Linux VI Editor

a Append to right mode

/word Move to the occurrence of "word"

n Locate the next occurance w Advance to the next word

e Advance to the next end of a word

b Move to the previous word3b Move backward 3 words

dd delete line 3dd delete 3 lines

D Delete remainder of a line

dw Delete wordx Delete character

Open space for new line below the cursor line

O Open a line above the cursor

CTRL-w Move back a word in append mode

u Undo last

U Undo all changes to current line

:w newfilename save the file to newfilename from the command mode

:wq save and quit

:q! quit without saving

r replace then typa a character of be replaced with r then return to break up a line

J join 2 lines

s substitute (sentence) typed text over a character, ESC when done

cw change word

c change part of a line from the cursor to the end of the line

cc substitute new text for aline, ESC when done

h move the cursor back one space

H move the cursor to the highest line on the screen
L move the cursor to the lowest line on the screen
M position the cursor at the midpoint on the screen

G last line in the file

0 (zero) Move the cursor to the beginning of the line it is on

view filename Open a file for viewing only

set number

Turn on line numbers

set nonumber

Turn off line numbers