

# FAR manager cheat sheet of keyboard shortcuts

Shortcut	Description
<b>Ctrl + \</b>	Change working directory to the root folder, i.e. root of the drive.
<b>Ctrl + PgUp</b>	Move up to the parent directory.
<b>Alt + F1</b>	Set the working drive for the left panel.
<b>Alt + F2</b>	Set the working drive for the right panel.
<b>Ctrl + u</b>	Swap panels (left becomes right and vice versa).
<b>Ctrl + Left/Right Arrow</b>	Move the separating bar between panels left/right, changing the occupied space.
<b>Alt + F7</b>	Open File Search dialog box
<b>Alt + F12</b>	Open history of the visited folders.
<b>Alt + F8</b>	Open history of the viewed files.
<b>Ctrl + 1</b>	Set panel view to 3-column layout showing just names.
<b>Ctrl + 2</b>	Return to the standard 2-column view of names only.
<b>Ctrl + 3</b>	Full panel view - shows name, size, date, time columns.
<b>Ctrl + 5</b>	Full screen view - name, size, allocated, write, created, accessed, attributes columns.
Sort items	Fix later
<b>Ctrl + F3</b>	Sort by file/folder name.
<b>Ctrl + F4</b>	Sort by extension.
<b>Ctrl + F5</b>	Sort by modified date.
<b>Ctrl + F6</b>	Sort by size.
<b>Ctrl + F8</b>	Sort by creation time
<b>Ctrl + F9</b>	Sort by access time
<b>Shift + move up/down</b>	Select single/multiple items. To deselect, hold Shift and move in the opposite direction.
COLORS fix later	Fix me
<b>F9 → o → l</b>	Open color selection dialog box.