

# Lii STEM Input Method Cheatsheet

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Lii STEM (<https://liistem.cn/>) is a WYSIWYG TeX-style editor.

We distinguish the capital and noncapital letters in this cheatsheet; For example, **J** and **j** are different. You can also use **↑** to replace **J** where **↑** represents the Shift key.

| Windows                        | Mac                   | Equivalent in $\text{\LaTeX}$  |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| <b>Environmental Shortcuts</b> |                       |  |
| <b>space + tab</b>             | <b>space + tab</b>    | Non-breaking space ( $\text{\textnbsp}$ or $\sim$ )                            |
| <b>ctrl + t</b>                | <b>\</b>              | $\text{\textit}$   |
| <b>ctrl + l</b>                | <b>\</b>              | $\text{\textleftarrow}$  |
| <b>ctrl + e</b>                | <b>\</b>              | $\text{\textcentering}$  |
| <b>ctrl + r</b>                | <b>\</b>              | $\text{\textrightarrow}$   |
| <b>alt + 1</b>                 | <b>option + 1</b>     | $\text{\textsection}$  |
| <b>alt + 2</b>                 | <b>option + 2</b>     | $\text{\textsubsection}$   |
| <b>alt + 3</b>                 | <b>option + 3</b>     | $\text{\textsubsubsection}$  |
| <b>alt + 4</b>                 | <b>option + 4</b>     | $\text{\textparagraph}$  |
| <b>+ + tab</b>                 | <b>+ + tab</b>        | $\text{\itemize}$  |
| <b>1 + . + tab</b>             | <b>1 + . + tab</b>    | $\text{\enumerate}$  |
| <b>\$</b>                      | <b>\$</b>             | inline math mode   |
| <b>alt + \$</b>                | <b>option + \$</b>    | single-line math mode  |
| <b>alt + ↑ + 7</b>             | <b>option + ↑ + 7</b> | multi-line math mode,<br>do not recommend, use<br>$\text{\textalign}$ instead. |
| <b>ctrl + #</b>                | <b>ctrl + #</b>       | add equation number  |
| <b>alt + arrow</b>             | <b>option + arrow</b> | add new<br>row/column in<br><i>matrix/table/choice/stack</i>                   |
| <b>ctrl + ↑ + f</b>            | <b>ctrl + ↑ + f</b>   | add footnote   |
| <b>ctrl + n</b>                | <b>cmd + n</b>        | add new script   |
| <b>ctrl + p</b>                | <b>cmd + p</b>        | export to PDF  |

## Common Constructs

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| Windows   | Mac  | Equivalent in $\text{\LaTeX}$   |
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| <b>Font</b>                                       |  |   |
| <b>A + A</b>                                      | <b>A + A</b>                                     | Background $\text{\texttt{A}}$<br>( $\text{\textit{mathbb}{A}}$ )                   |
| <b>F7 + A</b> or <b>A + A + tab</b>               | <b>F7 + A</b> or <b>A + A + tab</b>              | Calligraphic $\text{\texttt{A}}$<br>( $\text{\textit{mathcal}{A}}$ )                |
| <b>F8 + A</b> or <b>A + A + tab * 2</b>           | <b>F8 + A</b> or <b>A + A + tab * 2</b>          | Gothic $\text{\texttt{A}}$<br>( $\text{\textit{mathfrak}{A}}$ )                     |
| <b>ctrl + b + A</b> or <b>A + A + shift + tab</b> | <b>cmd + b + A</b> or <b>A + A + shift + tab</b> | <b>Bold A</b> ( $\text{\textbf{A}}$ )   |
| <b>ctrl + i + A</b>                               | <b>cmd + i + A</b>                               | <b>Italic A</b> ( $\text{\textit{mathit}{A}}$ )                                     |
| <b>Greek Letters</b>                              |  |   |
| <b>a + tab</b>                                    | <b>a + tab</b>                                   | $\alpha$ ( $\text{\textit{\alpha}}$ )   |
| <b>b + tab</b>                                    | <b>b + tab</b>                                   | $\beta$ ( $\text{\textit{\beta}}$ )   |
| <b>g + tab</b> , <b>G + tab</b>                   | <b>g + tab</b> , <b>G + tab</b>                  | $\gamma$ ( $\text{\textit{\gamma}}$ ), $\Gamma$<br>( $\text{\textit{\Gamma}}$ )     |
| <b>d + tab</b> , <b>D + tab</b>                   | <b>d + tab</b> , <b>D + tab</b>                  | $\delta$ ( $\text{\textit{\delta}}$ ), $\Delta$ ( $\text{\textit{\Delta}}$ )        |
| <b>e + tab * 3</b>                                | <b>e + tab * 3</b>                               | $\epsilon$ ( $\text{\textit{\epsilon}}$ )   |
| <b>e + tab</b>                                    | <b>e + tab</b>                                   | $\varepsilon$ ( $\text{\textit{\varepsilon}}$ )                                     |
| <b>z + tab</b>                                    | <b>z + tab</b>                                   | $\zeta$ ( $\text{\textit{\zeta}}$ )   |
| <b>h + tab</b>                                    | <b>h + tab</b>                                   | $\eta$ ( $\text{\textit{\eta}}$ )   |
| <b>j + tab</b> , <b>J + tab</b>                   | <b>j + tab</b> , <b>J + tab</b>                  | $\theta$ ( $\text{\textit{\theta}}$ ), $\Theta$ ( $\text{\textit{\Theta}}$ )        |
| <b>j + tab * 3</b>                                | <b>j + tab * 3</b>                               | $\vartheta$ ( $\text{\textit{\vartheta}}$ )   |
| <b>i + tab</b>                                    | <b>i + tab</b>                                   | $\iota$ ( $\text{\textit{\iota}}$ )   |
| <b>k + tab</b>                                    | <b>k + tab</b>                                   | $\kappa$ ( $\text{\textit{\kappa}}$ )   |
| <b>l + tab</b> , <b>L + tab</b>                   | <b>l + tab</b> , <b>L + tab</b>                  | $\lambda$ ( $\text{\textit{\lambda}}$ ), $\Lambda$<br>( $\text{\textit{\Lambda}}$ ) |

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| Windows               | Mac | Equivalent in $\text{\LaTeX}$                           |
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| GNU/Linux             |     |   |
|                       |     | $\mu (\backslash mu)$                                   |
|                       |     | $\nu (\backslash nu)$                                   |
|                       |     | $\xi (\backslash xi), \Xi (\backslash Xi)$              |
|                       |     | $\pi (\backslash pi), \Pi (\backslash Pi)$              |
|                       |     | $\varpi (\backslash varpi)$                             |
|                       |     | $\rho (\backslash rho)$                                 |
|                       |     | $\varrho (\backslash varrho)$                           |
|                       |     | $\sigma (\backslash sigma), \Sigma (\backslash Sigma)$  |
|                       |     | $\varsigma (\backslash varsigma)$                       |
|                       |     | $\tau (\backslash tau)$                                 |
|                       |     | $v (\backslash upsilon), \Upsilon (\backslash Upsilon)$ |
|                       |     | $\phi (\backslash phi), \Phi (\backslash Phi)$          |
|                       |     | $\varphi (\backslash varphi)$                           |
|                       |     | $\chi (\$ \backslash chi \$)$                           |
|                       |     | $\psi (\backslash psi), \Psi (\backslash Psi)$          |
|                       |     | $\omega (\backslash omega), \Omega (\backslash Omega)$  |
| <b>Sets and Logic</b> |     |   |
|                       |     | $\cup (\backslash cup)$                                 |
|                       |     | $\cap (\backslash cap)$                                 |
|                       |     | $\subset (\backslash subset)$                           |
|                       |     | $\subseteq (\backslash subeteq)$                        |
|                       |     | $\supset (\backslash supset)$                           |
|                       |     | $\supseteq (\backslash supeteq)$                        |
|                       |     | $\in (\backslash in)$                                   |
|                       |     | $\ni (\backslash ni)$                                   |
|                       |     | $\notin (\backslash notin)$                             |
|                       |     | $\mathbb{R} (\backslash mathbb{R})$                     |
|                       |     | $\mathbb{Z} (\backslash mathbb{Z})$                     |

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| Windows            | Mac | Equivalent in $\text{\LaTeX}$             |
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| GNU/Linux          |     |   |
|                    |     | $\mathbb{Q} (\backslash mathbb{Q})$       |
|                    |     | $\mathbb{N} (\backslash mathbb{N})$       |
|                    |     | $\mathbb{C} (\backslash mathbb{C})$       |
|                    |     | $\emptyset (\backslash varnothing)$       |
|                    |     | $\aleph (\backslash aleph)$               |
|                    |     | $\equiv (\backslash equiv)$               |
|                    |     | $\forall (\backslash forall)$             |
|                    |     | $\exists (\backslash exists)$             |
|                    |     | $\neg (\backslash neg)$                   |
|                    |     | $\vee (\backslash vee)$                   |
|                    |     | $\wedge (\backslash wedge)$               |
|                    |     | $\vdash (\backslash vdash)$               |
|                    |     | $\models (\backslash models)$             |
|                    |     | $\Rightarrow (\backslash Rightarrow)$     |
|                    |     | $\Rightarrow (\backslash nRightarrow)$    |
| <b>Decorations</b> |     |   |
|                    |     | $\dot{A} (\backslash dot{A})$             |
|                    |     | $\ddot{A} (\backslash ddot{A})$           |
|                    |     | vertical two dots                         |
|                    |     | horizontal three dots                     |
|                    |     | horizontal four dots                      |
|                    |     | $\hat{A} (\backslash hat{A})$             |
|                    |     | $\tilde{A} (\backslash tilde{A})$         |
|                    |     | $\bar{A} (\backslash bar{A})$             |
|                    |     | $\overline{A} (\backslash overline{A})$   |
|                    |     | $\underline{A} (\backslash underline{A})$ |
|                    |     | $\vec{A} (\backslash vec{A})$             |
|                    |     | $\check{A} (\backslash check{A})$         |

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| Windows<br>GNU/Linux                              | Mac   | Equivalent in $\text{\LaTeX}$ |
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| [alt] + [↑] + [u] + [A]                           | [option] + [↑] + [u] + [A]                                | $\breve{A}$ (\breve{A})       |
| [alt] + [↑] + [a] + [A]                           | [option] + [↑] + [a] + [A]                                | inverted breve                |
| [alt] + ['] + [A]                                 | [option] + ['] + [A]                                      | $\acute{A}$ (\acute{A})       |
| [alt] + [@] + [A]                                 | [option] + [@] + [A]                                      | $\mathring{A}$ (\mathring{A}) |
| <b>Dots</b>                                       |   |                               |
| [.] + [.]   | [.] + [.] + [Tab]   | $\dots$ (\ldots)              |
| [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab]                         | [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab]                         | $\cdots$ (\cdots)             |
| [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab]                 | [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab]                 | high dots                     |
| [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab]         | [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab]         | $\vdots$ (\vdots)             |
| [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] | [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] | $\ddots$ (\ddots)             |
| [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] | [.] + [.] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab] + [Tab]         | back-diagonal dots            |
| <b>Other Symbols</b>                              |   |                               |
| [<] + [=] + [tab]                                 | [<] + [=] + [tab]   | $\leq$ (\leq)                 |
| [>] + [=] + [tab]                                 | [>] + [=] + [tab]   | $\geq$ (\geq)                 |
| [=] + [\ ]  | [=] + [\ ]  | $\neq$ (\neq)                 |
| [<] + [<]   | [<] + [<]   | $\ll$ (\ll)                   |
| [>] + [>]   | [>] + [>]   | $\gg$ (\gg)                   |
| [-] + [-]   | [-] + [-]   | $\approx$ (\approx)           |
| [=] + [tab]                                       | [=] + [tab]   | $\asymp$ (\asymp)             |
| [<] + [tab * 3]                                   | [<] + [tab * 3]   | $\prec$ (\prec)               |
| [<] + [tab * 3] + [=] + [tab]                     | [<] + [tab * 3] + [=] + [tab]                             | $\preceq$ (\preceq)           |
| [>] + [tab * 3]                                   | [>] + [tab * 3]   | $\succ$ (\succ)               |
| [>] + [tab * 3] + [=] + [tab]                     | [>] + [tab * 3] + [=] + [tab]                             | $\succeq$ (\succeq)           |
| [@] + [@] + [tab * 2]                             | [@] + [@] + [tab * 2]                                     | $\propto$ (\propto)           |
| [.] + [=]   | [.] + [=]   | $\doteq$ (\doteq)             |
| [@] + [tab * 4]                                   | [@] + [tab * 4]   | $\angle$ (\angle)             |
| [l] + [tab * 3]                                   | [l] + [tab * 3]   | $\ell$ (\ell)                 |
| [↑] + [F5] + [B]                                  | [↑] + [F5] + [B]  | $\parallel$ (\parallel)       |

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| Windows<br>GNU/Linux  | Mac                   | Equivalent in $\text{\LaTeX}$       |
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| [~] + [=]             | [~] + [=]             | $\cong$ (\cong)                     |
| [~] + [=] + [/]       | [~] + [=] + [/]       | $\not\cong$ (\ncong)                |
| [~]                   | [~]                   | $\sim$ (\sim)                       |
| [~] + [-]             | [~] + [-]             | $\simeq$ (\simeq)                   |
| [~] + [/]             | [~] + [/]             | $\nsim$ (\nsim)                     |
| [@] + [+]             | [@] + [+]             | $\oplus$ (\oplus)                   |
| [@] + [-]             | [@] + [-]             | $\ominus$ (\ominus)                 |
| [@] + [.]             | [@] + [.]             | $\odot$ (\odot)                     |
| [@] + [*]             | [@] + [*]             | $\otimes$ (\otimes)                 |
| [@] + [/]             | [@] + [/]             | $\oslash$ (\oslash)                 |
| [/] + [-] + [tab * 3] | [/] + [-] + [tab * 3] | $\upharpoonright$ (\upharpoonright) |
| [+] + [tab * 2]       | [+] + [tab * 2]       | $\cdot$ (\cdot)                     |
| [+] + [-]             | [+] + [-]             | $\pm$ (\pm)                         |
| [-] + [+]             | [-] + [+]             | $\mp$ (\mp)                         |
| [*] + [tab]           | [*] + [tab]           | $\times$ (\times)                   |
| [/] + [tab * 2]       | [/] + [tab * 2]       | $\div$ (\div)                       |
| [*] + [tab * 2]       | [*] + [tab * 2]       | $\ast$ (\ast)                       |
| [d] + [tab * 3]       | [d] + [tab * 3]       | $\partial$ (\partial)               |
| [V] + [tab * 2]       | [V] + [tab * 2]       | $\nabla$ (\nabla)                   |
| [@]                   | [@]                   | $\circ$ (\circ)                     |
| [*] + [tab * 5]       | [*] + [tab * 5]       | $\star$ (\star)                     |
| [i] + [tab * 3]       | [i] + [tab * 3]       | $\imath$ (\imath)                   |
| [j] + [tab * 2]       | [j] + [tab * 2]       | $\jmath$ (\jmath)                   |
| [h] + [tab * 2]       | [h] + [tab * 2]       | $\hbar$ (\hbar)                     |
| [B] + [tab * 3]       | [B] + [tab * 3]       | $\beth$ (\beth)                     |
| [G] + [tab * 2]       | [G] + [tab * 2]       | $\gimel$ (\gimel)                   |
| [D] + [tab * 3]       | [D] + [tab * 3]       | $\daleth$ (\daleth)                 |
| [R] + [E]             | [R] + [E]             | $\Re$ (\Re)                         |

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| Windows<br>GNU/Linux | Mac             | Equivalent in $\text{\LaTeX}$                            |
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| + tab * 2            | + tab * 2       | $\mathbb{U} (\backslash mho)$                            |
| + tab * 2            | + tab * 2       | $\wp (\backslash wp)$                                    |
| @ + @                | @ + @           | $\infty (\backslash infinity \text{ in } \text{\LaTeX})$ |
| T + tab * 2          | T + tab * 2     | $\top (\backslash top)$                                  |
| T + tab * 3          | T + tab * 3     | $\perp (\backslash bot)$                                 |
| < + > + tab * 4      | < + > + tab * 4 | $\clubsuit (\backslash clubsuit)$                        |
| < + > + tab          | < + > + tab     | $\diamondsuit (\backslash diamondsuit)$                  |
| < + > + tab * 2      | < + > + tab * 2 | $\heartsuit (\backslash heartsuit)$                      |
| < + > + tab * 3      | < + > + tab * 3 | $\spadesuit (\backslash spadesuit)$                      |
| b + tab * 2          | b + tab * 2     | $\flat (\backslash flat)$                                |
| # + tab * 2          | # + tab * 2     | $\natural (\backslash natural)$                          |
| # + tab              | # + tab         | $\sharp (\backslash sharp)$                              |
| @ + = + tab          | @ + = + tab     | $\triangleq (\backslash triangleq)$                      |
| + + tab * 2          | + + tab * 2     | $\dagger (\backslash dagger)$                            |

#### Variable sized operators

|             |             |                               |
|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------|
|             |             | $\int (\backslash int)$       |
| +  + tab    | +  + tab    | $\iint (\backslash iint)$     |
| +  +  + tab | +  +  + tab | $\iiint (\backslash iiint)$   |
| @ +         | @ +         | $\oint (\backslash oint)$     |
| U +  + tab  | U +  + tab  | $\bigcup (\backslash bigcup)$ |
| N +  + tab  | N +  + tab  | $\bigcap (\backslash bigcap)$ |

#### Arrow

|           |           |   |
|-----------|-----------|---|
| + >       | + >       | $\rightarrow (\backslash rightarrow)$         |
| + > + /   | + > + /   | $\nrightarrow (\backslash nrightarrow)$       |
| + - + >   | + - + >   | $\longrightarrow (\backslash longrightarrow)$ |
| = + >     | = + >     | $\Rightarrow (\backslash Rightarrow)$         |
| = + > + / | = + > + / | $\nRightarrow (\backslash nRightarrow)$       |
| - + - + > | - + - + > | $\Longrightarrow (\backslash Longrightarrow)$ |

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| Windows<br>GNU/Linux | Mac               | Equivalent in $\text{\LaTeX}$                        |
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| + >                  | + >               | $\rightsquigarrow (\backslash leadsto)$              |
| I + - + >            | I + - + >         | $\mapsto (\backslash mapsto)$                        |
| I + - + - + >        | I + - + - + >     | $\longmapsto (\backslash longmapsto)$                |
| < + -                | < + -             | $\leftarrow (\backslash leftarrow)$                  |
| < + - + >            | < + - + >         | $\leftrightarrow (\backslash leftrightarrow)$        |
| < + - + Tab          | < + - + Tab       | $\downarrow (\backslash uparrow)$                    |
| < + - + Tab + Tab    | < + - + Tab + Tab | $\downarrow (\backslash downarrow)$                  |
| < + - + > + Tab      | < + - + > + Tab   | $\Downarrow (\backslash updownarrow)$                |
| <b>Fences</b>        |                   |  |
| < +  + Tab           | < +  + Tab        | $\langle \rangle (\backslash langle \rangle rangle)$ |
| I + .                | I + .             | $\lfloor \rfloor (\backslash lfloor \rfloor rfloor)$ |
| I + '                | I + '             | $\lceil \rceil (\backslash lceil \rceil rceil)$      |
| I + I                | I + I             | $\parallel (\backslash    \parallel \parallel)$      |