## Getting Help / Apropos / Descriptions / Info Manuals / Queries

<u>Description</u>	<u>Keystroke</u>	Function	Note
Getting Help	Emacs is a heavily documen	ited. All of this documentation	is accessible from within Emacs: the manuals, the info page, the docstrings of functions
Emacs Built-in Help	PEL supplements Emacs  • See the <u>▶Index</u> PDF v  • These PDFs have a lar  • Type the <f12> <f12 <f11="" by="" default="" github="" open="" pdf="" pel="" raw="" the="" type="" •="">? &lt;</f12></f12>	help with a large set of topic- with has links to all PEL PDFs. ge set of hyper links to each ot key sequence to open help fo s the local PDF file using the lo instead by changing the values <f2> to open their customizati</f2>	or manual, topic, command, function, variable, object names, values inside variables.  specific PDF files such as this one (identified as \( \subseteq \text{Help/Info} \)).  ther, to Emacs manual and external package home and description sites.  or several major modes or <f11>? p for help on a specific topic.  ocal PDF rendering application. You can force PEL to launch your default browser and open of pel-flip-help-pdf-arg or and/or pel-open-pdf-method user-options.  on group and change those.  Its opening these PDF help files unless you set pel-help-under-ssh user-option to t.</f11>
-	• <f11> ? <f1> • <f11> ? k <f1></f1></f11></f1></f11>	(pel-help-pdf &optional OPEN-WEB-PAGE)	Open the <u>Nelp/Info</u> local PDF. If the prefix argument (like <b>C-u</b> or <b>M</b> ) is used, then it opens the remote GitHub hosted raw PDF instead. If the <b>pel-flip-help-pdf-arg</b> useroption is set it's the other way around.
<u>// </u>	• <f11> ? <f2> • <f11> ? k <f2></f2></f11></f2></f11>	(pel-customize-pel &optional OTHER-WINDOW)	Customize PEL help support and syntax tools.  • If OTHER-WINDOW is non-nil (use <b>C-u</b> ), display in other window.
<u> </u>	• <f11> ? <f3> • <f11> ? k <f3></f3></f11></f3></f11>	(pel-customize-library &optional OTHER-WINDOW)	Customize Emacs grep support. Groups: apropos, command-log, debbugs, help, helpful, hydra, interaction-log, keycast, man, which-func, which-key.
Emacs Reference Cards	_ '	nd to open the local copy of th	Access customization group with <f11> ? <f2> ese files if they are present. entify it in the pel-emacs-refcard-dirpath user option.</f2></f11>
Open local copy of Emacs PDF reference card	<f11> ? e r</f11>	(pel-open-emacs-refcard)	Prompt for an Emacs REFCARD and open it. Supports tab completion.  • Attempts to find the directory where the Emacs PDF reference card files are stored.  Otherwise uses the directory identified by the pel-emacs-refcard-dirpath user option.
Emacs Help System	As described above, Emacs	provides help for almost every	thing. The list of commands to access this information is shown in the following rows.
Prefix Keys	Key sequences consist of ei	ther one keystroke like <b>C-a</b> or l	M-b, or a key sequence that starts with a prefix, like C-x s, where C-x is the key prefix.
	<pre>• <pre><pre>c-h • <pre>fix&gt; <f1></f1></pre></pre></pre></pre>		Type <b>C-h</b> (or <b><f1></f1></b> ) after the prefix keystroke to list all key bindings that belong to that prefix. For example to list all <b>C-x r</b> keys, type <b>C-x r C-h</b>
	The following commands dis		the command requests. The information is displayed in a read-only *Help* buffer.
	• C-h b • <f1> b</f1>	(describe-bindings &optional PREFIX BUFFER)	Display a buffer showing a list of all defined keys, and their definitions.  The keys are displayed in order of precedence.  With pel-use-helm-descbinds you can either bind these keys to helm-descbinds to use helm-descbinds-mode (bound to <f11>? k B to do it.</f11>
Toggle helm-descbinds mode	<f11> ? k B</f11>	(helm-descbinds-mode &optional ARG)	Toggle helm-descbings-mode on/off. When on, the C-h b and <f1> b keys invoke helm-descbinds to describe the key-bindings available in the current buffer using helm with its powerful search and filtering capabilities.  To use the external helm-descbinds package is required. Pel-use-helm-descbinds user-option can be set to install and activate it. Use <f11>? k <f2> to access the relevant customization buffer.</f2></f11></f1>
	• C-h k <keys> • <f1> k <keys></keys></f1></keys>	(describe-key &optional KEY UNTRANSLATED UP- EVENT)	Display documentation of the function invoked by KEY.  KEY can be any kind of a key sequence; it can include keyboard events, mouse events, and/or menu events.  Get binding for the typed <keystroke> in the current context.  Displays the name of the command function, it's description, it's bindings.</keystroke>
	• C-h K <keys> • <f1> K <keys></keys></f1></keys>	(Info-goto-emacs-key- command-node KEY)	Open the info node in the Emacs manual which describes the command bound to KEY.  Interactively, if the binding is 'execute-extended-command', a command is read.  The command is found by looking up in Emacs manual's indices or in another manual found via COMMAND's 'info-file' property or the variable 'Info-file-list-for-emacs'
	• C-h c <keys> • <f1> c <keys></keys></f1></keys>	(describe-key-briefly &optional KEY INSERT UNTRANSLATED)	Print the name of the function KEY invokes. KEY is a string.
minor(s) modes and the key	• C-h m • <f1> m • <f11> ? k m</f11></f1>	(describe-mode &optional BUFFER)	Lists the active major mode, all active minor modes and the bound keystrokes.
	• C-h P • <f1> P</f1>	(describe-package PACKAGE)	Display the full documentation of PACKAGE (a symbol).  • Prompts for the package name, supports completion.  • Shows whether it is installed or not, its version, the features it implements and some extra notes. Accesses the the elpa-compliant sites and downloads text file description.
	• C-h f • <f1> f</f1>	(describe-function FUNCTION)	Display the full documentation of <u>FUNCTION</u> (a symbol).  For example: <b>C-h f *-mode</b> : Get a completion list of all emacs modes  The buffer shown contains link to the file where the function is implemented. Following the link will open the file in a buffer, even if the file is compressed.
	• C-h o • <f1> o</f1>	(describe-symbol SYMBOL & optional BUFFER FRAME)	Display the full documentation of SYMBOL. Will show the info of SYMBOL as a function, variable, and/or face.
_	• C-h v • <f1> v</f1>	(describe-variable VARIABLE &optional BUFFER FRAME)	<ul> <li>For example: C-h v load-path: shows the emacs lisp path.</li> <li>Reference: <a href="https://www.gnu.org/software/emacs/manual/html">https://www.gnu.org/software/emacs/manual/html</a> node/eintr/See-variable-current-value.html</li> </ul>
	• C-h w • <f1> w</f1>	(where-is DEFINITION &optional INSERT)	Print message listing key sequences that invoke the command DEFINITION.  Prompt for command name, supports completion.  If INSERT (the prefix arg) is non-nil, insert the message in the buffer
	• C-h I • <f1> I</f1>	(describe-input-method INPUT-METHOD)	Provide information about the <u>input method</u> . Prompts for the name of an input method. See <b>Input Method</b> section for more info.
	• C-h C-\		,,
	• C-h C • <f1> C • <f11> ? d C</f11></f1>	(describe-coding-system CODING-SYSTEM)	Display information about CODING-SYSTEM.  Prompts for coding system name. Supports completion.  Type RET to describe current buffer encoding.
	• C-h L • <f1> L</f1>	(describe-language- environment LANGUAGE- NAME)	Describe how Emacs supports language environment LANGUAGE-NAME.  Prompts for language name, proposing the currently used language as the default.  Supports completion.
	• C-h s • <f1> s</f1>	(describe-syntax &optional BUFFER)	Describe the syntax specifications in the syntax table of BUFFER.  The descriptions are inserted in a help buffer, which is then displayed. BUFFER defaults to the current buffer. See also: Syntax Table @ Emacs Wiki

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Show character syntax info and text properties	<f11> ? e .</f11>	(pel-syntax-at-point)	Display complete information for character at point. Opens a *Help* buffer to show extended character info and display text properties identified by the pel-syntax-text-properties user-option in the message area. Access with <f11>? <f2></f2></f11>
Emacs Apropos			ion in buffers using the info reader format. The info reader mode commands are shown an always get help on the current mode, that applies to the info reader mode as well.
Show information available about specified pattern	<f11> ? a a</f11>	(apropos PATTERN &optional DO-ALL)	Show all meaningful Lisp symbols whose names match PATTERN.  Symbols are shown if they are defined as functions, variables, or faces, or if they have nonempty property lists.  PATTERN can be a word, list of words (separated by spaces), or regexp (using some regexp special characters). For a word, search for matches for that word as a substring. For a list of words, search for matches for any two (or more) of those words.
Get a-propos info on command	• C-h a • <f1> a • <f11> ? a c</f11></f1>	(apropos-command PATTERN & optional DO-ALL VAR-PREDICATE)	Show commands (interactively callable functions) that match PATTERN.  • With <b>C-u</b> prefix, or if 'apropos-do-all' is non-nil, also show non interactive functions.  Old Emacs command name was: <i>command-apropos</i> .
	matches for that word as	a substring. If it is a list of word	paces), or a regexp (using some regexp special characters). If it is a word, search for ds, search for matches for any two (or more) of those words.  Emacs session, showing their key bindings and a quick description.
Look for topic in all info documents	<f11> ? i a</f11>	(info-apropos STRING)	Prompts for a string and looks up for that string in all the indices of <b>all</b> the Info documents installed in the system. Opens an Apropos index menu with the links to the found topics. Use this to <i>find the manual section(s) that describe a specific function or variable</i> .
Open the Info Reader on specific topic	• C-h i • <f1> i • <f11> ? i i • %-?</f11></f1>	(info &optional FILE-OR- NODE BUFFER)	Open the *info* buffer if already opened. If not, open the info reader for the top node.  • A non-numeric prefix argument (C-u) directs this command to read a file name from the minibuffer. It is possible to open a compressed .info.gz file directly! Emacs will uncompress it and open it.  • A numeric prefix argument of N selects an Info buffer named "*info* <n>".</n>
			/ specify an Info node of the form "(FILENAME)NODENAME".
Search for text in function	See the Info Reader Mod     C-h d	de Keys table below for the following (apropos-documentation	owing actions available once emacs is in the Info Reader Mode.  Search for functions and variables whose documentation strings match the specified
and variables doc strings	• <f1> d • <f11> ? a d</f11></f1>	PATTERN & optional DO-ALL)	pattern and display the appropriate info pages.
List variables and functions defined in Emacs Lisp file.	<f11> ? a L</f11>	(apropos-library FILE)	List the variables and functions defined by library FILE. FILE should be one of the libraries currently loaded and should thus be found in 'load-history'.
Show buffer-local variables	<f11> ? a 1</f11>	(apropos-local-variable PATTERN &optional BUFFER)	Show buffer-local variables that match PATTERN.  Optional arg BUFFER (default: current buffer) is the buffer to check.
Show user option	<f11> ? a o</f11>	(apropos-user-option PATTERN &optional DO- ALL)	Show user options that match PATTERN.  PATTERN can be a word, a list of words (separated by spaces), or a regexp (using some regexp special characters). If it is a word, search for matches for that word as a substring. If it is a list of words, search for matches for any two (or more) of those words.  • With C-u prefix, also show variables, not just user options.
Show all symbols that have a specific value	<f11> ? a u</f11>	(apropos-value PATTERN & optional DO-ALL)	Show all symbols whose value's printed representation matches PATTERN.  PATTERN can be a word, a list of words (separated by spaces), or a regexp (using some regexp special characters). If it is a word, search for matches for that word as a substring. If it is a list of words, search for matches for any two (or more) of those words. With <b>C-u</b> prefix, or if 'apropos-do-all' is non-nil, also looks at function definitions (arguments, documentation and body) and at the names and values of properties.
Show variables that match a specific name pattern	<f11> ? a v</f11>	(apropos-variable PATTERN &optional DO- NOT-ALL)	Show variables that match PATTERN.  • With the optional argument DO-NOT-ALL non-nil (or when called interactively with the prefix C-u), show user options only, i.e. behave like 'apropos-user-option'.
Key Sequence help			clearly show. Key strokes are extended in various ways and key prefixes is one of them. e key sequences, list the remaining available bindings, and list recent history of typed keys.
List command history See also:  >> Undo/Redo/Repeat/Arg	<f11> ? d H</f11>	(list-command-history)	List history of commands that used the minibuffer.  • Show list of commands in the *Command History* buffer as a list of Emacs Lisp forms.
Toggle which-key mode	<f11> ? k K</f11>	(which-key-mode &optional ARG)	Toggle which-key-mode: when enabled, as you type a prefix key, all keys bound following this prefix are shown in the mini buffer (if you wait long enough to let them display).  Requires the which-key package. PEL activates it when pel-use-which-key is t.
Show state of PEL numlock	<f11> ? k #</f11>	(pel-show-mac-numlock)	is Display state of 'pel-mac-keypad-numlocked' used to control the numeric keypad.
Show state of key-chord mode. See: <u>∑ Key-Chords</u>	• <f11> <f5> k ? • <f11> ? k M-K</f11></f5></f11>	(pel-key-chord-describe)	Show state of key-chord-mode. When key-chord mode is on, list key chord bindings in a help buffer.
Show top level bindings in the map of the current major mode	<f11> ? k k</f11>	(which-key-show-major- mode)	Show top-level bindings in the map of the current major mode.  Also detect evil bindings made using 'evil-define-key' in this map. These bindings will depend on the current evil state.  PEL activates it when pel-use-which-key is t.
Toggle keycast mode on/off	<f11> ? k c</f11>	(keycast-mode &optional ARG)	Show current command and its key binding in the mode line. Use it to create a screen cast to show how to use Emacs.  Requires keycast 2 available when the pel-use-keycast user option is set to t.
Show personal key bindings	<f11> ? k b</f11>	(describe-personal- keybindings)	Display all the personal keybindings defined by 'bind-key'.
Display free keys	<f11> ? k f</f11>	(free-keys &optional PREFIX BUFFER)	Display free keys in current buffer.  • A free key is a key without associated key-binding as determined by 'key-binding'.
	You can change the prefix	keys-keys' list with no prefix sets sequence by hitting 'p' in the	quence are considered, possibly together with modifier keys from 'free-keys-modifiers'.  *Free keys* buffer. Prefix is supplied in format recognized by 'kbd', for example "C-x".  his when the pel-use-free-keys user option is t.
Display last few typed characters	• C-h 1 • <f1> 1 • <f11> ? k 1</f11></f1>	(view-lossage)	Display last few input keystrokes and the commands run.  To record all your input, use 'open-dribble-file'.
Record ALL typed characters to a file	M-x open-dribble- file	(open-dribble-file FILE)	Start writing all keyboard characters to a dribble file called FILE. If FILE is nil, close any open dribble file. The file will be closed when Emacs exits.  Be aware that this records all characters you type! Don't type passwords at that time!
Redo/edit last complex	• C-x Esc Esc	(repeat-complex-	Edit and re-evaluate last complex command, or ARGth from last.
command executed See also: <u>∑ Undo/Redo/</u> Repeat/Arg	• C-x M-Esc • C-x M-:	command ARG)	<ul> <li>A complex command is one which used the minibuffer. The command is placed in the minibuffer as a Lisp form for editing. The result is executed, repeating the command as changed.</li> <li>If the command has been changed or is not the most recent previous command it is added to the front of the command history.</li> <li>You can use the minibuffer history commands M-n and M-p to get different</li> </ul>
			commands to edit and resubmit.

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Emacs Info			
Open specified info manual	<f11> ? i m</f11>	(info-display-manual MANUAL)	Prompt for a specific Info manual to open in a buffer.  • Example: "eintr" := Introduction to Emacs Lisp.
Open Emacs Manual describing a specified command function	• C-h F • <f1> F</f1>	(Info-goto-emacs- command-node COMMAND)	<ul> <li>Go to the Info node in the Emacs manual for command COMMAND.</li> <li>The command is found by looking up in Emacs manual's indices or in another manual found via COMMAND's 'info-file' property or the variable 'Info-file-list-for-emacs'. COMMAND must be a symbol or string.</li> </ul>
Find specified function function or variable in info	• C-h S • <f1> F</f1>	(info-lookup-symbol SYMBOL &optional MODE)	Display the definition of SYMBOL, as found in the relevant info manual.  When this command is called interactively, it reads SYMBOL from the minibuffer. In the minibuffer, use M-n to yank the default argument value into the minibuffer so you can edit it. The default symbol is the one found at point.  With prefix arg MODE a query for the symbol help mode is offered.
Info reader mode keys	? : Get li	in the *Info* buffers and their m nfo help	eanings include the following: to following text/node if already at end
	<pre></pre>	up into the node text. (Does note to the top of the Info documer node in the current level acce-link external package usus node in the current level Node (any level) ous Node (any level) ous Node (any level) ous Node (any level) out the Upper node (in the mendistory: visit last (lowercase 'L'distory: visit history forward distory: Create Virtual Node of a urender nodes' sub-menu (at carender nodes' sub-menu (at carende	previous text/node if already at top of move to other node)  activated when the pel-use-ace-link: highlight each target with a target key.  at tree)  all last visited attry. Emacs prompts for the menu text. ampletion also supported. aursor position) aursor position) are coloured in red to help identify them. as reference To get all cross references, type: 1? and 9 are coloured in red to help identify them. as reference To get all cross reference link are to nodes' next sub-menu/cross-reference link are a string. as search and <ret> and of RET&gt; are found, the ',' character can be used to display each one in turn. with the Info Reader by doing this: Reader at the top a prompt in the menu buffer</ret>
Helpful - extended help for	I : (Search Info - construct a virtual info node displaying results of an index search.  Runs the command (Info-virtual-index TOPIC)  g : Goto a node by name. Topic is a node name: abbreviation is not supported, but completion with TAB is supported.  Also allows going into another file using the syntax: 'g(filename)Topic <ret>'  Topic may be '*': means: open the whole file in the buffer.  <fi11>? i a : M-x info-apropos : Search Info - search in all Info files installed in the computer  : Create New Independent Info Buffer  • opens a new, independent, Info buffer, that at first contains the same Info, but can be managed independently from original.  • This can also be done using:  • C-u m : Move to menu entry into new Info buffer  • C-u g : Go to topic in new Info buffer  • C-u number C-h i : Open an info topic into a 'Info&lt;#&gt;' buffer (for the identified number) creating it if necessary.  The helpful external package provides the same help information provided by Emacs with more contextual information and extra links.</fi11></ret>		
Emacs with more contextual information		e a lot more information than st	alls and activates it when the <b>pel-use-helpful</b> user-option is set.  andard Emacs help. Use then to debug, trace, look at references, etc
Help for function/macro/ special form	<f1> <f2> a</f2></f1>	(helpful-callable SYMBOL)	Show help for function, macro or special form named SYMBOL.
Help for command	<f1> <f2> c</f2></f1>	(helpful-command SYMBOL)	Show help for interactive function named SYMBOL.
Help for function Help for key	<f1> <f2> f <f1> <f2> k</f2></f1></f2></f1>	(helpful-function SYMBOL) (helpful-key KEY-	Show help for function named SYMBOL.  Show help for interactive command bound to KEY-SEQUENCE.
Help for macro	<f1> <f2> m</f2></f1>	SEQUENCE) (helpful-macro SYMBOL)	Show help for macro named SYMBOL.
Help for symbol	<f1> <f2> m <f1> <f2> o</f2></f1></f2></f1>	(helpful-symbol SYMBOL)	Show help for SYMBOL, a variable, function or macro.
Help for variable	<f1> <f2> v</f2></f1>	(helpful-variable SYMBOL)	Show help for variable named SYMBOL.
Help for symbol at point	<f1> <f2> V <f1> <f2> .</f2></f1></f2></f1>	(helpful-at-point)	Show help for the symbol at point.
Log keys & commands	PEL provides access to two different packages you can use to show the commands and their key bindings as you type them  • These can be used to show what you type during a presentation to other users, or for documentation purpose. The following 2 external packages are supported:  The command-log-mode external package.  PEL activates it when the pel-use-command-log-mode user option is turned on (set to t).  PEL activates it when the pel-use-interaction-log-mode user option is turned on (set to t).		
Command Log Mode	The information is similar to See the ∑Windows table This requires the comma  PEL installs the late PEL saves it inside you restart Emacs. PEL ins  With PEL you can cust  The first 2 commands list Once logging has beer	what is available with view-loss for commands that can be use and-log-mode.el file from the cast version of that file when the ir ./emacs/utils directory. To ge stalls it this way because the off omize command-log-mode by the delow, common-log-mode as a activated once the other 3 cor	ows the log of all key sequence and mouse events and the executed command name. sage, but in a nicely formatted way, much easier to use. and to toggle the dedicated state of the window allowing you to move the window.  command-log-mode external package.  pel-use-command-log-mode user option is turned on (set to t).  It the latest version, erase that file and its .elc from ./emacs/utils and execute pel-init or ficial project doesn't seem maintained.  It typing <f11>? <f3> to access its command-log customization group.  and global-command-log-mode are available at startup to activate the logging.  mmands and their bindings are available.</f3></f11>
Toggle command logging for current buffer	<f11> ? k c c</f11>	(command-log-mode &optional ARG)	Toggle command logging: command-log-mode in the current buffer.  • The command-log lighter is shown on the mode line while the minor mode is active.
Toggle command logging for all buffers	<f11> ? k c C</f11>	(global-command-log- mode &optional ARG)	Toggle command logging globally: for all buffers.  Toggle command log lighter is shown on the mode line while the minor mode is active.
Open Command Log buffer	<f11> ? k c o</f11>	(clm/open-command-log- buffer &optional ARG)	Opens (and creates, if non-existant) a buffer used for logging keyboard commands.  • With any prefix argument, the existing command log buffer is cleared.

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Close Command Log buffer	<f11> ? k c .</f11>	(clm/close-command-log- buffer)	Close the command log window.  Logging continues while the window is closed.
Toggle log of all commands	<f11> ? k c /</f11>	(clm/toggle-log-all)	Toggle the logging of all commands: activate/de-activate common command filtering.  • command-log-mode either logs all commands or filter some often used ones like the cursor and character movements. The default setting is controlled by the clm/log-all.  • The list of non-logged commands is controlled by clm/non-logged-commands.
Interaction Log Mode	Lisp command names, the in the lit supports outputs inside window.	nserted text and other informat a separate Emacs frame allow on of interaction-log-mode by	mand-log-mode shown above, but more powerful. It shows the key bindings, the Emacs ion in different colours. ing you to continue showing information even after using C-x 1 to maximize the current its author: Torstein Krause Johansen. activates it when the pel-use-interaction-log-mode user option is turned on (set to t).
Start/stop interaction log mode	<f11> ? k i i</f11>	(interaction-log-mode &optional ARG)	Global minor mode logging keys, commands, file loads and messages.  Logged information goes to the "Emacs Log" buffer.  On first invocation the buffer is created but not shown. Select it or use the command pel-interaction-log-buffer to show it.
Show interaction log buffer	<f11> ? k i b</f11>	(pel-interaction-log-buffer)	Show interaction log buffer.
Display interaction log in a separate frame.	<f11> ? k i f</f11>	(ilog-show-in-new-frame)	Display log in a pop up frame. Customize 'ilog-new-frame-parameters' to specify parameters of the newly created frame.
Toggle display of buffer names in the interaction log	<f11> ? k i n</f11>	(ilog-toggle-display-buffer- names)	Toggle display of buffers in log buffer for each key event.  • This command must be issued inside the interactive log buffer only.
Toggle interaction log view	<f11> ? k i v</f11>	(ilog-toggle-view)	Toggle between different view states: showing only messages, only commands, only file loads, and everything.  • This command must be issued inside the interactive log buffer only.
Programming Help	PEL has bindings for the foll	owing commands that are usef	ful when editing source code, markup files or any file that has a mode that supports imenu.
Show what completion mode is currently used.	<f11> M-c ?</f11>	(pel-show-active- completion-mode)	Display the completion mode currently used.
Show function at point	<f11> ? F</f11>	(pel-show-function)	Display the name of the current "function" at point in the mini-buffer.
Toggle which-function-mode to display name of current function at point	• <f11> ? f • <f11> M-d f</f11></f11>	(which-function-mode &optional ARG)	Toggle mode line display of current function (Which Function mode).  • With a prefix argument ARG, enable Which Function mode if ARG is positive, and disable it otherwise.
See also:  • <u>&gt; Menus</u> • <u>&gt; Mode Line</u>	• The <b>which-function-mode</b> is a global minor mode. When enabled, the current function name is continuously displayed in the mode line.  ⚠ Detection of functions and variables depend on the <b>imenu</b> functionality. If you modify the content of a buffer, you need to force a menu rescan to get proper results. You can force a rescan with <b>pel-imenu-rescan</b> , bound to <b><f11></f11> <f10></f10> r</b> .  ☐ Identify major modes that automatically active the mode with <b>which-function-mode</b> user-option.		
The concept of "function" is major mode specific. For example, in C++ mode, if point is inside a class definition it shows the name of the class.	<ul> <li>Use M-x customize-option which-function-mode to open the relevant customization buffer.</li> <li>With PEL you can use:</li> <li><f11>? <f3> to access the which-func customization group. It will provide access to the customization group even when the feature has not yet been loaded, something that Emacs does not do by default.</f3></f11></li> <li><f11> <f2> o which-function-mode RET to access the user-option directly.</f2></f11></li> </ul>		
Show syntax of char at point	<f11> ? d s (pel-show-char-syntax) Display a message showing the character syntax of character at point.</f11>		
Extra Descriptions	PEL implements a set of extra commands and bindings to built-in Emacs commands to display other the following extra information.		
Show symbols of currently active major mode	<f11> ? ?</f11>	(pel-show-major-mode)	Display the symbol of the currently active major mode.
Show which search tool is currently used	<f1> ? s</f1>	(pel-show-active-search-tool)	Display the currently used search tool.
Show available colours	<f11> ? d c</f11>	(list-colors-display &optional LIST BUFFER- NAME CALLBACK	Display names of defined colors, and show what they look like.
Show encoding of file visited in current buffer  • See also: ∑ Help/Info	<f11> ? d e</f11>	(pel-show-buffer-file- encoding)	Show coding system of file in current buffer.  Open a *Help* buffer and show the value of the buffer-file-coding-system variable.
List all available faces	<f11> ? d F</f11>	(list-faces-display &optional REGEXP)	List all faces, using the same sample text in each.
Show buffer and file name	<f11> ? d f</f11>	(pel-show-window-filename-or-buffer-name)	Show the (full path) name of the file or buffer of current window.
Show information about an input method	<f11> ? d i</f11>	(list-input-methods)	Display information about all input methods.
Display content of kill ring	<f11> ? d k</f11>	(pel-show-kill-ring)	Display content of 'kill-ring' in *Help* buffer.
Print current buffer line # (and narrowed line #)	<f11> ? d 1</f11>	(what-line)	Print the current buffer line number and narrowed line number of point.
Query info about point	• C-x = • <f11> ? d p</f11>	(what-cursor-position &optional DETAIL)	Displays information about character at point in the echo area: position, character, encoding.
Show information about current character.	<ul> <li>With any prefix argume</li> <li>Type: C-u C-x =</li> </ul>		how the complete information of character at point with all properties, face, encoding, etc.  With PEL, you can also type: C C-x =
Show window dimension	<f11> ? d w</f11>	(pel-show-window-sizes)	Show the height & width of the current window.
Display ASCII table	<f11> ? A</f11>	(ascii-table)	Show an interactive ASCII table in the other (next) window.
See also: <u><b>∑ Input Method</b></u>			Requires the <u>ascii-table</u> package  PEL activates this when the <b>pel-use-ascii-table</b> user option is <b>t</b> .
About Emacs	Information about Emacs, its	s environment and configuratio	n is available through a set of commands listed below
Display Emacs version	<f11> ? e v</f11>	(emacs-version)	Display Emacs version
Display Emacs uptime	<f11> ? e u</f11>	(emacs-uptime &optional FORMAT)	Display a string giving the uptime of this instance of Emacs in the echo area.
Open local copy of Emacs PDF reference card	<f11> ? e r</f11>	(pel-open-emacs-refcard)	Prompt for an Emacs REFCARD and open it. Supports tab completion
		tory where the Emacs PDF refe ath user option. Access custor	erence card files are stored. Failing to detect them, dit uses the directory identified by the m group with <f11>? <f2></f2></f11>
Show number of available and key bound commands	<f11> ? e c</f11>	(pel-emacs-command- stats)	Display number of available commands and the number of those that have key bindings in the echo area, and the number of bindings in the global map.
Show <u>loaded files</u> & <u>features</u>	<f11> ? e 1</f11>	(pel-emacs-load-stats &optional WITH_DETAILS)	Display the number of loaded files and the number of features currently loaded.  • With C-u prefix print features in a buffer. With C-u C-u, also print load information, with symbols displayed as clickable buttons that open a help buffer describing it.
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<u>Description</u>	<u>Keystroke</u>	Function	<u>Note</u>
Display Memory Usage	<f11> ? e m</f11>	(pel-emacs-mem-stats)	Display Emacs memory statistics inside an *emacs-mem-stats* buffer.
Check/display list of shadowed Emacs Lisp files	<f11> ? e s</f11>	(list-load-path-shadows &optional STRINGP)	Display a list of Emacs Lisp files that shadow other files • Shows any shadows in a '*Shadows*' buffer
Print imenu controlling variables See also: Menus	<f11> ? e i</f11>	(pel-imenu-print-vars)	Print the value of the imenu variables used to control the imenu functionality for the current buffer. Symbols are clickable buttons to help on the symbol.  • Print this information in a "imenu-dbg" buffer.  • Use to investigate the imenu support for a major mode.
Print value of outline controlling variables See also: <u>Noutline</u>	<f11> ? e o</f11>	(pel-outline-print-vars)	Print the current buffer specific values of outline controlling variables. Use this to learn possible how to control the outline minor mode.
See Emacs executable path	<f11> ? e x</f11>	(pel-emacs-executable)	Display Emacs executable path in echo area.
Display load-path	<f11> ? e p</f11>	(pel-emacs-load-path & optional N)	Show the current load-path inside a new 'load-path' buffer. Open the buffer in the current window or the one identified by N, with the display-line-number-mode on. The buffer is NOT committed to a file.
	Window selection: If N     If N     If N	is not specified, nil or 1: open b is negative, create a new windo is 0: : open buffer in othe	ow and open buffer inside it.
	• If N	4 := 'left 5 := 'current 6 : 2 := 'down is 9 or larger: search in window	
Display Emacs initialization time with benchmark	• <f11> ? e t • M-S-<f9></f9></f11>	(pel-show-init-time)	Display benchmark startup time.
information if available	the Emacs startup time in  •  Uses the benchmark	side the echo area. <u>init</u> library to measure time of	
	Then update your init.el fi ;; Setup Benchman ;;	k Measurement	s as close as possible to the top of the file:
	;; CAUTION: Modif (require 'benchma (expand	l-file-name	
	(add-hook 'after-init-hook 'benchmark-init/deactivate)  • Update the path in this code if necessary.		
List processes See also: <u>∑ Shells</u>	• <f11> ? e C-p • <f11> z ?</f11></f11>	(list-processes &optional QUERY-ONLY BUFFER)	Display a list of all processes that are Emacs sub-processes.  With non-nil optional argument, only processes with the query-on-exit flag set are listed.  Any process listed as exited or signalled is actually eliminated after the listing is made.
ESUP - Emacs Start Up Profiler	<f11> ? e P</f11>	(esup &optional INIT-FILE &rest ARGS)	Profile the startup time of Emacs in the background.  If INIT-FILE is non-nil, profile that instead of USER-INIT-FILE.  ARGS is a list of extra command line arguments to pass to Emacs.
	Requires the <u>esup</u> external package. PEL activates it when the <u>pel-use-esup</u> customization variable is set to t.  The esup profiler has several limitations: 1) it only supports Emacs running in graphics mode. 2) esup steps into 'require' and 'load' forms at the top level of a file but not if they are enclosed in any other statements. This limits its usefulness when conditional loading is located in the init.el file and when the use-package macros are used. Both of these techniques are used by PEL to reduce init time.		
Using Man inside Emacs See also: • ¾1 - Erlang • ∑ Customize	<ul> <li>Emacs provide 2 main commands to display man pages inside buffers.</li> <li>Both of these are much more powerful than the usual man reader available on the shell allowing navigation across man pages &amp; opening hyperlinks.</li> <li>The man command uses the system man utility, while woman is a complete implementation which has some formatting limitations compared to man but it's very useful in systems where man is not available.</li> <li>The man command will find pages that the system's man can find. This can be extended or modified by setting the MANPATH environment variable. Inside Emacs you can also customize the Emacs Man-switches user option to provide extra configuration including a different MANPATH by using the -M switch. For an example see how to add Erlang man pages in the \$<b>81</b>\$ - Erlang table.</li> </ul>		
Open a man page inside an Emacs buffer	• <f11> ? m • M-<f8> • %-M</f8></f11>	(man MAN-ARGS)	Open a Man page inside an Emacs window.
On Unix/Linux, use it to display help about C/C++ functions, types.	Using man pages inside emacs is even better than using it from the shell because:  • The links are active and can be followed. When the man page describes a directory or file, emacs will open the file or the directory (in direct mode) when pressing <ret> over the link.  • You can navigate easily between sections (n/p will move to the next/previous section). You can use any of the searches.  • You can use any of the options to the man command at the prompt, like the -a option to access all man pages of the same name. Then use M-n and M-p to move from one to the other page, inside the same buffer.  • See all keys available in mode, with <f1> m or <f11>? k m.  • The man command prompts, using the word at point as the default.  • PEL key sequence to customize man: <f11> <f2> E m  • The man command provides completion at prompt. However, if you set up a MANPATH to isolate on directory to get only the list of commands in a specified set of man pages (eg. for Erlang commands only), the completion will only work if the man directory contains a whatsis database file. See my description on how to create whatis file for local man directory.</f2></f11></f11></f1></ret>		
Open man page for item at point	<m-s-f8></m-s-f8>	(pel-man-at-point)	Open a man page for the topic at point if any, otherwise prompts for topic.  • Man page section controlled by user option named pel-%s-man-section, where '%s' is replaced by the major mode.
Open a man page without external man process: woman	• <f11> ? w • <c-f8></c-f8></f11>	(woman &optional TOPIC RE-CACHE)	Open a man page file in Emacs using the woman mode, completely implemented in Emacs Lisp (and therefore without using the external 'man' process).
<del>noniai</del>	That can be very useful under environments where man is not available (such as basic Microsoft Windows ®).  PEL key sequence to customize woman: <f11> <f2> E w  With ace-link external package activated when the pel-use-ace-link user option is set to t., the following key is activated:  O : Quick navigation: highlight each target with a target key.</f2></f11>		
Emacs + PEL specifics	The following commands pr	ovide more information about E	Emacs and how PEL uses it.
Show PEL user option and package info  See also: Customize	<f11> ? e ?</f11>	(pel-package-info &optional FULL-REPORT)	Display the following information in the echo area:  The number of PEL user-options, and the number of them that are active.  The number of Elpa packages active: the count of the ones directly installed because of active PEL user-options and the count of them installed as dependencies of the first group.  The number of Emacs Lisp files stored in the ~/.emacs.d/utils (or equivalent directory) as a result of PEL user options.  With optional argument, generates a full report with much more details in a *pel-user-options* report buffer. Any key prefix works. M <f11>? e ? for example.</f11>

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Display name of customization file. Show whether PEL dual independent customization is used or not. See also: Customize	• <f11> ? e <f2> • <f11> <f2> ?</f2></f11></f2></f11>	(pel-setup-info-dual- environment)	Display current PEL customization setup.  Check two independent customization files for terminal/tty and graphics mode are requested and if so check if they are setup properly.  Report an error and list problems if there are any, otherwise display the current setup.  After executing that command you will have to edit your init.el file and set the pel-use-graphic-specific-custom-file-p symbol to t.
Display current Emacs Startup configuration setup See also: <u>∑ Fast Startup</u>	• <f11> ? e M-S • <f11> M-S ?</f11></f11>	(pel-setup-info)	Display current state of PEL setup: whether Emacs startup is used in normal or in fast startup operation mode.
Emacs Bug Reports See also:  • EmacsBugTracker @ Emacs Wiki • Emacs Bug triaging article	The GNU Bug Tracker is More info is available in the This information can also be PEL activates it who	used as a bug tracker for sevene GNU Bug Tracker Docume e accessed directly within Emacen the pel-use-debbugs user of	ich is an instance of <u>Debian bug tracker: debbugs.</u> eral GNU project. See the list of <u>Gnu software packages using this bug tracker.</u> entation.  cs by using the <u>debbugs</u> external package.  option is turned on (set to t). PEL also binds the <u>debbugs</u> commands to the following keys.  up via the <f11>? <f3> key sequence.</f3></f11>
List all outstanding Emacs bugs	<f11> ? b a</f11>	(debbugs-gnu SEVERITIES &optional PACKAGES ARCHIVEDP SUPPRESS TAGS)	List all outstanding bugs.
Search for Emacs bugs	<f11> ? b s</f11>	(debbugs-gnu-search PHRASE &optional QUERY SEVERITIES PACKAGES ARCHIVEDP)	Search for Emacs bugs interactively. Search arguments are requested interactively. The "search phrase" is used for full text search in the bugs database. Further key-value pairs are requested until an empty key is returned. If a key cannot be queried by a SOAP request, it is marked as "client-side filter". When using interactively, use C-x M-: after this command for reusing the argument list. Be careful in editing the arguments, because the allowed attributes for QUERY depend on PHRASE being a string, or nil. See Info node '(debbugs-ug) Searching Bugs'.
List all users tags	<f11> ? b u</f11>	(debbugs-gnu-usertags &rest USERS)	List all user tags for USERS, which is ("emacs") by default.
List bug reports that contain a patch	<f11> ? b p</f11>	(debbugs-gnu-patches)	List the bug reports that have been marked as containing a patch.
List all bugs or specified bugs	<f11> ? b b</f11>	(debbugs-gnu-bugs &rest BUGS)	List all BUGS, a list of bug numbers.  In interactive calls, prompt for a comma separated list of bugs or bug ranges, with default to 'debbugs-gnu-default-bug-number-list'.  This accepts a single bug number, a comma separated list of bug numbers as well as dash separated range of bug numbers.
List bugs tags locally	<f11> ? b t</f11>	(debbugs-gnu-tagged)	List the bug reports that have been tagged locally.
List all outstanding Emacs bugs in Org-mode format	<f11> ? b A</f11>	(debbugs-org)	List all outstanding bugs using an Org-mode format.
Search for Emacs bugs, list bugs in Org-mode format	<f11> ? b S</f11>	(debbugs-org-search)	Search for bugs interactively. List bugs in Org-mode format.  Search arguments are requested interactively. The "search phrase" is used for full text search in the bugs database.  Further key-value pairs are requested until an empty key is returned. If a key cannot be queried by a SOAP request, it is marked as "client-side filter".
List bug reports that contain a patch, list bugs in Org- mode format	<f11> ? b P</f11>	(debbugs-org-patches)	List the bug reports that have been marked as containing a patch. List bugs in Org-mode format.
List all bugs or specified bugs in Org-mode format	<f11> ? b B</f11>	(debbugs-org-bugs)	List all bugs, a list of bug numbers. List bugs in Org-mode format.  • In interactive calls, prompt for a comma separated list of bugs or bug ranges, with default to 'debbugs-gnu-default-bug-number-list'.
List bugs tags locally in Org- mode format	<f11> ? b T</f11>	(debbugs-org-tagged)	List the bug reports that have been tagged locally. List bugs in Org-mode format.
More Help			
Open Emacs Tutorial	• C-h t • <f1> t</f1>	(help-with-tutorial &optional ARG DONT-ASK- FOR-REVERT)	Open an Emacs Tutorial. Restore location if used before (after prompt).
Find Elisp Package See also: <u>Packages</u>	• C-h p • <f1> p</f1>	(finder-by-keyword)	Find packages matching a given keyword. Useful to search for packages supporting a specific concept.
Open Emacs FAQ	• C-h C-f • <f1> C-f</f1>	(view-emacs-FAQ)	Display the Emacs Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) file.
Emacs news	• C-h n • <f1> n</f1>	(view-emacs-news &optional VERSION)	Display info on recent changes to Emacs. With argument, display info only for the selected version. Includes code modifications of each version of Emacs.
Display local help in echo area	<fl>. C-h . C-c ! H</fl>	(display-local-help &optional ARG)	Display local help in the echo area.  This displays a short help message, namely the string produced by the 'kbd-help' property at point. If 'kbd-help' does not produce a string, but the 'help-echo' property does, then that string is printed instead.  Anumeric argument ARG prevents display of a message in case there is no help. While ARG can be used interactively, it is mainly meant for use from Lisp.

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Open PEL PDF Help File	-	PDF files such as this one for se		
Open <u>r EE r Br Tiesp</u> r lie	You can open a local or 0		e help PDF using the PEL help commands bound to the <f1> key available inside several</f1>	
See also: <u>➤<b>Legend</b></u>	PEL key prefixes. • For example several n	• For example several major modes bind the <f12><f1> key sequence to PEL help. Other such as help for abbreviations is <f11> a <f1></f1></f11></f1></f12>		
		lese key bindings is listed below lelp PDF files have kev sequenc	v. ces for them. However, you can:	
	Open any PDF file v	with the <b>pel-help-pdf-select</b> co	mmand: it prompts for a topic with tab completion support: use <f11> ? p</f11>	
	<ul> <li>Open a dired buffer on the local directory where all PDF files are stored with <f11> ? P . Select the file(s) and type z to open the selected file(s).</f11></li> </ul>			
	Each PEL PDF uses icons and colour conventions. These conventions are described in the      ▶Legend table.			
	When opening a GitHub hosted raw PDF you will want to use a browser that is capable of rendering the PDF directly instead of downloading the file to your file-system. <b>Firefox</b> does this by default. You may need to install a plugin for other browsers.			
	These PEL functions select the local PDF or the remote GitHub raw PDF via a combination of factors:  • By default it opens the local PDF file unless a prefix argument is specified by typing C-u or M before the command key sequence.			
	If the pel-flip-help-pd	<b>If-arg</b> user-option is set to <b>t</b> , it's	the other way around: it opens the remote GitHub raw PDF by default. ses the default browse method selected by the <b>browse-url-browser-function</b> user-option.	
	The default value of the	e browse-url-browser-functio	n user-option is to use the system browser.	
	<ul> <li>You can force another one by setting PEL's pel-browser-used user-option to 'firefox or 'chrome.</li> <li>When you do that the new selected browser is also used for the local file. If you want to use this browser for remote files only and keep</li> </ul>			
	•		nen set the <b>pel-open-pdf-method</b> user-option to 'pdf-viewer.	
Open this PDF file.	<f11> ? <f1></f1></f11>	( <b>pel-help-pdf</b> &optional <u>OPEN-WEB-PAGE</u> )	Open the <u>Nelp/Info</u> local PDF. If the prefix argument (like C-u or M) is used, then it opens the remote GitHub hosted raw PDF instead. If the pel-flip-help-pdf-arg user-	
			option is set it's the other way around.	
Select and Open a PEL PDF file	• <f11> ? p • <f11> p</f11></f11>	(pel-help-pdf-select &optional OPEN-WEB-	Prompt for a PEL PDF and open it.  • By default it opens the local PDF file, but if the OPEN-WEB-PAGE argument is non-nil it	
		PAGE)	opens the web-based PDF copy hosted on Github.	
Open a Dired Buffer for PEL	<f11> ? P</f11>	(pel-help-pdfs-dir)	Supports tab completion.  Open a Dired buffer on the PEL PDF directory. Inside Dired you can open a PDF file by	
PDF files.	-11- : F	wer melb baild aii)	typing 'z' over the file name. You can also select several and type 'z' to open them all.	
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