

Important Windows 10 Keyboard Shortcuts

Microsoft Natural Keyboard Keys

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| Windows Logo | Start menu |
| Windows Logo + R | Run dialog box |
| Windows Logo + E | Windows explorer |
| Windows Logo + D | Displays desktop |
| Windows Logo + L | Log off Windows |
| Windows Logo + Up Arrow | Maximize the window |
| Windows Logo + Left Arrow | Maximize the window to the left of the screen |
| Windows Logo + Down Arrow | Minimize the window |
| Windows Logo + Home | Minimize all but the active window |
| Windows Logo + Shift + Left Arrow or Right Arrow | Move a window from a monitor to another |
| Windows Logo + Pause | System Properties dialog |

General Folder/Shortcut Control

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| F5 | Refreshes the current window |
| F6 | Moves among panes in Windows Explorer |
| Backspace | Switch to the parent folder |

Windows Explorer Tree Control

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| Right Arrow | Expands the current selection if it is not expanded, otherwise goes to the first child |
| Left Arrow | Collapses the current selection if it is expanded, otherwise goes to the parent |

Dialog Box Commands

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| Tab | Move to the next control in the dialog box |
| Shift + Tab | Move to the previous control in the dialog box |
| Spacebar | If the current control is a button, this clicks the button. If the current control is a check box, this toggles the check box. If the current control is an option, this selects the option |
| Enter | Equivalent to clicking the selected button (the button with the outline) |
| Esc | Equivalent to clicking the Cancel button |

General Keyboard-only Commands

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| Ctrl + Shift + Esc | Opens windows task manager |
| Alt + Underlined Letter in Menu | Opens the menu |
| Alt + F4 | Closes the current window/program |

Mouse Click

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| ALT + Double Click | Display folder/file properties |
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Shell Objects and General Folder/Windows Explorer

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| F2 | Rename object |
| Alt + Enter | Open the properties for the selected object |
| Press and Hold Ctrl While you Drag the File to Another Folder | Copy a file |