



usr@unix: ~ \$ vim cheatsheet

EXITING

:w write file
:wq write and quit
:x write and quit
:q quit
:q! force quit
:qa quit all buffers
ZZ write and quit
ZQ force quit

EDITING

r replace a character
J join line below to current
cc replace entire line
cw replace word
u undo
ctrl r redo
. repeat last command

SEARCHING

* search for word under cursor
/pattern search for patten
?pattern search backward
n repeat search

WINDOWS

:e name edit file in new buffer
:ene open blank file
:bn next buffer
:bp previous buffer
:bd close buffer
:sp name open file in split window
:vs name open file vertically split
ctrl w, s split window
ctrl w, w change window
ctrl w, v split vertically
ctrl w, h move to window left
ctrl w, l move to window right
ctrl w, k move to window above
ctrl w, j move to window below
ctrl w, r rotate windows clockwise
ctrl w, T move window to new tab
:on close all inactive windows
ctrl w, | maximize width of window
Ctrl w, 1 | minimize width of window

TABS

#gt move to tab number #
:tabmove # move current tab to #th pos
:tabn name open file in new tab
:tabc close current tab
:tabo close inactive tabs
gt move to next tab
gT move to previous tab

VISUAL MODE

v start visual mode
V start linewise visual mode
ctrl v start visual block mode
esc exit visual mode

CLIPBOARD

v start visual mode
V start linewise visual mode
ctrl v start visual block mode
esc exit visual mode

CLIPBOARD

yy copy a line
p paste after cursor
P paste before cursor
dd delete a line
x delete current character
X delete previous character

YANK

yy copy a line
p paste after cursor
P paste before cursor
dd delete a line
x delete current character
X delete previous character

ctrl w, _ maximize height of window
ctrl w, 1 _ minimize height of window
ctrl w, = equalize size of windows