VS code cheat sheet

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feature	action / command	description
any	`ctrl-shift-p`	run vs code command
focus / visibility		
	`ctrl-1`	focus editor
	`ctrl-tab`	cycle editor
	`ctrl-w`	close (editor window)
	`ctrl-b`	toggle (left) sidebar visibility
	`ctrl-shift-´`	terminal
	`ctrl-j`	toggle (bottom) panel visibility
	`ctrl-alt-i`	toggle copilot visibility
	`ctrl-shift-e`	explorer
files		
	`ctrl-n`	new
	`ctrl-s`	save
	`ctrl-w`	close
selection		
	`ctrl-a`	select all code
	`shift-<arrow>`	select code
comment / uncomment	`ctrl-/`	toggle commenting region
python evaluation		
	▷	run
	`shift-enter`	eval line or selection in repl
git		
	`ctrl-shift-p` init	initialize git repository
	`ctrl-shift-g`	source control
virtual environment	`ctrl-shift-p` create env	create `venv` for project
	`pip install <mod>` (in terminal)	install `<mod>` in project

ai feature	action	description
chat		
	`ctrl-alt-i`	chat view
	`ctrl-i` (editor/terminal/repl)	inline chat
	`ctrl-alt-shift-`ℓ	quick chat
chat view		
	`ctrl-.`	toggle between chat modes
	Add Context…	attach context to prompt
	drag & drop file	attach file as context
	drag & drop folder	attach files within as context
	drag & drop problem	problem as context
	[history icon]	access history of chat sessions
	[mic icon]	enter chat prompt by using speech
generate		
	[smart-apply icon]	smart-apply generated code
	[insert icon]	insert code at cursor
	[copy icon]	copy code block to clipboard
	[terminal icon]	insert code in terminal
editor		
	code comments	prompt by instructions in comment
	`ctrl-.`	review / rewrite / extract

ai feature	action	description
terminal		
	`ctrl-i`	inline chat within terminal
participants		
	`@workspace`	current workspace
	`@terminal`	integrated terminal
	`@vscode`	vs code
	`@github`	github
commands		
	`/explain`	explain concept / code
	`/doc`	generate documentation comments
	`/fix`	fix code or resolve errors
	`/fixTestFailure`	suggestions on fixing failing tests
	`/new`	new program element
	`/tests`	generate tests
	`/setupTests`	help setting up testing
tools		
	`#usages`	find usages
	`#new`	create new project
	`#fetch`	fetch file (e.g. url)
	`#openSimpleBrowser`	open web app in built-in browser
variables / context	`#<file>, #<folder>, #selection, #<function>`	specific code
	`#<class>, #block, #line, #<symbol>`	
	`#codebase`	entire project or workspace
	`#problems`	problems panel
	`#terminal`	integrated terminal
	`#output`	output panel
	`#git`	git status / related files
	`#changes`	source control changes
	`#diff`	code changes
	`#githubRepo`	specific github repo
	`#searchResults`	search view results
	`#testFailure`	test failure information as context