

# 7 best application notes for programmers

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Programming is a difficult and frustrating task, even when done with passion. Creating a web, mobile or desktop application is an important job and good note-taking skills are the key to keeping things in order, avoiding feelings of stress, despair and exhaustion. Power for programmers.

But most note-taking applications are not designed specifically for programmers, and they can be so difficult to use that they have to give up completely using a note-taking tool. Here are some of the best note-taking tools for programmers that TipsMake.com wants to introduce to readers.

## Top best note tool for programmers

1. Boostnote
2. MedleyText
3. Quier
4. OneNote
5. CherryTree
6. Sublime Text
7. TickTick

### 1. Boostnote

1. Platform: Windows, Mac, Linux
2. Price: Free



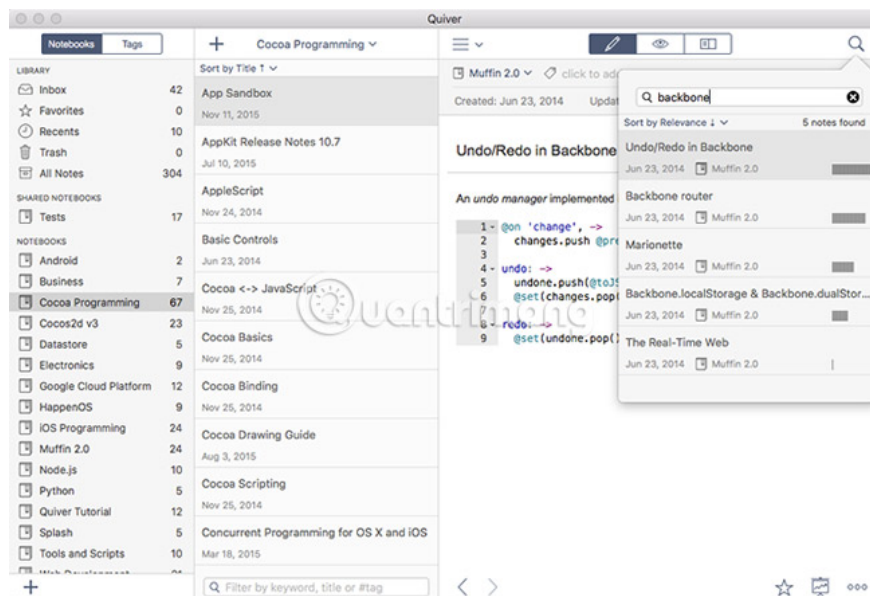
MedleyText is very similar to Boostnote. This tool has fewer features but focuses closely on the features it owns: Optional rich text format, code blocks embedded in common notes, custom themes and shortcuts. This is a great tool for highly productive programmers in large projects.

When the user embeds the formatted code directly into the note, the application will automatically highlight the syntax. Or users can manually select the language highlight syntax to apply to any given code block. It supports more than 40 programming languages ??(up to the time of this article).

Although MedleyText used to be free for local notes, it is now a high-end app with a free trial version and valuable features such as syncing via Dropbox or sharing notes via links. link.

### 3. Quier

1. Platform: Mac
2. Price: \$ 10 (VND 230,000), with a free trial version.



Quier is another application like the two above. Users can combine text (in both Markdown and LaTeX formats) with the code embedded in the note. However, Quier has a more specialized, neat and responsive code editor than other competitors, right inside the application.

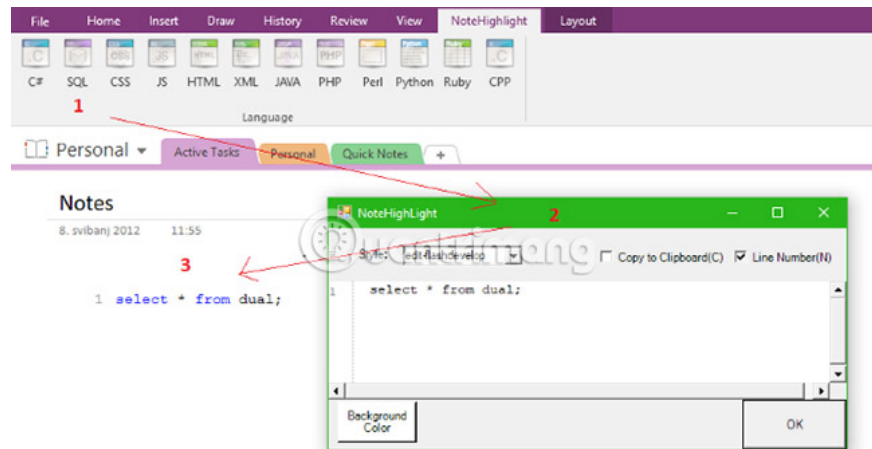
For syntax highlighting, this application supports more than 120 programming languages. Cloud storage synchronization is available for Dropbox, Google Drive, iCloud and more. Because the notes are stored in JSON format, users can use version control to safely track changes. Shared notebooks even allow team members to collaborate on large projects. It even has a web clipper!

If Quier is so great, why is it listed in third place? The reason is because it is only available on Mac. Although the Mac operating system may be a great programming environment, Quier is not an option for programmers who regularly switch between different operating systems.

Link to reference: <http://happenapps.com/#quier>

## 4. OneNote

1. Platform: Windows, Mac, Android, iOS, Web
2. Price: Free



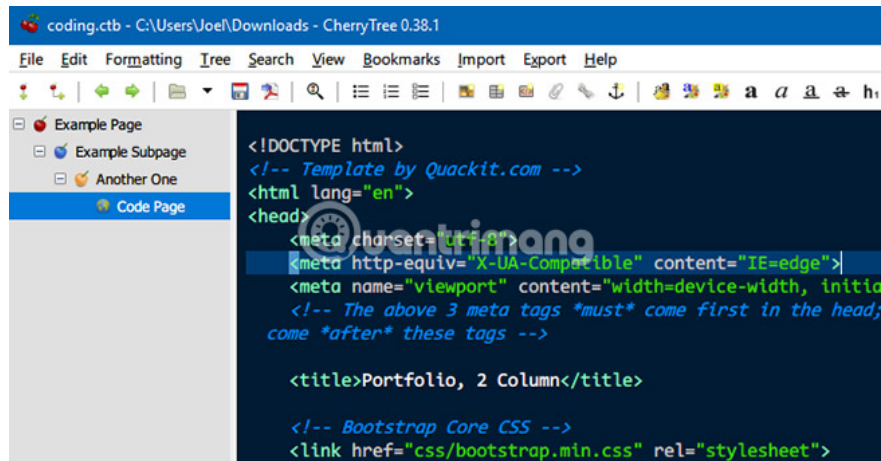
OneNote is the best note-taking application, but it lacks the ability to highlight the syntax that programmers need. Fortunately, thanks to a free add-on created by GitHub users, OneNote can now implement syntax highlighting for code.

This add-on is a bit confusing, but it's great to know that users can finally use OneNote to store code notes. Because OneNote is one of the best ways to take notes as a student, this is a particularly good news for those who are studying programming and technology.

OneNote is also great for collaborative projects thanks to the note sharing feature. The best thing is that it is completely free and available on most major platforms, both desktop and mobile (except Linux).

## 5. CherryTree

1. Platform: Windows
2. Price: Free



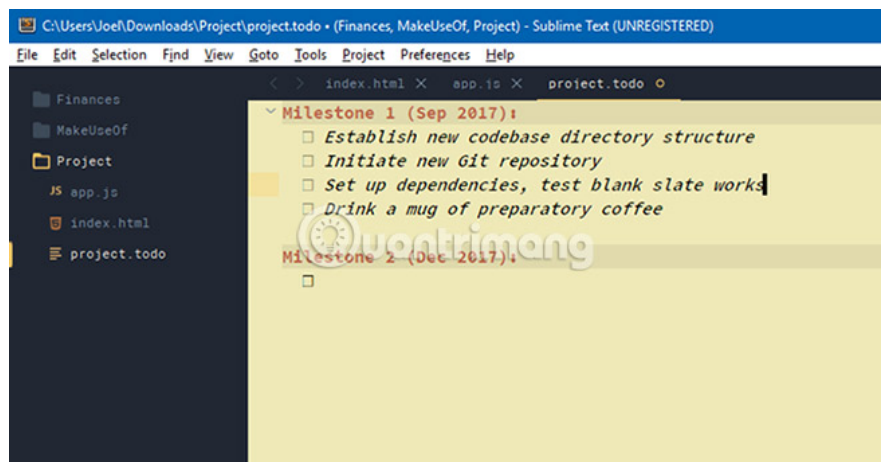
CherryTree is unlike most note-taking applications in that it is more about personal wikis. However, because pages can be nested within a hierarchy, it is good enough to become a note-taking application. What makes it a wiki? Users can insert links to any other page throughout the notebook.

There are other applications like CherryTree, including wikidPad and Zim, but CherryTree supports a special page specifically for code. Use common notes for ideas or tasks and use code notes for snippets. According to the page hierarchy, both types of notes work in the same way.

CherryTree runs very fast. This makes it one of the lightest and best note-taking apps.

## 6. Sublime Text

1. Platform: Windows, Mac, Linux
2. Price: \$ 80 (1,840,000 VND), with unlimited free evaluation version.



If you are a programmer, you probably already know about Sublime Text. Yes, it is a text editor rather than a note application, but it can certainly be used to make notes. Each note is saved as a text file and each snippet of code is placed in a separate file with the appropriate language.

Sublime Text's original features are great for increasing overall productivity and the ability to split into multiple editable dashboards. But for notes and organization, Sublime Text can become more complete with some free

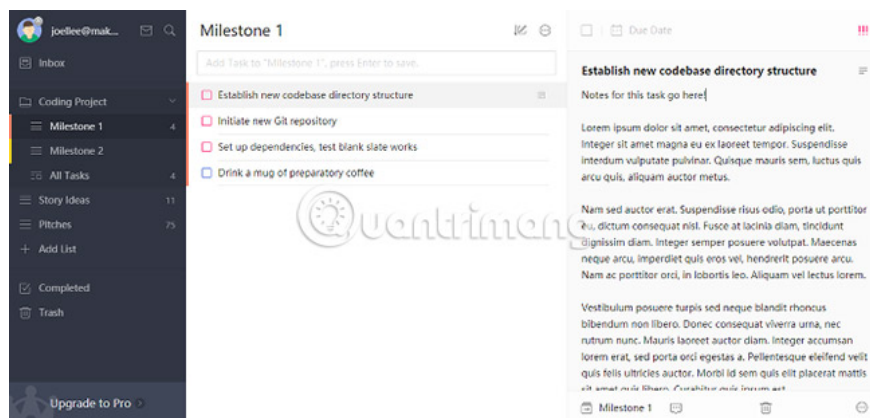
plugins.

1. **SideBarEnhancements** is a plugin that must be installed for Sublime Text users. It adds some improvements to the sidebar, mainly in the menu when the user right-clicks on the file.
2. **PlainTasks** combines a task list to follow the task type right inside the editor.
3. **MarkdownEditing** is very convenient if you want to create notes in Markdown.

The cost for Sublime Text is quite expensive, but the free evaluation time never ends. As long as accepting a pop-up occasionally reminded to buy the full version, users can use Sublime Text for free indefinitely.

## 7. TickTick

1. Platform: Windows, Mac, Android, iOS, Web
2. Price: Free, premium version for \$ 28 (649,000 VND) per year



TickTick is a to-do list application that is quite similar to other apps, but it has a subtle feature that makes good notes. Every item in the list has a description field, basically notepad.

If you are a programmer, users can use TickTick to track all their tasks as individual list items and store any notes needed for each task. However, there is no syntax highlighting function or rich text format, so this tool manages the idea better than it is to store snippet code.

In addition, users get all the benefits of to-do list apps like folder organization, side tasks, recurring tasks, reminders, priorities, etc. TickTick has a free package. with a limited number of listings and paid packages for \$ 28 / year.

If you feel that the suggested applications in this article are still inappropriate, users can always paste the notes right in their code as comments. This is really not the best approach because everything can get messy, but it is an option for low-level notes that match certain snippets.

Wish you find yourself the right tool!

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