What's New: Enhanced Search Assistance

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Agenda – Enhanced Search Assistance

- Syntax Highlighting
- Compact Assistant
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- Questions

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Syntax Highlighting

```
index=techmon sourcetype="techmon_hpom_messages_history"
| chart count over NODE_NAME by SEVERITY
| join NODE_NAME
    [ index=techmon sourcetype="technom_hpom_messages_history"
    | stats sparkline(count) by NODE_NAME]
| addtotals labelfield=SEVERITY label=Total
| sort -Total
| head 20
| stats count by series
| fields - count
| eval troublecount=mvindex(sourcetype_count,1)
| top toublecount limit=5 showperc=false
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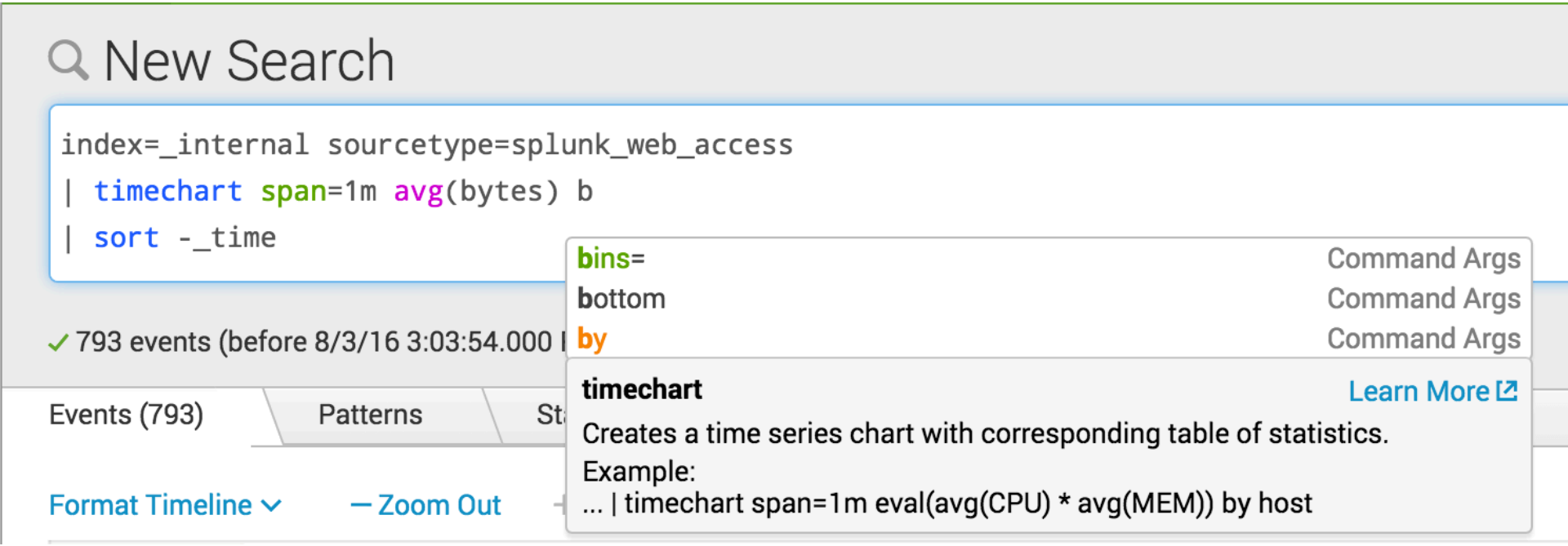
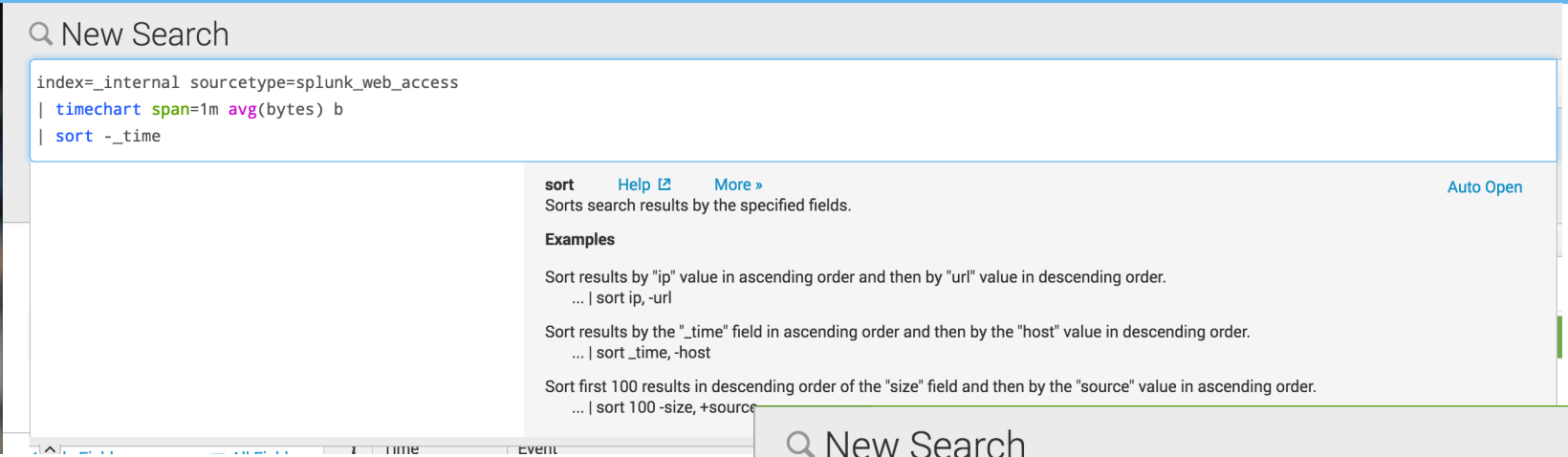
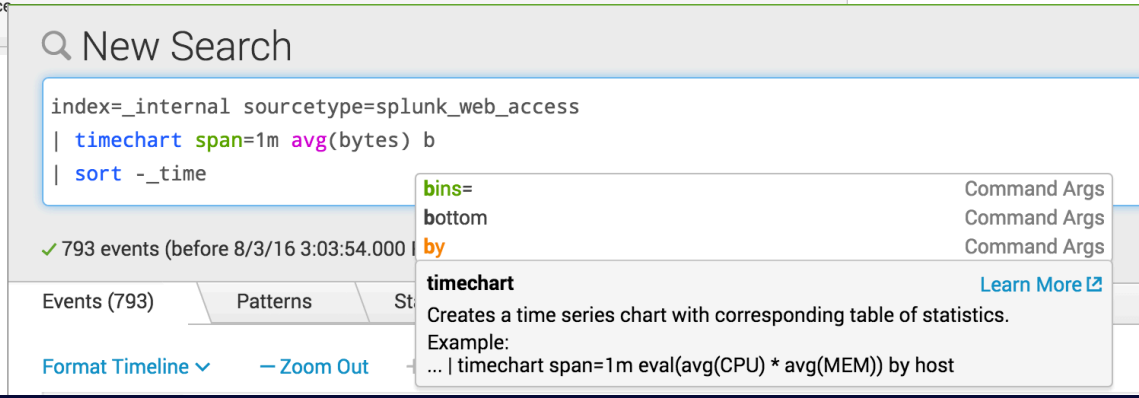
Compact Assistant

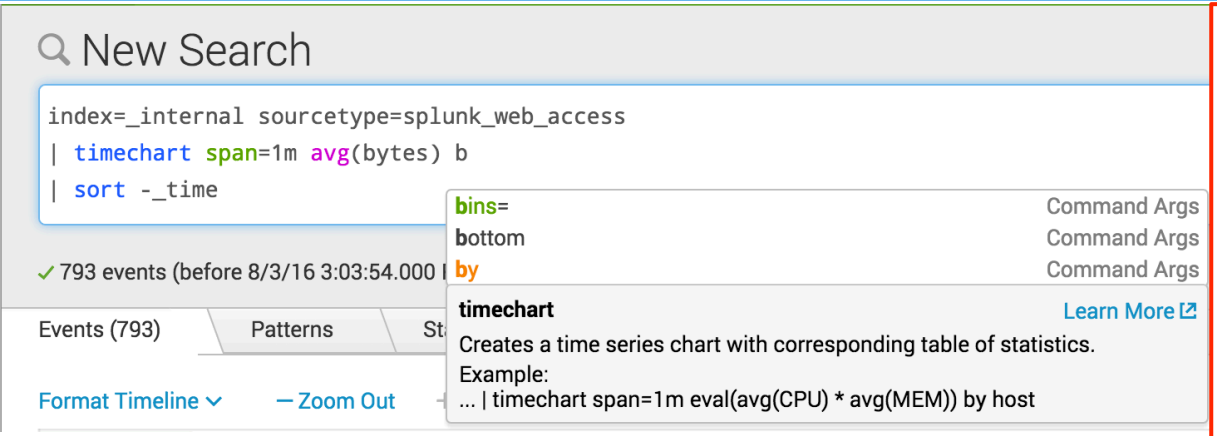


Compact vs. Full Assistant





Compact Assistant – Keyboard Shortcuts



Keyboard Shortcuts

Find-in-query: (CTRL+F)

Find & Replace: (CTRL+F)x2

Format Query: (CTRL+\)

Open Assistant: (CTRL+space)

Bonus: Bracket & Term Matching!

Key Takeaways

Syntax Highlighting

Improves readability and comprehension of queries with varied SPL syntax.

Can be disabled for individuals with color-vision deficiencies

Colors cannot be customized

Invalid arguments are shaded

Compact Assistant

Compact on-screen footprint, with a position relative to keyboard cursor

Assistance is contextual to keyboard cursor

Retains existing matching terms and search capabilities

Keyboard shortcuts

Configuration

Account Settings Page

User-Prefs.conf

Default: Compact Assistant

Default: Syntax Highlighting ON

Demo

Questions

THANK YOU

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