# WeeChat Terminal IRC client

## CONCEPTS

Alt+j Alt+f: press Alt+j, release, then Alt+f. If Alt does nothing, try Esc then the key.

Every server, channel and query is a numbered buffer.

Options apply at once and are saved on quit or /save.

## CONNECT

**/server add** *<name> <host>*
Define a server

**/connect** *<name>*
Connect to a server

**/set irc.server.**<name>**.autoconnect on**
Connect at startup

**/set irc.server.**<name>**.autojoin "#a,#b"**
Channels to join on connect

## CHANNELS & CHAT

**/join #**<channel>
Join a channel

**/part [**<message>**]**
Leave current channel

**/query** *<nick>* **[**<text>**]**
Open a private chat

**/msg** *<nick> <text>*
Send a private message

**/quit**
Exit WeeChat

**/buffer close**
Close current buffer

## BUFFERS

Alt + Left / Alt + Up / Ctrl + p / F5
Previous buffer

## BUFFERS (cont.)

Alt + Right / Alt + Down / Ctrl + n / F6
Next buffer

Alt + 1-9
Go to buffer 1-9

Alt + a
Next buffer with activity

## SCROLLING & SEARCH

PgUp / PgDn
Scroll one page

Ctrl + s
Search buffer lines

## INPUT LINE

Tab
Complete command or nick

Up / Down
Previous / next command

Ctrl + a / Home
Start of line

Ctrl + e / End
End of line

## WINDOWS & BARS

**/window splith**
Split horizontally

Alt + Shift + N
Toggle nicklist

## CONFIG & FILTERS

**/fset**
Browse and edit options

**/set** *<option> <value>*
Change an option

**/help** *<command or option>*
Show built-in help