Emacs Cheat Sheet

Files   Keys
C-x C-f open or create   (M)eta is the <alt> or <esc> key
C-x C-c exit   (C) is the <control> key
C-x C-s save
C-x C-w save as

Buffers
C-x b list and select buffers with up/down arrow keys

Navigation
C-a go to beginning of line
C-e go to end of line
C-p go to previous line
C-n go to next line
C-f go forward one character
C-b go backward one character
M-f go forward one word
M-b go backward one word
M-< go to top of page
M-> go to bottom of page
M-g g <n> go to line number n

Edit
C-d delete character
A-d delete word
C-k delete to end of line
C-y paste contents of buffer at location of cursor
C-<space bar> mark beginning of region
A-w copy region from mark to cursor
C-w cut region from mark to cursor

Search and Replace
C-s <return> search forward
C-r <return> search forward
M-% search and replace (y=yes, n=skip, q=quit,
        .=replace and exit, !=replace all)
C-M-s regex search forward
C-M-r regex search backward

Windows   Commands
C-x 1 merge windows   <Esc><Esc><Esc>   abort command
C-x 2 split horizontally   C-u <n>   repeat command n times
C-x 3 split vertically   M-x diff   compare two files
C-x 0 close window   C-_ or C-x u   undo changes
C-x o go to other window   C-g C-_   redo
                                         M-x linum-mode toggle line numbers