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The freemium **Visual Commander** extension lets you automate repetitive tasks in Visual Studio 2013/2012/2010. You can reuse existing Visual Studio macros from previous versions of the IDE and create new commands and extensions in C# or VB. You can also record and playback keyboard commands for the Visual Studio text editor.

A **command** is a class written in C# or VB implementing the **IRun** method. It has full access to the Visual Studio automation model and .NET framework. Code of an existing Visual Studio macro from previous versions of Visual Studio can be just pasted in the Run sub-window of a new VC command. See [command examples](#).

You can run the created command directly from the command editor, from the IDE menu, from the Commands window by double-click or with the Run button. You can assign a keyboard shortcut to a command and you can add commands to the Visual Studio toolbar.

You can record your keyboard and text editing commands from the Visual Studio text editor as a **macro** and play it back multiple times.

Keyboard shortcuts **Ctrl+Shift+F** and **Ctrl+Shift+E** are assigned to the **Record Macro** and **Run Macro** commands if they are not used in your Visual Studio keyboard scheme. If they are used, but you want to reassign them to Visual Commander, you can manually assign them in Visual Studio keyboard options for the **VCcmd.RecordMacro** and **VCcmd.RunMacro** commands.

There is only one macro - recording the new macro overwrites the previous one. If you want to save the macros for future regular use, you can manually copy its code to a new command or use the explicit **Save Macro as Command** menu item.

You can record **Find Next** and **Find Previous** commands from the **Find and Replace** dialog in Visual Studio 2012/2011:

The recorded code sets all **Find** options, performs search and verifies that the text is found.

You can record a macro in VB or C#. Just change the language before the recording (go to **VCMD - Edit Macro...**, select the desired **Language**, **Save** and close the macro editor). The language selected will be also used as default for new commands and extensions.

In an **extension** you can hook to Visual Studio events (e.g. build events, window and document operations, selection and project loading, debugger events) and automatically perform custom tasks when needed. Extensions are loaded by Visual Commander on Visual Studio startup and when you press **Install** in the extension editor dialog.

Visual Commander – Modern alternative to Visual Studio macros

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