Introduction:

TallyPrime's user interface is designed for **simplicity** and **speed**. Whether you're entering vouchers, checking reports, or switching companies, the interface is built to be user-friendly and keyboard-friendly.

Gateway of Tally:

- This is the **main screen** you see after selecting or creating a company.
- It acts as the **dashboard** where you access all features:
 - Accounts Info
 - Inventory
 - Transactions
 - Reports
 - Utilities

Main Navigation Areas:

Top Bar

- Displays shortcut keys like:
 - o F1 Help
 - F2 Change Date
 - o F3 Change Company
 - Alt + F1 Detailed View

Left Panel

- Shows:
 - Current date
 - Current company
 - o Financial year

Center Panel (Gateway of Tally)

- Main options:
 - Masters Create or alter ledgers, groups
 - Transactions Vouchers like Sales, Purchases, Payments
 - o Utilities Bank Reconciliation, Cheque Printing
 - o Reports Trial Balance, Profit & Loss, Balance Sheet

Right Side Panel

- Quick buttons like:
 - Change date
 - Change company
 - Import/export data

3 Useful Keyboard Shortcuts:

Shortcut Function

Alt + F1 Detailed report view

F1 Help menu

F2 Change the working date

F3 Change company

Esc Go back/Exit a screen

Enter Select an item/open option

Ctrl + Q Quit company

Navigation Tips:

- Use arrow keys to move through menus
- Press **Enter** to select

- Use **Esc** to go back
- Tally is **keyboard-based**, so shortcuts save a lot of time!