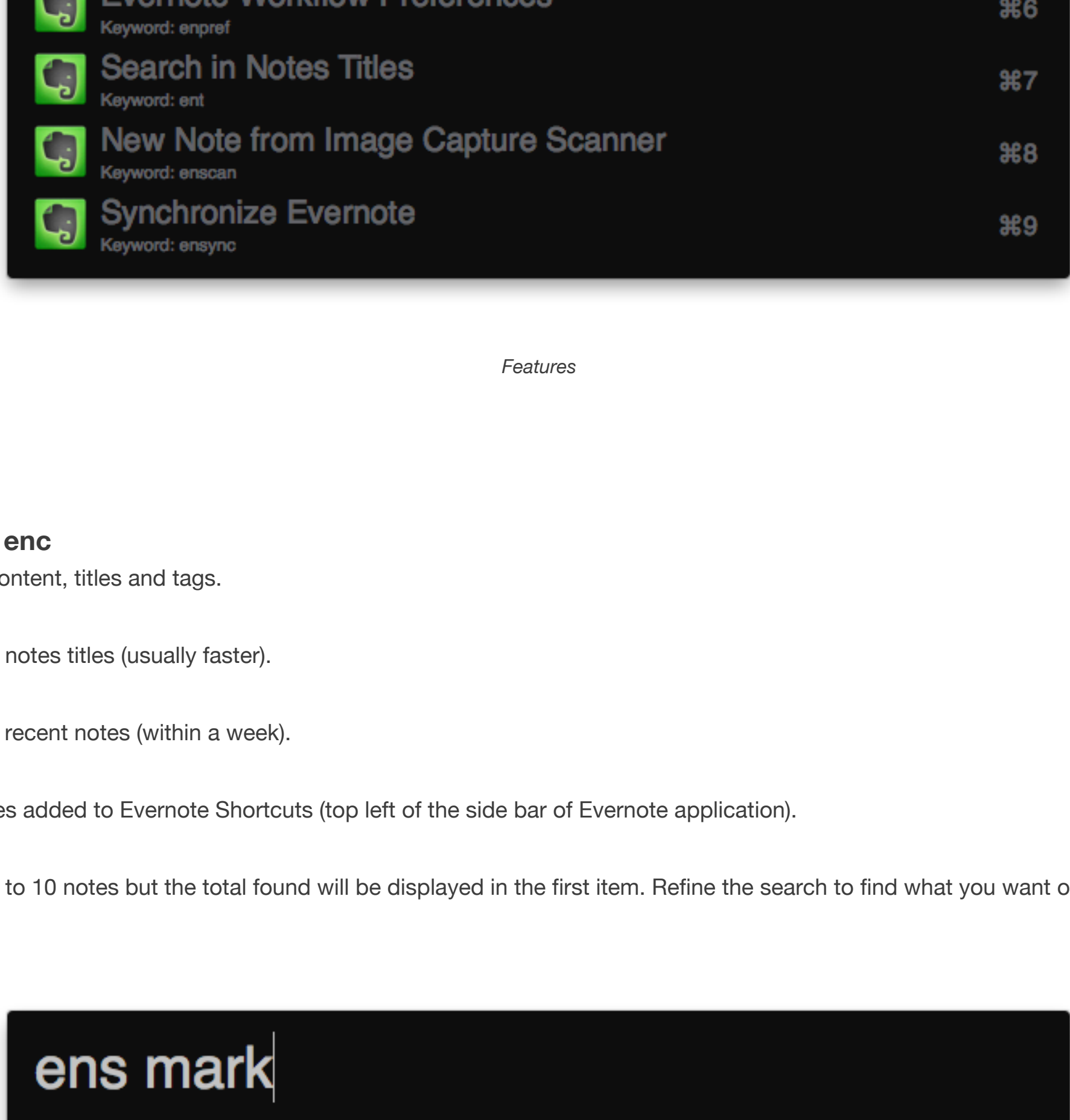
- Card: see Evernote card view of the note. This is the default Evernote application Quick Look style. Note that this style only shows a small part of the note.
- HTML: see the entire note content in HTML format when it is available.

Search Wildcard

- Manual: this is the default and faster workflow searching method and it searches only full words (it can find e.g. **parse** but not **par**). You have to manually type an asterisk to search partial queries e.g. **par***
- Automatic: partial words are searched automatically and there is no need to type an asterisk

Triggering

Typing the keyword **en** in Alfred will bring a list of all workflow features and their respective keyword:



Features

Keyword enHelp

Learn about Evernote workflow.

Keywords ens, ent, enr and enc

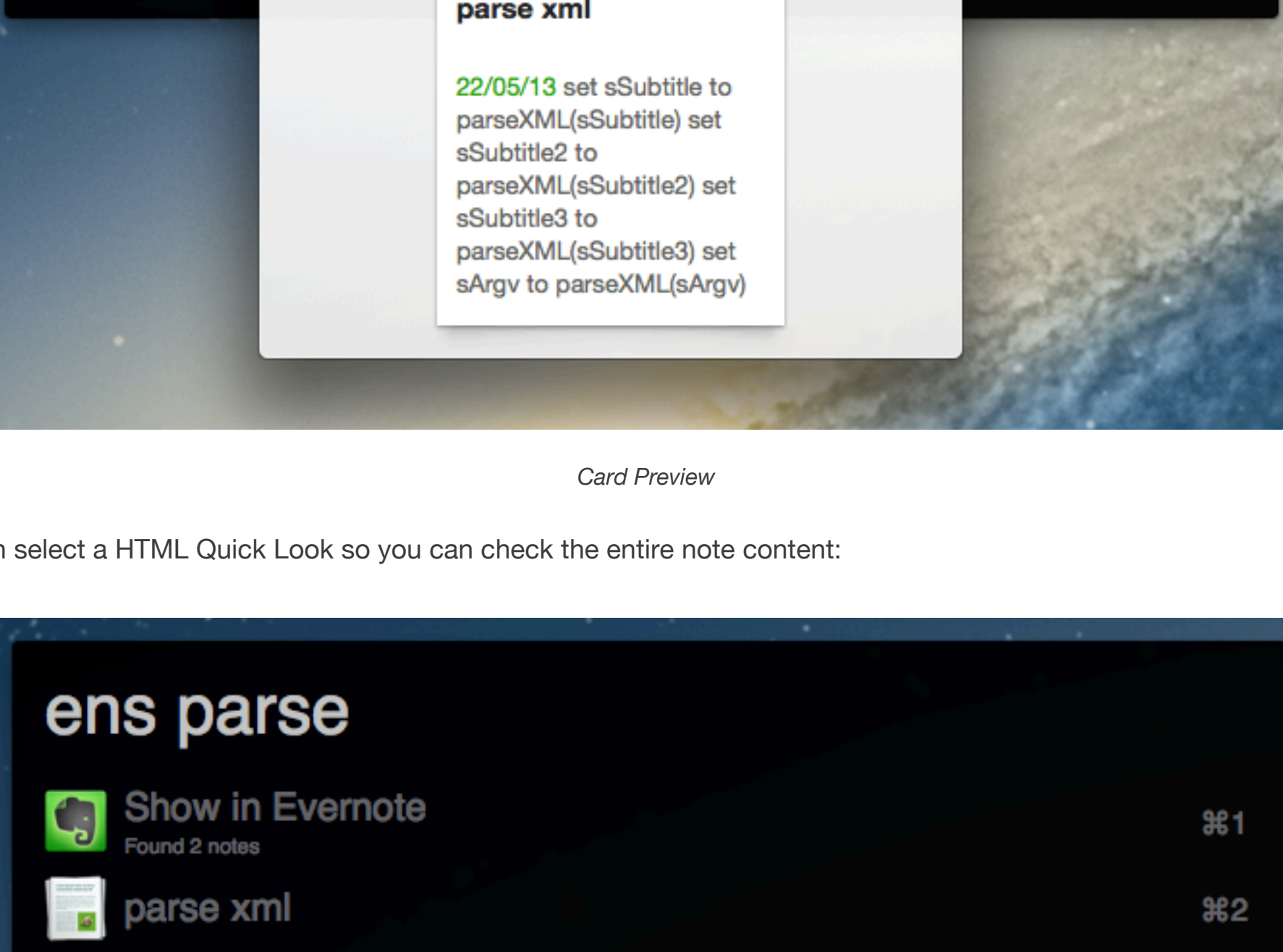
Use keyword **ens** to search notes content, titles and tags.

Use the keyword **ent** to search only notes titles (usually faster).

Use the keyword **enr** to see a list of recent notes (within a week).

Use the keyword **enc** to list the notes added to Evernote Shortcuts (top left of the side bar of Evernote application).

The workflow will usually display up to 10 notes but the total found will be displayed in the first item. Refine the search to find what you want or click **Show in Evernote** to continue your search from there.

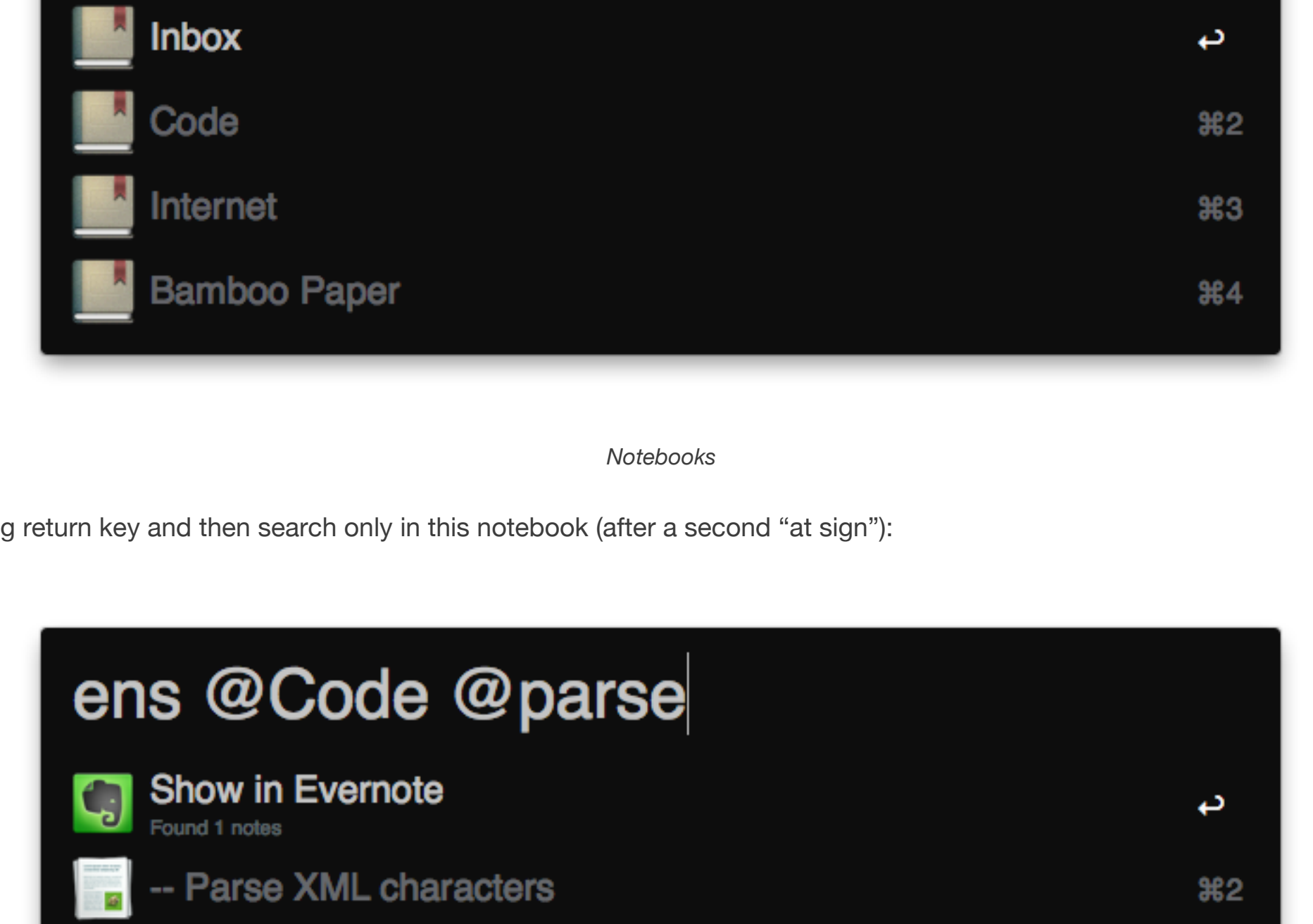


Searching

You can basically search like if you were using Evernote. For example:

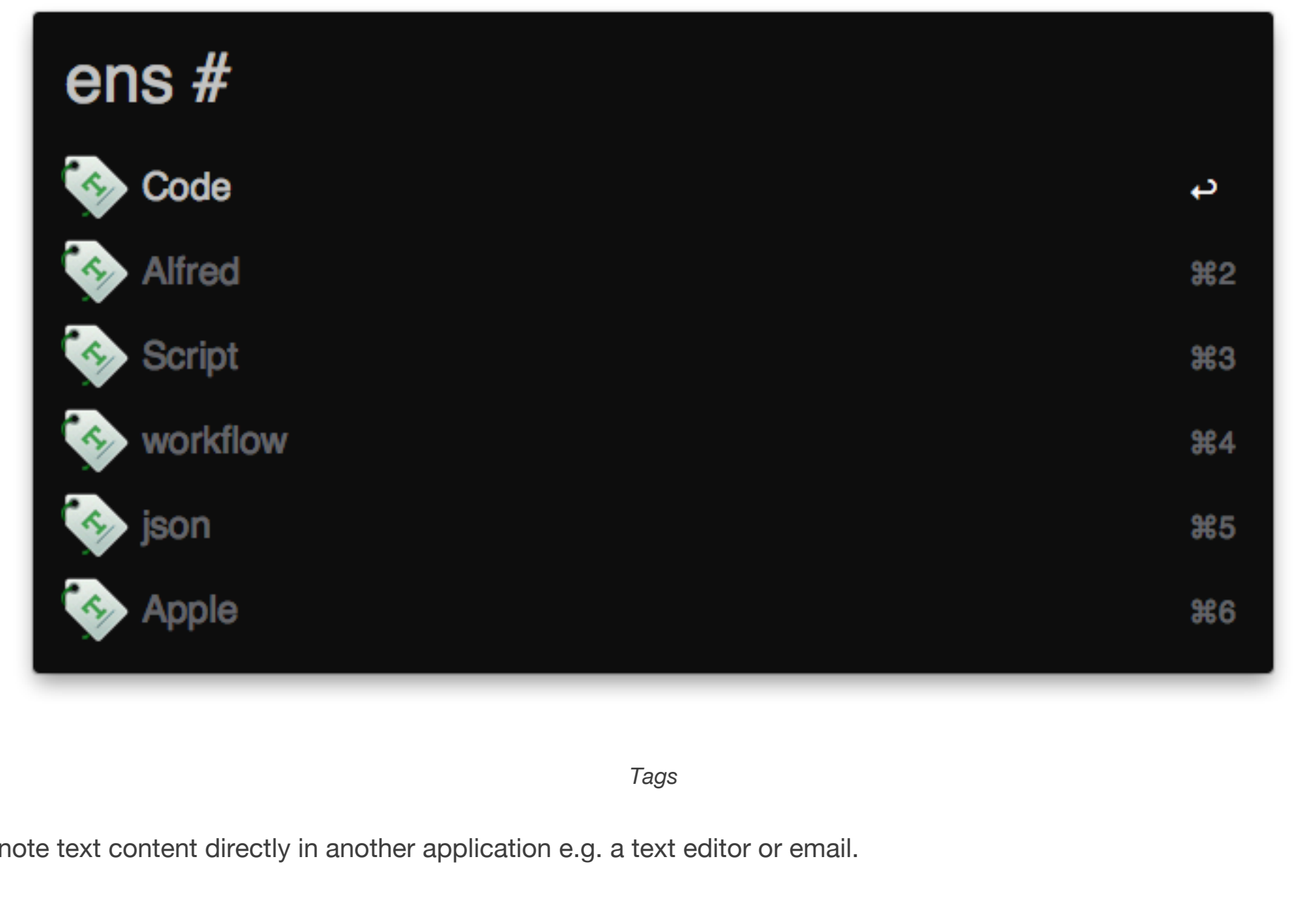
- use asterisk as wildcards e.g. xm*
- search in a notebook e.g. notebook:internet
- search only in title e.g. intitle:something
- search for a tag e.g. tag:something
- search for a tag with wildcard e.g. tag:some*

You can press Shift key to preview the note within Alfred (OSX Quick Look):



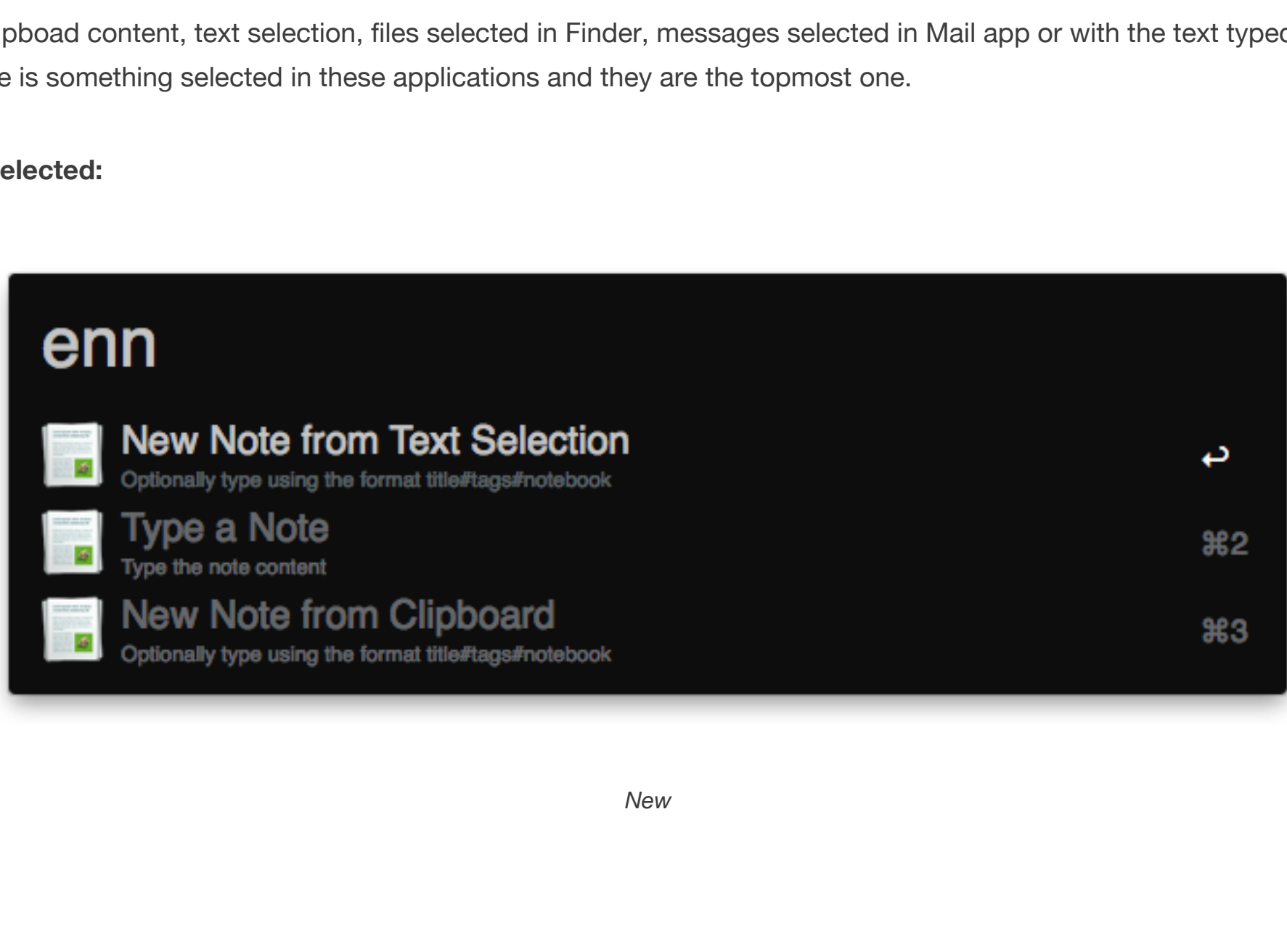
Card Preview

In the workflow preferences you can select a HTML Quick Look so you can check the entire note content:



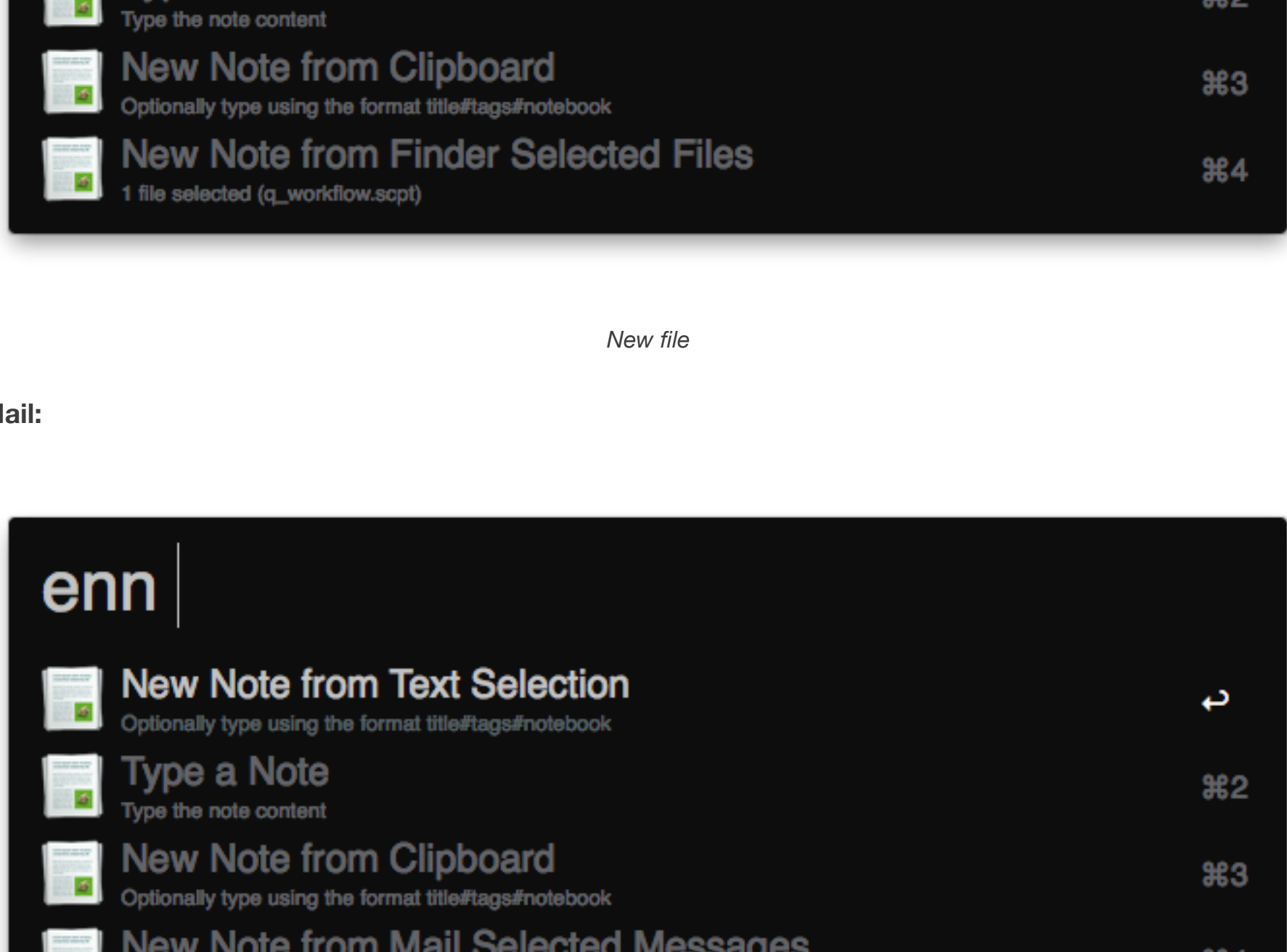
HTML Preview

In addition, you can list all your Notebooks by typing a single "at sign":



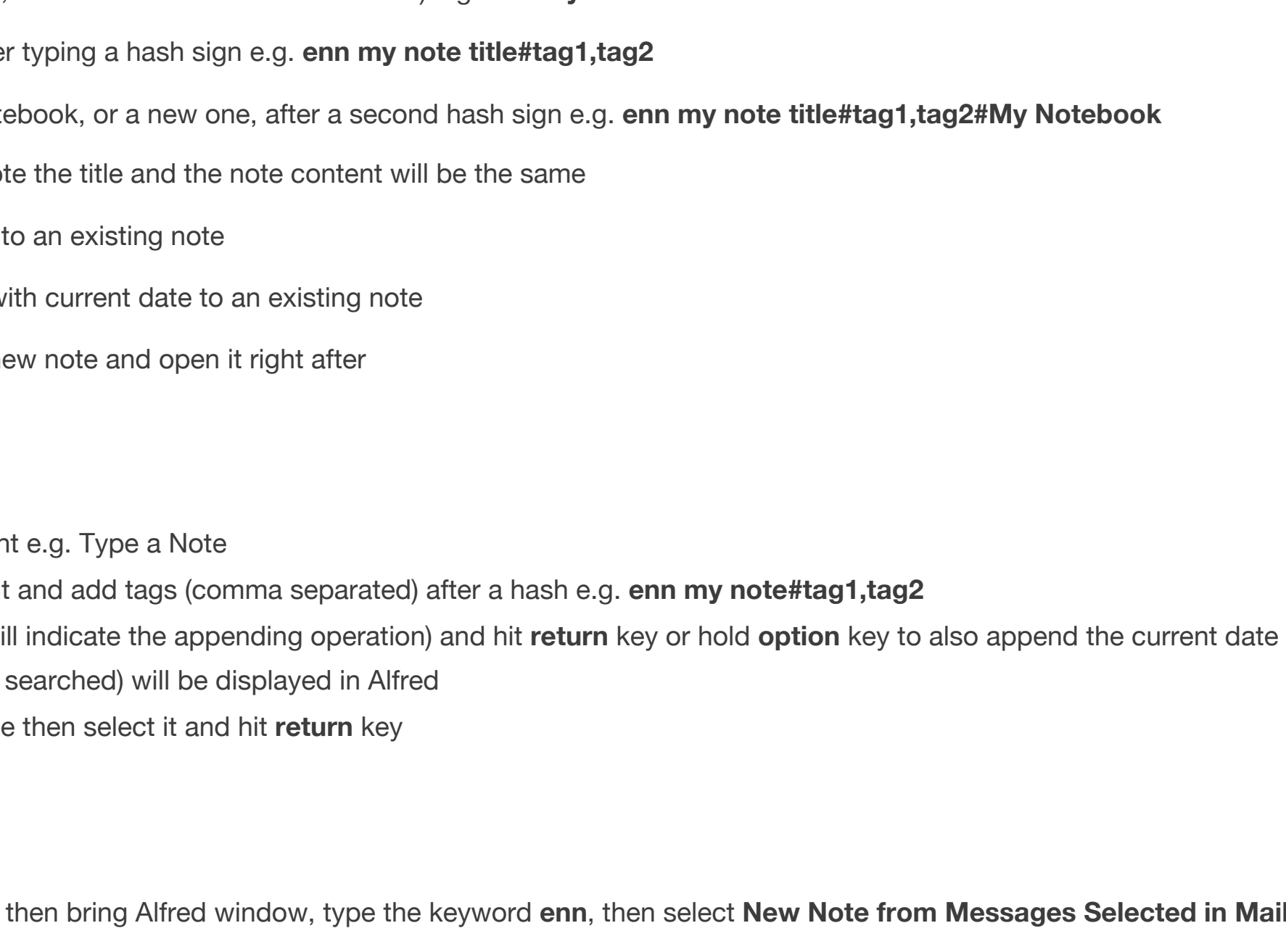
Notebooks

Then you can select one by hitting return key and then search only in this notebook (after a second "at sign"):



Notebook Searching

The same thing with tags. You can list all tags by typing a single hash sign e.g. **en #**



Tags

Direct Paste: paste the selected note text content directly in another application e.g. a text editor or email.

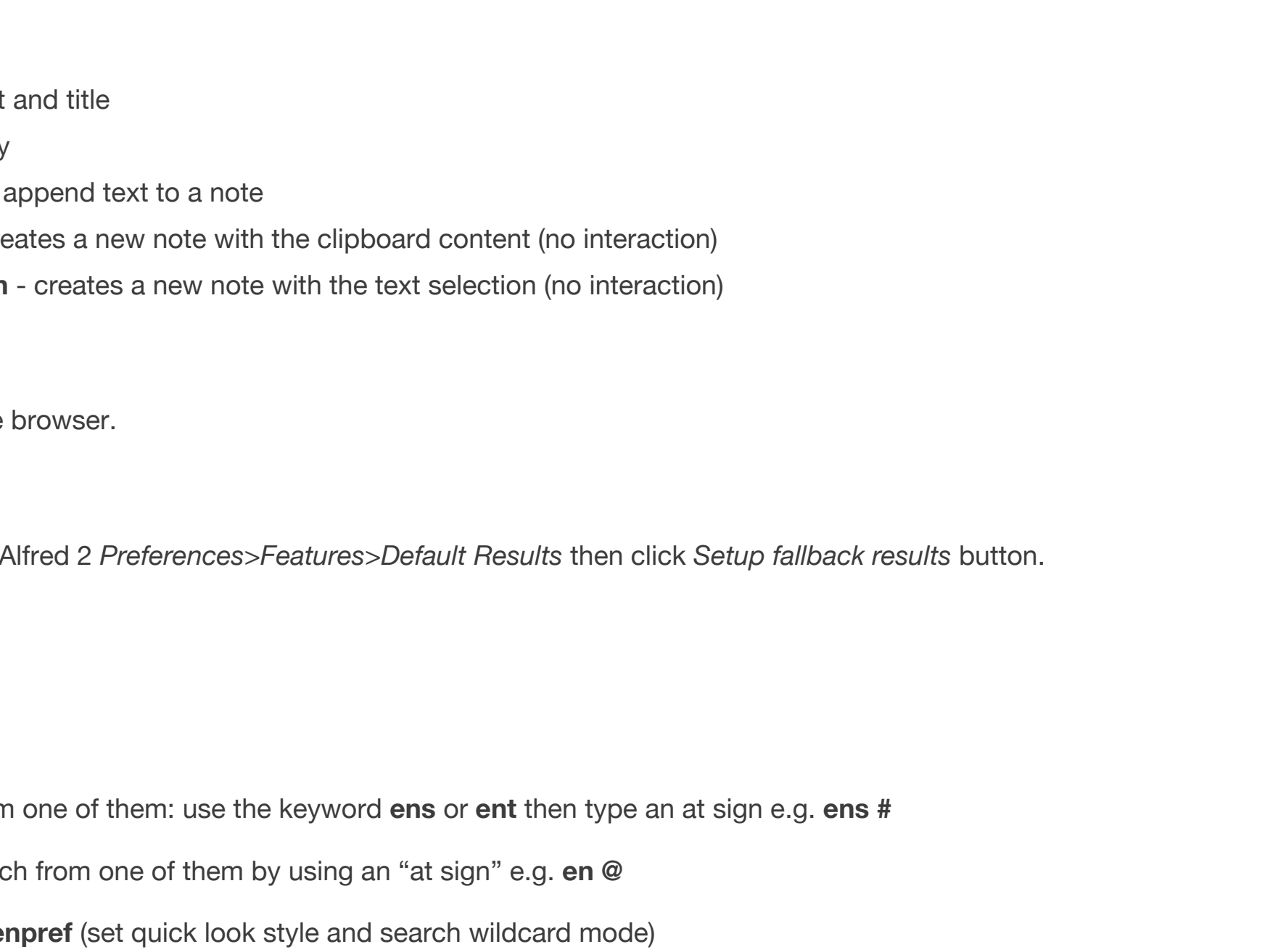
How to use Direct Paste:

1. while writing a document with your text editor for example, bring Alfred and type the keyword **en** or **ent** (or use one of the hotkeys)
2. after finding your note, highlight it, hold **control** key and hit **return** key
3. The note text content will be pasted to the editor

Keyword enn

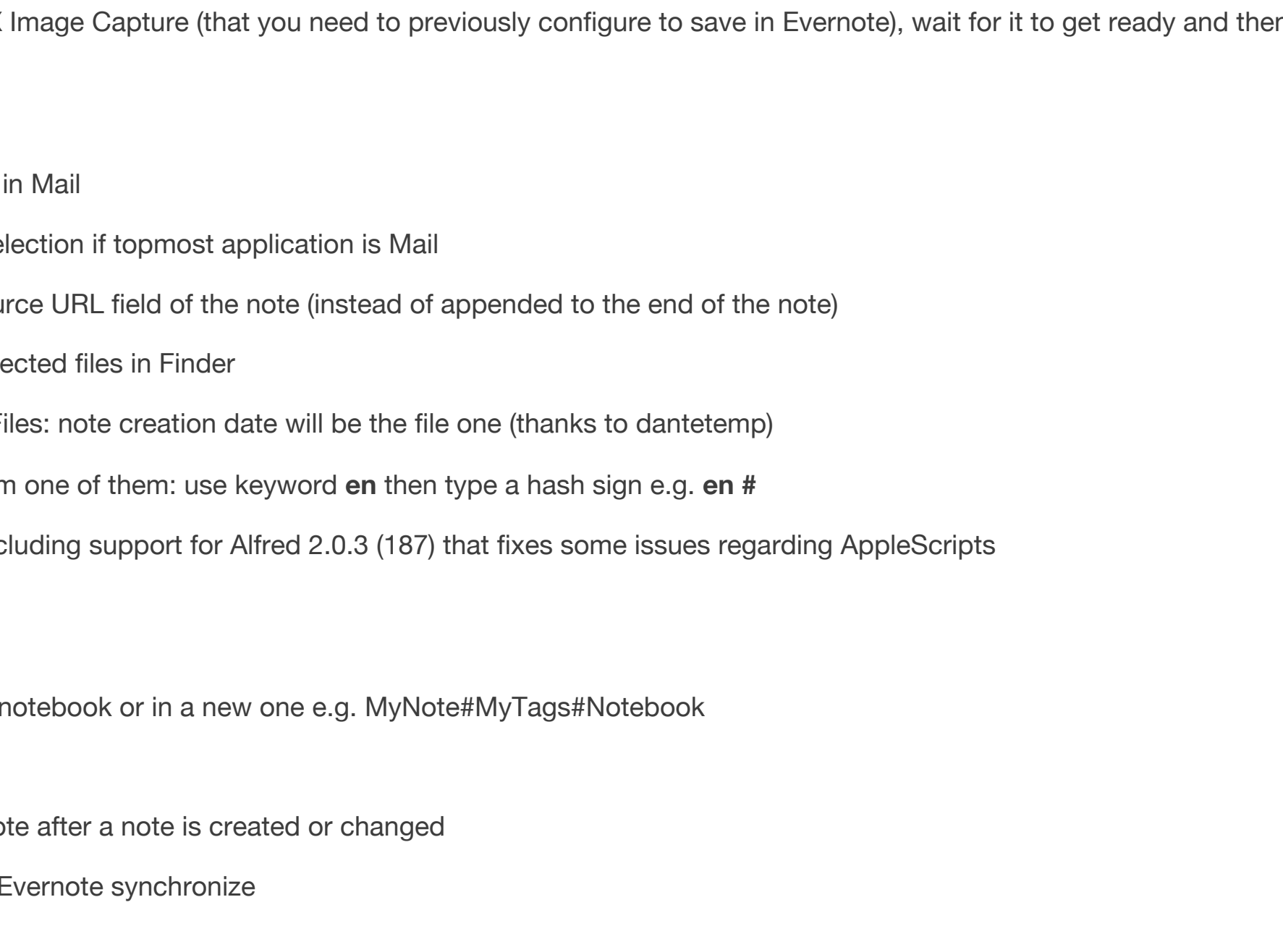
Use it to add a new note with the clipboard content, text selection, files selected in Finder, messages selected in Mail app or with the text typed in Alfred window. Finder and Mail features will be available only if there is something selected in these applications and they are the topmost one.

enn without any file or message selected:



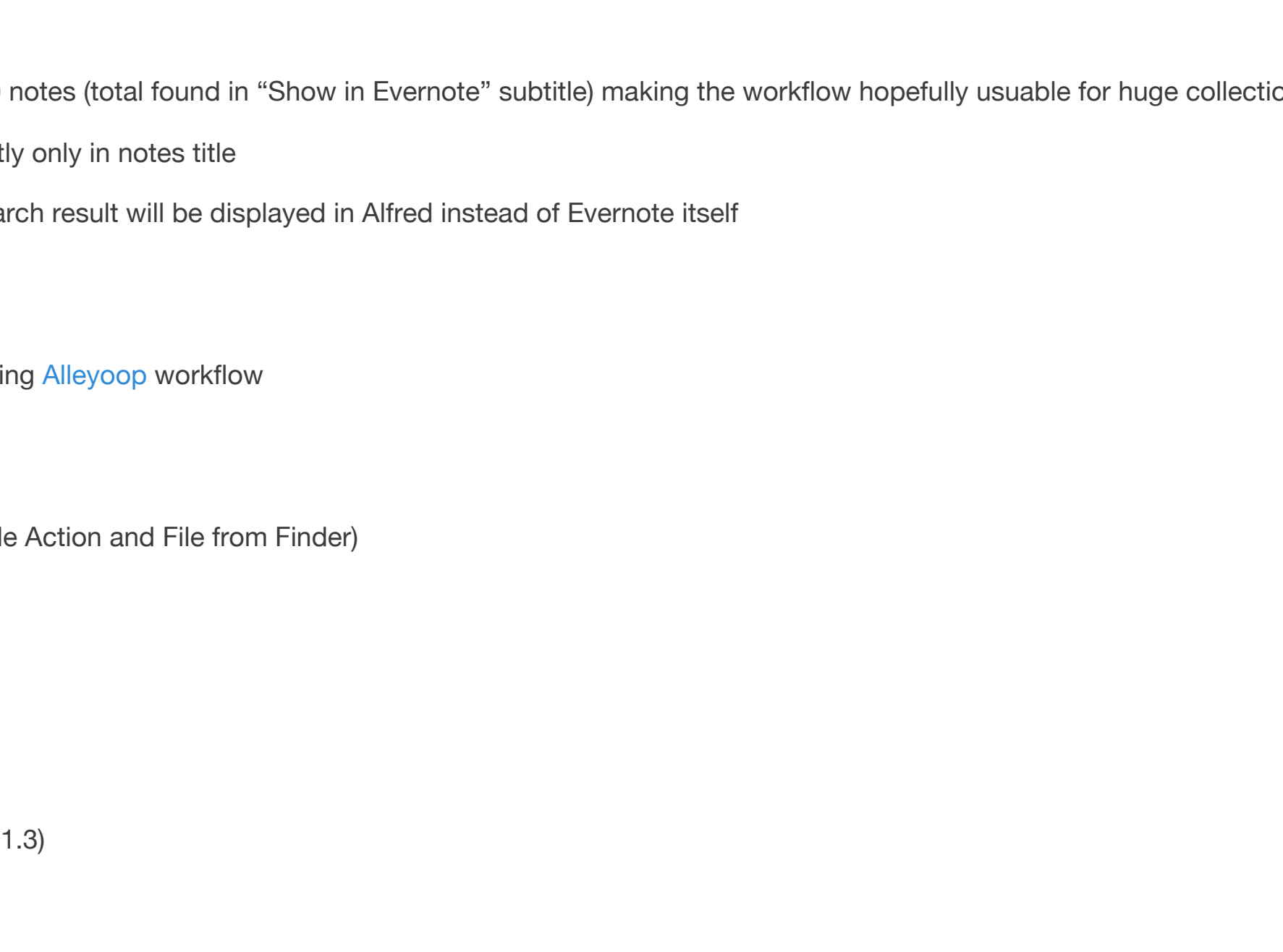
New

enn with a file selected in Finder:



New file

enn with a message selected in Mail:



New message

What you can do while creating a New Note using the keyword enn:

- type the note title (from clipboard, text selection and file from Finder) e.g. **enn my note title**
- type tags (comma separated) after typing a hash sign e.g. **enn my note title#tag1,tag2**
- add a new note to an existing notebook, or a new one, after a second hash sign e.g. **enn my note title#tag1,tag2#My Notebook**
- If you are willing to type a new note the title and the note content will be the same
- Hold **control** key to **append** text to an existing note
- Hold **option** key to append text with current date to an existing note
- Hold **command** key to create a new note and open it right after

How to append:

1. Highlight one of the note content e.g. Type a Note
2. Optionally type the note content and add tags (comma separated) after a hash e.g. **enn my note#tag1,tag2**
3. hold **control** key (the subtitle will indicate the appending operation) and hit **return** key or hold **option** key to also append the current date and hit **return** key
4. a list of notes (only titles will be searched) will be displayed in Alfred
5. type something to find your note then select it and hit **return** key

Mail special feature

You can select messages from Mail then bring Alfred window, type the keyword **enn**, then select **New Note from Messages Selected in Mail**.

The new note will have:

- Message subject as the note title
- Message received date as the note creation date
- Message URL or Link as the note source URL
- A short header (basic email information such as sender)
- A plain text version of the email content

Keyword typenote

Although it was created to be used along with a hotkey you can all use it to easily create a note by typing it in Alfred.

Read about tags, notebook and appending above.

Keyword enscan

It will start OSX Image Capture, wait for it to get ready (it usually scans a preview) and then click the Scan button automatically.

To use scanning feature make sure to check Enable Access for Assistive Devices in the Accessibility in System Preferences.

In addition, don't forget to set Image Capture to work with Evernote. See a good tutorial [here](#). In resume, drag Evernote.app (from Applications folder) into "Scan To" pop up control of Image Capture window.

Keyword ensync

Use it to make Evernote synchronize.

Note that in order to make all features work properly the workflow will automatically synchronize Evernote after a new note is created or changed.

Hotkeys

The workflow provides 5 hotkeys:

1. **ens** - go to search note content and title
2. **ent** - go to search note title only
3. **typenote** - go to type a new or append text to a note
4. **New Note from Clipboard** - creates a new note with the clipboard content (no interaction)
5. **New Note from Text Selection** - creates a new note with the text selection (no interaction)

File Action

Add files to Evernote from Alfred file browser.

Fallback Search

In order to use this feature add it in Alfred 2 *Preferences>Features>Default Results* then click *Setup fallback results* button.

What's new

Version 7.0.2

- (7.0.2) List all tags and search from one of them; use the keyword **ens** or **ent** then type an at sign e.g. **ens #**
- (7.0.2) List all notebooks and search from one of them by using an "at sign" e.g. **en @**
- Workflow preferences: keyword **enpref** (set quick look style and search wildcard mode)
- Preview (OSX Quick Look) your notes in Alfred by hitting **Shift** key (feature available in both **ens**, **ent**, **enr** and **enc** keywords)
- Improved search by title (keyword **ent**)
- keyword **enn**: hold **option** key to append text with current date to an existing note
- keyword **enn**: hold **command** key to create a new note and open it right after
- keyword **enr**: list recent (within a week) notes
- keyword **ens**: list notes added to Evernote Shortcuts
- keyword **enscan**: it will start OSX Image Capture (that you need to previously configure to save in Evernote), wait for it to get ready and then click the Scan button automatically

Version 6.0

- Easily import selected messages in Mail
- Improved New Note from Text Selection if topmost application is Mail
- URL and email URL added to source URL field of the note (instead of appended to the end of the note)
- Improved support for multiple selected files in Finder
- New Note from Finder Selected Files: note creation date will be the file one (thanks to dantetemp)
- List all notebooks and search from one of them: use keyword **en** then type a hash sign e.g. **en #**
- Several internal improvements including support for Alfred 2.0.3 (187) that fixes some issues regarding AppleScripts

Version 5.0

- Save the new note in an existing notebook or in a new one e.g. MyNote#MyTags#Notebook
- Append text to an existing note
- Automatically synchronize Evernote after a note is created or changed
- Added ensync keyword to make Evernote synchronize
- Added enHelp keyword

Version 4.5

- Paste a note directly to the topmost application (e.g. search a note, hold fn key and hit Return key to paste the note content into the editor) Hotkeys to search

Version 4.0

- New note with tags supported: just add # followed by the tags (comma separated) at the end e.g. My Note#Mytag1,Mytag2,Mytag3

Version 3.5

- search result will display up to 20 notes (total found in "Show in Evernote" subtitle) making the workflow hopefully usable for huge collection of notes
- new **ent** keyword to search directly only in notes title
- improved fallback search: the search result will be displayed in Alfred instead of Evernote itself

Version 3.4

- Support for check and update using [Alleyoop](#) workflow

Version 3.2

- 3.2 Add note from a file (Alfred File Action and File from Finder)

Download

- Version: 7.0
- Release date: 29 May 2013
- Made in OS X 10.8.3 (Evernote 5.1.3)
- Supports [Alleyoop 2](#)
- [Download now](#)
- Evernote 6.0 (just in case you need it): [Download now](#)

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