

Computer Keyboard Shortcuts

This handout contains helpful keyboard shortcuts for Windows and Apple devices. Please note that, in order to execute the shortcuts, all keys need to be held down simultaneously.

Shortcut Name	Windows Shortcut	Apple Shortcut	Description
Сору	Ctrl and C	Command and C	Copy the selected text or object.
Close current app/program	Alt and F4	Command and Option and ESC	Close all windows of the app/program that is being viewed.
Cut	Ctrl and X	Command and X	Copy and delete the selected text or object.
Find	Ctrl and F	Command and F	Open a search bar to find text on a page.
Lock screen	= and <i>L</i>	Control and Command and Q	Lock the screen.
Open link in new tab	Ctrl and Click	Command and Click	Open a link in a new tab.
Open link in new window	Shift and Click	Command and Option and Click	Open a link in a new window.
Paste	Ctrl and V	Command and V	Paste text or an object that was previously copied.
Redo	Ctrl and Y	Command and Y	Redo an action that was undone.
Refresh	Ctrl and R	Command and R	Reload the current webpage.
Save	Ctrl and S	Command and S	Save a file or document.
Screenshot	and Print Screen	Shift and Command and 3	Take a picture of the screen.
Select all	Ctrl and A	Command and A	Select all material in the current window.
Switch app/program	Alt and Tab	Command and Tab	Toggle between open apps/programs.
Undo	Ctrl and Z	Command and Z	Erase the last change that was made to a file or document.
Zoom in	Ctrl and +	Command and +	Zoom in on the current app/program.
Zoom out	Ctrl and -	Command and -	Zoom out of the current app/program.