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#### File Control in nano

**nano index.php** Open or create the file "index.php" with nano on command line. **Ctrl-o Y Enter** Save changes.

Ctrl-r Alt-f Open a new file with a new buffer within nano.

Alt-> Switch to the next file buffer in nano.

Alt-< Switch to the previous file buffer in nano.

Ctrl-x Quit nano.

#### Navigating through file contents in nano

Ctrl-a Move to the beginning of the current line.

Ctrl-e Move to the end of the current line.

Ctrl-v Move down one page.

Ctrl-y Move up one page.

Alt-\ Go to the beginning of the file.

Alt-/ Go to the end of the file.

Alt-g Go to a target line number.

Alt-] Jump to matching open/close symbol.

Alt-a Alt-} Select a block and indent the block.

Alt-a Alt-{ Select a block and outden the block.

#### Copy and Paste in nano

Alt-a To select a block for copy or cut operation, do Alt-a again to unselect.

Alt-a Alt-^ Copy a highlighted block to the clipboard.

Alt-a Ctrl-k Cut a highlighted block to the clipboard.

Ctrl-k Cut from the current cursor position to the end of the current line.

 $\mbox{\bf Ctrl-u}$  Paste the contents from the clipboard at the current cursor position.

# Search and Replace in nano

Ctrl-w Search for a target string.

Alt-w Repeat the last search.

Alt-r Search and replace.

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