

Important Emacs Customizable User Options

Customization Group	Category	User option variable name	Description	Setting
	This table shows the recommended settings for some important Emacs user-options.			
find-file	confirm action	confirm-nonexistent-file-or-buffer	Whether confirmation is requested before visiting a new file or buffer. Values can be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> nil: never: no confirmation after-completion: confirmation only required if user called minibuffer-complete right before minibuffer-complete-and-exit t: always: any other non-nil: always request confirmation 	nil
convenience	confirm action	confirm-kill-emacs	How to ask for confirmation when leaving Emacs. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If nil, the default, don't ask at all. If the value is non-nil, it should be a predicate function; for example 'yes-or-no-p'. 	nil
convenience	confirm action	confirm-kill-processes	Non-nil if Emacs should confirm killing processes on exit. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If this variable is nil, the value of 'process-query-on-exit-flag' is ignored. Otherwise, if there are processes with a non-nil 'process-query-on-exit-flag', Emacs will prompt the user before killing them. 	t