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[Wanna try [LIVE SERVER++](#) (BETA) ? It'll enable live changes without saving file.

<https://github.com/ritwickdey/vscode-live-server-plus-plus> ]

# Live Server

Live Server loves ❤️ your multi-root workspace

Live Server for server side pages like PHP. [Check Here](#)

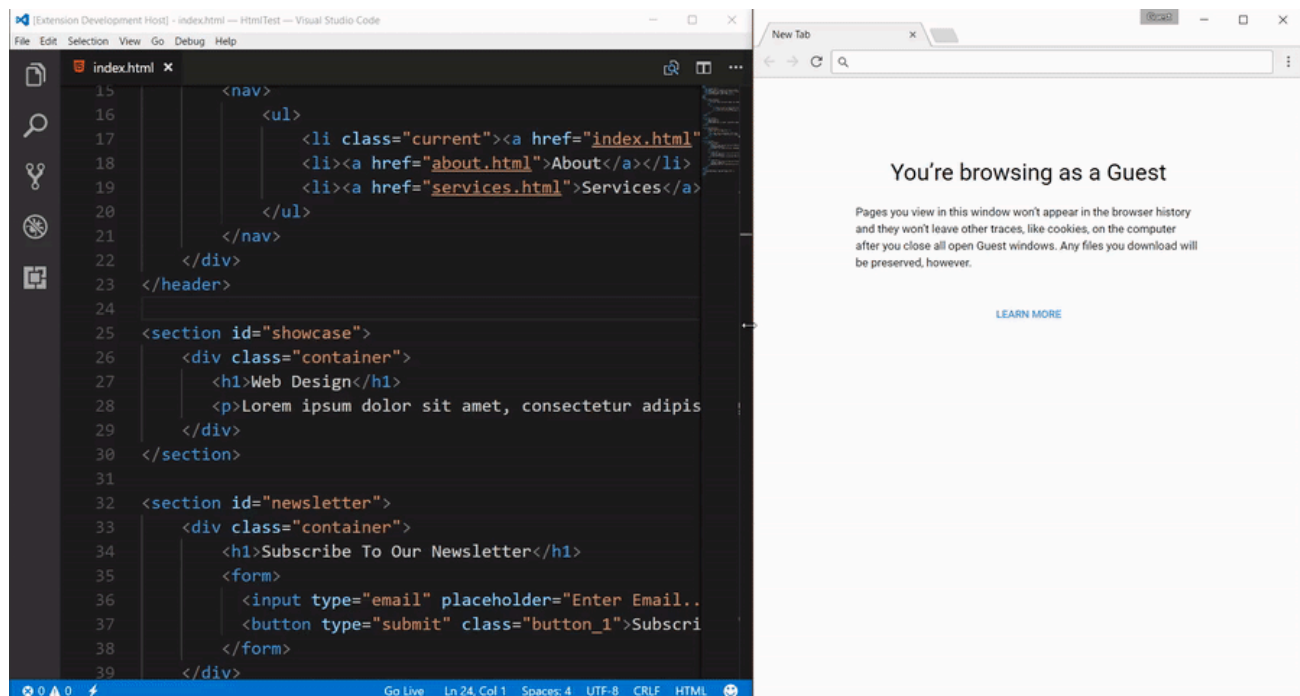
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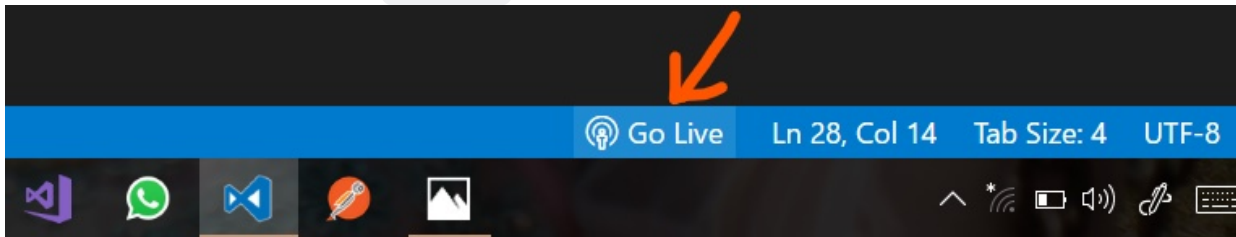
Launch a local development server with live reload feature for static & dynamic pages.



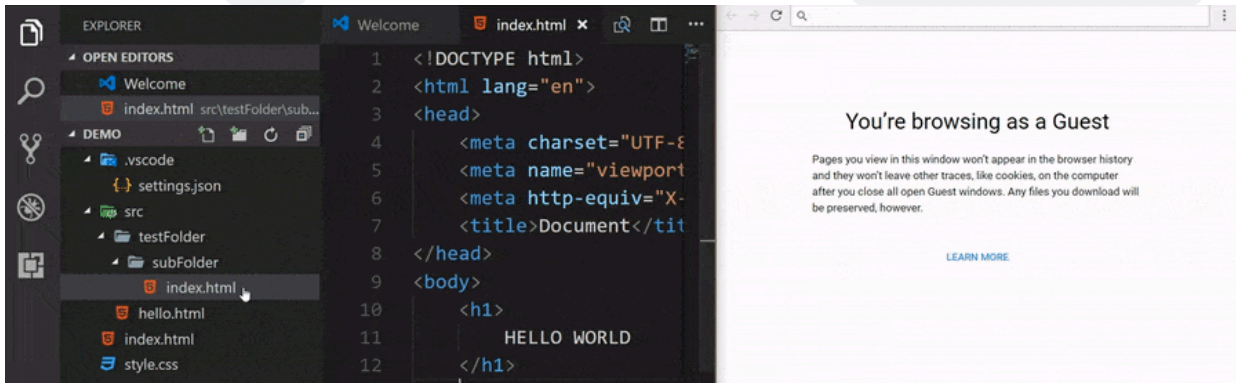
## Shortcuts to Start/Stop Server

[NOTE: In case if you don't have any `.html` or `.htm` file in your workspace then you have to follow method no 4 & 5 to start server.]

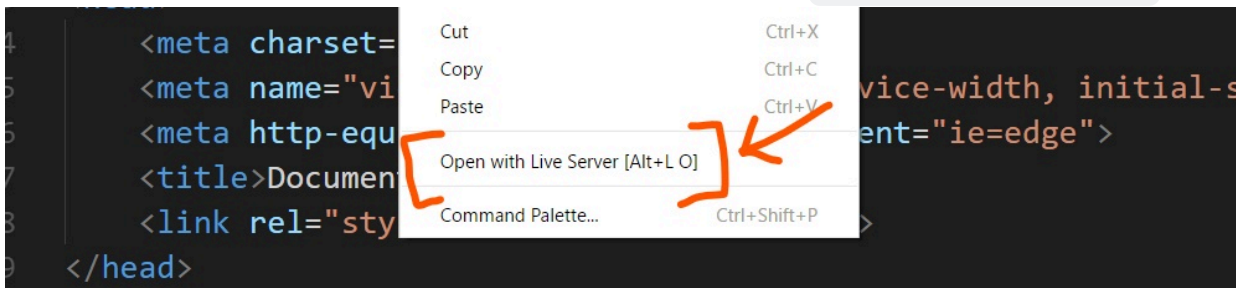
1. Open a project and click to `Go Live` from the status bar to turn the server on/off.



2. Right click on a `HTML` file from Explorer Window and click on `Open with Live Server`.



3. Open a HTML file and right-click on the editor and click on `Open with Live Server`.



4. Hit `(alt+L, alt+0)` to Open the Server and `(alt+L, alt+C)` to Stop the server (You can change the shortcut form keybinding). [On MAC, `cmd+L, cmd+0` and `cmd+L, cmd+C`]
5. Open the Command Palette by pressing `F1` or `ctrl+shift+P` and type `Live Server: Open With Live Server` to start a server or type `Live Server: Stop Live Server` to stop a server.

## Features

- A Quick Development Live Server with live browser reload.
- Start or Stop server by a single click from status bar.
- Open a HTML file to browser from Explorer menu. [Quick Gif Demo].
- Support for excluding files for change detection.
- Hot Key control.
- Customizable Port Number, Server Root, default browser.

- Support for any browser (Eg: *Firefox Nightly*) using advance Command Line.
- Support for Chrome Debugging Attachment ([More Info](#)). [\[Quick Gif Demo\]](#).
- Remote Connect through WLAN (E.g.: Connect with mobile) *[Need Help? See FAQ Section]*
- Use preferable host name (*localhost* or *127.0.0.1*).
- Customizable Supporting Tag for Live Reload feature. (Default is `Body` or `head` )
- SVG Support
- `https` Support.
- Support for proxy.
- CORS Enabled ([disabled by default](#))
- Multi-root workspace supported.
- Support for any file even dynamic pages through [Live Server Web Extension](#).

## Installation

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Open VSCode and type `ctrl+P` , type `ext install ritwickdey.liveserver` .

## Settings

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All settings are now listed here [Settings Docs](#).

## FAQs

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## What's new ?

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### • Version 5.6.1 (17.04.19)

- Fixed `Extension host terminated unexpectedly` [\[#431\]](#)

### • Version 5.6.0 (17.04.19)

- **[NEW]** Intregation of `Browser Preview` with `Live Server` [\[#352](#) - Thanks to [Kenneth Auchenberg](#)]
- **[NEW]** Fallback to random port If given port is busy. [\[#330](#) - Thanks to [Ali Almohaya](#) ]
- **[FIXES]** Moved to `vscode-chokidar` lib for [#285](#).
- Doc Fixes [\[#388](#) - Thanks to [Ted Silbernagel](#)]

### • Version 5.5.1 (12.02.19)

- **[Fixes]** Fixed `Extension host terminated unexpectedly` for MacOS. [\[#285\]](#)

### • Version 5.5.0 (12.02.19)

- **[Fixes]** Fixed `ignoreFiles` settings [\[#255\]](#)
- Attempt to fix `high cpu load` [\[#278\]](#)

## Changelog


To check full changelog [click here](#).

## Special Thanks To Maintainers

A special thanks to [Max Schmitt](#), [Joydip Roy](#) & [Ayo Adesugba](#) for contributing their valuable time on this project.



### Releases 31

 **5.7.10** Latest  
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### Packages

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### Contributors 35



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### Languages



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