**Broot Cheat Sheet** Rebecca Turner Last revised 2023-10-06 Internal verbs PgUp or :page\_up Scroll one page up Ctrl or | :panel\_left | Move to or open a panel to the left or :back Back to previous state or | :panel\_left\_no\_open | Esc or :escape Escape from completions, current input, Ctrl Move to panel to the left page, etc. Ctrl :panel\_right Move to or open a panel to the  $\rightarrow$ or :chmod [ARGS] Execute chmod right :clear\_stage | or | cls | Empty the staging area → or :panel\_right\_no\_open Move to panel to the right :close\_preview Close the preview panel :parent Focus the parent directory :close\_staging\_area | or | csa | Close the staging area panel :previous\_dir Select the previous directory Alt | c | or | :copy\_path | Copy file path **:print\_path** | **or** | **pp** | Print the path and exit cp NEWPATH Copy file **:print\_relative\_path** | **or** | **pp** | Print the relative path and exit F1 or help Open the help page **:print\_tree** | **or** | **pt** | Print the tree and exit ↓ | or |:line\_down [LINES] | Scroll down or select the next line Ctrl | | q | or | : quit | or | q | Exit :line\_down\_no\_cycle [LINES] | Same as :line\_down but **F5** or refresh Refresh the displayed tree and clear the doesn't cycle from bottom to top directory size cache 1 or :line\_up [LINES] | Scroll up or select the previous line Remove the selected file or directory without confirming :rm :line\_up\_no\_cycle [LINES] | Same as :line\_up but doesn't :select\_first Select the first line cycle from bottom to top :select\_last Select the last line :mkdir SUBPATH or md Create a directory :select PATH Select a path if it's visible in the tree :mv NEWPATH Move the file to the provided path **:sort\_by\_count** | or | sc | Display one level of the tree and sort :no\_sort or | ns | Remove all sorts by number of children :next\_dir Select the next directory **:sort\_by\_date** | or | sd | Sort by modification time **Tab** | **or** | **:next\_match** | Select the next matching file, or :sort\_by\_size or ss Sort by size matching verb/path in auto-completion **:sort\_by\_type** | **or** | **st** | Sort by file type Alt **Enter** or :open\_leave Open the selected file in the default OS opener and exit **:sort\_by\_type\_dirs\_first** | Sort by file type, directories first **:open\_preview** Open the preview panel :sort\_by\_type\_dirs\_last Sort by file type, directories last **:open\_staging\_area** | **or** | **osa** | Open the staging area + or stage Add selection to staging area **Enter** or :open\_stay Open the selected file in the default OS Ctrl | a | or | :stage\_all\_files | Add all files matching the opener filter to the staging area Enter or :focus Set the root of the displayed tree to the :toggle\_counts Toggle display of total counts of files per selected directory directory :open\_stay\_filter | Like :focus but keeps the current filter :toggle\_dates Toggle display of modification times pattern PgDown or :page\_down Scroll one page down :toggle\_device\_id Toggle display of device IDs

:toggle\_files Toggle displaying files (only show folders) :toggle\_git\_file\_info Toggle displaying Git information :toggle\_git\_ignore Toggle using .gitignore files :toggle\_git\_status Toggle showing Git statuses :toggle\_hidden Toggle showing hidden files (dotfiles) :toggle\_perm | Toggle showing permissions :toggle\_preview Toggle preview panel :toggle\_second\_tree Toggle displaying second tree :toggle\_sizes Toggle the size mode Ctrl | g | or | :toggle\_stage | Add or remove selection to staging area :toggle\_staging\_area Open/close the staging area panel :toggle\_trim\_root Toggle trimming of top-level files in the tree display - or :unstage Remove selection from staging area :up\_tree Focus the parent of the current root