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Keyboard Shortcuts

Keyboard shortcuts for SuperCollider

Language-Specific Commands

NOTE: For shortcuts bindings of ScIDE, please consult the menu and/or the shortcut configuration menu.

Functions	OSX	GEdit (sced) ¹	Vim (scvim) ²	Emacs (scel) ³
Interpret Selection	enter, ctl-c, ctl-return, shift-return	ctl-e	F5	C-c C-d / C-c C-c
Interpret current line	enter, ctl-c, ctl-return, shift-return	ctl-e	F6	C-c C-c
Interactively evaluate expression...				C-c C-e
Evaluate defun or code-block				C-M-x
Evaluate current document				C-c C-f
Stop	cmd-.	escape	F12	C-c C-s
TempoClock.default.clear			F7	
s.freeAll			F8	
Run Main-run	cmd-r			C-c C-r
Recompile library	cmd-k		:SCLangStart	C-c C-l
Stop interpreter			:SCLangKill	M-x slang-stop
Clear post window	cmd-sh-c			C-c <
Open Help File	cmd-d	ctl-u	K or :SCHelp	C-c C-h
Open Class Definition (look up class file, either Class name or Class:method) e.g. Object, Object:dump	cmd-j	ctl-y	^k or :SCdef	C-c :
Implementations of (which objects have code that defines methods, e.g. 'play')	cmd-y			C-c :
References to (where in the source files is e.g. the method 'play' used?)	cmd-sh-Y			C-c ;
Dump interface				C-c [
Dump full interface				C-c {

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Show method arguments				C-c RET
Autocomplete keyword				C-c C-n / M-TAB
Show server panels				C-c C-p p

Files

Functions	OSX	GEdit (sced)	Vim (scvim)	Emacs (scel)
Open text document	cmd-o	ctl-o	:e	C-x C-f
New text document	cmd-n	ctl-n	:enew	(open non-existent file w. new name)
Close text document	cmd-w	ctl-w	:close	C-x k
Save text document	cmd-s	ctl-s	:w	C-x C-s
Save text document as	cmd-sh-s	ctl-sh-s	:sav	C-x C-w
HTML doc window => code win		ctl-t		E

Text Editing

Functions	OSX	GEdit (sced)	Vim (scvim)	Emacs (scel)
Undo	cmd-z	ctl-z	u	C-x u / C-_
Redo	cmd-sh-Z	ctl-sh-z	^R	C-x u / C-_
Copy	cmd-c	ctl-c	" +y	M-w
Paste	cmd-v	ctl-v	" +gP	C-y
Cut	cmd-x	ctl-x	" +x	C-w
Select all	cmd-a	ctl-a	ggVG	C-x a
Select block				
Goto line ...	cmd-,	ctl-i	(linenumber)G	M-g g
Find ...	cmd-f	ctl-f	/ or *	C-s
Find next	cmd-g	ctl-g	*	C-s
Find previous	cmd-d	ctl-sh-g	#	C-r
Replace and find next	cmd-l			M-%
Replace	cmd-=	ctl-h		M-,
Copy text style only	cmd-alt-c			
Paste text style only	cmd-alt-v			

Formatting

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Functions	OSX	(scd)	(scvim)	Emacs (scel)
Syntax Colorise	cmd-'	auto	auto	auto
Balance (find next matched parens/curly braces and select everything enclosed)	cmd-sh-B			C-<space>, C-M-f
Balance backwards (find previous matched parens/curly braces and select everything enclosed)				C-<space>, C-M-b
Paren match highlight			auto	auto with option Paren-Match-Highlighting
Comment (add // in front)	cmd-/			(select text and) M-;
Uncomment (remove //s)	cmd-sh-/			(select text and) M-;
Indent / Shift left (move selected text by one tab)	cmd-[TAB (auto-aligns tabs according to code)
Unindent / Shift right (by one tab)	cmd-]			
Insert (): enclose selected text with (txt)	cmd-(
Insert []: enclose selected text with [txt]	cmd-alt-[
Insert {}: enclose selected text with {txt}	cmd-{			
Insert /* */: enclose selected text with /*txt*/	cmd-*			

[1] - <http://artfwo.googlepages.com/scd>

[2] - <http://www.neisis.net/%7Ealex/scvim>

[3] - [Emacs Editor](#)

source: /usr/local/share/SuperCollider/HelpSource/Reference/KeyboardShortcuts.schelp
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 sc version: 3.8dev