Subject: Re: OSX: syntax coloring?
Posted by James Kuyper on Mon, 16 Dec 2002 14:18:59 GMT
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David Fanning wrote:
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> M. Katz (MKatz843@onebox.com) writes:
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>> I think I'm going to have to learn emacs over the holidays. vi won't
>> cut it any longer.
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> vi!? vi stopped cutting it in 1956, didn't it?

I didn't even learn vi until about 1980, and it's still my favorite
editor. It's far too complex though; if I'd never learned it, I wouldn't
bother starting now, and I wouldn't recommend it to new users. However,
having learned to use it, I get much better results with it than I do
with any other plain-text editor. I gave emacs a year and a half to
convince me of it's merits; it was a relief for me when I finally went
back to vi. It would be nice if it were mouse-aware, however.